

## 1 January 2021 Property & Casualty Treaty Renewals

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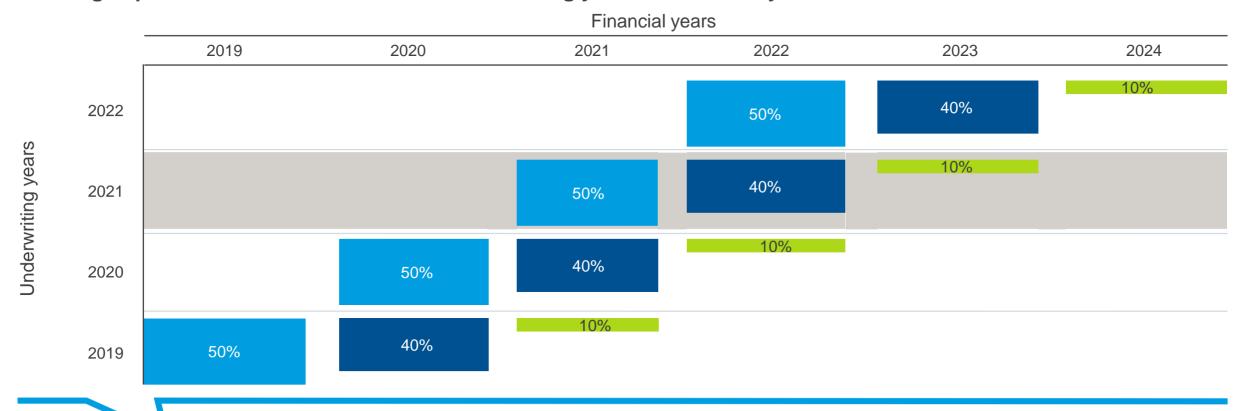
## **Important note (1)**

- Unless otherwise stated, the renewals part of the presentation is based on Underwriting-Year (U/Y) figures

  This basis is only remotely comparable with Financial-Year (FY) figures, which are the basis of quarterly and annual accounts
- The situation shown in this presentation mainly reflects the developments in Hannover Re's Property & Casualty reinsurance portfolio, which may not be indicative of the market development
- · Pricing includes changes in risk-adjusted exposure, claims inflation and interest rates, based on internal pricing models
- Portfolio developments are measured at constant foreign exchange rates as at 31 December 2020

## **Important note (2)**

### Time lag in premium distribution between underwriting year and financial year



2021 underwriting year results will contribute to FY 2021 results and following years

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Reinsurance markets

## Fourth consecutive year of improving reinsurance markets Key market highlights of 1 January 2021 renewals

- Positive primary insurance pricing momentum
- Positive trend from previous renewals continued in the reinsurance market and complements pricing effect from the primary side
  - Drivers for price increases: challenging interest rate environment, loss experience in previous years and Covid-19 losses
  - General tightening of market conditions, in particular through introduction of pandemic and silent cyber exclusions
  - Level of pricing effects as well as tightening of terms and conditions vary notably by region and line of business
- Overall stable to slightly increased demand for well-capitalised reinsurance groups (flight to quality)
- Disciplined behaviour of most market participants

Reinsurance market has proven to be resilient, demonstrating its efficiency and relevance

Our results

### Favourable renewal season outcome

### 1 January 2021 renewal: increased premium at improved pricing

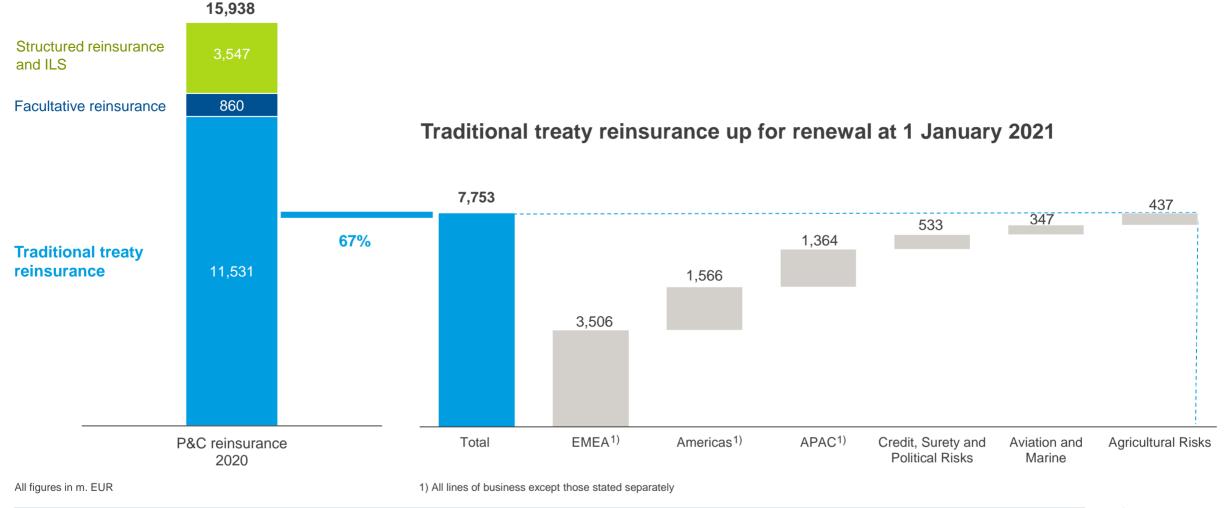
- Successful renewal supported by our superior financial strength, favourable market positioning and long-standing customer relationships
- We expanded our portfolio while maintaining our disciplined underwriting
- Flight to quality allowed us to manage portfolios according to our risk appetite and with clear focus on profitability
- Several factors contributed to overall improved portfolio quality:
  - Rate increases in primary business, particularly beneficial for proportional and facultative business
  - Increasing reinsurance rates
  - Overall reduced commission levels
  - Improved terms and conditions (e.g. exclusion of pandemic and silent cyber risks)
- Successful renewal of retro programmes supported by long-term relationships; risk-adjusted pricing changes well in line with R/I pricing
- Our low admin expense ratio remains a key competitive advantage, supporting the continued growth of our P&C book

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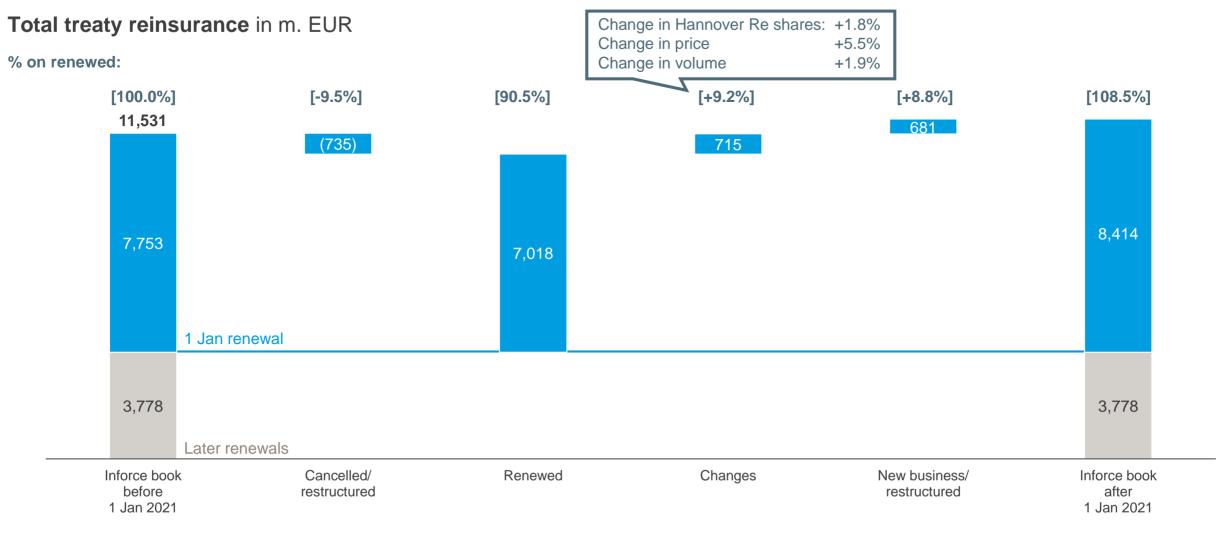
Our portfolio

## 67% of traditional treaty reinsurance up for renewal at 1 January 2021 Equates to 49% of the total P&C inforce premium

#### Estimated premium income U/Y by reporting lines



## We grew our book by 8.5% on the back of improved pricing development in the insurance and reinsurance markets



# Price increases across all lines and regions, with most dynamic development in US, UK and Specialty lines

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1/2021 Premium changes +10.6%	s Price changes +3.0%
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+15.3%	+8.3%
+4.1%	+6.1%
+5.3%	+9.9%
+8.2%	+11.1%
-14.5%	+3.4%
+8.5%	+5.5%
	-14.5%

<sup>1)</sup> All lines of business except those stated separately (excl. Structured R/I and ILS as well as Facultative R/I); EMEA incl. CIS

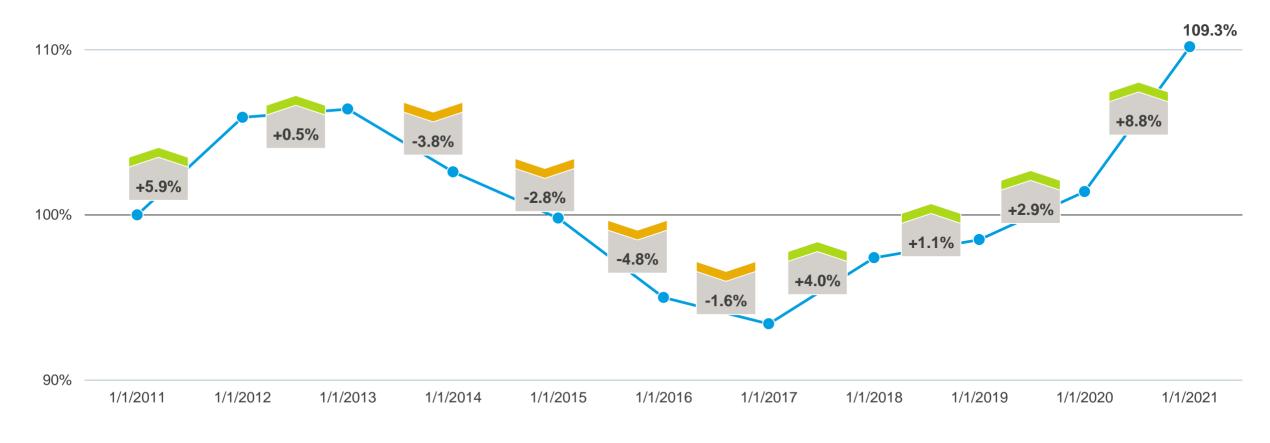
# Proportional business benefited from improved primary insurance markets 8.8% rate increase in non-proportional business

	Proportional		Non-proportional			
Reporting lines	Premium 1/1/2021	Premium changes	Price changes	Premium 1/1/2021	Premium changes	Price changes
EMEA <sup>1)</sup>	3,072	+12.1%	+2.0%	806	+5.3%	+6.4%
Americas <sup>1)</sup>	874	+19.6%	+6.5%	932	+11.6%	+9.9%
APAC <sup>1)</sup>	1,338	+3.5%	+6.3%	82	+16.1%	+2.9%
Credit, Surety and Political risks	456	+2.2%	+9.0%	105	+20.8%	+14.7%
Aviation and Marine	245	+7.4%	+8.9%	130	+9.8%	+15.2%
Agricultural Risks	344	-15.5%	+2.9%	29	-1.9%	+9.8%
Total 1 January renewals	6,329	+8.3%	+4.4%	2,085	+9.3%	+8.8%

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## Fourth consecutive year with price increases in non-proportional (XL) business

XL price changes at 1 January renewals



## Strong growth in regional markets mainly from North America and UK

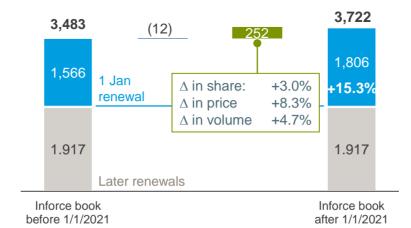


before 1/1/2021



- Firming primary rates both in property and casualty (increases most prominent in UK)
- Notable growth and improving reinsurance rates across all geographies
- Lloyd's: increased shares in hardening market environment
- Germany: further strengthening of market position with overall improved profitability

#### **Americas**



#### North America:

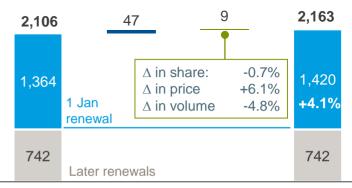
after 1/1/2021

- Trend of improving primary rates accelerated in both property and casualty
- Improving profitability driven by increased rates and improved terms and conditions
- Premium growth characterised by balanced expansion of property and casualty business

#### Latin/South America:

Increased shares and new business at improved terms and conditions

#### **APAC**



Inforce book before 1/1/2021

Inforce book after 1/1/2021

- Increased profitability in a heterogeneous market environment
- Mainland China: in contrast to strong growth in previous years active portfolio management resulted in stable premium development
- Attractive growth opportunities in South East Asia and Korea supported by strategic initiative

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## Worldwide markets: significant price development across most Specialty lines

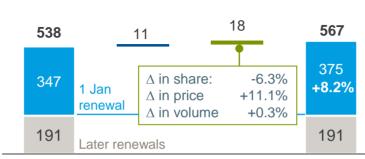
#### Credit, Surety and Political Risks



Inforce book Inforce book before 1/1/2021 after 1/1/2021

- First steps of hardening as a result of uncertainties linked to Covid-19
- Selective premium growth in Credit, Surety and Political Risk on the base of a slightly reduced inforce book
- Share increase or new business only on clearly improved pricing
- Share reductions on a few relationships partly compensated by increases in other accounts

**Aviation and Marine** 



Inforce book Inforce book after before 1/1/2021

- Both lines of business: improvements on reinsurance structures as well as terms and conditions
- Aviation: significant increases on prices for nonproportional treaties and satisfactory improvements on commission structure of proportional reinsurances
- · Marine: satisfactory price increases throughout the book with an emphasis on London Market non-proportional: active portfolio management

#### **Agricultural Risks**



Inforce book before 1/1/2021

1/1/2021

Inforce book before 1/1/2021

- Premium growth and increased shares in a number of regions
- Entry of state-owned reinsurer in China masked premium growth in other regions
- Favourable business development in the Americas, CEE and Turkey

New/cancelled/restructured

Changes



## Exceptional reporting on Structured R/I, Facultative R/I and cat business<sup>2)</sup>

#### Structured R/I<sup>1)</sup>

- High demand for solvency-relief transactions worldwide (driven by Solvency II and BCAR), commercial shorttail lines and UK motor
- High number of new transactions closed against a very small number of cancelled contracts
- Successful contribution to APAC growth initiative
- Increased volume in Latin America / Caribbean, UK and US

## Expected premium development for U/Y 2021: +10%

#### Facultative R/I<sup>1)</sup>

- Positive market dynamics seen in the primary insurance market favourably affected our portfolio
- Positive effect from flight to quality
- Successful renewal: almost all major accounts renewed, new business written and line sizes increased
- Rate increases and improvements in terms and conditions in almost all regions and all lines of business
- Average rate increases of 8% and up to 20% in North American business and energy

Expected premium development for U/Y 2020 and 1 Jan 2021: +13.5%

#### Cat business 2)

- Overall quality of the portfolio improved markedly, particularly tighter terms and conditions
- Most regions have seen rate increases but levels varied appreciably
- Positive non-proportional price effects: US most pronounced with about 10% risk-adjusted increase, Europe and Rest of World range from 2.5% to 5%
- Premium growth rate in APAC and EMEA more pronounced than in US
- Loss-affected programmes have experienced significant corrections

Diversified premium growth of almost 10%

<sup>1)</sup> Renewal activity in Structured R/I and Facultative R/I is not characterised by peak renewal dates such as 1/1 or 1/7 but rather year-round renewal activity

<sup>2)</sup> Additional reporting on cat-exposed business which is incrementally included in regional and worldwide markets

# Successful renewal of retro programmes supported by long-term relationships Risk-adjusted pricing changes well in line with R/I pricing

Agg. XL EUR 225 m Div. cat swaps max ~ USD 41 m Whole Account XL ~ EUR 337 m. K-Cession securitisation ~ USD 610 m. + expected premium **Group EBIT** Policyholders' surplus (shareholders' equity, non-controlling interest, hybrid capital)

Net risk appetite at targeted level as retro capacity was available at reasonable prices

- Increase in Agg. XL coverage from EUR 200 m.
- Whole Account: limit increased from EUR 325 m.
- K-Cession: paid-in capital reduced from USD 680 m.

As at February 2021



**Guidance 2021** 

# Overall profitability above margin requirements in Property & Casualty Financial year 2021

	Reporting categories	Volume <sup>1)</sup>	Profitability <sup>2)</sup>
Regional	EMEA <sup>3)</sup>	7	+
markets	Americas <sup>3)</sup>	7	+
	APAC <sup>3)</sup>	$\rightarrow$	+/-
Worldwide markets  Facultative R  Aviation and	Structured Reinsurance and ILS	7	++
	Credit, Surety and Political Risks	7	+/-
	Facultative Reinsurance	7	+
	Aviation and Marine	$\overline{\bullet}$	+
	Agricultural Risks	<u>&gt;</u>	+

<sup>1)</sup> In EUR, development in original currencies can be different

<sup>2) ++ =</sup> well above CoC; += above CoC; +/- = CoC earned; -= below Cost of Capital (CoC)

<sup>3)</sup> All lines of business except those stated separately; EMEA incl. CIS

### **Guidance for 2021**

### **Hannover Re Group**

• Special dividend \_\_\_\_\_ additional pay-out if profit target is reached and capitalisation is comfortable

Ordinary dividend pay-out ratio<sup>4)</sup>

35% - 45%

<sup>1)</sup> At unchanged f/x rates

<sup>2)</sup> Subject to no major distortions in capital markets and/or major losses in 2021 not exceeding the large loss budget of EUR 1.1 bn. and no material Covid-19 impact in L&H

<sup>3)</sup> Excluding effects from ModCo derivatives

<sup>4)</sup> Relative to group net income according to IFRS

## Preliminary figures

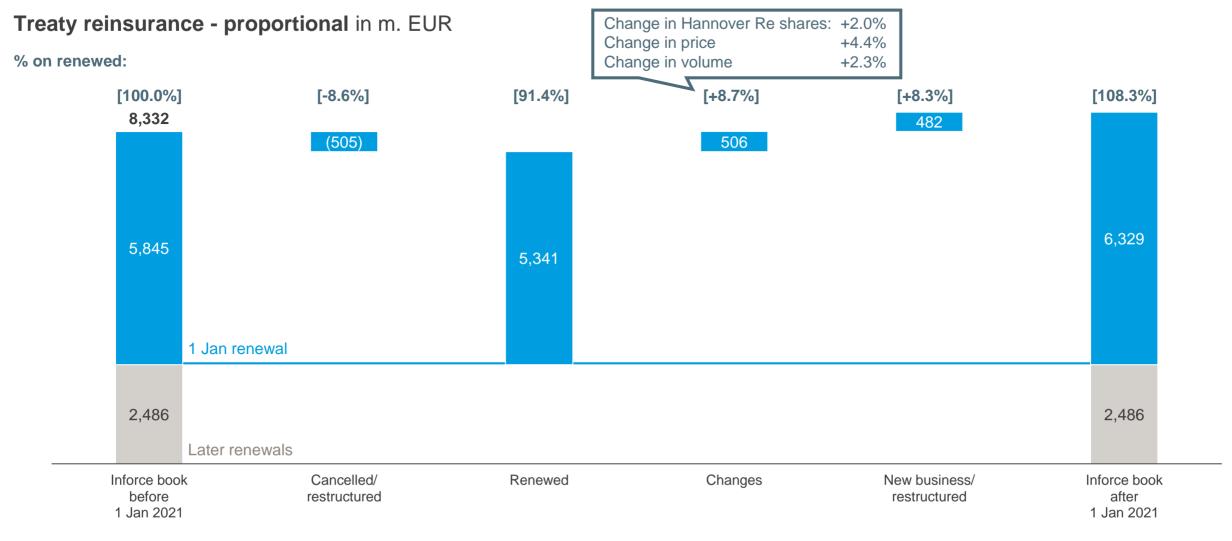
## Strong net income fully meets expectations Preliminary key figures for 2020

Hannover Re Group	Previous guidance	Preliminary figures
Gross written premium	growth in the upper single-digit percentage range <sup>1)</sup>	EUR 24.8 bn. (~ +12% <sup>1)</sup> )
Return on investment from AuM	~ 2.7%	3.0%
Group net income	> EUR 800 m.	~ EUR 883 m.
Combined ratio P&C	-	101.6%
Covid-19 net loss estimates as at 31 De	ec 2020	
Property & Casualty reinsurance		EUR 950 m.
Life & Health reinsurance		EUR 261 m.
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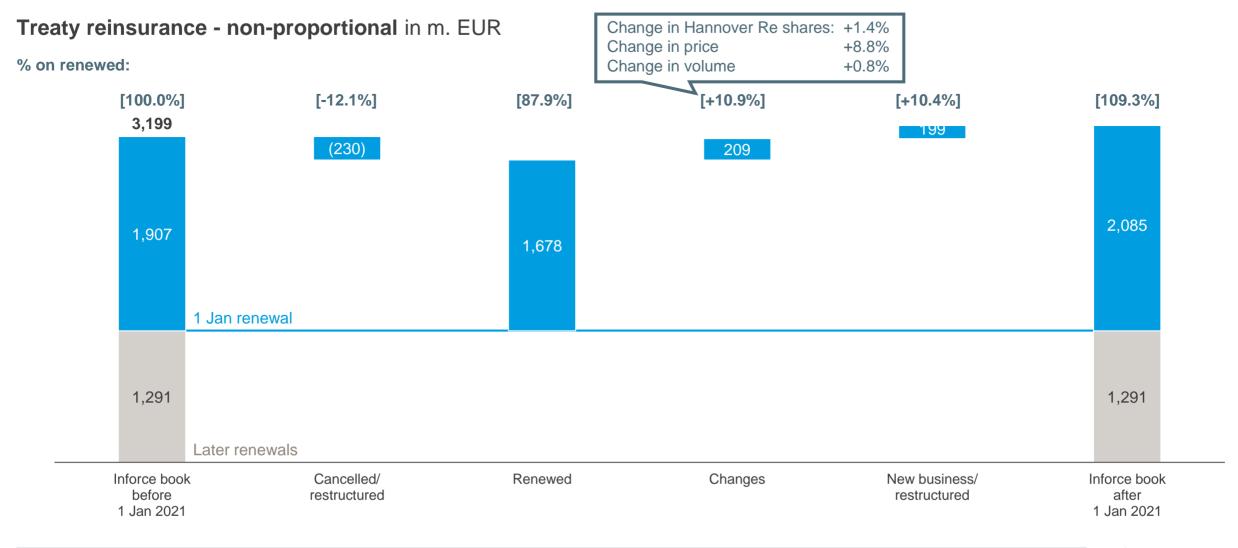


**Appendix** 

# Above-average growth in proportional business stemming from solid underlying primary markets and new business acquired

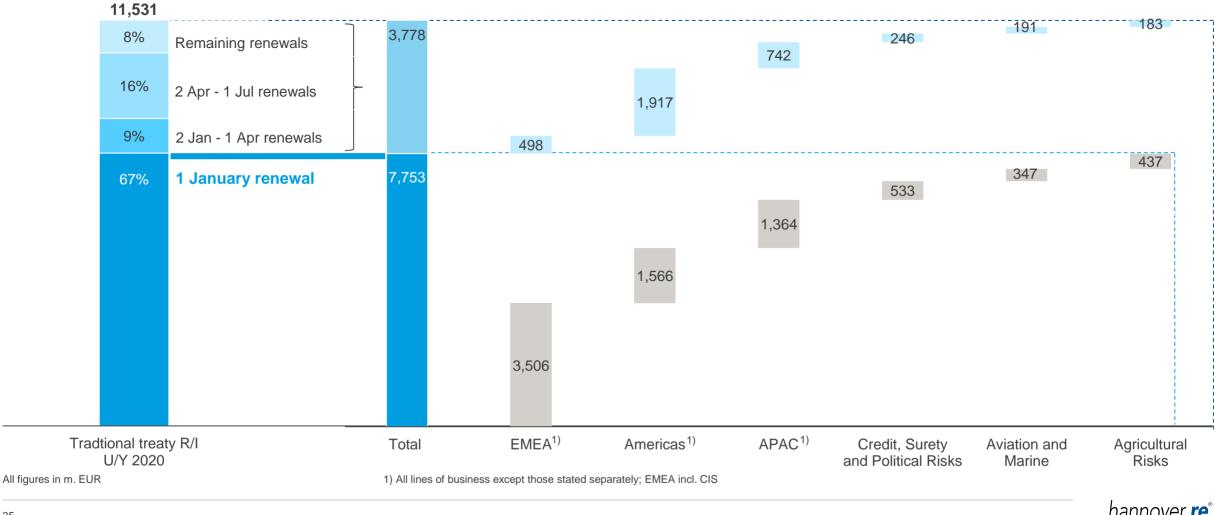


# Strong rate movement (+8.8%) in non-proportional business leading to a pleasing growth of 9.3%



### 33% of traditional treaty reinsurance comes up for renewal later in a favourable market environment

#### Estimated premium income U/Y by regions



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