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Annual Financial Information

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF RIVERSOURCE LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK AND
THE POLICY OWNERS OF RIVERSOURCE OF NEW YORK ACCOUNT 7

O p i n i o n

We have audited the accompanying statements of assets and liabilities of each of the divisions of RiverSource of New York Account 7, as indicated in Note 1, offered through Salomon Smith Barney LifeVestSM Single Premium Variable Life Insurance Policy, as of December 31, 2023, and the related statements of operations and of changes in net assets for each of the periods indicated in Note 1, including the related notes (collectively referred to as the “financial statements”). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of each of the divisions of RiverSource of New York Account 7 as of December 31, 2023, and the results of each of their operations and the changes in each of their net assets for each of the periods indicated in Note 1 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

B a s e d o n

These financial statements are the responsibility of the RiverSource Life Insurance Co. of New York management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements of each of the divisions of the RiverSource of New York Account 7 based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to each of the divisions of the RiverSource of New York Account 7 in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits of these financial statements in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud.

Assets and Liabilities

December 31, 2023	Col VP Bal, CI 3	Col VP Disciplined Core, CI 3	Col VP Govt Money Mkt, CI 3	Col VP Inter Bond, CI 3	Col VP US Govt Mtge, CI 3
Assets					
Investments, at fair value ^{(1),(2)}	\$339,271	\$602,999	\$70,786	\$24,478	\$14,546
Dividends receivable	—	—	10	—	—
Receivable for share redemptions	485	862	101	35	21
Total assets	339,756	603,861	70,897	24,513	14,567
Liabilities					
Payable to RiverSource Life of NY for:					
Mortality and expense risk fee	161	288	34	11	7
Minimum death benefit guarantee risk charge	108	191	22	8	4
Issue and administrative expense charge	81	144	17	6	4
Mortality charge	135	239	28	10	6
Total liabilities	485	862	101	35	21
Net assets applicable to Variable Life contracts in accumulation period	339,271	602,999	70,796	24,478	14,546
Total net assets	\$339,271	\$602,999	\$70,796	\$24,478	\$14,546
⁽¹⁾ Investment shares	8,040	6,849	70,786	2,846	1,629
⁽²⁾ Investments, at cost	\$117,904	\$141,740	\$70,783	\$29,041	\$16,624

Year ended December 31, 2023	Col VP Bal, CI 3	Col VP Disciplined Core, CI 3	Col VP Govt Money Mkt, CI 3	Col VP Inter Bond, CI 3	Col VP US Govt Mtge, CI 3
Investment income					
Dividend income	\$ —	\$ —	\$3,139	\$520	\$373
Variable account expenses	5,612	9,930	1,253	423	254
Investment income (loss) — net	(5,612)	(9,930)	1,886	97	119
Realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments — net					
Realized gain (loss) on sales of investments:					
Proceeds from sales	5,842	10,214	1,254	423	253
Cost of investments sold	2,228	2,645	1,253	519	298
▶ Net realized gain (loss) on sales of investments	3,614	7,569	1	(96)	(45)
▶ Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	56,352	111,185	(1)	995	441
▶ Net gain (loss) on investments	59,966	118,754	—	899	396
▶ Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$54,354	\$108,824	\$1,886	\$996	\$515

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Year ended December 31, 2022	Col VP Bal, CI 3	Col VP Disciplined Core, CI 3	Col VP Govt Money Mkt, CI 3	Col VP Inter Bond, CI 3	Col VP US Govt Mtge, CI 3
Operations					
Investment income (loss) — net	\$ (5,486)	\$ (9,538)	\$ (443)	\$ 325	\$ 35
▶ Net realized gain (loss) on sales of investments	3,460	7,146	—	(68)	(29)
Distributions from capital gains	—	—	—	17	—
▶ Net change in unrealized appreciation or depreciation of investments	(61,540)	(123,378)	—	(5,491)	(2,637)
▶ Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	(63,566)	(125,770)	(443)	(5,217)	(2,631)
Contract transactions					
Transfers for policy loans	(242)	(304)	—	545	—
Increase (decrease) from transactions	(242)	(304)	—	545	—
▶ Net assets at beginning of year	348,955	620,533	69,353	27,639	16,662
▶ Net assets at end of year	\$285,147	\$ 494,459	\$68,910	\$22,967	\$14,031
Accumulation unit activity					
Units outstanding at beginning of year	122,772	166,029	79,055	17,845	14,938
Units purchased	—	—	—	382	—
Units redeemed	(90)	(86)	—	—	—
Units outstanding at end of year	122,682	165,943	79,055	18,227	14,938

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements

1. ORGANIZATION

Events

Management has evaluated Account related events and transactions that occurred through the date the financial statements were issued. Management noted there were no items requiring adjustments or additional disclosures in the Account's financial statements.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

3. VARIABLE ACCOUNT EXPENSES

For SBS SPVL policies, RiverSource Life of NY deducts a daily mortality and expense risk fee equal, on an annual basis, to 0.60% of the average daily net assets of each subaccount.

For SBS SPVL policies, RiverSource Life of NY also deducts a daily minimum death benefit guarantee risk charge equal, on an annual basis, to 0.40% of the average daily net assets of each subaccount. This charge compensates RiverSource Life of NY for the risk it assumes by providing a guaranteed minimum death benefit.

For SBS SPVL policies, RiverSource Life of NY also deducts a daily charge equal, on an annual basis, to 0.30% of the average daily net assets of each subaccount as an issue and administrative expense charge. This charge compensates RiverSource Life of NY for expenses it incurs in administering the policy, such as the costs of underwriting the policy, conducting any medical examinations, establishing and maintaining records, and providing reports to policy owners.

For SBS SPVL policies, RiverSource Life of NY deducts a mortality charge equal, on an annual basis, to 0.50% of the average daily net assets of each subaccount. Prior to the maturity date of the policy, the death benefit will always be higher than the policy value. This deduction will enable RiverSource Life of NY to pay this additional amount.

4. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

RiverSource Life of NY is a wholly-owned subsidiary of RiverSource Life Insurance Company, which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ameriprise Financial, Inc. (Ameriprise Financial).

The following table reflects fees paid by certain affiliated funds to Ameriprise Financial and its affiliates.

Fee Agreement:	Fees Paid To:
Management Agreement	Columbia Management Investment Advisers, LLC
Shareholder Services Agreement	Columbia Management Investment Services Corp.
Plan and Agreement of Distribution	Columbia Management Investment Distributors, Inc.
Investment Advisory Agreement	Columbia Wanger Asset Management, LLC
Administrative Services Agreement	Columbia Wanger Asset Management, LLC

5. INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS

The divisions' purchases of Funds' shares, including reinvestment of dividend distributions, for the year ended December 31, 2023 were as follows:

Division	Purchases
Col VP Bal, CI 3	\$ —
Col VP Disciplined Core, CI 3	—
Col VP Govt Money Mkt, CI 3	3,136
Col VP Inter Bond, CI 3	1,035
Col VP US Govt Mtge, CI 3	372

6. FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The table below shows certain financial information regarding the divisions.

	At December 31			For the year ended December 31		
	Units (000s)	Accumulation unit value	Net assets (000s)	Investment income ratio ⁽¹⁾	Expense ratio ⁽²⁾	Total return ⁽³⁾
Col VP Bal, CI 3						
2023	123	\$2.77	\$339	—	1.80%	19.07%
2022	123	\$2.32	\$285	—	1.80%	(18.23%)
2021	123	\$2.84	\$349	—	1.80%	12.69%
2020	123	\$2.52	\$310	—	1.80%	15.49%
2019	123	\$2.18	\$269	—	1.80%	20.59%
Col VP Disciplined Core, CI 3						
2023	166	\$3.64	\$603	—	1.80%	22.02%
2022	166	\$2.98	\$494	—	1.80%	(20.28%)
2021	166	\$3.74	\$621	—	1.80%	30.21%
2020	166	\$2.87	\$477	—	1.80%	11.95%
2019	166	\$2.57	\$426	—	1.80%	22.41%
Col VP Govt Money Mkt, CI 3						
2023	79	\$0.90	\$71	4.51%	1.80%	2.74%
2022	79	\$0.87	\$69	1.16%	1.80%	(0.64%)
2021	79	\$0.88	\$69	0.01%	1.80%	(1.76%)
2020	79	\$0.89	\$71	0.24%	1.80%	(1.51%)
2019	79	\$0.91	\$72	1.72%	1.80%	(0.05%)
Col VP Inter Bond, CI 3						
2023	19	\$1.31	\$24	2.22%	1.80%	4.31%
2022	18	\$1.26	\$23	3.12%	1.80%	(18.64%)
2021	18	\$1.55	\$28	3.20%	1.80%	(2.13%)
2020	18	\$1.58	\$28	2.78%	1.80%	10.44%
2019	17	\$1.43	\$25	3.14%	1.80%	7.17%
Col VP US Govt Mtge, CI 3						
2023	15	\$0.97	\$15	2.66%	1.80%	3.67%
2022	15	\$0.94	\$14	2.02%	1.80%	(15.79%)
2021	15	\$1.12	\$17	1.92%	1.80%	(2.83%)
2020	15	\$1.15	\$17	2.50%	1.80%	3.09%
2019	15	\$1.11	\$17	2.65%	1.80%	4.71%

⁽¹⁾ These amounts represent the dividends, excluding distributions of capital gains, received by the division from the underlying fund, net of management fees assessed by the fund manager, divided by the average net assets. These ratios exclude variable account expenses that result in direct reductions in the unit values. The recognition of investment income by the division is affected by the timing of the declaration of dividends by the underlying fund in which the division invests. These ratios are annualized for periods less than one year.

⁽²⁾ These ratios represent the annualized policy expenses of the separate account, consisting primarily of mortality and expense charges, for each period indicated. The ratios include only those expenses that result in a direct reduction to unit values. Charges made directly to policy owner accounts through the redemption of units and expenses of the underlying fund are excluded.

⁽³⁾ These amounts represent the total return for the periods indicated, including changes in the value of the underlying fund, and reflect deductions for all items included in the expense ratio. The total return does not include any expenses assessed through the redemption of units; inclusion of these expenses in the calculation would result in a reduction in the total return presented. Investment options with a date notation indicate the effective date of that investment option in the variable account. The total return is calculated for the period indicated or from the effective date through the end of the reporting period.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

/s/ PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP

Minneapolis, Minnesota

April 19, 2024

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STATEMENTS OF INCOME

(in thousands)

Years Ended December 31,	2023	2022 ⁽¹⁾	2021 ⁽¹⁾
Revenues			
Premiums	\$ 21,413	\$ 16,693	\$ 15,416
Net investment income	84,585	72,209	65,369
Policy and contract charges	123,750	125,296	138,136
Other revenues	22,102	23,617	27,360
Net realized investment gains (losses)	187	(3,452)	11,580
Total revenues	252,037	234,363	257,861
Benefits and Expenses			
Benefits, claims, losses and settlement expenses	48,540	37,994	42,481
Interest credited to fixed accounts	51,609	51,588	47,165
Remeasurement (gains) losses of future policy benefit reserves	2,003	2,225	55
Change in fair value of market risk benefits	45,118	40,393	(8,080)
Amortization of deferred acquisition costs	14,822	15,529	15,974
Other insurance and operating expenses	35,823	34,835	36,639
Total benefits and expenses	197,915	182,564	134,234
Pretax income (loss)	54,122	51,799	123,627
Income tax provision (benefit)	7,555	7,380	23,399
Net income	\$ 46,567	\$ 44,419	\$100,228

⁽¹⁾ Certain prior period amounts have been restated. See Note 3 for more information.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

(in thousands)

Years Ended December 31,	2023	2022 ⁽¹⁾	2021 ⁽¹⁾
Net income	\$46,567	\$ 44,419	\$100,228
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:			
Net unrealized gains (losses) on securities	41,675	(213,461)	(49,020)
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions on certain long-duration contracts	(6,125)	61,911	17,386
Effect of changes in instrument-specific credit risk on market risk benefits	(2,950)	18,837	4,564
Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	32,600	(132,713)	(27,070)
Total comprehensive income (loss)	\$79,167	\$ (88,294)	\$ 73,158

⁽¹⁾ Certain prior period amounts have been restated. See Note 3 for more information.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

STATEMENTS OF SHAREHOLDER'S EQUITY
 (in thousands)

	Common Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Retained Earnings	Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)	Total
Balances at January 1, 2021	\$2,000	\$106,926	\$350,273	\$ 90,117	\$ 549,316
Cumulative effect of adoption of long-duration contracts guidance	—	—	(23,356)	(52,894)	(76,250)
Net income	—	—	100,228	—	100,228
Other comprehensive loss, net of tax	—	—	—	(27,070)	(27,070)
Balances at December 31, 2021^(a)	2,000	106,926	427,145	10,153	546,224
Net income	—	—	44,419	—	44,419
Other comprehensive loss, net of tax	—	—	—	(132,713)	(132,713)
Cash dividends	—	—	—	—	—

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(in thousands)

Years Ended December 31,	2023	2022 ⁽¹⁾	2021 ⁽¹⁾
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			
Net income	\$ 46,567	\$ 44,419	\$ 100,228
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:			
Depreciation, amortization and accretion, net	2,049	2,971	2,903
Deferred income tax (benefit) expense	(1,519)	(4,674)	112
Contractholder and policyholder charges, non-cash	(27,744)	(27,193)	(26,825)
(Gain) loss from equity method investments	(72)	96	(44)
Net realized investment (gains) losses	431	1,918	(11,901)
Impairments and provision for loan losses	(618)	1,534	321
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Deferred acquisition costs	7,105	6,074	1,783
Policyholder account balances, future policy benefits and claims, and market risk benefits, net	(42,580)	(46,805)	(89,204)
Derivatives, net of collateral	(36,844)	(136,006)	93,328
Reinsurance recoverables	(4,765)	(9,928)	(3,151)
Receivables	553	5,261	(5,580)
Accrued investment income	(654)	(1,282)	213
Current income tax, net	(3,253)	3,339	(19,210)
Other, net	4,121	3,254	12,338
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(57,223)	(157,022)	55,311
Cash Flows from Investing Activities			
Available-for-Sale securities:			
Proceeds from sales	902	152,436	15,898
Maturities, sinking fund payments and calls	115,763	229,741	322,473
Purchases	(120,653)	(356,097)	(361,731)
Proceeds from maturities and repayments of mortgage loans	15,195	12,845	18,041
Funding of mortgage loans	(2,626)	(14,299)	(5,700)
Proceeds from sales of other investments	22	—	47
Purchase of other investments	—	(131)	(9)
Change in policy loans, net	(2,824)	1,277	(3,356)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	5,779	25,772	(14,337)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities			
Policyholder account balances:			
Deposits and other additions	105,284	92,918	119,937
Net transfers from (to) separate accounts	(5,907)	(3,275)	(13,581)
Surrenders and other benefits	(132,933)	(90,640)	(91,215)
Proceeds from line of credit with Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	—	—	5,800
Payments on line of credit with Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	—	—	(5,800)
Cash received for purchased options with deferred premiums	10,823	30,753	53,361
Cash paid for purchased options with deferred premiums	(501)	(983)	(1,248)
Cash dividends to RiverSource Life Insurance Company	(50,000)	(63,000)	—
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(73,234)	(34,227)	67,254

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. NATURE OF BUSINESS AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

RiverSource Life Insurance Co. of New York (the “Company”) is a stock life insurance company which is domiciled and holds a Certificate of Authority in the State of New York. The Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of RiverSource Life Insurance Company (“RiverSource Life”), which is domiciled in Minnesota. RiverSource Life is a wholly owned subsidiary of Ameriprise Financial, Inc. (“Ameriprise Financial”). The Company issues insurance and annuity products to customers in the State of New York.

The accompanying financial statements are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”) which vary in certain respects from reporting practices prescribed or permitted by the New York State Department of Financial Services (“New York Department”) (the Company’s primary regulator) as described in Note 15. Certain reclassifications of prior period amounts have been made to conform with the current presentation.

The Company evaluated events or transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date for potential recognition or disclosure through April 19, 2024, the date the financial statements were issued. No subsequent events or transactions requiring recognition or disclosure were identified.

The Company’s principal products are variable annuities, universal life (“UL”) insurance, including indexed universal life (“IUL”) and variable universal life (“VUL”) insurance, which are issued primarily to individuals. Waiver of premium and accidental death benefit riders are generally available with UL products, in addition to other benefit riders. Variable annuity contract purchasers can choose to add an optional guaranteed minimum death benefit (“GMDB”) rider to their contract.

The Company also offers payout annuities, term life insurance and disability income (“DI”) insurance.

The Company’s business is sold through the advisor network of Ameriprise Financial Services, LLC (“AFS”), a subsidiary of Ameriprise Financial. RiverSource Distributors, Inc., a subsidiary of Ameriprise Financial, serves as the principal underwriter and distributor of variable annuity and life insurance products issued by the Company.

Factors the Company considers in determining whether declines in the fair value of fixed maturity securities are due to credit-

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Mortgage loans are placed on nonaccrual status when either the collection of interest or principal has become 90 days past due or

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for any contracts that include an additional liability for death or other insurance benefit. DAC related to life contingent payout annuities are grouped on a calendar-year annual basis for each legal entity for policies issued prior to 2021 and on a quarterly

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factors. The unearned revenue liability is recorded in Other liabilities and the amortization is recorded in Policy and contract charges.

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The Company qualifies as a life insurance company for federal income tax purposes. As such, the Company is subject to the Internal Revenue Code provisions applicable to life insurance companies.

The Company’s taxable income is included in the consolidated federal income tax return of Ameriprise Financial. The Company provides for income taxes on a separate return basis, except that, under an agreement between Ameriprise Financial and the Company, tax benefits are recognized for losses to the extent they can be used in the consolidated return. It is the policy of Ameriprise Financial that it will reimburse its subsidiaries for any tax benefits recorded. The controlled group for which the Company is a member is an applicable corporation with regard to the corporate alternative minimum tax (“CAMT”) and is therefore required to compute the CAMT. In accordance with the tax sharing agreement, Ameriprise Financial will be liable for any CAMT liability and expense.

The Company’s provision for income taxes represents the net amount of income taxes that the Company expects to pay or to receive from various taxing jurisdictions in connection with its operations. The Company provides for income taxes based on amounts that the Company believes it will ultimately owe taking into account the recognition and measurement for uncertain tax positions. Inherent in the provision for income taxes are estimates and judgments regarding the tax treatment of certain items.

In connection with the provision for income taxes, the financial statements reflect certain amounts related to deferred tax assets and liabilities, which result from temporary differences between the assets and liabilities measured for financial statement purposes versus the assets and liabilities measured for tax return purposes.

The Company is required to establish a valuation allowance for any portion of its deferred tax assets that management believes will not be realized. Significant judgment is required in determining if a valuation allowance should be established and the amount of such allowance if required. Factors used in making this determination include estimates relating to the performance of the business. Consideration is given to, among other things in making this determination: (i) future taxable income exclusive of reversing temporary differences and carryforwards; (ii) future reversals of existing taxable temporary differences; (iii) taxable income in prior carryback years; and (iv) tax planning strategies. Management may need to identify and implement appropriate planning strategies to ensure its ability to realize deferred tax assets and reduce the likelihood of the establishment of a valuation allowance with respect to such assets. See Note 19 for additional information on the Company’s valuation allowance.

Changes in tax rates and tax law are accounted for in the period of enactment. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are adjusted for the effect of a change in tax laws or rates and the effect is included in net income.

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Premiums on traditional life, DI and LTC insurance products and life contingent payout annuities are net of reinsurance ceded and are recognized as revenue when due.

Interest income is accrued as earned using the effective interest method, which makes an adjustment of the yield for security premiums and discounts on all performing fixed maturity securities classified as Available-for-Sale so that the related security or loan recognizes a constant rate of return on the outstanding balance throughout its term. When actual prepayments differ significantly from originally anticipated prepayments, the retrospective effective yield is recalculated to reflect actual payments to date and updated future payment assumptions and a catch-up adjustment is recorded in the current period. In addition, the new effective yield, which reflects anticipated future payments, is used prospectively.

Mortality and expense risk fees are based on a percentage of the fair value of assets held in the Company’s separate accounts and recognized when assessed. Variable annuity guaranteed benefit rider charges, cost of insurance charges on UL and VUL insurance and contract charges (net of reinsurance premiums and cost of reinsurance for UL insurance products) and surrender charges on annuities and UL and VUL insurance are recognized as revenue when assessed.

Realized gains and losses on the sale of securities, other than equity method investments, are recognized using the specific identification method, on a trade date basis.

Fees received under marketing support and distribution services arrangements are recognized as revenue when earned.

See Note 4 for further discussion of accounting policies on revenue from contracts with customers.

3. RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

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In March 2022, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) proposed amendments to ASU 2016-13, *F a a I, m . C L . . . : M a m C L . . . F a a I, m .* (“Topic 326”). The update removes the recognition and measurement guidance for Troubled Debt Restructurings (“TDRs”) by creditors in Subtopic 310-40,

R a , T D R, C , and modifies the disclosure requirements for certain loan refinancing and restructuring by creditors when a borrower is experiencing financial difficulty. Rather than applying the recognition and measurement for TDRs, an entity must apply the loan refinancing and restructuring guidance to determine whether a modification results in a new loan or a continuation of an existing loan. The update also requires entities to disclose current-period gross write-offs by year of origination for financing receivables and net investments in leases within the scope of Subtopic 326-20, F a a I, m , C L, , M a a Am C. The amendments are to be applied prospectively, but entities may apply a modified retrospective transition for changes to the recognition and measurement of TDRs. For entities that have adopted Topic 326, the amendments are effective for interim and annual periods beginning after December 15, 2022. The Company adopted the standard on January 1, 2023. The adoption of this update did not have an impact on the Company's financial condition and results of operations and modifications to disclosures are immaterial in the current period.

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In August 2018, the FASB updated the accounting standard related to long-duration insurance contracts (ASU 2018-12). The guidance changes elements of the measurement models and disclosure requirements for an insurer's long-duration insurance contract benefits and acquisition costs by expanding the use of fair value accounting to certain contract benefits, requiring updates, if any, and at least annually, to assumptions used to measure liabilities for future policy benefits, changing the

The following table presents the effects of the adoption of the above new accounting standard to the Company's previously reported Statements of Income:

(in thousands)	Years Ended December 31,					
	As Filed 2022	Adjustment	Post-adoption 2022	As Filed 2021	Adjustment	Post-adoption 2021
Revenues						
Policy and contract charges	\$125,459	\$ (163)	\$125,296	\$139,659	\$ (1,523)	\$138,136
Total revenues	234,526	(163)	234,363	259,384	(1,523)	257,861
Benefits and Expenses						
Benefits, claims, losses and settlement expenses	107,180	(69,186)	37,994	84,589	(42,108)	42,481

5. VARIABLE INTEREST ENTITIES

The Company invests in structured investments which are considered variable interest entities (“VIEs”) for which it is not the sponsor. These structured investments typically invest in fixed income instruments and are managed by third parties and include asset backed securities and commercial and residential mortgage backed securities. The Company classifies these investments as Available-for-Sale securities. The Company has determined that it is not the primary beneficiary of these structures due to the size of the Company’s investment in the entities and position in the capital structure of these entities. The Company’s maximum exposure to loss as a result of its investment in these structured investments is limited to its amortized cost. The Company has no obligation to provide financial or other support to the structured investments beyond its investment nor has the Company provided any support to the structured investments. See Note 6 for additional information on these structured investments.

6. INVESTMENTS

A summary of fixed maturity securities by rating was as follows:

Ratings (in thousands, except percentages)	December 31, 2023			December 31, 2022		
	Amortized Cost	Fair Value	Percent of Total Fair Value	Amortized Cost	Fair Value	Percent of Total Fair Value
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The following table presents a rollforward of the allowance for credit losses on Available-for-Sale securities:

(in thousands)	Corporate Debt Securities
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 739
Additional increases (decreases) on securities that had an allowance recorded in a previous period	(104)
Charge-offs	(635)
Balance at December 31, 2021	—
Additions for which credit losses were not previously recorded	572
Balance at December 31, 2022	572
Additions for which credit losses were not previously recorded	365
Reductions for securities sold during the period (realized)	(458)
Additional increases (decreases) on securities that had an allowance recorded in a previous period	(114)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$ 365

Net realized gains and losses on Available-for-Sale securities, determined using the specific identification method, recognized in Net realized investment gains (losses) were as follows:

(in thousands)	Years Ended December 31,		
	2023	2022	2021
Gross realized investment gains	\$ 93	\$ 1,316	\$11,923
Gross realized investment losses	(524)	(3,234)	(9)
Credit reversals (losses)	207	(572)	104
Other impairments	—	(856)	(1,641)
Total	\$(224)	\$(3,346)	\$10,377

For the year ended December 31, 2023, net credit reversals primarily related to the reversal of a previously recorded allowance for credit losses due to the sale of a corporate debt security in the communications industry partially offset by recording an allowance for credit losses of another corporate debt security in the communications industry. For the year ended December 31, 2022, credit losses primarily related to recording an allowance for credit losses on a corporate debt security in the communications industry. For the year ended December 31, 2021, net credit reversals primarily related to decreases in an allowance for credit losses. Other impairments for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021 related to Available-for-Sale securities which the Company intended to sell.

See Note 18 for a rollforward of net unrealized investment gains (losses) included in AOCI.

Available-for-Sale securities by contractual maturity as of December 31, 2023 were as follows:

(in thousands)	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
Due within one year	\$ 34,289	\$ 34,025
Due after one year through five years	174,445	169,312
Due after five years through 10 years	185,592	170,901
Due after 10 years	641,038	637,996
	1,035,364	1,012,234
Residential mortgage backed securities	290,104	252,823
Commercial mortgage backed securities	322,845	289,746
Asset backed securities	31,919	30,738
Total	\$1,680,232	\$1,585,541

Actual maturities may differ from contractual maturities because issuers may have the right to call or prepay obligations. Residential mortgage backed securities, commercial mortgage backed securities and asset backed securities are not due at a single maturity date. As such, these securities were not included in the maturities distribution.

The following is a summary of Net investment income:

(in thousands)	Years Ended December 31,		
	2023	2022	2021
Fixed maturities	\$66,737	\$60,796	\$57,644
Mortgage loans	6,080	6,419	7,223
Other investments	13,384	6,926	2,411
	86,201	74,141	67,278
Less: investment expenses	1,616	1,932	1,909
Total	\$84,585	\$72,209	\$65,369

7. FINANCING RECEIVABLES

Financing receivables are comprised of mortgage loans and policy loans. See Note 2 for information regarding the Company's accounting policies related to financing receivables and the allowance for credit losses.

Allowance for Credit Losses

The following table presents a rollforward of the allowance for credit losses:

(in thousands)	Mortgage Loans
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 2,075
Provisions	(1,216)
Balance at December 31, 2021	859
Provisions	106
Balance at December 31, 2022	965
Provisions	(411)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$ 554

As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, accrued interest on mortgage loans was \$474 thousand and \$516 thousand, respectively, and is recorded in Accrued investment income and excluded from the amortized cost basis of mortgage loans.

Classification

There were no nonperforming loans as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022. All loans were considered to be performing.

Market Risk

The Company reviews the credit worthiness of the borrower and the performance of the underlying properties in order to determine the risk of loss on mortgage loans. Loan-to-value ratio is the primary credit quality indicator included in this review.

Based on this review, the mortgage loans are assigned an internal risk rating, which management updates when credit risk changes. There were no mortgage loans which management has assigned its highest risk rating as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022. Loans with the highest risk rating represent distressed loans which the Company has identified as impaired or expects to become delinquent or enter into foreclosure within the next six months. There were no mortgage loans past due as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022.

The tables below present the amortized cost basis of mortgage loans by year of origination and loan-to-value ratio:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2023						
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	Prior	Total
Loan-to-Value Ratio							
>100%	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
80% – 100%	—	—	—	1,988	—	2,118	4,106
60% – 80%	—	5,810	—	3,671	2,481	7,027	18,989
40% – 60%	—	2,350	2,433	6,546	5,466	30,058	46,853
<40%	1,488	—	2,981	8,651	10,287	52,109	75,516
Total	\$1,488	\$8,160	\$5,414	\$20,856	\$18,234	\$91,312	\$145,464

8. DEFERRED ACQUISITION COSTS AND DEFERRED SALES INDUCEMENT COSTS

The following tables summarize the balances of and changes in DAC, including the January 1, 2021 adoption of ASU 2018-12.

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Universal Life Insurance	Variable Universal Life Insurance	Indexed Universal Life Insurance
Pre-adoption balance at December 31, 2020	\$112,335	\$2,991	\$5,204	\$24,103	\$10,521
Effect of shadow reserve adjustments	2,903	1,551	1,934	3,003	9,774
Post-adoption balance at January 1, 2021	115,238	4,542	7,138	27,106	20,295
Capitalization of acquisition costs	10,349	—	154	2,648	783
Amortization	(10,306)	(394)	(529)	(2,565)	(1,410)
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$115,281	\$4,148	\$6,763	\$27,189	\$19,668

(in thousands)	Other Life Insurance	Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Term and Whole Life Insurance	Disability Income Insurance	Total, All Products
Pre-adoption balance at December 31, 2020	\$ (59)	\$—	\$805	\$6,662	\$162,562
Effect of shadow reserve adjustments	168	—	—	—	19,333
Post-adoption balance at January 1, 2021	109	—	805	6,662	181,895
Capitalization of acquisition costs	—	23	28	206	14,191
Amortization	(11)	(5)	(56)	(698)	(15,974)
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$ 98	\$ 18	\$777	\$6,170	\$180,112

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Universal Life Insurance	Variable Indexed Life Insurance	Indexed Universal Life Insurance
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$115,281	\$4,148	\$6,763	\$27,189	\$19,668
Capitalization of acquisition costs	5,287	—	71	3,152	547
Amortization	(9,648)	(798)	(496)	(2,470)	(1,378)
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$110,920	\$3,350	\$6,338	\$27,871	\$18,837

(in thousands)	Other Life Insurance	Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Term and Whole Life Insurance	Disability Income Insurance	Total, All Products
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$ 98	\$ 18	\$777	\$6,170	\$180,112
Capitalization of acquisition costs	—	87	97	214	9,455
Amortization	(10)	(4)	(60)	(665)	(15,529)
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ 88	\$101	\$814	\$5,719	\$174,038

(in thousands)	Variable Universal Life Annuities	Variable Indexed Universal Life Annuities	Universal Indexed Life Insurance	Variable Universal Life Insurance	Indexed Universal Life Insurance
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$110,920	\$6,350	\$6,338	\$27,871	\$18,837
Capitalization of acquisition costs	3,760	—	21	3,116	88
Amortization	(10,000)	(100)	(21)	(1,166)	(10)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$104,680	\$6,250	\$6,338	\$29,826	\$18,915

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The following tables summarize the balances of and changes in DSIC, including the January 1, 2021 adoption of ASU 2018-12. DSIC are recorded in Other assets.

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Total, All Products
Pre-adoption balance at December 31, 2020	\$7,796	\$ 800	\$8,596
Effect of shadow reserve adjustments	272	552	824
Post-adoption balance at January 1, 2021	8,068	1,352	9,420
Capitalization of sales inducement costs	43	10	53
Amortization	(827)	(154)	(981)
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$7,284	\$1,208	\$8,492

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Total, All Products
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$7,284	\$1,208	\$8,492
Capitalization of sales inducement costs	30	7	37
Amortization	(725)	(209)	(934)
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$6,589	\$1,006	\$7,595

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Total, All Products
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$6,589	\$1,006	\$7,595
Capitalization of sales inducement costs	—	—	—
Amortization	(639)	(235)	(874)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$5,950	\$ 771	\$6,721

9. REINSURANCE

The Company reinsures a portion of its insurance risks through reinsurance agreements with unaffiliated reinsurance companies. Reinsurance contracts do not relieve the Company from its primary obligation to policyholders.

The Company generally reinsures 90% of the death benefit liability for new term life insurance policies beginning in 2002 and new individual UL and VUL insurance policies beginning in 2003. Policies issued prior to these dates are not subject to these same reinsurance levels.

However, for IUL policies issued after September 1, 2013 and VUL policies issued after January 1, 2014, the Company generally reinsures 50% of the death benefit liability.

The maximum amount of life insurance risk the Company will retain is \$10 million on a single life and \$10 million on any flexible premium survivorship life policy; however, reinsurance agreements are in place such that retaining more than \$1.5 million of insurance risk on a single life or a flexible premium survivorship life policy is very unusual. Risk on UL and VUL policies is reinsured on a yearly renewable term basis. Risk on most term life policies starting in 2002 is reinsured on a coinsurance basis, a type of reinsurance in which the reinsurer participates proportionally in all material risks and premiums associated with a policy.

The balances of and changes in policyholder account balances were as follows:

(in thousands, except percentages)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Non-Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Universal Life Insurance
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$267,080	\$730,919	\$27,698	\$ 90,510
Contract deposits	9,736	8,023	4,254	9,224
Policy charges	(554)	(45)	—	(12,393)
Surrenders and other benefits	(30,401)	(88,051)	(7,521)	(3,147)
Net transfer from (to) separate account liabilities	(3,010)	—	—	—
Interest credited	8,205	26,789	621	3,014
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$251,056	\$677,635	\$25,052	\$ 87,208
Weighted-average crediting rate	3.2%	3.9%	/A	3.4%
Net amount at risk	/A	/A	/A	\$592,770
Cash surrender value ⁽¹⁾	\$247,881	\$676,453	/A	\$ 76,809

(in thousands, except percentages)	Variable Universal Life Insurance	Indexed Universal Life Insurance	Other Life Insurance	Total, All Products
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$ 98,080	\$152,485	\$25,984	\$1,392,756
Contract deposits	10,495	13,828	—	55,560
Policy charges	(6,655)	(8,081)	—	(27,728)
Surrenders and other benefits	(4,774)	(3,765)	(2,477)	(140,136)
Net transfer from (to) separate account liabilities	(2,897)	—	—	(5,907)
Interest credited	3,728	4,810	974	48,141
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$ 97,977	\$159,277	\$24,481	\$1,322,686
Weighted-average crediting rate	4.0%	2.0%	4.0%	
Net amount at risk	\$3,049,078	\$951,825	\$10,233	
Cash surrender value ⁽¹⁾	\$ 69,218	\$135,122	\$18,716	

(in thousands, except percentages)	Variable Annuities	Fixed Annuities	Non-Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Universal Life Insurance
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$268,266	\$751,081	\$28,499	\$ 94,662
Contract deposits	12,592	10,520	4,901	10,167
Policy charges	(551)	(12)	—	(12,494)
Surrenders and other benefits	(19,469)	(57,895)	(7,018)	(4,888)
Net transfer from (to) separate account liabilities	(2,028)	—	—	—
Interest credited	8,270	27,225	1,316	3,063
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$267,080	\$730,919	\$27,698	\$ 90,510
Weighted-average crediting rate	3.2%	3.8%	/A	3.4%
Net amount at risk	/A	/A	/A	\$622,950
Cash surrender value ⁽¹⁾	\$263,788	\$729,330	/A	\$ 79,202

(in thousands, except percentages)	Variable Universal Life Insurance	Indexed Universal Life Insurance	Other Life Insurance	Total, All Products
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$ 98,292	\$143,396	\$28,265	\$1,412,461
Contract deposits	8,185	14,582	(228)	60,719
Policy charges	(6,606)	(7,525)	—	(27,188)
Surrenders and other benefits	(4,352)	(1,800)	(3,092)	(98,514)
Net transfer from (to) separate account liabilities	(1,247)	—	—	(3,275)
Interest credited	3,808	3,832	1,039	48,553
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ 98,080	\$152,485	\$25,984	\$1,392,756
Weighted-average crediting rate	4.0%	2.0%	4.0%	
Net amount at risk	\$3,068,303	\$970,129	\$10,697	
Cash surrender value ⁽¹⁾	\$ 70,324	\$126,862	\$20,209	

⁽¹⁾ Cash surrender value represents the amount of the contractholder's account balances distributable at the balance sheet date less certain surrender charges. For VA and VUL, the cash surrender value shown is the proportion of the total cash surrender value related to their fixed account liabilities.

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(in thousands, except percentages)	Account Values with Crediting Rates						Total
	Range of Guaranteed Minimum Crediting Rates	At Guaranteed Minimum	1-49 bps above Guaranteed Minimum	50-99 bps above Guaranteed Minimum	100-150 bps above Guaranteed Minimum	Greater than 150 bps above Guaranteed Minimum	
Fixed accounts of variable annuities	1% – 1.99%	\$ 17,394	\$ 7,427	\$ 1,612	\$ 54	\$ 44	\$ 26,531
	2% – 2.99%	6,233	—	—	—	—	6,233
	3% – 3.99%	132,527	—	—	—	—	132,527
	4% – 5.00%	95,654	—	—	—	—	95,654
	Total	\$ 251,808	\$ 7,427	\$ 1,612	\$ 54	\$ 44	\$ 260,945
Fixed annuities	1% – 1.99%	\$ 27,163	\$26,774	\$12,274	\$2,501	\$1,683	\$ 70,395
	2% – 2.99%	1,415	—	—	—	—	1,415
	3% – 3.99%	341,318	—	—	—	—	341,318
	4% – 5.00%	317,477	—	—	—	—	317,477
	Total	\$ 687,373	\$26,774	\$12,274	\$2,501	\$1,683	\$ 730,605
Universal life insurance	1% – 1.99%	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
	2% – 2.99%	3,562	—	75	4	6	3,647
	3% – 3.99%	49,437	36	185	80	—	49,738
	4% – 5.00%	35,024	—	—	—	—	35,024
	Total	\$ 88,023	\$ 36	\$ 260	\$ 84	\$ 6	\$ 88,409
Fixed accounts of variable universal life insurance	1% – 1.99%	\$ 744	\$ 22	\$ 166	\$ —	\$ 536	\$ 1,468
	2% – 2.99%	1,626	—	56	59	291	2,032
	3% – 3.99%	6,858	14	191	45	—	7,108
	4% – 5.00%	48,372	—	—	—	—	48,372
	Total	\$ 57,600	\$ 36	\$ 413	\$ 104	\$ 827	\$ 58,980
Non-indexed accounts of indexed universal life insurance	1% – 1.99%	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 440	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 440
	2% – 2.99%	8,622	—	—	—	—	8,622
	3% – 3.99%	—	—	—	—	—	—
	4% – 5.00%	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total	\$ 8,622	\$ —	\$ 440	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 9,062
Other life insurance	1% – 1.99%	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
	2% – 2.99%	—	—	—	—	—	—
	3% – 3.99%	—	—	—	—	—	—
	4% – 5.00%	20,154	—	—	—	—	20,154
	Total	\$ 20,154	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 20,154
Total	1% – 1.99%	\$ 45,301	\$34,223	\$14,492	\$2,555	\$2,263	\$ 98,834
	2% – 2.99%	21,458	—	131	63	297	21,949
	3% – 3.99%	530,140	50	376	125	—	530,691
	4% – 5.00%	516,681	—	—	—	—	516,681

The following tables summarize the balances of and changes in the liability for future policy benefits, including the January 1, 2021 adoption of ASU 2018-12:

(in thousands)	Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Term and Whole Life Insurance	Disability Income Insurance	Long Term Care Insurance	Total, All Products
Pre-adoption balance at December 31, 2020	\$ 89,471	\$ 37,489	\$27,771	\$359,311	\$514,042
Effect of shadow reserve adjustments	(10,000)	—	—	(43,400)	(53,400)
Adjustments for loss contracts (with premiums in excess of gross premiums) under the modified retrospective approach	200	—	—	1,229	1,429
Effect of change in deferred profit liability	(2,755)	—	—	—	(2,755)
Effect of remeasurement of the liability at the current single A discount rate	12,644	15,220	12,083	128,049	167,996
Post-adoption balance at January 1, 2021	89,560	52,709	39,854	445,189	627,312
Less: reinsurance recoverable	—	35,085	702	199,963	235,750
Post-adoption balance at January 1, 2021, after reinsurance recoverable	\$ 89,560	\$ 17,624	\$39,152	\$245,226	\$391,562

(in thousands, except percentages)

Present Value of Expected Net Premiums:

Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ —	\$ 37,950	\$12,288	\$ 77,495	\$127,733
Beginning balance at original discount rate	—	29,946	9,404	62,785	102,135
Effect of changes in cash flow assumptions	—	24	—	(12)	12
Effect of actual variances from expected experience	—	173	(1,957)	(3,068)	(4,852)
Adjusted beginning of year balance	\$ —	\$ 30,143	\$ 7,447	\$ 59,705	\$ 97,295
Issuances	1,730	4,899	917	—	7,546
Interest accrual	—	1,540	467	3,040	5,047
Net premiums collected	(1,730)	(3,502)	(1,062)	(7,848)	(14,142)
Derecognition (lapses)	—	—	—	—	—
Ending balance at original discount rate	\$ —	\$ 33,080	\$ 7,769	\$ 54,897	\$ 95,746
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions	—	5,881	1,694	10,204	17,779
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$ —	\$ 38,961	\$ 9,463	\$ 65,101	\$113,525

Present Value of Future Policy Benefits:

Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 89,560	\$ 90,660	\$52,142	\$522,684	\$755,046
Beginning balance at original discount rate	76,916	67,434	37,175	379,926	561,451
Effect of changes in cash flow assumptions	—	24	—	62	86
Effect of actual variances from expected experience	(666)	116	(2,203)	(3,315)	(6,068)
Adjusted beginning of year balance	\$ 76,250	\$ 67,574	\$34,972	\$376,673	\$555,469
Issuances	1,927	4,897	917	—	7,741
Interest accrual	3,137	3,932	2,049	20,216	29,334
Benefit payments	(9,837)	(6,488)	(2,683)	(19,157)	(38,165)
Derecognition (lapses)	—	—	—	—	—
Ending balance at original discount rate	\$ 71,477	\$ 69,915	\$35,255	\$377,732	\$554,379
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions	8,230	17,716	11,463	112,657	150,066
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$ 79,707	\$ 87,631	\$46,718	\$490,389	\$704,445

Adjustment due to reserve flooring	\$ —	\$ 124	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 124
Net liability for future policy benefits	\$ 79,707	\$ 48,794	\$37,255	\$425,288	\$591,044
Less: reinsurance recoverable	—	33,344	780	191,576	225,700
Net liability for future policy benefits, after reinsurance recoverable	\$ 79,707	\$ 15,450	\$36,475	\$233,712	\$365,344

Discounted expected future gross premiums	\$ —	\$ 95,686	\$59,559	\$ 68,855	\$224,100
Expected future gross premiums	\$ —	\$126,793	\$71,497	\$ 80,456	\$278,746
Expected future benefit payments	\$ 98,474	\$116,891	\$61,301	\$678,673	\$955,339
Weighted average interest accretion rate	4.2%	6.4%	5.9%	5.4%	
Weighted average discount rate	2.5%	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	
Weighted average duration of liability (in years)	7	7	8	10	

(in thousands, except percentages)	Life Contingent Payout Annuities	Term and Whole Life Insurance	Disability Income Insurance	Long Term Care Insurance	Total, All Products
Present Value of Expected Net Premiums:					
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$ —	\$ 38,961	\$ 9,463	\$ 65,101	\$113,525
Beginning balance at original discount rate	—	33,080	7,769	54,897	95,746
Effect of changes in cash flow assumptions	—	2,253	41	(970)	1,324
Effect of actual variances from expected experience	—	478	(612)	(2,913)	(3,047)
Adjusted beginning of year balance	\$ —	\$ 35,811	\$ 7,198	\$ 51,014	\$ 94,023
Issuances	2,950	2,675	695	—	6,320
Interest accrual	8	1,631	390	2,654	4,683
Net premiums collected	(2,958)	(3,439)	(857)	(7,255)	(14,509)
Derecognition (lapses)	—	—	—	—	—
Ending balance at original discount rate	\$ —	\$ 36,678	\$ 7,426	\$ 46,413	\$ 90,517
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions	—	(2,058)	(100)	226	(1,932)
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ —	\$ 34,620	\$ 7,326	\$ 46,639	\$ 88,585
Present Value of Future Policy Benefits:					
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$79,707	\$ 87,631	\$46,718	\$490,389	\$704,445
Beginning balance at original discount rate	71,477	69,915	35,255	377,732	554,379
Effect of changes in cash flow assumptions	—	1,989	53	1,932	3,974
Issuances					

11. SEPARATE ACCOUNT ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The fair value of separate account assets is invested exclusively in mutual funds.

No gains or losses were recognized on assets transferred to separate accounts for the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021.

The balances of and changes in separate account liabilities were as follows:

(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Variable Universal Life	Total
Balance at January 1, 2023	\$3,793,152	\$437,738	\$4,230,890
Premiums and deposits	83,153	25,482	108,635
Policy charges	(77,945)	(18,750)	(96,695)
Surrenders and other benefits	(298,531)	(20,075)	(318,606)
Investment return	516,055	71,946	588,001
Net transfer from (to) general account	2,510	661	3,171
Other charges	(69)	(3)	(72)
Balance at December 31, 2023	\$4,018,325	\$496,999	\$4,515,324
Cash surrender value	\$3,912,313	\$472,542	\$4,384,855
(in thousands)	Variable Annuities	Variable Universal Life	Total
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$4,897,176	\$535,085	\$5,432,261
Premiums and deposits	102,016	25,622	127,638
Policy charges	(80,319)	(17,861)	(98,180)
Surrenders and other benefits	(271,750)	(13,816)	(285,566)
Investment return	(856,480)	(92,941)	(949,421)
Net transfer from (to) general account	2,414	1,648	4,062
Other charges	95	1	96
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$3,793,152	\$437,738	\$4,230,890
Cash surrender value	\$3,676,735	\$417,230	\$4,093,965

12. MARKET RISK BENEFITS

Variable annuity contractholders age 79 or younger at contract issue could obtain a principal-back guarantee by purchasing the optional GMAB rider for an additional charge. The GMAB rider guarantees that, regardless of market performance at the end of the 10-year waiting period, the contract value will be no less than the original investment or a specified percentage of the highest anniversary value, adjusted for withdrawals. If the contract value is less than the guarantee at the end of the 10-year period, a lump sum will be added to the contract value to make the contract value equal to the guarantee value.

Individual variable annuity contracts may have both a death benefit and a living benefit. Net amount at risk is quantified for each benefit and a composite net amount at risk is calculated using the greater of the death benefit or living benefit for each individual contract. The net amount at risk for GMDB and GMAB is defined as the current guaranteed benefit amount in excess of the current contract value. The net amount at risk for GMIB is defined as the greater of the present value of the minimum guaranteed annuity payments less the current contract value or zero. The net amount at risk for GMWB is defined as the greater of the present value of the minimum guaranteed withdrawal payments less the current contract value or zero.

December 31, 2022					
	Fair Value	Valuation Technique	Significant Inputs and Assumptions	Range	Weighted Average
	(in thousands)				
Market risk benefits	\$4,137	Discounted cash flow	Utilization of guaranteed withdrawals ⁽¹⁾	0.0% – 48.0%	11.4%
			Surrender rate ⁽²⁾	0.2% – 45.6%	3.9%
			Market volatility ⁽³⁾	5.0% – 17.4%	11.7%
			Nonperformance risk ⁽⁴⁾	95 bps	95 bps
			Mortality rate ⁽⁵⁾	0.0% – 33.2%	1.6%

⁽¹⁾ The utilization of guaranteed withdrawals represents the percentage of contractholders that will begin withdrawing in any given year. The weighted average utilization rate represents the average assumption, weighted based on the benefit base. The calculation excludes policies that have already started taking withdrawals.

⁽²⁾ The weighted average surrender rate represents the average assumption weighted based on the account value of each contract.

⁽³⁾ Market volatility represents the implied volatility of each contractholder’s mix of funds. The weighted average market volatility represents the average volatility across all contracts, weighted by the size of the guaranteed benefit.

⁽⁴⁾ The nonperformance risk is the spread added to the U.S. Treasury curve.

⁽⁵⁾ The weighted average mortality rate represents the average assumption weighted based on the account value of each contract.

Critical Assumptions:

During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company updated inputs and assumptions based on management’s review of experience studies. These updates resulted in the following notable changes in the fair value estimates of market risk benefits calculations:

Year ended December 31, 2023

- Updates to utilization of guaranteed withdrawals assumptions resulted in a decrease to pre-tax income of \$1.5 million.
- Updates to surrender assumptions resulted in a decrease to pre-tax income of \$5.0 million.

Year ended December 31, 2022

- Updates to utilization of guaranteed withdrawals assumptions resulted in a decrease to pre-tax income of \$1.9 million.
- Updates to surrender assumptions resulted in a decrease to pre-tax income of \$10.1 million.
- Updates to mortality assumptions resulted in a decrease to pre-tax income of \$2.1 million.

Refer to the rollforward of market risk benefits for the impacts of changes to interest rate, equity market, volatility and nonperformance risk assumptions.

Key Filings

Significant increases (decreases) in utilization and volatility used in the fair value measurement of market risk benefits in isolation would have resulted in a significantly higher (lower) liability value.

Significant increases (decreases) in nonperformance risk and surrender assumptions used in the fair value measurement of market risk benefits in isolation would have resulted in a significantly lower (higher) liability value.

Significant increases (decreases) in mortality assumptions used in the fair value measurement of the death benefit portion of market risk benefits in isolation would have resulted in a significantly higher (lower) liability value whereas significant increases (decreases) in mortality rates used in the fair value measurement of the life contingent portion of market risk benefits in isolation would have resulted in a significantly lower (higher) liability value.

Surrender assumptions, utilization assumptions and mortality assumptions vary with the type of base product, type of rider, duration of the policy, age of the contractholder, calendar year of the projection, previous withdrawal history, and the relationship between the value of the guaranteed benefit and the contract accumulation value.

Internal Filings

The Company values market risk benefits using internal valuation models. These models include observable capital market assumptions and significant unobservable inputs related to implied volatility as well as contractholder behavior assumptions that include margins for risk, all of which the Company believes a market participant would expect. The fair value also reflects a current estimate of the Company’s nonperformance risk. Given the significant unobservable inputs to this valuation, these measurements are classified as Level 3.

13. FAIR VALUES OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

GAAP defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; that is, an exit price. The exit price assumes the asset or liability is not exchanged subject to a forced liquidation or distressed sale.

(in thousands)	Available-for-Sale Securities	Policyholder Account Balances, Future Policy Benefits and Claims
	Corporate Debt Securities	IUL Embedded Derivatives
Balance at January 1, 2022	\$ 45,834	\$(51,617)
Total gains (losses) included in:		
Net income	(69) ⁽¹⁾	5,029 ⁽²⁾
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(3,002)	—
Issues	—	(2,483)
Settlements	(13,391)	6,689
Balance at December 31, 2022	\$ 29,372	\$(42,382)
Changes in unrealized gains (losses) in net income relating to assets and liabilities held at December 31, 2022	\$ (66) ⁽¹⁾	\$ 5,029 ⁽²⁾
Changes in unrealized gains (losses) in other comprehensive income (loss) relating to assets and liabilities held at December 31, 2022	\$ (2,829)	\$ —

(in thousands)	Available-for-Sale Securities	Policyholder Account Balances, Future Policy Benefits and Claims
	Corporate Debt Securities	IUL Embedded Derivatives
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 64,484	\$(52,327)
Total gains (losses) included in:		
Net income	(66) ⁽¹⁾	(4,136) ⁽²⁾
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(1,237)	—
Issues	—	(299)
Settlements	(9,341)	5,145
Transfers into Level 3	33,041	—
Transfers out of Level 3	(41,047)	—
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$ 45,834	\$(51,617)
Changes in unrealized gains (losses) in net income relating to assets and liabilities held at December 31, 2021	\$ (61) ⁽¹⁾	\$ (4,136) ⁽²⁾
Changes in unrealized gains (losses) in other comprehensive income (loss) relating to assets and liabilities held at December 31, 2021	\$ (962)	\$ —

⁽¹⁾ Included in net investment income.

⁽²⁾ Included in Interest credited to fixed accounts.

The increase (decrease) to pretax income of the Company's adjustment for nonperformance risk on the fair value of its embedded derivatives was \$20 thousand, \$1.7 million and \$(390) thousand, net of the reinsurance accrual, for the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

Securities transferred from Level 3 primarily represent securities with fair values that are now obtained from a third-party pricing service with observable inputs or fair values that were included in an observable transaction with a market participant. Securities transferred to Level 3 represent securities with fair values that are now based on a single non-binding broker quote.

The following tables provide a summary of the significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurements developed by the Company or reasonably available to the Company of Level 3 assets and liabilities:

	December 31, 2023				
	Fair Value	Valuation Technique	Unobservable Input	Range	Weighted Average
(in thousands)					
Corporate debt securities (private placements)	\$23,253	Discounted cash flow	Yield/spread to U.S. Treasuries ⁽¹⁾	1.0% – 2.4%	1.6%
IUL embedded derivatives	\$50,529	Discounted cash flow	nonperformance risk ⁽²⁾	85 bps	85 bps

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Derivatives that are measured using quoted prices in active markets, such as derivatives that are exchange-traded, are classified as Level 1 measurements. The variation margin on futures contracts is also classified as Level 1. The fair value of derivatives that are traded in less active over-the-counter (“OTC”) markets is generally measured using pricing models with market observable inputs such as interest rates and equity index levels. These measurements are classified as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy and include swaps and the majority of options. The counterparties’ nonperformance risk associated with uncollateralized derivative assets was immaterial as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022. See Note 16 and Note 17 for further information on the credit risk of derivative instruments and related collateral.

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The fair value of assets held by separate accounts is determined by the NAV of the funds in which those separate accounts are invested. The NAV is used as a practical expedient for fair value and represents the exit price for the separate account. Separate account assets are excluded from classification in the fair value hierarchy.

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There is no active market for the transfer of the Company’s embedded derivatives attributable to the provisions of IUL products.

The Company uses discounted cash flow models to determine the fair value of the embedded derivatives associated with the provisions of its IUL products. The fair value of IUL embedded derivatives includes significant observable interest rates, volatilities and equity index levels and the significant unobservable estimate of the Company’s nonperformance risk. Given the significance of the nonperformance risk assumption, the IUL embedded derivatives are classified as Level 3.

The embedded derivatives attributable to these provisions are recorded in Policyholder account balances, future policy benefits and claims.

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Derivatives that are measured using quoted prices in active markets, such as derivatives that are exchange-traded, are classified as Level 1 measurements. The variation margin on futures contracts is also classified as Level 1. The fair value of derivatives that are traded in less active OTC markets is generally measured using pricing models with market observable inputs such as interest rates and equity index levels. These measurements are classified as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy and include swaps and the majority of options. The Company’s nonperformance risk associated with uncollateralized derivative liabilities was immaterial as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022. See Note 16 and Note 17 for further information on the credit risk of derivative instruments and related collateral.

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During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were no material assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a nonrecurring basis.

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The following tables provide the carrying value and the estimated fair value of financial instruments that are not reported at fair value:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2023				
	Carrying Value	Fair Value			Total
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Financial Assets					
Mortgage loans, net	\$144,910	\$—	\$ —	\$134,224	\$134,224
Policy loans	53,615	—	53,615	—	53,615
Financial Liabilities					
Policyholder account balances, future policy benefits and claims	\$705,348	\$—	\$ —	\$684,945	\$684,945
Separate account liabilities – investment contracts	3,412	—	3,412	—	3,412
(in thousands)	December 31, 2022				
	Carrying Value	Fair Value			Total
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Financial Assets					
Mortgage loans, net	\$157,068	\$—	\$ —	\$143,477	\$143,477
Policy loans	50,791	—	50,791	—	50,791
Financial Liabilities					
Policyholder account balances, future policy benefits and claims	\$761,275	\$—	\$ —	\$728,833	\$728,833
Separate account liabilities – investment contracts	3,048	—	3,048	—	3,048

See Note 7 for additional information on mortgage loans and policy loans.

The following tables present the gross and net information about the Company's liabilities subject to master netting arrangements:

December 31, 2023

Gross Amounts of Recognized Liabilities	Gross Amounts
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Generally, the Company uses derivatives as economic hedges and accounting hedges. The following table presents the notional value and gross fair value of derivative instruments, including embedded derivatives:

(in thousands)	December 31, 2023			December 31, 2022		
	Notional	Gross Fair Value		Notional	Gross Fair Value	
		Assets ⁽¹⁾	Liabilities ⁽²⁾		Assets ⁽¹⁾	Liabilities ⁽²⁾
Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments						
Interest rate contracts	\$1,883,300	\$ 3,180	\$ 2,808	\$3,131,000	\$11,416	\$ 7,625
Equity contracts	1,401,329	71,361	35,509	1,291,022	81,619	50,887
Foreign exchange contracts	114,951	306	104	90,943	1,241	272
Credit contracts	104,115	—	3,508	—	—	—
Total non-designated hedges	3,503,695	74,847	41,929	4,512,965	94,276	58,784
Embedded derivatives						
IUL	▲ /A	—	50,529	▲ /A	—	42,382
Total embedded derivatives	▲ /A	—	50,529	▲ /A	—	42,382
Total derivatives	\$3,503,695	\$74,847	\$92,458	\$4,512,965	\$94,276	\$101,166

▲ /A not applicable

⁽¹⁾ The fair value of freestanding derivative assets is included in Other assets.

⁽²⁾ The fair value of freestanding derivative liabilities is included in Other liabilities. The fair value of IUL embedded derivatives is included in Policyholder account balances, future policy benefits and claims.

See Note 13 for additional information regarding the Company's fair value measurement of derivative instruments.

As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, investment securities with a fair value of \$93.9 million and \$117.4 million, respectively, were pledged to meet contractual obligations under derivative contracts, of which \$3.6 million and \$32.5 million, respectively, may be sold, pledged or rehypothecated by the counterparty. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, investment securities with a fair value of \$2.6 million and nil, respectively, were received as collateral to meet contractual obligations under derivative contracts, of which nil may be sold, pledged or rehypothecated by the Company as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022. As of both December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company had sold, pledged or rehypothecated none of these securities. In addition, as of both December 31, 2023 and 2022, non-cash collateral accepted was held in separate custodial accounts and was not included in the Company's Balance Sheets.

The following table presents a summary of the impact of derivatives not designated as hedging instruments, including embedded derivatives, on the Statements of Income:

(in thousands)	Interest Credited to Fixed Accounts	Change in Fair Value of Market Risk Benefits
Year Ended December 31, 2023		
Interest rate contracts	\$ —	\$ (23,725)
Equity contracts	4,569	(77,123)
Foreign exchange contracts	—	402
Credit contracts	—	(19)
IUL embedded derivatives	(5,694)	—
Total gain (loss)	\$ (1,125)	\$ (100,465)
Year Ended December 31, 2022		
Interest rate contracts	\$ —	\$ (145,925)
Equity contracts		

The deferred premium associated with certain of the above options is paid or received semi-annually over the life of the contract or at maturity. The following is a summary of the payments the Company is scheduled to make and receive for these options as of December 31, 2023:

(in thousands)	Premiums Payable	Premiums Receivable
2024	\$ 260	\$—
2025	130	—
2026	23,701	—
2027	—	—
2028	—	—
2029 – 2030	35,700	—
Total	\$59,791	\$—

Actual timing and payment amounts may differ due to future settlements, modifications or exercises of the contracts prior to the full premium being paid or received.

IUL products have returns tied to the performance of equity markets. As a result of fluctuations in equity markets, the obligation incurred by the Company related to IUL products will positively or negatively impact earnings over the life of these products. The equity component of IUL product obligations is considered an embedded derivative, which is bifurcated from the host contract for valuation purposes and reported on the Balance Sheets at fair value with changes in fair value reported in earnings. As a means of economically hedging its obligations under the provisions of this product, the Company enters into interest rate swaps, index options and futures contracts.

As discussed in Note 12, the Company issues variable annuity contracts that provide protection to contractholders from other-than-nominal capital market risk and expose the Company to other-than-nominal capital market risk. The Company economically hedges its obligations under these market risk benefits using options, swaptions, swaps and futures.

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Credit risk associated with the Company's derivatives is the risk that a derivative counterparty will not perform in accordance with the terms of the applicable derivative contract. To mitigate such risk, the Company has established guidelines and oversight of credit risk through a comprehensive enterprise risk management program that includes members of senior management. Key components of this program are to require preapproval of counterparties and the use of master netting and collateral arrangements

Year Ended December 31, 2022

(in thousands)	Pretax	Income Tax Benefit (Expense)	Net of Tax
▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities:			
▶▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities arising during the period ⁽¹⁾	\$(282,360)	\$ 59,296	\$(223,064)
▶▶ Reclassification of net (gains) losses on securities included in net income ⁽²⁾	3,346	(703)	2,643
▶▶ Impact of benefit reserves and reinsurance recoverables	8,809	(1,849)	6,960
▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities	(270,205)	56,744	(213,461)
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions on certain long-duration contracts	78,368	(16,457)	61,911
Effect of changes in instrument-specific credit risk on MRBs	23,844	(5,007)	18,837
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	\$(167,993)	\$ 35,280	\$(132,713)

Year Ended December 31, 2021

(in thousands)	Pretax	Income Tax Benefit (Expense)	Net of Tax
▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities:			
▶▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities arising during the period ⁽¹⁾	\$(53,907)	\$11,321	\$(42,586)
▶▶ Reclassification of net (gains) losses on securities included in net income ⁽²⁾	(10,377)	2,179	(8,198)
▶▶ Impact of benefit reserves and reinsurance recoverables	2,233	(469)	1,764
▶ net unrealized gains (losses) on securities	(62,051)	13,031	(49,020)
Effect of changes in discount rate assumptions on certain long-duration contracts	22,008	(4,622)	17,386
Effect of changes in instrument-specific credit risk on MRBs	5,777	(1,213)	4,564
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	\$(34,266)	\$ 7,196	\$(27,070)

⁽¹⁾ Includes impairments on Available-for-Sale securities related to factors other than credit that were recognized in OCI during the period.

⁽²⁾ Reclassification amounts are recorded from net realized investment gains (losses).

Other comprehensive income (loss) related to net unrealized gains (losses) on securities includes three components: (i) unrealized gains (losses) that arose from changes in the market value of securities that were held during the period; (ii) (gains) losses that were previously unrealized, but have been recognized in current period net income due to sales of Available-for-Sale securities and due to the reclassification of noncredit losses to credit losses; and (iii) other adjustments primarily consisting of changes in

If recognized, approximately nil, \$218 thousand and \$218 thousand, net of federal tax benefits, of unrecognized tax benefits as of December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, respectively, would affect the effective tax rate.

The Company is not aware of any tax positions for which it is reasonably possible that the total amount of unrecognized tax benefits will significantly change in the next 12 months.

The Company recognizes interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits as a component of the income tax provision. The Company recognized a net decrease of \$90 thousand for the year ended December 31, 2023, and a net increase of \$16 thousand and \$11 thousand in interest and penalties for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company had a payable of nil and \$90 thousand related to accrued interest and penalties, respectively.

The Company files income tax returns as part of its inclusion in the consolidated federal income tax return of Ameriprise Financial in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and various state jurisdictions. As of December 31, 2023, the federal statutes of

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The Company is required by law to be a member of the guaranty fund association in the State of New York. In the event of insolvency of one or more unaffiliated insurance companies, the Company could be adversely affected by the requirement to pay assessments to the guaranty fund association. The Company projects its cost of future guaranty fund assessments based on estimates of insurance company insolvencies provided by the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations and the amount of its premiums written relative to the industry-wide premium in the State of New York. The Company accrues the estimated cost of future guaranty fund assessments when it is considered probable that an assessment will be imposed, the event obligating the Company to pay the assessment has occurred and the amount of the assessment can be reasonably estimated.

As of both December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company had no accrual established for estimated future guaranty fund assessments.

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