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# FUNDRAISING REPORT H1 2019

*Infrastructure Investor's* interactive and downloadable review of the H1 2019 fundraising environment

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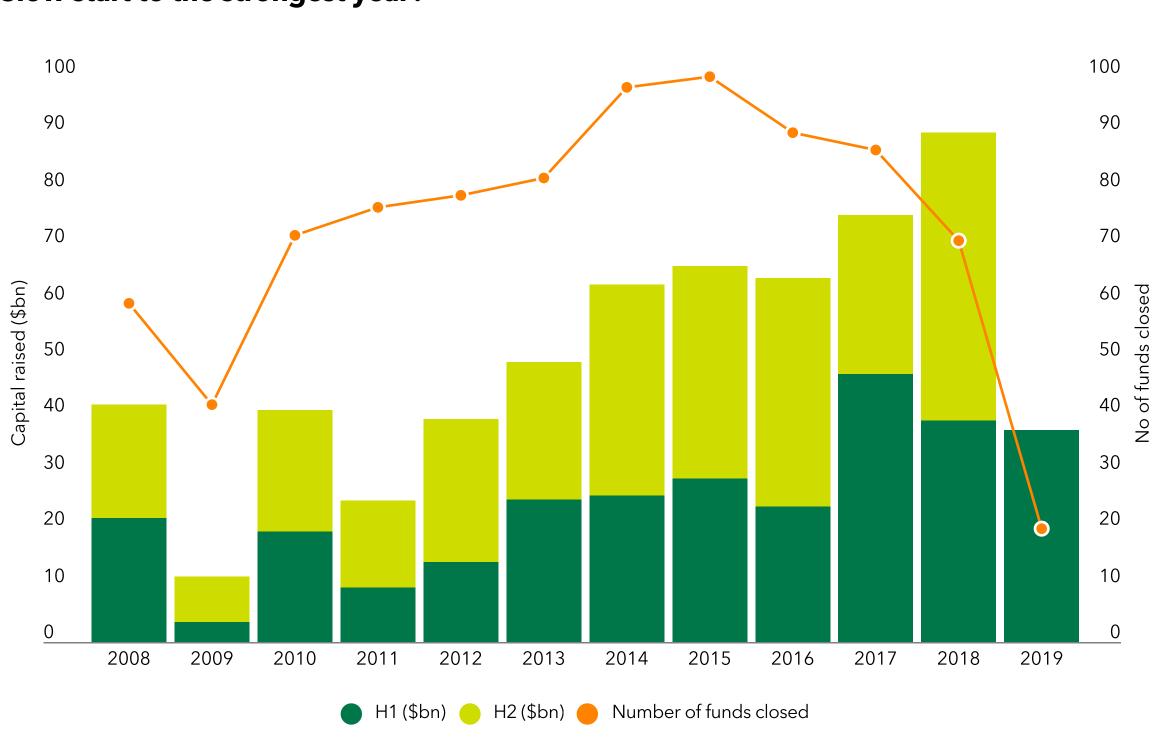


# Fundraising overview

The H1 2019 haul - correct as at 5 July - is lower than that raised during the same time period in 2017 and 2018. But with two mega funds yet to close, the end of year total is set to surpass all previous full-year fundraising amounts. That's thanks to the fourth flagship funds from Global Infrastructure Partners and Brookfield Asset Management, expected to close later this year at around \$20 billion each, putting 2019 fundraising on track to surpass the \$100 billion mark.

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#### Slow start to the strongest year?



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### > **Fundraising** overview

Average fund size in infrastructure is skyrocketing. In H1, it was around \$1.9 billion, up from \$1.3 billion last year. With GIP and Brookfield's mammoth \$20 billion vehicles set to close later this year, the average fund size for infrastructure vehicles is set to rise even further.

\$37.6bn

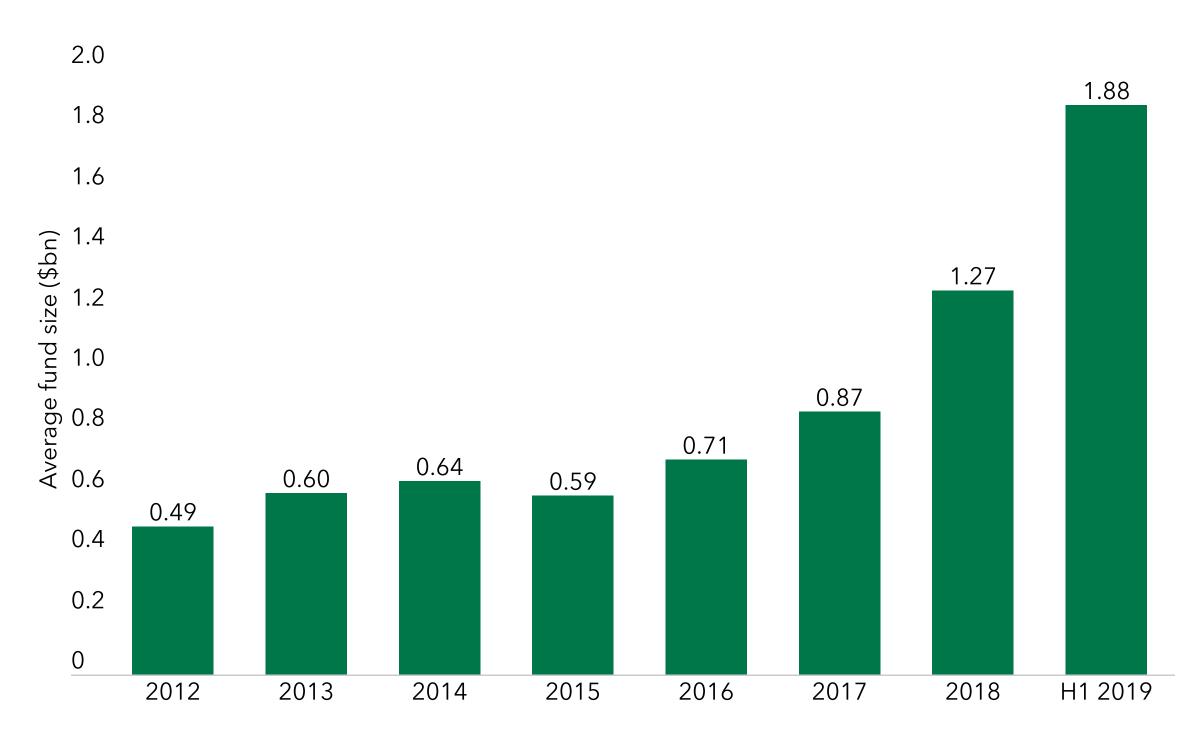
Capital raised by private infra funds in H1

### **\$1.9bn**

Average fund size in H1

### H1 2019

### The never-ending growth of closed-ended infra funds





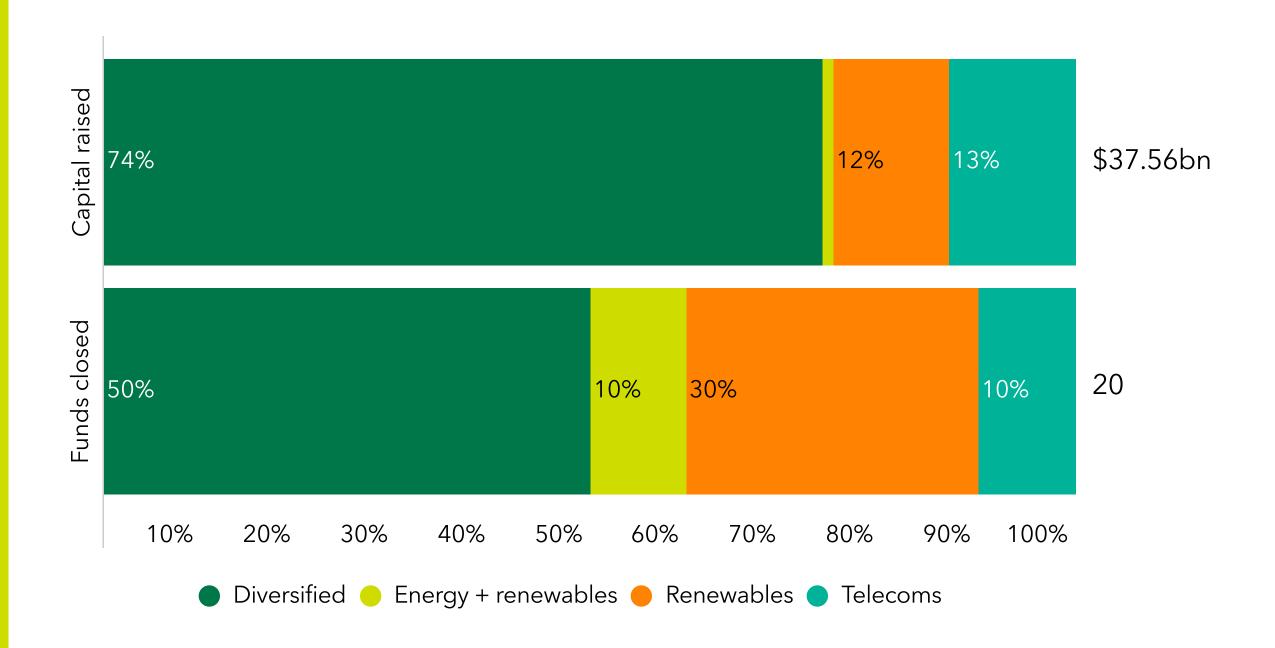


### >> Fundraising overview

The present and future is digital infrastructure. Even though just two digital infrastructurefocused funds closed in the first six months of 2019, together they raised more capital than the six renewable funds closed during the same period. Is digital the new renewables?

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#### Is digital infra the new go-to sector?



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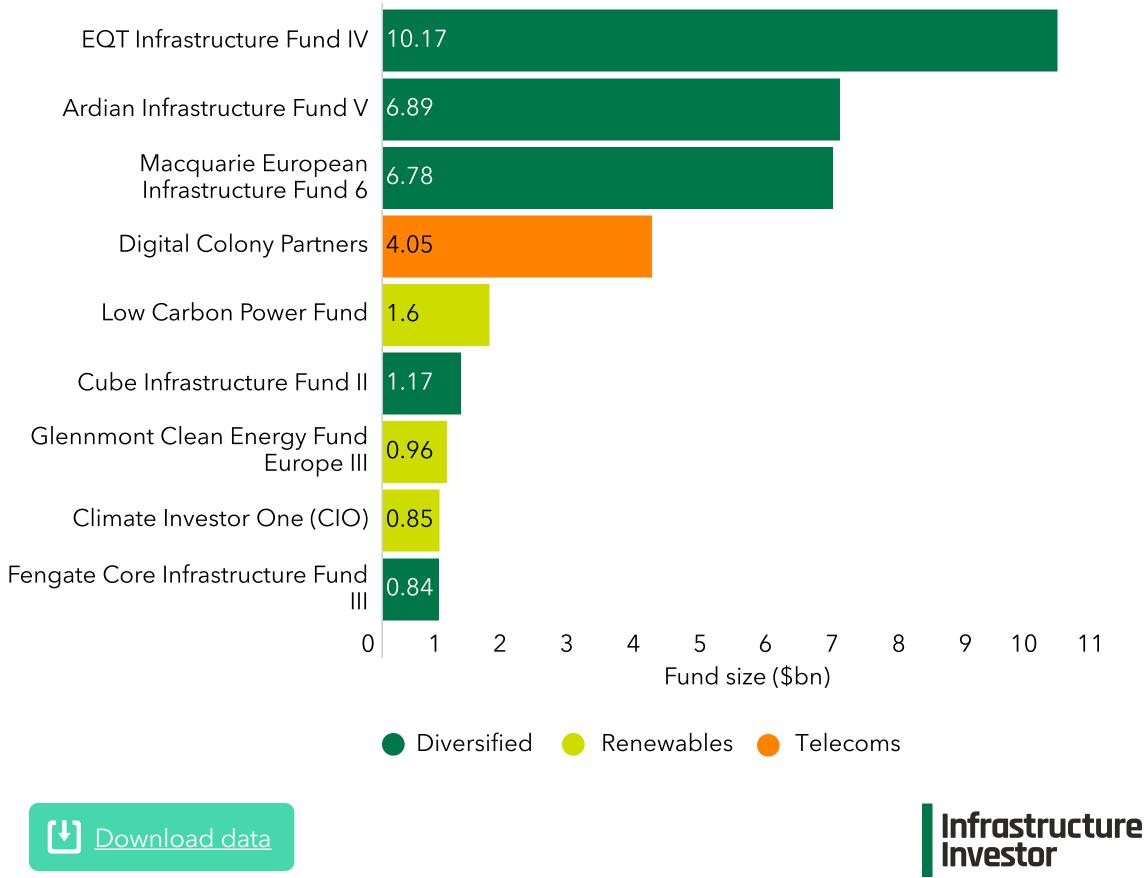


### >> **Fundraising** overview

The 10 largest funds closed during H1 raised \$34 billion of the \$37.6 billion amassed by a total of 20 vehicles. While the vast majority of the capital raised was channelled to diversified funds, the biggest sector-focused fund close in H1 was Digital Colony's \$4 billion vehicle, one of the largest digital infrastructure funds ever raised.

### H1 2019

### Top 10 fund closes amass \$34bn of capital



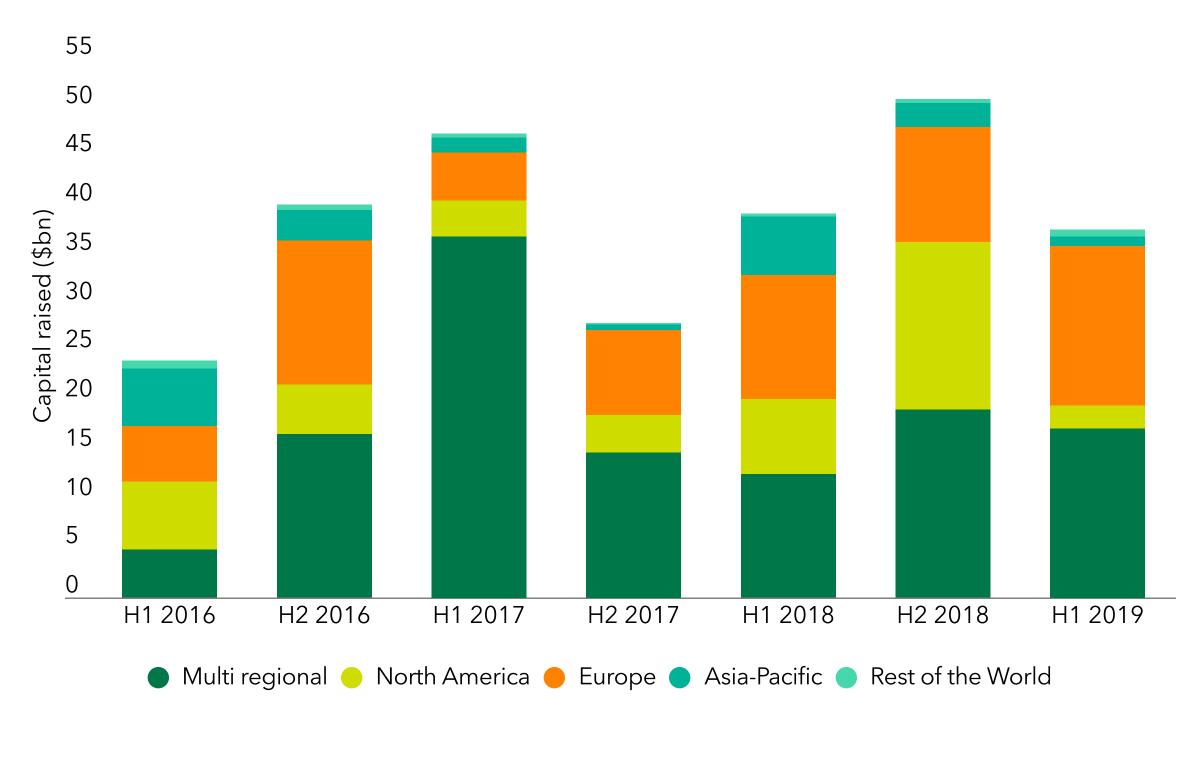


# Geography

H1 2019 North America-focused fundraising was the lowest it has been for any given sixmonth period on the back of an outstanding H2 2018 - where vehicles by Stonepeak (\$7.2 billion), Macquarie (\$5 billion) and John Hancock (\$2 billion) all held final closes. Fundraising for Europe-focused funds, however, peaked, with Ardian (\$6.9 billion) and Macquarie (\$6.8 billion) both closing large funds in the first six months of the year.

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#### **Europe takes over from North America**



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# Largest funds in market, 1 July 2019

Fund Name	Fund Manager
Global Infrastructure Partners IV	Global Infrastructure Partners
Brookfield Infrastructure Fund IV	Brookfield Asset Management
Antin Infrastructure Partners IV	Antin Infrastructure Partners
Energy Capital Partners Fund IV	Energy Capital Partners
NIIF Master Fund	The National Investment and In
AMP Capital Infrastructure Debt Fund IV	AMP Capital
Global Energy and Power Infrastructure Fund III	BlackRock
AMP Capital Global Infrastructure Platform II	AMP Capital
Westbourne Infrastructure Debt Opportunities Fund II	Westbourne Capital
Pan-European Infrastructure III	DWS





	Target Size (\$bn)	Region
	17.5	Multi regional
t	17.0	Multi regional
	6.2	Europe
	6.0	North America
nfrastructure Fund	6.0	Asia-Pacific
	3.5	Multi regional
	3.5	Multi regional
	3.0	Multi regional
	3.0	Multi regional
	2.8	Europe



### Amount targeted by funds in market

### North America \$27.5bn

Multi-Regional

Rest of the world **\$9.6bn** 

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### Europe \$40.4bn

309

Total number of funds in market

\$172bn

Sought for funds in market

### Asia-Pacific \$17.8bn

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# How can we help you?

#### How can Infrastructure Investor's Research and Analytics team help you?

#### Sample client case study

This quarter, we helped a capital advisory firm looking to increase its client base by providing a list of funds in the early stages of fundraising. Alongside this, we also included a list of investors interested in the placement agent's markets of focus.

Please get in touch with us if you would like to see a sample of this data.

Our Research and Analytics team is made up of researchers and analysts in London, New York and Hong Kong, working on a 24/5 cycle to perform bespoke research requests for you. We track the investment appetite and contact details of LPs and GPs within our fundraising data platform, to help bring together fund investors and managers with matching interests.

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Other questions to which we also provided solutions:

"What fund management firms are the most active in the African investment space?" "I would like a list of all LPs in New York that would be interested in committing to Europefocused funds"

"Could you please send me a list of all North American debt funds that have launched in the past year?"

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