

## On track to achieve our five year ambitions 2023 Half year results

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Solvency ratio

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# On track to achieve our five year ambitions



#### We are on track to achieve our five-year (2020-2024) ambitions

The Board's confidence in the Group achieving its 5 year ambitions is unchanged. The Board's aim is to continue to grow the dividend at 5% per annum to FY24

2020-2024 Ambition	Status
£8-9bn of cumulative <u>capital</u> generation <sup>1</sup>	As at HY23, we had generated cumulative capital of <b>£5.9bn</b> We expect 2023 capital generation to be greater than 2022 By FY23, we expect to have generated cumulative capital of <b>£6.7bn</b>
EPS to grow faster than DPS <sup>2</sup>	More stable and predictable operating profits under IFRS 17 give confidence in EPS growth
Net surplus generation (NSG) to exceed dividends over the period	£0.6bn of net surplus over dividend (2020-HY23)
Dividends to grow at 3-6% per annum <sup>3</sup>	The Board intends to grow the dividend at <b>5% per annum</b> to FY24, i.e. <b>20.34p at FY23</b> and <b>21.36p at FY24</b> <sup>4</sup>

1. As disclosed in November 2022, we have chosen to retire the cash generation ambition going forward as 'net release from operations' will no longer exist under IFRS 17 2. FY22 EPS will be restated under IFRS 17

4 3. Dividends on a declared basis and originally on the basis of a flat final 2020 dividend, and 3-6% annual growth thereafter

4. In stating this intention, the Board has carefully considered the Group's financial position and had regard to the general economic outlook for the UK and the other countries in which the Group operates

#### **Key messages**

- L&G has delivered a resilient H1 performance against a volatile macro-economic backdrop
- We are on track to achieve our 5-year ambitions. To date:
  - Capital generation of  $\pounds 5.9$  bn ( $\pounds 8.0-9.0$  bn by 2024)<sup>1</sup>
  - Dividends of £3.6bn growing at 5% per annum (£5.6-5.9bn by 2024)
  - Net surplus generation over dividends of  $\pounds 0.6bn$  (NSG > dividends 2020-2024)<sup>2</sup>
- Our balance sheet remains very strong (Solvency ratio of 230%)<sup>3</sup>
- We are committed to shareholder value creation
- We have numerous attractive growth opportunities and are making good progress internationally
- We are focused on driving investment-led growth

<sup>1.</sup> Solvency II operational surplus generation (OSG)

**<sup>5</sup>** | 2. Net surplus generation is OSG net of capital strain

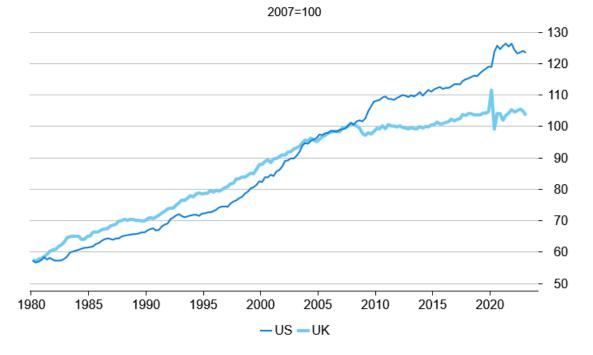
<sup>3.</sup> In H1 our annuity portfolio experienced no downgrades to sub-investment grade and more upgrades than downgrades

#### UK productivity and investment has lagged that of the US since the GFC. UK real wages have flat-lined since the GFC

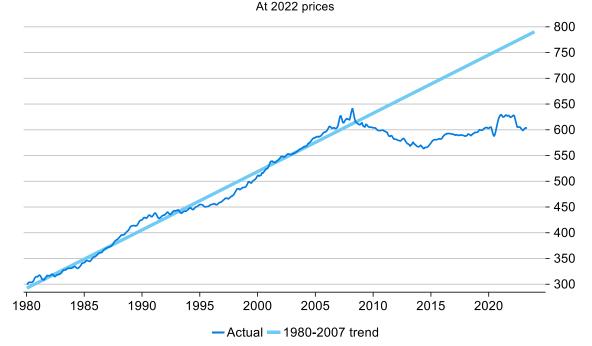
UK productivity improvements were equal to those of the US until 2007 but have lagged since

UK real wages grew in line with productivity between 1980–2007 but have declined since

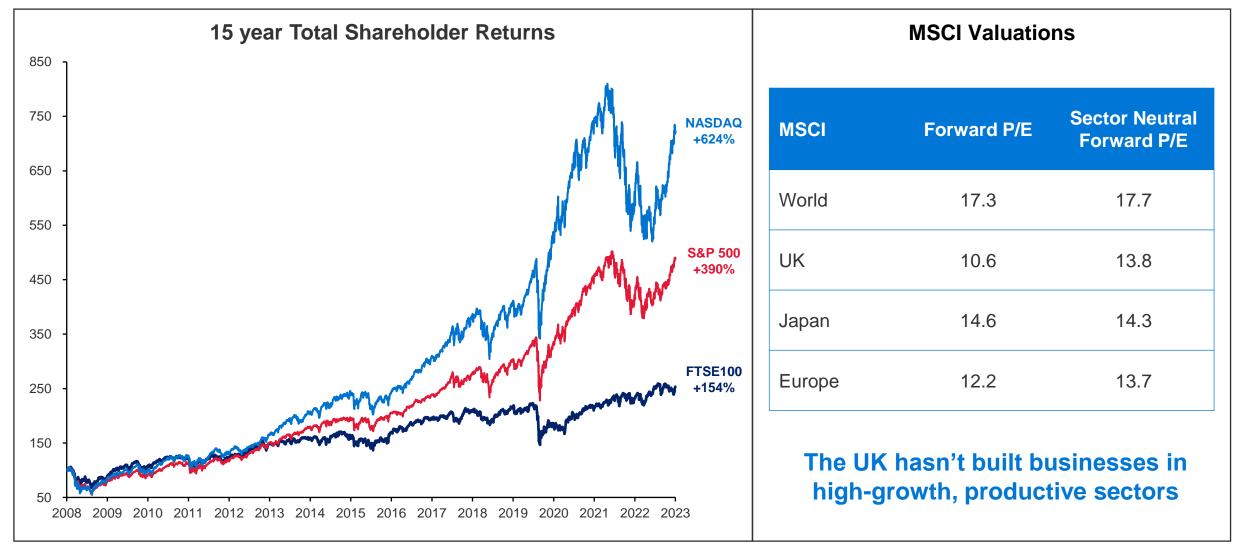
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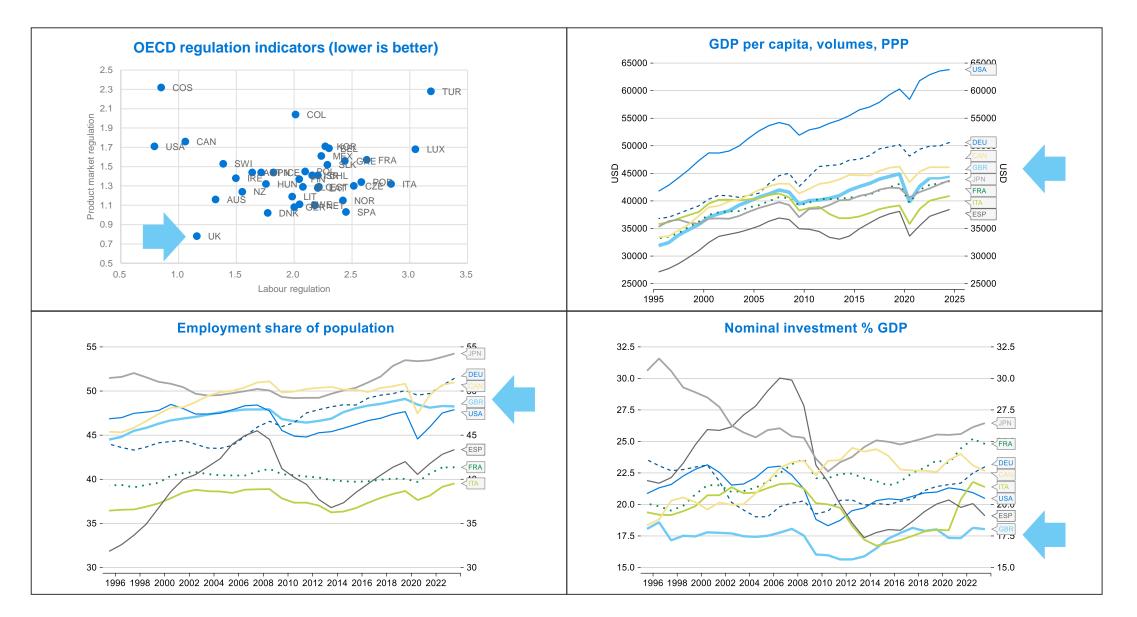
UK real weekly wages



# The UK stock market has underperformed the US but valuation screens similar to Japan and Europe on a sector-neutral basis



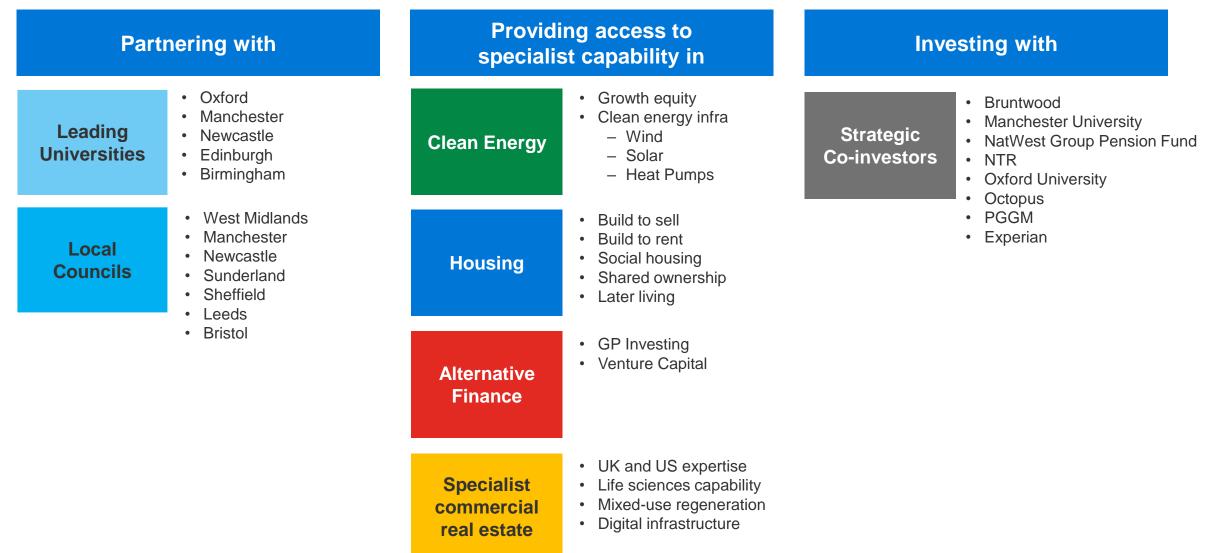
#### The UK has a lot in its favour and a solvable investment issue



### L&G is driving investment-led growth



## We partner with leading universities, local councils and strategic co-investors



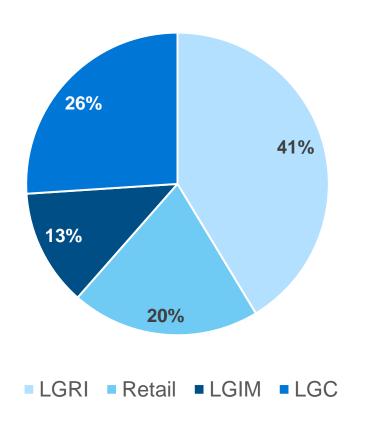
## Our businesses have collectively delivered robust operating profits, demonstrating resilience in volatile markets

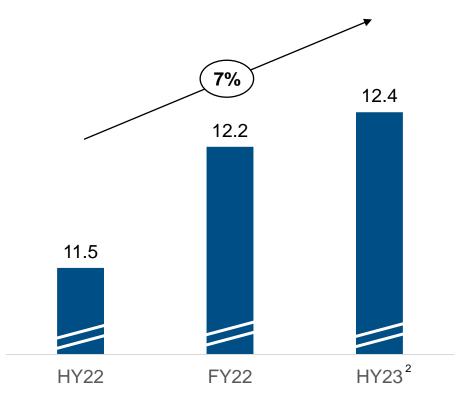
£m		H1 2023	%
Insurance	Institutional Retirement (LGRI)	471	41
(61%)	Retail	230	20
Investments	Investment Management (LGIM)	142*	13
(39%)	Alternatives (LGC)	296	26
Operating profit from	m divisions	1,139	100
Operating profit		941	

# Our earnings are more diversified under IFRS 17 and we are growing our CSM – a discounted stock of deferred profits

**HY23 Operating Profit from Divisions** 

CSM Stock<sup>1</sup> (£bn)





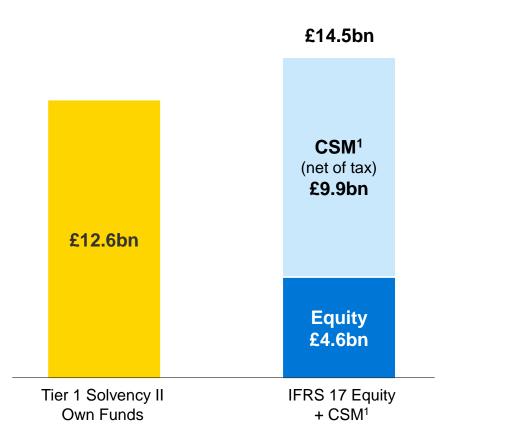
c7% p.a. released into operating profit Implied release into profit of c£900m for 2023 with further CSM growth and therefore profit expected in H2<sup>3</sup>

- 1. CSM gross of tax (net of reinsurance)
- 12 2. See footnote on page 20

3. 7% per annum is based on the closing CSM before release into operating profit. HY23 CSM stock pre-release into operating profit of £12.8bn

# The CSM represents a discounted stock of deferred profits that can be added to IFRS 17 equity from a valuation perspective

**HY23** 



- We believe it is important to consider CSM alongside equity, given the large stock of deferred profits it represents
- This approach highlights the in-force value of our existing business
- Additional sources of value include:
  - Insurance new business franchise value
  - Investment margins for the annuity business
  - Non-insurance businesses (e.g. LGIM, LGC, etc.)

### **UK PRT capital deployment is highly efficient**

#### Solvency II capital deployment

£m	H1-22	FY22	H1-23
UK PRT volumes	3,715	7,319	4,866
Capital deployed	70	204	106
New business strain (%)	1.9	2.8	2.2

- Capital deployed in any one year depends on volume, business mix and duration
- We are able to reduce strain through:
  - High quality asset origination
  - Reinsurance
- Risk margin reforms<sup>1</sup> are estimated to reduce H1 2023 PRT strain by c£40m

# We expect to achieve self-sustainability on the UK annuity portfolio again in 2023

#### UK annuity portfolio: self-sustainability

Cha	UK annuity portfolio		Group			
£bn	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023
UK PRT and Retail Annuity Volumes	7.2	8.3	8.0 - 12.0			
Operational Surplus Generation (OSG)	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.6	1.8	1.8
New Business Strain	(0.3)	(0.3)	(0.2) - (0.3)	(0.4)	(0.4)	(0.4) - (0.5)
Net Surplus Generation (NSG)	0.8	0.9	c0.9	1.3	1.4	c1.4
Dividend	(0.7)	(0.7)	(0.6)	(1.1)	(1.1)	(1.2)
Net Surplus Generation – Dividend	0.1	0.2	c0.3	0.2	0.3	c0.2

#### Notes:

The UK annuity portfolio OSG figures also include related contributions from LGIM and LGC, reflecting the total Group value of writing UK PRT. Management actions are also included

15 Whilst we may choose not to prioritise self-sustainability in every discrete year, our ambition is for net surplus generation to exceed dividends for the Group over the period 2020-2024 Numbers in the table above do not sum due to rounding. 2023 numbers do not include the anticipated benefit from the reduction in the Risk Margin

### The Group's balance sheet is very strong

£bn	2016	H1-23
Own funds	13.6	16.2
Solvency capital requirement	(7.9)	(7.0)
Surplus	5.7	9.2
Coverage ratio (%)	171	230
10 year gilts (bps)	1.24	4.39
Credit spreads (bps) <sup>1</sup>	140	159

- We have developed a sustainable and capital-lite PRT model
- We have written a substantial amount of annuity new business since 2016 – £68bn – at attractive margins
- Over the same period, we have paid dividends of £7.7bn and grown Own Funds by £2.6bn
- SCR in H1 2023 is lower than 2016, largely as a result of higher interest rates
- Solvency II reforms<sup>2</sup> will:
  - Reduce the risk margin on longevity
  - Allow us to self-manufacture more assets, increasing our competitive advantage

2. Proposed reforms to the Solvency regime, including risk margin reduction and access to a wider universe of investable assets

### Our four divisions are diversified and collectively resilient

LGRI	<ul> <li>Developed a sustainable, capital-light PRT growth model where OSG and NSG &gt; dividends</li> <li>Very strong balance sheet (230% solvency ratio) and diversified asset exposure (54% of assets international<sup>1</sup>)</li> <li>Well positioned to capitalise on the global PRT opportunity</li> </ul>
LGC	<ul> <li>Resilient CALA performance: H1 2023 residential house sale revenue of £619m (H1 2022: £619m)</li> <li>Replicating our model in the US (Ancora L&amp;G), Europe (Pemberton &amp; CleanTech) and Asia (CleanTech)</li> <li>On track to achieve our 2025 ambitions: £600-700m operating profit, £25-30bn third party AUM</li> </ul>
LGIM	<ul> <li>Successfully built a scaled asset management business in the UK across multiple products and channels</li> <li>A growing international presence in the US, Europe, Asia and the Gulf (39% of AUM international<sup>2</sup>)</li> <li>Now adding higher value products and widening our channel offering in multiple geographies</li> </ul>
	LGC

- Retail
- Successfully integrated our market-leading UK Retail businesses across multiple customer platforms
- Complemented these activities with an investment portfolio of 8 adjacent FinTech businesses
  - Growing US protection (38% of Retail gross premiums international); investing in adjacent US FinTech

**17** | 1. Total annuity bond portfolio (LGRI and Retail)

2. International AUM includes assets from internationally domiciled clients plus assets managed internationally on behalf of UK clients

#### Our dividend intentions are clear and we have a sharp focus on shareholder value creation

#### Our dividend policy

We are a long-term business and set our dividend annually, according to agreed principles.

The Board's intention for the future is to **maintain its progressive dividend policy, reflecting the Group's expected medium term underlying business growth**, including measurement of Capital generation and Adjusted operating profit.

#### Annual dividend growth rate to FY24

The Board intends to grow the dividend at 5% per annum to FY24.

FY23 Dividend per share: 20.34p FY24 Dividend yield: 9.3%

#### Our approach to capital allocation

The Board believes it has numerous opportunities available to deliver attractive returns to shareholders by retaining and investing capital within the Group.

The Board will at the same time continually assess these investment opportunities against the relative attractiveness of returning capital to shareholders either through a buyback or a programme of buybacks.

If at any point the Board believes that capital would be best deployed in this way, or if the Board believed it had surplus capital, it would not hesitate to return capital to shareholders. Any incremental capital investment could also, over time, increase the likelihood of these returns to shareholders.



## **Financial highlights**

Jeff Davies Chief Financial Officer



#### **Resilient financial performance**

£m	H1 2022	H1 2023	%
Operating profit from divisions	1,153	1,139	(1)
Group debt costs	(108)	(106)	
Group investment projects & expenses	(87)	(92)	
Operating profit	958	941	(2)
New business deferred profits (NB CSM + NB RA)	549	603	
CSM	11,546	12,352	7
Stock of deferred profits (CSM + RA)	13,411	13,836	3
SII operational surplus generation	946	947	-
SII coverage ratio (%)	212	230	

20 | Note: Figures presented include an adjustment for the new business CSM/RA uplift associated with the L&G pension schemes' partial buy-in transaction in H1, which is eliminated in the 30 June 2023 consolidated balance sheet. In H2 we expect to move to a full buy-out of the pension schemes and recognise a further c£0.1bn of CSM/RA

# The CSM represents a key driver of future insurance profit growth

Retail 5% LGRI 0.2 (0.2) (0.3) 0.4 0.1 (0.1) <del>0.0</del> 12.8 12.4 12.2 Release into Closing Opening Assumption/ Interest Foreign New Closing CSM experience accreted to exchange business CSM preoperating CSM CSM CSM 30 Jun 23 1 Jan 23 variances movements release profit

Movements in the CSM balance over H1 2023 (£bn)

- · The CSM balance is expected to release into profit over time
- Interest will be added to the CSM each year based on the average weighted locked-in rate from inception
- New business contributed c£0.6bn to the CSM balance
- c£0.5bn released into operating profit, which is 3.8% of the closing CSM pre-release balance
- The CSM is calculated using inception discount rates which do not change, therefore the CSM balance is not impacted by market movements
- H1 releases into operating profit only include the relevant proportion of new business written over H1 and do not include the benefit of assumption changes, which are typically undertaken in H2
- Release of Risk Adjustment into operating profit of £103m

### LGRI: Consistently delivering strong profits

Financial Highlights (£m)	H1 2022	H1 2023
CSM release	239	266
Risk Adjustment (RA) release	68	54
Expected Investment margin	139	213
Experience variances	9	1
Non-attributable expenses	(65)	(66)
Other	5	3
Operating profit	395	471
Investment & other variances	17	(186)
Profit before tax	412	285
LGRI annuity assets <sup>1</sup> (£bn)	59.5	55.5

- Operating profit growth of 19% to £471m reflecting:
- The CSM release reflects the provision of insurance service. 3.3% of the closing CSM pre-release (£8.1bn) has released into profit. Growth in the CSM release is supported by profitable new business and longevity reserve releases in H2 2022
- Risk adjustment release of c£54m
- The Expected investment margin incorporates the release of the prudence in the discount rate, the expected returns on surplus assets and the impact of back book asset optimisation actions
- Expenses which are not included in the insurance liabilities are recognised as incurred
- Geographically diversified annuity portfolio<sup>2</sup> (46% UK, 54% international)

### LGRI: Disciplined approach for value

Total Sales (£m)	H1 2022	H1 2023
UK PRT	3,715	4,866
US PRT	593	126
Other International PRT	141	0
Total LGRI New Business	4,449	4,992
Solvency II New business value <sup>1</sup> (£m)	323	326
Solvency II New business margin <sup>1,2</sup> (%)	8.7	8.0
IFRS New business deferred profit <sup>3,4</sup>	373	427
IFRS New business margin <sup>2,3,4</sup> (%)	8.4	<b>9.5</b> <sup>5</sup>

#### • Strong H1 2023 volumes: £5.0bn of PRT across 20 transactions

- In the UK, continued momentum and financial discipline:
  - LGRI achieved consistent SII new business margin demonstrating our pricing discipline, good asset origination and proactive use of reinsurance. Volumes were written at a capital strain of just over 2%
  - c£4.9bn of UK PRT premium across 19 transactions. Committed presence across all market segments, with our largest deal a c£2.7bn buy-in with the British Steel Pension Scheme via an umbrella agreement
  - c£1.0bn conversion of Legal & General's Group UK Pension and Assurance Fund Assured Payment Policy (APP) to a buy-in
- We continue to see attractive growth opportunities and are well positioned to execute. In H2, we have written £1.8bn of UK PRT and \$1bn of US PRT, including our largest ever US deal at c\$790m
- Demand is accelerating. As a result, we have a strong global pipeline across all our key markets

1. UK PRT business only

2. Calculated as a percentage of net premium after deducting quota share reinsurance

3. Represents the new business CSM and RA

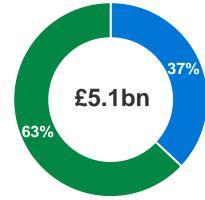
4. This includes our expected future profit from the Legal & General's Group UK Pension and Assurance Fund partial buy-in transaction. In our Group accounts, the IAS19 Pension scheme liability is recognised and the

23 | buy-in contracts are eliminated at consolidation. We expect this partial buy-in to move to full buy-out in H2 2023 and would result in recognition as an insurance contract in our year end Group accounts

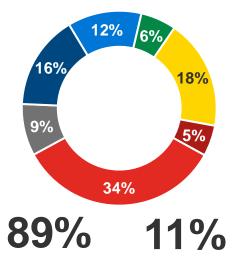
5. IFRS17 new business margin adjusted to reflect the long term profitability, taking into account expected reinsurance not currently in place

### **Direct property exposure in annuity portfolio is limited**

#### **Annuity Property**



Sector Split



Fully let

In development

Residual Value Note (RVN) Rental Income Note (RIN)

Retail

Leisure

- Distribution
- Office space
- Government Office space
- Industrial & commercial
- Accomodation

Annuity property exposure comprises:

- c£2bn of RVNs. This is the present value estimate of the future vacant possession value of the property (i.e. the value at the end of the lease term) and represents our actual direct property exposure in the annuity portfolio
  - Not concerned with short-term mark to market valuations. Majority of property assets >20yr term to maturity
  - Our property exposure is wholly-owned, recently built and has no debt
- c£3bn of RINs. Secured against inflation-linked, long-term leases with highly rated counterparties such as Amazon and Comcast
  - Our priority is the cashflow. 100% of cashflows received over 2022 and H1 2023
  - 87% of office space exposure is to UK government departments, with an average unexpired term of c22 years on the lease

### **Retail: Strong profit releases from large books of business**

Financial Highlights (£m)	H1 2022	H1 2023
CSM release	206	210
Risk Adjustment (RA) release	44	49
Expected Investment margin	38	49
Experience variances	(11)	(26)
Non-attributable expenses	(43)	(39)
Insurance profit	234	243
Other (Non Insurance profit)	61	(13)
Operating profit	295	230
Investment & other variances	57	(86)
Profit before tax	352	144

- Whilst Insurance operating profit is up 4%, driven by resilient ongoing profit releases in the UK and US, total operating profit is down given the lower contribution from Fintech (reflected in "Other"), as valuation uplifts from H1 2022 did not repeat
- The CSM release reflects the provision of insurance service.
   4.6% of the closing CSM pre-release (£4.7bn) has released into profit
- Risk adjustment release of c£49m
- The Expected investment margin incorporates the release of the prudence in the discount rate, the expected returns on surplus assets and the impact of back book asset optimisation actions
- In line with the wider market, US mortality experience remained elevated over H1, with an improving trend. We utilised the \$40m provision set up at year end
- Experience variances reflect higher UK death rates in Q1 on the minority of business where we are not fully reinsured and also includes £8m of onerous contract unwind on legacy policies
- Expenses which are not included in the insurance liabilities are recognised as incurred

### **Retail: Maintaining price discipline in a competitive market**

Total Sales	H1 2022	H1 2023
Protection Annual premium (£m)	196	199
Protection Gross written premium (£m)	1,605	1,680
Individual annuities single premium (£m)	453	575
Retirement annuity assets <sup>1</sup> (£bn)	19.3	17.1
Workplace Savings net flows (£bn)	4.3	3.0
Lifetime Mortgage advances <sup>2</sup>	338	163
Solvency II New business value (£m)	124	119
- UK & US Protection	92	85
- Individual annuities	32	34
IFRS New business deferred profit <sup>3</sup>	176	176

- Insurance gross written premium up 5% to £1.7bn, reflecting robust new business volumes across all businesses, with US volumes continuing to benefit from our technological advantage (US Annual premium up 40% to \$87m)
- Individual annuity volumes of £575m, reflecting increased demand for Fixed term annuities, given the higher rates on offer
- Workplace net flows of £3.0bn driven by continued client wins and increased contributions. Workplace pension platform members increased to 5.0 million
- Lifetime mortgage and RIO<sup>3</sup> mortgage advances of £163m, achieved in a highly competitive and reduced market
- **Solvency II NBV of £119m**, with growth in US Protection and individual annuities being offset by lower margins in UK Protection, reflecting the impact of higher interest rates and lower volumes

- 2. Includes Retirement interest only (RIO) mortgages
  - 3. Represents the new business CSM and RA

<sup>1.</sup> In the UK, annuity assets across LGRI and Retail are managed together. Estimated proportion of annuity assets belonging to Retail

### LGC: Resilient performance, on track to achieve ambition

Financial Highlights	H1 2022	H1 2023
Operating profit (£m)	263	296
- Alternative asset portfolio	202	230
- Traded portfolio and Treasury	61	66
Investment and other variances (£m) <sup>1</sup>	(308)	(192)
Profit before tax (£m) <sup>1</sup>	(45)	104
Assets (£m)	8,250	7,924
- Alternative asset portfolio	3,739	4,220
- Traded portfolio	1,979	1,429
- Cash and Treasury assets	2,532	2,275

- Operating profit of £296m, up 13%, principally reflecting profits from our alternative asset portfolio
- Alternative asset operating profit of £230m driven by the continued strong performance of Pemberton, robust trading performance of our housing platform (notably Cala) and further maturing of the portfolio
- The alternative asset portfolio is up 13% to £4,220m (H1 2022: £3,739m). We are continuing to deploy society's capital for society's benefit, despite the challenging conditions, with £0.3bn invested in new and existing assets in H1 2023
- **Profit before tax £104m**, with investment and other variances of £(192)m, which is driven by the unrealised mark to market impact of higher interest rates on our portfolio
- Our ambition is to build our diversified alternative AUM to c.£5bn (H1 2023: £4.2bn) with a target blended portfolio return of 10-12% and to increase third party capital to over £25bn (H1 2023: £16.8bn) by 2025

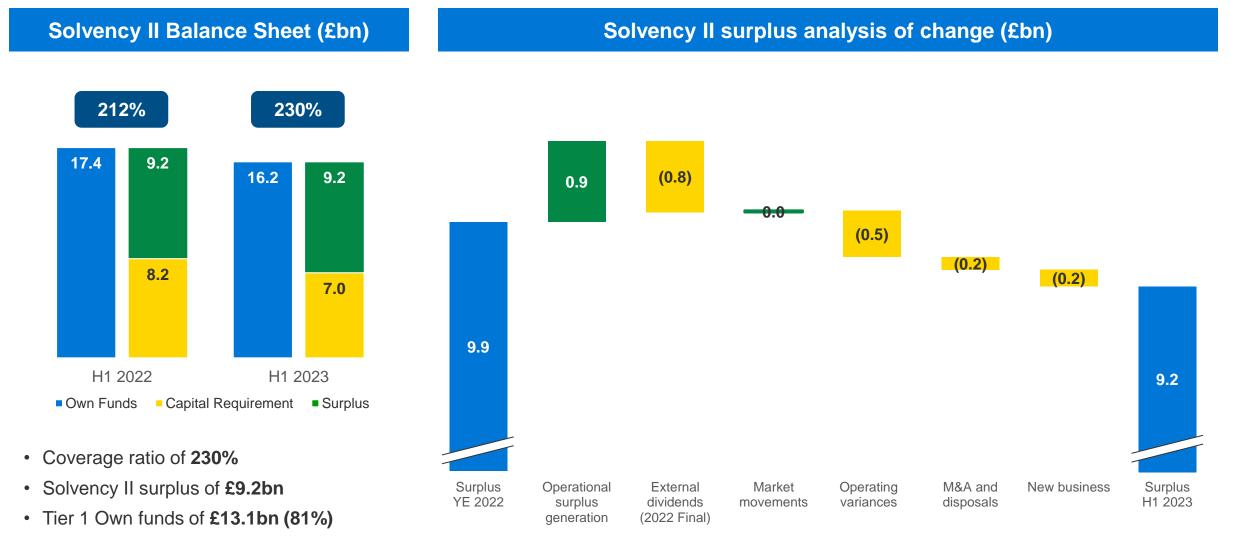
### LGIM: Rising interest rates have impacted profitability

Financial Highlights	H1 2022	H1 2023
Asset management revenue <sup>1</sup> (£m)	494	440
Asset management expenses <sup>1</sup> (£m)	(294)	(298)
Total LGIM operating profit (£m)	200	142
Closing AUM (£bn)	1,290	1,158
International AUM (£bn)	468	457
UK DC AUM (£bn)	129	146
Wholesale AUM (£bn)	46	51
External net flows (£bn)	65.6	(12.3)
Of which excl. UK DB Solutions <sup>2</sup> (£bn)	40.3	7.4
Asset management cost:income ratio (%)	59	68

- Continue to build on credentials as a **responsible investor** and **remain committed to addressing environmental and social challenges** 
  - As at H1 2023, £331.6bn managed in responsible investment strategies explicitly linked to ESG criteria<sup>3</sup>

- Operating profit down to **£142m** reflecting the challenging market environment, with higher interest rates impacting AUM and revenue
- Despite significant inflationary impacts, we have taken action to keep absolute costs flat<sup>4</sup>
- AUM down 10% to £1.2tn
  - International AUM of £457bn, 39% of total AUM
  - A market leader in UK DC: £146bn AUM, 5.0m Workplace members
- Excluding UK DB Solutions<sup>2</sup>, LGIM delivered external net flows of £7.4bn with associated ANNR of £8.4m
- Continuing to make progress across our three strategic pillars:
  - Modernise: Ongoing transformation of our strategic operating model through partnership with State Street using Charles River technology
  - Diversify: Focus on higher-margin product areas such as Real Assets, ETFs, Multi-asset and Fixed Income. Further ESG integration
  - Internationalise: Expanded our European footprint, opening a branch in Switzerland. Well positioned in Asia, where we are expanding our distribution footprint across key markets and channels
- 1. Revenue and expenses exclude income and costs of £13m for provision of 3rd party market data (H1 2022: £15m)
- 2. Derivative overlays associated with UK DB net flows
- **28** 3. Please refer to footnote 42 of the HY 2023 press release for the ESG criteria definition 4. On an FX-adjusted basis

#### **Strong Solvency II Balance sheet**



29 | Operating variances include the impact of experience variances, changes to model calibrations, and management actions and predominantly reflect timing differences which we expect to reverse in H2 Numbers in the right hand chart do not sum due to rounding



## £941m

#### **Operating profit** H1 2022: £958m

## £13.8bn

Stock of deferred profits H1 2022: £13.4bn

- We have delivered a resilient set of results. We remain confident in achieving our five year ambitions
- Our **balance sheet is strong.** Our diversified business model shields us from volatile economic markets
- The strength of our capital and liquidity positions provide capacity to invest in profitable growth opportunities

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# On track to achieve our five year ambitions



### A compelling investment case: A track record of profitable and sustainable growth



- An established track record of consistent and profitable growth under IFRS 4. Under IFRS 17 we have a large stock of deferred profits £13.8bn and are demonstrating growth in CSM
- 2 A highly synergistic and increasingly international, growth-oriented business model, closely aligned to six long-term, macro growth drivers
- 3 Long-term and predictable value creation: very long duration business (30-40 years), with earnings driven by a growing stock of accumulated assets
- 4 A proven robust and resilient balance sheet: very strong solvency ratio (230%) and surplus (£9.2bn). In H1 our annuity portfolio experienced no downgrades to sub-IG and more upgrades than downgrades
- 5 A clear purpose, a longstanding commitment to Inclusive Capitalism and a leader in sustainable investing, with a focus on execution and delivery



A clear set of growth ambitions to 2024 – with attractive annual growth in the dividend and ongoing investment in high quality new business – against which we are making good progress



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## Our business is aligned to six long-term growth drivers, providing immunity to a low / no economic growth environment

Growth drivers	Strategic priorities	Market opportunity	Primary divisions
Ageing demographics	Be global leaders in <b>pensions de-risking</b> and <b>retirement income solutions</b> , building upon success in the UK and US	\$57tn	LGRI, Retail, LGIM
Globalisation of asset markets	Build a <b>global asset management business</b> , entering new markets and expanding our existing operations	\$149tn	LGIM
Investing in the real economy	Be leaders in <b>long-term direct investments</b> , whilst benefitting society through <b>socially responsible</b> investments	£100bn	LGC, LGRI, Retail, LGIM
Welfare reforms	Help people take responsibility for their own <b>financial security through</b> insurance, pensions and savings	£1.6tn	Retail, LGIM
Technological innovation	Be market leaders in the <b>digital provision</b> of insurance and other financial solutions	\$30bn	Retail
Addressing climate change	Support the <b>fight against climate catastrophe</b> through the positioning of our <b>own</b> <b>investments</b> , our influence <b>as one of the world's largest asset managers</b> and by <b>managing our own operational footprint</b>	\$20tn	All

Willis Towers Watson, Global Pensions Asset Study, 2022: \$53tn of global private DB and DC pension assets; BCG Global Asset Management 2022: \$149tn global AUM by 2026e; 400k (x £250k
 average selling price) homes to be built in the UK per annum by 2025; £1.6tn of UK DC assets and UK ISA AUM by 2025e; \$30bn US retail protection market by 2025e; \$20tn of investment needed by 2025 to achieve global net zero emissions by 2050

# Low growth and no recession are forecast by the IMF, OECD and Central Bank

		IMF			OECD		OECD			Central Bank		
	2023	2024	2025		2023	2024	2025	2023	2024	2025		
UK	0.4	1.0	2.2		0.3	1.0		0.5	0.5	0.3		
France	0.8	1.3	1.9		0.8	1.3		0.7	1.0	1.5		
Germany	-0.3	1.3	2.0		0.0	1.3		-0.3	1.2	1.3		
Eurozone	0.9	1.5	1.9		0.9	1.5		0.9	1.5	1.6		
US	1.8	1.0	1.8		1.6	1.0		1.0	1.1	1.8		
Japan	1.4	1.0	0.6		1.3	1.1		1.3	1.2	1.0		
China	5.2	4.5	4.1		5.4	5.1						
India	7.2	6.1	6.3		6.0	7.0						
Brazil	2.1	1.2	1.9		1.7	1.2						
World	3.0	3.0	3.2		2.8	2.9						

\*UK OBR forecasts: -0.2 (2023), 1.8 (2024), 2.5 (2025)

- IMF expects above trend growth globally heading into 2025
- BoE more cautious than other central banks. Sees extended period of weak growth
- OBR in line with IMF forecast
- We don't see scope for above-trend growth given tight labour markets
- Instead global recession is our base case

# IFRS 17 does not change strategy, capital generation, solvency or dividends

**IFRS 17:** 

- Is an accounting change, which does not change the underlying economics of our insurance contracts
- Will change the timing of recognition of insurance earnings, not the quantum
- Will result in more stable and predictable earnings from our insurance products
- Will impact the financial reporting of our annuity / life insurance businesses (i.e. LGRI, Retail)
- Will not impact our non-insurance / asset management businesses (i.e. LGIM, LGC)
- Does not change our:
  - Ability to generate cash and capital
  - Ability to invest in future growth
  - Solvency position (H1 2023: 230%<sup>1</sup>)
  - Creditworthiness (Fitch AA-, Moody's AA3, S&P AA-, AM Best A+)<sup>2</sup>
  - Dividend-paying capacity

#### **Created a 'transition day' CSM / RA stock of £14bn – a significant stock of deferred profits**

<sup>1.</sup> Excluding any benefit from proposed Solvency II reform

<sup>36 | 2.</sup> Ratings shown are Legal and General Assurance Society Limited Financial strength rating For more information on IFRS 17 and what it means for L&G see our November 2022 and May 2023 investor and analyst events: <u>here</u>

#### **Investment grade credit rarely defaults**

S&P Market Default Rates (%)

Veer		Sub-IG			
Year	AAA	AA	А	BBB	BB
2000	-	-	0.3	0.4	1.2
2001	-	-	0.3	0.3	3.0
2002	-	-	-	1.0	2.9
2003	-	-	-	0.2	0.6
2004	-	-	0.1	-	0.4
2005	-	-	-	0.1	0.3
2006	-	-	-	-	0.3
2007	-	-	-	-	0.2
2008	-	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.8
2009	-	-	0.2	0.6	0.8
2010	-	-	-	-	0.6
2011	-	-	-	0.1	-
2012	-	-	-	-	0.3
2013	-	-	-	-	0.1
2014	-	-	-	-	-
2015	-	-	-	-	0.2
2016	-	-	-	0.1	0.5
2017	-	-	-	-	0.1
2018	-	-	-	-	-
2019	-	-	-	0.1	-
2020	-	-	-	-	0.9
2021	-	-	-	-	-
2022	-	-	-	-	0.3
Average	-	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.6

#### Annuity assets: Diversified bond portfolio complemented by high quality direct investments

Annuity Bond Portfolio: £69.4bn (out of £72.6bn)

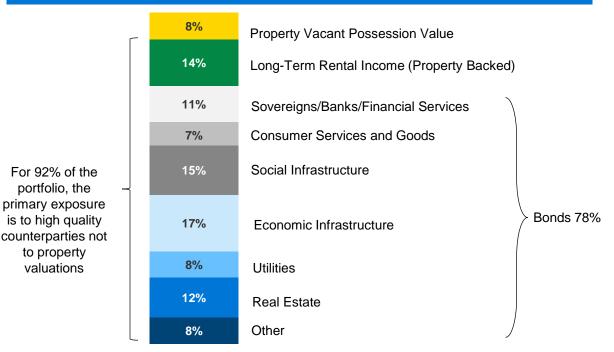
Technology, Telecoms and Industrials, 5%

Other, 9%

#### H1 2023

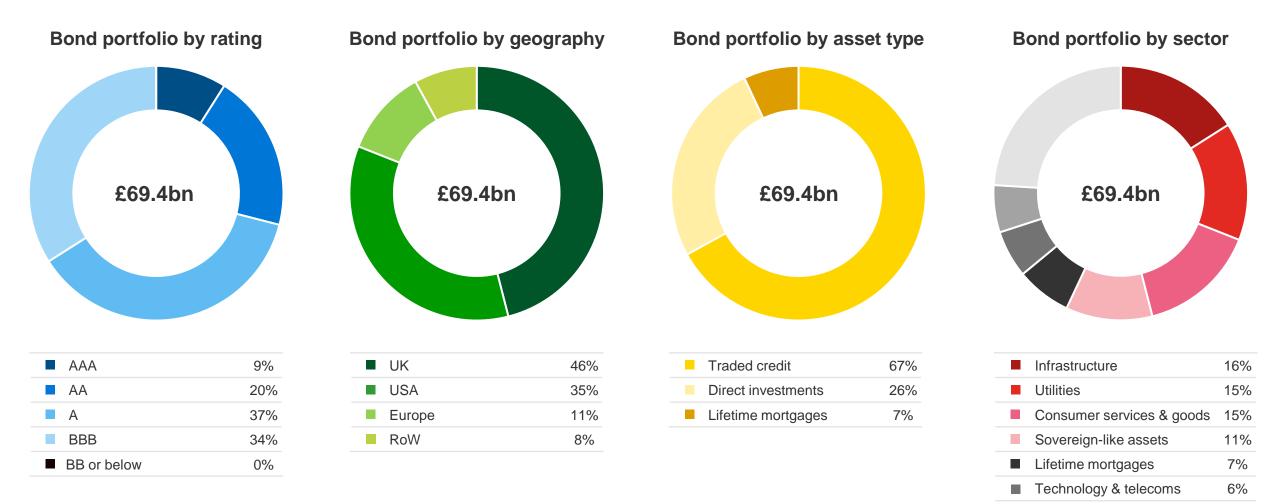
	<ul> <li>Defensively positioned, high quality portfolio.</li> </ul>				
AAA, 9% (£6.0bn)	<ul> <li>Approximately two-thirds A-rated or better. Only 13% of BBB are BBB-</li> </ul>				
AA, 20% (£13.7bn)	<ul> <li>11% of bonds in Sovereign-like assets</li> </ul>				
	• <b>7%</b> of high quality Lifetime Mortgage book: average customer age 75; weighted average loan-to-value of c.30.8%				
A, 37% (£25.4bn)	<ul> <li>Lower-rated, cyclical exposures kept to a minimum: &lt;1% airlines, hotels, leisure and traditional retail combined</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Geographically diversified portfolio (46% UK, 35% US, 11% EU, 8% RoW)</li> </ul>				
	Sovereigns, Supras and Sub-Sovereigns, <1%				
DDD 240/ (022.0km)	Utilities, Commodities, Energy, 9%				
BBB, 34% (£23.8bn)	Non-cyclical consumer goods and services, 5%				
	Infrastructure, 7%				

#### Annuity DI portfolio: £23.4bn, 32% of total assets



- No defaults and 100% of scheduled cash-flows paid. Primary exposure is to the underlying high quality tenant on rental income, e.g. Amazon. Around two-thirds of portfolio rated 'A' or above
- Direct exposure to property in the annuity portfolio is Property Vacant Possession Value: £1.9bn or 3% of the annuity portfolio
- Originated £2.4bn of new, high quality direct investments during 2023. Continue to benefit from LGC ESG-focused asset creation via Affordable Homes, Build to rent and Urban Regeneration

### We have a high quality, diversified investment grade book



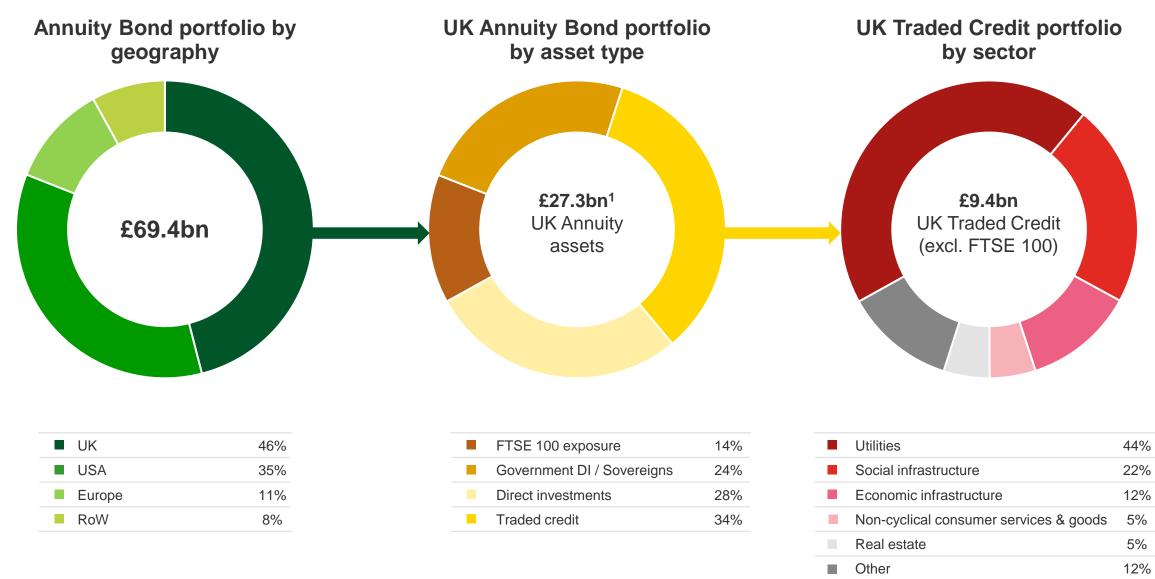
Real Estate

Other

6%

24%

### Our UK exposure is more diversified than might be expected...



**40** | 1. Excludes £4.9bn of Lifetime Mortgage assets – 2023 June YTD weighted average loan-to-value of c30.8%. Loan-to-value has to exceed 100% before losses occur

### **Our BBB exposure is to high quality names**

#### Annuity Portfolio: Top 10 BBB exposure

	Counterparty	Sector	Country of Risk	Investment value (£m)
1	National Grid PLC	Utilities	UK	328
2	E.ON SE	Utilities	Germany	308
3	FGP TopCo Ltd	Economic Infrastructure	UK	283
4	Severn Trent PLC	Utilities	UK	268
5	CK Hutchison Holdings Ltd	Utilities	UK	230
6	Verizon Communications Inc	Communications & Technology	USA	192
7	Centrica PLC	Utilities	UK	190
8	Julian Holdings Ltd	Real Estate (Debt)	UK	174
9	AT&T Inc	Communications & Technology	USA	173
10	AbbVie Inc	Consumer, Non-cyclical	USA	167

2,313

10% of BBB portfolio

### **Our Direct Investments are with high quality counterparties**

#### Annuity Portfolio: Top 15 Direct Investments by exposure\*

	Counterparty	Sector	Year of Investment	Investment value (£m)
1	HMRC	Government	2016-2019	1,208
2	UK Govt	Government	2011-2019	685
3	Amazon	Communications & Technology	2018-2020	639
4	University of Oxford	Social Infrastructure	2021-2022	366
5	Student Accommodation Provider	Social Infrastructure	2023	359
6	Comcast Corp	Communications & Technology	2020	321
7	UK Corporate Media	Media	2017	260
8	Places for People Group Ltd	Social Infrastructure	2014	258
9	F&C Commercial Trust	Real Estate (Debt)	2014	255
10	UK Railway	Economic Infrastructure	2021	251
11	UK Water Utility	Utilities	2018-2021	248
12	Hornsea Offshore Wind Farm	Economic Infrastructure	2018	223
13	Student Accomodation Provider	Social Infrastructure	2014-2015	202
14	UK Water Utility	Utilities	2016-2019	202
15	Walney Offshore Wind Farm	Economic Infrastructure	2016	201
Ass	ets are spread between different locations, v	vith long duration cash flows secured against	Total	5,677

high quality tenants, with limited downside valuation risk e.g. HMRC, Amazon

35% of DI portfolio



## On track to achieve our five year ambitions 2023 Half year results

## £1,139m

**Operating profit from divisions** H1 2022: £1,153m

230%

Solvency ratio

H1 2022: 212%

£947m

SII operational surplus generation H1 2022: £946m



Interim dividend H1 2022: 5.44p, **+5%**