

Conduit Holdings Limited

Q3 2023 Trading Update

8 November 2023





Market among the best in decades



The market environment continues to be the most favourable¹ it has been in a generation with reinsurer economics benefitting from improving pricing, favourable terms and conditions and higher attachment points



We see a number of factors combining to **maintain the current** hard market environment:

01

Inflationary pressures

continue – pricing discipline holding across the globe

02

New traditional capital

has been limited but ILS/ binary capital is increasing 03

Insurance
carriers
exhibiting strong
demand for
reinsurance to
relieve pressure
points

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US primary
markets –
structural shift
continues in
E&S²

05

Industry legacy

reserves continue to drive focus on forward rates and pricing

Conduit Re is ideally positioned to capitalise on these market conditions



Excellent premium growth continues in Q3 2023



Robust year on year growth - disciplined underwriting, solid market conditions

- Estimated ultimate premiums written¹ of \$909.3m, +56.4% compared to the nine months ended 30 Sept 2022
- Gross premiums written for the nine months ended 30 Sept 2023 of \$764.4 m, +50.3% compared to the nine months ended 30 Sept 2022
- Diversification continues, risk margins very attractive alongside the cat business



Rate changes continues positive momentum

- Risk adjusted rate change for the nine months ended 30 Sept 2023 was 15% net of claims inflation
- Property & Specialty classes leading, Casualty holding its own alongside underlying loss trends



An active natural catastrophe period for the industry

- Secondary perils / severe convective storms (SCS) dominating the industry news in the quarter geographically wide-spread
- No event loss individually or in the aggregate had a material impact on Conduit Re during the first nine months of 2023



Premium momentum set to continue



Conduit Re has capital in place to support planned growth and RoE delivery

- Planned growth supported by capital level and future expectations of retained earnings
- Focus is fully on growing the business scale diversification strength and 'best margin' approach
- Cat exposures will remain in proportion



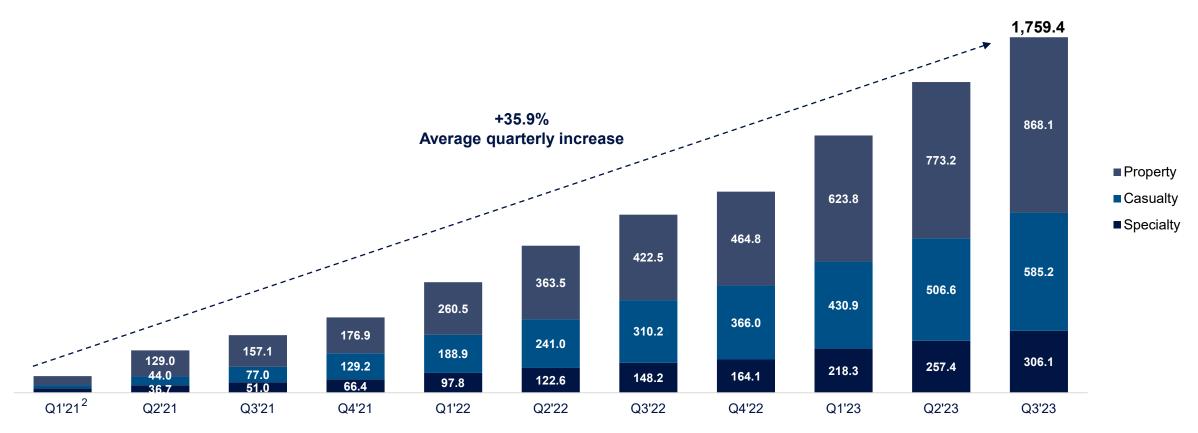
Market conditions remain very favourable - tailwinds still in play

- Margins in the Property & Specialty classes lead the way and growth here looks really attractive
- Risk / non-cat business margins on plan across range of classes. Wordings continue to be under review
- Cat business supply vs demand imbalance continues. Higher attachment points are helping



Over \$1.7 Bn gross premiums written since inception

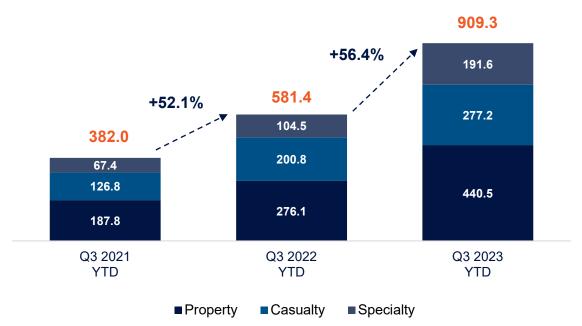
Cumulative gross premiums written¹ (\$m)





Perspective on market conditions

Estimated ultimate premiums written¹ (\$m)







2.Excess and surplus lines/ non-admitted market



Property

- E&S² primary market continuing to show strong pricing dynamics
- Cat capacity currently trading with disciplined hurdle metrics
- Smaller and mid-size carriers presenting a broad range of non-cat and cat opportunities



Casualty

- Underlying inflation still the key driver
- Reinsurance market reluctant to accept combined ratio deterioration
- Insurance carriers divergent approaches to their cycle management



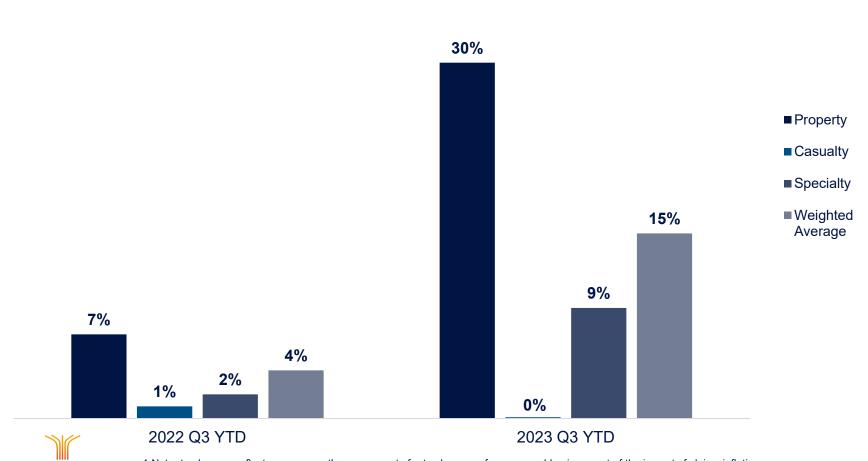
Specialty

- Increasing flow of larger and diversifying submissions
- Ceding commissions need to be appropriate
- Current conflicts will focus the market again on wordings

Rate environment

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Risk-adjusted rate change, net of inflation¹





Enduring pricing environment creating the opportunity for improved margins in 2023 and beyond

Positive rate change across all divisions before adjusting for inflation

Financial highlights

Estimated ultimate premiums written¹ for the nine months ended 30 September 2023:

	2023 \$m	2022 \$m	Change \$m	Change %
Property	440.5	276.1	164.4	59.5%
Casualty	277.2	200.8	76.4	38.0%
Specialty	191.6	104.5	87.1	83.3%
Total	909.3	581.4	327.9	56.4%

Gross premiums written¹ for the nine months ended 30 September 2023:

	2023 \$m	2022 \$m	Change \$m	Change %
Property	403.3	245.6	157.7	64.2%
Casualty	219.2	181.1	38.1	21.0%
Specialty	141.9	82.0	59.9	73.0%
Total	764.4	508.7	255.7	50.3%



1.Estimated ultimate premiums written and gross premiums written now exclude reinstatement premiums to ensure consistency with the IFRS 17 view of revenue. Conduit Re will continue to report gross premiums written on this basis as it remains a key performance metric



Significant growth, driven by continued positive rate increases (outpacing inflation), strong demand and high retention



In an active natural catastrophe period for the industry, no event loss, individually or in aggregate, had a material impact on Conduit Re during the first nine months of 2023



Our undiscounted ultimate loss estimates, net of ceded reinsurance and reinstatement premiums, for prior years reported loss events remain stable



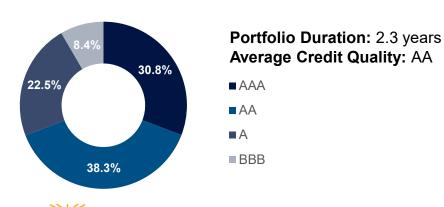
IFRS 17 is now embedded in the business

High quality investment portfolio

Asset allocation as at 30 September 2023



Credit quality as at 30 September 2023



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Capital preservation and liquidity to support our underwriting teams remain of paramount importance and determines our low-risk strategic portfolio allocation

- High quality investment portfolio with average credit quality of AA; book yield 3.5%, market yield 5.8%
- Short portfolio duration of 2.3 years; opportunity to reinvest at higher interest rates as the existing portfolio rolls over
- Total investment return during the nine months ended 30 September 2023 of 2.1%, due to a higher yielding portfolio, compared to (6.2)% during the nine months ended 30 September 2022, due to significant increases in treasury yields
- Continued consideration of ESG factors in the management of investments

Business optimised for future growth

01. Inflation is driving industry discipline:

Insurance carriers
continue to seek
reinsurance to alleviate
pressure points in the
current high inflationary
environment, resulting in
strong risk-adjusted rate
changes in most
property and specialty
classes and positive
momentum in terms
and conditions

02. High quality capital base supporting growth:

Legacy-free balance sheet with capacity to support the planned growth, to generate return for our shareholders in these exceptional market conditions; AM Best A- (Excellent) rating, with "very strong" balance sheet strength

03. Diversified business mix established:

Our focus remains to continue to deploy more capacity towards the non-catastrophe and specialty space as margins remain very attractive with lower earnings volatility

04. Efficient and scalable business model:

We are able to deliver at scale from a single location with low overheads and a low headcount, resulting in improving relative costs as our business matures. Market-leading GPW per employee - YTD Q3 2023 is \$13.4 million

05. Established portfolio, foundation for future growth:

We have an excellent renewing portfolio plus an increase in policy submissions and deal flow, creating new opportunities across classes to provide strategic client solutions



Any questions?



Appendices

Our investment proposition



Targeted underwriting

Pure-play reinsurance treaty focus

Balanced and diversified portfolio

Dynamic cycle management across lines of business and geographies



Operational excellence

Single location, highly efficient set-up with open and collaborative culture

Management team with proven industry track record

Targeted and effective use of data-driven pricing, analytics and exposure management thanks to efficient cloud-based ecosystem



Strong balance sheet

Legacy-free balance sheet.
Well capitalised for future growth

AM Best (A-) Excellent rating with "very strong" balance sheet strength

High quality investment portfolio, with average credit quality of AA



Bermuda corporate income tax consultation



Bermuda is currently in the second phase of its consultation regarding implementation of a corporate income tax in the context of OECD expectations regarding a global minimum tax



Given the current lack of clarity, it is too early to conclusively determine any potential exposure to the anticipated tax, however Conduit Re has a limited footprint, writing on a single balance sheet from a single location



As part of the consultation, various tax credits are contemplated and the Government is exploring ways in which revenue raised by any new tax can be used to reduce the cost of doing business in Bermuda. As such, even for those subject to the tax, the net implications are uncertain



Based on the current consultation and expected deferrals, we believe that Conduit Re will fall outside the scope of at least the initial implementation of the tax¹



Evolution of Conduit employee base

Total Employees

51 > 54 > 57 2022 Q3 2022 FY 2023 Q3 As at 30 September 2023

49:51

Female to Male ratio

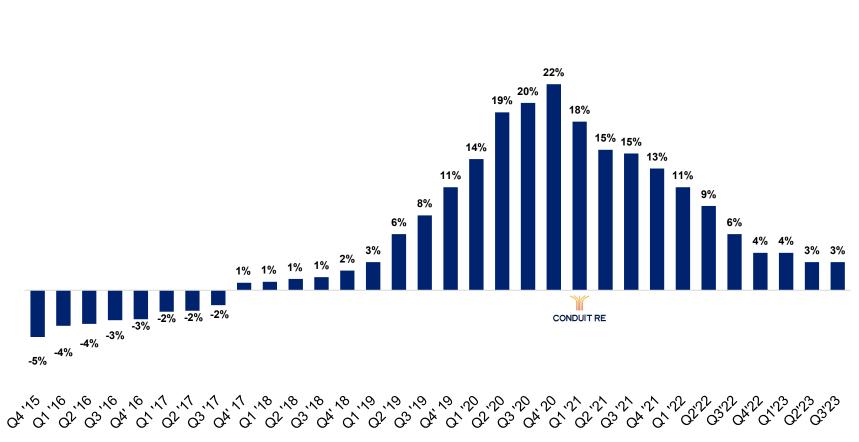
71%

Of the Bermuda-based employees do not require work permits



Robust Commercial insurance pricing environment

Marsh Global Insurance Market Index





The Marsh Global Insurance Market Index was up 3% overall in the third quarter, in line with the last quarter as property rates increased 7%, down from 10% last quarter, while casualty rates increased



Discounting on losses

Discounting on incurred losses and loss reserves impacts the Reinsurance service result and the Reinsurance financial result

- Discounting on incurred claims is driven by opening discount rates and date of loss rates for material loss events. H2 2023 losses, except for large events, will be incurred using the discount rates at 31 December 2022

 – as disclosed in our interim statements
- The unwind of discount is on opening reserves and new incurred claims. The unwind is based on opening discount rates or date of loss for material loss events
- As rates change from opening/date of loss to closing the impact is presented in the reinsurance finance result. If the rate environment continues to be stable across H2 we expect minimal movement for the full year

Movement of discount on net liabilities (\$m) - HY 2023





Discounting on losses

Calculation methodology		Variability		
Discount on new incurred	New incurred claims discounted using opening discount rate or date of loss rate for material events	 Opening discount rates are fixed for the period but discount on material events are subject to prevailing market rates at time of event Size of discount driven by undiscounted new incurred losses 		
Discount on PYD	Prior year development discounted using opening discount rates	 Opening discount rates fixed for the period Total discount dependent on undiscounted prior year development (PYD) for the period and the actual vs expected experience on timing of loss payments Discounted PYD can be lower or higher than undiscounted PYD 		
Interest accretion on PY reserves	 Interest accretion based on opening discount rates on opening reserves 	 Very little variability in the unwind of prior year reserves during the period. High level calculation of Yield x Opening Reserves can help estimate PY unwind 		
Interest accretion on new incurred	 Interest accretion based on opening rates or date of loss rate for material events. Calculated on new incurred, not paid within the year 	 Variability on new incurred, amount of newly incurred claims paid during the period and markets rates for material events 		
Change in discount rates	 Calculated as difference between closing reserves using opening/event rate vs closing reserves using closing rates 	 Size and direction of movements driven by how interest rates move during the period 		



Investor relations calendar - 2024

Although we endeavour to adhere to the dates below, all future planned events are provisional and subject to change



Conduit Re scheduled disclosures

21 February 2024:

2023 Preliminary Results



Conduit Re planned roadshows & conferences

10 January 2024:

BOFA SMID Conference 2024 (virtual)

31 January 2024:

Peel Hunt ESG conference (virtual)

5 March 2024:

RBCC conference (New York)

13 March 2024:

Morgan Stanley conference (London)

20 March 2024:

Berenberg conference (The Grove, Watford)



Forward looking statements

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