

LFRTLSC: Draft Target Surplus Discussion Note

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Background

- Discussion note to be developed to provide some guiding considerations
- Not prescriptive, but covering points to consider for practitioners considering the issues
- Currently a DRAFT for discussion and feedback



Aim of Session

To gather feedback

Overview of Note

- Background
- Definitional Points
 - What is Target Surplus?
 - What is Target Surplus policy?

Issues for Consideration

- Assessing level of target surplus
 - Time horizon
 - Benchmark
 - Tolerance for breaches
 - Stakeholder management
 - Interaction with other measures
 - Use of ranges of acceptable outcomes

Issues for Consideration (cont'd)

- Modelling Issues
 - Identification and assessment of risks
 - Quantification methodology
 - Tail issues
 - Allowance for correlation
 - Assessment of plans for dealing with adverse scenarios



Issues for Consideration (cont'd)

- Moving Forward
 - Frequency of assessment of position and triggers for review
 - Frequency of review of assessment of target?
 - Ranges of acceptable outcomes
 - Review of policy
 - Assessment of consistency of management actions over time



Discussion



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