

Acea organisational model

Acea is one of the leading Italian industrial groups and has been listed on the stock exchange since 1999. The Group has adopted an organisational structure and operating model that supports its strategic guidelines, founded on growth in the water market through infrastructure development, geographic expansion, strategic partnerships, strengthening technology and protecting water resources; the resilience of the electricity network and quality of service in the city of Rome; developing new renewable capacity to help face the energy transition; a push towards the circular economy with geographic expansion, also in synergy with other businesses. The macrosectors in which Acea works are broken down into the industrial segments listed below:



The above chart only shows equity investments of more than 3%, as confirmed by CONSOB data



WATER

The Acea Group is the top Italian operator in the water sector serving 10 million people: it manages the integrated water service in Rome and Frosinone and in the relative provinces, as well as in other areas of Lazio, in Tuscany, Umbria, Campania, Molise and Liguria. The Group is also in Abruzzo, Molise and Campania, as it has entered the methane distribution market in the Municipality of Pescara, the Province of L'Aquila, the Provinces of Campobasso and Isernia and the Province of Salerno. Finally, the area also includes the ASM Terni Group, which is active not only in the water sector, but also in waste collection and disposal and electricity distribution. The Group operates across the entire value chain, from water collection and distribution to its purification and reuse.

The area also includes the companies that manage water activities in Latin America and its objective is to make the most of development opportunities in other businesses related to those already held in Italy. It has a strong presence in Honduras and Peru, reaching a population of approximately 10 million. The activities are carried out in partnership with local and international partners, including through staff training and the transfer of know-how to local entrepreneurs.



NETWORKS & PUBLIC LIGHTING

The Acea Group is one of the main national operators, distributing about 10 TWh of electricity and managing 1.6 million PODs in the Rome area (data from 2024). Additionally, the Group manages public and artistic lighting in the Capital with over 250 thousand lighting points. The Acea Group is involved in energy efficiency projects and the development of new technologies, including network partitioning for dynamic management, 2G smart meter control over PODs, and extensive demand response via Al and IoT platform, additionally, the Group is developing smart public lighting projects.



ENVIRONMENT

The Acea Group is one of the leading national players with around 2.2 million tonnes of waste (2024 data) processed each year, including those handled. The Group operates throughout the entire waste treatment chain, primarily focusing on segments with higher margins. Among the various treatment and disposal plants operated in eight regions there is the main waste-to-energy plant and the largest anaerobic digestion and composting plant in the Lazio Region and the largest mechanical/biological treatment plant in the Abruzzo Region. The Group focuses on developing business investments in waste to energy and waste to recycling, areas considered to have high potential. It also invests in waste recovery and recycling in the plastic, paper, and metal sectors, as well as in producing high-quality compost. This aligns with the strategic objective of consolidating its presence in the entire cycle by maximising circularity and focusing on reusing resources.



PRODUCTION

The Acea Group is one of the main national operators in the field of generation from renewable sources (hydroelectric and photovoltaic) and is engaged in energy efficiency and energy solution projects in the business segment, particularly focused on finding innovative approaches in the management of production asset and the implementation of new production capacity that sustains internal consumption and reduces the Group's carbon footprint, decreasing CO2 emissions to meet SBTi targets. In this regard, the Group aims to capitalise on opportunities for developing solar pipelines, including through partnerships with financial institutions.



COMMERCIAL

The Acea Group is one of the leading Italian players in the sale of electricity and offers innovative and flexible solutions for the supply of electricity and natural gas with the objective of consolidating its positioning as a dual fuel operator. It operates on the market segments of medium-sized enterprises and households to improve the quality of the services offered with particular regard to web and social channels. It supervises the Group's energy management policies.



ENGINEERING & INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

The Acea Group is a specialised centre of excellence renowned for its cutting-edge know how in designing, constructing, and managing integrated water systems: from sourcing springs to managing aqueducts, distribution networks, sewage systems, and purification facilities. It develops applied research projects aimed at technological innovation in the water, environmental and energy sectors. Laboratory and engineering consultancy services are of particular importance. The Acea Group is also engaged in the design and creation of plants for the environment and for the treatment of water and waste.