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Validus Holdings, Ltd. Explanatory Notes

Basis of Presentation

- All financial information contained herein is unaudited, however, certain information contained herein relating to the years ended December 31, 2011, 2010 and 2009 is derived from or agrees to audited financial information.
- Unless otherwise noted, dollar amounts are in thousands of U.S. dollars, except for share and per share amounts and ratio information.
- On May 25, 2011, the Company joined with other investors in capitalizing AlphaCat Re 2011, Ltd. ("AlphaCat Re 2011") a new special purpose "sidecar" reinsurer formed for the purpose of writing collateralized reinsurance and retrocessional reinsurance. The financial statements of AlphaCat Re 2011 were included in the consolidated financial statements of the Company during 2011 as Validus Re held a majority of AlphaCat Re 2011's outstanding voting rights. The portion of AlphaCat Re 2011's earnings attributable to third party investors for the year ended December 31, 2011 is recorded in the consolidated statement of operations and comprehensive income as 'net income attributable to noncontrolling interest'. On December 23, 2011 AlphaCat Re 2011 made a secondary share offering and subsequently Validus Re sold 86,113 shares in AlphaCat Re 2011 and no longer held a majority of the outstanding voting rights and therefore had an equity method investment in AlphaCat Re 2011 as at December 31, 2011.
- Certain amounts in prior periods have been reclassified to conform to current period presentation. These reclassifications include internal re-categorization between classes of business and treaty types.
- During the first quarter 2010, to better align the Company's operating and reporting structure with its current strategy, there was a change in the segment structure. This change was to allocate all 'non-core underwriting' expenses, predominately general and administration and stock compensation expenses to the Corporate segment.
- During the first quarter 2011, to better align the Company's operating and reporting structure with it's current strategy, there was a change in segment structure. This change was to reallocate the New York operations from the Corporate Segment to the Talbot segment.

Financial Measures

In presenting our results, we include certain financial measures which are important for an understanding of our overall results of operations. We believe that these measures are important to investors and other interested parties, and that such persons benefit from having a consistent basis for comparison with other companies within the industry. However, these measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by companies either inside or outside of the insurance industry.

- In the basic earnings per share calculation, dividends and distributions declared on warrants are deducted from net income. In calculating diluted earnings per share, we consider the application of the treasury stock method and the two-class method and which ever is more dilutive is included into the calculation of diluted earnings per share.
- Net operating income (loss), a non-GAAP financial measure, is defined as net income (loss) excluding net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments, foreign exchange gains (losses) and non-recurring items. This measure focuses on the underlying fundamentals of our operations without the influence of gains (losses) from the sale of investments, translation of non-U.S.\$ currencies and non-recurring items. Gains (losses) from the sale of investments are driven by the timing of the disposition of investments, not by our operating performance. Gains (losses) arising from translation of non-U.S.\$ denominated balances are unrelated to our underlying business. Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus is defined as above, but excluding income (loss) available (attributable) to noncontrolling interest. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial Measure Reconciliation on page 41.
- Underwriting income is a measure of profitability that takes into account net premiums earned and other insurance related income as revenue and net loss and loss expenses, acquisition costs and underwriting related general and administrative expenses as expenses. Underwriting income is the difference between revenues and expense items. A reconciliation of underwriting income to net income, the most comparable U.S. GAAP financial measure is presented in the 'Consolidated Statement of Operations Underwriting Income Format' contained herein.
- Annualized effective investment yield is calculated by dividing the investment income generated from invested assets and other investments by the average balance of the assets managed by our portfolio managers and our other investments during the period. Percentages for the quarter periods are annualized.
- Annualized return on average equity represents the level of net income available to the shareholders generated from average shareholders' equity during the period. Average shareholders' equity is the average of the beginning, ending and intervening quarter end shareholders' equity balances. Percentages for the quarter periods are annualized.
- Annualized net operating return on average equity is calculated by dividing the operating income available to the shareholders for the period by the average shareholders' equity during the period.

 Average shareholders' equity is the average of the beginning, ending and intervening quarter end shareholders' equity balances. Percentages for the quarter periods are annualized. A reconciliation of net operating income available to Validus to net income available to Validus is included on page 41.



Validus Holdings, Ltd. Consolidated Financial Highlights

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

			Thre	e Months Ended			Year E	nded	
		December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	D	ecember 31,
		 2011	2011	2011	2011	2010	2011		2010
Highlights	Net income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	\$ 27,324	\$ 56,485 \$	109,884	\$ (172,364) \$	102,687	\$ 21,329	\$	402,564
	Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus (a	23,394	112,602	81,797	(165,448)	156,351	52,345		322,763
	Gross premiums written	278,279	391,129	605,387	849,896	258,731	2,124,691		1,990,566
	Net premiums earned	488,346	458,624	425,640	429,533	432,811	1,802,143		1,761,123
	Total assets	7,618,471	8,000,740	8,259,788	7,825,690	7,060,878	7,618,471		7,060,878
	Total shareholders' equity available to Validus	3,448,425	3,443,869	3,408,317	3,315,321	3,504,831	3,448,425		3,504,831
Per share data	Earnings per basic share (b)								
	Net income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.55 \$	1.10	\$ (1.78) \$	0.95	\$ 0.14	\$	3.41
	Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	0.22	1.12	0.81	(1.71)	1.46	0.45		2.72
	Earnings per diluted share (b)								
	Net income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	\$ 0.25		1.05	\$ (1.78) \$	0.92	\$ 0.14	\$	3.34
	Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	0.21	1.09	0.78	(1.71)	1.40	0.44		2.68
	Book value per share								
	Reported	\$ 34.67		34.51	\$ 33.73 \$	35.76	\$ 34.67	\$	35.76
	With investments at amortized cost	34.37	34.48	33.87	33.27	35.26	34.37		35.26
	Diluted book value per share (b)								
	Reported	\$ 32.28	\$ 32.23 \$	31.91	\$ 31.32 \$	32.98	\$ 32.28	\$	32.98
	With investments at amortized cost	32.02	31.97	31.35	30.92	32.54	32.02		32.54
	Diluted book value per common share plus accumulated dividends	\$ 35.76	\$ 35.46 \$	34.89	\$ 34.05 \$	35.46	\$ 35.76	\$	35.46
Financial ratios	Losses and loss expense ratio	68.6%	49.3%	48.7%	110.9%	35.9%	69.1%		56.1%
	Policy acquisition costs ratio	16.6%	16.9%	18.4%	18.0%	17.4%	17.4%		16.6%
	General and administration expenses ratio	12.2%	<u>9.4</u> %	16.1%	14.1%	14.4%	12.9%		<u>13.5</u> %
	Expense ratio	28.8%	26.3%	34.5%	32.1%	31.8%	30.3%		30.1%
	Combined ratio	97.4%	<u>75.6</u> %	83.2%	143.0%	<u>67.7</u> %	99.4%		<u>86.2</u> %
	Annualized return on average equity (c)	3.2%	6.6%	13.1%	(20.2)%	11.3%	0.6%		10.8%
	Annualized net operating return on average equity (d)	2.7%	13.1%	9.7%	(19.4)%	17.2%	1.5%		8.6%

Notes:

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Validus Holdings, Ltd.

Summary Consolidated Balance Sheets

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	De	ecember 31, 2011	Se	ptember 30, 2011		June 30, 2011		March 31, 2011	De	ecember 31, 2010	Se	ptember 30, 2010		June 30, 2010		March 31, 2010
Assets																
Fixed maturities, at fair value	\$	4,894,145	\$	4,777,686	\$	4,603,534	\$	4,589,849	\$	4,823,867	\$	5,200,285	\$	4,975,019	\$	5,181,042
Short-term investments, at fair value		280,191		547,452		725,258		565,620		273,514		228,356		269,782		308,502
Other investments, at fair value		16,787		15,905		18,746		19,772		21,478		19,888		26,068		34,398
Cash and cash equivalents		832,844		855,982		815,921		717,444		620,740		518,770		492,489		478,476
Total investments and cash		6,023,967		6,197,025		6,163,459		5,892,685		5,739,599		5,967,299		5,763,358		6,002,418
Investment in non-consolidated affiliate		53,031		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Premiums receivable		646,354		808,472		1,046,775		916,012		568,761		745,968		931,670		803,921
Deferred acquisition costs		121,505		154,694		176,724		174,361		123,897		151,701		165,957		165,158
Prepaid reinsurance premiums		91,381		141,631		177,729		115,522		71,417		88,651		185,771		103,950
Securities lending collateral		7,736		24,250		21,409		33,143		22,328		33,135		99,224		99,230
Loss reserves recoverable		372,485		386,200		439,805		453,701		283,134		268,821		193,604		198,956
Paid losses recoverable		90,495		80,917		30,854		26,483		27,996		19,560		24,133		18,261
Net receivable for investments sold				-		-		-						25,542		13,879
Income taxes recoverable		-		3,057		3,503		876		1,142		1,027		1,171		2,261
Intangible assets		114,731		115,773		116,813		117,853		118,893		119,935		120,975		122,015
Goodwill		20,393		20,393		20,393		20,393		20,393		20,393		20,393		20,393
Accrued investment income		25,906		27,062		21,320		33,282		33,726		41,464		38,643		42,867
Other assets		50,487		41,266		41,004		41,379		49,592		45,288		44,182		39,267
Total assets	\$	7,618,471	\$	8,000,740	\$	8,259,788	\$	7,825,690	\$	7,060,878	\$	7,503,242	\$	7,614,623	\$	7,632,576
Liabilities																
Reserve for losses and loss expenses	\$	2,631,143	\$	2,565,912	\$	2,620,360	\$	2,534,415	\$	2,035,973	\$	2,020,845	\$	1,978,130	\$	1,976,889
Unearned premiums		772,382		1,058,593		1,192,772		1,083,164		728,516		955,236		1,176,603		1,083,591
Reinsurance balances payable		119,899		103,997		181,013		157,645		63,667		60,561		98,740		44,715
Securities lending payable		8,462		25,000		22,133		33,878		23,093		33,905		100,000		100,000
Deferred income taxes		16,720		24,195		22,122		22,705		24,908		23,827		26,200		24,104
Net payable for investments purchased		1,256		12,549		49,479		59,671		43,896		14,415		-		-
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		83,402		83,647		91,969		82,190		99,320		96,521		95,404		107,119
Senior notes payable		246,982		246,955		246,928		246,901		246,874		246,847		246,820		246,793
Debentures payable		289,800		289,800		289,800		289,800		289,800		289,800		289,800		289,800
Total liabilities		4,170,046		4,410,648	_	4,716,576	_	4,510,369	_	3,556,047		3,741,957		4,011,697		3,873,011
Shareholders' equity																
Common shares	\$	23,538	¢	23,463	¢	23,414	¢	23,331	¢	23,247	¢	23,154	Ś	23,101	Ġ	23,081
Treasury shares	,	(6,131)	Ψ.	(6,131)	Υ.	(6,131)	Ÿ	(6,131)	~	(6,096)	Ψ.	(4,037)	Ÿ	(3,605)	Ψ.	(1,397)
Additional paid-in-capital		1,893,890		1,886,897		1,880,748		1,870,104		1,860,960		2,193,140		2,247,995		2,555,243
Accumulated other comprehensive (loss)		(6,601)		(4,932)		(4,519)		(4,498)		(5,455)		(4,945)		(6,726)		(6,658)
Retained earnings		1,543,729		1,544,572		1,514,805		1,432,515		1,632,175		1,553,973		1,342,161		1,189,296
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Total shareholders' equity available to Validus	-	3,448,425		3,443,869	_	3,408,317	_	3,315,321	_	3,504,831	_	3,761,285	_	3,602,926	_	3,759,565
Noncontrolling interest				146,223		134,895	_		_					-		
Total shareholders' equity		3,448,425		3,590,092	_	3,543,212	_	3,315,321	_	3,504,831		3,761,285		3,602,926		3,759,565
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$	7,618,471	\$	8,000,740	\$	8,259,788	\$	7,825,690	\$	7,060,878	\$	7,503,242	\$	7,614,623	\$	7,632,576
Book value per common share	Ś	34.67	Ś	34.77	\$	34.51	Ś	33.73	Ś	35.76	\$	34.43	\$	32.34	\$	30.34
Diluted book value per common share	Ś	32.28	\$	32.23	\$	31.91	Ś	31.32	Ś	32.98	\$	32.02	\$		\$	28.66
Diluted book value per common share	ږ	32.20	ب	32.23	ب	31.91	ڔ	31.32	ب	32.30	ب	32.02	ڔ	30.30	ب	20.00
Diluted book value per common share plus accumulated dividends	\$	35.76	\$	35.46	\$	34.89	\$	34.05	\$	35.46	\$	34.28	\$	32.34	\$	30.48



Computation of Book Value per Common Share and Diluted Book Value per Common Share

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

			At December 31,	2011	<u>.</u>			At December 31,	2010					
				Exe	rcise Price	Boo	ok Value				Exer	ise Price	Воо	k Value
	Equ	uity Amount	Shares		(a)	Pe	r Share	E	quity Amount	Shares		(a)	Per	r Share
Book value per common share, reported														
Book value per common share														
Total shareholders' equity available to Validus	\$	3,448,425	99,471,080			\$	34.67	\$	3,504,831	98,001,226			\$	35.76
Diluted book value per common share														
Total shareholders' equity available to Validus	\$	3,448,425	99,471,080					\$	3,504,831	98,001,226				
Assumed exercise of outstanding warrants (b)		121,445	6,916,678	\$	17.56				139,272	7,934,860	\$	17.55		
Assumed exercise of outstanding stock options (b)		45,530	2,263,012	\$	20.12				54,997	2,723,684	\$	20.19		
Unvested restricted shares			3,340,728							3,496,096				
Diluted book value per common share	\$	3,615,400	111,991,498			\$	32.28	\$	3,699,100	112,155,866			\$	32.98
Book value per common share, adjusted (c)														
Book value per common share														
Total shareholders' equity available to Validus	\$	3,448,425						\$	3,504,831					
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		6,601							5,455					
Unrealized (gains) on investments		(36,117)							(54,986)					
Total shareholders' equity, adjusted	\$	3,418,909	99,471,080			\$	34.37	\$	3,455,300	98,001,226			\$	35.26
Diluted book value per common share														
Total shareholders' equity available to Validus, adjusted	\$	3,418,909	99,471,080					\$	3,455,300	98,001,226				
Assumed exercise of outstanding warrants (b)		121,445	6,916,678	\$	17.56				139,272	7,934,860	\$	17.55		
Assumed exercise of outstanding stock options (b)		45,530	2,263,012	\$	20.12				54,997	2,723,684	\$	20.19		
Unvested restricted shares			3,340,728						<u>-</u> _	3,496,096				
Diluted book value per common share	\$	3,585,884	111,991,498			\$	32.02	\$	3,649,569	112,155,866			\$	32.54

Notes:

- (a) Weighted average exercise price for those warrants and stock options that have an exercise price lower than book value per share.
- (b) Using the "as-if-converted" method, assuming all proceeds received upon exercise of warrants and stock options will be retained by the Company and the resulting common shares from exercise remain outstanding.
- (c) Adjusted book value excludes unrealized (gains) losses on investments and accumulated other comprehensive (income) loss.



Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

			Year	Ended			
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2010	2011	2010
Cash flows provided by (used in) operating activities							
Net income (loss)	\$ 35,007	\$ 70,001	\$ 110,478	\$ (172,364)	\$ 102,687	\$ 43,122	\$ 402,564
Adjustments to reconcile net income to cash provided by (used in) operating activities:							
Share compensation expenses Amortization of discount on senior notes	7,237 27	7,382 27	7,628 27	12,049 27	7,871 27	34,296 108	28,911 81
Net realized (gains) losses on investments	(5,355)	(5,246)	(11,552)	(6,379)	14,399	(28,532)	
Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments	(2,159)	27,848	(18,526)	12,828	42,689	19,991	(45,952)
Amortization of intangible assets	1,042	1,040	1,040	1,040	1,042	4,162	4,162
Foreign exchange losses (gains) on cash and cash equivalents included in net income	57	22,331	(8,035)	(4,694)	1,981	9,659	(1,451)
Amortization of premium on fixed maturities	7,680	7,223	7,705	8,542	9,239	31,150	32,175
Change in:	,	, -	,	-,-	-,	, , , ,	
Premiums receivable	162,300	235,185	(130,094)	(345,025)	175,928	(77,634)	(19,011)
Deferred acquisition costs	33,189	22,030	(2,363)	(50,464)	27,804	2,392	(11,568)
Prepaid reinsurance premiums	50,250	36,098	(62,207)	(44,105)	17,234	(19,964)	1,747
Loss reserves recoverable	13,816	51,954	13,834	(168,836)	(15,069)	(89,232)	(102,268)
Paid losses recoverable	(9,713)	(50,028)	(4,371)	1,546	(8,465)	(62,566)	
Income taxes recoverable	3,380	236	(2,706)	306	(25)	1,216	994
Accrued investment income	1,130	(5,786)	11,962	444	7,747	7,750	4,351
Other assets	(8,314)	(1,611)	3,942	5,409	(3,911)	(574)	
Reserve for losses and loss expenses	65,400	(44,907)	86,476	489,356	18,945	596,325	419,350
Unearned premiums	(286,211)	(134,179)	109,608	354,648	(226,720)	43,866	4,412
Reinsurance balances payable	15,835	(75,874)	23,425	92,655	3,867	56,041	(659)
Deferred income taxes	(7,628)	2,093	1,280	(3,891)	885	(8,146)	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(1,733)	(5,528)	3,506	(14,535)	3,182	(18,290)	(29,174)
Net cash provided by operating activities	75,237	160,289	141,057	168,557	181,337	545,140	630,001
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Cash flows provided by (used in) investing activities Proceeds on sales of investments	634,033	769,658	1,073,598	1,581,206	1,376,828	4,058,495	5,349,053
Proceeds on maturities of investments	86,412	71,539	86,426	108,629	77,682	353,006	349,851
Purchases of fixed maturities	(853,526)	(1,083,563)	(1,164,283)	(1,449,698)	(1,117,848)	(4,551,070)	(5,612,979)
Sales (purchases) of short-term investments, net	58,884	177,767	(159,575)	(292,131)	(45,062)	(215,055)	208,278
(Purchases) sales of other investments	(397)	555	3,809	(232,131)	(860)	3,967	17,210
Decrease (increase) in securities lending collateral	16,538	(2,867)	11,745	(10,785)	10,812	14,631	67,013
Proceeds on sale of AlphaCat Re 2011	11,000	(=,==-,	,	(==), ==)	,	11,000	
Cash (redeemed) in deconsolidation of AlphaCat Re 2011	(67,808)	-	-	-	-	(67,808)	-
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities	(114,864)	(66,911)	(148,280)	(62,779)	301,552	(392,834)	378,426
Cash flows provided by (used in) financing activities							
Net proceeds on issuance of senior notes							246,793
(Redemption) issuance of common shares, net	(169)	(1,184)	3,099	3,139	8,450	4,885	7,966
Purchases of common shares under share repurchase program	(203)	(1)101)	-	(5,995)	(350,467)	(5,995)	(856,926)
Dividends paid	(26,583)	(27,108)	(26,804)	(27,196)	(23,803)	(107,691)	
(Decrease) increase in securities lending payable	(16,538)	2,867	(11,745)	10,785	(10,812)	(14,631)	(67,013)
Third party investment in noncontrolling interest	60,000	(2,188)	134,301	-	- ,	192,113	-
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	16,710	(27,613)	98,851	(19,267)	(376,632)	68,681	(774,842)
Effect of foreign currency rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	(221)	(25,704)	6,849	10,193	(4,287)	(8,883)	(430)
	-			•			
Net (decrease) increase in cash	(23,138)	40,061	98,477	96,704	101,970	212,104	233,155
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of period	855,982	\$ 815,921		\$ 620,740	\$ 518,770	\$ 620,740	\$ 387,585
Cash and cash equivalents - end of period	\$ 832,844	\$ 855,982	\$ 815,921	\$ 717,444	\$ 620,740	\$ 832,844	\$ 620,740
Taxes (recovered) paid during the period	\$ (956)	\$ (303)	\$ (3,399)	\$ 26	\$ 21	\$ (4,632)	\$ 2,379
Interest paid during the period	\$ 4,441	\$ 15,513	\$ 6,365	\$ 17,458	\$ 6,364	\$ 43,777	\$ 36,552
Losses paid during the period	\$ 258,467	\$ 200,256	\$ 121,046	\$ 163,257	\$ 153,492	\$ 743,026	\$ 673,422



Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss)

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

				Year	Ended					
	De	cember 31, 2011	September 2011	0,	June 30, 2011	March 31, 2011	Dec	ember 31, 2010	December 31, 2011	December 31, 2010
Revenues										
Gross premiums written	\$	278,279	\$ 391	129	\$ 605,387	\$ 849,896	\$	258,731	\$ 2,124,691	\$ 1,990,566
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(16,489)	(30	586)	(132,346)	(109,820)	(35,376)	(289,241)	(229,482)
Net premiums written		261,790	360	543	473,041	740,076		223,355	1,835,450	1,761,084
Change in unearned premiums		226,556	98	081	(47,401)	(310,543)	209,456	(33,307)	39
Net premiums earned		488,346		624	425,640	429,533		432,811	1,802,143	1,761,123
Net investment income		28,080		747	26,494	29,975		30,962	112,296	134,103
Net realized gains (losses) on investments		5,355	5	246	11,552	6,379		(14,399)	28,532	32,498
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		2,159	(27	848)	18,526	(12,828)	(42,689)	(19,991)	45,952
Other income		3,517		-	595	1,606		552	5,718	5,219
Foreign exchange gains (losses)		266		932)	(1,991)	(467)	3,424	(22,124)	1,351
Total revenues		527,723	443	837	480,816	454,198		410,661	1,906,574	1,980,246
Expenses										
Losses and loss expenses		334,829	226	067	207,307	476,198		155,225	1,244,401	987,586
Policy acquisition costs		81,253	77	405	78,230	77,296		75,523	314,184	292,899
General and administrative expenses		52,253	35	926	60,841	48,477		54,511	197,497	209,290
Share compensation expenses		7,237	7	382	7,628	12,049		7,871	34,296	28,911
Finance expenses		13,520	10	935	16,361	14,001		13,786	54,817	55,870
Transaction expenses (a)		3,850	13	583	-			-	17,433	
Total expenses		492,942	371	298	370,367	628,021		306,916	1,862,628	1,574,556
Net income (loss) before taxes		34,781	72	539	110,449	(173,823)	103,745	43,946	405,690
Tax benefit (expense)		226	(2	538)	29	1,459		(1,058)	(824)	(3,126)
Net income (loss)		35,007	70	001	110,478	(172,364)	102,687	43,122	402,564
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(7,683)	(13	516)	(594)			-	(21,793)	
Net income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	\$	27,324	\$ 56	485	\$ 109,884	\$ (172,364) \$	102,687	\$ 21,329	\$ 402,564
Comprehensive income										
Foreign currency translation adjustments		(1,669)		413)	(21)	957		(510)	(1,146)	(604)
Comprehensive income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus	\$	25,655	\$ 56	072	\$ 109,863	\$ (171,407) \$	102,177	\$ 20,183	\$ 401,960
Earnings per share										
Weighted average number of common shares and										
common share equivalents outstanding										
Basic		99,137,696	98,961	795	98,385,924	97,944,340	1	105,828,739	98,607,439	116,018,364
Diluted		101,324,291	100,823		104,562,450	97,944,340		11,316,736	100,928,284	120,630,945
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Basic earnings (loss) per share available (attributable) to common shareholders	\$	0.26		_	\$ 1.10	\$ (1.78		0.95	\$ 0.14	\$ 3.41
Diluted earnings (loss) per share available (attributable) to common shareholders	\$	0.25	\$).54	\$ 1.05	\$ (1.78) <u>\$</u>	0.92	\$ 0.14	\$ 3.34
Cash dividends declared per share	\$	0.25	\$	0.25	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.25	\$	0.22	\$ 1.00	\$ 0.88

Note

(a) The transaction expenses relate to costs incurred in connection with the Company's proposed acquisition of Transatlantic Holdings, Inc. Transaction expenses are primarily comprised of legal, financial advisory and audit related services.



Validus Holdings, Ltd.

Consolidated Statements of Operations - Underwriting Income Format

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

				т	hre	ee Months Ende	d					Year E	nde	ed
	De	ecember 31, 2011	S	eptember 30, 2011		June 30, 2011		March 31, 2011		December 31, 2010		December 31, 2011	D	ecember 31, 2010
Underwriting income														
Gross premiums written	\$	278,279	\$	391,129	\$	605,387	\$	849,896	\$	258,731	\$	2,124,691	\$	1,990,566
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(16,489)		(30,586)		(132,346)	_	(109,820)	_	(35,376)	_	(289,241)		(229,482)
Net premiums written		261,790		360,543		473,041		740,076		223,355		1,835,450		1,761,084
Change in unearned premiums		226,556		98,081		(47,401)	_	(310,543)	_	209,456	_	(33,307)		39
Net premiums earned		488,346	_	458,624	_	425,640	_	429,533	_	432,811	-	1,802,143	_	1,761,123
Underwriting deductions														
Losses and loss expenses		334,829		226,067		207,307		476,198		155,225		1,244,401		987,586
Policy acquisition costs		81,253		77,405		78,230		77,296		75,523		314,184		292,899
General and administrative expenses		52,253		35,926		60,841		48,477		54,511		197,497		209,290
Share compensation expenses	_	7,237	_	7,382	_	7,628	_	12,049	_	7,871	_	34,296		28,911
Total underwriting deductions		475,572	_	346,780	_	354,006	_	614,020	-	293,130	-	1,790,378	_	1,518,686
Underwriting income (loss)	\$	12,774	\$	111,844	\$	71,634	\$	(184,487)	\$	139,681	\$	11,765	\$	242,437
Net investment income		28,080		27,747		26,494		29,975		30,962		112,296		134,103
Other income		3,517		-		595		1,606		552		5,718		5,219
Finance expenses		(13,520)	_	(10,935)		(16,361)	_	(14,001)	_	(13,786)	_	(54,817)		(55,870)
Operating income (loss) before taxes		30,851		128,656		82,362		(166,907)		157,409		74,962		325,889
Tax benefit (expense)		226	_	(2,538)		29	_	1,459	_	(1,058)	_	(824)		(3,126)
Net operating income (loss) (a)	\$	31,077	\$	126,118	\$	82,391	\$	(165,448)	\$	156,351	\$	74,138	\$	322,763
Net realized gains (losses) on investments		5,355		5,246		11,552		6,379		(14,399)		28,532		32,498
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		2,159		(27,848)		18,526		(12,828)		(42,689)		(19,991)		45,952
Foreign exchange gains (losses)		266		(19,932)		(1,991)		(467)		3,424		(22,124)		1,351
Transaction expenses (c)		(3,850)	_	(13,583)		-	_		_	-	_	(17,433)		
Net income (loss)	\$	35,007	\$	70,001	\$	110,478	\$	(172,364)	\$	102,687	\$	43,122	\$	402,564
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(7,683)	_	(13,516)	_	(594)	_		_		_	(21,793)	_	
Net income available to Validus	\$	27,324	\$	56,485	\$	109,884	\$	(172,364)	\$	102,687	\$	21,329	\$	402,564
Selected ratios:														
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		94.1%		92.2%		78.1%		87.1%		86.3%		86.4%		88.5%
Losses and loss expenses		68.6%		49.3%		48.7%		110.9%		35.9%		69.1%		56.1%
Policy acquisition costs		16.6%		16.9%		18.4%		18.0%		17.4%		17.4%		16.6%
General and administrative expenses (b)		12.2%		9.4%		16.1%		14.1%		14.4%		12.9%		13.5%
Expense ratio		28.8%		<u>26.3</u> %		<u>34.5</u> %		<u>32.1</u> %		<u>31.8</u> %		<u>30.3</u> %		<u>30.1</u> %
Combined ratio		<u>97.4</u> %		<u>75.6</u> %		<u>83.2</u> %		<u>143.0</u> %		<u>67.7</u> %		99.4%		<u>86.2</u> %

Notes

(a) Net operating income (loss), a non-GAAP financial measure, is defined as net income (loss) excluding net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments, foreign exchange gains (losses) and non-recurring items. This measure focuses on the underlying fundamentals of our operations without the influence of gains (losses) from the sale of investments, translation of non-U.S.\$ currencies and non-recurring items. Gains (losses) from the sale of investments are driven by the timing of the disposition of investments, not by our operating performance. Gains (losses) arising from translation of non-U.S.\$ denominated balances are unrelated to our underlying business. Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus is defined as above and includes income (loss) from noncontrolling interests. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial Measure Reconciliation on page 41.

(b) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.

(c) The transaction expenses relate to costs incurred in connection with the Company's proposed acquisition of Transatlantic Holdings, Inc. Transaction expenses are primarily comprised of legal, financial advisory and audit related services.



Validus Holdings, Ltd. Computation of Earnings per Share

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		Three Monti	hs Ended (a)				Year Ende	ed (a)	
	December 31, 20	011	Dece	ember 31, 2010	_	December 31, 2011		De	cember 31, 2010
	Net Operating Net	Comprehensive	Net Operating	Net Comprehens	ive Net operating	Net	Comprehensive	Net operating	Net Comprehensive
	Income Income	Income	Income	Income Income	income	Income	income	income	Income income
Basic earnings per share (b)			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	·					
Income	\$ 31,077 \$ 35,00	7 \$ 33,338	\$ 156,351 \$	102,687 \$ 102,	.77 \$ 74,13	8 \$ 43,122	\$ 41,976	\$ 322,763 \$	402,564 \$ 401,960
Income attributable to noncontrolling interest	(7,683) (7,68	3) (7,683)	<u></u>	<u> </u>	(21,79	3) (21,793)	(21,793)	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Income available to Validus	\$ 23,394 \$ 27,32	4 \$ 25,655	\$ 156,351 \$	102,687 \$ 102,	.77 \$ 52,34	5 \$ 21,329	\$ 20,183	\$ 322,763 \$	402,564 \$ 401,960
less: Dividends and distributions declared on outstanding warrants	(1,728) (1,72	8) (1,728)	(1,746)	(1,746) (1,	(7,64	4) (7,644)	(7,644)	(6,991)	(6,991) (6,991)
Income available to common shareholders	\$ 21,666 \$ 25,59	6 \$ 23,927	\$ 154,605 \$	100,941 \$ 100,	\$ 44,70	1 \$ 13,685	\$ 12,539	\$ 315,772	395,573 \$ 394,969
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	99,137,696 99,137,69	6 99,137,696	105,828,739	105,828,739 105,828,	98,607,43	9 98,607,439	98,607,439	116,018,364	116,018,364 116,018,364
Basic income per share available to common shareholders	\$ 0.22 \$ 0.2	6 \$ 0.24	\$ 1.46 \$	0.95 \$ 0	.95 \$ 0.4	5 \$ 0.14	\$ 0.13	\$ 2.72	3.41 \$ 3.40
Diluted earnings per share (b)									
Income	\$ 31,077 \$ 35,00	7 \$ 33,338	\$ 156,351 \$	102,687 \$ 102,	.77 \$ 74,13	8 \$ 43,122	\$ 41,976	\$ 322,763 \$	402,564 \$ 401,960
Income attributable to noncontrolling interest	(7,683) (7,68	3) (7,683)			(21,79	3) (21,793)	(21,793)		<u> </u>
Income available to Validus	\$ 23,394 \$ 27,32	4 \$ 25,655	\$ 156,351 \$	102,687 \$ 102,	.77 \$ 52,34	5 \$ 21,329	\$ 20,183	\$ 322,763 \$	402,564 \$ 401,960
less: Dividends and distributions declared on outstanding warrants	(1,728) (1,72	8) (1,728)			(7,64	4) (7,644)	(7,644)		<u> </u>
Income available to common shareholders	\$ 21,666 \$ 25,59	6 \$ 23,927	\$ 156,351 \$	102,687 \$ 102,	.77 \$ 44,70	1 \$ 13,685	\$ 12,539	\$ 322,763	402,564 \$ 401,960
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	99,137,696 99,137,69	6 99,137,696	105,828,739	105,828,739 105,828,	98,607,43	9 98,607,439	98,607,439	116,018,364	116,018,364 116,018,364
Share equivalents:									
Warrants			3,146,067	3,146,067 3,146,				2,657,258	2,657,258 2,657,258
Stock options Unvested restricted shares	692,173 692,17		1,005,564	1,005,564 1,005,			776,204	888,281	888,281 888,281
	1,494,422 1,494,42		1,336,366	1,336,366 1,336,			1,544,641	1,067,042	1,067,042 1,067,042
Weighted average number of diluted common shares outstanding	101,324,291 101,324,29	1 101,324,291	111,316,736	111,316,736 111,316,	736 100,928,28	100,928,284	100,928,284	120,630,945	120,630,945 120,630,945
Diluted earnings per share available to common shareholders	\$ 0.21 \$ 0.2	5 \$ 0.24	\$ 1.40 \$	0.92 \$ 0	.92 \$ 0.4	4 \$ 0.14	\$ 0.12	\$ 2.68	3.34 \$ 3.33

Notes

(a) ASC 718 requires that any unrecognized stock based compensation expense that will be recorded in future periods be included as proceeds for purposes of treasury stock repurchases, which is applied against the unvested restricted shares balance.

(b) In the basic earnings per share calculation, dividends and distributions declared on warrants outstanding are deducted from net income. In calculating diluted earnings per share, we also consider the impact of increasing the number of dilutive shares by a portion of the warrants outstanding, calculated using the treasury stock method. Whichever adjustment is more dilutive is incorporated in the calculation of diluted earnings per share.



Computation of Weighted Average Dilutive Shares Outstanding

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		Three Mor	nths Ende	d		Year I	nded	
	Dec	ember 31, 2011	Dec	ember 31, 2010	Dece	ember 31, 2011	Dec	ember 31, 2010
Average fair value per share	\$	28.33	\$	29.07	\$	29.40	\$	26.47
Basic weighted average common shares outstanding		99,137,696		105,828,739		98,607,439		116,018,364
Add: weighted average unvested restricted shares		3,340,728		3,496,096		3,391,658		3,285,393
Proceeds from unrecognized restricted share expenses	\$	52,306	\$	62,783	\$	54,302	\$	58,720
Less: restricted shares bought back via treasury method		(1,846,306)		(2,159,730)		(1,847,017)		(2,218,351)
Add: weighted average dilutive warrants outstanding		6,916,678		7,934,860		7,644,016		7,945,314
Weighted average exercise price per share	\$	17.56	\$	17.55	\$	17.55	\$	17.55
Less: warrants bought back via treasury method		(6,916,678)		(4,788,793)		(7,644,016)		(5,288,056)
Add: weighted average dilutive options outstanding		2,263,012		2,723,684		2,329,409		3,096,080
Weighted average exercise price per share	\$	20.12	\$	20.19	\$	20.10	\$	19.93
Proceeds from unrecognized option expenses	\$	221	\$	1,240	\$	496	\$	2,897
Less: options bought back via treasury method		(1,570,839)		(1,718,120)		(1,553,205)		(2,207,799)
Weighted average dilutive shares outstanding		101,324,291		111,316,736		100,928,284		120,630,945



Consolidated Segment Income Statement - Three months ended

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		Thre	ee N	Nonths Ended	Dec	ember 31, 2	011	L		Thre	e N	Nonths Ende	d De	cember 31,	201	10
					Co	rporate &							Co	rporate &		
	V	alidus Re		Talbot	Eli	minations		Total	v	alidus Re		Talbot	Eli	minations		Total
Underwriting income																
Gross premiums written	\$	54,528	\$	235,242	\$	(11,491)	\$	278,279	\$	33,986	\$	238,100	\$	(13,355)	\$	258,731
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(49)		(27,931)		11,491		(16,489)		(399)		(48,332)		13,355		(35,376)
Net premiums written		54,479		207,311		-		261,790		33,587		189,768		-		223,355
Change in unearned premiums		224,513		2,043		-		226,556		212,737		(3,281)		-		209,456
Net premiums earned		278,992	_	209,354	_	-		488,346		246,324		186,487	Ξ	-	_	432,811
Underwriting deductions																
Losses and loss expenses		225,903		108,926		-		334,829		49,799		105,426		-		155,225
Policy acquisition costs		41,465		41,160		(1,372)		81,253		39,299		37,726		(1,502)		75,523
General and administrative expenses		12,109		30,878		9,266		52,253		12,659		30,334		11,518		54,511
Share compensation expenses		2,191		1,934		3,112		7,237		1,934		2,142		3,795		7,871
Total underwriting deductions		281,668	_	182,898	_	11,006		475,572		103,691	_	175,628	_	13,811	_	293,130
Underwriting (loss) income	\$	(2,676)	\$	26,456	\$	(11,006)	\$	12,774	\$	142,633	\$	10,859	\$	(13,811)	\$	139,681
Net investment income		24,895		5,967		(2,782)		28,080		26,126		7,102		(2,266)		30,962
Other income		3,414		2,493		(2,390)		3,517		765		4,452		(4,665)		552
Finance expenses		(3,377)		(13)		(10,130)		(13,520)		(1,566)		-		(12,220)		(13,786)
Operating income (loss) before taxes		22,256		34,903		(26,308)		30,851		167,958		22,413		(32,962)		157,409
Tax (expense) benefit		(5)		109		122		226		10		(975)		(93)		(1,058)
Net operating income (loss) (a)	\$	22,251	\$	35,012	\$	(26,186)	\$	31,077	\$	167,968	\$	21,438	\$	(33,055)	\$	156,351
Net realized gains (losses) on investments		3,685		1,670		-		5,355		(16,802)		2,403		-		(14,399)
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		3,892		(1,733)		-		2,159		(28,121)		(14,568)		-		(42,689)
Foreign exchange (losses) gains		(348)		444		170		266		1,902		1,338		184		3,424
Transaction expenses (c)		-	_	-		(3,850)		(3,850)		-	_	-		-		-
Net income (loss)	\$	29,480	\$	35,393	\$	(29,866)	\$	35,007	\$	124,947	\$	10,611	\$	(32,871)	\$	102,687
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(7,683)		-				(7,683)		-		-		-		
Net income (loss) available to Validus	\$	21,797	\$	35,393	\$	(29,866)	\$	27,324	\$	124,947	\$	10,611	\$	(32,871)	\$	102,687
Selected ratios:																
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		99.9%		88.1%				94.1%		98.8%		79.7%				86.3%
Losses and loss expenses		81.0%		52.0%				68.6%		20.2%		56.5%				35.9%
Policy acquisition costs		14.9%		19.7%				16.6%		16.0%		20.2%				17.4%
General and administrative expenses (b)		5.1%		15.7%				12.2%		5.9%		17.4%				14.4%
Expense ratio		20.0%		35.4%				28.8%		21.9%		37.6%				31.8%
Combined ratio		101.0%		<u>87.4</u> %				97.4%		42.1%		94.1%				<u>67.7</u> %

Notes:

(a) Net operating income (loss), a non-GAAP financial measure, is defined as net income (loss) excluding net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments, foreign exchange gains (losses) and non-recurring items. This measure focuses on the underlying fundamentals of our operations without the influence of gains (losses) from the sale of investments, translation of non-U.S.\$ currencies and non-recurring items. Gains (losses) from the sale of investments are driven by the timing of the disposition of investments, not by our operating performance. Gains (losses) arising from translation of non-U.S.\$ denominated balances are unrelated to our underlying business. Net operating income (loss) available (attributable) to Validus is defined as above and includes income (loss) from noncontrolling interests. Refer to the Non-GAAP Financial Measure Reconciliation on page 41.

(b) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.

(c) The transaction expenses relate to costs incurred in connection with the Company's proposed acquisition of Transatlantic Holdings, Inc. Transaction expenses are primarily comprised of legal, financial advisory and audit related services.



Underwriting Results by Class of Business - Three months ended - Validus Re

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		Thi	ree N	Months Ende			Three	e Mo	nths Ende	d Decer	nber 31	, 20:	10			
	-	Property		Marine	Spec	ialty (a)		Total		Property		Marine	Specia	alty (a)		Total
Underwriting income																
Gross premiums written	\$	32,730	\$	9,742	\$	12,056	\$	54,528	\$	17,301	\$	4,244	\$	12,441	\$	33,986
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(980)		931		-		(49)	_	(2,084)		1,685		-		(399)
Net premiums written		31,750		10,673		12,056		54,479		15,217		5,929		12,441		33,587
Change in unearned premiums		163,813		46,851		13,849		224,513		161,533		39,595		11,609		212,737
Net premiums earned	_	195,563	_	57,524		25,905	_	278,992	_	176,750		45,524		24,050	_	246,324
Underwriting deductions																
Losses and loss expenses		164,531		43,876		17,496		225,903		18,105		9,821		21,873		49,799
Policy acquisition costs		26,972	_	11,165		3,328		41,465	_	25,775		10,062		3,462		39,299
Total underwriting deductions before G&A		191,503	_	55,041	-	20,824	_	267,368	_	43,880	_	19,883		25,335	_	89,098
Underwriting income (loss) before G&A	\$	4,060	\$	2,483	\$	5,081	\$	11,624	\$	132,870	\$	25,641	\$	(1,285)	\$	157,226
General and administrative expenses								12,109								12,659
Share compensation expenses								2,191								1,934
Total underwriting deductions							_	281,668							_	103,691
Underwriting (loss) income							\$	(2,676)							\$	142,633
Net investment income								24,895								26,126
Other income								3,414								765
Finance expenses								(3,377)								(1,566)
Operating income before taxes								22,256								167,958
Tax (expense) benefit								(5)								10
Net operating income (b)							\$	22,251							\$	167,968
Net realized gains (losses) on investments								3,685								(16,802)
Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments								3,892								(28,121)
Foreign exchange (losses) gains							_	(348)							_	1,902
Net income							\$	29,480							\$	124,947
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest							_	(7,683)							_	
Net income available to Validus							\$	21,797							\$	124,947
Selected ratios:																
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		97.0%		109.6%		100.0%		99.9%		88.0%		139.7%		100.0%		98.8%
Losses and loss expenses		84.1%		76.3%		67.5%		81.0%		10.2%		21.6%		90.9%		20.2%
Policy acquisition costs		13.8%		19.4%		12.8%		14.9%		14.6%		22.1%		14.4%		16.0%
General and administrative expenses (c)								5.1%								5.9%
Expense ratio								20.0%								21.9%
Combined ratio								101.0%								42.1%

Notes:

(a) Specialty class includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor.

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(c) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.



Underwriting Results by Class of Business - Three months ended - Talbot

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		Three	Мо	nths Ende	d De	cember 31	, 20	11		Three	Мо	nths Ended	d De	cember 31,	, 201	10
	Pr	operty (a)		Marine	Sp	ecialty (b)		Total	Pr	operty (a)		Marine	Sp	ecialty (b)		Total
Underwriting income																
Gross premiums written	\$	51,793	\$	74,235	\$	109,214	\$	235,242	\$	58,165	\$	68,452	\$	111,483	\$	238,100
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(22,322)		702	_	(6,311)	_	(27,931)		(24,350)		(4,600)		(19,382)	_	(48,332)
Net premiums written		29,471		74,937		102,903		207,311		33,815		63,852		92,101		189,768
Change in unearned premiums		11,637		14,492		(24,086)		2,043		7,606		10,328		(21,215)		(3,281)
Net premiums earned	_	41,108		89,429	_	78,817	_	209,354	_	41,421		74,180		70,886		186,487
Underwriting deductions																
Losses and loss expenses		48,463		33,959		26,504		108,926		36,840		23,593		44,993		105,426
Policy acquisition costs		1,053		20,523	_	19,584	_	41,160		5,315		16,603		15,808		37,726
Total underwriting deductions before G&A	_	49,516		54,482	_	46,088	_	150,086	_	42,155		40,196		60,801	_	143,152
Underwriting (loss) income before G&A	\$	(8,408)	\$	34,947	\$	32,729	\$	59,268	\$	(734)	\$	33,984	\$	10,085	\$	43,335
General and administrative expenses								30,878								30,334
Share compensation expenses								1,934								2,142
Total underwriting deductions							_	182,898								175,628
Underwriting income							\$	26,456							\$	10,859
Net investment income								5,967								7,102
Other income								2,493								4,452
Finance expenses							_	(13)							_	-
Operating income before taxes								34,903								22,413
Tax benefit (expense)							_	109							_	(975)
Net operating income (c)							\$	35,012							\$	21,438
Net realized gains on investments								1,670								2,403
Net unrealized (losses) on investments								(1,733)								(14,568)
Foreign exchange gains							_	444							_	1,338
Net income							\$	35,393							\$	10,611
Selected ratios:																
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written	n	56.9%		100.9%		94.2%		88.1%		58.1%		93.3%		82.6%		79.7%
Losses and loss expenses		117.9%		38.0%		33.6%		52.0%		88.9%		31.8%		63.5%		56.5%
Policy acquisition costs		2.6%		22.9%		24.8%		19.7%		12.8%		22.4%		22.3%		20.2%
General and administrative expenses (d)								<u>15.7</u> %								<u>17.4</u> %
Expense ratio								35.4%								<u>37.6</u> %
Combined ratio								<u>87.4</u> %								94.1%

Notes:

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- (d) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.



Consolidated Segment Income Statement - Year ended

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	Year Ended December 31, 2011										Ye	ar Ended Dec	emb	er 31, 2010	
					(Corporate &							Co	rporate &	
	Va	lidus Re		Talbot		liminations		Total	\	/alidus Re		Talbot	Eli	minations	Total
Underwriting income															
Gross premiums written	\$	1,190,220	\$	1,014,122	\$	(79,651)	\$	2,124,691	\$	1,101,239	\$	981,073	\$	(91,746)	\$ 1,990,566
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(150,718)		(218,174)		79,651		(289,241)		(63,147)		(258,081)		91,746	(229,482)
Net premiums written		1,039,502		795,948		-		1,835,450		1,038,092		722,992			1,761,084
Change in unearned premiums		(7,611)		(25,696)		-		(33,307)		13,108		(13,069)		-	39
Net premiums earned		1,031,891		770,252	Ξ	-	_	1,802,143	_	1,051,200		709,923		-	1,761,123
Underwriting deductions															
Losses and loss expenses		759,305		485,096		-		1,244,401		601,610		385,976		-	987,586
Policy acquisition costs		160,134		157,334		(3,284)		314,184		160,599		143,769		(11,469)	292,899
General and administrative expenses		46,353		117,482		33,662		197,497		45,617		114,043		49,630	209,290
Share compensation expenses		9,309		8,582		16,405		34,296		7,181		6,923		14,807	28,911
Total underwriting deductions		975,101		768,494		46,783		1,790,378		815,007		650,711		52,968	1,518,686
Underwriting income (loss)	\$	56,790	\$	1,758	\$	(46,783)	\$	11,765	\$	236,193	\$	59,212	\$	(52,968)	\$ 242,437
Net investment income		96,492		25,380		(9,576)		112,296		113,968		29,287		(9,152)	134,103
Other income		7,998		8,895		(11,175)		5,718		4,211		12,802		(11,794)	5,219
Finance expenses		(10,289)		(227)		(44,301)		(54,817)		(5,471)		(3,140)		(47,259)	(55,870)
Operating income (loss) before taxes		150,991		35,806		(111,835)		74,962		348,901		98,161		(121,173)	325,889
Tax (expense)		(18)		(651)		(155)		(824)		(175)		(2,730)		(221)	(3,126)
Net operating income (loss) (a)	\$	150,973	\$	35,155	\$	(111,990)	\$	74,138	\$	348,726	\$	95,431	\$	(121,394)	\$ 322,763
Net realized gains on investments		21,669		6,863				28,532		23,637		8,861			32,498
Net unrealized (losses) gains on investments		(16,039)		(3,952)		-		(19,991)		45,276		676		-	45,952
Foreign exchange (losses) gains		(19,987)		(2,188)		51		(22,124)		(1,185)		2,091		445	1,351
Transaction expenses (c)		-		-		(17,433)		(17,433)		-		-		-	 -
Net income (loss)	\$	136,616	\$	35,878	\$	(129,372)	\$	43,122	\$	416,454	\$	107,059	\$	(120,949)	\$ 402,564
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest		(21,793)		-		-		(21,793)		-		-		-	-
Net income (loss) available to Validus	\$	114,823	\$	35,878	\$	(129,372)	\$	21,329	\$	416,454	\$	107,059	\$	(120,949)	\$ 402,564
Selected ratios:															
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		87.3%		78.5%				86.4%		94.3%		73.7%			88.5%
Losses and loss expenses		73.6%		63.0%				69.1%		57.2%		54.4%			56.1%
Policy acquisition costs		15.5%		20.4%				17.4%		15.3%		20.3%			16.6%
General and administrative expenses (b)		5.4%		16.4%				12.9%		5.0%		17.0%			13.5%
Expense ratio		20.9%		36.8%				30.3%		20.3%		37.3%			30.1%
Combined ratio		94.5%		99.8%				99.4%		77.5%		91.7%			86.2%

Notes:

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Underwriting Results by Class of Business - Year ended - Validus Re

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	Year Ended December 31, 2011								Υ	'ear	Ended Dec	emb	er 31, 201	0		
		Property		Marine		Specialty		Total		roperty		Marine	S	pecialty		Total
Underwriting income																
Gross premiums written	\$	862,664	\$	232,401	\$	95,155	\$	1,190,220	\$	790,590	\$	227,135	\$	83,514	\$	1,101,239
Reinsurance premiums ceded	_	(136,369)	_	(13,848)	_	(501)	_	(150,718)		(45,536)		(17,643)	_	32	_	(63,147)
Net premiums written		726,295		218,553		94,654		1,039,502		745,054		209,492		83,546		1,038,092
Change in unearned premiums	_	3,915		(7,209)	_	(4,317)	_	(7,611)		20,611		(32,891)		25,388		13,108
Net premiums earned	_	730,210	_	211,344	_	90,337	_	1,031,891	_	765,665	_	176,601	_	108,934	_	1,051,200
Underwriting deductions																
Losses and loss expenses		578,945		157,007		23,353		759,305		434,811		123,233		43,566		601,610
Policy acquisition costs	_	101,445	_	44,431	_	14,258	_	160,134		112,550		33,691		14,358		160,599
Total underwriting deductions before G&A	_	680,390	_	201,438	_	37,611	_	919,439	_	547,361	_	156,924	_	57,924	_	762,209
Underwriting income before G&A	\$	49,820	\$	9,906	\$	52,726	\$	112,452	\$	218,304	\$	19,677	\$	51,010	\$	288,991
General and administrative expenses								46,353								45,617
Share compensation expenses							_	9,309								7,181
Total underwriting deductions							_	975,101								815,007
Underwriting income							\$	56,790							\$	236,193
Net investment income								96,492								113,968
Other income								7,998								4,211
Finance expenses							_	(10,289)							_	(5,471)
Operating income before taxes								150,991								348,901
Tax (expense)							_	(18)								(175)
Net operating income (a)							\$	150,973							\$	348,726
Net realized gains on investments								21,669								23,637
Net unrealized (losses) gains on investments								(16,039)								45,276
Foreign exchange (losses)							_	(19,987)							_	(1,185)
Net income							\$	136,616							\$	416,454
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest							_	(21,793)							_	
Net income available to Validus							\$	114,823							\$	416,454
Selected ratios:																
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		84.2%		94.0%		99.5%		87.3%		94.2%		92.2%		100.0%		94.3%
Losses and loss expenses		79.3%		74.3%		25.9%		73.6%		56.8%		69.8%		40.0%		57.2%
Policy acquisition costs		13.9%		21.0%		15.8%		15.5%		14.7%		19.1%		13.2%		15.3%
General and administrative expenses (b)								5.4%								5.0%
Expense ratio								20.9%								20.3%
Combined ratio								94.5%								77.5%

Notes:

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(b) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.

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Underwriting Results by Class of Business - Year ended - Talbot

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	Year Ended December 31, 2011										Yea	r Ended De	cem	ber 31, 201	.0	
	Pro	perty (a)		Marine	Sp	ecialty (b)		Total	Pı	roperty (a)		Marine	Sp	ecialty (b)		Total
Underwriting income																
Gross premiums written	\$	306,317	\$	341,821	\$	365,984	\$	1,014,122	\$	314,769	\$	315,102	\$	351,202	\$	981,073
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(142,277)		(23,240)		(52,657)		(218,174)	_	(146,145)		(37,988)		(73,948)		(258,081)
Net premiums written		164,040		318,581		313,327		795,948		168,624		277,114		277,254		722,992
Change in unearned premiums		(2,802)		(12,549)		(10,345)		(25,696)		(10,919)		(8,289)		6,139		(13,069)
Net premiums earned		161,238	_	306,032		302,982	_	770,252	-	157,705	_	268,825	_	283,393	_	709,923
Underwriting deductions																
Losses and loss expenses		197,828		162,084		125,184		485,096		123,895		100,988		161,093		385,976
Policy acquisition costs		13,814		69,624		73,896		157,334		18,628		58,614		66,527		143,769
Total underwriting deductions before G&A		211,642	_	231,708	_	199,080		642,430		142,523		159,602		227,620	_	529,745
Underwriting (loss) income before G&A	\$	(50,404)	\$	74,324	\$	103,902	\$	127,822	\$	15,182	\$	109,223	\$	55,773	\$	180,178
General and administrative expenses								117,482								114,043
Share compensation expenses								8,582								6,923
Total underwriting deductions								768,494							_	650,711
Underwriting income							\$	1,758							\$	59,212
Net investment income								25,380								29,287
Other income								8,895								12,802
Finance expenses							_	(227)								(3,140)
Operating income before taxes								35,806								98,161
Tax (expense)							_	(651)								(2,730)
Net operating income (c)							\$	35,155							\$	95,431
Net realized gains on investments								6,863								8,861
Net unrealized (losses) gains on investments								(3,952)								676
Foreign exchange (losses) gains							_	(2,188)								2,091
Net income							\$	35,878							\$	107,059
Selected ratios:																
Net premiums written / Gross premiums written		53.6%		93.2%		85.6%		78.5%		53.6%		87.9%		78.9%		73.7%
Losses and loss expenses		122.7%		53.0%		41.3%		63.0%		78.6%		37.6%		56.8%		54.4%
Policy acquisition costs		8.6%		22.8%		24.4%		20.4%		11.8%		21.8%		23.5%		20.3%
General and administrative expenses (d)								<u>16.4</u> %								17.0%
Expense ratio								36.8%								37.3%
Combined ratio								99.8%								91.7%

Notes:

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(b) Specialty includes Accident & Health, Aviation (Direct & Treaty), Bloodstock, Contingency, Financial Institutions and War.

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Class of Business Treaty Type Detail - Gross Premiums Written - Validus Re

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

Validus Re Segment				Three N	Months E	nded					Y	ear Ended			
		Dec	ember 31,	2011		De	cember 31,	2010		December 31	2011			ecember 31,	2010
		G	iross				Gross			Gross				Gross	
		prei	miums			pre	emiums		р	remiums			р	remiums	
Class of business	Treaty type	wr	ritten	%		w	ritten	%		written	%			written	%
Property	Cat XOL (a)	\$	9,108	16.6%		\$	9,270	27.3%	\$	666,856	56.0%		\$	571,874	51.9%
	Per Risk XOL	•	10,778	19.8%		•	4,767	14.0%		70,017	5.9%		•	67,809	6.2%
	Proportional (b)		12,844	23.6%			3,264	9.6%		125,791	10.6%			150,907	13.7%
			32,730	60.0%			17,301	50.9%		862,664	72.5%			790,590	71.8%
Marine	Cat XOL (c)		(6,884)	(12.6)%			(603)	-1.7%		6,724	0.6%			13,418	1.2%
	Per Risk XOL		15,596	28.6%			6,838	20.1%		99,034	8.3%			87,512	7.9%
	Proportional (b)		1,030	<u>1.9</u> %			(1,991)	<u>-5.9%</u>		126,643	<u>10.6%</u>			126,205	<u>11.5%</u>
			9,742	<u>17.9</u> %			4,244	<u>12.5</u> %		232,401	<u>19.5</u> %			227,135	20.6%
Specialty (d)	Cat XOL (a)		9,957	18.2%			11,079	32.6%		56,148	4.7%			51,864	4.8%
	Per Risk XOL		651	1.2%			(958)	-2.8%		8,132	0.7%			10,440	0.9%
	Proportional (b)		1,448	2.7%			2,320	6.8%		30,875	2.6%			21,210	1.9%
			12,056	<u>22.1</u> %			12,441	<u>36.6</u> %		95,155	<u>8.0</u> %			83,514	<u>7.6</u> %
Total	Cat XOL (a) (c)		12,181	22.2%			19,746	58.2%		729,728	61.3%			637,156	57.9%
Total	Per Risk XOL		27,025	49.6%			10,647	31.3%		177,183	14.9%			165,761	15.0%
	Proportional (b)		15,322	28.2%			3,593	10.5%		283,309	23.8%			298,322	27.1%
	oportional (b)	\$	54,528	100.0%		\$	33,986	100.0%	\$	1,190,220	100.0%		\$	1,101,239	100.0%

Notes:

⁽a) Property and Specialty Cat XOL is comprised of Catastrophe XOL, Aggregate XOL, RPP, Per Event XOL, Second Event and Third Event covers.

⁽b) Proportional is comprised of Quota Share and Surplus Share covers.

⁽c) Marine Cat XOL is comprised of Catastrophe XOL, Aggregate XOL, RPP, Second Event and Third Event covers.

⁽d) Specialty includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor.



Validus Holdings, Ltd.
Consolidated Class of Business Policy Type Detail - Gross Premiums Written
(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

			Three I	Months Ended			١	ear Ended	
		December	31, 2011	December 31,	2010	December 31	, 2011	December 31,	, 2010
		Gross		Gross		Gross		Gross	
		premiums		premiums		premiums		premiums	
Line of business	Treaty type	written	%	written	%	written	<u>%</u>	written (a)	%
Property	Treaty Reinsurance	\$ 32,232	11.6%	\$ 19,698	7.6%	\$ 891,173	41.9%	\$ 810,748	40.7%
	Facultative Reinsurance	19,326	6.9%	25,710	9.9%	123,660	5.8%	139,294	7.0%
	Direct Insurance	21,642	7.8%	17,845	6.9%	84,470	4.0%	87,019	4.4%
		73,200	26.3%	63,253	24.4%	1,099,303	<u>51.7</u> %	1,037,061	<u>52.1</u> %
Marine	Treaty Reinsurance	17,350	6.3%	11,571	4.5%	277,980	13.1%	261,367	13.1%
	Facultative Reinsurance	16,684	6.0%	16,650	6.5%	73,855	3.5%	85,560	4.3%
	Direct Insurance	50,213	18.0%	43,335	16.7%	218,146	10.3%	178,380	9.0%
		84,247	30.3%	71,556	<u>27.7</u> %	569,981	<u>26.9</u> %	525,307	<u>26.4</u> %
Specialty (a)	Treaty Reinsurance	23,498	8.4%	23,857	9.2%	142,127	6.7%	120,319	6.0%
	Facultative Reinsurance	30,242	10.9%	39,280	15.2%	105,696	4.9%	112,941	5.7%
	Direct Insurance	67,092	24.1%	60,785	23.5%	207,584	9.8%	194,938	9.8%
		120,832	43.4%	123,922	<u>47.9</u> %	455,407	<u>21.4</u> %	428,198	<u>21.5</u> %
Total	Treaty Reinsurance	73,080	26.3%	55,126	21.3%	1,311,280	61.7%	1,192,434	59.8%
	Facultative Reinsurance	66,252	23.8%	81,640	31.6%	303,211	14.2%	337,795	17.0%
	Direct Insurance	138,947	<u>49.9</u> %	121,965	<u>47.1</u> %	510,200	24.1%	460,337	23.2%
		\$ 278,279	100.0%	\$ 258,731	100.0%	\$ 2,124,691	100.0%	\$ 1,990,566	100.0%

Notes:

(a) For the Validus Re segment, the Specialty class includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor. For the Talbot segment, Specialty includes Accident & Health, Aviation (Direct & Treaty), Bloodstock, Contingency, Financial Institutions and War.



Validus Holdings, Ltd.

Gross Premiums Written by Segment by Class of Business

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

				Year	Ended		
	December 31, 2011	September 30, 2011	June 30, 2011	March 31, 2011	December 31, 2010	December 31, 2011	December 31, 2010
Validus Re							
Property - Validus Re	\$ 34,053	\$ 122,618	\$ 272,148	\$ 358,118	\$ 17,197	\$ 786,937	\$ 778,794
Property - Alpha Cat	62	97	8,405	7,150	104	15,714	11,796
Property - Alpha Cat Re 2011	(1,385)	18,843	42,555	-	-	60,013	-
Marine	9,742	32,780	4,846	185,033	4,244	232,401	227,135
Aerospace & Aviation (a)	740	4,247	4,839	5,590	169	15,416	19,110
Agriculture	957	888	398	2,927	(186)	5,170	2,912
Financial	491	265	160	6,636	1,036	7,552	3,377
Life and A&H	14	180	251	3,385	420	3,830	3,809
Nuclear	615	156	2,032	3	(959)	2,806	3,531
Terrorism	7,398	295	4,402	28,074	10,121	40,169	37,481
Workers' Compensation	480	2,027	58	5,209	-	7,774	7,330
Crisis Management	1,361	407	1,557	7,523	1,840	10,848	5,964
Motor				1,590		1,590	
Total Validus Re Segment	54,528	182,803	341,651	611,238	33,986	1,190,220	1,101,239
Talbot							
Property	30,650	60,312	57,267	49,559	35,171	197,788	191,740
Onshore Energy	21,143	25,751	40,465	21,170	22,994	108,529	123,029
Marine	74,235	69,159	93,492	104,935	68,452	341,821	315,102
Accident & Health	5,183	6,692	4,711	5,349	4,456	21,935	19,715
Aviation, Direct	32,430	16,782	9,121	7,870	33,580	66,203	69,741
Aviation Treaty	11,012	2,979	12,345	18,237	11,273	44,573	44,087
Bloodstock	(34)	(34)	817	361	3,955	1,110	13,491
Contingency	4,963	3,556	5,980	5,273	2,797	19,772	18,363
Financial Institutions	11,794	9,438	8,632	7,667	12,747	37,531	39,646
War	43,866	44,302	44,056	42,636	42,675	174,860	146,159
Total Talbot Segment	235,242	238,937	276,886	263,057	238,100	1,014,122	981,073
Intersegment Revenue							
Property	(11,323)	(29,426)	(12,055)	(16,874)	(12,213)	(69,678)	(68,298)
Marine	270	(1,196)	(1,095)	(2,220)	(1,140)	(4,241)	(16,930)
Specialty	(438)	11	-	(5,305)	(2)	(5,732)	(6,518)
Total Intersegment Revenue Eliminated	(11,491)	(30,611)	(13,150)	(24,399)	(13,355)	(79,651)	(91,746)
Total Gross Premiums Written	\$ 278,279	\$ 391,129	\$ 605,387	\$ 849,896	\$ 258,731	\$ 2,124,691	\$ 1,990,566

Notes

(a) Prior to March 31, 2010 this category only included Aerospace.



Underwriting Income - Validus Re

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		1		Year E	nded		
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2010	2011	2010
Underwriting income							
Gross premiums written	\$ 54,528	\$ 182,803	\$ 341,651	\$ 611,238	\$ 33,986	\$ 1,190,220	\$ 1,101,239
Reinsurance premiums ceded	(49)	(5,646)	(98,218)	(46,805)	(399)	(150,718)	(63,147)
Net premiums written	54,479	177,157	243,433	564,433	33,587	1,039,502	1,038,092
Change in unearned premiums	224,513	90,755	(10,755)	(312,124)	212,737	(7,611)	13,108
Net premiums earned	278,992	267,912	232,678	252,309	246,324	1,031,891	1,051,200
Underwriting deductions							
Losses and loss expenses	225,903	128,823	94,035	310,544	49,799	759,305	601,610
Policy acquisition costs	41,465	42,834	35,769	40,066	39,299	160,134	160,599
General and administrative expenses	12,109	8,129	15,458	10,657	12,659	46,353	45,617
Share compensation expenses	2,191	2,190	1,823	3,105	1,934	9,309	7,181
Total underwriting deductions	281,668	181,976	147,085	364,372	103,691	975,101	815,007
Underwriting income (loss)	\$ (2,676)	\$ 85,936	\$ 85,593	\$ (112,063)	\$ 142,633	\$ 56,790	\$ 236,193
Selected ratios:							
Losses and loss expenses	81.0%	48.1%	40.4%	123.1%	20.2%	73.6%	57.2%
Policy acquisition costs	14.9%	16.0%	15.4%	15.9%	16.0%	15.5%	15.3%
General and administrative expenses (a)	<u>5.1</u> %	<u>3.9</u> %	<u>7.4</u> %	<u>5.5</u> %	<u>5.9</u> %	<u>5.4</u> %	<u>5.0</u> %
Expense ratio	20.0%	<u>19.9</u> %	22.8%	21.4%	<u>21.9</u> %	<u>20.9</u> %	20.3%
Combined ratio	<u>101.0</u> %	<u>68.0</u> %	<u>63.2</u> %	<u>144.5</u> %	<u>42.1</u> %	<u>94.5</u> %	<u>77.5</u> %

Notes:

(a) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.



Validus Holdings, Ltd. Underwriting Income - Talbot

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	Three Months Ended											Year E	inde	d
		ember 31,	Sep	tember 30,		June 30,		March 31,	[December 31,	De	ecember 31,	D	ecember 31,
		2011		2011		2011		2011		2010		2011		2010
Underwriting income														
Gross premiums written	\$	235,242	\$	238,937	\$	276,886	\$	263,057	\$	238,100	\$	1,014,122	\$	981,073
Reinsurance premiums ceded		(27,931)		(55,551)		(47,278)		(87,414)	_	(48,332)		(218,174)		(258,081)
Net premiums written		207,311		183,386		229,608		175,643		189,768		795,948		722,992
Change in unearned premiums		2,043		7,326		(36,646)		1,581		(3,281)		(25,696)		(13,069)
Net premiums earned	-	209,354		190,712		192,962		177,224		186,487		770,252	_	709,923
Underwriting deductions														
Losses and loss expenses		108,926		97,244		113,272		165,654		105,426		485,096		385,976
Policy acquisition costs		41,160		36,651		42,307		37,216		37,726		157,334		143,769
General and administrative expenses		30,878		23,164		34,718		28,722		30,334		117,482		114,043
Share compensation expenses		1,934		1,903		2,026		2,719		2,142		8,582		6,923
Total underwriting deductions		182,898		158,962		192,323		234,311	_	175,628		768,494	_	650,711
Underwriting income (loss)	\$	26,456	\$	31,750	\$	639	\$	(57,087)	\$	10,859	\$	1,758	\$	59,212
Selected ratios:														
Losses and loss expenses		52.0%		51.0%		58.7%		93.5%		56.5%		63.0%		54.4%
Policy acquisition costs		19.7%		19.2%		21.9%		21.0%		20.2%		20.4%		20.3%
General and administrative expenses (a)		<u>15.7</u> %		<u>13.1</u> %		<u>19.0</u> %		<u>17.7</u> %		<u>17.4</u> %		<u>16.4</u> %		<u>17.0</u> %
Expense ratio		<u>35.4</u> %		32.3%		<u>40.9</u> %		<u>38.7</u> %		<u>37.6</u> %		36.8%		<u>37.3</u> %
Combined ratio		<u>87.4</u> %		<u>83.3</u> %		<u>99.6</u> %		<u>132.2</u> %		<u>94.1</u> %		<u>99.8</u> %		91.7%

Notes:

(a) The general and administrative ratio includes share compensation expenses.



Underwriting Income - Class of Business - Property

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

				Year E	inded		
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2010	2011	2010
Underwriting income							
Net premiums written	\$ 61,221	\$ 181,673	\$ 296,486	\$ 350,955	\$ 49,032	\$ 890,335	\$ 913,678
Net premiums earned	236,671	234,440	204,624	215,713	218,171	891,448	923,370
Underwriting deductions							
Losses and loss expenses	212,994	162,525	107,960	293,294	54,945	776,773	558,706
Policy acquisition costs	28,025	28,230	29,763	29,241	31,090	115,259	131,178
Total underwriting deductions	241,019	190,755	137,723	322,535	86,035	892,032	689,884
Underwriting income (loss) before G&A	\$ (4,348	\$ 43,685	\$ 66,901	\$ (106,822)	\$ 132,136	\$ (584)	\$ 233,486
Selected underwriting ratios (a):							
Losses and loss expenses	90.0%	69.3%	52.8%	136.0%	25.2%	87.1%	60.5%
Policy acquisition costs	<u>11.8</u> %	6 <u>12.0</u> %	<u>14.5</u> %	<u>13.6</u> %	<u>14.3</u> %	<u>12.9</u> %	<u>14.2</u> %
Combined ratio before G&A	<u>101.8</u> 9	6 <u>81.3</u> %	<u>67.3</u> %	<u>149.6</u> %	<u>39.5</u> %	<u>100.0</u> %	<u>74.7</u> %

Notes:

(a) The selected underwriting ratios are calculated by dividing each item by net premiums earned.



Underwriting Income - Class of Business - Marine

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

				Year Mor	nth Ended		
	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	December 31,	December 31,
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2010	2011	2010
Underwriting income							
Net premiums written	\$ 85,610	\$ 98,133	\$ 81,209	\$ 272,182	\$ 69,781	\$ 537,134	\$ 486,606
Net premiums earned	146,953	126,630	125,496	118,297	119,704	517,376	445,426
Underwriting deductions							
Losses and loss expenses	77,835	31,120	74,731	135,405	33,414	319,091	224,221
Policy acquisition costs	31,688	28,283	26,981	27,103	26,665	114,055	92,305
Total underwriting deductions	109,523	59,403	101,712	162,508	60,079	433,146	316,526
Underwriting income (loss) before G&A	\$ 37,430	\$ 67,227	\$ 23,784	\$ (44,211)	\$ 59,625	\$ 84,230	\$ 128,900
Selected underwriting ratios (a):							
Losses and loss expenses	53.0%	6 24.6%	59.5%	114.5%	27.9%	61.7%	50.3%
Policy acquisition costs	<u>21.6</u> %	% <u>22.3</u> %	21.5%	<u>22.9</u> %	22.3%	22.0%	<u>20.7</u> %
Combined ratio before G&A	<u>74.6</u> 9	% <u>46.9</u> %	<u>81.0</u> %	<u>137.4</u> %	50.2%	<u>83.7</u> %	<u>71.0</u> %

Notes:

(a) The selected underwriting ratios are calculated by dividing each item by net premiums earned.



Underwriting Income - Class of Business - Specialty

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

						Year En	ded (a)			
	Dece	ember 31,	September 30),	June 30,	March 31,	December 31,	Dece	ember 31,	Dec	ember 31,
		2011	2011		2011	2011	2010		2011		2010
Underwriting income											
Net premiums written	\$	114,959	\$ 80,73	<u>7</u>	\$ 95,346	\$ 116,939	\$ 104,542	\$	407,981	\$	360,800
Net premiums earned		104,722	97,55	<u> 4</u>	95,520	 95,523	94,936		393,319		392,327
Underwriting deductions											
Losses and loss expenses		44,000	32,42	2	24,616	47,499	66,866		148,537		204,659
Policy acquisition costs		22,912	22,97	<u>'2</u>	21,332	20,938	19,270		88,154		80,885
Total underwriting deductions		66,912	55,39	<u> 4</u>	45,948	 68,437	86,136		236,691		285,544
Underwriting income before G&A	\$	37,810	\$ 42,16	0	\$ 49,572	\$ 27,086	\$ 8,800	\$	156,628	\$	106,783
Selected underwriting ratios (b):											
Losses and loss expenses		42.0%	33.2	2%	25.8%	49.7%	70.4%		37.8%		52.2%
Policy acquisition costs		21.9%	23.	5%	22.3%	21.9%	20.3%		22.4%		20.6%
Combined ratio before G&A		<u>63.9</u> %	56.	7% -	<u>48.1</u> %	<u>71.6</u> %	90.7%		<u>60.2</u> %		<u>72.8</u> %

Notes:

⁽a) For the Validus Re segment, the Specialty class includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor. For the Talbot segment, Specialty includes Accident & Health, Aviation (Direct & Treaty), Bloodstock, Contingency, Financial Institutions and War.

⁽b) The selected underwriting ratios are calculated by dividing each item by net premiums earned.



Consolidated Analysis of Reserves for Losses and Loss Expenses

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

		, ,	At D	ecember 31, 201	1			A	t D	ecember 31, 201	0	
	Reserve fo			Loss reserves recoverable	-	Net		oss expenses		Loss reserves recoverable		Net
Property (a)	\$	1,312,004	\$	187,889	\$	1,124,115	\$	904,447	\$	87,465	\$	816,982
Marine		788,200		86,618		701,582		639,728		102,461		537,267
Specialty (b)		530,939	_	97,978		432,961		491,798		93,208		398,590
Total	\$	2,631,143	\$	372,485	\$	2,258,658	\$	2,035,973	\$	283,134	\$	1,752,839

			At Dec	ember 31, 201	1		_		Α	t De	cember 31, 201	0	
	Cas	e Reserves		IBNR		otal Reserves	_	Cas	Reserves		IBNR	_1	Total Reserves
Property (a)	\$	736,448	\$	575,556	\$	1,312,004	\$	5	506,506	\$	397,941	\$	904,447
Marine		437,367		350,833		788,200			317,469		322,259		639,728
Specialty (b)		240,627	_	290,312		530,939	-		211,906		279,892		491,798
Total	\$	1,414,442	\$	1,216,701	\$	2,631,143	<u>\$</u>	\$	1,035,881	\$	1,000,092	\$	2,035,973
% of Total		53.8%		46.2%		100.0%			50.9%		49.1%		100.0%

Notes:

⁽a) For the Talbot segment, the Property class includes Onshore Energy.

⁽b) For the Validus Re segment, the Specialty class includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor. For the Talbot segment, Specialty includes Accident & Health, Aviation (Direct & Aviation), Bloodstock, Contingency, Financial Institutions and War.



Consolidated Losses and Loss Ratios by Segment

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

					At or for the Th	ree Mont	ns Ended			
		Decem	ber 31,	, 2011				Decembe	r 31, 2010	
	 /alidus Re	Talbot		Eliminations	Total	_	Validus Re	 Talbot	Eliminations	 Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$ 1,321,568	\$ 1,357,23	5 \$	(112,891)	\$ 2,565,912	\$	1,035,227	\$ 1,153,943	\$ (168,325)	\$ 2,020,845
Losses recoverable	 (122,817)	(376,27	4)	112,891	 (386,200)		(81,368)	(355,778)	168,325	 (268,821)
Net reserves at period beginning	1,198,751	980,96	1	-	2,179,712		953,859	798,165	-	1,752,024
Incurred losses- current year	233,026	144,61	9	-	377,645		71,864	113,926	-	185,790
Change in prior accident years	 (7,123)	(35,69	3)		(42,816)		(22,065)	(8,500)		 (30,565)
Incurred losses	225,903	108,92	6	-	334,829		49,799	105,426	-	155,225
Foreign exchange	2,861	(27	7)	-	2,584		2,140	(3,058)	-	(918)
Paid losses	 (162,175)	(96,29	2)		 (258,467)	_	(87,852)	 (65,640)		 (153,492)
Net reserves at period end	1,265,340	993,31	8	-	2,258,658		917,946	834,893	-	1,752,839
Losses recoverable	 95,509	384,24	3	(107,267)	372,485		80,219	356,655	(153,740)	 283,134
Gross reserves at period end	\$ 1,360,849	\$ 1,377,56	1 \$	(107,267)	\$ 2,631,143	\$	998,165	\$ 1,191,548	\$ (153,740)	\$ 2,035,973
Net premiums earned	\$ 278,992	\$ 209,35	4		\$ 488,346	\$	246,324	\$ 186,487		\$ 432,811
Current year loss ratio	83.6%	69.0)%		77.4%		29.2%	61.1%		43.0%
Prior accident year adjustments	- <u>2.6</u> %	- <u>17.</u> 0)%		- <u>8.8</u> %		- <u>9.0</u> %	- <u>4.6</u> %		- <u>7.1</u> %
Net loss ratio	<u>81.0</u> %	52.0)%		<u>68.6</u> %		20.2%	<u>56.5</u> %		<u>35.9</u> %
Paid to incurred	71.8%	88.4	1%		77.2%		176.4%	62.3%		98.9%

					At or for the	e Year End	ed				
		December	r 31, 20)11				December	31, 2010		
	/alidus Re	Talbot	Elir	minations	Total		Validus Re	Talbot	Eliminations		Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$ 998,165 \$	1,191,548	\$	(153,740)	\$ 2,035,973	\$	742,510 \$	903,986	\$ (24,36)	2) \$	1,622,134
Losses recoverable	(80,219)	(356,655)		153,740	(283,134)		(49,808)	(156,319)	24,36	2	(181,765)
Net reserves at period beginning	917,946	834,893		-	1,752,839		692,702	747,667	-		1,440,369
Incurred losses- current year	827,915	572,605		-	1,400,520		672,227	471,969	-		1,144,196
Change in prior accident years	 (68,610)	(87,509)		-	(156,119)		(70,617)	(85,993)			(156,610)
Incurred losses	759,305	485,096		-	1,244,401		601,610	385,976	-		987,586
Foreign exchange	5,723	(1,279)		-	4,444		2,908	(4,602)	-		(1,694)
Paid losses	 (417,634)	(325,392)			(743,026)		(379,274)	(294,148)		_	(673,422)
Net reserves at period end	1,265,340	993,318		-	2,258,658		917,946	834,893	-		1,752,839
Losses recoverable	 95,509	384,243		(107,267)	 372,485		80,219	356,655	(153,740)	283,134
Gross reserves at period end	\$ 1,360,849 \$	1,377,561	\$	(107,267)	\$ 2,631,143	\$	998,165 \$	1,191,548	\$ (153,740	0) \$	2,035,973
Net premiums earned	\$ 1,031,891 \$	770,252			\$ 1,802,143	\$	1,051,200 \$	709,923		\$	1,761,123
Current year loss ratio	80.2%	74.4%			77.8%		63.9%	66.5%			65.0%
Prior accident year adjustments	- <u>6.6</u> %	- <u>11.4</u> %			- <u>8.7</u> %		- <u>6.7</u> %	- <u>12.1</u> %			- <u>8.9</u> %
Net loss ratio	<u>73.6</u> %	<u>63.0</u> %			<u>69.1</u> %		<u>57.2</u> %	<u>54.4</u> %			<u>56.1</u> %
Paid to incurred	55.0%	67.1%			59.7%		63.0%	76.2%			68.2%



Losses and Loss Ratios by Classes of Business - Validus Re

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

At or for the	Three Months Ended	

	_		December	31. 2011	74. 0. 10.	ane miree won	tiis tiided	Decembe	r 31, 2010	
		Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total	-	Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$	924,273	\$ 309,829	\$ 87,466	\$ 1,321,568		\$ 711,282	\$ 239,641	\$ 84,304	\$ 1,035,227
Losses recoverable		(110,926)	(11,430)	(461)	(122,817)		(12,412)	(68,419)	(537)	(81,368)
Net reserves at period beginning		813,347	298,399	87,005	1,198,751		698,870	171,222	83,767	953,859
Incurred losses- current year		169,270	44,158	19,598	233,026		28,935	19,092	23,837	71,864
Change in prior accident years		(4,739)	(282)	(2,102)	(7,123)		(10,830)	(9,271)	(1,964)	(22,065)
Incurred losses		164,531	43,876	17,496	225,903		18,105	9,821	21,873	49,799
Foreign exchange		2,803	123	(65)	2,861		2,201	(70)	9	2,140
Paid losses		(139,525)	(16,466)	(6,184)	(162,175)		(84,641)	7,839	(11,050)	(87,852)
Net reserves at period end		841,156	325,932	98,252	1,265,340		634,535	188,812	94,599	917,946
Losses recoverable		78,803	16,145	561	95,509		24,117	55,565	537	80,219
Gross reserves at period end	\$	919,959	\$ 342,077	\$ 98,813	\$ 1,360,849		\$ 658,652	\$ 244,377	\$ 95,136	\$ 998,165
Net premiums earned	\$	195,563	\$ 57,524	\$ 25,905	\$ 278,992		\$ 176,750	\$ 45,524	\$ 24,050	\$ 246,324
Current year loss ratio		86.5%	76.8%	75.6%	83.6%		16.3%	42.0%	99.1%	29.2%
Prior accident year adjustments		- <u>2.4</u> %	- <u>0.5</u> %	- <u>8.1</u> %	- <u>2.6</u> %		- <u>6.1</u> %	- <u>20.4</u> %	- <u>8.2</u> %	- <u>9.0</u> %
Net loss ratio		<u>84.1</u> %	<u>76.3</u> %	<u>67.5</u> %	<u>81.0</u> %		10.2%	21.6%	90.9%	20.2%
Paid to incurred		84.8%	37.5%	35.3%	71.8%		467.5%	-79.8%	50.5%	176.4%

At or for the Year Ended

			December	31, 2011				Decembe	r 31, 2010	
	Property		Marine	Specialty (a)	Total		Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$ 658,6	52 \$	244,377	\$ 95,136	998,165	\$	489,960	176,648	75,902	742,510
Losses recoverable	(24,1	L7)	(55,565)	(537)	(80,219)		(10,494)	(37,740)	(1,574)	(49,808)
Net reserves at period beginning	634,5	35	188,812	94,599	917,946		479,466	138,908	74,328	692,702
Incurred losses- current year	627,9	55	167,241	32,709	827,915		484,642	140,849	46,736	672,227
Change in prior accident years	(49,0	20)	(10,234)	(9,356)	(68,610)		(49,831)	(17,616)	(3,170)	(70,617)
Incurred losses	578,9	15	157,007	23,353	759,305		434,811	123,233	43,566	601,610
Foreign exchange	5,6)5	202	(84)	5,723		2,980	(141)	69	2,908
Paid losses	(377,9	29)	(20,089)	(19,616)	(417,634)		(282,722)	(73,188)	(23,364)	(379,274)
Net reserves at period end	841,1	6	325,932	98,252	1,265,340		634,535	188,812	94,599	917,946
Losses recoverable	78,8)3	16,145	561	95,509		24,117	55,565	537	80,219
Gross reserves at period end	\$ 919,9	59 \$	342,077	\$ 98,813	\$ 1,360,849	\$	658,652 \$	244,377	\$ 95,136	\$ 998,165
Net premiums earned	\$ 730,2	10 \$	211,344	\$ 90,337	\$ 1,031,891	\$	765,665 \$	176,601	\$ 108,934	\$ 1,051,200
Current year loss ratio	86	0%	79.1%	36.3%	80.2%		63.3%	79.8%	42.9%	63.9%
Prior accident year adjustments	-6	7%	- <u>4.8</u> %	-10.4%	- <u>6.6</u> %		-6.5%	-10.0%	- <u>2.9</u> %	- <u>6.7</u> %
Net loss ratio	79	3%	74.3%	<u>25.9</u> %	<u>73.6</u> %		56.8%	69.8%	<u>40.0</u> %	<u>57.2</u> %
Paid to incurred	65	3%	12.8%	84.0%	55.0%		65.0%	59.4%	53.6%	63.0%

Notes

(a) For the Validus Re segment, the Specialty class includes Aerospace & Aviation, Agriculture, Financial, Life and A&H, Nuclear, Terrorism, Workers' Compensation, Crisis Management and Motor.



Losses and Loss Ratios by Classes of Business - Talbot

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

At or for t	he 1	Three	Months	Ended
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					At or for the	nree Wonth	s Ended			
		December	31, 2011			_		Decembe	31, 2010	
	 Property	Marine	Specialty (a)		Total	_	Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$ 434,240 \$	480,710	\$ 442,285	\$	1,357,235	Ş	362,548 \$	419,832	\$ 371,563	\$ 1,153,943
Losses recoverable	 (167,783)	(103,573)	(104,918)		(376,274)	_	(191,858)	(74,604)	(89,316)	 (355,778)
Net reserves at period beginning	266,457	377,137	337,367		980,961		170,690	345,228	282,247	798,165
Incurred losses- current year	62,764	44,074	37,781		144,619		39,382	31,744	42,800	113,926
Change in prior accident years	 (14,301)	(10,115)	(11,277)		(35,693)	_	(2,542)	(8,151)	2,193	 (8,500)
Incurred losses	48,463	33,959	26,504		108,926		36,840	23,593	44,993	105,426
Foreign exchange	5	(120)	(162)		(277)		332	(2,145)	(1,245)	(3,058)
Paid losses	 (31,969)	(35,326)	(28,997)		(96,292)	_	(25,415)	(18,221)	(22,004)	(65,640)
Net reserves at period end	282,956	375,650	334,712		993,318		182,447	348,455	303,991	834,893
Losses recoverable	 188,911	93,409	101,923	_	384,243	_	186,270	73,123	97,262	 356,655
Gross reserves at period end	\$ 471,867 \$	469,059	\$ 436,635	\$	1,377,561	\$	368,717 \$	421,578	\$ 401,253	\$ 1,191,548
Net premiums earned	\$ 41,108 \$	89,429	\$ 78,817	\$	209,354	Ş	41,421 \$	74,180	\$ 70,886	\$ 186,487
Current year loss ratio	152.7%	49.3%	47.9%		69.0%		95.0%	42.8%	60.4%	61.1%
Prior accident year adjustments	- <u>34.8</u> %	- <u>11.3</u> %	- <u>14.3</u> %		- <u>17.0</u> %		- <u>6.1</u> %	- <u>11.0</u> %	<u>3.1</u> %	- <u>4.6</u> %
Net loss ratio	<u>117.9</u> %	<u>38.0</u> %	<u>33.6</u> %		<u>52.0</u> %		<u>88.9</u> %	31.8%	<u>63.5</u> %	<u>56.5</u> %
Paid to incurred	66.0%	104.0%	109.4%		88.4%		69.0%	77.2%	48.9%	62.3%

At or for the Year End	e
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		December	31, 2011		_		Decembe	31, 2010	
	Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total	_	Property	Marine	Specialty (a)	Total
Gross reserves at period beginning	\$ 368,717	\$ 421,578	\$ 401,253	\$ 1,191,548		\$ 188,041 \$	417,365	\$ 298,580	\$ 903,986
Losses recoverable	(186,270)	(73,123)	(97,262)	(356,655)		(36,674)	(59,788)	(59,857)	(156,319)
Net reserves at period beginning	182,447	348,455	303,991	834,893		151,367	357,577	238,723	747,667
Incurred losses- current year	219,997	193,466	159,142	572,605		146,345	153,403	172,221	471,969
Change in prior accident years	(22,169)	(31,382)	(33,958)	(87,509)		(22,450)	(52,415)	(11,128)	(85,993)
Incurred losses	197,828	162,084	125,184	485,096		123,895	100,988	161,093	385,976
Foreign exchange	(998)	(43)	(238)	(1,279)		(815)	(1,610)	(2,177)	(4,602)
Paid losses	(96,321)	(134,846)	(94,225)	(325,392)		(92,000)	(108,500)	(93,648)	(294,148)
Net reserves at period end	282,956	375,650	334,712	993,318		182,447	348,455	303,991	834,893
Losses recoverable	188,911	93,409	101,923	384,243		186,270	73,123	97,262	356,655
Gross reserves at period end	\$ 471,867	\$ 469,059	\$ 436,635	\$ 1,377,561		\$ 368,717	421,578	\$ 401,253	\$ 1,191,548
Net premiums earned	\$ 161,238	\$ 306,032	\$ 302,982	\$ 770,252		\$ 157,705 \$	268,825	\$ 283,393	\$ 709,923
Current year loss ratio	136.4%	63.2%	52.5%	74.4%		92.8%	57.1%	60.7%	66.5%
Prior accident year adjustments	- <u>13.7</u> %	- <u>10.2</u> %	- <u>11.2</u> %	- <u>11.4</u> %		- <u>14.2</u> %	- <u>19.5</u> %	- <u>3.9</u> %	- <u>12.1</u> %
Net loss ratio	<u>122.7</u> %	<u>53.0</u> %	41.3%	63.0%		<u>78.6</u> %	<u>37.6</u> %	56.8%	<u>54.4</u> %
Paid to incurred	48.7%	83.2%	75.3%	67.1%		74.3%	107.4%	58.1%	76.2%

Notes

(a) For the Talbot segment, Specialty includes Accident, Health, Aviation (Direct & Treaty), Bloodstock, Contingency, Financial Institutions, Political Violence, Political Risk and War. The Property class includes Onshore Energy.



Consolidated Reinsurance Recoverable Analysis

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

Consolidated Reinsurance Recoverable at December 31, 2011

	Re	insurance				Rei	nsurance	
Categories	Reco	overable (a)	%	Top 10 Reinsurers	Rating (b)	Reco	verable (a)	%
Top 10 reinsurers	\$	323,315	69.8%	Lloyd's Syndicates	A+	Ś	77,419	24.0%
Other reinsurers' balances > \$1 million	*	132,417	28.6%	Allianz	AA-	Ψ.	59,764	18.5%
Other reinsurers' balances < \$1 million		7,248	1.6%	Hannover Re	AA-		39,762	12.3%
Total	\$	462,980	100.0%	Everest Re	A+		38,618	11.9%
				Transatlantic Re	A+		21,344	6.6%
				Tokio Millennium Re Ltd	AA-		20,432	6.3%
				Fully Collateralized	NR		18,140	5.6%
				Odyssey Reinsurance Company	A-		16,737	5.2%
				Platinum Underwriters	Α		15,833	4.9%
				Munich Re	AA-		15,266	4.7%
				Total		\$	323,315	100.0%

Consolidated Reinsurance Recoverable at December 31, 2010

	Re	insurance				Re	insurance	
Categories	Reco	overable (a)	%	Top 10 Reinsurers	Rating	Reco	overable (a)	%
Top 10 reinsurers	\$	222,420	71.5%	Lloyd's Syndicates	A+	\$	60,716	27.2%
Other reinsurers' balances > \$1 million	·	80,221	25.8%	Hannover Re	AA-		32,392	14.6%
Other reinsurers' balances < \$1 million		8,489	2.7%	Fully collateralized reinsurers	NR		23,750	10.7%
Total	\$	311,130	100.0%	Montpelier Re	A-		20,000	9.0%
				Munich Re	AA-		17,411	7.8%
				Everest Re	A+		16,611	7.5%
				Allianz	AA		14,184	6.4%
				Transatlantic Re	A+		13,758	6.2%
				Tokio Millennium Re	AA		11,980	5.4%
				Platinum Re	Α		11,618	<u>5.2%</u>
				Total		\$	222,420	100.0%

Notes:

- (a) Reinsurance Recoverable includes Loss Reserves Recoverable and Paid Losses Recoverable.
- (b) 99.4% of Reinsurance Recoverable at December 31, 2011 were from reinsurers rated A- or better by internationally recognized rating agencies or were fully collateralized.



Validus Holdings, Ltd.

Consolidated Investment Portfolio Composition and Net Investment Income

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	December 31, 2011 Fair Value %			December 31,	2010	
Investment portfolio			Fair Value %		Fair Value	%
U.S. Government and Government Agency	\$	1,182,393	19.6%	\$	1,677,166	29.1%
Non-U.S. Government and Government Agency	Ą	449,358	7.5%	Ą	554,199	9.7%
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States, municipalities, political subdivision		26,291	0.4%		26,285	0.5%
Agency residential mortgage-backed securities		468,054	7.8%		445,859	7.8%
Non-Agency residential mortgage-backed securities		32,706	0.5%		56,470	1.0%
U.S. corporate		1,329,758	22.1%		1,308,406	22.8%
Non-U.S. corporate		579,675	9.6%		502,067	8.7%
Bank loans		467,256	7.8%		52,566	0.9%
Catastrophe bonds		29,952	0.5%		58,737	1.0%
Asset-backed securities		328,299	5.4%		123,569	2.2%
Commercial mortgage-backed securities		403	0.0%		18,543	0.3%
Total fixed maturities		4,894,145	81.2%		4,823,867	84.0%
Total short-term investments		280,191	4.7%		273,514	4.8%
Total other investments		16,787	0.3%		21,478	0.4%
Total investments		5,191,123	86.2%		5,118,859	89.2%
Cash and cash equivalents		832,844	<u>13.8%</u>		620,740	10.8%
Total cash and cash equivalents, and investments	\$	6,023,967	100.0%	\$	5,739,599	<u>100.0</u> %

		Three Moi	nths En	ded	Year Ended			
	Dec	ember 31,	Dec	ember 31,	Dec	ember 31,	Dec	ember 31,
Net investment income		2011		2010		2011		2010
Fixed maturities and short-term investments	\$	27,740	\$	30,033	\$	111,983	\$	132,669
Cash and cash equivalents		2,153		2,328		7,285		8,180
Securities lending income		27		32		58		200
Total gross investment income		29,920		32,393		119,326		141,049
Investment expenses		(1,840)		(1,431)		(7,030)		(6,946)
Net investment income	\$	28,080	\$	30,962	\$	112,296	\$	134,103
Annualized effective investment yield (a)		1.84%		2.12%		1.87%		2.29%

Notes:

(a) Annualized investment yield is calculated by dividing net investment income by the average balance of the assets managed by our portfolio managers and other investments. Average assets is the average of the beginning, ending and intervening quarter end asset balances. Percentages for the quarter periods are annualized.



Consolidated Fixed Maturity Portfolio Credit Quality and Maturity Profile

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

December 31, 2011 (a)		011 (a)		December 31, 2010 (a)			
Fixed maturities - Credit Quality	F	air Value	%		Fair Value	%	
AAA	\$	882,912	18.0%	\$	2,946,514	61.2%	
AA	·	2,077,981	42.5%	•	428,972	8.9%	
A		1,078,793	22.0%		1,077,389	22.3%	
BBB		345,091	7.1%		219,523	4.6%	
Investment grade		4,384,777	<u>89.6</u> %		4,672,398	<u>97.0</u> %	
ВВ		254,409	5.2%		74,475	1.5%	
В		231,420	4.7%		45,660	0.9%	
CCC		12,578	0.3%		29,219	0.6%	
CC		4,605	0.1%		-	0.0%	
С		-	0.0%		-	0.0%	
D/NR		6,356	<u>0.1</u> %		2,115	0.0%	
Non-Investment grade		509,368	<u>10.4</u> %		151,469	3.0%	
Total fixed maturities	\$	4,894,145	<u>100.0</u> %	\$	4,823,867	<u>100.0</u> %	

	December 31,	2011	December 31, 2010			
Fixed maturities - Maturity Profile	air Value	%		Fair Value	%	
Due in one year or less	\$ 523,107	10.7%	\$	426,167	8.8%	
Due after one year through five years	3,186,711	65.1%		3,540,408	73.4%	
Due after five years through ten years	346,654	7.1%		206,317	4.3%	
Due after ten years	8,211	0.2%		6,534	0.1%	
	4,064,683	83.1%		4,179,426	86.6%	
Asset-backed and mortgage backed securities	829,462	16.9%		644,441	13.4%	
Total fixed maturities	\$ 4,894,145	<u>100.0</u> %	\$	4,823,867	<u>100.0</u> %	

Notes:

(a) Ratings used are the lower of Standard and Poor's ("S&P") and Moody's. When Moody's ratings are used, they are presented in S&P's equivalent rating.



Top Ten Exposures to Fixed Income Corporate Issuers

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	As at December 31, 2011								
Issuer (a)	Fair	r Value (b)	S&P Rating (c)	% of Total Cash and Investments					
Verizon Communications Inc	\$	58,665	A-	1.0%					
Morgan Stanley		54,758	A-	0.9%					
JP Morgan Chase & Co		54,024	Α	0.9%					
BP PLC		52,293	Α	0.9%					
Goldman Sachs Group		38,980	A-	0.6%					
Southern Company		38,568	Α	0.6%					
Pepsico Inc		38,117	A-	0.6%					
Anheuser-Busch Inbev NV		37,382	A-	0.6%					
Hewlett-Packard Company		35,486	BBB+	0.6%					
International Business Machines Corp	<u></u>	32,516	A+	<u>0.5</u> %					
Total	\$	440,789		7.2%					

Notes:

- (a) Issuers exclude government-backed, government-sponsored enterprises and cash and cash equivalents.
- (b) Credit exposures represent only direct exposure to fixed maturities and short-term investments of the parent issuer and its major subsidiaries. These exposures exclude asset and mortgage backed securities that were issued, sponsored or serviced by the parent.
- (c) Ratings used are the lower of Standard and Poors (S&P) and Moody's. When Moody's ratings are used, they are presented in S&P's equivalent rating.



Consolidated Agency Residential Mortgage-Backed Portfolio

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

Δs at	Decemb	er 31	2011

	Government Rated											
		ed										
Agency Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities	GNMA	FNMA	FHLMC	FDIC	Total							
Vintage Year												
2004 and prior	\$ 57,672	\$ 10,943	\$ 11,045	\$ -	\$ 79,660							
2005	7,779	30,606	7,105	-	45,490							
2006	4,664	9,690	7,061	-	21,415							
2007	492	38,593	41,671	-	80,756							
2008	13,000	32,063	3,700	-	48,763							
2009	64,431	35,814	13,876	-	114,121							
2010	23,429	17,519	6,053	1,164	48,165							
2011	6,724	5,634	17,326		29,684							
Total Agency RMBS	\$ 178,191	\$ 180,862	\$ 107,837	\$ 1,164	\$ 468,054							



Consolidated Non-Agency Mortgage-Backed and Asset-Backed Portfolio

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	S&P Rating (a)											
		Gov't		AAA		AA		Α	BBB	BB an	d below	Total
Non-Agency Residential Mortgage-Backed Securities	-											
Vintage year												
2004 and prior	\$	-	\$	947	\$	-	\$	1,243	\$ 1,164	\$	-	\$ 3,354
2005		-		171		-		-	-		18,820	18,991
2006		-		-		-		-	-		238	238
2007		-		-		-		2,364	-		4,755	7,119
2010		-		3,004				-	 			 3,004
Total Non-Agency RMBS		-		4,122		-		3,607	1,164		23,813	32,706
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities												
Vintage year												
2004 and prior		-		403		-		-	-		-	403
2005		-		-		-		-	-		-	-
2006		-		-		-		-	-		-	-
2007		-		-		-		-	-		-	-
2008		-		-		-		-	-		-	-
2011		-		-				-	 			 -
Total Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities		-		403		-		-	 -		-	 403
Total Non-agency RMBS and Commercial MBS		-		4,525		-		3,607	1,164		23,813	33,109
Asset-Backed Securities												
Sub-Prime		-		-		-		28	-		922	950
Credit Cards		-		79,121		12,383		-	-		-	91,504
Autos		-		153,588		-		-	-		-	153,588
Student Loan		-		44,626		34,100		-	-		-	78,726
Equipment Loan		-		2,441		-		-	-		-	2,441
Stranded Cost & UK ABS		-		1,090		-		-	 			 1,090
Total Asset-Backed Securities		-		280,866		46,483		28	-		922	328,299

Notes:

(a) Ratings used are the lower of Standard and Poor's ("S&P") and Moody's. When Moody's ratings are used, they are presented in S&P's equivalent rating.



Consolidated Non-U.S. Fixed Income Portfolio

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

As at December 31, 2011

		As at Dece	111001 31, 2011						
S&P Rating (a)									
AAA	AA	Α	BBB	BB and below	Total				
160,408	-	-	-	-	160,408				
71,208	-	-	-	-	71,208				
69,576	-	-	-	-	69,576				
31,836	-	-	-	-	31,836				
30,538	-	-	-	-	30,538				
27,801	-	-	-	-	27,801				
-	22,519	-	-	-	22,519				
17,953	-	-	-	-	17,953				
-	3,016	-	-	3,426	6,442				
5,384	-	-	-	-	5,384				
-	3,279	-	-	-	3,279				
-	1,678	-	-	-	1,678				
736					736				
415,440	30,492		_	3,426	449,358				
107,392	96,811	62,385	935	-	267,523				
-	10,473	81,169	21,445	-	113,087				
41,686	89,053	61,645	6,681		199,065				
564,518	226,829	205,199	29,061	3,426	1,029,033				
	160,408 71,208 69,576 31,836 30,538 27,801 - 17,953 - 5,384 - 736 415,440 107,392 - 41,686	160,408	AAA AA A 160,408 - - 71,208 - - 69,576 - - 31,836 - - 30,538 - - 27,801 - - 17,953 - - - 3,016 - 5,384 - - - 1,678 - - 1,678 - 415,440 30,492 - 107,392 96,811 62,385 - 10,473 81,169 41,686 89,053 61,645	AAA AA A BBB 160,408 - - - 71,208 - - - 69,576 - - - 31,836 - - - 30,538 - - - 27,801 - - - - 22,519 - - - 3,016 - - - 3,016 - - - 3,279 - - - 1,678 - - 736 - - - 415,440 30,492 - - 107,392 96,811 62,385 935 - 10,473 81,169 21,445 41,686 89,053 61,645 6,681	S&P Rating (a) AAA AA ABBB BB and below 160,408 - - - 71,208 - - - 69,576 - - - 31,836 - - - 30,538 - - - 27,801 - - - - 22,519 - - 17,953 - - - - 3,016 - - - - 3,016 - - - 5,384 - - - - - 3,279 - - - - 1,678 - - - 736 - - - - 415,440 30,492 - - 3,426 107,392 96,811 62,385 935 - - 10,473 81,169 21,445				

Notes:

- (a) Ratings used are the lower of Standard and Poors (S&P) and Moody's. When Moody's ratings are used, they are presented in S&P's equivalent rating.
- (b) Excludes United Kingdom

Validus Holdings, Ltd.

Consolidated Eurozone Non-U.S. Fixed Income Portfolio (Excluding United Kingdom)

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

As at December 31, 2011

				Industry		
Eurozone Country	Bank	Energy	Industrial	Pharmaceutical	Utility	Total
Netherlands	50,048	24,164	7,918	-	-	82,130
Norway	65,274	10,358	-	-	-	75,632
France	7,589	-	2,049	21,137	16,367	47,142
Sweden	44,689	-	-	-	-	44,689
Switzerland	14,447	-	-	-	-	14,447
Luxembourg	-	1,306	-	-	1,183	2,489
Germany	994				-	994
Total Eurozone Non-U.S. Corporate Securities	183,041	35,828	9,967	21,137	17,550	267,523



Top Ten Exposures to Eurozone Banks (Excluding United Kingdom)

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

December	31.	2011
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Issuer	Fair Value	S&P Rating
Sparebank 1 Boligkreditt	\$ 27,291	AAA
Rabobank Nederland	26,607	AA
Nordea Eiendomskreditt AS	19,455	AAA
DNB Boligkreditt AS	18,528	AAA
Stadshypotek AB	16,430	AAA
Bank Nederlandse Gemeenten	15,946	AAA
Svenska Handelsbanken AB	11,995	AA-
Credit Suisse	11,611	A+
Nordea Bank AB	8,205	AA-
Swedbank Hypotek AB	8,060	AAA
Total	164,128	

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Top Ten Exposures to Eurozone Corporate (Excluding United Kingdom)

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

December 31, 2011

Issuer	Fair Value	S&P Rating		
Royal Dutch Shell PLC	\$ 24,164	AA		
Sanofi-Aventis	21,137	Α		
Electricite de France	9,160	AA-		
Statoil ASA	8,725	AA-		
Volkswagen International Finance NV	7,918	A-		
France Telecom SA	7,207	A-		
Total Capital SA	2,049	AA-		
Schlumberger Norge SA	1,633	A+		
Schlumberger Investment SA	1,306	A+		
Enel Finance International SA	1,183	A-		
Total	84,482			



Capitalization

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	December 31,	September 30,	June 30,	March 31,	December 31, 2010		
Capitalization	2011	2011	2011	2011			
Borrowings drawn under credit facility	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		
Senior Notes (a) Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures (JSDs) (b)	246,982 289,800	246,955 289,800	246,928 289,800	246,901 289,800	246,874 289,800		
Total debt	536,782	536,755	536,728	536,701	536,674		
Ordinary shares, capital and surplus available to Validus Accumulated other comprehensive (loss)	3,455,026 (6,601)	3,448,801 (4,932)	3,412,836 (4,519)	3,319,819 (4,498)	3,510,286 (5,455)		
Noncontrolling interest Total shareholders' equity	3,448,425	146,223 3,590,092	134,895 3,543,212	3,315,321	3,504,831		
Total capitalization (c)	\$ 3,985,207	\$ 4,126,847	\$ 4,079,940	\$ 3,852,022	\$ 4,041,505		
Debt to total capitalization Debt (excluding JSDs) to total capitalization	<u>13.5</u> % <u>6.2</u> %	13.0% 6.0%	13.2% 6.1%	13.9% 6.4%	13.3% 6.1%		

Notes:

(a) On January 21, 2010, the Company offered and sold \$250.0 million of Senior Notes due 2040 (the "2010 Senior Notes") in a registered public offering. The 2010 Senior Notes mature on January 26, 2040, and are redeemable at the Company's option in whole any time or in part from time to time at a make-whole redemption price. Interest on the 2010 Senior Notes is payable at 8.875% per annum through January 26, 2040. Interest on the Notes is payable semi-annually in arrears on January 26 and July 26 of each year, commencing on July 26, 2010. The net proceeds of \$244.0 million from the sale of the 2010 Senior Notes, after the deduction of commissions paid to the underwriters in the transaction and other expenses, was used by the Company for general corporate purposes, which included the repurchase of our outstanding capital stock and dividends to our shareholders.

(b) \$150.0 million of Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures (the "2006 Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures") were issued on June 15, 2006, mature on June 15, 2036, are redeemable at the Company's option at par beginning June 15, 2011, and require quarterly interest payments at a rate of 9.069% per annum through June 15, 2011 and thereafter at a floating rate of three-month LIBOR plus 355 basis points, reset quarterly. \$200.0 million of Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures ("2007 Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures") were issued on June 21, 2007, mature on June 15, 2037, are redeemable at the Company's option at par beginning June 15, 2012, and require quarterly interest payments at a rate of 8.480% per annum through June 15, 2012, and thereafter at a floating rate of three-month LIBOR plus 295 basis points, reset quarterly. During 2008 and 2009, the Company repurchased \$60.2 million principal amount of its 2007 Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures due 2037 from an unaffiliated financial institution.

(c) Total capitalization equals total shareholders' equity plus borrowings drawn under credit facility and Junior Subordinated Deferrable Debentures.



Japan

Estimated Exposures to Peak Zone Property Catastrophe Losses - As of January 1, 2012

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

Probable Maximum Losses by Zone and Peril

Typhoon

			Consolidated (Validus Re and Tabbot) Estimated Net Loss									
										Va	lidus Re Net	
		20 y	ear return	50 y	50 year return 100 year re		year return	250) year return	Maximum Zonal		
Zones	Perils	<u> </u>	period	period		period		period		Aggregate		
United States	Hurricane	\$	445,374	\$	706,886	\$	888,282	\$	1,091,720	\$	1,641,119	
California	Earthquake		43,883		135,853		228,565		368,370		1,474,982	
Europe	Windstorm		143,649		295,831		437,222		627,212		1,500,548	
Japan	Earthquake		74,999		138,904		167,419		237,769		748,287	

109.098

Consolidated (Validus Po and Talbot) Estimated Not Loss

198.283

273,062

Net loss estimates and zonal aggregates are before income tax, net of reinstatement premiums, and net of reinsurance and retrocessional recoveries. The estimates set forth above are based on an Occurrence basis on assumptions that are inherently subject to significant uncertainties and contingencies. These uncertainties and contingencies can affect actual losses and could cause actual losses to differ materially from those expressed above. In particular, modeled loss estimates do not necessarily accurately predict actual losses, and may significantly mis-estimate actual losses. Such estimates, therefore, should not be considered as a representation of actual losses.

27.601

The Company has developed the estimates of losses expected from certain catastrophes for its portfolio of property, marine, workers' compensation, and personal accident contracts using commercially available catastrophe models such as RMS, AIR and EQECAT, which are applied and adjusted by the Company. These estimates include assumptions regarding the location, size and magnitude of an event, the frequency of events, the construction type and damageability of property in a zone, policy terms and conditions and the cost of rebuilding property in a zone, among other assumptions. These assumptions will evolve following any actual event. Accordingly, if the estimates and assumptions that are entered into the risk model are incorrect, or if the risk model proves to be an inaccurate forecasting tool, the losses the Company might incur from an actual catastrophe could be materially higher than its expectation of losses generated from modeled catastrophe scenarios. In addition, many risks such as second-event covers, aggregate excess of loss, or attritional loss components cannot be fully evaluated using the vendor models. Further, the Company cannot assure that such third party models are free of defects in the modeling logic or in the software code. Commencing in January 2012, the Company incorporated RMS version 11 as part of the vendor

Investors should not rely on the information set forth in this presentation when considering investment in the Company. The information contained in this presentation has not been audited nor has it been subject to independent verification. The estimates set forth above speak only as of the date of this presentation and the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise such information to reflect the occurrence of future events, including, but not limited to, the composition of the Company's business. The events presented reflect a specific set of proscribed calculations and do not necessarily reflect all events that may impact the Company.

729.693



Estimated Exposures to Specified Loss Scenarios - As of July 1, 2011

(Expressed in millions of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

Consolidated (Validus Re and Talbot) Realistic Disaster Scenarios (RDS)

				timated solidated	% of latest 12 Months	
				dus Re and	d Consolidated Net Premiums	
			Talbot) Net Loss			
Туре	Catastrophe Scenarios	_			Earned	
Terrorism	Rockefeller Center	Midtown Manhattan suffers a 2-tonne conventional bomb blast	\$	228.8	12.7%	
Terrorism	Exchange Place	Lower Manhattan suffers a 2-tonne conventional bomb blast		155.9	8.7%	
Marine	Marine collision in Prince William Sound	Fully laden tanker collides with a cruise vessel in Prince William Sound		174.0	9.7%	
Marine	Major cruise vessel incident	US-owned cruise vessel sunk or severely damaged		139.4	7.7%	
Marine	Loss of major complex	Total loss to all platforms and bridge links of a major oil complex		225.3	12.5%	
Aviation	Aviation collision	Collision of two aircraft over a major city		67.1	3.7%	
Satellite	Proton flare	Large single or sequence of proton flares results in loss to all satellites in synchronous orbit		25.1	1.4%	
Satellite	Generic defect	Undetected defect in a number of operational satellites causing major loss		34.1	1.9%	
Liability	Professional lines	Failure or collapse of a major corporation		30.7	1.7%	
Liability	Professional lines	UK pensions mis-selling		17.2	1.0%	
Political Risks	South East Asia	Chinese economy has a "hard landing" with sharp fall in growth rates; regional contagion		100.9	5.6%	
Political Risks	South America	Severe economic crisis in Brazil due to political upheaval; regional contagion		130.6	7.2%	
Political Risks	Middle East	US and Iran escalate into military confrontation; regional contagion		147.0	8.2%	
Political Risks	Russia	The Russian corporate sector struggles to deal with the effects of crashing commodity and stock prices		45.1	2.5%	
Political Risks	Turkey	Severe economic crisis in Turkey due to political upheaval		95.6	5.3%	

The Company has presented the Company Realistic Disaster Scenarios for non-natural catastrophe events. Twice yearly, Lloyds' syndicates, including the Company's Talbot Syndicate 1183, are required to provide details of their potential exposures to specific disaster scenarios. Lloyds' makes its updated Realistic Disaster Scenarios (RDS) guidance available to the market annually. The RDS scenario specification document for 2011 can be accessed at the RDS part of the Lloyd's public website:

http://www.lloyds.com/The-Market/Tools-and-Resources/Research/Exposure-Management/Realistic-Disaster-Scenarios

The Consolidated Pro Forma Net Premiums Earned used in the calculation represent the latest 12 months of net premiums earned from January 1, 2011 and are on a pro forma basis, including IPC earned premiums.

Modeling catastrophe threat scenarios is a complex exercise involving numerous variables and is inherently subject to significant uncertainties and contingencies. These uncertainties and contingencies can affect actual losses and could cause actual losses incurred by the Company to differ materially from those expressed above. Should an event occur, the modeled outcomes may prove inadequate, possibly materially so. This may occur for a number of reasons including, legal requirements, model deficiency, non-modeled risks or data inaccuracies.

A modeled outcome of net loss from a single event also relies in significant part on the reinsurance and retrocession arrangements in place, or expected to be in place at the time of the analysis, and may change during the year. Modeled outcomes assume that the reinsurance and retrocession in place responds as expected with minimal reinsurance failure or dispute. Reinsurance is purchased to match the original exposure as far as possible, but it is possible for there to be a mismatch or gap in cover which could result in higher than modeled losses to the Company. In addition, many parts of the reinsurance program are purchased with limited reinstatements and, therefore, the number of claims or events which may be recovered from second or subsequent events is limited. It should also be noted that renewal dates of the reinsurance program do not necessarily coincide with those of the inwards business written. Where original business is not protected by risks attaching reinsurance or retrocession programs, the programs could expire resulting in an increase in the possible net loss retained by the Company.

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Non-GAAP Financial Measure Reconciliation

Net Operating Income (Loss) available (attributable) to Validus, Net Operating Income (Loss) per share available (attributable) to Validus and Annualized Net Operating Return on Average Equity (Expressed in thousands of U.S. Dollars, except share and per share information)

	Three Months Ended			_	Year Ended				
	December 31,			December 31,		December 31,		December 31,	
		2011		2010	=		2011	20	10
Net income available to Validus Adjustments for:	\$	27,324	\$	102,687		\$	21,329	\$	402,564
Net realized (gains) losses on investments Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments Foreign exchange (gains) losses		(5,355) (2,159) (266)		14,399 42,689 (3,424)			(28,532) 19,991 22,124		(32,498) (45,952) (1,351)
Transaction expenses (a)		3,850		-			17,433		-
Net operating income available to Validus less: Dividends and distributions	\$	23,394	\$	156,351		\$	52,345	\$	322,763
declared on outstanding warrants		(1,728)		(1,746)			(7,644)		(6,991)
Net operating income available to Validus, adjusted	\$	21,666	\$	154,605		\$	44,701	\$	315,772
Net income per share available to Validus - diluted Adjustments for:	\$	0.25	\$	0.92		\$	0.14	\$	3.34
Net realized (gains) losses on investments Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments	\$ \$	(0.06) (0.02)		0.13 0.38			(0.28) 0.19		(0.27) (0.38)
Foreign exchange (gains) losses	\$	-		(0.03)			0.22		(0.01)
Transaction expenses (a)	\$	0.04					0.17		
Net operating income per share available to Validus - diluted	\$	0.21	\$	1.40		\$	0.44	\$	2.68
Weighted average number of common shares and common share equivalents		101,324,291		111,316,736			100,928,284	12	20,630,945
Average shareholders' equity available to Validus	\$	3,446,147	\$	3,633,058		\$	3,424,153	\$	3,731,945
Annualized net operating return on average equity		<u>2.7</u> %		<u>17.2</u> %			<u>1.5</u> %		<u>8.6</u> %

Notes:

(a) The transaction expenses relate to costs incurred in connection with the Company's proposed acquisition of Transatlantic Holdings, Inc. Transaction expenses are primarily comprised of legal, financial advisory and audit related services.