

# CLIMATE CHANGE & INVESTING IN SUSTAINABLE ENERGY FOR ALL

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#### **AGENDA**

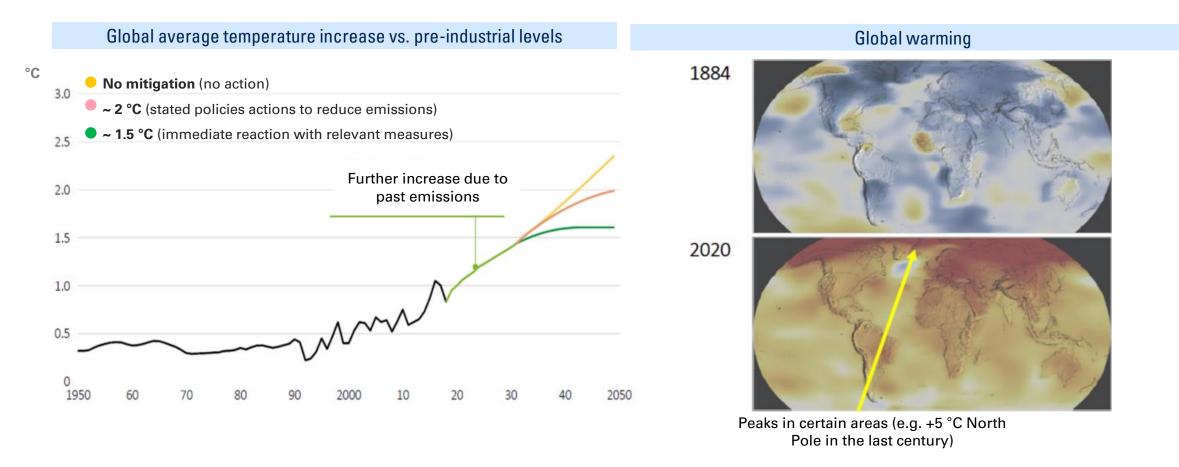
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# Climate Change and Energy Scenario

#### **CLIMATE CHANGE – GLOBAL CONTEXT**





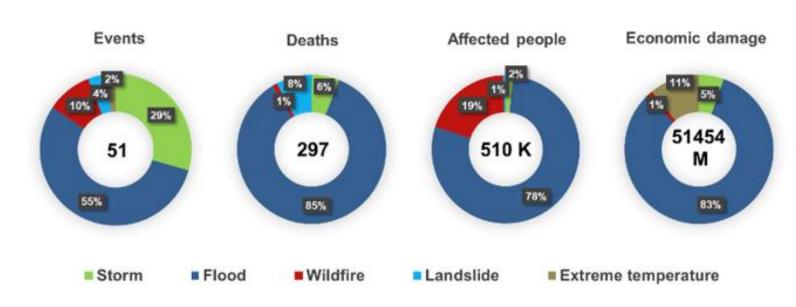
Source: Ministry of Ecological Transition Senate Audtion (2022)

Global warming: average temperature continued to increase vs. pre-industrial level. Future evolution depends on policy decisions and actions implementation. The cost of inaction would be much higher than the cost of climate action.





Extreme events in Europe in 2021 and relevant impacts (WMO and Copernicus, 2022)



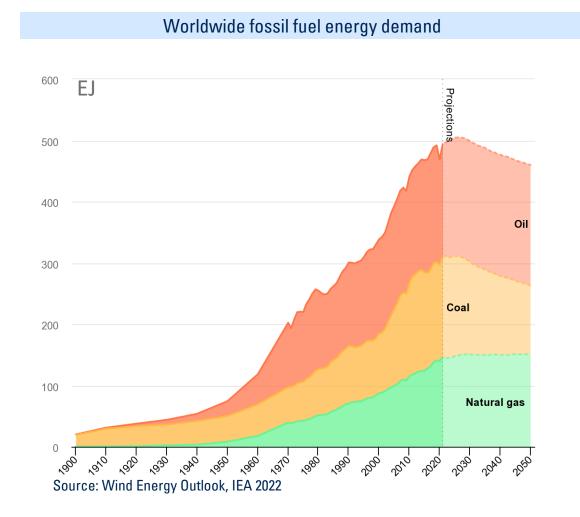
Weather, climate and water related natural disasters in Europe during 2021. Source of data: EM/DAT, accessed on 09 August 2022. Note: Impacts for some disaster occurrences may lack due to data unavailability.

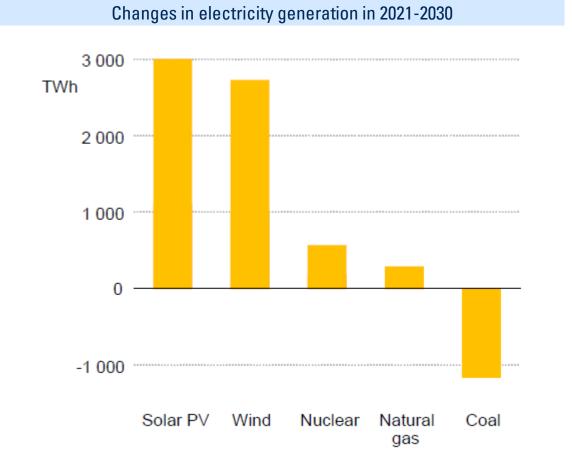
In Europe temperatures are growing twice as fast as the global average.

Impacts can already be notice.

#### FOSSIL FUELS AND RENEWABLES







Decreasing demand for fossil fuels globally.

Wind and PV are expected to drive the steep increase in electricity generation, thanks to new investments in these technologies.

# **ERG** as a pioneer in Energy Transition

### Wind: ERG acquires

#### A LONG HISTORY...

Production commences at the San Quirico Refinery in Genoa.



1947



The ERG share is listed on the Stock Exchange.

1997



**ERG** enters the renewables sector with the acquisition of EnerTAD.

2006

ERG Power's combined cycle power plant (480MW) fuelled by natural gas enters operation.



**TotalERG** is established. a joint venture for the sale of oil products.

2010

ERG transfers the ISAB Energy plant and the fuel network of ERG Oil Sicily.



2014

wind market in the United Kingdom with a 47.5MW project. At the end of 2016, installed wind capacity is 1,720MW.

ERG enters the

2016

ERG enters the solar power sector (30 photovoltaic plants acquired, 89MW in operation).



At the end of 2018 installed wind power totals 1,822MW. Definitive exit from Oil with the sale of TotalERG.

2018

at the end of 2020 totals 1,967MW. 2020

Installed wind power

starts up about 230MW ERG enters the among France, Poland, solar sector in Germany: co-development installed wind power agreement with AREAM (600MW).



PV capacity at year-end amounts to 370MW. after acquisitions of 34MW in Italy and 25MW in Spain(3).

172MW in Italy, and

U.K. and Sweden.

At the end of 2022

totals 2,598MW.

2022

1938

Edoardo Garrone founds ERG in Genoa.



1975

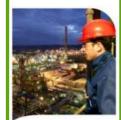
Production commences at the ISAB Refinery in Priolo.

2000

ERG - through ISAB Energy - starts to produce and sell electricity from the gasification of the heavy residues from refinement.



2008



FRG sells 49% of the ISAB Refinery to LUKOIL.

2013

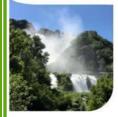
ERG becomes the leading wind operator in Italy with an installed capacity of 1,087MW and among the top ten in Europe (with a total of 1,340MW), and acquires a company for wind farm O&M activities.



ERG transfers the ISAB Refinery and completes its exit from refining.

2015

ERG enters the hydroelectric sector with plants in Umbria, the Marches and Lazio (527MW).



ERG acquires 6 wind farms in France (64MW) and constructs 3 wind farms in Poland for a total of 82MW. At the end of 2015, installed wind capacity is 1,506MW.

2017

ERG's growth in the wind sector continues: 48MW in operation in Germany; 16MW in operation in France. At the end of 2017, installed wind capacity in Europe is 1,814MW.

2019

**ERG** closes the acquisition of Andromeda (51MW) assets, increasing its PV total capacity up to 141MW.



Wind: ERG acquires 52MW in France and 34MW in Germany. At year end, installed wind capacity in Europe is 1,929MW.

2021

Wind: ERG enters the Sweden market, and starts operation in U.K., At yearend installed wind capacity in Europe is 2,198MW. On August 2, ERG signs an agreement with ENEL for the sale of ERG Hydro S.r.I.<sup>(1)</sup>.



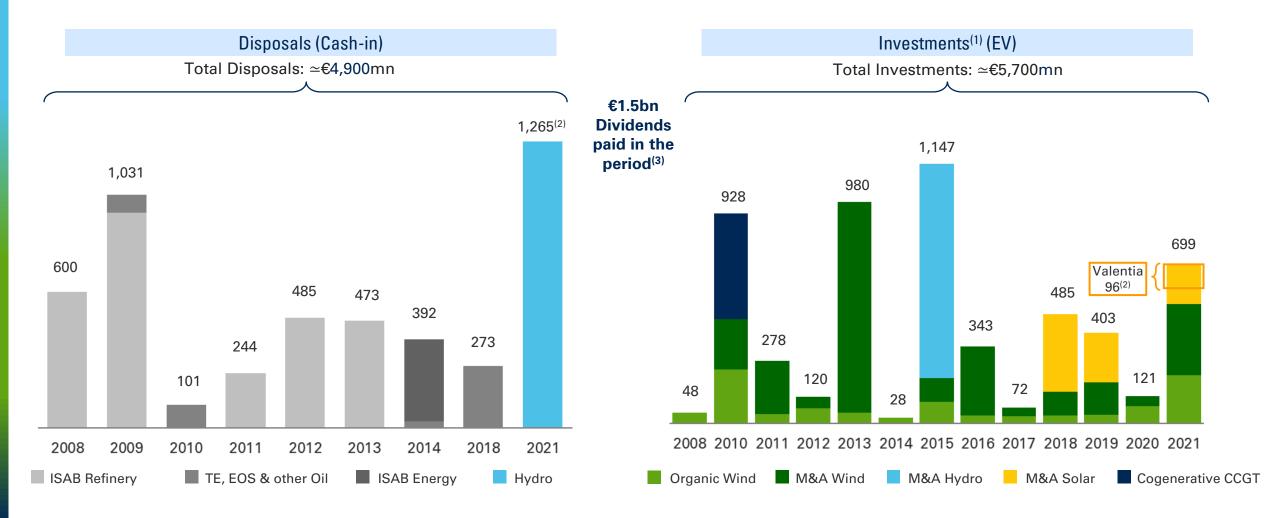
ERG enters the solar market in France (79MW) and Spain (92MW)(2).

<sup>(1)</sup> The closing for the sale of the Hydro portfolio to Enel took place on January 3, 2022

<sup>(2)</sup> The closing of the solar acquisition in Spain (92MW) took place on January 31, 2022 (3) The closing of the solar acquisition in Spain (25MW) is expected within 1Q 2023

#### **ERG INDUSTRIAL TRANSFORMATION**





#### Renewable diversification financed through oil-linked disposals and strong cash generation

<sup>(1)</sup> It refers to M&A and organic growth CAPEX

<sup>(2)</sup> Operations completed at the beginning of 2022

<sup>(3)</sup> It includes dividends paid in May 2022 (€135mn with ordinary DPS at €0.90/sh)



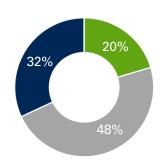
#### A RAPID TRANSFORMATION...



2008-2014-2021

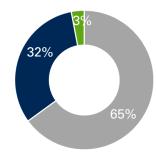
**EBITDA** 

CO<sub>2</sub> Avoided



2008 (€2.2bn)

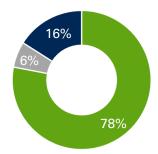
2008



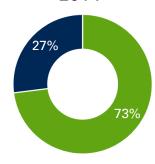
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2014 (€2.1bn)



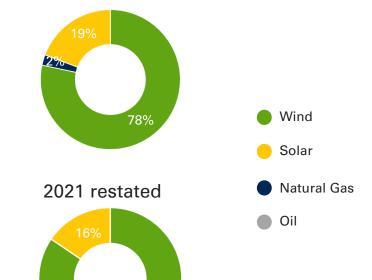
2014



2014



2021 restated (€2.8bn)



2021

84%

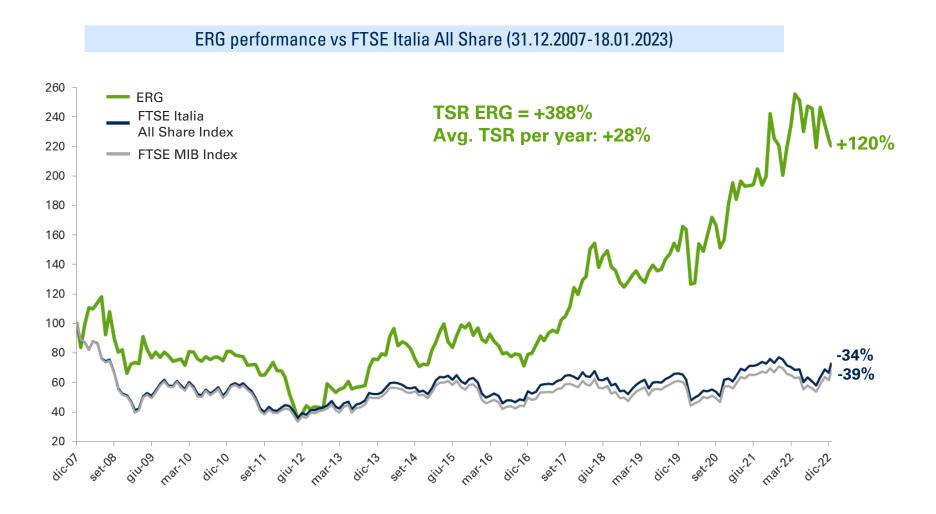


2008-2021





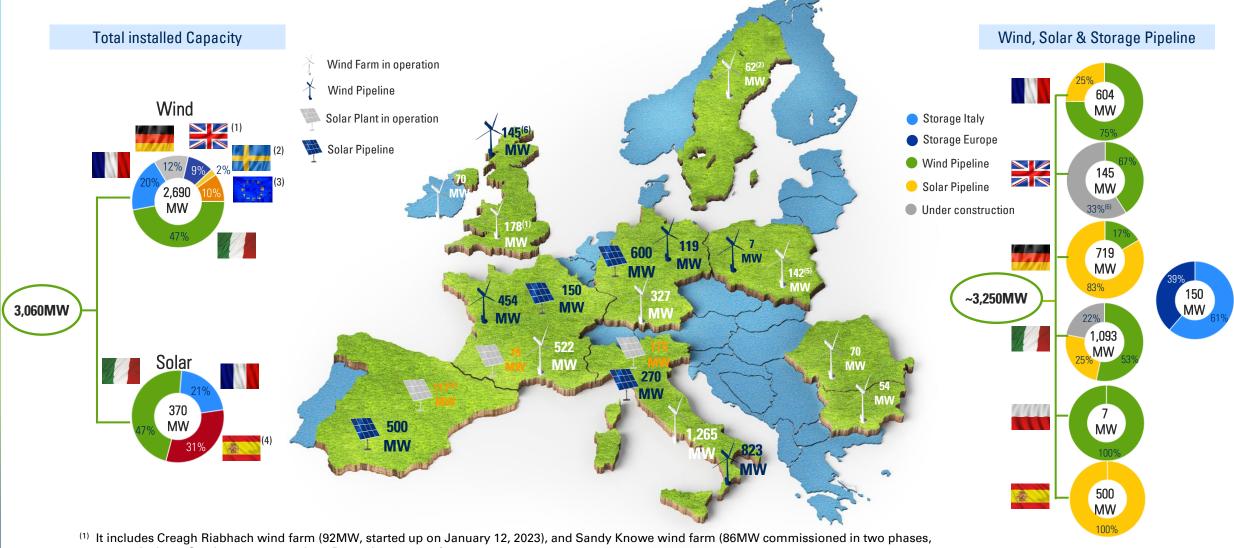
#### TRANSFORMATION STRONGLY RECOGNIZED BY THE MARKET



Meantime dividends of almost 1.4 billion euros were distributed

#### ERG TODAY: A SOLID PLATFORM OF ASSETS TO BOOST FUTURE GROWTH





respectively on October 13, 2022 and on December 16, 2022)

<sup>(2)</sup> It refers to Furuby wind farm (62MW), entered into operation on November 25, 2022

<sup>(3)</sup> It refers to Poland, Romania and Bulgaria

<sup>(4)</sup> It includes Fregenal solar plant (25MW), acquired on December 23, 2022, whose closing is expected within 1Q 2023

<sup>(5)</sup> It includes Laszki wind farm (36MW), entered into operation on October 24, 2022

<sup>(6)</sup> It includes Corlacky wind farm (~47MW), whose project was acquired on October 14, 2022

# **ESG** always at the Core



#### ESG AT THE CORE OF ERG'S 2022-2026 STRATEGY



























#### **ERG 8 KEY ESG PRIORITIES...**



**Planet** 

- Net Zero
- Circular Economy (Wind & Solar)



Engagemen

- ERG Academy for Next Generation
- >1% for the Community



People

- ERG Academy for ERG People
- Inclusion & Diversity



Governance

- ESG objectives into MBO and LTI
- ESG Finance

## ... BUT CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT on other 8 projects well on track



We still focus on 8 priorities which will be the bulk of our ESG strategy

#### WITH CLEAR COMMITMENTS TOWARDS UN SDGS





**Social purpose** for Solar Revamping (Circular Economy of PV modules)



HSE objective refocused on Wind&Solar businesses. Employees' well-being target



**ERG Academy** for Next generation (20k students by 2026 involved in Educational Activities).



**Diversity & Inclusion** target on ESG Plan. Signature of **Women's Empowerment Principles**.



One of the leading European RES operator. Working towards **5GW** of installed capacity by 2026.



At the end of the BP period, CAPEX of EUR **2.9 billion** and an EBITDA of EUR **560 million**.



Exploring opportunities for both Storage and Hydrogen: **50MW** battery **storage** @**2026** 



Joining the **UN Global Compact**, and **WEP**<sup>(1)</sup> for a **just transition**, not leaving anyone behind.



Allocate at least 1% of revenues to the local communities next to our Wind&Solar plants.



Circular Economy: recovering > **98**% of Wind Repowered materials and > **90**% of dismantled Solar Plants.



**Net Zero by 2040**: at the forefront of the fight against Climate Change.



**Biodiversity assessment** for **100%** of RES organic projects with a "mitigation hierarchy" approach.



"Zero tolerance" principle towards corruption with a best-inclass governance system.



Sustainable procurement: +10 points in the average score of strategic suppliers.

# FROM CARBON NEUTRALITY... TO NET ZERO ERG will reach Net Zero Target @ 2040 (to be approved by SBT)

The strategy to become Net Zero @2040

Asset Rotation CCGT @ 2022

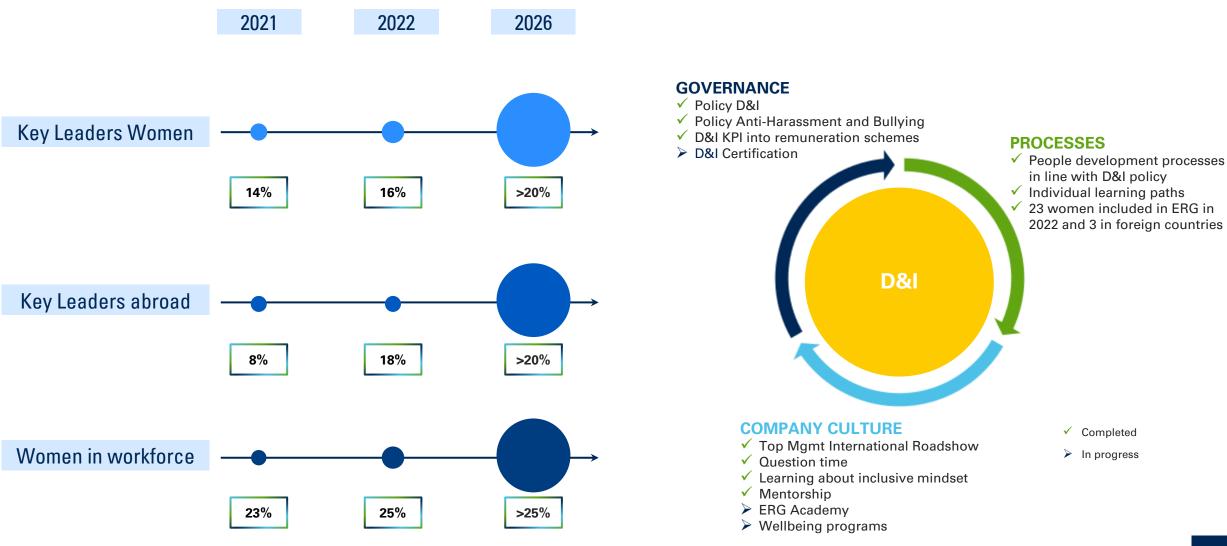
100% RES production @ 2023

100% sales of Green Energy @ 2023

>75% of Supplier<sup>(1)</sup> with SBT target @ 2030



#### OUR APPROACH FOR A MORE INCLUSIVE ERG



#### ERG AS A "TOP PERFORMER" IN THE MAIN ESG RATING



ESG Rating Company	Rating
Moody's	65 Advanced
DISCLOSURE INSIGHT ACTION	A
SUPPLIER ENGAGEMENT LEADER	A
REFINITIV -	77/100
ISS ESG ⊳	Corporate ESG Performance  WASSEY  KSSESSPS  Prime
MSCI ( MSCI ESG RESEARCH LLC	MSCI ESG RATINGS
SUSTAINALYTICS ESG REPORT	14.6 Low Risk
Sense in sustainability	EE+
INTEGRATED GOVERNANCE INDEX 2072	10/87
Gaïa RESEARCH by EthiFinance	81 / 100
<b>Fitch</b> Ratings	ESG Vulnerability Score = Tier 1 <sup>(1)</sup>

- ✓ ERG included in **S&P Clean Energy Index**
- ✓ ERG entered the "Corporate Knights Global 100 most sustainable corporations in the world" and ranked 54<sup>th</sup>, the first among Italian companies included on the list
- ✓ Sustainalytics improved ERG's ESG rating from "Medium Risk" (20.7) to "Low Risk" (14.6), positioning ERG 5<sup>th</sup> among global Independent Power Producers
- ✓ ERG entered the 2022 A List of CDP, thanks to its best practices for managing climate change and its efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by developing renewable energies
- ✓ Science Based Target initiative (SBTi) approved ERG's emission reduction targets (well below 2° C); in 2022 we committed to Net Zero target
- ✓ ERG entered the MIB ESG Index, dedicated to the 40 most important listed Italian issuers performing the best practices in Sustainability
- ✓ ERG entered the Bloomberg's Gender Equality Index (GEI), which measures companies' commitment to supporting gender equality
- ✓ ERG signed the Women's Empowerment Principles and entered the United Nations Global Compact
- ✓ ERG included in the TOP 10 of the "Integrated Governance Index 2022", among the Italian best practices in terms of Corporate Governance



## Thanks for your attention