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To the Investment Community:

We have included additional pages in the supplement showing our results both with and without the reserve strengthening announced today.

The supplement continues to provide income by-company and by-line data for the property/casualty and life operations, stated on a GAAP basis, as well as summaries pertaining to our property/casualty operations, stated on a statutory basis.

We hope this will assist you in your analysis of SAFECO.

Sincerely,

Neal Fuller Vice President-Finance



Third Quarter Financial Supplement October 22, 2001

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SAFECO STRENGTHENS RESERVES BY \$240 MILLION; REPORTS CONTINUED PROGRESS TOWARD RECOVERY

Third-Quarter Highlights

- Posted income, before charges, of \$0.06 per share.
- Increased Property & Casualty loss reserves by \$240 million pretax.
- Sold Credit subsidiary, generating sufficient capital to cover reserve strengthening.
- Steady improvements in core performance of key business lines.
- Continued strengthening the executive leadership team.
- On target to meet aggressive expense-reduction goals.

Summary Financial Results (In millions except per-share data)	3 Months Ended Sept. 30			9 Months Sept.	 led	
		2001		2000	2001	2000
Total Revenues	\$	1,714.7	\$	1,760.9	\$ 5,201.6	\$ 5,329.5
Income (Loss) before charges* (After tax, before realized gain)	\$	7.8	\$	9.1	\$ (13.6)	\$ 25.1
Per Share	\$	0.06	\$	0.07	\$ (0.11)	\$ 0.20
Net Income (Loss) (Including discontinued operations)	\$	(100.6)	\$	45.5	\$ (997.8)	\$ 104.4
Per Share	\$	(0.79)	\$	0.36	\$ (7.81)	\$ 0.82

^{*} Excludes third-quarter reserve strengthening (\$240 million before tax, \$156 million after tax); third-quarter restructuring charges (\$32 million before tax, \$21 million after tax); and first-quarter goodwill write off (\$1.2 billion before tax, \$917 million after tax).

SEATTLE — (Oct. 22, 2001) — SAFECO (NASDAQ: SAFC) today reported third-quarter income, before charges, of \$7.8 million — or \$0.06 per diluted share.

Including \$240 million in reserve strengthening and previously announced restructuring charges, SAFECO posted a net quarterly loss of \$100.6 million, or \$0.79 per share.

"We've now tackled some of the biggest issues facing the company," said Mike McGavick, who joined SAFECO as president and chief executive officer in late January. "With the reserve strengthening announced today, we've completed the last step in our initial game plan to turn SAFECO around.

"We continue seeing improvement in the core underwriting results of several key business lines," McGavick added. "This confirms our recent decision to put more of the company's capital behind our Personal Auto line and less behind our Homeowners line; more capital behind our small-business line and less behind our large-commercial line."

During the quarter, SAFECO completed a review of Property & Casualty reserve adequacy. The review initially was announced in May.

As a result of the review — which included a study by an independent accounting firm — SAFECO increased loss reserves by \$240 million pretax.

"By being adequately reserved, we're staying on top of newly developing issues affecting the entire industry," McGavick said. "This is a key part of SAFECO's heritage — one that we will preserve going forward."

Of the additional reserves, \$90 million relates to recent developments to prior-year claims for construction-defect claims, \$80 million for workers compensation, and \$70 million for other items including asbestos and environmental claims.

The reserve strengthening is funded by proceeds from the sale of SAFECO Credit Company, which was completed in August. "We've strengthened our balance sheet by bolstering reserves and eliminating \$1.5 billion of debt," McGavick noted.

In other major developments during the quarter, the company continued building its leadership team by:

- Electing Joseph W. "Jay" Brown, an insurance industry executive with nearly 30 years experience, to SAFECO's board of directors, and
- Appointing Yom Senegor as SAFECO's chief information officer, responsible for leading the company's strategic-planning process.

In addition, SAFECO is on track to achieve expense-reduction and employment-reduction targets outlined in July. Excluding jobs associated with the sale of its credit subsidiary, employment has declined by 600 positions so far this year. SAFECO has announced plans to reduce employment by 10 percent — or a total of 1,200 positions — by the end of 2003, with more than half of the reductions occurring this year.

SAFECO previously announced that restructuring charges associated with employment reductions would be approximately \$60 million. This includes a \$31.8 million charge recorded in the third quarter. An additional charge of approximately \$5 million is anticipated in the fourth quarter, with remaining charges to be taken through 2003.

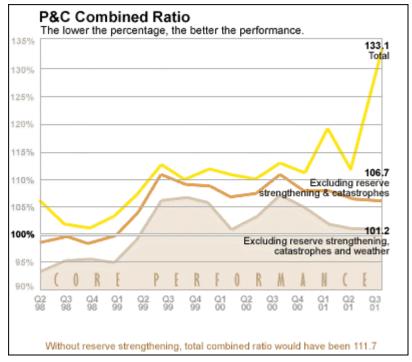
Overall Property & Casualty Performance

The Property & Casualty companies, SAFECO's largest business segment, continued reporting improvements in underlying results as measured by its core combined ratio.

Combined ratio is a commonly used gauge of underwriting performance measuring the percentage of premium dollars used to pay customer claims and expenses. The lower the ratio, the more effective the underwriting.

To provide clarity about the underlying performance of major lines, SAFECO is reporting combined ratio three ways:

- Total combined ratio,
- Combined ratio excluding the effects of reserve strengthening and catastrophes (which SAFECO defines as events generating multiple customer claims totaling more than \$500,000), and
- Combined ratio excluding the effects of non-catastrophe weather, catastrophes and reserve strengthening.



Property & Casualty's core combined ratio for the quarter improved to 101.2, compared with 102.0 in the second quarter.

Total combined ratio, however, climbed to 133.1, largely due to reserve strengthening. Excluding reserve strengthening, total combined ratio for the third quarter was 111.7, an improvement over 119.0 the previous quarter.

Overall, Property & Casualty posted a third-quarter underwriting loss of \$370.8 million, which includes the \$240 million reserve strengthening. This compares with total underwriting losses of \$115.8 million for the same period last year.

Non-catastrophe weather losses in the quarter were \$61 million, above losses typically expected in a normal third quarter.

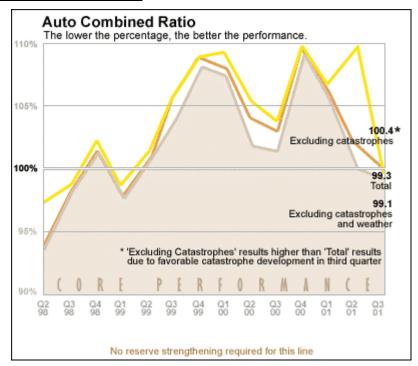
Catastrophe losses were \$56 million. Excluding losses associated with the World Trade Center attack, SAFECO's catastrophe experience for the third quarter was about average.

More than half of SAFECO's catastrophe losses for the quarter were associated with the Sept. 11 attacks. SAFECO's gross exposure to this event is estimated at \$70 million, of which reinsurance — primarily related to losses from the company's Lloyds of London underwriting operation — is expected to cover \$35 million. The company's reinsurance coverage is spread among 17 different reinsurers with high credit quality.

"We maintain our original estimate that SAFECO's net loss from this national tragedy will be \$35 million," McGavick said.

Property & Casualty's net written premiums decreased 2.6 percent in the third quarter compared with the same period last year. This includes a 4.8 percent increase for Personal Auto, a 0.3 percent decrease for Homeowners, an 11.7 percent decrease for Business Insurance, and a 21.3 percent decrease for Commercial Insurance. These results reflect aggressive pricing and reunderwriting actions SAFECO has taken recently.

SAFECO Personal Insurance Performance

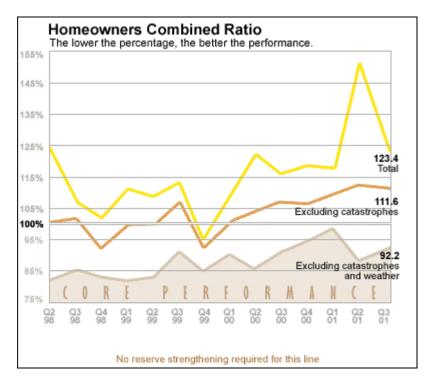


Personal Auto — SAFECO's largest line — reported a modest underwriting profit of \$2.9 million, compared with an underwriting loss of \$16.5 million during the same period last year.

Core combined ratio improved to 99.1 in the third quarter, and total combined ratio progressed to 99.3. This compares favorably to a total combined ratio of 108.7 during the second quarter, and a core combined ratio of 100.2.

The line's performance in the quarter marks the first time Auto has generated an underwriting profit since the first quarter of 1999.

"The actions we've been taking are having positive effects. Still, this quarter's Auto results were a bit better than we anticipated." McGavick said. "Until we string together several consecutive quarters of underwriting profit, I'm hesitant to say we've completely turned around the performance of this line. Still, this is a very positive trend."



Homeowners recorded a third-quarter underwriting loss of \$43.7 million compared with \$31.2 million during the same period last year.

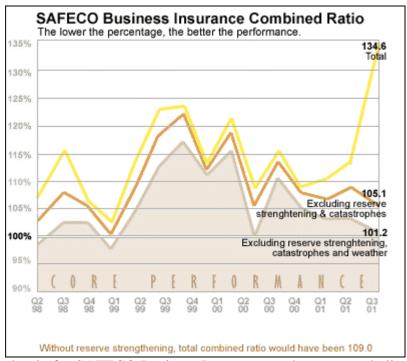
Total combined ratio for the line improved, but this reflects the fact that the Homeowners line was hit hard by severe storms in the second quarter. Core combined ratio for the line slipped to 92.2 in the third quarter compared with 89.9 in the previous quarter.

"We're still early in our plans to manage Homeowners back to profitability," McGavick noted. "We're committed to price this product to provide a fair return."

The review of loss reserve adequacy concluded that current reserve levels for both Auto and Homeowners are sufficient and don't need to be increased.

SAFECO Business Insurance Performance

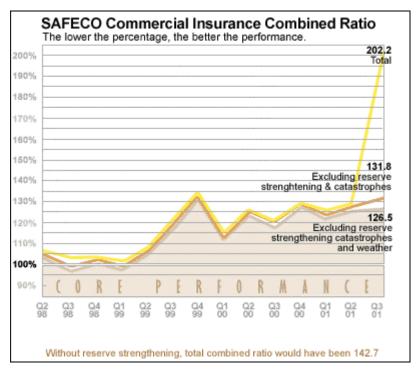
SAFECO has completed consolidation of its two commercial insurance lines, however, it will continue reporting results separately until 2002.



Core combined ratio for SAFECO Business Insurance — the company's line of products for small-to-medium-sized businesses — improved to 101.2 compared with 103.5 in the second quarter. McGavick attributed the improvement to re-underwriting the book of business and obtaining adequate rates.

"We're heartened by this continued positive trend," he said. "We intend to grow this line with a long-term goal of being profitable on an underwriting basis."

SAFECO Business Insurance recorded third-quarter underwriting losses of \$87.9 million compared with \$43.8 million during the same period last year. The increase is due to \$65 million of reserve strengthening for this line and \$8.1 million in losses associated with the Sept. 11 attacks. The reserve strengthening in this line is mainly associated developments related to older claims for construction defects, and some workers compensation.



Performance of SAFECO Commercial Insurance — the company's line of products for larger businesses — continues to be affected by adverse workers compensation experience. In response, SAFECO cut by 90 percent the amount of new workers compensation policies it wrote during the third quarter.

Core combined ratio of Commercial Insurance slipped to 126.5 in the third quarter, compared with 124.6 in the previous quarter. Excluding the impact of reserve strengthening, total combined ratio in this line also deteriorated.

SAFECO has been aggressively increasing rates, and exiting significant portions of this line.

SAFECO Commercial Insurance reported a quarterly underwriting loss of \$154.6 million compared with \$33.8 million during the same period last year. Factors contributing to increased underwriting losses include workers compensation results; \$90 million in reserve strengthening; and \$15.7 million in losses associated with the Sept. 11 attacks.

Surety

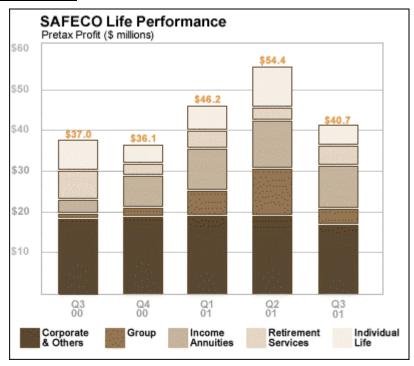
Surety turned in its best quarter in the past year, generating underwriting profits of \$6.3 million. This is up from \$4.6 million in the second quarter, yet largely unchanged from \$6.4 million in pretax profit reported in the third quarter of 2000.

Other lines

Property & Casualty added \$85 million to strengthen loss reserves of its "Other" lines. This strengthening relates primarily to asbestos and construction-defect exposures.

These lines include discontinued reinsurance operations SAFECO acquired when it purchased American States. They also include SAFECO's London operations, which reported a \$10.0 million loss associated with the attack on the World Trade Center.

Life & Investments Performance



SAFECO Life generated a pretax profit of \$40.7 million during the third quarter, compared with \$37.0 million during the same period last year.

"Life & Investments' performance is on track with our plans," McGavick said. He noted the decline from the second quarter's all-time record performance is largely the result of large claims in several lines and weak performance of equity markets.

Income Annuities' third-quarter profits increased to \$10.3 million, more than double the \$5.0 million generated in the same period last year. This is due mainly to increased investment income.

The Group line of excess-loss coverage for employers with self-funded medical plans produced pretax earnings of \$3.4 million. This compares favorably with \$0.4 million profit generated during the same period last year. Still, earnings were significantly down from a record \$12.1 million generated in the second quarter of this year. The decline is due to an increase in the frequency of large claims during the third quarter.

Individual Life generated a pretax profit of \$4.7 million in the third quarter, down from \$6.4 million during the same period last year, largely as a result of increased claims.

Retirement Services generated pretax profits of \$4.3 million, down from \$6.9 million in the third quarter of 2000, due to customer withdrawals from fixed-interest products and lower investment income. Retirement assets under management grew to \$6.0 billion, up from \$5.8 billion in the previous quarter.

SAFECO Asset Management generated a pretax profit of \$1.6 million in the quarter, down from \$2.9 million during the same period last year. Assets under management declined to \$4.6 billion, down from \$5.4 billion in the second quarter as a result of declines in the equity markets.

Management Discusses Performance In Webcast

SAFECO's senior management team will discuss the company's third-quarter performance with analysts today at 11 a.m. Eastern Time (8 a.m. Pacific Time). The conference call will be broadcast live on the Internet at http://www.safeco.com/irwebcast and archived later in the day for replay.

SAFECO, in business since 1923, is a Fortune 500 company based in Seattle that sells insurance and related financial products through more than 17,000 independent agents and financial advisors. More information about SAFECO is available online at www.safeco.com

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FORWARD-LOOKING INFORMATION IS SUBJECT TO RISK AND UNCERTAINTY

Statements made in this report that relate to anticipated financial performance, business prospects and plans, regulatory developments and similar matters may be considered "forward-looking statements" as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Statements in this report that are not historical information are forward-looking. Such statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties that may cause the operations, performance, development and results of SAFECO's business to differ materially from those suggested by the forward-looking statements. The risks and uncertainties include:

- SAFECO's ability to obtain rate increases and non-renew underpriced insurance accounts;
- Achievement of SAFECO's premium targets and profitability;
- Decrease in large-commercial premium volume;
- Achievement of expense savings from consolidation of commercial operations;
- Achievement of SAFECO's expense reduction goals;
- Realization of growth and business retention estimates;
- Changes in the nature of the property and casualty book of business;
- Driving patterns;
- Changes in competition and pricing environments;
- Weather conditions, including the severity and frequency of storms, hurricanes, snowfalls, hail and winter conditions;
- The occurrence of significant natural disasters, including earthquakes;
- The occurrence of significant disasters, such as the attack on Sept. 11, 2001;
- The adequacy of loss reserves;
- The availability, pricing and ability to collect reinsurance;
- The ability to exclude and to reinsure the risk of loss from terrorism;
- Court decisions and trends in litigation;
- Legislative and regulatory developments;
- Rating agency actions;
- The effect of current ratings levels on business production;
- Availability of bank credit facilities;
- Fluctuations in interest rates:
- Performance of financial markets; and
- General economic and market conditions.

In particular, because insurance rates in some jurisdictions are subject to regulatory review and approval, SAFECO's achievement of rate increases may occur in amounts and on a time schedule different than planned, which may affect the Corporation's efforts to restore earnings in the property and casualty lines.

SAFECO CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Business Segment Performance

(In Millions)

Pretax Income (Loss) by Segment (Excluding goodwill write-off)	Nine Mont Septem		Three Month	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
Property & Casualty Insurance				
Underwriting Loss*	\$ (711.2)	\$ (372.8)	\$ (370.8)	\$ (115.8)
Net Investment Income	340.7	343.2	111.2	115.6
Goodwill Amortization	(11.0)	(33.0)	-	(11.0)
Restructuring Charge	(31.8)	-	(31.8)	-
Total Property & Casualty	(413.3)	(62.6)	(291.4)	(11.2)
Life & Investments				
Life Insurance	141.2	121.5	40.6	37.1
Asset Management	5.4	11.2	1.6	2.9
Corporate	(37.9)	(44.2)	(13.6)	(17.8)
Total	\$ (304.6)	\$ 25.9	\$ (262.8)	\$ 11.0

^{*}Includes third quarter 2001 loss reserve strengthening of \$240.0, pretax.

SAFECO CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Operating Summary (Unaudited) (In Millions Except Per Share Amounts)

	Nine Mont Septem		Three Months Ended September 30			
	2001	2000	200	11	2000	
Revenues						
Property and Casualty Insurance:						
Premiums Written	\$ 3,482.0	\$ 3,614.6	\$ 1,1		•	
Net Investment Income	340.7	343.2		11.2	115.6	
Life	1,273.2	1,259.1	4	25.2	420.6	
Asset Management	27.2	32.7		8.8	9.9	
Talbot Financial Other	63.4	59.0		19.9 5.0	19.1	
Total Revenues	15.1 \$ 5,201.6	\$ 5,329.5	\$ 1,7	14.7 \$	10.9	
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Income (Loss) (All amounts net of tax):						
Income (Loss) Before Charges	\$ (13.6)	\$ 25.1	\$	7.8 \$	9.1	
Loss Reserve Strengthening	(156.0)	-	(1	56.0)	-	
Restructuring Charge	(20.7)	-	((20.7)	-	
One-time Write-off of Goodwill	(916.9)	-		-	-	
Realized Gain from Investments	53.3	70.6		12.9	33.3	
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(1,053.9)	95.7	(1	56.0)	42.4	
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Income from Discontinued Credit Operations, Net of Tax	4.2	8.7		1.4	3.1	
Gain from Sale of Credit Operations, Net of Tax	54.0	- 0.7		54.0	- 24	
Total	58.2	8.7	-	55.4	3.1	
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle	(995.7)	104.4	(1	00.6)	45.5	
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133	(2.1)					
Net Income (Loss)	\$ (997.8)	\$ 104.4	\$ (1	00.6) \$	45.5	
Per Share of Common Stock:						
Income (Loss) Before Charges	\$ (0.11)	\$ 0.20	\$	0.06 \$	0.07	
Loss Reserve Strengthening	(1.22)	-	((1.22)	-	
Restructuring Charge	(0.16)	-	((0.16)	-	
One-time Write-off of Goodwill	(7.17)	-		-	-	
Realized Gain from Investments	0.42	0.55		0.10	0.26	
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(8.24)	0.75	((1.22)	0.33	
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Income from Discontinued Credit Operations, Net of Tax	0.03	0.07		0.01	0.03	
Gain from Sale of Credit Operations, Net of Tax	0.42			0.42	-	
Total	0.45	0.07		0.43	0.03	
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle	(7.79)	0.82	((0.79)	0.36	
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133	(0.02)			<u>-</u> _	-	
Net Income (Loss)	\$ (7.81)	\$ 0.82	\$ ((0.79) \$	0.36	
Dividends Paid to Common Shareholders	\$ 0.74	\$ 1.11	\$	0.18 \$	0.37	
Common Shares Used for Calculating Income (Loss) Per Share	127.7	127.9	1	27.8	127.7	

SAFECO CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Income Summary (Unaudited) (In Millions)

	Nine Mon Septen		Three Mon	
	2001	2000	2001	2000
Income (Loss) before Realized Gain and Income Taxes:				
Property and Casualty Insurance:				
Underwriting Loss*	\$ (711.2)	\$ (372.8)	\$ (370.8)	\$ (115.8)
Net Investment Income	340.7	343.2	111.2	115.6
Goodwill Amortization	(11.0)	(33.0)	-	(11.0)
Restructuring Charge	(31.8)		(31.8)	
Total Property and Casualty	(413.3)	(62.6)	(291.4)	(11.2)
Life	141.2	121.5	40.6	37.1
Asset Management	5.4	11.2	1.6	2.9
Corporate	(37.9)	(44.2)	(13.6)	(17.8)
One-time Write-off of Goodwill	(1,201.0)	-	-	-
Total	(1,505.6)	25.9	(262.8)	11.0
Realized Gain from Security Investments	80.7	108.6	18.5	51.4
Income (Loss) before Income Taxes	(1,424.9)	134.5	(244.3)	62.4
Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes on:				
Income (Loss) before Realized Gain	(432.1)	(32.8)	(105.2)	(9.3)
Realized Investment Gain (Loss)	27.4	38.0	5.6	18.1
Total	(404.7)	5.2	(99.6)	8.8
Income (Loss) before Distributions on Capital Securities	(1,020.2)	129.3	(144.7)	53.6
Distributions on Capital Securities, Net of Tax	(33.7)	(33.6)	(11.3)	(11.2)
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(1,053.9)	95.7	(156.0)	42.4
Income from Discontinued Credit Operations, Net of Tax	4.2	8.7	1.4	3.1
Gain from Sale of SAFECO Credit, Net of Tax	54.0	-	54.0	-
Total	58.2	8.7	55.4	3.1
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle	(995.7)	104.4	(100.6)	45.5
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133, Net of Tax	(2.1)			
Net Income (Loss)	\$ (997.8)	\$ 104.4	\$ (100.6)	\$ 45.5

^{*}Includes third quarter 2001 loss reserve strengthening of \$240.0, pretax.

SAFECO CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Consolidated Balance Sheet

(In Millions)

(Se	September 30 2001		cember 31 2000
	(L	Jnaudited)		
ASSETS				
Investments:				
Fixed Maturities Available-for-Sale, at Market Value				
(Amortized cost: \$20,146.5; \$20,388.1)	\$	21,145.9	\$	20,830.2
Marketable Equity Securities, at Market Value				
(Cost: \$883.7; \$875.9)		1,495.5		1,815.4
Mortgage Loans		886.3		823.0
Real Estate (At cost less accumulated depreciation)		40.9		51.4
Policy Loans		90.6		91.5
Other Invested Assets		88.0		17.4
Short-Term Investments		1,129.2		182.3
Total Investments		24,876.4		23,811.2
Cash		151.7		186.3
Accrued Investment Income		330.7		327.8
Premiums and Other Service Fees Receivable		1,043.0		1,063.0
Other Notes and Accounts Receivable		199.4		37.6
Deferred Income Tax Recoverable		232.6		-
Reinsurance Recoverables		459.3		461.7
Deferred Policy Acquisition Costs		623.9		605.4
Land, Buildings and Equipment for Company Use				
(At cost less accumulated depreciation)		558.4		440.1
Goodwill and Intangibles (Accumulated amortization: \$54.3; \$202.8)		98.3		1,307.4
Other Assets		188.2		260.9
Net Assets of Discontinued Credit Operations		-		481.2
Separate Account Assets		1,070.2		1,275.1
TOTAL	\$	29,832.1	\$	30,257.7
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LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Losses and Adjustment Expense	\$	5,015.1	\$	4,686.9
Life Policy Liabilities	*	328.9	*	342.1
Unearned Premiums		1,848.4		1,836.5
Funds Held Under Deposit Contracts		14,436.8		14,085.7
Debt:		,		,
Commercial Paper		269.8		349.8
Medium-Term Notes Due 2003		318.7		300.0
7.875% Notes Due 2005		200.0		200.0
6.875% Notes Due 2007		200.0		200.0
Other (\$5.9 maturing within one year)		76.5		80.8
Other Liabilities		1,440.4		1,269.1
Current Income Taxes		19.7		25.8
Deferred Income Taxes		10.7		20.0
(Includes tax on unrealized appreciation of investment securities: \$562.3; \$483.8)		_		67.2
Separate Account Liabilities		1,070.2		1,275.1
Total Liabilities		25,224.5		24,719.0
Capital Securities		843.3		843.0
Preferred Stock, No Par Value:	_	040.0		040.0
Shares Authorized: 10				
Shares Issued and Outstanding: None		_		_
Common Stock, No Par Value:		_		-
Shares Authorized: 300				
Shares Reserved and Outstandings (427.9: 127.6)		940.9		024 E
Shares Issued and Outstanding: (127.8; 127.6)		840.8		834.5
Retained Earnings		1,893.7		2,966.4
Total Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income, Net of Tax:		4 000 5		000.4
Unrealized Appreciation of Investment Securities		1,036.5		902.1
Unrealized Loss from Foreign Currency Translation		(7.9)		(7.3)
Unrealized Loss from Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities		1.2		- 4 005 =
Total Shareholders' Equity		3,764.3	_	4,695.7
TOTAL	\$	29,832.1	\$	30,257.7

SAFECO Corporation Income by Company Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (In Thousands)

Period Ended September 30

	Nine N	Months	Quarte	r Only
	2001	2000	2001	2000
Pre-tax Income (Loss):				
P & C Underwriting	\$ (711,152)	\$ (372,812)	\$ (370,771)	\$ (115,765)
P & C Investment Income	340,651	343,164	111,121	115,518
Goodwill Amortization	(11,000)	(33,000)	-	(11,000)
Restructuring Charge	(31,795)		(31,795)	
Total P & C	(413,296)	(62,648)	(291,445)	(11,247)
Life	141,225	121,481	40,652	37,041
Asset Management	5,403	11,264	1,582	2,970
Parent Company	(38,835)	(47,298)	(13,960)	(19,259)
Real Estate	847	3,147	275	1,560
Total Corporate	(37,988)	(44,151)	(13,685)	(17,699)
Distributions on Capital Securities	(51,792)	(51,792)	(17,264)	(17,264)
Distribution on Suprial Cookings	(0:,:02)	(0:,:02)	(11,201)	(11,201)
Income (Loss) Before Realized Gain	(356,448)	(25,846)	(280,160)	(6,199)
Write-off of Goodwill	(1,200,958)	-	-	-
Realized Gain	80,703	108,601	18,521	51,404
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(1,476,703)	82,755	(261,639)	45,205
Income from Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit		13,193	1,770	4,267
Gain from Sale of Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit	6,257	13,193		4,207
Gain from Sale of Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit	97,031		97,031	
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle	(1,373,415)	95,948	(162,838)	49,472
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133	(3,233)			
Total	\$ (1,376,648)	\$ 95,948	\$ (162,838)	\$ 49,472
				
Income Taxes:				
P & C Underwriting	\$ (245,263)	\$ (129,680)	\$ (127,489)	\$ (39,709)
P & C Investment Income	73,136	72,184	23,481	24,424
Goodwill Amortization	(2,583)	(7,739)	-	(2,473)
Restructuring Charge	(11,128)		(11,128)	
Total P & C	(185,838)	(65,235)	(115,136)	(17,758)
Life	49,498	42,762	14,099	12,753
Asset Management	1,855	3,928	514	1,017
Parent Company	(13,584)	(15,497)	(4,686)	(6,169)
Real Estate	5	1,270	(86)	880
Total Corporate	(13,579)	(14,227)	(4,772)	(5,289)
Distributions on Capital Securities	(18,127)	(18,128)	(6,042)	(6,043)
Loss Before Realized Gain	(166,191)	(50,900)	(111,337)	(15,320)
Write-off of Goodwill	(284,099)	-		
Realized Gain	27,448	38,003	5,702	18,123
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations	(422,842)	(12,897)	(105,635)	2,803
Income from Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit				
Gain from Sale of Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit	2,128 43,004	4,471 -	432 43,004	1,209 -
·				
Loss before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle	(377,710)	(8,426)	(62,199)	4,012
Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133	(1,132)			
Total	\$ (378,842)	\$ (8,426)	\$ (62,199)	\$ 4,012

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Income by Company Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (In Thousands except Per Share Amounts)

Period Ended September 30
Nine Months

	Nine Months 2001 2000			Quarter Only 2001 2000				
		2001		2000		2001		2000
After-tax Income (Loss): P & C Underwriting P & C Investment Income	\$	(465,889) 267,515	\$	(243,132) 270,980	\$	(243,282) 87,640	\$	(76,056) 91,094
Goodwill Amortization Restructuring Charge		(8,417) (20,667)		(25,261)		- (20,667)		(8,527)
Total P & C		(227,458)		2,587		(176,309)		6,511
Life Asset Management		91,727 3,548		78,719 7,336		26,553 1,068		24,288 1,953
Parent Company Real Estate		(25,251) 842		(31,801) 1,877		(9,274) 361		(13,090) 680
Total Corporate		(24,409)		(29,924)		(8,913)		(12,410)
Distributions on Capital Securities		(33,665)		(33,664)		(11,222)		(11,221)
Income Before Realized Gain Write-off of Goodwill		(190,257) (916,859)		25,054		(168,823)		9,121
Realized Gain		53,255		70,598		12,819		33,281
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations Income from Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit		(1,053,861) 4,129		95,652 8,722		(156,004) 1,338		42,402 3,058
Gain from Sale of Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit		54,027		<u>-</u>		54,027		-
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133		(995,705) (2,101)		104,374		(100,639)		45,460 -
Total	\$	(997,806)	\$	104,374	\$	(100,639)	\$	45,460
Earnings Per Share:								
P & C Underwriting	\$	(3.65)	\$	(1.90)	\$	(1.91)	\$	(0.59)
P & C Investment Income		2.09		2.12		0.68		0.71
Goodwill Amortization		(0.07)		(0.20)		-		(0.07)
Restructuring Charge		(0.16)		- 0.00		(0.16)		- 0.05
Total P & C Life		(1.79) 0.72		0.02 0.61		(1.39) 0.21		0.05 0.18
Asset Management		0.03		0.06		0.21		0.02
Parent Company		(0.20)		(0.25)		(80.0)		(0.11)
Real Estate		0.01		0.02		0.01		0.01
Total Corporate		(0.19)		(0.23)		(0.07)		(0.10)
Distributions on Capital Securities		(0.26)		(0.26)		(80.0)		(80.0)
Income Before Realized Gain		(1.49)		0.20		(1.32)		0.07
Write-off of Goodwill Realized Gain		(7.17) 0.42		- 0.55		0.10		0.26
Realized Galli		0.42		0.55				0.20
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations		(8.24)		0.75		(1.22)		0.33
Income from Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit Gain from Sale of Discontinued Operations - SAFECO Credit		0.03 0.42		0.07		0.01 0.42		0.03
Income (Loss) before Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle Cumulative Effect of Change in Accounting Principle - FAS 133		(7.79) (0.02)		0.82		(0.79)		0.36
Total	\$	(7.81)	\$	0.82	\$	(0.79)	\$	0.36
Income (Loss) from Continuing Operations Before Realized Gain, with Goodwill Amortization Added Back ("Cash Earnings")	\$	(1.36)	\$	0.46	\$	(1.30)	\$	0.15
Average Shares Outstanding		127,727		127,874		127,767		127,742
Book Value Per Share	\$	29.46	\$	33.60	\$	29.46	\$	33.60
Book Value Per Share with all Securities at Market, Net of Tax	\$	29.46	\$	33.93	\$	29.46	\$	33.93

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Statutory Basis (Thousands of Dollars except Ratios)

		Nine Months			Quarter	Only
		2001	2000		2001	2000
Underwriting Results: Net Premiums Written Change in Unearned Premium Net Premiums Earned	\$	3,386,602 \$ (31,189) 3,355,413	3,476,155 (74,432) 3,401,723	\$ -	1,115,171 \$ 3,353 1,118,524	1,141,446 (2,039) 1,139,407
Net Losses Incurred Loss Expense Incurred Other U/W Expense Incurred Total Losses and Expense	- -	2,567,764 490,002 1,072,151 4,129,917	2,398,170 411,553 988,083 3,797,806	- -	941,774 210,706 376,633 1,529,113	799,601 138,739 324,585 1,262,925
Underwriting Loss		(774,504)	(396,083)		(410,589)	(123,518)
Investment Results: Net Investment Income Earned Net Realized Capital Gain Net Gain from Investments	_	334,282 108,976 443,258	342,576 128,437 471,013	-	110,987 34,246 145,233	113,480 (1,386) 112,094
Other Income		9,414	12,357		4,139	5,159
Dividends to Policyholders		4,601	8,716		1,740	3,495
Net Income Before Income Taxes Income Tax Benefit	_	(326,433) (87,254)	78,570 (41,988)	_	(262,957) (45,693)	(9,760) (27,669)
Net Income	\$	(239,179) \$	120,558	\$	(217,264) \$	17,909
Loss and Expense Ratios: Losses and Loss AE to Premiums Earned Other Underwriting Expenses to Net Premiums Written Total Loss and Expense Dividends to Policyholders to Premiums Earned	_	91.1% 31.7 122.8 0.1	82.6% 28.4 111.0 0.3	-	103.0% 33.8 136.8 0.2	82.4% 28.4 110.8 0.3
Total	-	122.9%	111.3%	-	137.0%	111.1%
Balance Sheet: Property and Casualty Companies Only *	=			: :	September 30 2001	December 31 2000
Net Admitted Assets Loss Reserve Loss Adjustment Expense Reserve Unearned Premium Reserve Reserve for Dividends to Policyholders				\$	9,454,511 \$ 3,754,964 849,364 1,804,348 21,114	9,020,321 3,482,473 786,666 1,770,612 25,418
Total Capital and Surplus					2,219,680 **	2,343,034

^{*} Certain 2001 amounts used are estimated and subject to change. Such changes are not expected to be material.

^{**} Includes \$250 million capital contribution from SAFECO Corporation made September 28, 2001.

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SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations

Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (Thousands of Dollars)

		Nine Months	5	•	Quarter Only	
	Premium					Premium
	Growth	2001	2000	2001	2000	Growth
Net Written Premiums:						
Personal:						
Voluntary Auto	2.8%	\$ 1,338,067	\$ 1,302,014	\$ 456,158	\$ 435,355	4.8 %
Homeowners	-0.4	564,684	567,042	201,205	201,808	-0.3
Other Personal	6.3	158,014	148,670	53,419	53,377	0.1
Non-Voluntary	-9.2	4,300	4,735	1,839	1,386	32.7
Total Personal	2.1	2,065,065	2,022,461	712,621	691,926	3.0
SAFECO Business Insurance:						
CMP	-16.2	211,679	252,503	65,668	73,282	-10.4
BOP	-4.7	110,156	115,639	35,113	37,887	-7.3
Voluntary Auto	-16.4	208,153	248,976	65,159	71,294	-8.6
Voluntary Workers Comp.	-30.0	92,340	131,884	25,668	38,218	-32.8
General Liability	-9.0	50,609	55,603	15,765	16,815	-6.2
Property	-4.5	40,206	42,086	13,307	13,637	-2.4
Other	-8.3	49,975	54,523	16,256	17,279	-5.9
Total SAFECO Business Insurance	-15.3	763,118	901,214	236,936	268,412	-11.7
SAFECO Commercial Insurance:						
Voluntary Auto	-3.2	76,607	79,126	26,790	29,299	-8.6
Voluntary Workers Comp.	-28.8	128,394	180,393	28,272	54,842	-48.4
General Liability	3.7	117,061	112,937	34,496	34,235	0.8
Property	-9.7	82,017	90,812	26,518	33,375	-20.5
Other	7.8	52,244	48,485	16,175	16,385	-1.3
Total SAFECO Commercial Insurance	-10.8	456,323	511,753	132,251	168,136	-21.3
Surety	104.8	101,357	49,482	33,146	15,818	109.5
Other	201.6	739		218	153	42.5
Total All Lines	-2.8%	\$ 3,386,602	\$ 3,485,155	\$ 1,115,172	\$ 1,144,445	-2.6 %

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

	Nine Mon	iths	Quarter Only		
Net Combined Ratios:	2001	2000	2001	2000	
Personal:					
Voluntary Auto	104.8 %	106.2 %	99.3 %	103.8 %	
Homeowners	131.1	115.3	123.4	116.9	
Other Personal	98.1	91.4	94.1	96.3	
Non-Voluntary	65.1	139.6	121.0	99.5	
Total Personal	111.4	107.8	105.6	106.9	
SAFECO Business Insurance:					
CMP	121.2	119.7	149.3	129.1	
BOP	124.4	113.8	121.5	104.7	
Voluntary Auto	113.5	118.2	106.6	117.4	
Voluntary Workers Comp.	140.4	113.6	196.6	110.1	
General Liability	136.1	126.6	200.3	125.4	
Property	89.5	96.3	82.0	95.7	
Other	85.6	82.0	82.5	75.5	
Total SAFECO Business Insurance	119.0	114.6	134.6	114.8	
SAFECO Commercial Insurance:					
Voluntary Auto	111.4	125.3	107.3	137.2	
Voluntary Workers Comp.	198.6	141.6	306.5	151.1	
General Liability	160.5	116.2	229.5	96.9	
Property	120.3	109.4	143.2	114.1	
Other	104.1	80.2	108.0	64.9	
Total SAFECO Commercial Insurance _	151.0	120.5	202.2	120.5	
Surety	80.5	70.6	76.5	59.0	
Other	NM	-13.5	NM	NM	
Total All Lines	121.2 %	110.9 %	133.1 %	110.1 %	

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

	Nine Mon	ths	Quarter Only			
Net Combined Ratios:	2001	2000	2001	2000		
Without Reserve Adjustment						
Personal:						
Voluntary Auto	104.8 %	106.2 %	99.3 %	103.8 %		
Homeowners	131.1	115.3	123.4	116.9		
Other Personal	98.1	91.4	94.1	96.3		
Non-Voluntary	65.1	139.6	121.0	99.5		
Total Personal	111.4	107.8	105.6	106.9		
SAFECO Business Insurance:						
CMP	109.8	119.7	113.8	129.1		
BOP	124.4	113.8	121.5	104.7		
Voluntary Auto	113.5	118.2	106.6	117.4		
Voluntary Workers Comp.	115.7	113.6	115.9	110.1		
General Liability	105.3	126.6	106.9	124.5		
Property	89.5	96.3	82.0	95.7		
Other	85.6	82.0	82.5	75.5		
Total SAFECO Business Insurance	110.8	114.6	109.0	114.8		
SAFECO Commercial Insurance:						
Voluntary Auto	111.4	125.3	107.3	137.2		
Voluntary Workers Comp.	161.5	141.6	182.7	151.1		
General Liability	130.1	116.2	135.7	96.9		
Property	120.3	109.4	143.2	114.1		
Other	104.1	80.2	108.0	64.9		
Total SAFECO Commercial Insurance _	132.3	120.5	142.7	120.5		
Surety	80.5	70.6	76.5	59.0		
Other	NM	-13.6	NM	NM		
Total All Lines	114.0 %	110.9 %	111.7 %	110.1 %		

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SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (Thousands of Dollars)

	For the Period Ended September 30								
		Nine	Mon	ths		Quarter	Only		
Net U/W Profit (Loss):	_	2001	_	2000	_	2001	2000		
Personal:									
Voluntary Auto	\$	(62,427)	\$	(80,231)	\$	2,923 \$	(16,483)		
Homeowners		(172,370)		(83,383)		(43,704)	(31,220)		
Other Personal		2,797		11,939		3,015	1,747		
Non-Voluntary	_	1,417		(1,860)		(329)	7		
Total Personal	=	(230,583)	_	(153,535)	_	(38,095)	(45,949)		
SAFECO Business Insurance:									
CMP		(46,560)		(49,912)		(34,770)	(24,338)		
BOP		(27,190)		(14,430)		(7,872)	(1,735)		
Voluntary Auto		(29,122)		(44,549)		(4,575)	(14,223)		
Voluntary Workers Comp.		(40,924)		(17,851)		(29,928)	(4,379)		
General Liability		(17,610)		(13,966)		(16,112)	(4,358)		
Property		4,158		1,521		2,354	591		
Other	_	7,276	_	9,994		3,015	4,695		
Total SAFECO Business Insurance	-	(149,972)	_	(129,193)	_	(87,887)	(43,747)		
SAFECO Commercial Insurance:									
Voluntary Auto		(9,196)		(20,761)		(1,982)	(10,073)		
Voluntary Workers Comp.		(146,227)		(68,806)		(91,751)	(26,922)		
General Liability		(69,632)		(17,926)		(48,315)	1,151		
Property		(17,395)		(8,232)		(11,282)	(4,224)		
Other		(2,053)		11,883		(1,311)	6,250		
Total SAFECO Commercial Insurance	-	(244,503)	_	(103,842)	_	(154,640)	(33,818)		
Surety		13,155		13,490		6,344	6,399		
Other		(99,249)		268		(96,494)	1,349		
Total All Lines	\$	(711,152)	\$	(372,812)	\$	(370,772) \$	(115,766)		

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (Thousands of Dollars)

	For the Period Ended September 30							
		Nine	Mor	nths		Quarter	Only	
Net U/W Profit (Loss):		2001		2000		2001	2000	
Without Reserve Adjustment	_		_		_			
Personal:								
Voluntary Auto	\$	(62,427)	\$	(80,231)	\$	2,923 \$	(16,483)	
Homeowners		(172,370)		(83,383)		(43,704)	(31,220)	
Other Personal		2,797		11,939		3,015	1,747	
Non-Voluntary		1,417		(1,860)		(329)	7	
Total Personal	-	(230,583)	_	(153,535)	=	(38,094)	(45,949)	
SAFECO Business Insurance:								
CMP		(21,560)		(49,912)		(9,770)	(24,338)	
BOP		(27,190)		(14,430)		(7,872)	(1,735)	
Voluntary Auto		(29,122)		(44,549)		(4,575)	(14,223)	
Voluntary Workers Comp.		(15,924)		(17,851)		(4,928)	(4,379)	
General Liability		(2,610)		(13,966)		(1,112)	(4,358)	
Property		4,158		1,521		2,354	591	
Other		7,276		9,994		3,015	4,695	
Total SAFECO Business Insurance	=	(84,972)	_	(129,193)	=	(22,888)	(43,747)	
SAFECO Commercial Insurance:								
Voluntary Auto		(9,196)		(20,761)		(1,982)	(10,073)	
Voluntary Workers Comp.		(91,227)		(68,806)		(36,751)	(26,922)	
General Liability		(34,632)		(17,926)		(13,314)	1,151	
Property		(17,395)		(8,232)		(11,282)	(4,224)	
Other		(2,053)		11,883		(1,311)	6,250	
Total SAFECO Commercial Insurance	=	(154,503)	_	(103,842)	=	(64,640)	(33,818)	
Surety		13,155		13,490		6,344	6,399	
Other		(14,249)		268		(11,494)	1,356	
Total All Lines	\$	(471,152)	\$	(372,812)	\$	(130,771) \$	(115,758)	

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Property and Casualty Operations Supplemental Statistics (In Thousands except for Policy Count)

	9/30/2001	6/30/2001	3/31/2001	12/31/2000	9/30/2000
Personal Lines	<u> </u>				
Personal Lines Loss and AE Ratio	79.4%	93.8%	81.9%	83.4%	82.3%
Personal Lines Expense Ratio	26.2%	26.2%	26.8%	27.1%	24.6%
Total Combined Ratio	105.6%	120.0%	108.7%	110.5%	106.9%
Commercial Lines					
Commercial Lines Loss and AE Ratio (Combined)	125.0%	84.7%	82.6%	84.3%	83.8%
Commercial Lines Expense Ratio	34.8%	34.3%	33.7%	32.4%	33.0%
Total Combined Ratio	159.8%	119.0%	116.3%	116.7%	116.8%
Paragraph in an Policy Count (In Force)		0/20/2004	40	Ma 0/ Chann	_
Personal Lines Policy Count (In Force):		<u>9/30/2001</u>	<u>12</u>	Mo. % Change	<u> </u>
Auto		1,430,143 1,442,316		-4.0% -7.3%	
Homeowners		1,442,316		-7.3%	
Gross Written Premium:		QI	JARTER ONLY	1	
	9/30/2001	6/30/2001	3/31/2001	12/31/2000	9/30/2000
Gross Written Premium	\$1,144,607	\$1,180,946	\$1,156,405	\$1,094,428	\$1,184,813
Change over Prior Year	-3.39%	-4.30%	-3.30%	-1.66%	-1.82%
	_	Y	EAR TO DATE		
		9/30/2001		9/30/2000	
Gross Written Premium		\$3,481,958		\$3,614,640	
Change over Prior Year		-3.67%		2.34%	
Policy Reserves (GAAP - Net):		9/30/2001	Chai	nge from 12/31	<u>/00</u>
Total Loss and AE Reserves		\$4,604,328		\$335,189	

Catastrophes and Non-Catastrophe Weather: QUARTER ONLY

	9/30/2001	6/30/2001	3/31/2001	12/31/2000	9/30/2000
Catastrophes	\$56,302	\$122,544	\$38,048	\$27,390	\$29,284
Auto	(4,782)	30,438	778	1,734	3,158
Home	21,964	72,841	17,482	21,797	18,997
Other	12,550	3,141	7,007	547	1,697
Business Insurance	10,020	12,718	8,854	2,599	4,632
Commercial Insurance	16,550	3,406	3,927	713	800
Non-Catastrophe Weather	\$60,922	\$67,189	\$33,315	\$39,639	\$48,771
Auto	5,894	6,527	1,361	1,045	5,974
Home	36,500	41,281	18,932	23,199	28,552
Other	621	3,427	1,262	2,347	2,055
Business Insurance	9,882	12,813	9,496	8,648	8,369
Commercial Insurance	8,025	3,142	2,264	4,400	3,821

Catastrophes are events greater than \$500,000 with multiple claims and multiple policyholders. This definition has been in use since 1976. Non-Cat Weather is shown separately to help investors understand the seasonality of results from quarter-to-quarter.

Property and Casualty Investment Portfolio:	9/30/2001	6/30/2001	3/31/2001	12/31/2000	9/30/2000
Cost	\$7,375,667	\$6,901,918	\$6,955,568	\$7,025,448	\$7,195,505
Market	\$8,430,177	\$7,966,198	\$8,119,134	\$8,290,505	\$8,158,874
% in Equities (at market)	16.53%	18.82%	18.29%	20.44%	20.98%
% in Taxable Bonds (at market)	42.62%	42.33%	41.86%	40.74%	39.19%
% in Tax Exempt Bonds (at market)	33.61%	34.70%	34.29%	35.83%	34.42%
% in Short Term and Other	7.24%	4.15%	5.56%	2.99%	5.41%
Market YTM on Bond Portfolio	5.26%	5.24%	5.48%	6.08%	6.43%
Book YTM on Bond Portfolio	6.75%	6.75%	6.81%	6.78%	6.78%
Duration on Bond Portfolio	7.07	7.11	7.13	7.36	7.60

SAFECO Corporation SAFECO Life Operations Supplemental Statistics

	3RD	2ND	1ST	4TH	3RD
	QTR	QTR	QTR	QTR	QTR
	2001	2001	2001	2000	2000
INDIVIDUAL Policies Issued:					
Term, Universal Life, Traditional, Disability	4,712	5,414	5,179	5,339	5,043
Business-Owned Life (BOLI)	0	0	413	698	1,246
RETIREMENT SERVICES					
Assets Under Management (in \$ billions) Deposits (in \$1,000s)	6.0	5.8	5.8	6.2	6.4
	504,317	138,707	94,414	134,295	101,796
INCOME ANNUITIES					
Assets Under Management (in \$ billions) Deposits (in \$1,000s)	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.2
	18,869	23,876	40,590	54,895	166,528
GROUP					
Premiums (in \$1,000s)	84,545	80,410	83,739	77,292	77,332
Loss Ratio	68%	55%	66%	67%	69%

SAFECO CORPORATION SAFECO PROPERTY AND CASUALTY OPERATIONS

Prepared on the Basis of Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (Thousands of Dollars except Ratios)

SUMMARY OF NET UNDERWRITING PROFIT (LOSS) AND COMBINED RATIOS

	3RD QTR	2ND QTR	1ST QTR	4TH QTR	3RD QTR	NINE MONTHS SEPTEMI		
	2001	2001	2001	2000	2000	2001	2000	CHANGE
PERSONAL AUTO	\$2,923	(\$37,728)	(\$27,622)	(\$42,737)	(\$16,483)	(\$62,427)	(\$80,231)	\$17,804
Core Combined Ratio	99.1	100.2	106.0	109.2	101.7	101.7	103.8	2.1
Catastrophes	(1.1)	7.0	0.2	0.4	0.7	2.0	1.2	(0.8)
Non-Cat Weather	1.3	1.5	0.3	0.2	1.4	1.1	1.2	0.1
Total Combined Ratio	99.3	108.7	106.5	109.8	103.8	104.8	106.2	1.4

Actions taken this past year to re-underwrite all personal lines business and rate increases in place for over a year are contributing to the improvement in personal auto results. The number of automobile and homeowner policies in-force ended the third quarter 4.0% and 7.3% lower than a year ago. Net auto premiums written for the third quarter increased 4.8%, while homeowner premiums declined 0.3%. For the first nine months, auto premiums increased 2.8% to \$1,338 million, while homeowner premiums declined 0.4% to \$565 million.

HOMEOWNERS	(43,704)	(95,562)	(33,104)	(33,327)	(31,220)	(172,370)	(83,383)	(88,987)
Core Combined Ratio	92.2	89.9	98.2	93.7	91.2	93.4	89.2	(4.2)
Catastrophes	11.8	39.5	9.6	11.8	10.3	20.3	11.7	(8.6)
Non-Cat Weather	19.4	22.3	10.4	12.5	15.4	17.4	14.4	(3.0)
Total Combined Ratio	123.4	151.7	118.2	118.0	116.9	131.1	115.3	(15.8)

We are still early in our plan to manage homeowners back to profitability. Price increases needed to generate a fair return are being implemented on a state by state basis. We will exit markets that do not respond to pricing actions. Total homeowners weather-related losses (Catastrophe and Non-Catastrophe) were \$58 million for the third quarter, compared with \$114 million last quarter and \$47 million for the third quarter last year.

OTHER PERSONAL	3,015	(1,259)	1,041	6,239	1,747	2,797	11,939	(9,142)
Core Combined Ratio	87.9	89.4	81.0	80.8	88.5	86.2	83.5	(2.7)
Catastrophes	5.0	6.2	14.3	1.2	3.5	8.4	2.9	(5.5)
Non-Cat Weather	1.2	6.8	2.6	5.0	4.3	3.5	5.0	1.5
Total Combined Ratio	94.1	102.4	97.9	87.0	96.3	98.1	91.4	(6.7)

Other personal lines provide coverage for earthquake, dwelling fire, inland marine and boats. Net premiums written increased 6.3% to \$158 million.

Catastrophes are events resulting in losses greater than \$500,000, involving multiple claims and policyholders. SAFECO has used this definition since 1991. Non-Cat Weather is shown separately to help investors understand the seasonality of results from quarter-to-quarter.

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(Thousands of Dollars except Ratios)

SUMMARY OF NET UNDERWRITING PROFIT (LOSS) AND COMBINED RATIOS

	3RD	2ND	1ST	4TH	3RD	NINE MONTHS ENDED		
	QTR	QTR	QTR	QTR	QTR	SEPTEM		
<u>-</u>	2001	2001	2001	2000	2000	2001	2000	CHANGE
BUSINESS INSURANCE	(87,887)	(34,637)	(27,448)	(26,111)	(43,747)	(149,972)	(129,193)	(20,779)
(Small Commercial) Core Combined Ratio	101.2	103.5	103.4	105.1	110.4	102.7	108.6	5.9
Reserve Charge	25.6					8.3		(8.3)
Catastrophes	3.9	4.8	3.3	0.9	1.6	3.9	2.2	(1.7)
Non-Cat Weather	3.9	4.9	3.4	3.0	2.8	4.1	3.8	(0.3)
Total Combined Ratio	134.6	113.2	110.1	109.0	114.8	119.0	114.6	(4.4)

Actions taken this past year to increase prices and eliminate unprofitable business are contributing to improvement in the core combined ratio for the current year. Net premiums written were down 15% to \$763 million.

COMMERCIAL INSURANCE (Large Commercial)	(154,640)	(46,073)	(43,790)	(51,869)	(33,818)	(244,503)	(103,842)	(140,661)
Core Combined Ratio	126.5	124.6	122.5	126.4	117.8	124.5	117.2	(7.3)
Reserve Charge	59.5					18.8		(18.8)
Catastrophes	10.9	2.1	2.4	0.4	0.5	4.9	1.3	(3.6)
Non-Cat Weather	5.3	1.9	1.4	2.5	2.2	2.8	2.0	(8.0)
Total Combined Ratio	202.2	128.6	126.3	129.3	120.5	151.0	120.5	(30.5)

Adverse workers' compensation loss experience, particularly in California, and Florida is mitigating actions taken to improve results. We are continuing to increase prices and non-renew policies in California, Florida, and other markets that have been consistently unprofitable. Net premiums written by SCI for the third quarter declined 21% compared with the same quarter last year. For the first nine months, net premiums written decreased 11% to \$456 million.

TOTAL COMMERCIAL	(242,527)	(80,710)	(71,238)	(77,980)	(77,565)	(394,475)	(233,035)	(161,440)
Core Combined Ratio	110.6	111.5	110.7	113.2	113.0	110.9	111.8	0.9
Reserve Charge	38.2					12.2		(12.2)
Catastrophes	6.6	3.8	2.9	0.7	1.2	4.4	1.8	(2.6)
Non-Cat Weather	4.4	3.8	2.7	2.8	2.6	3.6	3.2	(0.4)
Total Combined Ratio	159.8	119.1	116.3	116.7	116.8	131.1	116.8	(14.3)

During the third quarter, SAFECO completed a review of reserve adequacy and as a result increased reserves by \$240 million. Most of the additional reserves address recent developments that affect prior year workers compensation, asbestos, and construction defects claims. The reserve increase is included in third quarter underwriting results with \$65 million applicable to SAFECO Business Insurance, \$90 million for SAFECO Commercial Insurance, and \$85 million for discontinued reinsurance that was acquired with the purchase of American States and is reported with the "Other" lines. Third quarter results include \$56 million of catastrophe losses for all lines of business of which \$34 million was from the September 11 attacks on the United States. SAFECO's gross exposure from this event is estimated at \$70 million. The company's reinsurance coverage is spread among 17 different reinsurers with high credit quality. Net losses from the attacks include \$8 million for SBI, \$16 million for SCI, and \$10 million from the Lloyds of London operation which is reported in the "Other" lines.

SURETY	6,344	4,613	2,197	(1,778)	6,399	13,154	13,490	(336)
	76.5	79.7	87.7	111.3	59.0	80.5	70.6	9.9
OTHER	(96,823)	(1,990)	981	448	1,356	(97,831)	(1,592)	(96,239)

Other includes non-voluntary personal lines business, results from our Lloyds of London operation, and discontinued coverages that are in run-off. Third quarter results include a reserve charge of \$85 million relating primarily to asbestos and construction defect exposures. In addition, a net loss of \$10 million for the September 11 attacks was recorded from the Lloyds of London operation.

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SUMMARY OF NET UNDERWRITING PROFIT (LOSS) AND COMBINED RATIOS

	3RD QTR	2ND QTR	1ST QTR	4TH QTR	3RD QTR		ITHS ENDED MBER 30	
	2001	2001	2001	2000	2000	2001	2000	CHANGE
TOTAL P&C	(\$370,772)	(\$212,636)	(\$127,745)	(\$149,135)	(\$115,766)	(\$711,152)	\$(372,812)	(\$338,340)
Core Combined Ratio	101.2	102.0	105.0	107.1	103.1	102.8	103.5	0.7
Reserve Charge	21.5					7.2		(7.2)
Catastrophes	4.9	11.0	3.4	2.4	2.6	6.4	3.2	(3.2)
Non-Cat Weather	5.5	6.0	3.0	3.4	4.4	4.8	4.2	(0.6)
Total Combined Ratio	133.1	119.0	111.4	112.9	110.1	121.2	110.9	(10.3)

TOTAL NET UNDERWRITING RESULTS BY QUARTER

	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	Year
1996	\$2,095	\$4,387	\$25,395	\$6,579	\$38,456
1997	7,290	23,582	(11,716)	17,051	36,207
1998	(10,932)	(64,357)	(20,454)	(13,623)	(109,366)
1999	(36,317)	(76,999)	(139,105)	(114,251)	(366,672)
2000	(132,671)	(124,376)	(115,766)	(149,135)	(521,948)
2001	(127,745)	(212,636)	(370,772)		

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PRETAX INCOME BY LINE EXCLUDING GAINS AND LOSSES FROM SECURITY TRANSACTIONS

	3RD QTR	2ND QTR	1ST QTR	41H QTR	3RD QTR	NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30		
	2001	2001	2001	2000	2000	2001	2000	CHANGE
INDIVIDUAL	\$4,745	\$9,571	\$6,743	\$4,475	\$6,443	\$21,059	\$20,155	\$904

Individual pretax income increased for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 compared to the same period last year due mainly to increased earnings in the BOLI line (Business-Owned Life Insurance) and more favorable claims experience in 2001. Third quarter results are down compared to third quarter 2000 and second quarter 2001 due mainly to deferred acquisition cost charges of \$1.3 million and a return to normal claims experience in the third quarter 2001. BOLI deposits inception-to-date total \$2 billion at September 30, 2001. There have been no new BOLI deposits in 2001 due to the rating downgrade in the first quarter 2001.

RETIREMENT SERVICES 4,276 1,896 3,412 3,011 6,883 9,584 27,035 (17,451)

The decrease in pretax income for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 compared to the same period prior year is due to a decline in assets under management. Assets under management at September 30, 2001 are \$6.0 billion compared to \$6.4 billion at September 30, 2000. The decline in fixed account value due to surrenders results in lower interest margins and the decline in variable account value due to unfavorable market conditions results in lower variable product fee revenue.

Third quarter 2001 results improved from second quarter 2001 due mainly to index annuity results. The offer to policyholders to surrender policies with no surrender charges ended in the second quarter 2001. Therefore, no interest-related charges were incurred in the third quarter of 2001. Retirement Services deposits of \$737 million for the first nine months of 2001 increased from \$319 million for the same period last year due to \$481 million in deposits of SAFECO Select, a new deferred annuity product first sold in June 2001.

INCOME ANNUITIES 10,303 12,242 10,424 7,438 4,985 32,969 18,976 13,993

Income annuity deposits of \$83 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 are down from \$337 million for the same period last year as a result of the rating downgrade for SAFECO Life in the first quarter of 2001. Assets under management of \$6.2 billion are unchanged from the prior year.

Income annuity income improved for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 compared to the prior year due mainly to increased investment income from changes in pay downs of collaterialized mortgage obligations. For the first nine months of 2001, the effect was an increase to income of \$4.2 million compared to the same period last year, when income decreased by \$4.4 million.

GROUP 3,354 12,077 6,696 3,126 430 22,127 1,129 20,998

Group's pretax income for the nine months ended September 30, 2001 continues to reflect underwriting and rating actions taken to correct the adverse experience in medical stop loss coverages. Premiums continue to be strong at \$249 million for the first nine months of 2001 compared to \$234 million for the same period last year. Group's overall loss ratio of 68% for the quarter increased from 55% in second quarter 2001 and is unchanged from 68% in the third quarter 2000. Third quarter 2001 results reflect an increase in the frequency of large claims over \$200 thousand in the excess loss specific coverage line.

CORPORATE & OTHER 17,975 18,588 18,924 18,094 18,300 55,487 54,186 1,301

The income results primarily from investment of capital and prior period earnings of the above lines.

TOTAL \$40,653 \$54,374 \$46,199 \$36,144 \$37,041 \$141,226 \$121,481 \$19,745

TOTAL PRETAX OPERATING INCOME BY QUARTER

	1ST2ND		3RD	4TH	Year	
1998 *	36,392	29,046	41,032	12,654	\$119,124	
1999	44,710	38,586	45,550	49,777	178,623	
2000	39,008	45,432	37,041	36,144	157,625	
2001 **	46,199	54,374	40,653			

 ¹⁹⁹⁸ Results exclude third quarter deferred acquisition cost write-off of \$46.8 million.

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^{** 2001} Results exclude first quarter goodwill write-off of \$32.3 million.