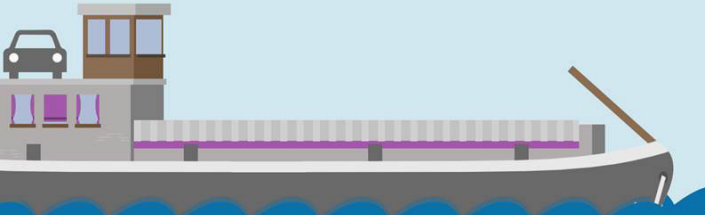




## Be prepared, plan your own lock passage. Prevent unnecessary delays in the locks of Terneuzen.

From 2018 to 2022, the construction of the new lock will be taking place in Terneuzen.



This will provide better access and easier flow from the Westerschelde to the Canal Gent-Terneuzen and beyond. But in the short term, construction will obstruct shipping.

The new lock will be built on the place of the existing middle lock. During construction, only two of the three locks will be available. As a result, waiting times would occur.

Using the planning tool is not mandatory but comes highly recommended. If you do not use the tool, you will be allowed through based on the first possible free position.

To avoid delays as much as possible, the existing planning tool for sea shipping is adapted to be suitable for inland navigation. With the planning tool you can see in advance at what time and in which lock chamber you can pass.

Keep in mind that ships arriving after you may have an earlier turn if they have signed up and therefore are planned in.

### Using the planning tool will help you fit the passage in your schedule.

To avoid this, use the planning tool to inform the system about your expected arrival time in Terneuzen.

This can be done up to 24 hours in advance via BICS or by phone +31 115 796 540 (from the Netherlands) / +32 354 701 11 (from Belgium).

Via the website [www.sluisplanning.nl](http://www.sluisplanning.nl) you can also indicate your expected arrival time and check at what time and in which lock chamber you are expected.



### Changes in your estimated arrival time?

Up to 3 hours in advance you can announce your new time via the same channels.

With the Planning tool for Inland Navigation Terneuzen you are at the helm of a smooth passage in Terneuzen.  
For more information visit [www.plantoolterneuzen.eu](http://www.plantoolterneuzen.eu)