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Press release

GLS Poland and Orlen launch Poland's first shared parcel lockers network

As of October 14, customers of GLS Poland, one of Europe's leading logistics companies, can pick up and send parcels from Poland's first shared network of Orlen parcel machines. With the new solution, the national number of GLS parcel pick-up and sending points will increase to as many as 13,000.

Since October this year, GLS Poland has been significantly expanding its offer, providing customers with more than 6,000 parcel vending machines in cooperation with Orlen. The vast majority of them are located in convenient locations, on average 7 minutes from consumers' homes. The main advantages of parcel vending machines include their speed, convenience and safety. Simply picking up a parcel takes less than a minute. All you have to do is scan a QR code or enter a pickup code on the vending machine's screen, which the recipient receives at the phone number or email provided during shopping. The vending machines are available 24/7 and offer the possibility to pick up a package for 72 hours. The new service will also be appreciated by people who want to maintain greater privacy and independence.

"Our cooperation with Orlen is another step toward providing the most comprehensive courier service on the Polish market. By expanding our offer to include parcel machines and increasing the number of pick-up points to 13,000, we are strengthening our leadership position in the industry. This gives GLS customers even more flexibility and convenience in managing their shipments. We are constantly striving to expand and improve our offerings to meet the growing expectations of the market. Our cooperation with Orlen proves our commitment to continuous development and providing customers with comprehensive logistics solutions of the highest quality" noted **Tomek Zwiercan**, Managing Director of GLS Poland.

The most comprehensive courier service offering on the market

To date, the leading flexible out-of-home (out-of-home) delivery solution offered by GLS(<https://gls-group.com/PL/pl/home/>) has been delivery to the Szybka Paczka network of outlets, of which there are now as many as 7,000 nationwide.

They are located in stores and service establishments and markets, including Lidl, ABC, Auchan, Carrefour, Dealz, Delikatesy Centrum, Duży Ben, Lewiatan, Martes Sport, Stokrotka, Bonito bookstores and Kolporter newsrooms. What's more, GLS is a global company that operates in as many as 40 countries, including throughout Europe, the United States and Canada, and offers access to 70,000 pick-up points worldwide.

This service versatility and extensive international infrastructure enables the company to offer one of the most comprehensive packages of courier services that combine convenience,



flexibility, reliability and global reach. As a result, customers can count on efficient local service, as well as effective integration with international markets.

Caring for the environment and urban space

Caring for the environment and sustainability are the cornerstones of GLS' growth strategy, and the company's innovative approach to logistics is not only aimed at increasing efficiency.

In addition, such a solution promotes better use of urban space and reduces_{CO2} emissions.

*- "We maximize the potential of our network, so we also make it available to other companies. This allows them to use the already existing infrastructure instead of building their own independent network. In this way, we take care of the environment and manage urban space more efficiently, where there are already almost 50,000 parcel vending machines, operated by several operators" - says **Maciej Chłodziński, Head of the Parcel Lockers Network Department at ORLEN.***

This unique synergy between the diversity of the offer and the individual approach to the customer allows the company to constantly raise the bar in the courier industry, putting the convenience and satisfaction of the recipients in the first place.

For more information, visit the GLS [website](#).

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GLS Group is one of the largest independent courier service providers in Europe, with a developed active presence in almost all countries on the continent. Through a network of subsidiaries, it also operates in Canada and on the West Coast of the US. Every day, this allows GLS to efficiently deliver millions of packages and related stories to customers and communities. GLS manages its network proactively - it connects the markets it operates in a flexible and agile manner, responding to their rapid changes and dynamics. The company is proud to provide its customers with high-quality services in more than 40 countries. The GLS network consists of more than 120 distribution centers, more than 1,600 branches, more than 36,600 vehicles responsible for the final stage of delivery and 6,500 line cars. This guarantees excellent flexibility and increased coverage. In 2023/2024, GLS Group generated record revenues of €5.6 billion, delivering 905 million parcels in all markets served. For more information, visit <https://gls-group.com/>.