

#### **EVANSTON INSURANCE COMPANY, NAIC #35378 MARKEL CORPORATION**

Total Assets	Dollars in 000								
Total Labilities	Sonaro III 666	2020Y 2021Y	2022Y	2023Y		2020Y	2021Y	2022Y	2023Y
Policynoider Sumplus   1,288,832   1,291,530   1,634,292   1,909,0434   1,919,520   1,791,249   5,975,922   6,764,875   6,765,975   6,846,875   6,875,975   6,87	Total Assets	4,639,708 5,195,062	7,154,484	8,121,921	RBC Ratio (%)	366.8	337.8	337.8	315.6
Cash & Invested Assets   4,196,29   4,719,249   5,976,592   6,774   4,79   4,79   5,976,592   6,774   4,79   5,976,592   6,774   5,976,740	Total Liabilities	3,400,876 3,903,531	5,520,192	6,212,487	2yr Res Development	-205,532	-182,709	22,547	255,396
Cash & Invested Assets / Total Ass 2	Policyholder Surplus	1,238,832 1,291,530	1,634,292	1,909,434	2yr Dev / Surplus	-1744.1%	-1447.4%	182.0%	1977.5%
Net Cash from Operations 275,400   5607,007   548,0092   736,774   5508,1058   5604,653   6,379   5604,653	Cash & Invested Assets		5,976,592		_		- 3	- 1	C
Loss & LAE Reserves   2,191,431   2,393,965   3,237,923   3,746.852   Doss & LAE Reserves / Surplus   114.2%   116.9%   346.6%   365 Doss & LAE Reserves / Surplus   1.14.2%   116.9%   346.6%   365 Doss & LAE Reserves / Surplus   346.6%   365 Doss & LAE Reserves / Surplus   346.6%   365 Doss & LAE Reserves / Surplus   346.6%	Cash & Invested Assets/Total Asset	1 1				0.0%		0.0%	0.0%
Loss & LAE Reserves/Surplus 178.9% 185.4% 198.1% 196.2% AMB J S&P Ratings A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A									6,979,374
Combined Ratio (%) Trends								-	365.5%
## Net Underwriting Results   Well Investment Result	Loss & LAE Reserves/Surplus	176.9% 185.4%	198.1%	196.2%	AMB / S&P Ratings	A/A	A/A	A/A	A/A
## Net Investment Result	Income	e/Loss Trends (\$000)			Combined Ratio (%) Trends				
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7,000,000 6,000,000 5,000,000 3,000,000 3,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,000,000	Pren	nium Trends (\$000)			2023	3Y Investment	Portfolio		
□CA - \$422,218  □TX - \$361,323  □FL - \$341,574  □NY - \$179,195  □NJ - \$103,800  □All Other - \$1,271,371  □All Other - \$1,271,371  □All Lines \$2,680,174	7,000,000 6,000,000 5,000,000 4,000,000 3,000,000 2,000,000 1,000,000	2022Y 2023Y	□Net Prem V	Vritten	■Preferred Stock 0% ■Common Stock 27% ■Cash & S/T hv. 8%				
■TX - \$361,323  ■FL - \$341,574  ■NY - \$179,195  □NJ - \$103,800  ■All Other - \$1,271,371  ■All Other - \$1,271,371  ■Total NY State DPW  \$179,195  Total All Lines  \$2,680,174	2023Y Top 5 Geographies (DPW - \$000)			2023 Top 5 Lines of Business (DPW/Total DPW)					
■FL - \$341,574  ■NY - \$179,195  □NJ - \$103,800  ■All Other - \$1,271,371  ■All Other - \$1,271,371  ■All Other - \$1,271,371  Total NY State DPW \$179,195  ■ Total All Lines \$2,680,174	□CA - \$422,218				Oth Liab (Occurrence) - 49.	7%			
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#### TOP 5 REINSURERS FOR EVANSTON INSURANCE CO. BY GROSS RECOVERABLES PERIOD: 2023Y

Dollars in 000							
Reinsurer	Reinsurance Class	Reins Authorized Status	Gross Recov	Over 120 Days Overdue			
1 - Markel Insurance Company	US Affiliated Non-captive Non-pooling, US Affiliated Pooling	Authorized	4,764,062	0			
2 - Markel Global Reinsurance Company	US Affiliated Non-captive Non-pooling	Authorized	999,420	0			
3 - Renaissance Reinsurance U.S. Inc.	US Unaffiliated	Authorized	135,991	0			
4 - Validus Reinsurance (Sw itzerland) Ltd	Non-US Unaffiliated	Authorized	102,970	0			
5 - Everest Reinsurance Company	US Unaffiliated	Authorized	83,197	-93			

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# **ULTIMATE PARENT – Markel Group Inc.**

<b>Corporate Profile</b>		Financial Stren	gth Ratings
Address:	Markel Group Inc.	S&P Global:	-
	4521 Highw oods Parkw ay	Moody's:	#OUTSIDE SUBSCRIPTION
	Glen Allen, VA, 23060	Fitch:	-
		AM Best - P&C:	-
Website:	www.markel.com		
President :	-		
Ticker Symbol:	NYSE: MKL		
SEC Filing:	<u>10-K</u>		

Highlights (\$000)	2020Y	2021Y	2022Y	2023Y
Total Assets	41,710,054	48,477,096	49,791,259	55,045,710
Total Policy Reserves	21,725,607	24,465,493	27,819,367	30,774,801
Total Debt	4,049,272	4,932,603	4,658,023	4,437,013
Total Other Liabilities	1,888,717	2,464,050	2,740,015	3,137,604
Sep Account Liabilities	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	28,649,731	33,275,508	36,054,220	39,519,817
Total Equity	12,814,681	14,740,210	13,213,885	15,056,208
Total Liab & Equity	41,464,412	48,015,718	49,268,105	54,576,025
Book Value / Share (\$)	885.67	1,036.20	935.65	1,095.95
Reserves / Investments & Cash (x)	0.87	0.85	1.00	0.98
Reserves / Liabilities (x)	0.76	0.74	0.77	0.78
Reserves / Equity (x)	1.70	1.66	2.11	2.04
Debt / Equity (x)	0.32	0.33	0.35	0.29
Dec. 31 Closing Price (\$)	1,033.30	1,234.00	1,317.49	1,419.90
Net Income (\$)	831,767	2,447,735	-103,357	2,101,090
Basic EPS (\$)	55.67	176.92	-23.72	147.32
Investment Yield (%)	4.40	8.76	-4.18	7.73
Ratios (%)				
Loss Ratio	61.80	55.10	58.60	64.20
Expense Ratio	36.00	35.30	33.20	34.20
PH Dividend Ratio	<u>-0.10</u>	<u>-0.10</u>	<u>-0.10</u>	0.00
Combined Ratio	97.70	90.30	91.70	98.40

## **HISTORY**

Evanston Insurance Company (Evanston Insurance) was incorporated in the state of Illinois in August 1977. No company history was available from this time to 2015, at which time it was owned by the Markel Corp. (Markel). Through a series consolidating mergers affected by Markel, Altera E&S Insurance Company was merged into Evanston Insurance on December 31, 2015, Essex Insurance Company was merged into the company on June 31, 2016 and Associated International Insurance Company was merged into the company on December 31, 2016. Financial and operations control of Evanston Insurance remains under Markel Corporation. The company has been eligible to write surplus lines business in NY since at least ELANY's inception in 1989. As of December 31, 2023, Evanston Insurance is an Illinois domestic surplus lines writer and operated on a non-admitted basis in all fifty (50) states, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

#### REINSURANCE

Effective January 1, 2017, the company entered into a 60.5% quota share agreement to cede business to its affiliate, Markel General Reinsurance Company. As such, the financial strength of the company is heavily affected by the credit risk of Markel and investment risk of its own investment portfolio, managed in common by Markel. For the years 2020 through 2023, respectively, Evanston Insurance net reinsurance recoverable were shown as \$1.4bn, \$1.5bn, \$5.7bn and \$5.7bn, representing 114%, 117%, 347% and 366% of company surplus.

### **HOLDING COMPANY**

Founded in 1930, in Norfolk, VA, as the Mutual Casualty Company, by Samuel A. Markel to focus on fleet trucking and bus insurance, the company now known Markel Corporation with headquarters in Richmond, VA is a diverse financial holding company serving a variety of niche specialty markets, insurance 'fronting' for other insurance providers through its State National Insurance Division, International insurance and reinsurance and global reinsurance offering facultative, quota share and excess of loss coverages. Markel also offers investment management, weather derivatives and a variety of insurance securitization investment products. AM Best collectively rates eight (8) insurance subsidiaries of the Markel Corporation, including Evanston Insurance Company. For the years 2020 through 2023 the group was rated by AM Best and S&P as 'A/A' and assigned the financial size of XV (\$2bn - >).

# SUBSEQUENT NOTEWORTHY OBSERVATIONS

Updated April 2024

#### **Important Information Regarding Financial Summaries**

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