

Swiss Re – Leading Global Re/Insurer

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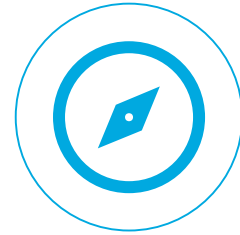
Today's focus areas



Overview and
Group Strategy



Business
Update



Capital
Management



Sustainability



Swiss Re's success is built on three key differentiation drivers

Reinsurance

Foundation of our strength with increasing earnings power

Corporate Solutions

Returning to profitability and focusing on competitive advantages

Life Capital

Transitioning to a digital B2B2C player



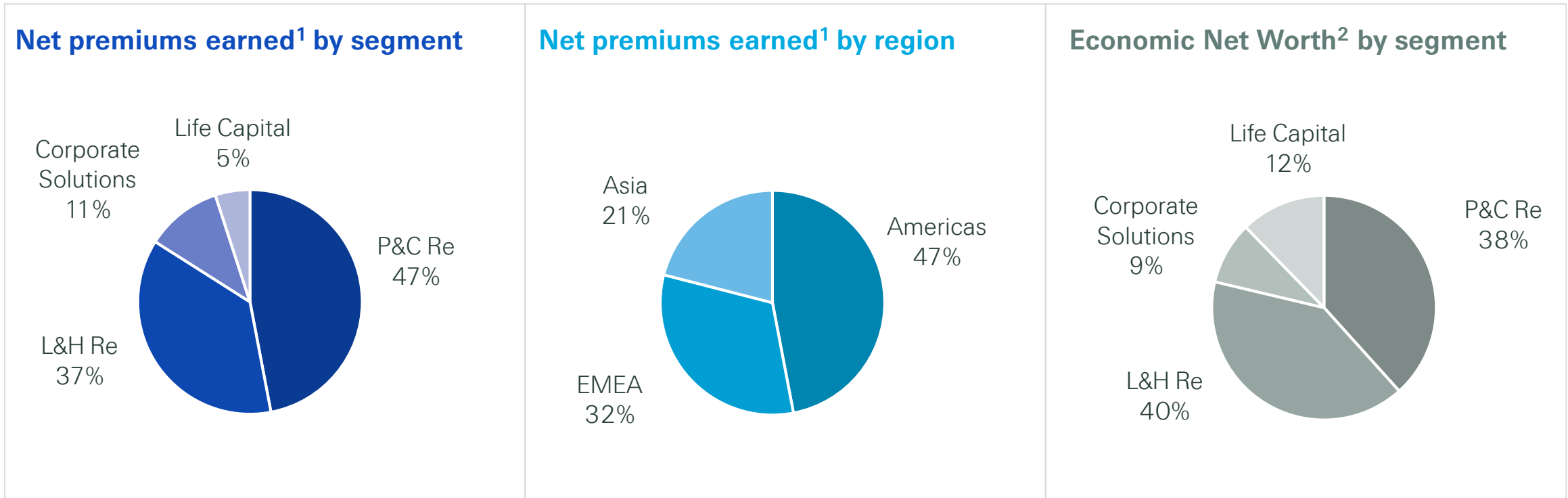
Client
Access

Risk
Knowledge

Capital
Strength



Swiss Re is well diversified across geographic regions and business segments



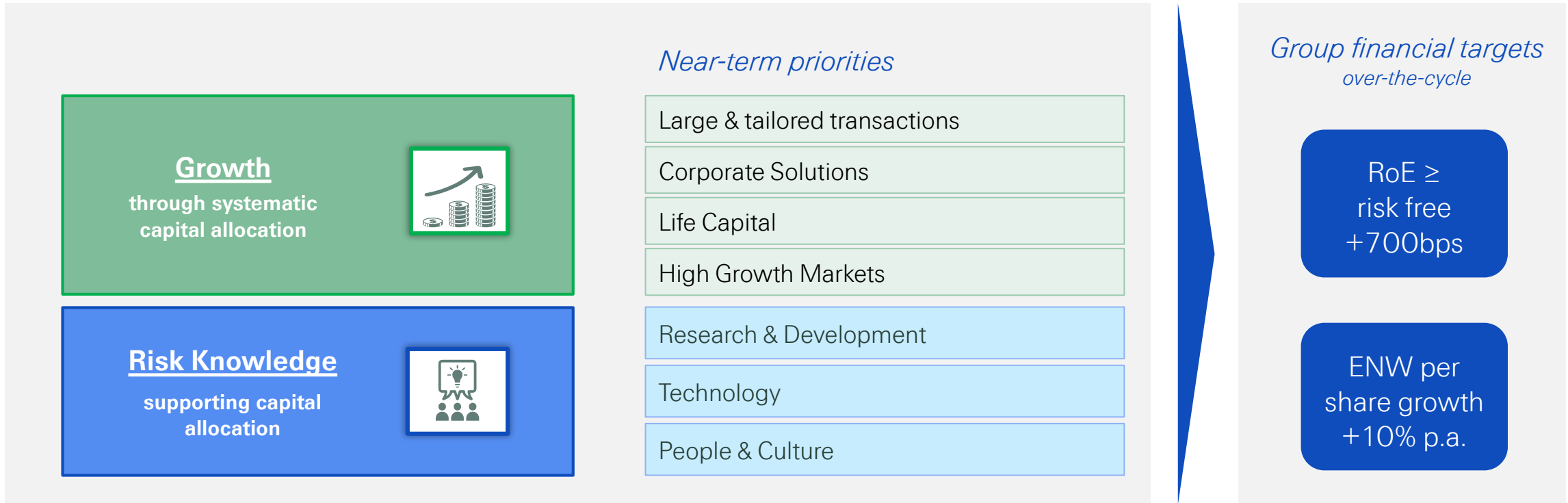
▶ Swiss Re benefits from geographic as well as business mix diversification and has the ability to reallocate capital to achieve profitable growth

¹ USD 34.5bn as at 31 December 2018; includes fee income from policyholders; does not reflect the exposure to HGMs through Principal Investments (PI)

² Share of Swiss Re Group's Economic Net Worth deployed across Business Units (excl. Group Items), 31 December 2018



Our near-term priorities remain unchanged



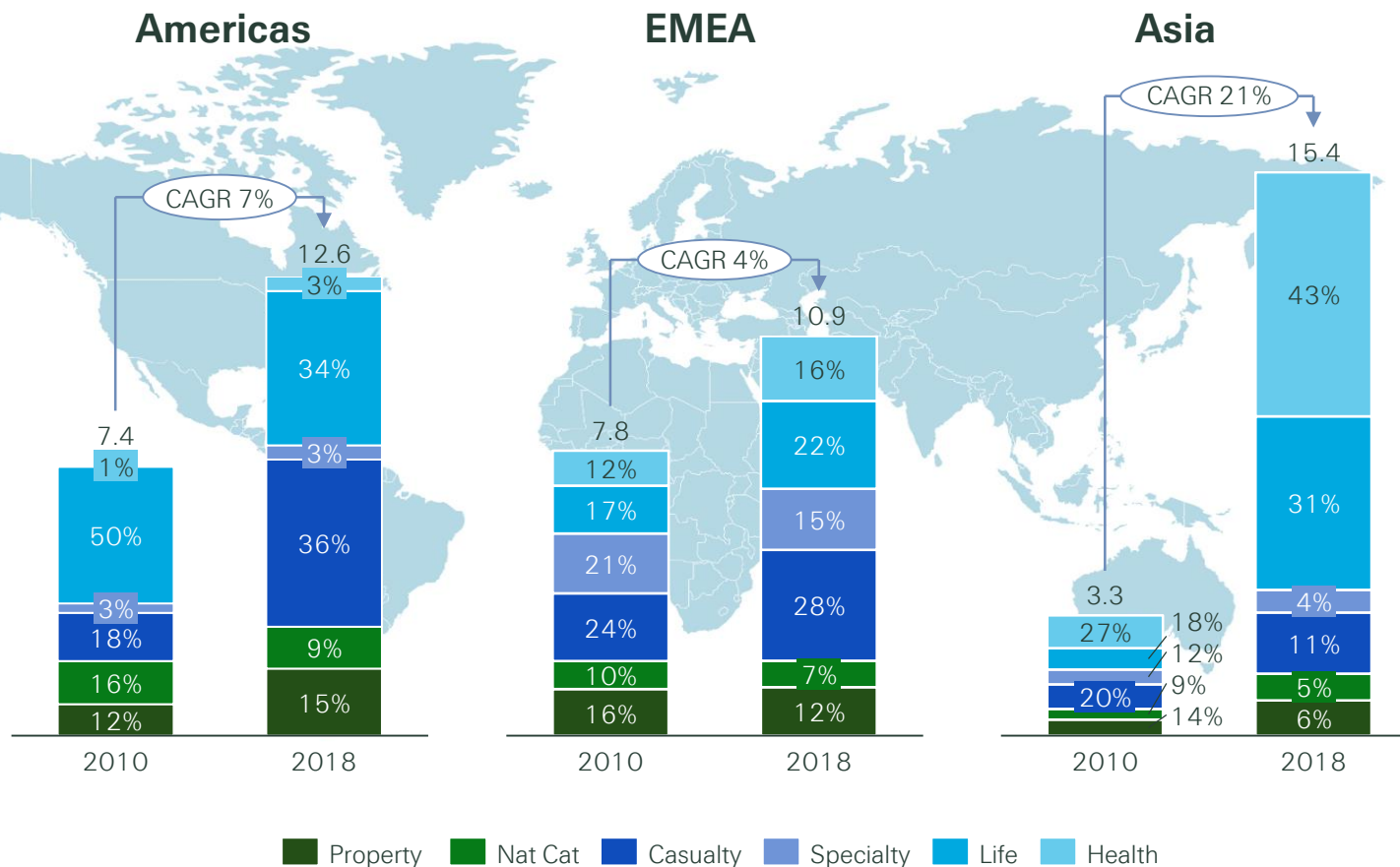
▶ We are a risk knowledge company that invests in risk pools



We have significantly grown and diversified our portfolio, building on our core strengths

Portfolio developments 2010-18

EVM premium (USD bn)

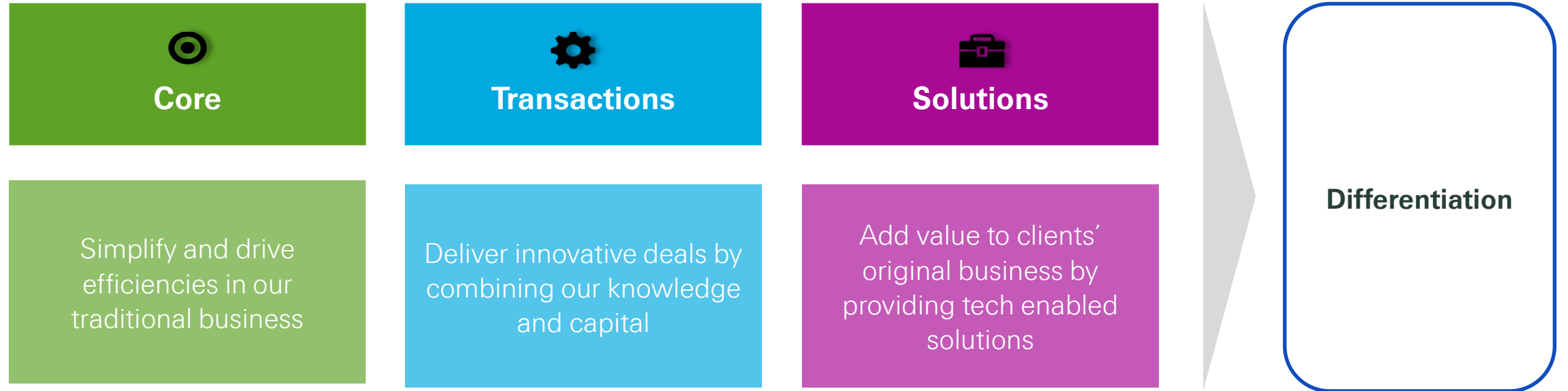


Core strengths

- Scale of the business
- Strong client access
- Diversification between P&C Re and L&H Re
- Risk knowledge



Differentiation is at the heart of what we do



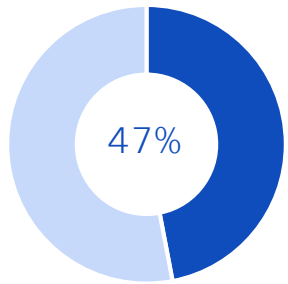
▶ We access risk pools through the three pillars of our strategy



Swiss Re's reinsurance client franchise represents the biggest source of our competitive advantage

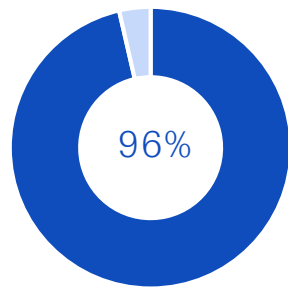
We have strong direct relationships with our customers...

P&C Reinsurance



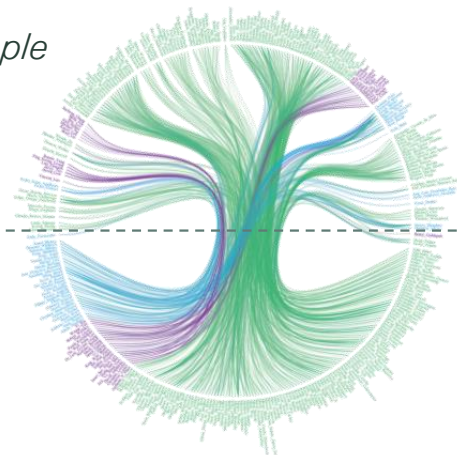
% of premiums from non-intermediated business, FY 2018

L&H Reinsurance



...with distinct client interactions

Client example

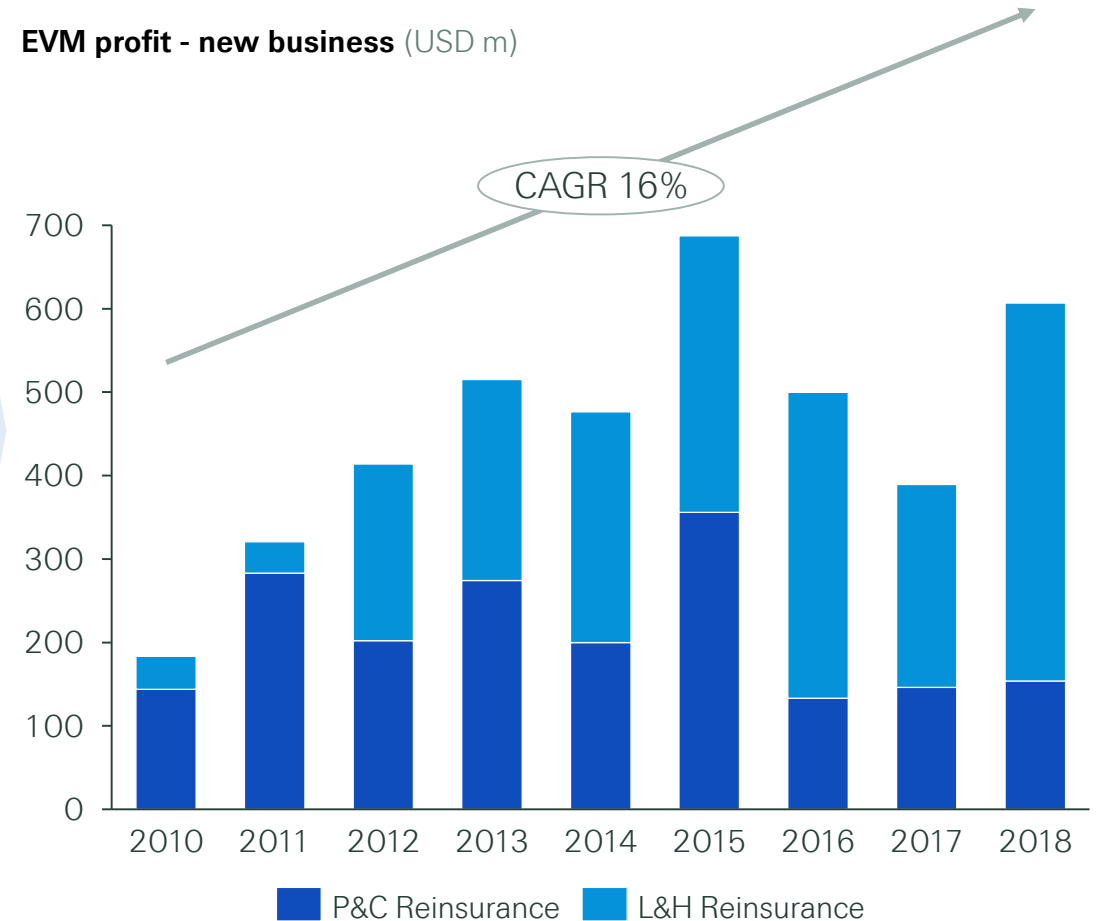


Swiss Re

- Americas
- APAC
- EMEA

Direct relationships drive our access to large & tailored transactions

EVM profit - new business (USD m)





Corporate Solutions' recent performance issues being decisively addressed with targeted management actions

Recent results have been disappointing



- Soft market environment
- Overweight US liability exposure
- Sub-scale in certain business lines
- Low reinsurance coverage

Decisive actions to fix performance issues



- Targeted portfolio pruning
- Strong push for price increases
- Improving productivity
- Protecting back-book and restoring capital strength
- Improving reinsurance structure

Return to underwriting profitability



Combined ratio
target
98%¹
in 2021

Access to commercial lines risk pool remains strategic to Swiss Re

¹ Assuming an average large nat cat loss burden and excluding prior-year reserve development

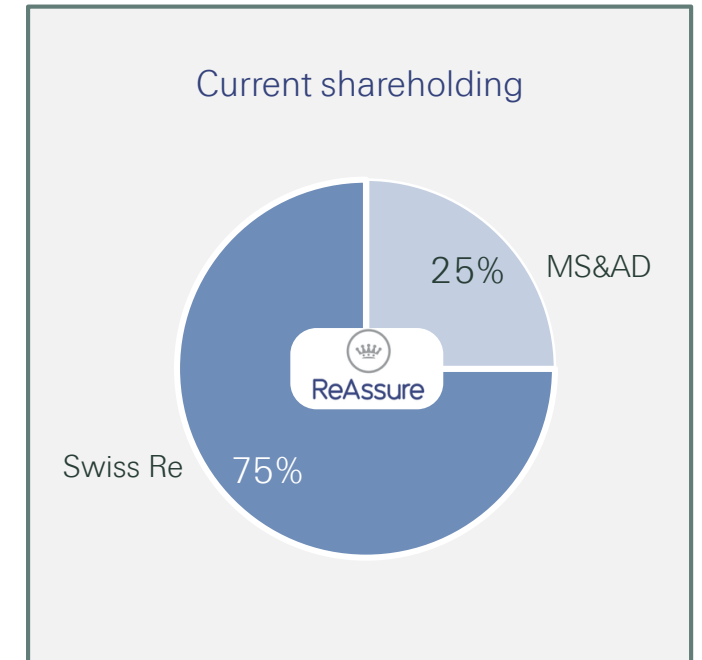


Mid-term outlook for Life Capital remains unchanged



ReAssure IPO suspended

- Heightened caution and weaker demand from institutional investors in UK primary market
- Unchanged mid-term objective to deconsolidate ReAssure; Swiss Re will continue to act in shareholders' best interest
- Re-launch of IPO process in 2019 not envisaged
- Continued confidence in growth potential of ReAssure and commitment to support future acquisitions alongside MS&AD

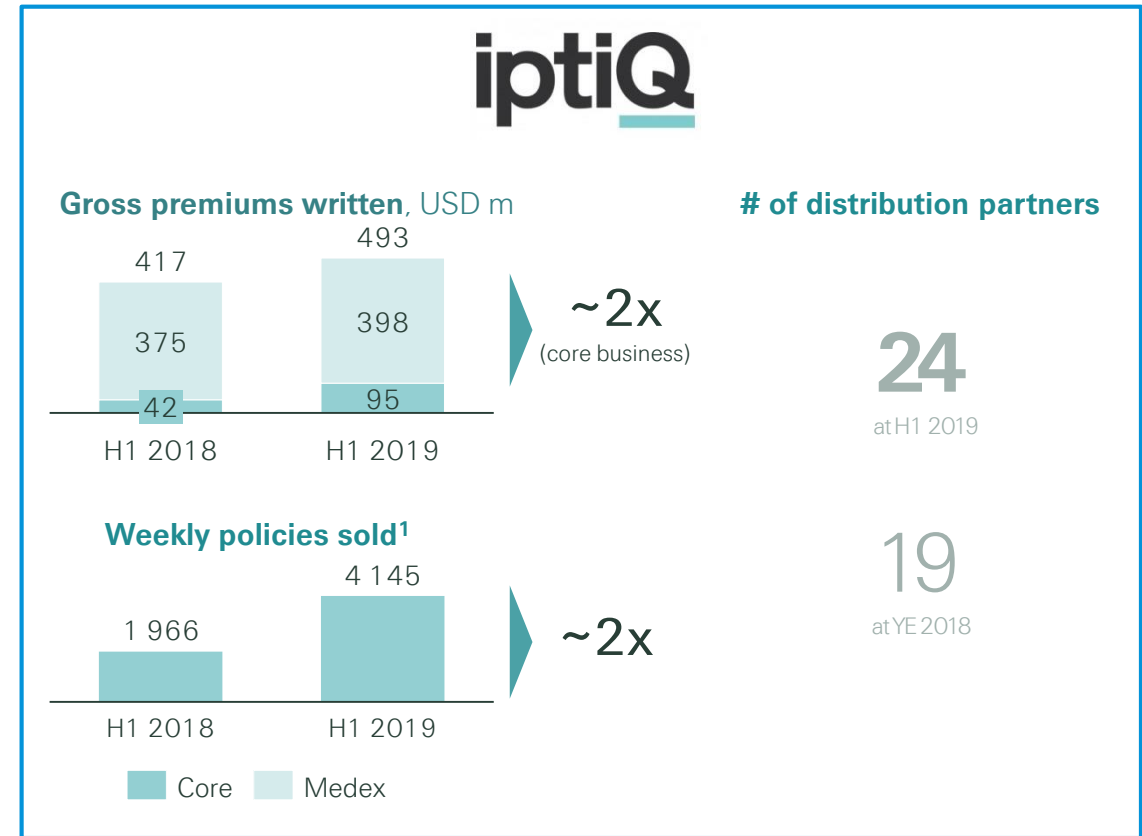
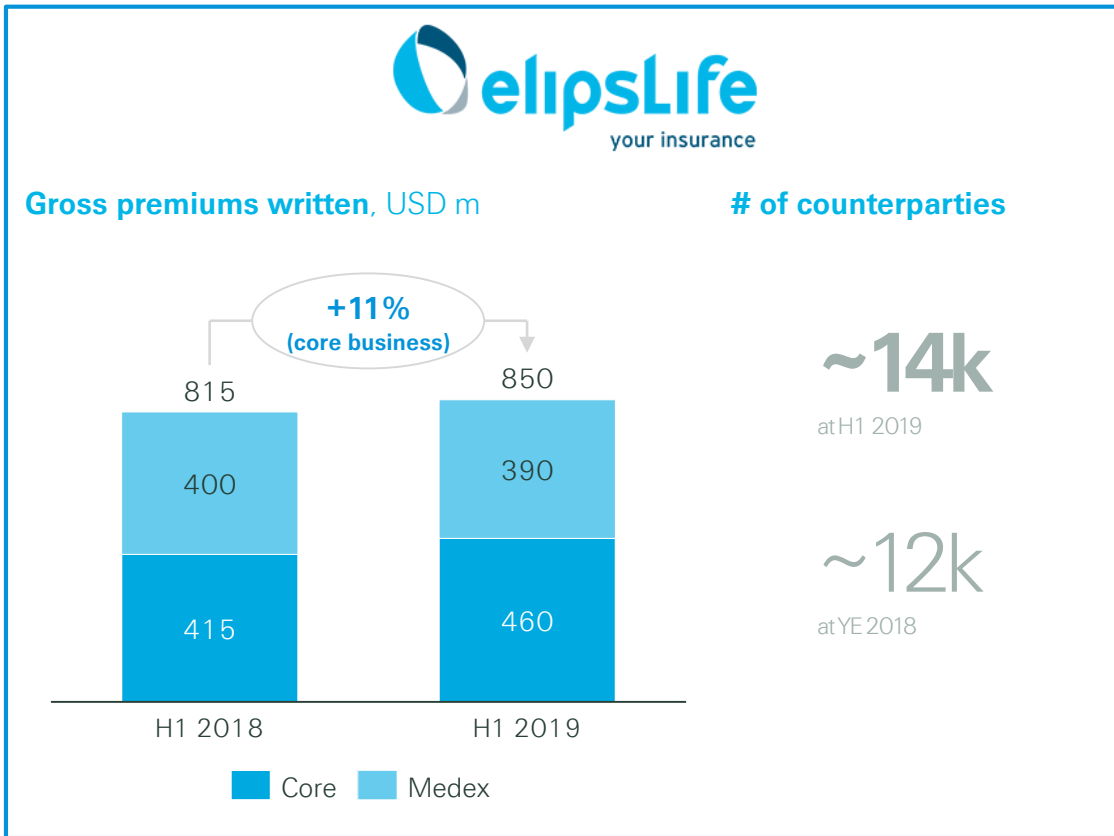


▶ Objective remains to reduce Swiss Re's ownership and to deconsolidate ReAssure (<50% stake)



Continued expansion of the open book businesses

Focus on primary risk pools based on B2B(2C) model

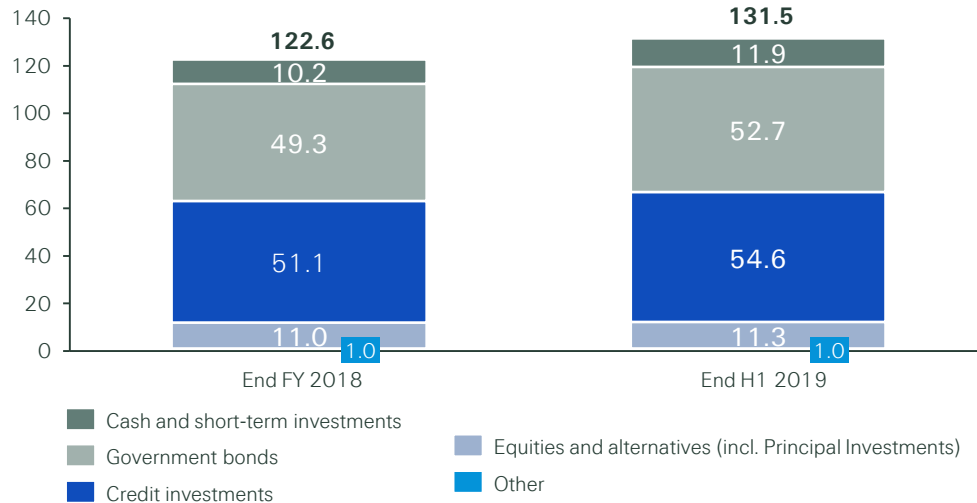


¹ Approx. average weekly policies sold, excluding medex business

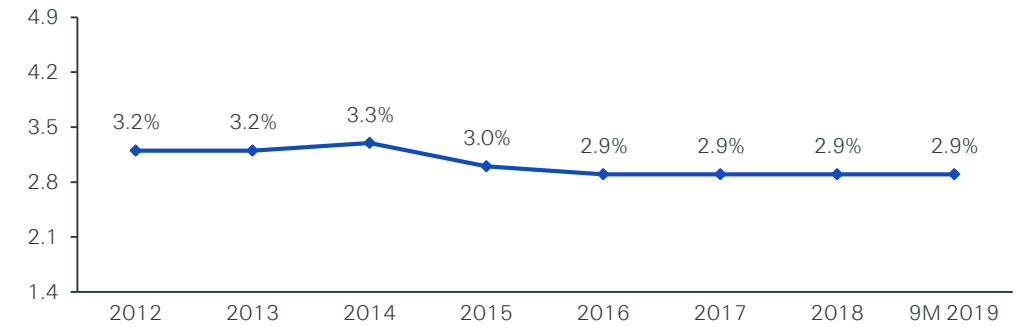


High quality portfolio drives the Group's sustainable investment result

Investment portfolio positioning (USD bn)



Running yield (%)



- High quality portfolio with less than 5% non-investment grade rated credit bonds as at H1 2019
- De minimis impairments across the portfolio in H1 2019

- Stable running yield due to concentration in higher-income, longer-maturity securities
- Projected running yield for FY 2019, which assumes that current low interest rates persist, is expected to decline to 2.8%



Update on the Group's 9M 2019 performance

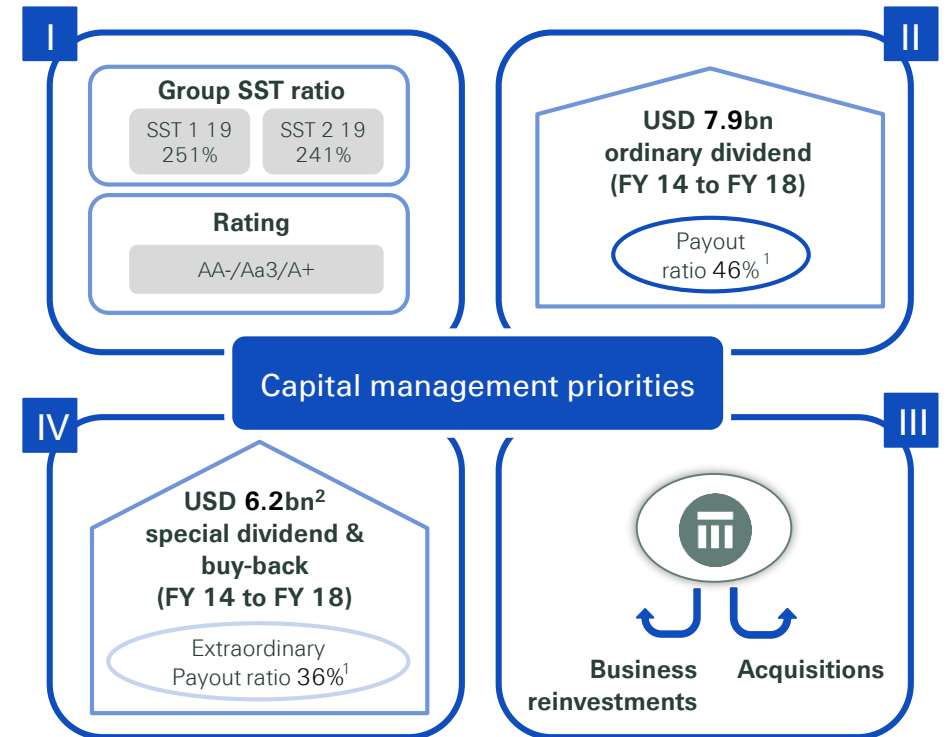
- Group net income of USD 1.3bn, up from USD 1.1 bn
- Property & Casualty Reinsurance net income up 39% to USD 880m; combined ratio of 101.4%; return on equity (ROE) of 11.8%
- Life & Health Reinsurance delivered strong result with net income of USD 651 m and ROE of 11.8%
- Corporate Solutions net loss of USD 441 m reflects decisive management actions and medium-sized and large man-made and natural catastrophe claims
- Life Capital net income of USD 40m; gross cash generation of USD 831 m
- Excellent return on investments (ROI) of 4.3%; stable running yield at 2.9%
- Group Swiss Solvency Test (SST) ratio remains very strong at 241 % (1 July 2019 estimate)



We remain focused on our capital management priorities

Swiss Re's capital management priorities remain unchanged

- I. Ensure superior capitalisation at all times and maximise financial flexibility
- II. Grow the regular dividend with long-term earnings, and at a minimum maintain it
- III. Deploy capital for business growth where it meets our strategy and profitability requirements
- IV. Repatriate further excess capital to shareholders



¹ Payout ratio calculated as capital repatriation over total contribution to ENW; includes the unconditional tranche of the 2019/2020 share buy-back of up to CHF 1 bn

² Includes unconditional tranche of the 2019/2020 share buy-back programme of up to CHF 1 bn



Continued focus on integration of sustainability criteria in investment and underwriting decisions



External recognition



Sustainability actions (examples)

- ✓ Close to 100% of assets under management consider Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) criteria
- ✓ Invested USD 1.6bn into green bonds (end FY 2018)
- ✓ Comprehensive sustainability risk framework including thermal coal policy in place
- ✓ ~3,400 wind and solar farms insured (end FY 2018)
- ✓ 100% Greenhouse Gas neutral since 2003
- ✓ Reduced CO₂ emissions per employee by more than 50% since 2003

Corporate calendar & contacts

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2019

25 November

Investors' Day 2019

London

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