

# **INVEST IN** SUSTAINABLE

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EUROFIMA European Company for the Financing of Railroad Rolling Stock May 2025

## **AGENDA**

- 1. Railway Financing
- 2. Debt Funding
- 3. Sustainability
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## **RAILWAY FINANCING**



### POSITIVE IMPACT ON THE RAILWAY SECTOR

Based on our non-profit maximizing mission, we finance railroad rolling stock to support development of **public passenger rail transportation** across Europe

With cost-effective, flexible and tailored financing solutions, we help our shareholders in 25 member states to renew and modernize their equipment

To date, we provided more than EUR 90 billion of loans and continue to be the funding source for **sustainable mobility solutions** in European regions and cities

Since 1956, we have connected the financial markets and the railway companies to generate positive social and environmental impact in the passenger transportation sector

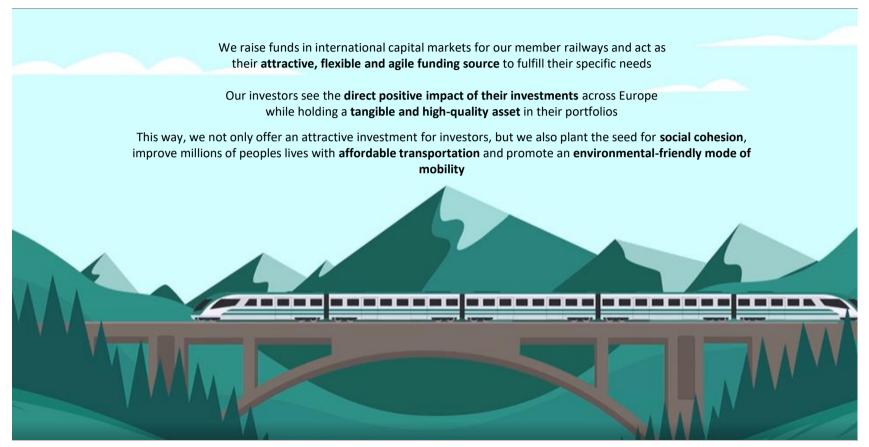




#### FINANCING PUBLIC PASSENGER RAIL TRANSPORTATION



## **BUILDING A BRIDGE BETWEEN INVESTORS AND RAILWAY OPERATORS**



## **DEBT FUNDING**



## REFLECTING OUR HIGH-QUALITY ISSUER PROFILE

Sound loan book EUR 9.2bn

AAA 3.0bn

AA-BBB 6.2bn

<BBB 0.0bn

- Rolling stock collateral as prerequisite for any lending
- 0% loan losses since 1956
- Preferred creditor status

**Strong financial** risk profile

Equity

Callable capital EUR 1.6bn EUR 1.9bn

- Sovereign guarantees
- Only shareholders can borrow in relation to **their** risk weight and equity participation
- Strong liquidity profile, no unfunded commitments

**Top credit** ratings

Ratings

MOODY'S

**Fitch**Ratings

stable stable stable

- "strong enterprise risk profile and very strong financial risk profile" (Standard & Poor's)
- "strong asset quality and liquidity, and stable access to global bond markets" (Moody's)
- "EUROFIMA's preferred creditor status [is assessed] as 'excellent'" (Fitch)

#### **BORROWING IS BASED ON THREE PILLARS**

#### **Euro Green Curve**



6.0bn

Outstanding EUR equiv.

- EUR 20bn EMTN programme
- EUR curve in green fixed format up to 2041

## **Diversification**



4.8bn

Outstanding EUR equiv.

- EUR 20bn EMTN programme or Private Placement format
- Public transactions under EMTN in green format (e.g., SEK)
- Private Placements or public transactions in conventional format (e.g., USD, AUD, GBP)
- Public Swiss franc transactions

## **Commercial paper**



1.7bn

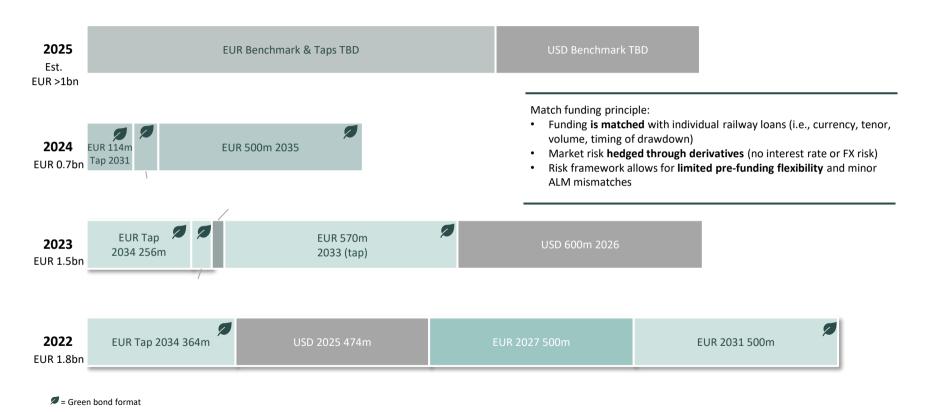
Outstanding EUR equiv.

- EUR 2.5bn ECP programme
- Typical issuance in USD with a tenor 1 6 months





#### RAILWAY OPERATORS' DEMAND IS DRIVING FUNDING ACTIVITIES





## **SUSTAINABILITY**



#### OPERATING AS A HOLISTIC SUSTAINABLE ORGANIZATION

## Sustainable and public mission



Our mission is key to address the current environmental challenges. We provide millions of people with affordable transportation and with a positive environmental impact. Our business activities support:

- UN goals for sustainable development (Goals 9 and 11)
- EU environmental objective 1 on climate change mitigation
- EU Green deal targeting zero greenhouse gas emissions









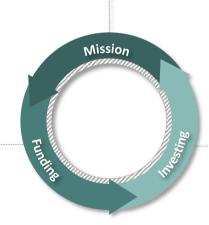
#### Sustainable and top-credit issuer

We are a frequent issuer of bonds with a dedicated Green bond program.

As an issuer, we are recognized as:

- Top ESG rating assessments from external agencies<sup>1</sup>
- 100% climate-aligned issuer by the Climate Bond Initiative

Our bonds are listed on the dedicated Luxembourg Green Exchange







#### Sustainable and responsible investor

We commit ourselves to invest our assets in a sustainable and responsible manner based on the ESG integration framework:

- Norm-based screening
- **ESG** Integration
- Engagement with investees

We are an official signatory of the UN Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) and the UN Global Compact (UNGC)

<sup>1</sup> Sustainalytics: 4.6 (negligible risk), MSCI ESG: AAA (Leader) and ISS ESG: B- (Prime)



#### TAKING ACTION ON ESG MATTERS



# sustaining the **E**nvironment

We commit to take actions for a Greener office and monitor our greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions as a company



# mobilizing **S**ocial cohesion

Our people are our assets: we foster education, career development, diversity within our staff and seek best practice with our external stakeholders



leading Governance transformation

Each business unit is actively engaging in holistic ESG practices to lead transformation responsibly from within



#### **GREEN BOND FRAMEWORK - 2025 UPDATE**

#### 1.Use of Proceeds

- Clean Transportation
- 1. Interurban Passenger
- 2. Urban Passenger
- 3. PSO Freight
- Type of power: electric, hydrogen, battery, hybrid









## 2.Process for Project evaluation and selection

- Identification of Green eligible loans
- .. Borrower screening
- 2. Green methodology
- Sustainability committee
- "C" level approval of selection and allocation
- Board of Directors notification



# 3.Management of Proceeds

- Net proceeds are earmarked against eligible Green assets
- Proceeds not allocated are invested according to EUROFIMA's liquidity policy



#### 4.Reporting

- Latest one year after issuance & as long as outstanding
- 1. Allocated amounts
- 2. Brief description of projects
- 3. Expected environmental Impact
- 4. Social benefits
- Audit of allocation report



#### 5.External Reviewer

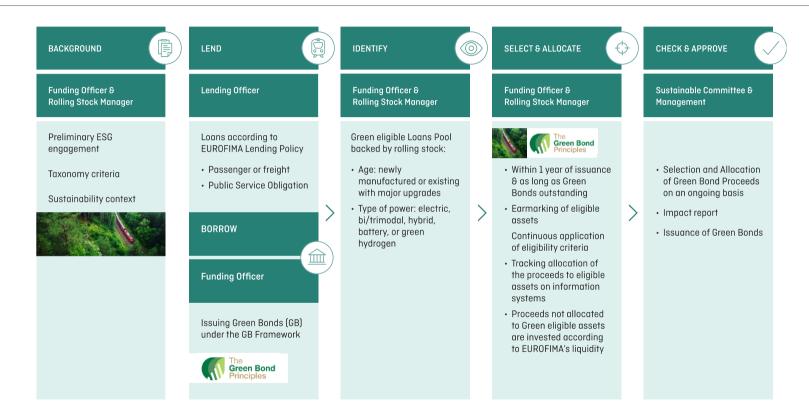
 Limited assurance report of the allocation of proceeds to the Green projects

Second Party Opinion (pre-issuance) provided by S&P Global Ratings

**S&P Global** Ratings



#### **GREEN BOND FRAMEWORK - 2025 UPDATE**





## **GREEN BOND FRAMEWORK – ELIGIBLE ROLLING STOCK**

Passenger transport



Multiple Unit



Coaches



Urban Passenger Transport



Trams (Streetcars)



Metro (Subway)



Locomotives



Multiple Unit Freight



Wagons



Freight Transport



## **GREEN BOND FRAMEWORK - FUEL TYPES**

Fuel Types	Overhead Electric	Battery	Diesel*	HVO*	Hydrogen (Green)*
Fully Electric	✓				
Battery + Electric	✓	<b>✓</b>			
Green Hydrogen*					✓
Green Hydrogen + Battery*		<b>✓</b>			✓
Diesel + Electric*	✓		✓		
Diesel + Electric + Battery*	✓	<b>~</b>	<b>✓</b>		
HVO + Electric*	✓			<b>~</b>	
HVO + Electric + Battery*	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>		<b>✓</b>	

Tailpipe Emissions  ⊗  ⊗	Well-to-Wheel CO₂  ⚠ Depends on grid  Low	Fossil-Free?  ✓
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⊗	Low	<b>√</b>
		V
⊗	Low (if green H <sub>2</sub> )	<b>✓</b>
$\otimes$	Very Low	<b>✓</b>
✓ (diesel)	High	Partially (when running electrified tracks)
✓ (diesel)	Medium-High	Partially (when running electrified tracks)
✓ (lower than diesel)	Medium-Low	Partially (when running electrified tracks)
✓ (lower than diesel)	Lower	Partially (when running electrified tracks
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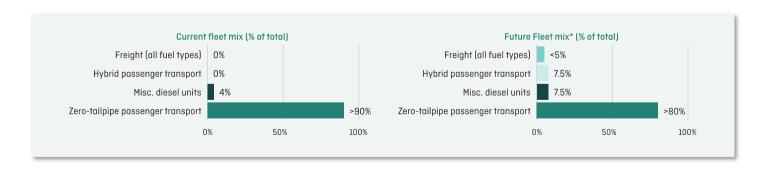


#### **GREEN BOND FRAMEWORK - OUTLOOK**











#### **EU TAXONOMY APPROACH**

#### **Public Reporting**



- ✓ Assessing disclosures & reporting
- First study conducted in 2023

## Regulations



- Checking standards & regulations
- EU interoperability for rolling stock

## **Screening & Engagement**



- ✓ Formal engagement with borrower
- ✓ Taxonomy screening & alignment assessment

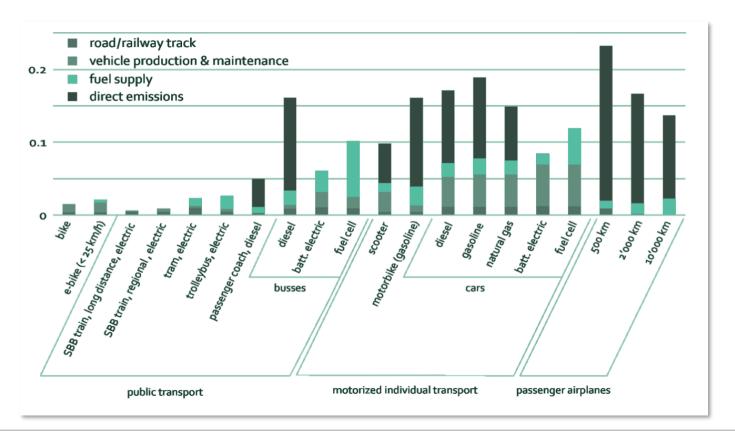
#### **Future Transition**



- Sharing best practices to foster compliance
- Assisting & monitoring compliance



### LIFE CYCLE GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS





## CASE STUDY – UPCOMING GREEN BOND (1/2)

New financing of existing regional trains in Italy					
Railway operator	FERROVIE DULUS 1510 ITALIANE				
Train type	Hybrid Multiple units (Tri-mode)	Formation Loco Coaches	Electrical Multiple units		
Number of trains	12 units, 4-car each	65 coaches, 16 locos	16 units, 5-car each		
Manufacturer & model	Hitachi, HTR 412 & 312 Blues	Hitachi: Vivalto CDPTR/Alstom: E464	Alstom, ETR 425 Jazz		
Capacity	468/347	860 (Loco + 5 coaches)	467		
Energy consumption (Average EU Car 0.37 MJ/S*Km)	0.12/0.14 MJ/S*km	0.06 MJ/S*km	0.07 MJ/S*km		
Pollutant emissions "well-to-wheel" (Average Eu Car=33 g Co2/S *Km)	8.49/9.46 g CO2/S*km	3.47 g CO2/S*km	3.95 g CO2/S*km		
Average age of the trains	1 years old	11.4 years old	9.7 years old		
Illustrations					

#### Railway profile

- Largest provider of sustainable mobility solutions in Italy
- 500 ML passengers transported every year

 Committed to reduce the emissions by 50% in 2030 and achieved carbon neutrality by 2040

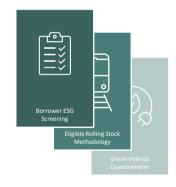


## **CASE STUDY – UPCOMING GREEN BOND (2/2)**





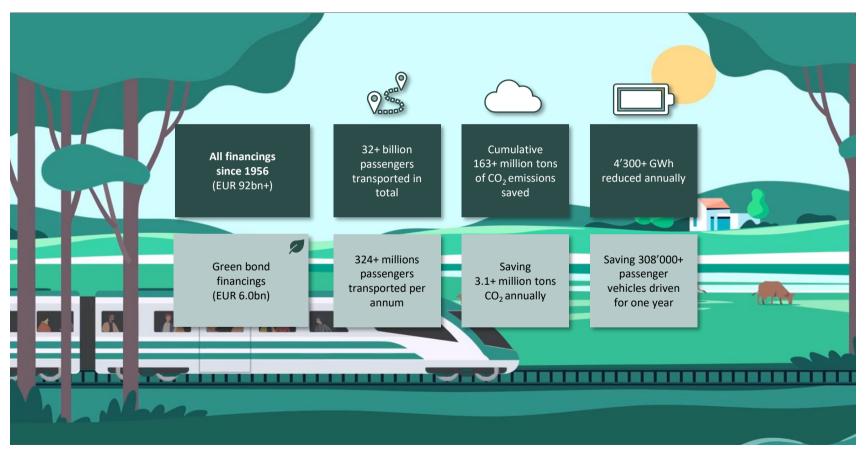








## CREATING SOCIAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT





## **ABOUT US**



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#### LINKS AND REFERENCES

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Statutes: FRENCH, GERMAN and ENGLISH (translation)

Basic Agreements: FRENCH, GERMAN and ENGLISH (translation)

Annual Reports: 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, archives

Allocation & Impact Reports: 2025, 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021 (Impact), 2021 (Allocation), archive

Credit Ratings: <u>S&P</u>, <u>Moody's</u>, <u>Fitch</u>, <u>archives</u>

ESG Ratings: Sustainalytics, ISS ESG, MSCI ESG, Luxembourg Green Exchange status

Sustainability Reports: Overview, 2024, 2023, 2022

Legal Documentations: EMTN, ECP

Green Bonds: Green Bond Framework, Second-Party Opinion, Green Bond Principles



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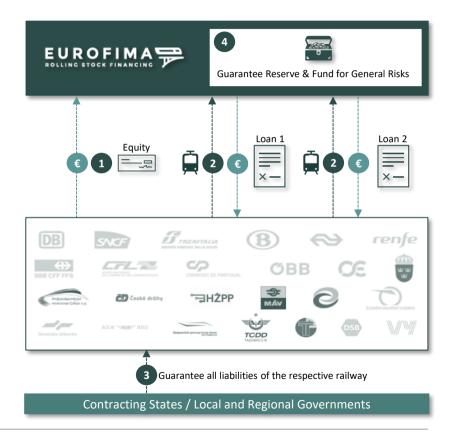
## **APPENDIX**



#### **GUARANTEE STRUCTURE**

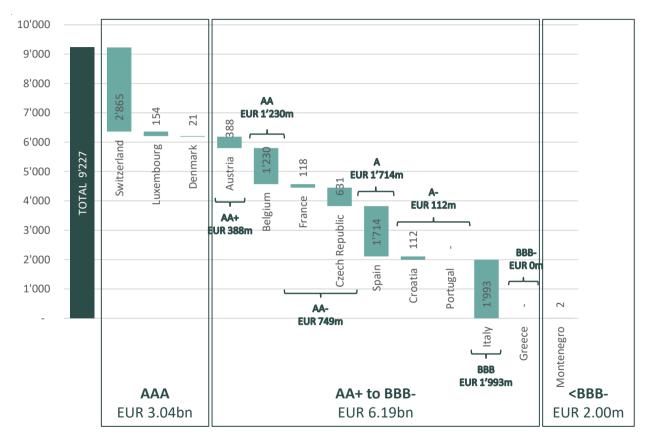
EUROFIMA's guarantee and credit enhancement mechanism contains:

- Paid-in equity capital and callable capital
  - Membership cooperative model with paid-in equity capital
  - Borrowing capacity is based on paid-in equity and risk considerations
- 2 Railway equipment collateral
  - "Market value"-based approach
  - Title to railway equipment or other security interest
  - Right to repossess equipment in case of non-fulfillment of obligations
- 3 Explicit state or local government guarantee
  - Contracting states guarantee all obligations of their respective shareholder railway under the loans and as shareholder in EUROFIMA
  - Local and regional governments guarantee loan obligations under public service contracts
- Guarantee Reserve (GR) & Fund for General Risks (FGR)
  - GR covers eventual loan losses
  - FGR covers eventual losses on any financial operation





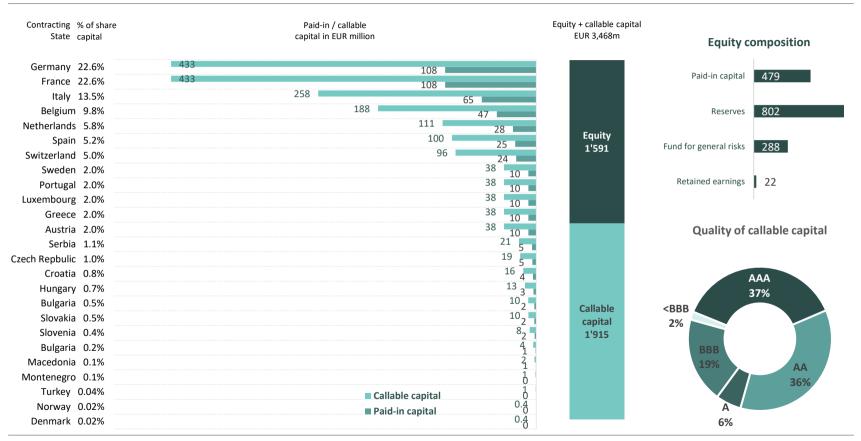
#### **LOAN BOOK**



Exposure to shareholder railways from contracting states with **non-investment grade** ratings represents < **0.1%** of the total loan book

Contracting state rating	Loan book share	
AAA	32.95%	
AA+ to BBB-	67.03%	
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#### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**



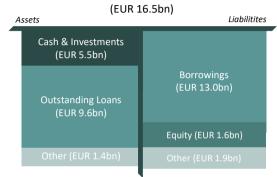


#### INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT OVERVIEW

#### Global portfolio characteristics:

- All portfolios are aligned to their purposes and the corresponding funding source;
- Fixed income investments only;
- Active investment management approach;
- Global limits on interest rate risk and credit risk under the Basel III risk-weighted asset framework;
- Foreign exchange risks are fully hedged;
- Inclusion of ESG considerations.

#### **Overall Balance Sheet**



#### **Balance Sheet of Treasury Activities**

Cash & Investments

Equity Funded

Funded in Debt Capital
Markets

Collateral from
Derivatives



## **FUNDED LIQUIDITY PORTFOLIO**

#### Source of funds

 EUROFIMA bond issuance and Commerical Paper funded

#### **Investment strategy**

- Guarantee EUROFIMA's liquidtiy at all times
- Fulfilment of internal and external liquidity requirements
- Short-term horizon, high quality investments

#### Portfolio investments

- Focus on CHF and EUR domestic deposit market
- Opportunistic investments in USD, JPY, SEK and other currencies

#### **Funded Liquidity Portfolio**

(EUR 2.5bn)

Liabilities

#### Instruments

Assets

Cash, Money Market instruments, Deposits

#### Currencies

EUR, CHF, other

#### **Duration**

Short-term

#### **Minimum Rating**

A-1 / P-1

Instruments

Commercial Papers, Bonds

Currencies EUR, USD

Duration

Short-term and mid-term

**Investments by Currency** 



**Investments by Country** 





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