

Business Summary

Including Financials as of December 31, 2014

(All financials are from Alleghany Corporation's SEC filings unless otherwise noted)

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Your decision to do business with us, to place your trust in us, is based on your need for a partner with:

A Strong Business

A Solid Investment Portfolio

A Positive Reputation

A Stable Ownership Structure

A Complete Suite Of Products

A Worldwide Network Of Local Support

A Singular Focus On Reinsurance



BALANCE SHEET (\$m)

Assets	Dec 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Investments		
Available for sale securities at fair value:		
Equity securities	\$1,377	\$1,158
Debt securities	11,730	12,027
Short-term investments	308	658
	13,415	13,843
Other Invested assets	373	283
Total investments	13,788	14,126
Cash	492	379
Reinsurance recoverables	517	475
Goodwill and intangible assets	40	31
All other assets	1,641	1,549
Total assets	\$16,478	\$16,560

Liabilities & Stockholders' Equity	Dec 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013
Loss and loss adjustment expenses	\$9,131	\$9,473
Unearned premiums	1,132	1,067
Senior notes	770	1,096
All other liabilities	315	438
Total liabilities	11,348	12,074
Total stockholders' equity	5,130	4,486
Total liabilities & stockholders' equity	\$16,478	\$16,560

CONSOLIDATED UNDERWRITING RESULTS (\$m)

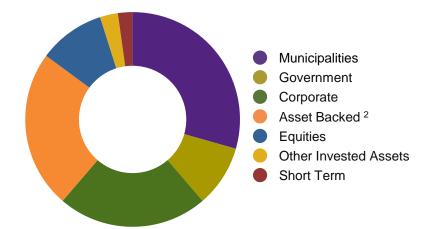
2014	Property	Casualty & Other	Total
Premiums written:			
Gross	\$1,205	\$2,395	\$3,600
Net	1,073	2,337	3,410
Net premiums earned	1,049	2,282	3,331
Net loss and LAE:			
Current year (ex catastrophes)	(449)	(1,595)	(2,044)
Current year catastrophe losses	(47)	-	(47)
Prior years	73	109	182
Total net loss and LAE	(423)	(1,486)	(1,909)
Commissions, brokerage and other underwriting expenses	(320)	(757)	(1,077)
Underwriting profit	\$306	\$39	345
Net investment income			326
Net realized capital gains			154
OTTI losses			(18)
Other income			3
Other operating expenses			(55)
Amortization of intangible assets			9
Interest expense Earnings before income taxes		-	(47) \$717
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Ratios	Property	Casualty & Other	Total
Net Loss and LAE:			
Current year (ex catastrophe)	42.9%	69.9%	61.4%
Current year catastrophe losses	4.5%	0.0%	1.4%
Prior years	(7.0%)	(4.8%)	(5.5%)
	40.4%	65.1%	57.3%
Expense	30.5%	33.2%	32.3%
Combined	70.9%	98.3%	89.6%

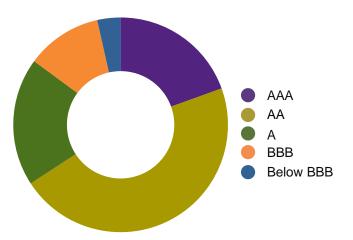
We Have - A Solid Investment Portfolio



INVESTMENT PROFILE¹



FIXED MATURITY RATINGS¹



- Conservative, diversified portfolio
- Primary focus liquid, investment-grade fixed maturity securities
- Objectives
 - Preserve capital
 - Increase surplus
 - Maintain liquidity
 - Optimize after-tax investment income
 - Total rate of return to exceed benchmark
- Fixed Maturity Portfolio
 - Average credit rating: AA-
 - Rated A- or better: 85.1%
 - Munis Rated A- or Better: 99.9%

We Have - A Stable Ownership Structure



COMPANIES



BUSINESS UNITS



Alleghany

- Founded in 1929: NYSE listed: Y
- Seeks to "create stockholder value through the ownership and management of a small group of operating subsidiaries and investments, anchored by a core position in property and casualty reinsurance and insurance"
- Other insurance operating subsidiaries:
 RSUI Group US based specialty insurer
 CapSpecialty US based insurer
 Pacific Comp US based insurer

AGENCY RATINGS

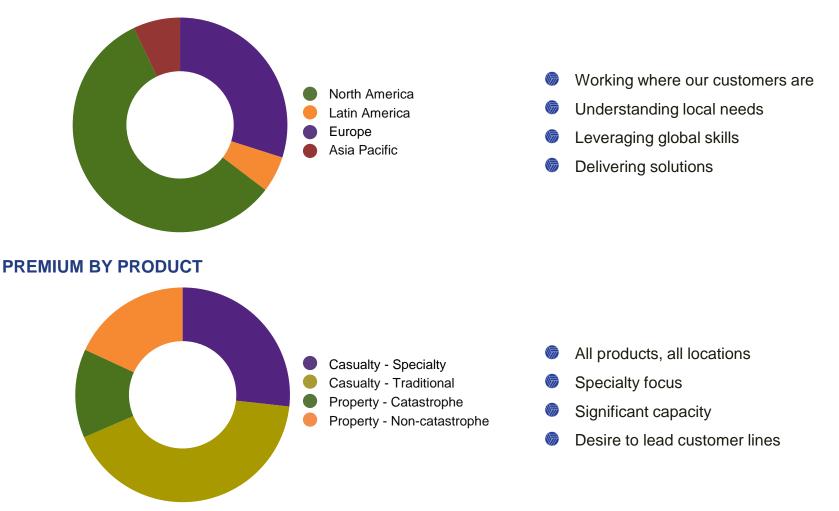
	Financial Strength Rating	Outlook
Standard & Poor's	A+	Stable
A. M. Best	A (Excellent)	Positive
Moody's	A1	Stable

- well diversified mix of business'
- 'excellent reputation with brokers and clients'
- 'very strong capital adequacy'
- 'conservative investment portfolio'

We Have - A Complete Product Suite



PREMIUM BY OFFICE



We Have - A Global Network



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A strong reputation takes a long time to build – and a moment to lose.

We know that and are committed to preserving our record of excellence.

We make the same commitment to you that we make to every client:

We are here for you.

We will be here for you.

We are the right risk partner for you.

