

FY24 Results Presentation

FY24 in Review

100% Collection performance vs Dec-23 Static Pool¹

>23% Capital deployed at attractive Net IRRs

 \sim £202_m Liquidity

- Continued operational delivery with collections in line with expectations
- Disciplined deployment of capital at increasingly attractive returns
- Balance sheet management through sustainable Balance
 Sheet Velocity programme and strategic co-invest
 partnerships
- Delivery of cost management actions with ongoing savings expected in FY25
- Ongoing commitment to sustainability with release of fourth annual report and improvement across key metrics
- Balance sheet refinancing to provide foundations to deliver sustainable growth across core markets

Alignment of People, Profit and Purchase delivered results



Reduction in operational emissions compared with 2019, surpassing our target to reduce by 65% by 2025¹



Lowell customers cleared debts in 2024², with market-leading Net Promoter Scores in each region³



Female representation in our senior team, surpassing our target to reach 40% by 2025⁴





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Note(s): ¹ Operational emissions includes Scope 1, Scope 2, and business travel emissions. ² Customers who no longer held an active account at year-end having had an active account at some point during 2024 ³ NPS was introduced in DACH in March 2024. Our scores compare favourably in each of our operating regions. DACH: 23 Nordics: 56 UK: 58. According to Bain & Company, the creators of NPS, a score over 20 is 'favourable' and anything above 50 is 'excellent'. ⁴ Female representation target set in 2021 to align to findings from the Hampton Alexander review that identified 40% representation as the minimum threshold to avoid under representation

- Strong and improving performance across key metrics; achieving 9 of the 14 timebound goals we set back in 2021 to align to global best practice
- Ecovadis ESG Silver rating places Lowell in the top 15% of 2024 companies
- Release of Lowell's Financial Vulnerability Index 2025; helping to identify trends which allow us to adapt and ensure we provide the right assistance at the right time to consumers

Lowell's UK Financial Vulnerability Index 2025

45.5 Headline UK FVI score, up 1.6pts from Q4-23

240 Constituencies with above UK average FVI scores

- A tool designed to measure and monitor financial resilience across the UK, developed in partnership with Opinium
- Available at <u>www.lowell.com/FVI</u>



Key Takeaways:

- Financial vulnerability growing, reaching `middle-class' and `affluent' households ever more
- Rising dependence on social benefits deepening financial struggles across the UK
- Economic inequality deepening due to regional and demographic disparities
- Provides valuable insight to help Lowell with its support to customers and pathway to becoming debt-free
- Current trends signal growing risk of future credit defaults across all demographics, likely to lend itself to accelerated future supply growth
- Greater need for trusted and reputationally strong CMS partners

Financial Highlights

£1.0_{bn} LTM Cash Income

100% Collection Performance

£390m LTM Reported Portfolio Acquisitions

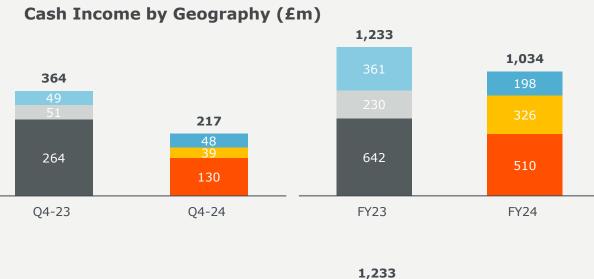
£202m Liquidity

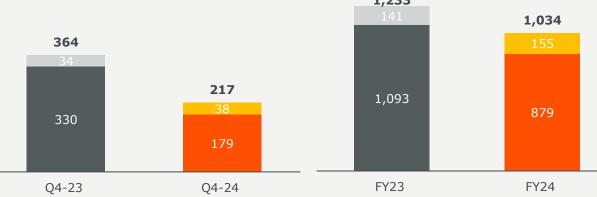
- Resilient collection performance aligning to Balance Sheet expectation
- FY24 reported portfolio acquisitions of £390m;
 - includes £60m associated with consolidated co-invest structure; and
 - acceleration of certain FY25 opportunities into FY24 which will see purchasing moderate across FY25 to compensate
- Strong position of liquidity further strengthened through upsize and extension on key ABS facility ahead of wider balance sheet refinancing

Cash Income

►£1.0bn FY24 Cash Income

- Strong top-line performance supported by resilient collection performance and increasing servicing revenues;
 - Underlying collections in line with balance sheet expectation; and
 - YoY variance reflects reduced BSV value across FY24, reduction of ~£130m and resulting impact from lower asset base
- Underlying servicing showing strong growth as guided;
 - Benefitting from both underlying increased volumes and servicing mandates from BSV initiatives and co-invest transactions
- FY24 and Q4-24 show impact from consolidation of co-invest structure, full reconciliation in Appendix





UK DACH Nordics DP 3PC

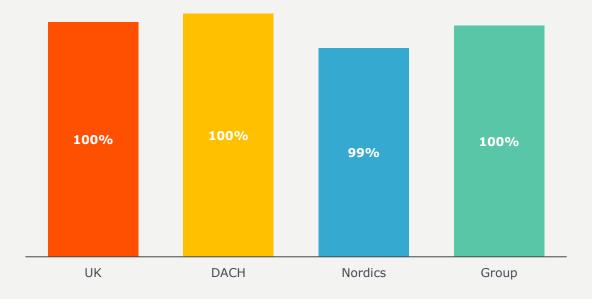
Collection Performance

100% Group Collection Performance vs Dec-23 static pool¹

>105%
Collection Performance on 2024
purchased assets vs pricing
expectation

- Group performance in FY24 in line with balance sheet expectation, evidencing strength in Group's accurate forecasting
- Resilient and consistent performance across all regions
- FY24 acquisitions acquired at increasingly attractive net IRRs, but already outperforming their priced expectation at 105%

FY24 Collection performance

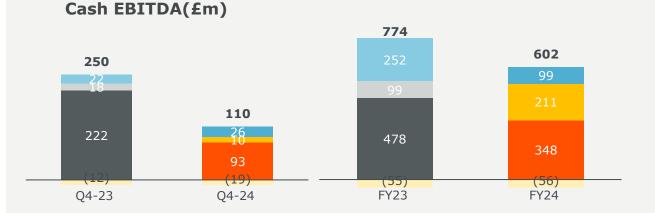


Note(s): ¹ Collection performance excludes benefit from accelerated collections from Balance Sheet Velocity programme

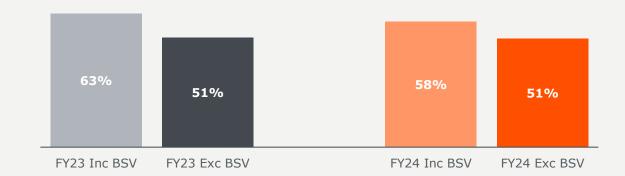
Cash EBITDA

£602m FY24 Cash EBITDA

- Cash EBITDA movements reflective of timing, quantum and location of BSV activity across last 24months;
 - FY24 included ~£130m less BSV proceeds vs FY23, and reflects impact from having lower asset base across FY24
- Underlying performance aided through strong DP collection performance, and growing servicing revenues
- Margin strength evident through cost action measures, despite increasing proportion of servicing Cash Income;
 - \sim 15% servicing contribution vs 11% in FY23



LTM Cash EBITDA Margin (%)



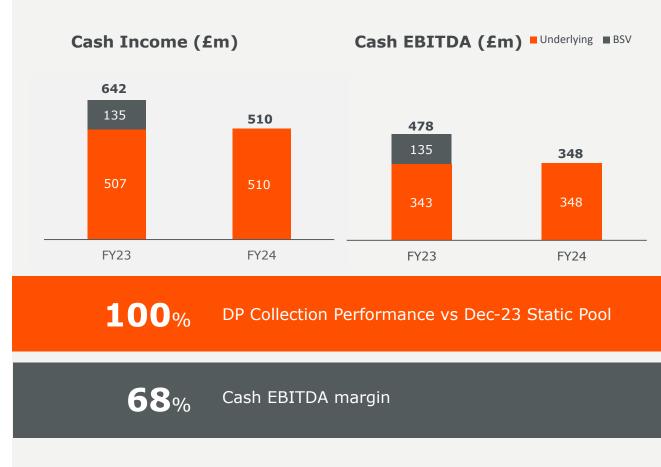
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UK DACH Nordics Group

UK

£269_m FY24 NPL Purchases¹ **£2.6**_{bn} 120m ERC

- Backbook performance in line with expectations at vs 100%
- YoY fall in Cash Income & Cash EBITDA reflects fall out of one off BSV initiative sales proceeds of £135m, with underlying grown of c. £5m in Cash Income & Cash EBITDA, respectively.
- Cost saving initiatives have contributed to strong margins after cost saving initiatives were successfully implemented, increasing underlying margins from 67% to 68%.
- Collections include £9m increase due to consolidating the co-invest structure with a 3rd party

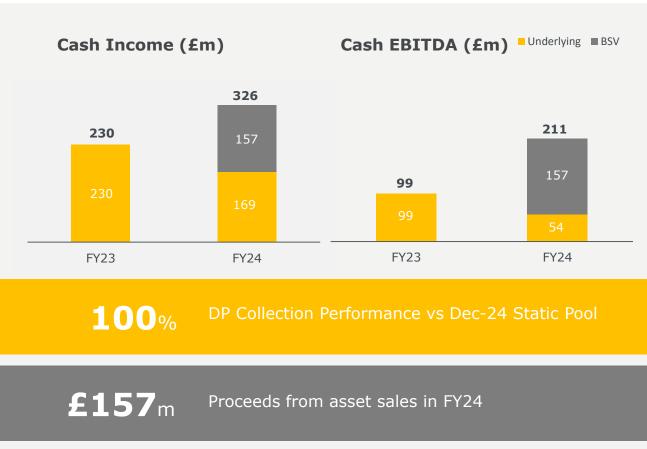


Note(s): Underlying view presented simply by backing out proceeds from BSV activity. ¹ Includes £60m associated with consolidation of co-invest structure

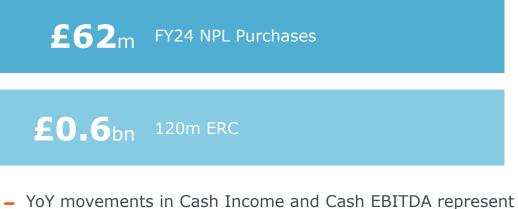
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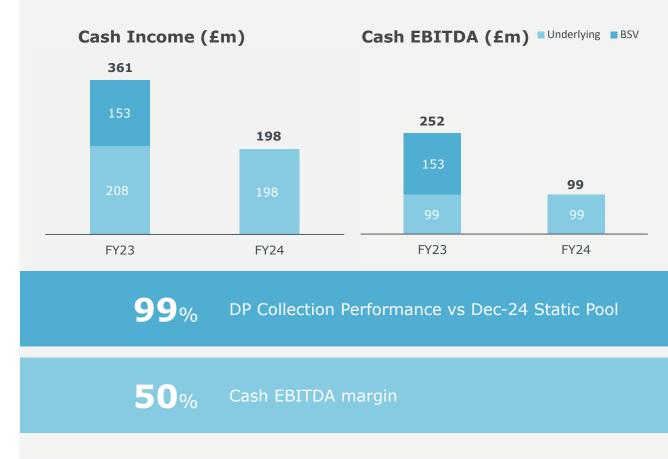
- Transitional period for the region as it pivots to a service-led model following asset sales during H1-24
- DP capital deployed reflects contractual commitments which will begin to run-off
- Ongoing market participation through use of co-invest partners, with Lowell providing servicing capabilities
- Cash Income and Cash EBITDA includes one off sale proceeds of £157m in FY24 as part of BSV programme



Nordics



- fall out of FY23 BSV initiatives sales proceeds of £153m
- Underlying performance remains very strong; aggregated margin reflects sizeable contribution from capital-light servicing revenues which have benefitted from BSV and co-invest activity
- Efficiency improvement will aid participation across increasingly attractive capital deployment opportunities





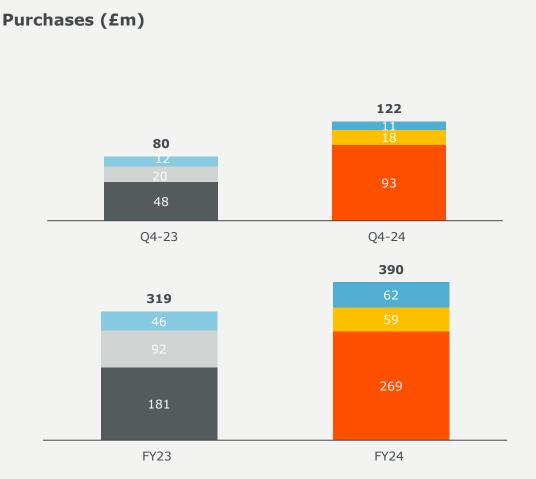
NPL Purchasing Volumes

£390_m Reported FY24 NPL acquisitions¹

23% FY24 vintage net IRR

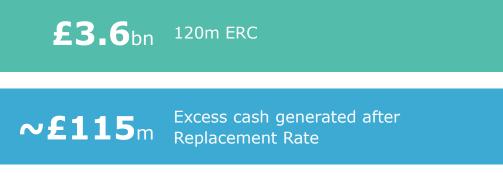
- Enhanced volume reflects consolidation of co-invest structure, with £60m reflecting partner's contribution
- Underlying FY25 economic spend modestly above guidance, reflecting acceleration of some attractive opportunities in the Nordic region
- Purchasing exceeding ERC Replacement Rate and priced at >23% Net IRR as guided
- Healthy pipeline visibility for FY25 already helping shape strong 2025 vintage with \sim £180m² committed to date

Note(s): ¹ DP Purchases are presented on a reported view consistent with the Statutory Accounts which include the consolidation of the co-invest structure. Further detail provided in Appendix. ² Excludes any 3^{rd} party spend in co-invest vehicle which would be consolidated



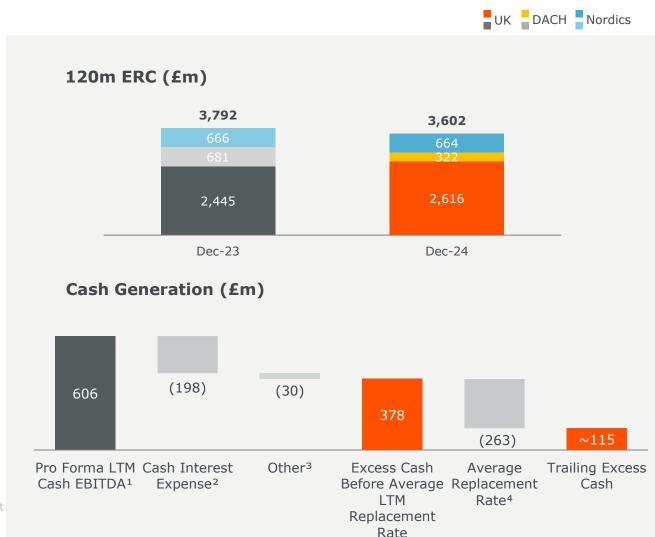
UK DACH Nordics

Balance Sheet and Cash Generation



- YoY ERC reduction reflects benefit of accelerated cashflows from the Balance Sheet Velocity programme; £157m in FY24
- A further £0.7bn of collections expected from current assets beyond next 120 months
- Free cash flow continues to benefit from ability to securitise paying assets and accelerating cashflows through the Balance Sheet Velocity programme

Note(s): ¹ Pro Forma Cash EBITDA includes £4m of cost adjustments to reflect the full run rate benefits of changes enacted. ² Cash Interest calculated as next 12 months interest on debt instruments and drawings as of 31 December 2024. ³ Other represents Cash tax expenses paid LTM Dec-24 (£24m) and Management's maintenance capex estimate (£6m). ⁴ Average Replacement Rate as calculated in Appendix, this calculation does not account for any future ERC deconsolidation associated with potential Balance Sheet Velocity initiatives



On-Balance Sheet Co-Investment with 3rd party

$£121_{m}$ Total DP spend via co-invest

£61m Lowell's capital investment (being 51%)



 Announcement of UK co-invest structure with a listed 3rd party for the joint purchase of assets in the UK

- Co-invest structure allows for:
 - Open-ended revolving transaction, which structurally supports continued acquisition of assets
 - Lowell holds legal title to portfolio assets and retains 51% of Notes resulting in on-balance sheet transaction
 - 49% of remaining Notes held by 3rd party
- Structure enables Group deployment of purchases and provides ability to tender in a wider range of deals
- The Group continues to service the accounts on profitable terms on behalf of the Noteholders, and benefits from asset overperformance
- As the Group holds 51% of the structure, it is consolidated in full across the balance sheet, P&L and KPIs. Impact disclosed in Appendix

Leverage and Liquidity

4.**0**_x Reported Net Leverage

£202m Reported Liquidity Dec-24¹

- Leverage increase reflecting timing of BSV activity, with modest increase across Q1-25 also expected as previous activity falls out of LTM view
- Liquidity remains strong ahead of facilitation of full balance sheet refinancing and is further strengthened with upsizing of ABS Facility 2 by £50m, with a maturity extension to June 2030



£450_m Reduction in Secured Debt

3yrs Maturity extended until 2028

9.5% High Yield Coupon

- Agreement reached with both High Yield and RCF providers
- Total Secured debt reduced by £450m, £200m by cash repayment¹ at refinancing date and £250m novated into a new holding company
- The Recapitalisation Transaction has support of the Noteholders and RCF Lenders
- Transaction expected to complete in Q2-25

The Year Ahead

►£300m Purchases to continue modestly ahead of ERC Replacement Rate¹

>22% Expected 2025 Vintage net IRR



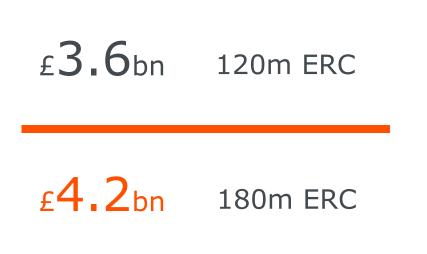
- FY25 purchases outlook represents moderation for overspend in FY24;
 - represents growth vs Replacement Rate;
 - at continued attractive returns far in excess of cost of capital; and
 - will be supplemented by co-invest initiatives
- Balance Sheet Velocity initiatives are expected to deliver increased proceeds in H1-25 following a deferral of activity previously guided for FY24 before reverting to the previously guided £100m-£150m in Q4-25
- Underlying margin will continue to benefit from overhead cost control alongside leveraging of cost base as top-line grows through sustainable capital deployment and increasing servicing revenue

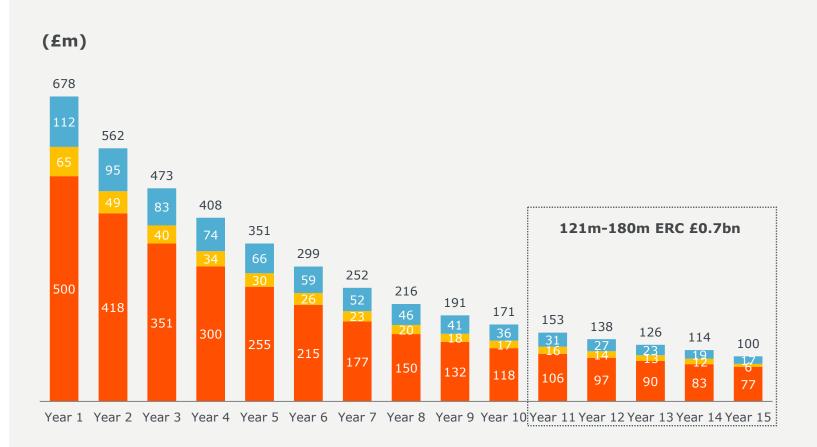


Appendix

ERC Profile

Diversified backbook formed of 20 vintages, ~4,500 portfolios and across a range of originating sectors





■ UK ■ DACH ■ Nordics

Historic Collection Performance

Cumulative collection performance to date vs static pool

Next 12 months actual collections vs static pool

100% Cumulative Collection Performance vs Dec-23 Static Pool



96% 102% 100%



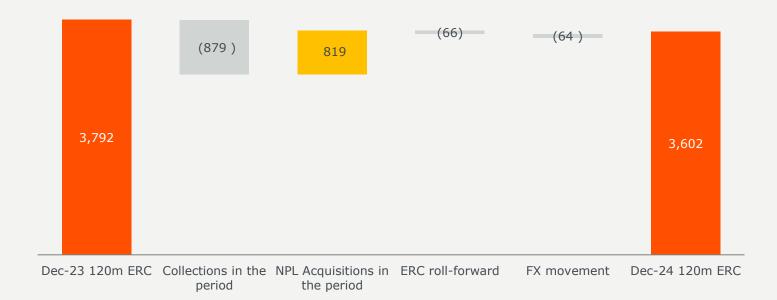
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ERC Roll-Forward; Dec-23 to Dec-24 (£m)

120m ERC Roll-Forward

NPL Acquisitions in the period: purchases in the period grossed up to 120m ERC based on respective priced 120m GMMs

- ERC roll-forward reflects:
 - Mechanical nature of revaluation (roll-in of value present in the tail);
 - Change in collections expectations leading to an uplift or reduction in estimated cashflows; and
 - Net reduction in future ERC following Balance Sheet Velocity transactions



Pro Forma Cash EBITDA Reconciliation

Cash EBITDA (£m)

	FY24	FY23
UK	348	478
DACH	211	99
Nordics	99	252
Group Costs ¹	(56)	(55)
Group Cash EBITDA	602	774
Pro Forma Cost Adjustments ²	4	22
Pro Forma Cash EBITDA	606	797

Note(s): ¹ Group cost increase reflects reclassification of costs from the regions as part of continued move to increase efficiency and transparency of true underlying regional performance. ² Pro Forma cost adjustments represent adjustments made to reflect the full run rate benefits of changes enacted. ³ Hoist UK Cash EBITDA for the months prior to completion as if it had been owned for 12 months

Balance Sheet Velocity Reconciliation

BSV (£m)

	Q1-23	Q2-23	Q4-23	FY23	Q1-24	Q2-24	FY24
Swedish portfolio sale	95	-	-	95	-	-	-
Wolf II – Off-balance sheet ABS - Nordics	-	58	-	58	-	-	-
Wolf III – Off-balance sheet ABS - UK	-	-	135	135	-	-	
DACH portfolio sale	-	-	-	-	41	116	157
Total	95	58	135	288	41	116	157

Reconciliation - On-Balance Sheet Co-Investment Consolidation

Cash KPIs (£m)	BAU Economic view (inc 51%)	Impact (49%)	Reported (100%)	Notes
DP Collections	870	9	879	Reflects collections on the 49% of DP assets in structure now consolidated on Lowell balance sheet
Servicing Income	156	(1)	155	Removal of service revenue now fully consolidated
Cash Income	1,026	8	1,034	
Cash EBITDA	594	8	602	
P&L – Income (£m)				
Income from portfolio investments	411	5	416	
Net portfolio write up & Fair value gain	43	2	45	
Servicing Income	156	(1)	155	
Other Income	5	-	5	
Total Income	615	6	621	
Other KPIs (£m)				
DP Purchases	330	60	390	
Net Debt	2,365	58	2,423	<i>Reflects a debt like item associated with the funding for the 49%</i>
ERC (120m)	3,539	63	3,602	Recognises ERC associated with the 49%

120m GMMs Per Vintage



..6x

2019

1.7x

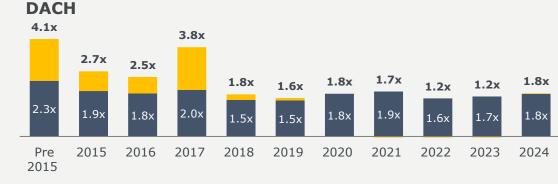
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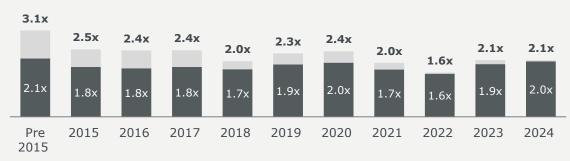
2021

1.4x

2022



Combined Group²



Disclosure Note: FY24 vintage 84m ERC of £595m and 84m priced GMM of 1.9x

1.6x

2017

1.5

2018

1.8x

2016

1.6x

2015

2.2x

Pre

2015

Note: Current GMM is calculated using actual collections to Dec-24 plus ERC across the next 120m for all regions. Priced GMM is calculated using the priced collection expectation over the initial 120m for all regions. 1 Indicative combined Group GMMs shown on a 120m basis and all translated at the FX rate from the month of portfolio purchase

1.7x

2024

L.6x

2023

Calculation of Group 120m ERC Replacement Rate

GMM Weighted Average Calculation (£m)

2023 Vintage	UK	DACH	Nordics	Total
Purchases (£m)	181	92	46	319
% of total purchases	80%	N/A	20%	100%
Actual 120m GMM	2.5x	N/A	1.8x	
Weighted Average				2.4x
2024 Vintage	UK	DACH	Nordics	Total
Purchases (£m)	269	59	62	390
% of total purchases	69%	N/A	16%	100%
Actual 120m GMM	2.2x	N/A	1.8x	
Weighted Average				2.1x
Blended GMM				2.3x

£m	Dec-24
120m ERC	3,602
Year 1 Collections	678
Roll-forward (Year 11 Collections)	153
Collections to replace	525
2023 vintage GMM	2.4x
2024 vintage GMM	2.1x
Blended GMM ¹	2.3x
Replacement Rate as calculated at Dec-24	233
Replacement Rate as calculated at Dec-23	293
Average LTM Replacement Rate ²	263

Note(s): ¹ Blended GMM represents the average 120m GMM for 2023 and 2024 vintages, across the UK, DACH and Nordics as at Dec-24. ² Average Replacement Rate is an average of the Replacement Rate as calculated at Dec-24 and the Replacement Rate as calculated at Dec-23.

Leverage and Liquidity

£202 m	Liquidity ¹	
£m		Dec-24
RCF Capacity		377
Amounts Drawn		(372)
Securitisation Availability ²		72
Cash		125
Available Liquidity		202

£m	Dec-24
Net Debt	2,423
Pro Forma LTM Cash EBITDA	606
Net Debt / Pro Forma LTM Cash EBITDA	4.0x
Senior Secured Net Debt / Pro Forma LTM Cash EBITDA	3.0x
4 .0 _x Net Leverage ³	

Note(s): ¹ Calculated as unrestricted cash on balance sheet plus amounts available to draw on RCF and UK Securitisations at Dec-24. ² Amounts available across ABS Facility 1, Facility 2 and Facility 3 as at Dec-24, reflects upsizing of ABS Facility 2 from £375m to £425m in March 2025. ³ Calculated as Net Debt to LTM Pro Forma Cash EBITDA.

Net Debt and Borrowings at 31 December 2024

Net Debt Bond Principal	£m
£440m Senior Secured Notes 7.75%	429
€795m Senior Secured Notes 6.75%	656
€630m Senior Secured Notes EURIBOR +6.25%	519
RCF Drawings and Other	
GBP Drawn RCF	228
EUR Drawn RCF	144
ABS – Facility 1	146
ABS – Facility 2	368
ABS – Facility 3	-
Consolidated co-invest debt	58
Cash	
Cash	125
Senior Secured Net Debt	1,851
Net Debt	2,423
Gross Debt	2,548

Bonds

Currency	Issue	Security	Maturity	Coupon
GBP m	440	Senior secured notes	Nov-25	7.75%
EUR m	795	Senior secured notes	Nov-25	6.75%
EUR m	630	Senior secured notes	May-26	EURIBOR +6.25%

Revolving Credit Facility (RCF) and Securitisation Facilities

Currency	Committed Amount	Security	Maturity	Interest	Margin
EUR m	455	Super Senior Secured RCF	Aug-25	SONIA / EURIBOR	3.00%
GBP m	175	Asset Backed Loan – Facility 1	Jul-25	SONIA	3.50%
GBP m	375	Asset Backed Loan – Facility 2	Jun-30	SONIA	4.50%
GBP m	170	Asset Backed Loan – Facility 3	Oct-27	SONIA	3.90%

Glossary

3PC	-	Third Party Collection
ABS	-	Asset backed securitisation
Acquisitions	-	The purchases of NPLs
BSV	-	Balance Sheet Velocity
Cash EBITDA	-	Defined as collections on owned portfolios plus other turnover, less collection activity costs and other expenses (which together equals servicing costs) and before exceptional items, depreciation and amortisation
Cash Income	-	Total income for the period adding back portfolio amortisation and portfolio fair value release and deducting net portfolio write-up, lawyer service revenue, other revenue (less payment services income) and other income
DACH	-	Germany, Austria and Switzerland
DP	-	Debt Purchase
EBITDA	-	Defined as operating profit plus depreciation and amortisation, non-recurring costs and exceptional items (net of exceptional income) and portfolio fair value adjustment (where applicable)
ERC	-	Estimated Remaining Collections over 84, 120 or 180 months
EURIBOR	-	Euro Interbank Offer Rate
GMM	-	'Gross money multiple', being the expected collections on a portfolio or particular vintage, divided by its respective purchase price. Reported on either a 'static' or 'current' basis

Gross Profit	-	Gross Profit calculated as Cash Income less Collection Activity Costs excluding Lawyer Service activity, less the amounts captured within Collection Activity Costs related to Non-recurring Costs / Exceptional Items (net of exceptional income)
IFRS	-	International Financial Reporting Standards
Net Debt	-	Senior Secured Notes bond principal plus Senior Notes bond principal plus RCF drawn amounts plus securitisation drawn amounts less cash
Nordics	-	For the purpose of the presentation include Sweden, Denmark, Norway and Finland
NPL	-	Non Performing Loans
RCF	-	Revolving Credit Facility
Replacement Rate	-	The estimated amount of purchases to maintain current Group ERC
SASB	-	Sustainability Accounting Standards Board
SONIA	-	Sterling overnight index average

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