

THE ROMANIAN GAS TRANSMISSION SYSTEM OPERATOR

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INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE SIX MONTHS PERIOD ENDED JUNE 30,2015 (UNAUDITED)

PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH IFRS -UE



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1. Interim Income statement as of 30.06.2015 (1)



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MAIN INDICATORS

THOUSAND RON	1H2O15	1H2014	Changes 1H2015/1H2014	
1110051112 11011			Absolute	Relative
OPERATING REVENUES	848,132	861,012	-12,880	-1%
FINANCIAL REVENUES	17,472	9,190	8,282	90%
TOTAL REVENUES	865,604	870,202	-4,598	-1%
OPERATING EXPENSES	474,534	508,300	-33,766	-7%
FINANCIAL EXPENSES	3,474	3,144	330	10%
TOTAL EXPENSES	478,008	511,444	-33,436	-7%
PROFIT BEFORE TAX	387,596	358,757	28,839	8%
INCOME TAX EXPENSES	68,514	66,663	1,851	3%
DEFEFRED TAX INCOME	2,474	2,273	201	9%
PROFIT NET	321,557	294,367	27,190	9%
EBITDA	469,237	444,564	24,673	6%
TURNOVER	820,382	849,129	-28,747	-3%



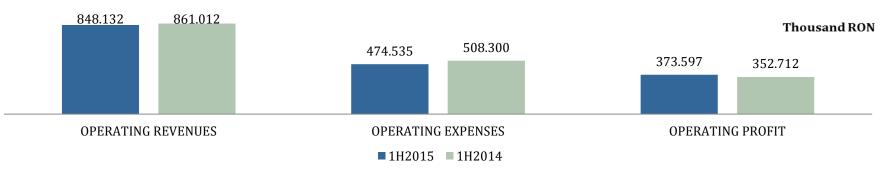
1. Interim Income statement as of 30.06.2015(2)



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Thousand RON	1H2015	1H2014	Changes 1H2015/1H2014	
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Revenues from domestic gas transmission activity	660,193	714,322	-54,129	-8%
Revenues from international gas transmission activity	158,799	133,302	25,497	19%
Other revenues	29,140	13,388	15,752	118%
OPERATING REVENUES	848,132	861,012	-12,880	-1%
Wages, salaries and other employee-related expenses	-173,310	-174,981	-1,671	-1%
Technological consumption, materials and consumables used, out of which:	-34,143	-48,775	-14,632	-30%
* technological consumption and losses on NTS	-21,671	-37,446	-15,775	-42%
Royalty expenses	-81,899	-84,762	-2,863	-3%
Maintenance and transportation, mainly out of which:	-17,408	-21,874	-4,466	-20%
* Works & services performed by third parties	-11,174	-17,247	-6,073	-35%
Taxes and other amounts payable to the State	-33,297	-39,166	-5,869	-15%
Expenses with provision for risks and expenses	-8,416	-10,387	-1,971	-19%
Other operating expenses	-47,255	-57,277	-10,022	-17%
Depreciation	-95,639	-91,852	3,787	4%
OPERATING EXPENSES	-474,535	-508,300	-33,765	-7%
OPERATING PROFIT	373,597	352,712	-46,645	6%

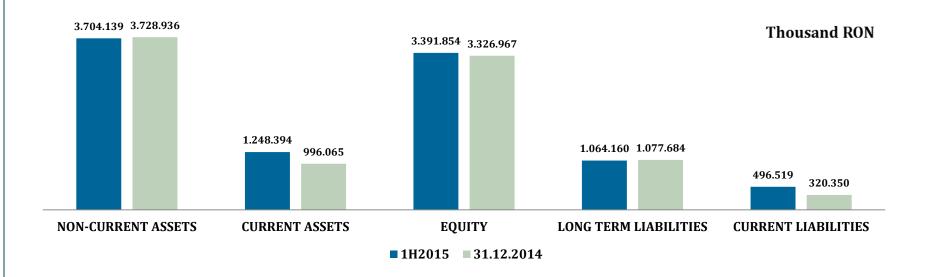


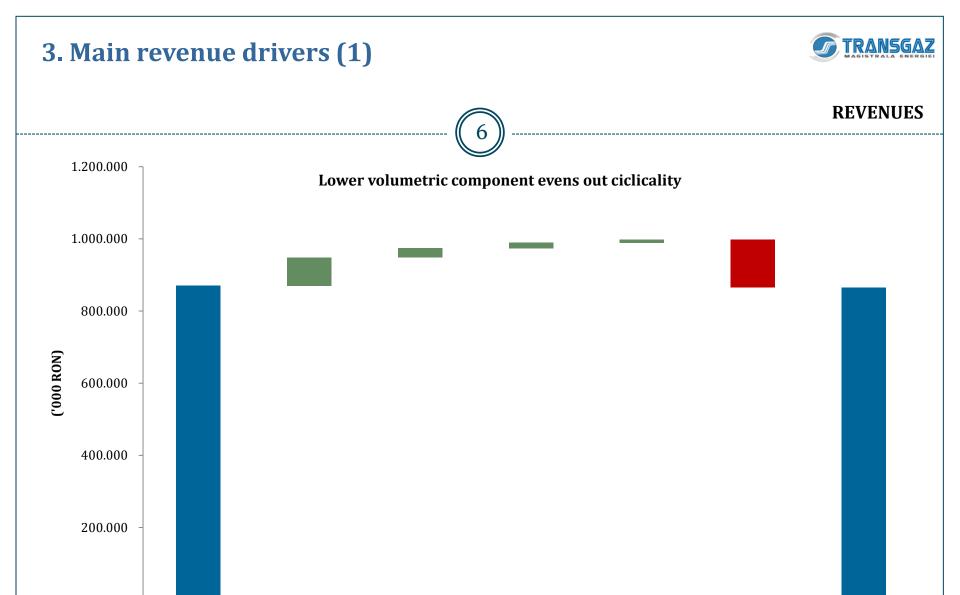


2. Interim Balance Sheet as of 30.06.2015



			Changes	
Thousand RON	1H2015	31.12.2014	Absolute	Relative
NON-CURRENT ASSETS	3,704,139	3,728,936	-24,797	-1%
CURRENT ASSETS	1,248,394	996,065	252,329	25%
TOTAL ASSETS	4,952,533	4,725,001	227,532	5%
EQUITY	3,391,854	3,326,967	64,887	2%
LONG TERM LIABILITIES	1,064,160	1,077,684	-13,524	-1%
CURRENT LIABILITIES	496,519	320,350	176,169	55%
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,560,679	1,398,034	162,645	12%
TOTAL EQUITY & LIABILITIES	4,952,533	4,725,001	227,532	5%





Other revenues

Lower volumetric

component

Total revenues

1H2015

Higher financial

revenues

Higher volume

transported (intl.)

Higher capacity

reservation

Total revenues

1H2014

3. Main revenue drivers (2)





TOTAL REVENUES - 1% slightly lower in 1H2015 compared to 1H2014, by a total of RON 4,597 thousand

THE TOTAL REVENUES WERE INFLUENCED BY THE FOLLOWING FACTORS:

FACTORS WITH POSITIVE EFFECT RON 127,699 THOUSAND

The revenues obtained from capacity booking increased by **78,167 thousand RON** due to;

- the increase of the fixed component share in the total revenues from 35% to 50%;
- increased of the booked capacity with 97.531.645 MWh because of the introduction starting with 1 August 2014 of capacity booking on entry-exit points;

The revenues from the international natural gas transmission higher with **25,497 thousand RON** due to the variations of the exchange rates of the contract currencies;

Other operation revenues higher with **15,752 thousand RON** due to the registration of the amounts afferent to the reversion of the income acknowledged in advance by TRANSGAZ as a result of the right to cash the remaining amount of the investments made in NST upon the completion of the Lease Agreement;

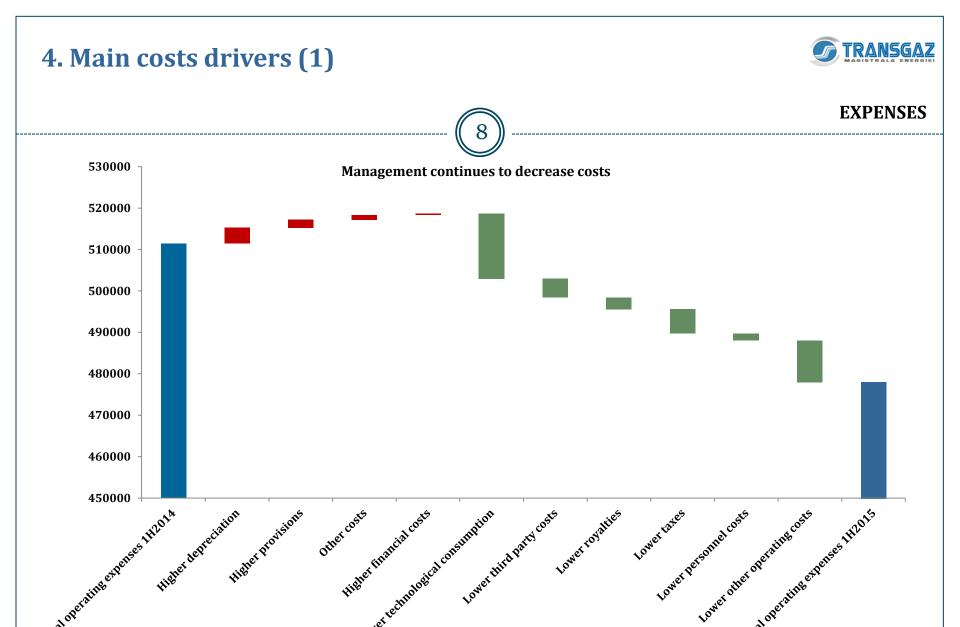
The financial income with a positive influence of **8,283 thousand RON** due to the revenues from interests registered as effect of the update by discounting the debts for the regulated amount left undepreciated of the basis of regulated assets upon the completion of the Lease Agreement.

FACTORS WITH NEGATIVE EFFECT RON 132,296 THOUSAND

The revenues obtained from the volumetric component lower with 132,296 thousand RON because of:

- the decrease of the variable component share in the total revenues from 65% to 50%;
- increase of the invoiced gas quantity with 3,702,801 MWh (340,743 thousand cubic meters),

OPERATING REVENUES - decreased by 1% compared to 1H2014, by a total of 12,880 thousand RON



4. Main costs drivers (2)



TOTAL EXPENSES DECREASED 7% COMPARED TO 1H2014, BY RON 33,436 THOUSAND



Savings of RON 40,668 thousand were registered, mainly, due to the following cost items:

- Consumption and technological losses of natural gas on the gas transmission system of **RON 15,774 thousand**, due to two factors:
 - natural gas amount for technological consumption lower by 220,908 MWh/20,318 thousand cm (148%), compared to 1H2014, with a positive effect of RON 18,029 thousand;
 - the average acquisition price for 1H2015 higher by RON 9,47 /MWh, compared to 1H2014, with a negative effect of RON2,254 thousand;
- royalty for NST concession: 2,863 thousand RON;
- expenses with other taxes and duties: 5,870 thousand RON;
- other operating expenses: 10,024 thousand RON;
- personnel expenses: 1,671 thousand RON;
- maintenance and transmission: 4,466 thousand RON;

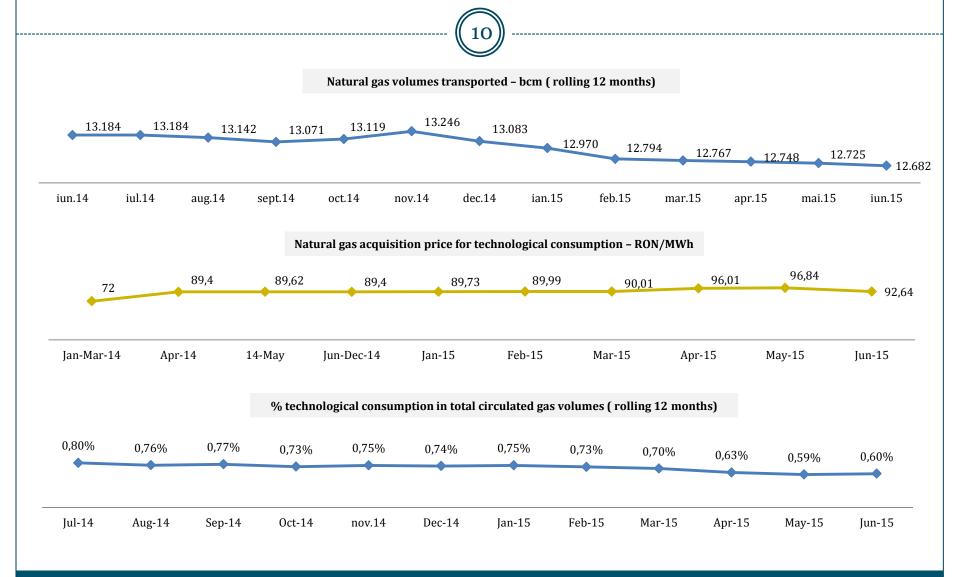
Expenses increases of RON 6,903 thousand were accounted mainly in relation to the following cost elements:

Excess of 6.903 thousand RON was registered, being caused by the increase of the depreciation cost ((\blacktriangle 3.787 thousand RON), of the provision costs for risks and expenses (\blacktriangle 1.973 thousand RON) and of the costs of materials and auxiliary materials (\blacktriangle 1.142 mii RON).

The financial expenses registered an increase by **330 thousand RON** on account of the exchange rate difference costs.



5. Main business drivers

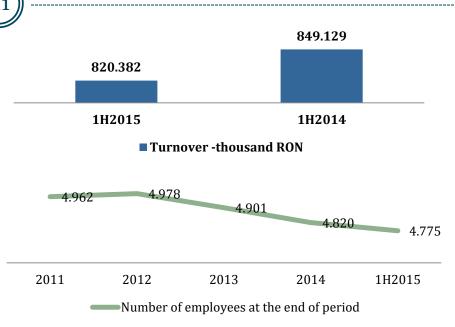


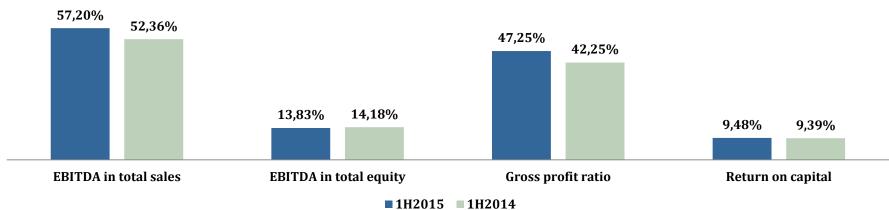


6. Main indicators (1)

1H2015 compared to **1H2014**

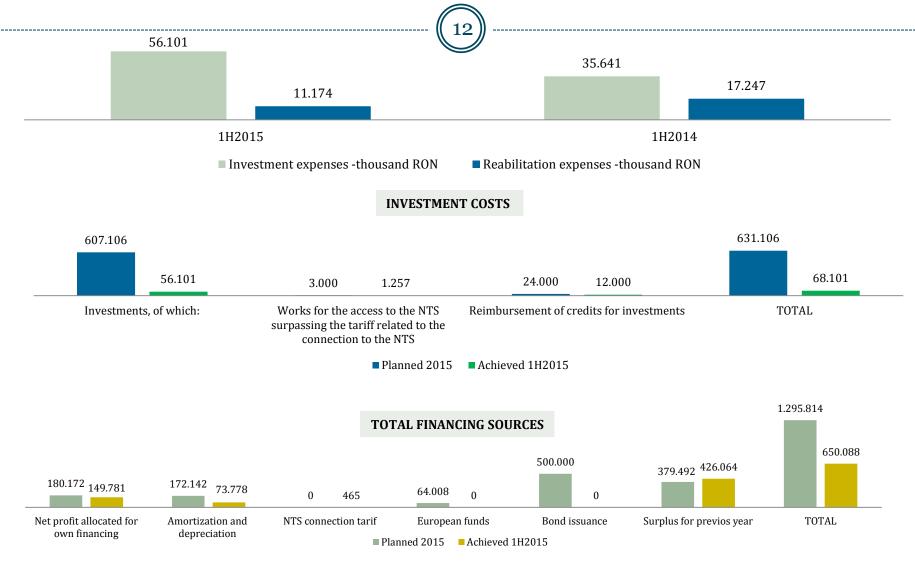
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	1H2015	1H2014
EBITDA in total sales	57.20%	52.36%
EBITDA in total equity	13.83%	14.18%
Gross profit ratio	47.25%	42.25%
Return on capital	9.48%	9.39%
Current liquidity ratio	2.51	2.00
Quick liquidity ratio	2.43	1.93
Gearing	0.00%	0.38%
Interest coverage ratio	1,675.24	486.83
Turnover speed for clients debit -days	89.83	76.41
Turnover speed for credit providers -days	12.32	15.27





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6. Main indicators (2)



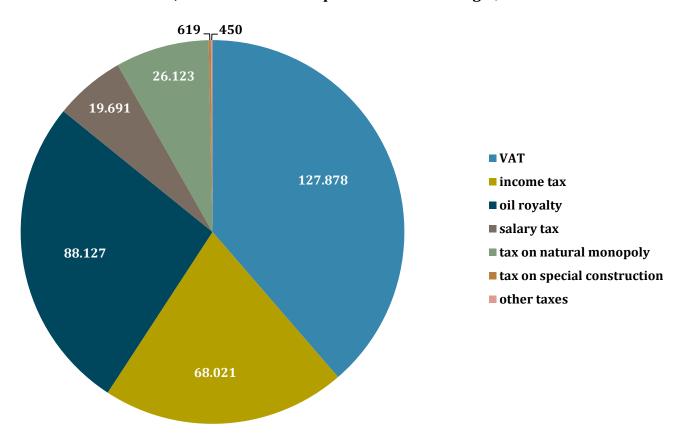


6. Main indicators (3)



DEBTS TO THE STATE BUDGET

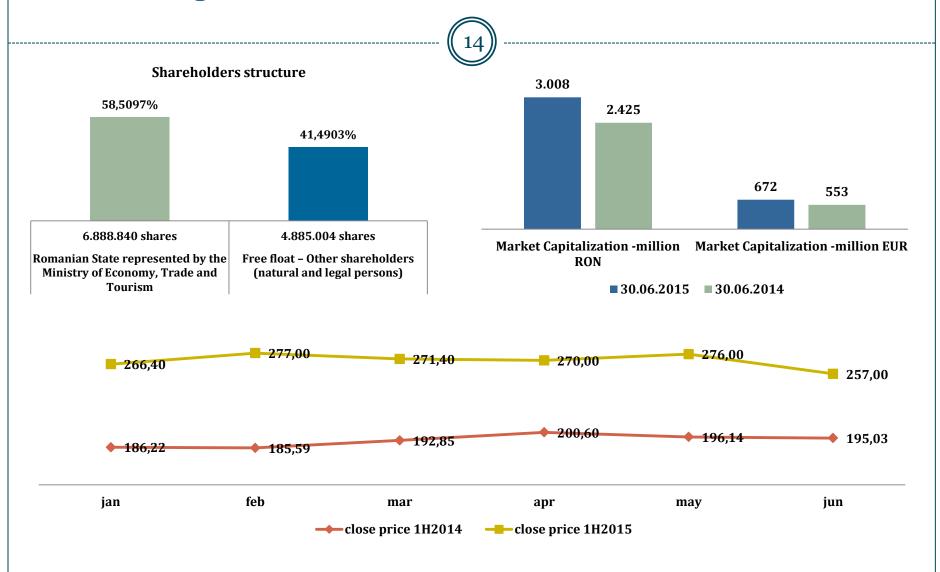
In 1H2015 the amount of RON 330,909 thousand were paid to the state budget, out of which:



The amount of RON 58,653 thousand was paid at the local budgets, special funds budgets and social security



Stock Exchange TGN Evolution





Stock Exchange TGN Evolution (2)

TGN vs BET, BETXT, BETNG, ROTX during 1H2015

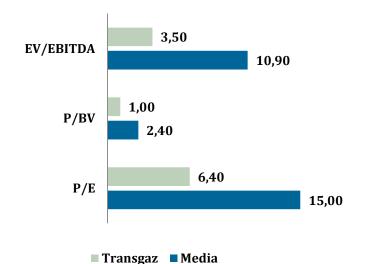


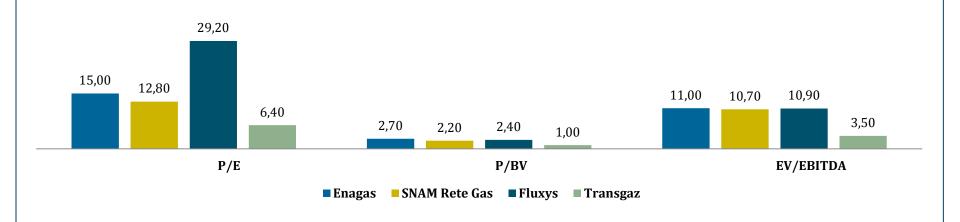


TRANSGAZ COMPARED TO PEERS



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Company	Country	P/E	P/BV	EV/EBITDA
Enagas	Spain	15.00	2.70	11.00
SNAM Rete Gas	Italy	12.80	2.20	10.70
Fluxys	Belgium	29.20	2.40	10.90
Media		15.00	2.40	10.90
Transgaz	Romania	6.40	1.00	3.50
Premium /Discount		-57%	-58%	-68%







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