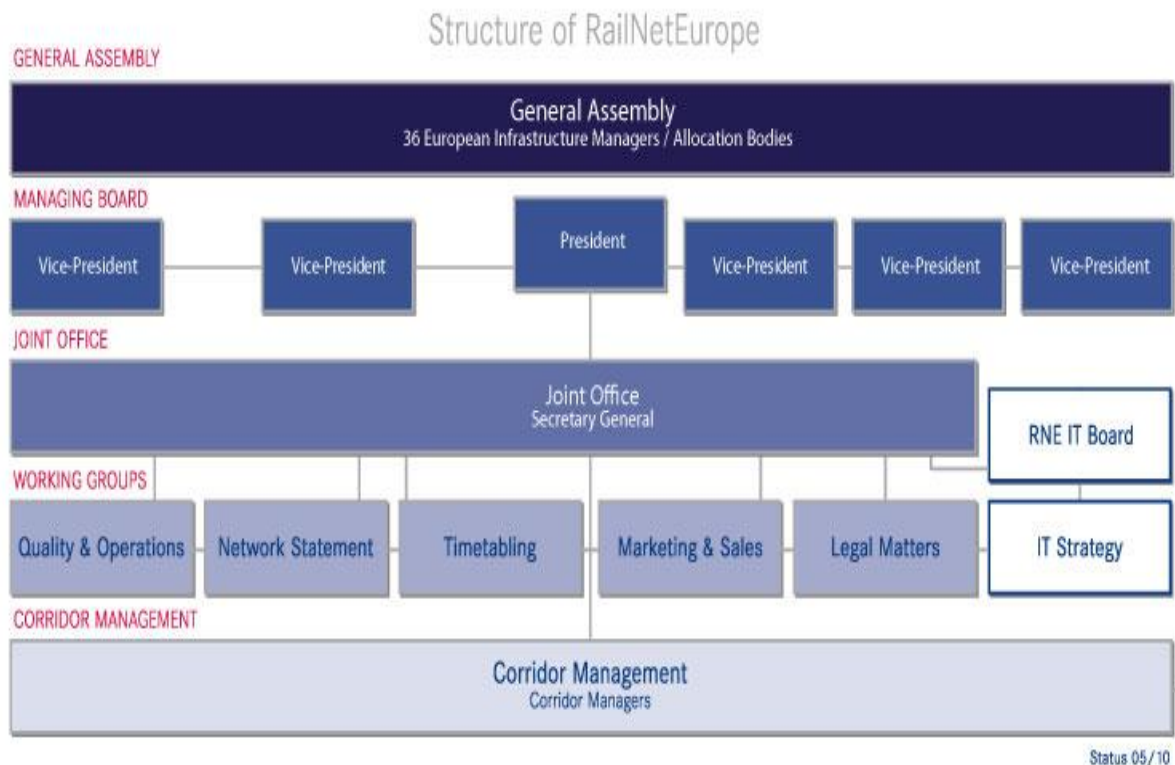


RNE Organization and Objectives

In January 2004, a number of railway infrastructure managers established the creation of a joint organization to facilitate international traffic on the European railway infrastructure, based in Vienna.

The RNE has 38 members, with a total of 244,000 km of rail infrastructure, working with over 140 RUs in the European business environment.

The organization of RNE is as follows:



The main objective of RNE is to promote the European railway business environment from the point of view of railway infrastructure for the benefit of all infrastructure managers.

For this purpose, RNE focuses on the entire railway process, including the harmonization of the working environment and long-term planning, train running, marketing activity, sales and operations including after-sales services such as monitoring and reporting.