

THE MILANO CORTINA 2026 OLYMPIC AND PARALYMPIC WINTER GAMES: STRENGTHENING MOUNTAIN AND CITY RESILIENCE IN A CHANGING CLIMATE

5 MILLION participants in community sports

Sports education for **1.5 MILLION** children and teenagers

1 MILLION people at cultural events

VALUE OF SPORT recognised in the Italian Constitution

As the first Olympic Winter Games since the reforms of Olympic Agenda and the first European edition in 20 years, Milano Cortina 2026 offers a unique opportunity to show how hosting the Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games can strengthen the socio-economic resilience of Alpine regions in a changing climate.

PREDICTED ECONOMIC IMPACT



UP TO **€5 BILLION**

ESTIMATED NET ECONOMIC IMPACT FOR ITALY, 2019-2031



€530 MILLION

IN TAX REVENUES

36,000+ NEW JOBS



CONSTRUCTION



LOGISTICS



SERVICES



RETAIL



TOURISM



CULTURE



PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION





430,000 WORKERS

encouraged to be more physically active







270,000 HOURS

of training for

18,000 VOLUNTEERS





While only two new competition venues will be used, Italy's ambition to host the Games has accelerated nearly 100 projects to upgrade sports facilities and infrastructure. The publicly owned company **Società Infrastrutture Milano Cortina 2026 (SIMICO)** was established to design and deliver these works, managing total investments of over **€3 billion**.

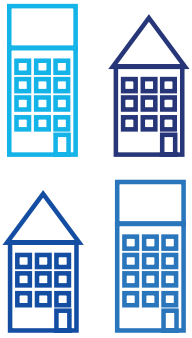
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URBAN REGENERATION

MILAN OLYMPIC VILLAGE



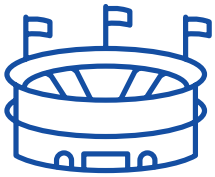
accommodation for 1,700 students

affordable housing

commercial and community spaces

MILANO SANTAGIULIA ICE HOCKEY ARENA

sports and entertainment venue



Milan Metro Network and the Arena di Verona will be made

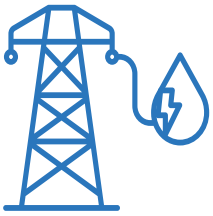
FULLY ACCESSIBLE



MOUNTAIN DEVELOPMENT



REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVED



ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADED



MEDICAL SERVICES AND HOSPITALS ENHANCED AND EXPANDED



WORLD-CLASS SPORTS VENUES MODERNISED

VENUE SPOTLIGHT: LIVIGNO

HIGH-ALTITUDE ALPINE TOWN



€166 MILLION to upgrade sports and entertainment facilities and infrastructure



Olympic Village set up in existing hotels, limiting construction

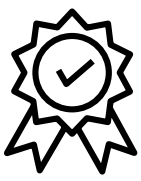
HOST OF FREESTYLE SKIING



and **SNOWBOARDING**



NOW A PRIME DESTINATION FOR WELLNESS AND WINTER SPORT



SUSTAINABILITY

11 OF 13

COMPETITION VENUES

pre-existing or temporary

CORTINA OLYMPIC VILLAGE



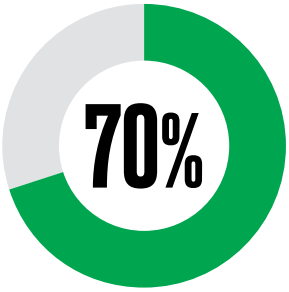
WILL HOST 1,400 ATHLETES IN 377 REUSABLE MOBILE HOMES MADE FROM RECYCLED MATERIALS

CIRCULAR ECONOMY AND WASTE RECYCLING

24,000 ITEMS

reused from Paris 2024

- Furniture
- Technology
- Medical equipment
- Logistics



OF URBAN WASTE TO BE RECYCLED:

100% OF PET BOTTLES

80% OF PACKAGING

CLEAN ENERGY, WATER AND TRANSPORT

100%
RENEWABLE ENERGY
at most competition venues

20%
FEWER CARS
compared to previous Olympic Winter Games

20%+
of the official fleet will be electric vehicles

SNOWMAKING INNOVATION

30% less electricity with almost

100% renewable sources

no chemical additives

First Olympic Winter Games to measure

WATER FOOTPRINT