



CREDIT RISK TRANSFER (CRT) UPDATE

FOR PERIOD ENDING: DECEMBER 31, 2019



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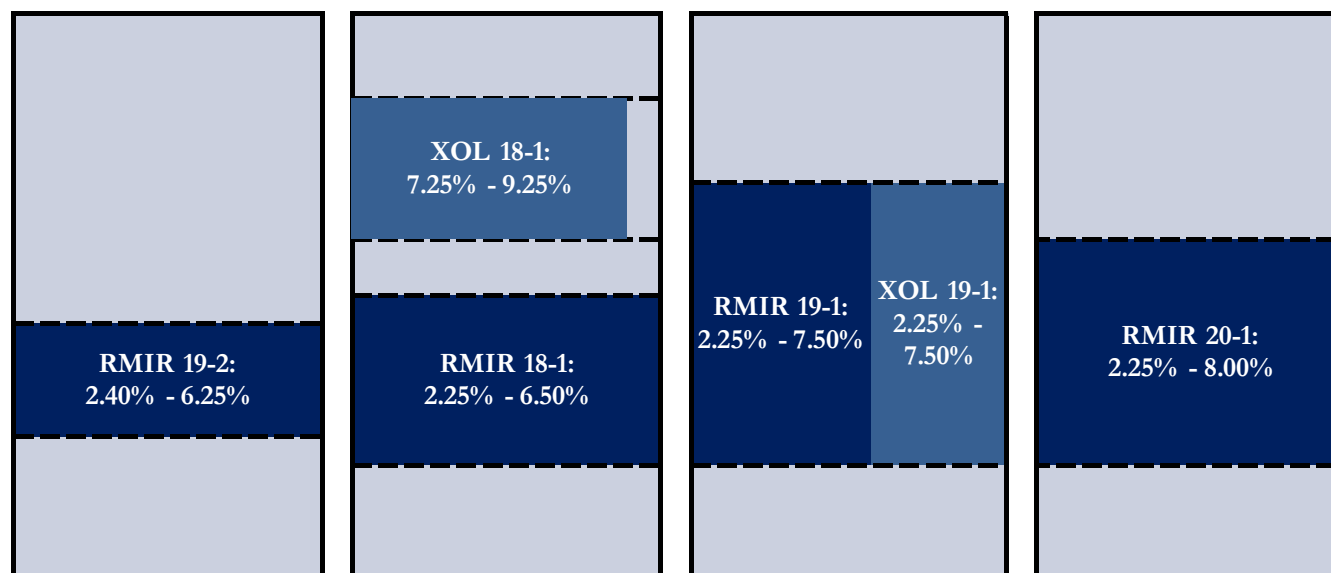
COMPLETED CRT TRANSACTIONS: CLOSING INFORMATION

	RADNOR RE 2020-1 (RMIR 20-1)	RADNOR RE 2019-2 (RMIR 19-2)	RADNOR RE 2019-1 (RMIR 19-1)	XOL 2019-1 (XOL 19-1)	RADNOR RE 2018-1 (RMIR 18-1)	XOL 2018-1 (XOL 18-1)
CLOSING DATE	January 30, 2020	June 20, 2019	February 28, 2019	February 28, 2019	March 22, 2018	November 1, 2018
NIW PERIOD	January 2019 - August 2019	January 2015 - December 2016	January 2018 - December 2018	January 2018 - December 2018	January 2017 - December 2017	January 2017 - December 2017
BOND ISSUANCE / REINSURANCE LIMIT	\$495,889,000	\$333,844,000	\$473,184,000	\$118,650,000	\$424,412,000	\$165,167,226
TRANCHE SIZING	M-1A: \$94,866,000 M-1B: \$133,675,000 M-1C: \$77,617,000 M-2A: \$125,051,000 M-2B: \$43,120,000 B-1: \$21,560,000	M-1A: \$125,734,000 M-1B: \$186,432,000 B-1: \$21,678,000	M-1A: \$84,547,000 M-1B: \$174,563,000 M-2: \$192,937,000 B-1: \$21,137,000	M-1A: \$28,183,000 M-1B: \$39,625,000 M-2: \$43,796,000 B-1: \$7,046,000	M-1: \$189,737,000 M-2: \$209,710,000 B-1: \$24,965,000	X-1: \$187,112,603
SPREAD	M-1A: 0.95% M-1B: 1.45% M-1C: 1.75% M-2A: 2.00% M-2B: 2.25% B-1: 3.00%	M-1A: 1.20% M-1B: 1.75% B-1: 2.70%	M-1A: 1.25% M-1B: 1.95% M-2: 3.20% B-1: 4.45%	-*	M-1: 1.40% M-2: 2.70% B-1: 3.80%	-*
INITIAL CREDIT ENHANCEMENT	M-1A: 6.90% M-1B: 5.35% M-1C: 4.45% M-2A: 3.00% M-2B: 2.50% B-1: 2.25%	M-1A: 4.80% M-1B: 2.65% B-1: 2.40%	M-1A: 6.50% M-1B: 4.60% M-2: 2.50% B-1: 2.25%	M-1A: 6.50% M-1B: 4.60% M-2: 2.50% B-1: 2.25%	M-1: 4.60% M-2: 2.50% B-1: 2.25%	X-1: 7.25%
DBRS / MORNINGSTAR CREDIT RATING	M-1A: BBB (low) M-1B: BB (high) M-1C: BB (low) M-2A: B M-2B: B (low) B-1: NR	M-1A: AA- M-1B: A- B-1: BBB+	M-1A: A- M-1B: BBB- M-2: BB- B-1: B+	N/A	M-1: BBB M-2: BB- B-1: B+	N/A

* Pricing has not been publicly disclosed for XOL agreements.

CRT SUMMARY: AS OF CLOSING

INDEX KEY:	
ESSENT RETAINS	
XOL	
ILN	



VINTAGE YEAR:		2015 & 2016	2017	2018	2019 (JAN-AUG)
IIF AT CLOSING \$M		\$32,080	\$40,551	\$45,036	\$38,018
ORIGINAL REINSURANCE IN FORCE \$M	ILN	\$334	\$424	\$473	\$496
	XOL	-	\$165	\$119	-
	Total:	\$334	\$590	\$592	\$496
INSURANCE LINKED NOTE TRANSACTIONS (ILN) ¹	Attachment:	2.40%	2.25%	2.25%	2.25%
	Detachment:	6.25%	6.50%	7.50%	8.00%
EXCESS OF LOSS AGREEMENTS (XOL) ²	Attachment:	-	7.25%	2.25%	-
	Detachment:	-	9.25%	7.50%	-
TARGET CREDIT ENHANCEMENT %	ILN	6.50%	7.25%	8.50%	9.00%
	XOL	-	N/A	8.50%	-

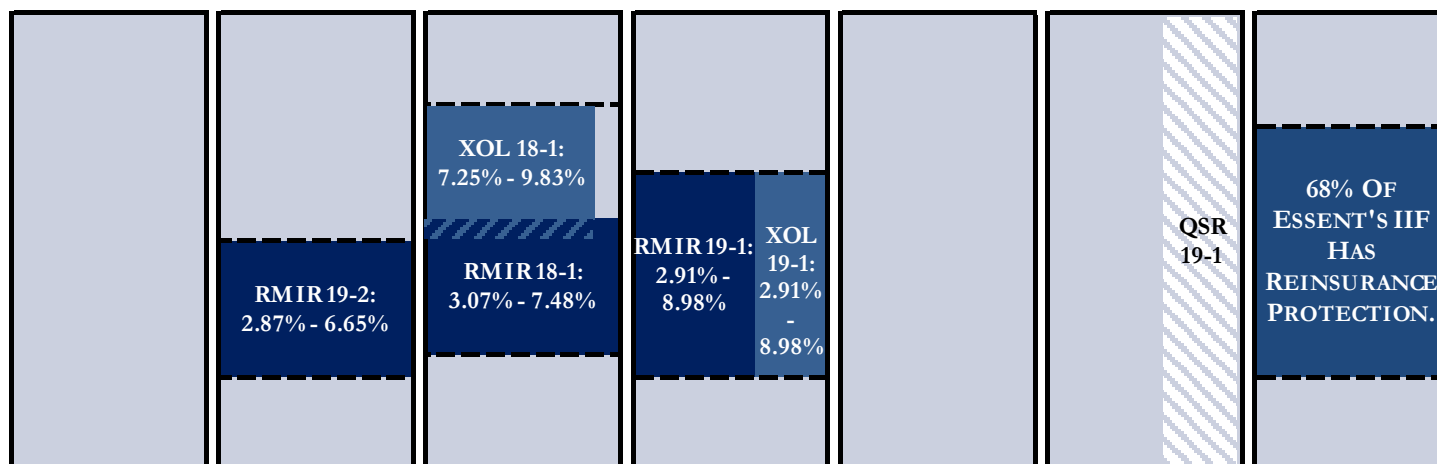
1) Insurance Linked Note Transactions (ILN) are with Radnor Re (RMIR) entities.

➤ The Radnor Re entities are Bermuda Special Purpose Insurers, and are not subsidiaries of nor affiliated with Essent Group Ltd.

2) Excess of Loss Agreements (XOL) are with panels of U.S. & global reinsurers.

CRT SUMMARY: AS OF 12/31/19

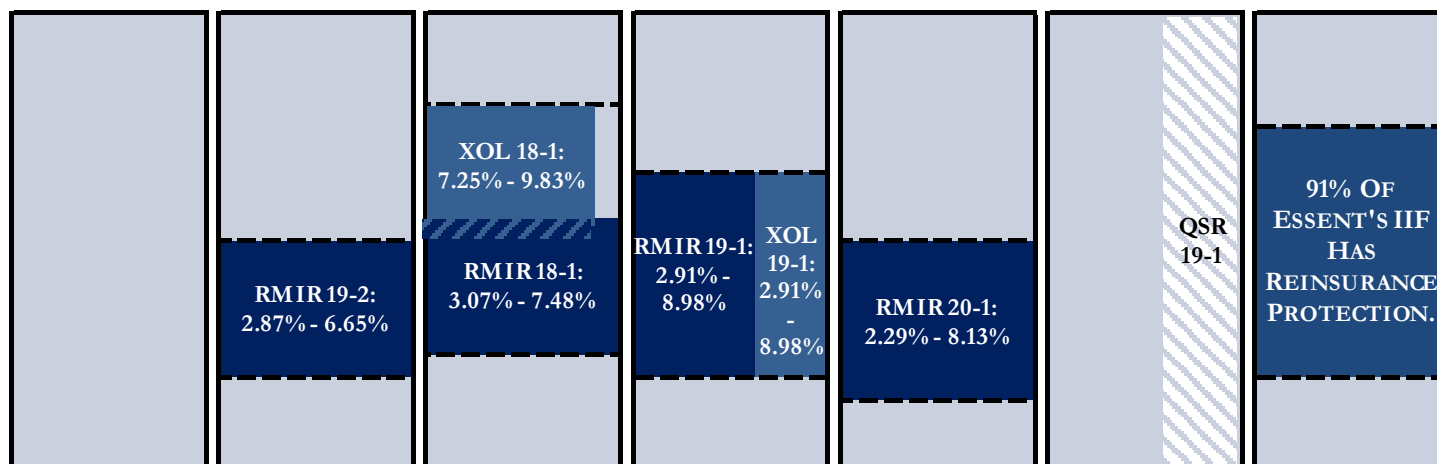
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	REMAINING IIF	2015 & 2016	2017	2018	2019 (JAN-AUG)	2019 (SEP-DEC)	TOTAL:
INSURANCE IN FORCE \$M	\$15,178	\$26,837	\$28,700	\$34,616	\$37,385	\$21,290	\$164,006
% OF TOTAL IIF	9%	16%	17%	21%	23%	13%	100%
REMAINING RISK IN FORCE \$M	\$3,406	\$7,252	\$7,249	\$8,719	\$9,427	\$5,350	\$41,403
REMAINING REINSURANCE IN FORCE \$M	ILN	\$274	\$320	\$427	-	-	\$1,020
	XOL	-	\$165	\$103	-	-	\$268
	Sub Total:	\$274	\$485	\$530	-	-	\$1,288
	QSR	-	-	-	-	\$1,167	\$1,167
LOSSES CEDED TO DATE \$M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REMAINING FIRST LAYER RETENTION \$M		\$208	\$223	\$253	-	n/a	\$684
INSURANCE LINKED NOTE TRANSACTIONS (ILN) ¹	Attachment: ³	-	3.07%	2.91%	-	-	-
	Detachment:	-	7.48% ⁵	8.98%	-	-	-
EXCESS OF LOSS AGREEMENTS (XOL) ²	Attachment: ³	-	7.25% ⁵	2.91%	-	-	-
	Detachment:	-	9.83%	8.98%	-	-	-
PMIERS CAPITAL CREDIT \$M ⁴	ILN	\$221	\$283	\$350	-	-	\$854
	XOL	-	-	\$79	-	-	\$79
	QSR	-	-	-	-	\$80	\$80
	Total:	\$221	\$283	\$429	-	\$80	\$1,013

CRT SUMMARY: PRO FORMA⁶ AS OF 12/31/19

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	XOL	-	-	\$165	\$103	-	\$268
	Sub Total:	-	\$274	\$485	\$530	-	\$1,784
	QSR	-	-	-	-	\$1,167	\$1,167
LOSSES CEDED TO DATE \$M	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REMAINING FIRST LAYER RETENTION \$M		\$208	\$223	\$253	\$216	n/a	\$900
INSURANCE LINKED NOTE TRANSACTIONS (ILN) ¹	Attachment: ³	-	2.87%	3.07%	2.91%	-	-
	Detachment:	-	6.65%	7.48% ⁵	8.98%	-	-
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	Detachment:	-	-	9.83%	8.98%	-	-
PMIERS CAPITAL CREDIT \$M ⁴	ILN	-	\$221	\$283	\$350	-	\$1,298
	XOL	-	-	-	\$79	-	\$79
	QSR	-	-	-	-	\$80	\$80
	Total:	-	\$221	\$283	\$429	\$80	\$1,457