## Lloyd's Asia

# Political Risk & Credit



Economic disruption and political instability will remain a recurring theme throughout 2021, which will continue to elevate Political Risk & Credit insurance to the forefront of essential risk management. The Lloyd's Asia Political Risk & Credit platform has a diverse range of capabilities and products, with year-on-year increased levels of market capacity to protect the valuable financial assets and overseas investments of both lenders and business owners for the uncertain times ahead.

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## **Talent and expertise**

Diverse level of underwriting expertise across the full spectrum of credit and political risk products; ten service companies with physical underwriting presence based in Singapore writing credit and political risk with combined aggregate capacity of more than USD500m in each core risk category: Credit Risk, Contract Frustration and Political Risk.



## Specialist and bespoke coverage

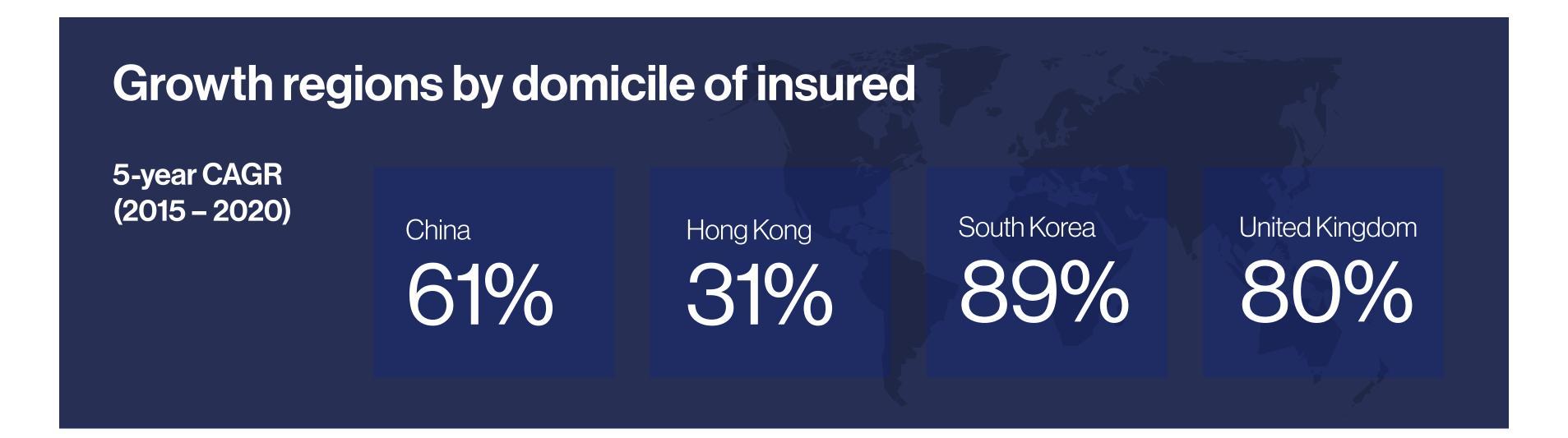
Open to looking at a wide range of risks and structures meeting the ever-changing requirements of buyers in the market.



## Keeping pace with changing market landscapes

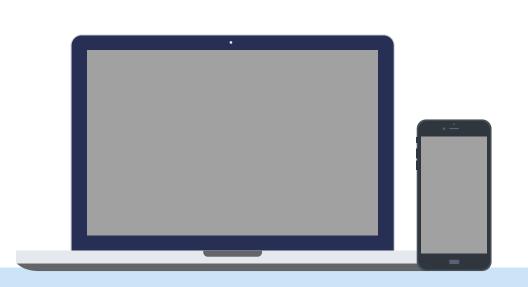
In line with Lloyd's plan for becoming a truly sustainable marketplace, insurance businesses in the Lloyd's market are looking to develop their own ESG approaches and frameworks in order to integrate ESG principles in their business activities. A particular area of alignment in the field of sustainability and a strategic focus for a number of underwriters on the Singapore platform is the financing of renewable energy projects, primarily wind and solar projects, as the transition towards low carbon (or net zero) economies accelerates.

- Over USD180m GWP written from the Lloyd's Asia platform from 2016 to 2020 across all Political Risk & Credit lines of business.
- Political Risk & Credit 4-year CAGR (2016 2020): 4%



## **Appetite matrix**

Service Company	Political Risks (PR)		Trade Risks Political (CF)		Trade Risks Commercial (CR)		Non-Trade (NT)	
	Max limit per risk (USDm)	Max tenor (years)						
Argenta	20	7	20	7	20	5	0	0
AXA XL	200	20	200	20	150	20	150	20
Beazley	50	10	50	10	30	7	0	0
Canopius	100	15	100	15	100	15	100	15
Chaucer	40	12	40	12	20	7	20	7
Markel	30	10	30	10	100	7	20	5
MS Amlin	40	12	40	12	10	5	40	12
Talbot	50	7	50	7	20	7	10	7
Tokio Marine Kiln	75	7	75	7	75	5	0	0
Total Lloyd's Asia capacity (USDm)	605		605		525		340	



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