# AAI Limited and Subsidiaries ABN 48 005 297 807

# Consolidated Financial Report

# For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

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# **Director's Report**

The directors present their report together with the financial report of AAI Limited (the **Company**) and of the Group, being the Company and its subsidiaries, for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 and the auditor's report thereon. Terms that are defined appear in bold the first time they are used.

#### Directors

The directors of the Company at any time during or since the end of the financial year are:

#### Non-executive

Christine McLoughlin (Chairman) Director since 2015, Chairman since 2018

Sylvia Falzon Director since 2018

Elmer Funke Kupper Director since 2020

lan Hammond Director since 2018

Sally Herman Director since 2015

Simon Machell Director since 2017

Douglas McTaggart Director since 2012

Lindsay Tanner Director since 2018

Audette Exel AO Retired 30 September 2020

#### **Executive**

Steve Johnston (Group Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director) Executive Director since 2019

## 2. Principal activities

The Group's principal activities during the financial year were the underwriting of general insurance and managing statutory insurance funds for external clients. The Group distributes products directly and through intermediated channels, including market leading brands AAMI, GIO, Suncorp and Vero, as well as niche brands Apia, Bingle, CIL, Shannons, and Terri Scheer.

There were no significant changes in the nature of the activities of the Group during the financial year.

#### Dividends

During the financial year, the Company paid dividends on ordinary shares totalling \$232 million (2020: \$512 million) and on capital notes totalling \$12 million (2020: \$15 million).

Since the end of the financial year, the directors have determined a dividend on ordinary shares in respect of the 2021 financial year of an amount up to \$128 million, payable on or around 31 August 2021.

Further details on dividends are set out in note 3 to the financial statements.

## 4. Review of operations

Consolidated profit for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 was \$522 million (2020: \$376 million).

The consolidated insurance trading result was \$645 million for the year to 30 June 2021 (2020: \$502 million). This provided an insurance trading ratio for the current year of 8.6% (2020: 6.9%).

Net premium revenue increased by 3.8% for the financial year to \$7,540 million (2020: \$7,264 million) due to strong average written premium increases and unit growth in the Consumer portfolio, and strong retention and premium rate momentum in the Commercial and Workers' Compensation portfolios. These were partially offset by a decrease in the CTP portfolio due to changes to pricing structures across all schemes. A small reduction in reinsurance premium expense due to changes in natural hazard cover also contributed to the net premium revenue increase.

Net incurred claims increased 0.9% to \$5,488 million (2020: \$5,438 million), reflecting higher natural hazard costs, reduced natural hazard reinsurance recoveries and additional provisioning for potential business interruption claims, partly offset by higher prior year reserve releases.

Underwriting expenses increased by 4.3% for the financial year to \$1,745 million (2020: \$1,673 million), reflecting higher project costs associated with Suncorp's strategy, salary inflation as well as an increase in advertising costs and investment in technology.

Investment income on insurance funds decreased by 1.6% to \$243 million (2020: \$247 million), and was impacted by risk free mark-to-market losses, favourable breakeven inflation and narrowing credit spreads.

#### 5. Significant changes in the state of affairs

In the opinion of the directors, there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the Group that occurred during the financial year.

#### 6. Events subsequent to reporting date

On 2 July 2021, the Group entered into a binding agreement to sell its 50% Joint Venture interest in RACT Insurance Pty Ltd (RACT) to its Joint Venture partner, the Royal Automobile Club of Tasmania Ltd (RACT) for cash consideration of \$83.8 million. Completion of the sale is subject to regulatory approval and expected to occur in the financial year ending 30 June 2022. The profit on sale before tax is expected to be in the range of \$65 million to \$70 million, and be included in the financial year ending 30 June 2022 results.

Other than the matter noted above, there has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the directors of the Group, to affect significantly the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group in future financial years. The Group notes the ongoing COVID-19 lockdowns that have been implemented subsequent to the reporting date across a number of states. The impact of these lockdowns has been considered in the consolidated financial statements.

## 7. Likely developments

Other than as disclosed elsewhere in this report, at the date of signing, the directors make no further comment on any likely developments in the Group's operations in future financial years or the expected results of these operations.

## 8. Environmental regulation

The Group seeks to conduct business in a way that protects and sustains the environment. It continues to reduce its environmental impact and be transparent about its environmental performance.

Climate change presents strategic and financial risks and opportunities for the Group. The Group is committed to reducing its carbon emissions and preparing for the physical impacts of climate change and the transition to a net-zero carbon emissions economy by 2050.

The Group is responding to climate-related risks and opportunities through the implementation of Suncorp Group Limited's (**SGL**) Climate Change Action Plan, which incorporates the Environmental Performance Plan.

Last year, under this plan SGL developed a Renewable Energy Strategy, which included a commitment to use 100 per cent renewable electricity by 2025. SGL continues to modernise ways of working and integrate sustainability principles to deliver workspaces that are healthy, flexible and minimise the impact on the environment.

Further detail on SGL's activities and initiatives is available in the Sustainable Business section of the Suncorp Group Limited Annual Report 2020-21.

#### Indemnification and insurance of officers

#### Indemnification

Under rule 39 of the Constitution for Suncorp Group Limited (**SGL**), the Company's ultimate parent entity, SGL indemnifies each person who is or has been a director, secretary or officer of the Company (each an officer for the purposes of this section). The indemnity relates to liabilities to the fullest extent permitted by law to another party (other than the Company or a related body corporate) that may arise in connection with the performance of their duties to the Group, except where the liability arises out of conduct involving a lack of good faith. The Constitution stipulates that SGL will meet the full amount of such liabilities, including costs and expenses incurred in defending civil or criminal proceedings or in connection with an application, in relation to such proceedings, in which relief is granted under the *Corporations Act 2001*.

#### Insurance premiums

During the financial year ended 30 June 2021, SGL paid insurance premiums in respect of a Directors' and Officers' Liability insurance contract. The contract insures each person who is or has been a director or officer (as defined in the *Corporations Act 2001*) of the Company against certain liabilities arising in the course of their duties to the Company. The directors have not included details of the nature of the liabilities covered or the amount of premium paid in respect of the insurance contract as such disclosure is prohibited under the terms of the contract.

## 10. Lead auditor's independence declaration

The lead auditor's independence declaration is set out on page 5 and forms part of the directors' report for the financial year ended 30 June 2021.

# 11. Rounding of amounts

The Company is of a kind referred to in *Australian Securities and Investments Commission Corporations* (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 dated 24 March 2016 and, in accordance with that legislative instrument, amounts in the directors' report and financial report have been rounded to the nearest one million dollars, unless otherwise stated.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors.

CHRISTINE MCLOUGHLIN

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Chairman of the Board

26 August 2021

STEVE JOHNSTON

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Group Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director



# Lead Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001

#### To the Directors of AAI Limited

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the audit of AAI Limited for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 there have been:

- i. no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001
   in relation to the audit; and
- ii. no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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David Kells Partner

Sydney 26 August 2021

# Statements of comprehensive income

# For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

	Consolidated		lated	Company		
		2021	2020	2021	2020	
	Note	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	
Insurance premium income		8,521	8,266	8,521	8,266	
Outwards reinsurance premium expense	13	(981)	(1,002)	(981)	(1,002)	
Net premium revenue		7,540	7,264	7,540	7,264	
Claims expense		(6,331)	(6,924)	(6,331)	(6,924)	
Reinsurance and other recoveries income	12	843	1,486	843	1,486	
Net incurred claims	6	(5,488)	(5,438)	(5,488)	(5,438)	
Acquisition costs	14	(1,139)	(1,111)	(1,139)	(1,111)	
Other underwriting expenses	7	(606)	(562)	(606)	(562)	
Underwriting expenses		(1,745)	(1,673)	(1,745)	(1,673)	
Other insurance income		95	102	95	102	
Underwriting result		402	255	402	255	
Investment income on insurance funds	5.1	243	247	243	247	
Insurance trading result		645	502	645	502	
Investment income on shareholder funds	5.1	179	81	188	91	
Investment expense on shareholder funds		(21)	(18)	(21)	(18)	
Other income	5.2	101	132	86	116	
Other expenses	8	(161)	(163)	(155)	(157)	
Profit before income tax		743	534	743	534	
Income tax expense	9.1	(221)	(158)	(218)	(157)	
Profit for the financial year attributable to owners of						
the Company		522	376	525	377	
Total comprehensive income for the financial year						
attributable to owners of the Company		522	376	525	377	

The statements of comprehensive income are to be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of financial position

# As at 30 June 2021

	Consolidated		dated	Company		
		2021	2020	2021	2020	
	Note	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	
Assets						
Cash and cash equivalents		290	363	274	348	
Derivatives	10	36	125	36	125	
Investment securities	11	13,634	12,266	13,658	12,290	
Premiums outstanding	27.3	2,300	2,274	2,300	2,274	
Reinsurance and other recoveries	12	1,721	2,137	1,721	2,137	
Due from related parties		148	148	149	148	
Deferred reinsurance assets	13	751	789	751	789	
Deferred acquisition costs	14	613	600	613	600	
Deferred tax assets	9.2	56	18	50	10	
Goodwill and other intangible assets		33	38	33	38	
Other assets	15	484	793	466	778	
Total assets		20,066	19,551	20,051	19,537	
Liabilities						
Derivatives	10	58	37	58	37	
Amounts due to reinsurers		631	649	631	649	
Payables and other liabilities	16	410	746	378	716	
Unearned premium liabilities	18.1	4,717	4,424	4,717	4,424	
Outstanding claims liabilities	19	10,066	9,882	10,066	9,882	
Due to related parties		497	443	520	469	
Subordinated notes	20	579	554	579	554	
Total liabilities		16,958	16,735	16,949	16,731	
Net assets		3,108	2,816	3,102	2,806	
Equity						
Share capital	21	955	955	954	953	
Capital notes	22	499	485	499	485	
Retained profits		1,654	1,376	1,649	1,368	
Total equity attributable to owners of the Company		3,108	2,816	3,102	2,806	

The statements of financial position are to be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of changes in equity

# For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

		Share capital	Capital notes	Retained profits	Total equity
Consolidated	Note	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Balance as at 1 July 2019		954	510	1,527	2,991
Profit for the financial year		-	-	376	376
Total comprehensive income for the financial year		_	_	376	376
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Dividends paid	3	_	_	(527)	(527)
Share-based payments	21	1	-	=	1
Capital Notes buy back		-	(25)	-	(25)
Balance as at 30 June 2020		955	485	1,376	2,816
Profit for the financial year		-	-	522	522
Total comprehensive income for the financial year		-	-	522	522
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Dividends paid	3	-	_	(244)	(244)
Balance as at 30 June 2021		955	485	1,654	3,094

Company	Note	Share capital \$M	Capital notes \$M	Retained profits \$M	Total equity \$M
Balance as at 1 July 2019		953	510	1,518	2,981
Profit for the financial year		-	_	377	377
Total comprehensive income for the financial year		_	-	377	377
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Dividends paid	3	_	-	(527)	(527)
Capital notes buy back		_	(25)	-	(25)
Balance as at 30 June 2020		953	485	1,368	2,806
Profit for the financial year		-	-	525	525
Total comprehensive income for the financial year		-	-	525	525
Transactions with owners, recorded directly in equity					
Dividends paid	3	-	_	(244)	(244)
Share-based payments	21	1	-	-	1
Balance as at 30 June 2021		954	485	1,649	3,088

The statements of changes in equity are to be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Statements of cash flows

# For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

		Consolidated		Company	
		2021	2020	2021	2020
0.16	Note	\$M	\$M	\$M	<u>\$M</u>
Cash flows from operating activities		10.000	0.051	10.000	0.051
Premiums received		10,229 (6,762)	9,851 (7,427)	10,229 (6,762)	9,851
Claims paid Interest received		(6,762)	313	(6,762)	(7,427) 313
Interest received Interest paid		(19)	(23)	(19)	(23)
Reinsurance and other recoveries received		1,385	1,613	1,385	1,613
Outwards reinsurance premiums paid		(1,057)	(1,121)	(1,057)	(1,121)
Acquisition costs paid		(1,253)	(1,222)	(1,253)	(1,121)
Fees and other operating income received		251	270	241	260
Fees and operating expenses paid		(1,480)	(1,229)	(1,469)	(1,218)
		(1,400)	(1,223)	(1,403)	(1,210)
Reimbursement to related parties for income tax		(266)	(148)	(268)	(149)
payments Net cash from operating activities	24	1,312	877	1,311	877
	24	1,012	0//	1,011	077
Cash flows from investing activities					
Proceeds from the sale or maturity of investment					
securities		19,364	22,114	19,364	22,114
Payments for purchase of investment securities		(20,544)	(22,382)	(20,544)	(22,381)
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,180)	(268)	(1,180)	(267)
Cash flows from financing activities					
Proceeds from issue of subordinated notes		250	_	250	_
Payment on call of subordinated notes		(225)	_	(225)	_
Payments for other financing activities		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(25)		(25)
Proceeds from issue of capital notes		14	`	14	
Proceeds from the settlement of related party loans		-	40	-	40
Dividends paid		(244)	(527)	(244)	(527)
Net cash used in financing activities		(205)	(512)	(205)	(512)
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents		(73)	97	(74)	99
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the		(70)	37	(//)	33
financial year		363	266	348	249
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial		000	200	0-10	
year		290	363	274	348
your		250	000	2/4	

The statements of cash flows are to be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

# Notes to the consolidated financial statements

For the financial year ended 30 June 2021

#### 1. Reporting entity

AAI Limited (the **Company**) is a public company domiciled in Australia. Its registered office is at Level 28, 266 George Street, Brisbane, QLD, 4000.

The financial statements for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 comprise the Company and its subsidiaries (the **Group**) and were authorised for issue by the Board on 26 August 2021.

The Group's principal activities during the financial year were the underwriting of general insurance and managing statutory insurance funds for external clients.

The Company's immediate parent entity is Suncorp Insurance Holdings Limited and its ultimate parent entity is Suncorp Group Limited (**SGL**). SGL and its subsidiaries are referred to as the Suncorp Group.

## 2. Basis of preparation

The Company and the Group are for-profit entities and their financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, unless the application of fair value measurements is required by the relevant accounting standards.

The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is the Company and the Group's functional and presentation currency.

As the Company is of a kind referred to in *Australian Securities and Investments Commission Corporations* (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 dated 24 March 2016, all financial information presented has been rounded to the nearest one million dollars unless otherwise stated.

The statements of financial position are prepared in a liquidity format. In the notes, amounts expected to be recovered or settled no more than 12 months after the reporting period are classified as 'current', otherwise they are classified as 'non-current'.

Significant accounting policies applied in the preparation of the financial statements are set out in note 31.

Where necessary, comparatives have been restated to conform to changes in presentation in the current year.

#### 2.1 Statement of compliance

The financial statements are general purpose financial statements which have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards (including Australian Interpretations) adopted by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the *Corporations Act 2001*. The financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) and Interpretations issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

#### 2.2 Use of estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the amounts reported in the financial statements.

Significant estimates, judgments and assumptions are discussed in the following notes:

- liability adequacy test relating to general insurance contracts (refer note 18.2);
- outstanding claims liabilities and assets arising from reinsurance contracts (refer notes 19.3, 19.4 and 19.5);
- fair value of financial instruments (refer note 25.1);

COVID-19 impact on the use of estimates and assumptions

Given the ongoing economic uncertainties from COVID-19, the Group has continued to monitor its financial reporting procedures and governance practices surrounding the preparation of the consolidated financial statements. While the effects of COVID-19 do not change the areas requiring significant estimation and judgement in the preparation of consolidated financial statements, it has resulted in estimation uncertainty and application of further judgement within those identified areas and where relevant, is summarised below.

General insurance outstanding claims liabilities and assets arising from reinsurance contracts

The Group has considered the impact from COVID-19 in its assumptions for measuring outstanding claims liabilities and assets arising from reinsurance contracts, including the potential claims impact of business interruption.

Potential claims impacts arising from business interruption remain uncertain. At 30 June 2021, outstanding claims liabilities include additional claims provisions and risk margins of \$211 million (2020: \$70 million) relating to business interruption. The outstanding claims liability continues to include a risk margin to achieve a probability of adequacy of 90% for the Group overall.

The provision for additional claims has been calculated on a probability-weighted basis and significant judgement has been exercised by management to derive a reasonable estimate of the probability-weighted view of potential future cash flows relating to business interruption. Key areas of judgement relate to ongoing legal risk (refer to note 30.2 "Contingent Liabilities"), the ultimate number of claims and the estimation of potential economic loss. Key assumptions in our provision estimate are that income from Government subsidies such as JobKeeper is offset against any economic loss subject to indemnity and that the Biosecurity Act exclusion wordings in our policies can be relied on by the Group.

Subsequent to the reporting period, ongoing COVID-19 lockdowns were implemented across a number of states. The level of exposure to policies with Quarantine Act exemptions has reduced as the policies renew with updated wordings and, at 30 June 2021, these policies comprise less than 5% of the business interruption in-force policies. COVID-19 lockdowns during the year ended 30 June 2021 resulted in fewer motor and home claims and the impact of the lockdowns arising subsequent to 30 June 2021 is expected to be consistent.

#### 3. Dividends

	2021		2020	)	
	Cents		Cents		
	per share		per share		
Consolidated and Company	/ note	<u>\$M</u>	/ note	<u>\$M</u>	
Dividend payments on ordinary shares					
2020 final dividend (2020: 2019 final dividend)	23	40	299	512	
2021 interim dividend (2020: 2020 interim dividend)	112	192	-		
Total dividends on ordinary shares paid to owners of the	135	232	299	512	
Company	135	232	299	312	
Dividend payments on capital notes					
SUNPG Capital notes - issued on 11 February 2014					
September quarter	66	1	87	1	
December quarter	65	1	82	1	
March quarter	63	1	79	1	
June quarter	65	1	74	11	
	259	4	322	4	
SUNPE Capital notes - issued on 27 June 2014					
September quarter	-	_	83	3	
December quarter	-	_	77	3	
	-	-	160	6	
SUNPH Capital notes - issued on 17 December 2019					
September quarter	55	2	_	=	
December quarter	54	2	-	_	
March quarter	52	2	68	3	
June quarter	54	2	63	2	
	215	8	131	5	
Total dividends on capital notes	474	12	613	15	
Total dividends		244		527	
Dividends not recognised in the statement of financial position					
Dividends declared since balance date					
2021 final dividend (2020: 2020 final dividend)	75	128	23	40	
	75	128	23	40	

## 4. Segment reporting

Operating segments are identified based on separate financial information which is regularly reviewed by the CEO & Managing Director and his immediate executive team, representing the Suncorp Group's Chief Operating Decision Maker (**CODM**), in assessing performance and determining the allocation of resources.

The Group operates in only one segment, which is part of the Insurance segment of Suncorp Group.

As the Group operates in only one segment, the consolidated results of the Group are also its segment results for the current and prior periods.

All revenue of the Group is from external customers. The Group is not reliant on any external individual customer for 10 per cent or more of the Group's revenue.

The Group operates predominantly in one geographical segment which is Australia. Revenue from overseas customers is not material to the Group.

## 5. Revenue

## 5.1 Investment Income

	Consolidated		Com	Company	
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	
Interest income on:					
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	283	310	283	310	
Financial assets not at fair value through profit or loss	1	3	1	3	
Dividend income from subsidiaries	-	=	9	10	
Net gains (losses) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value					
through profit or loss	78	(28)	78	(28)	
Trust distribution income	60	43	60	43	
Total investment income	422	328	431	338	
Investment income on insurance funds	243	247	243	247	
Investment income on shareholder funds	179	81	188	91	
Total investment income	422	328	431	338	

# 5.2 Other income

	Conso	Consolidated		pany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Managed funds income	79	95	79	95
Share of profit on equity accounted investees	5	7	-	-
Other	17	30	7	21
Total other income	101	132	86	116

## 6. Net incurred claims

Current year claims relate to risks borne in the current financial year. Prior year claims relate to a reassessment of the risks borne in all previous financial years.

	2021			2020		
Consolidated and Company	Current year \$M	Prior year \$M	Total \$M	Current year \$M	Prior year \$M	Total \$M
Direct business						
Gross claims incurred and related						
expenses						
Undiscounted	7,143	(764)	6,379	7,597	(867)	6,730
Discount and discount movement	(35)	(24)	(59)	(26)	205	179
Gross claims incurred discounted	7,108	(788)	6,320	7,571	(662)	6,909
Reinsurance and other recoveries						
Undiscounted	(1,072)	229	(843)	(1,893)	443	(1,450)
Discount and discount movement	6	-	6	5	(38)	(33)
Reinsurance and other recoveries	(1,066)	229	(837)	(1,888)	405	(1,483)
Net incurred claims - direct business	6,042	(559)	5,483	5,683	(257)	5,426
Inwards reinsurance						
Gross claims incurred and related						
expenses						
Undiscounted	5	6	11	13	1	14
Discount and discount movement	-	_	-	-	1	1
Gross claims incurred discounted	5	6	11	13	2	15
Reinsurance and other recoveries						
Undiscounted	-	(6)	(6)	(4)	1	(3)
Reinsurance and other recoveries	-	(6)	(6)	(4)	1	(3)
Net incurred claims - inwards						
reinsurance	5	_	5	9	3	12
Total net incurred claims	6,047	(559)	5,488	5,692	(254)	5,438

The \$559 million decrease in prior year net incurred claims is primarily due to risk margin release relating to prior periods and changes in claims assumptions and experiences. The sensitivity of net profit to changes in claims assumptions, experience and risk margins is set out in note 19.5.

# 7. Other underwriting expenses

	Consolidated		Com	Company	
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	
Staff Expenses					
Wages, salaries, share-based payments and other staff costs	260	243	260	243	
Total staff expenses	260	243	260	243	
Occupancy Expenses					
Other occupancy expenses	23	21	23	21_	
Total occupancy expenses	23	21	23	21	
Other Expenses					
Technology and communications	35	31	35	31	
Levies and other charges	155	147	155	147	
Advertising and promotion expenses	44	39	44	38	
Other	89	81	89	82	
Total other expenses	323	298	323	298	
Total other underwriting expenses	606	562	606	562	

# 8. Other expenses

	Consolidated		Com	pany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Managed funds expense Interest expense relating to financial liabilities not at fair value	79	90	79	89
through profit or loss	19	23	19	23
Other	63	50	57	45
Total other expenses	161	163	155	157

# 9. Income tax

# 9.1 Income tax expense

	Consoli	dated	Com	oany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Reconciliation of prima facie to actual income tax expense Prima facie domestic corporation tax rate of 30% (2020: 30%)	223	161	223	160
Tax effect of amounts not deductible (assessable) in calculating				
taxable income:				
Dividend adjustments	2	3	(2)	(2)
Other tax exempt revenues	(1)	(2)	_	_
Income tax offsets and credits	(3)	(4)	(3)	(1)
Total income tax expense on pre-tax profit	221	158	218	157
Income tax expense recognised in profit consists of:				
Current tax expense				
Current tax movement	255	180	253	167
Current year rebates and credits	(4)	(4)	(3)	(1)
Adjustments for prior financial years	8	13	8	22
Total current tax expense	259	189	258	188
Deferred tax benefit				
Origination and reversal of temporary differences	(30)	(19)	(32)	(23)
Adjustments for prior financial years	(8)	(12)	(8)	(8)
Total deferred tax expense (benefit)	(38)	(31)	(40)	(31)
Total income tax expense	221	158	218	157

# 9.2 Deferred tax assets and liabilities

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are attributable to the following:

	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
	Deferred tax	assets	Deferred ta	Deferred tax liabilities		et
Consolidated	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Investment securities	-	-	76	98	(76)	(98)
Intangible assets	-	-	4	6	(4)	(6)
Outstanding claims liability	105	96	-	-	105	96
Employee benefits	12	12	-	-	12	12
Other items	17	13	(2)	(1)	19	14
Deferred tax assets and liabilities	134	121	78	103	56	18
Set-off of tax	(78)	(103)	(78)	(103)	<del>-</del>	-
Net deferred tax assets	56	18	_	_	56	18

	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
	Deferred to	ax assets	Deferred ta	Deferred tax liabilities		et
Company	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Investment securities	-	-	74	97	(74)	(97)
Intangible assets	-	-	4	7	(4)	(7)
Outstanding claims liability	105	96	_	_	105	96
Employee benefits	5	5	_	_	5	5
Other items	16	12	(2)	(1)	18	13
Deferred tax assets and liabilities	126	113	76	103	50	10
Set-off of tax	(76)	(103)	(76)	(103)	_	-
Net deferred tax assets	50	10	-	-	50	10

Movement in deferred tax balances during the financial year:

	2021	2020	2021	2020
Consolidated	Deferred ta \$M	x assets \$M	Deferred tax	liabilities \$M
Balance at the beginning of the financial year Movement recognised in profit or loss	121 13	112 9	103 (25)	125 (22)
Balance at the end of the financial year	134	121	78	103
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	Deferred tax assets		Deferred tax	
Company	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	113	104	103	125
Movement recognised in profit or loss	13	9	(27)	(22)
Balance at the end of the financial year	126	113	76	103

# 10. Derivative financial instruments

	2021			2020		
	Notional —	Fair va	alue	Notional —	Jotional Fair va	
Consolidated and Company	value \$M	Asset \$M	Liability \$M	value \$M	Asset \$M	Liability \$M
Interest rate-related contracts						
Interest rate swaps	4,106	32	24	4,227	74	26
Swaption	103	2	-	473	2	1
Interest rate futures	1,417	_	5	1,381	1	5
	5,626	34	29	6,081	77	32
Exchange rate-related contracts						
Forward foreign exchange contracts	1,491	1	29	1,487	47	4
Cross currency swaps	-	_	_	22	-	_
•	1,491	1	29	1,509	47	4
Credit contracts						
Credit default swaps	86	1	-	118	1	1
Total derivative exposures	7,203	36	58	7,708	125	37

Derivatives are used in investments. To prevent derivatives being used as a source of gearing, all derivatives have to be wholly or partly cash covered depending on the type of risk undertaken. The investment mandates specifically prohibit the use of derivatives for leveraged trading.

# 11. Investment securities

	Consolidated		Com	oany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Investment securities				_
Financial assets designated at fair value through profit or loss				
Interest-bearing securities	12,012	10,910	12,012	10,910
Unit trusts	1,622	1,356	1,622	1,356
Investment at cost				
Shares in subsidiaries	-	-	24	24
Total investment securities	13,634	12,266	13,658	12,290
Current	13,634	12,266	13,634	12,266
Non-current	-	-	24	24
Total investment securities	13,634	12,266	13,658	12,290

# 12. Reinsurance and other recoveries

	Consolidated		Comp	any
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Expected future reinsurance and other recoveries receivable				
undiscounted	1,749	2,159	1,749	2,159
Discount to present value	(28)	(22)	(28)	(22)
Total reinsurance and other recoveries	1,721	2,137	1,721	2,137
Current	818	1,149	818	1,149
Non-current Non-current	903	988	903	988
Total reinsurance and other recoveries	1,721	2,137	1,721	2,137
Reconciliation of movements in reinsurance and other recoveries				
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	2,137	2,117	2,137	2,117
Reinsurance and other recoveries income	843	1,486	843	1,486
Reinsurance and other recoveries received	(1,259)	(1,466)	(1,259)	(1,466)
Balance at the end of the financial year	1,721	2,137	1,721	2,137

# 13. Deferred reinsurance assets

	Consolidated		Compa	any
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Deferred reinsurance assets - current	751	789	751	789
Reconciliation of movements in deferred reinsurance assets				
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	789	755	789	755
Reinsurance premiums paid during the financial year	943	1,036	943	1,036
Reinsurance premium expense	(981)	(1,002)	(981)	(1,002)
Balance at the end of the financial year	751	789	751	789

# 14. Deferred acquisition costs

	Consolidated		Com	oany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Current	613	599	613	599
Non-current	-	1	-	1_
Total deferred acquisition costs	613	600	613	600
Reconciliation of movements in deferred acquisition costs				
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	600	590	600	590
Acquisition costs deferred	1,152	1,121	1,152	1,121
Acquisition costs charged to profit or loss	(1,139)	(1,111)	(1,139)	(1,111)
Balance at the end of the financial year	613	600	613	600

# 15. Other assets

	Consol	Consolidated		pany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Accrued interest	47	58	47	58
Trade and other receivables	57	52	57	52
Investment in equity accounted investments	23	22	7	7
Net defined benefit assets	1	1	1	1
Investment receivable	64	175	64	175
Amounts due from reinsurers	45	185	45	185
Recoveries on claims paid	117	165	117	165
Other deferred expenses	75	71	75	71
Prepayments	7	3	7	3
Other	48	61	46	61
Total other assets	484	793	466	778
Current	461	771	459	771
Non-current	23	22	7	7
Total other assets	484	793	466	778

## 15.1 Interest in joint arrangements

Information relating to joint arrangements is set out below.

Name of entity	Principal Activity	Ownership interest		Consolidated Carrying amount			
	-	2021 %	2020 %	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Joint Ventures							_
NTI Limited <sup>1</sup>	Management services	50	50	7	7	7	7
RACT Insurance Pty Ltd <sup>2</sup>	Insurance	50	50	16	15	-	-
Total investment in equity acc	counted						
investments				23	22	7	7
Joint operations							
	Facilitation of insurance						
National Transport Insurance	arrangements	50	50				

<sup>1.</sup> Registered office of NTI Ltd is Level 29, 400 George Street, Brisbane, QLD, 4000.

# 16. Payables and other liabilities

	Conso	Consolidated		pany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Trade creditors and accrued expenses	193	171	186	165
Unearned income	84	99	84	99
Investments payable	71	411	71	411
Provisions	22	25	22	24
Employee benefits and on-cost liabilities	40	40	15	17
Total payables and other liabilities	410	746	378	716
Current	384	735	364	716
Non-current	26	11	14	=
Total payables and other liabilities	410	746	378	716

<sup>2.</sup> Investment held by GIO Insurance Investment Holdings (A) Pty Limited. Registered office of RACT Insurance Pty Ltd is 'RACT' House Level 1, 179-191 Murray Street, Hobart, TAS, 7000.

# 17. Share-based payments

The employee benefits expense in the consolidated statement of comprehensive income includes \$590,730 (2020: \$345,901) relating to equity-settled share-based payment transactions. The respective expense for the Company is \$224,490 (2020: \$136,758).

The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of SGL. Eligible employees of the Company have the right to participate in the SGL's share plans. Shares, share rights and performance rights are offered in these share plans and are granted by SGL to employees of SGL.

Shares required for the equity plans are acquired by a special purpose trustee (on the ASX). Shares can only be granted or issued under the plans if the number to be granted or issued will not exceed 5% of SGL's total shares on issue when aggregated with the number of shares granted or issued during the previous five years for all share plans operated by SGL.

#### Equity-settled share plans

SGL operates equity-settled share plans that are not subject to performance conditions. Key features are set out below:

Equity plans	Share rights plan (formerly restricted shares)	Suncorp employee share plan (tax exempt)	Suncorp equity participation plan
Eligible plan participant	Employees in senior roles below executive level that satisfy the eligibility criteria, and executives as endorsed by the SGL Board.	Employees not eligible for Long Term Incentive ( <b>LTI</b> ) awards.	Employees can elect to participate.
Basis of share grant / issue	Value of share rights granted is determined by the SGL Board based on the employee's remuneration and individual performance.	Market value of shares up to \$1,000 per employee per year may be granted by the SGL Board based on the Suncorp Group's overall performance.	Employees to fund the acquisition of shares to be held under this Plan from their pre-tax remuneration up to a maximum value of \$5,000.
Vesting	Subject to remaining in employment with the Suncorp Group until the vesting date and not having given notice of intention to resign.	Fully vested, not subject to forfeiture.	As the acquisition of shares is funded through the employee's remuneration, the shares are fully vested at the date of acquisition.
Dividend entitlements	Full entitlement to dividend equivalents paid on vesting equal to the notional net dividends earned on vested shares over the deferral period.	Full entitlement to dividend from when the shares are acquired and held in the Plan.	Full entitlement to dividend from when the shares are acquired and held in the Plan.
Fair value	Discounted cash flow model incorporating the expected share price at vesting date and expected dividend entitlements, discounted from the vesting date to the grant date.	Market value of the shares on the date they were acquired.	Market value of the shares on the date they were acquired.

The expense included in the profit or loss in relation to the share rights plan for the financial year ended 30 June 2021 for the Company and the Group was \$41,370 (2020: \$42,644).

The SGL Board has approved a grant to each eligible employee of \$1,000 ordinary shares in SGL under the Suncorp Employee Share Plan (tax exempt) for the financial year (2020: \$nil).

Shares issued during the financial year under the Suncorp Equity Participation Plan that were funded by employee salary sacrifice have a \$Nil impact on profit or loss (2020: \$Nil).

## 18. Unearned premium liabilities

#### 18.1 Reconciliation of movement

	Consolidated		Compa	any
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	4,424	4,350	4,424	4,350
Premiums written during the financial year	8,814	8,340	8,814	8,340
Premiums earned during the financial year	(8,521)	(8,266)	(8,521)	(8,266)
Balance at the end of the financial year	4,717	4,424	4,717	4,424
Current	4,716	4,420	4,716	4,420
Non-current	1	4	1	4
Total unearned premium liabilities	4,717	4,424	4,717	4,424

#### 18.2 Liability adequacy test relating to general insurance contracts

	Consolidated		Com	oany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Central estimate of present value of expected future cash flows				
arising from future claims	3,919	3,710	3,919	3,710
Risk margin	81	76	81	76
Present value of expected future cash inflows arising from				
reinsurance recoveries on future claims	(270)	(259)	(270)	(259)
Expected present value of future cash flows for future claims				
including risk margin	3,730	3,527	3,730	3,527
	%	%	%	%
Risk margin	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%
Probability of adequacy	57 - 64%	57 - 64%	57 - 64%	57 - 64%

The probability of adequacy adopted for the general insurance liability adequacy test (LAT) differs from the 90 per cent probability of adequacy adopted in determining the outstanding claims liabilities (refer to note 19.4). The reason for this difference is that the former is in effect an impairment test used only to test the sufficiency of net premium liabilities whereas the latter is a measurement accounting policy used in determining the carrying value of the outstanding claims liabilities.

The process used to determine the risk margin is discussed in note 19.4.

As at 30 June 2021 and 30 June 2020, the LAT resulted in a surplus for the general insurance portfolio.

# 19. Outstanding claims liabilities

	Consoli	dated	Comp	any
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Gross central estimate - undiscounted	8,809	8,624	8,809	8,624
Risk margin	1,165	1,140	1,165	1,140
Claims handling expenses	361	328	361	328
	10,335	10,092	10,335	10,092
Discount to present value	(269)	(210)	(269)	(210)
Total gross outstanding claims liabilities - discounted	10,066	9,882	10,066	9,882
Current	4,214	4,098	4,214	4,098
Non-current	5,852	5,784	5,852	5,784
Total gross outstanding claims liabilities - discounted	10,066	9,882	10,066	9,882

## 19.1 Reconciliation of movement in discounted outstanding claims liabilities

	Consolidated		Company	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	\$M	\$M	\$M	\$M
Net outstanding claims liabilities at the beginning of the				
financial year	7,745	7,593	7,745	7,593
Prior periods				
Claims payments	(2,026)	(2,161)	(2,026)	(2,161)
Discount unwind	13	51	13	51
Margin release on prior periods	(262)	(268)	(262)	(268)
Incurred claims due to changes in assumptions and experience	(266)	(134)	(266)	(134)
Change in discount rate	(44)	98	(44)	98
Current period				
Incurred claims	6,047	5,692	6,047	5,692
Claims payments	(2,862)	(3,126)	(2,862)	(3,126)
Net outstanding claims liabilities relating to general insurance				_
contracts at the end of the financial year	8,345	7,745	8,345	7,745
Reinsurance and other recoveries on outstanding claims				
liabilities				
Expected discounted outstanding reinsurance and other				
recoveries	1,721	2,137	1,721	2,137
Gross outstanding claims liabilities (discounted) on general				
insurance contracts at the end of the financial year	10,066	9,882	10,066	9,882

The following table summarises the maturity profile of net discounted outstanding claims liabilities based on the estimated timing of discounted cash outflows.

	Carrying amount \$M	1 year or less \$M	1 to 5 years \$M	Over 5 years \$M	Total cash flows \$M
Consolidated					
2021	8,345	3,396	3,834	1,115	8,345
2020	7,745	2,949	3,556	1,240	7,745
Company					
2021	8,345	3,396	3,834	1,115	8,345
2020	7,745	2,949	3,556	1,240	7,745

#### 19.2 Claims development table

The following table shows the development of the estimated undiscounted outstanding claims liabilities relative to the ultimate expected claims for the ten most recent accident years.

Consolidated and Compa	any Accident Year											
	Prior \$M	2012 \$M	2013 \$M	2014 \$M	2015 \$M	2016 \$M	2017 \$M	2018 \$M	2019 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	Total \$M
Estimate of ultimate claims cost:												
At end of accident year		1,287	1,374	1,389	1,405	1,447	1,559	1,490	1,400	1,353	1,393	
One year later		1,276	1,344	1,383	1,346	1,406	1,475	1,435	1,319	1,238		
Two years later		1,208	1,227	1,281	1,250	1,348	1,386	1,418	1,322			
Three years later		1,127	1,129	1,216	1,167	1,328	1,375	1,433				
Four years later		1,074	1,094	1,181	1,152	1,316	1,372					
Five years later		1,045	1,058	1,146	1,132	1,286						
Six years later		1,028	1,030	1,141	1,132							
Seven years later		1,019	1,030	1,141								
Eight years later		1,013	1,025									
Nine years later		1,012										
Current estimate of cumulative claims cost		1,012	1,025	1.141	1.132	1,286	1,372	1,433	1,322	1,238	1,393	
Cumulative payments		(975)	(951)	(1,016)	(1,024)	(1,049)	(1,009)	(799)	(521)	(307)	(121)	
Outstanding claims liabilities - undiscounted	624	37	74	125	107	237	364	634	801	931	1,272	5,206
Discount to present value	(87)	(1)	(2)	(5)	(3)	(8)	(10)	(10)	(10)	(13)	(23)	(172)
Outstanding claims - long-tail	537	36	72	120	104	229	354	624	791	918	1,249	5,034
Outstanding claims - short-tail												1,849
Claims handling expense												351
Risk margin												1,111
Total net outstanding claims liabilities relating to general insurance contracts									8,345			
Reinsurance and other recov	veries or	outstar	nding cla	ims liab	ilities re	lating to	general	l insuran	ce contr	acts		1,721
Total gross outstanding claims liabilities relating to general insurance contracts							10,066					

The claims development table discloses amounts net of reinsurance and third-party recoveries to give the most meaningful insight into the impact on profit or loss. Short-tail claims are disclosed separately as they are generally subject to less uncertainty since they are normally reported soon after the incident and are generally settled within 12 months following the reported incident.

#### 19.3 Outstanding claims liabilities and assets arising from reinsurance contracts

The Group's estimation of its claims liabilities includes the expected future cost of claims notified to the Group as at reporting date as well as claims incurred but not reported (IBNR) and claims incurred but not enough reported (IBNER). Projected payments are discounted to present value and an estimate of direct expenses expected to be incurred in settling these claims is determined.

The Group takes all reasonable steps to ensure that it has appropriate information regarding its claims exposures, with estimates and judgments continually being evaluated and updated based on historical experience and other factors. However, given the uncertainty in the estimation process, it is likely that the final outcome will prove to be different from the original liability established.

The estimation of claims IBNR and claims IBNER is generally subject to a greater degree of uncertainty with claims often not being adequately reported until many years after the events giving rise to the claims have happened. For this reason, long-tail classes of business will typically display greater variations between initial estimates and final outcomes.

Estimation of assets arising from reinsurance and other recoveries are also calculated using the above methods. The recoverability of these assets is assessed on a periodic basis, taking into consideration factors such as counterparty and credit risk.

#### 19.4 Actuarial assumptions and methods

The estimation of the outstanding claims liabilities is based on multiple actuarial techniques that analyse experience, trends and other relevant factors utilising the Group's specific data, relevant industry data and general economic data. Methods undertaken to determine claims liabilities will vary according to the class of business.

The use of multiple actuarial methods assists in providing a greater understanding of the trends inherent in the historical data. The projections obtained from various methods also assist in setting the range of possible outcomes. The most appropriate method or a blend of methods is selected, taking into account the characteristics of the class of business and the extent of the development of each past accident period.

The following key assumptions have been made in determining the outstanding claims liabilities relating to general insurance contracts:

Consolidated and Company	2021	2020
Weighted average term to settlement (years)	3.0	3.3
Weighted average economic inflation rate	3.3%	3.4%
Superimposed inflation rate	2.1%	2.1%
Discount rate	1.0%	0.8%
Claims handling expense ratio	5.2%	5.2%
Risk margin	15.6%	16.9%

**Weighted average term to settlement** – The weighted average term to settlement is the projected term to final claim payment. The term to settlement is calculated separately by class of business and is based on historical settlement pattern.

**Economic and superimposed inflation** – Economic inflation is based on economic indicators such as the consumer price index and/or increases in average weekly earnings. Superimposed inflation reflects the tendency for some costs, such as court awards, to increase at levels in excess of economic inflation. Inflation assumptions are set at a class of business level and reflect experience and future expectations.

**Discount rate** – Discount rates are derived from market yields on Commonwealth Government securities in Australia.

**Claims handling expense ratio** – Claims handling expense ratio is calculated with reference to past experience of claims handling costs as a percentage of past payments.

**Risk margin** - The overall risk margin is determined after analysing the relative uncertainty of the outstanding claims estimate for each class of business and the diversification between classes and geographical locations.

The assumptions regarding uncertainty for each class of business are applied to the net central estimates, and the results are aggregated, allowing for diversification, in order to arrive at an overall position which is intended to have an approximate probability of sufficiency of 90% across the Group (2020: 90%).

#### 19.5 Impact of changes in key variables

The Group conducts sensitivity analyses to quantify the exposure to the risk of changes in the key underlying actuarial assumptions.

A sensitivity analysis is conducted on each variable while holding all other variables constant.

The table below describes how a change in each assumption will affect the profit before tax. There is no impact to equity reserves.

		Consolid	ated	Compa	any
·		2021	2020	2021	2020
	Movement in variable	Profit (loss) \$M	Profit (loss) \$M	Profit (loss) \$M	Profit (loss) \$M
Weighted average term	+ 0.5 years	(169)	(172)	(169)	(172)
to settlement (years)	- 0.5 years	165	168	165	168
Inflation rate	+100bps	(227)	(236)	(227)	(236)
	-100bps	211	217	211	217
Discount rate	+100bps	219	226	219	226
Discount rate	-100bps	(242)	(251)	(242)	(251)
Claims handling	+100bps	(68)	(62)	(68)	(62)
expense ratio	-100bps	68	62	68	62
Diak marain	+100bps	(71)	(65)	(71)	(65)
Risk margin	-100bps	71	65	71	65

#### 20. Subordinated notes

The following table shows subordinated notes at amortised cost and categorised by type, class and instrument under Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) and Life and General Insurance Capital (LAGIC) reporting standards. These instruments have been issued by the Company.

	Consol	Consolidated		pany
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M
Tier 2 subordinated notes		•		·
LAGIC fully compliant subordinated notes				
\$AUD 250 million Internal AAIL Subordinated Notes	250	-	250	=
\$AUD 330 million AAIL Subordinated Notes	329	329	329	329
\$AUD 225 million AAIL Subordinated Notes	_	225	_	225
Total LAGIC fully compliant subordinated notes	579	554	579	554
Total subordinated notes	579	554	579	554
Non-current	579	554	579	554_
Total subordinated notes	579	554	579	554

LAGIC fully compliant subordinated notes

	Margin above 90 day BBSW	Maturity date	Holder conversion date	Optional redemption date	Issue date	2021 Number on issue	2020 Number on issue
\$AUD 250 million Internal AAII							_
Subordinated Notes \$AUD 330 million AAIL Subordinated	225bps	Dec 2035	n/a	Dec 2025	Sep 2020	25,000	-
Notes \$AUD 225 million AAIL Subordinated	320 bps	Oct 2042	Oct 2024	Oct 2022	Oct 2016	33,000	33,000
Notes	330 bps	Nov 2040	Nov 2022	Nov 2020	Nov 2015	-	22,500

No Subordinated Notes have been converted as at 30 June 2021 and 30 June 2020.

The Subordinated Notes pay quarterly, cumulative deferrable interest payments at a floating rate equal to the sum of the three-month bank bill swap rate and the margin.

The issuer has the option to redeem the instrument on the optional redemption date and for certain tax and regulatory events (in each case subject to APRA's prior written approval). Holders of the subordinated notes have the option to convert, into the Ultimate Parent Company's ordinary shares, on each interest payment date following the holder conversion date, assuming certain conditions are satisfied. Conversion will be based on a Volume Weighted Average Price (VWAP) of the Ultimate Parent Company's ordinary shares over a certain period prior to the relevant date for conversion, less a discount of 1%. This is subject to a minimum conversion price, equal to 50% of the VWAP over a 20-day period prior to the issue date.

If APRA determines that a non-viability event has occurred in relation to the issuing entity and, where relevant, its parent, all (or in some circumstances, some) of the subordinated notes will be immediately converted into the Ultimate Parent Company's ordinary shares (or, if conversion cannot by effected for any reason within five business days, written off). Conversion will be based on a VWAP of the Ultimate Parent Company's ordinary shares over a certain period prior to the relevant date for conversion, less a discount of 1%. This is subject to a minimum conversion price, equal to 20% of the VWAP over a 20-day period prior to the issue date. The rights of the holder rank in preference to the rights of the issuer's ordinary shareholders, and capital notes holders and rank equally against all other subordinated note holders of the Issuer.

#### 21. Share capital

Consolidated	Number of ordinary shares	Issued capital		otal share apital \$M
Balance as at 30 June 2019	171,213,341	949	5	954
Share-based payments	-	<del>-</del>	1	11
Balance as at 30 June 2020	171,213,341	949	6	955
Share-based payments	-	-	-	-
Balance as at 30 June 2021	171,213,341	949	6	955
Company				
Balance as at 30 June 2019	171,213,341	949	4	953
Balance as at 30 June 2020	171,213,341	949	4	953
Share-based payments	-	_	1	1_
Balance as at 30 June 2021	171,213,341	949	5	954

Ordinary shares

The Company does not have authorised capital or par value in respect of its issued shares. All issued shares are fully paid.

Holders of ordinary shares are entitled to receive dividends as declared from time to time and are entitled to one vote per share at shareholders' meetings.

In the event of the winding-up of the Company, ordinary shareholders rank after all other shareholders and creditors and are fully entitled to any proceeds on liquidation.

Share-based payments

Share-based payments represent the cumulative expense and other adjustments recognised in share capital relating to equity-settled share-based payment transactions.

#### 22. Capital notes

The following table shows capital notes at amortised cost and categorised by type, class and instrument under APRA and LAGIC reporting standards. These instruments have been issued by the Company.

		2021		2020	
Consolidated and Company	Margin above 90 day BBSW	No of notes	\$M	No of notes	\$M
Issued on 11 February 2014	365 bps	1,100,000	110	1,100,000	110
Issued on 27 June 2014	300 bps	3,890,000	389	3,750,000	375
Balance at the end of the financial year		4,990,000	499	4,850,000	485

On 17 June 2021, The Company issued \$14 million of notes at a face value of \$100 per Note. The deployment consisted of an additional \$14 million of notes originally allocated on 27 June 2014.

The Capital notes are eligible Additional Tier 1 capital instruments under LAGIC. They are fully paid, perpetual, subordinated, unsecured securities and issued to the immediate parent entity, Suncorp Insurance Holdings Limited.

Capital notes pay a distribution that are floating rate, discretionary, non-cumulative, and scheduled to be paid quarterly, at the Company's discretion. They are calculated based on the sum of the three-month bank bill rate and the margin, adjusted for the corporate tax rate applicable to the Ultimate Parent Company.

If APRA determines that a non-viability event has occurred in relation to the Company, all (or in some circumstances, some) of the instruments will be written off.

In the event of the winding-up of the Company, the rights of the holders will rank equally, and in priority to the rights of the ordinary shareholders only.

## 23. Capital management

The Group is part of the Suncorp Group. The capital management strategy of the Suncorp Group is to optimise shareholder value by managing the level, mix and use of capital resources. The primary objective is to ensure there are sufficient capital resources to maintain and grow the business, in accordance with the Suncorp Group's risk appetite. The Suncorp Group's Internal Capital Adequacy Assessment Process (ICAAP) provides the framework to ensure that the Suncorp Group and each regulated entity, is capitalised to meet internal and external requirements. The Suncorp Group is subject to, and in compliance with, externally imposed capital requirements set and monitored by APRA.

The ICAAP is reviewed regularly and, where appropriate, adjustments are made to reflect changes in the capital needs and risk profile of the Suncorp Group. Capital targets are structured according to both the business line regulatory framework and to APRA's standards for the supervision of conglomerates.

All APRA authorised general insurance entities that conduct insurance business in Australia are subject to a risk-based approach for measuring and holding the required regulatory level of capital, referred to as the Prudential Capital Requirement (**PCR**). The PCR is the minimum level of capital that APRA deems must be held to meet policyowner obligations and consists of the Prescribed Capital Amount (**PCA**) and any supervisory adjustment determined by APRA. The Company uses APRA's standardised method for calculating the PCA in accordance with the relevant Prudential Standards and holds regulatory capital in excess of the PCA.

The PCA is calculated by assessing the risks inherent in the business, charges for which comprise:

- Insurance risk charge to reflect the risks inherent in claims and premium liabilities;
- Insurance concentration risk charge to ensure capital is set aside for the risk of loss resulting from a single large event or a series of smaller events;
- Operational risk charge to ensure capital is set aside for the risk of loss resulting from inadequate processes
  or failed internal control, people and systems;
- Asset risk charge to better reflect the risk of adverse movements in the value of on-balance sheet and offbalance sheet exposures by including a variety of asset stress scenarios as well as some default charges;
- An asset concentration risk charge to reflect an overconcentration to counterparties, if any;
   offset by
- An aggregation benefit, which makes an explicit allowance for diversification between asset risk charges and the sum of insurance risk and insurance concentration risk charges.

These risk charges are quantified to determine the prescribed capital required under the prudential standards. This requirement is compared with the regulatory capital held in the Company.

For regulatory purposes, capital is classified as follows:

- Common Equity Tier 1 (CET1) Capital comprising accounting equity with adjustments for intangible assets and regulatory reserves;
- Tier 1 Capital comprising CET1 Capital plus Additional Tier 1 Capital such as certain hybrid securities with 'equity-like' qualities;
- Tier 2 Capital comprising certain securities recognised as Tier 2 Capital, such as subordinated notes; and
- Total Capital, being the sum of Tier 1 Capital and Tier 2 Capital.

CET1 Capital has the greatest capacity to absorb potential losses, followed by Additional Tier 1 Capital and then Tier 2 Capital.

For capital adequacy purposes, a general insurer is required to hold CET 1 capital in excess of 60% of PCA, Tier 1 capital in excess of 80% of PCA and total capital in excess of PCR to ensure solvency. For this purpose, a general insurer's capital base is expected to be adequate for its size, business mix, complexity and the risk profile of its business.

The Company satisfied all regulatory capital requirements during both the current and the prior financial years.

The following table summarises the capital position and PCA at the end of the financial year. The Company is not the parent entity for the consolidated general insurance group and, as a result, does not prepare consolidated capital information for the Group.

	Comp	any
	2021	2020
	\$M	\$M
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital		
Issued capital	949	949
Retained profits	1,649	1,368
Technical provision in excess of liability valuation (net of tax)	393	313
Goodwill and other intangible assets	(30)	(32)
Other Tier 1 deductions	(67)	(31)
Common Equity Tier 1 Capital	2,894	2,567
Additional Tier 1 Capital	499	485
Tier 2 Capital	580	555
Total Capital	3,973	3,607
Prescribed Capital Amount		
Insurance risk charge	1,562	1,472
Insurance concentration risk charge	250	250
Asset risk charge	925	805
Operational risk charge	319	295
Aggregation benefit	(544)	(485)
Total prescribed capital amount	2,512	2,337
Capital coverage ratio	1.58	1.54

#### 24. Reconciliation of cash flows from operating activities

	Consolidated		Company		
	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	2021 \$M	2020 \$M	
Profit for the financial year	522	376	525	377	
Non-cash items					
(Decrease)Increase in fair value of investment securities	(78)	28	(78)	28	
Share of net profit from joint venture entities	(5)	(7)	_	-	
Dividends received from subsidiaries	-	-	(9)	(10)	
Other non-cash items	5	8	6	7	
Change in operating assets and liabilities					
Increase in premiums outstanding	(26)	(34)	(26)	(34)	
Decrease (Increase) in reinsurance and other recoveries	416	(20)	416	(20)	
Decrease (Increase) in deferred reinsurance assets	38	(34)	38	(34)	
Increase in deferred acquisition costs	(13)	(10)	(13)	(10)	
Decrease (increase) in other assets	309	(45)	321	(36)	
Increase in deferred tax assets	(38)	(18)	(40)	(10)	
(Decrease) increase in payables and other liabilities	(336)	259	(338)	259	
(Decrease) increase in amounts due to reinsurers	(18)	17	(18)	17	
Increase in due to related parties	54	117	50	118	
Increase in outstanding claims liabilities	184	172	184	172	
Increase in unearned premium liabilities	293	74	293	74	
Decrease in deferred tax liabilities	-	(13)	-	(21)	
Decrease in net assets due to investing and financing activities	5	7	_		
Net cash from operating activities	1,312	877	1,311	877	

#### 25. Financial instruments

#### 25.1 Fair value of financial instruments

Fair values are categorised by a three-level hierarchy which identifies the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value:

- Level 1: derived from quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical financial instruments that the Group can access at the measurement date.
- Level 2: derived from other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the financial instruments, either directly or indirectly. The valuation techniques include the use of discounted cash flow analysis, option pricing models and other market accepted valuation models.
- Level 3: fair value is determined using valuation techniques which include significant inputs that are unobservable. The valuation techniques include the use of discounted cash flow models for loans and advances. The fair value of investments in infrastructure assets (held via unlisted trusts) are determined based on the Group's share of the net asset value of the unlisted trusts, as advised by the external investment manager. The fair value of other unlisted equity securities is determined as the cost of the investment adjusted for known increments or decrements as this is considered to be the most reliable measure of fair value.

#### Financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value

The following table presents the financial assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value categorised by fair value hierarchy.

	2021				2020			
	Level 1 \$M	Level 2 \$M	Level 3 \$M	Total \$M	Level 1 \$M	Level 2 \$M	Level 3 \$M	Total \$M
Consolidated Financial assets								
Investment securities	3,308	10,080	246	13,634	2,654	9,321	291	12,266
Derivatives	-	36	-	36	1	124	-	125
	3,308	10,116	246	13,670	2,655	9,445	291	12,391
Financial liabilities								
Derivatives	5	53	-	58	5	32	-	37
	5	53	_	58	5	32	-	37
Company Financial assets								
Investment securities	3,308	10,080	246	13,634	2,654	9,321	291	12,266
Derivatives	-	36	_	36	1	124	-	125
	3,308	10,116	246	13,670	2,655	9,445	291	12,391
Financial liabilities								
Derivatives	5	53	-	58	5	32	-	37
	5	53	_	58	5	32	_	37

There have been no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 during the 2021 and 2020 financial years.

Level 3 financial assets consist of investments in property and infrastructure assets of \$246 million (2020: \$291 million).

The fair value of investments in property and infrastructure assets (held via unlisted trusts) classified at Level 3 is determined by the Group's share of the reported net asset value of the unlisted trusts, as advised by the external investment manager. The infrastructure assets held in the unlisted trusts are independently valued in accordance with AASB 13 *Fair value measurement*. During the financial year, no additional units were purchased (2020: \$nil) and units were redeemed for \$72 million (2020: \$41 million). Fair value gains of \$8 million (2020: \$5 million) were recognised through profit or loss. At 30 June 2021, property related assets of \$19 million have been reclassified from level 2 to level 3 (2020: \$98 million).

#### Financial assets and liabilities not measured at fair value

The table below discloses a comparison of carrying value and fair value of financial assets and liabilities that are not measured at fair value after initial recognition, where their carrying value is not a reasonable approximation of fair value.

		2021				2020				
	Carrying.	ving Fair value C		Carrying		Fair value				
	value \$M	Level 1 \$M	Level 2 \$M	Level 3 \$M	Total \$M	value \$M	Level 1 \$M	Level 2 \$M	Level 3 \$M	Total \$M
Consolidated Financial liabilities Subordinated notes	579	-	598	_	598	554	-	564	<del>-</del>	564
Company Financial liabilities Subordinated notes	579	-	598	-	598	554	_	564	-	564

Significant assumptions and estimates used to determine the fair values are described below.

#### Financial liabilities

The fair value of subordinated notes is calculated based on either the quoted market prices at reporting date or, where quoted market prices are not available, a discounted cash flow model using a yield curve appropriate to the remaining maturity of the instrument.

#### 25.2 Master netting or similar arrangements

The Group has in place the following master netting or similar arrangements at reporting date.

#### Derivative assets and liabilities

- Offsetting has been applied to derivatives in the statements of financial position where the Group has a legally enforceable right to set-off and there is an intention to settle on a net basis.
- Certain derivatives are subject to the International Swaps and Derivative Association (ISDA) Master
  Agreement and other similar master netting arrangements. These arrangements contractually bind the
  Group and the counterparty to apply close out netting across all outstanding transactions only if either party
  defaults or other pre-agreed termination events occur. As such, they do not meet the criteria for offsetting in
  the statements of financial position.
- The cash collateral pledged or received is subject to the ISDA Credit Support Annex and other standard industry terms.

#### Amounts due from and to reinsurers

- Some reinsurance treaties of the Group include netting arrangements whereby the receivables from and
  payables to reinsurers are settled on a net basis. As such, the Group has applied offsetting in the
  consolidated statement of financial position.
- Collateral received is subject to terms and conditions of the respective reinsurance treaties and provides regulatory capital relief on the Group's credit exposures to reinsurers.

#### Outstanding investment settlements

Offsetting has been applied to investment receivables and investment payables where the Group has a
legally enforceable right to set-off and netting of payments or receipts apply. In the statements of financial
position, investment receivables is included in 'Other assets' and the investment payables is included in
'Payables and other liabilities'.

The following table sets out the effect of netting arrangements of financial assets and financial liabilities that are offset in the statements of financial position (**SoFP**), or are subject to enforceable master netting arrangements, irrespective of whether they are offset in the SoFP.

# Amounts subject to master netting or similar arrangements Related amounts not offset on the SoFP

Consolidated and Company	Gross amounts \$M	Offsetting applied \$M	Financial instruments \$M	Financial collateral received/ pledged \$M	Net exposure \$M	Amounts not subject to master netting or similar arrangements \$M	Total \$M
2021							
<b>Financial assets</b> Derivatives	34	-	(9)	(10)	15	2	36
Amounts due from reinsurers <sup>1</sup>	99	(74)	-	(11)	14	20	45
Investment receivables <sup>1</sup>	64	-	-	-	64	-	64
Total	197	(74)	(9)	(21)	93	22	145
Financial liabilities Derivatives Amounts due to	55	-	(9)	(26)	20	3	58
reinsurers	83	(74)	-	-	9	622	631
Investments payable <sup>2</sup> Total	71 209	(74)	(9)	(26)	71 100	625	71
	209	(74)	(9)	(20)	100	623	760_
2020 Financial assets Derivatives Amounts due from	124	-	(31)	(50)	43	1	125
reinsurers <sup>1</sup> Investment	90	(77)	14	(11)	16	172	185
receivables <sup>1</sup>	175	<del>-</del>	<u>-</u>	-	175	<u>-</u>	175
Total	389	(77)	(17)	(61)	234	173	485
Financial liabilities Derivatives Amounts due to	37	-	(31)	-	6	-	37
reinsurers	92	(77)	15	-	30	634	649
Investments payable <sup>2</sup>	411	-	_	_	411	<del>-</del>	411
Total	540	(77)	(16)	-	447	634	1,097

<sup>1</sup> Included as part of 'Other assets' in the SoFP.

<sup>2</sup> Included as part of 'Payables and other liabilities' in the SoFP,

## 26. Risk management objectives and structure

As the Company and its subsidiaries are entities within the Suncorp Group, the Group follows the Suncorp Group risk management objectives and structure as described below.

The Suncorp Group Limited Board (**SGL Board**) and management recognise that effective risk management is critical to the achievement of the Suncorp Group's objectives. The Board Risk Committee (**Risk Committee**) has delegated authority from the SGL Board to carry out the oversight of the adequacy and effectiveness of the risk management frameworks and processes within the Suncorp Group.

An Enterprise Risk Management Framework (**ERMF**) is in place for the Suncorp Group. It is subject to an annual review, updated for material changes as they occur and is approved by the SGL Board. The ERMF comprises:

- Suncorp Group's risk appetite framework and its link to strategic business and capital plans
- accountabilities and governance arrangements for the management of risk within the Three Lines of Defence model
- the risk management process.

The Three Lines of Defence model of accountability involves:

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Line of defence	Responsibility of	Accountable for
First - Manage risk and comply with Suncorp	All functions (and staff)	<ul> <li>Identify and manage the risks inherent in their operations.</li> </ul>
Group frameworks, policies and risk appetite		<ul> <li>Ensure compliance with all legal and regulatory requirements and Suncorp Group policies.</li> </ul>
appeare		<ul> <li>Promptly escalate any significant actual and emerging risks for management attention.</li> </ul>
Second - Independent functions own and monitor the application	Chief Risk Officer, Function Chief Risk Officers	<ul> <li>Design, implement and manage the ongoing maintenance of Suncorp Group risk frameworks and related policies.</li> </ul>
of risk frameworks, and measure and report on risk performance and		<ul> <li>Advise and partner with the business in the design and execution of risk frameworks and practices.</li> </ul>
compliance		<ul> <li>Develop, apply and execute functions' risk frameworks that are consistent with the Suncorp Group for the respective functions.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Facilitate the reporting of the appropriateness and quality of risk management.</li> </ul>
Third - Independent assurance over internal	·	<ul> <li>Decides the level and extent of independent testing required to verify the efficacy of internal controls.</li> </ul>
controls and risk management practices		<ul> <li>Validates the overall risk framework.</li> </ul>
aagoment prastices		<ul> <li>Provides assurance that the risk management practices are functioning as intended.</li> </ul>

The SGL Board has delegated authorities and limits to the Group CEO & Managing Director to manage the business. Management recommends to the SGL Board, and the SGL Board has approved, various frameworks, policies and limits relating to the key categories of risk faced by the Suncorp Group within the Group CEO & Managing Director's authorities and limits.

The Senior Leadership Team, comprising the Group CEO & Managing Director, Function CEOs and all Senior Executives, provides executive oversight and direction-setting across the Suncorp Group, taking risk

considerations into account. The Chief Risk Officer, a member of the Senior Leadership Team, is charged with the overall accountability for both the ERMF and risk management capability.

The Company also has an Asset and Liability Committee (**ALCO**). The ALCO has responsibility for establishing, managing and enforcing an effective asset and liability risk framework which optimises the long-term returns achieved by the asset portfolios within any risk appetite or parameters established by the relevant Board.

APRA-regulated entities prepare risk management strategies (**RMS**) approved by the Risk Committee and submit these to APRA annually. The RMS describe the strategy adopted by the SGL Board and management for managing risk within these entities, including risk appetite, policies, procedures, management responsibilities and controls.

The material risks addressed by the ERMF are defined below.

Key risks	Definition
Strategic risk	Suncorp recognises and defines two types of strategic-level risk:  Strategic risk - risks to the viability of Suncorp's business model resulting from adverse changes in the external business environment, with respect to the economy, political landscape, regulation, technology, climate change, customer and social expectations and competitors. Climate change is addressed through Suncorp's risk management framework. Assessment and management of climate change related to risks is addressed through a program of five streams of work which are outlined in Suncorp's Climate Change Action Plan and meet guidance issued by the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD).
	Strategic execution risk – the risk of failing to achieve strategic business objectives or execution of the business strategy.
Financial risk	Financial risks include credit and counterparty, market, asset and liability and liquidity risks.
	Credit and counterparty is the risk that the other party in an agreement will default/will not meet its contractual obligations in accordance with agreed terms.
	Market risk is the risk of unfavourable changes in foreign exchange rates, interest rates, equity prices, credit spreads, commodity prices, and market volatilities.
	Asset and liability risk is the risk to earnings and capital from mismatches between assets and liabilities with varying maturity and repricing profiles and from mismatches in term.
	Liquidity risk is the risk that the Suncorp Group will be unable to service its cash flow obligations today or in the future.
Insurance risk	The risk that for any class of risk insured, the present value of actual claims payable, will exceed the present value of actual premium revenues generated (net of reinsurance).
Operational risk	The risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes, people and systems or from external events. This includes legal risk but excludes strategic and reputational risks.
Compliance risk	The risk of legal or regulatory sanctions, financial loss, or loss to reputation which the Suncorp Group may suffer as a result of its failure to comply with all applicable regulations, codes of conduct and good practice standards.

The Group is exposed to the following categories of market risk.

Categories of market risk	Definition
Foreign exchange (FX) risk	The risk of an asset or liability's value changing unfavourably due to changes in currency exchange rates.
Interest rate risk	The risk of loss of current and future earnings and unfavourable movements in the value of interest-bearing assets and liabilities from changes in interest rates.
Equity risk	The risk of loss of current and future earnings and unfavourable movement in the value of investment in equity instruments from adverse movements in equity prices.
Credit spread risk	Credit spread is the difference in yield due to difference in credit quality. This is the risk of loss of current and future earnings and unfavourable movement in the value of investments from changes in the credit spread as determined by capital market sentiment or factors affecting all issuers in the market and not necessarily due to factors specific to an individual issuer.

Further discussions on the application of the Suncorp Group's risk management practices are presented in the following sections:

- note 27 insurance risk management
- notes 27.3 to 27.5 risk management for financial instruments: credit, liquidity and market risks
- note 10 derivative financial instruments.

# 27. Insurance risk management

# 27.1 Managing Insurance Risk

Insurance risk is inherent in the operations of the Insurance business and relates to insurance product design, pricing, underwriting, exposure concentration, reserving, claims management and reinsurance management. Ultimately Insurance risk is the risk of loss due to claims on insurance policies varying from expectation.

Insurance risk is managed through risk appetite statements, operation of the ERMF and supporting risk standards where adopted, with oversight from relevant ALCOs and the insurance risk committee.

The Board receives the Australian General Insurance Financial Condition Report from the Appointed Actuary which reports on a number of areas including the management of insurance risk within the entities.

## 27.2 Terms and conditions of insurance contracts

The majority of direct insurance contracts written are entered into on a standard form basis. Insurance contracts are generally entered into on an annual basis and at the time of entering into a contract all terms and conditions are negotiable or, in the case of renewals, renegotiable. Non-standard and long-term policies may only be written if expressly approved by a relevant delegated authority. There are no special terms and conditions in any non-standard contracts that would have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements. There are no embedded derivatives that are separately recognised from a host insurance contract.

# 27.3 Credit risk

The Group is exposed to and manages the following key sources of credit risk.

Key sources of credit risk	How are these managed
Premiums outstanding	Credit risk is managed by maintaining debtor control procedures including the monitoring of aged amounts to minimise overdue debts. Credit limits are set and enforced to limit credit exposures from business written through general insurance intermediaries. Where permissible by law, payment default will result in the termination of the insurance contract with the policyowner, eliminating both the credit risk and insurance risk for the unpaid balance. Collateral is not sought on these balances.
Investments in interest- bearing securities and derivatives	Interest-bearing securities are held in accordance with the investment mandates. Credit limits have been established within these guidelines to ensure counterparties have appropriate credit ratings. An investment framework is in place that sets and monitors investment strategies and arrangements.
Reinsurance and other recoveries	Credit risk with respect to reinsurance programs is minimised by placement of cover with a number of reinsurers with AA or higher credit ratings. Eligible recoveries under reinsurance arrangements are monitored and managed internally and by specialised reinsurance brokers operating in the international reinsurance market.
	Collateral arrangements exist for non-regulated reinsurers. In certain cases, the Group requires letters of credit or other collateral arrangements to be provided to guarantee the recoverability of the amount involved. The Group holds \$173 million (2020: \$141 million) in collateral to support reinsurance recoveries on outstanding claims.

The carrying amount of the relevant asset classes in the statement of financial position represents the maximum amount of credit exposures as at the end of the financial year, except for derivatives. The fair value of derivatives recognised in the statement of financial position represents the current risk exposure, but not the maximum risk exposure. The notional value and fair value of derivatives are illustrated in note 10.

The following table provides information regarding credit risk exposure of financial assets, classified according to Standard & Poor's counterparty credit ratings. AAA is the highest possible rating. Assets rated below BBB are classified as non-investment grade.

_				Credit Rat	ing		
	A A A	۸۸	٨	BBB	Non- investment	Not roted	Tatal
Consolidated	AAA \$M	AA \$M	A \$M	\$M	grade \$M	Not rated \$M	Total \$M
2021		·	·			•	<u> </u>
Cash and cash equivalents	=	169	121	-	=	=	290
Premiums outstanding	=	-	-	-	=	2,300	2,300
Receivables	68	15	228	22	1	121	455
Derivatives	=	24	9	3	=	=	36
Interest-bearing investment							
securities	5,440	1,574	2,365	2,611	22	=	12,012
Reinsurance and other							
recoveries receivable	480	558	269	1	=	413	1,721
	5,988	2,340	2,992	2,637	23	2,834	16,814
2020							
Cash and cash equivalents	3	250	110	-	-	-	363
Premiums outstanding	_	=	-	_	_	2,274	2,274
Receivables	229	99	208	25	_	170	731
Derivatives	_	63	58	4	_	_	125
Interest-bearing investment							
securities	4,687	1,369	2,283	2,556	15	-	10,910
Reinsurance and other							
recoveries receivable	489	915	350	-		383	2,137
	5,408	2,696	3,009	2,585	15	2,827	16,540

				Credit Rat	ing		
Company	AAA \$M	AA \$M	A \$M	BBB \$M	Non- investment grade \$M	Not rated \$M	Total \$M
2021			<u> </u>	•		•	
Cash and cash equivalents	_	169	105	_	_	-	274
Premiums outstanding	_	-	-	_	_	2,300	2,300
Receivables	68	15	229	22	1	121	456
Derivatives	-	24	9	3	=	-	36
Interest-bearing investment							
securities	5,440	1,574	2,365	2,611	22	-	12,012
Reinsurance and other							
recoveries receivable	480	558	269	1	-	413	1,721
	5,988	2,340	2,977	2,637	23	2,834	16,799
2020							
Cash and cash equivalents	3	248	97	-	_	-	348
Premiums outstanding	-	-	-	-	_	2,274	2,274
Receivables	229	99	183	25	_	170	706
Derivatives	_	63	58	4	_	-	125
Interest-bearing investment							
securities	4,687	1,369	2,283	2,556	15	-	10,910
Reinsurance and other							
recoveries receivable	489	915	350	-		383	2,137
	5,408	2,694	2,971	2,585	15	2,827	16,500

## Notes

- Receivables neither past due nor impaired in the below table are not rated according to Standard & Poor's counterparty credit ratings.
- Collateral arrangements exist for non-APRA regulated reinsurers and certain derivative positions.

All financial assets are neither past due nor impaired at reporting date except for those disclosed in the following table. An amount is considered past due when a contractual payment falls overdue by one or more days. When an amount is classified as past due, the entire balance is disclosed in the past due analysis presented.

	Neither past due nor impaired \$M	0-3 mths \$M	3-6 mths \$M	> 6 mths \$M	Impaired \$M	Total \$M
Consolidated						
2021						
Premiums outstanding	2,221	18	14	39	8	2,300
Receivables	453	2	-	-	-	455
	2,674	20	14	39	8	2,755
2020						
Premiums outstanding	2,189	24	9	44	8	2,274
Receivables	616	114	1	-	-	731
	2,805	138	10	44	8	3,005
Company 2021						
Premiums outstanding	2,221	18	14	39	8	2,300
Receivables	454	2	-	-	-	456
	2,675	20	14	39	8	2,756
2020						
Premiums outstanding	2,189	24	9	44	8	2,274
Receivables	591	114	1	_	=	706
	2,780	138	10	44	8	2,980

# 27.4 Liquidity risk

To ensure payments are made when they fall due, the Group has the following key facilities and arrangements in place to mitigate liquidity risks:

- Investment portfolio mandates provide sufficient cash deposits to meet day-to-day obligations.
- Investment funds set aside within the portfolio can be realised to meet significant claims payment obligations.
- In the event of a major catastrophe, cash access is available under the terms of reinsurance arrangements.
- Mandated liquidity limits.
- Regularity of premiums received provides substantial liquidity to meet claims payments and associated expenses as they arise.
- Flexibility in investment strategies implemented for investment management to provide sufficient liquidity to meet claim payments as they fall due, based on actuarial assumptions.

The following table summarises the maturity profile of the Group financial liabilities based on the remaining undiscounted contractual obligations. Contractual maturities for non-hedge accounted derivative liabilities are not included within the following table as they are frequently settled and managed within the short term.

	Carrying amount \$M	1 year or less \$M	1 to 5 years \$M	Over 5 years \$M	Total cash flows \$M
Consolidated					
2021					
Payables and other liabilities	867	861	6	-	867
Amounts due to reinsurers	631	631	=	_	631
Subordinated notes	579	16	614	-	630
	2,077	1,508	620	-	2,128
2020					
Payables and other liabilities	794	788	6	-	794
Amounts due to reinsurers	649	649	=	-	649
Subordinated notes	554	240	347	-	587
	1,997	1,677	353	-	2,030

	Carrying amount \$M	1 year or less \$M	1 to 5 years \$M	Over 5 years \$M	Total cash flows \$M
Company					
2021					
Payables and other liabilities	883	877	6	-	883
Amounts due to reinsurers	631	631	-	-	631
Subordinated notes	579	16	614	-	630
	2,093	1,524	620	-	2,144
2020					
Payables and other liabilities	762	756	6	_	762
Amounts due to reinsurers	649	649	_	_	649
Subordinated notes	554	240	347	-	587
	1,965	1,645	353	_	1,998

## 27.5 Market risk

#### 27.5.1 Foreign exchange risk

The Group is exposed to foreign exchange risk through its outstanding claims liability from previously written offshore reinsurance business.

The practice is that all insurance policies are written in Australian dollars, unless separately authorised, with processes in place to comply with the Suncorp Group Foreign Exchange Policy.

The Group is also exposed to foreign exchange risk through investments in foreign securities, which is managed via the use of cross-currency swaps.

A sensitivity analysis showing the impact on profit or loss for changes in foreign exchange rates for exposure as at the reporting date with all other variables including interest rates remaining constant is shown in the tables below. There is no impact on equity reserves.

The movements in foreign exchange rates used in the sensitivity analysis for 2021 have been revised to reflect updated assessment of the reasonable possible changes in foreign exchange rates over the next 12 months, given renewed observations and experience in the investment markets during the financial year.

		2021		2020			
	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in FX rate %	Profit (loss) after tax \$M		Change in FX rate %	Profit (loss) after tax \$M	
Consolidated							
USD	592	+10	41	468	+15	49	
		-10	(41)		-10	(33)	
Euro	434	+5	15	370	+5	13	
		-5_	(15)		-5	(13)	
GBP	63	+5	2	44	+5	2	
		-5_	(2)		-5	(2)	
JPY	18	+5	1	11	+5	-	
		-5_	(1)		-5		
Other	24	+5	1	21	+5	1	
		-5	(1)		-5	(1)	
Company							
USD	592	+10	41	468	+15	49	
		-10	(41)		-10	(33)	
Euro	434	+5	15	370	+5	13	
		-5_	(15)		-5	(13)	
GBP	63	+5	2	44	+5	2	
		-5_	(2)		-5	(2)	
JPY	18	+5	1	11	+5	-	
		-5_	(1)		-5		
Other	24	+5	1	21	+5	1	
		-5	(1)		<b>-</b> 5	(1)	

#### 27.5.2 Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk exposure arises mainly from investment in interest-bearing securities and from ongoing valuation of insurance liabilities.

The investment portfolios, which hold significant interest-bearing securities in support of corresponding outstanding claims liabilities, are invested in a manner consistent with the expected duration of claims payments. Interest rate risk is also managed by maintaining a diversified portfolio of investment securities and the controlled use of interest rate derivative instruments.

The sensitivity of profit and loss after tax to movements in interest rates in relation to interest-bearing financial assets held at the reporting date is shown in the table below. There is no impact on equity reserves. It is assumed that all residual exposures for the shareholder after tax are included in the sensitivity analysis, that the percentage point change occurs at the reporting date and that there are concurrent movements in interest rates and parallel shifts in the yield curves.

The movements in interest rates used in the sensitivity analysis for 2021 have been revised to reflect updated assessment of the reasonable possible changes in interest rates over the next 12 months, given renewed observations and experience in the investment markets during the financial year.

		2021		2020			
	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in interest rate bp	Profit (loss) after tax \$M	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in interest rate bp	Profit (loss) after tax \$M	
Consolidated		•			,		
Interest-bearing investment securities (including derivative	12,019	+15	(30)	10,955	+15	(34)	
financial instruments)		-5	10		-15	34	
Subordinated notes	579	+15 -5	(1) -	555	+15 -15	(1) 1	
Company							
Interest-bearing investment securities (including derivative	12,019	+15	(30)	10,955	+15	(34)	
financial instruments)		<del>-</del> 5	10		-15	34	
Subordinated notes	579	+15 -5	(1) -	555	+15 -15	(1) 1	

The effect of interest rate movements on the Group's provision for outstanding claims liabilities is included in note 19.5.

## 27.5.3 Equity risk

The Group is exposed to equity risk through its investments in international and domestic equity trusts. The table below presents a sensitivity analysis showing the impact on profit or loss after tax for price movements for exposures as at the reporting date, with all other variables remaining constant. There is no impact on equity reserves.

The movements in equity prices used in the sensitivity analysis for 2021 have been revised to reflect updated assessment of the reasonable possible changes in equity prices over the next 12 months, given renewed observations and experience in the investment markets during the financial year.

		2021			2020	
	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in equity prices %	Profit (loss) after tax \$M	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in equity prices %	Profit (loss) after tax \$M
Consolidated Australian equities and unit trusts	1,622	+15	170	1,356	+15	142
		-10	(114)		-10	(95)
Company Australian equities and unit trusts	1,622	+15	170	1,356	+15	142
		-10	(114)		-10	(95)

#### 27.5.4 Credit spread risk

The Group is exposed to credit spread risk through its investments in non-Australian Government-issued bonds (and other interest-bearing securities). This risk is mitigated by incorporating a diversified investment portfolio, establishing maximum exposure limits for counterparties and minimum limits on credit ratings, and managing to a credit risk diversity score limit.

The table below presents a sensitivity analysis on how credit spread movements could affect profit or loss for the exposure as at the reporting date. There is no impact on equity reserves.

The movements in credit spread used in the sensitivity analysis for 2021 have been revised based on an updated assessment of the reasonable possible changes in credit spread over the next 12 months, taking into account observations and experience in the investment markets during the financial year.

	2021			2020		
	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in credit spread bp	Profit (loss) after tax \$M	Exposure at 30 June \$M	Change in credit spread bp	Profit (loss) after tax \$M
Consolidated					-	
Credit exposure (excluding	7,685	+15	(19)	7,557	+40	(50)
semi-government)		<b>-</b> 5	7		-10	13
Credit exposure (semi-	920	+15	(4)	661	+20	(4)
government)		<b>-</b> 5	1		-20	4
Company		_				
Credit exposure (excluding	7,685	+15	(19)	7,557	+40	(50)
semi-government)		<b>-</b> 5	7		-10	13
Credit exposure (semi-	920	+15	(4)	661	+20	(4)
government)		-5	1		-20	4

# 28. Key management personnel and related party disclosures

## 28.1 KMP disclosures

As a wholly-owned subsidiary of Suncorp Group Limited, KMP disclosures are consistent with those disclosed by Suncorp Group Limited.

Total compensation for KMP are as follows:

Consolidated and Company	2021 \$000	
Short-term employee benefits	15,521	11,091
Long-term employee benefits	141	193
Post-employment benefits	508	475
Share-based payments	5,938	4,960
Termination benefits	1,888	1,693
	23.996	18.412

The ultimate parent entity has determined the compensation of KMP in accordance with their roles within the entire Suncorp Group. Employee service contracts do not include any compensation, including bonuses, specifically related to the role of KMP of the Company and to allocate a figure may in fact be misleading. There is no link between KMP compensation and the financial results of the Company. Therefore, as there is no reasonable basis for allocating a KMP compensation amount to the Company, the entire compensation of the KMP has been disclosed above.

Transactions with directors, executives and their related parties are conducted on arm's length terms and conditions, and are deemed trivial or domestic in nature. These transactions are in the nature of general insurance policies.

No director, executive or their related parties has entered into a material contract with the Company during the reporting period, and there were no material contracts involving directors, executives or their related parties existing at the end of the financial year.

# 28.2 Related party transactions

Transactions between the Company and its subsidiaries, parent entity and ultimate parent entity consisted of dividends received and paid, and interest received and paid.

Transactions between the Group and other related entities consist of interest received on deposits and investment securities held, finance costs, fees received and paid for information technology services, investment management and custodian services, overseas management services, finance facilities and reinsurance arrangements. The Group's primary banking facilities are held with Suncorp-Metway Limited, a subsidiary of the ultimate parent entity.

The Company also provided intercompany loan facilities to other related parties within the Suncorp Group. As at 30 June 2021, \$35,000,000 of the facilities remained unutilised (30 June 2020: \$35,000,000).

All the transactions described above were on commercial terms, except that some advances may be interest free.

	Consolidated		Company	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
The aggregate amounts included in the determination of				
profit before tax that resulted from transactions with related				
parties:				
Insurance premium income				
Other related parties	11,521	13,231	11,521	13,231
Investment income				
Subsidiaries	-	_	9,019	9,000
Joint ventures	3,667	5,210	_	-
Parent entity	718	981	718	981
Other related parties	-	443	-	443
Other income				
Subsidiaries	-	-	1,088	147
Other related parties	-	224	_	224
Claims expense paid				
Other related parties	39,525	239,737	39,525	239,737
Interest expense				
Other related parties	-	_	-	=
Subsidiaries	340	_	340	=
Other related parties	1,745,269	1,592,977	1,742,223	1,588,736
Dividend Paid				
Parent entity	244,000	527,000	244,000	527,000
Other related parties	-	_	-	-
Aggregate amounts receivable from and payable to, each				
class of related parties as at the end of the financial year:				
Other related parties	_	_	_	_
Investment securities				
Other related parties	1,377,430	1,147,479	1,377,430	1,147,479
Premiums outstanding	.,0,,,.00	.,,, ., .	.,0,,,,00	.,,, ., 0
Other related parties	12,557	11,203	12,557	11,203
Receivables <sup>1</sup>	12,007	11,200	12,007	11,200
Subsidiaries	_	_	538	335
Parent entity	32,659	32,500	32,659	32,500
Other related parties	115,038	115,571	115,037	115,555
Payables and other liabilities <sup>1</sup>	110,000	110,071	110,007	110,000
Subsidiaries	_	_	22,249	23,211
Parent entity	116,372	87,224	115,487	86,617
Other related parties	380,257	356,366	382,421	358,693
Unearned Premium Liability	360,237	330,300	302,421	330,093
Other related parties	10,837	9,801	10,837	9,801
Outstanding Claims Liability	10,037	9,001	10,037	9,001
Other related parties	10 570	7.460	10 570	7.460
•	13,578	7,462	13,578	7,462
Subordinated Notes	250,000		250,000	
Parent Entity	250,000	_	250,000	

<sup>1</sup> There have been intercompany settlements during the financial year. Refer to the statements of cash flows.

# 29. Auditor's remuneration

	Consolidated		Com	Company	
	2021 \$000	2020 \$000	2021 \$000	2020 \$000	
KPMG Australia				_	
Audit and review services					
Audit and review of financial reports	1,551	1,497	1,495	1,439	
	1,551	1,497	1,495	1,439	
Assurance services					
Regulatory assurance services	307	321	277	290	
Other assurance services	315	328	315	328	
	622	649	592	618	
Other services					
In relation to taxation and other services	12	-	12	=_	
Total Auditors' remuneration	2,185	2,146	2,099	2,057	

Fees for services rendered by the Company's auditor are borne by a related entity within the Group.

# 30. Contingent assets and liabilities

#### 30.1 Contingent assets

There are claims and possible claims made by the Group against external parties, the aggregate amount of which cannot be readily quantified. Where considered appropriate, legal advice has been obtained. The Group does not consider the outcome of any such claims known to exist at the date of this report, either individually or in aggregate, is likely to have a material effect on its operations or financial position. The directors are of the opinion that receivables are not required in respect of these matters, as it is not virtually certain that future economic benefits will eventuate or the amount is not capable of reliable measurement.

# 30.2 Contingent liabilities

There are outstanding court proceedings, regulator enquiries, potential fines, claims and possible claims against the Group, the aggregate amount of which cannot be readily quantified. Where considered appropriate, legal advice has been obtained. The Group does not consider the outcome of any such claims known to exist at the date of this report, either individually or in aggregate, is likely to have a material effect on its operations or financial position. The directors are of the opinion that provisions are not required in respect of these matters, as it is not probable that a future sacrifice of economic benefits will be required or the amount is not capable of reliable measurement.

#### Regulatory and internal reviews

Reviews and enquiries from regulators may result in investigation costs, administrative costs, legal costs, system changes and compensation and / or remediation payments (including interest) or fines and penalties. The Suncorp Group conducts its own internal reviews of its regulatory compliance, which it may disclose to the regulators in Australia and New Zealand, which may result in similar costs.

The Group is currently subject to ASIC's Close and Continuous Monitoring Program, which includes providing documents and data to ASIC and interviews with staff members. The focus of the review relates to Internal Dispute Resolution and Breach and Incident Management processes. ASIC issued its report to the Group on 30 June 2021. The Group is reviewing ASIC's report and an action plan will be put in place. No material financial impact is expected.

#### Customer complaints

The Australian Financial Complaints Authority (AFCA) has the power to award compensation up to certain thresholds on complaints raised by customers. The Group is working through the individual cases that have been reported to AFCA.

An assessment of the likely cost to the Group of customer complaints has been made on a case by case basis but cannot always be reliably estimated. To the extent that the potential impact can be reliably estimated, the amount has been provisioned.

#### **Royal Commission**

The 2019 report of the Royal Commission set out 76 policy recommendations to strengthen protections for consumers, small business and rural and regional communities. A comprehensive program of work is currently underway to implement the reforms that have resulted from the recommendations and to enhance the Group's focus on culture and compliance matters. The Government's program in response to the recommendations of the Royal Commission continues to evolve with the Financial Sector Reform (Hayne Royal Commission Response) Bill 2020 passing both Houses of Parliament on 10 December 2020. The Group is progressing with implementation of these reforms and continues to monitor and respond to any additional legislation and regulatory activity that may arise as a result of this program. The Group is accordingly of the opinion that at this time the outcome and total costs which may arise from regulatory reform remain uncertain.

## Litigation

As disclosed in an ASX announcement on 15 April 2021 a class action has been filed against AAI Limited and former Suncorp Group entity Suncorp Life & Superannuation Limited (**SLSL**) on behalf of persons who purchased add-on insurance products sold with the purchase or lease of motor vehicles at car dealerships between 1 May 2006 and 30 June 2018. The Group is defending this matter. The Group has made provisions for legal, investigation and other defence costs. At this stage of the proceedings it is currently not possible to determine the ultimate financial impact of this matter, if any.

Following the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic the construction of various business interruption wordings have been judicially tested and others are still awaiting judicial consideration. The first industry test case determined that insurers cannot generally rely on policy exclusions that reference the 'Quarantine Act and subsequent Amendments', noting that the Court has yet to determine a discrete aspect relevant to such polices in Victoria. Overall policy response and assessment of claims arising from these policies cannot yet occur as this is dependent on the construction of other clauses that will be canvassed in the second test case. The second industry test case, which is currently before the Federal Court is testing the construction of various aspects of Infectious Disease and Prevention of Access indemnity clauses, and adjustments clauses including the application of government subsidies and trends. It will also consider a limited aspect of a Biosecurity Act exclusion, noting however that the Group is confident in the strength of its Biosecurity Act wordings following the ruling by the Federal Court of Australia in the matter of Rockment Pty Ltd T/A Vanilla Lounge v AAI Limited T/A Vero which confirmed a broad interpretation of the exclusion clause for losses connected with COVID-19. Other industry participants have discrete litigation on foot considering various aspects of their business interruption wordings response to COVID-19. Class actions have also been commenced against other insurers. Accordingly, there may be further judicial determinations which may be of broader industry application and impact future exposure for the Group.

The potential impact of these matters is uncertain and has been considered in the recognition of additional claims provisions and risk margins in the General Insurance outstanding claims liabilities as set out in note 19.1.

There are other outstanding court proceedings, potential fines, claims and possible claims against the Suncorp Group, the aggregate amount of which cannot be readily quantified. Where considered appropriate, privileged legal advice has been obtained. The Group does not consider the outcome of any such claims known to exist at the date of this report, either individually or in aggregate, likely to have a material effect on its operations or financial position.

An assessment of the likely cost to the Group of these matters has been made on a case by case basis but cannot always be reliably estimated. To the extent that the potential impact can be reliably estimated, the amount has been provisioned.

# 31. Significant accounting policies

The Group's significant accounting policies set out below have been consistently applied by all entities in the Group to all financial years presented in these consolidated financial statements.

#### 31.1 Basis of consolidation

The Group's consolidated financial statements are the financial statements of the Company and all its subsidiaries, presented as those of a single economic entity. Intra-group transactions and balances are eliminated on consolidation.

#### (a) Subsidiaries

Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Group which includes companies, managed funds and trusts. The Group controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date when control commences until the date on which control ceases.

# 31.2 Managed funds

The Company is licensed to maintain statutory insurance funds for external clients. The application of the statutory funds by the Company is restricted to the collection of premiums and the payment of claims, related expenses and other payments authorised under the relevant Acts. The Company is not liable for any deficiency in the funds, or entitled to any surplus. For these reasons, the directors are of the opinion that the Company does not have control over, nor have the capacity to control, the statutory funds. The statutory funds are of a separate and distinct nature. Therefore, the statutory funds are not consolidated into the Group's consolidated financial statements.

# 31.3 Foreign currency

#### (a) Foreign currency transactions

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are translated into the functional currency of the Group using the spot exchange rates at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency monetary assets and liabilities at reporting date are translated into the functional currency using the spot exchange rates current on that date. The resulting differences on monetary items are recognised as exchange gains or losses in the financial year in which the exchange rates difference arises. Foreign currency non-monetary assets and liabilities that are measured in terms of historical cost are translated using the exchange rates at the date of the transaction.

Foreign currency non-monetary assets and liabilities that are stated at fair value are translated using exchange rates at the dates the fair value was determined. Where a non-monetary asset is classified as an available-for-sale financial asset, the gain or loss is recognised in other comprehensive income.

## 31.4 Revenue and expense recognition

#### (a) Premium revenue

Premium revenue comprises amounts charged to policyowners and includes applicable levies and charges such as emergency service levies but excludes stamp duty and taxes collected on behalf of third parties such as goods and services tax (**GST**). Premiums are recognised as revenue in accordance with the pattern of the underlying risk exposure from the date of attachment over the period of the insurance policy, which is usually one year.

Premiums on unclosed business are brought to account by reference to the prior years' experience and information that has become available between the reporting date and the date of completing the consolidated financial statements.

#### (b) Claims expense

Claims expense represents payments for claims and the movement in outstanding claims liabilities. Claims represent the benefits paid or payable to the policyowners on the occurrence of an event giving rise to a loss or accident according to the terms of the policy. Claims expenses are recognised in profit or loss as losses are incurred, which is usually the point in time when the event giving rise to the claim occurs.

#### (c) Outward reinsurance premium expense

Premiums ceded to reinsurers are recognised as an expense from the attachment date over the period of indemnity of the reinsurance contract in accordance with the expected pattern of the incidence of risk.

Reinsurance premiums are deferred and recognised as an asset where there are future economic benefits to be received from reinsurance premiums.

#### (d) Investment revenue

Interest income is recognised in profit or loss using the effective interest method.

Dividends and distribution income are recognised when the right to receive income is established.

## (e) Managed funds income

The Group manages statutory insurance funds for external clients and earns income from the provision of claims processing services (base fee) as well as an incentive fee based on performance results. Income for the base fee is recognised as the service is provided and for the incentive fee, as the income is earned.

Fees receivables are based on management's best estimate of the likely fee at reporting date. There is a significant amount of judgment involved in the estimation process of the fees receivable which may not be finalised for a number of years.

The base fee is specified in the contract and based on active claims. The performance fee is based on performance components stated in the contract.

#### (f) Fees and other income

Fees and other income are recognised in profit or loss on an accruals basis as the services are rendered.

## (g) Levies and charges

Levies and charges imposed on the Group by various authorities are expensed to profit or loss on a basis consistent with the recognition of premium revenue. These include Emergency Service Levies, Medical Care and Injury Services Levy, NSW Insurance Protection Tax and Workers' Compensation levies. The portion of levies and charges payable at reporting date relating to unearned premium is recorded as other deferred insurance assets. A liability is recognised for levies and charges payable at the reporting date.

#### (h) Finance costs

Finance costs include interest expense on financial liabilities (borrowing costs) and transactions costs relating to borrowings. Finance costs are expensed as incurred and are recognised net of any associated hedge transactions.

Finance costs on subordinated notes includes interest expense, fair value movements on derivative instruments relating to subordinated notes, amortisation of discounts relating to subordinated notes and amortisation of ancillary costs incurred in connection with arrangement of subordinated notes.

#### 31.5 Income tax

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax and is recognised in the profit or loss except to the extent it relates to items recognised in equity or in other comprehensive income.

Current tax consists of the expected tax payable on the taxable income for the year, after any adjustments in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax is recognised in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

Deferred tax assets are recognised when it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which the temporary differences can be utilised. Provisions for taxation require the Group to take into account the impact of uncertain tax positions. For such uncertainties, the Group relies on estimates and assumptions about future events.

#### (a) Tax consolidation

The Group is a wholly-owned entity in a tax-consolidated group, with SGL as the head entity. As a consequence, all members of the tax-consolidated group are taxed as a single entity.

The Group recognises the current and deferred tax amounts applicable to the transactions undertaken by it, reasonably adjusted for certain intra-group transactions, as if it continued to be a separate tax payer. The head entity also recognises the entire tax-consolidated group's current tax liability. Any differences between the current tax liability and any tax funding arrangement amounts are recognised by the head entity as an equity contribution to, or distribution from, the Group.

The members of the tax-consolidated group have entered into a tax sharing agreement and a tax funding agreement. Under the tax funding agreement, the Group fully compensates SGL for any current tax payable assumed. The assets and liabilities arising under the tax funding agreement are recognised as intercompany assets and liabilities, at call.

The Group is jointly and severally liable for the income tax obligations of that group in the event that the head entity of the group defaults in its payment obligations to the Australian Taxation Office. The tax sharing agreement has effect to limit this joint and several liability to an amount relative to the Group's contribution to the group's tax liability. The head entity has not been in default of its payment obligations and the directors are of the opinion that the probability of default is remote.

#### (b) Taxation of financial arrangements

The Group has accepted the default method of accruals or realisation and has not made any elections regarding transitional financial arrangements or other elective timing methods.

# 31.6 Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of GST, except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or the amount of expense.

Receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included.

#### 31.7 Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand.

## 31.8 Non-derivative financial assets

## (a) Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (**FVTPL**) are classified as either held for trading or are designated as such upon initial recognition as a result of the following:

 If the Group managed such investments, evaluates the performance and makes purchase and sale decisions based on their fair value in accordance with the Suncorp Group's document disk management or investment strategy. It eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency.

Financial assets at FVTPL are initially recognised on trade date at fair value. Transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred. Subsequently, the assets are measured at fair value on each reporting date and any gains or losses are taken immediately to profit or loss.

#### (b) Receivables

Receivables are financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. They are initially recognised on the date that they originated at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any impairment losses.

#### (c) Derecognition of financial assets

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive future cash flows from the assets have expired, or have been transferred, and the Group has transferred substantially all risk and rewards of ownership.

## 31.9 Assets backing general insurance liabilities

The assets of the Group are assessed under AASB 1023 General Insurance Contracts to be assets that are held to back general insurance liabilities (referred to as insurance funds) and assets that represent shareholder funds.

The Group has designated financial assets held in portfolios intended to match the average duration of a corresponding insurance liability as assets backing general insurance liabilities. These financial assets include investment securities and are designated at fair value through profit or loss as they are managed and their performance evaluated on a fair value basis for internal and external reporting in accordance with the investment strategy.

All investment securities held to back general insurance liabilities are highly liquid securities. Despite some of these securities having maturity dates beyond the next twelve months, as they are highly liquid in nature and are actively traded, they have been classified as current.

#### 31.10 Derivative financial instruments

The Group holds derivative financial instruments to hedge the Group's assets and liabilities or as part of the Group's trading and investment activities. Derivatives include exchange rate related contracts, interest rate related contracts and equity contracts.

All derivatives are initially recognised at fair value on trade date and transaction costs are recognised in profit or loss as incurred. Derivatives are classified and accounted for as held for trading financial assets at fair value through profit or loss.

# 31.11 Reinsurance and other recoveries receivable

Reinsurance and other recoveries are measured as the present value of the expected future receipts, calculated on the same basis as outstanding claims liabilities.

## 31.12 Deferred acquisition costs

Acquisition costs are deferred and recognised as an asset where they can be reliably measured and where it is probable that they will give rise to premium revenue that will be recognised in profit or loss in subsequent reporting periods.

Deferred acquisition costs (**DAC**) are amortised systematically in accordance with the expected pattern of the incidence of risk under the general insurance contracts to which they relate.

DAC are recognised as assets to the extent that the related unearned premiums exceed the sum of the DAC and the present value of both future expected claims and settlement costs, including an appropriate risk margin.

Where there is a shortfall, the DAC asset is written down and if insufficient, an unexpired risk liability is recognised.

## 31.13 Impairment

#### (a) Financial assets

Financial assets, other than those measured at fair value through profit and loss, are assessed each reporting date to determine whether there is any objective evidence of impairment. If impairment has occurred, the carrying amount of the asset is written down to its estimated recoverable amount.

#### (b) Non-financial assets

Non-financial assets are assessed for indicators of impairment at each reporting date. If any such indication exists, the asset's recoverable amount is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any).

For the purposes of assessing impairment, assets are grouped at the lowest levels for which there are separately identifiable cash flows (cash generating unit (**CGU**)) which may be an individual asset or a group of assets. The recoverable amount is the greater of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or CGU.

Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss if the carrying amount of an asset or CGU exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses, if any, recognised in respect of the CGU are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the CGU and then to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit on a pro-rata basis.

An impairment loss recognised for goodwill is not reversed.

#### 31.14 Financial liabilities

## (a) Financial liabilities at amortised cost

Financial liabilities carried at amortised cost are initially measured at fair value plus any directly attributable transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. This includes payables and subordinated notes.

#### (b) Derecognition of financial liabilities

Non-derivative liabilities are derecognised when the contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired.

#### 31.15 Employee entitlements

## (a) Short-term employee benefits

Liabilities for short-term employee benefits are those expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the reporting period in which the employees render the related services. They are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled. Related on-costs such as superannuation, workers' compensation and payroll tax are also included in the liability.

A liability is recognised for short-term bonus plans when there is a constructive obligation to pay this amount and the amount can be reliably estimated.

## (b) Long service leave and annual leave

The liabilities for long service leave and annual leave are those not expected to be settled wholly before 12 months after the end of the reporting period. They are measured as the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service.

Expected future payments are discounted using Australian corporate bond rates with terms to maturity that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows. Related on-costs such as superannuation, workers' compensation and payroll tax are also included in the liability.

#### 31.16 Unearned premium liabilities

Premium revenue received and receivable but not earned is recognised as unearned premium liabilities.

The carrying value of unearned premium liabilities is assessed at each reporting date by carrying out a liability adequacy test (LAT). This test assesses whether the net unearned premium liabilities less any DAC is sufficient to cover future claims costs for in-force insurance contracts. Future claims costs are calculated as the present value of the expected cash flows relating to future claims, and include a risk margin to reflect the inherent uncertainty in the central estimate. The assessment is carried out on a portfolio of contracts basis. If a LAT deficiency occurs, it is recognised in the profit or loss with a corresponding write-down of the related DAC asset. Any remaining balance is recognised as an unexpired risk liability on the statement of financial position.

# 31.17 Outstanding claims liabilities

The outstanding claims liability is measured as the central estimate of the present value of expected future payments relating to claims incurred at the reporting date with an additional risk margin to allow for the inherent uncertainty of the central estimate.

Standard actuarial methods are applied to determine the net central estimate of outstanding claims liabilities. The expected future payments include those in relation to claims reported but not yet paid, claims incurred but not reported, claims incurred but not enough reported and the direct and indirect costs of settling those claims.

# 31.18 Contingent liabilities and contingent assets

Contingent liabilities are not recognised in the statement of financial position but are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements, unless the possibility of settlement is remote, in which case no disclosure is made. If settlement becomes probable and the amount can be reliably estimated, a provision is recognised.

Contingent assets are not recognised in the statement of financial position but are disclosed in the notes to the financial statements when inflows are probable. If inflows become virtually certain, an asset is recognised.

The amount disclosed as a contingent liability or contingent asset is the best estimate of the settlement or inflow.

## 31.19 New accounting standards and amendments not yet adopted

The following new standards are effective for annual reporting periods after 1 July 2021:

- AASB 2020-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Removal of Special Purpose Financial Statements for Certain For-Profit Private Sector Entities; and
- AASB 1060 General Purpose Financial Statements Simplified Disclosures for profit and Not-for- profit Tier 2 Entities (AASB 1060)

As a result the Group, based on the current size and operations, would be required to prepare general purpose financial statements — Tier 2, and apply the disclosures as set out in AASB 1060. As the Group already applies all the recognition and measurement requirements of all Australian Accounting Standards, there will be no impact on the amounts recognised in the financial statements.

#### AASB 9 Financial Instruments

AASB 9 was issued in December 2014. It addresses recognition and measurement requirements for financial assets and financial liabilities, impairment requirements that introduce an expected credit loss impairment model and general hedge accounting requirements.

The Group is predominantly connected with insurance and meets the requirements in AASB 2016-6

Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards - Applying AASB 9 Financial Instruments with AASB 4

Insurance Contracts. It is applying the temporary exemption to continue AASB 139 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement (AASB 139) rather than AASB 9 until initial application of AASB 17 Insurance Contracts (AASB 17).

#### Governance

The Group formed part of the Suncorp Group project set up to implement the requirements of AASB 9 for all of the Suncorp Group's entities. It was governed through a steering committee involving divisional CFOs, CROs and Heads of Finance and was delivered by working groups with stakeholders from risk management, finance, data and transformation and the business units.

#### **Expected Transitional Impact**

The following impacts are expected from the implementation of AASB 9:

- Investment Securities are designated at FVTPL under AASB 139. Based on the way the assets are managed as at 30 June 2021, they are expected to be mandatorily classified at FVTPL under AASB 9.
- The implementation of an expected credit loss impairment model will not have a material impact for the Group, given most of its financial assets are measured at FVTPL or are considered a low credit risk.
- Under AASB 9, the Suncorp Group determines whether each financial asset's contractual cash flows are solely principal payments and interest (SPPI) and how the financial asset is managed. Financial assets where contractual cash flows are not SPPI will be classified at FVTPL. Assets that are SPPI, but managed on a fair value basis will also be classified at FVTPL. There will be no material impact for the Group as Investment Securities are designated at FVTPL under AASB 139.

The above assessment is based on balances as at 30 June 2021 and will be revisited prior to when the Group adopts AASB 9 and AASB 17.

#### **AASB 17 Insurance Contracts**

AASB 17 Insurance Contracts is a new accounting standard for all types of insurance contracts and replaces AASB 4 Insurance Contracts, AASB 1023 General Insurance Contracts and AASB 1038 Life Insurance Contracts. AASB 17 was issued in July 2017 and following stakeholder feedback, amendments were approved in July 2020 to address implementation issues identified.

AASB 17 is effective for Suncorp Group's consolidated financial statements for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023. The new standard requires the application of new measurement models and introduces significant changes to the presentation and disclosure of insurance contracts.

AASB 17 introduces a general model that measures insurance contracts based on the fulfilment cash flows (present value of estimated future cash flows with a provision for risk) and the contractual service margin (the unearned profit that will be recognised over the coverage period). A modified version of the general model (variable fee approach) is applied to insurance contracts with direct participation features, and a simplified measurement model (premium allocation approach) is permitted in certain circumstances. The premium allocation approach is similar to the current measurement model used for general insurance. Based on the current insurance business, the Suncorp Group expects to be eligible to use the premium allocation approach for all its general insurance contracts and to be required to use all measurement models across its life insurance contracts.

The Suncorp Group has established a project team to assess and implement the requirements of AASB 17. A detailed business impact assessment of the standard has been completed, and Suncorp continues the technical interpretation of the requirements to determine new accounting policies and the design of new and revised systems and processes.

The AASB 17 requirements are complex and global interpretation of these requirements is evolving. Regulators are considering their response to the new standard which is likely to result in changes to the capital and reporting prudential standards. The Suncorp Group continues to closely monitor all these developments and to assess the impacts of the standard on the Suncorp Group. The financial impact of adopting AASB 17 is not reasonably estimable at the date of this report.

#### Interest rate benchmark reform

Inter-Bank Offered Rates (IBOR) is currently undergoing reform around the world with rates such as the London Inter-Bank Offered Rates (LIBOR) expected to be discontinued from 1 January 2022. IBOR are interest rate benchmarks that are used in a wide variety of financial instruments. The transition from LIBOR is expected to have an impact on various elements of financial instrument accounting, including hedge accounting, loan modifications, valuation methodologies and financial disclosures.

As a result of the reform the AASB has issued the following amendments:

- **(b)** AASB 2019-3 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Interest Rate Benchmark Reform: These amendments were effective to the Group from 1 July 2020 and did not have a significant impact on the Group.
- (c) AASB 2020-8 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards Interest Rate Benchmark Reform Phase 2: The amendments were effective from 1 July 2021 and the adoption is expected to be immaterial to the Group

In response to the reform and the amendments issued by the AASB, the Suncorp Group has established a project team to comprehensively assess, manage and operationalise the impacts of the LIBOR transition.

The Group's exposure to LIBOR transition is limited to certain offshore borrowings denominated in USD, as well as associated cross currency swaps which are used to hedge exposures to interest rate and foreign exchange risks on those offshore borrowings. These risk exposures (including USD LIBOR) are designated in hedge accounting relationships. The replacement of USD LIBOR is expected to impact the contractual cash flows, and hence valuation and hedge accounting calculations, on these exposures, and are subject to the accounting amendments outlined above.

# 32. Subsequent events

On 2 July 2021, the Group entered into a binding agreement to sell its 50% Joint Venture interest in RACT Insurance Pty Ltd (RACTI) to its Joint Venture partner, the Royal Automobile Club of Tasmania Ltd (RACT) for cash consideration of \$83.8 million. Completion of the sale is subject to regulatory approval and expected to occur in the financial year ending 30 June 2022. The profit on sale before tax is expected to be in the range of \$65 million to \$70 million, and be included in the financial year ending 30 June 2022 results.

Other than the RACTI sale, there has not arisen in the interval between the end of the financial year and the date of this report any item, transaction or event of a material and unusual nature likely, in the opinion of the directors of the Company, to affect significantly the operations of the Group, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Company in future financial years. The Group notes the ongoing COVID-19 lockdowns that have been implemented subsequent to the reporting date across a number of states. The impact of these lockdowns has been considered in the consolidated financial statements. For the impact of COVID-19 on the Group's estimates and judgements, please refer to note 2.2 on page 11.

# Directors' declaration

- 1. The directors of AAI Limited (the **Company**) declare that in their opinion:
  - a. the consolidated financial statements and notes set out on pages 6 to 56, are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
    - i. giving a true and fair view of the Company's and the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2021 and of their performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
    - ii. complying with Australian Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*
  - b. there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- 2. The directors draw attention to note 2.1 to the consolidated financial statements, which includes a statement of compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors:

**CHRISTINE MCLOUGHLIN** 

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Chairman of the Board

26 August 2021

STEVE JOHNSTON

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Group Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director

# Independent Auditor's Report

#### To the shareholder of AAI Limited

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the consolidated Financial Report of AAI Limited (the Group Financial Report). We have also audited the Financial Report of AAI Limited (the Company Financial Report).

In our opinion, each of the accompanying Group Financial Report and Company Financial Report of AAI Limited are in accordance with the *Corporations Act* 2001, including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Group's and Company's financial position as at 30 June 2021 and of its financial performance for the year ended on that date; and
- complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

The respective *Financial Reports* of the Group and the Company comprise:

- Statements of financial position as at 30 June 2021
- Statements of comprehensive income, Statements of changes in equity, and Statements of cash flows for the year then ended
- Notes including a summary of significant accounting policies
- Directors' Declaration.

The *Group* consists of AAI Limited (the Company) and the entities it controlled at the year end or from time to time during the financial year.

#### **Basis for opinions**

We conducted our audits in accordance with *Australian Auditing Standards*. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinions.

Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audits of the Financial Reports section of our report.

We are independent of the Group and Company in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001 and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audits of the Financial Reports in Australia. We have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

# Other Information

Other Information is financial and non-financial information in AAI Limited's annual reporting which is provided in addition to the Financial Reports and the Auditor's Report. The Directors are responsible for the Other Information.

Our opinions on the Financial Reports do not cover the Other Information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or any form of assurance conclusion thereon, with the exception of the Directors' Report and our related assurance opinion.

In connection with our audits of the Financial Reports, our responsibility is to read the Other Information. In doing so, we consider whether the Other Information is materially inconsistent with the Financial Reports or our knowledge obtained in the audits, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

We are required to report if we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this Other Information, and based on the work we have performed on the Other Information that we obtained prior to the date of this Auditor's Report we have nothing to report.

# **Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Reports**

The Directors are responsible for:

- preparing Financial Reports that give a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Act 2001
- implementing necessary internal control to enable the preparation of Financial Reports that give a true and fair view and are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error
- assessing the Group and Company's ability to continue as a going concern and whether the use of the going concern basis of accounting is appropriate. This includes disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless they either intend to liquidate the Group and Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

# Auditor's responsibilities for the audits of the Financial Reports

Our objective is:

- to obtain reasonable assurance about whether each of the Financial Reports as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; and
- to issue an Auditor's Report that includes our opinions.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with *Australian Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error. They are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the Financial Report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audits of the Financial Reports is located at the *Auditing and Assurance Standards Board* website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar3.pdf. This description forms part of our Auditor's Report.

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David Kells

Partner

Sydney

26 August 2021