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Svitzer orders another battery-powered tugboat

The former Maersk-owned company is ordering the electric vessel as part of its efforts to reduce CO2 emissions across its fleet.



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Svitzer has ordered another battery-powered tugboat to be used in the Sound between Denmark and Sweden.

The expansion of Svitzer's battery-powered fleet will help the shipping company move closer to its goals of lower CO2 emissions across the business, according to a press release.

"In recent years, we have seen an increasing demand for green towing services in Scandinavia, including the Sound. At the same time, we are committed to doing our part to significantly reduce CO2 emissions in the industry by 2030," says Mathias Jonasson, managing director of Svitzer in Scandinavia, in the press release.

The vessel has been ordered from Sanmar Shipyard and is expected to be delivered in the second half of 2025.