## Company Registration Number: 3599698

## Silver Lining 55 Limited

## Annual Report 31 December 2022

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## Silver Lining 55 Limited **Company Information**

Directors

Mr M G H Heald Mrs L J F Heald Miss E M A Heald

Members' Agent

Argenta Private Capital Limited (Regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority)

**Company Secretary** 

Argenta Secretariat Limited

Registered Office

5th Floor, 70 Gracechurch Street

London EC3V 0XL

Auditor

PKF Littlejohn LLP 15 Westferry Circus Canary Wharf London

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# Silver Lining 55 Limited Strategic Report

The Directors submit their Strategic Report for the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### **Business Review**

The Company continues to write insurance business in the Lloyd's insurance market as a Lloyd's Corporate Capital Member.

The Financial Statements incorporate the annual accounting results of the Syndicates on which the Company participates for the 2020, 2021 and 2022 years of account, as well as any 2019 and prior run-off years. The 2020 year closed at 31 December 2022 with a result of £(72,448) (2019 - £(146,858)). The 2021 and 2022 open underwriting accounts will normally close at 31 December 2023 and 2024 respectively.

#### Results and Dividends

The results for the year are set out on pages 9 to 10 of the Financial Statements. Dividends totalling £Nil were paid in the year (2021 - £Nil).

#### Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Company is principally exposed to financial risk through its participation on Lloyd's Syndicates. It has delegated sole management and control of its underwriting through each Syndicate to the managing agent of that Syndicate and it looks to the managing agents to implement appropriate policies, procedures and internal controls to manage each Syndicate's exposures to insurance risk, credit risk, market risk, liquidity risk and operational risk. The Company is also directly exposed to these risks, but they are not considered material for the assessment of the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the Company.

Hedge accounting is not used by the Company.

#### **Key Performance Indicators**

	2022	2021
Capacity (youngest underwriting year)	£542,266	£495,812
Gross premium written as a % of capacity	110.5%	127.4%
Underwriting result of latest run-off/closed year:		
as a % of capacity	-7.6%	-12.9%
Run-off years of account movement	£(68,938)	£(83,824)
Combined ratio	109.2%	109.1%

The combined ratio is the ratio of net claims incurred and net operating expenses to net premiums earned.

#### Section 172(1) Statement

The Directors have considered the matters set out in Section 172(1) of the Companies Act 2006 when performing their duties and comments as follows:

- a) The Company continues to operate in the Lloyd's insurance market. The majority of its activities are carried out by the syndicates on which it participates. The Company is not involved directly in the management of the syndicates' activities, as these are the responsibility of the Managing Agents.
- b) Other than the Directors the Company has no employees. The Directors do not receive any remuneration from the Company.
- c) The Company's only suppliers are those who provide services for the administration of the Company. The Directors ensure supplier invoices are paid on time in line with any agreed terms.
- d) The Company's operations do not by their very nature produce significant environmental emissions.
- e) The Company and the syndicates are required to operate within the guidelines and code of conduct of the Lloyd's market. Behind the Lloyd's market is the Lloyd's Corporation, an independent organisation and regulator that acts to protect and maintain the market's reputation and provides services and original research, reports and analysis to the industry's knowledge base. The Directors ensure compliance with relevant requirements and promote high standards of business conduct.

## Silver Lining 55 Limited **Strategic Report (continued)**

## Section 172(1) Statement (continued)

f) The Directors work very closely with the Members of the Company to discuss all significant decisions including the level of participation on the syndicates.

More information on this can be found at <a href="www.argentagroup.com/Section172">www.argentagroup.com/Section172</a>.

Approved by the Board on and signed on its behalf by: 24/09/2023

M G H HEALD Director

# Silver Lining 55 Limited Report of the Directors

The Directors submit their Report together with the audited Financial Statements of the Company for the year ended 31 December 2022.

#### **Principal Activities**

The principal activity of the Company is that of trading as a Lloyd's Corporate Capital Member. The Company continues to underwrite for the 2023 year of account.

#### Statement of Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Strategic Report, Report of the Directors' and the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and regulations.

Company law requires the Directors to prepare Financial Statements for each financial year. Under that law the Directors have elected to prepare the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Accounting Generally Accepted Accounting Practice), including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland". Under Company law the Directors must not approve the Financial Statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company and of the profit or loss of the Company for that period. In preparing these Financial Statements, the Directors are required to:

- · select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements; and
- prepare the Financial Statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the Company's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and enable them to ensure that the Financial Statements comply with the Companies Act 2006. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### Directors

The Directors who served at any time during the year and to the date of this report were as follows:

Mr M G H Heald Mrs L J F Heald Miss E M A Heald

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Report of the Directors (continued)

#### Auditor

The auditor, PKF Littlejohn LLP, will be proposed for reappointment in accordance with section 485 of the Companies Act 2006.

## In the case of each of the persons who are Directors at the time this report is approved, the following applies:

- a) So far as the Directors are aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- b) they have taken all the steps that they ought to have taken as Directors in order to make themselves aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

Approved by the Board on and signed on its behalf by: 24/09/2023

Guy Heald (Sep 24, 2023 08:34 GMT+1)

M G H HEALD

Director

# Silver Lining 55 Limited Independent Auditor's Report

#### Independent Auditor's report to the Members of Silver Lining 55 Limited

#### Opinion

We have audited the Financial Statements of Silver Lining 55 Limited (the 'Company') for the year ended 31 December 2022 which comprise the Statement of Comprehensive Income, Statement of Financial Position, Statement of Changes in Equity, Statement of Cash Flows and notes to the Financial Statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial reporting framework that has been applied in their preparation is applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards, including FRS 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

In our opinion, the Financial Statements:

- give a true and fair view of the state of the company's affairs as at 31 December 2022 and of its loss for the year then ended;
- · have been properly prepared in accordance with United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice; and
- have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006.

#### Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (UK) (ISAs (UK)) and applicable law. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the Financial Statements in the UK, including the FRC's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Conclusions relating to going concern

In auditing the Financial Statements, we have concluded that the director's use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the Financial Statements is appropriate.

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from when the financial statements are authorised for issue.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the Directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.

## Other information

The other information comprises the information included in the annual report, other than the Financial Statements and our auditor's report thereon. The Directors are responsible for the other information contained within the annual report. Our opinion on the Financial Statements does not cover the other information and, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in our report, we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon. Our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the Financial Statements or our knowledge obtained in the course of the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify such material inconsistencies or apparent material misstatements, we are required to determine whether this gives rise to a material misstatement in the Financial Statements themselves. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Opinions on other matters prescribed by the Companies Act 2006

In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit:

- the information given in the Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors for the financial year for which the Financial Statements are prepared is consistent with the Financial Statements; and
- the Strategic Report and the Report of the Directors have been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.

## Silver Lining 55 Limited

# Independent Auditor's Report (continued) Matters on which we are required to report by exception

In light of the knowledge and understanding of the company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified material misstatements in the Strategic Report or the Report of the Directors.

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We have nothing to report in respect of the following matters in relation to which the Companies Act 2006 requires us to report to you if, in our opinion:

- adequate accounting records have not been kept, or returns adequate for our audit have not been received from branches not visited by us;
- the Financial Statements are not in agreement with the accounting records and returns; or
- · certain disclosures of Directors' remuneration specific by law are not made; or
- we have not received all the information and explanations we require for our audit.

#### Responsibilities of Directors

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' responsibilities set out on page 4, the Directors are responsible for the preparation of the Financial Statements and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view, and for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of Financial Statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the Financial Statements, the Directors are responsible for assessing the company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Directors either intend to liquidate the company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Financial Statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (UK) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and 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 these Financial Statements.

Irregularities, including fraud, are instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations. We design procedures in line with our responsibilities, outlined above, to detect material misstatements in respect of irregularities, including fraud. The procedures we have undertaken to detect irregularities, including fraud, are detailed below:

- We obtained an understanding of the company and the sector in which it operates to identify laws and regulations that could reasonably be expected to have a direct effect on the Financial Statements. We obtained our understanding in this regard through discussion with management and the application of our knowledge and experience of the sector in which the company operates in. We determined the principal laws and regulations relevant to the company in this regard to be those arising from the Companies Act 2006, Lloyd's byelaws as they relate to the company and UK taxation legislation.
- We designed our audit procedures to ensure the audit team considered whether there were any indications of non-compliance by the company with those laws and regulations. These procedures included, but were not limited to:
  - o discussion with management of any known, or suspected instances, of non-compliance by the company with those laws and regulations;
  - o discussion with management of any, or suspected, incidence of fraud;
  - o review of the financial statement disclosures and testing to supporting documentation to assess compliance with applicable laws and regulations.
  - o review of the minutes of the board of directors and other correspondence as we deemed appropriate; and
  - o review and testing of the system of controls established by management to ensure the accuracy of the financial statements.
- We identified the risks of material misstatement of the Financial Statements due to fraud as being those arising from management override of controls. We have addressed this risk by performing audit procedures which included, but were not limited to, the testing of journals, reviewing material accounting estimates for evidence of bias and evaluating the business rationale of any significant transactions that are unusual or outside the normal course of business that came to our attention.

# Silver Lining 55 Limited Independent Auditor's Report (continued)

#### Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

Because of the inherent limitations of an audit, there is a risk that we will not detect all irregularities, including those leading to a material misstatement in the Financial Statements or non-compliance with regulation. This risk increases the more that compliance with a law or regulation is removed from the events and transactions reflected in the Financial Statements, as we will be less likely to become aware of instances of non-compliance. The risk is also greater regarding irregularities occurring due to fraud rather than error, as fraud involves intentional concealment, forgery, collusion, omission or misrepresentation.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the Financial Statements is located on the Financial Reporting Council's website at: www.frc.org.uk/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

#### Use of the audit report

This report is made solely to the company's Members as a body in accordance with Chapter 3 of Part 16 of the Companies Act 2006. Our audit work has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's Members those matters we are required to state to them in an auditor's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's Members as a body for our audit work, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

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Thomas Seaman (Senior Statutory Auditor) For and on behalf of PKF Littlejohn LLP Statutory Auditor

Date: 25/09/2023

15 Westferry Circus Canary Wharf London E14 4HD Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Comprehensive Income Technical Account – general business For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Note		2022 £		2021 £
Premiums Gross premiums written Outward reinsurance premiums	1		599,010 (134,294)		631,455 (227,954)
Net premiums written			464,716		403,501
Change in the provision for unearned premiums Gross provision	1		37,162		278,336
Reinsurers' share	ı		(15,341)	,	(52,809)
Earned premiums, net of reinsurance			486,537		629,028
Allocated investment return transferred from the non-technical account			(8,457)		238
Other technical income, net of reinsurance			-		-
Claims paid Gross amount Reinsurers' share Net claims paid	1 1	(551,489) 131,331 (420,158)		(630,781) 127,026 (503,755)	
Change in provision for claims Gross amount Reinsurers' share	1 1	61,677 5,473		(20,341) 88,149	
Change in net provision for claims		67,150		67,808	
Claims incurred, net of reinsurance			(353,008)		(435,947)
Changes in other technical provisions, net of reinsurance Net operating expenses Other technical charges, net of reinsurance	1,2 1		(178,269) -		(250,558)
Balance on the technical account for general business			(53,197)		(57,239)

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Comprehensive Income Non Technical Account For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Note	2022 £	2021 £
Balance on technical account for general business		(53,197)	(57,239)
Investment income	3	12,576	(3,317)
Allocated investment return transferred to the general business technical account		8,457	(238)
Other income Other charges, including value adjustments		(45,248)	(61,055)
Loss on ordinary activities before taxation	4 -	(77,412)	(121,849)
Tax on loss on ordinary activities	5	(459)	(15,203)
Loss for the financial year	_	(77,871)	(137,052)
Other comprehensive expenditure: Currency translation differences Tax on other comprehensive (expenditure)/income		(4,454) (8)	114 347
Total comprehensive expenditure	10	(82,333)	(136,591)

All amounts relate to continuing operations.

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Financial Position As at 31 December 2022

		31 December 2022		31	December 202	<u> </u>	
	Note	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £
Assets							
Intangible assets	6	-	-	-	-	1,300	1,300
Investments Other financial investments Deposits with ceding	7	585,594	190,771	776,365	664,568	257,274	921,842
undertakings		8,033	-	8,033	7,382	-	7,382
		593,627	190,771	784,398	671,950	257,274	929,224
Reinsurers' share of technical provisions							
Provision for unearned premiums Claims outstanding	8 8	47,747 578,859	-	47,747 578,859	56,272 595,254	-	56,272 595,254
Other technical provisions	Ū	-	-	-	-	-	-
		626,606	-	626,606	651,526	-	651,526
Debtors Amounts falling due within one	7,11	643,372	70,847	714,219	518,267	70,846	589,113
year Amounts falling due after one year	7	55,091	-	55,091	67,210	-	67,210
		698,463	70,847	769,310	585,477	70,846	656,323
Other assets Cash at bank and in hand Other		121,524 97,802	38	121,562 97,802	121,567 109,222	3,990	125,557 109,222
		219,326	38	219,364	230,789	3,990	234,779
Prepayments and accrued income		,					
Accrued interest	•	369	-	369	535	-	535
Deferred acquisitions costs Other prepayments and accrued income	8	66,401 9,805	-	66,401 9,805	77,432 13,326	-	77,432 13,326
•		76,575		76,575	91,293	<u> </u>	91,293
Total assets		2,214,597	261,656	2,476,253	2,231,035	333,410	2,564,445

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Financial Position As at 31 December 2022

		31 December 2022			31 December 2021			
	Note	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £	
Liabilities and Shareholders' funds								
Capital and reserves Called up share capital Capital redemption Capital contribution Share premium account	9	- - - -	1,250 - - -	1,250	- - -	1,250 - - -	1,250	
Profit and loss account	10	(112,323)	(472,729)	(585,052)	(193,526)	(309,193)	(502,719)	
Shareholders' funds – attributable to equity interests		(112,323)	(471,479)	(583,802)	(193,526)	(307,943)	(501,469)	
Technical provisions Provision for unearned premiums Claims outstanding Other technical provisions	8 8	266,003 1,671,451		266,003 1,671,451	276,141 1,725,696		276,141 1,725,696	
Provisions for other risks Deferred taxation Other	11	<u>-</u>	- -	-	<i>-</i>	- -	- -	
Deposit received from reinsurers		-	-	-	543	-	543	
Creditors Amounts falling due within one year	7	292,474	723,709	1,016,183	252,048	630,159	882,207	
Amounts falling due after one year	7	78,952	-	78,952	151,331	-	151,331	
•		371,426	723,709	1,095,135	403,379	630,159	1,033,538	
Accruals and deferred income		18,040	9,426	27,466	18,802	11,194	29,996	
Total liabilities		2,214,597	261,656	2,476,253	2,231,035	333,410	2,564,445	

Approved and authorised for issue by the Board of Directors on 24/09/2023 and signed on its behalf by:

Guy Heald
Guy Heald (Sep 24, 2023 08:34 GMT+1)
M G H HEALD

Director

Company registration number: 3599698

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Changes in Equity For the year ended 31 December 2022

	Called up share capital £	Capital redemption reserve	Share premium account	Profit and loss account	Capital contribution reserve	Total
1 January 2021	1,250	-	-	(366,128)	-	(364,878)
Loss for the year Other comprehensive income	- -	-	-	(137,052) 461	- -	(137,052) 461
Total comprehensive expenditure	-	-	-	(136,591)	-	(136,591)
Proceeds from the issue of shares Movement in reserves Dividends paid	- -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	`- -
As at 31 December 2021	1,250	<u>-</u>	-	(502,719)	•	(501,469)
Loss for the year Other comprehensive expenditure	-	-	-	(77,871) (4,462)	-	(77,871) (4,462)
Total comprehensive expenditure		-	-	(82,333)	-	(82,333)
Proceeds from the issue of shares Movement in reserves Dividends paid			- - -		- - -	- - -
As at 31 December 2022	1,250		<del>-</del>	(585,052)	<u>-</u>	(583,802)

Called up share capital represents the nominal value of shares that have been issued.

The capital redemption reserve records the nominal value of shares repurchased by the Company.

The share premium account records the amount above the nominal value received for shares issued, less transaction costs.

The profit and loss account represents cumulative profits and losses of the Company.

The capital contribution reserve relates to contributions to the equity capital of the Company.

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Cash Flows For the year ended 31 December 2022

	2022 £	2021 £
Operating activities		
Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(77,412)	(121,849)
Profit attributable to Syndicate transactions	(85,657)	(51,245)
From autibulable to Syndicate transactions	(83,037)	(31,243)
Loss - excluding Syndicate transactions	(163,069)	(173,094)
Adjusted for:	, , ,	,
(Increase)/decrease in debtors	(1)	15,448
Increase in creditors	91,782	253,701
Loss on disposal of intangible assets	-	-
Amortisation of Syndicate capacity	1,300	2,600
Realised/unrealised (losses)/gains on investments	(16,453)	4,609
Investment income	(4,580)	(1,054)
Corporation and overseas taxes paid	(466)	(14,856)
Corporation and overseas taxes paid		(14,030)
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities	(91,487)	87,354
Investing activities		
Investment income	4,580	1,054
Purchase of Syndicate capacity	, · -	, <u>.</u>
Proceeds from sale of Syndicate capacity	-	-
Purchase of financial investments	_	(93,302)
Proceeds from sale of financial investments	82,955	(* - , · · ·
Trocceds from safe of financial investments		
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from investing activities	87,535	(92,248)
Financing activities		
Issue of shares		_
Share issue expenses	_	_
Capital contribution	_	_
Equity dividends paid		
Equity dividends paid	<del></del>	
Net cash inflow from financing activities		<del>-</del>
Net cash decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(3,952)	(4,894)
Effect of exchange rates on cash and cash equivalents		_
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Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year	3,990	8,884
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	38	3,990
Consisting of:	•	
Cash at bank and in hand	38	3,990
Cash equivalents	<u>-</u>	-
	38_	3,990

The Company has no control over the disposition of assets and liabilities at Lloyd's. Consequently, the cash flow statement is prepared reflecting only the movement in corporate funds, which includes transfers to and from the Syndicates at Lloyd's.

## Silver Lining 55 Limited Statement of Cash Flows (continued) For the year ended 31 December 2022

Analysis of Net Debt	At 1 January 2022 £	Cash flows £	At 31 December 2022
Cash at bank and in hand Debt due within one year Debt due after one year	3,990 - -	(3,952)	38
	3,990	(3,952)	38

#### Basis of preparation of Financial Statements

#### General information

The Company is a private company limited by shares and incorporated in England, United Kingdom.

The Financial Statements have been presented in pounds sterling ("sterling") as this is the Company's functional currency, being the primary economic environment in which the Company operates.

## Basis of preparation

These Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with FRS 102 The Financial Reporting Standard Applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland, FRS103 Insurance Contracts and applicable legislation, as set out in the Companies Act 2006 and The Large and Medium-sized Companies and Groups (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 ("SI 2008/410"). These Financial Statements have been prepared under the historical costs convention as modified for certain financial instruments held at fair value.

#### Recognition of insurance transactions

The Company recognises its proportion of all the transactions undertaken by the Lloyd's Syndicates in which it participates ("the Syndicates") in aggregation with the transactions undertaken by the Company at entity level ("the Corporate").

The Financial Statements are prepared using the annual basis of accounting. Under the annual basis of accounting, a result is determined at the end of each accounting period reflecting the profit and loss from providing insurance coverage during that period and any adjustments to the profit or loss of providing insurance cover during earlier accounting periods.

For each such Syndicate, the Company's proportion of the underwriting transactions, investment return and operating expenses has been reflected within the Company's profit and loss account. Similarly, its proportion of the Syndicate's assets and liabilities has been reflected in its balance sheet (under the column heading "Syndicate Participation"). The Syndicate's assets are held subject to trust deeds for the benefit of the Company's insurance creditors.

The proportion referred to above is calculated by reference to the Company's participation as a percentage of the Syndicate's total capacity.

The Company has delegated sole management and control of its underwriting through each Syndicate to the managing agent of the Syndicate ("the Managing Agent") and it has further undertaken not to interfere with the exercise of such management and control. The Managing Agents of the Syndicates are therefore responsible for determining the insurance transactions to be recognised by the Company.

#### Sources of data

The information used to compile the technical account and the "Syndicate Participation" Statement of Financial Position is based on returns prepared for this purpose by the Managing Agents of the Syndicates ("the Returns"). These Returns have been subjected to audit by the Syndicate auditors and are consistent with the audited annual reports to Syndicate members.

The format of the Returns is established by Lloyd's. Lloyd's collates this data at a Syndicate level analysing it into corporate member level results which reflects the relevant data in respect of all the Syndicates in which the Company participates.

#### Accounting policies

#### i Going concern

As at 31 December 2022 the Company had net liabilities of £583,802 (2021: £501,469). The Directors consider the Company to be a going concern and have prepared the Financial Statements on that basis. It is anticipated that the Company will be able to make good any solvency shortfall (the shortfall in assets required to support underwriting) arising from the 2020 and prior years of account.

#### ii Premiums

Premiums written comprise the total premiums receivable for the whole period of cover provided by the contracts incepting during the financial year, together with any adjustments arising in the year to such premiums receivable in respect of business written in prior years. Premiums are shown gross of commission payable to intermediaries and exclude insurance premium tax. Gross premiums written may include "reinsurance to close" premiums receivable (see vii below). Outward reinsurance premiums may include "reinsurance to close" premiums payable (see vii below). Premiums written by a Syndicate may also include the reinsurance of other Syndicates on which the Company participates. No adjustments have been made to gross premiums written or outward reinsurance premiums (or to gross and reinsurers' claims) to remove this inter - Syndicate reinsurance. Unearned premiums represent the proportion of premiums written in the year that relate to the unexpired terms of policies in force at the balance sheet date, calculated on the basis of established earnings patterns or time apportionment as appropriate.

#### iii Claims incurred

Claims incurred include the costs of claims handling expenses. Recoverable amounts arising out of subrogation or salvage are deducted from the cost of claims. Claims incurred comprise amounts paid or provided in respect of claims occurring during the year to 31 December, together with the amount by which settlement or reassessment of claims from prior years differ from the provision at the beginning of the year.

#### iv Provision for claims outstanding

Claims outstanding comprise amounts set aside for claims notified and claims incurred but not yet reported (IBNR). Provision is made for claims incurred but not paid in respect of events up to 31 December. The provision is based on the Returns and reports from the Managing Agents and the Company's licensed adviser or Members' Agent. When appropriate, statistical methods have been applied to past experience of claims frequency and severity.

The two most critical assumptions with regards to claims provisions are that the past is a reasonable predictor of the likely level of claims development, and that the rating and other models used for current business are fair reflections of the likely level of ultimate claims to be incurred. The Directors consider the provision for gross claims and related reinsurance recoveries, as based on the Returns to be fairly stated. However, ultimate liability will vary as a result of subsequent information and events, and this may result in significant adjustments to the amounts provided. Adjustments to amounts of claims provisions established in prior years are reflected in the Financial Statements for the period in which the adjustments are made.

## v Unexpired risk provision

A provision for unexpired risk is made by the underlying Syndicates where claims, related expenses and deferred acquisition costs, likely to arise after the end of the financial period in respect of contracts concluded before that date, are expected to exceed the unearned premiums and premiums receivable under these contracts, after the deduction of any acquisition costs deferred.

#### vi Deferred acquisition costs

Acquisition costs, which represent commission and other related expenses, are deferred over the period in which the related premiums are earned.

#### Accounting policies (continued)

#### vii Reinsurance to close

A reinsurance to close is a particular type of reinsurance contract entered into by Lloyd's Syndicates. Under it, underwriting members (the reinsured members) who are members of a Syndicate for a year of account (the closed year), agree with underwriting members who comprise that or another Syndicate for a later year of account (the reinsuring members) that the reinsuring members will indemnify, discharge or procure the discharge, of the reinsured members against all known and unknown liabilities of the reinsured members arising out of insurance business undertaken through that Syndicate and allocated to the closed year in consideration of:

- (1) a premium; and
- (2) either
- (a) the assignment, or agreement to assign, to the reinsuring members of all the rights of the reinsured members arising out of, or in connection with, that insurance business (including without limitation the right to receive all future premiums, reinsurances and other monies receivable in connection with that insurance business); or
- (b) an agreement by the reinsured members that the reinsuring members shall collect on behalf of the reinsured members the proceeds of all such rights and retain them for their own benefit so far as they are not applied in discharges of the liabilities of the reinsured members.

Where the reinsurance to close is between members on successive years of account of the same Syndicate, the Managing Agent has a duty to ensure both sets of members are treated equitably and to set the reinsurance to close with the intention that neither a profit nor a loss accrues to either group of members. To the extent that the Company participates on successive years of account of the same Syndicate and there is a reinsurance to close between those years, the Company has offset its share of the reinsurance to close received against its share of the reinsurance to close paid.

If the Company has increased its participation from one year of account to the next, the reinsurance to close paid is eliminated, as a result of this offset, leaving an element of the reinsurance to close received. This reflects the fact that the Company has assumed a greater proportion of the business of the Syndicate. If the Company has reduced its participation from one year of account to the next, the reinsurance to close received is eliminated, leaving an element of the reinsurance to close paid. This reflects the reduction in the Company's exposure to risks previously written by the Syndicate. The reinsurance to close is technically a reinsurance contract and, as such, the payment of a reinsurance to close does not remove from members of that year of account ultimate responsibility for claims payable on risks they have written. If the reinsuring members under the reinsurance to close become insolvent and the other elements of the Lloyd's chain of security also fail, the reinsured members remain theoretically liable for the settlement of any outstanding claims. However, payment of a reinsurance to close is conventionally accepted as terminating a reinsured member's participation on a Syndicate year of account and it is treated for accounts purposes as settling all the Company's outstanding gross liabilities in respect of the business so reinsured.

#### viii Financial instruments

The Company has chosen to apply the provisions of Section 11 Basic Financial Instruments and Section 12 Other Financial Instruments in full

The Company holds both basic and non-basic financial instruments. The Company's financial instruments comprise of cash and cash equivalents, trade and other debtors, trade and other creditors and investments in a variety of basic and non-basic financial instruments, through both the Corporate activity and through the Syndicates' activities.

Financial assets and liabilities are recognised when the Company becomes party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument.

#### Accounting policies (continued)

#### viii Financial instruments (continued)

Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at the transaction price, including any transaction costs, and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any provision for impairment in the case of financial assets. Amounts that are receivable/payable within one year are measured at the undiscounted amount of the cash expected to be received/settled. Financial instruments subsequently measured at amortised cost include cash, debtors and creditors.

Where a financial instrument constitutes a financing transaction, it is initially measured at the present value of the future payments, discounted at a market rate of interest, and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

All other financial instruments are measured at fair value through profit or loss, except for investments in equity instruments that are not publicly traded, and whose fair value cannot otherwise be measured reliably, which are measured at cost less impairment.

At the end of each reporting year, the Company assesses whether there is objective evidence that any financial asset may be impaired. A provision for impairment is established when there is objective evidence that the Company will not be able to collect all amounts due according to the original terms of the receivables. The amount of the provision is the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows, discounted at the effective interest rate. The amount of the provision is recognised immediately in the profit and loss.

Investment income is initially recorded in the non-technical Statement of Comprehensive Income. All investment income arising on Syndicate participations is allocated to the technical Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Interest income is recognised as it accrues using the effective interest method.

Dividend income receivable is recognised when the rights to receive the distributions have been established.

#### ix Derivative financial instruments

The Company uses derivative financial instruments to reduce exposure to foreign exchange risk and interest rate movements. The Company does not hold or issue derivative financial instruments for speculative purposes. Derivatives are initially recognised at fair value at the date a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured to their fair value at each reporting date. The resulting gain or loss is recognised in Statement of Comprehensive Income immediately.

#### x Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents in the statement of financial position comprise cash at bank and in hand and short term deposits with an original maturity date of three months or less. For the purpose of the cash flow statement, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and cash equivalents as defined above. Overdrafts are reported separately in creditors.

#### xi Derecognition of financial assets

A financial asset or, when applicable, a part of a financial asset is derecognised when:

- The rights to the cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- The Company retains the right to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement and either (a) the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Company has transferred its right to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, and has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognised to the extent of the Company's continuing involvement in the asset. Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Company could be required to repay. In that case, the Company also recognises an associated liability.

#### Accounting policies (continued)

#### xii Offsetting of financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the Statement of Financial Position if, and only if there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognised amounts; and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, to realise the assets and settle the liabilities simultaneously.

#### xiii Net operating expenses

Operating expenses are recognised when incurred. They include the Company's share of Syndicate operating expenses, the remuneration payable to Managing Agents (and the Company's Members' Agent/licensed adviser) and the direct costs of membership of Lloyd's.

#### xiv Foreign currencies

Transactions in United States dollars, Canadian dollars and euros are translated at the rates of exchange ruling at the date the transaction is processed or at an appropriate average rate. Unless otherwise stated, transactions in currencies other than United States dollars, Canadian dollars and euros are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the date the transaction is processed. Monetary assets and liabilities are retranslated into sterling at the rate of exchange at the Statement of Financial Position date. Non-monetary assets and liabilities at the Statement of Financial Position date are maintained at the rate of exchange ruling when the contract was entered into, except for non-monetary assets and liabilities arising out of insurance contracts which are treated as monetary items in accordance with FRS 103 *Insurance Contracts* ("FRS 103"). Exchange differences arising on translation to the functional currency are dealt with through the non-technical account in the Statement of Comprehensive Income

#### xv Intangible assets

Intangible assets may include purchased rights to participate on Syndicates. The purchase cost is capitalised and amortised on a straight line basis over the useful life of the rights which is five years.

#### xvi Insurance contracts - product classification

Insurance contracts are those contracts when the Company (the insurer/reinsurer) has accepted significant insurance risk from another party (the policyholder/reinsured) by agreeing to compensate the policyholder if a specified uncertain future event (the re/insured event) adversely affects the policyholder. As a general guideline, the Company determines whether it has significant insurance risk, by comparing benefits paid with benefits payable if the insured event did not occur. Insurance contracts can also transfer financial risk.

Once a contract has been classified as an insurance contract, it remains an insurance contract for the remainder of its lifetime, even if the insurance risk reduces significantly during this period, unless all rights and obligations are extinguished or expire.

Any separable embedded derivatives within an insurance contract are separated and accounted for in accordance with sections 11 and 12 of FRS 102 unless the embedded derivative is itself an insurance contract (i.e. the derivative is not separated if the policyholder benefits from the derivative only when the insured event occurs).

#### xvii Taxation

The Company is taxed on its share of the underwriting results declared by the Syndicates and these are deemed to accrue evenly over the calendar year in which they are declared. The Syndicates' results included in these Financial Statements (excluding any losses on open years of account) are only declared for tax purposes in the calendar year following closure of the year of account. HM Revenue & Customs agrees the taxable results of the Syndicates at a Syndicate level on the basis of computations submitted by the Managing Agent. At the date of approval of these Financial Statements, the Syndicates' taxable results of this year have not been agreed. Any adjustments that may be necessary to the tax provision as a result of HM Revenue & Customs agreement of the Syndicates' taxable results will be reflected in the Financial Statements of subsequent periods.

## xviii Deferred taxation

Deferred tax is recognised on all timing differences that have originated but not reversed at the reporting date. Transactions or events that result in an obligation to pay more tax in the future or a right to pay less tax in the future give rise to a deferred tax liability or asset. Timing differences are differences between taxable profits and total comprehensive income as stated in the Financial Statements that arise from the inclusion of income and expenses in tax assessments in years different from those in which they are recognised in the Financial Statements.

#### Accounting policies (continued)

#### xviii Deferred taxation (continued)

Deferred tax is measured using the tax rates and laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted as at the reporting date, that are expected to apply to the reversal of the timing difference. The tax expense is recognised in the same component of comprehensive income or equity as the transaction or other event that resulted in the tax expense.

Deferred tax assets are recognised only to the extent that, on the basis of all available evidence, it is deemed probable that there will be suitable taxable profits from which the future reversal of the underlying timing differences can be deducted.

Current and deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only when there is a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and there is the intention either to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

#### xix Critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimated uncertainty

In applying the Company's accounting policies, the Directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions in determining the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities. The Directors' judgements, estimates and assumptions are based on the best and most reliable evidence available at the time when the decisions are made, and are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be applicable. Due to the inherent subjectivity involved in making such judgements, estimates and assumptions, the actual results and outcomes may differ. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis.

The management and control of each Syndicate is carried out by the managing agent of that Syndicate, and the Company looks to the managing agent to implement appropriate policies, procedures and internal controls to manage each Syndicate. The critical accounting judgements and key sources of estimation uncertainty set out below therefore relate to those made by the Directors in respect of the Corporate activity only, and do not include estimates and judgements made in respect of the Syndicates' activities.

#### Critical accounting judgements

The critical judgements that the Directors have made in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies and that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognised in the statutory Financial Statements are discussed below.

#### Assessing indicators of impairment

In assessing whether there have been any indicators of impairment of assets, the Directors have considered both external and internal sources of information such as market conditions, counterparty credit ratings and experience of recoverability. There have been no indicators of impairments identified during the current financial year.

#### Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The key assumptions concerning the future, and other key sources of estimation uncertainty, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

#### Impairment review

The impairment of the Syndicate Assets is performed by the Syndicate themselves. The Directors perform an impairment review when indications of impairment arise.

#### Recoverability of receivables

The Company establishes a provision for receivables that are estimated not to be recoverable. When assessing recoverability the Directors consider factors such as the aging of the receivables, past experience of recoverability, and the credit profile of individual or groups of counterparties.

#### Determining the useful life of purchased Syndicate capacity

The Directors have assessed the useful life of syndicate capacity to be five years. This is on the basis that the Directors consider this to be the life over which value is created from the investment made.

## 1. Class of Business

2022	Gross Premiums Written £	Gross Premiums Earned £	Gross Claims Incurred £	Net Operating Expenses £	Reinsurance Balance £	Total
Direct Insurance						
Accident and health	8,122	7,456	(4,038)	(3,532)	(541)	(655)
Motor - third party liability	(233)	(298)	755	(33)	(65)	359
Motor - other classes	6,990	6,758	(2,898)	(2,910)	(1,185)	(235)
Marine, aviation and transport	39,946	43,035	(18,533)	(15,877)	(2,174)	6,451
Fire and other damage to property	174,739	173,377	(74,532)	(56,485)	(18,111)	24,249
Third party liability	83,220	123,319	(172,717)	(42,092)	30,051	(61,439)
Credit and suretyship	14,896 -	16,089	1,329	(4,318)	(9,421)	3,679
Legal expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assistance	•	-	-	-	-	
Miscellaneous	2,629	2,150	(1,271)	(845)	(571)	(537)
<del>-</del>	330,309	371,886	(271,905)	(126,092)	(2,017)	(28,128)
Reinsurance	268,701	264,286	(217,907)	(52,177)	(10,814)	(16,612)
Total	599,010	636,172	(489,812)	(178,269)	(12,831)	(44,740)

2021	Gross Premiums Written	Gross Premiums Earned £	Gross Claims Incurred £	Net Operating Expenses £	Reinsurance Balance £	Total £
Direct Insurance						
Accident and health	9,102	11,102	(2,028)	(4,785)	(788)	3,501
Motor – third party liability	(29)	938	(228)	(235)	165	640
Motor - other classes	3,496	8,034	1,640	(4,168)	(4,884)	622
Marine, aviation and transport	45,985	58,919	(34,732)	(18,037)	(5,515)	635
Fire and other damage to property	168,057	256,409	(129,080)	(80,699)	(30,314)	16,316
Third party liability	164,784	282,259	(257,482)	(85,565)	(3,510)	(64,298)
Credit and suretyship	12,281	16,085	(8,519)	(3,394)	(3,853)	319
Legal expenses	-	-	-	-	•	-
Assistance	•	-	-	-	•	-
Miscellaneous	1,359	712	(426)	(259)	(196)	(169)
-	405,035	634,458	(430,855)	(197,142)	(48,895)	(42,434)
Reinsurance	226,420	275,333	(220,267)	(53,416)	(16,693)	(15,043)
Total	631,455	909,791	(651,122)	(250,558)	(65,588)	(57,477)

All insurance business is underwritten in the United Kingdom in the Lloyd's insurance market. Consequently all insurance contracts are deemed to be concluded in the United Kingdom.

2.	Net Operating Expenses		
		2022 £	2021 £
	Acquisition costs Change in deferred acquisition costs Administrative expenses Reinsurance commissions and profit participations Personal expenses	149,037 16,552 27,428 (22,130) 7,382	169,282 80,732 34,445 (39,955) 6,054
3.	Investment Income  Financial instruments held at fair value through profit or loss:	2022 £	2021 £
	Interest and dividend income Realised gains and losses Unrealised gains and losses Other	14,218 (12,434) 11,300 	10,090 (2,115) (10,700) 
	Financial instruments held at amortised cost:		
	Interest Other	23	22
	Investment management expenses, including interest	(531) (531) 12,576	(614) (614) (3,317)
4.	Loss on Ordinary Activities before Taxation  Operating loss is stated after charging:	2022 £	2021 £
	Directors' remuneration Amortisation of Syndicate capacity Loss on disposal of intangible fixed assets Loss on exchange	1,300 - 7,759	2,600 - 757

The Company has no employees and no staff costs are met by the Company.

The Directors are considered to be the key management personnel of the Company.

The auditor charged a fixed fee to Argenta Private Capital Limited of £300 for the provision of the statutory audit.

5.	Taxation	2022 £	2021 £
a.	Analysis of Charge in Year included in the statement of comprehensive	*	<b>.</b>
	income Current tax:		
	UK corporation tax on loss of the year	_	-
	Adjustment in respect of previous period	-	14,334
	,	-	14,334
			,
	Double taxation relief		
			•
		465	<b>522</b>
	Foreign tax	467	523
		467	523
	Total current tax	467	14,857
	Total Current tax	407	14,657
	Deferred tax		
	Origination and reversal of timing differences	(8)	346
	Change in tax rate	•	-
	Prior period adjustments		
	Total deferred tax	(8)	346
	Tax on loss on ordinary activities	459	15,203
b.	Analysis of Charge in Year included in other comprehensive income		
•	Deferred tax	_	
•	Origination and reversal of timing differences	8	(317)
	Effect of change in tax rate on opening liability or asset	-	(30)
	Prior period adjustments Total deferred tax	8	(247)
	Total deterred tax		(347)
c.	Factors affecting tax charge for period		
	The tax assessed for the period is different to the standard rate of corporation to below:	ax in the UK (19%). The diff	erences are explained
	Loss on ordinary activities before tax	(77,412)	(121,849)
	I are an audinam, activities unablinded by standard mate of assessmentian tention		
	Loss on ordinary activities multiplied by standard rate of corporation tax in the UK of 19.00% (2021 – 19.00%)	(14,708)	(23,151)
	Effects of:		
	Change in deferred toy rate	(493)	
	Change in deferred tax rate  Deferred tax asset unrecognised on result for the year	16,059	<u>.</u>
	Foreign tax	467	523
	Expenses and income not deductible for tax purposes	(866)	(196)
	Other corporation computation adjustments for Lloyd's corporate members	0	23,347
	Prior period adjustments	-	14,680
	Other adjustments		<u> </u>
	Total tax charge for the period on ordinary activities	459	15,203

The results of the Company's participation on the 2020, 2021 and 2022 years of account and any calendar year movement on 2019 and prior run-offs, will not be assessed to tax until the year ended 31 December 2023, 2024 and 2025 respectively being the year after the calendar year result of each run-off year or the normal date of closure of each year of account. An increase in the UK corporation tax rate from 19% to 25% was enacted within the Finance Act 2021 and will be effective from 1 April 2023. As a result, the relevant deferred tax balances have been remeasured. Deferred tax expected to reverse in the year to 31 December 2022 has been measured using the effective rate that will apply in UK for the period (19%). Deferred tax expected to reverse in the year to 31 December 2023 has been measured using a rate of 23.5%. For years ending after 31 December 2023, the company has used the new tax rate of 25%.

6.	Intangible Assets				Total £
	Purchased Syndicate Capacity				r
	Cost				
	At 1 January 2022 Additions Disposals				20,282
	At 31 December 2022				20,282
	Amortisation				
	At 1 January 2022 Charge Disposals			_	18,982 1,300
	At 31 December 2022				20,282
	Net Book Value				
	At 31 December 2022			_	-
	At 31 December 2021			_	1,300
7.1	Financial Investments  Other financial investments – Syndicate participation				
		2022 Market Value	2022 Cost price	2021 Market Value	2021 Cost price
	Shares and other variable yield securities and units in unit	£	£	£	£
	trusts  Debt securities and other fixed income securities  Participation in investment pools	92,778 441,152 39,959	12,045 81,330 2,132	120,935 416,503 116,918	121,855 420,088 115,129
	Loans guaranteed by mortgage Other investments Other loans Deposits with credit institutions	1,555 397 2,877 42	297 - -	1,396 6 3,580 311	1,388 - 3,150 311
	Overseas deposits as investments	6,834	1,633	4,919	4,918
	-	585,594	97,437	664,568	666,839
	Other financial investments - Corporate				
	Shares and other variable yield securities and units in unit trusts  Debt securities and other fixed income securities  Other investments	190,771 - -	_	257,274	
	-	190,771	_	257,274	

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.2 Debtors

	S.m.diaaka		2022	Condinate		2021
	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £
Amounts falling due within one year: Arising out of direct	·					
insurance operations Arising out of	156,239	-	156,239	180,965	-	180,965
reinsurance operations Other Debtors: Amounts due from group undertakings	252,609	-	252,609	189,184	-	189,184
Other	234,524	70,847	305,371	148,118	70,846	218,964
Total Amounts falling due within one year	643,372	70,847	714,219	518,267	70,846	589,113
Amounts falling due after one year: Arising out of direct						
insurance operations Arising out of	589	-	589	521	-	521
reinsurance operations Other Debtors: Amounts due from	53,152	•	53,152	64,852	-	64,852
group undertakings	-	-	. 250	-	-	-
Other Total Amounts falling	1,350	<del>-</del>	1,350	1,837	•	1,837
due after one year	55,091	•	55,091	67,210	-	67,210
	698,463	70,847	769,310	585,477	70,846	656,323

## 7.3 Funds at Lloyd's

The amount of Funds at Lloyd's is represented in the statement of financial position as:

			2022			2021
	Syndicate			Syndicate		
	Participation	Corporate	Total	<b>Participation</b>	Corporate	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Cash	-	38	38	-	3,990	3,990
Investments	-	169,871	169,871	-	236,374	236,374
		169,909	169,909	-	240,364	240,364

Funds at Lloyd's represents assets deposited with the Corporation of Lloyd's (Lloyd's) to support the Company's underwriting activities as described in the Accounting Policies. The Company has entered into a Lloyd's Deposit Trust Deed which gives Lloyd's the right to apply these monies in settlement of any claims arising from the participation on the Syndicates. These monies can only be released from the provision of this Deed with Lloyd's express permission and only in circumstances where the amounts are either replaced by an equivalent asset, or after the expiration of the Company's liabilities in respect of its underwriting.

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.4 Creditors

	6 4		2022 .	G 11 4:		2021
	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Total £
	£	L	ı.	ı.	T	ı.
Amounts falling due within one year: Arising out of direct						
insurance operations Arising out of	17,092	-	17,092	56,509	-	56,509
reinsurance operations Amounts owed to credit	261,017	-	261,017	169,665	-	169,665
institutions Other creditors:	-	-	-	•	-	-
Corporation tax Directors' loan accounts	-	626,721	626,721	-	- 613,051	613,051
Third party funds Other creditors	14,365	96,988	111,353	25,874	17,108	42,982
Amount due to group undertakings	-	<u>-</u>	-		-	
Total Amounts falling due within one year	292,474	723,709	1,016,183	252,048	630,159	882,207
Amounts falling due						
after one year:						
Arising out of direct insurance operations Arising out of	-	-	-	-	-	-
reinsurance operations Amounts owed to credit	77,973	-	77,973	150,399	-	150,399
institutions Other creditors:	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporation tax	-	-	-	-	<del>-</del> ,	-
Directors' loan accounts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Third party funds	- 070	-	070	- 022	-	022
Other creditors Amount due to group undertakings	979	-	979	932	-	932
Total Amounts falling						
due after one year	78,952	-	78,952	151,331	-	151,331
	371,426	723,709	1,095,135	403,379	630,159	1,033,538

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.5 Classification of Financial Instruments

The tables below set out the Company's financial instruments by classification.

## $Financial\ instruments-Syndicate\ participation$

	At fair value through	At amortised	2022	At fair value through	At amortised	2021
	profit or loss	cost	Total	profit or loss	cost	Total
	£	£	£	£	. <b>£</b>	£
Financial assets	505 504		505 504			
Investments	585,594	-	585,594	664,568	=	664,568
Deposits with ceding		0.022	0.022		7 200	7.202
undertakings	-	8,033	8,033	-	7,382	7,382
Insurance debtors	•	156,828	156,828	-	181,486	181,486
Reinsurance debtors	-	305,761	305,761	•	254,036	254,036
Other debtors	-	235,874	235,874	-	149,955	149,955
Cash at bank and in hand	-	121,524	121,524	•	121,567	121,567
Other assets	97,802	•	97,802	109,222	-	109,222
	683,396	828,020	1,511,416	773,790	714,426	1,488,216
•	- 005,570	020,020	1,511,110	775,770	711,120	1,100,210
Financial liabilities						
Borrowings	-	_	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial						
instruments	1	-	1	273	-	273
Insurance creditors	-	17,092	17,092	-	56,509	56,509
Reinsurance creditors	-	338,990	338,990	-	320,064	320,064
Amounts owed to credit		,	,		,	,;
institutions	_	-	_	-	_	
Other creditors	-	15,344	15,344	-	26,806	26,806
	1	371,426	371,427	273	403,379	403,652

## Financial instruments - Corporate

			2022			2021
	At fair value through profit or loss	At amortised cost £	Total £	At fair value through profit or loss £	At amortised cost	Total £
Financial assets						
Investments	190,771	-	190,771	257,274	-	257,274
Other debtors	-	70,847	70,847	-	70,846	70,846
Cash at bank and in hand	-	38	38	· <u>-</u>	3,990	3,990
Other assets	-	•	-	-	-	-
-	190,771	70,885	261,656	257,274	74,836	332,110
Financial liabilities						
Other creditors	•	723,709	723,709	-	630,159	630,159
-	<u> </u>	723,709	723,709	-	630,159	630,159

#### 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

#### 7.5 Classification of Financial Instruments (continued)

The table below sets out details of the Company's derivative financial instruments.

		2022		2021
	Notional amount £	Fair value £	Notional amount £	Fair value £
Foreign exchange forward contracts Interest rate future contracts Foreign exchange options Equity options	12,494 25,765 -	268 129 -	38,230 13,178 -	38 (32)
Foreign exchange contract for difference Other	<u> </u>	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
	38,259	397	51,408	6

#### 7.6 Financial Instruments held at fair value through profit or loss

The assets and liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss have been categorised between the three levels of the fair value hierarchy that reflects the observability and significance of inputs used when establishing the fair value. The categorisation of these instruments is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

Level (a) in the fair value hierarchy consists of assets and liabilities valued using unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. An active market for the asset or liability is a market in which transactions for the asset or liability occur with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an on-going basis.

Level (b) in the fair value hierarchy consists of assets and liabilities that do not have directly quoted market prices available from active markets. Instead the price of a recent transaction for an identical asset or liability is used, provided that there has not been a significant change in economic circumstances or a significant lapse of time since the recent transaction.

Level (c) in the fair value hierarchy consists of those types of assets and liabilities for which fair values cannot be obtained directly from quoted market prices in active markets or in a recent transaction. These assets and liabilities are measured using a valuation technique to estimate what the transaction price would have been in an arm's length transaction.

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.6 Financial Instruments held at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

The tables below set out Company's financial instruments held at fair value through profit or loss by level of hierarchy.

## Financial instruments - Syndicate participation

	Level (a)	Level (b)	Level (c)	Fair value total	Held at amortised cost	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
2022		•				
Financial assets Shares and other variable yield securities and units						
in unit trusts Debt securities and other	62,729	15,830	14,219	92,778	-	92,778
fixed income securities Participation in	73,383	367,769	-	441,152	-	441,152
investment pools Loans and deposits with	22,081	17,878	-	39,959	-	39,959
credit institutions	2,919	-	1,555	4,474	-	4,474
Overseas deposits	15,915	88,721	-	104,636	-	104,636
Derivatives .	125	272	-	397	-	397
Other investments	-	-	-	-		-
Financial assets classified					•	
as held for sale	-	-	-	-	-	-
	177,152	490,470	15,774	683,396	•	683,396
Financial liabilities						
Borrowings	-	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative liabilities Financial liabilities	-	I	-	l	•	I
classified as held for sale	-	-	-	•	-	-
	•	1	•	1	-	1

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.6 Financial Instruments held at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

Financial instruments - Syndicate participation (continued)

Property   Property		Level (a)	Level (b)	Level (c)	Fair value total £	Held at amortised cost £	Total £
Financial assets   Shares and other variable yield securities and units in unit trusts   56,861   49,520   14,554   120,935   120,935   Debt securities and other fixed income securities   97,315   319,063   125   416,503   416,503   416,503   Participation in investment pools   95,192   21,726   - 116,918   116,918   Loans and deposits with credit institutions   3,891   - 1,396   5,287   - 5,287   5,287   Overseas deposits   17,284   96,857   - 141,141   114,141   Derivatives   6   -	2021	L	ı	ı.	T.	Z.	ı.
Debt securities and other fixed income securities	Financial assets Shares and other variable						
Participation in investment pools 95,192 21,726 - 116,918 - 116,918  Loans and deposits with credit institutions 3,891 - 1,396 5,287 - 5,287  Overseas deposits 17,284 96,857 - 114,141 - 114,141  Derivatives 6 6 - 6  Other investments 6  Other investments		56,861	49,520	14,554	120,935	-	120,935
Loans and deposits with credit institutions   3,891   -   1,396   5,287   -   5,287		97,315	319,063	125	416,503	-	416,503
Overseas deposits         17,284         96,857         - 114,141         - 114,141         - 114,141           Derivatives         6         - 7         - 7 <td></td> <td>95,192</td> <td>21,726</td> <td>•</td> <td>116,918</td> <td>-</td> <td>116,918</td>		95,192	21,726	•	116,918	-	116,918
Derivatives	credit institutions	3,891	-	1,396	5,287	_	5,287
Other investments         -	Overseas deposits	17,284	96,857	-	114,141	-	114,141
Financial assets classified as held for sale		6	-	-	6	-	6
270,549   487,166   16,075   773,790   - 773,790	Financial assets classified	-	-	-	-	-	-
Financial liabilities Borrowings	as held for sale	•	-	-	-	•	-
Borrowings	<del></del>	270,549	487,166	16,075	773,790	•	773,790
Derivative liabilities 225 48 - 273 - 273 Financial liabilities classified as held for sale		_	_	_	_	_	_
classified as held for sale	Derivative liabilities	225	48	-	273	- -	273
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	_	225	48	-	273	•	273

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	Level (a)	Level (b)	Level (c)	Fair value total £	Held at amortised cost £	Total £
2022	-	-	_	_	_	_
Financial assets						
Shares and other variable						
yield securities and units	100 771			100 771		100 771
in unit trusts  Debt securities and other	190,771	-	-	190,771	•	190,771
fixed income securities	_	_	_	_	_	_
Other investments	-	-	=	-	-	-
_	190,771		-	190,771	-	190,771

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.6 Financial Instruments held at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

Financial instruments - Corporate (continued)

	Level (a) £	Level (b)	Level (c)	Fair value total £	Held at amortised cost £	Total £
2021	-	-	_	_	_	
Financial assets						
Shares and other variable						
yield securities and units						
in unit trusts	257,274	-	-	257,274	-	257,274
Debt securities and other	•					
fixed income securities	-	•	-	-	•	-
Other investments	-	•	-	. =	-	-
_	257,274	-	-	257,274		257,274

#### 7.7 Financial Risk Management

The Company is a financial institution and therefore provides the following disclosures in respect of the financial instruments it holds.

The Company is exposed to the following financial risks in the course of its operating and financing activities:

- Credit risk
- Liquidity risk
- Interest rate risk
- Equity price risk; and
- Currency risk

The management and control of each Syndicate is carried out by the managing agent of that Syndicate, and the Company looks to the managing agent to implement appropriate policies, procedures and internal controls to manage each Syndicate, including those in respect of financial risk management. The following qualitative risk management disclosures made by the Directors therefore relate to the Corporate activity only. The quantitative disclosures are made in respect of both the Corporate activity and the Syndicates' activities.

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

#### i. Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to the Company's financial instruments will cause a loss to the Company through failure to perform its obligations. The key areas of exposure to credit risk for the Company result through its reinsurance programme, investments, bank deposits and policyholder receivables.

The Company manages credit risk at the Corporate level by ensuring that investments and cash and cash equivalent deposits are placed only with highly rated credit institutions. At the Corporate level the Company did not hold any collateral as security against its receivables, or have any other credit enhancements at the reporting dates.

The carrying amount of the Company's financial assets represents the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk.

The tables below show the credit quality of financial assets that are neither past due nor impaired. The Syndicates have excluded insurance and other debtors from the table as these are generally not rated.

Syndicate participation	AAA £	AA £	A £	BBB or lower £	Not rated £	Total £
2022	T.	T.	T.	æ	a.	ı.
Shares and other variable						
yield securities and units						
in unit trusts	43,870	8,462	12,406	266	27,774	92,778
Debt securities and other	15,070	0,102	.2,.00	200	27,777	72,770
fixed income securities	195,524	63,818	149,748	31,921	141	441,152
Participation in	.,,,,,,	03,0.0	, ,	21,721		,
investment pools	10,848	24,870	2,533	1,708		39,959
Loans secured with credit	,	2 1,0 1 0	_,	-,		**,***
institutions	2,877	_	_	-	1,555	4,432
Deposits with credit	_,				,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	.,
institutions	-	-	42	-	-	42
Overseas deposits	48,467	12,125	6,447	20,873	16,724	104,636
Derivative investments	125	-	-	-	272	397
Other investments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits with ceding						
undertakings	17	-	7,951	-	65	8,033
Reinsurers share of						
claims outstanding	1,488	83,440	470,818	933	22,180	578,859
Cash at bank and in hand	134	162	121,228	-	-	121,524
	303,350	192,877	771,173	55,701	68,711	1,391,812

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

Syndicate participation	AAA	AA £	A £	BBB or lower	Not rated	Total £
2021	T.	ı.	<i>3.</i>	£	T	T.
Shares and other variable						
yield securities and units						
in unit trusts	31,663	15,987	45,831	978	26,476	120,935
Debt securities and other	·	•			,	·
fixed income securities	83,525	189,229	106,999	34,693	2,057	416,503
Participation in						
investment pools	9,735	102,519	2,455	2,078	131	116,918
Loans secured with credit						
institutions	3,580	-	-	-	1,396	4,976
Deposits with credit						
institutions	-	-	311	-	<b>-</b> ,	311
Overseas deposits	51,768	14,571	10,227	27,644	9,931	114,141
Derivative investments	-	-	-	4	2	6
Other investments	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits with ceding						
undertakings	124	-	7,195	-	63	7,382
Reinsurers share of						
claims outstanding	-	116,367	451,142	1,249	26,496	595,254
Cash at bank and in hand	1,044	536	119,913	-	74	121,567
	181,439	439,209	744,073	66,646	66,626	1,497,993

The tables below show the financial assets that are neither due nor impaired, past their due date or impaired:

Syndicate participation	Financial assets that are	Financi	Financial assets that			
	neither due	Up to 3 months	Between 3 and 6 months	Between 6 months and 1 year	Greater than 1 year %	have been impaired %
2022						
Other financial						
investments	100	-	-	-	-	-
Deposits with ceding						
undertakings	100	-	-	•	•	-
Reinsurers share of						
claims outstanding	100	-	-	•	-	-
Reinsurance debtors	19	72	5	4	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand	100	-	-	-	-	-
Insurance debtors	93	3	1	2	1	-
Other	100	-	-	-	-	-

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

Syndicate participation	Financial Financial assets that are past due but not impaired assets that are Between					Financial assets that
	neither due nor impaired	Up to 3 months	Between 3 and 6 months	6 months and 1 year	Greater than 1 year	have been impaired
	%	%	%	%	%	%
2021						
Other financial						
investments	100	-	-	•	-	-
Deposits with ceding						
undertakings	100	-	-	-	•	-
Reinsurers share of						
claims outstanding	100	-	•	-	-	-
Reinsurance debtors	100	-	•	-	-	•
Cash at bank and in hand	21	-	73	4	2	-
Insurance debtors	100	-	-	-	-	-
Other debtors	90	-	4	1	3	2

At the Corporate level the Company is not exposed to significant credit risk. Consequently a sensitivity analysis for credit risk has not been presented for the Corporate activity.

## ii. Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial instruments.

At the Corporate level the Company manages liquidity by continuously monitoring forecast and actual cash flows, and by matching the maturity profiles of assets and liabilities.

The following tables detail the Company's remaining contractual maturity for its financial liabilities. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date of which the Company can be required to pay.

Syndicate participation	No stated maturity	Less than 1 year	1 to 3 years	3 to 5 years	Greater than 5 years	Total
2022	•	<b>د</b>	~	~	~	•
Derivative financial						
instruments	-	1		-	-	1
Deposits received from						
reinsurers	-	-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for other risks						
and charges	-	-	-	-	-	-
Claims outstanding	-	653,312	626,421	224,547	167,171	1,671,451
Creditors	1,518	289,333	78,615	-	•	369,466
Other	-	-	•	-	-	-
	1,518	942,646	705,036	224,547	167,171	2,040,918

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

#### 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

Syndicate participation	No stated maturity	Less than 1 year	1 to 3 years	3 to 5 years	Greater than 5 years	Total
2021	ı	ı	ı	I	£	ı
Derivative financial						
instruments	-	273	•	-	-	273
Deposits received from						
reinsurers	-	543	-	-	•	543
Provisions for other risks						
and charges	-	-	-	-	-	•
Claims outstanding	-	644,966	621,407	244,378	214,945	1,725,696
Creditors	1,545	249,819	151,083	-	•	402,447
Other	•	-	-	-	•	-
<u></u>	1,545	895,601	772,490	244,378	214,945	2,128,959

At the Corporate level the Company is not exposed to significant liquidity risk. Consequently a maturity profile has not been presented for the Corporate activity.

#### iii. Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates.

The Company is exposed to the risk of interest rate fluctuations in respect of cash and cash equivalents and other interest bearing securities

At the Corporate level the Company manages interest rate risk by maintaining an appropriate mix between fixed and floating rate financial instruments.

The table below shows the impact of changes in interest rates on the profit or loss for the period and on the equity of the Company.

## Syndicate participation

• •	2022	2021	
	£	£	
Impact of 50 basis point increase on profit or loss	(3,375)	(4,055)	
Impact of 50 basis point decrease on profit or loss	3,407	4,087	
Impact of 50 basis point increase on equity	(3,375)	(4,055)	
Impact of 50 basis point decrease on equity	3,407	4,087	

At the Corporate level the Company is not exposed to significant cash flow interest rate risk as all of the financial instruments attract fixed rates of interest. Consequently a sensitivity analysis for interest rate risk has not been presented for the Corporate activity.

## iv. Equity price risk

Equity price risk is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of financial instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market prices.

The Company is exposed to equity price risk in respect of its equity investments.

At the Corporate level the Company manages equity price risk by maintaining an appropriate mix between equity and debt financial instruments, and by spreading the risk on equity investments across a portfolio of investments.

## 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

## 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

The table below shows the impact of changes in equity prices on the profit or loss for the period and on the equity of the Company.

#### Syndicate participation

	2022	2021
	£	£
Impact on profit or loss of 5% increase in Stock Market Prices	-	-
Impact on profit or loss of 5% decrease in Stock Market Prices	•	-
Impact on equity of 5% increase in Stock Market Prices	=	-
Impact on equity of 5% decrease in Stock Market Prices	-	-

At the Corporate level the Company is not exposed to significant cash flow equity price risk. Consequently a sensitivity analysis for equity price risk has not been presented for the Corporate activity.

#### v. Currency risk

The Company holds both assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than sterling, its functional currency. It is therefore exposed to currency risk as the value of the foreign currency assets and liabilities will fluctuate in line with changes in foreign exchange rates.

At the Corporate level the Company manages currency risk by ensuring that exchange rate exposures are managed within approved policy parameters.

The table below considers financial assets and financial liabilities denominated in the currencies of the Company's principal foreign exchange exposures in aggregate.

## Net assets and liabilities

	2022			
	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £
Sterling	(210,308)	(471,479)	(199,872)	(309,243)
United States dollar	(44,774)	-	(53,537)	-
Euro	(21,777)	-	(7,380)	-
Canadian dollar	23,497	-	26,398	-
Australian dollar	18,647	-	10,561	-
Japanese yen	3,920	-	(6,687)	-
Other	23,196	-	21,664	-

#### 7. Financial Instruments and Financial Risk Management (continued)

#### 7.7 Financial Risk Management (continued)

The Company has delegated sole management and control of its underwriting through each Syndicate to the managing agent of the Syndicate and it has further undertaken not to interfere with the exercise of such management and control. The managing agents of the Syndicates are therefore responsible for determining the insurance transactions to be recognised. As such, disclosures in respect of the assumptions and judgements made, and the objectives, policies and processes for managing currency risk arising from assets and liabilities are only presented at the Corporate level in these Financial Statements.

The Company's assets are primarily Funds at Lloyd's to support its underwriting. These are held in various currencies but are all either listed investments or cash. As such, any exchange movement would be accounted for in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

	Corporate Profit and loss					
	31 De	cember 2022	31 December 2021			
	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease		
Effect of sterling exchange movement by 10%	£	£	£	£		
United States dollar	•	-	-	-		
Euro	-	•	-	-		
Canadian dollar	-	-	-	-		
Australian dollar	-	-	-	-		
Japanese yen	-	-	-	-		
Other	-	-	-	-		

#### 7.8 Capital Management

#### Lloyd's capital setting process

In order to meet Lloyd's requirements, each Syndicate is required to calculate its Standard Capital Requirement ("SCR") for the prospective underwriting year. This amount must be sufficient to cover a 1 in 200 year loss, reflecting uncertainty in the ultimate run-off of underwriting liabilities (SCR "to ultimate"). The Syndicate must also calculate its SCR at the same confidence level but reflecting uncertainty over a one year time horizon (one year SCR) for Lloyd's to use in meeting Solvency II requirements. The SCRs of each Syndicate are subject to review by Lloyd's and approval by the Lloyd's Capital and Planning Group.

Each Syndicate member is liable for its own share of underwriting liabilities on the Syndicate on which it participates but not other members' shares.

Accordingly, the capital requirement that Lloyd's sets for each member operates on a similar basis. Each member's SCR shall thus be determined by the sum of the member's share of the Syndicate SCR "to ultimate".

Over and above this, Lloyd's applies a capital uplift to the member's capital requirement, the ECA. The purpose of this uplift, which is a Lloyd's requirement and not a Solvency II requirement, is to meet Lloyd's financial strength, licence and ratings objectives.

The Funds at Lloyd's represent the capital which allows the Company to participate on the Syndicates. Refer to Note 7.3 for further information.

## 8. Insurance Contracts

The following reconciliation shows the movement in the provision for claims outstanding during the year.

		2021				
	Gross provision £	provision asset	Net £	Gross provision £	Reinsurance asset £	Net £
At 1 January	1,725,696	595,254	1,130,442	1,691,778	505,813	1,185,965
Movements in the year	(61,677)	5,473	(67,150)	20,341	88,149	(67,808)
Other movements	7,432	(21,868)	29,300	13,577	1,292	12,285
At 31 December	1,671,451	578,859	1,092,592	1,725,696	595,254	1,130,442

The following reconciliation shows the movement in the provision for unearned premium during the year.

	2022					
	Gross provision £	Reinsurance asset £	Net £	Gross provision £	Reinsurance asset £	Net £
At I January	276,141	56,272	219,869	557,948	110,231	447,717
Movements in the year	(37,162)	(15,341)	(21,821)	(278,336)	(52,809)	(225,527)
Other movements	27,024	6,816	20,208	(3,471)	(1,150)	(2,321)
At 31 December	266,003	47,747	218,256	276,141	56,272	219,869

The following reconciliation shows the movement in deferred acquisition costs during the year.

	2022 £	2021 £
At I January	77,432	159,385
Movements in the year	(16,552)	(80,732)
Other movements	5,521	(1,221)
At 31 December	66,401	77,432

The other movements category includes exchange differences and the movements attributable to RITC.

## 8.1 Risks arising from Insurance Contracts

The Company has delegated sole management and control of its underwriting through each Syndicate to the managing agent of the Syndicate and it has further undertaken not to interfere with the exercise of such management and control. The managing agents of the Syndicates are therefore responsible for determining the insurance transactions to be recognised. As such, disclosures in respect of the assumptions and judgements made, and the objectives, policies and processes for managing risk arising from insurance contracts, are not presented in these Financial Statements.

The development of insurance liabilities provides a measure of the managing agent's ability to estimate the ultimate value of claims. The top half of each table below illustrates how the estimate of total claims outstanding for each accident year has changed at successive year ends. The bottom half of the table reconciles the cumulative claims to the amount appearing in the Statement of Financial Position.

## 8. Insurance Contracts (continued)

## 8.1 Risks arising from Insurance Contracts (continued)

## Claims development - gross

	At end of reporting year	One year later	Two years later	Three years later	Four years later	Five years later	Six years later	Seven years later
2013	177,092	294,692	310,071	302,541	300,117	299,000	296,166	295,699
2014	146,545	274,113	307,903	295,591	302,959	301,937	310,782	318,018
2015	138,822	297,433	365,642	367,618	372,529	390,797	398,221	406,977
2016	176,407	392,661	478,908	514,803	529,100	564,541	570,412	
2017	470,375	700,211	807,412	843,012	874,150	906,176		
2018	354,769	657,874	820,430	872,453	915,400			
2019	287,256	653,277	751,977	750,168	•			
2020	410,162	690,002	723,926	,	•			
2021	203,186	333,015						
2022	245,412							
	Eight years later	Nine years later	Cumulative payments to date	Estimated balance to pay	Reserve strengthening/ (reduction) in subsequent 12 months			
2012 & p	rior			40,955				
2013	295,978	295,066	284,861	10,205	(36,419)			
2014	323,233	•	286,431	36,802	(78,731)			
2015	•		355,941	51,036	(76,874)			
2016			476,365	94,047	(94,116)			
2017			728,659	177,517	(89,844)			
2018			663,618	251,782	(13,234)			
2019			471,625	278,543	(16,235)			
2020			407,243	316,683				
2021			124,417	208,598				
2022			40,129	205,283				
			- -	1,671,451				

## Claims development - net

	At end of reporting year	One year later	Two years later	Three years later	Four years later	Five years later	Six years later	Seven years later
2013	163,798	275,048	288,753	283,984	280,424	280,361	278,327	278,420
2014	133,624	249,681	280,886	274,458	278,682	277,658	280,086	282,883
2015	117,128	263,163	320,904	321,663	326,485	335,138	333,939	338,265
2016	156,938	324,978	400,710	424,692	435,803	456,012	460,279	
2017	324,885	535,621	622,323	645,757	662,053	672,031		
2018	281,879	498,625	611,051	644,746	665,861			
2019	223,029	501,345	585,173	589,520	ŕ			
2020	302,281	484,400	517,434					
2021	151,052	249,524	,					
2022	183,677	,						

## 8. Insurance Contracts (continued)

## 8.1 Risks arising from Insurance Contracts (continued)

## Claims development - net (continued)

	Eight years later	Nine years later	Cumulative payments to date	Estimated balance to pay	Reserve strengthening/ (reduction) in subsequent 12 months
2012 & prior	r			19,766	
2013	278,179	278,114	269,297	8,817	(32,362)
2014	284,697		265,969	18,728	(58,329)
2015			313,545	24,720	(71,300)
2016			403,401	56,878	(109,559)
2017			557,826	114,205	(114,937)
2018			517,783	148,078	(44,891)
2019			374,448	215,072	(16,063)
2020			318,233	199,201	
2021			107,759	141,765	
2022			38,315	145,362	
			_	1,092,592	

#### Sensitivity analysis

The amounts carried by the Company arising from insurance contracts are sensitive to various factors as follows:

- a 5% increase/decrease in the managing agents' calculation of gross claims reserves will decrease/increase the Company's pre-tax profit/loss by £83,573 (2021: £86,285);
- a 5% increase/decrease in the managing agents' calculation of net claims reserves will decrease/increase the Company's pre-tax profit/loss by £54,630 (2021: £56,522).

The 5% movement has been selected to give an indication of the possible variations in the assumptions used.

## 9. Called-up Share Capital

	Number of shares						
Issued and fully paid	Redeemed						
		Issued during	during the	At 31			
Par value per share	At 1 January	the year	year	December			
5,000 Ordinary 25p shares	5,000	-	-	5,000			
Total	5,000	-	-	5,000			

The Ordinary 25p shares each hold one voting right. There are no restrictions on the distribution of dividends and the repayments of capital.

## 10. Profit and Loss Account

	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	2022 Total	Syndicate Participation £	Corporate £	2021 Total £
Retained loss brought forward	(193,526)	(309,193)	(502,719)	(244,885)	(121,243)	(366,128)
Reallocate distribution Loss for the financial	146,858	(146,858)	-	109,517	(109,517)	-
year Equity dividends	(65,655) -	(16,678)	(82,333)	(58,158) -	(78,433)	(136,591)
Retained loss carried forward	(112,323)	(472,729)	(585,052)	(193,526)	(309,193)	(502,719)

## 11. Deferred Tax

			Claims		2022
	Syndicate Results	Tax losses	Equalisation Reserve	Other	Total
	£	£	£	£	£
At 1 January	-	-	-	-	-
Movement in year	-	-	-	-	-
Movement in the year - OCI	-	-	-	-	-
At 31 December	-	-			<u> </u>

	Syndicate Results	Tax losses	Claims Equalisation Reserve	Other	2021 Total
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At I January	-	-	4,330	-	4,330
Movement in the year	-	_	(4,330)	-	(4,330)
Movement in the year - OCI	-	-	-	-	
At 31 December	-	-		-	

The unused tax losses carried forward at the Statement of Financial Position date are £Nil. Unused tax losses are expected to be recoverable against the future profits of the Company and have no expiry date.

The deferred tax balance consists of timing differences relating to the taxation of underwriting results. Deferred tax assets are shown within other debtors (Note 7.2).

The deferred tax expected to unwind within one year is £Nil. The deferred tax expected to unwind over one year is £Nil.

## 12. Related Party Disclosure

During the year the Directors made loans to and from the Company. At the Balance Sheet date the amount due (to)/from the Company was £626,721 (2021: £613,051).

The Company has made loans to Melianthus Limited of £50,913 (2021: £50,913) and Zakari Investments Limited of £20,031 (2021: £20,031). Mr M G H Heald is registered as a person of significant control in both of these companies.

Any related party loans and balances do not attract interest and are repayable on demand.

## 13. Ultimate Controlling Party

The Company is controlled by Mrs L J F Heald who holds 55% of the issued £1,250 ordinary share capital.

## 14. Post Balance Sheet Event Note

There are no post balance sheet events to be disclosed.