

## Safe Harbor Statement

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## Third Quarter 2010 Highlights

- Achieved total Comprehensive Income of \$24.1 million, or \$0.92 per diluted weighted share, reflecting strong yields and portfolio appreciation.
- Reported Adjusted GAAP Earnings<sup>1</sup> of \$0.39 per share, representing a 17.3% return on average equity on an annualized basis.
- Increased Book Value 6.2% on a sequential quarter basis to \$9.24 per diluted weighted share.
- Declared dividend of \$0.39 per share for the third quarter of 2010 or \$1.08 per share on a year-to-date basis. Third quarter dividend represents 17.3% yield on annualized basis.<sup>2</sup>

## Operating Performance

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Operating Performance (In millions, except for per share amounts)	Ea	Core urnings	F	Realized Gains	Uı	nrealized MTM	Q2-2010 inancials		E	Core arnings	Realized Gains	Unr	ealized MTM	Q3-2010 nancials
Interest income	\$	9.1	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 9.1		\$	11.9	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 11.9
Interest expense		0.8		-		-	0.8			1.4	-		-	1.4
Net interest income		8.3		-		-	8.3			10.5	-		-	10.5
Gain on sale of investment securities, net		-		0.8		-	0.8			-	2.6		-	2.6
Loss on interest rate swap agreements <sup>1</sup>		(0.8)		-		(3.3)	(4.1)			(1.0)	(2.5)		(1.0)	(4.5)
Gain on other derivative instruments		-		0.4		(0.2)	0.2	_		-	2.5		0.6	3.1
Total other income		(0.8)		1.2		(3.5)	(3.1)			(1.0)	2.6		(0.4)	1.2
Management fees		0.8		-		-	0.8			0.9	-		-	0.9
Operating expenses		1.1		-		-	1.1	_		1.2	-		-	1.2
Total expense		1.9		-		-	1.9	_		2.1	-		-	2.1
Net income (loss) before income taxes		5.6		1.2		(3.5)	3.3			7.4	2.6		(0.4)	9.6
Benefit from income taxes		0.2		(0.2)		0.8	0.8	_		0.2	(0.2)		0.3	0.3
Net income (loss)	\$	5.8	\$	1.0	\$	(2.7)	\$ 4.1	_	\$	7.6	\$ 2.4	\$	(0.1)	\$ 9.9
Basic and diluted weighted average EPS	\$	0.26	\$	0.05	\$	(0.13)	\$ 0.18		\$	0.29	\$ 0.09	\$	-	\$ 0.38
Supplemental data:														
Unrealized gains/(losses) on interest rate swaps							\$ (3.3)							\$ (1.0)
Deferred tax benefit						_	0.6						_	0.6
Total							\$ (2.7)							\$ (0.4)

Third Quarter 2010 loss on interest rate swap agreements of \$1.0 million includes \$0.3 million in interest costs for swaps associated with U.S. Treasuries.

## Operating Performance Metrics

Earnings per Diluted Weighted Average Share Outstanding (In millions, except for per share amounts)	Q2-2010 Earnings	Q2-2010 EPS	Q3-2010 arnings	Q3-2010 EPS	Q3 YTD Earnings	Q3 YTD EPS
Core Earnings <sup>1</sup>	\$ 5.8 \$	0.26	\$ 7.6	\$ 0.29	\$ 17.3	\$ 0.83
GAAP Net Income	\$ 4.1 \$	0.18	\$ 9.9	\$ 0.38	\$ 19.3	\$ 0.93
Adjusted GAAP Earnings <sup>2</sup>	\$ 6.8 \$	0.30	\$ 10.2	\$ 0.39	\$ 23.1	\$ 1.12
Comprehensive Income	\$ 3.4 \$	0.15	\$ 24.1	\$ 0.92	\$ 36.3	\$ 1.75

Return on Average Equity (Percent)	Q2-2010	Q3-2010	Q3 YTD 2010
Core Earnings <sup>1</sup> return on average equity	11.4%	12.8%	12.3%
GAAP return on average equity	8.1%	16.7%	13.7%
Adjusted GAAP Earnings <sup>2</sup> return on average equity	13.4%	17.3%	16.4%
Comprehensive Income return on average equity	6.7%	40.7%	25.8%



<sup>(1)</sup> Core Earnings is a non-GAAP measure that the company defines as net income, excluding impairment losses, gains or losses on sales of securities and termination of interest rate swaps, unrealized gains or losses on interest rate swaps, gains or losses on other derivative instruments and certain non-recurring expenses.

Adjusted GAAP Earnings is a non-GAAP measure that the company defines as GAAP Net Income, excluding the unrealized fair value gains and losses associated with the company's interest rate swaps.

## Balance Sheet Summary

Balance Sheet (In millions, except for leverage amounts)	Jui	ne 30, 2010	Septemb	er 30, 2010
Assets				
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value	\$	977.9	\$	1,075.8
Cash and cash equivalents		71.4		66.2
Derivative assets, at fair value		32.6		21.1
Other assets		44.9		49.1
Total Assets	\$	1,126.8	\$	1,212.2
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	ď	0// 2	dt.	0.42.0
Repurchase agreements	\$	866.3	\$	943.0
Derivative liabilities, at fair value		21.6		15.3
Other liabilities		11.5		12.5
Total liabilities		899.4		970.8
Total stockholders' equity		227.4		241.4
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity	\$	1,126.8	\$	1,212.2
Leverage on RMBS securities and Agency derivatives <sup>1</sup>		3.2x		3.3x



Leverage is defined as total borrowings to fund RMBS securities and Agency derivatives divided by total equity. Total borrowings to fund RMBS securities and Agency derivatives was \$722 million at June 30, 2010, and \$797 million at September 30, 2010.

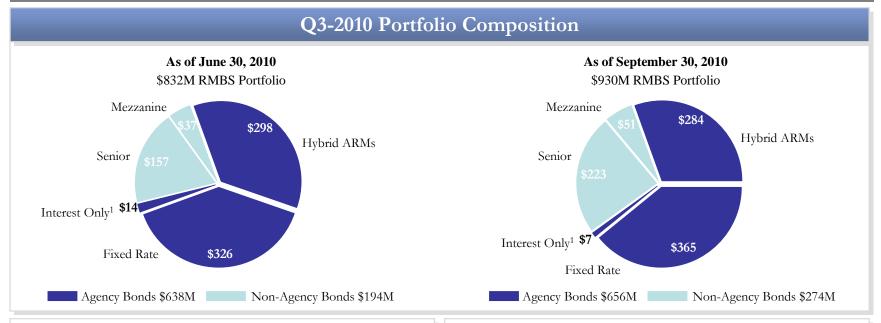
## Change in Stockholders' Equity

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Beginning stockholders' equity	\$	125.8	\$	9.38	\$	227.4	\$	8.70
Net proceeds from common stock issuance		106.8		(0.46)		-		-
GAAP Net Income:								
Core Earnings, net of tax		5.8		0.22		7.6		0.29
Realized gains and losses, net of tax		1.0		0.04		2.4		0.09
Unrealized mark-to-market gains and losses, net of tax		(2.7)		(0.10)		(0.1)		-
Other Comprehensive Income, net of tax		(0.7)		(0.03)		14.2		0.54
Dividend declaration		(8.6)		(0.33)		(10.2)		(0.39)
Other		-		(0.02)		0.1		0.01
Ending stockholders' equity	\$	227.4	\$	8.70	\$	241.4	\$	9.24



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## RMBS Portfolio Composition



Agency: Vintage & Prepayment Protection	Q2-2010	Q3-2010
Prepayment protected	18%	27%
Low loan balances	31%	22%
Pre-2002 vintages	13%	16%
2002-2005 vintages	26%	24%
2006 and subsequent vintages	12%	11%

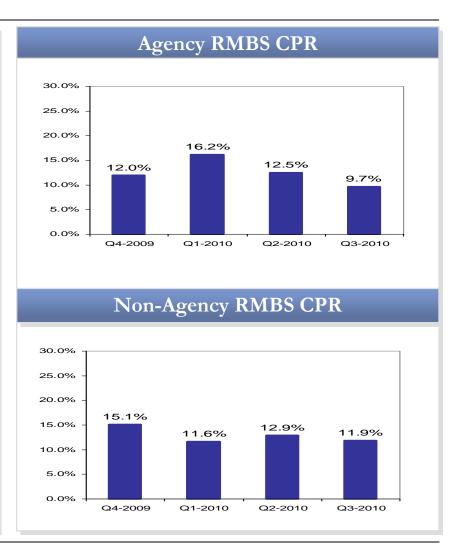
•	Q3-2010
7%	5%
34%	32%
21%	31%
38%	32%
	34%



### Portfolio Metrics

Portfolio Yields and Metrics							
Portfolio Yield	Realized Q2-2010	At June 30, 2010	Realized Q3-2010	At Sept. 30, 2010			
Annualized yield <sup>1</sup>	5.4%	5.2%	5.3%	5.1%			
Agency	3.5%	-	3.5%	-			
Non-Agency	11.3%	-	10.4%	-			
Cost of financing <sup>2</sup>	0.6%	0.6%	0.7%	0.7%			
Net interest spread	4.8%	4.6%	4.6%	4.4%			

Portfolio Metric	cs	Q2-2010	Q3-2010
Agency	Weighted average 3-month CPR	12.5%	9.7%
	Weighted average cost basis	\$105.7	\$106.1
Non-Agency	Weighted average 3-month CPR	12.9%	11.9%
	Weighted average cost basis	\$59.2	\$58.6
Change in equity interest rates <sup>3</sup>	value for +/- 100bps change in	3.5%	4.5%
Debt-to-Equity <sup>4</sup>		3.2x	3.3x



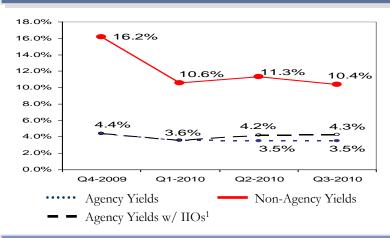


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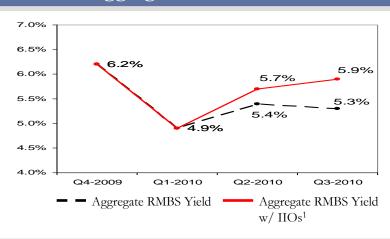
- Annualized yields exclude impact of IIOs accounted for as derivatives. Interest income on IIOs was \$0.5 million and \$1.5 million for the second and third quarter of 2010 contributing an additional 0.3% and 0.6% interest yield, respectively.
- Cost of financing RMBS excludes interest spread expense associated with the portfolio's interest rate swaps of \$0.5 million for the second quarter of 2010 and \$0.7 million for the third quarter of 2010. Including this interest spread expense would increase cost of financing RMBS by 0.4% for both the second and third quarter of 2010.
- Represents range of the percentage change in equity value for +/- 100bps change in interest rates. Change in equity value is portfolio value change adjusted for leverage. Debt-to-equity is defined as total borrowings to fund RMBS securities and Agency derivatives divided by total equity.

## RMBS Portfolio Yields

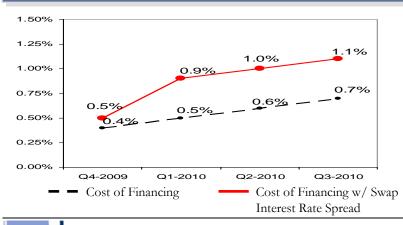
#### RMBS Annualized Yields by Portfolio



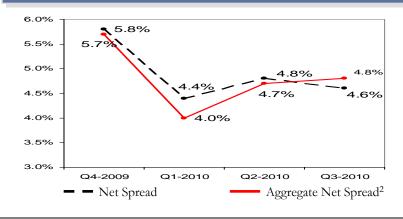
### Aggregate RMBS Yields



### **Cost of Financing RMBS**



### Net Interest Spread





- Respective yields include IIOs accounted for as derivatives.
- (2) Aggregate net spread includes IIOs accounted for as derivatives and cost of financing RMBS with swap interest rate spread.

# Financing

Financing	
Repurchase Agreements: RMBS and Agency Derivatives	September 30, 2010 Amount (\$M)
Within 30 days	\$263
30 to 59 days	211
60 to 89 days	112
90 to 119 days	8
Over 120 days	203
Total	\$797

#### Financing Highlights:

- •Maturities over 90 days represented 26% of total RMBS borrowings.
- •Wells Fargo facility represented \$50 million of total RMBS borrowings.
- •Interest rate swaps hedge 35% of RMBS borrowings.
- •Maintained Interest Rate Swap Treasury position as overall hedge to funding costs.

