#### Large Timber Structures in Norway

Riga 2006-10-17

Tallin 2006-10-18

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## **Long traditions in Norway**



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## **Large Timber Structures in Norway**

- 1. Structures for the 1994 Winter Olympics
- 2. Structures for Oslo Airport Gardermoen
- 3. Timber Bridges

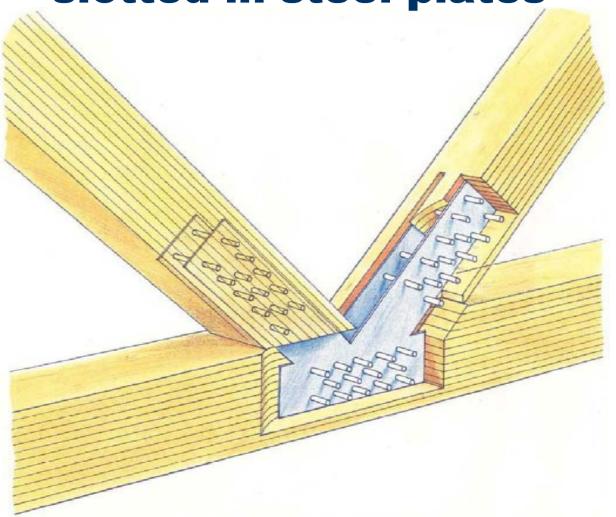


## **1994 Winter Olympics**

- Lillehammer February 1994
- Glulam structures up to 100 m
- Effective jointing system
- Fire resistance minimum 60 minutes



Steel dovels and slotted in steel plates







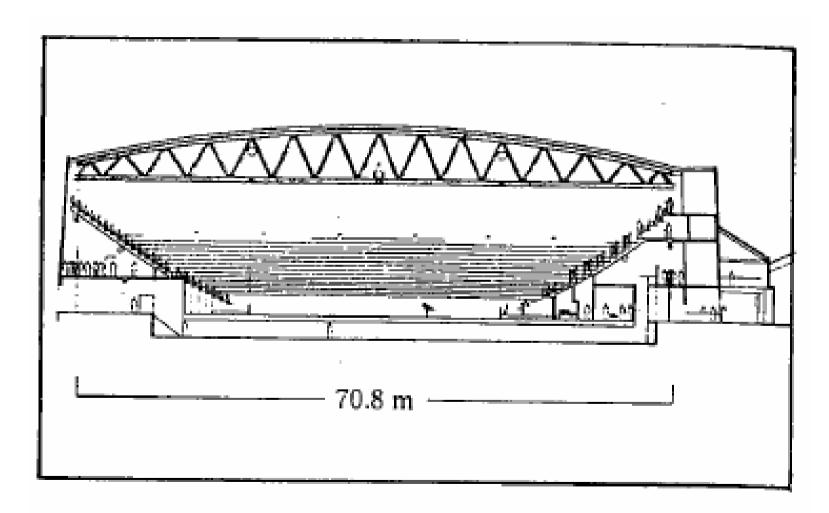


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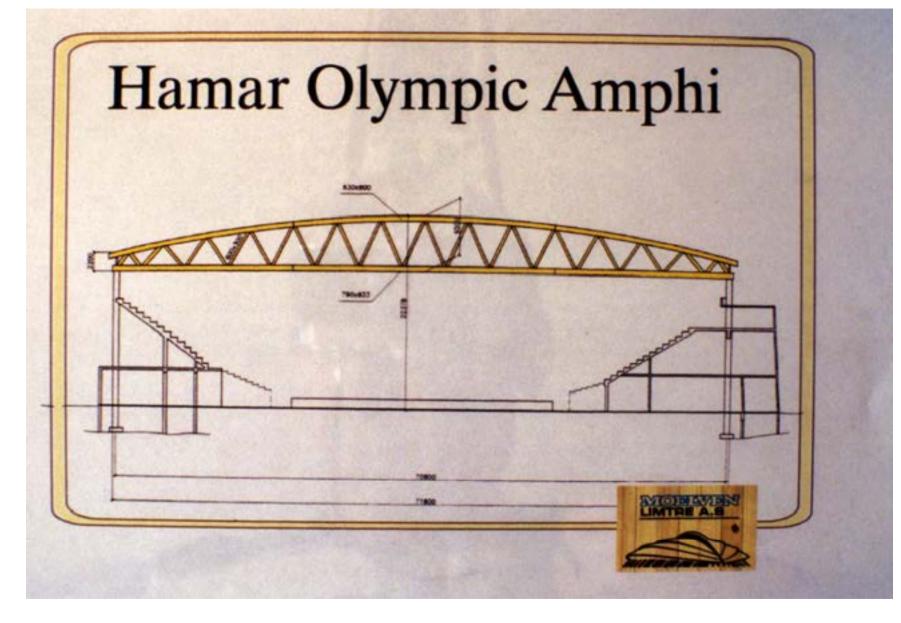
- Hamar Olympic Amphitheatre
- Håkon's Indoor Stadium
- Hamar Olympic Stadium (The Viking Ship)



## **Hamar Olympic Amphitheatre**













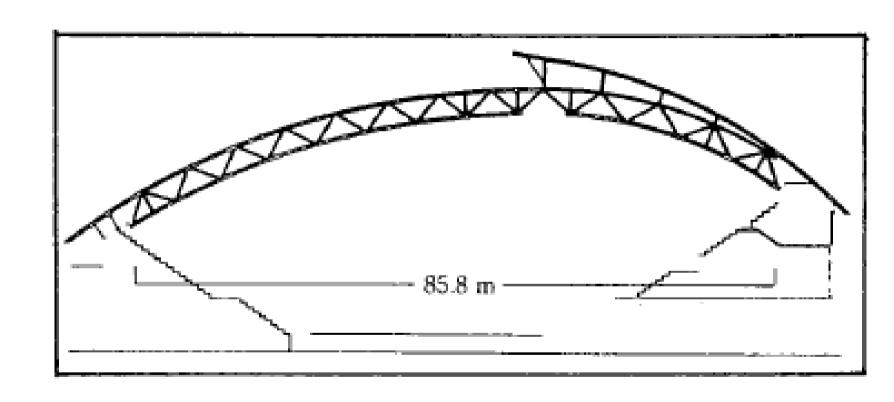




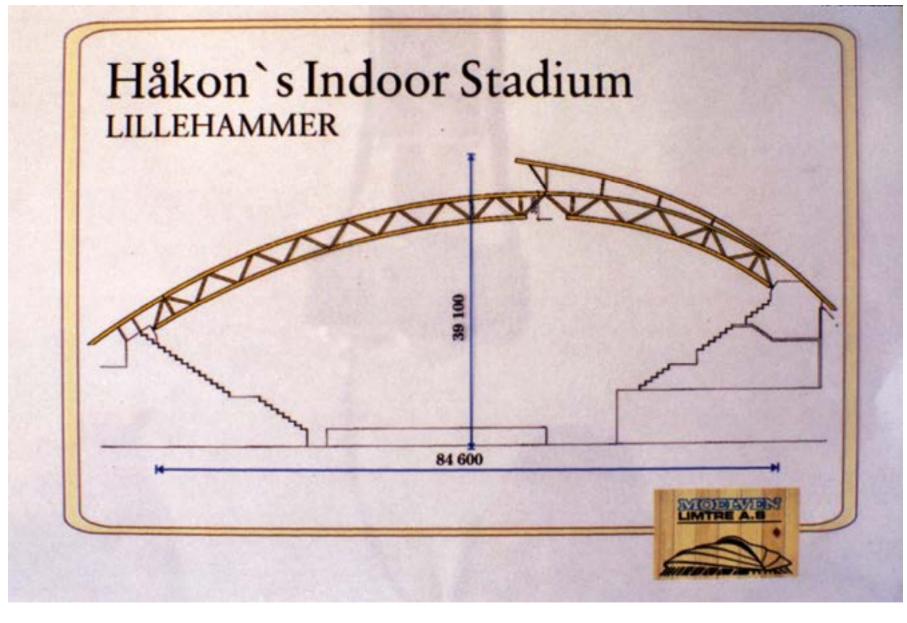




#### Håkon's Indoor Stadium













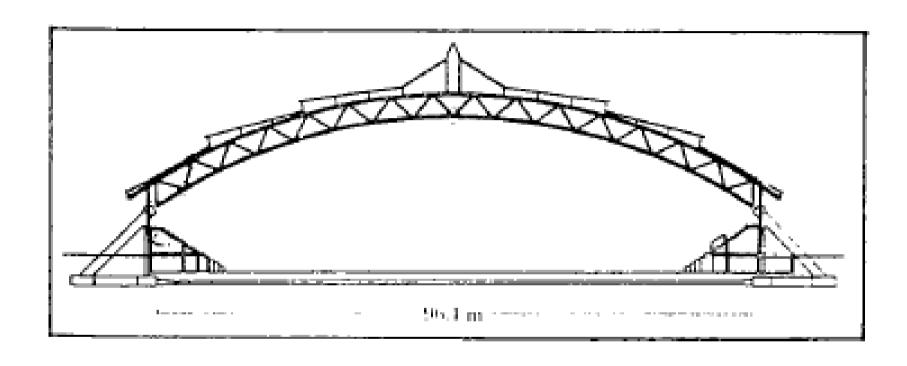




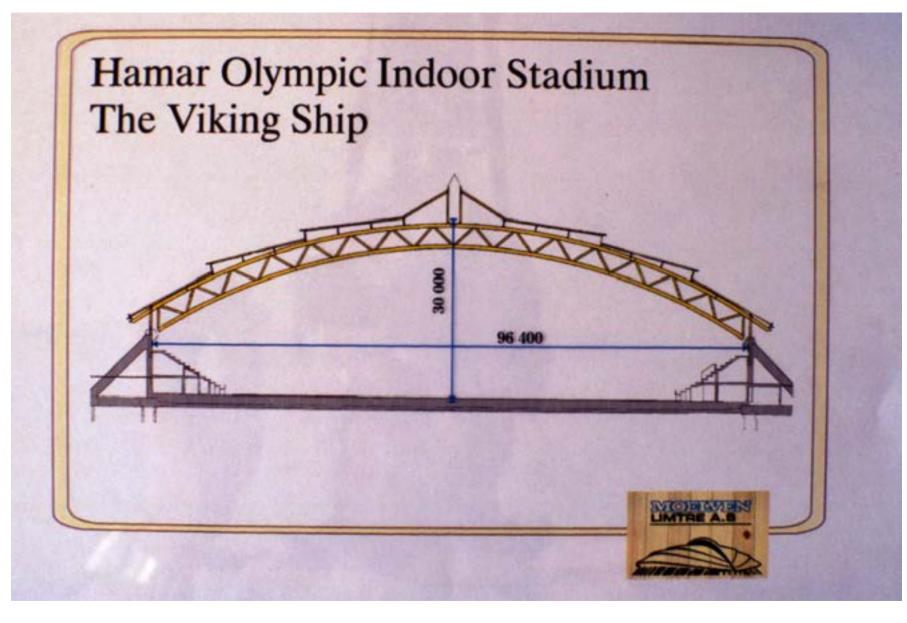














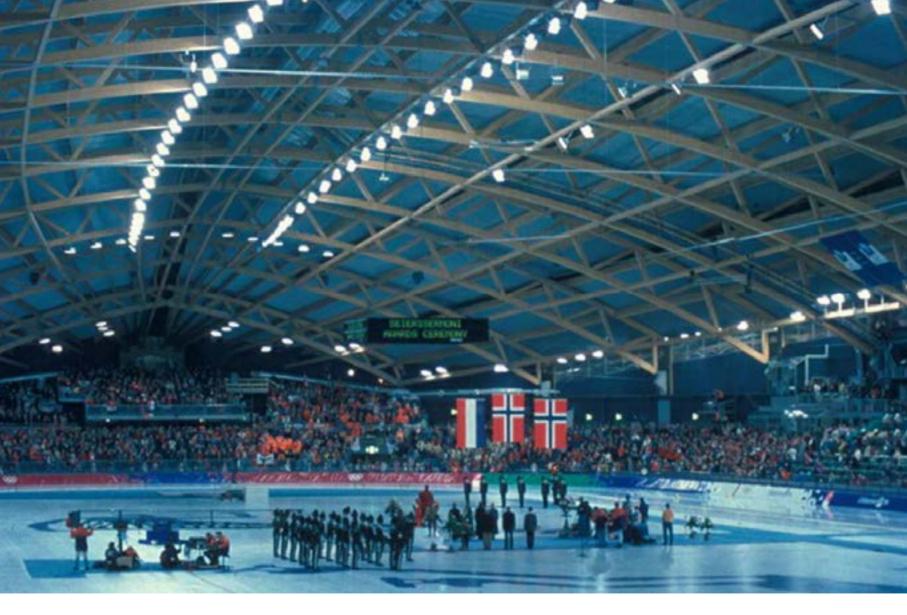














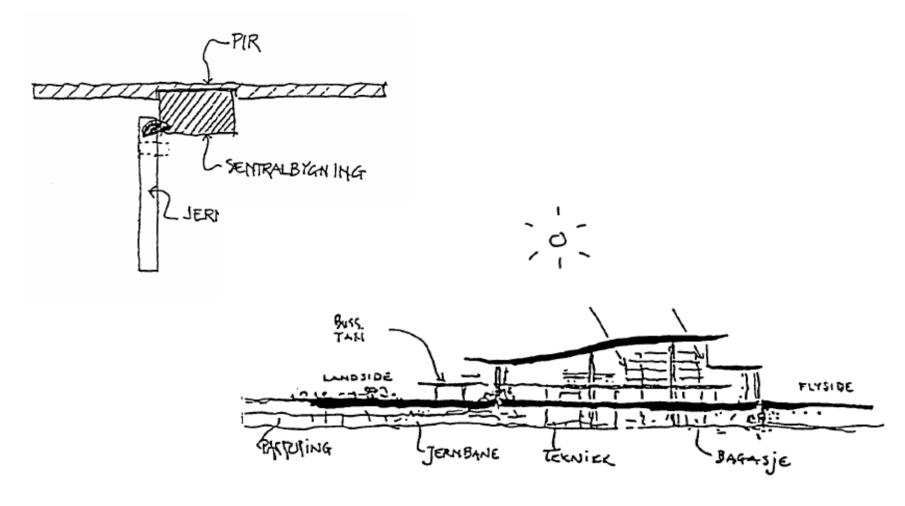


## **Oslo Airport Gardermoen**

- 50 km north of Oslo
- 25 years discussions and planning
- Airport based on national traditions
- Opened in 1998

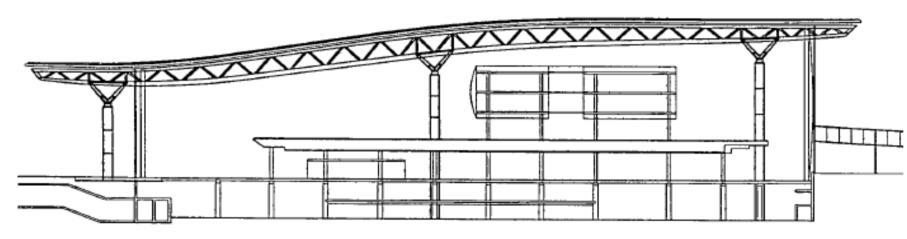


## **Very early sketches**



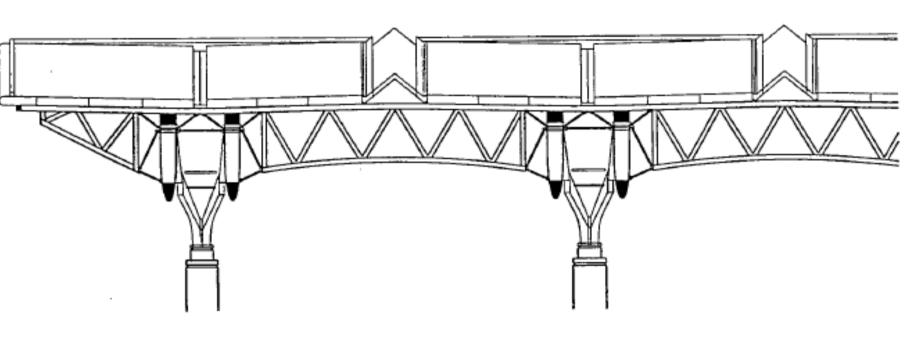


# Main glulam structure





## Secondary glulam structure









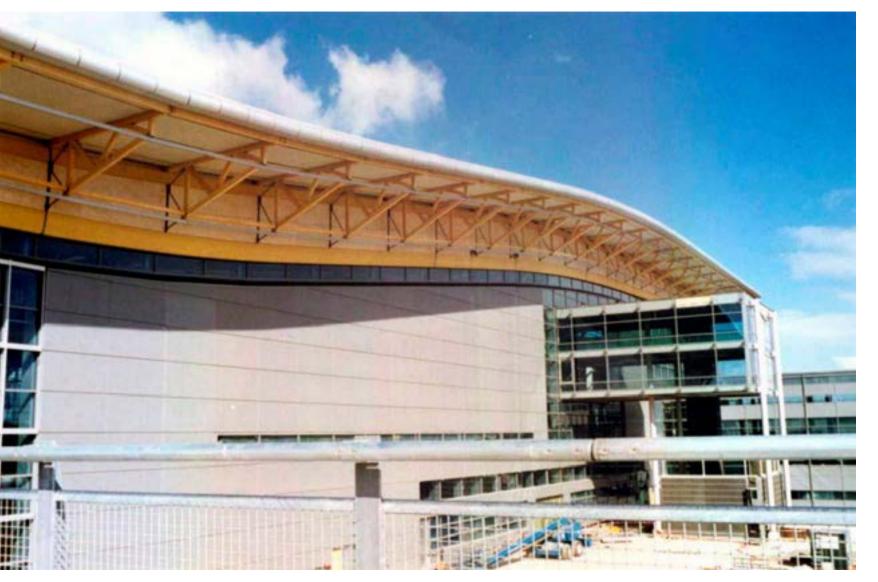








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## **Timber Bridges**

- Nordic Timber Bridge Program
- Good cooperation with authorities
- Good chemical protection
- Many long new bridges
- Monitoring program



## **Holmen Footbridge**

Opened 1993

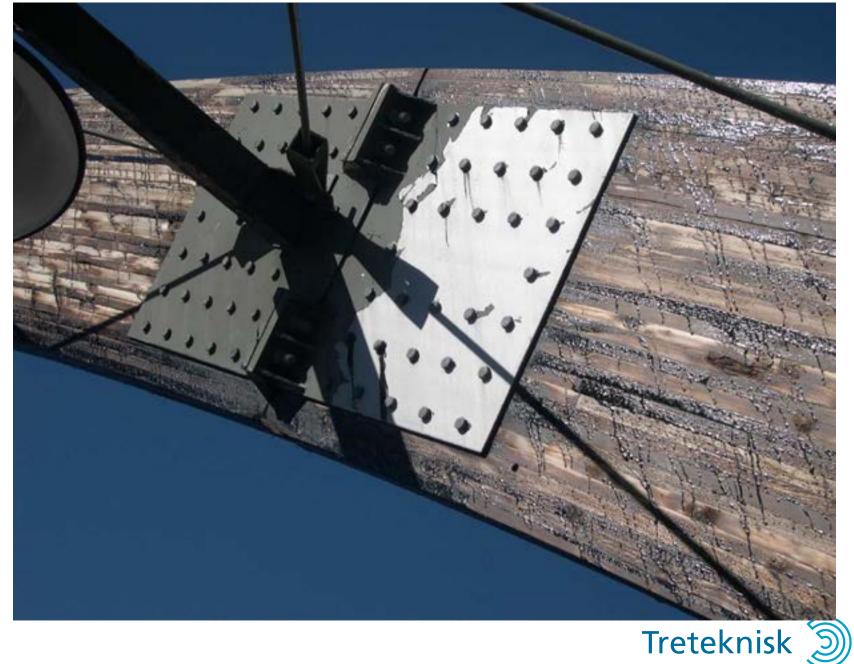
Span: 40 m

Length: 60 m

Creosote impregnated









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#### **Evenstad Bridge**

- Opened 1996
- Spans: 5 x 36 meters
- Stress laminated deck (planks 28 x 223 mm)
- Creosote impregnated

















#### Fønhus Bridge

Opened 1998

Span: 35 meters

Stress laminated deck

Double impregnation



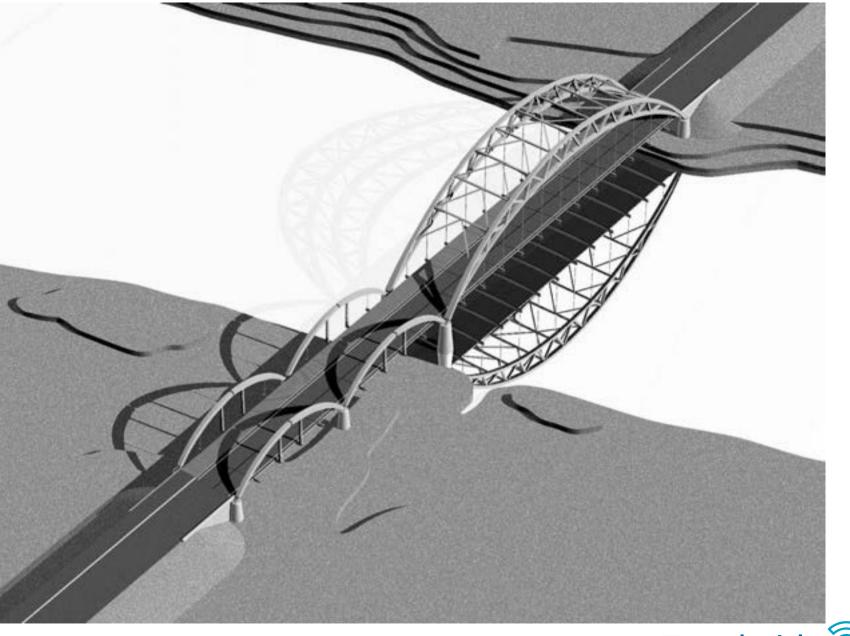


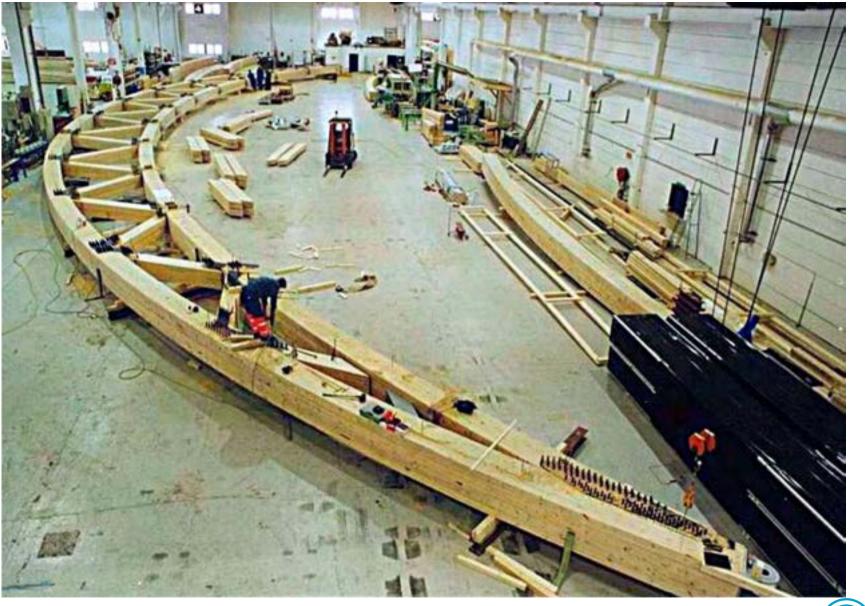


# **Tynset Bridge**

- Opened 2001
- Spans: 27 + 27 + 70 meters
- Stress laminated deck
- Double impregnation













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# Flisa Bridge

Constructed:

Spring 2003

Total length:

181.5 m (trusses) and

196.0 m (deck)

Spans:

55.2 + 56.0 + 70.3 m

Structural system:

Glulam trusses

Bridge deck:

Stress laminated 48 x 223 mm

timber deck

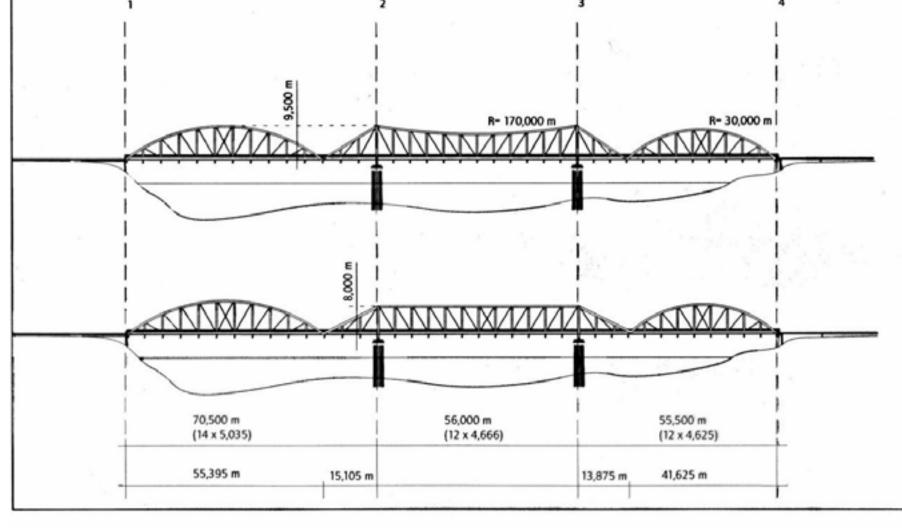
Wood treatment:

The trusses are double impregnated with CCA, and with creosote with reduced absorption. The deck planks are treated with creosote











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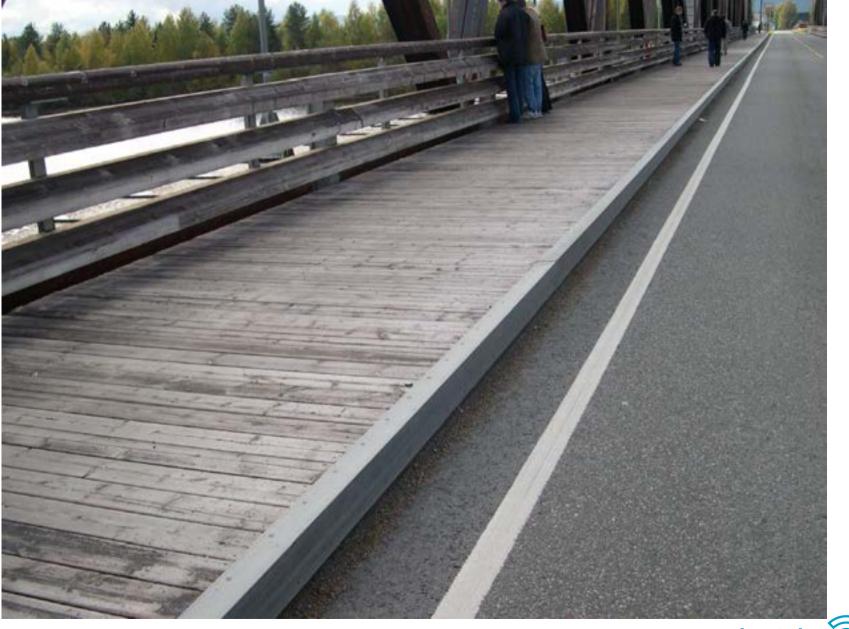










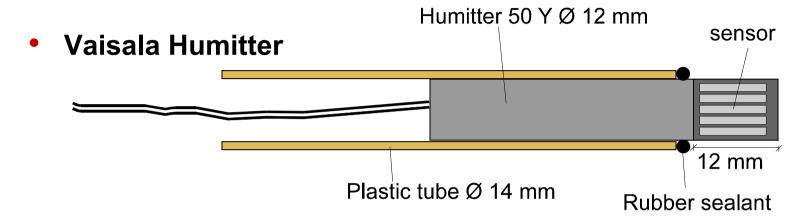


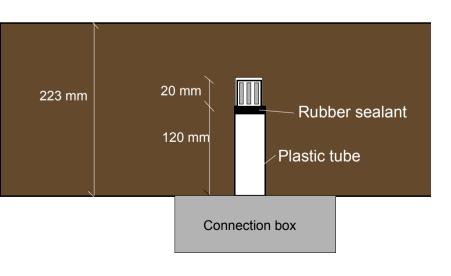






### **Instruments**







## **The MC-equation**

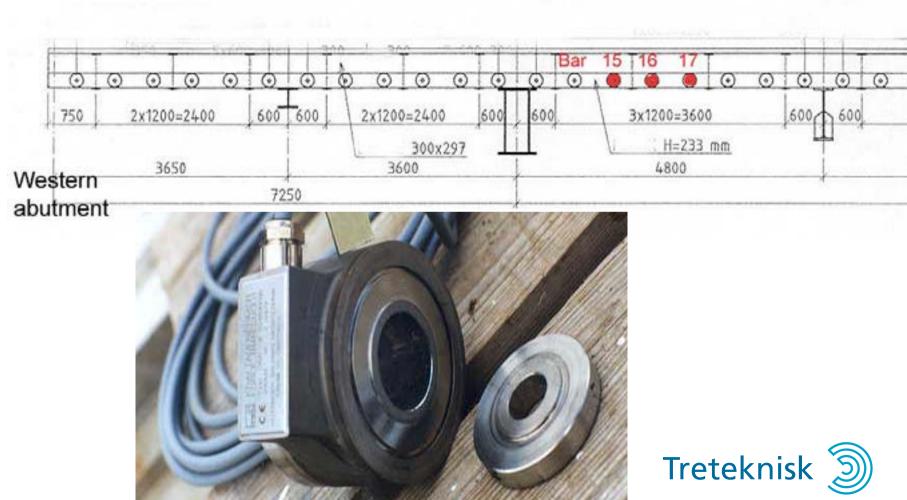
$$MC = (5RH^3 - (589.1 - 0.76t)RH^2 + 100(370.1 - 0.7t)RH - 100(564.9 - 6.8t))10^{-5}$$

MC = moisture content in %, RH = relative humidity in % and t = temperature in °C.



### **Instruments**

Load cell Hottinger CR 6



### **Installation**



**Load cell** 

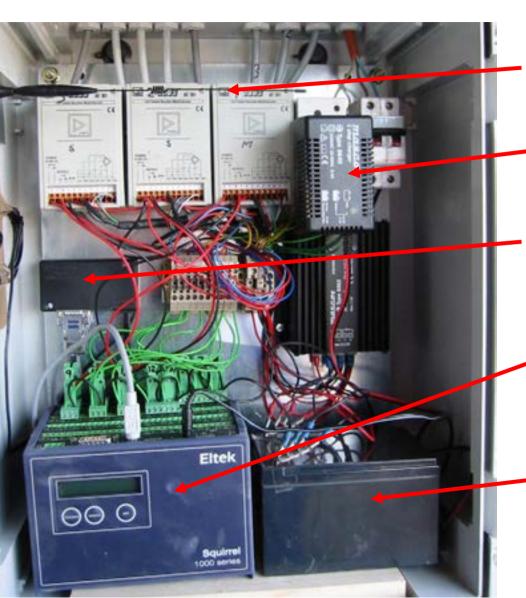
Air (temp/RH)

**Dummy** 

**Humitters** 



### **Transmission of data**



**Antenna** 

El. charger

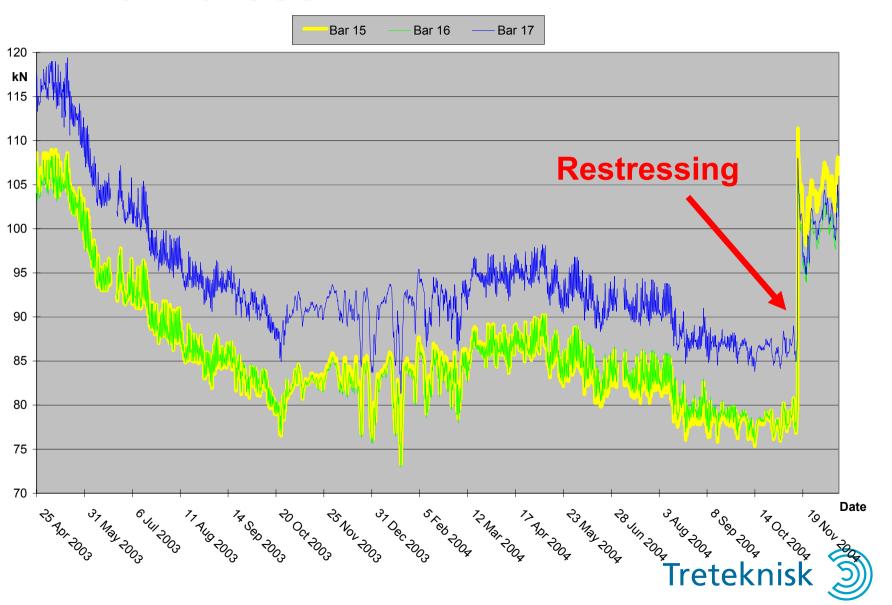
**Mobil phone** 

Data logger

Battery



### **Bar forces**



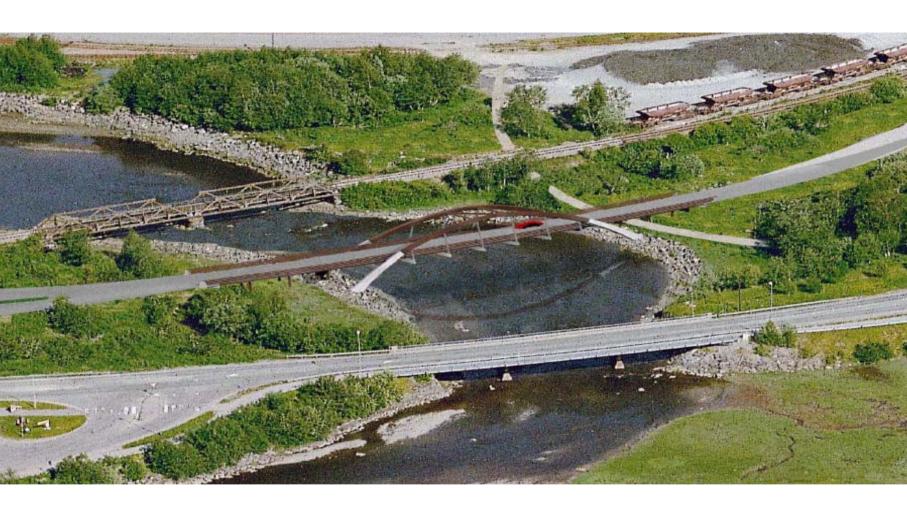




# Måsør Bridge

- Opened 2005
- Span 50 m
- Length 83 m
- E6















## **Klemetsrud Bridge**

- Opened 2005
- Span 45 m
- Length 160 m
- Footbridge
- Untreated deck













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## **Rena Bridge**

Opened 2005

• 110 tons

















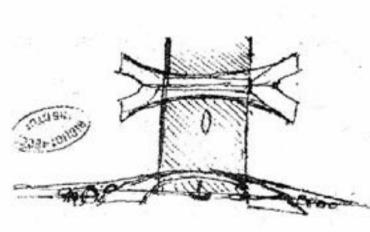






# **The Leonardo Bridge**







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