# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

## CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 24, 2021

# Palomar Holdings, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

## Commission File Number: 001-38873

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

83-3972551

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

#### 7979 Ivanhoe Avenue, Suite 500 La Jolla, California 92037

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)

(619) 567-5290

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share	PLMR	Nasdaq Global Select Market

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR 230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.12b-2). Emerging Growth Company  $\Box$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Selection 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On February 24, 2021, Palomar Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") issued a press release announcing its financial results for the fiscal quarter and year ended December 31, 2020. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information contained under this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liability of that section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or under the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in any such filing, unless the Company expressly sets forth in such filing that such information is to be considered "filed" or incorporated by reference therein.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No.Description99.1Press release, dated February 24, 2021

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

# PALOMAR HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: February 24, 2021

/s/ T. Christopher Uchida T. Christopher Uchida Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)



LA JOLLA, Calif., Feb. 24, 2021 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) — Palomar Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ:PLMR) ("Palomar" or "Company") reported a net loss of \$1.8 million, or \$0.07 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter of 2020 compared to net income of \$10.9 million, or \$0.45 per diluted share, for the fourth quarter of 2019.

## Fourth Quarter 2020 Highlights

- Gross written premiums increased by 31.0% to \$96.1 million compared to \$73.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Net loss of \$1.8 million, or \$0.07 per diluted share, compared to net income of \$10.9 million, or \$0.45 per diluted share, in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Total loss ratio of 44.2% compared to 7.1% in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Catastrophe loss ratio<sup>(1)</sup> of 37.2% compared to zero in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Combined ratio of 112.8% compared to 63.1% in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses<sup>(1)</sup> of 73.8%, compared to 60.7% in the fourth quarter of 2019
- Annualized return on equity of (2.0)%, compared to 20.4% in the fourth quarter of 2019

# Full Year 2020 Highlights

- Gross written premiums increased by 40.6% to \$354.4 million compared to \$252.0 million in 2019
- Net income of \$6.3 million, compared to \$10.6 million in 2019
- Adjusted net income<sup>(1)</sup> of \$8.9 million, compared to \$37.9 million in 2019
- Total loss ratio of 41.3%, compared to 5.6% in 2019
- Catastrophe loss ratio<sup>(1)</sup> of 32.9% compared to zero in 2019
- Combined ratio of 102.5%, compared to 91.3% in 2019
- Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses<sup>(1)</sup> of 67.5%, compared to 63.3% in 2019
- Return on equity of 2.1%, compared to 6.7% in 2019
- Adjusted return on equity<sup>(1)</sup> of 3.0%, compared to 24.1% in 2019
- (1) See discussion of "Non-GAAP and Key Performance Indicators" below.

"I am inspired by the efforts of our team to grow and evolve our business during the past year," commented Mac Armstrong, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. "We launched new products and a new insurance carrier, entered into new geographies, made key additions to our team, and continued our pursuit of the Company's strategic vision all while navigating circumstances that few of us could have anticipated. Our newly launched E&S carrier, Palomar Excess and Surplus Insurance Company, or PESIC, represents an exciting progression in our evolution. PESIC enables us to extend the breadth and reach of our product suite and was a key contributor to the 95% year on year growth in our commercial lines gross written premiums for the full year. Overall, we grew gross written premiums by 31.0% in the fourth quarter and 40.6% for the full year while maintaining profitability in the face of an historic wind season."

Mr. Armstrong shared, "We are committed to applying data and lessons learned to the continuous improvement of our business. During this past year we modified our approach to and participation in specific wind-exposed markets upon review of potential risk-adjusted returns, catastrophe payback and prevailing market conditions. We also made additional refinements to our risk transfer strategy. The combination of these efforts will not only reduce volatility but also further enhance visibility into our financial results. Finally, we continued investing in our technology and our team as we position Palomar for near and long-term success."

Mr. Armstrong further offered, "Separately, I would like to address the severe weather activity throughout the country this past week, specifically Winter Storm Uri in Texas where Palomar has a considerable market presence. I want to tell our policyholders in Texas that our thoughts are with them, we stand ready to support them and we are here to help them rebound. Palomar has substantial resources in place to support both residential and commercial policyholders in Texas, including comprehensive reinsurance coverage

on both an excess of loss and quota share basis. Both our commercial and residential quota shares will apply to this event from the first dollar of loss, and as such we do not expect to incur material losses from the storm."

### **Underwriting Results**

Gross written premiums increased 31.0% to \$96.1 million compared to \$73.3 million in the fourth quarter of 2019, while net earned premiums increased 25.6% compared to the prior year's fourth quarter. Losses and loss adjustment expenses for the fourth quarter were \$17.2 million including \$14.5 million of catastrophe losses and \$2.7 million of non-catastrophe attritional losses. The loss ratio for the quarter was 44.2%, comprised of a catastrophe loss ratio of 37.2%<sup>(1)</sup> and an attritional loss ratio of 7.0%, compared to a loss ratio of 7.1% during the same period last year comprised entirely of attritional losses. The fourth quarter losses include \$0.1 million of favorable prior year development. In addition to catastrophe losses, the Company's fourth quarter 2020 results were impacted by a reinsurance expense acceleration charge of \$4.1 million and reinstatement premium of \$0.8 million on backup reinsurance purchased. Underwriting loss<sup>(1)</sup> was \$5.0 million resulting in a combined ratio of 112.8% compared to underwriting income of \$11.4 million and a combined ratio of 63.1% during the same period last year. The fourth quarter of 2020 results include certain expenses related to stock-based compensation and catastrophe losses. The fourth quarter of 2019 results include certain expenses related to the Company's stock offering and stock-based compensation. Without these items, the Company's adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses<sup>(1)</sup> was 73.8% in the fourth quarter compared to 60.7% during the same period last year. This increase was significantly due to the reinsurance acceleration charge and reinstatement premium incurred in the fourth quarter of 2020.

### **Investment Results**

Net investment income increased by 29.0% to \$2.3 million compared to \$1.8 million in the prior year's fourth quarter. The year over year increase was primarily due to a higher average balance of investments held during the three months ended December 31, 2020 due to cash generated from operations as well as proceeds from the Company's January and June 2020 stock offerings, offset by lower yields on invested assets. Funds are generally invested conservatively in high quality securities, including government agency, asset and mortgagebacked securities, municipal and corporate bonds with an average credit quality of "A2/A". The weighted average duration of the fixedmaturity investment portfolio, including cash equivalents, was 3.96 years at December 31, 2020. Cash and invested assets totaled \$456.1 million at December 31, 2020. During the fourth quarter, the Company recognized realized and unrealized gains of \$245 thousand related to its investment portfolio as compared to a \$1.2 million gain in last year's fourth quarter.

### Tax Rate

The effective tax rate for the three months ended December 31, 2020 was 23.1% compared to 24.6% for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the current quarter, the Company's income tax rate differed from the statutory rate due to the tax impact of the permanent component of employee stock option exercises. The 2019 fourth quarter tax rate includes an adjustment from prior periods of \$0.4 million, or approximately 3 points of the effective tax rate for the fourth quarter.

### **Stockholders' Equity and Returns**

Stockholders' equity was \$363.7 million at December 31, 2020, compared to \$218.6 million at December 31, 2019. For the three months ended December 31, 2020, the Company's annualized return on equity was (2.0%) compared to 20.4% for the same period last year.

### Full Year 2021 Outlook

For the full year 2021, the Company expects to achieve adjusted net income of \$62 million to \$67 million. This adjusted net income guidance considers the impact of Winter Storm Uri in Texas.

### **Conference Call**

As previously announced, Palomar will host a conference call February 25, 2021, to discuss its fourth quarter and full year 2020 results at 12:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). The conference call can be accessed by dialing 1-877-423-9813 (domestic) or 1-201-689-8573 (international) and asking for the Palomar Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2020 Earnings Call. A telephonic replay will be available approximately two hours after the call and can be accessed by dialing 1-844-512-2921, or for international callers 1-412-317-6671 and providing the access code 13716031. The telephonic replay will be available until 11:59 pm (Eastern Time) on March 4, 2021.

Interested investors and other parties may also listen to a simultaneous webcast of the conference call by logging onto the investor relations section of the Company's website at http://ir.palomarspecialty.com/. The online replay will remain available for a limited time beginning immediately following the call.

### About Palomar Holdings, Inc.

Palomar Holdings, Inc. is the holding company of subsidiaries Palomar Specialty Insurance Company, Palomar Specialty Reinsurance Company Bermuda Ltd., Palomar Insurance Agency, Inc. and Palomar Excess and Surplus Insurance Company. Palomar is an innovative insurer that focuses on the provision of specialty insurance for residential and commercial clients. Palomar's underwriting and analytical expertise allow it to concentrate on certain markets that it believes are underserved by other insurance companies, such as the markets for earthquake, hurricane and flood insurance. Palomar's principal insurance subsidiary, Palomar Specialty Insurance Company, is an admitted carrier in 32 states and has an A.M. Best financial strength rating of "A-" (Excellent).

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#### Non-GAAP and Key Performance Indicators

Palomar discusses certain key performance indicators, described below, which provide useful information about the Company's business and the operational factors underlying the Company's financial performance.

*Underwriting revenue* is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as total revenue, excluding net investment income and net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of total revenue calculated in accordance with GAAP to underwriting revenue.

*Underwriting income (loss)* is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as income before income taxes excluding net investment income, net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments and interest expense. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of income before income taxes calculated in accordance with GAAP to underwriting income (loss).

Adjusted net income (loss) is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as net income excluding the impact of certain items that may not be indicative of underlying business trends, operating results, or future outlook, net of tax impact. Palomar calculates the tax impact only on adjustments which would be included in calculating the Company's income tax expense using the estimated tax rate at which the company received a deduction for these adjustments. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of net income (loss) calculated in accordance with GAAP to adjusted net income (loss).

*Return on equity* is net income expressed on an annualized basis as a percentage of average beginning and ending stockholders' equity during the period.

Adjusted return on equity is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as adjusted net income expressed on an annualized basis as a percentage of average beginning and ending stockholders' equity during the period. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of return on equity calculated using unadjusted GAAP numbers to adjusted return on equity.

Loss ratio, expressed as a percentage, is the ratio of losses and loss adjustment expenses, to net earned premiums.

*Expense ratio*, expressed as a percentage, is the ratio of acquisition and other underwriting expenses, net of commission and other income to net earned premiums.

*Combined ratio* is defined as the sum of the loss ratio and the expense ratio. A combined ratio under 100% generally indicates an underwriting profit. A combined ratio over 100% generally indicates an underwriting loss.

Adjusted combined ratio is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as the sum of the loss ratio and the expense ratio calculated excluding the impact of certain items that may not be indicative of underlying business trends, operating results, or future outlook. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of combined ratio calculated using unadjusted GAAP numbers to adjusted combined ratio.

Diluted adjusted earnings per share is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as adjusted net income (loss) divided by the weighted-average common shares outstanding for the period, reflecting the dilution which could occur if equity-based awards are converted into common share equivalents as calculated using the treasury stock method. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of diluted earnings per share calculated in accordance with GAAP to diluted adjusted earnings per share.

*Catastrophe loss ratio* is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as the ratio of catastrophe losses to net earned premiums. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of loss ratio calculated using unadjusted GAAP numbers to catastrophe loss ratio.

Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as adjusted combined ratio excluding the impact of catastrophe losses. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of combined ratio calculated using unadjusted GAAP numbers to adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses.

*Tangible stockholders' equity* is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as stockholders' equity less intangible assets. See "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of stockholders' equity calculated in accordance with GAAP to tangible stockholders' equity.

### Safe Harbor Statement

Palomar cautions you that statements contained in this press release may regard matters that are not historical facts but are forward-looking statements. These statements are based on the company's current beliefs and expectations. The inclusion of forward-looking statements should not be regarded as a representation by Palomar that any of its plans will be achieved. Actual results may differ from those set forth in this press release due to the risks and uncertainties inherent in the Company's business. The forward-looking statements

are typically, but not always, identified through use of the words "believe," "expect," "enable," "may," "will," "could," "intends," "estimate," "anticipate," "plan," "predict," "probable," "potential," "possible," "should," "continue," and other words of similar meaning. Actual results could differ materially from the expectations contained in forward-looking statements as a result of several factors, including unexpected expenditures and costs, unexpected results or delays in development and regulatory review, regulatory approval requirements, the frequency and severity of adverse events and competitive conditions. These and other factors that may result in differences are discussed in greater detail in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date hereof, and the Company undertakes no obligation to update such statements to reflect events that occur or circumstances that exist after the date hereof. All forward-looking statements are qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement, which is made under the safe harbor provisions of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

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# Summary of Operating Results

The following table summarizes the Company's results for the three months ended December 31, 2020 and 2019:

	Three months ended December 31,					Percent
		2020		2019	Change	Change
Gross written premiums	\$	(\$ in 96,092		isands, excep 73,342	ot per share data) \$ 22,750	31.0 %
Ceded written premiums		53,839)		(29,535)	\$ 22,730 (24,304)	82.3 %
Net written premiums	<u> </u>	42,253		43,807	/	(3.5)%
Net written premiums		42,255 38,922		43,807 30,988	(1,554) 7,934	25.6 %
Commission and other income		803		50,988 654	149	23.0 %
Total underwriting revenue (1)		39,725		31,642	8.083	25.5 %
Losses and loss adjustment expenses		17,214		2,195	15,019	684.2 %
Acquisition expenses		17,214		11,070	7,061	63.8 %
Other underwriting expenses		9,356		6,943	2,413	34.8 %
Underwriting income (loss) (1)		(4,976)	_	11,434	(16,410)	(143.5)%
Net investment income		2,325		1,803	(10,410)	29.0 %
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments		2,325		1,003	(933)	(79.2)%
Income (loss) before income taxes		(2,406)		14,415	(16,821)	(116.7)%
Income tax expense (benefit)		(2,400)		3,535	(10,821) (4,092)	(110.7)% NM
• • •	\$	<u> </u>	¢	10,880		
	<u>э</u>	(1,849)	Э	10,000	\$ (12,729)	(117.0)%
Adjustments:				0.05		272.6
Expenses associated with secondary offerings				307	(307)	NM
Stock-based compensation expense		710		426	284	66.7
Tax impact	*	(130)	-	(155)	25	NM
	\$	(1,269)	\$	11,458	\$ (12,727)	(111.1)%
Key Financial and Operating Metrics						
Annualized return on equity		(2.0)%		20.4 %		
Annualized adjusted return on equity (1)		(1.4)%		21.5 %		
Loss ratio		44.2 %		7.1 %		
Expense ratio		68.6 %		56.0 %		
Combined ratio		112.8 %		63.1 %		
Adjusted combined ratio (1)		111.0 %		60.7 %		
	\$	(0.07)	\$	0.45		
	\$	(0.05)	\$	0.48		
	\$	14,474	\$	—		
Catastrophe loss ratio (1)		37.2 %		— %		
Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses (1)		73.8 %		60.7 %		
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(1) Indicates non-GAAP financial measure; see "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP.

The following table summarizes the Company's results for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019:

	Year ended December 31,					Percent
		2020		2019	Change	Change
		(\$ in			per share data)	
Gross written premiums		354,360		251,961	\$ 102,399	40.6 %
Ceded written premiums	(	(155,102)	(	108,332)	(46,770)	43.2 %
Net written premiums		199,258		143,629	55,629	38.7 %
Net earned premiums		155,068		100,207	54,861	54.7 %
Commission and other income		3,295		2,671	624	23.4 %
Total underwriting revenue (1)		158,363		102,878	55,485	53.9 %
Losses and loss adjustment expenses		64,115		5,593	58,522	1,046.3 %
Acquisition expenses		64,041		37,259	26,782	71.9 %
Other underwriting expenses		34,084		51,299	(17,215)	(33.6)%
Underwriting income (loss) (1)		(3,877)		8,727	(12,604)	(144.4)%
Interest expense		—		(1,068)	1,068	(100.0)%
Net investment income		8,612		5,975	2,637	44.1 %
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments		1,488		4,443	(2,955)	(66.5)%
Income before income taxes	-	6,223		18,077	(11,854)	(65.6)%
Income tax expense (benefit)		(34)		7,456	(7,490)	NM
Net income	\$	6,257	\$	10,621	\$ (4,364)	(41.1)%
Adjustments:						
Expenses associated with IPO, tax restructuring, secondary offerings, and one						
time incentive cash bonuses		708		3,007	(2,299)	NM
Stock-based compensation expense		2,167		24,103	(21,936)	NM
Expenses associated with retirement of debt				1,297	(1,297)	NM
Expenses associated with catastrophe bond		399		—	399	NM
Tax impact		(664)		(1, 149)	485	NM
Adjusted net income (1)	\$	8,867	\$	37,879	\$ (29,012)	(76.6)%
Key Financial and Operating Metrics						
Return on equity		2.1 %	)	6.7 %		
Adjusted return on equity (1)		3.0 %	)	24.1 %		
Loss ratio		41.3 %		5.6 %		
Expense ratio		61.2 %	)	85.7 %		
Combined ratio		102.5 %	)	91.3 %		
Adjusted combined ratio (1)		100.4 %	)	63.3 %		
Diluted earnings per share	\$	0.24	\$	0.49		
Diluted adjusted earnings per share (1)	\$	0.35	\$	1.73		
Catastrophe losses	\$	50,986	\$			
Catastrophe loss ratio (1)		32.9 %		— %		
Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses (1)		67.5 %	)	63.3 %		
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(1) Indicates non-GAAP financial measure; see "Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures" for a reconciliation of the non-GAAP financial measures to their most directly comparable financial measures prepared in accordance with GAAP.

# Palomar Holdings, Inc. and Subsidiaries

# **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (unaudited)**

# (in thousands, except shares and par value data)

	De	cember 31, 2020	De	cember 31, 2019
Assets				
Investments:				
Fixed maturity securities available for sale, at fair value (amortized cost: \$381,279 in 2020; \$211,278 in				
2019)	\$	397,987	\$	217,151
Equity securities, at fair value (cost: \$22,291 in 2020; \$21,336 in 2019)		24,322		22,328
Total investments		422,309		239,479
Cash and cash equivalents		33,538		33,119
Restricted cash		248		230
Accrued investment income		2,545		1,386
Premium receivable		48,842		36,237
Deferred policy acquisition costs		35,481		25,201
Reinsurance recoverable on unpaid losses and loss adjustment expenses		94,566		12,952
Reinsurance recoverable on paid losses and loss adjustment expenses		10,162		4,303
Ceded unearned premiums		35,031		26,105
Prepaid expenses and other assets		34,119		14,861
Property and equipment, net		739		845
Intangible assets		11,512		744
Total assets	\$	729,092	\$	395,462
Liabilities and stockholders' equity				
Liabilities:				
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	\$	20,730	\$	13,555
Reserve for losses and loss adjustment expenses		129,036		16,821
Unearned premiums		183,489		130,373
Ceded premium payable		22,233		11,383
Funds held under reinsurance treaty		4,515		1,658
Income and excise taxes payable				1,117
Deferred tax liabilities, net		5,376		1,999
Total liabilities		365,379		176,906
Stockholders' equity:				
Preferred stock, \$0.0001 par value, 5,000,000 shares authorized as of December 31, 2020 and				
December 31, 2019, 0 shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019				—
Common stock, \$0.0001 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 25,525,796 and 23,468,750 shares				
issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, respectively		3		2
Additional paid-in capital		310,507		180,012
Accumulated other comprehensive income		13,246		4,686
Retained earnings		39,957		33,856
Total stockholders' equity	_	363,713		218,556
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	729,092	\$	395,462
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# Palomar Holdings, Inc. and Subsidiaries

# Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (Loss) and Comprehensive Income (Loss) (Unaudited)

# (in thousands, except shares and per share data)

	Three Months Ended December 31,				Year Decem			
	_	2020		2019		2020		2019
Revenues:								
Gross written premiums	\$	96,092	\$	73,342	\$	354,360	\$	251,961
Ceded written premiums		(53,839)		(29,535)		(155,102)		(108,332)
Net written premiums		42,253		43,807		199,258		143,629
Change in unearned premiums		(3,331)		(12,819)		(44,190)		(43,422)
Net earned premiums		38,922		30,988		155,068		100,207
Net investment income		2,325		1,803		8,612		5,975
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments		245		1,178		1,488		4,443
Commission and other income		803		654		3,295		2,671
Total revenues	_	42,295	_	34,623		168,463		113,296
Expenses:								
Losses and loss adjustment expenses		17,214		2,195		64,115		5,593
Acquisition expenses		18,131		11,070		64,041		37,259
Other underwriting expenses (includes stock-based compensation of \$710 and \$426 for the three months ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively and \$2,167 and \$24,103 for the year ended December 31,								
2020 and 2019, respectively)		9,356		6,943		34,084		51,299
Interest expense								1,068
Total expenses		44,701	_	20,208		162,240	_	95,219
Income (loss) before income taxes		(2,406)		14,415		6,223		18,077
Income tax expense (benefit)		(557)		3,535		(34)		7,456
Net income (loss)		(1,849)		10,880		6,257		10,621
Other comprehensive income, net:	_	(1,010)	-	10,000	-	0,207	_	10,011
Net unrealized (losses) gains on securities available for sale for the three								
months and years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively		2,808		(1,210)		8,560		5,249
Net comprehensive income	\$	959	\$	9,670	\$	14,817	\$	15,870
Per Share Data:			-	5,676	Ψ	1,017	Ψ	10,070
Basic earnings (loss) per share	\$	(0.07)	\$	0.46	\$	0.25	\$	0.49
Diluted earnings (loss) per share	\$	(0.07)		0.45	\$	0.23	\$	0.49
Difuted carlings (1055) per share	Ψ	(0.07)	Ψ	0.45	Ψ	0.24	Ψ	0.45
Weighted-average common shares outstanding:								
Basic		25,520,111		23,468,750		24,872,251		21,501,541
Diluted		25,520,111		24,092,325		25,598,647	2	21,834,934

# Underwriting Segment Data

The Company has a single reportable segment and offers primarily earthquake, wind, and flood insurance products. Gross written premiums (GWP) by product and location are presented below:

	Three	Months Ende	d December	31,	Year Ended December 31,				
	202		201	9	2020		2019		
		(\$ in thou	sands)			(\$ in thous	sands)		
		% of	•	% of	<b>.</b> .	% of	• ·	% of	
D 1 .	Amount	GWP	Amount	GWP	Amount	GWP	Amount	GWP	
Product									
Residential Earthquake	\$ 37,432	39.0 %	\$ 35,468	48.4 %	\$ 140,934	39.8 %	\$ 130,473	51.8 %	
Commercial Earthquake	18,163	18.9 %	15,721	21.4 %	58,890	16.6 %	38,741	15.4 %	
Commercial All Risk	14,185	14.8 %	8,429	11.5 %	53,933	15.2 %	30,358	12.0 %	
Specialty Homeowners	11,388	11.9 %	7,796	10.6 %	49,849	14.1 %	32,788	13.0 %	
Inland Marine	5,676	5.9 %	1,177	1.6 %	15,423	4.3 %	2,465	1.0 %	
Hawaii Hurricane	3,528	3.7 %	2,714	3.7 %	13,824	3.9 %	10,764	4.3 %	
Flood	2,448	2.5 %	1,722	2.4 %	8,176	2.3 %	5,216	2.1 %	
Other	3,272	3.3 %	315	0.4 %	13,331	3.8 %	1,156	0.4 %	
Total Gross Written Premiums	\$ 96,092	100.0 %	\$ 73,342	100.0 %	\$ 354,360	100.0 %	\$ 251,961	100.0 %	

	Three	Months Ende	d December :	31,	Year Ended December 31,				
	202		201	9	2020		2019		
			\$ in thousands)			(\$ in thous	ands)		
	Amount	% of GWP	Amount	% of GWP	Amount	% of GWP	Amount	% of GWP	
State									
California	\$ 48,857	50.8 %	\$ 42,198	57.5 %	\$ 172,765	48.8 %	\$ 141,743	56.3 %	
Texas	12,927	13.5 %	11,409	15.6 %	67,974	19.2 %	44,087	17.5 %	
Florida	5,110	5.3 %	—	— %	5,795	1.6 %		— %	
Washington	4,326	4.5 %	3,177	4.3 %	14,328	4.0 %	9,607	3.8 %	
Hawaii	4,285	4.5 %	3,164	4.3 %	16,398	4.6 %	11,851	4.7 %	
North Carolina	4,011	4.2 %	1,240	1.7 %	11,143	3.1 %	3,894	1.5 %	
Oregon	2,740	2.9 %	2,117	2.9 %	10,038	2.8 %	7,396	2.9 %	
South Carolina	1,993	2.1 %	1,547	2.1 %	9,196	2.6 %	6,185	2.5 %	
Other	11,843	12.2 %	8,490	11.6 %	46,723	13.3 %	27,198	10.8 %	
Total Gross Written Premiums	\$ 96,092	100.0 %	\$ 73,342	100.0 %	\$ 354,360	100.0 %	\$ 251,961	100.0 %	

### Gross and net earned premiums

The table below shows the amount of premiums the Company earned on a gross and net basis and the Company's net earned premiums as a percentage of gross earned premiums for each period presented:

	Three Months Ended December 31,				Year Decem			
	2020	2019	Change	% Change	2020	2019	Change	% Change
		(\$ in tho	usands)			(\$ in thou	ısands)	
Gross earned premiums	\$ 86,191	\$ 58,967	\$ 27,224	46.2 %	\$ 301,457	\$ 200,521	\$ 100,936	50.3 %
Ceded earned premiums	(47,269)	(27,979)	(19,290)	68.9 %	(146,389)	(100,314)	(46,075)	45.9 %
Net earned premiums	\$ 38,922	\$ 30,988	\$ 7,934	25.6 %	\$ 155,068	\$ 100,207	\$ 54,861	54.7 %
Net earned premium ratio	45.2%	52.6%			51.4%	50.0%		

# Loss detail

The following table represents a reconciliation of changes in the ending reserve balances for losses and loss adjustment expenses:

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2020 2019 (in thousands)			Year ended I 2020 (in the	19		
Reserve for losses and loss adjustment expenses net of reinsurance						, i i	
recoverables at beginning of period	\$	39,540	\$	2,914	\$ 3,869	\$ 4	,165
Add: Incurred losses and loss adjustment expenses, net of reinsurance, related to:					_		_
Current year		17,312		2,114	64,179	5	,774
Prior years		(98)		81	(64)	(	(181)
Total incurred		17,214		2,195	64,115	5	,593
Deduct: Loss and loss adjustment expense payments, net of reinsurance, related to:							
Current year		22,125		1,135	31,879	2	,179
Prior years		159		105	1,635	3	,710
Total payments		22,284		1,240	33,514	5	,889
Reserve for losses and loss adjustment expense net of reinsurance recoverables at end of period		34,470		3,869	34,470	3	,869
Add: Reinsurance recoverables on unpaid losses and loss adjustment		54,470		5,005	54,470	5	,009
expenses at end of period		94,566		12,952	94,566	12	,952
Reserve for losses and loss adjustment expenses gross of reinsurance recoverables on unpaid losses and loss adjustment expenses at end of period	\$	129,036	\$	16,821	\$ 129,036	\$ 16	,821

Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

For the three months and years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Non-GAAP financial measures discussed above reconcile to their most comparable GAAP measures as follows:

# Underwriting revenue

	Three Mor Decem	nths Ended ber 31,	Year Decem	Ended ber 31,	
	2020	2019	2020	2019	
	(in tho	usands)	(in thousands)		
Total revenue	\$ 42,295	\$ 34,623	\$ 168,463	\$ 113,296	
Net investment income	(2,325)	(1,803)	(8,612)	(5,975)	
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments	(245)	(1,178)	(1,488)	(4,443)	
Underwriting revenue	\$ 39,725	\$ 31,642	\$ 158,363	\$ 102,878	

Underwriting income (loss)

		nths Ended ber 31,	Year Decem	Ended ber 31,	
	2020	2019	2020	2019	
	(in tho	usands)	(in tho	usands)	
Income (loss) before income taxes	\$ (2,406)	\$ 14,415	\$ 6,223	\$ 18,077	
Net investment income	(2,325)	(1,803)	(8,612)	(5,975)	
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments	(245)	(1,178)	(1,488)	(4,443)	
Interest expense		—	—	1,068	
Underwriting income (loss)	\$ (4,976)	\$ 11,434	\$ (3,877)	\$ 8,727	

	Three Mor Decem 2020 (in the		Decem 2020	Ended ber 31, 2019 usands)
Net income (loss)	\$ (1,849)	\$ 10,880	\$ 6,257	\$ 10,621
Adjustments:				
Expenses associated with IPO, tax restructuring, secondary offerings, and one-time				
incentive cash bonuses	—	307	708	3,007
Stock-based compensation expense	710	426	2,167	24,103
Expenses associated with retirement of debt	—	—		1,297
Expenses associated with catastrophe bond	—	—	399	—
Tax impact	(130)	(155)	(664)	(1,149)
Adjusted net income (loss)	\$ (1,269)	\$ 11,458	\$ 8,867	\$ 37,879

# Annualized adjusted return on equity

	Three Mon Deceml		Year Ended December 31,		
	2020 2019 (\$ in thousands)		2020 (\$ in tho	2019 usands)	
		· · · · · ,		· · · · · ,	
Annualized adjusted net income (loss)	\$ (5,076)	\$ 45,832	\$ 8,867	\$ 37,879	
Average stockholders' equity	\$ 362,804	\$ 213,509	\$ 291,135	\$ 157,424	
Annualized adjusted return on equity	(1.4)%	21.5 %	3.0 %	24.1 %	

# Adjusted combined ratio

2020 $2019$ $2020$ $2019$ (\$ in thousands)(\$ in thousands)Numerator: Sum of losses, loss adjustment expenses, underwriting, acquisition and other underwriting expenses, net of commission and other income\$ $43,898$ \$ $19,554$ \$ $158,945$ \$ $91,480$ Denominator: Net earned premiums\$ $38,922$ \$ $30,988$ \$ $155,068$ \$ $100,207$ Combined ratio $112.8$ $63.1$ $102.5$ $91.3$ Adjustments to numerator: $2000$ $2019$ $2000$ $2019$ Expenses associated with IPO, tax restructuring, secondary offerings, and one- time incentive cash bonuses $5$ $-$ \$ $(307)$ \$ $(708)$ \$ $(3,007)$ Stock-based compensation expense $(710)$ $(426)$ $(2,167)$ $(24,103)$ Portion of expenses associated with retirement of debt classified as other underwriting expenses $   -$		Three Mon		Year E		
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Expenses associated with IPO, tax restructuring, secondary offerings, and one- time incentive cash bonuses\$-\$	Combined ratio	112.8 %	63.1 %	102.5 %	91.3 %	
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	Expenses associated with catastrophe bond			(399)	_	
Adjusted combined ratio   111.0 %   60.7 %   100.4 %   63.3 %	Adjusted combined ratio	111.0 %	60.7 %	100.4 %	63.3 %	

# Diluted adjusted earnings per share

	Three Months Ended December 31,			_	Year Ended December 31,			
	2020 2019 ( in thousands, except shares and per share data)		( in		2019 , except shares and nare data)			
Adjusted net income (loss)	\$	(1,269)	\$	11,458	\$	8,867	\$	37,879
Weighted-average common shares outstanding, diluted	25	5,520,111	24	4,092,325	25	,598,647	21	1,834,934
Diluted adjusted earnings per share	\$	(0.05)	\$	0.48	\$	0.35	\$	1.73

	Three Mon	ths Ended	Year Ended			
	Decemb	er 31,	December 31,			
	2020 2019		2020	2019		
	(\$ in tho	ısands)	(\$ in thousands)			
Numerator: Losses and loss adjustment expenses	\$ 17,214	\$ 2,195	\$ 64,115	\$ 5,593		
Denominator: Net earned premiums	\$ 38,922	\$ 30,988	\$ 155,068	\$ 100,207		
Loss ratio	44.2 %	7.1 %	41.3 %	5.6 %		
Numerator: Catastrophe losses	\$ 14,474	\$ —	\$ 50,986	\$ —		
Denominator: Net earned premiums	\$ 38,922	\$ 30,988	\$ 155,068	\$ 100,207		
Catastrophe loss ratio	37.2 %	0.0 %	32.9 %	0.0 %		

Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses

	Three Mont Decembe		Year ended December 31,		
	2020	2019	2020	2019	
	(\$ in thou	sands)	(\$ in thou	sands)	
Numerator: Sum of losses and loss adjustment expenses, acquisition expenses,					
and other underwriting expenses, net of commission and other income	\$ 43,898	\$ 19,554	\$ 158,945	\$ 91,480	
Denominator: Net earned premiums	\$ 38,922	\$ 30,988	\$ 155,068	\$ 100,207	
Combined ratio	112.8 %	63.1 %	102.5 %	91.3 %	
Adjustments to numerator:					
Expenses associated with IPO, tax restructuring, secondary offerings, and one-					
time incentive cash bonuses	\$ —	\$ (307)	\$ (708)	\$ (3,007)	
Stock-based compensation expense	(710)	(426)	(2,167)	(24,103)	
Portion of expenses associated with retirement of debt classified as other					
underwriting expenses		—		(897)	
Expenses associated with catastrophe bond			(399)	_	
Catastrophe losses	(14,474)		(50,986)	_	
Adjusted combined ratio excluding catastrophe losses	73.8 %	60.7 %	67.5 %	63.3 %	

Tangible Stockholders' equity

	_	December 31,			
		2020	2019		
		(in thousands)			
Stockholders' equity	\$	363,713	\$	218,556	
Intangible assets		(11,512)		(744)	
Tangible stockholders' equity	\$	352,201	\$	217,812	