**Great-West Lifeco** 

# Quarterly Results Presentation

1Q24







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**Ed Murphy** 

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# **Business Overview**



Paul Mahon

President & CEO Great-West Lifeco









# **Highlights**

- Strong start to the year with record base earnings for third consecutive quarter, exceeding \$1B for the first time. Net earnings of \$1B from continuing operations benefited from market movements
- Empower delivered its highest quarterly base earnings and surpassed US\$1.6T of AUA
  - Prudential integration completed; exceeded retention targets and delivered expected run-rate cost synergies
- Operating at the top end of the range of our base ROE medium-term objective
- Comfortable leverage ratio and strong regulatory capital ratios, building substantial financial flexibility to take advantage of future opportunities
- Canada Life named third most valuable brand and most valuable insurance brand in Canada by Brand Finance

# Strong start to the year

Base Earnings<sup>1</sup>

\$1,012M

Up 23% YoY

**Net Earnings<sup>2</sup>** 

\$1,031M

Base ROE<sup>1</sup>

17.2%

Up 1.1 pp YoY

Net ROE<sup>2</sup> 14.6%

Base EPS<sup>1</sup>

\$1.09

Up 22% YoY

Net EPS<sup>2</sup> \$1.10

**BVPS**<sup>3</sup>

\$24.74

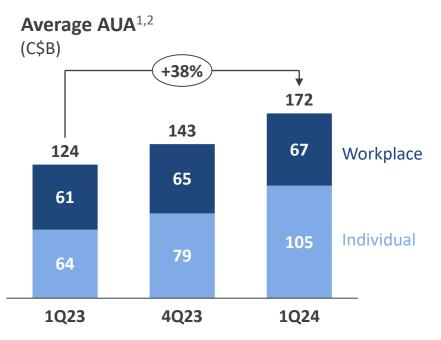
Up 6% YoY

LICAT ratio<sup>4</sup>
129%

Leverage Ratio<sup>5</sup> 30%

# <u>Canada</u>: Strong average AUA growth driven by acquisitions and market performance, and solid organic growth in Group Life & Health

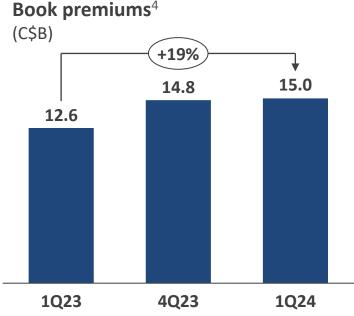
#### **Wealth and Retirement**

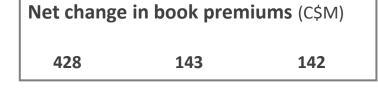




 Higher average AUA reflects strong market performance and a full quarter with IPC, which both contributed to improved Individual net flows

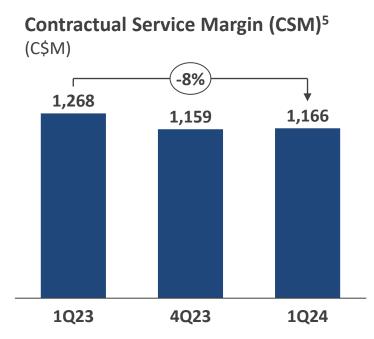
#### **Group Life & Health**

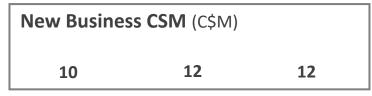




 Growth in 1Q24 in-force premium is primarily due to organic growth of existing book

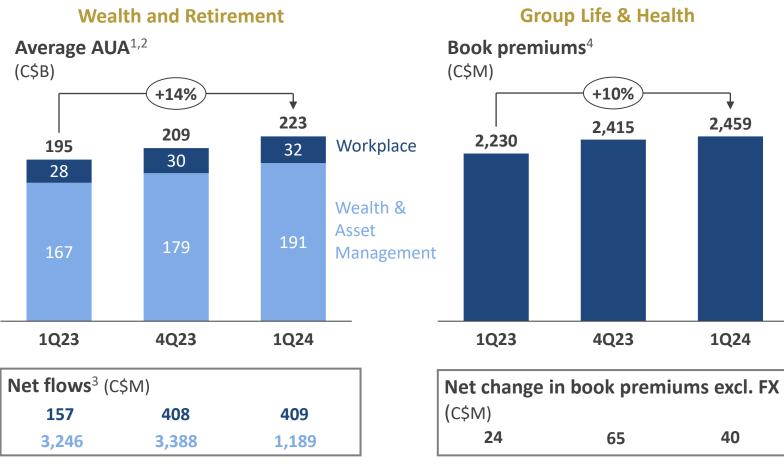
#### **Insurance & Annuities**





 CSM growth from 4Q23 reflects one-time 1Q24 reinsurance recapture; Ongoing commitment to risk management and disciplined pricing

# **Europe:** Continued growth across all value drivers

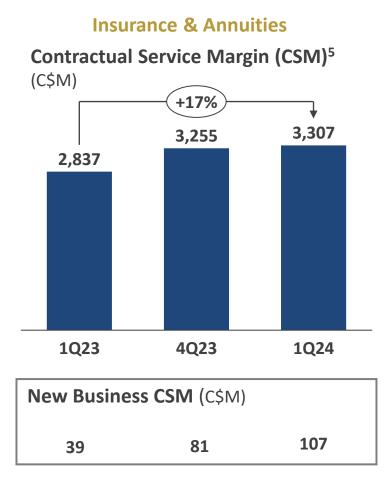


Higher average AUA driven by strong market

performance and continued positive net

inflows



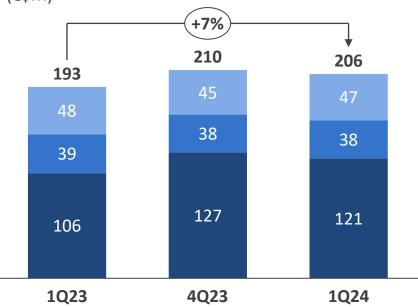


Strong growth continues in UK individual and bulk annuities

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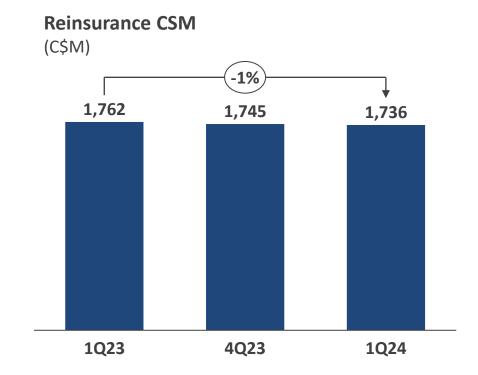
# <u>CRS</u>: New structured reinsurance business drove year-over-year growth in runrate earnings

Run-Rate Reinsurance Earnings Drivers<sup>1</sup> (C\$M)



- Consistent results driven by strong execution and discipline
- YoY growth in short-term business driven by strong 2023 and 1Q24 sales of structured reinsurance business





 CSM was stable; continue to maintain disciplined pricing on longevity and mortality businesses

# **Empower**



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President and CEO, Empower Great-West Lifeco

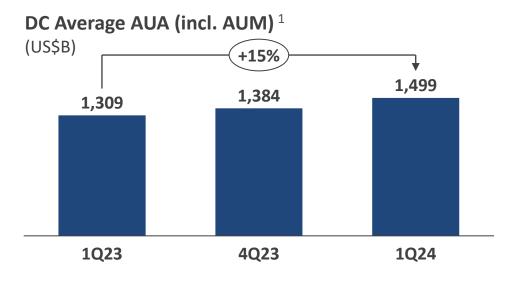








# **Empower: Strong AUA growth driven by market performance**

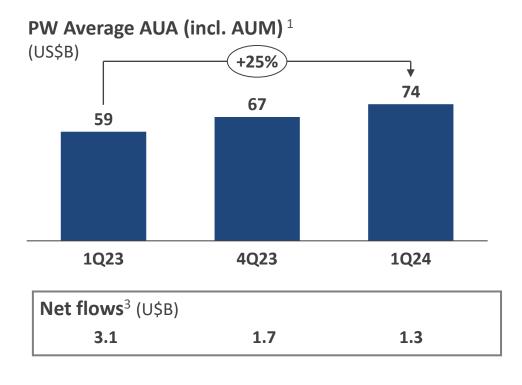




DC – Shock lapses from Prudential book<sup>2</sup>

DC – All other

Total DC



- 1Q24 DC net flows were impacted by a single large client termination
- DC generated positive net flows in past 4 quarters when adjusting for the impact of "shock lapses" in the acquired Prudential book. Of note, shock lapses were lower than anticipated.

 Higher average AUA driven by strong market performance and continued positive net inflows

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# **Empower has three building blocks of success**

- Outpacing industry growth in retirement plan services
- Expanding in retail wealth management
- Executing with excellence in M&A

Focus of today

# Acquisitions of MassMutual and Prudential retirement businesses successfully extended Empower leadership in the market

**1Q24** 

J.P.Morgan
Retirement Services Business

**Acquired in 2014** 

**...** MassMutual

Retirement Services Business

Acquired in 2020



Acquired in 2022



Surpassed US\$1.6T AUA<sup>1</sup>



**18.6M Total**Participants/Clients



**Customer retention > target** 



**Extended scale advantage** 



Increased potential retail client relationships

# Since 2014, Empower has generated significant value by utilizing its technology and integration prowess to drive synergies and reduced cost-to-serve

Empower has successfully completed 26 plan migration waves since 2014

250

Cross-discipline migration experts

48K

Plans

6.7M

Participants with a balance

10

Recordkeeping platforms

500B

Data values migrated

**US\$657B** 

**AUA** integrated

"Our migration experience was overwhelmingly positive – consistent with our expectations of, and experience with our Empower team."

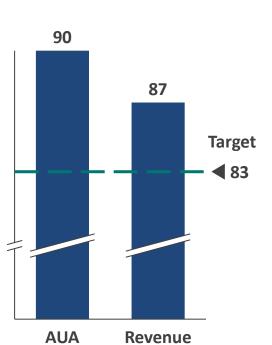
Large metropolitan government hospital client

# Exceeded retention targets and achieved stated synergies from acquisitions

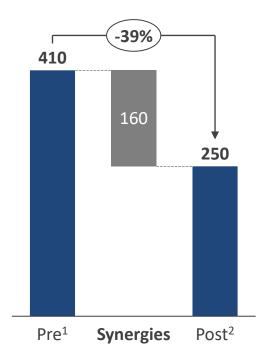
#### ... MassMutual

**Retirement Services Business** 

Retention as of integration completion at 4Q22<sup>3</sup> (%)

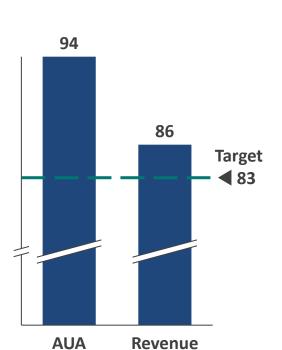


**Pre-tax expenses** (US\$M)

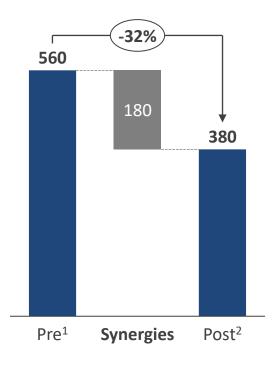


Prudential
Full-Service Retirement Business

Retention as of integration completion at 2Q24<sup>4</sup> (%)



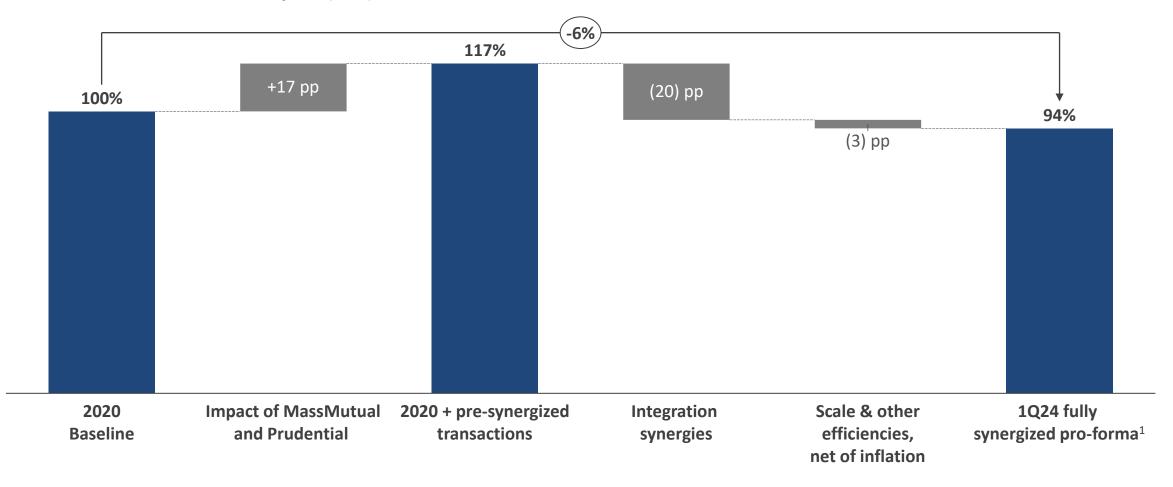
Pre-tax expenses (US\$M)



<sup>1.</sup> Based on original cost base per deal model 2. Excludes inflation impacts during integration. 3. Retention rate based on starting values on Dec. 31, 2020, and ending values on integration completion on Oct. 31, 2022. 4. Retention rate based on starting values on Mar. 31, 2022, and projected ending values at integration completion in 2Q24

# Acquisitions, strong growth and a continued focus on operational efficiencies contributed to reducing cost-to-serve despite the inflationary environment

**Evolution of Cost Per Participant (CPP)** 



PP = percentage points. 1. Annualized

# Opportunities for Empower to further expand cost leadership... allowing for investment in customer experience, continued organic growth and higher margins

- Redesigning end-to-end processes in a scalable way with a client-centric view
- Increasing utilization of AI and automation
- Further leveraging our global footprint to maximize our talent pools
- Optimizing how we communicate with our clients
- Further participating in market consolidation on opportunistic basis

# **Financial Highlights**



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EVP & CFO Great-West Lifeco

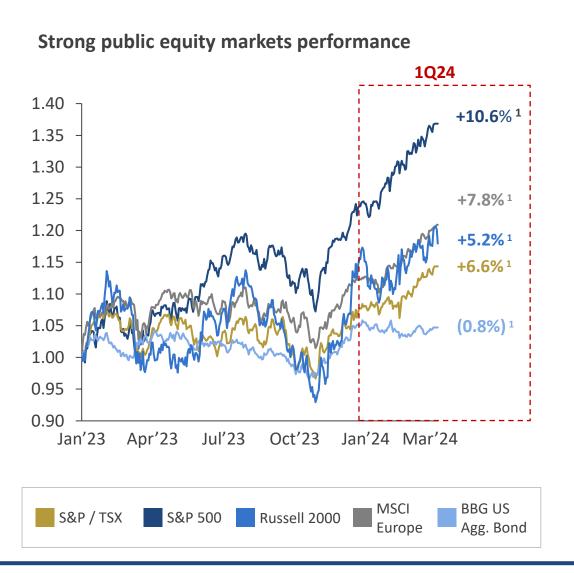








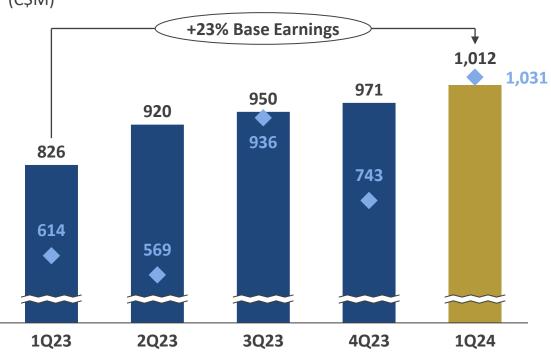
# Continued momentum in global markets contributed to strong results



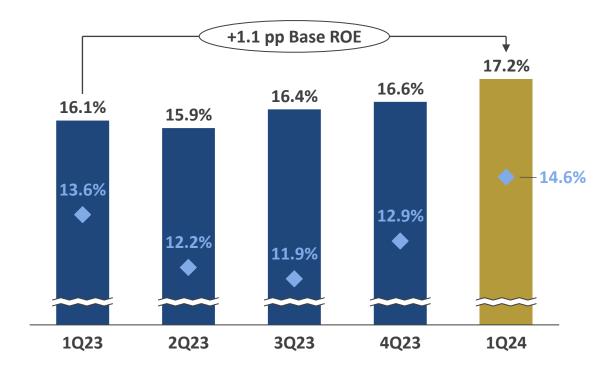
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				1Q24 vs.	•	
Market Indices	1Q23	4Q23	1Q24	1Q23	4Q23	
S&P / TSX Composite	20,191	19,875	21,302	+6%	+7%	
S&P 500	4000	4,465	4,993	+25%	+12%	
Russell 2000	1,856	1,807	2,012	+8%	+11%	
MSCI Europe	152	153	164	+8%	+8%	
BBG US Agg. Bond	2,088	2,062	2,136	+2%	+4%	
Currency						
USD/CAD	1.35	1.36	1.35	~ flat	-1%	
EUR/CAD	1.45	1.47	1.46	+1%	~ flat	
GBP/CAD	1.64	1.69	1.71	+4%	+1%	
	E	nd-of-peri	od	Change		
Interest rates	1Q23	4Q23	1Q24	1Q24 vs. 1Q23	1Q24 vs. 4Q23	
30-yr CND gov. bond yield	3.00%	3.03%	3.35%	+35 bps	+32 bps	
10-yr UK gov. bond yield	3.84%	4.14%	4.42%	+58 bps	+28 bps	

# Delivered strong double-digit earnings growth while operating at the top end of the range of our base ROE medium-term objective

Base Earnings<sup>1</sup> (bars) and Net Earnings<sup>2</sup> (diamonds) (C\$M)



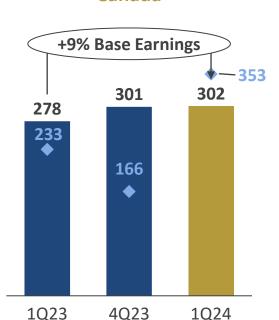
 Should the Global Minimum Tax legislation become effective in Canada and Barbados and retroactively take effect January 1, 2024, 1Q24 base earnings would be restated to \$977M Base ROE<sup>1</sup> (bars) and Net ROE<sup>2</sup> (diamonds)



# Strong contributions to earnings growth across all four segments

Base Earnings<sup>1</sup> (bars) and Net Earnings<sup>2</sup> (diamonds)

(C\$M) Canada



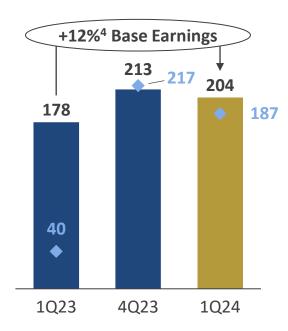
- Continued business growth and strong experience
- Contributions from IPC and Value Partners acquired businesses

**U.S.**<sup>3</sup>



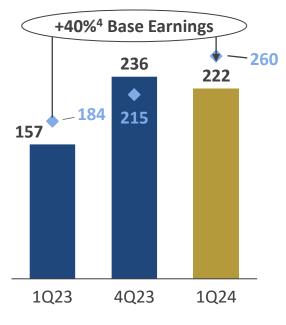
- Higher fee income partly offset by seasonality of marketing spend and lower spread income
- Base earnings include contribution related to Franklin Templeton shares
- Base ROE of 12.6% up 1pp from 4Q23

#### Europe



- Higher net fee and spread income and higher expected insurance earnings
- Higher interest earnings on surplus
- Strong insurance experience in 4Q23

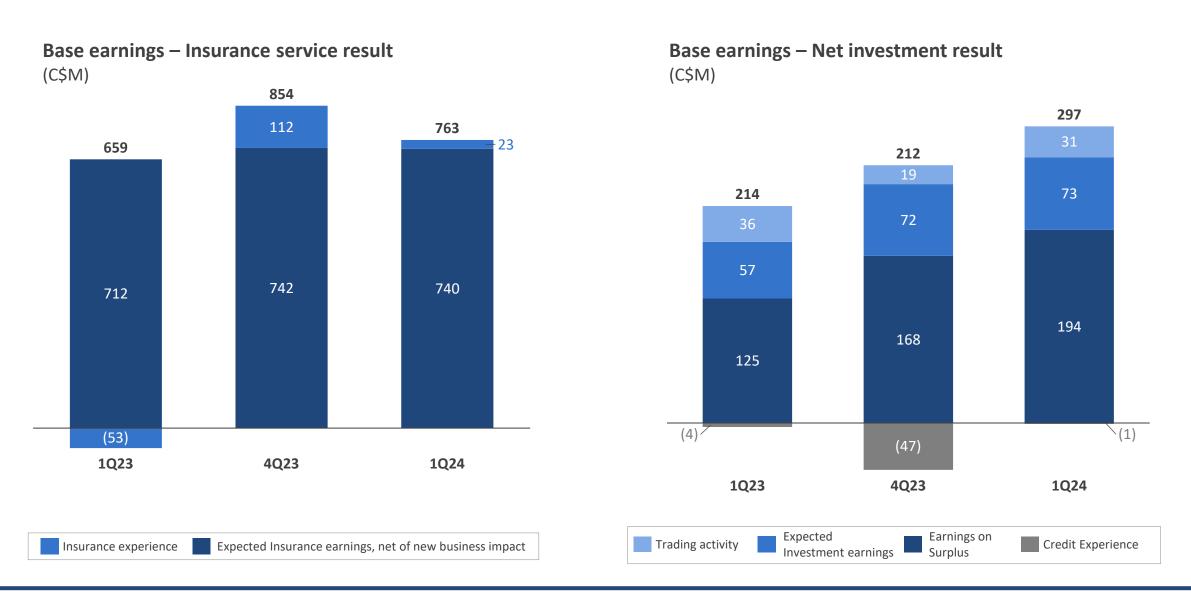
#### **Capital & Risk Solutions**



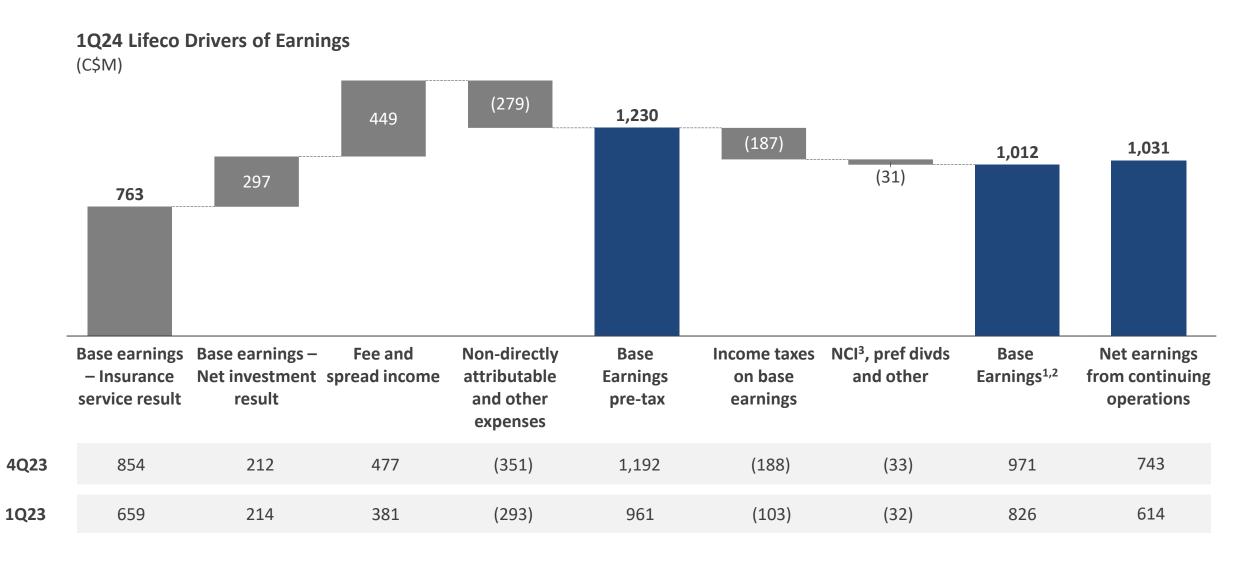
- Results reflect robust structured sales
- Improved mortality experience
- 4Q23 included favourable P&C claims experience

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# Continued strength in underlying business and investment results

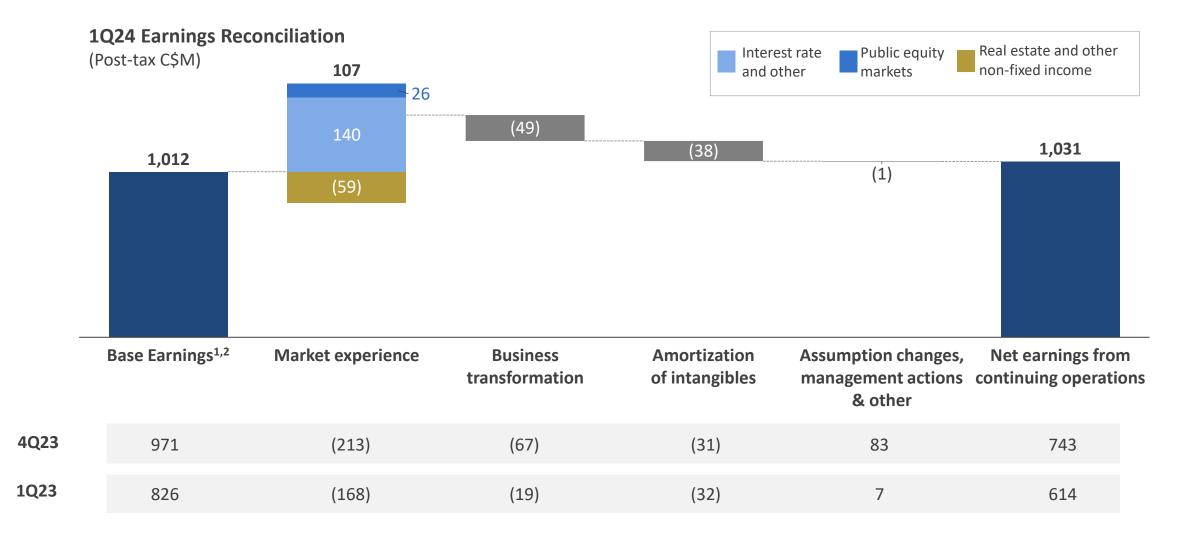


# Continued strength in underlying business and investment results (cont'd)



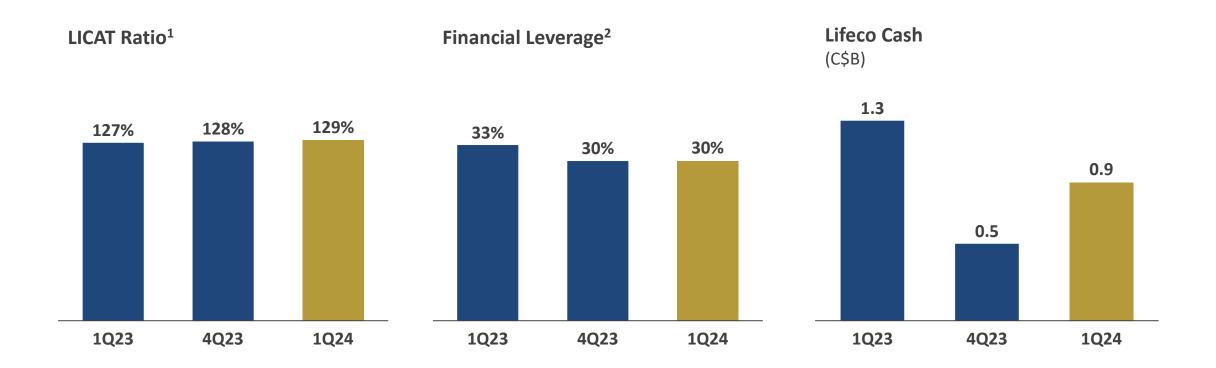
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# Positive market experience partly offset by restructuring and integration costs in the U.S. and Canada



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# Strong LICAT ratio, comfortable leverage ratio and building substantial financial flexibility to take advantage of future opportunities



Footnotes 1-2: Refer to slide 39



# Paul Mahon

President & CEO Great-West Lifeco









# Lifeco has performed well, delivering significant shareholder return



#### Annualized total return<sup>1</sup>

As at March 28, 2024

		1 year	3 years	5 years
GWO		27.4%	15.0%	12.1%
S&P TSX Financials		18.2%	9.3%	10.7%
Over/(Under)	Δ	+9.2%	+5.7%	+1.4%
S&P TSX		14.0%	9.2%	10.0%
Over/(Under)	Δ	+13.3%	+5.8%	+2.1%
S&P 500 Financials <sup>2</sup>		33.5%	9.5%	12.7%
Over/(Under)	Δ	(6.1%)	+5.6%	(0.6%)

S&P TSX Financials S&P TSX S&P 500 Financials

# Questions







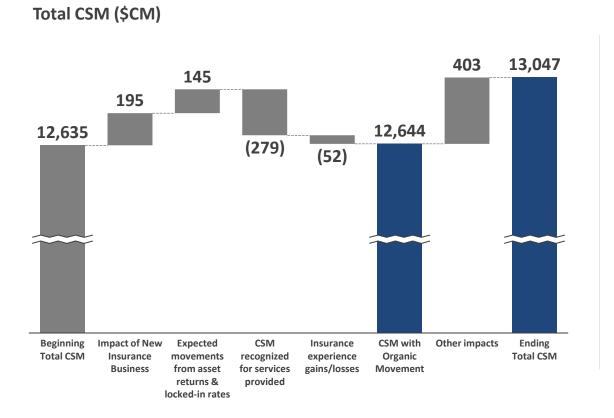
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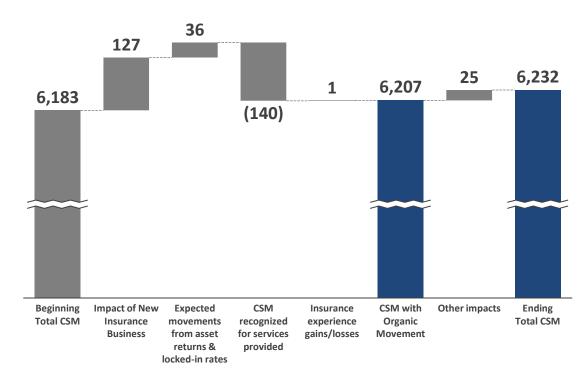




# **Contractual Service Margin (CSM)**



#### CSM (\$CM), excluding segregated funds and par



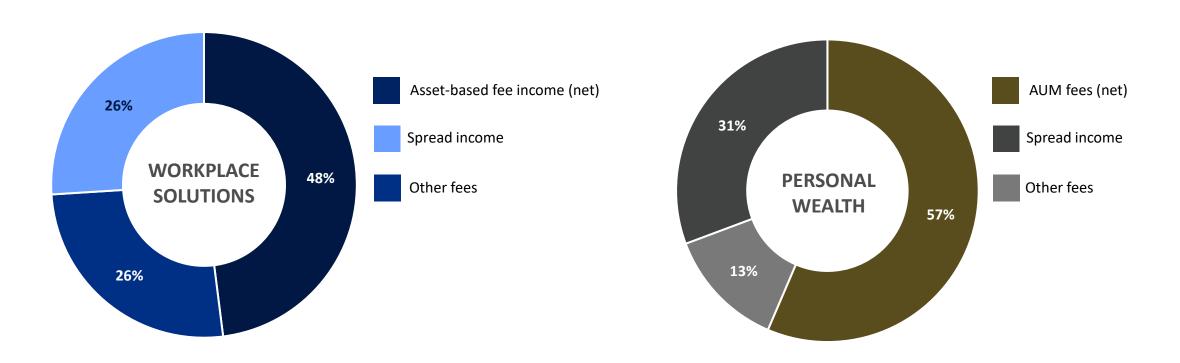
- Total CSM at March 31, 2024 was \$13,047M, which includes an organic movement in CSM of \$9M in 1Q24.
- CSM on non-participating business, excluding segregated funds, was \$6,232M at March 31, 2024, which includes an organic movement in CSM of \$24M in 1Q24.

# **Reminder: How Empower makes money**



Personal Wealth

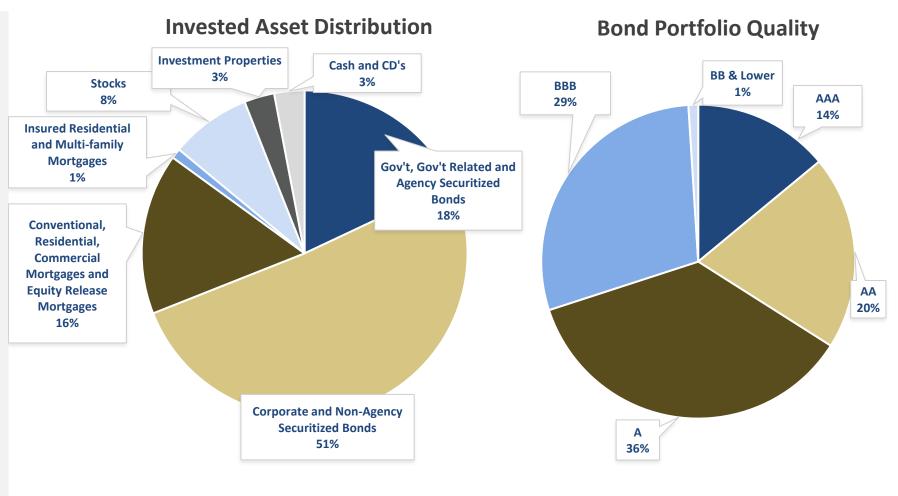
**18%**OF 1Q24 REVENUE



### **Invested Assets**

Conservative investment portfolio, predominantly comprised of fixed income instruments – 99% of which are investment-grade

- Invested assets of ~\$227.7B
- Bonds represent 69%
  - 99% are investment grade
  - 70% rated A or higher
  - 85% of bond holdings are domiciled in Canada, the U.S., and the U.K.
- Mortgages represent 17%
  - Well diversified by geography and property type
  - Well seasoned, with minimal impairments; delinquencies > 90 days on non-impaired mortgages are negligible
- Stocks represent 8%, mostly Canadian publicly traded (55% of which are held in Canadian Par)
- Investment properties are 3%
  - 71% in Canada (principally held in par fund) / U.S.;
  - 29% in U.K. / Europe
  - Properties are unlevered
  - U.K. / European properties benefit from long term lease contracts



# **Lifeco Consolidated Bond Portfolio**

		% of Invested Assets			
Country of Domicile	Gov't, Gov't Related and Agency Securitized Bonds	Corporate and Non-Agency Securitized Bonds	Total Bonds		
U.S.	2.4%	28.1%	30.5%		
Canada	7.6%	8.8%	16.4%		
U.K.	4.7%	6.3%	11.0%		
Germany	0.7%	1.1%	1.8%		
Ireland	0.2%	0.3%	0.5%		
	15.6%	44.6%	60.2%		
<b>Europe Other</b>	0.7%	3.8%	4.5%		
All Other	1.4%	2.4%	3.8%		
Total	17.7%	50.8%	68.5%		

# **Corporate and Non-Agency Securitized Bonds**Sector Diversification

Corporates	% of Invested Assets
Electric Utilities	7.3%
<b>Consumer Products</b>	6.5%
<b>Industrial Products</b>	5.2%
Banks	3.8%
Financial Services	3.7%
Transportation	3.0%
Real Estate	2.9%
Energy	2.8%
Technology	2.3%
Gas Utilities	1.7%
Communications	1.6%
Other Utilities	1.3%
Auto & Auto Parts	1.2%
<b>Total Corporates</b>	43.3%

Non-Agency Securitized	% of Invested Assets
CMBS	2.1%
RMBS	0.1%
Other ABS	5.3%
Total Non-Agency Securitized	7.5%
Total Corporate and Non-Agency Securitized	50.8%

# **Lifeco Mortgage Exposures**

#### (C\$m) Carrying Value

#### **Mortgage Holdings by Segment**

Property Type	Total	% of Lifeco IA	Canada Par	Canada Non-Par	U.S.	Europe	CRS	Insured	Non-insured	LTV <sup>1</sup>	DSCR <sup>1</sup>	WALT
Single Family	1,463	0.6%	1,150	313	-	-	-	318	1,145			
Equity Release	4,373	1.9%	474	1,314	-	2,093	492	-	4,373			
Multi Family	9,281	4.1%	3,628	886	3,917	818	32	2,510	6,771	55%	2.2	
Commercial												
Industrial	10,406	4.6%	3,075	1,014	5,415	832	70	-	10,406	53%	2.4	5.3
Retail & Shopping Centres	5,671	2.5%	2,812	793	930	1,108	28	-	5,671	60%	2.1	6.4
Office Buildings	5,012	2.2%	1,042	368	2,453	1,119	30	-	5,012	70%	2.6	6.2
Other	2,009	0.9%	31	23	1,158	777	20	-	2,009	50%	2.4	3.6
Total Commercial	23,098	10.2%	6,960	2,198	9,956	3,836	148	-	23,098	58%	2.4	5.6
Total Lifeco	38,215	16.8%	12,212	4,711	13,873	6,747	672	2,828	35,387	58%	2.4	5.6

- Mortgage holdings totaled \$38.2 billion (16.8% of invested assets). Conventional mortgages, which exclude single family and equity release mortgages, are well diversified by property type, with a weighted average LTV of 58%.
- 7% of mortgage loans are insured, all in Canada
- 0.1% of single family mortgage loans are in arrears. There are no commercial mortgages in arrears.
- 99% of commercial mortgage loans, including multi family, are fixed rate and 1% are variable rate. 94% of single family mortgage loans are fixed rate and 6% are variable rate. All equity release mortgages are fixed rate.
- Maturing office loans have strong coverage, good leverage, and with average lease terms longer than loan terms.

1. Calculated on conventional mortgages (non-insured) only

# **United Kingdom Mortgage Exposures**

(C\$m) Carrying Value			Property Type							
City/Region	Total	% of Lifeco IA	Office Buildings	Industrial	Retail	Multi Family	Other	<b>Equity Release</b>		
Central London	2,824	1.2%	890	179	540	570	358	287		
Other United Kingdom	7,036	3.1%	401	1,364	775	245	461	3,790		
<b>Total United Kingdom</b>	9,860	4.3%	1,291	1,543	1,315	815	819	4,077		
% of Total			13.1%	15.6%	13.3%	8.3%	8.3%	41.4%		
% of Lifeco IA			0.6%	0.7%	0.6%	0.4%	0.4%	1.6%		

- Mortgage holdings in the United Kingdom totaled \$9.9 billion (4.3% of invested assets). Conventional mortgages, which exclude equity release mortgages, are well diversified by property type, with a weighted average LTV of 54%, a weighted average DSCR of 2.7, and a weighted average lease term exceeding 10 years. Equity release mortgages have a weighted average LTV of 40%.
- Central London mortgage holdings totaled \$2.8 billion (1.2% of invested assets), with office holdings totalling \$0.9 billion (0.4% of invested assets). Central London conventional mortgage weighted average LTV is 48% and Central London office weighted average LTV is 53%.

### **Lifeco Non-Fixed Income Portfolio**

NFI Portfolio by Type	Total	% of Lifeco IA	Canada Par	Canada Non-Par	U.S.	Europe	CRS
Investment Properties							
Industrial	3,033	1.3%	1,916	272	-	845	-
Office	1,650	0.7%	967	158	21	504	-
Multi Family	1,477	0.6%	1,210	244	-	23	-
Retail	827	0.4%	179	23	-	625	-
Other	840	0.4%	339	237	-	264	-
<b>Total Investment Properties</b>	7,827	3.4%	4,611	934	21	2,261	-
Stocks							
Publicly traded stocks	13,282	5.8%	8,411	2,801	1,573	497	-
Privately held stocks	4,633	2.0%	1,479	1,161	1,750	243	-
Total Stocks	17,915	7.8%	9,890	3,962	3,323	740	-
Total Lifeco	25,742	11.2%	14,501	4,896	3,344	3,001	-

- Total NFI portfolio was \$25.7 billion (11.2% of invested assets) with Canada Par totaling \$14.5 billion (6.4% of invested assets).
- Investment property holdings totaled \$7.8 billion (3.4% of invested assets). Property holdings are well diversified by property type, with a weighted average lease term exceeding 8 years.
- 2.1% of total annual rent is in arrears
- Stock holdings totaled \$17.9 billion (7.8% of invested assets), with Canada Par totaling \$9.9 billion (4.3% of invested assets).

#### **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES AND RATIOS**

This document contains some non-Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) financial measures and non-GAAP ratios as defined in National Instrument 52-112 "Non-GAAP and Other Financial Measures Disclosure". Terms by which non-GAAP financial measures are identified include, but are not limited to, "base earnings (loss)", "base earnings: insurance service result", "base earnings: net investment result", "assets under management" and "assets under administration". Terms by which non-GAAP ratios are identified include, but are not limited to, "base earnings per common share (EPS)", "base return on equity (ROE)", "base dividend payout ratio" and "effective income tax rate — base earnings — common shareholders". Non-GAAP financial measures and ratios are used to provide management and investors with additional measures of performance to help assess results where no comparable GAAP (IFRS) measure exists. However, non-GAAP financial measures and ratios do not have standard meanings prescribed by GAAP (IFRS) and are not directly comparable to similar measures used by other companies. Refer to the "Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Ratios" section in this document for the appropriate reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures to measures prescribed by GAAP as well as additional details on each measure and ratio.

Non-GAAP financial measures used in this document include, but are not limited to, "base earnings (loss)", "base earnings (loss)", "base earnings: insurance service result", "base earnings: net investment result", "assets under management" and "assets under administration".

Non-GAAP ratios used in this document include, but are not limited to, "base earnings per common share (EPS)", "base return on equity (ROE)" and "base dividend payout ratio".

Additional information regarding each of the non-GAAP financial measures/ratios noted above, including the appropriate reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures prescribed by GAAP, is incorporated by reference and can be found in the "Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Ratios" section of the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A, which is available on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.com.

#### Base earnings (loss)

Base earnings (loss) reflect management's view of the underlying business performance of the Company and provides an alternate measure to understand the underlying business performance compared to IFRS net earnings.

Base earnings (loss) exclude the following items from IFRS reported net earnings:

- Market-related impacts, where actual market returns in the current period are different than longer-term expected returns on assets and liabilities;
- Assumption changes and management actions that impact the measurement of assets and liabilities;
- Business transformation impacts which include acquisition and divestiture costs and restructuring and integration costs;
- Material legal settlements, material impairment charges related to goodwill and intangible assets, impacts of income tax rate changes on the remeasurement of deferred tax assets and liabilities and other tax impairments, net gains, losses or costs related to the disposition or acquisition of a business; net earnings (loss) from discontinued operations;
- Realized gains (losses) on the sale of assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI);
- The direct equity and interest rate impacts on the measurement of surplus assets and liabilities;
- Amortization of acquisition related finite life intangible assets; and
- Other items that, when removed, assist in explaining the Company's underlying business performance.

The definition of base earnings (loss) has been refined (in 2023 and applied to 2022 comparative results) to also exclude the following impacts that are included in IFRS reported net earnings for an improved representation of the Company's underlying business performance, as well as for consistency and comparability with financial services industry peers:

- Realized gains (losses) on the sale of assets measured at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI);
- The direct equity and interest rate impacts on the measurement of surplus assets and liabilities; and
- Amortization of acquisition related finite life intangible assets.

#### **FOOTNOTES**

All references to the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A in the below footnotes are to the Company's management's discussion and analysis for the three months ended March 31, 2024, which is available on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.com.

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- 3. Additional information regarding this financial measure or ratio has been incorporated by reference and can be found in the "Glossary" section of the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A.
- 4. The Life Insurance Capital Adequacy Test (LICAT) Ratio is based on the consolidated results of The Canada Life Assurance Company (Canada Life), Lifeco's major Canadian operating subsidiary. The LICAT Ratio is calculated in accordance with the Office of Superintendent of Financial Institutions' guideline Life Insurance Capital Adequacy Test. For additional details, refer to the "Capital Management and Adequacy" section of the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A.
- 5. The calculation of the financial leverage ratio includes the after-tax non-par CSM (excluding seg funds) balance in the denominator. This reflects that the CSM represents future profit and is considered available capital under LICAT. These ratios are estimates based on available data.

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- 2. Individual wealth fee business AUA includes segregated funds and proprietary and third party mutual funds; Group wealth fee business AUA relates to segregated funds. Risk-based products are excluded.
- 3. Additional information regarding "net cash flows and net asset flows" has been incorporated by reference and can be found in the Glossary section of the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A.
- 4. Additional information regarding "net book premium" has been incorporated by reference and can be found in the Glossary section of the Company's Q1 2024 MD&A.

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