



# Institutional Presentation 2024

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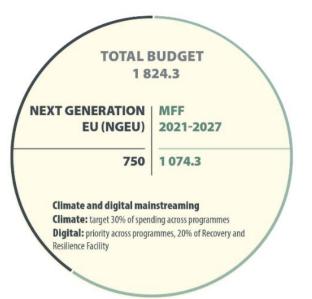














## Public Business Entity

Credit institution State financial agent

# Public-private Collaboration

Complementarity Financial sector Business sector

# **Banking** Regulations

Financial balance
Prudent Management
BDE supervision

# Fundraising in Capital Markets

State guarantee
No resort to the
General State Budget



- Public credit entity attached to the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Business through the Secretary of State for the Economy and Business Support.
- ☐ With its own legal personality, assets and treasury, acting with management autonomy.
- □ It does not consolidate with the State accounts and does not resort to the General State Budgets, attracting its resources in the capital markets (with the guarantee of the Spanish State).
- As a credit institution, ICO operates under market conditions, without granting public aid, and it is subject to Bank of Spain supervision and control regulations, under the principle of balance and financial sufficiency.
- □ ICO collaborates as an economic policy instrument with different Ministries and Public Administrations to mobilize their programs of loans, guarantees or subsidies or funds or resources of the EU.



The activity carried out by ICO is governed by a series of principles that guide its actions in the performance of each of its functions.

# **Principles and Action**

**Public - Private** collaboration

Financial sector, companies, freelancers, employees,

associations

Governance and transversality

Objectives ESG and priorities assumed by **ICO Group** 

Flexibility and adaptation

To the needs of all companies, SMEs and freelancers from all sectors and sizes

Coherence and generation of synergies

> With economic policy priorities defined at national and EU level

Complementarity and long-term value

To contribute to the recovery and growth of the Spanish economy and companies

Financial balance and management autonomy

In the development of the ICO balance sheet activity



To achieve its objectives, ICO performs three main functions:

#### **National Promotional Bank**



State Financial Agency

Financing companies, SMEs and self-employed in Spain and internationally

Instrument for the implementation of economic policy measures

Management of public funds

Second – Floor Facilities

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ICO Guarantee Lines COVID & Ucrania & Dana

**Direct Funding** 

National:
Ministries, regional and local

governments

Internationalization FIEM - CARI

Complementary Funding

\*\*\*\* \*EU \* \*\*\*\*

Next Generation EU

Development Cooperation FONPRODE - FCAS

Private Capital / Venture Capital AXIS

Multiannual Financial Framework 21-27 UE

ICO Implementing partner

**Territorial Funds** 

Regional & Local Governments

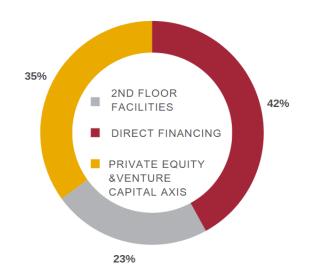


National promotional Bank

Outstanding balance (financing) 34.6 billion €

2nd Floor Facilities 7.9 bn€ Direct Financing 14.6 bn€

Private Equity & Venture Capital AXIS 12.2 bn€



Government Financial Agency Outstanding balance (managed) 223.6 billion €

Internationalization FIEM - CARI

Ministry of Economy, Trade and Business 5.9 bn€

Territorial Funds CCAA y CCLL
Ministry of Finance 217 bn€

Development Cooperation FONPRODE - FCAS

AECID - Ministry of Foreign Affairs 581 M€



# 14.7 billion € 31,915 deals

ICO financing to the business sector



## 9.2 bn€

## **Direct Financing**

Tourism, transport, automotive, sustainable mobility, health, digitization.



All sectors of activity 65% freelancers and micro-companies



# 6.3 bn€

## **ESG Sustainable Finance**

Loans Linked to Sustainability Equator Principles Issuance of sustainable bonds



Direct financing and Project Finance
Canal Internacional
Tender guarantees Program
Financing in local currency





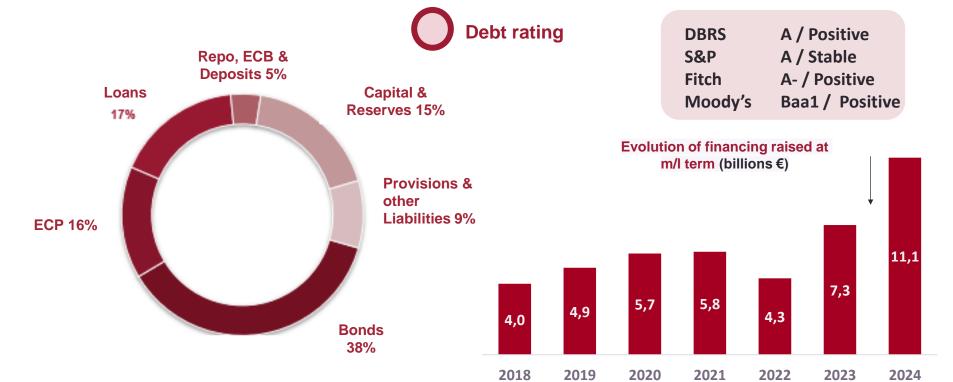


ICO has been present in the international capital markets since 1996. with an important role in the sustainable bond market.

The debts and obligations contracted by ICO in raising funds enjoy the direct, explicit, irrevocable and unconditional guarantee of the Spanish State vis-à-vis third parties.

As a credit institution, ICO has access to the interbank market and to the financing operations of the ECB.







ICO will collaborate in the process of transformation and sustainable growth of the Spanish economy based on the horizontal strategic priorities established in the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan and the 2021-2027 Multiannual Financial Framework of the EU...



# Business Growth and Competitiveness

# Digital Transformation Productive Sector











... working in its double aspect as a national promoting bank and financial agency of the State.

National
Promotional Bank

State Financial Agency

2022-2027 Strategy



Promote growth and business size as an engine for competitiveness, job creation and innovation in the Spanish economy





## ICO Second-floor facilities

Strengthen and adapt lines to SMEs and self-employed needs



## Complementary financing

Bonds, promissory notes, securitizations



## Direct financing

Extend scope to new midcap companies and with tractor effect



#### Internationalization

Expansion and diversification of markets, currencies, products





## Private capital (AXIS)

Boosting dynamism and growth and scalability of the entrepreneurial ecosystem



# Channeling resources from the public sector and the EU

Collaboration sectoral ministries, blended finance. Implementing Partners CE Programmes and Next Generation Funds

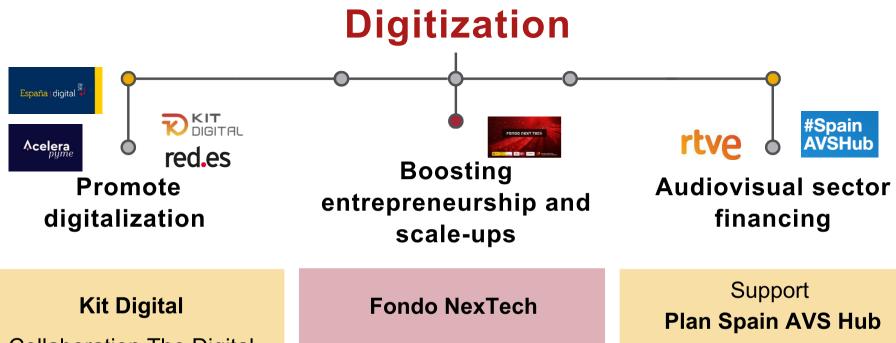


## State funds management

Internationalization, International Cooperation, Covid Guarantee Lines, FIFM/CARI/FONPRODE



Digitalization is one of the main vectors to promote transformation, competitiveness, sustainable economic growth and job creation, in addition to providing the productive fabric with greater resilience to face future shocks and dynamism to take advantage of new opportunities.



Collaboration The Digital Spain Agenda 2026

Collaboration with Acelera Pyme

Consolidation of venture capital funds and entrepreneurship initiatives in digital scale-ups

Audiovisual Sector Boost Plan

Financing agreement for audiovisual works

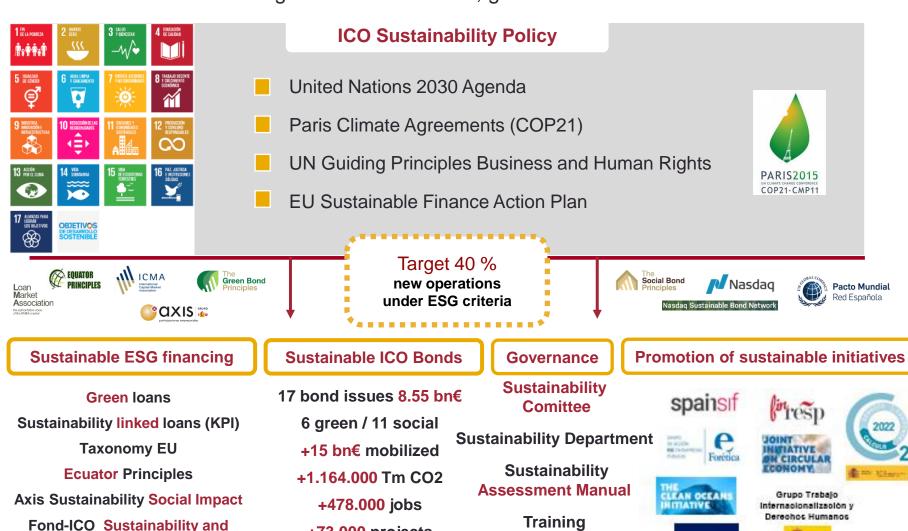


Infrastructures

# I. ICO Strategy 2022 - 2027 - Sustainability

+73.000 projects

Transversal pillar of action of ICO, in financing operations for companies, raising resources through sustainable bonds, governance and CSR



Impact measurement

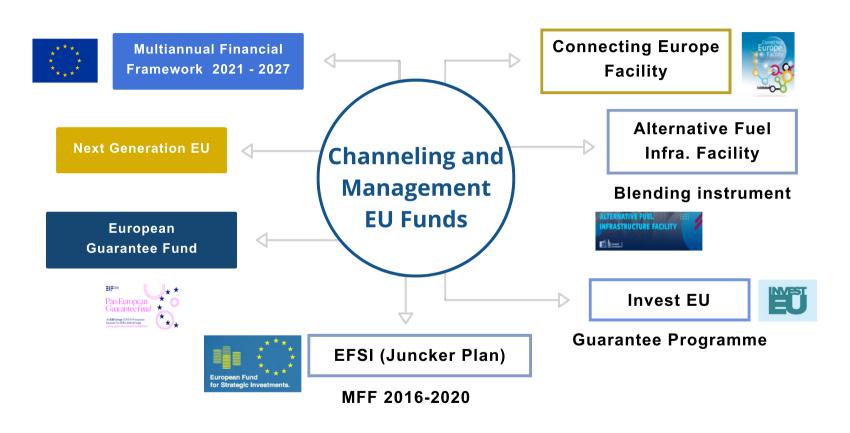


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ICO channels resources from the European Union towards Spanish companies and projects with Spanish interest

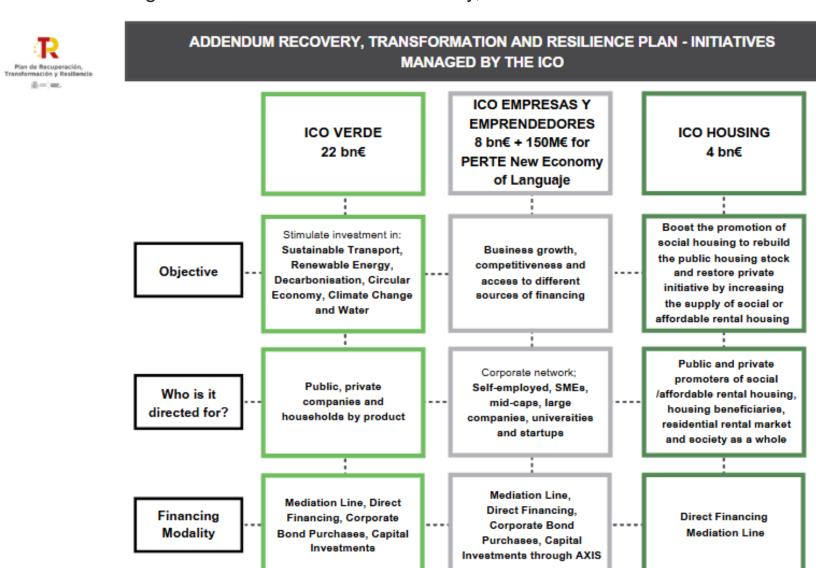
ICO Implementing Partner MFF 2021 - 2027



ICO combined financing: loans, guarantees, subsidies..



## ICO manages the addendum to the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan





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ICO Group has a comprehensive financing offer for companies of all activity sectors, sizes and geographic coverage to finance their activities in Spain and in international markets, with special emphasis on SMEs, self-employed and entrepreneurs.

# ICO SECOND-FLOOR FACILITIES



# COMPLEMENTARY FINANCING

Bonds, promissory notes, securitisations

# DIRECT

Corporate / Sindicated
Club Deal / Bilateral
Project Finance

#### **GUARANTEES**

International Tenders



PRIVATE CAPITAL / VENTURE CAPITAL



Financing through private banks for Spanish companies and self-employed for domestic and international investment and liquidity needs



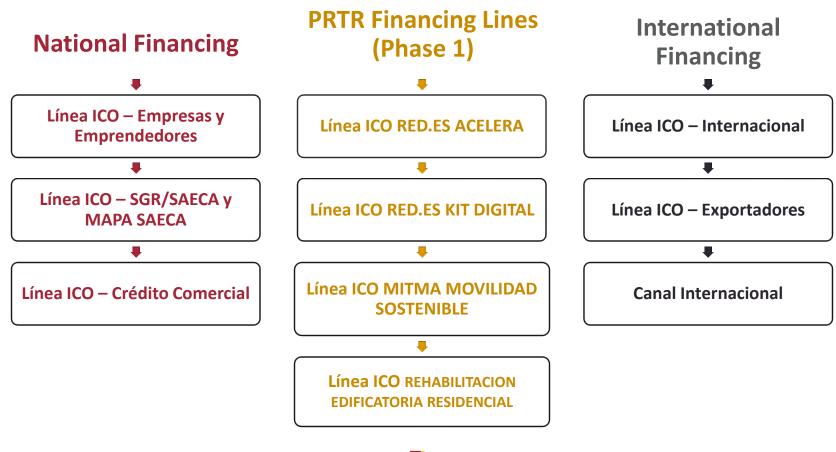
# **Flexibility**

Adaptation to the needs of all types of companies with different degrees of maturity, needs and national and international projects

Long repayment terms: up to 20 years Grace periods: Up to 3 years



Support for Spanish companies by financing their business activities and/or investments, as well as covering their domestic and international liquidity needs





ICO Second-Floor Facilities have financed over the last two years a total of € 5.6 billion corresponding to more than 30,800 operations, mainly directed towards the self-employed and SMEs

ICO Second-Floor Facilities 2023 – 2024	Amount (bn€)	N. Operations	
National	4.1	29,226	
International	1.4	1,584	
TOTAL	5.6	30,810	

Growing importance of international financing. ICO is part of the *Strategy for the Internationalization of the Spanish Economy 2017-2027* directed and coordinated by the Secretary of State for Trade



With ICO International Channel, more than 500 projects have been financed in 23 countries for an amount of € 5.3 billion (\*)

48 agreements have been signed with 23 Counterparties: Public, Private, Multilateral Banks





# III. Direct Funding – Main Features

ICO offers senior financing and long-term guarantees, promoting large investment projects with Spanish interest

# Productive Investments in Spain and in Foreign Markets

Investment plan or singular investment projectsCapex expansion/maintenanceOpex and working capital linked to investment plan

#### **Sectors**

All sectors, prioritizing sustainability, digitization, innovation, social impact. SMEs tractor effect

#### Countries, Regulations, Currencies

Current portfolio of projects in various countries in Europe, Asia and the Americas denominated in different currencies



#### **Types**

Syndicated Financing, Club Deal, bilateral in co-financing. Project Finance, Corporate Financing, Structured Financing, Guarantees Third party refinancing excluded.

# Complementarity and Tractor Effect

Resources mobilization with multilateral commercial banks under market conditions

#### **Direct ICO Processing**

ICO assumes the risk of the operation

#### **Terms**

ICO is a prominent long-term financier with structures adapted to the business plan

## **Midcaps Amount**

From €5 million, as a sole financier or in a club deal with other financial entities



# Main advantages of direct financing from ICO

Business growth and competitiveness initiative for SMEs and MIDCAPS

Promote financing instruments for the business growth of SMEs, Midcaps and smaller companies



Business growth in Spain and abroad

Reliability
Institutional support
and knowledge

(sponsors, contractors, regulation)



#### Internationalization

Support to the Internationalization Strategy of the Spanish Economy 2017-2027



Medium-sized companies (midcaps)



Competitiveness and SMEs tractor effect



Complementarity and scalability projects

















ICO Direct Funding has financed over the last two years a total of € 9.2 billion corresponding to more than 1,100 operations

Direct Funding 2023 – 2024	Amount (bn€)	Nº operations	
National	7.3	1,038	
International	1.8	79	
TOTAL	9.2	1,117	

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# III. Complementary Direct Financing

Boosting business growth through alternative financing to banking through bonds, promissory notes and securitisations

Bonds & Promissory Notes

#### **Corporate Bonds**

Issuances of companies in the primary market, preferably "responsible" companies listed on sustainability indices

## **Projects Bonds**

Medium / long-term securities issued by private companies or the public sector to finance an investment project

# MARF Bonds & Promissory Notes

Subscription of short, medium & long-term fixed income securities of nonfinancial companies





ACTIVIDAD DIRECTA. FINANCIACIÓN COMPLEMENTARIA	Dispuesto 2024 Millones €	Dispuesto 2023 Millones €
Bonos corporativos	557	257
Bonos MARF	16	9
Pagarés MARF	975	1.479
Bonos de titulización	326	536
TOTAL	1.874	2.281

#### **Securitizations**

# Securitization purchase program

Intended to encourage complementary financing to SMEs

2.3 bn€ Approved investment commitments since the launch of the asset purchase program



















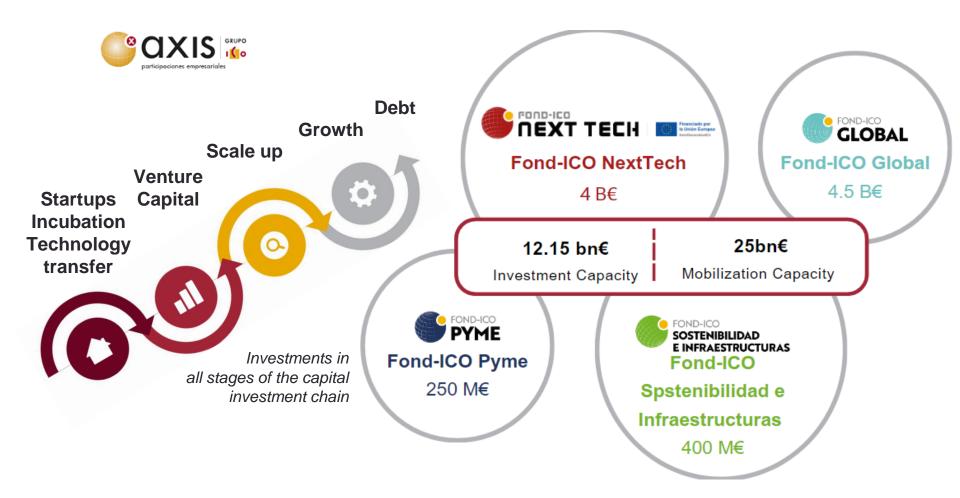




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Promotion and financing of the entrepreneurial ecosystem and innovation in public-private partnerships, channelling resources through private capital funds and direct co-investment





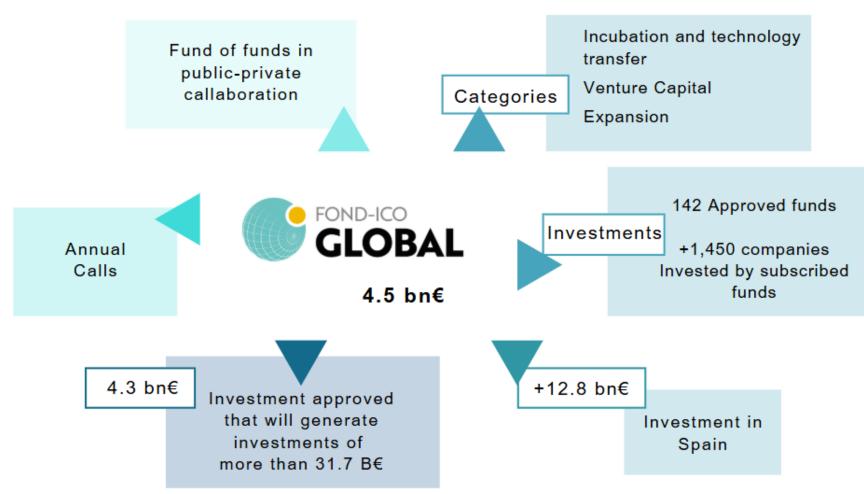
In the deployment of the second phase of the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan, AXIS will channel with the private sector at least €7 billion in investment



## IV. Fond-ICO Global – Main Features



Investments in all stages of the capital investment chain in its different modalities (incubation, technology transfer, VC, debt, expansion)





Fond-ICO Global will channel funds from the ICO Verde, ICO Empresas y Emprendedores and Spain Audiovisual Hub facilities with the second phase of the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan





Objective Financing of scale-ups in deep tech digitization sectors

Strengthening public financing instruments

Promoting international fundraising

Encouraging the attraction and recruitment of talent

Boosting the venture capital sector

Public-private Collaboration

Mobilization of up to 8 B€ together with the Spanish corporate and venture capital sector Investment Modalities

Venture Capital Funds
Funds/Corporate Vehicles
Co-investment in companies



Financiado por la Unión Europea NextGenerationEU ETCI Iniciative:

1 bn€

4 bn€



Participation

12 Funds

19 approved investments

Approved 1.7 bn€

Suscribed 934 M€

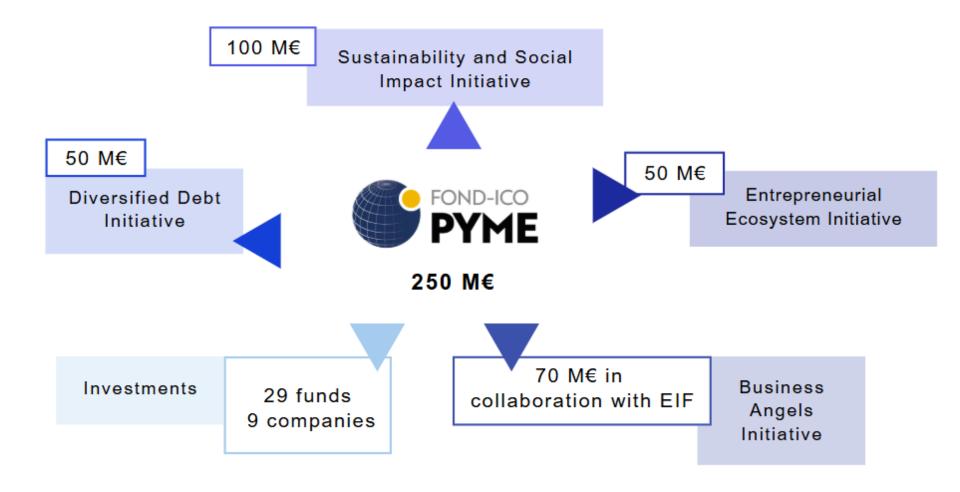
Joint Initiative:

ICO AXIS SEDIA













# IV. Fond-ICO Sostenibilidad e Infraestructuras



Objective

Sustainable infrastructure for mobility, energy, environment, social

Investments

260 M€ 8 Projects 6 Funds



National International

> Markets Spanish interest

400 M€

ESG Infrastructure Fund Projects

Types of investment

Article 8 Fund SFDR Regulation Direct Co-investment









**Approved** 

16 calls 4.3 billions € 142 funds



+12.8 bn€

Investment committed in Spain

+30 billions € mobilized +1,450 companies

Invested by subscribed funds



**Approved** 

1.7 billions M€12 funds6 companiesETCI Iniciative

**Objective** 

Scale ups
Growing
companies
Digital Projects

**Public Private Collaboration** 

Mobilization up to 8 bn€ with VC and corporate sector

**Modalities** 

Fund of funds
Direct Coinvestment
Transfer of
technology



**Investments** 

29 funds 9 companies Sustainability & Social Impact
100M€

Qimpact /Creas Bsocial /Bolsa Social /Qimpact II /Creas II/GSI Impact Bridge/IB Deuda/Miura Impact Diversified
Debt
50M€

October / Solventis

Business
Angels
70M€
Cooperating

with EIF



260 M€ 8 projects 6 funds **Investment** modalities

Co-investment
Project
Infrastructure Funds

**Objective** 

Sustainable infrastructures, mobility, energy, MA, social

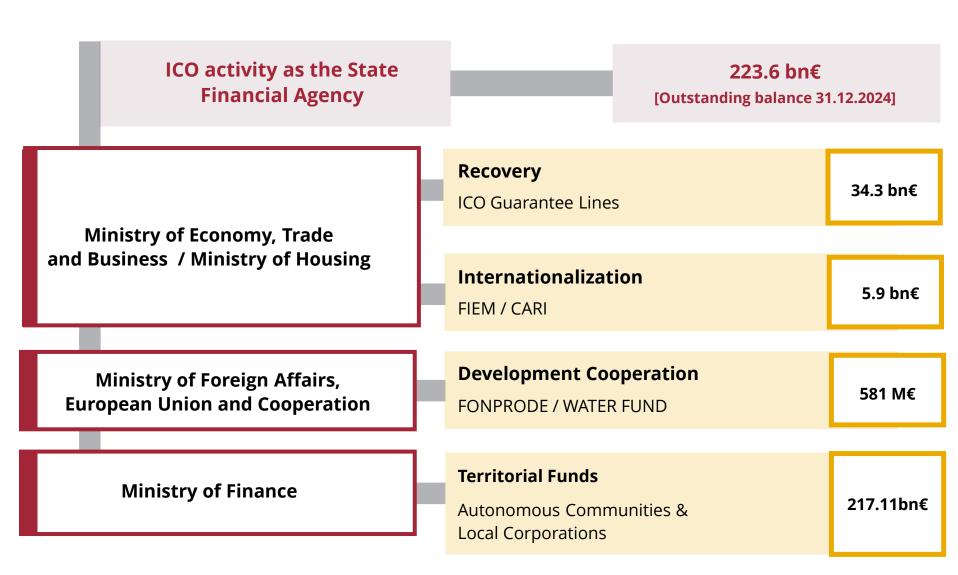




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ICO manages various funds on behalf of the State intended for different economic policy objectives





# V. Financial Agency – ICO Covid Guarantee Line (Closed Line)

Thanks to public-private collaboration, the guarantee program has been very effective

**140.7 bn€** Financing **1,192,484** Operations

107.1 bn€ Guarantees 1,168,923 SMEs and Self-Employed

Solvency Measures: Extension of maturities and shortage

Extensions:

RD-ley 34/2020: November 2020 / June 2021

Code of Good Practice

RD-ley 5/2021: March 2021 / June 2022

- 444,348 operacions (37%) & 287,088 enterpises (43%) extend their maturity terms and apply shortages
- More than 55% companies did not request: activity recovery, higher turnover and better business prospects.





Self-employed & SMEs

98% operacions

All Sectors

18% Turism & related







Long Term 73% > 4 years

**Refinancing from 30.06.2022** during the entire term of the guaranteed operation in accordance with the Covid Temporary Framework.



# V. ICO Guarantee Line – Ukraine Invasion Response Plan (Closed Line) 37

## **Guarantee line approved through Royal Decree-law 6/2022**

As at 31/12/2024, €7.8 bn in funding has been mobilized in 37,339 operations with a guarantee amount of €6.1 bn

Application deadline: Extended by Council of Ministers agreement (Dec. 5th 2023) to June 30th 2024
<b>Objective:</b> guarantee access to liquidity for companies in all sectors affected by the increase in energy costs or raw materials derived from Russia's war in Ukraine.
Three tranches of €9.0 bn activated and managed by ICO:
SMEs and self-employed: €6.5 bn
Non-SME companies: €2 bn
Gas-intensive: € 500 Millions
Coverage and Terms :
Guarantee up to 2 million euros with a maximum coverage of 80% and amortization period up to 10 years.
☐ Guarantee amount higher limits according to sales (15%) and energy cost (50%) guarantee of 80% for the self-employed and SMEs and up to 70% for other companies. Repayment term of up to 8 years.



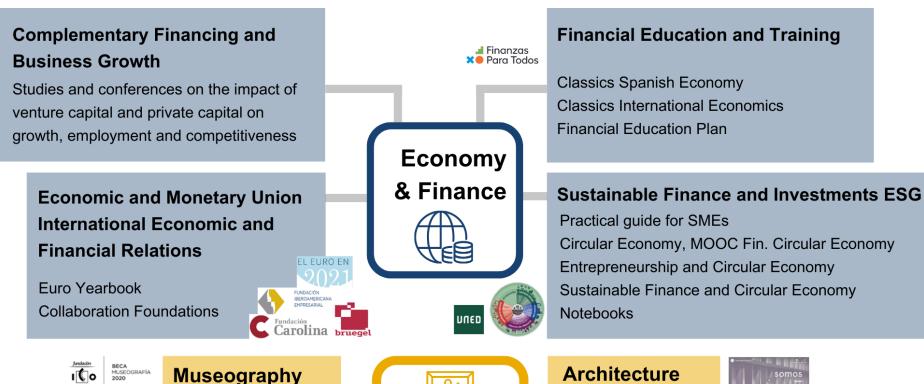


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## VI. ICO Foundation

ICO Foundation mission is to contribute to the development of society through art and knowledge in a way that is aligned with the strategic objectives of ICO





Museography scholarships





ICO art collections management



**Architecture** and urbanism



ICO Museum **Exhibitions** 





# **Institutional Presentation**

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