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Fiera Milano in brief

The Group is the market leader in Italy and one of the world's leading operators across the entire value chain of the exhibition industry

Total gross exhibition space:

388,000 square metres of which

345,000 square metres

In the **fieramilano** exhibition site

43,000 square metres

In the fieramilanocity exhibition site

Consolidated revenues: Euro 245 million

of which Euro 19 million generated outside Italy

Group employees:

807 of which 185 abroad

Net exhibition space occupied:

1,634,425 square metres of which 414,300 square metres abroad

Number of exhibition held:

113 of which 62 abroad

Number of exhibitors:

32,790 of which 10,360 abroad





Fiera Milano mission

- Fiera Milano offers a means for companies to grow and become more international
- It contributes to economic growth
- It promotes socio-economic improvement in the region in which it is based

The Company's aims are:

- to feature among the leading global companies in the exhibition sector
- to offer companies a more effective business platform to raise awareness of their existence, instigate fruitful contacts and increase their business opportunities
- to be a leader in new growth areas worldwide while promoting
 Made in Italy exports
- to facilitate the interaction of different corporate cultures, the exchange of know-how and experience, and to encourage innovation









Italian and foreign exhibitions

In Italy Fiera Milano hosts exhibitions

operating as a «facility manager» through the management of the exhibition sites of fieramilano and fieramilanocity, promoting and making equipped show areas available, also offering design support and correlated services to third party organisers



providing exhibition space and services directly to exhibitors











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Abroad the Group:

operates only as a direct organizer in fast-growing countries through its direct presence or through joint ventures or partnerships with local operators

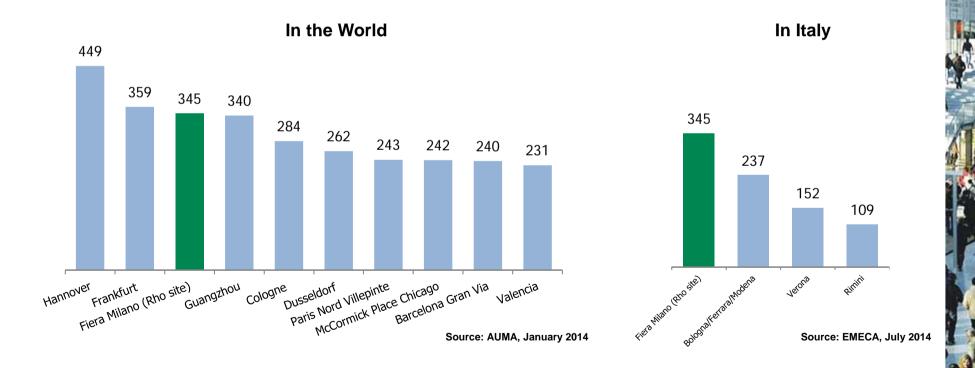
The calendar of biennial and multi-year exhibitions creates fluctuations in annual and quarterly revenues





Fiera Milano's market position

Fiera Milano is the largest exhibition entity in Italy and among the largest in the world in terms of Gross Indoor Exhibition Capacity









Group structure

Direct organisation of exhibitions



ITALIAN EXHIBITIONS

Rent of space and related services to exhibition organisers and direct organisation of exhibitions



CONGRESSES

Management of conventions and congresses



MEDIA

A multimedia and multi-channel communications system including printed publications, internet and conferences



STAND-FITTING SERVICES

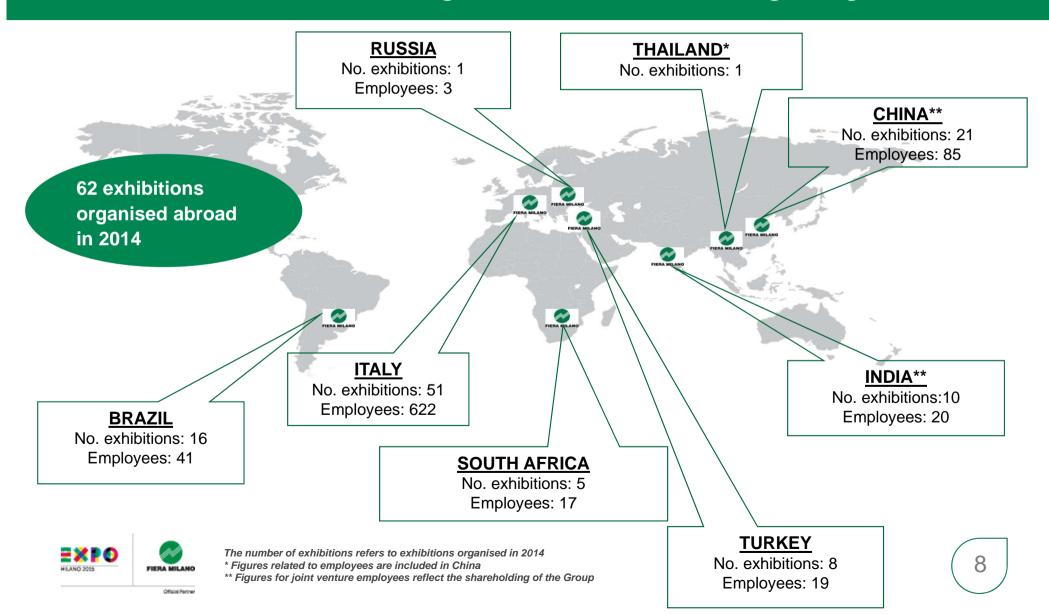
Stand-fitting services



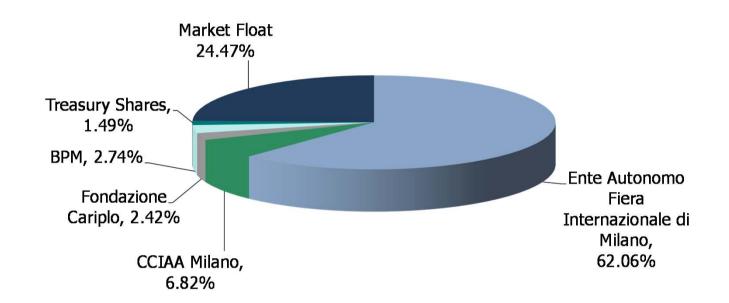


Global presence

Fiera Milano is a successful organiser of exhibitions in fast-growing countries



Shareholder structure



Fiera Milano is controlled by Fondazione Fiera Milano, a non-profit private law foundation, whose corporate mission is the development of the exhibition sector in Italy and abroad

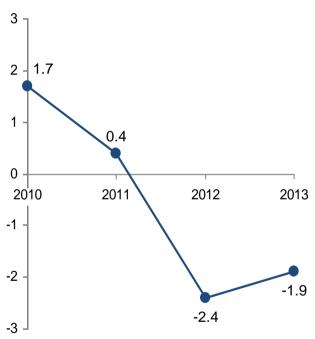




Weak Italian economy did not support exhibition industry in the last years

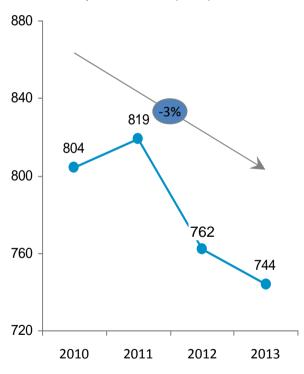
Italy GDP trend

Real GDP change (yoy %)



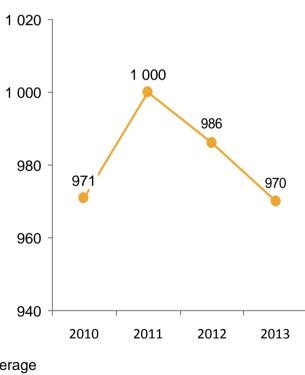
Industrial production in Italy

Industrial production (€bn)



Household consumption expenditure Italy

Final consumption expenditures of households (€bn)



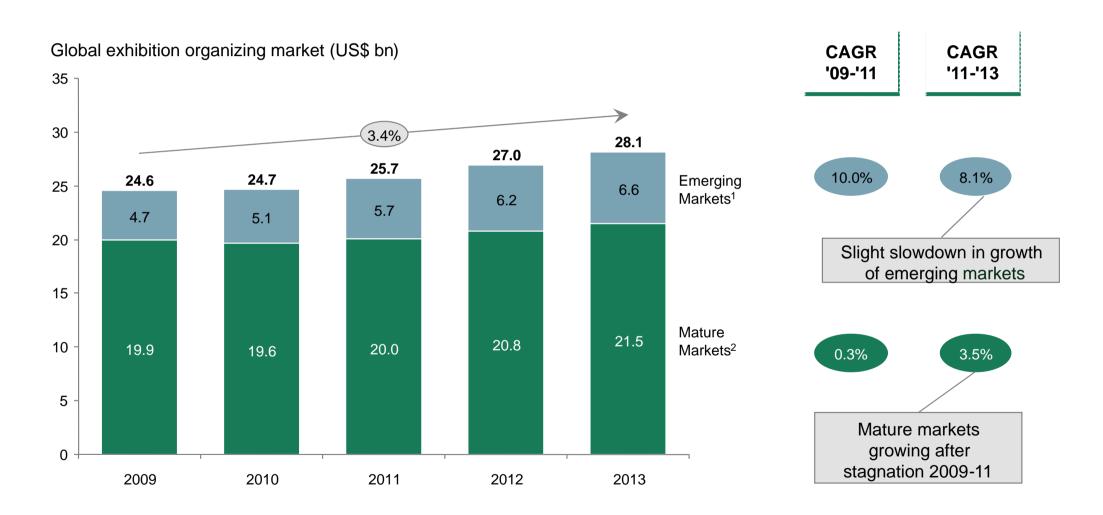
Average monthly expenditure 2,453 2,488 2,419 2,359 (€)





The global exhibition market is growing

Mature markets have also returned to growth after a period of stagnation





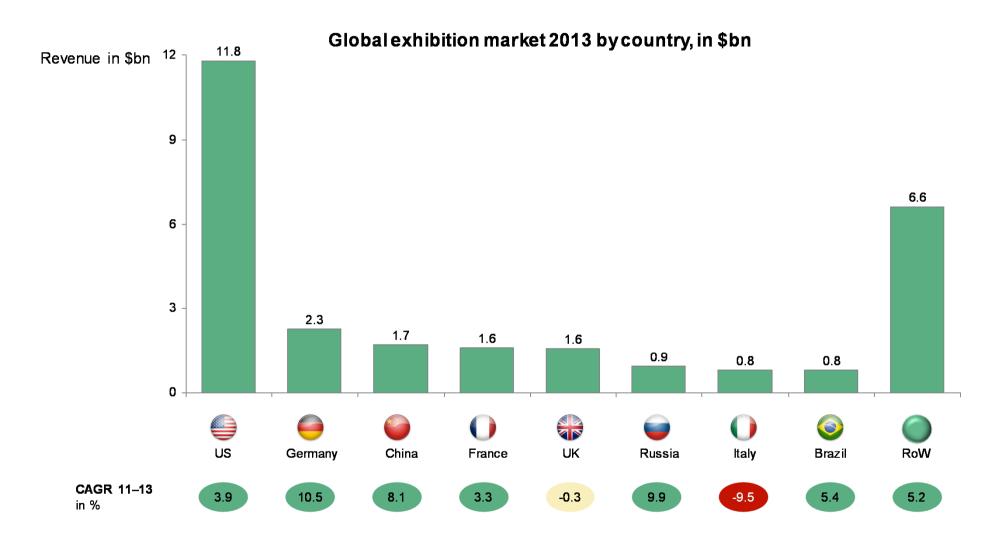


Official Partner

Note: Countries represented in AMR account for approx. 86% of global market. Source: AMR international Globex report 2014

^{1.} Emerging Markets: China, Russia, India, Brazil, Mexico, Turkey, Gulf Cooperation Council 2. Mature Markets: US, Germany, UK, France, Italy, Hong Kong

Italy was the only large exhibition market that fell in 2011-2013







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Three main trends in the trade fair industry



Internationalization

Growing share of business from international events for key market players

 Leveraging on geo-cloning of successful domestic exhibitions



One-stop shop

Leadership in industry sector in Europe key success factor for exhibitions

 Exhibitors and visitors tend to attend more and more only tier 1 exhibitions Trade fair and exhibition industry



Digital services

Increased use of digital products to complete exhibition offer

- Driving customer understanding
- Only secondary source of revenue



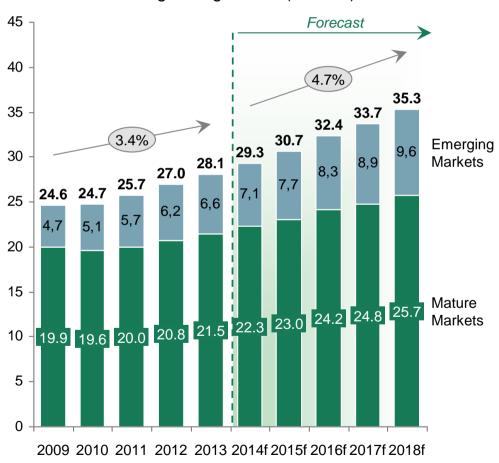




Outlook: main industry sources project significant growth in the next five years

AMR market estimate and forecast

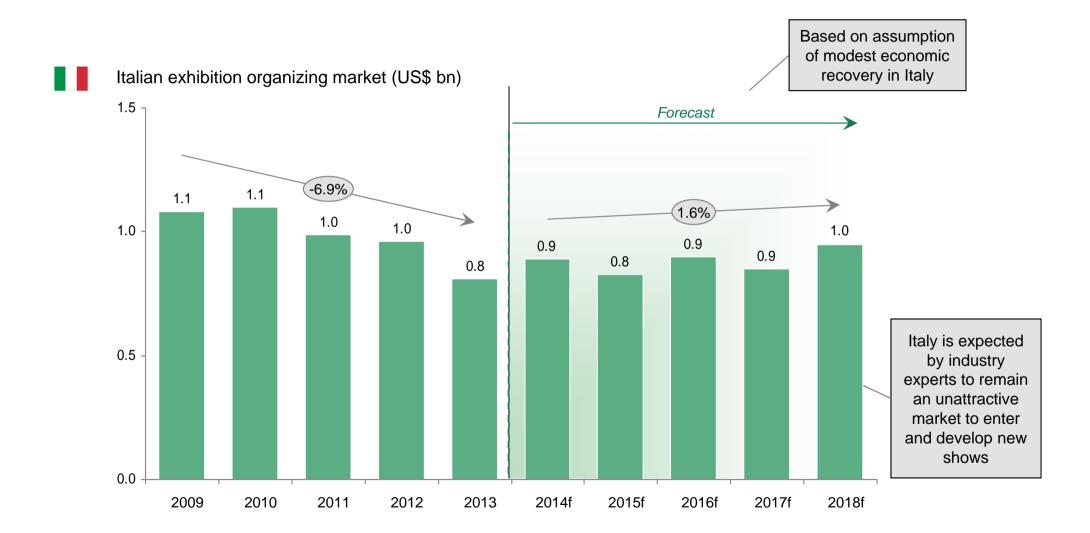
Global exhibition organizing market (US\$ bn)







The exhibition industry expects a slow recovery in the Italian market in the next five years







Fiera Milano strategic plan 2015-2018: the three main pillars

Return to profitable growth

Maximize shareholder value in the medium term



Build a portfolio of leading exhibitions

- Establish leadership in proprietary fairs with high potential
- Attract leading Italian exhibitions with growth potential to Milan

2

Take international business to the next level

- Build large-scale geo-clones of leading domestic exhibitions
- Consolidate foreign exhibition portfolio

3

Maximize potential of ancillary businesses

- Boost stand-fitting penetration
- Develop digital services related to exhibitions
- Further enhance the congress business

Develop capabilities for customer and business insights

• Strategic marketing, customer understanding (e.g. surveys) and sector knowledge

Establish the right team and organisation





First strategic pillar: Build a portfolio of leading exhibitions

Main elements



Build a portfolio of leading exhibitions

Establish leadership of proprietary fairs with high potential

- Consolidate leadership of HOST through completion of offer (e.g. ice-cream & bread-making machinery) and increase the presence of international exhibitors
- Ensure EU leadership of TUTTOFOOD by expanding existing categories (e.g. dairy, cured meats) and increasing the presence of international exhibitors also by leveraging on Expo 2015
- Restore the EU leadership of HOMI through expansion of existing categories (e.g. home fragrances, tableware), agreements with leading partners, and the increased presence of international exhibitors

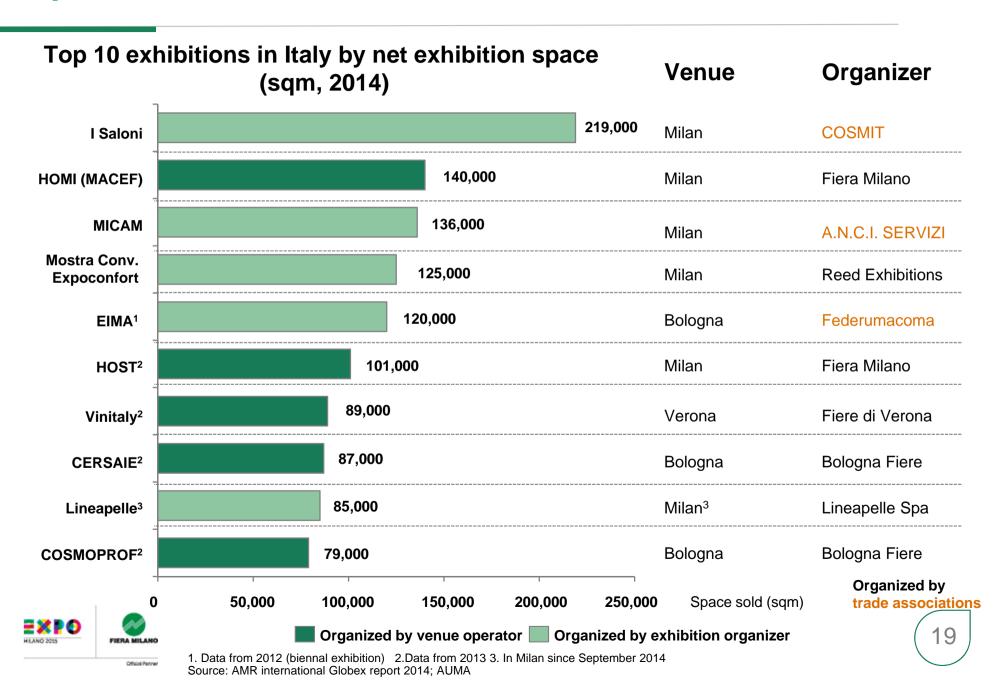
Attract leading Italian exhibitions with growth potential to Milan

- Attract leading Italian exhibitions to the Milan venue and expand these exhibitions within the context of the EU
- Development of small/medium niche exhibitions with strong potential

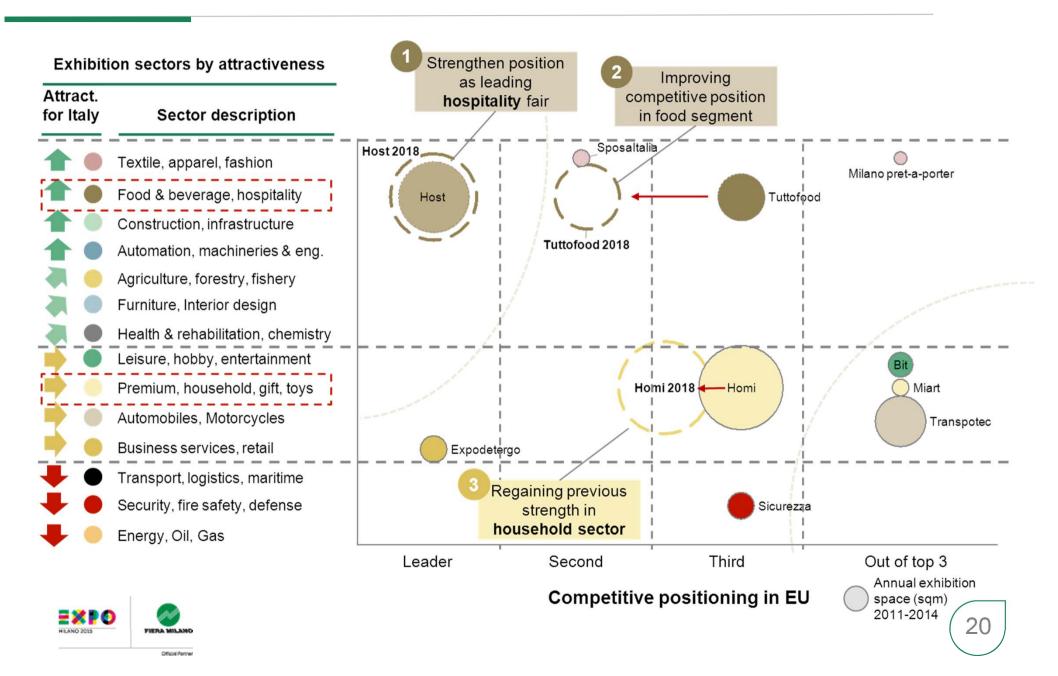




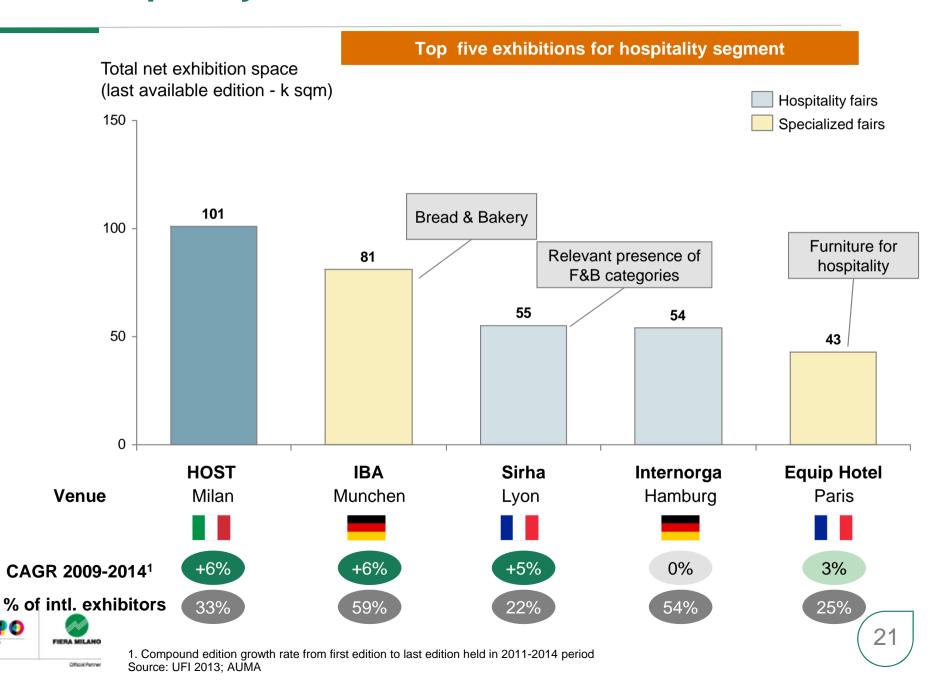
Most Italian exhibitions are organized by venue operators or national trade associations



Large-scale growth potential indentified in three sectors of Fiera Milano's exhibition portfolio



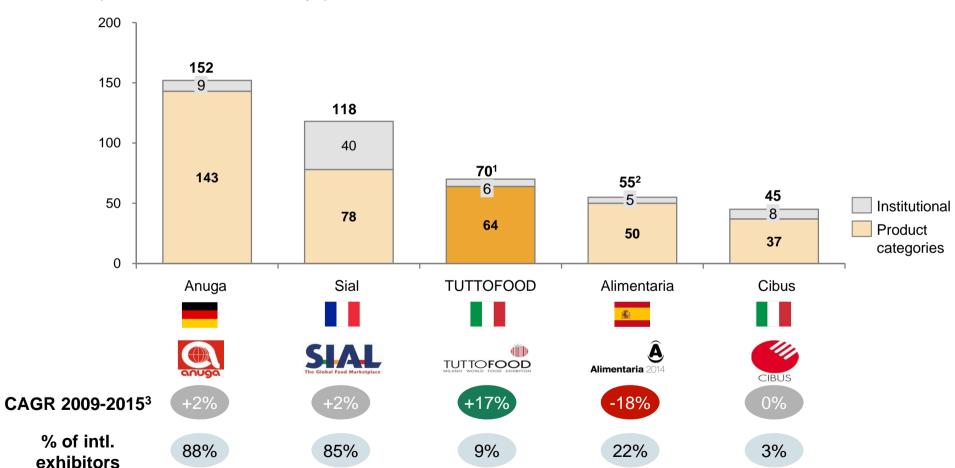
HOST with strong leadership position in Europe within hospitality sector



TUTTOFOOD third exhibition in EU within food segment by size, but growing fast

Top five exhibitions for food segment

Total net exhibition space (last available edition - k sqm)

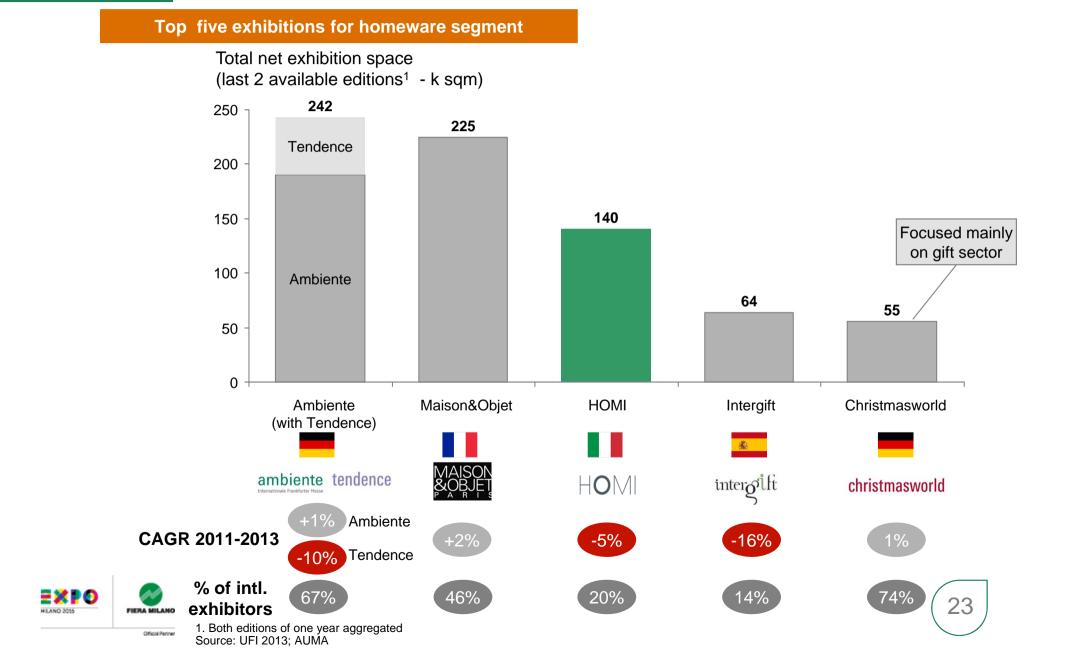






^{1.} Data expected in 2015; 2. Estimates by industry experts; 3. Compound edition growth rate from first edition to last edition held in 2009-2015 period

HOMI third exhibition in homeware segment



Second strategic pillar: Take the international business to the next level

Main elements



Take the international business to the next level

Build large-scale geo-clones of leading domestic exhibitions

- Develop HOST and TUTTOFOOD geo-clones through JVs with complementary exhibitions
- Develop geo-clones of HOMI (Russia) and introduce the exhibition to new markets (e.g. the USA) together with partners with local knowledge
- Develop MICAM in China through the addition of MIFUR and a clothing sector

Develop the international exhibition portfolio, after the divestment of smaller fairs

- Grow the leading fairs in the proprietary exhibition portfolio (e.g. FISP, Exposec, Tubotec) targeting sectors and countries with strong potential
- Divest exhibitions of under 3,000 sqm that offer limited growth potential or portfolio synergies



Geo-clones of leading domestic exhibitions

Proprietary exhibitions exported from Italy

HOMI to:

- Russia (Moscow)
- USA (New York)

Food Hospitality World to:

- India (Bangalore; Mumbai)
- China (Guangzhou)
- Brazil (São Paulo)
- South Africa (Cape Town)

Tuttofood to:

USA (Chicago and San Francisco)

HOST to:

Russia (Moscow)

Third-party exhibitions exported from Italy

TheMICAM to:

China (Shanghai) through the addition of MIFUR and a clothing sector

Proprietary exhibitions exported from South Africa

Good Food & Wine Show to:

India (New Dehli)







Third strategic pillar: Maximize potential of ancillary businesses

Main elements



Maximize potential of ancillary businesses

Boost stand-fitting penetration

- Increase penetration in the Rho and Fiera Milano city venues of standard fittings by 20% through a targeted go-to-market approach and product innovation
- Develop external markets (Italian congress market, events) through product investments (e.g. new materials, updated designs) and a dedicated marketing team

Develop digital business for exhibitions

• Grow the digital business for exhibitions leveraging on the database service for exhibitors and visitors, generating leads and branding content

Offer destination management services

- Increase current market share on large congresses also expanding into other associative markets
- Introduce destination services (e.g. ticketing, reservations, catering) for congresses and for visitors to Fiera Milano, in partnership with a leading destination management provider





Stand fitting growth driven by increased penetration in Rho venue and expansion into external markets

Increase penetration in shell scheme

+20 p.p. of market share on small stands

 Upgrade products through modernization of current design and acquisition of new materials

Explore external market with shell scheme

Increase market share on Italian congress market and events

 Product enhancement: modernization of current design, acquisition of high-end materials for congress and events markets







Development of Digital business introducing new products and partnering with specialist operator

Develop digital products

Development/ introduction of new digital products and services to support organized fairs

- Introduction of lead generation and branded contents in addition to display ads to increase monetization potential
- Offering of matchmaking platform and related services
- Growth of existing editorial portals and launch of additional ones
- Implementation of marketing tools aiming to monitor user behavior and increase customer understanding (e.g. iBeacons)

Expand service offering with commercial partnership

Increase monetization potential by offering integrated communication bundle in collaboration with commercial partner

- Creation of integrated solution targeting SMEs with bundled communication products leveraging on DB (e.g. lead generation, DEM)
- Exploit commercial contacts of partner for distribution







Congresses business with potential to grow further

Focus on large congress

Increase current market share on large congresses (>3k participants) with higher service expenditure than smaller ones

- Potential to increase current market share on large events
- Mico infrastructure able to host large events keeping high marginality thanks to large space availability

Enter new associative markets

Expand into other associative markets other than medical sciences (e.g. technologies, Sciences)

- Fiera Milano Congressi historically focused on the only medical science segment (representing 17% of total associative market)
- Technologies and Sciences growing fast and today represent an unexplored 27% of total associative markets

Develop corporate events

Establish long-term relationship with corporation requiring periodical meeting points

 Loyal leading corporation already hosted (E.g. Cisco, HP, SAP) to increase acknowledgement worldwide and target main competitors

Destination services

Management of all services for attendees related with the destination (e.g. hotel booking, travel arrangements, city desk, entertainment activities)







2015 financial targets (Euro mn)

- In 2015, the first year of the 2015-2018 Industrial Plan, forecasts are for consolidated
 revenues of over Euro 330 million and a consolidated gross operating margin of 10%
- In 2015, the Group should benefit not only from the economic recovery in Italy, now considered highly likely, but also from the particularly favourable exhibition calendar with the presence of the important directly organised exhibitions HOST and TUTTOFOOD and multi-annual exhibitions, such as the international exhibition for textile machinery (ITMA) and that for machine tools (EMO). 2015 forecasts should benefit also from the presence of Expo 2015.
- The first two months of 2015 have shown strong growth in results from operations: consolidated revenues in excess of Euro 50 million, an increase of more than 50% compared with the first two months of 2014, and a gross operating profit of about Euro 7 million, a significant improvement compared with the gross operating loss of Euro 8 million in the same period of the previous year
- In March 2015, the subsidiaries Nolostand and Fiera Milano Congressi won the contract for the stand-fitting and management of the Expo 2015 Congress Centre and Auditorium







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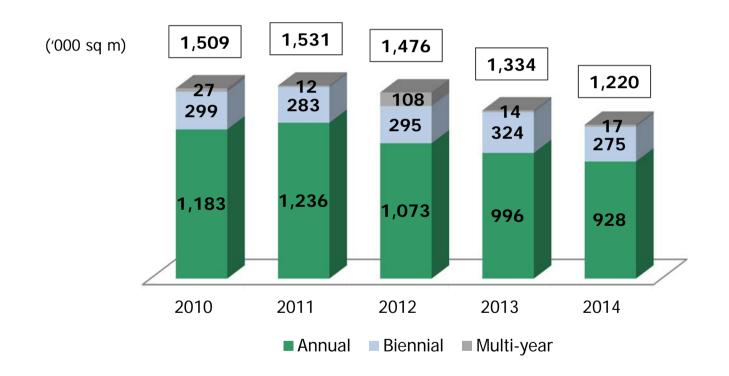
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Exhibition space rented out in Italy, affected by weak economy and calendar

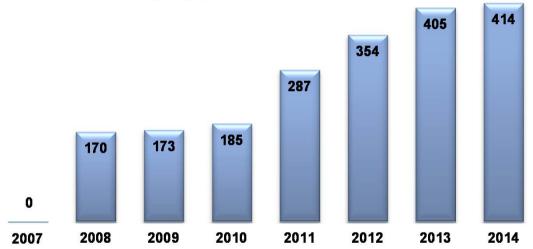






Significant growth in foreign activities





62 exhibitions organised abroad in 7 countries in 2014

+16% CAGR in net exhibition space in 2008-2014



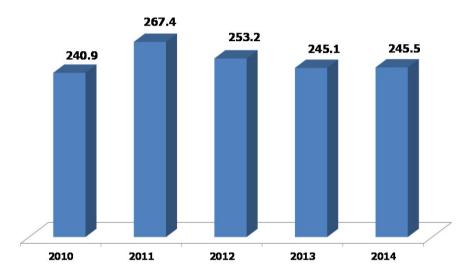




Revenues

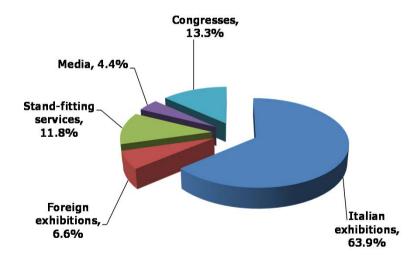
Consolidated revenues

(€ million)



Figures have been adjusted following the adoption of the new IFRS 11 Joint arrangements

2014 Revenues by operating segment



Gross of adjustments for inter-segment transactions figures





Consolidated Income Statement

| Consolidated Income Statement (€'000) | FY14 | FY13 restated* |
|---|----------|-------------------|
| Revenues | 245,457 | 245,057 |
| Gross operating result | (3,338) | 2,155 |
| Margin (%) | -1.4% | 0.9% |
| Net operating result (EBIT) | (18,793) | (17,087) |
| Margin (%) | -7.7% | -7.0% |
| Profit/(loss) before income tax | (23,692) | (20,932) |
| Margin (%) | -9.7% | -8.5% |
| Profit/(loss) | (19,106) | (16,625) |
| Margin (%) | -7.8% | -6.8% |
| -attributable to Shareholders of the controlling entity | (18,955) | (16,498) |
| Margin (%) | -7.7% | -6.7% |
| -attributable to non-controlling interests | (151) | (127) |
| Margin (%) | -0.1% | -0.1% |

^{*} Some figures in the Consolidated Financial Statements at 31 December 2013 have been restated for comparative purposes following the introduction of IFRS 11 applicable from 1 January 2014



2014 results reflected not only a **less favourable Italian exhibition calendar** compared to the previous year but also the **prolonged slowdown in the domestic market** and were also impacted by **the write-down of the trademarks of some trade publications**, as well as some non-recurring expenses



Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

| Consolidated Statement of Financial Position (€'000) | 31/12/14 | 31/12/13 restated* |
|--|----------|-----------------------|
| Non-current assets | 204,730 | 209,402 |
| Net working capital | (44,135) | (49,186) |
| Gross capital employed | 160,595 | 160,216 |
| Non-current liabilities | 19,240 | 20,929 |
| Total net capital employed | 141,355 | 139,287 |
| Equity | 19,688 | 37,462 |
| Net financial position | 121,667 | 101,825 |
| Equity and net financial position | 141,355 | 139,287 |

^{*} Some figures in the Consolidated Financial Statements at 31 December 2013 have been restated for comparative purposes following the introduction of IFRS 11 applicable from 1 January 2014



Official Partner

Consolidated Net Financial Position

| Consolidated Net Financial Position (€'000) | 31/12/14 | 31/12/13 restated * | | |
|---|----------|------------------------|--|--|
| Cash (including bank balances) | 12,276 | 11,416 | | |
| Other cash equivalents | - | - | | |
| Securities held for trading | - | - | | |
| Cash & cash equivalents | 12,276 | 11,416 | | |
| Current financial assets | _ | 635 | | |
| Current bank borrowings | 62,908 | 42,706 | | |
| Current portion of non-current debt | 19,986 | 12,699 | | |
| Other current financial liabilities | 22,150 | 20,572 | | |
| Current financial debt | 105,044 | 75,977 | | |
| Current net financial debt (cash) | 92,768 | 63,926 | | |
| Non-current bank borrowings | 26,898 | 34,408 | | |
| Debt securities in issue | _ | - | | |
| Other non-current payables | 2,001 | 3,491 | | |
| Non-current net financial debt | 28,899 | 37,899 | | |
| Net financial debt (cash) | 121,667 | 101,825 | | |

^{*} Some figures in the in the Financial Position at 31 December 2013 have been restated for comparative purposes following the introduction of IFRS 11 applicable from 1 January 2014



The increase in net debt mainly reflected the lower cash flow from operating activities and cash outflows for investments that were mainly for improvements made to MiCo –Congress Centre





Appendix







Fiera Milano history

1920

Eight entrepreneurs organise the first trade fair in Milan aimed at showing sample products to acquire commercial agreements

1922

Fiera Milano Campionaria Internazionale ("Ente Autonomo") is set up by the committee of eight entrepreneurs and obtains charitable status

1960-1970

Fiera Campionaria grows at a fast pace becoming the market place for "Made in Italy" products

1980

Fiera Campionaria becomes "Fiera d'Aprile". In addition to the traditional annual trade fair, the first sector exhibitions are launched. Since 1991, the exhibition calendar includes only sector based exhibitions

















1990

In 1997 Ente Autonomo increases the exhibition capacity by opening three new pavilions located in an industrial area next to Fiera (the "Portello" area)

2000

From February 2000, Ente Autonomo acts as a "Fondazione" and, in July 2000, spins off Fiera Milano ("FM"), a new company active in exhibitions management and related services. In October 2000 FM starts its activities

2001

FM acquires the previously rented trade fair business from Fondazione

2002- today

In December 2002 FM is listed on the Italian Stock Exchange. In 2005 the Rho exhibition complex opens. FM acquires some important exhibition organisers in Italy and develops services. FM grows abroad in fast-growing countries





Italian exhibition portfolio: main events

| Exhibition | Industry | Eroguenov | Sq.metres | Number |
|---|-----------------------------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| Exhibition | Industry | Frequency | ('000) | of exhibitors |
| Salone del mobile + Eurocucina + Salone del Bagno | Furniture and furnishing | Annual | 219 | 1,520 |
| HOMI (Spring) + HOMI (Autumn) | Homeware and gifts | Annual | 140 | 2,330 |
| Micam (Spring) + Micam (Autumn) | Textiles, clothing & accessories | Annual | 136 | 2,970 |
| Mostra Convegno Expocomfort | Building and related furniture | Biennial | 125 | 1,540 |
| Host | Commerce - Services | Biennial | 101 | 1,555 |
| EMO | Industrial machinery | Multi-year | 96 | 1,415 |
| Eicma Moto | Vehicles and related equipments | Annual | 86 | 455 |
| Made Expo | Architecture, design and building | Biennial | 59 | 980 |
| СРНІ | Health and Environment | Multi-year | 58 | 1,400 |
| Plast | Industrial machinery | Multi-year | 56 | 1,020 |







Exhibition sectors by country

| | <u>Italy</u> | <u>Brazil</u> | <u>China</u> | <u>India</u> | <u>Russia</u> | <u>Singapore</u> | South Africa | <u>Turkey</u> | <u>Thailand</u> |
|---------------------------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|
| AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHERY | | | • | | | | | | |
| ART | • | | | | | | • | • | |
| AUTOMOBILES, MOTORCYCLES | • | | | | | | | | |
| BEAUTY AND PERSONAL CARE | | | | | | | | • | |
| BUSINESS SERVICES, RETAIL | • | | | | | | | • | |
| CONSTRUCTION, INFRASTRUCTURE | • | • | • | | | | | | |
| ENERGY, OIL, GAS | • | • | • | | | | | | |
| AUTOMATION AND ENGINEERING | • | • | • | | | | | | |
| FOOD AND BEVERAGE, HOSPITALITY | • | • | • | • | | | • | | |
| HEALTH AND REHABILITATION | • | • | | | | • | | | |
| IT AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS | • | | | • | | | | | |
| JEWELRY, WATCH & ACCESSORIES | • | | | | | | | | |
| LEISURE, HOBBY, ENTERTAINMENT | • | • | | | | | • | | |
| PREMIUM, HOUSEHOLD, GIFTS, TOYS | • | | | | | | | | |
| SECURITY, FIRE SAFETY, DEFENSE | • | • | | | | | | | |
| TEXTILES, APPAREL, FASHION | • | | | | | | | | |
| TRANSPORT, LOGISTICS, MARITIME | • | | • | | | | | | |
| TRAVEL | • | | • | | | | | | |
| OTHERS | | | | | | | | | • |





Congresses



Fiera Milano Congressi is active in the organisation of congresses, conventions and conferences through the management of Europe's newest and largest congress centre, MiCo - Milano Congressi:

 18,000 seats, an auditorium with 4,500 seats, 73 rooms with seating for from 20 to 2,000, ancillary exhibition space of 54,000 sq m

The Group also manages:

- Stella Polare Congress Center (Rho)
- Stresa Convention Centre, the events venue on Lake Maggiore
- Momec, the executive business suite in Rome

The Company runs over 500 events a year ranging from big international congresses and conventions to gala dinners and product launches



Stand-fitting services and Media



The subsidiary Nolostand offers **stand-fitting services**, technical services and all exhibition site services for exhibitions and congresses

The Group produces content and supplies on line and off line publishing services, as well those associated with the organisation of events and congresses

This segment includes the following sectors:

- publishing and digital services
- events and training



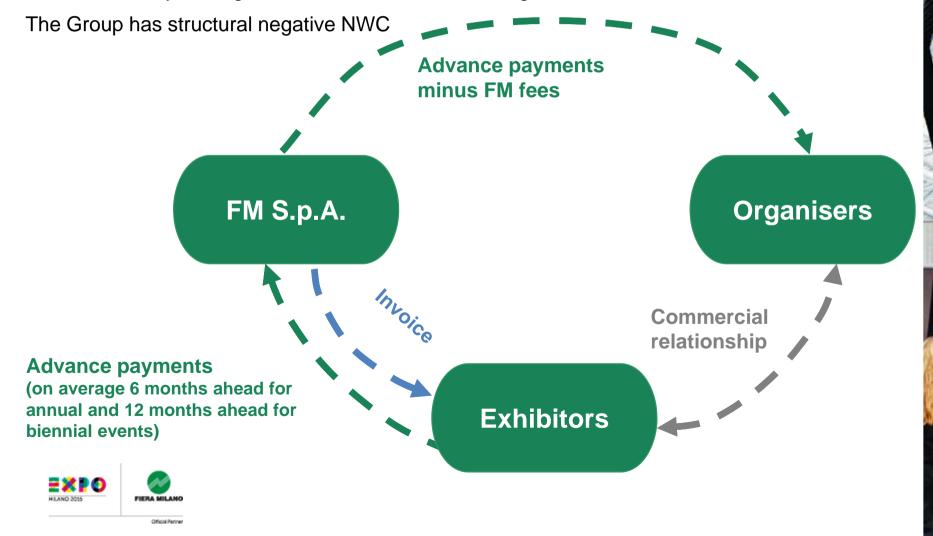




Favourable payment cycle

Main financial clauses in the contractual agreements with organisers:

- standard contract guarantee (minimum guaranteed)
- significant advance payments
- treasury management services on behalf of organisers



Fiera Milano SpA

- The difficult economic environment in Italy and the unfavourable exhibition calendar had an impact on the results of the Parent Company in 2014: the net loss was Euro 30.7 million
- The net loss also reflected Euro 14.9 million of **impairment charges** for investments in the subsidiary Fiera Milano Media, which incorporates the value of the business divisions for publications, editorial and communication products (Euro 11.1 million) and for the investments held by the subsidiary Eurofairs International Consultoria e Participações (Euro 3.8 million)
- As a result, the share capital of the Parent Company has fallen by more than one-third and the Company is in the situation to which Article 2466 of the Italian Civil Code applies
- The forecasts for 2015 underpin Company expectations that, barring any unforeseeable events, it will be able to restore the share capital to above the two-thirds threshold required by law







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