# Infrastructure Debt Overview

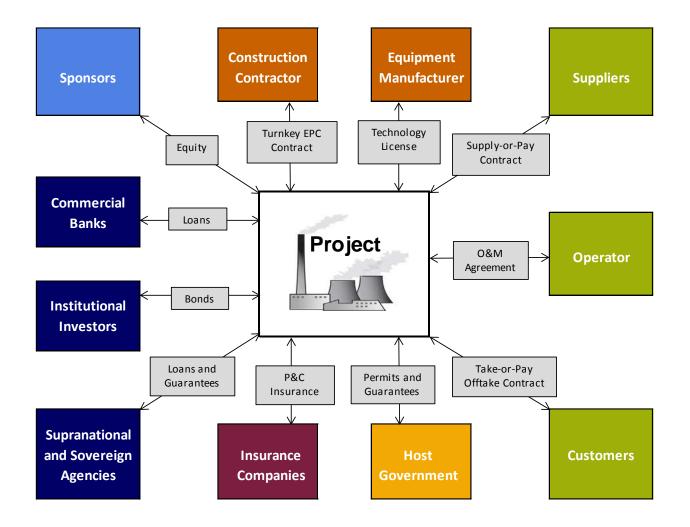
### Key Infrastructure Characteristics

- Real economic assets
- Essential services
- Capital intensive
- Long useful life (30-40 years)
- Stable cash flow from long-term contracts
- Project Finance Approach
  - Secured asset-based lending
  - Non-recourse, off-balance sheet financing through special purpose vehicle
  - Tool of risk management: contracts/covenants used to manage/mitigate construction, operating, financial, regulatory and political/sovereign risks
  - Highly-complex, document-intensive deals requiring sophisticated legal, tax, accounting, financial and engineering skills
  - Average 70/30 mix of debt and equity

## Asset Class Attributes

- Illiquid investment grade debt product
- Low default rates and correlations versus more liquid asset classes
- Attractive yield pick-up versus liquid public credit markets
- Means of credit and portfolio diversification
- Long-term asset/liability matching
- Inflation hedge

## **Typical Project Finance Deal Structure**



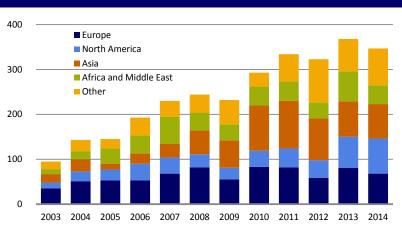
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## **Project Finance Debt Market Snapshot**

## 400 • Loans • Bonds 200 100 0 2003 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014

Global Project Finance Debt by Type (\$ in billions)

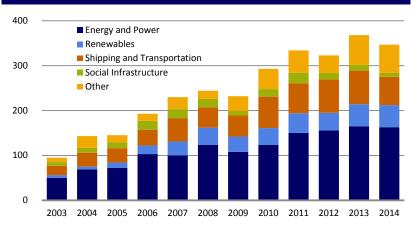
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Global Project Finance Debt by Region (\$ in billions)

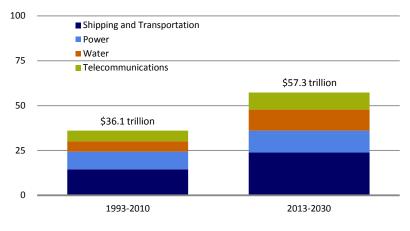
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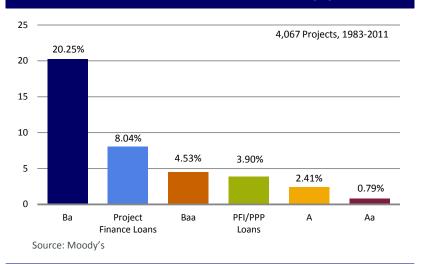
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### Global Infrastructure Spending (2010 constant \$ in trillions)

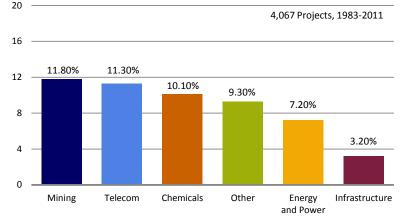


Source: McKinsey Global Institute

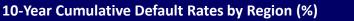
# Moody's Default and Recovery Rates

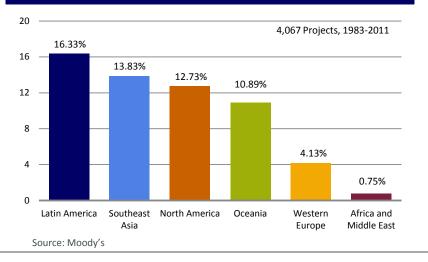


### **10-Year Cumulative Default Rates (%)**

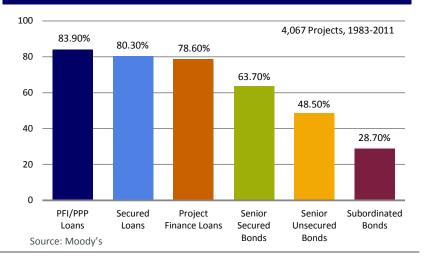


Source: Moody's





### Average Ultimate Recovery Rates (%)



### Average Default Rates by Sector (%)

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% Capital

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Supranational Agency Loans	<ul> <li>1-2% average cost of debt</li> <li>World Bank average yield on loans = 1.43% in FY2014</li> <li>Asian Development Bank average yield on loans = 1.23% in 2013</li> <li>Multilateral development banks (World Bank, Asian Development Bank and European Investment Bank)</li> </ul>	2%
Sovereign Agency Loans	<ul> <li>2-3% average cost of debt</li> <li>Export Development Canada average yield on loans = 2.43% in 2013</li> <li>Government-owned financial institutions (Export Development Canada, KfW Group, Japan Bank for International Cooperation, Korea Finance Corporation, IDBI Bank and State Bank of India)</li> </ul>	11%
Commercial Bank Loans	<ul> <li>3-4% average cost of debt</li> <li>L + 250-350 bp</li> <li>European banks (BNP Paribas, Royal Bank of Scotland, Credit Agricole, Banco Santander and Societe Generale)</li> <li>Japanese banks (Mitsubishi UFJ Financial, Sumitomo Mitsui Financial and Mizuho Financial)</li> </ul>	52%
Bonds	<ul> <li>4-6% average cost of debt</li> <li>T + 200-300 bp</li> <li>Investment grade bonds (traditional and 144A private placements)</li> <li>Insurance companies (AIG, Allstate, John Hancock, MetLife, New York Life, Northwestern Mutual and Prudential)</li> </ul>	5%
Equity	<ul> <li>8-15% targeted IRR</li> <li>Governments (United Kingdom) and corporate sponsors (BHP Billiton, EDF, Chevron, Exxon Mobil, Lyondell Basell)</li> <li>PE infrastructure funds (Alinda Capital Partners, Brookfield Asset Management and Global Infrastructure Partners)</li> <li>Bank infrastructure funds (Macquarie Infrastructure Group, Citi Infrastructure Investors, GS Infrastructure Partners and Morgan Stanley Infrastructure)</li> </ul>	30%

Note: Capital structure percentage calculations based on typical 70/30 debt/equity project funding mix and breakdown of total \$2.947 trillion project finance debt issuance over 2003-2014 between loans (91%) and bonds (9%), with loan component segmented as follows: 80% commercial bank loans, 17% sovereign agency loans and 3% supranational agency loans.