

Title	Democracy at work: The report of the Norwegian industrial democracy program
Author	Fred Emery and Einar Thorsrud
Source	Matinus Nijhoff Sciences Division
Pub Date	1976
Brief introduction	<p>It is with mixed feelings that we write this introduction. Major parts of the book first appeared in 1970, in Norwegian (Thorsrud and Emery, 1970). We promised an early English edition but found ourselves at opposite ends of the world, both giving first priority to opening up development projects in new areas. In a way, publication has been a temporary victim of our own theory of diffusing social change.</p> <p>The delay has been embarrassing but at least we have had the reassuring knowledge that the field experiments and experiences are as relevant today as they were then and relevant to a now much wider English speaking audience.</p> <p>The four field experiments reported here all arose from the Norwegian Industrial Democracy Project (the ID project).</p> <p>Several features of this project were quite unique for the social science world of the 1960s.</p>