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## Buy back of convertible bonds

Det norske oljeselskap ASA has bought back NOK 136,85 million of the outstanding convertible bond issue with ticker AKX01 and ISIN NO0010346117 in connection with the NOK 600 million bond issue completed on 13 January 2011.

Total outstanding amount in AKX01 is now NOK 320,65 million after the buy back.

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Det norske currently employs a staff of around 200. The company 's registered office is located in Trondheim. The company also has offices in Oslo, Harstad, and Stavanger. Det norske is listed on the Oslo Stock Exchange (DETNOR).

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