Security Benefit Life Insurance Company Statutory Financial Highlights

The following tables set forth our selected financial information as of December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022 and for the twelve months ended December 31, 2023 and 2022. The information as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022 was derived from our Audited Statutory Financial Statements. The information as of December 31, 2023 and for the twelve months ended December 31, 2023 was derived from our Unaudited Statutory Financial Statements and includes, in the opinion of management, all normal and recurring adjustments necessary to present fairly the information for such period.

	Twelve Months Ended		
	December 31, 2023	<u>December 31, 2022</u> (audited)	
	(unaudited)		
Statements of operations data:	(dollars in	thousands)	
Revenues:			
Direct annuity considerations and deposits	\$ 6,739,280	\$ 4,758,305	
Assumed annuity considerations and deposits	14,751	20,534	
Ceded annuity considerations and deposits	(2,516,937)	(1,317,185)	
Net annuity considerations and deposits	4,237,094	3,461,654	
Net investment income	2,651,187	1,944,830	
Fixed index annuity rider fee income	204,105	214,607	
Commissions and expense allowance on			
reinsurance ceded	212,152	118,637	
Asset-based fees	56,770	60,259	
Other income	210,846	95,360	
Total revenues	7,572,154	5,895,347	
Benefits and expenses:			
Increase (decrease) in reserves and funds for			
all policies	710,154	1,129,805	
Surrender benefits	3,961,725	2,782,574	
Annuity benefits	472,779	442,923	
Other benefits	84,616	49,088	
Commissions	551,533	472,230	
Call option amortization	87,084	100,199	
Other insurance operating expenses	262,540	238,362	
Total benefits and expenses	6,130,431	5,215,181	
Income from operations before federal income taxes	1,441,723	680,166	
Federal income tax expense	285,320	249,994	
Income from operations before net realized gains	1,156,403	430,172	
Net realized gains (losses), net of capital gains tax	46,048	(72,170)	
Net income	\$ 1,202,451	\$ 358,002	

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	As of				
	Dece	December 31, 2023 (unaudited)		December 31, 2022 (audited)	
	(dollars in thousands)			nds)	
Net Admitted Assets					
Cash and invested assets	\$	46,186,266	\$	42,187,223	
Separate account assets		5,988,726		5,518,807	
Other assets		1,415,949		1,784,986	
Total net admitted assets	\$	53,590,941	\$	49,491,016	
Liabilities, Capital and Surplus					
Policy and contract liabilities	\$	30,474,320	\$	29,630,685	
Separate account liabilities		5,988,726		5,518,807	
Funds withheld and held liabilities		8,010,638		6,168,316	
Asset valuation reserve		944,907		1,076,719	
Derivative collateral		647,922		512,640	
Repurchase agreements		1,012,497		900,379	
Other liabilities		582,508		537,333	
Total liabilities		47,661,518		44,344,879	
Total capital and surplus		5,929,423		5,146,137	
Total liabilities, capital and surplus	\$	53,590,941	\$	49,491,016	

As of or for the Twelve Months Ended

		December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	
	(unaudited) (dollars in thousands)			
Other data:				
Total adjusted capital (a)	\$	6,874,330	\$	6,222,856
Average total adjusted capital (b)	\$	6,513,343	\$	5,840,901
Average capital and surplus (b)	\$	5,439,399	\$	4,700,303
Statutory comprehensive income (c)	\$	1,001,467	\$	330,155
Statutory return on equity (d)		18.4 %))	7.0 %
Capital contributions	\$	_	\$	435,000
Capital distributions	\$	_	\$	
Dividends	\$	350,000	\$	100,000

⁽a) Calculated as the sum of total capital and surplus plus the asset valuation reserve as of the end of the period.



⁽b) Calculated by averaging total adjusted capital and total capital and surplus as of the end of each quarter in the trailing five quarter period.

⁽c) Statutory comprehensive income is the change in total adjusted capital for the period excluding capital contributions and dividends.

⁽d) Calculated by dividing annualized statutory comprehensive income for the period noted by average capital and surplus.

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The following table presents a reconciliation of certain financial measures to their closest statutory inputs.

		As of or for the Year Ended		
	Dec	ember 31, 2023	Dec	ember 31, 2022
		(unaudited) (Dollars in thousands)		
Financial measures:				
Net investment income	\$	2,651,187	\$	1,944,830
Investment expenses		257,399		214,236
Interest expense on operating leverage (a)		(53,181)		(36,842)
Call option realized (gains) and losses		26,076		39,735
Adjusted investment income (b)	\$	2,881,481	\$	2,161,958
Average spread-based AUM (c)	\$	36,939,003	\$	33,970,108
Average spread-based AUM excluding surplus assets	\$	30,671,054	\$	28,445,907
Investment operating earned rate (d)		7.80 %		6.36 %
Interest credited to account balances	\$	363,677	\$	231,902
Pro rata amortization of call option costs		353,727		254,980
Cost of crediting (e)	\$	717,404	\$	486,882
Cost of crediting rate ^(f)		2.34 %	, D	1.71 %
Net investment spread ^(g)		5.46 %	,)	4.65 %

⁽a) Interest expense on operating leverage includes interest expense on repurchase agreements and miscellaneous interest expense.



⁽b) Adjusted investment income is calculated as reported net investment income adjusted to add back amortization of IMR, investment expenses, and adjusted to eliminate the impact of interest expense on operating leverage and call option realized gains (losses).

⁽c) Spread-based assets under management ("AUM") is primarily statutory cash, invested assets, accrued investment income and excludes derivatives and unrealized gains (losses) on investments carried at fair value, with adjustments for investment payable for securities and funds withheld liabilities related to business exited through reinsurance agreements.

⁽d) Calculated by dividing adjusted investment income by average spread based AUM.

⁽e) Cost of crediting is calculated as reported interest credited to account balances adjusted for the pro rata amortization of FIA option costs.

⁽f) Calculated by dividing cost of crediting by average spread-based AUM, excluding surplus assets.

⁽g) Calculated by subtracting cost of crediting from investment operating earned rate.