

# METRO DEVELOPMENT IN ATHENS

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# ATTIKO METRO S.A. (AM)

#### A SUCCESS STORY

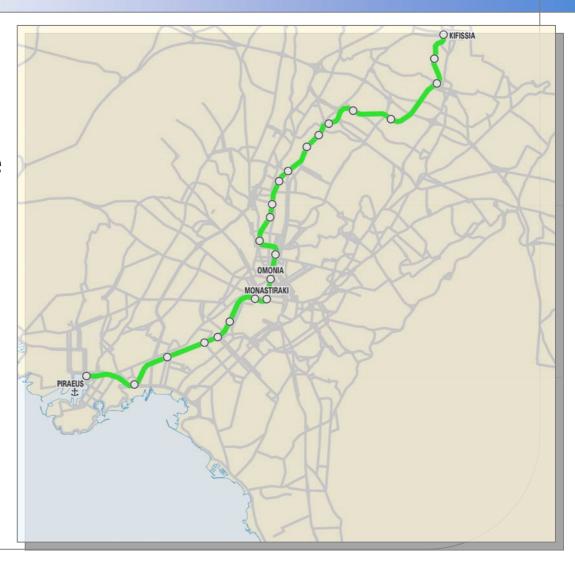
- Attiko Metro S.A is owned at 100% by the Greek State and is responsible for the construction of the metro system in Athens and Thessaloniki
- The operation is managed by Attiko Metro Operating Company (AMEL), a subsidiary of Attiko Metro.
- Athens Metro construction:
  - 30,4 km of underground network in operation (construction 1991 2007)
  - 36 km under design and construction
- Operation: Service and Rolling stock
- Accessibility: Transfer stations, PSN facilities
- Archaeology
- Culture



LINE 1/ 1926-1957

- ✓ 26 km long
- ✓ 24 stations
- ✓ 3.1 km of underground line
- ✓ In operation since 1869
- ✓ 450,000 passengers/day

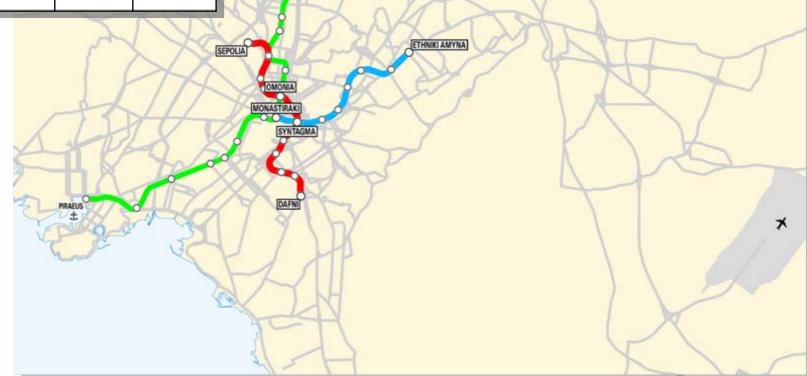






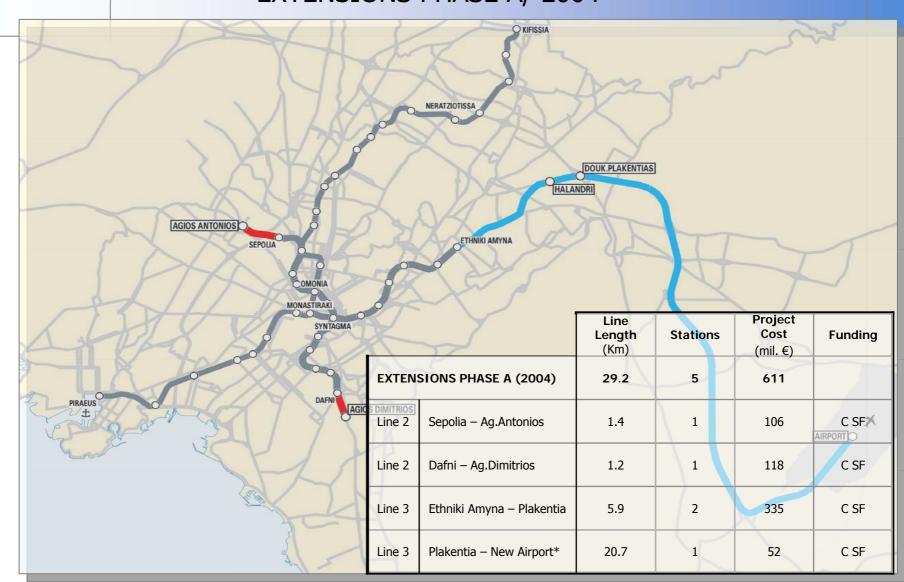
BASE PROJECT/ 2000

BASE PROJECT		LENGTH (km)	STATIONS	
Line 2		Sepolia – Dafni	9.2	12
Line 3		Monastirakii – Ethniki Amyna	8.4	8
TOTAL			17.6	20



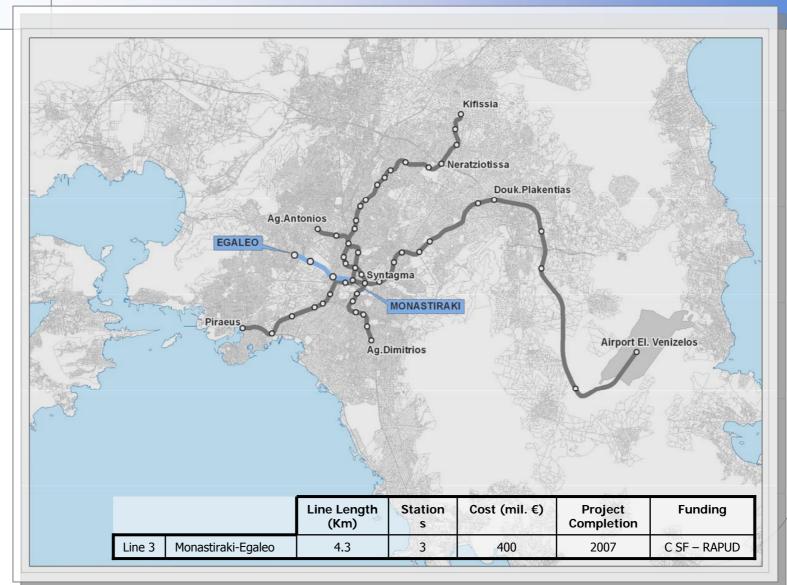


EXTENSIONS PHASE A/ 2004





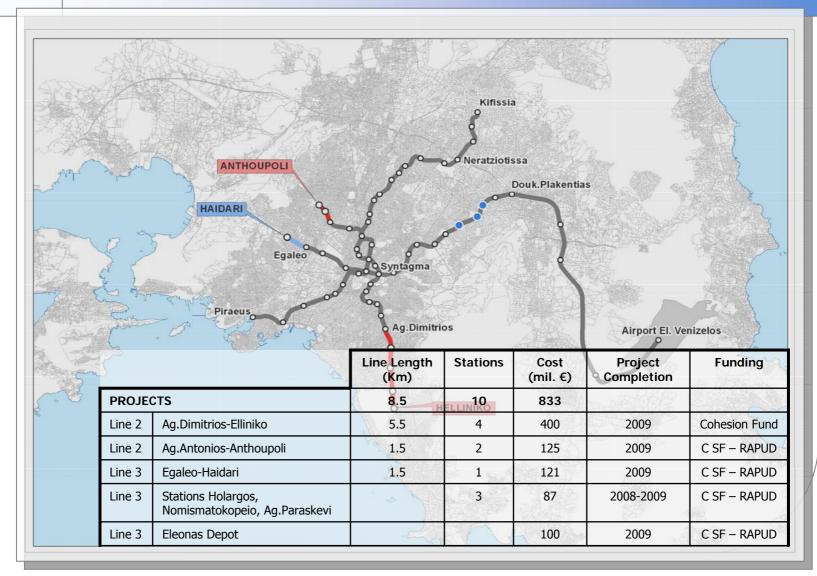
**EXTENSIONS PHASE A/ 2007** 





EXTENSIONS PHASE B/ 2010

under construction





### **EXTENSIONS UNDER CONSTRUCTION**



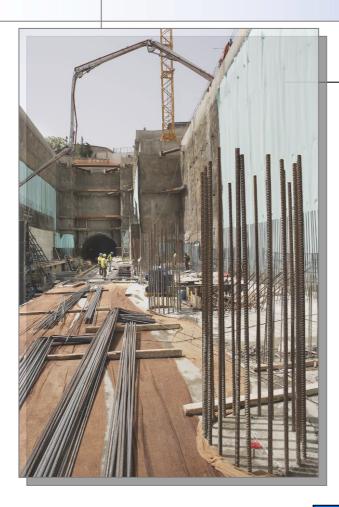
**ELLINIKO Station** 



**PERISTERI Station** 



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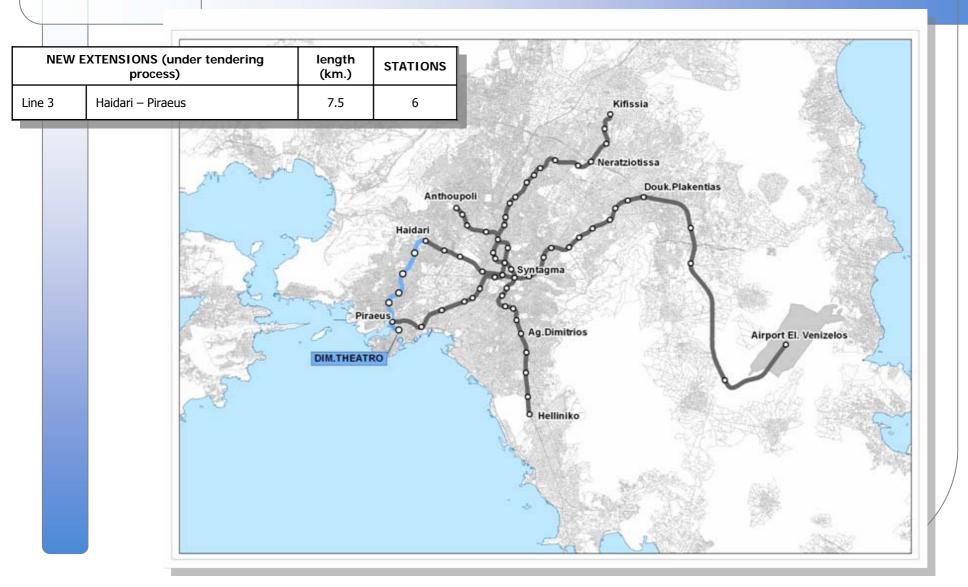
**HAIDARI Station** 

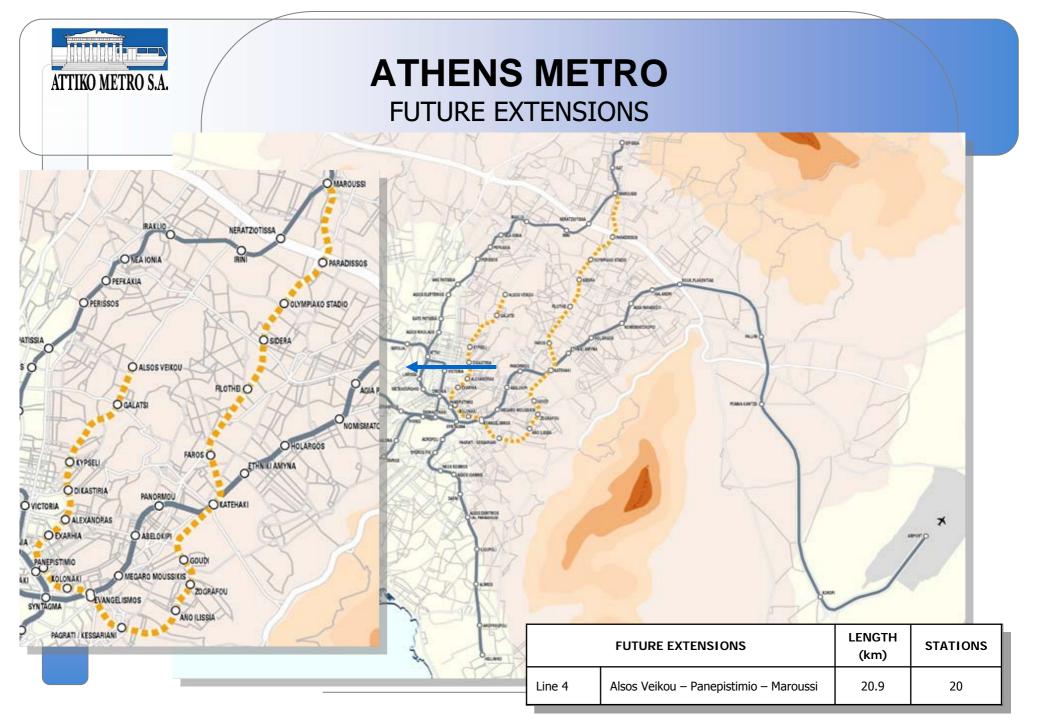


**HOLARGOS Station** 



NEW EXTENSIONS (under tendering process)





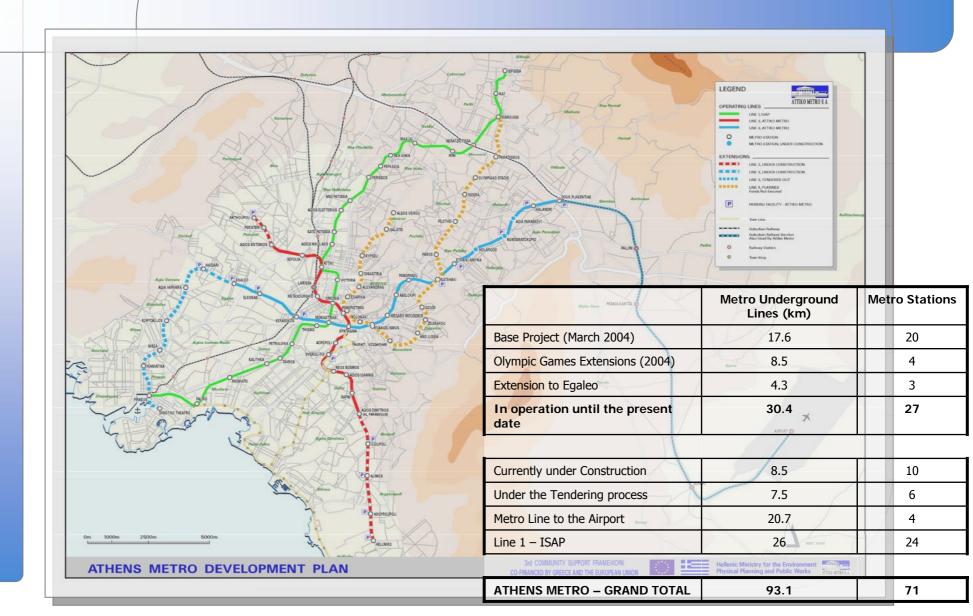


LINE 4 - FUNDING

- Line 4: Funding the Project through the securitization of Attiki Odos future toll revenues is under consideration
- Advantages of funding scheme:
  - "Polluter pays principle" "Dirty car" pays for "green Metro" as revenues raised from Attiki Odos are used to fund capital expenditure of Metro Line 4
  - Readily available funding
  - Value for money for the State
  - No burden on public deficit.



# ATHENS METRO LINES





## **SERVICE**

- Attiko Metro serves 650,000 passengers / day (average number of passengers in the network in 2007)
- High level of service
  - High Standards in the provision of services to the Metro users (service availability, reliability, speed)
    - European Performance Satisfaction Index: 81,8/100
      - One of the highest indexes in Europe in "Trips Reliability and Precision"
    - Athens Metro comes first in Europe in the Citizens Satisfaction Index (CSI)
  - Cleanliness of Stations and Trains at high levels
  - Security and Safety in all areas of the METRO system



## **ROLLING STOCK**

- Today 49 trains
  - 28 of first generation
    - Composition: 6 cars (in two tree-car units)
    - Doorways per car: 4 per side
    - Capacity: 1030 passengers/train (224 seats, 806 standees)
  - 21 of second generation (7 DC/AC, 14 DC)
    - Composition: 6 cars (in two tree-car units)
    - Doorways per car: 4 per side
    - Capacity:
      - DC/AC: 1030 passengers/train (158 seats, 868 standees)
      - DC : 1062 passengers/train (196 seats, 866 standees)
- Tender for the supply of 17 new 6-car trains (third generation)
  - equipped with state-of-the-art systems, shall be air-conditioned, environment-friendly, and properly equipped to ensure compatibility with all future technological upgradings in Athens Metro Lines 2 & 3.



## TRANSFER STATIONS

- Park-and-ride
  - 2.090 parking spaces in operation
  - 8.780 parking spaces under design and construction
- Transfer to/from bus lines
  - 5 Bus Transfer Stations/Terminals: serving 30 terminal bus lines and 28 kissand-ride lines
  - Kiss-and-ride in all other Metro stations (> 100 bus lines)
- Metro Tram interconnection in two strategically located Metro stations
- Pedestrian facilities in all stations entrances



# **PSN FACILITIES**

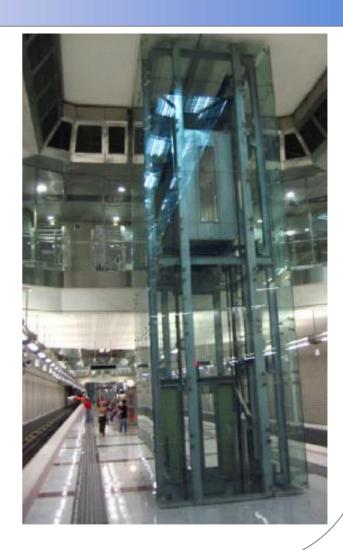
 Athens Metro Stations and trains are absolutely PSNs-friendly

#### For Semi-Ambulant Users:

- Direction Stripes inside and outside the Stations
- etc.

#### For Wheelchair Users:

- PSN Equipped Lifts at All Stations
- Pre-recorded Announcements at the lift cabins
- etc.





## ARCHAEOLOGIC WORK

- Joint Effort Attiko Metro, Olympic Metro, Ministry of Culture
  - Excellent cooperation with Ministry of Culture & Archaeological services
- The biggest Excavation Project ever in Athens
  - 70,000 sq.m. of archaeological investigations
  - 30 centuries' antiquities found
- All periods of the city of Athens history
  - From Neolithic period up to Modern era



# **ARCHAEOLOGIC WORK**



Archaeological excavations at SYNTAGMA Station



Archaeological excavations at MONASTIRAKI Station



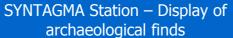
## **METRO & CULTURE**

#### **CULTURAL HERITAGE**

- 6 mini-museums
  - creation of special areas for the display of the most important archaeological finds
- Findings exposed are those found in the surrounding area

g area "Amalias" Shaft – Display of archaeological finds









# **METRO & CULTURE**

#### **ART**

- 21 art works, in 14 metro stations
- Of world-wide famous as well as younger Greek artists

HALANDRI Station - "Space Poetry – diptych 2004" (Christos Karras)





METAXOURGHIO Station "The Myth of my Neighborhood" (Alekos Fassianos)



## **FUNDING**

- Funding of completed and under design & construction projects
  - 50% from the European Union (CFS)
  - 50% Greek Funds
    - 25-35% EIB Loans
    - 15-25% National contribution
  - Cost of network in operation: 3.043 mil. €
    - Base project: 2.032 mil. €
    - Extensions Phase A/2004: 611 mil. €
    - Extensions Phase A/2007: 400 mil. €
  - Cost of network under construction: 833 mil. €
    - Extensions Phase B/ 2010: 833 mil. €
- Future projects
  - Search for new financial instruments
  - Earmarking the revenues raised from urban toll roads



## PROJECT MANAGEMENT

- Integrated transportation planning
  - Careful and reliable planning well in advance, in order to identify, evaluate and finally select the most beneficial projects in respect of a well-coordinated Transportation Plan
- Detailed State-of-the-Art Design
  - AM tender projects based on General Final Design, in order to compromise between detailed description-design and the time required for design studies
- Efficient tendering in full adherence to EU and national legislation
  - In order to secure the necessary conditions for high level competition and equal opportunities for all bidders
- Close supervising using appropriate procedures
  - Optimum balance for: fast implementation, workload for Attiko Metro, responsibilities, risks and technical coordination of the projects.
- Efficient administration passing successfully numerous external controls



## **EXTERNAL CONTROLS**

#### ADHERENCE TO GREEK & EUROPEAN LEGISLATION

Successful and positive outcome in mandatory controls/checking performed by 15 National and European independent bodies:

#### **European Authorities**

- European Commission
   DG for Internal Market & Services
- 2. European CommissionDG REGIO
- 3. European Court of Auditors
- 4. EIB

#### **Greek Authorities**

- 5. Greek Parliament
- 6. Greek Civil Courts
- 7. Council of State
- 8. Court of Audit
- 9. Managing Authorities of Operational Programs
- 10. Ministry of Economy General Secretariat of Investments & Development
- 11. State Committee of Fiscal Control
- 12. Revenue Office and Social Security Authorities
- 13. The Greek Ombudsman
- 14. Chartered Auditors
- 15. Independent Consultant of Infrastructural Quality Control



# ATTIKO METRO S.A.

## THE SUCCESS FACTORS

- The people
- The knowledge
- The procedures

