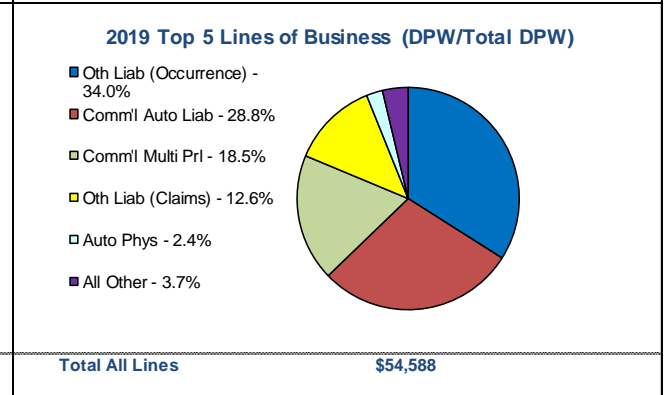
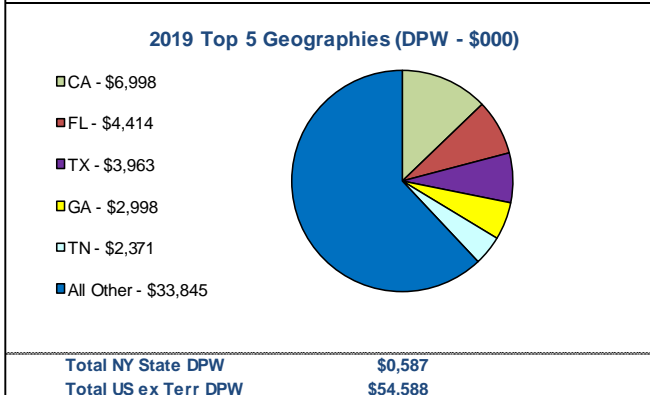
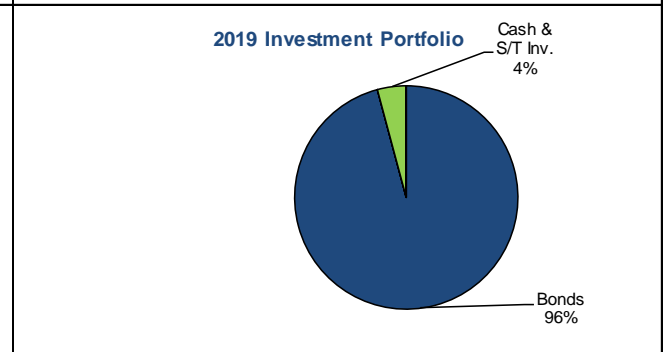
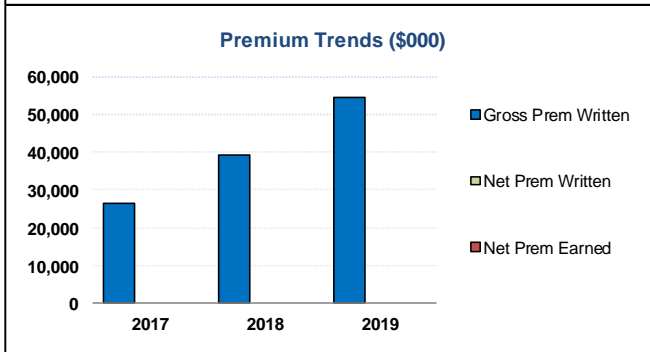
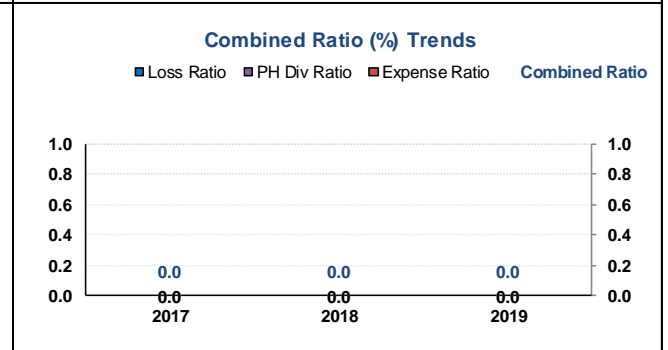
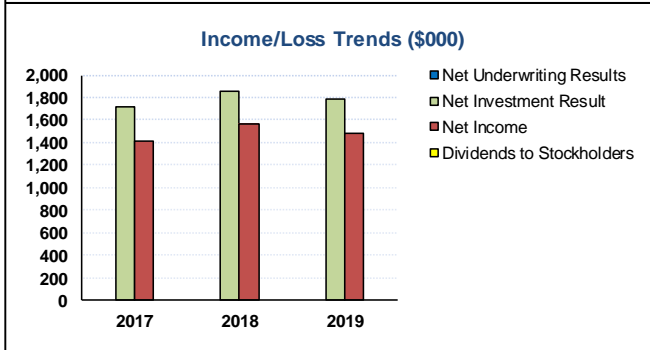




**BERKLEY SPECIALTY INSURANCE COMPANY, NAIC#31295
W.R. BERKLEY CORPORATION**

Dollars in 000

	2017	2018	2019		2017	2018	2019
Total Assets	63,135	69,447	78,031	RBC Ratio (%)	25,967.2	25,409.2	24,893.0
Total Liabilities	5,883	10,747	17,591	2yr Res Development	0	0	0
Policyholder Surplus	57,252	58,700	60,440	2yr Dev / Surplus	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Cash & Invested Assets	55,516	57,027	58,654	Affiliated Common Stock	0	0	0
Cash & Invested Assets/ Total Assets	87.9%	82.1%	75.2%	Affiliated CS / Surplus	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Net Cash from Operations	1,221	754	635	Net Reins Recoverable	35,806	43,251	70,271
Loss & LAE Reserves	0	0	0	Net Reins Rec / Surplus	62.5%	73.7%	116.3%
Loss & LAE Reserves/Surplus	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	AMB / S&P Ratings	A+ / A+	A+ / A+	A+ / A+



**Top 5 Reinsurers for Berkley Specialty Insurance Co by Gross Recoverables
Period: 2019Y**

Dollars in 000

Reinsurer	Reinsurance Class	Reins Authorized Status	Gross Recov	Over 120 Days Overdue
1 - Berkley Insurance Company	US Affiliated Pooling	Authorized	84,531	0
2 - -	-	-	-	-
3 - -	-	-	-	-
4 - -	-	-	-	-
5 - -	-	-	-	-

#DIV/0 error messages occur in instances where the denominator of the ratio are zero (i.e. zero premium or reserves due to a 100% quota share).

HISTORY

Berkley Regional Specialty Insurance Company (Berkley Regional) was incorporated in the State of Maine in April 1992 as Acadia Compensation Insurance Company. From December 1996 through April 2005, the company operated as Chesapeake Bay Property and Casualty Insurance Company. The company was acquired by W.R. Berkley Corporation (Berkley) in 2005 and subsequently adopted its current name. The company re-domesticated to Delaware in November 2007. The company has been eligible to write surplus lines business in New York since January 20, 2010. As of December 31, 2019, Berkley Regional was licensed in Delaware and operated on a non-admitted basis in forty-nine (49) states and the District of Columbia.

REINSURANCE

Berkley Regional is a participant in an intercompany pooling agreement with twenty (20) affiliates, with Berkley Insurance Company (BIC) pool lead, retaining 100%. The company cedes 100% of its premiums to BIC but does not receive a share of the pool's combined results. As a result of the pooling agreement, no values are reported for net premiums written or earned, underwriting income, and the various combined ratio trends. As such, the financial strength of the company is heavily dependent upon the credit risk of Berkley, as well as investment risk of its own investment portfolio, managed in common by Berkley. For the years 2017 through 2019, respectively, Berkley Regional net reinsurance recoverable was \$36m, \$43m and \$70m, and represented 63%, 74% and 116% of company surplus.

HOLDING COMPANY

Founded 1967, with headquarters in Greenwich, CT, by William R. Berkley, the W. R. Berkley Corporation is an insurance holding company that is among the largest commercial lines writers in the United States and operates worldwide in two segments of the property casualty business: Insurance and Reinsurance & Mono-line Excess. AM Best collectively rates thirty two (32) insurance subsidiaries of the W.R. Berkley Group, including Berkley Regional Specialty Insurance Company. For the years 2017 through 2019, respectively, the group was rated by AM Best and S&P as 'A+/A+'.

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

In March 2020, the Covid-19 influenza was recognized as a global pandemic, severely disrupting economic activity. As of April, 2020, the results of this event upon year-ending 2020 insurance operations and those of its parent group are not known. For those companies exposed, however, the potential for reduced premiums, return of premiums, and an increase in collections and operation expense may reduce cash flows. Losses and loss adjustment expenses may increase when losses become known and investments in affiliates and equity investments may suffer a decline in values. Also, the effect of future legislation, regulation and litigation could cause an adverse financial impact on those companies exposed.

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ULTIMATE PARENT – W.R. Berkley Corporation

Corporate Profile		Financial Strength Ratings	
Address:	W. R. Berkley Corporation 475 Steamboat Road Greenwich, CT, 06830	S&P Global:	-
Website:	https://www.berkley.com/	Moody's:	-
President :	William Robert Berkley Jr.	Fitch:	-
Ticker Symbol:	NYSE: WRB	AM Best - P&C:	-
2019 Form 10-K:	https://www.sec.gov/ix?doc=/Archives/edgar/data/11544/000001154420000016/wrb1231201910-k.htm		

Highlights (\$000)	2016	2017	2018	2019
Total Assets	23,364,844	24,299,917	24,895,977	26,643,428
Total Policy Reserves	14,480,495	14,960,588	15,326,439	16,239,756
Total Debt	2,488,225	2,497,270	2,789,519	2,856,617
Total Other Liabilities	1,101,862	1,057,672	1,043,304	1,050,693
Sep Account Liabilities	0	0	0	0
Total Liabilities	18,283,710	18,848,754	19,416,179	20,525,086
Total Equity	5,081,134	5,451,163	5,479,798	6,118,342
Total Liab & Equity	23,364,844	24,299,917	24,895,977	26,643,428
Book Value / Share (\$)	27.76	29.69	29.72	33.12
Reserves / Investments & Cash (x)	0.83	0.81	0.83	0.83
Reserves / Liabilities (x)	0.79	0.79	0.79	0.79
Reserves / Equity (x)	2.85	2.74	2.80	2.65
Debt / Equity (x)	0.49	0.46	0.51	0.47
Dec. 31 Closing Price (\$)	44.34	47.77	49.27	69.10
Net Income (\$)	603,485	553,337	649,066	683,985
Basic EPS (\$)	3.27	2.93	3.37	3.58
Investment Yield (%)	4.89	5.04	4.46	3.99
Ratios (%)				
Loss Ratio	61.10	63.40	62.40	62.30
Expense Ratio	33.20	33.30	32.90	31.50
PH Dividend Ratio	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Combined Ratio	94.30	96.70	95.30	93.80

Company Description and Notes

Industries: Insurance, Reinsurance, Insurance Services, Claims Management and Associated Investment Management

Geography: North and South America, Caribbean, Britain, European Union, Asia

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