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1000 km Challenge: German Eurabus 8.5 meter bus drives 1000 km in one day

As part of Youtuber Björn Nyland's 1000 km Challenge on 18 July, the Eurabus 3.0 Series 8.5 meter bus travelled 1000 km in just one day (13:15 hours). The journey started in Linthe (Brandenburg) and took the bus to Leipzig and back five times. The average consumption of the bus was 0.695 kWh/km.

The head of development at EURABUS, Michael Düde, who accompanied the bus throughout the day, is enthusiastic about the results in this extensive practical test:

"In summary, I can say that our smallest bus mastered the big task very well. Compared to the Tesla Björn 1000 km Challenge, the time of 13 hours and 15 minutes is even faster than some passenger cars, which took up to 16 hours to complete the task.

With a real long-distance bus (battery with 800 - 1000 kWh capacity) we could even beat the time of a diesel bus under the same conditions according to the projections, hopefully we will be able to do this test soon."

Link to the video of the 1000 km - Challenge: [youtube.com/watch?v=dB2oiPmUldA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dB2oiPmUldA)

Interview with Michael Düde (EURABUS): [youtube.com/watch?v=LuA1GGs8WXE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LuA1GGs8WXE)

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