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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

x QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2015

OR

1 TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from _____ to _____

Commission file number 001-34580

FIRST AMERICAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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	Incorporated in Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of	26-1911571 (I.R.S. Employer
	incorporation or organization)	Identification No.)
0-3000	1 First American Way, Santa Ana, California (Address of principal executive offices)	92707-5913 (Zip Code)

(714) 250-3000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes x No 1

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (\$232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes x No 1

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer x

Accelerated filer 1

Non-accelerated filer 1 (Do not check if a smaller reporting company) Smaller reporting company 1 Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes 1 No x

APPLICABLE ONLY TO ISSUERS INVOLVED IN BANKRUPTCY

PROCEEDINGS DURING THE PRECEDING FIVE YEARS:

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has filed all documents and reports to be filed by Section 12, 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court. Yes 1 No 1

APPLICABLE ONLY TO CORPORATE ISSUERS:

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

On July 17, 2015, there were 108,643,523 shares of common stock outstanding.

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INFORMATION INCLUDED IN REPORT

PART I: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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CERTAIN STATEMENTS IN THIS QUARTERLY REPORT ON FORM 10-Q, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THOSE RELATING TO:

THE EFFECT OF PENDING ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS ON THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL STATEMENTS;

EXPECTED PENSION PLAN AND SUPPLEMENTAL BENEFIT PLAN CONTRIBUTIONS AND RETURNS; •THE EFFECT OF LAWSUITS, REGULATORY EXAMINATIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS AND OTHER LEGAL PROCEEDINGS ON THE COMPANY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION, RESULTS OF OPERATIONS OR CASH FLOWS;

FUTURE PAYMENT OF DIVIDENDS;

THE SUFFICIENCY OF THE COMPANY'S RESOURCES TO SATISFY OPERATIONAL CASH REQUIREMENTS;

•THE EFFECTS OF THE CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION BUREAU'S INTEGRATED DISCLOSURE RULES;

•THE LIKELIHOOD OF CHANGES IN EXPECTED ULTIMATE LOSSES AND CORRESPONDING LOSS RATES AND CLAIM RESERVES;

THE LIKELIHOOD AND EFFECTS OF CYBER ATTACKS AND SIMILAR INCIDENTS;

FUTURE ACQUISITIONS; AND

CANADIAN EXCISE TAXES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED TO LENDERS,

ARE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS WITHIN THE MEANING OF SECTION 27A OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, AND SECTION 21E OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED. THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS MAY CONTAIN THE WORDS "BELIEVE," "ANTICIPATE," "EXPECT," "PLAN," "PREDICT," "ESTIMATE," "PROJECT," "WILL BE," "WILL CONT "WILL LIKELY RESULT," OR OTHER SIMILAR WORDS AND PHRASES.

RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES EXIST THAT MAY CAUSE RESULTS TO DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THOSE SET FORTH IN THESE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. FACTORS THAT COULD CAUSE THE ANTICIPATED RESULTS TO DIFFER FROM THOSE DESCRIBED IN THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS INCLUDE:

INTEREST RATE FLUCTUATIONS;

CHANGES IN THE PERFORMANCE OF THE REAL ESTATE MARKETS;

•VOLATILITY IN THE CAPITAL MARKETS;

UNFAVORABLE ECONOMIC CONDITIONS;

IMPAIRMENTS IN THE COMPANY'S GOODWILL OR OTHER INTANGIBLE ASSETS;

FAILURES AT FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS WHERE THE COMPANY DEPOSITS FUNDS;

CHANGES IN APPLICABLE GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS;

HEIGHTENED SCRUTINY BY LEGISLATORS AND REGULATORS OF THE COMPANY'S TITLE INSURANCE AND SERVICES SEGMENT AND CERTAIN OTHER OF THE COMPANY'S BUSINESSES; •THE CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION BUREAU'S EXERCISE OF ITS BROAD RULEMAKING AND SUPERVISORY POWERS;

COMPLIANCE WITH THE CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION BUREAU'S INTEGRATED DISCLOSURE RULES;

REGULATION OF TITLE INSURANCE RATES;

REFORM OF GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED MORTGAGE ENTERPRISES;

LIMITATIONS ON ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS AND OTHER DATA;

CHANGES IN RELATIONSHIPS WITH LARGE MORTGAGE LENDERS AND GOVERNMENT-SPONSORED ENTERPRISES;

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CHANGES IN MEASURES OF THE STRENGTH OF THE COMPANY'S TITLE INSURANCE UNDERWRITERS, INCLUDING RATINGS AND STATUTORY CAPITAL AND SURPLUS; LOSSES IN THE COMPANY'S INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO; EXPENSES OF AND FUNDING OBLIGATIONS TO THE PENSION PLAN; MATERIAL VARIANCE BETWEEN ACTUAL AND EXPECTED CLAIMS EXPERIENCE; DEFALCATIONS, INCREASED CLAIMS OR OTHER COSTS AND EXPENSES ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE COMPANY'S USE OF TITLE AGENTS; ANY INADEQUACY IN THE COMPANY'S RISK MITIGATION EFFORTS; 3 SYSTEMS DAMAGE, FAILURES, INTERRUPTIONS AND INTRUSIONS, WIRE TRANSFER ERRORS OR UNAUTHORIZED DATA DISCLOSURES;

INABILITY TO REALIZE THE BENEFITS OF THE COMPANY'S OFFSHORE STRATEGY; INABILITY OF THE COMPANY'S SUBSIDIARIES TO PAY DIVIDENDS OR REPAY FUNDS; INABILITY TO REALIZE THE BENEFITS OF, AND CHALLENGES ARISING FROM, THE COMPANY'S ACQUISITION STRATEGY; AND OTHER FACTORS DESCRIBED IN PART II, ITEM 1A OF THIS QUARTERLY REPORT ON FORM 10-Q.

THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS SPEAK ONLY AS OF THE DATE THEY ARE MADE. THE COMPANY DOES NOT UNDERTAKE TO UPDATE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS TO REFLECT CIRCUMSTANCES OR EVENTS THAT OCCUR AFTER THE DATE THE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS ARE MADE.

PART I: FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements. FIRST AMERICAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets

(in thousands, except par values)

(unaudited)

	June 30,	December 31,
	2015	2014
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$1,269,660	\$ 1,190,080
Accounts and accrued income receivable, net	275,336	276,610
Income taxes receivable	1,802	5,547
Investments:		
Deposits with banks	17,972	21,445
Debt securities, includes pledged securities of \$124,701 and \$120,742	4,145,414	3,450,252
Equity securities	304,081	402,412
Other investments	160,795	159,783
	4,628,262	4,033,892
Property and equipment, net	394,060	395,287
Title plants and other indexes	547,059	530,589
Deferred income taxes	19,712	19,712
Goodwill	970,510	959,945
Other intangible assets, net	53,538	55,812
Other assets	193,613	198,626
	\$8,353,552	\$ 7,666,100
Liabilities and Equity		
Deposits	\$2,965,293	\$ 2,332,714
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	860,856	854,105
Deferred revenue	201,591	202,764
Reserve for known and incurred but not reported claims	956,786	1,011,780
Income taxes payable	33,869	6,228
Deferred income taxes	91,372	95,128
Notes and contracts payable	584,538	587,337
	5,694,305	5,090,056
Commitments and contingencies (Note 13)		
Stockholders' equity:		
Preferred stock, \$0.00001 par value; Authorized—500 shares;		
Outstanding—none		
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Common stock, \$0.00001 par value; Authorized—300,000 shares;

Outstanding—108,642 shares and 107,541 shares			
Additional paid-in capital	2,130,552	2,109,712	
Retained earnings	737,980	662,310	
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(212,124)	(199,106)
Total stockholders' equity	2,656,409	2,572,917	
Noncontrolling interests	2,838	3,127	
Total equity	2,659,247	2,576,044	
	\$8,353,552	\$7,666,100	

See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

FIRST AMERICAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income

(in thousands, except per share amounts)

(unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months June 30,	Ended
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Revenues				
Direct premiums and escrow fees	\$628,425	\$531,123	\$1,146,929	\$964,995
Agent premiums	493,102	423,209	919,429	844,133
Information and other	170,530	165,703	317,178	303,345
Net investment income	27,864	23,659	48,422	41,426
Net realized investment gains	3,868	6,275	2,915	8,869
	1,323,789	1,149,969	2,434,873	2,162,768
Expenses				
Personnel costs	396,616	354,133	754,616	680,651
Premiums retained by agents	394,828	338,271	737,288	674,936
Other operating expenses	223,110	214,121	431,667	402,488
Provision for policy losses and other claims	122,870	128,466	224,424	218,349
Depreciation and amortization	21,463	19,780	42,317	39,752
Premium taxes	16,012	14,254	29,481	26,544
Interest	7,268	4,486	14,510	8,337
	1,182,167	1,073,511	2,234,303	2,051,057
Income before income taxes	141,622	76,458	200,570	111,711
Income taxes	48,043	25,770	69,195	39,171
Net income	93,579	50,688	131,375	72,540
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	232	94	396	222
Net income attributable to the Company	\$93,347	\$50,594	\$130,979	\$72,318
Net income per share attributable to the Company's stockholders (Note 8):				
Basic	\$0.86	\$0.47	\$1.21	\$0.68
Diluted	\$0.85	\$0.47	\$1.19	\$0.67
Cash dividends declared per share	\$0.25	\$—	\$0.50	\$0.36
Weighted-average common shares outstanding (Note 8):				
Basic	108,459	106,878	108,102	106,522
Diluted	109,796	108,647	109,586	108,423

See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

(in thousands)

(unaudited)

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months June 30,	s Ended
	2015	2014	2015	2014
Net income	\$93,579	\$50,688	\$131,375	\$72,540
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax:				
Unrealized (losses) gains on securities	(28,506)	14,039	(8,432)	26,239
Foreign currency translation adjustment	4,866	11,612	(13,794)	5,572
Pension benefit adjustment	4,601	3,892	9,202	7,783
Other comprehensive (loss) income, net of tax	(19,039)	29,543	(13,024)	39,594
Comprehensive income	74,540	80,231	118,351	112,134
Less: Comprehensive income attributable to noncontrolling interests	227	98	390	229
Comprehensive income attributable to the Company	\$74,313	\$80,133	\$117,961	\$111,905

See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(in thousands)

(unaudited)

	Six Months June 30,	En	ided	
	2015		2014	
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net income	\$131,375		\$72,540	
Adjustments to reconcile net income to cash provided by operating activities:				
Provision for policy losses and other claims	224,424		218,349	
Depreciation and amortization	42,317		39,752	
Amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts on debt securities, net	14,045		11,967	
Excess tax benefits from share-based compensation	(8,417)	(5,827)
Net realized investment gains	(2,915)	(8,869)
Share-based compensation	15,563		12,519	
Equity in earnings of affiliates, net	(4,880)	1,748	
Dividends from equity method investments	5,940		3,471	
Changes in assets and liabilities excluding effects of acquisitions and noncash				
transactions:				
Claims paid, including assets acquired, net of recoveries	(251,542)	(240,144	1)
Net change in income tax accounts	37,875		33,493	
Increase in accounts and accrued income receivable	(20,961)	(11,439)
Decrease in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(26,188)	(74,174)
Decrease in deferred revenue	(955)	(5,017)
Other, net	11,262		(3,476)
Cash provided by operating activities	166,943		44,893	
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Net cash effect of acquisitions/dispositions	(25,929)	(166,354	1)
Net decrease (increase) in deposits with banks	2,959		(256)
Purchases of debt and equity securities	(1,207,03)	7)	(592,381	1)
Proceeds from sales of debt and equity securities	344,170		386,744	
Proceeds from maturities of debt securities	263,015		173,644	
Net change in other investments	4,509		1,364	
Net paydowns on loans receivable			14,914	
Capital expenditures	(61,837)	(40,063)
Proceeds from sales of property and equipment	16,608		13	
Cash used for investing activities	(663,542)	(222,375	5)
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Net change in deposits	632,579		269,779	
Net proceeds from issuance of debt			300,735	

Repayment of debt	(2,623) (156,476)
Net activity related to noncontrolling interests	(679) (633)
Excess tax benefits from share-based compensation	8,417 5,827
Net payments in connection with share-based compensation plans	(4,328) (911)
Cash dividends	(54,121) (38,441)
Cash provided by financing activities	579,245 379,880
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash	(3,066) 4,024
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	79,580 206,422
Cash and cash equivalents—Beginning of period	1,190,080 834,837
Cash and cash equivalents—End of period	\$1,269,660 \$1,041,259
Supplemental information:	
Cash paid during the period for:	
Interest	\$14,664 \$8,346
Premium taxes	\$34,043 \$36,825
Income taxes, less refunds of \$713 and \$1,016	\$30,973 \$5,827
See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements	

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Condensed Consolidated Statement of Stockholders' Equity

(in thousands)

(unaudited)

First American	Financial	Corporation	Stockholders
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			Additional		other	Total			
		Com	m pa id-in	Retained		vstockholders	' Nonconti	olling	
	Shares		capital	earnings	loss	equity	interests	-	
Balance at	Shares	Stock	oupitui	cumigs	1055	equity	111010515	Total	
December 31, 2014	107,541	\$1	\$2,109,712	\$662,310	\$(199,106)	\$2,572,917	\$3,127	\$2,576,04	4
Net income for six			1)) -	1 ,		1 7- 7- 7- 1			
months ended									
June 30, 2015				130,979		130,979	396	131,375	
Dividends on									
common shares				(54,121)		(54,121)	_	(54,121)
Shares issued in									
connection with									
share-based									
compensation plans	1,101	—	5,277	(1,188)		4,089	—	4,089	
Share-based									
compensation									
expense		—	15,563			15,563	—	15,563	
Net activity related									
to noncontrolling									
interests	—	—		—	_	_	(679)	(679)
Other									
comprehensive									
income (Note 12)			_	<u> </u>	(13,018)	(13,018)	(6)	(13,024)
Balance at June	100 (10	6 1	¢ 0 1 0 0 5 5 0	* 727 000	¢ (010 10 1)	•••	* • • • • •	# 2 (50.24)	_
30, 2015	108,642	\$1	\$2,130,552	\$737,980	\$(212,124)	\$2,656,409	\$ 2,838	\$2,659,24	/
See notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.									

FIRST AMERICAN FINANCIAL CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARY COMPANIES

Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements (unaudited)

Note 1 - Basis of Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

Basis of Presentation

The condensed consolidated financial information included in this report has been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") for interim financial information and Article 10 of Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") Regulation S-X. The principles for condensed interim financial information do not require the inclusion of all the information and footnotes required by GAAP for complete financial statements. Therefore, these financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2014. The condensed consolidated financial statements included herein are unaudited; however, in the opinion of management, they contain all normal recurring adjustments necessary for a fair statement of the consolidated results for the interim periods. All material intercompany transactions and balances have been eliminated upon consolidation.

Recently Adopted Accounting Pronouncements

In April 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued updated guidance which changes the criteria for determining which disposals are required to be presented as discontinued operations and modifies related disclosure requirements. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2014, with early adoption permitted. The adoption of this guidance had no impact on the Company's condensed consolidated financial statements.

Pending Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2015, the FASB issued updated disclosure guidance related to short-duration contracts issued by insurance entities. The updated guidance is intended to increase the transparency of significant estimates made in measuring liabilities for unpaid claims and claim adjustment expenses and to provide additional insight into an insurance entity's ability to underwrite and anticipate costs associated with claims. The updated guidance is effective for annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015 and for interim periods within annual periods beginning after December 15, 2016, with early adoption permitted. Except for the disclosure requirements, the Company does not expect the adoption of this guidance to impact its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In May 2015, the FASB issued updated guidance intended to eliminate the diversity in practice surrounding how investments measured at net asset value under the practical expedient with future redemption dates have been categorized in the fair value hierarchy. Under the updated guidance, investments for which fair value is measured at net asset value per share using the practical expedient should no longer be categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The updated guidance requires retrospective adoption for all periods presented and is effective for interim and annual

reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. Except for the disclosure requirements, the Company does not expect the adoption of this guidance to impact its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued updated guidance intended to clarify the accounting treatment for cloud computing arrangements that include software licenses. Under the updated guidance, if a cloud computing arrangement includes a software license, the customer should account for the software license element of the arrangement consistent with the acquisition of other software licenses. If a cloud computing arrangement does not include a software license, the customer should account for the arrangement as a service contract. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. The Company does not expect the adoption of this guidance to have a material impact on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued updated guidance intended to simplify, and provide consistency to, the presentation of debt issuance costs. The new standard requires that debt issuance costs be presented in the balance sheet as a direct deduction from the carrying amount of the debt liability, consistent with debt discounts. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. The Company does not expect the adoption of this guidance to have a material impact on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In February 2015, the FASB issued updated guidance which changes the analysis that a reporting entity must perform to determine whether it should consolidate certain types of legal entities. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. The Company expects the adoption of this guidance to have no impact on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In June 2014, the FASB issued updated guidance intended to eliminate the diversity in practice regarding share-based payment awards that include terms which provide for a performance target that affects vesting being achieved after the requisite service period. The new standard requires that a performance target which affects vesting and could be achieved after the requisite service period be treated as a performance condition that affects vesting and should not be reflected in estimating the grant-date fair value. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. The Company expects the adoption of this guidance to have no impact on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

In May 2014, the FASB issued updated guidance for recognizing revenue from contracts with customers to provide a single, comprehensive revenue recognition model for all contracts with customers to improve comparability within and across industries, and across capital markets. The new revenue standard contains principles that an entity will apply to determine the measurement of revenue and the timing of recognition. The underlying principle is that an entity will recognize revenue to depict the transfer of goods or services to customers at an amount that the entity expects to be entitled to in exchange for those goods or services. Revenue from insurance contracts is not within the scope of this guidance. The updated guidance is effective for interim and annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017, with early adoption prohibited. The Company is currently assessing the impact of the new guidance on its condensed consolidated financial statements.

Note 2 - Escrow Deposits, Like-kind Exchange Deposits and Trust Assets

The Company administers escrow deposits and trust assets as a service to its customers. Escrow deposits totaled \$7.9 billion and \$6.3 billion at June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively, of which \$2.8 billion and \$2.2 billion, respectively, were held at the Company's federal savings bank subsidiary, First American Trust, FSB. The escrow deposits held at First American Trust, FSB are temporarily invested in cash and cash equivalents and debt and equity securities, with offsetting liabilities included in deposits in the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets. The remaining escrow deposits were held at third-party financial institutions.

Trust assets held or managed by First American Trust, FSB totaled \$3.1 billion and \$3.0 billion at June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. Escrow deposits held at third-party financial institutions and trust assets are not considered assets of the Company and, therefore, are not included in the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets. However, the Company could be held contingently liable for the disposition of these assets.

In conducting its operations, the Company often holds customers' assets in escrow, pending completion of real estate transactions and, as a result, the Company has ongoing programs for realizing economic benefits, including investment programs and vendor services arrangements with various financial institutions. The effects of these programs are included in the condensed consolidated financial statements as income or a reduction in expense, as appropriate, based on the nature of the arrangement and benefit received.

The Company facilitates tax-deferred property exchanges for customers pursuant to Section 1031 of the Internal Revenue Code and tax-deferred reverse exchanges pursuant to Revenue Procedure 2000-37. As a facilitator and intermediary, the Company holds the proceeds from sales transactions and takes temporary title to property identified by the customer to be acquired with such proceeds. Upon the completion of each such exchange, the identified property is transferred to the customer or, if the exchange does not take place, an amount equal to the sales proceeds or, in the case of a reverse exchange, title to the property held by the Company is transferred to the customer. Like-kind exchange funds held by the Company totaled \$2.5 billion and \$2.4 billion at June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively. The like-kind exchange deposits are held at third-party financial institutions and, due to the structure utilized to facilitate these transactions, the proceeds and property are not considered assets of the Company and, therefore, are not included in the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets. All such amounts are placed in deposit accounts insured, up to applicable limits, by the Federal

Deposit Insurance Corporation. The Company could be held contingently liable to the customer for the transfers of property, disbursements of proceeds and the returns on such proceeds.

Note 3 – Debt and Equity Securities

Investments in debt securities, all of which are classified as available-for-sale, are as follows:

	Amortized	Gross un	realized	Estimated
(in thousands)	cost	Gains	Losses	fair value
June 30, 2015				
U.S. Treasury				
bonds	\$102,861	\$569) \$101,820
Municipal bonds	669,164	8,886	(3,009) 675,041
Foreign bonds	189,499	3,002	(53) 192,448
Governmental				
agency bonds	419,150	1,004	(2,425) 417,729
Governmental				
agency				
mortgage-backed				
securities	2,016,851	6,986	(10,652) 2,013,185
Corporate debt				
securities	747,256	6,307	(8,372) 745,191
	\$4,144,781	\$26,754	\$(26,121) \$4,145,414
December 31,				
2014				
U.S. Treasury				
bonds	\$64,195	\$968	\$(181) \$64,982
Municipal bonds	577,703	10,981	(1,007) 587,677
Foreign bonds	194,749	2,009	(8) 196,750
Governmental				
agency bonds	198,330	1,562	(2,018) 197,874
Governmental				
agency				
mortgage-backed				
securities	1,812,766	8,491	(9,095) 1,812,162
Non-agency				
mortgage-backed				
securities	15,949	1,306	(717) 16,538
		1,306	(717) 16,538

Corporate debt				
securities	568,774	8,759	(3,264)	574,269
	\$3,432,466	\$34,076	\$(16,290)	\$3,450,252

Investments in equity securities, all of which are classified as available-for-sale, are as follows:

		Gross un	Estimated	
(in thousands)	Cost	Gains	Losses	fair value
June 30, 2015				
Preferred				
stocks	\$19,578	\$688	\$(1,225)	\$19,041
Common				
stocks	271,551	17,876	(4,387)	285,040
	\$291,129	\$18,564	\$(5,612)	\$304,081
December 31,				
2014				
Preferred				
stocks	\$14,976	\$596	\$(47)	\$15,525
Common				
stocks	378,938	16,680	(8,731)	386,887
	\$393,914	\$17,276	\$(8,778)	\$402,412

Sales of debt and equity securities resulted in realized gains of \$1.5 million and \$8.0 million and realized losses of \$0.4 million and \$0.6 million for the three months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively, and realized gains of \$5.1 million and \$14.6 million and realized losses of \$6.6 million and \$4.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

Gross unrealized losses on investments in debt and equity securities are as follows:

	Less than 12 Estimated	Unrealized	1	12 months Estimated	Unrealized	ł	Total Estimated	Unrealized	d
(in thousands)	fair value	losses		fair value	losses		fair value	losses	
June 30, 2015									
Debt securities:									
U.S. Treasury	Ф <i>БС 75</i> 4	¢ (1 500	`	¢11.010	¢ (20	``	¢(77)	¢ (1 (10	`
bonds	\$56,754	\$ (1,580)	\$11,012	\$ (30)	\$67,766	\$ (1,610)
Municipal bonds	248,986	(2,807)	12,983	(202)	261,969	(3,009)
Foreign bonds	7,713	(53)				7,713	(53)
Governmental	227 (20	(2.005	`	11761	(120)	`	292 204	(2.425	`
agency bonds	237,630	(2,005)	44,764	(420)	282,394	(2,425)
Governmental									
agency									
mortgage-backed		(5.107	`	170 524		``	077.500	(10 (50	``
securities	797,995	(5,197)	179,534	(5,455)	977,529	(10,652)
Corporate debt	212 517	(7 7 7 1	`	17.0(1	((01	`	220.270	(0.270	`
securities	312,517	(7,751)	17,861	(621)	330,378	(8,372)
Total debt		(10.000		0.001.54	(6 700		1 005 5 10	(0(101	
securities	1,661,595	(19,393)	266,154	(6,728)	1,927,749	(26,121)
Equity securities	107,681	(3,833)	17,551	(1,779)	125,232	(5,612)
Total	\$1,769,276	\$ (23,226)	\$283,705	\$ (8,507)	\$2,052,981	\$ (31,733)
December 31,									
2014									
Debt securities:									
U.S. Treasury	\$ 0 100	¢ (27	,	* 1 = 1 = 1			* ~ ~ ~ * / /		,
bonds	\$8,122	\$ (27)	\$15,124	\$ (154)	\$23,246	\$ (181)
Municipal bonds	137,755	(689)	19,625	(318)	157,380	(1,007)
Foreign bonds	6,215	(8)	_			6,215	(8)
Governmental		(2.2			(1.0.0.0				
agency bonds	27,479	(88)	127,936	(1,930)	155,415	(2,018)
Governmental									
agency									
mortgage-backed									
securities	383,717	(1,612)	300,918	(7,483)	684,635	(9,095)
Non-agency									
mortgage-backed									
securities				5,611	(717)	5,611	(717)
Corporate debt									
securities	198,079	(3,151)	9,683	(113)	207,762	(3,264)
	761,367	(5,575)	478,897	(10,715)	1,240,264	(16,290)

Total debt									
securities									
Equity securities	208,922	(8,587)	2,340	(191)	211,262	(8,778)
Total	\$970,289	\$(14,162)	\$481,237	\$ (10,906)	\$1,451,526	\$ (25,068)

Investments in debt securities at June 30, 2015, by contractual maturities, are as follows:

	Due in one	Due after one through	Due after five through	Due after	
(in thousands)	year or less	five years	ten years	ten years	Total
U.S. Treasury					
bonds					
Amortized cost	\$ 3,680	\$69,082	\$13,615	\$16,484	\$102,861
Estimated fair					
value	\$ 3,738	\$69,157	\$13,512	\$15,413	\$101,820
Municipal bonds					
Amortized cost	\$ 37,237	\$278,179	\$220,717	\$133,031	\$669,164
Estimated fair					
value	\$ 37,389	\$280,146	\$223,300	\$134,206	\$675,041
Foreign bonds					
Amortized cost	\$48,442	\$126,251	\$11,652	\$3,154	\$189,499
Estimated fair					
value	\$48,788	\$128,657	\$11,834	\$3,169	\$192,448
Governmental					
agency bonds					
Amortized cost	\$ 12,293	\$354,761	\$28,247	\$23,849	\$419,150
Estimated fair					
value	\$12,312	\$353,776	\$28,418	\$23,223	\$417,729
Corporate debt					
securities					
Amortized cost	\$ 19,668	\$289,397	\$370,973	\$67,218	\$747,256
Estimated fair					
value	\$ 19,900	\$292,130	\$368,710	\$64,451	\$745,191
Total debt					
securities					
excluding					
mortgage-backed	l				
securities					
Amortized cost	\$121,320	\$1,117,670	\$645,204	\$243,736	\$2,127,930
Estimated fair					
value	\$122,127	\$1,123,866	\$645,774	\$240,462	\$2,132,229
Total					
mortgage-backed	l				
securities					
Amortized cost					\$2,016,851
					\$2,013,185

Estimated fair	
value	
Total debt	
securities	
Amortized cost	\$4,144,781
Estimated fair	
value	\$4,145,414

Mortgage-backed securities, which include contractual terms to maturity, are not categorized by contractual maturity because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay such obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

Note 4 - Goodwill

A summary of the changes in the carrying amount of goodwill, by operating segment, for the six months ended June 30, 2015, is as follows:

	Title		
	Insurance	Specialty	
(in thousands)	and Services	Insurance	Total
Balance as of			
December 31,			
2014	\$ 913,180	\$46,765	\$959,945
Acquisitions	14,183		14,183
Foreign			
currency			
translation	(3,618)	— —	(3,618)
Balance as of			
June 30, 2015	\$ 923,745	\$46,765	\$970,510

The Company's four reporting units for purposes of assessing impairment are title insurance, home warranty, property and casualty insurance and trust and other services. During the six months ended June 30, 2015 there were no triggering events that would require an impairment analysis. There is no accumulated impairment for goodwill as the Company has never recognized impairment to any of its reporting units.

Note 5 – Other Intangible Assets

Other intangible assets consist of the following:

	June 30,	
		December 31,
(in thousands)	2015	2014
Finite-lived		
intangible		
assets:		
Customer		
relationships	\$95,788	\$ 94,850
Noncompete		
agreements	27,631	27,286
Trademarks	9,398	11,241
Patents	2,840	2,840
	135,657	136,217
Accumulated		
amortization	(98,996)	(97,282)
	36,661	38,935
Indefinite-lived		
intangible		
assets:		
Licenses	16,877	16,877
	\$53,538	\$ 55,812

Amortization expense for finite-lived intangible assets was \$2.4 million and \$4.8 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2015, respectively, and \$2.2 million and \$5.2 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, respectively.

Estimated amortization expense for finite-lived intangible assets for the next five years is as follows:

Year	(in thousands)				
Remainder					
of 2015	\$	4,582			
2016	\$	8,511			
2017	\$	7,250			

2018	\$ 4,797
2019	\$ 4,004
2020	\$ 2,162

Note 6 - Reserve for Known and Incurred But Not Reported Claims

A summary of the Company's loss reserves is as follows:

(in thousands, except percentages)	June 30, 20	15	December 31	, 2014
Known title claims	\$93,230	9.7 %	\$165,330	16.3 %
Incurred but not reported claims	812,140	84.9 %	802,069	79.3 %
Total title claims	905,370	94.6 %	967,399	95.6 %
Non-title claims	51,416	5.4 %	44,381	4.4 %
Total loss reserves	\$956,786	100.0%	\$1,011,780	100.0%

The Company's reserve for known title claims was \$93.2 million at June 30, 2015, a decline of \$72.1 million, or 43.6%, from the balance at December 31, 2014. This decline is primarily attributable to settlement payments associated with certain large claims during the first quarter of 2015. The reserve for known title claims associated with these claims recorded at December 31, 2014 was \$56.0 million. The Company paid \$35.0 million, net of \$21.0 million recovered through reinsurance, during the first quarter of 2015 to settle these claims.

The provision for title insurance losses, expressed as a percentage of title insurance premiums and escrow fees, was 6.5% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2015 and 8.9% and 7.5% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, respectively.

The current quarter rate of 6.5% reflects the ultimate loss rate of 6.0% for the current policy year and a \$5.1 million net increase in the loss reserve estimates for prior policy years.

The second quarter of 2014 rate of 8.9% reflected the ultimate loss rate of 6.0% for the 2014 policy year and a \$25.1 million net increase in the loss reserve estimates for prior policy years. The increase in loss reserve estimates for prior policy years was primarily related to a large commercial claim from policy year 2007, net of anticipated recoveries.

Note 7 – Income Taxes

The Company's effective income tax rate (income tax expense as a percentage of income before income taxes) was 33.9% and 34.5% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2015, respectively, and 33.7% and 35.1% for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014, respectively. The differences in the effective tax rates were primarily due to changes in the ratio of permanent differences to income before income taxes, changes in state and foreign income taxes resulting from fluctuations in the Company's noninsurance and foreign subsidiaries' contribution to pretax profits and changes in the liability related to tax positions on the Company's tax returns recorded in 2014.

In connection with the Company's June 2010 spin-off from its prior parent, which subsequently assumed the name CoreLogic, Inc. ("CoreLogic"), it entered into a tax sharing agreement which governs the Company's and CoreLogic's respective rights, responsibilities and obligations for certain tax related matters. At June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had a net payable to CoreLogic of \$35.6 million and \$35.1 million, respectively, related to tax matters prior to the spin-off. This amount is included in the Company's condensed consolidated balance sheets in accounts payable and accrued liabilities. The increase during the current year was primarily the result of an additional accrual for tax matters prior to the spin-off.

The Company evaluates the realizability of its deferred tax assets by assessing the valuation allowance and adjusts the allowance, if necessary. The factors used to assess the likelihood of realization are the Company's forecast of future taxable income and available tax planning strategies that could be implemented to realize the net deferred tax assets. The ability or failure to achieve the forecasted taxable income in the applicable taxing jurisdictions could affect the ultimate realization of deferred tax assets. Based on future operating results in certain jurisdictions, it is possible that the current valuation allowance positions of those jurisdictions could be adjusted in the next 12 months.

As of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the liability for income taxes associated with uncertain tax positions was \$24.2 million and \$24.1 million, respectively. The net increase in the liability during 2015 was primarily attributable to activity related to examinations conducted by various taxing authorities. As of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the liability could be reduced by \$3.4 million of offsetting tax benefits associated with the correlative effects of potential adjustments including timing adjustments and state income taxes. The net amounts of \$20.8 million and

\$20.7 million as of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, respectively, if recognized, would favorably affect the Company's effective tax rate.

The Company's continuing practice is to recognize interest and penalties, if any, related to uncertain tax positions in income tax expense. As of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had accrued \$9.3 million and \$8.9 million, respectively, of interest and penalties (net of tax benefits of \$3.9 million and \$3.7 million, respectively) related to uncertain tax positions.

It is reasonably possible that the amount of the unrecognized benefit with respect to certain of the Company's unrecognized tax positions may significantly decrease within the next 12 months. These changes may be the result of ongoing audits or the expiration of federal and state statutes of limitations for the assessment of taxes.

The Company or one of its subsidiaries files income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, various state jurisdictions, and various non-U.S. jurisdictions. The primary non-federal jurisdictions are California, Canada, India and the United

Kingdom. The Company is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state and non-U.S. income tax examinations by taxing authorities for years prior to 2005.

Note 8 – Earnings Per Share

The computation of basic and diluted earnings per share is as follows:

	Three Mont June 30,	hs Ended	Six Months June 30,	Ended
(in thousands, except per share amounts)	2015	2014	2015	2014
Numerator				
Net income attributable to the Company	\$93,347	\$50,594	\$130,979	\$72,318
Less: dividends and undistributed				
earnings allocated to unvested				
restricted stock units ("RSUs")	88	123	150	176
Net income allocated to common				
stockholders	\$93,259	\$50,471	\$130,829	\$72,142
Denominator				
Basic weighted-average shares	108,459	106,878	108,102	106,522
Effect of dilutive employee stock options				
and RSUs	1,337	1,769	1,484	1,901
Diluted weighted-average shares	109,796	108,647	109,586	108,423
Net income per share attributable to the				
Company's stockholders				
Basic	\$0.86	\$0.47	\$1.21	\$0.68
Diluted	\$0.85	\$0.47	\$1.19	\$0.67

RSUs excluded from weighted-average diluted common shares outstanding due to their antidilutive effect totaled 4 thousand and 2 thousand for the three and six months ended June 30, 2015, respectively. Stock options and RSUs excluded from weighted-average diluted common shares outstanding due to their antidilutive effect for the three and six months ended June 30, 2014 totaled 134 thousand and 133 thousand, respectively.

Net periodic cost related to the Company's defined benefit pension and supplemental benefit plans during the three and six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 includes the following components:

	Three Mor	ths Ended	Six Months Ended June 30,			
	June 30,	June 30,				
(in thousands)	2015	2014	2015	2014		
Expense:						
Service costs	\$ 390	\$ 329	\$780	\$658		
Interest costs	7,009	6,956	14,018	13,912		
Expected						
return on plan						
assets	(5,448)	(4,694)	(10,896)	(9,388)		
Amortization						
of net actuarial	l					
loss	8,492	7,407	16,984	14,814		
Amortization						
of prior service						
credit	(1,041)	(1,038)	(2,082)	(2,076)		
	\$9,402	\$ 8,960	\$18,804	\$17,920		

The Company contributed \$17.7 million to the defined benefit pension and supplemental benefit plans during the six months ended June 30, 2015 and expects to contribute an additional \$18.1 million during the remainder of 2015. These contributions include those required by funding regulations as well as discretionary contributions necessary to provide benefit payments to participants of certain of the Company's non-qualified supplemental benefit plans.

Note 10 - Fair Value Measurements

Certain of the Company's assets are carried at fair value. Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

The Company categorizes its assets and liabilities carried at fair value using a three-level hierarchy for fair value measurements that distinguishes between market participant assumptions developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the Company (observable inputs) and the Company's own assumptions about market participant assumptions developed based on the best information available in the circumstances (unobservable inputs). The hierarchy for inputs used in determining fair value maximizes the use of observable inputs and minimizes the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that observable inputs be used when available. The hierarchy level assigned to the assets and liabilities is based on management's assessment of the transparency and reliability of the inputs used to estimate the fair values at the measurement date. The three hierarchy levels are defined as follows:

Level 1-Valuations based on unadjusted quoted market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2—Valuations based on observable inputs (other than Level 1 prices), such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities at the measurement date; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3—Valuations based on inputs that are unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement, and involve management judgment.

If the inputs used to measure fair value fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy, the hierarchy level assigned is based upon the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

Assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis

The valuation techniques and inputs used by the Company to estimate the fair value of assets measured on a recurring basis, are summarized as follows:

Debt securities

The fair values of debt securities were based on the market values obtained from independent pricing services that were evaluated using pricing models that vary by asset class and incorporate available trade, bid and other market information and price quotes from well-established independent broker-dealers. The independent pricing services monitor market indicators, industry and economic events, and for broker-quoted only securities, obtain quotes from market makers or broker-dealers that they recognize to be market participants. The pricing services utilize the market approach in determining the fair value of the debt securities held by the Company. The Company obtains an understanding of the valuation models and assumptions utilized by the services and has controls in place to determine that the values provided represent fair value. The Company's validation procedures include comparing prices received

from the pricing services to quotes received from other third party sources for certain securities with market prices that are readily verifiable. If the price comparison results in differences over a predefined threshold, the Company will assess the reasonableness of the changes relative to prior periods given the prevailing market conditions and assess changes in the issuers' credit worthiness, performance of any underlying collateral and prices of the instrument relative to similar issuances. To date, the Company has not made any material adjustments to the fair value measurements provided by the pricing services.

Typical inputs and assumptions to pricing models used to value the Company's U.S. Treasury bonds, municipal bonds, foreign bonds, governmental agency bonds, governmental agency mortgage-backed securities and corporate debt securities include, but are not limited to, benchmark yields, reported trades, broker-dealer quotes, credit spreads, credit ratings, bond insurance (if applicable), benchmark securities, bids, offers, reference data and industry and economic events. For mortgage-backed securities, inputs and assumptions may also include the structure of issuance, characteristics of the issuer, collateral attributes and prepayment speeds. Non-agency mortgage-backed securities and certain corporate debt securities were not actively traded and there were fewer observable inputs available requiring the pricing services to use more judgment in determining their fair values, which resulted in their classification as Level 3.

Equity securities

The fair values of equity securities, including preferred and common stocks, were based on quoted market prices for identical assets that are readily and regularly available in an active market.

The following table presents the fair values of the Company's assets measured on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014:

(in thousands)	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		
June 30, 2015	ne 30, 2015					
Assets:						
Debt securities:						
U.S. Treasury						
bonds	\$101,820	\$—	\$101,820	\$—		
Municipal bonds	675,041	_	675,041			
Foreign bonds	192,448	_	192,448	_		
Governmental						
agency bonds	417,729	_	417,729			
Governmental						
agency						
mortgage-backed						
securities	2,013,185	—	2,013,185	—		
Corporate debt						
securities	745,191	—	733,833	11,358		
	4,145,414	—	4,134,056	11,358		
Equity securities:						
Preferred stocks	19,041	19,041		—		
Common stocks	285,040	285,040				
	304,081	304,081		_		
Total assets	\$4,449,495	\$304,081	\$4,134,056	\$11,358		
(in thousands)	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		
December 31,						
2014						
Assets:						
Debt securities:						
U.S. Treasury						
bonds	\$64,982	\$—	\$64,982	\$—		
Municipal bonds	587,677		587,677			

Foreign bonds	196,750	_	196,750	
Governmental				
agency bonds	197,874	_	197,874	_
Governmental				
agency				
mortgage-backed				
securities	1,812,162	—	1,812,162	—
Non-agency				
mortgage-backed				
securities	16,538	_		16,538
Corporate debt				
securities	574,269	_	574,269	
	3,450,252	_	3,433,714	16,538
Equity securities:				
Preferred stocks	15,525	15,525		
Common stocks	386,887	386,887		
	402,412	402,412		
Total assets	\$3,852,664	\$402,412	\$3,433,714	\$16,538

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There were no transfers between Levels 1 and 2 during the three and six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014. Transfers into or out of the Level 3 category occur when unobservable inputs become more or less significant to the fair value measurement. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2015 transfers between Level 2 and Level 3 were based on market liquidity and related transparency of pricing and associated observable inputs for certain of the Company's corporate debt securities. There were no transfers in or out of Level 3 during the three and six months ended June 30, 2014. The Company's policy is to recognize transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period.

The following table presents a summary of the changes in the fair values of Level 3 assets measured on a recurring basis for the three months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014:

	June 30, 2015			June 30, 2014 Non-agency mortgage-backed	
(in thousands)	Corporate debt securities			securities	
Fair value at beginning					
	\$ 32,566		\$	18,646	
Transfers into Level 3	2,504			_	
Transfers out of Level 3	(26,083)		—	
Net realized and					
unrealized gains					
(losses):					
Included in earnings:					
Net realized investment					
losses	(43)		_	
Net					
other-than-temporary					
impairment losses	_			(515)
Included in other				`	í
comprehensive income					
(loss)	(205)		223	
Purchases	4,488	,		_	
Sales	(481)		_	
Settlements	(1,388)		(360)
Fair value at end of		,		× ·	,
period	\$ 11,358		\$	17,994	
Unrealized gains	. ,			,	
(losses) included in					
earnings for the period					
relating to Level 3					
assets that were still					
held at the end of the					
period:					
Net					
other-than-temporary					
	\$ —		\$	(515)
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The following table presents a summary of the changes in the fair values of Level 3 assets measured on a recurring basis for the six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014:

(in thousands)	June 30, 2015 Corporate debt securities	Non-agency mortgage-backed securitie	es Total	June 30, 2014 Non-agency mortgage-backed securities
Fair value at				
beginning of period	l \$—	\$16,538	\$16,538	\$19,022
Transfers into Leve	1			
3	2,504	_	2,504	_
Transfers out of				
Level 3	(26,083) —	(26,083)	_
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses):				
Included in				
earnings:				
Net realized				
investment losses	(41) (1,015) (1,056)	_
Net				
other-than-tempora	ry			
impairment losses	·	_	_	(1,033)
Included in other				
comprehensive				
income (loss)	44	(589) (545)	689
Purchases	37,045		37,045	_
Sales	(653) (14,934) (15,587)	_
Settlements	(1,458) —	(1,458)	(684))
Fair value at end of	•			
period	\$11,358	\$—	\$11,358	\$17,994
Unrealized gains				
(losses) included in				
earnings for the				
period relating to				
Level 3 assets that				
were still held at the	e			
end of the period:				
Net				
other-than-tempora				
impairment losses		\$—	\$—	\$(1,033)
Financial instrumer	nts not measured at	fair value		

In estimating the fair values of its financial instruments not measured at fair value, the Company used the following methods and assumptions:

Cash and cash equivalents

The carrying amount for cash and cash equivalents is a reasonable estimate of fair value due to the short-term maturity of these investments.

Deposits with banks

The fair value of deposits with banks is estimated based on rates currently offered for deposits of similar remaining maturities, where applicable.

Notes receivable, net

The fair value of notes receivable, net is estimated based on the discounted value of the future cash flows using approximate current market rates being offered for notes with similar maturities and similar credit quality.

Deposits

The carrying value of escrow and other deposit accounts approximates fair value due to the short-term nature of this liability.

Notes and contracts payable

The fair value of notes and contracts payable is estimated based on current rates offered to the Company for debt of the same remaining maturities.

The following table presents the carrying amounts and estimated fair values of the Company's financial instruments not measured at fair value as of June 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014:

Carrying Estimated fair value						
(in thousands)	Amount To	otal Level 1	Level 2 Le	evel 3		
June 30, 2015						
Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$1,269,660	\$1,269,660	\$1,269,660	\$—	\$—	
Deposits with banks	\$17,972	\$18,033	\$3,563	\$14,470	\$—	
Notes receivable, net	\$6,177	\$4,428	\$—	\$—	\$4,428	
Liabilities:						
Deposits	\$2,965,293	\$2,965,293	\$2,965,293	\$—	\$—	
Notes and contracts payable	\$584,538	\$588,949	\$—	\$583,838	\$5,111	

Carrying Estimated fair value						
(in thousands)	Amount To	otal Level 1	Level 2 Le	evel 3		
December 31, 2014						
Assets:						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$1,190,080	\$1,190,080	\$1,190,080	\$—	\$—	
Deposits with banks	\$21,445	\$21,540	\$4,068	\$17,472	\$—	
Notes receivable, net	\$6,130	\$3,930	\$—	\$—	\$3,930	
Liabilities:						
Deposits	\$2,332,714	\$2,332,714	\$2,332,714	\$—	\$—	
Notes and contracts payable	\$587,337	\$595,087	\$—	\$588,542	\$6,545	

Note 11 - Share-Based Compensation

The following table presents compensation expense associated with the Company's share-based compensation plans:

Three Months Ended	Six Months Ended
June 30,	June 30,

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(in thousands)	2015	2014	2015	2014
Expense:				
RSUs	\$4,117	\$ 3,091	\$14,219	\$11,365
Stock options	68	68	135	135
Employee				
stock purchase	•			
plan	520	(38)	1,209	1,019
	\$4,705	\$ 3,121	\$15,563	\$12,519
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The following table summarizes RSU activity for the six months ended June 30, 2015:

(in thousands, except weighted-average grant-date fair value)	Shares	Weighted-average grant-date fair value
RSUs unvested at December 31, 2014	2,337	\$21.21
Granted during 2015	721	\$34.76
Vested during 2015	(947)	\$18.12
Forfeited during 2015	(20)	\$28.04
RSUs unvested at June 30, 2015	2,091	\$27.22

The following table summarizes stock option activity for the six months ended June 30, 2015:

			Weighted-	
		Weighted-	average	Aggregate
(in thousands, except weighted-average	Number	average	remaining	intrinsic
exercise price and contractual term)	outstanding	exercise price	contractual term	value
Balance at December 31, 2014	686	\$ 20.18		
Exercised during 2015	(290)	\$ 16.59		
Balance at June 30, 2015	396	\$ 22.82	3.1 years	\$ 5,693
Vested and expected to vest at June 30,				
2015	396	\$ 22.82	3.1 years	\$ 5,693
Exercisable at June 30, 2015	296	\$ 21.19	1.3 years	\$ 4,745

Note 12 – Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

Changes in the balances of each component of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) for the six months ended June 30, 2015 are as follows:

(in thousands)

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	Unrealized gains (losses) on securities	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Pension benefit adjustment	Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		
Balance at December 31,		·				
2014	\$ 10,911	\$ (20,420)	\$(189,580)	\$ (199,089)		
Change in unrealized gains (losses)						

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on securities

Amortization of net actuarial

Amortization of prior service

Tax effect

Balance at

Allocated to

Allocated to noncontrolling interests

Balance at

June 30, 2015 \$ 2,479

the Company \$ 2,468

June 30, 2015 \$ 2,479

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The following table presents the other comprehensive income (loss) reclassification adjustments for the three months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014:

	Unrealized gains (losses)	сι	oreign urrency anslation	ension enefit	(Fotal other comprehensiv	ve.
(in thousands)	on securities			ljustment			ncome (loss)	
Three Months				-	-			
Ended June 30,								
2015								
Pretax change								
before								
reclassifications	\$ (42,784)	\$	4,866	\$ —	5	\$ (37,918)
Reclassification	S							
out of AOCI	(1,039)		_	7,451		6,412	
Tax effect	15,317				(2,850)	12,467	
Total other								
comprehensive								
income (loss),								
net of tax	\$ (28,506)	\$	4,866	\$ 4,601	9	\$ (19,039)
Three Months								
Ended June 30,								
2014								
Pretax change								
before								
reclassifications			\$	11,612	\$ 	e	\$ 41,430	
Reclassification	S							
out of AOCI	(6,840)		—	6,369)
Tax effect	(8,939)		_	(2,477)	(11,416)
Total other comprehensive income (loss),								
net of tax	\$ 14,039			11,612	-		\$ 29,543	

The following table presents the other comprehensive income (loss) reclassification adjustments for the six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014:

		Foreign		Total
	Unrealized	currency	Pension	other
	gains (losses)	translation	benefit	comprehensive
(in thousands)	on securities	adjustment	adjustment	income (loss)
Six Months				
Ended June 30,				

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2015								
Pretax change								
before								
reclassifications	s \$ (14,351)	\$ (13,794)\$			\$ (28,145)
Reclassification	IS							
out of AOCI	1,652		—		14,902		16,554	
Tax effect	4,267				(5,700)	(1,433)
Total other								
comprehensive								
income (loss),								
net of tax	\$ (8,432)	\$ (13,794)\$	9,202		\$ (13,024)
Six Months								
Ended June 30,								
2014								
Pretax change								
before								
reclassifications			\$ 5,572	\$	—		\$ 57,525	
Reclassification								
out of AOCI	(9,009)			12,738		3,729	
Tax effect	(16,705)			(4,955)	(21,660)
Total other								
comprehensive								
income (loss),								
net of tax	\$ 26,239		\$ 5,572	\$	7,783		\$ 39,594	

The following table presents the effect of the reclassifications out of accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) on the respective line items in the condensed consolidated statements of income:

	Amounts reclassified from accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) Three Months						
	Ended		Six Mont	ths Ended			
(in thousands)	June 30 2015	, 2014	June 30, 2015	2014	Affected line items in the condensed consolidated statements of income		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2013	2014	2015	2014	consolidated statements of income		
Unrealized gains (losses) on securities:							
Net realized gains							
(losses) on sales of							
securities	\$1,039	\$7,355	\$(1.652.)	\$10.042	Net realized investment gains		
Net	φ1,009	<i><i><i>q</i> 1</i>,000</i>	\$(1,00 2)	¢10,012	ree realized in estiment gains		
other-than-temporary							
impairment losses		(515)		(1,033)Net realized investment gains		
Pretax total	\$1,039	\$6,840	\$(1,652)	-	,		
Tax effect	\$(363)	\$(2,661)	\$555	\$(3,505)		
Pension benefit							
adjustment:							
Amortization of							
defined benefit							
pension and							
supplemental benefit							
plan items:							
Net actuarial loss			\$(16,984)				
Prior service credit	1,041	1,038		2,076	(1)		
Pretax total			\$(14,902)		3)		
Tax effect	\$2,850	\$2,477	\$5,700	\$4,955			

(1) These accumulated other comprehensive income components are included in the computation of net periodic cost. See Note 9 Employee Benefit Plans for additional details.

Note 13 - Litigation and Regulatory Contingencies

The Company and its subsidiaries are parties to a number of non-ordinary course lawsuits. These lawsuits frequently are similar in nature to other lawsuits pending against the Company's competitors.

For those non-ordinary course lawsuits where the Company has determined that a loss is both probable and reasonably estimable, a liability representing the best estimate of the Company's financial exposure based on known facts has been recorded. Actual losses may materially differ from the amounts recorded.

For a substantial majority of these lawsuits, however, it is not possible to assess the probability of loss. Most of these lawsuits are putative class actions which require a plaintiff to satisfy a number of procedural requirements before proceeding to trial. These requirements include, among others, demonstration to a court that the law proscribes in some manner the Company's activities, the making of factual allegations sufficient to suggest that the Company's activities exceeded the limits of the law and a determination by the court—known as class certification—that the law permits a group of individuals to pursue the case together as a class. In certain instances the Company may also be able to compel the plaintiff to arbitrate its claim on an individual basis. If these procedural requirements are not met, either the lawsuit cannot proceed or, as is the case with class certification or compelled arbitration, the plaintiffs lose the financial incentive to proceed with the case (or the amount at issue effectively becomes de minimis). Frequently, a court's determination as to these procedural requirements is subject to appeal to a higher court. As a result of, among other factors, ambiguities and inconsistencies in the myriad laws applicable to the Company's business and the uniqueness of the factual issues presented in any given lawsuit, the Company often cannot determine the probability of loss until a court has finally determined that a plaintiff has satisfied applicable procedural requirements.

Furthermore, because most of these lawsuits are putative class actions, it is often impossible to estimate the possible loss or a range of loss amounts, even where the Company has determined that a loss is reasonably possible. Generally class actions involve a large number of people and the effort to determine which people satisfy the requirements to become plaintiffs—or class members—is often time consuming and burdensome. Moreover, these lawsuits raise complex factual issues which

result in uncertainty as to their outcome and, ultimately, make it difficult for the Company to estimate the amount of damages which a plaintiff might successfully prove. In addition, many of the Company's businesses are regulated by various federal, state, local and foreign governmental agencies and are subject to numerous statutory guidelines. These regulations and statutory guidelines often are complex, inconsistent or ambiguous, which results in additional uncertainty as to the outcome of a given lawsuit—including the amount of damages a plaintiff might be afforded—or makes it difficult to analogize experience in one case or jurisdiction to another case or jurisdiction.

Most of the non-ordinary course lawsuits to which the Company and its subsidiaries are parties challenge practices in the Company's title insurance business, though a limited number of cases also pertain to the Company's other businesses. These lawsuits include, among others, cases alleging, among other assertions, that the Company, one of its subsidiaries and/or one of its agents:

·charged an improper rate for title insurance in a refinance transaction, including

- ·Levine v. First American Title Insurance Company, filed on February 26, 2009 and pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania,
- ·Lewis v. First American Title Insurance Company, filed on November 28, 2006 and pending in the United States District Court for the District of Idaho, and
- •Raffone v. First American Title Insurance Company, filed on February 14, 2004 and pending in the Circuit Court, Nassau County, Florida.

All of these lawsuits are putative class actions. A court has only granted class certification in Lewis and Raffone. For the reasons stated above, the Company has been unable to assess the probability of loss or estimate the possible loss or the range of loss or, where the Company has been able to make an estimate, the Company believes the amount is immaterial to the condensed consolidated financial statements as a whole.

 purchased minority interests in title insurance agents as an inducement to refer title insurance underwriting business to the Company or gave items of value to title insurance agents and others for referrals of business in violation of the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, including

·Edwards v. First American Financial Corporation, filed on June 12, 2007 and pending in the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

In Edwards a narrow class has been certified. For the reasons stated above, the Company has been unable to estimate the possible loss or the range of loss.

·engaged in the unauthorized practice of law, including

•Gale v. First American Title Insurance Company, et al., filed on October 16, 2006 and pending in the United States District Court of Connecticut.

The class originally certified in Gale was subsequently decertified. For the reasons described above, the Company has not yet been able to assess the probability of loss or estimate the possible loss or the range of loss.

·misclassified certain employees, including

·Sager v. Interthinx, Inc., filed on January 23, 2015 and pending in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles, and

Weber v. Interthinx, Inc., et al., filed on April 17, 2015 and pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri.

All of these lawsuits are putative class actions for which a class has not been certified. For the reasons described above, the Company has not yet been able to assess the probability of loss or estimate the possible loss or the range of loss.

- overcharged or improperly charged fees for products and services, denied home warranty claims, failed to timely file certain documents, and gave items of value to developers, builders and others as inducements to refer business in violation of certain laws, such as consumer protection laws and laws generally prohibiting unfair business practices, and certain obligations, including
- ·Chassen v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on January 22, 2009 and pending in the United States District Court of New Jersey,
- •Gunning v. First American Title Insurance Company, filed on July 14, 2008 and pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky,
- •Kaufman v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on December 21, 2007 and pending in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles,
- ·Kirk v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on June 15, 2006 and pending in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles,
- •Sjobring v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on February 25, 2005 and pending in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles,
- Snyder v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on June 21, 2014 and pending in the United States District Court for the District of Colorado,
- ·Wilmot v. First American Financial Corporation, et al., filed on April 20, 2007 and pending in the Superior Court of the State of California, County of Los Angeles, and
- •In re First American Home Buyers Protection Corporation, consolidated on October 9, 2014 and pending in the United States District Court for the Southern District of California.

All of these lawsuits, except Kaufman and Kirk, are putative class actions for which a class has not been certified. In Kaufman a class was certified but that certification was subsequently vacated. A trial of the Kirk matter has concluded, plaintiff has filed a notice of appeal and the Company filed a cross appeal. For the reasons described above, the Company has not yet been able to assess the probability of loss or estimate the possible loss or the range of loss or, where the Company has been able to make an estimate, the Company believes the amount is immaterial to the condensed consolidated financial statements as a whole.

While some of the lawsuits described above may be material to the Company's operating results in any particular period if an unfavorable outcome results, the Company does not believe that any of these lawsuits will have a material adverse effect on the Company's overall financial condition or liquidity.

The Company also is a party to non-ordinary course lawsuits other than those described above. With respect to these lawsuits, the Company has determined either that a loss is not reasonably possible or that the estimated loss or range of loss, if any, is not material to the condensed consolidated financial statements as a whole.

The Company's title insurance, property and casualty insurance, home warranty, banking, thrift, trust and investment advisory businesses are regulated by various federal, state and local governmental agencies. Many of the Company's other businesses operate within statutory guidelines. Consequently, the Company may from time to time be subject to examination or investigation by such governmental agencies. Currently, governmental agencies are examining or investigating certain of the Company's operations. These exams or investigations include inquiries into, among other matters, pricing and rate setting practices in the title insurance industry, competition in the title insurance industry, real estate settlement service customer acquisition and retention practices and agency relationships. With respect to

matters where the Company has determined that a loss is both probable and reasonably estimable, the Company has recorded a liability representing its best estimate of the financial exposure based on known facts. While the ultimate disposition of each such exam or investigation is not yet determinable, the Company does not believe that individually or in the aggregate they will have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, results of operations or cash flows. These exams or investigations could, however, result in changes to the Company's business practices which could ultimately have a material adverse impact on the Company's financial condition, results of operations or cash flows.

The Company's Canadian operations provide certain services to lenders which it believes to be exempt from excise tax under applicable Canadian tax laws. However, in October 2014, the Canadian taxing authority provided internal guidance that the services in question should be subject to the excise tax. While discussions with the taxing authority are ongoing, the Company believes that the guidance may result in an assessment. The amount, if any, of such assessment is not currently known, and any such assessment would be subject to negotiation. In the event that the Company disagrees with the ultimate assessment, the Company intends to avail itself of avenues of appeal. While the Company believes it is reasonably likely that the Company would prevail on the merits, a loss associated with the matter is possible. In light of the foregoing, the Company is not currently able to reasonably estimate a loss or range of loss associated with the matter. While such a loss could be material to the Company's operating results in any particular period if an unfavorable outcome results, the Company does not believe that this matter will have a material adverse effect on the Company's overall financial condition or liquidity.

The Company and its subsidiaries also are involved in numerous ongoing routine legal and regulatory proceedings related to their operations. With respect to each of these proceedings, the Company has determined either that a loss is not reasonably possible or that the estimated loss or range of loss, if any, is not material to the condensed consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Note 14 - Segment Information

The Company consists of the following reportable segments and a corporate function:

• The Company's title insurance and services segment issues title insurance policies on residential and commercial property in the United States and offers similar or related products and services internationally. This segment also provides closing and/or escrow services; accommodates tax-deferred exchanges of real estate; provides products, services and solutions involving the use of real property related data designed to mitigate risk or otherwise facilitate real estate transactions; maintains, manages and provides access to title plant records and images; and provides banking, trust and investment advisory services. The Company, through its principal title insurance subsidiary and such subsidiary's affiliates, transacts its title insurance business through a network of direct operations and agents. Through this network, the Company issues policies in the 49 states that permit the issuance of title insurance policies and the District of Columbia. The Company also offers title insurance and other insurance and guarantee products, as well as related settlement services in foreign countries, including Canada, the United Kingdom, Australia and various other established and emerging markets.

•The Company's specialty insurance segment issues property and casualty insurance policies and sells home warranty products. The property and casualty insurance business provides insurance coverage to residential homeowners and renters for liability losses and typical hazards such as fire, theft, vandalism and other types of property damage. This business is licensed to issue policies in all 50 states and the District of Columbia and actively issues policies in 46 states. In certain markets it also offers preferred risk auto insurance to better compete with other carriers offering bundled home and auto insurance. The home warranty business provides residential service contracts that cover

residential systems, such as heating and air conditioning systems, and appliances against failures that occur as the result of normal usage during the coverage period. This business currently operates in 39 states and the District of Columbia.

The corporate function consists primarily of certain financing facilities as well as the corporate services that support the Company's business operations. Eliminations consist of inter-segment revenues and related expenses included in the results of the operating segments.

Selected financial information, by reporting segment, is as follows:

For the three months ended June 30, 2015:

(in thousands)	Revenues	Income (loss) before income taxes	Depreciation and amortization	Capital expenditures
Title Insurance	e			•
and Services	\$1,227,058	\$ 154,738	\$ 20,164	\$ 28,841
Specialty				
Insurance	97,653	10,590	1,177	1,123
Corporate	(893)	(23,706)	122	
Eliminations	(29)			_
	\$1,323,789	\$ 141,622	\$ 21,463	\$ 29,964

For the three months ended June 30, 2014:

(in thousands)	Revenues	Income (loss) before income taxes	Depreciation and amortization	Capital expenditures
Title Insurance	2			-
and Services	\$1,055,395	\$ 84,837	\$ 17,623	\$ 18,028
Specialty				
Insurance	91,184	11,035	1,338	878
Corporate	3,779	(19,414) 819	
Eliminations	(389)			
	\$1,149,969	\$ 76,458	\$ 19,780	\$ 18,906

For the six months ended June 30, 2015:

			Income (loss) before	·	Depreciation and	Capital
(in thousands)	Revenues	i	ncome taxes		amortization	expenditures
Title Insurance	e					-
and Services	\$2,246,830	5	\$ 224,238	:	\$ 39,690	\$ 60,159
Specialty						
Insurance	192,189		27,764		2,382	1,877
Corporate	(3,720)	(51,432)	245	

Eliminations (426) — — — — — \$2,434,873 \$ 200,570 \$ 42,317 \$ 62,036 For the six months ended June 30, 2014:

		Income (loss)	Depreciation	
		before	and	Capital
(in thousands)	Revenues	income taxes	amortization	expenditures
Title Insuranc	e			
and Services	\$1,980,724	\$ 127,473	\$ 35,537	\$ 38,007
Specialty				
Insurance	178,325	24,933	2,577	2,056
Corporate	4,498	(40,695)	1,638	
Eliminations	(779)			
	\$			