



Alabama Residual Market State Activity Report

Annual 2023



Executive Summary

NCCI, as Pool and Plan Administrator of the Alabama Workers Compensation Insurance Plan, is pleased to provide the Annual 2023 *Alabama Residual Market State Activity Report*.

Readers will notice that the order of our charts and tables has been reorganized, based on customer feedback. This will provide a more streamlined picture of the key measurement factors and issues relating to the operation of the Alabama Plan. Residual Market demographics contained in this report include:

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Residual Market Demographics

Residual Market Total Policies and Premium in Force

As of December 31, 2023—compared to prior year

Total number of Assigned Risk Plan policies and estimated premium volume in force reported as of the date listed above. The other exhibits in this report describe quarterly and year-to-date data.

	2023	2022	2023 vs. 2022 #	2023 vs. 2022 %
Policy Count	1,369	1,352	17	1.3%
Premium Volume	\$9,242,967	\$12,221,974	-\$2,979,007	-24.4%

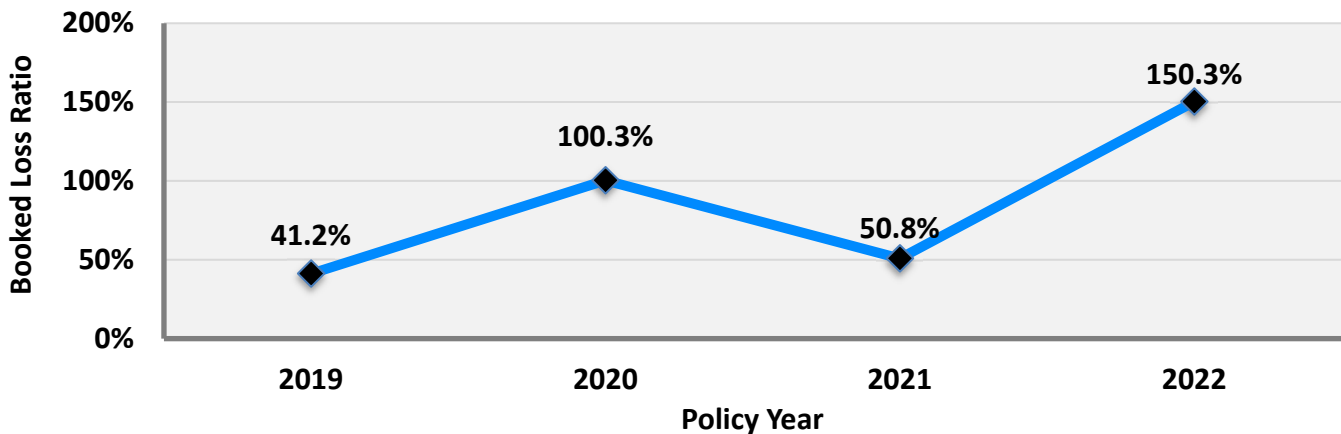


Residual Market Demographics

Alabama Residual Market Reinsurance Pool Booked Loss Ratio (Projected to Ultimate)

Policy Year Financial Results through 3rd Quarter 2023 for 2022 and prior years*

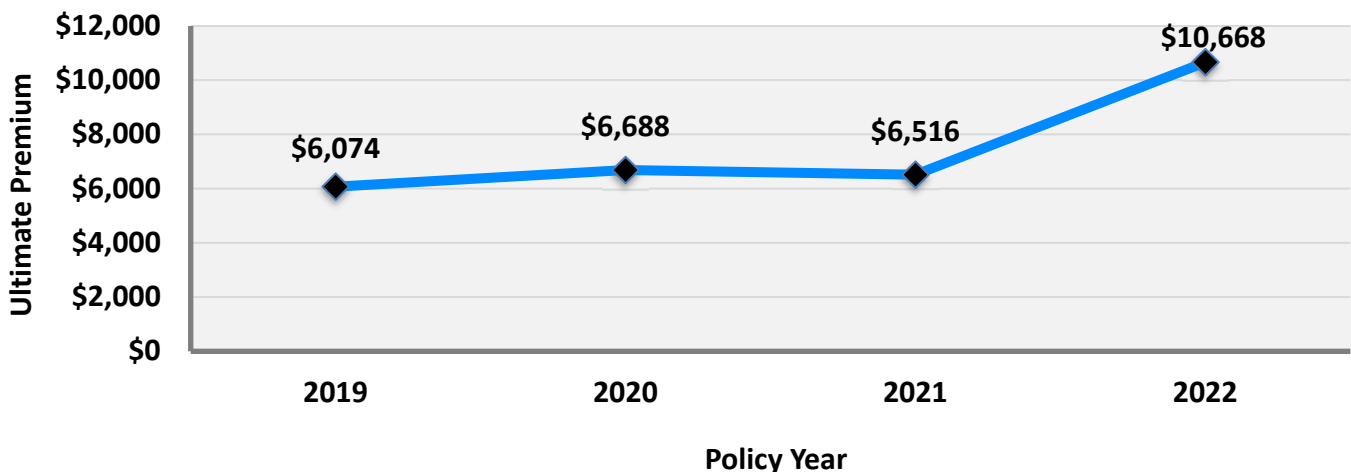
The ratio of total incurred losses to total net premiums (net of uncollectible premium) in a given period, in this state, expressed as a percentage.



Alabama Residual Market Reinsurance Pool Ultimate Net Written Premium (Projected to Ultimate) (000's)

Policy Year Financial Results through 3rd Quarter 2023 for 2022 and prior years*

The premium charged by an insurance company for coverage provided by an insurance contract for the policy period in this state.



*4th Quarter 2023 data will be available the end of April 2024 due to the timing of data reporting

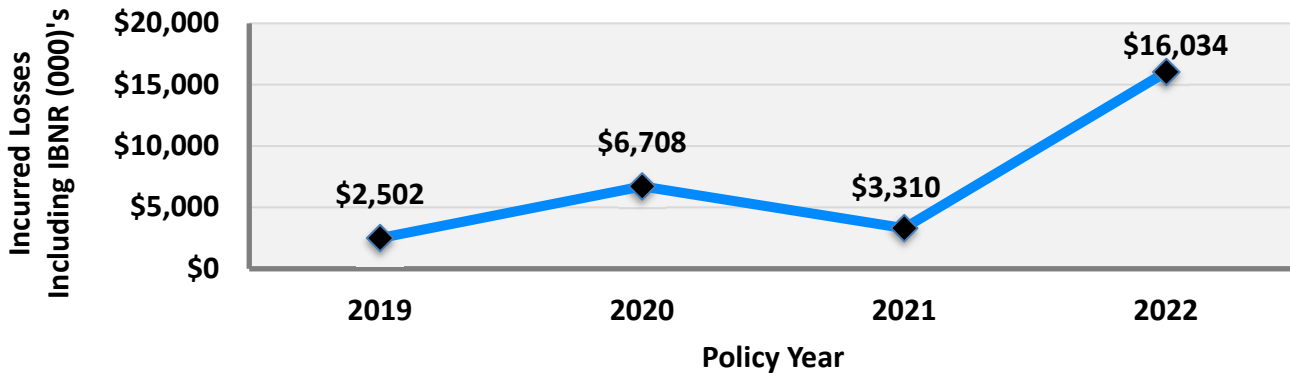


Residual Market Demographics

Alabama Residual Market Reinsurance Pool Net Operating Results (Projected to Ultimate) Incurred Losses

Policy Year Financial Results through 3rd Quarter 2023 for 2022 and prior years*

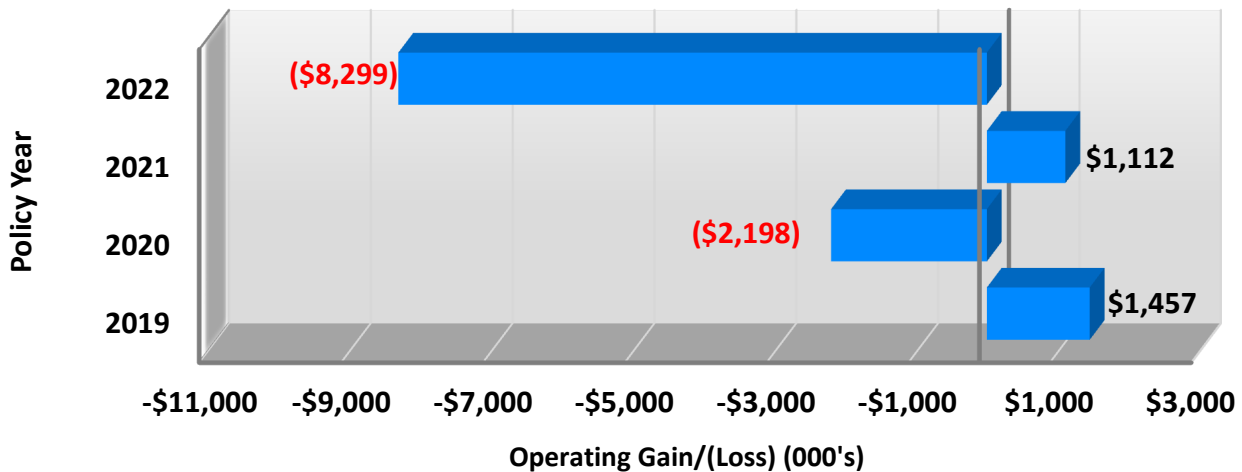
Policy year incurred losses reflect paid losses, case reserves and IBNR reserves for policies written in a particular policy year in that state.



Alabama Residual Market Reinsurance Pool Net Operating Results (Projected to Ultimate) Estimated Net Operating Gain/(Loss) (000's)

Policy Year Financial Results through 3rd Quarter 2023 for 2022 and prior years*

The financial statement presentation that reflects the excess of earned premium over incurred losses, less all operating expenses, plus all investment income in that state.



*4th Quarter 2023 data will be available the end of April 2024 due to the timing of data reporting



Residual Market Demographics

Collections/Indemnification

The following shows a comparison of gross written premium and uncollectible premium reported in Alabama for Policy Years 2019-2023, obtained through NP-4 and NP-5 reports including traumatic and black lung claims, evaluated through 3rd Quarter 2023.

Policy Year	Gross Written Premium \$	Uncollectible Premium \$	Percentage
2019	6,753,090	679,116	10.1%
2020	7,393,007	704,890	9.5%
2021	8,512,035	1,968,001	23.1%
2022	11,795,885	--	--
2023	5,192,549	--	--

* The uncollectible premiums provided are reported by the servicing carriers on a quarterly basis. Uncollectible premium is generally reported up to 24 months after the policy expiration date due to audit, billing, and collection requirements. Therefore, the uncollectible premium data has not yet developed for the more recent policy years.



Residual Market Demographics

Voluntary Coverage Assistance Program

Annual Data through December 31, 2023

The volume of assigned risk applications redirected to the voluntary market through NCCI's **VCAP[®] Service**. The following shows the results **VCAP[®] Service** has provided during Annual 2023.

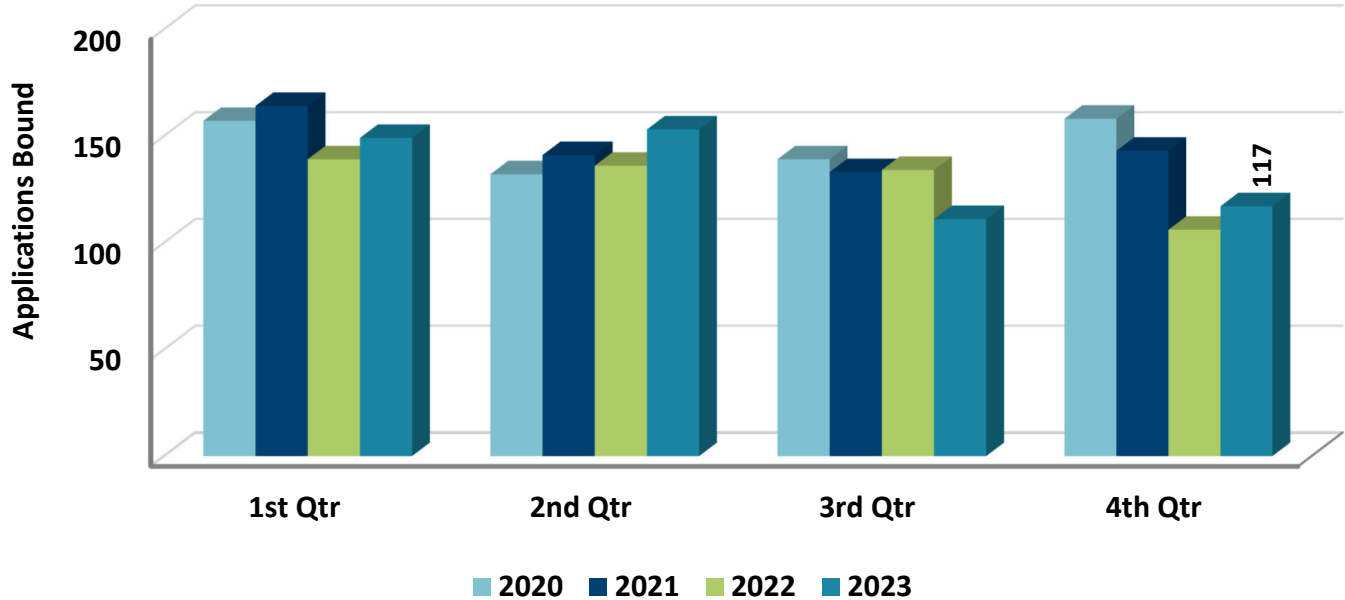
Number of Applications Reviewed by VCAP[®] Service	595
Number of VCAP[®] Service Matches	460
VCAP[®] Service Offers as a % of Matches	13.48%
Number of Confirmed VCAP[®] Service Policies	61
Confirmed VCAP[®] Service Policies as a % of Applications Reviewed	10.25%
Savings as a % of Redirected Assigned Risk Premium	14.85%



Residual Market Demographics

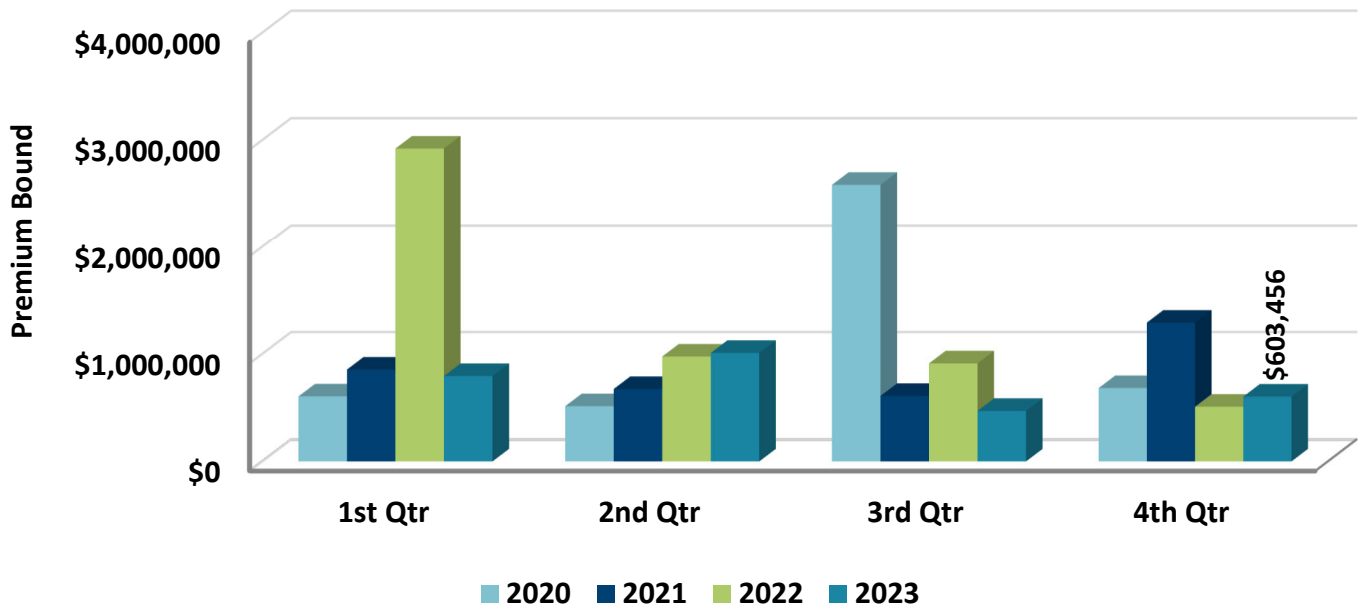
Total Applications Bound — 2020 vs. 2021 vs. 2022 vs. 2023

The number of applications—both new and reassignment—that are assigned to a Servicing Carrier or a Direct Assignment Carrier (if applicable).



Total Application Premium Bound — 2020 vs. 2021 vs. 2022 vs. 2023

The total estimated premium on bound applications—both new and reassignment—that are assigned to a Servicing Carrier or a Direct Assignment Carrier (if applicable).



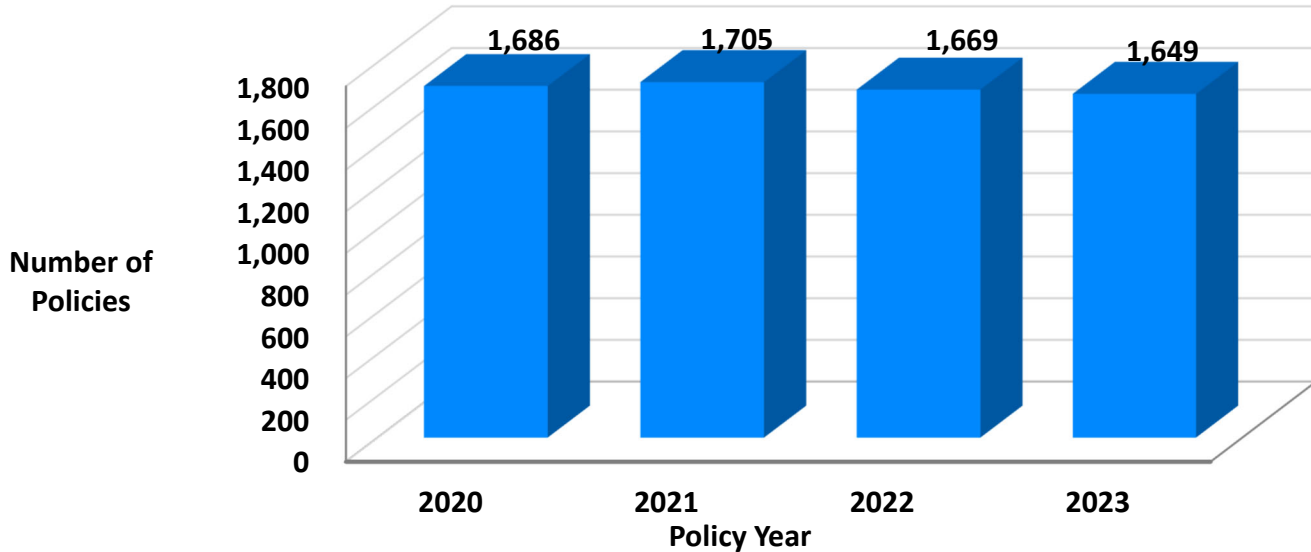


Residual Market Demographics

Residual Market Total Policy Counts

Annual Data for Policies Reported through December 31, 2023

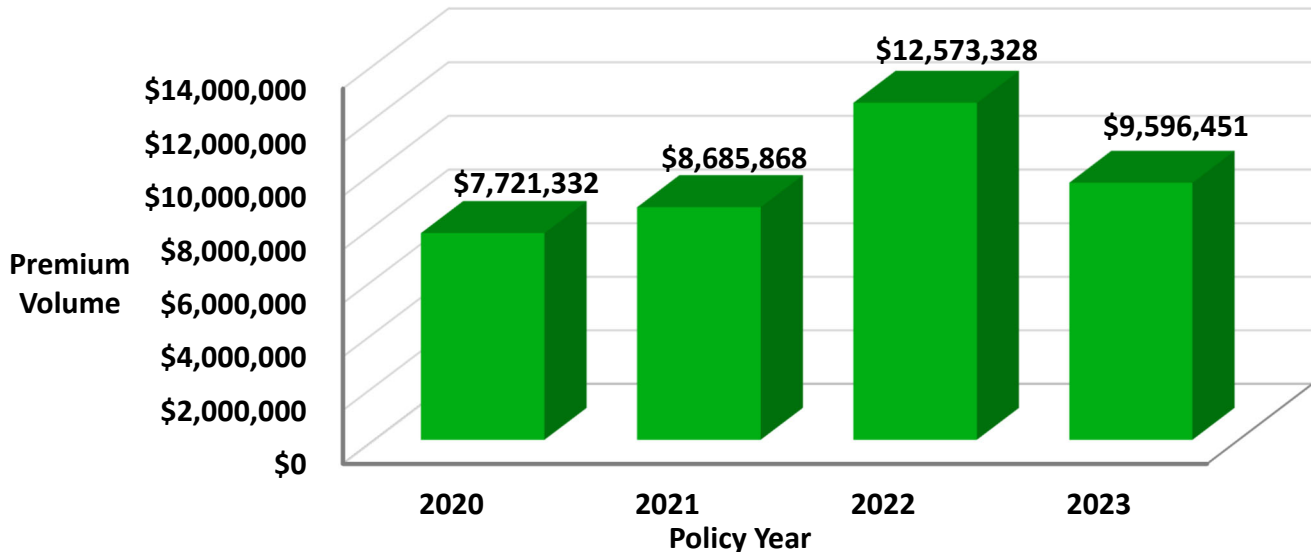
Total number of all Assigned Risk Plan policies with effective dates during the calendar period listed above.



Residual Market Total Premium Volume

Annual Data Reported through December 31, 2023

Total amount of all Assigned Risk Plan premium with effective dates during the calendar period listed above.





Residual Market Demographics

Total Premium Distribution by Size of Risk Annual Data Reported through December 31, 2023

The total number of Assigned Risk Plan policies reported to NCCI by Direct Assignment and Servicing Carriers in a premium range as of the date listed above.

Premium Interval	Policy Count	% of Total Policies	Total State Premium \$	% of Total Premium	Average Premium \$
\$0- \$2499	1,125	68.2	1,494,684	15.6	1,329
\$2500- \$4999	204	12.4	738,975	7.7	3,622
\$5000- \$9999	146	8.9	1,031,872	10.8	7,068
\$10000- \$19999	97	5.9	1,323,180	13.8	13,641
\$20000- \$49999	54	3.3	1,591,078	16.6	29,464
\$50000- \$99999	15	0.9	1,011,055	10.5	67,404
\$100000- \$199999	6	0.4	744,104	7.8	124,017
\$2000000+	2	0.1	1,661,503	17.3	830,752
Total	1,649	100.0	9,596,451	100.0	5,820

Annual 2022 Data for Comparison

Premium Interval	Policy Count	% of Total Policies	Total State Premium \$	% of Total Premium	Average Premium \$
\$0- \$2499	1,100	65.9	1,449,508	11.5	1,318
\$2500- \$4999	197	11.8	696,984	5.5	3,538
\$5000- \$9999	171	10.2	1,210,992	9.6	7,082
\$10000- \$19999	101	6.1	1,391,420	11.1	13,776
\$20000- \$49999	67	4.0	1,975,074	15.7	29,479
\$50000- \$99999	20	1.2	1,428,255	11.4	71,413
\$100000- \$199999	10	0.6	1,469,088	11.7	146,909
\$2000000+	3	0.2	2,952,007	23.5	984,002
Total	1,669	100.0	12,573,328	100.0	7,533



Residual Market Demographics

Residual Market Top 10 Classification Codes by Policy Count Annual Data Reported through December 31, 2023

The top 10 governing class codes by total policy count—policies issued by Servicing Carriers and Direct Assignment Carriers in this state as of the date listed above.

Rank	Code and Description	Policy Count	% of Policies
1	5551 - Roofing-All Kinds & Drivers	215	13.0
2	7711 - Firefighters & Drivers - Volunteer	208	12.6
3	5645 - Carpentry Construction of Residential Dwellings Not Exceeding Three Stories in Height	160	9.7
4	5474 - Painting NOC & Shop Operations, Drivers	72	4.4
5	5437 - Carpentry-Installation of Cabinet Work or Interior Trim	45	2.7
6	5606 - Contractor - Project Manager, Construction Executive, Construction Manager, or Construction Superintendent	44	2.7
7	7600 - Telecommunications Co. - Cable TV, or Satellite - All Other Employees & Drivers	42	2.5
8	5445 - Wallboard, Sheetrock, Drywall, Plasterboard, or Cement Board Installation - Within Buildings & Drivers	40	2.4
9	0106 - Tree Pruning, Spraying, Repairing - All Operations & Drivers	34	2.1
10	9014 - Janitorial Services by Contractors-No Window Cleaning Above Ground Level & Drivers	32	1.9

Residual Market Top 10 Classification Codes by Premium Volume Annual Data Reported through December 31, 2023

The top 10 governing class codes by premium volume written on total policies issued by Servicing Carriers and Direct Assignment Carriers in this state as of the date listed above.

Rank	Code and Description	Premium \$	% of Premium
1	9179 - Athletic Sports or Park: Contact Sports	1,501,046	15.6
2	5551 - Roofing-All Kinds & Drivers	851,398	8.9
3	5645 - Carpentry Construction Of Residential Dwellings Not Exceeding Three Stories in Height	586,299	6.1
4	7711 - Firefighters & Drivers - Volunteer	425,202	4.4
5	5474 - Painting NOC & Shop Operations, Drivers	400,483	4.2
6	4101 - Glass Mfg.-& Drivers	250,486	2.6
7	0106 - Tree Pruning, Spraying, Repairing - All Operations & Drivers	240,686	2.5
8	9178 - Athletic Sports or Park: Noncontact Sports	192,930	2.0
9	5606 - Contractor - Project Manager, Construction Executive, Construction Manager, or Construction Superintendent	167,404	1.7
10	9016 - Amusement Park or Exhibition Operation & Drivers	165,713	1.7



Glossary of Terms

Applications Bound—The applications that are actually assigned to a Servicing Carrier or Direct Assignment Carrier (if applicable).

Earned Premium or Premiums Earned—That portion of written premiums applicable to the expired portion of the time for which the insurance was in effect. When used as an accounting term, “premiums earned” describes the premiums written during a period, plus the unearned premiums at the beginning of the period, less the unearned premiums at the end of the period.

In Force (Policies/Premium)—All policies and associated estimated premium that are current as of a given date.

Incurred But Not Reported (IBNR)—Pertaining to losses where the events that will result in a loss, and eventually a claim, have occurred, but have not yet been reported to the insurance company. The term may also include “bulk” reserves for estimated future development of case reserves.

Loss Ratio—The ratio of total incurred losses to total earned premiums in a given period, expressed as a percentage. The formula for loss ratio is $(\text{loss} + \text{loss adjustment expense}) / \text{earned premium}$.

Premium Bound—The total estimated annual premium on bound applications.

Underwriting Gain/ (Loss)—The financial statement presentation that reflects the excess of earned premium over incurred losses.

VCAP[®] Service—Voluntary Coverage Assistance Program is a supplemental program to NCCI’s Workers Compensation Insurance Plan. As part of NCCI’s strategic vision of maintaining and depopulating the residual market, NCCI’s **VCAP[®] Service** redirects coverage opportunities for employers to voluntary market insurers, which generally provide coverage at a lower cost. **VCAP[®] Service** provides an additional source for producers and employers to secure voluntary workers compensation coverage prior to entering the residual market for coverage.