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## **EnBW becomes the first company to operate more than 6,000 fast-charging points in Germany**

**Expansion target for 2024 reached ahead of schedule**

Karlsruhe. The ability to quickly charge electric cars is indispensable not only on long journeys, but also in everyday life. On longer journeys, the battery charges during a coffee break. When shopping, the charging process provides sufficient range for the coming days or until the next trip to the shops. This also makes it easy for those who do not have their own wall box to drive electric vehicles. That is why there has especially been a rapid rise in the number of fast-charging points in recent years.

Overall, the nationwide charging network is developing at a significantly faster pace than the vehicle market. As the operator of Germany's largest fast-charging network, EnBW is playing a key role in this. It has now become the first company to pass the 6,000 mark for fast-charging points throughout Germany.

"We have achieved our target and installed more than 1,000 new fast-charging points since July of this year. These are the strongest half-yearly figures since our first fast-charging station was installed at the end of 2016 on the A8 near Stuttgart," says EnBW's Chief Sales Officer Dirk Güsewell. "Based on the utilized time, the charging infrastructure in Germany can handle six times the number of electric cars. At EnBW alone, motorists can now find a fast-charging station within a radius of 50 kilometers almost anywhere in the country. In order to further increase the density of our charging network, we remain committed to making a relevant contribution to the expansion of the German fast-charging network in the future and also strengthen our market position."

With its strategy, EnBW follows the needs of drivers. They can find the energy company's fast-charging options where they are, making it easy to integrate charging into their everyday lives. That is why EnBW invests in a reliable and dense fast-charging network that is available to all drivers in Germany.

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### **E-mobility at EnBW**

EnBW Energie Baden-Württemberg AG is one of the largest energy supply companies in Germany. With a workforce of around 29,000 employees, it supplies electricity and gas to around 5.5 million customers. In the field of e-mobility, EnBW has grown to become a market leader in recent years. As a full-service provider together with its subsidiaries, its activities range from electricity generation using renewable energy sources to the development, expansion and operation of charging infrastructure and the creation of digital solutions for consumers. In addition, as an independent EnBW subsidiary, Netze BW is responsible for the secure operation of distribution grids. As one of the German market leaders in home storage and photovoltaic systems, the company

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also combines solar, storage and electricity cloud solutions with e-mobility services to create a complete energy ecosystem for its customers.

#### **About the EnBW HyperNet**

The EnBW HyperNet® already provides motorists with access to more than 700,000 charging points in Europe. The EnBW mobility+ app always finds the nearest charging option in these countries. Drivers can also use the app for convenient and contactless payment. After a one-off registration, customers can also simply connect their vehicle at most of EnBW's own fast-charging points and immediately start charging. Transparent prices per kilowatt-hour apply at all charging points within the EnBW HyperNet.

The EnBW mobility+ service regularly comes out on top in independent tests, including best charging infrastructure operator in Germany (AUTO BILD 29/2024, connect 11/2022 and 12/2021), best HPC charging network operator (autobild.de, 21.07.2022), best e-mobility provider in Germany (connect 11/2024, 11/2023, 11/2022, 12/2021, 12/2020 and 07/2020), access to the largest charging network in Germany, Austria and Switzerland (AUTO BILD 27/2023, 22/2022 and 20/2021), best charging tariff (EnBW mobility+ charging tariff L, AUTO BILD 27/2023), best app usability (AUTO BILD 27/2024) and best charging app among independent providers (Computerbild 12/2023).

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