# F2i – Fondo Italiano per le Infrastrutture

**Sovereign Wealth Funds, Long Term Investment** and Growth

The Art and Science of Co-Investing

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# F2i position in the Italian infrastructure market

F2i was created in 2007 by the main Italian public and private financial institutions to facilitate local privatisation and infrastructure spin-offs from the largest Italian groups



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- With an amount equal to € 2,5 billion, F2i is the largest Italian infrastructure asset manager and one of the most important in Europe
- Its portfolio includes some of the major Italian infrastructure (such as the Milan airports, the broadband Milan network, the second largest Italian gas distribution company)
- Its Sponsors include: State-owned bank Cassa Depositi e Prestiti; the two largest Italian Banks (Banca Intesa San Paolo and Unicredit); some of the largest Banking Foundations; two Italian Pension Funds
- Management team with decades of experience in infrastructure, led by Vito Gamberale (40 years of experience in the sector)

## F2i has launched its Second Fund, with total Fund target size € 1,2 bn

# F2i I Sponsors and Investors by type

Investors	Number of entities	Amounts (€ mln)	% of the Fund	
Banks	7	593	32,02%	
Pension Funds	13	487	26,30%	
Banking Foundations	25	439	23,70%	
Insurance Companies	4	175	9,45%	
Sovereign Financial Institutions (CDP)	1	150	8,10%	
Sponsor & Management	n.a.	8	0,43%	
Total		1.852	100%	

# **Summary of Key Terms**

## **Fund Characteristics**

- Size: €1.85bn
- Duration: Up to 15 (+3) years (expected average life 7,5y)
- Investment Period: 4 (+2) year
- Legal Structure: Limited liability partnership
- Management Company: F2i SGR

#### **Diversification Rules**

- Greenfield limited to <20% of the fund</li>
- Single assets limited to <20% of the fund (25% with Advisory Board); 25% (30% with advisory Board) for regulated assets</li>

#### **Investment Focus**

- Italian infrastructure opportunities
  - o Power and gas infrastructure
  - o Airports
  - o Telecom infrastructure
  - o Transportation
  - Environmental services (water, WTE, ...)
- Equity or quasi-equity
- Majority or influencing minority stakes, playing an active investor role

### **Co-investment Rights**

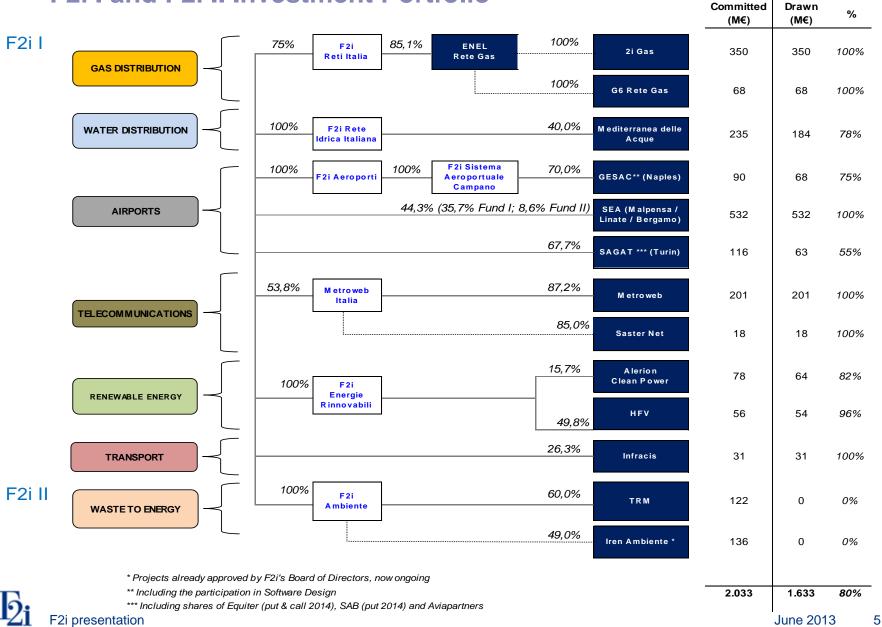
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## Solid Target Returns

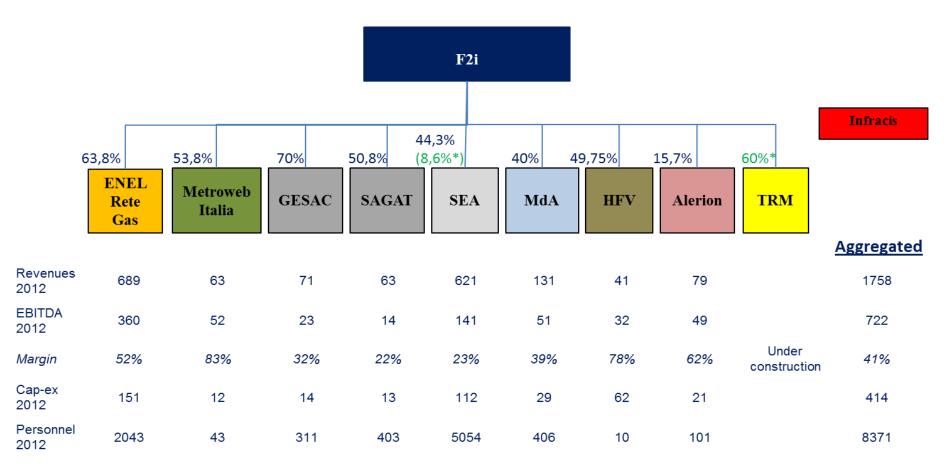
- Minimum Target Return ("hurdle rate"): IRR = 8% gross per year (on average)
- Target gross returns: 12-15%
- Annual cash distribution of 4-6% of invested capital

## F2i I and F2i II Investment Portfolio



## The F2i "Group": Current Portfolio

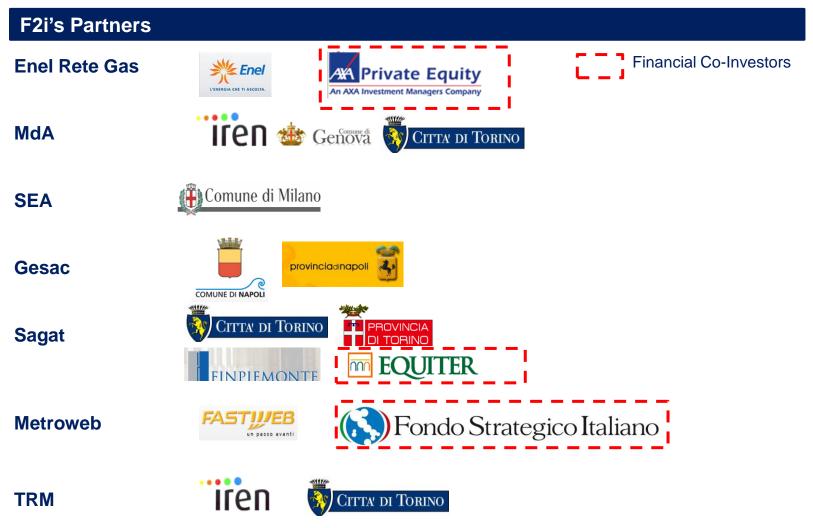
The current F2i portfolio is performing overall in line or better than expectations.



\* Second Fund F2i

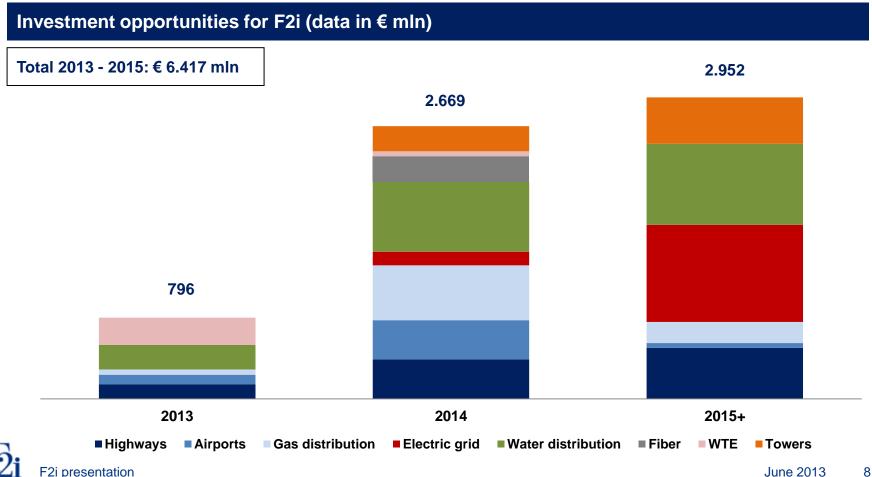
## **F2i's Partners**

 During its first years of activity, F2i has built strong relationships and partnerships with Italian Institutions and Italian and international operators and financial investors

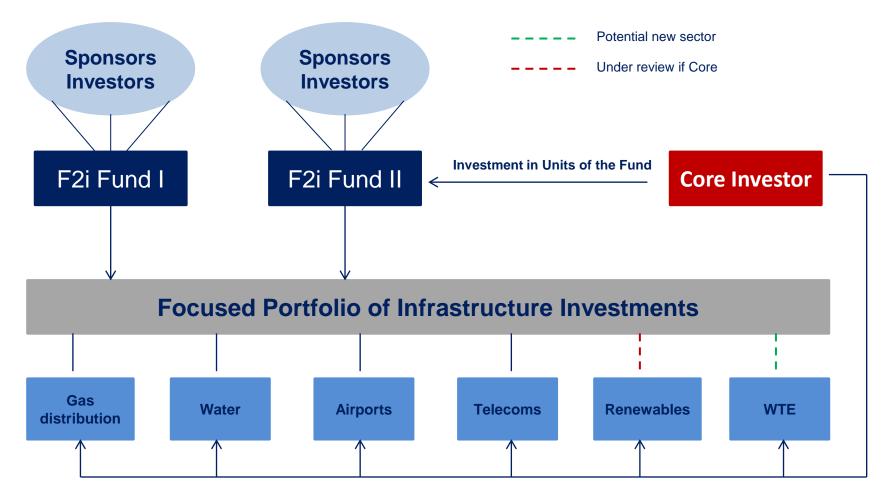


## **Pipeline and Investment Opportunities**

F2i has conducted together with Boston Consulting Group an in-depth market study of Italian infrastructures. The study, based on a bottom-up analysis of infrastructure players in the country, has identified an equity investment opportunity in excess of € 6.4 bn in the next three years, focusing on brownfield only within the infrastructure sectors identified as targets by F2i.



## Role of Core Investors (> €40MM) in F2i's Strategy





# **CO-INVESTMENT CASE STUDY: CREATION OF THE LARGEST INDEPENDENT PLAYER IN GAS DISTRIBUTION**

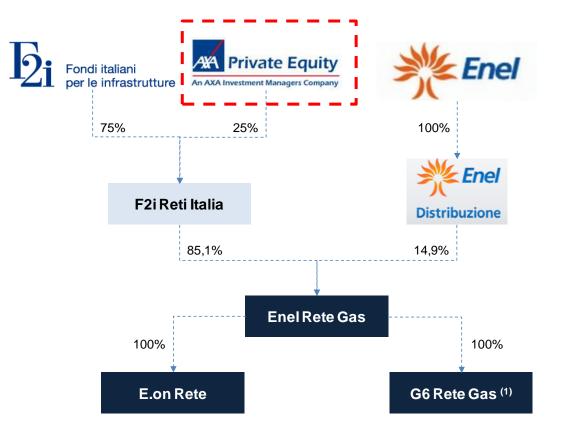
# Enel Rete Gas + 2iGas + **Enel Rete Gas** Enel Rete Gas + 2iGas **G6 Rete Gas**

	ERG*
Clients (M)	2,23
RAB (M€)	1.565
Revenues (M€)	386
EBITDA (M€)	231

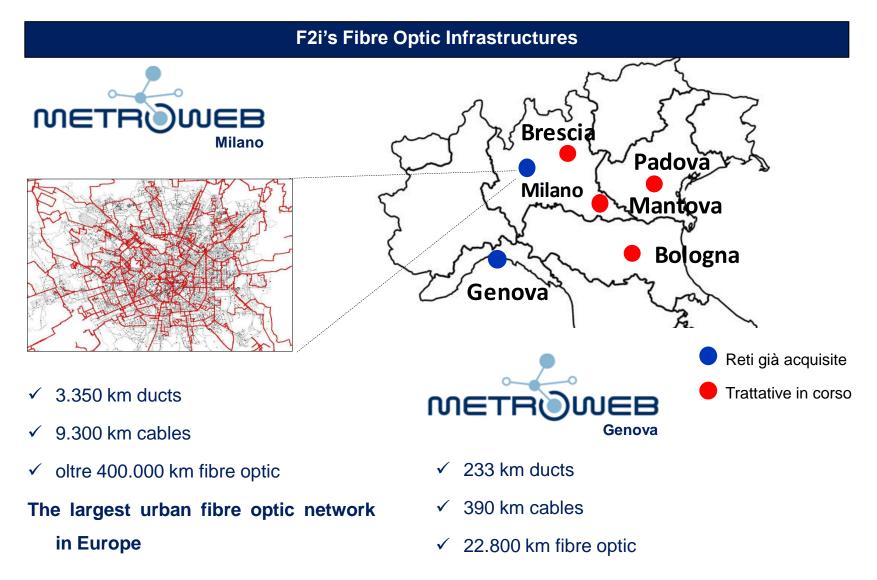
	ERG +	2iGas*		ERG + 2iGas + G6*		
Clients (M)	2,79	+25%	Clients (M)	3,81	+71%	
RAB (M€)	1.846	+18%	RAB (M€)	2.588	+65%	
Revenues (M€)	471	+22%	Revenues (M€)	639	+66%	
EBITDA (M€)	278	+20%	EBITDA (M€)	370	+60%	



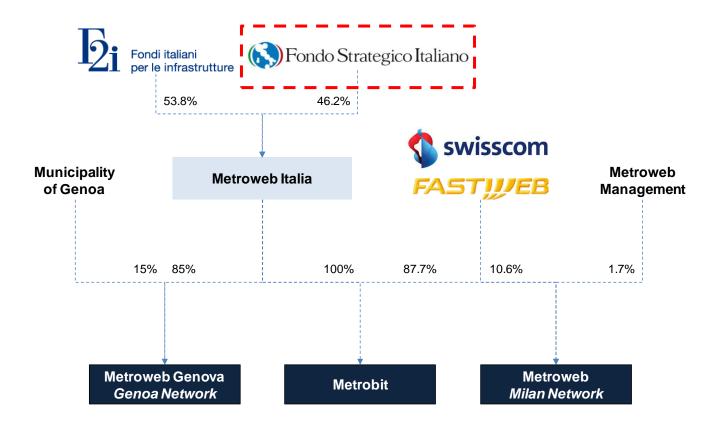
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# CO-INVESTMENT CASE STUDY: THE LARGEST FIBRE OPTIC NETWORK IN EUROPE

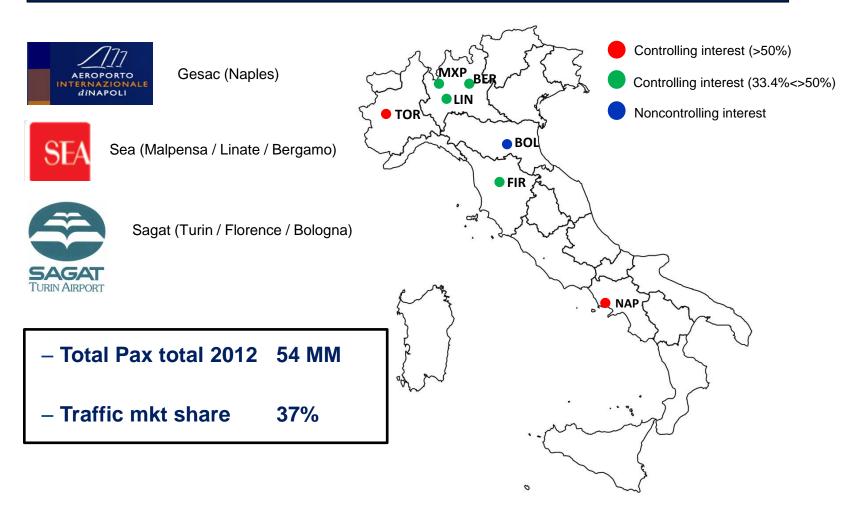


# **OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE OF METROWEB ITALIA**



# **CO-INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY: AIRPORT NETWORK**

#### **Airport sector investments**



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## NATIONAL AIRPORT PLAN

#### **Classification of the main Italian airports**

**Core Network** 

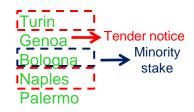
Comprehensive

Network









Treviso Open Verona → discussions

<u>Traffic more than 500.000</u> with specific territorial features Ancona Pescara Reggio Calabria Trieste

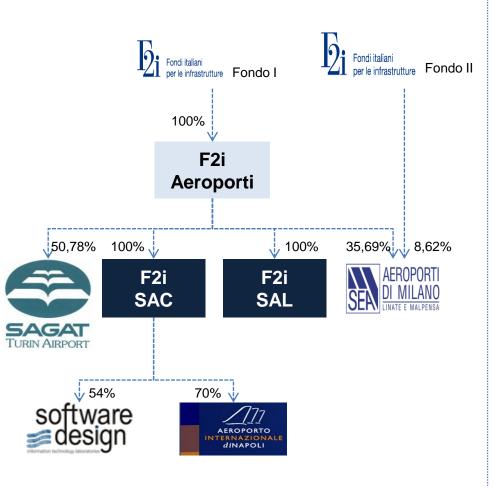
<u>Territorial continuity</u> Lampedusa Pantelleria

Other Airports

Rimini – upward trend traffic Salerno – used to relocate some traffic from Naples

# POTENTIAL OWNERSHIP STRUCTURE OF F2I AIRPORT NETWORK

#### Step I – Establishment of a single airport holding



#### Step II – Entrance of a partner in a F2i airport network

