

# **Sava Insurance Group**

2022 unaudited results, 2023-2027 strategy and 2023 plan



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# Today's topics

- 1) 2022 unaudited results
- 2) Strategy 2023-2027
- 3) Plan 2023
- 4) IFRS 17 & 9 key points
- 5) Financial calendar & events

# 2022 unaudited results

## Highlights of 2022

Growth of **6.1%** in GPW – mostly in motor insurance due to the growth in the number of policies sold and the average premium; premiums also grew in the reinsurance segment due to positive price movements in global reinsurance markets and in the international life segment, mainly due to the new bank sales channel

Net profit of **€68.2 million** (2021: **€**76.2 million); **-10.4% compared to 2021**, **13.7% above target** 

- Negative impact on claims: increase in claims paid and claims provisions due to claims inflation, storms and the rise in motor claims frequency in Slovenia following the easing of Covid-19 measures
- Positive impact on underwriting result: improvement in FoS business result, results of subsidiaries outside Slovenia and reinsurance
- Impact on investment result: unfavourable developments in the financial markets affected the result of the Slovenian pension company and the investment result due to fair value changes of FVTPL assets

Standard & Poor's and AM Best's "A" ratings, stable outlook, affirmed

December 2022: new five-year strategy of the Sava Insurance Group published



## All 2020–2022 strategic goals achieved









#### Return on equity > 12%



#### Return on investment portfolio > 1.5%



 Return on investment portfolio, excluding change in fair value of FVTPL assets

Solvency ratio within 180-220%



## **Profit for 2022 higher than planned**

**Gross result** 

€84.0 m

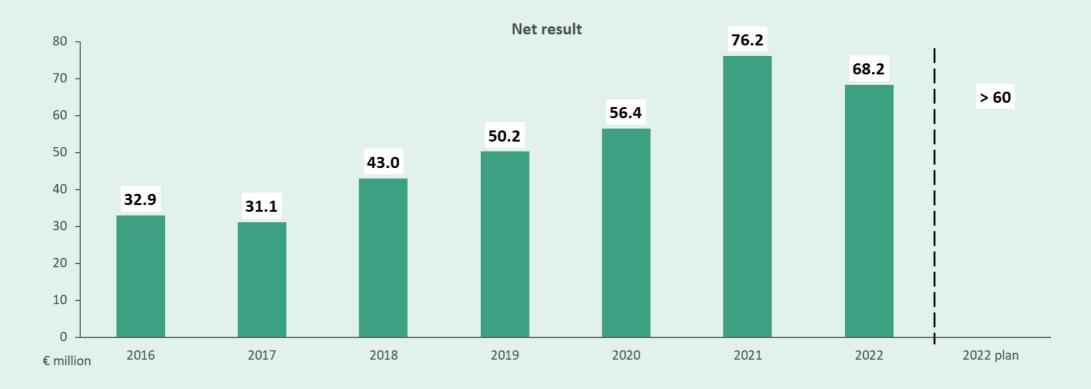
2022/2021: **-10.2%** 

**Net result** 

€68.2 m

2022/2021: **-10.4%** 







## High return on equity

Equity

€412.0 m

2022/2021: **-18.3%** 

**ROE** 

14.9%

2022/2021: **-0.9 p.p.** 





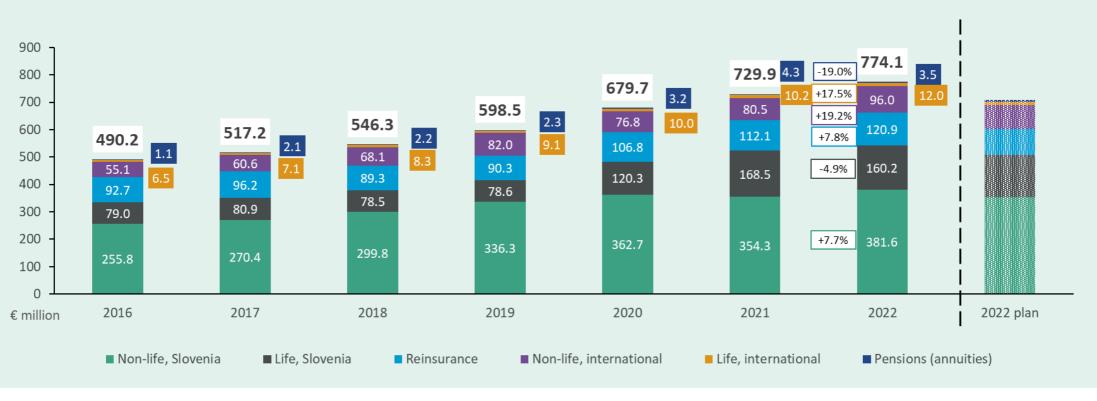


## Continued strong growth in premiums

## Gross premiums written €774.1 m

2022/2021: **+6.1%** 







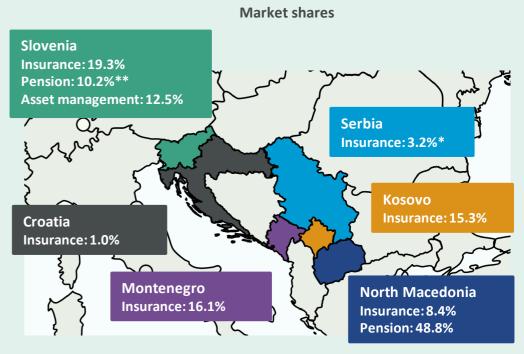
#### **Growth of GPW in all markets**

#### Gross premiums written 2022 and growth 2022/2021



#### Assets under management 31/12/2022 and growth 2022/2021

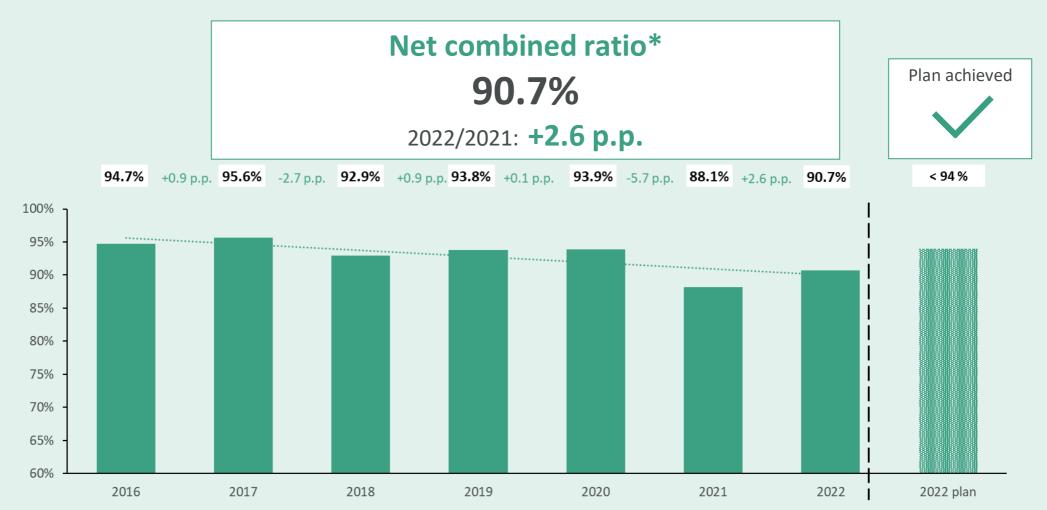




- \* 1–9/2022 as data for the full year 2022 have not yet been published.
- \*\* 1–12/2021 as more recent data not available.



## **Combined ratio within target range**



<sup>\*</sup> Excluding the effect of exchange differences.

Net combined ratio: all expenses (other than from investments) as percentage of total income (other than from investments) – calculated for the non-life and reinsurance segments.



## High quality of the investment portfolio

	Amount		Structure	
€ million	31/12/2021	31/12/2022	31/12/2021	31/12/2022
Government bonds	718.5	732.6	45.4%	51.6%
Corporate bonds	592.1	417.8	37.4%	29.4%
Cash and cash equivalents	74.0	78.4	4.7%	5.5%
Infrastructure funds	44.5	53.9	2.8%	3.8%
Shares	36.0	23.1	2.3%	1.6%
Investment property	14.3	22.8	0.9%	1.6%
Mutual funds	35.9	22.2	2.3%	1.6%
Deposits & CDs	18.6	19.3	1.2%	1.4%
Real estate funds	15.8	16.5	1.0%	1.2%
Other	31.8	33.6	2.0%	2.4%
Total investment portfolio	1,581.4	1,420.0	100.0%	100.0%



- Life segment: time to maturity of investments 5.3 years, time to maturity of liabilities 6.2 years
- Non-life segment: time to maturity of investments 3.6 years, time to maturity of liabilities 2.0 years

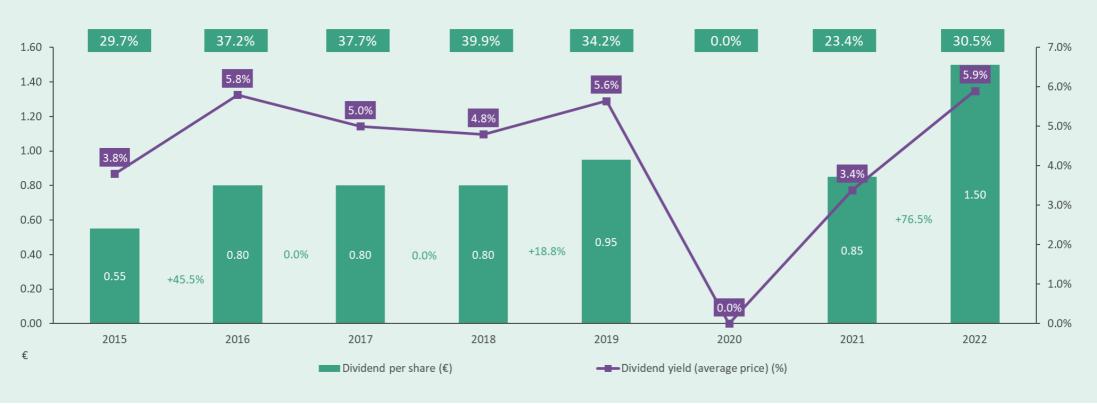


Investment grade assets accounted for **86.5%** of fixed rate investments (2021: 86.6%).



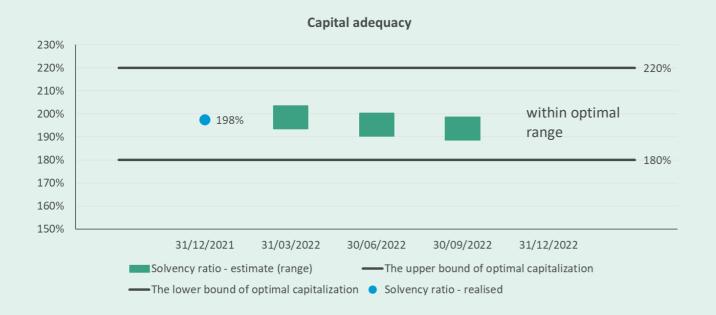
## **Dividend**

**Dividend policy:** 10% average increase in dividend per year; distribution between 35% and 45% of the net profit of the Sava Insurance Group





## Solid capital position



The Group's estimated capital adequacy as at 30 September 2022 indicates that the Group's solvency remains high (between 189% and 199%) and well above the regulatory requirement. The solvency ratio is within the optimal capitalisation range based on criteria set by the Group's risk strategy.

Detailed data on capital adequacy of the Sava Insurance Group for 2022 will be posted in the solvency and financial condition report for 2022 (Group SFCR), which will be posted on **12 May 2023** on Sava Re's website and and published through the Ljubljana Stock Exchange.





# STRATEGY OF THE SAVA INSURANCE GROUP FOR 2023–2027





#### Key strategic priorities for 2023–2027

#### Focusing on the customer



Modernising information technology



Streamlining business processes



Building teams of satisfied and motivated employees



**Building sustainability** 



Growing through acquisitions





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#### Targets for 2023–2027

#### **Growth in** operating revenue\*

average annual

> 4%

Solvency ratio

optimal capitalisation

170-210%

**Operating** revenue\*

in 2027

> €900m

**Combined** ratio

non-life insurance + reinsurance

< 95%

Return on equity

9.5-10.5%

Return on investment portfolio

rising to

2.2%

by 2027



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<sup>\*</sup> Gross premiums written for (re)insurance companies and operating revenue for non-insurance companies.

#### Dividend policy

Sava Re aims to distribute between 35% and 45% of the net profit of the Sava Insurance Group each year over the period 2023–2027.

The key goal of the dividend policy is stable annual dividend growth, with due consideration of:

- the estimated surplus of eligible own funds over the solvency capital requirement under Solvency II
- the Group's own risk and solvency assessment
- the capital models of the rating agencies S&P Global Ratings and AM Best
- the approved annual and strategic plans of the Group and the Company
- new development projects requiring additional capital
- other relevant circumstances affecting the financial situation of the Company



#### Sustainable development

#### Five key initiatives are identified in our Sustainable Development Strategy up to 2027.

1

## Reducing carbon footprint

We are pursuing the European ambition of a 55% cut in GHG emissions by 2030 for Group operations (scope 1 and 2) and for our investment portfolio compared to 2022 levels.

Achieving this target also depends on the climate action taken by the countries where we are present.

2

## Responsible (re)insurance underwriting

- Compliance with guidelines on responsible underwriting of non-life insurance business
- Reducing the carbon footprint of the portfolio by excluding fossil-fuel related activities (Do No Significant Harm principle)
- Developing products and activities and increasing revenue from products aligned with the taxonomy

3

## Sustainability in the value chain and processes

- Increasing ESG investments to exceed 20% by 2027
- Digitalising operations and lowering the carbon footprint by reducing business travel, paper consumption and waste
- Supply-chain review: assessing suppliers from a social and environmental responsibility perspective

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## Improving customer satisfaction

 Net Promoter Score: establishing a uniform methodology for the Group and monitoring trends 5

# Satisfied and committed employees and strengthening sustainability culture

 Measuring satisfaction using a suitable HR methodology and promoting a sustainability culture through the Heart for the World initiative







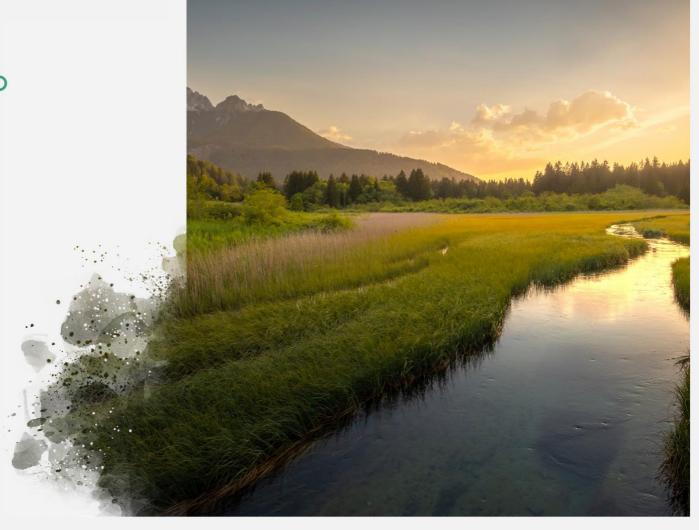






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BUSINESS PLAN
OF THE SAVA
INSURANCE GROUP
FOR 2023





#### Key targets 2023

Growth in operating revenue\*

average annual

> 4%

Operating revenue\*

in 2023

> €800m

Return on equity

> 9.5%

Net profit for the year

> €53m

Solvency ratio

optimal capitalisation

170-210%

**Combined** ratio

non-life insurance + reinsurance

< 95%

Return on investment portfolio

> 1.5%



<sup>\*</sup> Gross premiums written for (re)insurance companies and operating revenue for non-insurance companies.

# **IFRS17 & IFRS9**

More information on:

https://www.sava-re.si/en-si/investor-relations/calendar-events-presentations/

## **Key messages**

No impact on strategy or business model

Cash flows and capitalisation remain strong

Earnings expected to remain mostly unaffected

Dividend capacity to remain unchanged

Better reflection of value and earnings of life business

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## **IFRS 17: Effects on Sava Insurance Group segments**

Non-life

#### **Limited changes:**

- Revenue and earnings mostly similar to current practice
- Combined ratio net/net calculation to remain unchanged, adjusted for IFRS 17 specifics, including non-attributable expenses and other net revenue

Life

#### Most of the changes:

- Revenue and claims to decrease as investment component is excluded
- No major changes in earnings, primarily based on release of CSM and RA
- CSM and new business value key profitability indicators

Reinsurance

#### **Limited changes:**

- Combined ratio with the same characteristics as in non-life
- Revenue and expenses to decrease for commission to cedants

**Pensions** 

#### Mostly unaffected by IFRS 17

• Annuities changed similar to life; portfolio not significant

**Asset management** 

**Unaffected by IFRS 17** 

**Assistance and health** 

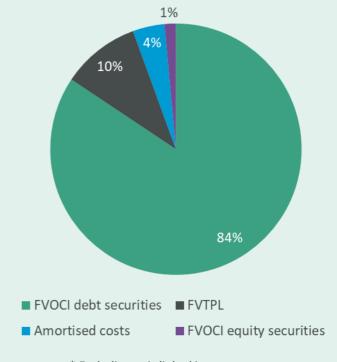
**Unaffected by IFRS 17** 



## IFRS 9: No material impact on investment portfolio

- Most debt securities pass SPPI test
- Changes in fair value for most debt securities continue to be recorded through OCI
- Higher share of FVTPL investments potentially increases volatility of earnings
- Expected Credit Loss (ECL) allowance not material, as the portfolio is predominantly investment grade

#### Structure of financial investments under IFRS 9\*



<sup>\*</sup> Excluding unit-linked investments.



# Financial and events calendar

## **Upcoming financial releases and events**

23 March 2023	Release of the Audited Annual Report of the Sava Insurance Group and Sava Re d.d.
	for 2022;

6 April 2023 Release of the Solvency and Financial Condition Report of Sava Re d.d. for 2022

**7 April 2023** Publication of the notice of the 39th general meeting of shareholders of Sava Re d.d.

12 May 2023 Release of the Solvency and Financial Condition Report of the Sava Insurance Group

for 2022

**31 May 2023** Release of the Quarterly Statement for the Three Months to 31 March 2023

5 June 2023 39th general meeting of shareholders of Sava Re d.d. and announcement of

resolutions

#### **Events for investors**

1 – 2 June 2023 Investor Days of Ljubljana and Zagreb Stock Exchanges (location: Zagreb)

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