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Dear Sir/Madam,

QBE North American Operations Investor and Analyst Day presentation – 17 October 2014

Please find attached a copy of a presentation from QBE North American Operations to be delivered today in New York.

Yours faithfully

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Peter Smiles Deputy Company Secretary

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QBE Insurance Group Ltd Investor Day Presentation

QBE NA Operations Business Review

October 2014



North America Business Review - Agenda



QBE NA Divisional Overview Dave Duclos- Chief Executive Officer	
QBE NA Financials Richard Dziadzio – Chief Financial Office	9.30 - 11.00
Standard Lines Alan Driscoll – Head of Standard Lines	
Coffee Break	11.00 – 11.15
Mortgage and Lender Services Bob James – Chief Operations Officer	
Crop Richard Dziadzio – Chief Financial Officer	
Specialty Jeff Grange – Head of Specialty Lines	
Risk John Langione – Chief risk Officer	11.15 – 1.00
Claims Dave Duclos– Chief Executive Officer	
Q&A	
Lunch	1.00 – 2.00



QBE NA Operations NA Divisional Overview

Dave Duclos – October 2014



QBE North American Operations





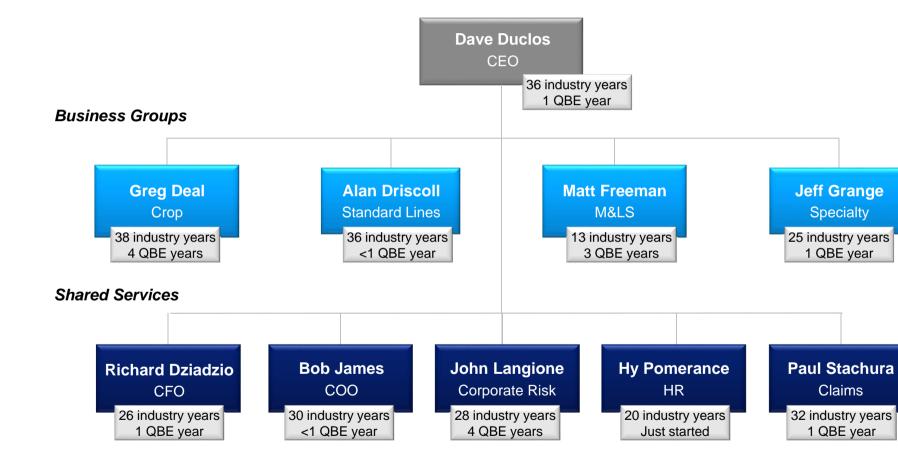
"There have been significant changes to our management structure with a number of quality external appointments who are now implementing changes to the business portfolios, structure, people and processes.

Good progress has been made in implementing the change needed to protect and enhance our valuable US franchise, with the primary goal of achieving our financial targets."



QBE NA Divisional Overview NA Executive Management Board







QBE Divisional Overview NA Historical Overview



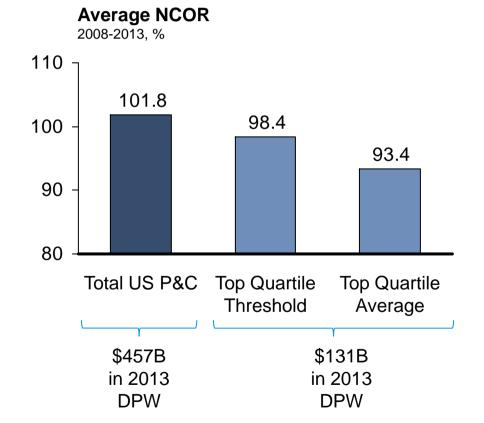
1990s	2000s	2010 – 2011	2012 – present
US Representative Office set-up American Royal Re (Reinsurance) acquired and Specialty Insurance business units created	 Farmers Union Insurance and QBE Agri business added Winterthur US acquired: Regional business unit formed 	 US Agencies is formed with MGA acquisitions NAU acquired 	 Industry consolidation on Lender Placed Commodity Prices Decline
	Praetorian Financial Group and North Pointe Insurance acquired Sterling National	 Balboa portfolio acquired Ren Re US 	
	acquired	business acquired	



QBE Divisional Overview Average Industry NCOR



Aspiring to mid 90s NCOR means performing at the Top of the US P&C industry



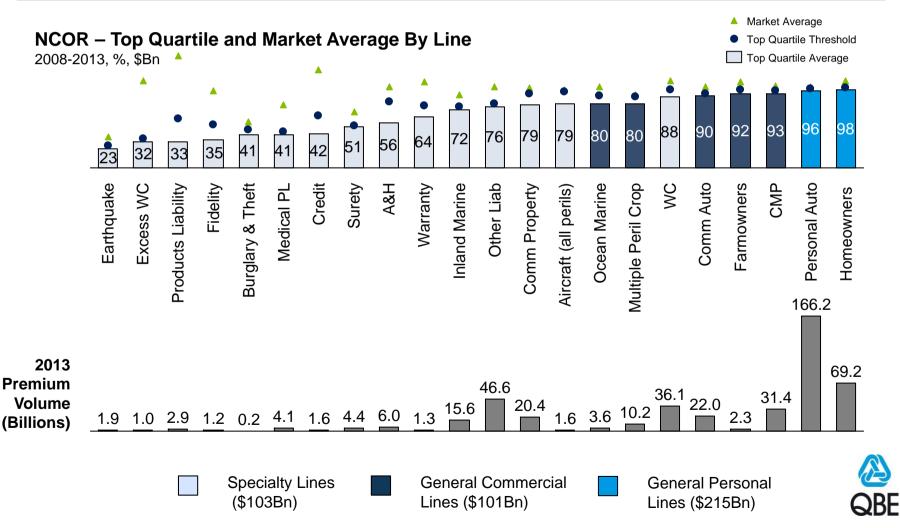
- Average US P&C performance is far from QBE NA's aspirations
- Therefore we will carefully select the LOBs that we write, and aim to build a portfolio that can deliver target NCOR



QBE Divisional Overview US P&C Industry Business Line Performance



Only way to achieve NCOR in the mid 90s is to grow specific specialist lines

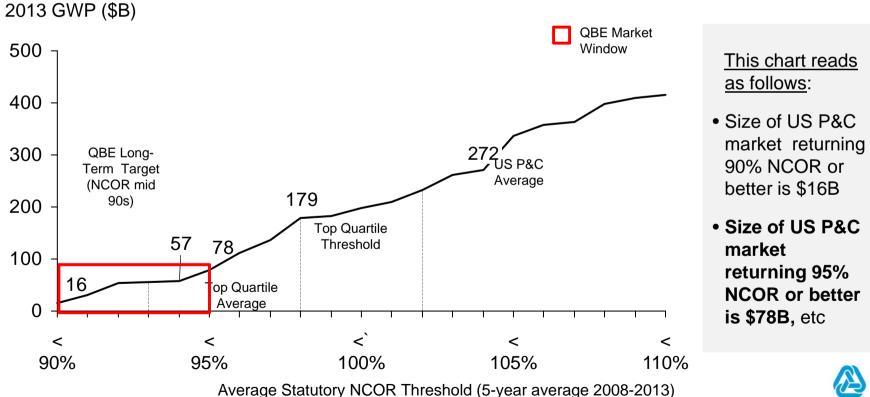


QBE Divisional Overview Market Size



Building a portfolio that delivers NCOR in the mid 90s, means targeting a market that is probably \$80-100B in total size

Size of the US P&C Market by NCOR Band





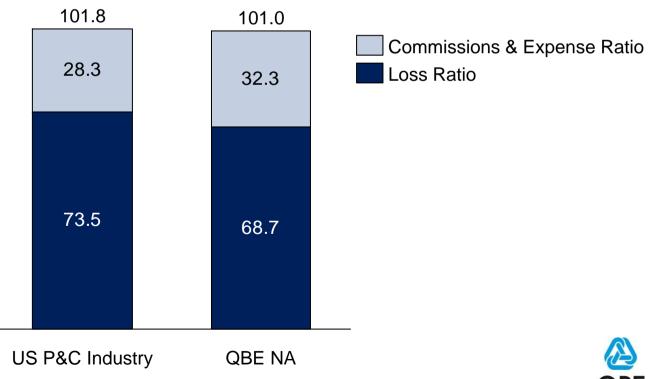
QBE Divisional Overview **Industry Versus QBE**



QBE has historically outperformed the industry on the loss ratio; however, expense and commission ratio has been higher than that of the industry

2008 – 2013 Average NCOR

Industry versus QBE, %



QBE Divisional Overview NA High-level "Strategy on a Page"



AMBITION	Become a relevant specialty-focused carrier in NA, with market recognized underwriting ability, risk selection, and capacity
<u>WHERE</u> TO WIN	GROW / MAINTAIN IMPROVE Divest
	Specialty Program Crop Consumer Risk Mgmt. Middle Market M&LS US Agencies
<u>HOW TO</u> <u>WIN</u> (Pillars/ Principles)	Portfolio Management • We will smartly deploy capital to improve and expand our business • We will make expert assessments of risk and volatility • We will make informed decisions based on data and analytics • We will actively manage our businesses to deliver quality and balanced earnings
	 Customer Focus We will anchor our decisions with an informed view of customer needs We will consistently deliver our products and services in a highly efficient and effective manner We will provide easy access to our products and services
	Organizational Effectiveness • We will competitive advantages and proficiencies based on our technical expertise • We will create the infrastructure that enables us to share and leverage knowledge and resources across the division • We will manage our people and processes to deliver measurable results that improve our profitability • We will create the infrastructure that enables us to share and leverage knowledge and resources across the division • We will manage our people and processes to deliver measurable results that improve our profitability • We will create the infrastructure that enables us to share and leverage knowledge and resources across the division • We will manage our people and processes to deliver measurable results that improve our profitability • We will continually look for ways to improve both the cost and quality of what we do • We will continue the cost and quality of the cost and
	Talent & Leadership • We will build an organizational culture of shared accountability and high performance • We will provide an environment that supports and develops talent • We will collectively foster an environment of open and robust communication to ensure all staff stay informed and engaged





- QBE NA Transformation will enable achievement of NA Strategy 1.
 - QBE NA's ambition is to become a successful specialty-focused carrier in North America
 - To achieve this transformation, NA has launched several key initiatives -

Transformation initiatives are aligned to our defined NA Strategic Pillars 2.

Initiatives will allow to improve our effectiveness, efficiency, and impact along the four key pillars of our strategy: Portfolio Management, Customer Focus, Organizational Effectiveness, and Talent & Leadership

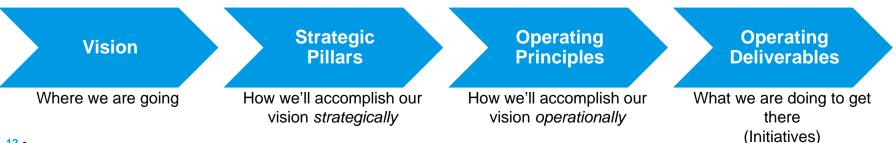
Definition of requirements is key to be successful 3.

- Success requires NA to prioritize and sequence activities effectively
- Capabilities and organizational alignment must be improved to enable and deliver across initiatives

We need to leverage existing capabilities and map and measure processes and progress 4.

- Transformation is challenging and complex and demands rigorous management
- Leverage success the Quantum tool set to create a Business Transformation Office

There are four pillars to our strategy:



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QBE NA Transformation

Profitable Growth, Organization Optimization and Business Enablement



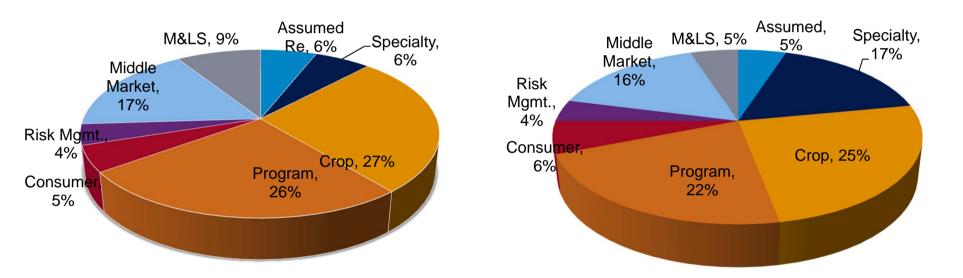
	Initiative	Description
	1 Middle Market	 Implement underwriting actions aligned to stabilize / grow premium
Profitable Growth	2 M&LS	 Implement actions to improve M&LS profitability
	3 Program	 Improve Program business profitability by increased oversight and discipline of key process and strong data / analytics capabilities
	4 Build Specialty	 Build and expand Specialty business through organic growth (recruiting underwriting teams)
Organizational	5 Project Leap	 Align staff and processes to current / future needs Maximize variable cost structure / evaluate sourcing on non core competencies Execute the path to an effective geographic footprint Define core processes / Eliminate waste
	6 Real Estate Footprint	 Align real estate with business needs and objectives Consolidate locations and maximize presence in top underwriting centers or core operating hubs
	Continued Offshoring	 Drive completion of final waves of Quantum Leverage GSSC in future design model and for additional support
	8 Enhance Actuarial	 Enhance capabilities. Predictive model function and ability to drive analysis / findings to appropriate business leaders for fact-based decision making
Business Enablement 10	9 IT Enhancements	 Pursue variable IT cost options Decommissioning strategy Enable business capabilities to support growth; Optimize and fix areas
	10 Data / Analytics	 Develop Data/Analytics capability and strategy Launch effort to address critical Program data needs

QBE NA Transformation Profitable Growth – Portfolio Transformation

GWP 2014



GWP 2017



- "Specialty" portfolios to become a material part of QBE NA's book
- Most of effort focusing on "organic" growth (addition of new lines)
- Sale of US Agencies (CAU, Deep South, SIU) retained underwriting (~2% of total included in Program for 2014 GWP)



QBE NA Transformation Profitable Growth - US Agencies Divestiture

North America Operations

	CAU	DEEP SOUTH INSURANCE SERVICES SINCE 1967	S
Year Founded:	1989	1967	1 999
Year Acquired by QBE:	2008	2008	2008
Headquarters:	Newtown, PA	Irving, TX	 Glendale, CA
CEO / President:	Lori Long	Tracy Bowden	 Guillermo Gonzalez
Specialty Focus:	Community Associations	Transportation	Earthquake / DIC
2014E Premium:	\$204 million	\$95 million	\$55 million
2014E EBITDA ^(a) :	\$17 million	\$5 million	\$4 million
Geographic Focus:	Northeast and Western U.S.	Louisiana and Texas	California and Pacific Northwest
Primary Policy Type:	Admitted	Admitted	Non-Admitted



(a) Excludes holding company expenses.

QBE NA Transformation Organizational Optimization – Design Principles



Our organizational design principles will guide the decisions we make around structure, processes, souring opportunities and geographic footprint.

Portfolio Management	 Build cost structures that maximize variable expenses Make conscious decisions around if and when to compartmentalize a business from integration efforts
Customer Focus	 Invest in areas that serve the needs of our customer Stop services that are not aligned to customer requirements
Organizational Effectiveness	 Combine like functions Flatten our organization Build up around insurance core processes Aggressively use shared services (including the GSSC) Outsource when we can get it better and cheaper externally Consolidate our geographic footprint
Culture, Talent & Leadership	 Empower staff to make decisions and take risks Track performance and increase manager accountability Have clear roles, responsibilities and performance metrics



QBE NA Transformation Quantum – Basis for a Successful Transformation



Quantum has led to the all encompassing transformation we are now driving. Its operational milestones have been met by aggressively managing cost / right sizing.

- Through reductions, outsourcing and GSSC migrations, NA has reduced headcount by approximately over 2,500 to date
- NA has approximately 212 associates at the GSSC performing HR, Claims, Finance, and Operations functions
- 64 Stage Gates and 14 Go-Live Events. 3 Go-live Events planned for the remainder of 2014
- Finance: Five Finance Waves (132 GSSC associates) live as of August 2014
- IT: Completed Implementation of Application Development and Maintenance (ADM) to Accenture in 2014 (633 Applications)
- Claims: Completed migration to Sedgwick in 2013 and Collateral Protection Insurance (CPI) to the GSSC in July 2014
- QBENA Ops: US Hub launched in March 2014. Re-launched Middle Markets migration to the GSSC
- Human Resources: YOUR1HR, Recruitment, Benefits, Data Management and Learning & Development Administration live as of June 2014. Compensation and HR Advisory targeted for November 2014
- MLS Operations: Successfully executed FTE normalization plan. Transitioned CPI QC process in May 2014 and executing Wave 2 (Additional Wells Fargo Dealer Services processes)
- **Procurement:** On track for procurement savings targets

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QBE NA Transformation Impact on Staff To Date North America Operations Increased offshoring and outsourcing has resulted in greater flexibility and variability of cost **Headcount Trends** GSSC Third Parties Contractors -31% Full Time 8,510 6,817 5,906 Dec'12 Aug'14 Dec'13

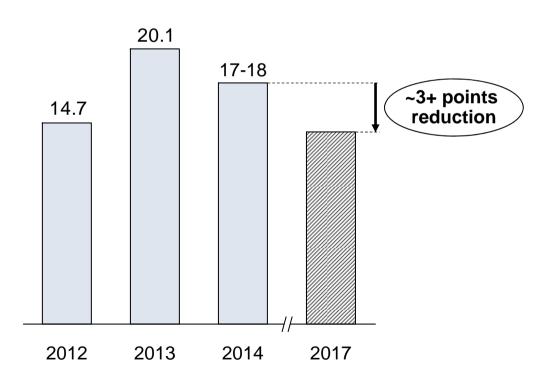


QBE NA Transformation Expense Ratio Improvement



A key outcome of the QBE NA Transformation will be to achieve a Top Quartile Expense Ratio

Net UW Expense Ratio



Driven by organizational re-design levers described:

- Delayering
- Right-sizing
- Footprint
- Offshoring
- Outsourcing



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Final Thoughts



QBE NA is undertaking a considerable transformation program to deliver Top Quartile performances and is on track to achieve strong results in the years to come.

- Results stabilization occurring....underlying trends in several key areas improving
- Continue to attract top talent in underwriting and key functional areas
- Becoming a more relevant specialty underwriter in the eyes of our agent/brokers and clients
- Our strategy and accompanying Transformation Roadmap guide the changes in structure, process and performance



QBE NA Operations Financial Update

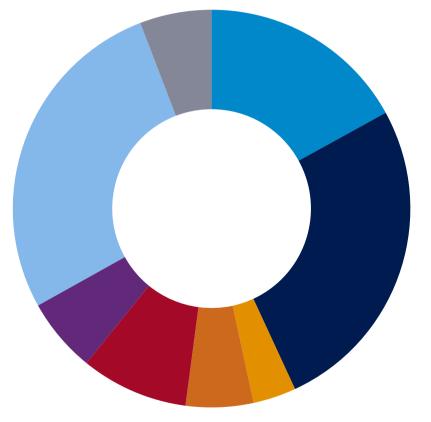
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QBE NA 2014 Overview



QBE NA GWP - \$5.3 Billion



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QBE NA Historical Financials



		Year ended 31 December				
		FY11	FY12	FY13	1H13	1H14
GWP	US\$M	7,451	6,565	5,951	2,750	2,472
NEP	US\$M	6,025	5,625	5,030	2,115	1,917
Loss Ratio (ex PYD.)	%	64.1	66.2	67.1	58.1	57.5
Prior Year Development	%	1.6	5.6	8.5	3.0	2.6
Commission Ratio	%	15.3	15.7	15.8	18.7	18.6
Expense Ratio	%	11.2	14.7	20.1	19.5	19.7
NCOR	%	92.2	102.2	111.5	99.3	98.4
Insurance profit	US\$M	572	(57)	(535)	37	56
Insurance margin	%	9.5	(1.0)	(10.6)	1.8	2.9
RBC Ratio	%	383	476	390		

<u>1H 2013 vs 1H 2014</u> Positives

- Solid rate increases achieved, albeit tapering
- Middle market GWP stabilized and retention improved
- Benign CAT to date
- QBE NA capital position remains strong

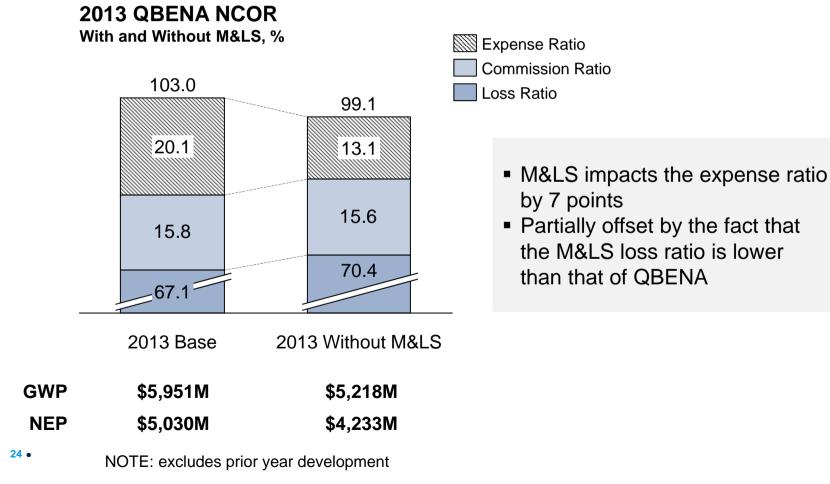
Challenges

- Further contraction on LPI
- Slight prior year development (Crop)

NOTES: Management basis; RBC ratio at 1x ACL (total adjusted stat capital divided by capital required at the Authorized Control Level). This ratio reflect the sum of the capital for the individual entities after adjusting for subsidiaries.

2013 Impact of M&LS on QBENA Portfolio

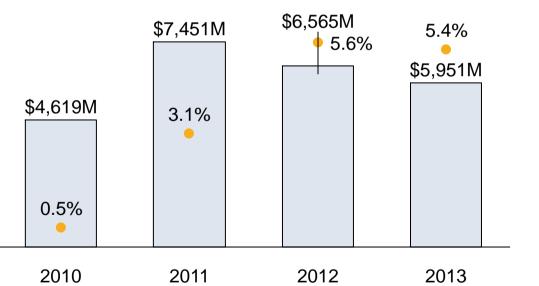
QBENA NCOR negatively impacted by M&LS in 2013 and 1H14

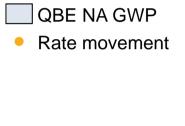


Historical Overview of GWP and Rate Movement





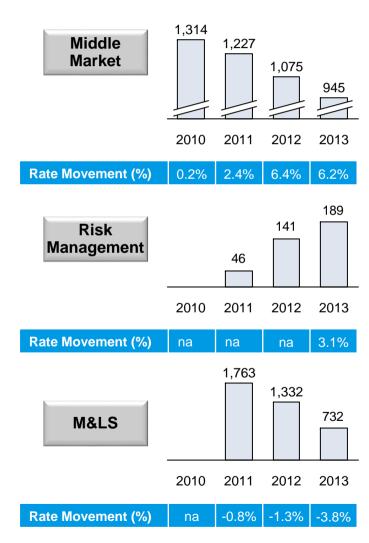


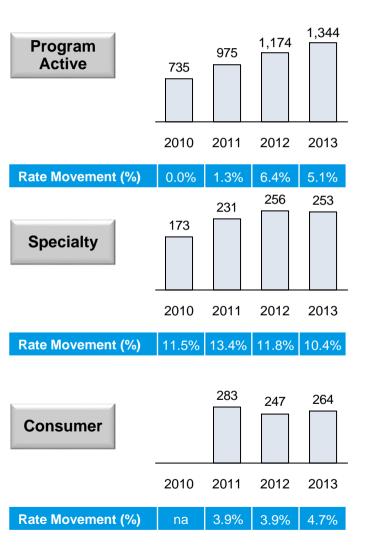




Historical Overview By Business GWP and Rate Movement







Market Conditions Overview



Current 2014 conditions

- Personal lines rates up ~3%
- Commercial lines rates up by ~2% for liability, but down for property
- Specialty lines varied but trending down to no better than flat
- Workers' compensation rates up ~2%

Forecast 2015 conditions

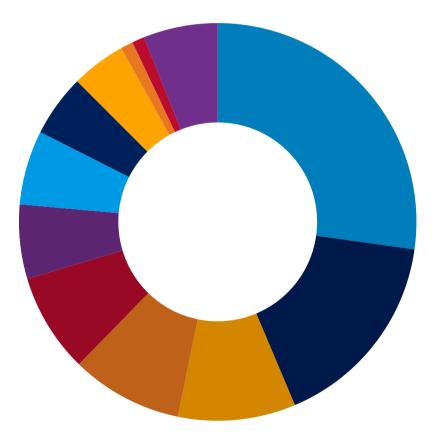
- Personal lines expected to continue to increase in the ~2-5% range
- Commercial lines rates pressure expected to continue
- Specialty lines expected to remain flat to down ~5% with additional competition in the market place
- Workers' compensation rates expected moderate to increases of ~1.5%



QBE NA Product Mix Overview



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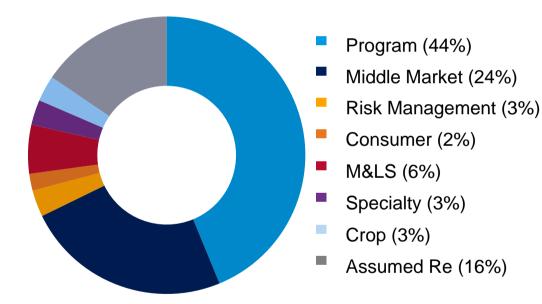
- Multiple Peril Crop (27%)
- Commercial Property (16%)
- Personal Property (10%)
- M&LS (9%)
- Workers Comp (8%)
- Commercial Liability (6%)
- Specialty (6%)
- Commercial Auto (5%)
- Personal Auto (4%)
- Commercial Agri (1%)
- Flex Biz / BOP (1%)
- Assumed RE (6%)



QBE NA Half Year Reserves Overview



Half Year Net Reserves Balance By Business



Half Year Comments

- \$51M of adverse prior year development in the first half:
 - \$32M pertaining to late Crop claim notifications which impacted the entire industry
 - Assumed Re and Program experienced minor adverse prior year development
- New actuarial team in 2014; new Chief Actuary hired in May – Leigh Oates



QBE NA Operations Standard Lines

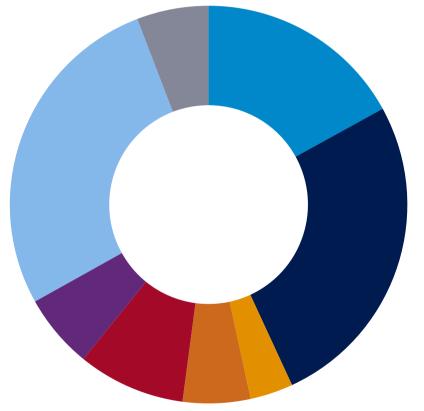
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Standard Lines: Current Profile

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Business groups organized around Product, Distribution Channel and Customer with a focus on technical leadership and superior underwriting proficiency

Middle Market

- Standard Commercial Lines offered through >1,300 independent and >300 captive agents with focus on small to medium commercial accounts. Ambition to leverage loss control and claims services to grow larger accounts
- Agri products offered through ~800 independent and exclusive agents
- Personal Lines solutions with third party niche features which minimize the commodity aspect

Program

- Market leading presence, as QBE is one of the four largest carriers in the US Procram Market with access to market leading program administrators
- Continued re-underwriting over past two years with active programs totaling ~42 having been reduced rom ~90 in 2011
- Continue to focus on (rowing E&S Casualty and noncritical CAT programs

Risk Management

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- **"One-stop provider"** of customized and comprehensive multiline commercial property and casualty coverage to brokers and insured's
- Continued portfolio rebalancing with a focus on growing Casualty lines and within Casualty, a focus towards loss sensitive WC accounts
- Strong organic growth since inception

Consumer

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- Provides consumer products and solutions through financial institutions, home builders, realtors and property managers
- 19 of the top 25 homebuilders (15 distribution relationships exclusive to QBE)
- Largest producer of mortgage originated homeowner's policy in the U.S.



Middle Market Business Overview



QBE

Ambition: To be a top performing middle market organization working with select partners and offering products for small, medium and large commercial accounts, personal lines products, and agricultural products

Commercial Lines	 Deliver top performing middle market products and services to our small, medium and large commercial accounts Grow in underpenetrated states (south and east) while avoiding weather prone areas Improve ease of doing business with agency portal enhancements and quote proposal tools
Personal Lines	 Deliver industry leading underwriting returns through niche & traditional products Grow where we can meet our profit goals without extraordinary expense or undue regulation Partner provide niche endorsement coverage and limit our exposure to segments that are highly price sensitive, lack upselling opportunities or require greater maintenance expense
Agri Lines	 Be a highly profitable and growing Agricultural insurance provider commanding respect of the market based on sophistication of product and underwriting expertise Increase geographic diversity by expanding in western states, south and east Merge product and platform, avoid weather prone areas (Midwest and coast)
Goals / Priorities	 Stabilize premium retention through a more market driven approach. Achieve rate movements that are aligned with market realities Encourage new business production by leveraging existing strong agent relationships and partner with distribution channel. Fix negative impact of agent terminations Focus on expense reduction measures and effective platform (target expense ratios that are aligned with top quartile performance) Develop and retain a strong management team

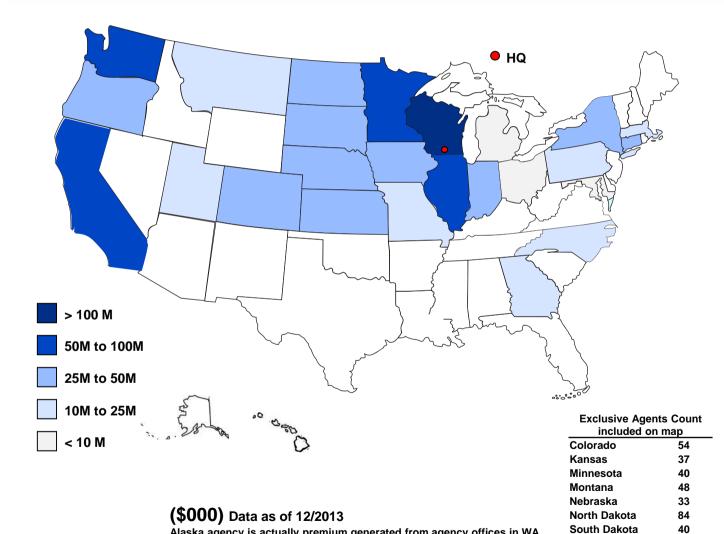
Middle Market Long Term Value of Middle Market Business



- With a renewed management team, we believe in our ability to leverage pre-existing strong relationships with our independent agents
- Confidence in ability to further leverage national footprint with local distribution
- Strong underwriting results through disciplined risk selection
- Leading presence in Agricultural sector with unique exclusive distribution
- Focus will be on Expenses significant opportunities exist to find synergies and reduce Middle Market infrastructure cost and footprint



1 Middle Market **Premium (All Products) and Agent Count By State**



Alaska agency is actually premium generated from agency offices in WA

Utah

Wyoming

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Focus Areas

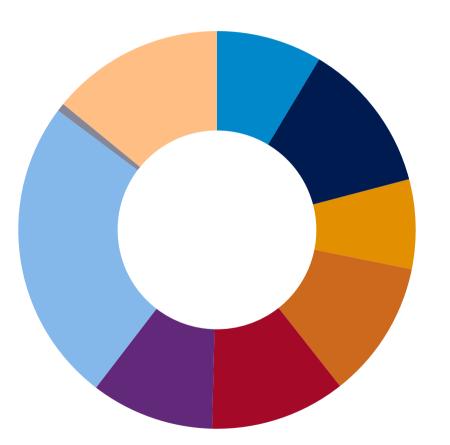
- Consolidate underwriting and servicing for small and large commercial
- Maximize profitable growth by effective agency and portfolio management
- Grow new business toward historical levels
- Further build and enhance the technical underwriting environment



Middle Market Product Mix Overview



2014 Product Mix



- Comm Agri (9%)
- Comm Auto (12%)
- Comm Flow (7%)
- Comm Liab (11%)
- Comm Prop (11%)
- Comm WC (10%)
- Pers Auto (25%)
- Pers Liab (1%)
- Pers Prop (14%)

Program Business Overview

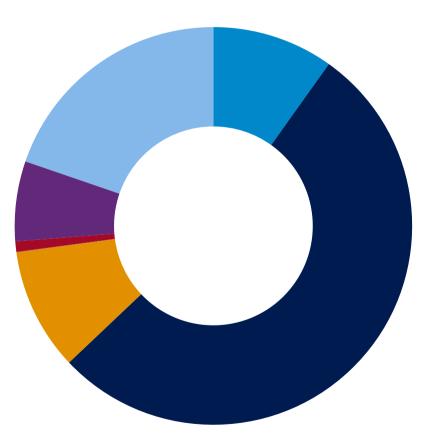
Our ambition is to be the predominant underwriter of Program Business in the US

Property	 Protect current profitable CAT programs and grow non-critical CAT Property Grow in non-Coastal, non-CAT regions and protect non-Critical CAT programs Fix or divest programs depending on their ongoing and historical results
Casualty	 Grow casualty portfolio to represent 50% of our overall book to reduce weather-driven volatility Expand E&S Casualty and protect our casualty renewal book Grow in target classes with key MGA's. Maintain a strong new business pipeline
Workers' Comp	 Carefully grow our book with existing and new programs Be selective with programs and MGA's for this long tail and volatile line Improve underwriting capabilities and increase focus on operational metrics to mitigate volatility
Goals / Priorities	 Execute on data acquisition initiatives in order to improve program analytics and oversight Continue aggressive management of underperforming programs and run-off portfolio Focus on retention and development of key staff



Program Product Mix Overview

2014 Product Mix



- Comm Auto (10%)
- Comm Prop (53%)
- General Liability (10%)
- Other (0%)
- Pers Auto (1%)
- Pers Prop (6%)
- Workers Comp (20%)

3 Risk Management Business Overview



Along with our diverse mix of products, QBE's Risk Management team offers experience, knowledge and skill. Coverage is customized to each client to manage risks effectively

Property	 Coverage: All risks, including machinery breakdown, earthquake, flood and windstorm Capacity: Up to \$200M scaled to risk hazard, natural catastrophe exposures and attachment point Target occupancies: Real estate, manufacturing, service industries, financial institutions and professional services, and medical and educational
Primary Casualty	 Primary coverages: Workers' compensation (statutory), Auto Liability (limits up to \$2M), General Liability (limits up to \$5M and Product Liability (limits up to \$2M) Program structures: Deductible and retrospectively rated plans Flexibility in claims handling: Ability to bundle or unbundle with a TPA
Excess Casualty	 Flexible attachment points and program structures Coverage: Occurrence, Claims-made or Occurrence-reported coverage following the terms of most major U.S. and international insurers' lead umbrella forms Capacity: Up to \$25M
Strategic Client Management	 Primary point of contact for "All Things QBE:" Domestic or global in nature for our broker and client partner Each SCM oversees a smooth transition to QBE, as well as ensuring all insurance and service needs are achieved



3 Risk Management Strategy and Mix Overview



Business Strategy

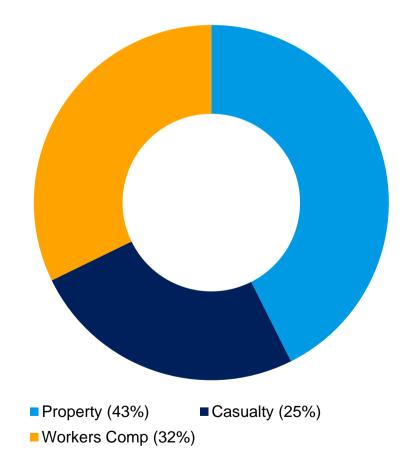
Where to Play

- Focus on national accounts segment of commercial lines
- Property: Target real estate, financial institutions, manufacturing and service industries
- Casualty: Target niche industries with limited market supply

How to Win

- Target business as opposed to reacting to opportunities
- Develop targeted products and sales approach
- Expansion of production with Aon, Marsh, Willis, Lockton, Gallagher and national partners, beyond NY / East Coast
- Productivity gains through technology

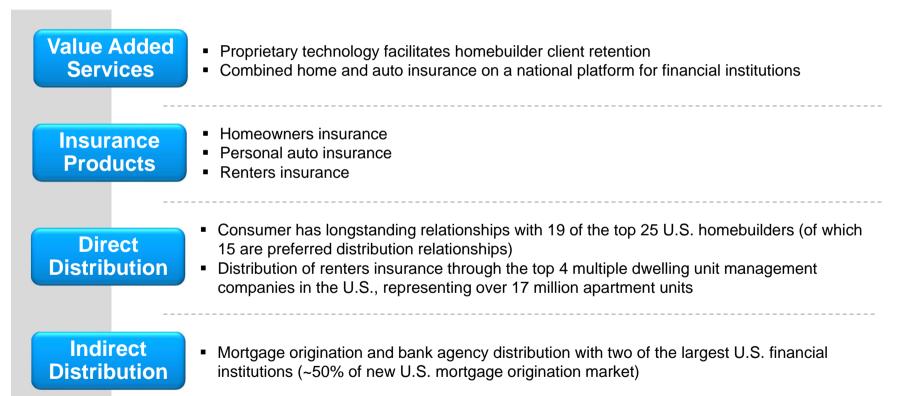
2014 Product Mix



Consumer and Affiliated Agencies Business Overview and Distribution



Provides voluntary insurance products distributed primarily through financial institutions, homebuilders and other key partners





Where to Play:

- Personal lines coverage where we have an advantaged access to business leads via a "timed sale"
- Grow Home Builders, Financial Institutions, Apartment Mgmt. Aggregators, Realtors, and Mortgage Companies
- Offer a national product solution
- Product distribution choice: Direct (Westwood) or Agency

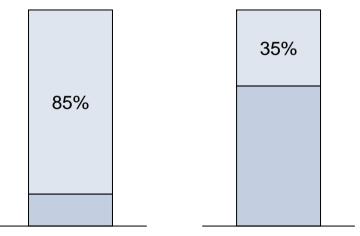
How to Win:

- Proprietary technology linking QBE / Westwood
- Three scalable call centers for policy sales and service
- Bundle multiple coverages (Home, Auto, Umbrella)

Key Objective is to protect market share: 85% top 25 builders; 35% top 5 financial institutions



Top 5 Financial Institutions





QBE NA Operations Mortgage & Lender Services

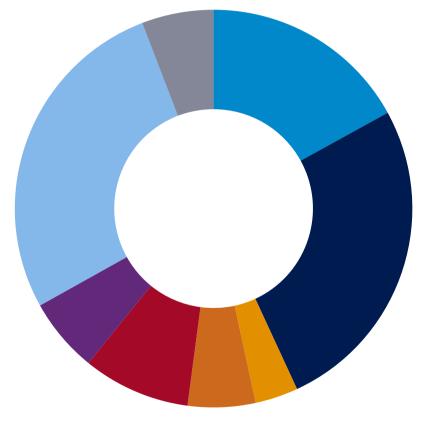
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Mortgage & Lender Services Business Overview



Business Overview

- Provides home and auto insurance tracking
- Value added services:
 - Insurance tracking solutions
 - Insurance recovery services
- Insurance products include:
 - Lender placed hazard, flood, wind and REO
 - Collateral protection insurance
 - GAP
- Mortgage servicers are required by mortgage investor requirements to ensure borrowers have proper insurance to protect the investors' collateral

Mortgage & Lender Services Lender Placed Hazard Insurance - Process

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Lenders can:

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1. Retain Loan on Balance Sheet

2. Sell to Secondary Market



How do investors protect their interest?

How do investors know which loans do

or do not have insurance?

Home Purchase



- Most individuals borrow money to purchase a home
- Loan documents require insurance coverage on the property at all times
- Proof of insurance coverage required at loan closing

QBE has a sophisticated loan tracking engine and process to determine if the mortgages have insurance or not

U.S. mortgage servicers are **required** to obtain insurance over the mortgages they service on behalf of their investors. In addition, mortgage servicers will retain insurance for safety/soundness purposes for mortgages they "hold-forinvestment".

If there is a lapse in a borrowers homeowners insurance coverage, QBE will place a lender-placed insurance coverage

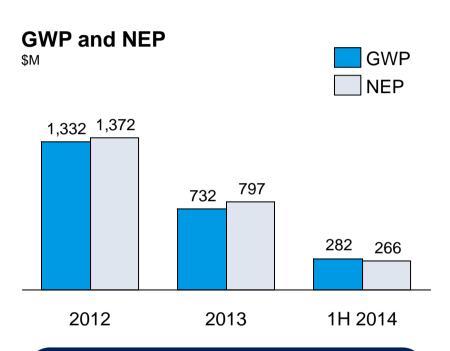
Payment of lender-placed insurance is advanced by the financial institution (minimal credit risk to QBE)



Mortgage & Lender Services Historical Look Back



- Throughout 2013, M&LS management was focused on securing two major accounts (Nationstar and Chase) to restore premium volume, both of which were unsuccessful
- Increasing regulatory pressure throughout the financial services and mortgage market has strained internal resources for all mortgage servicers limiting their ability and desire to change LPI providers
- Macroeconomic conditions in the US housing market continue to develop unfavorably for LPI business
- Management is currently focused on:
 - Assessing strategic options
 - BAC negotiations
 - Expanded distribution channels (major brokers and MGAs)
 - Expense management



Given industry consolidation and premium declines, gross written premium has been slightly lower than net earned premium, with the exception of first half of 2014



Mortgage & Lender Services Opportunities



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- ontinues to pursue a strategy of the highest compliance and ethical rds to maintain existing clients and attract servicers away from the tition
- ctivity could increase due to the regulatory environment requiring ers to receive bids on their program
- ng efforts to right size the organization and facility footprint to match the ons made to accommodate a shrinking portfolio base
- se scale and maximize efficiency through migrating clients to a single – QLINK
- rt QBE's Quantum initiative of expanding the offshore model
- iture of the Real Estate Tax division to LERETA (ending September
- ng review of the long-term strategies of each line of business



QBE NA Operations Crop

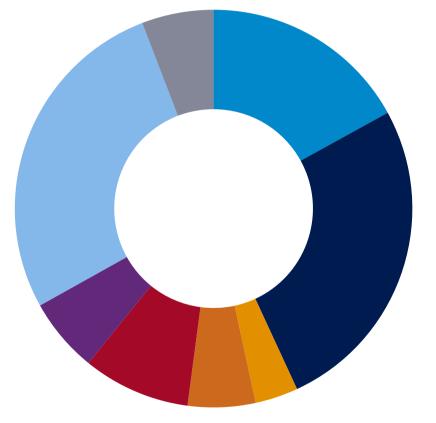
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QBE NA 2014 Overview



QBE NA GWP - \$5.3 Billion



- Middle Market (17%)
- Program (26%)
- Risk Management (4%)
- Consumer (5%)
- M&LS (9%)
- Specialty (6%)
- Crop (27%)
- Assumed Re (6%)



Crop Overview MPCI model



- MPCI is a unique, heavily regulated, government subsidized insurance program run by US Federal Crop Insurance Corp (FCIC)
- Rates are set by government actuaries, carriers may not decline or adjust pricing for individual site risk
- A portion of Admin and Operating (A&O) expenses are reimbursed by the government
- Carriers may cede Q/S to one of 3 special government reinsurance programs, or utilize commercial reinsurance
- Premiums are remitted directly to FCIC, and claims are paid by FCIC carriers only administer claims
- Underwriting settlement occurs between the FCIC and the insurer following the end of the calendar year, resulting in lag
- Overall MPCI (Multi Peril Crop Insurer) program structure and subsidy levels subject to government review/alteration



Crop QBE Overview



- QBE is the third largest underwriter and manager of multi peril crop insurance (MPCI) in the U.S. with an approximate 13% share
- The two largest are Rain and Hail (owned by ACE) and RCIS (owned by Wells Fargo)
- There are 17 Approved Insurance Providers (AIPs), ranging from \$2.4B in GWP to \$34M in GWP
- The top three AIPs account for ~55% of all crop business. It is a small industry dominated by the larger crop insurers; the smaller insurers can't compete on the same level
- Barriers to entry for MPCI business are AIP and the long term float before reimbursements from the Federal Government, as well people and technology
- Possible new competition in the form of new SRA (Standard Reinsurance Agreements) applicants with compensation plans designed to circumvent the limit on agent commissions



Crop Overview of Key Products

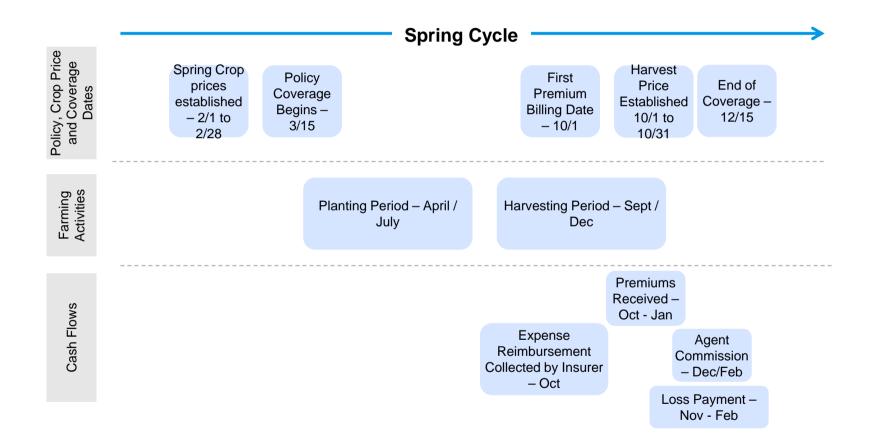


	Crop Policies	Description	
1	Yield Base Products	 Protect against yield losses due to natural causes Paid if harvest is less than yield insured after a deductible Catastrophe – Pays 55% of a crop established price on crop losses in excess of 50% Non-catastrophe, yield based products 	
2	Revenue Products	 Insures against lost revenue. Paid if harvest value is les than insured amount after a deductible. Crop Revenue Coverage – provides revenue protection based on price and yield expectations. Pays for losses below the guarantee at <i>the higher of an early season price or the harvest price</i> Revenue Assurance – dollar denominated coverage by which producers select a dollar amount of target revenue from a range defined by 65% - 85% of expected revenue Income Protection Group Risk Income Protection Adjusted Gross Revenue 	- Most popular



Crop How Commodity Prices affect underwriting profit

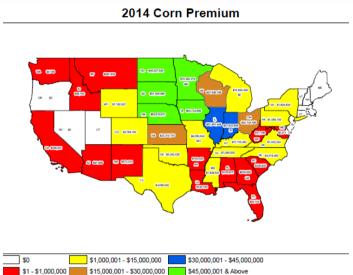




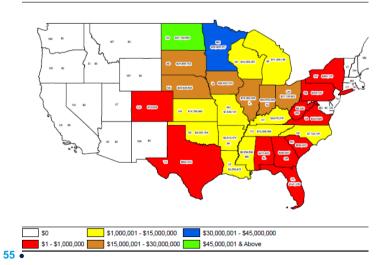


Crop Premium Corn, Wheat, Soybean

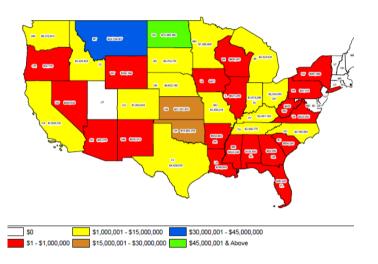




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2014 Wheat Premium







Corn	44.0%	 39.0%	
Soybean	23.0%	 23.0%	
Wheat	17.0%	 16.0%	
All Other	16.0%	 22.0%	
	2013	2014	L



Crop Strategy and Business Objectives



Business Strategy

Where to Play

- Geography: Entire US, with specific focus on underserved states and the mid-west
- Products: All MPCI crop coverages, Hail, and limited Named Peril insurance coverages
- Channel: Independent agents

How to Win

- Invest in leading edge technology and superior service
- Further refine the sales process
- Competitive commissions and Hail/Named Peril products
- Participate in industry consolidation

Business Objectives

- Organic Growth. Maintain and grow MPCI crop count by 3% net
- Provide competitive Hail and other Named Peril coverages
- Deliver superior service to agents and farmers
- Diversification



Crop Futures

Corn Futures



Wheat Futures



Soybean Futures



With key commodity prices down from the reference prices (set in Feb to price policies), higher expected yields may not offset price declines – underwriting losses are likely in certain states, after taking coverage levels into account



QBE NA Operations Specialty

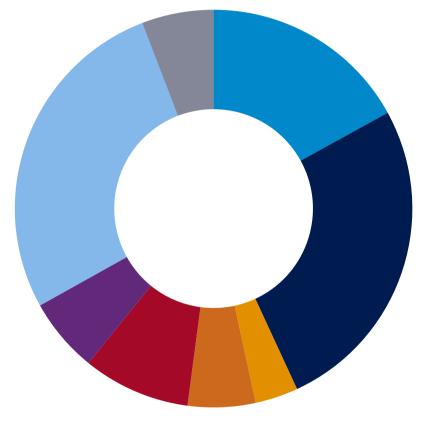
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Specialty Specialized Insurance for Unique Risks

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Replace potential liabilities with a sense of security with QBE—a company whose experience and expertise allow us to say yes to highly unique insurance needs

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Management & Professional Liability

- Market leading primary and excess products, global master-local admitted solutions for multinational clients
- Technical, integrated underwriting expertise of large-complex line risks
- The modular product design can quickly adapt to tomorrow's emerging business trends
- E&O, D&O Market Size of ~20Bn (Other Liability line ~46Bn)

Accident & Health

- Medical Stop Loss coverage delivering flexible solutions to self insured employer health plans
- Exceptional underwriting, risk selection, and medical expertise ensures reduced risk, lower insurance costs and optimized return potential
- "Special Risk" Accident & Critical Illness products cover niche exposures and augment the A&H portfolio
- Market Size \$6Bn

Aviation

- Competitive and flexible underwriting by a seasoned team of underwriters with real world aviation experience
- Creative coverage solutions for a wide range of aviation risks from corporate jets to aviation manufacturers and major airports
- Market Size \$1.6Bn

Trade Credit

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- Products cover nonpayment and insolvency risk of debtors engaged in multinational trade transactions with the policyholder
- Provide risk mitigation solutions to commercial policyholders covering trade receivables, with flexibility on policy structure and coverage
- Market Size \$1.6Bn



Management & Professional Liability Business Overview

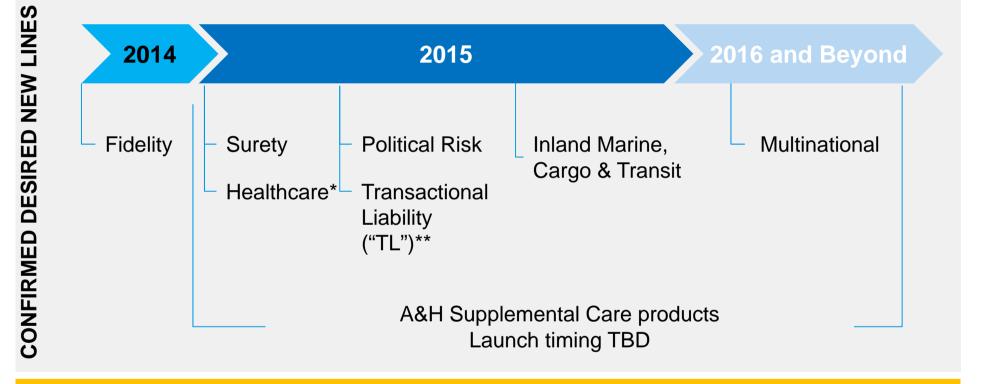


	Primary Public / Private company D&O launched
Ambition	 Establish a recognized market presence in US management liability & professional lines market "One stop shopping" full underwriting service for Public, Private, Financial Institutions, Commercial E&O and HC customer types
Where to Play	 Build full-service underwriting platform across four major segments diversified across multiple customer types and balanced between small to medium size enterprises risks up to large-complex risks
How To Win	 Build IT platform that supports Specialty build-out (on-line quote, bind & issue internet portal) Build Distribution platform that leverages QBE relationships across Specialty and QBE P&C and fosters cross-selling/up-selling



Specialty Product Launch Timeline





Other Specialty lines to be launched potentially include Environmental, Technology, Life Sciences, Media & Entertainment

 * Includes Primary & excess casualty (GL & EXUMB), Medical Malpractice (Medical Professional Liability), Managed Care Errors & Omissions, Clinical Trials, HC Management Liability, Allied Health – MPL/E&O
 ** Includes Representations & Warranties, and Tax Liability

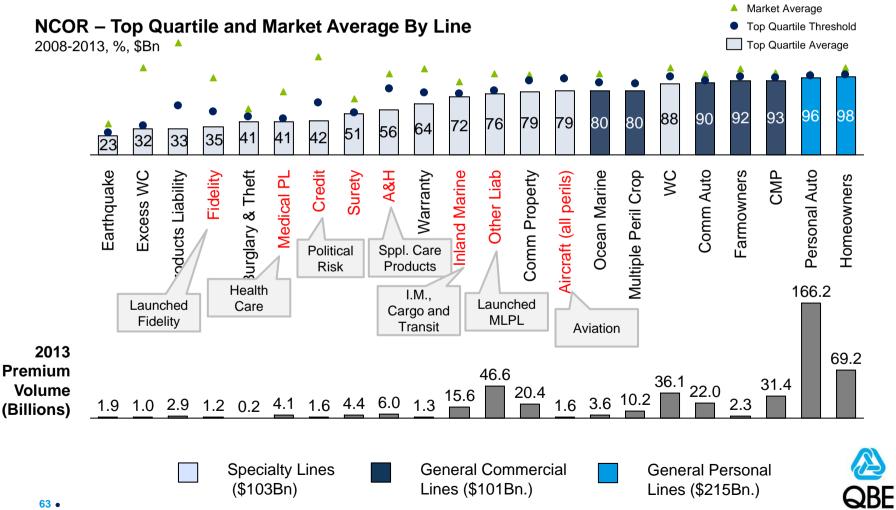


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Specialty Lines Industry Performance



Portfolio re-balance to Specialty lines is underway



Source: AM Best

QBE NA Operations Risk Update

John Langione – October 2014



Supporting the Business and Growth Strategy **North America**

Risk Strategic Focus 2014

- ✓ Business plan stress testing (divisional and bottom up), aligned with NA top risks
- ✓ Completed ORSA pilot with NAIC and Capital Management Plan
- ✓ Oversight of discontinued program book and strategic solutions
- ✓ Embedded OneERM with comprehensive RCA reporting
- ✓ Alignment of risk staff with each business unit to ensure strong partnership
- ✓ NA leadership in global initiatives including risk training and KPI management

Ensuring achievement of 2014 business plans

Performance Agenda

- Challenge and oversight of business performance against plan
- Identification of ideas / suggestions to increases business performance

Prospective Risk Management

Change Agenda

- Globalising Risk's operating model
- Identifying and creating alignment, transparency of priorities
- Increasing Risk's intervention and presence
- · Reorganising Group Risk and enhancing capability

Regulatory

Driving greater global connectivity and improved value to the business

strategy & alignment to value

Strategic Agenda

- Review & challenge of strategic plans
- Identification of strategic opportunities to enhance strategic plans

Continuous Improvement

Insurance & strategic risk management

Economic Capital Model

Enhancing leading indicators

Improving and sharpening

ourfocus

NA lessons learned

Governance

Risk culture

Participated in creation ✓ and evolution of **Underwriting Committee**

Operations

- Risk engagement in ✓ various initiatives
- Risk monitoring of \checkmark Quantum progress

✓ Implemented risk governance framework and Group policies

- ~ ECM infrastructure management in support of global initiative
- \checkmark Alignment with management in development of KPIs for all aspects of operations



Risk Management Maturity

Current State

- Focus on embedding risk management in business
 - One ERM components cascaded across NA
 - Ensure businesses make effective risk based decisions
- Broader participation in governance functions
 - New governance structures enhance the presentation of risk in the decision process
- Capability gaps
 - Broader knowledge and capabilities of risk management staff to address increased specialty product focus (eg, insurance risk for A&H, Aviation, Professional Lines)

Actions

- Alignment of risk management team with each shared service and business unit
 - KPI's identified and monitored for all functions
 - Quarterly updates to risk assessments align with sensitivity analysis and stress scenarios
- Executive and management committee structure includes active participation and inputs from Risk Management
 - REM committee to receive risk culture survey and other risk metrics prior to year end management compensation assessments
- Org Re-design transformation initiatives to require substantial engagement with management to ensure critical workstream risks are effectively managed
- Broadened product mix, notably in Specialty lines, require broadened knowledge of risks and exposures
 - Risk appetite refinement to include greater definition by individual product within each line of business
 - Underwriting committee engagement to address areas requiring greater clarity or refinement
 - Risk Management to host roundtable discussion on specific underwriting exposures, as may be appropriate (eg. Cyber risk)



North America Operations

Run Off Discontinued Programs Unit



Highlights

- Discontinued Programs Unit fully dedicated to management of runoff programs
 - Underwriting audits, non-renewal strategies, and dispute management
- New leader of unit with substantial industry experience in runoff management
- Full claim analysis complete on all runoff claims. Positive settlement results and trends evident (SWAT analysis)
- TPA consolidation allowed for more effective oversight and management
- Shared service support from fully / partially dedicated individuals in Actuarial, Claims, Finance, Legal
 - Enhancement to actuarial organization makes support more effective
- Reserves increased in 2012 and 2013, now stable
- Transacted on form of protection in early 2014 which provides top side cover



QBE NA Operations Claims

Dave Duclos – October 2014



Program Claim Handling Progress



January 2013

- 49 TPA's handling our claims
- 40% of the pending claims were handled by QBE/Sedgwick staff
- 36% of the total Case reserves were handled by QBE/Sedgwick
- 13 Claim handling entities handling our WC claims
- 22,000 Discontinued Program claims pending

January 2015

- 15 TPA's handling our claims
- 71% of the pending claims are handled by QBE/Sedgwick staff
- 74% of the reserves are handled by QBE/Sedgwick staff
- 1 Claim handling entity handling our WC claims
- 10,500 Discontinued Program claims pending



Claims & Loss Control Highlights



Global Shared Services and Outsourcing (Quantum)	 Transitions to Sedgwick and our Global Shared Services Center allowed us to achieve ~\$70M expense reduction by 2016
TPA Consolidation	 Claim handling of 15 MGAs (22 Programs) to be moved to QBE NA claim handling model
EPIM	 Cross-functional effort to acquire, warehouse, report, and analyze policy and claims data for Program
Legal Panel	 Consolidated from 550 to 90 law firms
TPA Swat	 2,774 claims reviewed by QBE Staff and contractors 1,585 claims Settled and 767 being negotiated as of August
Legal Bill Review	 Processed \$52.7M in legal bills resulting in a savings of 9.8%, \$5.2M
Desktop Adjustment	 Successful implementation of desktop adjusting on property losses <5 significantly reduced IA spend without impact to severity (~1M)



Claims Metrics Dashboard and Performance



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Accounting Year/Month	📲 Age Group	T New Count	Avg of Age (days)	Avg Net Paid Loss	Avg Net Paid ALAE	Avg incurred ALAE	Avg incurred Loss and ALAB
3 YTD 09/13	<= 30 days	109,600	9	\$1,570	\$197	\$214	\$2,17
	31 - 60 days	40,846	45	\$2,613	\$325	\$366	\$3,75
	61 - 90 days	17,957	73	\$3,827	\$329	\$412	\$5,93
	91 - 120 days	10,340	104	\$4,795	\$372	\$512	\$8,32
	121 - 180 days	11,762	147	\$6,063	\$427	\$703	\$10,28
	181 - 365 days	10,071	228	\$7,821	\$645	\$1,173	\$16,32
	1 - 2 years	726	450	\$10,981	\$910	\$987	\$12,68
	3 · 4 years	8	1,298	\$0	\$586	\$4,772	\$9,09
	2 - 3 years	38	834	\$6,617	\$3,202	\$4,249	\$18,47
	4 - 5 years	6	1,547	-\$2,420	ŚĐ	\$6	-\$2,41
	5+ years	20		\$1,099	\$8,242	\$10,701	\$13,80
YTD 09/13 Total		201,374	48	\$2,758	\$2.84	\$359	\$4,36
🗄 YTD 09/14	<= 30 days	97,491	10	\$1,832	Ś175	\$210	\$2,45
	31 - 60 days	27,757	44	\$3,629	\$326	\$410	\$5,00
	61 · 90 days	15,599	74	\$4,196	\$282	\$439	\$6,56
	91 - 120 days	8,694	104	\$5,102	\$303	\$580	\$7,86
	121 - 180 days	10,461	147	\$6,905	\$495	\$894	\$11,70
	181 - 365 days	9,266	223	\$7,129	\$771	\$1,482	\$15,23
	1 - 2 years	58	480	\$6,118	\$4,977	\$9,102	\$38,19
	3 - 4 years	10	1,246	\$629,010	\$61,449	\$81,317	\$941,68
	2 - 3 years	16	960	\$58,873	\$7,556	\$10,648	\$95,82
	4 - 5 years	5	1,611	\$373,438	\$42,114	\$51,904	\$565,675
	5+years	8	3,234	\$522,557	592,610	\$107,627	\$820,52
YTD 09/14 Total		169,365	48	\$3,195	\$280	\$410	\$4,932

Metrics-based management allows to create an effective and efficient claims organization



QBE NA Operations Closing Remarks / Questions

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