

Focus areas of half-year 2021 results







Earnings in context

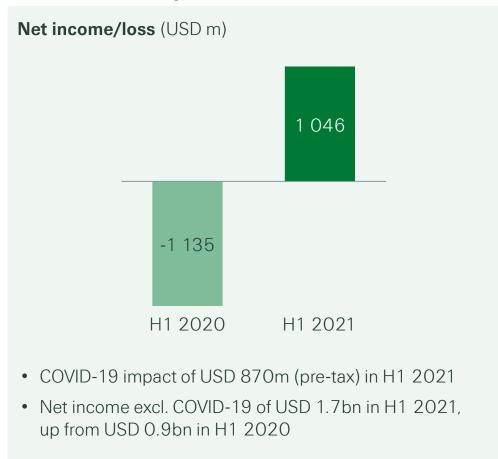
Renewals update

Leadership in sustainability

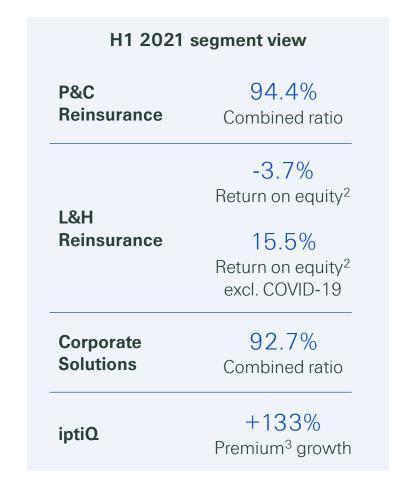


Portfolio actions in P&C Reinsurance and Corporate Solutions' turnaround delivered strong H1 2021 results

Swiss Re Group



H1 2021 key figures +7.6%Premium¹ growth 3.2% Return on investments² 8.2% Return on equity² 13.4% Return on equity² excl. COVID-19



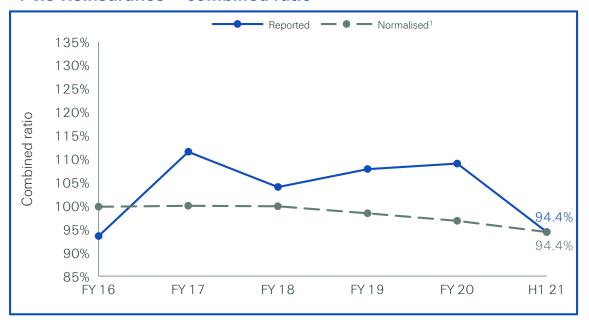


¹ Net premiums earned and fee income, H1 2020 includes ReAssure business

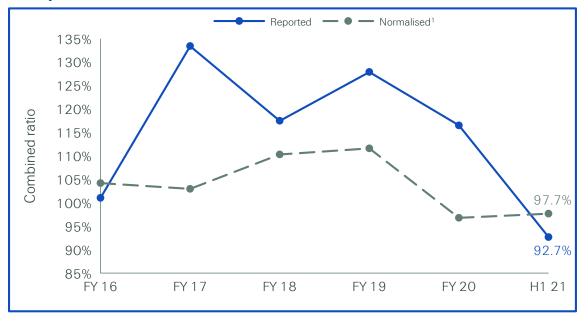
Gross premiums written; 2020 transaction business excluded

Strong underwriting performance of both P&C businesses, supported by portfolio actions taken

P&C Reinsurance – combined ratio



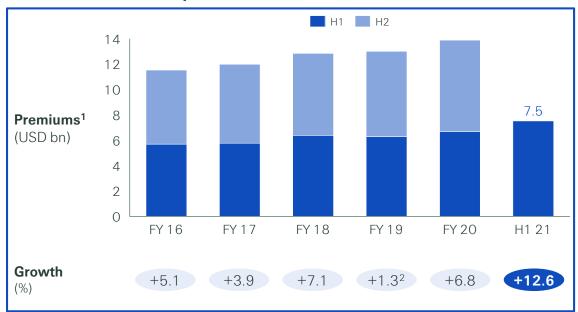
Corporate Solutions – combined ratio



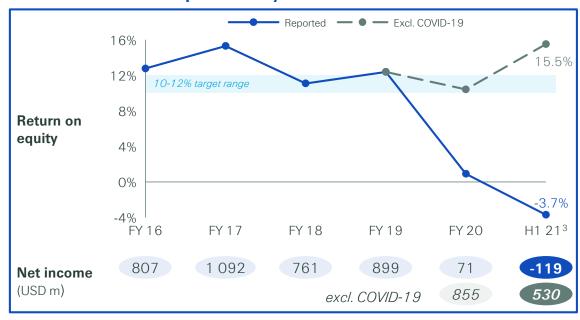
- On track to achieve <95% normalised combined ratio estimate¹
- Positive impact of portfolio mix changes, rate increases and reduced exposure to secondary perils
- On track to achieve <97% normalised combined ratio estimate¹
- Positive impact from decisive management actions started in 2019 and continued rate increases (+13% in H1 2021)

L&H Reinsurance franchise has weathered the pandemic with good underlying profitability

L&H Reinsurance - premiums



L&H Reinsurance - profitability



• Premium¹ growth of 12.6% in H1 2021, supported by large longevity transactions and favourable fx developments

- COVID-19 impact of USD 810m (pre-tax) in H1 2021
- Attractive underlying net income (excl. COVID-19) of USD 530m in H1 2021

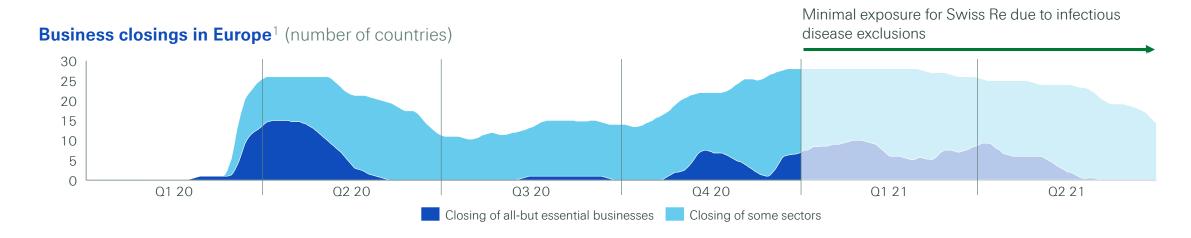


Net premiums earned and fee income

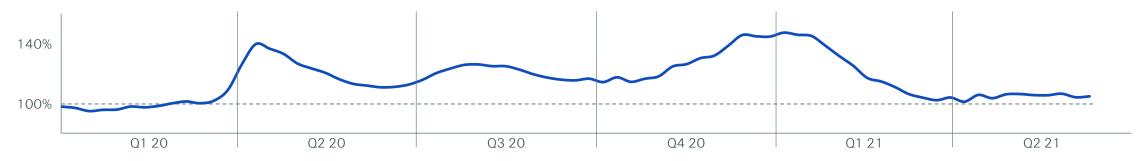
Premium growth in 2019 impacted by IGR with Life Capital; growth rate adjusted for IGR of +4.3%

³ Annualised return on equity

COVID-19 losses incurred in half-year 2021 were primarily driven by elevated mortality levels in the US



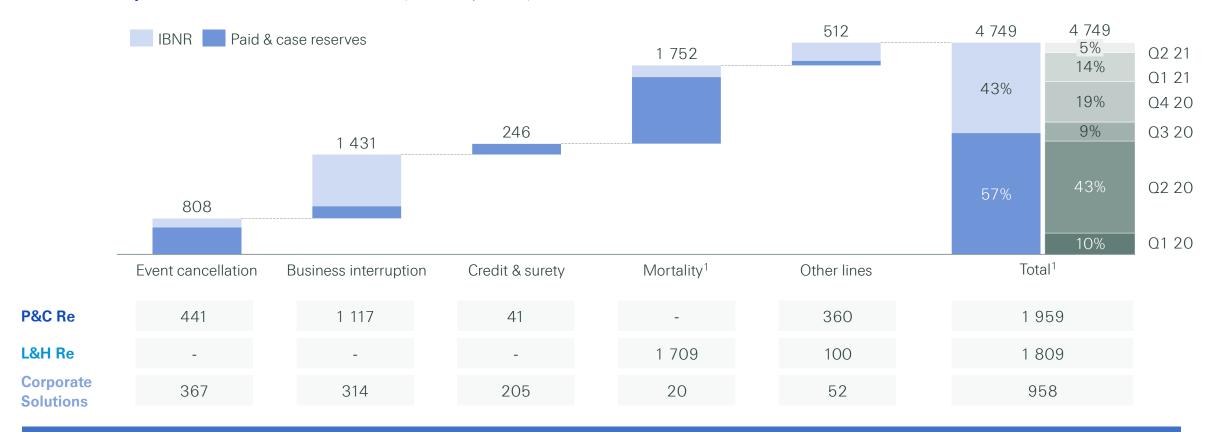
Excess mortality in the US² (% of expected)





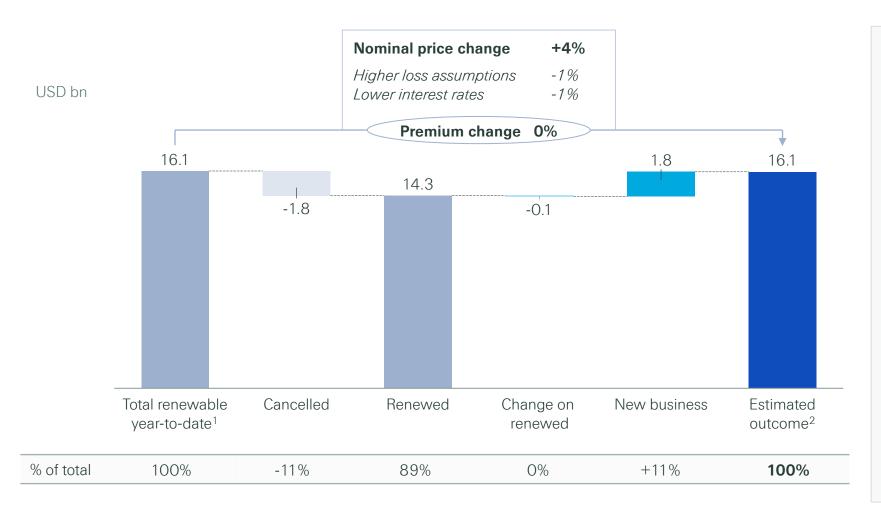
Diminishing COVID-19-related impacts, continued high levels of IBNR in business interruption

Swiss Re's reported COVID-19 losses to-date (USD m, pre-tax)



Remaining P&C COVID-19 losses are estimated at USD < 200m across P&C Reinsurance and Corporate Solutions

Attractive price increases and targeted portfolio changes achieved in YTD renewals



- 85% of Swiss Re's reinsurance treaty business has renewed year-to-date
- Attractive core business successfully defended
- Transactional growth included in new business
- Cancelled and negative change on renewed business reflect targeted reduction of large casualty shares and reductions in certain property aggregate exposures
- Quality of renewed portfolio supported by favourable change in business mix

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YTD renewals reflect a disciplined focus on underwriting quality and selective growth

Gross premium volume by line of business¹ (USD bn)

	Up for renewal YTD	Premium change	Estimated outcome YTD	Price change ³
Nat cat	3.1	+8%	3.3	
Property ²	4.0	-6%	3.8	
Specialty	2.1	+7%	2.2	
Casualty	7.0	-3%	6.8	
Total	16.1	0%	16.1	

Gross premium volume by region¹ (USD bn)

	Up for renewal YTD	Premium change	Estimated outcome YTD
Americas	6.8	+8%	7.3
EMEA	6.1	-5%	5.8
Asia	3.3	-8%	3.0
Total	16.1	0%	16.1

- Nat cat: growth in attractive nat cat business, including in the US in the July renewals, more than offsetting reduced aggregate exposure
- **Property:** mainly driven by reduced volume of guota share deals with low technical profitability in the January renewals
- US casualty: better rates achieved but cautious view of US liability risks maintained, with continued reduction in exposures in July
- Asia: predominantly driven by targeted reductions in property business in Australia

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Excluding nat cat

Price change defined as change in discounted premiums net of commissions / discounted expected claims; price change is adjusted for portfolio mix effects and loss assumptions



Swiss Re drives sustainability leadership

Recent highlights



Adding ambitious carbon reduction targets

- Carbon intensity reduction target for our investment portfolio of 35% by 2025¹
- Full phase-out of thermal coal in treaty re/insurance by 2030 (OECD) and 2040 (rest of the world)



Succeeding with partnerships

- Founding member of the UN-convened Net-Zero Insurance Alliance
- Co-chairing of World Economic Forum Alliance of CEO Climate Leaders



Publishing research to increase awareness

- The economics of climate change the biggest long-term risk to the global economy
- Responsible Investments our roadmap to net zero

Our pledges for mitigating climate risks

Operations

Underwriting

Asset Management

Net-Zero by 2030

Net-Zero by 2050



Key figures

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USD m, unless otherwise stated	P&C Re	L&H Re	Solutions	Group items	H1 2021	H1 2020
 Premiums earned and fee income 	10 453	7 518	2 5 5 5	274	20 800	19 329
 Net income/loss 	1 248	- 119	262	- 345	1 046	-1 135
 Return on investments 	3.5%	3.2%	2.3%	0.4%	3.2%	3.2%
Return on equity	27.2%	-3.7%	21.1%	-9.5%	8.2%	-7.9%
 Combined ratio 	94.4%	-	92.7%	-		
 Earnings per share 	(USD)				3.62	-3.92
	(CHF)				3.28	-3.79
					Total	Total
					H1 2021	FY 2020
Shareholders' equity	9 218	5 638	2 543	6 406	23 805	27 135
of which unrealised gains	476	2 402	186	204	3 268	<i>5 759</i>
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Book value per share	(USD)				82.36	93.90
·	(CHF)				76.12	83.00
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Key figures excluding impact of COVID-1	91					
Adjusted net income/loss	1 278	530	264	- 337	<i>1 735</i>	
Adjusted return on equity	27.8%	15.5%	21.2%	-9.2%	13.4%	
Adjusted combined ratio	93.9%	-	92.6%	-		

P&C Reinsurance delivered very strong results

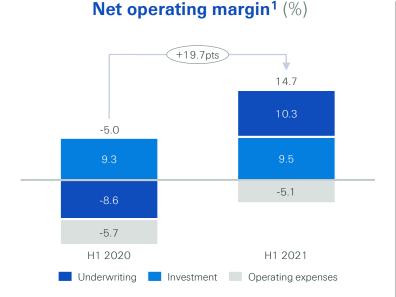
Net premiums earned

USD 10.5bn

in H1 2021

in H1 2020

USD 9.6bn



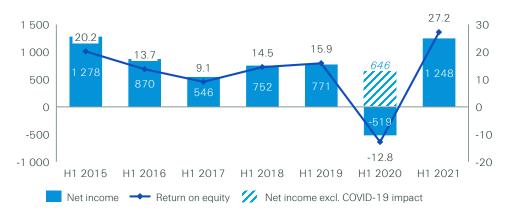
- Net premiums earned growth of 8.9%, reflecting volume and price increases from prior years and favourable fx developments
- Increased underwriting result, driven by significantly reduced impact from COVID-19 related losses and increased underlying profitability
- Operating expenses remained broadly unchanged despite the growth in premiums
- Investment result supported by equity valuation gains, while the prior-period benefitted from gains on sales of fixed income securities

Combined ratio (%) 97.2 97.4 92.9 94.4 93.9

H1 2015 H1 2016 H1 2017 H1 2018 H1 2019 H1 2020 H1 2021

- H1 2021 large nat cat events 0.3%pts above expectations.
 Favourable prior-year development supported the combined ratio by 0.8%pts. COVID-19 impact of 0.5%pts
- P&C Re is on track to achieve its normalised combined ratio estimate² of less than 95% in 2021

Net income (USD m, LHS), Return on equity (%, RHS)



excl. COVID-19

L&H Reinsurance continues to show good underlying profitability

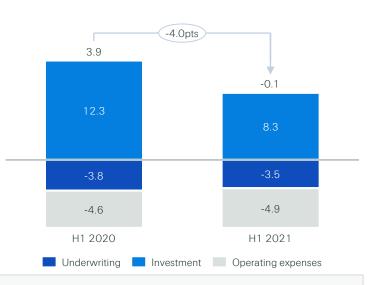
Net premiums earned and fee income

USD 7.5bn

in H1 2021

USD 6.7bn

in H1 2020



Net operating margin¹ (%)

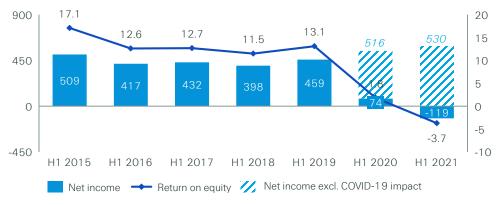
- Net premiums earned and fee income growth of 12.6%, supported by large longevity transactions and favourable fx developments
- Underwriting result reflects the impact of COVID-19 related claims and reserves of USD 810m, predominantly related to mortality developments in the US
- Higher operating expenses reflect a reallocation of internal costs, investments into strategic growth initiatives and unfavourable fx impacts
- Investment result in H1 2020 benefitted significantly from gains on sales from fixed income securities

Recurring income yield² and ROI (%)



- H1 2021 ROI driven by investment income, while prior periods benefitted from significant gains on sales from fixed income securities
- Strong underlying ROE of 15.5% excluding impact of COVID-19

Net income (USD m, LHS), Return on equity (%, RHS)



¹ Net operating margin = EBIT / (total revenues – net investment result unit linked & with profit)

From 2021 recurring income yield replaced running yield, adding income from short-term investments, listed equity dividends and real estate investment income to fixed income and loans already included in running yield metric

Corporate Solutions continues its resurgence with high profitability

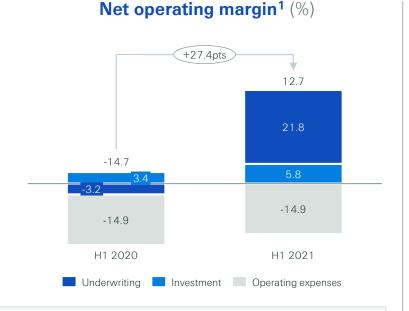
Net premiums earned

USD 2.6bn

in H1 2021

USD 2.5bn

in H1 2020

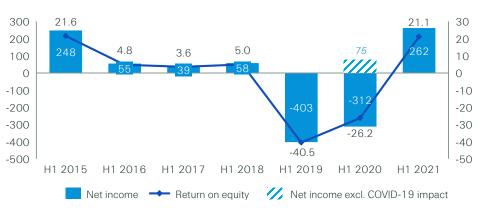


- Net premiums earned increase reflects continued rate hardening and higher volumes at elipsLife while the impact of portfolio pruning measures diminished
- Strong underwriting result, driven by significantly reduced impact from COVID-19 related losses, favourable prior-year development, partially offset by higher large nat cat losses from US winter storm Uri
- Investment result increase mainly driven by positive result from insurance in derivative form



- H1 2021 large nat cat events 3.4%pts above expectations.
 Favourable prior-year development supported the combined ratio by 8.5%pts. COVID-19 impact of 0.1%pts
- Corporate Solutions is on track to achieve its normalised combined ratio estimate³ of less than 97% in 2021

Net income (USD m, LHS), **Return on equity** (%, RHS)



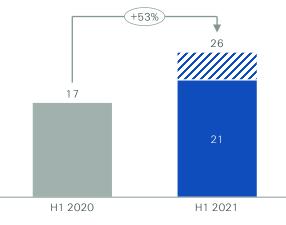


Figures for H1 2020 restated to include impact of elipsLife which as of 1 January 2021 is reported as part of Corporate Solutions (figures before 2020 are not restated) Assuming an average large nat cat loss burden and excluding (i) prior-year reserve development and (ii) COVID-19 impacts

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iptiQ result reflects dynamic growth and higher gross income

Gross income¹ (USD m)



Earnings before interest and tax (EBIT)

USD-114m

USD-84m

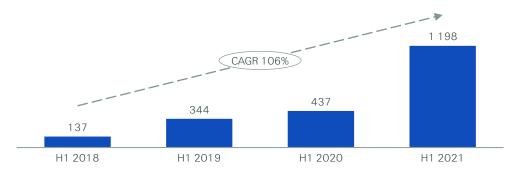


- Gross income¹ increased 53% compared to the prior year; reduced rate of increase compared to premiums written driven by business mix and unearned premiums
- Rate of increase in gross income materially exceeded the increase in operating expenses
- iptiQ's pre-tax loss in-line with expectations; increase vs. H1 2020 mainly reflects planned expansion into China and adverse fx developments



- Gross premiums written increased 133% year-on-year, with policy count 174% higher
- Significant increase in EMEA P&C driven by a large motor partnership

In-force policy count² ('000)



Good investment result from recurring income and equity valuations

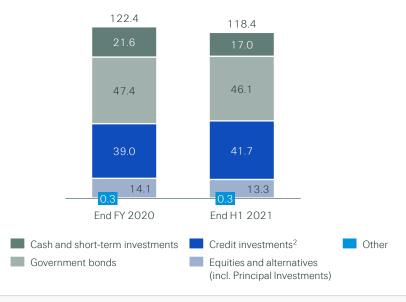
Return on investments (ROI)

3.2% in H1 2021

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- ROI of 3.2% for H1 2021, comprised of net investment income (2.9%) and net realised gains (0.3%)
- No credit impairments in H1 2021

Investment portfolio positioning (USD bn)



- Reduction in cash and short-term investments in part to fund credit investments which also benefited from spread tightening
- Government bond valuations impacted by rising interest rates
- Divestments in Principal Investments offset significant valuation gains across listed and private equities

Net investment income (USD m) **Recurring income yield**¹ (%)



- Recurring income yield for H1 2021 of 2.3% driven by fixed income securities and supported by dividends from listed equities (incl. Phoenix and CPIC)
- Net investment income of USD 1 530m is above prior year mainly due to higher private equity valuations (equityaccounted)



¹ From 2021 recurring income yield replaced running yield, adding income from short-term investments, listed equity dividends and real estate investment income to fixed income



Business segment results H1 2021 Income statement

				Corporate			Total	Total
USD m	Reinsurance	P&C Re	L&H Re	Solutions	Group items	Consolidation	H1 2021	H1 2020
Revenues								
Gross premiums written	21 543	13 478	8 065	3 667	361	- 503	25 068	23 558
Net premiums written	20 314	12 943	7 371	2 764	251	-	23 329	21 861
Change in unearned premiums	-2 439	-2 490	51	- 209	- 17	-	-2 665	-2 814
Premiums earned	17 875	10 453	7 422	2 5 5 5	234	-	20 664	19 047
Fee income from policyholders	96	-	96	-	40	-	136	282
Net investment income/loss - non participating	1 422	856	566	63	446	- 95	1 836	1 448
Net realised investment gains/losses – non participating	361	242	119	86	- 275	-	172	868
Net investment result – unit-linked and with-profit	5	-	5	-	-	-	5	-2 685
Other revenues	10	9	1	7	200	- 201	16	18
Total revenues	19 769	11 560	8 209	2 711	645	- 296	22 829	18 978
Expenses								
Claims and claim adjustment expenses	-6 637	-6 637	-	-1 172	- 12	-	-7 821	-9 839
Life and health benefits	-6 686	-	-6 686	- 481	- 182	-	-7 349	-6 758
Return credited to policyholders	- 21	-	- 21	-	- 191	-	- 212	2 377
Acquisition costs	-3 745	-2 637	-1 108	- 310	- 97	-	-4 152	-4 171
Operating expenses	- 996	- 590	- 406	- 405	- 454	201	-1 654	-1 702
Total expenses	-18 085	-9 864	-8 221	-2 368	- 936	201	-21 188	-20 093
Income/loss before interest and tax	1 684	1 696	- 12	343	- 291	- 95	1 641	-1 115
Interest expenses	- 283	- 147	- 136	- 12	- 80	95	- 280	- 298
Income/loss before income tax expense/benefit	1 401	1 549	- 148	331	- 371	-	1 361	-1 413
Income tax expense/benefit	- 272	- 301	29	- 71	26	-	- 317	341
Net income/loss before attribution of non-controlling interests	1 129	1 248	- 119	260	- 345	-	1 044	-1 072
Income/loss attributable to non-controlling interests	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	- 63
Net income/loss attributable to shareholders	1 129	1 248	- 119	262	- 345	-	1 046	-1 135



Business segment results H1 2021 Balance sheet

				Corporate			End	End
30 June 2021, USD m	Reinsurance	P&C Re	L&H Re	Solutions	Group items	Consolidation	H1 2021	FY 2020
Assets								
Fixed income securities	73 852	41 586	32 266	8 5 4 6	1 777	-	84 175	83 018
Equity securities	2 485	1 876	609	257	1 480	-	4 222	4 899
Other investments	22 864	19 137	3 727	164	5 6 5 9	-13 041	15 646	16 231
Short-term investments	6 723	4 443	2 280	1 849	296	-	8 8 8 8	16 082
Investments for unit-linked and with-profit business	462	-	462	-	-	-	462	463
Cash and cash equivalents	6 6 7 1	4 053	2 618	1 1 2 5	299	-	8 095	5 470
Deferred acquisition costs	7 536	2 710	4 8 2 6	437	385	-	8 358	8 230
Acquired present value of future profits	477	-	477	-	416	-	893	928
Reinsurance recoverable	3 9 7 5	2 032	1 943	6 781	62	-5 004	5 814	5 892
Other reinsurance assets	24 324	16 467	7 857	2 957	3 852	-1 051	30 082	26 660
Goodwill	3 811	1 936	1 875	189	-	-	4 000	4 021
Other	18 108	9 5 4 0	8 5 6 8	3 221	3 483	-12 820	11 992	10 728
Total assets	171 288	103 780	67 508	25 526	17 709	-31 916	182 607	182 622
Liabilities								
Unpaid claims and claim adjustments expenses	70 678	55 474	15 204	15 222	775	-5 000	81 675	81 258
Liabilities for life and health policy benefits	19 857	-	19 857	746	1 447	- 1	22 049	22 456
Policyholder account balances	1 265	-	1 265	-	3 947	-	5 212	5 192
Other reinsurance liabilities	19 797	18 472	1 325	5 3 3 9	382	-1 505	24 013	19 552
Short-term debt	2 580	1 080	1 500	-	65	-2 520	125	153
Long-term debt	16 777	4 220	12 557	498	2 3 6 8	-8 269	11 374	11 584
Other	25 472	15 310	10 162	1 063	2 3 1 9	-14 621	14 233	15 169
Liabilities held for sale	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	156 426	94 556	61 870	22 868	11 303	-31 916	158 681	155 364
Equity								
Shareholders' equity	14 856	9 2 1 8	5 638	2 543	6 406	-	23 805	27 135
Non-controlling interests	6	6	-	115	-	-	121	123
Total equity	14 862	9 224	5 638	2 658	6 406	-	23 926	27 258
Total liabilities and equity	171 288	103 780	67 508	25 526	17 709	-31 916	182 607	182 622



Total equity and ROE H1 2021

				Corporate		Total
USD m	Reinsurance	P&C Re	L&H Re	Solutions	Group items	H1 2021
Shareholders' equity at 31 December 2020	16 549	9 168	7 381	2 427	8 159	27 135
Net income attributable to shareholders	1 129	1 248	- 119	262	- 345	1 046
Dividends and share buyback	- 500	-	- 500	-	-1 355	-1 855
Capital contributions	-	-	-	14	- 14	-
Net change in unrealised gains/losses	-2 046	- 976	-1 070	- 188	- 257	-2 491
Other (incl. fx)	- 276	- 222	- 54	28	218	- 30
Shareholders' equity at 30 June 2021	14 856	9 218	5 638	2 543	6 406	23 805
Non-controlling interests	6	6	-	115	-	121
Total equity at 30 June 2021	14 862	9 224	5 638	2 658	6 406	23 926

ROE calculation USD m	Reinsurance	P&C Re	L&H Re	Corporate Solutions	Group items	Total H1 2021
Net income/loss attributable to shareholders	1 129	1 248	- 119	262	- 345	1 046
Opening shareholders' equity	16 549	9 168	7 381	2 427	8 159	27 135
Average shareholders' equity	15 703	9 193	6 510	2 485	7 282	25 470
ROE H1 2021 ¹	14.4%	27.2%	-3.7%	21.1%	-9.5%	8.2%

Shares outstanding²

in millions

As at 30 June 2021	289.0	Weighted average	288.9
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Change in shareholders' equity mainly driven by net unrealised investment losses and dividend payments, partially offset by net income



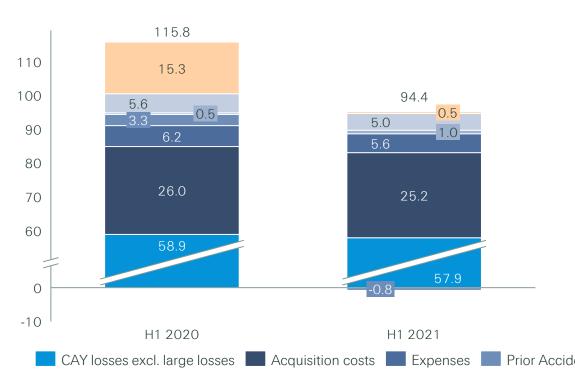
P&C underwriting performance P&C Reinsurance and Corporate Solutions

	(Combined ratio Main drivers of change		Net premiums earned	Underwriting result
P&C Reinsurance	H1 2020	H1 2021		H1 2021 USD m	H1 2021 USD m
Property	120.4%	87.6%	• Strong result despite large nat cat losses from US winter storm Uri and European June hail storm. Nat cat reserve releases supported the result. COVID-19 losses were moderate and mainly for event cancellation	3 822	473
Casualty	118.1%	101.2%	The result reflected better margins and improved experience compared to the prior period. COVID-19 losses were immaterial	5 135	-64
Specialty	96.4%	88.0%	 Favourable current accident year experience in marine and engineering supported the result. COVID-19 losses were small 	1 496	180
Total	115.8%	94.4%		10 453	589
Corporate Solutions Property	138.8%	81.2%	Driven by favourable prior-year development, lower large man-made loss activity and achieved rate increases, partially offset by large nat cat losses	778	146
Casualty	112.7%	103.7%	Improvement in the current period was driven by the benefits of the management actions previously taken	698	-26
Specialty	114.5%	86.7%	Improvement reflects profitable business performance and favourable prior-year development	503	67
elipsLife	102.1%	100.0%	Improvement driven by a successful renewal season and slight favourable prior- year development	576	0
Total	118.7%	92.7%		2 555	187

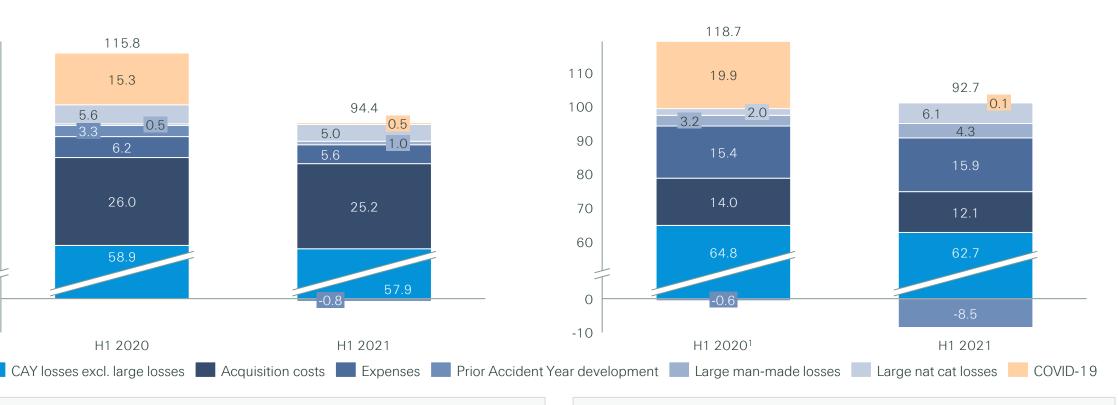


P&C Reinsurance and Corporate Solutions: combined ratio split

P&C Reinsurance (%)



Corporate Solutions (%)



- Significant improvement driven by a reduction in COVID-19 impact
- Large nat cat loss impact of USD 521m (vs. USD 488m expected)
- Favourable prior-year development of USD 93m

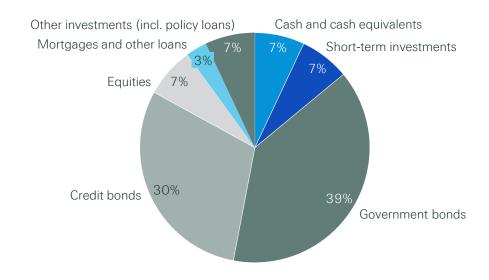
- Significant improvement driven by a reduction in COVID-19 impact
- Large nat cat loss impact of USD 155m (vs. USD 69m expected)
- Favourable prior-year development of USD 218m

Return on investments (ROI)

USD m	P&C Re	L&H Re	Corporate Solutions	Group items	Consolidation	Total H1 2021	Total H1 2020
Investment related net investment income	768	498	70	289	-95	1 530	894
Fixed income	297	484	71	35	-	887	982
Equities and alternative investments – incl. RE, PE, HF	515	22	3	211	-	751	-12
Other	63	45	2	69	-102	77	98
Investment expenses	-107	-53	-6	-26	7	-185	-174
Investment related net realised gains/losses	248	113	53	-232	-	182	721
Fixed income	-55	20	16	-	-	-19	1 033
Equities and alternative investments – incl. RE, PE, HF	335	79	34	-270	-	178	-270
Other	-32	14	3	38	-	23	-42
Other revenues	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Investment related operating income	1 016	611	123	57	-95	1 712	1 615
Less income not related to investment return ¹	-14	1	-2	-37	41	-11	-24
Basis for ROI	1 002	612	121	20	-54	1 701	1 591
Average invested assets	57 347	38 470	10 433	9 725	-10 452	105 523	98 603
ROI	3.5%	3.2%	2.3%	0.4%	n.a.	3.2%	3.2%
Insurance related net investment income	88	68	-7	157	-	306	554
Insurance related net realised gains/losses	8	-16	25	-	-	17	201
Foreign exchange gains/losses	-14	22	8	-43	-	-27	-54
Net investment income/loss – non participating	856	566	63	446	-95	1 836	1 448
Net realised investment gains/losses – non participating	242	119	86	-275	-	172	868

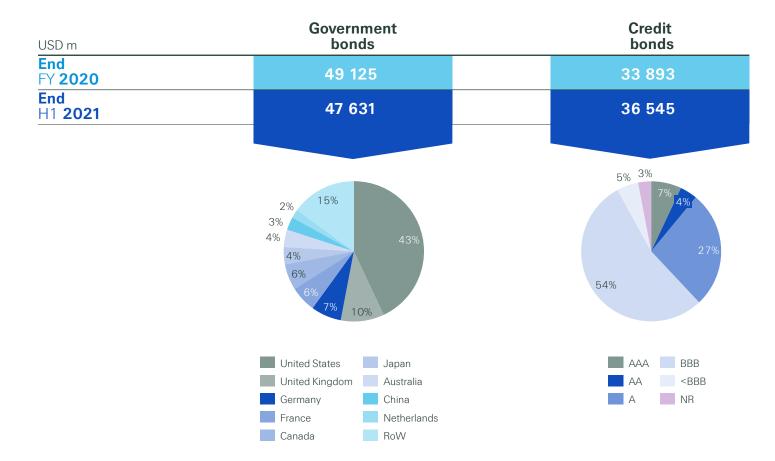
- Higher investment related net investment income for H1 2021, mainly driven by increased private equity valuations (on equity-accounted positions) and dividends from listed equities (incl. Phoenix and CPIC)
- Lower investment related net realised gains for H1 2021 due to lower gains from sales of fixed income securities, partially offset by higher gains on listed equities and alternative investments
- Decrease in both insurance related net investment income and net realised gains in H1 2021 as a result of the sale of ReAssure

Overall investment portfolio



USD bn	P&C Re	L&H Re	Corporate Solutions	Group items	Consolidation	End H1 2021	End FY 2020
Cash and cash equivalents	4.1	2.6	1.1	0.3	-	8.1	5.5
Short-term investments	4.5	2.3	1.8	0.3	-	8.9	16.1
Government bonds	28.1	13.9	5.2	0.4	-	47.6	49.1
Credit bonds	13.5	18.4	3.3	1.3	-	36.5	33.9
Equities ¹	4.4	0.6	0.4	2.9	-	8.3	8.8
Mortgages and other loans	8.2	2.6	-	3.6	-10.8	3.6	3.3
Other investments (incl. real estate and policy loans)	8.3	1.1	0.1	0.7	-2.2	8.0	9.0
Total	71.1	41.5	11.9	9.5	-13	121.0	125.7

Fixed income securities



- Decrease in government bonds driven by market value losses, reflecting the impact of rising interest rates, partially offset by net purchases
- Increase in credit bonds due to net purchases and the impact of spread tightening, partially offset by market value losses stemming from rising interest rates
- Credit bonds include corporate bonds (USD 32.9bn) and securitised products (USD 3.6bn)

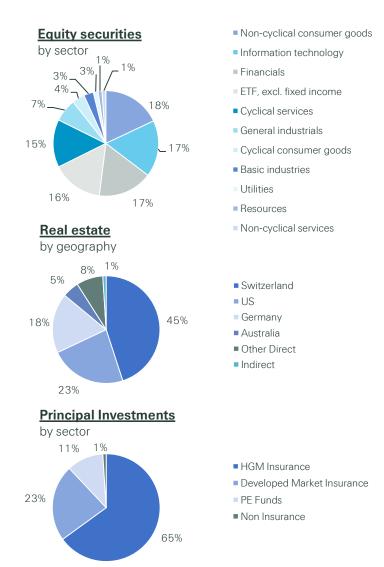


Equities and alternative investments

USD m	End FY 2020	End H1 2021
Equity securities	2 472	2 814
Private equity	2 005	2 537
Hedge funds	156	165
Real estate	5 344	5 060
Principal Investments	4 1 4 8	2 751
Equity securities	2 427	1 408
Private equity	1 721	1 343
Total market value	14 125	13 327



- Decrease in real estate driven by net sales and negative foreign exchange impact
- Decrease in Principal Investments mainly due to partial sale of the Phoenix position and sale of the New China Life position





Sensitivities

(USD bn, pre-tax)

Change in market values

(Equities and Alternative Investments, excl. Real Estate)	-25%	-10%	+25%
Estimated impact on shareholders' equity	-1.9	-0.8	+1.9
Estimated impact on economic net worth (EVM)	-1.9	-0.8	+1.9
Estimated impact on income/loss before income tax expense	-1.7	-0.7	+1.8

Change in interest rates	-50bps	-25bps	+50bps	+100bps
Estimated impact on shareholders' equity	+3.4	+1.6	-3.1	-6.0
Estimated impact on economic net worth (EVM)	+0.0	+0.0	-0.0	-0.1

Change in credit spreads	-50bps	+50bps	+100bps
Estimated impact on shareholders' equity	+1.7	-1.6	-3.1
Estimated impact on economic net worth (EVM)	+1.7	-1.6	-3.2

All sensitivities are assumed to take effect on 30 June 2021. No management actions are included in this analysis. Figures are estimated as mutually exclusive events and reflect the estimated impact on the Group. All figures are net of hedging impacts.



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- policy renewal and lapse rates;
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