

Consolidated financial statements (unaudited)

Results for the six months ended June 30, 2021

Zurich Insurance Group

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Consolidated income statements

in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	Notes	2021	2020
Revenues			
Gross written premiums		28,850	25,135
Policy fees		1,256	1,136
Gross written premiums and policy fees		30,106	26,271
Less premiums ceded to reinsurers		(5,692)	(5,214)
Net written premiums and policy fees		24,414	21,058
Net change in reserves for unearned premiums		(3,250)	(1,846)
Net earned premiums and policy fees		21,164	19,212
Farmers management fees and other related revenues		2,004	1,807
Net investment income on Group investments		2,523	2,486
Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on Group investments		586	276
Net investment result on Group investments	4	3,110	2,762
Net investment result on unit-linked investments		8,098	(1,715)
Net gains/(losses) on divestment of businesses	3	(39)	(18)
Other income		570	479
Total revenues		34,905	22,527
Benefits, losses and expenses			
Insurance benefits and losses, gross of reinsurance		16,595	17,344
Less ceded insurance benefits and losses		(2,649)	(3,689)
Insurance benefits and losses, net of reinsurance		13,947	13,654
Policyholder dividends and participation in profits, net of reinsurance	6	8,372	(1,377)
Underwriting and policy acquisition costs, net of reinsurance		4,581	4,301
Administrative and other operating expense		4,217	3,847
Interest expense on debt		237	188
Interest credited to policyholders and other interest		303	267
Total benefits, losses and expenses		31,658	20,880
Net income before income taxes		3,248	1,646
of which: Attributable to non-controlling interests		168	184
Income tax (expense)/benefit	10	(940)	(341)
attributable to policyholders	10	(170)	155
attributable to shareholders	10	(769)	(496)
of which: Attributable to non-controlling interests		(53)	(59)
Net income after taxes		2,308	1,305
attributable to non-controlling interests		115	124
attributable to shareholders		2,193	1,181
in USD			
Basic earnings per share		14.74	7.98
Diluted earnings per share		14.63	7.90
in CHF			
Basic earnings per share		13.38	7.70
Diluted earnings per share		13.28	7.63

Consolidated statements of comprehensive income

in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30

		Net unrealized		
		gains/(losses)		
	Net income	on available-		
	attributable	for-sale	Cash flow	
	to shareholders	investments	hedges	
2020				
Comprehensive income for the period	1,181	623	44	
Details of movements during the period				
Change (before reclassification, tax and foreign currency translation				
effects and after allocation to policyholders)		925	63	
Reclassification to income statement (before tax, foreign currency				
translation effects and allocation to policyholders)		(123)	(20)	
Reclassification to retained earnings		-	_	
Deferred income tax (before foreign currency translation effects)		(126)	(9)	
Foreign currency translation effects		(53)	10	
2021				
Comprehensive income for the period	2,193	(764)	(105)	
Details of movements during the period				
Change (before reclassification, tax and foreign currency translation				
effects and after allocation to policyholders)		(267)	(88)	
Reclassification to income statement (before tax, foreign currency				
translation effects and allocation to policyholders)		(673)	(14)	
Reclassification to retained earnings		-	-	
Deferred income tax (before foreign currency translation effects)		250	19	
Foreign currency translation effects		(74)	(21)	

The notes to the consolidated financial statements are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

	Total			Total other			Total other	
	comprehensive	Total	Total other	comprehensive			comprehensive	Cumulative
	income	comprehensive	comprehensive	income	Net actuarial		income	foreign
	attributable to	income	income	not recycled	gains/(losses)		recycled	currency
0 1	non-controlling	attributable	attributable	through	on pension	Revaluation	through	translation
ts income	interests	to shareholders	to shareholders	profit or loss	plans	reserve	profit or loss	adjustment
	(2.2)						(0,1,1)	(000)
39) 1,198	(39)	1,236	55	269	269	_	(214)	(880)
			000	450	4.50		101	(000)
		_	282	158	158	_	124	(863)
			(1 CO)				(160)	(17)
		_	(160)				(160)	(17)
		_	(134)	1	1		(135)	
		_	67	110	110		(133)	
			07	110	110		(40)	
54 1,405	54	1,351	(842)	508	531	(23)	(1,350)	(481)
1,100	01	1,001	(012)	000	001	(20)	(1,000)	
			(360)	470	470	_	(830)	(474)
			(300)				(230)	
			(694)	_	_	_	(694)	(7)
			(9)	(9)	-	(9)	-	_
			321	53	67	(14)	268	-
			(101)	(6)	(6)	_	(95)	
			,/	(-)	(-)		,/	

Consolidated balance sheets

Assets

in USD millions, as of	Notes	06/30/21	12/31/20
Assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents		7,418	11,106
Total Group investments	4	205,690	210,398
Equity securities		21,086	19,493
Debt securities		155,848	161,710
Investment property		14,568	14,749
Mortgage loans		6,165	5,783
Other loans		7,953	8,620
Investments in associates and joint ventures		69	43
Investments for unit-linked contracts		141,886	135,058
Total investments		347,576	345,456
Reinsurers' share of liabilities for insurance contracts	5	25,798	25,523
Deposits made under reinsurance contracts		474	503
Deferred policy acquisition costs	7	20,680	20,021
Deferred origination costs	7	434	426
Receivables and other assets		22,957	20,362
Deferred tax assets		1,487	1,314
Assets held for sale ¹	3	2,426	2,538
Property and equipment		2,538	2,705
Attorney-in-fact contracts	8	2,650	1,025
Goodwill	8	4,288	4,089
Other intangible assets	8	4,700	4,230
Total assets		443,425	439,299

1 As of June 30, 2021, the Group had USD 2.4 billion of assets held for sale based on agreements signed to sell business of Zurich Insurance plc and Zurich International Life Limited (see note 3). In 2020, the Group reclassified USD 2.5 billion of assets to held for sale business of Zurich Insurance plc and Zurich International Life Limited (see note 3).

in USD millions, as of

Liabilities and equity

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Liabilities			
Liabilities for investment contracts		72,439	69,507
Deposits received under ceded reinsurance contracts		891	910
Deferred front-end fees		5,285	5,372
Liabilities for insurance contracts	5	283,908	283,497
Obligations to repurchase securities		2,307	784
Other liabilities ¹	9,12	18,181	17,992
Deferred tax liabilities		5,060	5,136
Liabilities held for sale ²	3	2,394	2,477
Senior debt	11	5,285	5,470
Subordinated debt	11	9,670	8,306
Total liabilities		405,420	399,453
Equity			
Share capital		11	11
Additional paid-in capital		1,333	1,438
Net unrealized gains/(losses) on available-for-sale investments		4,938	5,701
Cash flow hedges		420	526
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustment		(9,096)	(8,698)
Revaluation reserve		262	284
Retained earnings		38,580	39,016
Shareholders' equity		36,448	38,278
Non-controlling interests		1,557	1,568
Total equity		38,005	39,846
Total liabilities and equity		443,425	439,299

Includes restructuring provisions (see note 9), litigation and regulatory provisions (see note 12) and other provisions.
 As of June 30, 2021, the Group had USD 2.4 billion of liabilities held for sale based on agreements signed to sell business of Zurich Insurance plc and Zurich International Life Limited (see note 3). In 2020, the Group reclassified USD 2.5 billion of liabilities to held for sale business of Zurich Insurance plc and Zurich International Life Limited (see note 3).



12/31/20

06/30/21

Notes

Consolidated statements of cash flows

in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	2021	2020
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income attributable to shareholders	2,193	1,181
Adjustments for:		
Net (gains)/losses on divestment of businesses	39	18
(Income)/expense from equity method accounted investments	9	(1)
Depreciation, amortization and impairments of fixed and intangible assets	413	410
Other non-cash items	(244)	(105)
Underwriting activities:	10,988	1,391
Liabilities for insurance contracts, gross	7,647	3,868
Reinsurers' share of liabilities for insurance contracts	(355)	(1,508)
Liabilities for investment contracts	4,288	(998)
Deferred policy acquisition costs	(586)	(213)
Deferred origination costs	(17)	2
Deposits made under assumed reinsurance contracts	25	162
Deposits received under ceded reinsurance contracts	(13)	77
Investments:	(10,911)	772
Net capital (gains)/losses on total investments and impairments	(7,935)	2,057
Net change in derivatives	431	(121)
Net change in money market investments	(485)	(585)
Sales and maturities		
Debt securities	21,179	26,244
Equity securities	27,286	29,790
Other	4,678	2,796
Purchases		
Debt securities	(24,169)	(26,182)
Equity securities	(27,238)	(30,821)
Other	(4,659)	(2,406)
Net changes in sale and repurchase agreements	1,566	299
Movements in receivables and payables	(2,471)	(457)
Net changes in other operational assets and liabilities	(533)	(285)
Deferred income tax, net	195	(253)
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	1,244	2,971

in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	2021	2020
Cash flows from investing activities		
Additions to tangible and intangible assets	(276)	(281)
Disposals of tangible and intangible assets	12	9
(Acquisitions)/disposals of equity method accounted investments, net	(29)	(5)
Acquisitions of companies, net of cash acquired ¹	(2,444)	(12)
Divestments of companies, net of cash divested	16	8
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities	(2,719)	(281)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Dividends paid	(3,270)	(3,083)
Net movement in treasury shares	(193)	(214)
Issuance of debt	1,743	2,196
Repayment of debt	(249)	(226)
Lease principal repayments	(116)	(108)
Net cash provided by/(used in) financing activities	(2,085)	(1,435)
Foreign currency translation effects on cash and cash equivalents	(261)	(25)
Change in cash and cash equivalents	(3,821)	1,230
Cash and cash equivalents as of January 1	11,726	8,527
Total cash and cash equivalents as of June 30	7,905	9,757
of which: Cash and cash equivalents	7,418	9,252
of which: Unit-linked	488	505
Other supplementary cash flow disclosures ²		
Other interest income received	2,427	2,399
Dividend income received	860	694
Other interest expense paid	(435)	(397)
Income taxes paid	(698)	(450)

These amounts are primarily included in the operating activities of the Cash flow statement.

Cash and cash equivalents

in USD millions, as of June 30	2021	2020
Cash and cash equivalents comprise the following:	2012	2020
Cash at bank and in hand	7,451	9,307
Cash equivalents	454	451
Total	7,905	9,757

For the periods ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, cash and cash equivalents held to meet local regulatory requirements were USD 400 million and USD 563 million, respectively.



Consolidated statements of changes in equity

in USD millions

		Additional	
		paid-in	
	Share capital	capital	
Balance as of December 31, 2019 as previously reported	11	1,235	
Issuance of share capital	_	233	
Dividends to shareholders	_	_	
Share-based payment transactions	_	(30)	
Treasury share transactions	_	-	
Change in ownership interests with no loss of control	_	-	
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustment due to hyperinflation	-	-	
Reclassification from revaluation reserves	-	-	
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	-	-	
Net income	_	-	
Net unrealized gains/(losses) on available-for-sale investments	_	-	
Cash flow hedges	-	-	
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustment	-	-	
Revaluation reserve	-	-	
Net actuarial gains/(losses) on pension plans	-	-	
Net changes in capitalization of non-controlling interests	-	_	
Balance as of December 31, 2020	11	1,438	
Balance as of December 31, 2020 as previously reported	11	1,438	
Issuance of share capital	_	_	
Dividends to shareholders	_	_	
Share-based payment transactions	-	(104)	
Treasury share transactions	-	_	
Change in ownership interests with no loss of control	-	_	
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustment due to hyperinflation ¹	_		
Reclassification from revaluation reserves	_	_	
Total comprehensive income for the period, net of tax	_	_	
Net income	_	_	
Net unrealized gains/(losses) on available-for-sale investments	-	_	
Cash flow hedges	_	_	
Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustment	_		
Revaluation reserve	_	_	
Net actuarial gains/(losses) on pension plans	-	_	
Net changes in capitalization of non-controlling interests	-		
Balance as of June 30, 2021	11	1,333	

1 Current year effect of IAS 29 'Financial Reporting in Hyperinflationary Economies'.

					Cumulative		Net unrealized
					foreign		gains/(losses)
	Non-				currency		on available-
Total	controlling	Shareholders'	Retained	Revaluation	translation	Cash flow	for-sale
equity	interests	equity	earnings	reserve	adjustment	hedges	investments
36,549	1,545	35,004	38,445	223	(9,349)	454	3,985
233		233			(0,0+0)		
(3,232)	(152)	(3,080)	(3,080)				
20	(102)	20	50	_	_	_	
(157)		(157)	(157)				
(3)		(3)	(3)				
73	6	67	(0)	_	67	_	
17		17	17				
6,387	211	6,176	3,742	61	585	71	1,716
0,007		3,834	3,834			/1	
		1,716	- 0,004				1,716
						71	
		585			585	/1	
		61		61			
		(91)	(91)				
(40)	(42)	(91)	(91)				
(42)	1,568	38,278					5,701
39,846	1,000	30,270	39,016	284	(8,698)	526	5,701
20.040	1 500	00.070	20.010	004	(0,000)	500	
39,846	1,568	38,278	39,016		(8,698)	526	5,701
(3,270)	(71)	(3,199)	(3,199)	-		_	
(159)	_	(159)	(54)	-		_	_
91	_	91	91	_	_	_	
-	_		-	-	_	_	
83	6	77	(7)		83		
9	-	9	9	-	-	-	-
1,405	54	1,351	2,724	(23)	(481)	(105)	(764)
		2,193	2,193	_	_	_	-
		(764)	_	_	_	-	(764)
		(105)			-	(105)	
		(481)		-	(481)	_	
		(23)	_	(23)	_	_	_
		531	531	_	_	_	_
(1)	(1)		_		_	_	_
38,005	1,557	36,448	38,580	262	(9,096)	420	4,938

Zurich Insurance Group Ltd and its subsidiaries (collectively the Group) is a provider of insurance products and related services. The Group operates in Europe, Middle East & Africa (EMEA), North America, Latin America and Asia Pacific through subsidiaries, as well as branch and representative offices.

Zurich Insurance Group Ltd, a Swiss corporation, is the holding company of the Group and its shares are listed on the SIX Swiss Exchange. Zurich Insurance Group Ltd was incorporated on April 26, 2000, in Zurich, Switzerland. It is recorded in the Commercial Register of the Canton of Zurich under its registered address at Mythenquai 2, 8002 Zurich.

1. Basis of presentation

General information

The unaudited consolidated financial statements for the six months ended June 30, 2021, of the Group have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standards 34, "Interim Financial Reporting." The accounting policies used to prepare the unaudited consolidated financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and are consistent with those set out in the notes to the consolidated financial statements in the Annual Report 2020 of the Group, except for the adoption of new accounting standards and amendments as set out in note 2.

The accounting policies applied by the reportable segments are the same as those applied by the Group. The Group accounts for inter-segment revenues and transfers as if the transactions were with third parties at current market prices. Dividends, realized capital gains and losses as well as gains and losses on the transfer of net assets are eliminated within the segment, whereas all other intercompany gains and losses are eliminated at Group level. In the unaudited consolidated financial statements, inter-segment revenues and transfers are eliminated.

The unaudited consolidated financial statements for the six months ended June 30, 2021, should be read in conjunction with the Group's Annual Report 2020.

Certain amounts recorded in the unaudited consolidated financial statements reflect estimates and assumptions made by management about insurance liability reserves, investment valuations, interest rates and other factors.

The COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve globally and has impacted the insurance industry and the global economy overall. Though most of the impacts of the pandemic on the Group's businesses, especially in the P&C business is already known, and management's best estimate of claims is reflected in the loss reserves and loss adjustment expenses, some uncertainties still remain. The Group is closely monitoring the potential for exposure to develop including (i) the claims litigation on policy coverage, (ii) impact of extended localized or generalized lockdowns in some of the regions where the Group operates and the vaccination penetration continues to be low, (iii) regulator and market-led test-case or legislative developments that could impact on the scope of intended coverage, (iv) potential second order impact on health which could have mortality or morbidity effects, and (v) other macroeconomic impacts around the pandemic including governmental action and support activities. While expected to be very remote, any extreme outcomes on the foregoing could have a material adverse impact on the Group's business, financial condition, results of operations or growth. For additional information on insurance liabilities, please refer to note 5.

Investment valuations and interest rates incorporate market conditions as of June 30, 2021 and recoverability of intangible assets has been tested where the value of these intangible assets, including goodwill, is sensitive to prevailing economic conditions. For more information on investments and fair value, please see note 4 and 13, respectively. For more information on intangible assets, please see note 8. Management has also implemented amendments to IFRS 16 Leases which allow lessees not to account for rent concessions as lease modifications if they are a direct consequence of COVID-19 and meet certain conditions. The impact of the amendments to IFRS 16 Leases are immaterial to the Group. Actual results may differ from the estimates and assumptions made. Interim results are not necessarily indicative of full-year results.

All amounts in the unaudited consolidated financial statements, unless otherwise stated, are shown in U.S. dollars, rounded to the nearest million with the consequence that the rounded amounts may not add to the rounded total in all cases. All ratios and variances are calculated using the underlying amounts rather than the rounded amounts.

Table 1

Table 1 summarizes the principal exchange rates used for translation purposes. Net gains/(losses) on foreign currency transactions included in the consolidated income statements were USD (74) million and USD 21 million for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively. Foreign currency exchange forward and swap gains/(losses) included in these amounts were USD (46) million and USD (54) million for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

		Consolidated inc statements and cash f		
	rates	at average exchange rates		
06/30/21	12/31/20	06/30/21	06/30/20	
1.1856	1.2231	1.2054	1.1017	
1.0815	1.1304	1.1016	1.0353	
1.3811	1.3656	1.3886	1.2609	
0.1994	0.1924	0.1860	0.2061	
0.7497	0.7716	0.7715	0.6578	
	at end-of-p 06/30/21 1.1856 1.0815 1.3811 0.1994	06/30/21 12/31/20 1.1856 1.2231 1.0815 1.1304 1.3811 1.3656 0.1994 0.1924	at end-of-period exchange statements at average end 06/30/21 12/31/20 06/30/21 1.1856 1.2231 1.2054 1.0815 1.1304 1.1016 1.3811 1.3656 1.3886 0.1994 0.1924 0.1860	

2. New accounting standards and amendments to published accounting standards

Standards, amendments and interpretations effective or early-adopted as of January 1, 2021 and relevant for the Group's operations

Table 2.1 shows new accounting standards or amendments to, and interpretations of, standards relevant to the Group that have been implemented for the financial year beginning January 1, 2021, with no impact on the Group's financial position or performance.

Table 2.1

Standard/ Interpretation

		Effective date
Amended standards		
IFRS 16	COVID-19-Related Rent Concessions	April 1, 2021 ¹
IAS 12	Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction	June 1, 2021 ²

1 The Group early-adopted the amendment to IFRS 16 'Covid-19-Related Rent Concessions beyond 30 June 2021' to extend by one year the practical expedient to account for all lessees' rent concession occurring as a direct consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic in the same way as if the changes in lease payments were not lease modifications. The amendment has no material impact on the Group's financial statements.

2 The Group early-adopted the amendments to IAS 12 'Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction'. The amendment has no impact on the Group's financial statements as the requirements of the amendment are consistent with the approach the Group applied at initial application of IFRS 16 'Leases' as of January 1, 2019.

Standards, amendments and interpretations issued that are not yet effective or adopted by the Group

Table 2.2 shows new accounting standards or amendments to, and interpretations of, standards relevant to the Group, which are not yet effective or adopted by the Group. Amendments resulting from the annual improvements to IFRS Standards 2018–2020 have no impact on the Group's financial statements.

Table 2.2

Standard/ Interpretation

		Effective date
New standards/ir	nterpretations	
IFRS 9	Financial Instruments	January 1, 2023
IFRS 17	Insurance Contracts	January 1, 2023
Amended standa	ards	
IFRS 3	Reference to the Conceptual Framework	January 1, 2022
IAS 16	Property, Plant and Equipment: Proceeds before Intended Use	January 1, 2022
IAS 37	Onerous Contracts – Cost of Fulfilling a Contract	January 1, 2022
IAS 1	Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current	January 1, 2023
IAS 1	Disclosure of Accounting Policies	January 1, 2023
IAS 8	Definition of Accounting Estimates	January 1, 2023

IFRS 17 'Insurance contracts' and IFRS 9 'Financial Instruments'

IFRS 17 'Insurance contracts' provides comprehensive guidance on accounting for insurance contracts and investment contracts with discretionary participation features and is expected to have a significant impact on accounting for insurance contracts and presentation of the insurance revenue and insurance service result. IFRS 9 'Financial Instruments' introduces a classification and measurement concept for financial assets that is based on the contractual cash flow characteristics and the holding intent. Furthermore, IFRS 9 introduces a requirement to recognize expected credit losses for financial assets carried at amortized cost or at fair value, with changes in fair value recognized in other comprehensive income (OCI). The Group decided to defer the full implementation of IFRS 9 until IFRS 17 becomes effective on January 1, 2023 to better align the measurement approaches for the financial assets held and the insurance liabilities where appropriate. The Group presents additional disclosures of indicative effects from adoption of IFRS 9 required by IFRS 4 'Applying IFRS 9 with IFRS 4' during the period of deferral (see note 24 of the Annual Report 2020).

The Group continues to assess the impact of the application of both IFRS 17 and IFRS 9 as well as the impact of the limited amendments on the implementation to date. As of June 30, 2021, it was not practicable to quantify what the potential impact would be on the Group's financial position or performance once these standards are adopted.

Other standards, amendments and interpretations shown in table 2.2 are expected to have no, or an insignificant, impact on the Group's financial position or performance.

Interest rate benchmark reform (including Phase 2 amendments to IAS 39, IFRS 7, IFRS 4 and IFRS 16)

The ongoing market-wide reform targets replacement of some interbank offered rates (IBORs) with alternative reference rates (ARRs). To ensure an orderly transition to ARRs, the Group launched a cross functional IBOR transition working group that has analyzed the exposure and defined mitigating actions, for example, by adhering to the ISDA fallback protocols for derivatives, amending terms and conditions of new debt issuances and entering into bilateral negotiations with counterparties. Overall good progress has been made, even though the Group ability to transition further depends on external factors, including market readiness, liquidity and availability of ARR-based products. Currently, the Group expects a smooth transition for the vast majority of the positions held with a low amount of tough legacy contracts representing no material risk for the Group. The reform has not resulted in changes to the Group risk management strategy.

The IASB addressed the financial reporting implications of the IBOR reform through IFRS amendments, which were fully adopted by the Group on January 1, 2020. Specifically, the phase 2 amendments introduce a practical expedient to account prospectively for a change in the basis for determining the contractual cash flows of a financial instrument attributable to the replacement of IBORs with ARR and relieves from specific hedge accounting requirements. Overall, the IBOR reform has no material effect on the Group's financial statements and the effectiveness of Group's hedging relationships.



3. Acquisitions and divestments

Transactions in 2021

Acquisitions

My Policy Group

On May 18, 2021, the Group acquired a 19.99% share in Project Policy Bidco Limited, the owner of MyPolicy Limited, a UK usage-based insurance managing general agent, and Minerva. Science Limited. As part of the acquisition Zurich contributed Bright Box Hong Kong Limited and its subsidiaries as well as USD 10 million in cash. The investment is valued at USD 28 million. As a result of the transaction, the Group recognized a USD 33 million loss on sale of Bright Box Hong Kong Limited.

MetLife Property and Casualty business

On December 11, 2020, Zurich Insurance Group (Zurich) subsidiary Farmers Group, Inc. (FGI) and Farmers Exchanges announced the acquisition of MetLife's property and casualty (P&C) business in the U.S. for a purchase price of USD 3.96 billion. The acquisition successfully closed on April 7, 2021. As part of the transaction in effect, FGI acquired MetLife P&C's management and administrative-related assets and liabilities to conduct its responsibilities as attorney-in-fact of the Farmers Exchanges and the Farmers Exchanges' underlying insurance business. Zurich contributed USD 2.44 billion through FGI and the Farmers Exchanges USD 1.52 billion. Farmers Group Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Group, provides certain non-claims services and ancillary services to the Farmers Exchanges as its attorney-in-fact and receives fees for its services. Attorney-in-fact services primarily include risk selection, preparation and mailing of policy documents and invoices, premium collection, management of the investment portfolios and certain other administrative and managerial functions. Fees for these services are primarily include information technology, brand advertising and certain distribution-related services that are not covered under the attorney-in-fact contracts for which FGI acts as a principal in arranging for those services to the Exchanges.

The acquisition gives the Farmers Exchanges a truly nationwide presence and access to new distribution channels. This includes a 10-year exclusive distribution agreement through which the Farmers Exchanges will offer their personal lines products on MetLife's industry-leading U.S. Group Benefits platform, which today reaches 3,800 companies and 37 million employees.

Table 3.1 shows the preliminary balance sheet line items as of the Metlife P&C acquisition date, representing the fair value of tangible and intangible assets:

	Table 3.1	
VetLife balance sheet	in USD millions, as of April 7, 2021	Total
as of the acquisition	Receivables and other assets	
date	Deferred tax assets	6
	Property and equipment	1
	Goodwill	285
	Attorney-in-fact contracts	1,625
	Software	153
	Other intangible assets	375
	Assets acquired	2,453
	Other liabilities	9
	Liabilities acquired	9
	Net assets acquired	2,444
	Cash consideration	2,444

1 As of June 30, 2021, the assets and liabilities of MetLife are recognized at acquisition date, April 7, 2021.

Management fees and other related revenues generated from MetLife P&C and net income after taxes for the period April 7, 2021, to June 30, 2021, were USD 168 million and USD 22 million, respectively. The Group incurred transaction-related costs of approximately USD 20 million, the majority of which were incurred in 2021.



Divestments

Held for sale

As of June 30, 2021, the total assets reclassified to held for sale were USD 2.4 billion and the total liabilities reclassified to held for sale were USD 2.4 billion, as per transactions below.

Zurich International Life portfolio

On December 22, 2020, Zurich International Life Limited entered into an agreement to sell an insurance portfolio. The transaction is subject to regulatory and court approvals and is expected to be completed in Q4 2021. As of June 30, 2021, assets reclassified to held for sale were USD 790 million and liabilities reclassified to held for sale were USD 766 million.

UK Employers' liability portfolio

On December 14, 2018, Zurich Insurance plc entered into an agreement with Catalina Holdings (Bermuda) Ltd and certain of its subsidiaries to transfer a portfolio of pre-2007 United Kingdom legacy employers' liability policies to Catalina London Limited, subject to regulatory and court approvals. The transfer is expected to be completed in 2024. As of June 30, 2021, assets reclassified to held for sale were USD 1.6 billion and liabilities reclassified to held for sale were USD 1.6 billion.

Transactions in 2020

Acquisitions

Healthinsite

On December 15, 2020, Zurich Insurance Company Ltd completed the acquisition of Healthinsite Proprietary Limited and Insite Holding Pty Limited (collectively referred to as Healthinsite). Healthinsite provides innovative health and behavioral risk management solutions internationally to corporate clients and is the owner of proprietary software.

Swiss Commercial Accident and Health business

On May 29, 2020, after receiving regulatory approval, Zurich Insurance Company Ltd acquired the Commercial Accident and Health business from CSS Versicherung AG.

Divestments

Divested

UK International Portfolio Bond

On November 30, 2020, Zurich Life Assurance plc completed the sale of its UK international Bond Portfolio to Monument Re, with a pre-tax loss of USD 14 million, recognized in the income statement.

US Corporate Life & Pensions (CLP)

On March 19, 2020, Zurich Holding Company of America, Inc., Zurich American Life Insurance Company and Zurich American Life Insurance Company of New York signed an agreement to sell the Corporate Life and Pensions (CLP) business to Aflac Incorporated (Aflac) and its insurance subsidiaries, American Family Life Assurance Company of Columbus and American Family Life Assurance Company of New York. On November 2, 2020, the Group completed the sale with a pre-tax gain of USD 115 million, recognized in the income statement.

UK Retail Wealth Business

On November 19, 2019, Zurich Financial Services (UKISA) Limited and Allied Zurich Holdings Limited (AZH) entered into an agreement with Embark Group Limited (Embark) to sell the UK Retail Wealth business, which includes an Investment and Retail Wealth Platform business, Sterling ISA Managers Limited (SIML), and an Investment Management business, Zurich Investment Services (UK) Limited (ZISUK). On May 1, 2020, the Group completed the sale with a pre-tax loss of USD 143 million, of which USD 123 million was recognized in December 2019, in the income statement, including an impairment of assets of USD 210 million.

Germany Architects & Engineers portfolio

On September 5, 2019, Zurich Insurance plc entered into an agreement to transfer the German Architects & Engineers portfolio to Darag Deutsche Versicherungs- und Rückversicherungs-AG. On June 30, 2020, the Group completed the sale of the portfolio with a pre-tax gain of USD 22 million, recorded in the income statement.

4. Group investments

Group investments are those for which the Group bears part or all of the investment risk. They also include investments related to investment contracts with discretionary participation features. Net investment result on Group investments includes returns on investment-related cash, which is included in cash and cash equivalents on the consolidated balance sheets.

Table 4.1

Table 4.2

Net investment result on Group investments in USD milli months end

in USD millions, for the six				Net capital				
months ended June 30	Net i	nvestment	gai	ins/(losses)	Net	investment		of which
_		income	and in	npairments		result	i	mpairments
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
Investment cash	1	9	-	-	1	9	-	_
Equity securities	261	197	829	(261)	1,090	(64)	(11)	(221)
Debt securities	1,926	1,903	(45)	509	1,882	2,411	1	15
Investment property ¹	243	263	92	9	335	272	_	-
Mortgage loans	72	72	-	7	72	79	_	-
Other loans	167	172	-	3	167	175	1	(1)
Investments in associates								
and joint ventures	(9)	1	(1)	-	(9)	1	_	-
Derivative financial								
instruments	-	-	(289)	8	(289)	8	_	-
Investment result, gross, on								
Group investments	2,661	2,616	586	276	3,248	2,892	(9)	(207)
Investment expenses on								
Group investments	(138)	(130)	-	-	(138)	(130)	_	-
Investment result, net, on								
Group investments	2,523	2,486	586	276	3,110	2,762	(9)	(207)

1 Rental operating expenses for investment property amounted to USD 74 million and USD 63 million for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Details of Group investments by category

as of		06/30/21		12/31/20
	USD millions	% of total	USD millions	% of total
Equity securities:				
Fair value through profit or loss	4,855	2.4	4,714	2.2
Available-for-sale	16,232	7.9	14,779	7.0
Total equity securities	21,086	10.3	19,493	9.3
Debt securities:				
Fair value through profit or loss	7,270	3.5	7,115	3.4
Available-for-sale	146,461	71.2	152,330	72.4
Held-to-maturity	2,117	1.0	2,265	1.1
Total debt securities	155,848	75.8	161,710	76.9
Investment property	14,568	7.1	14,749	7.0
Mortgage loans	6,165	3.0	5,783	2.7
Other loans	7,953	3.9	8,620	4.1
Investments in associates and joint ventures	69	0.0	43	0.0
Total Group investments	205,690	100.0	210,398	100.0

Investments with a carrying value of USD 6.3 billion and USD 6.6 billion are held to meet local regulatory requirements as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

Table 4.4

	Table 4.3		
Net unrealized	in USD millions, as of		Total
gains/(losses)		06/30/21	12/31/20
	Equity securities: available-for-sale	2,862	1,679
included in equity	Debt securities: available-for-sale	13,001	18,911
	Other	466	585
	Gross unrealized gains/(losses) on Group investments	16,328	21,176
	Less amount of unrealized gains/(losses) on investments attributable to:		
	Life policyholder dividends and other policyholder liabilities	(8,814)	(12,119)
	Life deferred acquisition costs and present value of future profits	(938)	(1,242)
	Deferred income taxes	(1,164)	(1,481)
	Non-controlling interests	(53)	(107)
	Total ¹	5,358	6,227

1 Net unrealized gains/(losses) on Group investments include net gains arising on cash flow hedges of USD 420 million and USD 526 million as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively

Securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase agreements

in USD millions, as of	06/30/21	12/31/20
Securities lending agreements		
Securities lent under securities lending agreements ¹	173	329
Collateral received for securities lending	182	360
of which: Cash collateral	142	111
of which: Non-cash collateral ²	40	248
Liabilities for cash collateral received for securities lending	142	111
Repurchase agreements		
Securities sold under repurchase agreements ³	2,310	787
Obligations to repurchase securities	2,307	784

1 The Group's counterparties had the right to sell or repledge, in the absence of default, assets pledged as collateral with a fair value of USD 173 million and USD 329 million as of

The Group's counterparties had the right to sell or repledge, in the absence or default, assets pledged as collateral with a fair value of USD 1/3 finlinon and USD 3/2 finlinon and USD 2/4 finlinon as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively. The majority of these assets were debt securities.
 The Group's counterparties had the right to sell or repledge, in the absence of default by its counterparties, securities received as collateral with a fair value of USD 1/3 finlinon and USD 2/4 million as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.
 The Group's counterparties had the right to sell or repledge, in the absence of default, assets pledged as collateral with a fair value of USD 351 million and USD 346 million as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

Under the terms of securities lending or repurchase agreements, the Group retains substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership of the transferred securities, and also retains contractual rights to the cash flows from these securities. These securities are therefore not derecognized from the Group's consolidated balance sheet. Cash received as collateral is recorded as an asset, and a corresponding liability is established. Interest expense is charged to income using the effective interest rate method over the life of the agreement.

Under a reverse repurchase agreement, the securities received are not recognized on the Group's consolidated balance sheet, as long as the risk and rewards of ownership have not been transferred to the Group. The cash delivered by the Group is derecognized and a corresponding receivable is recorded within receivables and other assets. Interest income is recognized in income using the effective interest rate method over the life of the agreement.

Table 5.2

5. Liabilities for insurance contracts and reinsurers' share of liabilities for insurance contracts

	Table 5.1						
Liabilities for	in USD millions, as of June 30		Gross		Ceded		Net
insurance contracts		06/30/21	12/31/20	06/30/21	12/31/20	06/30/21	12/31/20
	Reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses	63,594	63,327	(14,232)	(14,375)	49,362	48,951
	Reserves for unearned premiums	22,196	18,724	(4,289)	(3,716)	17,907	15,009
	Future life policyholder benefits	80,594	83,958	(4,113)	(4,256)	76,481	79,703
	Policyholder contract deposits and other funds	29,068	31,497	(3,200)	(3,236)	25,868	28,261
	Reserves for unit-linked insurance contracts	83,835	81,157	_	-	83,835	81,157
	Other insurance liabilities	4,621	4,834	(1)	(1)	4,620	4,832
	Total liabilities for insurance contracts ¹	283,908	283,497	(25,836)	(25,584)	258,072	257,913

1 Total liabilities for insurance contracts ceded are gross of allowances for uncollectible amounts of USD 38 million and USD 61 million as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

Development of reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses

in USD millions		Gross		Ceded		Net
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
As of January 1	63,327	59,165	(14,375)	(12,137)	48,951	47,028
Losses and loss adjustment expenses incurred:						
Current year	11,563	11,011	(2,345)	(2,351)	9,218	8,660
Prior years ¹	(611)	514	268	(695)	(343)	(182)
Total incurred	10,952	11,524	(2,076)	(3,046)	8,876	8,478
Losses and loss adjustment expenses paid:						
Current year	(2,461)	(2,342)	291	259	(2,170)	(2,084)
Prior years	(7,784)	(8,395)	1,955	2,226	(5,829)	(6,168)
Total paid	(10,245)	(10,737)	2,246	2,485	(8,000)	(8,252)
Interest effects of discounted reserves	84	83	(3)	(3)	81	81
Acquisitions/(divestments) and transfers ²	123	638	(102)	(558)	20	79
Foreign currency translation effects	(646)	(493)	79	140	(567)	(353)
As of June 30	63,594	60,180	(14,232)	(13,119)	49,362	47,061

 In 2020, changes to incurred gross prior year losses and loss adjustment expenses relate largely to business with limited net impact to the Group such as liabilities related to captive business, development in losses related to 2017 catastrophe events that are substantially reinsured, and participation in large claims related to business where the Group retains only a portion of the overall loss.
 In 2020, net reserves increased by USD 305 million following the acquisition of the CSS Versicherung AG Commercial Accident and Health business and USD 23 million

2 In 2020, net reserves increased by USD 305 million following the acquisition of the CSS Versicherung AG Commercial Accident and Health business and USD 23 million following the acquisition of Adira Insurance (see note 3). Additionally, Zurich North America entered into an agreement with Lyft, a ride-sharing provider, which resulted in an increase in ceded reserves of USD 144 million. The increase in reserves is partially offset by the transfer of a portfolio in Brazil of USD 108 million to DPVAT, a motor insurance pool.

The Group establishes loss reserves, which are estimates of future payments of reported and unreported claims for losses and related expenses, with respect to insured events that have occurred. Reserving is a complex process dealing with uncertainty, requiring the use of informed estimates and judgments. Any changes in estimates or judgments are reflected in the results of operations in the period in which estimates and judgments are changed.

Significant delays may occur in the notification and settlement of claims, and a substantial measure of experience and judgment is involved in assessing outstanding liabilities, the ultimate cost of which cannot be known with certainty as of the balance sheet date. The reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses are determined on the basis of the information available. However, it is inherent in the nature of the business written that the ultimate liabilities may vary as a result of subsequent developments.

The increase of USD 411 million in net reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses during the first six months of 2021 mainly relates to seasonal Crop losses in North America and natural catastrophe losses in North America and Europe, Middle East and Africa (EMEA), partially offset by currency movements. Net favorable reserves development from reserves established in prior years amounted to USD 343 million. The main reductions were in North America and EMEA.

The increase of USD 33 million in net reserves for losses and loss adjustment expenses during the first six months of 2020 mainly relates to the acquisition of the CSS Versicherung AG Commercial Accident and Health business and claims related to the COVID-19 pandemic, mostly offset by seasonal Crop claim payments in North America and currency movements. Net favorable reserves development from reserves established in prior years amounted to USD 182 million. The main reductions were Europe Middle East & Africa (EMEA).

Table 5.3

Development of	in USD millions		Gross		Ceded		Net
future life		2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
policyholder	As of January 1	83,958	77,756	(4,256)	(3,978)	79,703	73,778
benefits	Premiums	6,630	6,139	(773)	(683)	5,858	5,456
	Claims	(5,729)	(5,098)	673	571	(5,056)	(4,527)
	Fee income and other expenses	(2,002)	(1,723)	216	75	(1,786)	(1,648)
	Interest and bonuses credited to policyholders	811	1,246	(34)	(72)	777	1,174
	Changes in assumptions	4	4	_	-	4	4
	Acquisitions/(divestments) and transfers ¹	_	24	_	39	_	63
	Increase/(decrease) recorded in						
	other comprehensive income	(920)	174	_	-	(920)	174
	Foreign currency translation effects	(2,158)	(543)	59	69	(2,099)	(475)
	As of June 30	80,594	77,980	(4,113)	(3,979)	76,481	74,000

1 The 2020 net movement is mainly related to adjustments to the acquisition of OnePath.

	Table 5.4		
Policyholder	in USD millions, as of	06/30/2021	12/31/2020
contract	Universal life and other contracts	14,639	14,622
deposits and	Policyholder dividends	14,430	16,875
other funds gross	Total	29,068	31,497
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Development of policyholder contract deposits and other funds

Table 5.5						
in USD millions		Gross		Ceded		Net
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
As of January 1	31,497	27,480	(3,236)	(3,285)	28,261	24,195
Premiums	679	594	(40)	(35)	639	559
Claims	(613)	(589)	130	123	(483)	(466)
Fee income and other expenses	(240)	(221)	2	(1)	(238)	(222)
Interest and bonuses credited to policyholders	507	320	(56)	(61)	451	259
Acquisitions/(divestments) and transfers ¹	_	16	_	_	_	16
Increase/(decrease) recorded in						
other comprehensive income	(2,020)	181	_	1	(2,020)	182
Foreign currency translation effects	(743)	(46)	-	_	(743)	(47)
As of June 30	29,068	27,735	(3,200)	(3,258)	25,868	24,477

1 The 2020 net movement is mainly related to the acquisition of Adira Insurance (see note 3).

6. Policyholder dividends and participation in profits

	Table 6		
Policyholder	in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	2021	2020
dividends and	Change in policyholder contract deposits and other funds	324	179
participation Change in reserves for unit-linked insurance contracts		3,591	(699)
in profits Change in liabilities for investment contracts – unit-linked	Change in liabilities for investment contracts – unit-linked	4,509	(982)
1.1	Change in liabilities for investment contracts – other	94	72
	Change in unit-linked liabilities related to UK capital gains tax	(146)	53
	Total policyholder dividends and participation in profits	8,372	(1,377)

Table 7.1

7. Deferred policy acquisition costs and deferred origination costs

Development of deferred policy acquisition costs

in USD millions	Property & Casualty			Life	Other businesses ¹			Total
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
As of January 1	5,984	5,694	12,248	11,695	1,789	1,818	20,021	19,207
Acquisition costs deferred	2,734	2,246	809	745	96	64	3,640	3,056
Amortization	(2,305)	(2,083)	(695)	(722)	(48)	(38)	(3,048)	(2,843)
Impairments	_	-	(6)	_	_	-	(6)	_
Amortization (charged)/								
credited to other								
comprehensive income	-	-	270	(88)	23	(32)	293	(120)
Acquisitions/(divestments)								
and transfers ²	-	52	9	_	_	(4)	9	48
Foreign currency								
translation effects	(77)	(140)	(153)	(513)	1	(1)	(229)	(654)
As of June 30	6,335	5,769	12,483	11,118	1,862	1,808	20,680	18,694

Net of eliminations from inter-segment transactions.
 In 2021, Life movement of USD 9 million is mainly related to an agreement entered by Zurich International Life Limited to sell an insurance portfolio (see note 3). In 2020, Property & Casualty movement of USD 52 million is mainly related to the acquisition of Adira Insurance for USD 33 million and CSS Versicherung AG Commercial Accident and Health business for USD 5 million (see note 3).

Table 7.2

Development of deferred origination costs

As of June 30	434	391
Foreign currency translation effects	(9)	(7)
Amortization	(35)	(28)
Origination costs deferred	52	25
As of January 1	426	400
in USD millions	2021	2020

Table 8.1

8. Attorney-in-fact contracts, goodwill and other intangible assets

Intangible assets –

current period

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June 30, 2021 2,650 4,288 404 2,365 1,368 564 11,63 Plus: accumulated amortization/impairments - 284 2,227 1,910 3,811 126 8,35	translation effects	-	(67)	(7)	(35)	(17)	(2)	(129)
Plus: accumulated amortization/impairments - 284 2,227 1,910 3,811 126 8,35	Net carrying value as of							
amortization/impairments - 284 2,227 1,910 3,811 126 8,35	June 30, 2021	2,650	4,288	404	2,365	1,368	564	11,639
	Plus: accumulated							
Gross carrying value as of	amortization/impairments	-	284	2,227	1,910	3,811	126	8,359
	Gross carrying value as of							
June 30, 2021 2,650 4,573 2,631 4,275 5,178 691 19,99	June 30, 2021	2,650	4,573	2,631	4,275	5,178	691	19,998

1 Amortization of distribution agreements is included within underwriting and policy acquisition costs.

As of June 30, 2021, intangible assets related to non-controlling interests were USD 46 million for present value of future profits (PVFP) of acquired insurance contracts, USD 944 million for distribution agreements, USD 10 million for software, USD 42 million for goodwill and USD 2 million for other intangible assets.

As a result of the acquisition of MetLife's property and casualty (P&C) business in the U.S., intangible assets increased by USD 2.438 billion, of which USD 1.625 billion is Attorney-in-fact relationships, USD 285 million is goodwill, USD 153 million is software and USD 375 million is other intangible assets (see note 3).

	Table 8.2							
Intangible assets	in USD millions,	Attorney-						
by business –	as of June 30, 2021	in-fact			Distribution			
current period		contracts	Goodwill	PVFP	agreements	Software	Other	Total
	Property & Casualty	-	1,848	_	790	764	174	3,575
	Life	_	1,327	369	1,575	57	25	3,353
	Farmers	2,650	1,104	35	_	503	366	4,658
	Group Functions and							
	Operations	-	10	_	-	43	_	53
	Net carrying value	2,650	4,288	404	2,365	1,368	564	11,639

Table 8.3

Intangible assets -

prior period

in USD millions	Attorney-						
	in-fact			Distribution			
	contracts	Goodwill	PVFP	agreements	Software	Other	Total
Gross carrying value as of							
January 1, 2020	1,025	3,883	2,556	4,286	5,059	331	17,140
Less: accumulated							
amortization/impairments	-	(274)	(2,116)	(1,752)	(3,917)	(113)	(8,171)
Net carrying value as of							
January 1, 2020	1,025	3,610	440	2,534	1,141	218	8,968
Additions and acquisitions	_	370	1	38	158	4	571
Divestments and transfers	_	_	_	(4)	(1)	_	(5)
Amortization ¹	_	_	(21)	(59)	(145)	(6)	(231)
Amortization charged to							
other comprehensive income	_	_	(8)	_	_	_	(8)
Impairments	_	_	-	(8)	(4)	_	(12)
Foreign currency							
translation effects	_	(87)	(12)	(249)	(9)	(6)	(364)
Net carrying value as of							
June 30, 2020	1,025	3,893	399	2,252	1,139	210	8,918
Plus: accumulated							
amortization/impairments	_	267	2,060	1,673	4,017	115	8,132
Gross carrying value as of							
June 30, 2020	1,025	4,161	2,459	3,925	5,156	325	17,051

1 Amortization of distribution agreements is included within underwriting and policy acquisition costs.

As of June 30, 2020, intangible assets related to non-controlling interests were USD 49 million for present value of future profits (PVFP) of acquired insurance contracts, USD 896 million for distribution agreements, USD 8 million for software, USD 48 million for goodwill and USD 4 million for other intangible assets.

As a result of the acquisition of Adira Insurance in Indonesia, intangible assets increased by USD 253 million, of which USD 212 million is goodwill, USD 35 million is distribution agreements and USD 6 million is other intangible assets. Goodwill further increased following the acquisition of the CSS Versicherung AG Commercial Accident and Health portfolio in Switzerland and also as a result of post-acquisition adjustments related to the OnePath acquisition (see note 3).

The Group performs quantitative tests of goodwill recoverability annually during the third quarter. In light of the widespread decline in economic activity resulting from global efforts to contain COVID-19, the Group moved forward the quantitative testing of goodwill recoverability in its cash generating units (CGUs) where there is a particular sensitivity to business projections and broader macro-economic factors, specifically the APAC and LatAm Property & Casualty (P&C) CGUs. The Group's quantitative tests support the carrying value of the goodwill in these CGUs but recoverability of LatAm P&C CGU continues to be sensitive to changes in expectations about the timing of return to the normal economic activity. The Group will perform quantitative tests for all CGUs, including APAC and LatAm, in the third quarter as per the standard timeline.

Table 8.4

Intangible assets by business – prior period

1.025	4.089	413	2 200	1.221	209	9,345
-	29	-	_	64	_	92
1,025	819	32	_	351		2,228
_	1,365	381	1,625	57	26	3,455
	1,876	_	762	749	183	3,570
contracts	Goodwill	PVFP	agreements	Software	Other	Total
Attorney- in-fact			Distribution			
	contracts 	in-fact contracts Goodwill - 1,876 - 1,365 1,025 819 - 29	in-fact <u>contracts</u> <u>Goodwill</u> PVFP <u>-</u> 1,876 <u>-</u> <u>1,365</u> <u>381</u> 1,025 <u>819</u> <u>32</u> <u>-</u> 29 <u>-</u>	in-fact Distribution contracts Goodwill PVFP agreements - 1,876 - 762 - 1,365 381 1,625 1,025 819 32 - - 29 - -	in-fact Distribution contracts Goodwill PVFP agreements Software - 1,876 - 762 749 - 1,365 381 1,625 57 1,025 819 32 - 351 - 29 - - 64	in-fact Distribution contracts Goodwill PVFP agreements Software Other - 1,876 - 762 749 183 - 1,365 381 1,625 57 26 1,025 819 32 - 351 - - 29 - - 64 -

9. Restructuring provisions

Restructuring provisions

Table 9		
in USD millions	2021	2020
As of January 1	167	106
Provisions made during the period	22	7
Increase of provisions set up in prior years	7	4
Provisions used during the period	(81)	(38
Provisions reversed during the period	(6)	(5
Foreign currency translation effects	(1)	(2
Other changes	(1)	_
As of June 30	107	72

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Group incurred total restructuring costs of USD 41 million, of which USD 23 million is due to net increases in restructuring provisions, affecting mainly Property & Casualty in Europe, Middle East & Africa (EMEA), North America and Life in Europe, Middle East & Africa (EMEA).

During the six months ended June 30, 2020, the Group incurred total restructuring costs of USD 19 million, of which USD 6 million is due to net increases in restructuring provisions, affecting mainly Property & Casualty in Europe, Middle East & Africa (EMEA) and North America.

10. Income taxes

	Table 10.1		
Income tax	in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	2021	2020
expense – Current current/deferred Deferred	Current	745	594
	Deferred	195	(253)
split	Total income tax expense/(benefit)	940	341

Expected and actua

actual income	
tax expense	

Tab	le 10.	2

2020
1,646
155
1,802
378
14
(59)
62
59
43
496
(155)
341

Table 10.2 sets out the factors that cause the actual income tax expense to differ from the expected expense computed by applying the Swiss statutory tax rate of 20.0 percent, which is the rate applicable in the jurisdiction where the ultimate parent company is resident.

The UK tax reform had an adverse impact on the Group's shareholder income tax position in 2021, which is included in the line "Prior year adjustments and other".

The Group is required to record taxes on policyholder earnings for life insurance policyholders in certain jurisdictions. Accordingly, the income tax expense or benefit attributable to these life insurance policyholder earnings is included in income tax expense. In certain jurisdictions an accrual for future policy fees that will cover the tax charge is included in insurance benefits and losses.

Taxes paid by certain of the Group's life insurance businesses are based on the investment result less allowable expenses. To the extent these taxes exceed the amount that would have been payable in relation to the shareholders' share of taxable profits, it is normal practice for certain of the Group's businesses to recover this portion from policyholders. While the relevant company has the contractual right to charge policyholders for the taxes attributable to their share of the investment result less expenses, the obligation to pay the tax authority rests with the company and therefore, the full amount of tax including the portion attributable to policyholders is accounted for as income tax. Income tax expense, therefore, includes an element attributable to policyholders.

11. Senior and subordinated debt

onior and	in USD millions, as of		06/30/21	12/31/20
Senior and subordinated debt	Senior debt			
iborumateu debt	Zurich Insurance Company Ltd	2.875% CHF 250 million notes, due July 2021 ¹	270	282
	i >	3.375% EUR 500 million notes, due June 2022 ^{1,3}	600	623
		1.875% CHF 100 million notes, due September 2023 ¹	114	121
		1.750% EUR 500 million notes, due September 2024 ^{1,3}	606	627
		0.500% CHF 350 million notes, due December 2024 ¹	379	396
		0.510% CHF 120 million loan, due December 2024	130	136
		1.500% CHF 150 million notes, due July 2026 ¹	178	188
		0.750% CHF 200 million notes, due October 2027 ¹	216	226
		1.000% CHF 200 million notes, due October 2028 ¹	217	226
		1.500% EUR 500 million notes, due December 2028 ^{1,3}	589	607
		0.100% CHF 250 million notes, due August 2032 ¹	271	283
	Zurich Holding Comp. of America Inc	2.300% USD 400 million notes, due February 2030 ¹	400	400
	Zurich Finance (Australia) Limited	3.271% AUD 200 million loan, due May 2023	150	154
		3.477% AUD 350 million notes, due May 2023	262	270
			202	
		4.500% AUD 375 million notes, due July 2038 ¹		308
	Zurich Finance (Ireland) DAC	1.625% EUR 500 million notes, due June 2039 ^{1,3}	591	610
	Other	Various debt instruments	14	14
	Senior debt		5,285	5,470
	Subordinated debt			
	Zurich Insurance Company Ltd	2.750% CHF 225 million perpetual capital notes, first		<u> </u>
		callable June 2021 ¹	-	254
		2.750% CHF 200 million perpetual capital notes, first	0.17	
		callable September 2021 ¹	217	229
		4.750% USD 1 billion perpetual capital notes, first callable		
		January 2022 ^{1,3}	999	999
		4.250% EUR 1 billion notes, due October 2043, first		
		callable October 2023 ^{1,3}	1,182	1,219
		4.250% USD 300 million notes, due October 2045, first		
		callable October 2025 ^{1,3}	299	299
		5.625% USD 1 billion notes, due June 2046, first callable		
		June 2026 ^{1,3}	998	997
		3.500% EUR 750 million notes, due October 2046, first		
		callable October 2026 ^{1,2,3}	904	939
		5.125% USD 500 million notes, due June 2048, first		
		callable June 2028 ^{1,3}	499	498
		4.875% USD 500 million notes, due October 2048, first		
		callable October 2028 ^{1,3}	498	498
		2.750% EUR 500 million notes, due February 2049, first		
		callable February 2029 ^{1,3}	588	606
	Zurich Finance (Ireland) DAC	1.875% EUR 750 million notes, due September 2050, first		
		callable June 2030 ^{1,3}	884	912
		3.000% USD 1.75 billion notes, due April 2051, first	001	
		callable January 2031 ^{1,3}	1,745	_
		1.600% EUR 200 million notes, due December 2052, first	1,710	
		callable September 2032 ^{1,3}	236	244
	Zurich Finance (UK) plc	6.625% GBP 450 million perpetual notes, first callable	230	۷44
	Zunch Finance (UK) pic		000	010
		October 2022 ¹	620	613
	Subordinated debt		9,670	8,306

Issued under the Group's Euro Medium Term Note Programme (EMTN Programme).
 The Group applied the fair value hedge methodology either partially or in full to hedge the interest rate exposure.
 These bonds are part of a qualifying net investment hedge to hedge the foreign currency exposure.

None of the debt instruments listed in table 11 were in default as of 30 June 2021 or 31 December 2020.

12. Commitments and contingencies, legal proceedings and regulatory investigations

The Group has provided contractual commitments and financial guarantees to external parties, associates and joint ventures as well as partnerships. These arrangements include commitments under certain conditions to make liquidity advances to cover default principal and interest payments, make capital contributions or provide equity financing.

	Table 12		
Quantifiable	in USD millions	06/30/2021	12/31/2020
commitments and	Remaining commitments under investment agreements	2,867	3,695
contingencies,	Guarantees and letters of credit ¹	1,012	974
litigation and	Undrawn Ioan commitments	1	1
regulatory provisions	Other commitments and contingent liabilities ^{2,3}	350	306
	Litigation and regulatory provisions ⁴	152	142

Guarantee features embedded in life insurance products are not included.

Includes USD 92 million future cash outflows, that the Group as lessee is potentially exposed to which are not reflected in the measurement of lease liabilities in the balance sheet. 3

Of which USD 48 million represents a lease agreement in UK commencing in 2022 (sale and leaseback of a new building) Excluding restructuring provisions (see note 9), other provisions and any claims or coverage related litigation which is included in loss reserves and loss adjustment expenses

Legal, compliance and regulatory developments

The Group's business is subject to extensive supervision, and the Group is in regular contact with various regulatory authorities. The Group is also involved in legal and arbitration proceedings and regulatory investigations arising, for the most part, in the ordinary course of its business operations in various jurisdictions where it operates. In addition, the Group and/or its subsidiaries are involved in legal matters arising out of transactions involving the transfer of portfolios or businesses. These legal matters can include claims brought by purchasers or other parties asserting claims for damages on various theories, including failure to disclose material information, failure to perform contractual duties or otherwise seeking to impose liability on the Group and/or its subsidiaries. With respect to significant legal or regulatory matters, the Group considers the likelihood of a negative outcome and when the likelihood of a negative outcome is probable, and the amount of the loss can be reliably estimated, a reserve or provision is established to record the estimated loss for the expected outcome. While the Group believes that it is not a party to, nor are any of its subsidiaries the subject of, any unresolved current legal proceedings, claims, litigation and investigations that will have a material adverse effect on the Group's consolidated financial condition, proceedings are inherently unpredictable, and it is possible that the outcome of any proceeding could have a material impact on results of operations in the particular reporting period in which it is resolved.

Specifically, COVID-19-related coverage litigation: Several of the Group's subsidiaries as well as other insurance companies are involved in litigation relating to the extent to which COVID-19 was intended to be covered under Property Damage Business Interruption policies. A limited number of class actions have also been initiated. To date, most of the litigation has been filed in United States courts, which have predominantly found in favor of insurers. The final determination of outcomes may take many years as appeals are pursued by the plaintiffs and insurers, including the Group or its subsidiaries.

Compliance and regulatory matters

The Group, on its own initiative, undertook an internal review of the life insurance, savings and pension business sold by its non-U.S. operating companies with relevant cross-border business to customers with a nexus to the U.S. The review confirmed that the Group's cross-border business with U.S. persons was very limited and of a legacy nature, with the large majority of sales having occurred more than a decade ago. The review also confirmed that the Group's U.S. operating companies were not involved in or connected to those activities.

The Group voluntarily disclosed the results of the review and the regulatory issues presented by sales to U.S. residents to the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority (FINMA), the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) and other authorities. The Group continues to cooperate with these authorities.

In April 2019, the DOJ announced that Zurich Life Insurance Company Ltd (ZLIC) and Zurich International Life Limited (ZILL) entered into a non-prosecution agreement (NPA) with the DOJ, which memorializes the DOJ's decision not to prosecute these entities for any U.S. tax-related offenses in connection with legacy cross-border sales to U.S. persons. Under the terms of the NPA, ZLIC and ZILL have agreed to comply with certain specified conditions during the four-year term of the NPA.

This resolution has not had, and will not have, an adverse effect on the Group's business or consolidated financial condition.

13. Fair value measurement

This note excludes financial assets and financial liabilities relating to unit-linked contracts. Table 13.1 compares the fair value with the carrying value of financial assets and financial liabilities. Certain financial instruments are not included in this table as their carrying value is a reasonable approximation of their fair value. Such instruments include cash and cash equivalents, obligations to repurchase securities, deposits made under assumed reinsurance contracts, deposits received under ceded reinsurance contracts and other financial assets and liabilities.

For details on the fair value measurement framework and sensitivities of level 3 instruments, refer to note 23 of the consolidated financial statements 2020.

Table 13.1

Fair value and carrying value of financial assets and financial liabilities

in USD millions, as of		Total fair value	Total carrying value		
	2021	2020	2021	2020	
Available-for-sale securities					
Equity securities	16,232	14,779	16,232	14,779	
Debt securities	146,461	152,330	146,461	152,330	
Total available-for-sale securities	162,693	167,109	162,693	167,109	
Fair value through profit or loss securities					
Equity securities	4,855	4,714	4,855	4,714	
Debt securities	7,270	7,115	7,270	7,115	
Total fair value through profit or loss securities	12,125	11,829	12,125	11,829	
Derivative assets	1,138	1,763	1,138	1,763	
Held-to-maturity debt securities	2,694	2,991	2,117	2,265	
Mortgage loans	6,510	6,205	6,165	5,783	
Other loans	9,376	10,412	7,953	8,620	
Total financial assets	194,535	200,311	192,191	197,369	
Derivative liabilities	(787)	(481)	(787)	(481)	
Financial liabilities held at amortized cost					
Liabilities related to investment contracts	(1,071)	(1,134)	(860)	(878)	
Senior debt	(5,538)	(5,851)	(5,285)	(5,470)	
Subordinated debt	(10,428)	(9,204)	(9,670)	(8,306)	
Total financial liabilities held at amortized cost	(17,036)	(16,189)	(15,815)	(14,655)	
Total financial liabilities	(17,823)	(16,669)	(16,602)	(15,135)	

Recurring fair value measurements of assets and liabilities

Fair value hierarchy – non-unit-linked – current period

Table 13.2a				
in USD millions, as of June 30, 2021	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Available-for-sale securities				
Equity securities	10,522	3,562	2,148	16,232
Debt securities	-	138,152	8,309	146,461
Total available-for-sale securities	10,522	141,715	10,456	162,693
Fair value through profit or loss securities				
Equity securities	1,956	578	2,321	4,855
Debt securities	-	7,188	82	7,270
Total fair value through profit or loss securities	1,956	7,766	2,403	12,125
Derivative assets	3	1,005	130	1,138
Total	12,480	150,486	12,989	175,955
Derivative liabilities	(4)	(578)	(205)	(787)
Total	(4)	(578)	(205)	(787)

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, no material transfers between level 1 and level 2 occurred.

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Table 13.2b

Fair value hierarchy –	in USD millions, as of December 31, 2020	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
non-unit-linked –	Available-for-sale securities				
prior period	Equity securities	9,742	3,291	1,746	14,779
	Debt securities	_	144,354	7,976	152,330
	Total available-for-sale securities	9,742	147,645	9,722	167,109
	Fair value through profit or loss securities				
	Equity securities	1,835	561	2,318	4,714
	Debt securities	_	7,033	83	7,115
	Total fair value through profit or loss securities	1,835	7,594	2,400	11,829
	Derivative assets	6	1,404	353	1,763
	Total	11,583	156,643	12,476	180,701
	Derivative liabilities	(6)	(423)	(52)	(481)
	Total	(6)	(423)	(52)	(481)

Table 13.3a

Development of assets and liabilities classified within level 3 non-unit-linked current period

in USD millions	Availa	able-for-sale securities	Fair value thro	ough profit or oss securities			
-	Equity	Debt	Equity	Debt	Derivative	Derivative	
	securities	securities	securities	securities	assets	liabilities	
As of January 1, 2021	1,746	7,976	2,318	83	353	(52)	
Realized gains/(losses) recognized in income ¹	237	7	19	_	2	5	
Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized							
in income ^{1,2}	_	34	121	_	15	(58)	
Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized in other							
comprehensive income	389	(117)	_	_	(225)	(96)	
Purchases	135	1,089	223	44	2	(6)	
Settlements/sales/redemptions	(347)	(739)	(344)	(45)	(11)	_	
Transfers into level 3	14	183	14	_	_	(1)	
Transfers out of level 3	_	(39)	_	_	_	_	
Foreign currency translation effects	(28)	(84)	(29)	_	(6)	3	
As of June 30, 2021	2,148	8,309	2,321	82	130	(205)	

Presented as net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on Group investments in the unaudited consolidated income statements (see note 4).

2 Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized in income for available-for-sale securities relate to impairments.

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Group transferred USD 183 million of available-for-sale debt securities from level 2 to level 3. The transfers were mainly driven by a decrease in the degree of observability of inputs from private debt instruments following an enhanced price transparency assessment process. Partially offsetting this is the transfer of USD 39 million in securities out of level 3 into level 2 resulting from the upgrade of credit ratings to 'AAA' for certain non-agency asset/mortgage-backed securities.

The Group also transferred USD 28 million of available-for-sale and fair value through profit or loss equity securities from level 2 to level 3 as new information has become available that confirms their unlisted status.

Table 13.3b

Development of assets and liabilities classified within level 3 – non-unit-linked – prior period

in USD millions	Avaii	able-for-sale securities	Fair value through profit or loss securities			
	Equity	Debt	Equity	Debt	Derivative	Derivative
	securities	securities	securities	securities	assets	liabilities
As of January 1, 2020	1,417	7,713	2,179	81	132	(42)
Realized gains/(losses) recognized in income ¹	62	2	7	_	1	_
Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized						
in income ^{1,2}	(5)	(42)	25	(1)	(8)	18
Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized in other						
comprehensive income	(75)	84	_	_	69	2
Purchases	140	664	191	_	(5)	(16)
Settlements/sales/redemptions	(126)	(307)	(180)	(1)	(6)	-
Transfers into level 3	_	128	_	19	_	_
Transfers out of level 3	_	(699)	_	(7)	_	_
Foreign currency translation effects	(7)	(9)	13	(2)	1	(1)
As of June 30, 2020	1,406	7,534	2,235	89	184	(38)

1 Presented as net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on Group investments in the unaudited consolidated income statements (see note 4).

2 Unrealized gains/(losses) recognized in income for available-for-sale securities relate to impairments.

For the six months ended June 30, 2020, the Group transferred USD 699 million of available-for-sale debt securities out of level 3 into level 2. The transfers were mainly driven by a rating upgrading of non-agency asset/ mortgage-backed securities to 'AAA' and private debt priced by a central vendor. Partially offsetting this is the transfer of USD 128 million in securities from level 2 to level 3 resulting from the downgrade of ratings for certain non-agency asset/mortgage-backed securities and private debt priced by an asset manager.

Non-recurring fair value measurements of assets and liabilities

Under certain circumstances, the Group may measure certain assets or liabilities at fair value on a non-recurring basis when an impairment charge is recognized.

14. Segment information

The Group pursues a customer-centric strategy, where the Property & Casualty (P&C) and Life businesses are managed on a regional basis. The Group's reportable segments have been identified on the basis of the businesses operated by the Group and how these are strategically managed to offer different products and services to specific customer groups. The Group has identified 13 reportable segments in accordance with IFRS 8 'Operating Segments' and segment information is presented accordingly as follows:

- Property & Casualty regions
- Life regions
- Farmers
- Group Functions and Operations
- Non-Core Businesses

The Group's reportable segments comprise the following:

Property & Casualty and Life regions

- Europe, Middle East & Africa
- North America
- Asia Pacific
- Latin America
- Group Reinsurance

Property & Casualty regions provide a variety of motor, home and commercial products and services for individuals as well as small and large businesses on both a local and global basis. Products are sold through multiple distribution channels including agents, brokers and bank distribution.

Life regions provide a comprehensive range of life and health insurance products on both an individual and a group basis, including annuities, endowment and term insurance, unit-linked and investment-oriented products, as well as full private health, supplemental health and long-term care insurance. In addition to the agent distribution channel, certain of these products are offered via bank distribution channels.

Farmers, through Farmers Group, Inc. and its subsidiaries (FGI), provides certain non-claims services and ancillary services to the Farmers Exchanges, which are owned by their policyholders. This segment also includes all reinsurance assumed from the Farmers Exchanges by the Group. Farmers Exchanges are prominent writers of personal and small commercial lines of business in the U.S. In addition, this segment includes the activities of Farmers Life, a writer of individual life insurance business in the U.S.

Group Functions and Operations comprise the Group's Holding and Financing, Headquarters and the new digital ventures of the Global Business Platforms. Certain alternative investment positions not allocated to business operating segments are included within Holding and Financing. In addition, this segment includes operational technical governance activities relating to technology, underwriting, claims, actuarial and pricing.

Non-Core Businesses include insurance and reinsurance businesses that the Group does not consider core to its operations and that are therefore mostly managed to achieve a beneficial run-off. Non-Core Businesses are mainly situated in the U.S., Bermuda, and in Europe.

Aggregations and additional information

Regional Property & Casualty and Life results are further aggregated to show a total Property & Casualty and total Life business view.

- Property & Casualty total
- Life total

For additional informational purposes, the Group also discloses income statement information for Property & Casualty Commercial Insurance and Property & Casualty Retail and Other Insurance results. Other Insurance includes SME, direct market and other program business.

- Property & Casualty Commercial Insurance
- Property & Casualty Retail and SME

Business operating profit

The segment information includes the Group's internal performance measure, business operating profit (BOP). This measure is the basis on which the Group manages all of its business units. It indicates the underlying performance of the Group's business units, after non-controlling interests, by eliminating the impact of financial market volatility and other non-operational variables. BOP reflects adjustments for shareholders' taxes, net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on investments (except for certain non-insurance operations included in Non-Core Businesses, investments in hedge funds as at fair value through profit or loss, certain securities held for specific economic hedging purposes and policyholders' share of investment results for the life businesses) and non-operational foreign exchange movements. Significant items arising from special circumstances, including restructuring charges, legal matters or large one-off regulatory projects outside the ordinary course of business, gains and losses on divestment of businesses, certain business combination integration costs and impairments of goodwill are also excluded from BOP.

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Table 14.1

	Table 14.1					
Property & Casualty	in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	Europe, Middle E	East & Africa	Nc	orth America	
- Overview by		2021	2020	2021	2020	
segment	Revenues					
segment	Direct written premiums	8,920	7,518	9,487	8,144	
	Assumed written premiums	1,318	1,262	474	402	
	Gross written premiums and policy fees	10,238	8,780	9,961	8,546	
	Less premiums ceded to reinsurers	(1,961)	(1,735)	(3,391)	(3,170)	
	Net written premiums and policy fees	8,277	7,045	6,570	5,376	
	Net change in reserves for unearned premiums	(1,539)	(1,218)	(1,445)	(746)	
	Net earned premiums and policy fees	6,739	5,827	5,125	4,630	
	Net investment income on Group investments	267	252	436	512	
	Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on					
	Group investments	13	2	49	40	
	Net investment result on Group investments	280	254	485	552	
	Other income	188	180	96	34	
	Total BOP revenues	7,206	6,262	5,706	5,216	
	Benefits, losses and expenses					
	Insurance benefits and losses, net	4,331	3,908	3,241	3,089	
	Policyholder dividends and participation in profits, net	4	3	5	4	
	Underwriting and policy acquisition costs, net	1,378	1,159	1,324	1,223	
	Administrative and other operating expense					
	(excl. depreciation/amortization)	702	719	231	114	
	Interest credited to policyholders and other interest	89	86	30	31	
	Restructuring costs and other items not included in BOP	(18)	(20)	(10)	(2)	
	Total BOP benefits, losses and expenses					
	(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	6,487	5,856	4,821	4,459	
	Business operating profit					
	(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	719	406	885	757	
	Depreciation and impairments of property and equipment	54	53	31	32	
	Amortization and impairments of intangible assets	34	45	24	19	
	Interest expense on debt	2	7	-		
	Business operating profit before non-controlling interests	630	301	830	706	
	Non-controlling interests	10	7	-	_	

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		Asia Pacific	La	atin America	Group R	leinsurance		Eliminations		Total
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
	1,459	1,281	1,138	1,027	-	_	-	_	21,004	17,970
	103	93	28	26	406	353	(1,299)	(1,168)	1,030	967
	1,562	1,374	1,166	1,053	406	353	(1,299)	(1,168)	22,034	18,937
	(310)	(251)	(281)	(257)	(277)	(286)	1,299	1,168	(4,920)	(4,531)
	1,252	1,122	885	795	129	67	-	-	17,114	14,406
	-	110	28	127	(77)	(66)	—	-	(3,033)	(1,794)
	1,252	1,232	913	922	52	1	_	-	14,081	12,612
	42	46	85	84	7	6	_	_	837	901
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	42
	42	46	85	84	7	6	_	-	899	943
	43	72	18	26	17	3	-	_	361	315
	1,336	1,349	1,017	1,033	76	10	_	_	15,341	13,870
		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·								
	694	723	359	334	187	405	-	_	8,811	8,460
	1	-	1	-	_	-	_	-	10	
	285	304	349	378	(15)	(4)	_	-	3,322	3,060
									,	,
	204	246	140	130	19	19	_	_	1,296	1.229
	2	1	18	17	3	4	_	-	142	140
	(6)	(3)	(18)	6	_	_	_	_	(53)	(19)
	(0)	(0)	(10)	<u> </u>					(00)	(±0)
	1,179	1,272	849	866	194	424	_	_	13,529	12,877
		, : _								,
	157	77	168	167	(118)	(414)	_	_	1,812	993
_	25	21	8	8	1	1	_	_	119	115
	12	10	6	5	_		_	_	76	78
					_	1	_	_	2	8
	120	46	154	154	(119)	(416)			1,615	791
	2		43	33	(110)	(+10)	_	-	55	40
	118	46	111	121	(119)	(416)			1,559	751
	110	40	111	121	(113)	(410)		_	1,009	/51

Table 14.2

Life –	in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	Europe, Middle	East & Africa	North America						
Overview by segment		2021	2020	2021	2020					
	Revenues									
	Life insurance deposits	5,217	4,132	407	364					
	Gross written premiums	3,886	3,568	72	69					
	Policy fees	764	682	184	199					
	Gross written premiums and policy fees	4,651	4,250	256	268					
	Net earned premiums and policy fees	4,229	3,882	194	259					
	Net investment income on Group investments	1,174	1,104	14	16					
	Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on									
	Group investments	265	14	9	(11)					
	Net investment result on Group investments	1,439	1,117	23	4					
	Net investment income on unit-linked investments	527	492	-	-					
	Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on									
	unit-linked investments	6,663	(2,566)	112	233					
	Net investment result on unit-linked investments	7,190	(2,073)	112	233					
	Other income	158	179	16	20					
	Total BOP revenues	13,017	3,106	345	517					
	Benefits, losses and expenses									
	Insurance benefits and losses, net	3,641	3,397	143	197					
	Policyholder dividends and participation in profits, net	7,461	(1,749)	112	233					
	Income tax expense/(benefit) attributable to policyholders	152	(137)	-	-					
	Underwriting and policy acquisition costs, net	526	515	19	29					
	Administrative and other operating expense									
	(excl. depreciation/amortization)	557	527	20	46					
	Interest credited to policyholders and other interest	116	110	27	-					
	Restructuring costs and other items not included in BOP	(31)	(7)	(1)	-					
	Total BOP benefits, losses and expenses									
	(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	12,422	2,655	320	506					
	Business operating profit									
	(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	595	450	25	11					
	Depreciation and impairments of property and equipment	12	12	-	-					
	Amortization and impairments of intangible assets	22	22	-	-					
	Interest expense on debt	-	-	_	-					
	Business operating profit before non-controlling interests	561	415	25	11					
	Non-controlling interests	57	51	-	-					
	Business operating profit	503	365	25	11					

Life includes approximately USD 709 million and USD 445 million of gross written premiums and future life policyholder benefits for certain universal life-type contracts in the Group's Spanish operations for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.



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	Asia Pacific	La	atin America	Group F	leinsurance	E		Total	
2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
53	63	1,641	1,650	-	-	-	-	7,318	6,209
1,218	1,038	1,033	1,168	27	23	(26)	(27)	6,210	5,840
92	52	35	26	-	-	-	-	1,075	959
1,310	1,090	1,068	1,194	27	23	(26)	(27)	7,285	6,799
1,083	928	951	1,059	16	12	-	-	6,472	6,140
91	79	209	163	-	-	(1)	(1)	1,487	1,360
(29)	(7)	1	(1)	-	-	—	-	246	(6)
62	71	210	162	-	-	(1)	(1)	1,733	1,354
54	43	12	16	—	-	-	-	593	552
75	(139)	366	159	-	_	-	-	7,216	(2,312)
129	(95)	378	175	—	-	-	-	7,809	(1,761)
11	10	50	34	-	-	(1)	(1)	235	242
1,285	914	1,588	1,430	16	12	(1)	(2)	16,249	5,976
537	572	464	439	-	4	-	-	4,785	4,609
105	(103)	380	174	-	_	-	-	8,057	(1,444)
19	(18)	_	-	-	-	-	-	170	(155)
159	159	470	473	5	4	(1)	(1)	1,178	1,179
291	246	108	54	-	1	—	-	977	873
6	6	15	9	—	_	_	-	164	126
 (18)	3	(8)	38	-	_	-	-	(58)	33
1,099	864	1,429	1,187	5	9	(1)	(1)	15,273	5,220
186	49	159	243	11	3	(1)	(1)	976	756
4	4	5	3	-	-	—	-	22	19
4	4	4	4	-	_	-	-	30	31
6	7	_	-	_	-	(1)	(1)	5	7
171	34	150	234	11	3	-	_	918	698
(1)	(1)	60	90	-	-	-	-	116	139
172	35	90	145	11	3	-	-	802	559

Table 14.3

Business operating profit by business

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in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30					
		y & Casualty		Life	
	2021	2020	2021	2020	
Revenues					
Direct written premiums	21,004	17,970	6,200	5,740	
Assumed written premiums	1,030	967	10	100	
Gross Written Premiums	22,034	18,937	6,210	5,840	
Policy fees	-	-	1,075	959	
Gross written premiums and policy fees	22,034	18,937	7,285	6,799	
Less premiums ceded to reinsurers	(4,920)	(4,531)	(702)	(604)	
Net written premiums and policy fees	17,114	14,406	6,584	6,195	
Net change in reserves for unearned premiums	(3,033)	(1,794)	(111)	(55)	
Net earned premiums and policy fees	14,081	12,612	6,472	6,140	
Farmers management fees and other related revenues	-	-	_	_	
Net investment income on Group investments	837	901	1,487	1,360	
Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on					
Group investments	62	42	246	(6)	
Net investment result on Group investments	899	943	1,733	1,354	
Net investment result on unit-linked investments	_	-	7,809	(1,761)	
Other income	361	315	235	242	
Total BOP revenues	15,341	13,870	16,249	5,976	
of which: inter-business revenues	1	(12)	(3)	(85)	
Benefits, losses and expenses					
Losses and loss adjustment expenses, net	8,812	8,458	_	_	
Life insurance death and other benefits, net	-	1	4,785	4,609	
Insurance benefits and losses, net	8,811	8,460	4,785	4,609	
Policyholder dividends and participation in profits, net	10	8	8,057	(1,444)	
Income tax expense/(benefit) attributable to policyholders	_	-	170	(155)	
Underwriting and policy acquisition costs, net	3,322	3,060	1,178	1,179	
Administrative and other operating expense	,		,	,	
(excl. depreciation/amortization)	1.296	1.229	977	873	
Interest credited to policyholders and other interest	142	140	164	126	
Restructuring costs and other items not included in BOP	(53)	(19)	(58)	33	
Total BOP benefits, losses and expenses	(00)	(10)	(00)		
(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	13,529	12,877	15,273	5,220	
Business operating profit	10,020	12,077	10,270	0,220	
(before interest, depreciation and amortization)	1,812	993	976	756	
Depreciation and impairments of property and equipment	119	115	22	19	
Amortization and impairments of intangible assets	76	78	30	31	
Interest expense on debt	2	8	5	7	
		-			
Business operating protit petore non-controlling interests	1.615	791	918	698	
Business operating profit before non-controlling interests Non-controlling interests	1,615 55	791 40	918	<u> </u>	

Life includes approximately USD 709 million and USD 445 million of gross written premiums and future life policyholder benefits for certain universal life-type contracts in the Group's Spanish operations for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

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			Group Functions			Non-Core					
		Farmers	and	Operations		Businesses	E	liminations		Total	
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	
	316	302	1	_	15	12	_	_	27,536	24.024	
	152	24	196		27	28	(101)	(8)	1,314	1,111	
-	468	326	197		41	40	(101)	(8)	28,850	25,135	
-	166	166			15	12	(101)	(0)	1,256	1,136	
-	634	491	197		56	52	(101)	(8)	30,106	26,271	
-	(86)	(86)	(79)		(6)	(1)	101	8	(5,692)	(5,214	
_	548	405	118		50	51			24,414	21,058	
-	(81)	405	(31)		6	3	_	_	(3,250)	(1,846	
-	467		88	_	56	54	_	_	21,164	19,212	
-		405	-		00	- 54	_	_	,	,	
	2,004	1,807							2,004	1,807	
-	88	99	83	87	73	99	(44)	(59)	2,523	2,486	
	2	(2)	_	-	(132)	252	_	_	178	287	
	90	97	83	87	(60)	351	(44)	(59)	2,701	2,773	
	132	(32)	_	_	157	78	_	_	8,098	(1,715	
	29	42	59	67	18	(13)	(134)	(175)	570	479	
	2,723	2,319	230	155	172	470	(178)	(234)	34,536	22,556	
	(3)	(11)	(169)	(119)	(3)	(6)	178	234	_		
	(-)	(/	()	()	(-)	(-)					
	66	15	1	-	(2)	5	-	-	8,876	8,478	
	280	220	63	_	(56)	346	_	_	5,071	5,176	
	346	235	63	_	(58)	351	_	_	13,947	13,654	
	137	(27)	4	_	163	87	_	_	8,372	(1,377	
	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	-	170	(155	
	65	55	17	2	3	5	(4)	-	4,581	4,301	
	1,254	1,153	303	231	30	49	2	(36)	3,860	3,500	
	55	51	62	62	12	13	(131)	(125)	303	267	
	(9)	(5)	(58)	(59)	-	_	—	-	(178)	(50	
	1,848	1,462	390	236	149	505	(133)	(161)	31,057	20,140	
	074	057	(100)	(01)	22	(25)	(45)	(70)	2 490	0.41	
	874 29	857	(160)	(81) 5		(35)	(45)	(72)	3,480 177	2,41 7	
	63	47	11	20	_				180	170	
	4	47	269	242	1		(45)		237	188	
	778	779	(446)	(349)	21	(39)	(45)	(72)	2.37	1,881	
	//8	-	(446)	(349)		(39)	_	_	2,880	,	
	778	779		(348)	21					180	
	//0	119	(446)	(340)	21	(39)	-	-	2,714	1,702	

Table 14.4

Reconciliation of BOP to net income

after income taxes

in LISD millions for the six months ended June 30

	Property	/ & Casualty		Life	
—	2021	2020	2021	2020	
Business operating profit	1,559	751	802	559	
Revenues/(expenses) not included in BOP:					
Net capital gains/(losses) on investments and impairments,					
net of policyholder allocation	555	14	73	69	
Net gains/(losses) on divestment of businesses ¹	-	-	(6)	(26)	
Restructuring costs	(21)	(8)	(16)	(10)	
Other adjustments ²	(31)	(12)	(42)	43	
Add back:					
Business operating profit attributable to					
non-controlling interests	55	40	116	139	
Net income before shareholders' taxes	2,117	786	927	775	
Income tax expense/(benefit) attributable to policyholders	_	_	170	(155)	
Net income before income taxes	2,117	786	1,098	620	
Income tax (expense)/benefit					
attributable to policyholders					
attributable to shareholders					
Net income after taxes					
attributable to non-controlling interests					
attributable to shareholders					

In 2021, Life included losses of USD 6 million as Zurich International Life Limited entered into an agreement to sell an insurance portfolio, Group Functions included losses of USD 33 million related of the sale of Bright Box (see note 3). In 2020, Life included losses of USD 19 million and Group Functions gains of USD 7 million respectively related to the sale of the UK Retail Wealth business. Life included losses of USD 7 million related to the sale of the UK Life portfolio
 Other adjustments in 2021 and 2020 include charges related to the implementation of IFRS 17 and business combination integration costs.

		Gro	oup Functions		Non-Core		
	Farmers	ar	nd Operations		Businesses		Total
2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
778	779	(446)	(348)	21	(39)	2,714	1,702
2	6	(228)	(105)	7	5	408	(11)
_	_		7	_	_	(39)	(18)
(2)	2		(4)	-	-	(41)	(19)
	(6)			-	-		(31)
_	_	_	_	_	_	172	180
772	780	(766)	(506)	27	(34)		1,802
_	-	_	_	_			(155)
772	780	(766)	(506)	27	(34)		1,646
			<u> </u>		<u> </u>		(341)
							155
							(496)
							1,305
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Table 14.5

Property & Casualty	in USD millions, for the six months ended June 30	Comme	ercial Insurance	F	Retail and SME		
- Commercial and		2021	2020	2021	2020		
Retail Insurance overview ¹	Gross written premiums and policy fees	15,520	13,306	7,416	6,470		
	Net earned premiums and policy fees	7,821	6,947	6,208	5,665		
	Insurance benefits and losses, net	4,952	4,819	3,673	3,236		
	Policyholder dividends and participation in profits, net	6	5	5	3		
	Total net technical expenses	2,257	2,041	2,160	2,079		
	Net underwriting result	606	82	371	347		
	Net investment income	587	651	244	244		
	Net capital gains/(losses) and impairments on investments	55	42	6	_		
	Net non-technical result (excl. items not included in BOP)	(58)	(48)	(77)	(111)		
	Business operating profit before non-controlling interests	1,190	726	544	481		
	Non-controlling interest	_	(1)	55	41		
	Business operating profit	1,190	726	489	440		

1 Commercial and Retail Insurance overview exclude Group Reinsurance.

15. Events after the balance sheet date

No events after the balance sheet date.



Review report of the auditors



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To the Board of Directors of Zurich Insurance Group Ltd, Zurich Zurich, August 11, 2021

Report on the review of interim condensed consolidated financial statements

Introduction

We have reviewed the interim condensed consolidated financial statements (income statement, statement of comprehensive income, balance sheet, statement of cash flows, statements of changes in equity and notes), pages 3 to 45, of Zurich Insurance Group Ltd for the period from January 1, 2021 to June 30, 2021. The Board of Directors is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting". Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed consolidated financial statements based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410 "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity". A review of interim financial information consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the interim condensed consolidated financial statements are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standard IAS 34 "Interim Financial Reporting".

Other matter

The Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for the period ended June 30, 2020 and the Consolidated Financial Statements for the year ended December 31, 2020 were reviewed and audited, respectively, by another auditor who expressed an unmodified conclusion on the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements on August 12, 2020 and an unmodified opinion on the Consolidated Financial Statements on February 10, 2021.

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