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Enhanced Embedded Values

§ EV history
§ Issues with traditional EVs
§ European Embedded Values
§ Market Consistent Embedded Values (MCEV)
§ Questions/comments

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§ Developed through late 80s/early 90s as realistic valuation measure

- § Profit measure from mid 90s accruals then achieved profits
- § Internal management reporting

§ Some convergence of methodologies across companies

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- Drivers for EV reporting:-
- § More realistic
- § Profit drivers
- § Value added by current management





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§ Equity market falls from 2000
§ Low interest rates uncovered guarantees
§ Highlighted weaknesses
§ Less confidence in EVs

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Weaknesses in EV

- § Single discount rate
 Some of investment
- § Capitalisation of investment margins
- § Options and guarantees
- § Cost of capital
- § Still a lack of consistency between companies

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Embedded Value – Example

- § 5 Year UWP SP Bond
- **§** Premium = 1000
- § Ignore Lapses / Mortality / Sterling Reserves / Tax
- **§** Best Estimate Investment return is 7%
 - 50% Equities, 50% Gilts; Equity Return 8%; Gilt Return 6%
- § Discount rate is 8%
- § 1.5% AMC, no other charges
- **§** Return of premium guarantee after 5 years

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Embedded Value – Example

Year	1	2	3	4	5	
Premium	1,000	0	0	0	0	
Asset Share (Start of Year)	1,000	1,054	1,111	1,171	1,234	
Gross Investment Return	70	74	78	82	86	
AMC	16	17	18	19	20	
Asset Share (End of Year)	1,054	1,111	1,171	1,234	1,300	
Cost of Gtee	0	0	0	0	0	
AMC	16	17	18	19	20	
Expenses	10	10	10	10	10	
PV Cost of Gtee	0		NBAV (Point o	f Sale)	31	
PV AMC	71					
PV Expenses	40					
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Embedded Value – Example (100% Equities)

Year	1	2	3	4	5
Premium	1,000	0	0	0	0
Asset Share (Start of Year)	1,000	1,064	1,132	1,204	1,281
Gross Investment Return	80	85	91	96	102
AMC	16	17	18	20	21
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PV AMC	73				
PV Expenses	40				
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Comparison of Results



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CFO Forum

- § Formed in 2002
- § European EV Principles published May 2004
- § Agreed to publish results from YE 2005, but some companies publishing earlier.

Aegon Allianz Generali AXA Aviva Fortis Skandia Hannover Re Legal & General Munich Re ING Old Mutual **Prudential Scottish Widows** Standard Life Swiss Re Swiss Life Winterthur Zurich Financial Services

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European EV - Key Improvements

- § Changes to allowance for cost of capital
- **§** Allowance for financial options and guarantees
- § Definitions of new business tightened
- § Service company treatment / holding company costs
- § Additional disclosure required
- § Standardisation between companies

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Definition of Capital

Principle 5

- § Defines encumbered capital
- § May include risk based capital
- **§** Introduces possible inconsistencies

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Allowance for Financial Options

Principle 7

- **§** Time Value of Financial Options and Guarantees
- § Stochastically modelled
- **§** Consistent with underlying intrinsic value in EV

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Definitions of New Business

Principle 8

- **§** Defines new business
- **§** Includes value of renewals from that business
- § Regular Single Premiums, contractual premium increases included
- **§** EV should excluded future new business

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Service Companies and Expenses

Principle 9

- **§** Non-economic assumption setting
- **§** Based on past and future expected experience
- **§** Look through service company arrangements
- **§** Allow for holding company expenses

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Disclosure

Principle 2

§ Covered business disclosed

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§ Embedded Value disclosed at group level

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PV AMC	71	Va	alue of Guarante	es	?
PV Expenses	40	13	NBAV		?
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Determining the Time Value of Guarantees



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European Embedded Value – Example

Good Scenario (15% Investment Return) PV Cost of Gtee 0 NBAV (Point of Sale) 48 **PV AMC** 88 **PV** Expenses 40 **Bad Scenario (-1% Investment Return)** PV Cost of Gtee NBAV (Point of Sale) 80 (64) **PV AMC** 56 Average NBAV **PV** Expenses 40 (8) NBAV (Point of Sale) 31 Impact of Guarantee (39)**ENBAV** (Point of Sale) (8)

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EEV – Example (100% Equities)

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PV Expenses	40	E	NBAV		?	
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EEV Example (100% Equities)

Good Scenario (20% Investment Return)

PV Cost of Gtee	0	EV (Point of Sale) 60
PV AMC	100	
PV Expenses	40	

Bad Scenario (-4% Investment Return)

PV Cost of Gtee	166
PV AMC	52
PV Expenses	40

ENBAV (Point of Sale)	(47)
Impact of Guarantee	(80)
NBAV (Point of Sale)	33
Average EV	(47)
EV (Point of Sale)	(154)

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Comparison of Results

	EV 50% Gilts 50% Equities	EV 0% Gilts 100% Equities	EEV 50% Gilts 50% Equities	EEV 0% Gilts 100% Equities	MCEV 50% Gilts 50% Equities	MCEV 0% Gilts 100% Equities	
New Business Added Value (Intrinsic Value)	31	33	31	33			
Allowance for Value of Guarantees	0	0	(39)	(80)			
Total New Business Added Value	31	33	(8)	(47)			

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European EV – Weaknesses

- § Not widely adopted in the UK
- § Economic framework largely unchanged
- § Allowance for financial options is not consistent with financial economics

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MCEV – Key Features

§Market risk profits not booked until earned
§Market consistent value of options and guarantees

§No risk premium for diversifiable (generally non-market) risks

§Cost of capital reflected more directly

- Double taxation
- Agency costs

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MCEV – Derivation

- § More direct approach
- § Market value of assets
- § Deduct market consistent value of liabilities, including options/guarantees
- § Deduct cost of capital

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MCEV – Reconciliation to TEV

TEV

Add back cost of capital (TEV) Change risk discount rate to risk free Remove investment margins on risky assets Introduce market consistent cost of financial options and guarantees Deduct cost of capital (MCEV)

MCEV

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MCEV – Example

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MCEV – Example

Year	1	2	3	4	5	
Premium	1,000	0	0	0	0	
Asset Share (Start of Year)	1,000	1,044	1,090	1,138	1,188	
Gross Investment Return	60	63	65	68	71	
AMC	16	17	17	18	19	
Asset Share (End of Year)	1,044	1,090	1,138	1,188	1,240	
Cost of Gtee	0	0	0	0	0	
AMC	16	17	17	18	19	
Expenses	10	10	10	10	10	
PV Cost of Gtee	0	N	BAV (Point of Sa	ale)	31	
PV AMC	73	Va	alue of Guarante	es	?	
PV Expenses	42	М	CNBAV		?	
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MCEV – Example

Good Scenario (14% Investment Return)

PV Cost of Gtee	0	NBAV (Point of S	Sale)	49
PV AMC	91			
PV Expenses	42			

Bad Scenario (-2% Investment Return)

PV Cost of Gtee	121
PV AMC	58
PV Expenses	42

NBAV (Point of Sale)	(105)
Average NBAV	(28)
NBAV (Point of Sale)	31
Impact of Guarantee	(59)
MCNBAV (Point of Sale)	(28)

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MCEV – Example (100% Equities)

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PV Cost of Gtee	0	NBAV (Point of Sale)			31	
PV AMC	73	Value of Guarantees			?	
PV Expenses	42	MCNBAV			2	
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MCEV Example (100% Equities)

Good Scenario (18% Investment Return)			
PV Cost of Gtee	0	NBAV (Point of Sale)	60
PV AMC	102		
PV Expenses	42		
Bad Scenario (-6% Investment Return)			
PV Cost of Gtee	238	NBAV (Point of Sale)	(229)
PV AMC	51		
PV Expenses	42	Average NBAV	(85)
		NBAV (Point of Sale)	31
		Impact of Guarantee	(116)
		MCNBAV (Point of Sale)	(85)

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Embedded Value (Intrinsic Value)	31	33	31	33	31	31
Allowance for Value of Guarantees	0	0	(39)	(80)	(59)	(116)
Total Embedded Value	31	33	(8)	(47)	(28)	(85)

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MCEV - Earnings

§ Split insurance/investment
§ Insurance:

- Experience variances

Operating assumption changes

§ Investment:

- Return on assets backing MCEV
- Return on assets backing realistic liabilities

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Wider Product Comparisons

- **§** EV to European EV to MCEV considerations for:
- § With profits
- § Annuities
- § Unit linked
- § Term assurance

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Wider Product Comparisons

With profits
§ Cost of options and guarantees
§ Estate burn-through

Annuities

§ Matching

§ MCEV does not capitalise credit spread

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Wider Product Comparisons

Unit linked § Asset mix affects comparison § MCEV discounts non market cash flows at risk free rate

Term assurance

§ Low market risk

§ Reinsurance

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Practical Considerations

- § Development of existing models
- § Consistency of management actions with RBS
- § Allowance for encumbered ICA capital
- § Overloading of models
- § Agency costs
- § Analysis of change additional item
- **§** Accuracy and time considerations

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Uses of Enhanced EV

- **§** NBAV measurement (as % PV premiums)
- § Product Design
- § Performance Management
 - Insurance Profits
 - Investment Profits
 - Other drivers of value

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MCEV or EEV?

§ Currently large European companies – EEV

§ In the UK Market Consistent Embedded Value is more prevalent

§ Short term in the UK Both?

§ Longer term MCEV

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