





#### Port Electrification

Port electrification is a holistic approach integrating shorepower and advanced energy management, communication and transportation systems with port operations.

- Reducing Emissions
- Saving Energy
- Reducing Maintenance







# Major Equipment Groups

 Ship-To-Shore Container Cranes (including Mobile Harbour Cranes)

Yard Container Cranes

Mobile Port Handling Equipment





## Ship-To-Shore Container Cranes







## Mobile Port Handling Equipment







#### Yard Container Cranes





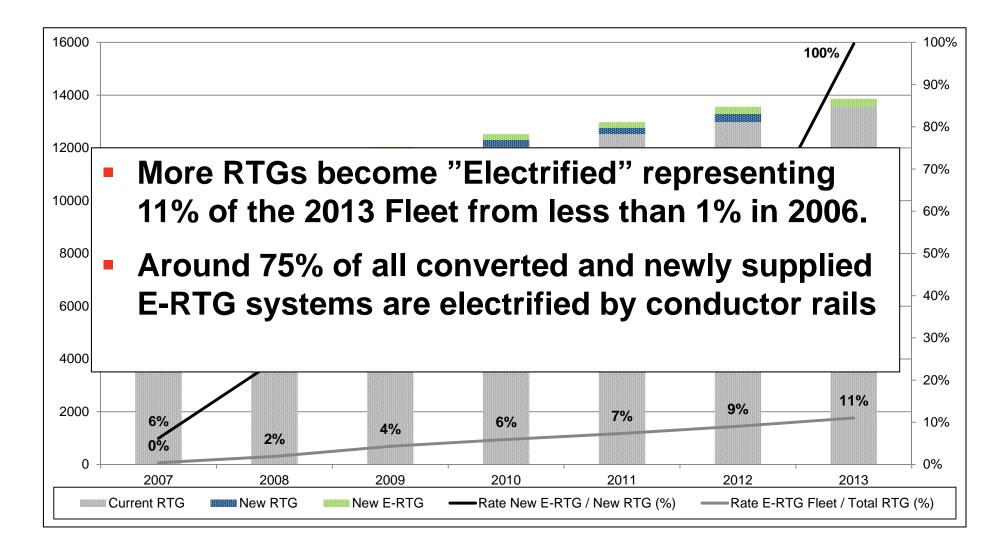


## **E-RTGs**

- The 1996 Kyoto Accords brings world attention to the environment
- In 2006 first developments have started to convert diesel powered RTGs to electrical RTGs.
- The first electrification of RTG Cranes has been done by using Cable Reels.
- In 2007 first developments in China have seen the use of conductor rail systems with plug connections.
- More recently fully flexible Drive-In solutions, such as those first developed by Vahle have been successfully been implemented in major terminal operations.
- In 2013 marketing of automated RTGs by crane OEMs





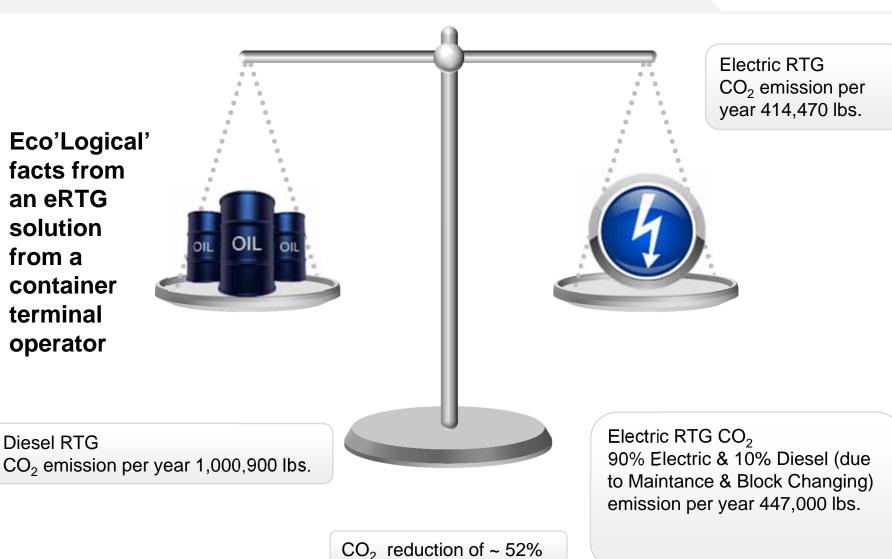






Eco'Logical' facts from an eRTG solution from a container terminal operator

**Diesel RTG** 







RTG Type	Conventional RTG	EcoRTG	EcoRTG w/supercapacitors	eRTGs
Fuel / Energy consumption (15 moves / hour)	20,9 lit/hour	13,1 lit/hour	6,8 lit/hour	35kWh
Energy cost / h	\$17,2	\$10,80	\$5,63	\$3,15
Operating hours 3600, cost / year	<u>\$62 199,36</u>	<u>\$38 874,60</u>	<u>\$20 282,40</u>	<u>\$11 340,00</u>

Additional savings for reducing maintenance costs associated with diesel generators:

Maintenance costs per operating hours (\$2.55 / hour) : \$9 180 per yr.

Tier 4 Diesel replacement @ 25000 hours (\$6 / hour) : \$150 000

\*Reference: Innovation for future generations conference, "GPA's eRTG demonstration project", Aug. 5-7, 2012.

Solutions: Electrification to reduce fuel and maintenance for achieving savings of up to <u>85%</u>







E-RTG Solutions	Environment	Labor Saving	Safety	Space Savings
Hybrid				
Cable Reel				
Conductor Bar				





## What to look for ?

- Space savings due to vertical arrangement (330mm single sided and 600mm double sided)
- Electrification of two aisles from one steel structure
- Lightweight and robust tubular steel structure
- Diabolo roller design for multi-dimensional guidance
- Minimized moving wear parts (3 rollers only)
- Fully Automated Connector System
- Automatic synchronization during switch-over
- One or two arms per RTG to maximize operational flexibility





## What to look for ?

 Upgrade for automatic / remote operation to include data communication and positioning systems



The Busbar power connection converts the RTGs to fully electric operation. **Image: Konecranes** 

Integrated Positioning and Data Communication System. Image: Vahle





## Challenges

#### Retrofit

- Interface definition
- Adaption to all RTG Types and port layouts
- Greenfield
  - Clear Interface
  - Off site test track with major RTG suppliers











