

Results HY 2004 Investors' Presentation

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Swiss Life - on track



Operational improvements

Increased profitability

Return to growth

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Operational improvements

- Net result: MCHF 398

- Operating result: MCHF 605

Increased profitability

- Earnings per share (EPS): CHF 15.9
- New business margin: 7.4%

Return to growth

- Premiums and policyholder deposits: +1.1%
- Switzerland: +3.5%

Financials



	HY 2004	HY 2003
Premiums and PH deposits (gross)	11 965	11 836
Gross written premiums	9 844	9 943
Financial result	2 726	2 916
Operating result	605	207
Net result	398	66
Earnings per share (EPS)	CHF 15.9	CHF 2.7
Return on equity (ROE) ⁽¹⁾	15.3%	5.3%
Return on equity (ROE) (adjusted) ⁽²⁾	8.9%	
	30.06.2004	31.12.2003
Shareholders' equity	5 822	4 964
Core capital	9 474	8 820
Employees ⁽³⁾	9 740	10 015

⁽¹⁾ Annualised; annual figure for 2003

⁽²⁾ Annualised; net result adjusted for one-off impact due to introduction of legal quote and changes in conversion rate (MCHF 164)

⁽³⁾ In full-time equivalents (FTE)

Business review



Switzerland – improving operationally in a challenging environment

- Premium income up 3.5%
- Profitability to be further improved
- European core markets exploiting growth opportunities
 - France: premium income up 16%
 - Germany: premium income up 8%
- Banca del Gottardo focusing on profitability
 - Operating result up 11% (MCHF 59.6)⁽¹⁾
 - Assets under control up 2% (CHF 39.4 bn)(1)

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Profit and loss highlights



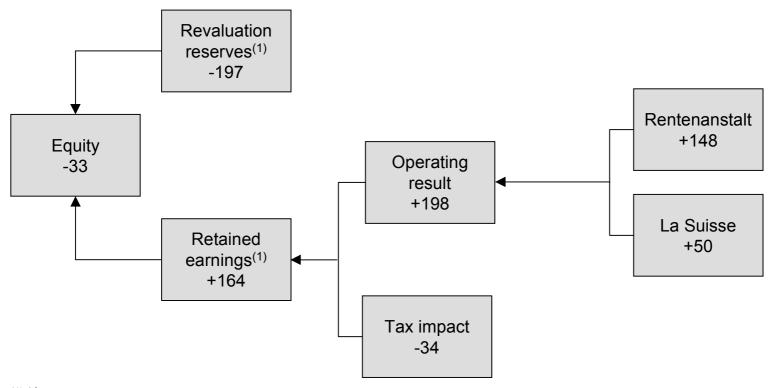


	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Premiums and PH deposits (gross)	11 965	11 836	+1.1%
• Gross written premiums	9 844	9 943	
 Policyholder deposits 	2 121	1 893	
Financial result	2 726	2 916	-6.5%
Benefits paid and changes in reserves	-9 072	-10 140	-10.5%
PH bonuses and participations in surplus	-621	-448	
Operating expenses	-1 294	-1 447	-10.6%
Operating result	605	207	
Goodwill amortisation	-39	-45	
Taxes and minority interests	-168	-96	
Net result	398	66	

One-off effect due to legal quote and changes in conversion rate in Switzerland



- Due to different asset valuation between IFRS and statutory accounting standards, unrealised gains/losses had to be allocated to policyholders
- Release of reserves due to reduction of conversion rate for group life business



Segment results





	HY 2004	HY 2003
Life Core ⁽¹⁾	327	93
Life Non-Core ⁽¹⁾	140	80
Non-Life	5	17
Private Banking	73	-66 ⁽²⁾
Investment Management	47	60
Other	13	23
Operating result	605	207

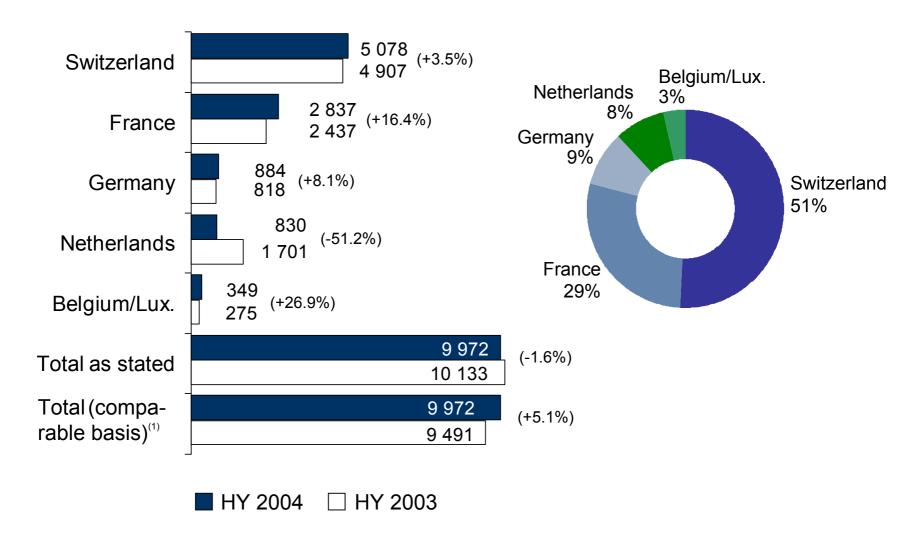
Life Core: Operating result by country



	HY 2004	HY 2003
Switzerland ⁽¹⁾	177	-104
France	28	93
Germany	39	58
Netherlands	70	39
Belgium/Luxembourg	13	7
Life Core	327	93

Life Core: Premiums and policyholder deposits





Life Core: Premiums overview Switzerland



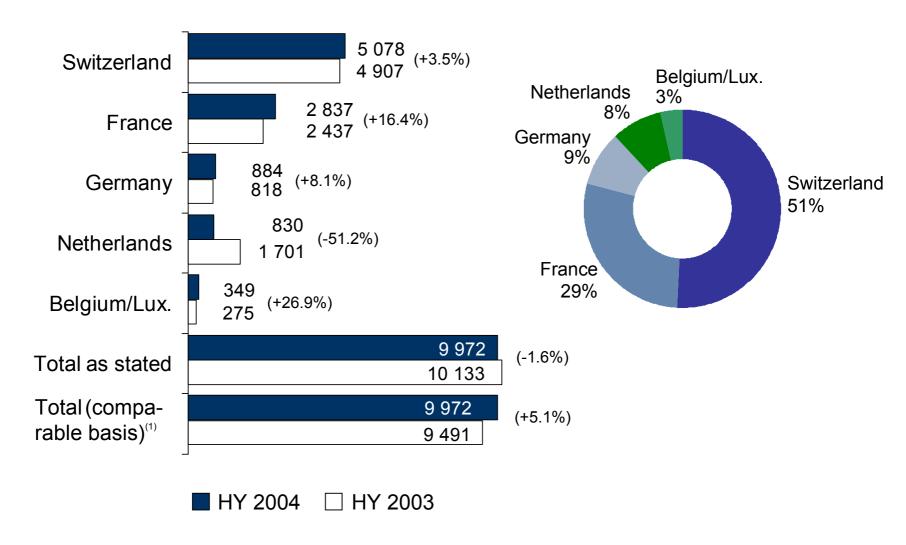
MCHF (IFRS basis); excluding La Suisse

	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Total Switzerland ⁽¹⁾	5 078	4 907	+3.5%
Single premiums	2 182	2 077	+5.1%
Periodic premiums	2 850	2 792	+2.1%
Total group life	4 269	4 013	+6.4%
Single premiums	1 901	1 715	+10.8%
Periodic premiums	2 368	2 298	+3.0%
Total individual life	763	856	-10.9%
Single premiums	281	362	-22.4%
Periodic premiums	482	494	-2.4%

⁽¹⁾ Including reinsurance assumed in HY 2004 of MCHF 46 and HY 2003 of MCHF 38

Life Core: Premiums and policyholder deposits





Balance sheet highlights



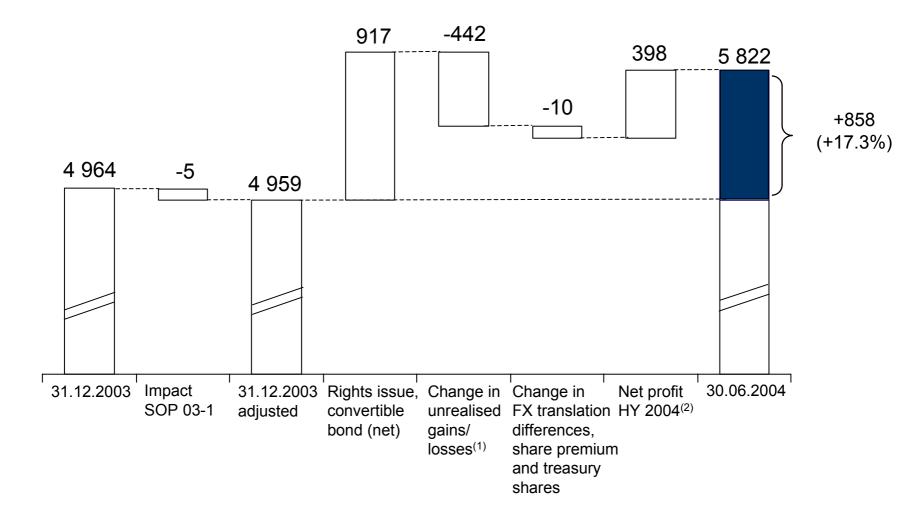
MCHF (IFRS basis)

	HY 2004	FY 2003	Change
Mathematical reserves	136 919	136 214	+0.5%
 Insurance reserves 	103 588	103 862	
 Policyholder deposits 	25 511	23 678	
 Separate accounts 	7 820	8 674	
Shareholders' equity	5 822	4 964	+17.3%
 Shareholders' equity⁽¹⁾ 	5 677	4 367	
Revaluation reserves	145	597	
Total liabilities and equity	162 729	162 478	
Core Capital	9 474	8 820	+7.4%
 Shareholders' equity 	5 822	4 964	
 Minority interests 	208	215	
 Hybrid and subordinated debt 	1 647	1 677	
 Deferred Group-related funds 	1 797	1 964	

(1) Excluding revaluation reserves

Shareholders' equity up 17%

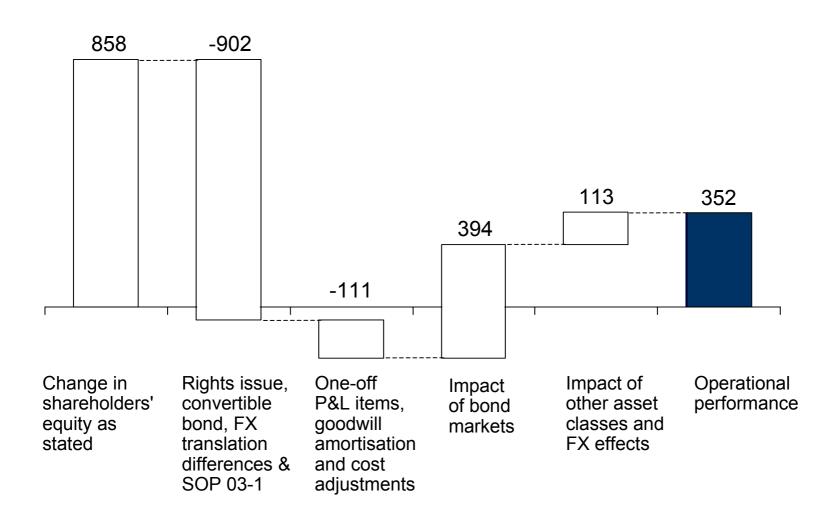
SwissLife



⁽¹⁾ Including revaluation reserves MCHF -197 (after tax) due to legal quote and changes in conversion rate for group life business (2) Including retained earnings MCHF 164 (after tax) due to legal quote and changes in conversion rate for group life business

Operational performance creating shareholders' equity





Investment return on insurance portfolio



MCHF (IFRS basis), not annualised

Direct return of 2.1% Total return of 1.5%⁽¹⁾ 1 736 1 010 2.2% 1.3% **Bonds** 107 1.4% 3.9% 299 **Equities** 0.0% -8 -1.9% **Private Equity** 3.9% 57 1.6% 141 Hedge Funds 2.6% 3.0% 288 Real Estate 330 2.1% 222 2.2% 217 Mortgages 1.8% 132 1.8% 132 Loans 1.0% 1.0% 49 Cash 49 -3.8% Trading & Other 1.7% 87 -193 -76 Expenses

⁽¹⁾ Excluding expenses; total return including expenses: 1.4%

Embedded value for Swiss Life Group



MCHF (statutory basis)

	HY 2004	FY 2003
Rentenanstalt embedded value HY 2004 ⁽¹⁾	6 199	5 832
Swiss Life Holding owns	99.83%	99.72%
Swiss Life Holding share of embedded value	6 188	5 816
ANAV of Swiss Life Holding ⁽²⁾	1 970	1 095
Embedded value for Swiss Life Group	8 158	6 911
Embedded value per share ⁽³⁾	CHF 242	CHF 276
New business margin ⁽⁴⁾	7.4%	6.1%

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⁽¹⁾ Including in FY 2003 assumed legal quote impact in group life in Switzerland (2) Equity of Switzerland

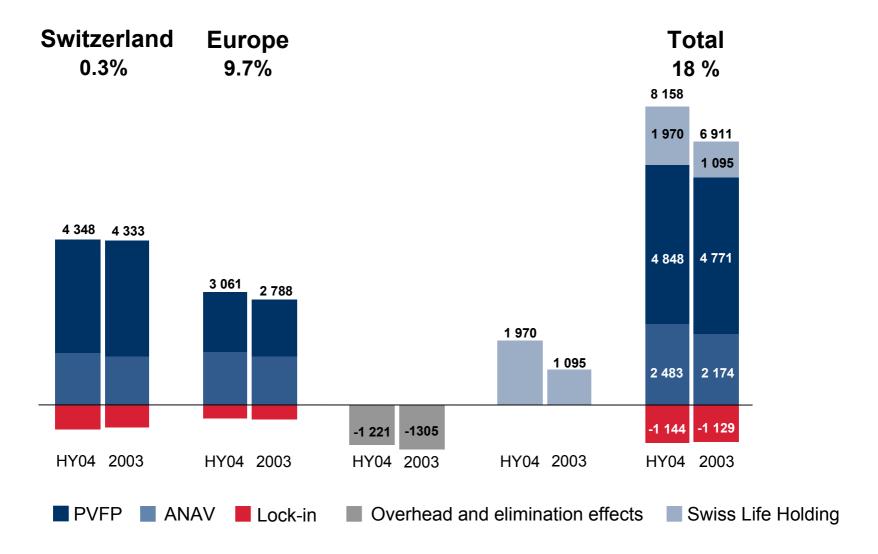
⁽²⁾ Equity of Swiss Life Holding less book value of RA/SL

⁽³⁾ Based on 25 034 041 shares (FY 2003) and 33 775 799 shares (HY 2004)

Embedded value breakdown



MCHF (statutory basis); Swiss Life Group



Embedded value: Analysis of change



MCHF (statutory basis); Swiss Life Group

Swiss Life Group EV 01.01.2004⁽¹⁾

Unwind 2004

Actual investment return 2004⁽²⁾

Future investment return⁽²⁾

Persistency

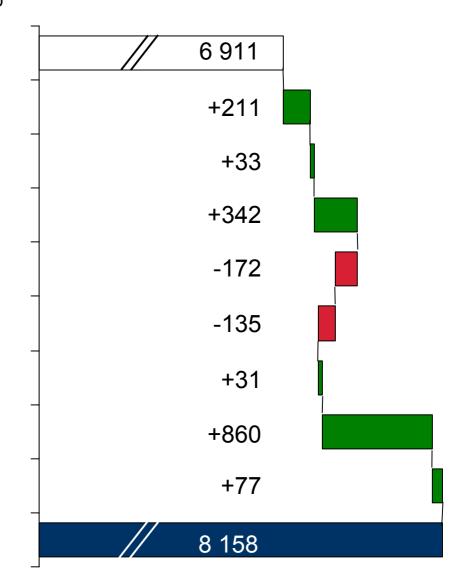
Reserves strengthening

Value of new business 2004

Capital increase

Various⁽²⁾

Swiss Life Group EV 30.06.2004

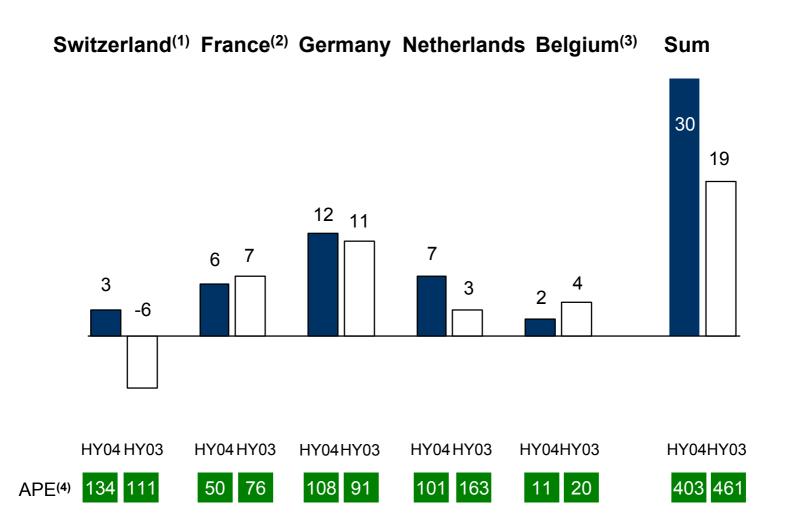


⁽¹⁾ Including assumed legal quote impact in Switzerland of MCHF 944 (2) Deviation from assumptions

Value of new business



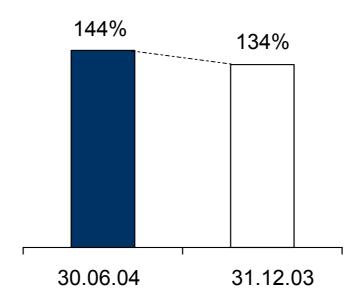
MCHF (statutory basis)



EU Group solvency



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Keeping up the momentum...



Switzerland

- Complete implementation of new BVG product offering
- Continue with product innovations in individual life business

Europe

- Exploit growth opportunities due to changing regulatory and competitive environment
- Continued focus on profitability

...to ensure sustainable performance



1% above market growth

Dividend payments

• ROE of 10%



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Foreign exchange rates and interest rates



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Foreign exchange rates

	30.06.2004	31.12.03	30.06.03	1.131.12.03	1.130.06.03
EUR	1.524	1.558	1.552	1.521	1.492
GBP	2.272	2.201	2.243	2.198	2.177
USD	1.253	1.236	1.359	1.345	1.352

Interest rates

	30.06.2004	31.12.03	30.06.03
CHF ⁽¹⁾	2.878	2.717	2.432
EUR ⁽¹⁾	4.319	4.290	3.800
USD ⁽¹⁾	4.581	4.246	3.513
GBP ⁽¹⁾	5.099	4.802	4.157

Group: Premiums and policyholder deposits (comparable basis)



	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Premiums and PH deposits	11 965	11 836	1.1%
La Suisse (Institution supplétive)	-525	-130	
Netherlands (HBG) ⁽¹⁾		-856	
Swiss Life Spain (divested)		-97	
Currency effect ⁽²⁾		258	
Premiums and PH deposits (comparable basis)	11 440	11 011	+3.9%

⁽¹⁾ Elimination of MEUR 574 single premium

⁽²⁾ Currency Effect: EUR/CHF MCHF 234, GBP/CHF MCHF 24

Life Core: Premiums and policyholder deposits (comparable basis)



	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Premiums and PH deposits	9 972	10 133	-1.6%
Netherlands (HBG) ⁽¹⁾		-856	
Currency effect ⁽²⁾		214	
Premiums and PH deposits (comparable basis)	9 972	9 491	+5.1%

⁽¹⁾ Elimination of MEUR 574 single premium

Financial result



	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Investment income, net	2 698	2 690	+0.3%
Realised and unrealised gains/losses ⁽¹⁾	183	505	-63.8%
Trading income, net ⁽²⁾	-155	-279	
Financial result	2 726	2 916	-6.5%

 $^{(1) \ \ \}text{Includes foreign currency gains and losses on investments recorded in the income statement}$

Banca del Gottardo: Overview of key financials



MCHF (statutory basis)

	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Results from interest activities	74	75	-1.0%
Results from commission and service act.	129	115	+12.1%
Results from trading operations	33	45	-28.0%
Other	4	5	-7.3
Net revenues	240	240	
Personnel expenses	-95	-94	+0.7%
Other operating expenses	-57	-50	+14.4%
Total operating expenses	-152	-144	5.5%
Gross profit	88	96	-8.1%
Depreciation, adj. provisions and losses	-28	-42	-32.8%
Extraordinary result	1	7	
Taxes	-17	-7	
Net profit	44	54	-18.4

Banca del Gottardo: Key ratios



MCHF (statutory basis)

	HY 2004	2003 ⁽¹⁾	Change
Return on equity	9.4%	9.8%	-40 bps
Cost/income ratio	63.5%	62.7%	+80 bps
Risk-weighted assets	6 604	6 788	-2.7%
Shareholders' equity	928	910	+2.0%
BIS ratio (Tier 1)	13.3%	12.6%	+70 bps
BIS ratio (Tier 2)	14.4%	13.7%	+70 bps
Assets under control	39 367	38 531	+2.2%

Adjusted operating expenses



	HY 2004	HY 2003	Change
Operating expenses	1 294	1 447	-10.6%
DAC and commissions	-364	-348	
Loss adjustment expenses	85	83	
Currency effects		22	
Restructuring cost / divestment costs		-9	
Adjustment STG, SL Spain, Oudart		-37	
Change in reserves for employee benefits	5	-16	
Impact of reclassification (France)		-61	
Adjusted operating expenses	1 020	1 081	-5.6%

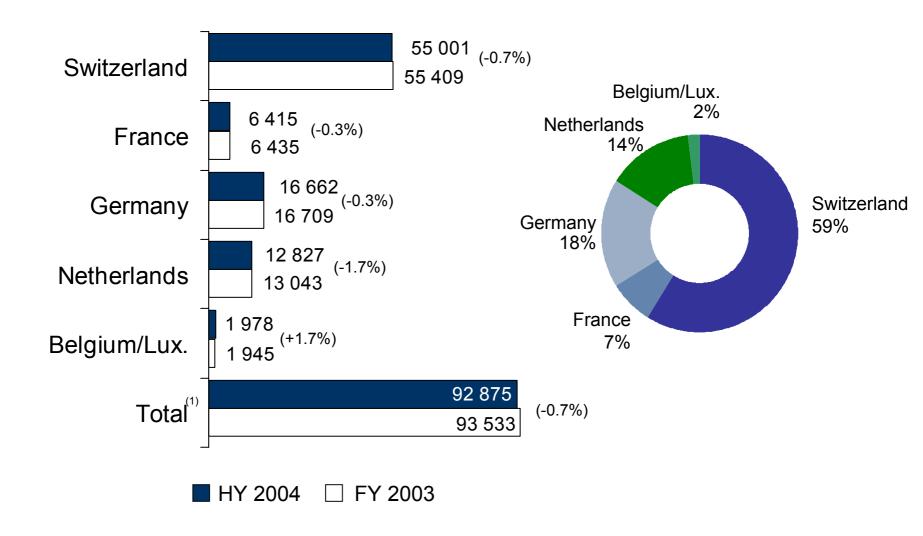
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Life Core: Technical reserves by core countries





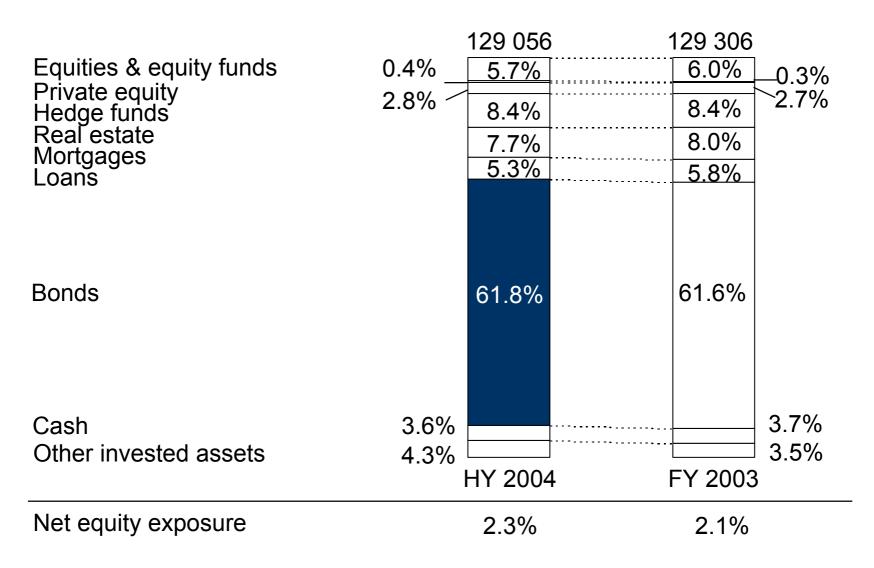
Assets under management



	HY 2004	FY 2003	Change
Total on-B/S-assets ⁽¹⁾	149 582	149 476	+0.1%
minus			
 Assets of unit-linked business 	-2 220	-3 250	-31.7%
 Externally managed alternative investments and other assets 	-6 495	-6 312	+2.9%
Total on-B/S-assets managed in-house	140 867	139 914	+0.7%
Third party off-B/S-assets	44 238	44 330	-0.2%
Total assets under management	185 105	184 244	+0.5%

Asset allocation insurance portfolio





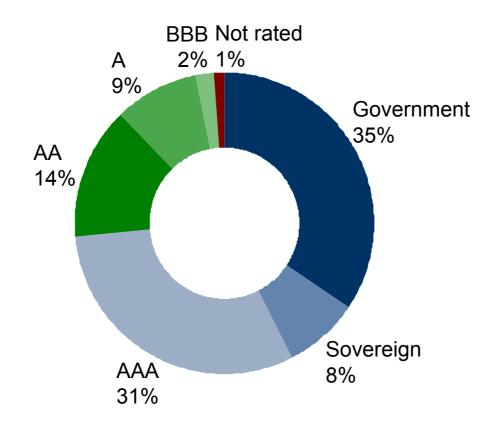
Bond portfolio: ratings





Investments: MCHF 79 700

Breakdown by rating



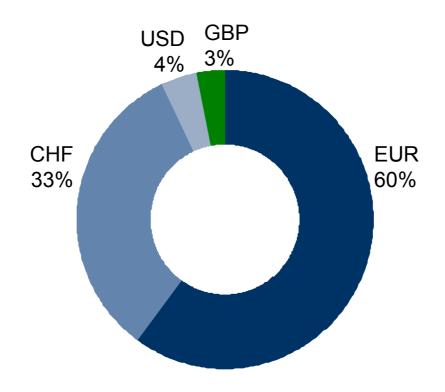
Bond portfolio: currency exposure



Insurance portfolio (IFRS basis)

Investments: MCHF 79 700

Before hedges



Bond portfolio: duration



Group⁽¹⁾

	Market value	Effective duration
CHF	35.4%	7.9
EUR	60.4%	8.1
GBP	0.7%	6.5
USD	3.5%	9.1
Other	0.0%	0.5
Average	100%	8.0

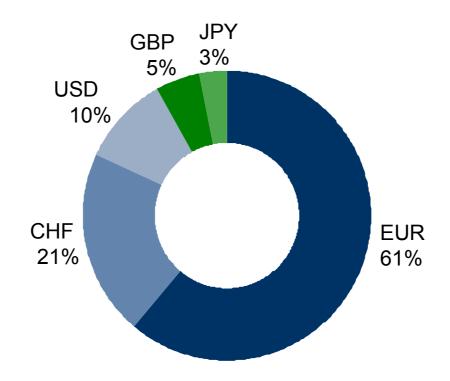
Equity portfolio: currency exposure



Insurance portfolio (IFRS basis)

Investments: MCHF 7 400

Before hedges



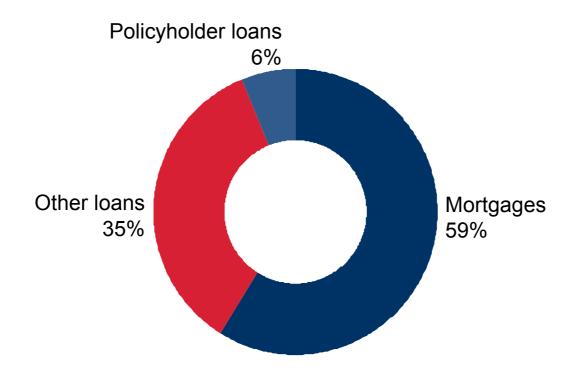
Loan and mortgages portfolio



Insurance portfolio; (IFRS basis)

Investments: MCHF 16 800

Breakdown by type

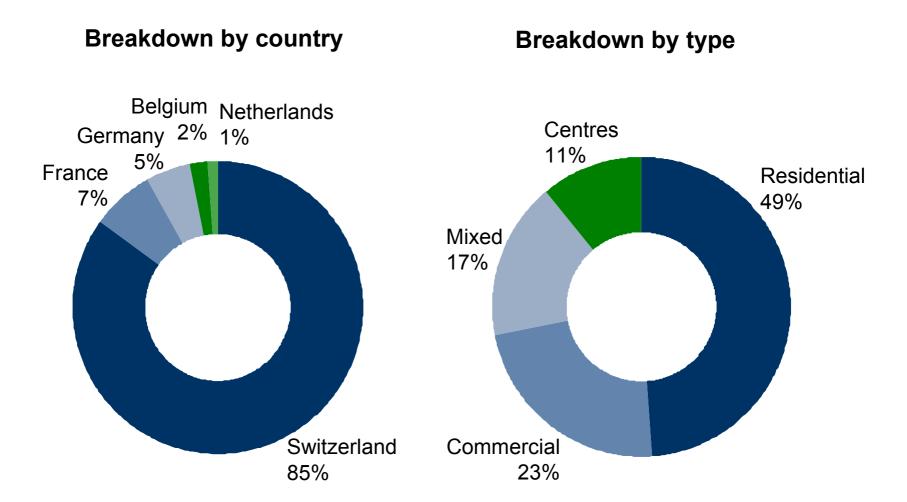


Real estate portfolio



Insurance portfolio, excl. La Suisse; (IFRS basis)

Investments: MCHF 9 900



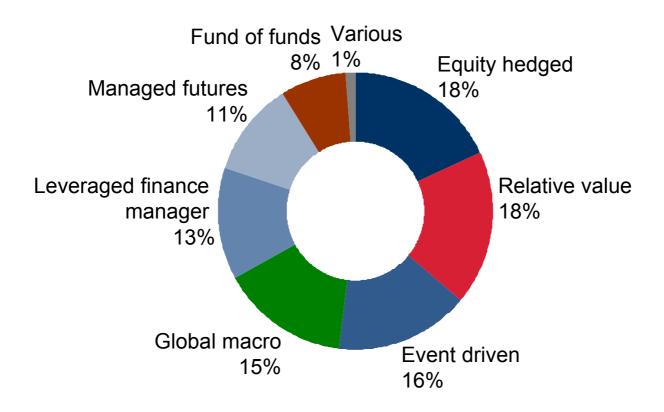
Hedge funds portfolio





Investments: MCHF 3 625

Breakdown by style

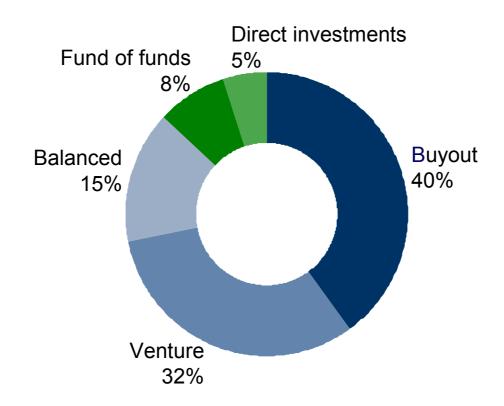


Private equity portfolio





Investments: MCHF 450



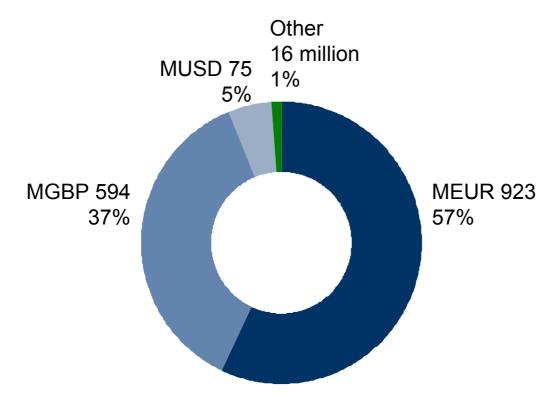
Open commitments: MCHF 380

Currency exposure



Group (not consolidated)

Net: 1.25% of total insurance portfolio assets

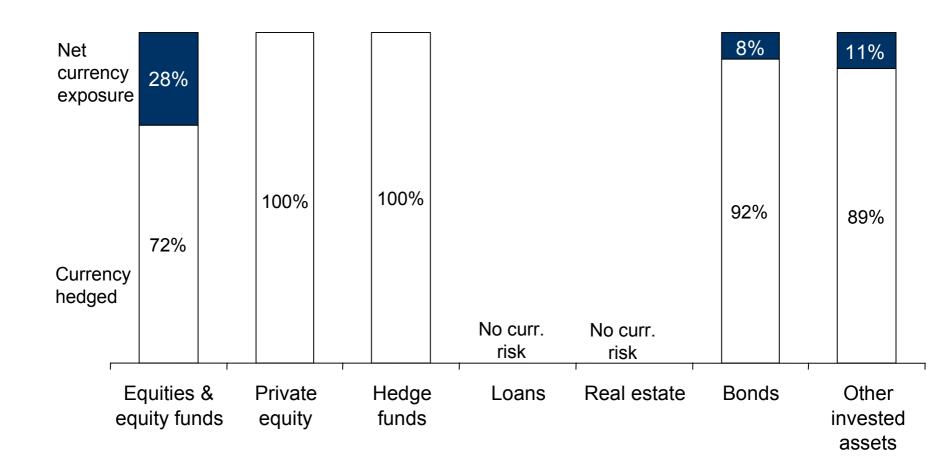


Net currency exposure Hedged Gross exposure MCHF 1 608 MCHF 16 260 MCHF 17 868

Currency hedging ratios



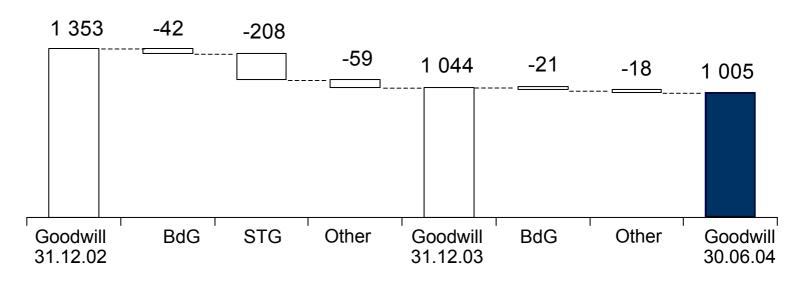
Group (not consolidated)



Goodwill development



MCHF (IFRS basis)



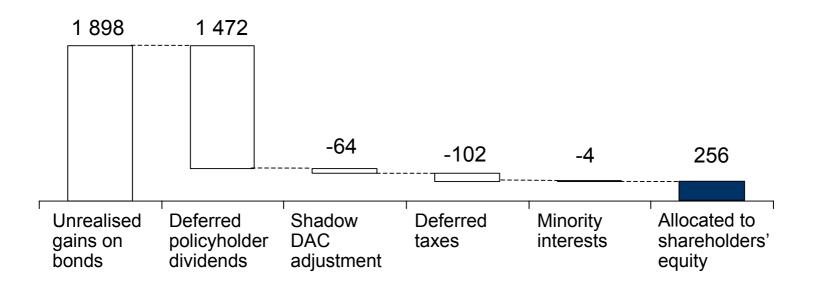
Goodwill in % of:

 SH equity:
 32.4%
 21.0%
 17.3%

 Core capital:
 17.9%
 11.8%
 10.6%

Allocation of unrealised gains on bonds





Statutory solvency for Rentenanstalt

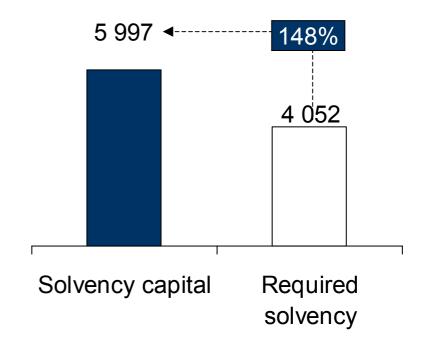


MCHF (statutory basis)

Solvency	capital
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Rentenanstalt stat. equity capital 1 947 Intangibles -73 Hybrid capital 1 284 Additional Zillmerisation +419 Unrealised capital gains +1 886 Unattributed surplus +534 Solvency capital 5 997

Statutory solvency



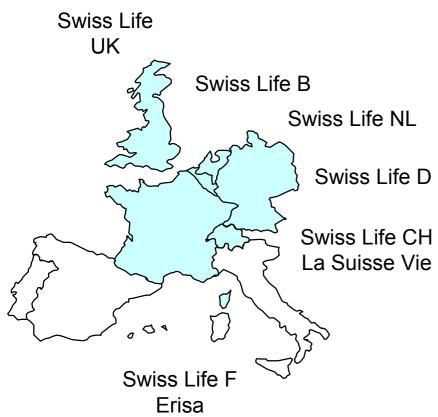
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Implementation of embedded value at Swiss Life





Swiss Life Assurances et Patrimoine

- ANAV and PVFP have been calculated for more than 95% of the mathematical reserves
- For other life insurance entities only the NAV has been included
- The banking and non-life insurance businesses have also been included at book values
- Deloitte has reviewed the embedded value calculations

Key assumptions for embedded value calculation



3.9%

5.2%

5.3%

	HY 2004 CH EU		FY 2003 CH EU		• Weig retur
Risk discount rate	7.0%	7.9%	7.0%	7.9%	alloc
Equity return	5.0%	6.0%	5.0%	6.0%	• Long from
Bond return	3.2%	4.7%	3.0%	4.5%	CH EU
Real estate return	4.2%	5.5%	4.2%	5.1%	• Long
Hedge fund return	5.0%	6.0%	5.0%	6.0%	mono onwa
Weighted new money rate	3.6%	4.8%	3.5%	4.6%	CH EU

- Weighted new money return based on asset allocation
 Long-term bond return from 2009 onwards
 - Long-term weighted new money rate from 2009 onwards
 CH 4.1%
- No uplift for foreign currency bonds assumed

10-year government bond:

	30.06.2004	31.12.2003
Switzerland (CHF)	2.878%	2.717%
Europe (EUR)	4.319%	4.290%

Breakdown of adjusted net asset value (ANAV)



MCHF (statutory basis); Rentenanstalt

	HY 2004	FY 2003	Change
Statutory equity of Rentenanstalt ⁽¹⁾	1 977	1 919	+3.0%
Unrealised capital gains after tax & policyholder participation	593	508	+16.7%
Statutory book value of life subsidiaries	-768	-834	-7.9%
Net asset value of other units	686	587	16.2%
Adjusted net asset value	2 488	2 180	13.9%

Sensitivities of embedded value



MCHF (statutory basis); Swiss Life Group

	Switzerland	Europe	Total
Swiss Life Group EV HY 2004 (base)	4 348	3 061	8 158 ⁽¹⁾
Δ Risk discount rate -50 bps	+212	+117	+329
Δ Investment returns +50 bps	+343	+328	+671
Δ Investment returns -50 bps	-656	-309	-965
Δ Bond returns +50 bps	+137	+193	+330
Δ Bond returns -50 bps	-224	-181	-405
Δ Property values -10%	-509	-31	-540
Δ Investment margin -10 bps	-403	-112	-515

⁽¹⁾ Including ANAV of Swiss Life Holding, overhead and elimination effects of MCHF -749 $\,$

Asset allocation by region





	HY 2004		FY 2003	
	СН	EU	СН	EU
Cash and cash equivalents	1%	1%	1%	3%
Bonds and loans	61%	73%	61%	75%
Mortages	10%	11%	10%	5%
Real estate	14%	4%	14%	3%
Equities	3%	5%	3%	8%
Participations	4%	3%	4%	6%
Alternative investments	7%	3%	7%	0%

Average technical interest rate of 3.15%



In million CHF / EUR / USD / GBP (statutory basis)

Technical interest rate	CHF	EUR	USD	GBP
0% - < 2%	1 653	1 175	2	155
2% - < 3%	25 957	1 316	0	0
3% - < 4%	33 369	13 644	2	83
4% - < 5%	915	15 536	410	627
5% - < 6%	165	353	46	0
6% - < 7.5%	0	34	28	0
Total reserves	62 059	32 058	488	864
Mean technical interest rate	2.79%	3.57%	4.28%	3.79%

Overall: 3.15% (-5 bps)

Cautionary statement regarding forward-looking information



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