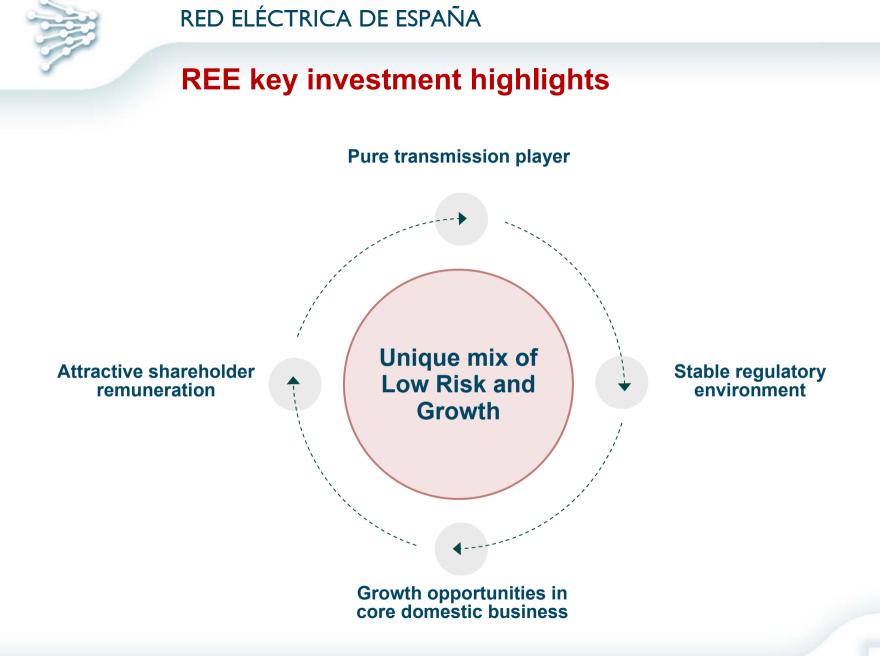


## Red Eléctrica 2005-2009 Extracting growth from core business

February 16, 2005





## **2004 Consolidated financial results**

Profit and Loss Account			
€mm	2004	2003	∆ <b>04/03</b>
Adjusted turnover	766.2	686.7	11.6%
EBITDA	478.9	439.8	8.9%
EBIT	272.7	246.4	10.7%
Net Income	132.4	115.8	14.3%
Cash-flow <sup>*</sup>	348.8	320.9	8.7%

#### **Delivering double digit growth in core business**

\* Net Income + Depreciation + Provisions



## **2004 Consolidated financial results**

Capital Expenditure			
€mm	2004	2003	
Spanish Transmission			
Acquisition of transmision networks	-	535.2	
Investment in transmission grid	243.4	215.3	
International regulated activities	7.3	2.0	
Telecommunications - Albura	6.6	10.8	
Other	23.9	15.0	
Total	281.2	778.3	

Capital Structure				
€mm	2004	2003		
Net Debt	1,922.5	1,914.0		
Leverage (D/D+E)	68.2%	69.3%		
EBITDA / Gross Interest	5.9x	5.9x		
Credit ratings	A2/AA-	A2/AA-		

- Debt profile as of Dec. 2004:
  - 53% commercial paper/bonds and 47% bank financing
  - 69% fixed and 31% floating
  - >6 years of avg. maturity

#### **Acceleration of core investment capex**



## Key strategic focus 2005-2009

## Enhance REE's role in the Spanish electricity sector

Operating excellence

Additional value creation opportunities

Efficient capital structure



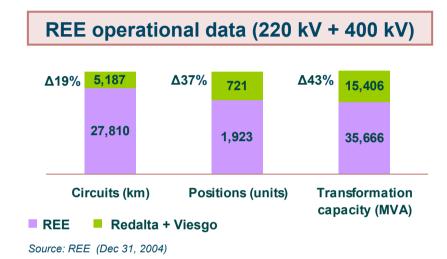
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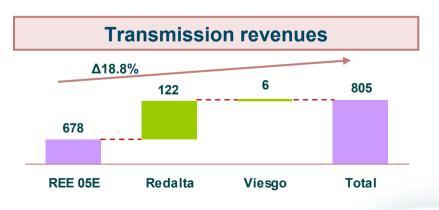
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## **Consolidation of the Spanish TSO**

- Acquisition of transmission assets
  - Acquisition of Viesgo's assets for €45.6mm
    - Effective date January 1, 2005
  - Agreement to early exercise the option to acquire the remaining 75% of Redalta
    - Expected closing June 2005, subject to regulatory approval
    - Effective date February 15, 2005
  - Expected acquisition of Hidrocantábrico's assets during 2005





Note: Redalta owns 100% of Inalta, which acquired Iberdola's transmission assets in 2002

Source: CNE Report 7/2004 (December 20, 2004) and R.D. 2392/04



## Acquisition of the remaining 75% of Redalta

#### **Details of the agreement**

- Implied FV of 75%: €739mm
- Goodwill: €195mm (Non tax deductible)
- Option to cancel O&M contract with Iberdrola in 2006
- Accretive from 2006 before operating synergies
- Expected operating annual synergies
  - o O&M expenses and overheads: €8.5mm
- Financing and Balance sheet impact
  - Equity method was used to consolidate REE's 25% stake in Redalta. Full consolidation expected from 15/02/05
  - Bridge to finance the equity payment and to refinance Inalta's debt (already committed)
  - REE expects to maintain a strong rating level

	Multiple
FV/Regulated Income 05E	8x
FV/EBITDA 05E	10x

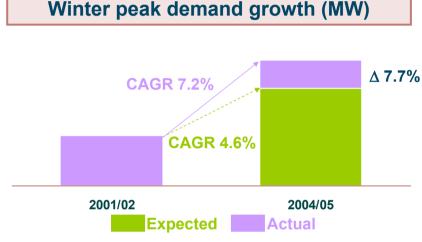
Transaction multiples

Balance	Sheet highlight	ts
€mm	2004	2004PF*
Net Debt	1,923	2,793
Gearing	68%	76%
Net Debt/ EBITDA	4.0x	5.0x

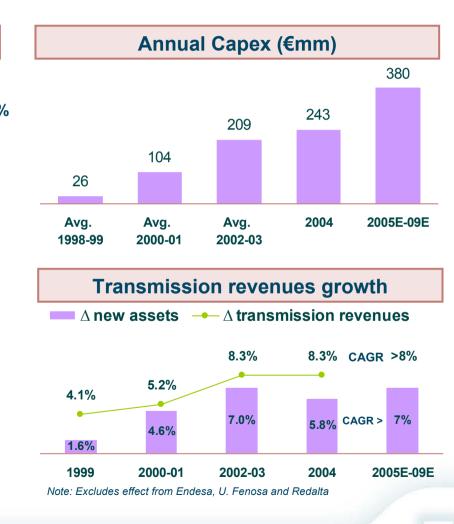
\*Including proforma consolidation of Redalta Note: Gearing = (Net Debt) / (Net Debt + Equity).



## Upgraded investment plan in Spain: €1,900mm\*



- Developing a robust transmission grid to facilitate liberalisation and guarantee security of supply
  - Higher capacity investments in CCGT and wind farms
  - Additional expansion of the high-speed rail network
  - International interconnectors
  - Additional investments to strengthen reliability of network
- Subcontracting of construction with Endesa, Unión Fenosa and Iberdrola (Turn Key projects)





## **Proactive and cooperative role with regulator**

- Key enabler of Spanish Electricity Plan
  - Upgraded investment plan to fulfil additional investment needs and to facilitate market liberalisation
  - REE focused on security of supply in line with the EU Directives
- Proven regulatory support to TSO model
  - 2003: Reduction of efficiency factors to
     0.6 and remuneration based on 10 year
     bond + margin increase to 150bp
  - 2005: Recognition of revenues from commissioning (+€8mm revenue impact in 2005 from assets commissioned during 2004)



#### Comparison of transmission price €/MWh

Source: ETSO. Benchmarking on transmission pricing in Europe. July 2004 (2003 data) Standard transmission tariff price per MWh



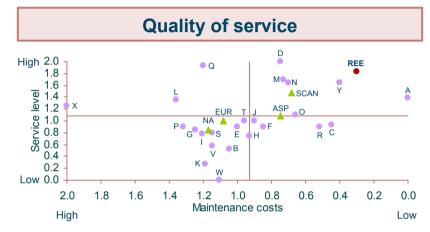
#### **Operating excellence**

- Focus on system reliability and security of supply
- Improving operating margins



## **Operating excellence**

- Strong focus on system reliability and security of supply
  - o Ambitious targets in quality of service
  - World class performance
- Best in class in the last independent survey among 25 Transmission companies



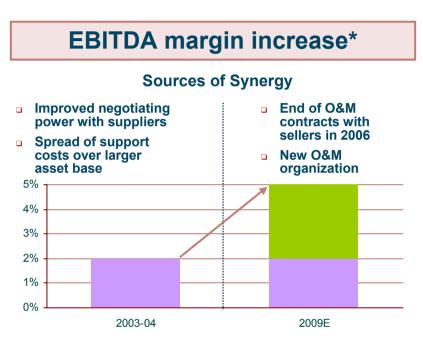


Source: UMS Group benchmarking 2003 (2002 data). Europe includes Ireland, Finland, Island, UK, Spain, Portugal, Czech Republic, Italy, Belgium, Germany, Norway and Holland



## Improving operating margins

- Efficiency improvements due to integration of acquired assets and larger asset base
- Significant increase in operating margins
  - Minimum impact on overhead costs and efficiencies in procurement, engineering and R&D
  - Ability to apply O&M best practices once O&M contracts expire



\* Transmission business: Does not include operating synergies from Inalta's transaction



#### Additional value creation opportunities

- International organic growth
- Looking for strategic partnership to extract full value from Albura



## International organic growth

- Disciplined approach to new investments with strong focus in long term value creation
  - Leverage REE's skills to integrate and improve system operation and transmission companies in new geographies
- Organic growth opportunities in Bolivia
  - Capex of €60mm for 2005-2009
  - Commission up to 476km of new lines (+24%)
  - Capex financed through TDE balance sheet without recourse to REE
  - o \$2.6mm of dividends in 2005E

TDE financial highlights			
€mm	2003	2004	<b>∆03-04 (%)</b>
Sales	19.1	17.9	(6.3)%
EBITDA	13.3	11.8	(10.9)%
Net Income	4.8	4.6	(4.5)%
CAPEX	2.0	7.3	271.0%
Net Debt	29.7	26.0	
US\$/€	1.14	1.25	(8.4)%

Note: 2004 results impacted by US\$ depreciation vs. €



# Looking for strategic partnership to extract full value from Albura

- Focus on shareholder value creation with pragmatic approach to the business
  - Limit additional investments to a minimum
- Goal is to extract full value from the assets
  - Ongoing negotiations with potential partners
  - Expected deconsolidation of the business

Albura financial highlights		
€mm	2003	2004
Sales	36.1	45.7
EBITDA	(16.3)	(15.9)
Net Income	(19.8)	(25.9)
CAPEX	10.8	6.6
Net Debt	54.4	66.4



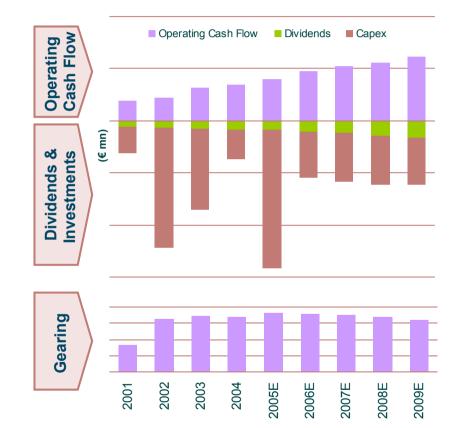
### **Efficient capital structure**

• Attractive shareholder remuneration



## **Efficient capital structure**

- Current leverage, integration of Redalta and €1,900mm investment plan will imply an efficient capital structure for 2005-09...
- ... consistent with a solid financial condition
- Commitment to maintain an optimal capital structure in line with sector best practices
  - Increasing shareholder remuneration if no attractive investment opportunities available





## **REE's 2005-2009 strategic targets**

Enhance REE's role	<ul> <li>Consolidation of the Spanish TSO</li> <li>Upgraded 5Y investment plan</li> <li>Strong regulatory support</li> </ul>	Significant top line growth
Operating excellence	<ul> <li>Ambitious service quality targets</li> <li>World class performance</li> <li>Improving efficiency and delivering synergies</li> </ul>	Improving margins
Value creation opportunities	<ul> <li>International organic growth</li> <li>Evaluation of alternatives to extract full value from Albura</li> </ul>	Additional value creation
Efficient capital structure	<ul> <li>Maintain efficient capital structure</li> <li>Solid financial condition</li> </ul>	High return for shareholders



## Financial targets 2005-2009

Pure transmission player

## Attractive shareholder remuneration

- Annual EPS growth above 15%
- Annual dividend growth: at least 12%
- Solid financial profile

# Stable regulatory environment

# Growth opportunities in core domestic business

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