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#### Today's agenda and speakers







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Leveraging our customer focus with new technology

#### Strategy Key messages





# We are a focused UK Retail and SME general insurer with strong foundations

Large scale underwriter	Leading writer of personal lines and SME insurance	Strong return on capital	Strong and robust solvency and fungible capital generation
In-force Policies	GWP	RoTE	Solvency coverage ratio
15.0m	£3.2bn	21.5%	170%



1. As reported for 2018

## Our focus helps us deliver good outcomes for stakeholders





2. Net promotor score on an aggregated 12 months rolling basis with 2013 indexed to 100

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#### **Our Vision, Purpose and Strategy**



We want to create a world where insurance is personal, inclusive and a force for good.



#### Strategic objectives

**Best at direct** 

Win on price comparison websites

Extend our reach

**Technical edge** 

Nimble and cost efficient

Great people

### Sustainability pillars

Customers

People

Society

Planet

Governance

#### Values

Do the right thing

Aim higher

Take ownership

Say it like it is

Work together

Bring all of yourself to work



#### Strategic objective: **Best at direct**

#### What?

To be the UK's leading direct player because we anticipate our customers' needs and develop services and products they want to buy.

#### Why?

A direct relationship with our customers provides: opportunity for profitable growth by meeting a broader set of customer needs; and the foundation for future product and service innovation.











### **Strategic objective:** Win on Price Comparison Websites

#### What?

Deliver a step change in our pricing and trading capability so that our leading PCW brands win customers from our competitors.

#### Why?

PCWs will continue to be the biggest market for new business and therefore our primary route for profitable growth.

The PCW ma large and focu price and selectio	used on risk	profita this ma	ant to deliver ble growth in rket ahead of competitors	our	need to improve focus on trading bability and ways of working	And to develop further our pricing and underwriting capability
fey drivers	Strong r margin		Faster modelling a deploymer		Fast and flexible use of primary and third party data	Strong brand recognition
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#### Strategic objective: Extend our reach

#### What?

Utilise our investments to win more customers through acquisitions and partnerships.

#### Why?

Our new platform makes it easier for us to onboard new books of business. We will use this to explore inorganic growth opportunities through partnerships and acquisitions.

We have a record wor closely with p	rking	Our new tech is robust a scalable	and	We provide great customer service and have strong brands		We are seeking innovative routes to market	
Key drivers	data a	/ to integrate and customer s with partners		exible and scalable tforms to integrate portfolios		Excellent service and brands to support partner strategies	



#### Strategic objective: Nimble and cost efficient

#### What?

Transform into an agile, cost effective business to drive efficiency and simplicity for us and our customers.

#### Why?

To bring our cost base in line with the market to compete better, in particular through PCWs and partnerships. We will introduce new ways of working to exploit our advantages within each product and channel.

Our cost base is too high and it is hard for us to make changes We are investing in new platforms, digitisation and new ways of working To bring our cost base into line with our more efficient competitors As the pace of innovation accelerates, we will improve our capacity for change

fey drivers

Increasing pace of change needed to respond to changes in our markets and consumer behaviour Increasing demand for more simple, easy to use and flexible products



### Strategic objective: Technical edge

#### What?

Use our data, scale, skill and insight across claims, pricing and underwriting to deliver value to customers.

#### Why?

We will create a great experience for our customers and sustainable competitive advantage for us by better utilising our scale advantage in repair, data and claims insight and management.

enable us to build on and our current main		We can under and price bette maintain our cl competitiv advantage	er and laims e	We will create an enhanced experience and value for our customers		As technology driven change accelerates, we will build a stronger lead in these key areas
fey drivers		al insight expertise		Strong, timely data		Control and delivery of the value chain



#### **Strategic objective: Great people**

#### What?

A home for empowered people who celebrate difference, and challenge the status quo to deliver for our customers.

#### Why?

As disruption in our market increases, we need to become brilliant at innovation and change. We can only do this by empowering and developing the best people.

Our people are highly engaged	are highly diversity in all		We can do more to empower our people		We aim to attract and retain talent with the skills for a digital age
fey drivers	e.ç	Importance of o g. data and analytics, digita	l, techn	killsets required to icians that can deal ology	
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#### Strategy Current market context

- Motor premium inflation has been slowly turning, although not keeping pace with claims inflation – we continued to price for claims inflation
- We expect claims inflation between 3%-5% in line with our long term expectation, and recent experience remained towards the top of that range
- November floods very early estimate of approx. £10m across Home and Commercial
- FCA continuing a constructive dialogue with us and the industry and we feel well prepared to adapt to any changes



#### **Building a better business:**

#### Technology is a key enabler across all our brands and channels





#### Investment case Improved quality of earnings and competitiveness

Increase the current year contribution to operating profit<sup>1</sup> from approx. a third in 2018 to more than a half by 2021

Improve the operating expense ratio to 20% by end of 2023 supported by a reduction in operating expenses<sup>2</sup>

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Continue to achieve combined operating ratio between 93%-95% through the medium term<sup>3</sup>



Operating profit normalised for weather less prior year reserve releases
Operating expenses before amortisation and depreciation
Normalised for weather and before restructuring and other one-off costs

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