

# CORPORATE PRESENTATION

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# AGNC AT A GLANCE

### AGNC AT A GLANCE

AGNC Investment Corp. (Nasdaq: AGNC) is an internally managed mortgage REIT built with the objective of generating favorable long-term stockholder returns with a substantial yield component through levered investments in Agency residential mortgage-backed securities (Agency MBS).

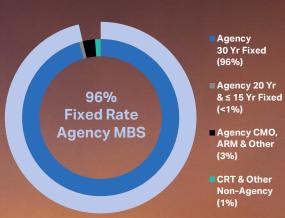
We invest predominantly in high-quality Agency MBS assets guaranteed against credit losses by Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, or Ginnie Mae while maintaining investment flexibility through opportunistic allocations to non-Agency assets, including GSE credit risk transfer securities (CRT).

Our team is comprised of industry experts with extensive experience managing mortgage assets across market cycles and has produced an exceptional long-term track record for our stockholders throughout our 16+ year history.

**THE OPPORTUNITY** | Agency-guaranteed residential MBS investments paired with highly attractive funding

**THE OBJECTIVE** | Favorable longterm stockholder returns with a substantial yield component

**THE IMPACT** | Permanent capital supporting American homeownership across generations



2008
YEAR FOUNDED

\$78.9 B
INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

\$10.0 B
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY CAPITAL

427%

TOTAL STOCK RETURN SINCE IPO

\$14 B+

DIVIDENDS PAID SINCE INCEPTION

1.24%

**OPERATING EXPENSE STRUCTURE** 



### OUR MISSION AND VALUES

### A STOCKHOLDER-DRIVEN MISSION

At AGNC, our mission is to generate attractive yield-driven total returns for our stockholders through a specialized approach to Agency MBS investing, which in turn supports the American economy and promotes social mobility through increased access to homeownership.

### **OUR CORE VALUES**

STEWARDSHIP

Our commitment to responsible stewardship of our stockholders' capital is unwavering, and we value our ability to connect our stockholders to a highly impactful asset class.



Since inception, we have maintained our core specialization in Agency MBS, becoming an industry leader in this asset class with a remarkable track record of long-term stockholder returns.



We have long been recognized for our comprehensive financial disclosure, transparent communications, and a stockholder-focused approach to capital management.



Our employees are our greatest asset, and our collaborative environment promotes engagement, inclusivity, and curiosity, which in turn drives innovation and enhances operational performance.

# OUR HISTORY: BECOMING AN INDUSTRY LEADER

AGNC was formed in 2008 – in the midst of the Great Financial Crisis – when our founders saw an opportunity to create a best-in-class Agency MBS investor with a differentiated approach.

Since then, we have navigated a myriad of market cycles, exogenous events, and macroeconomic volatility, producing exceptional long-term returns for our stockholders and facilitating American homeownership.

### 2008 - 2011

- AGNC completes \$300 M IPO and concurrent private placement
- AGNC is added to the Russell 3000 Index
- Peter Federico, Gary Kain, and Chris Kuehl join AGNC from Freddie Mac with significant mortgage industry experience
- AGNC surpasses \$5 B in equity capital

### 2012 - 2015

- AGNC successfully navigates the "taper tantrum," the first significant market downturn following the end of the GFC
- AGNC begins declaring monthly common stock dividends
- AGNC forms Bethesda Securities, our FINRA member broker-dealer with direct access to the FICC, which significantly enhances our competitive funding advantages

#### 2016 - 2019

- AGNC internalizes our management structure through the acquisition of our external manager, establishing an industryleading cost structure
- Following internalization, AGNC adopts a stockholderaligned incentive compensation program and begins providing extensive executive compensation disclosure
- AGNC expands our investment strategy to include credit-sensitive assets to supplement our Agency MBS portfolio

#### 2020 - Present

- AGNC navigates the global COVID-19 pandemic, proactively responding to rapidly deteriorating markets while maintaining business continuity and prioritizing employee well-being
- AGNC seamlessly completes leadership succession plan, with Peter Federico transitioning to CEO
- AGNC begins publishing annual ESG reports with supplementary disclosures under SASB and TCFD frameworks
- Nareit awards AGNC multiple Investor CARE Awards
- AGNC receives multiple Great Place to Work Certifications™

### EXPERIENCED EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP

Our seasoned management team is comprised of financial services experts with decades of experience successfully navigating the mortgage finance market and managing levered Agency MBS portfolios throughout market cycles.

### 30 Years

#### AVERAGE PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE



36 Years EXPERIENCE

**Executive Officer &** 

Chief Investment Officer

13 Years WITH AGNC





Bernie Bell EVP & Chief Financial Officer

30 Years
EXPERIENCE

16 Years WITH AGNC







EVP, General Counsel & Secretary

31 Years EXPERIENCE

8 Years WITH AGNC



Arnold&Porter



24 Years

11 Years WITH AGNC

**EXPERIENCE** 



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# THE AGENCY MBS MARKET OPPORTUNITY

### AGENCY MBS: AN OVERVIEW OF THE ASSET

Agency mortgage-backed securities (MBS) are fixed income securities representing interests in pools of mortgage loans secured by residential real property.

The principal and interest payments on these securities are guaranteed by one of three Agencies: Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac, U.S. Government-sponsored enterprises (GSEs), or Ginnie Mae, a U.S. government agency.

- In the event borrowers default or make late payments on their mortgages, the Agencies guarantee and advance these payments to security holders to make them whole for the borrowers' missed payment(s).
- In order to be able to sell mortgages to the Agencies, lenders must adhere to rigorous underwriting and servicing standards; non-conforming mortgages must be retained by the lender or sold to a non-Agency investor and would not qualify to be included in an Agency MBS pool.

### These securities can be structured in several ways:

- Pass-through certificates: monthly payments of principal and interest made by the individual borrowers on the underlying mortgage loans are in effect "passed through" to the security holders, after deducting guarantee and servicing fees, on a pro rata basis.
- "To-be-announced" securities (TBAs): forward contracts to purchase or sell passthrough certificates with specified characteristics on a future settlement date in accordance with certain pricing and terms, with the actual bonds only identified shortly before the settlement date.

TBAs are effectively off-balance sheet financed assets that typically provide an implied financing benefit and lower margin requirements relative to MBS investments.

Collateralized mortgage obligations (CMOs): structured investments backed by a pool of Agency MBS.

#### TYPICAL LOAN CHARACTERISTICS

Loan size capped at \$807K in most of the U.S.

Loan size capped at \$1.2M in high-cost areas

Fully amortizing with fixed interest rate

Typically a 30-, 20-, 15- or 10-year term

Prepayable with no penalty

### **Illustrative Pass- Through Economics**

### **7.00%** Weighted Average Mortgage Rate

Interest rate paid by borrowers on underlying loans' unpaid principal balances (UPB)

#### - 0.70% Agency Guarantee Fee

Fee paid by security holders to Agencies for guaranteeing principal and interest payments

#### - 0.30% Mortgage Servicing Fee

Fee paid by security holders to mortgage servicers for servicing the loans on an ongoing basis

#### 6.00% Agency MBS Coupon (Asset Yield)

Net interest rate, or asset yield, received by security holders after deducting fees

### THE AGENCY MBS LIFECYCLE

"The market for Agency mortgage-backed securities...is closely linked to the Treasury market and critically supports the ability of people to get a mortgage to buy a house or refinance an existing mortgage."

JEROME POWELL, CHAIR OF THE U.S. FEDERAL RESERVE | FOMC PRESS CONFERENCE, MARCH 2020

### **Homeowners Apply**



- The \$48 trillion U.S. single family housing market is supported by over \$13 trillion in mortgage debt, or approximately 30% of the total market
- The availability of mortgages is crucial to helping homeowners and prospective buyers afford their dream homes and build equity over time



### **Capital Recycles**

Investors' capital flows back to lenders, who then originate more loans for other borrowers, and the cycle continues

- The flow of capital throughout the housing ecosystem is critical to ensure and increase the availability of financing to homeowners
- As monthly cash flows are received, investors generate yield and actively reinvest capital into new Agency MBS pools

### **Lenders Originate**



- Lender analyzes borrower's income, assets, employment, and credit history to minimize risk of homeowner default on the loan
- Borrower is approved for mortgage if proper requirements are met, and the property serves as collateral to secure the loan

#### **Investors Purchase**

AGNC and other investors purchase Agency MBS and receive monthly cash flows from underlying loan payments

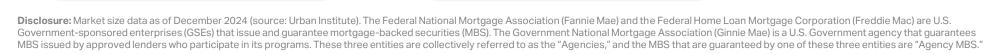
- Agency MBS provide attractive yields for investors seeking income without default risk, such as banks, pension funds, ETFs, and REITs
- MBS investors receive monthly distributions of the cash flows generated by principal and interest payments from the pool of mortgages



# Agencies bundle conforming mortgages into guaranteed securities (Agency MBS)

- Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, and Ginnie Mae guarantee millions of conforming mortgages originated by U.S. lenders each year, which protects investors in the event that homeowners default on these loans
- Each MBS represents a diversified pool of thousands of mortgages secured by residential properties across the U.S. that conform with the Agencies' rigorous underwriting standards
- Post-Great Financial Crisis, the GSEs receive explicit government support through the Preferred Stock Purchase Agreements (PSPAs)





## AGENCY MBS: A FAVORABLE BUILDING BLOCK FOR ANY PORTFOLIO

Agency MBS assets benefit from compelling fundamentals and favorable attributes that make them a critical building block of any investment portfolio.

# Large and Highly Liquid Market

- Massive fixed income asset class with substantial trading liquidity
- Second largest fixed income market, after U.S. Treasuries, with significant under-allocation in most investor portfolios

\$9.2 T AGENCY MBS MARKET SIZE

### Government Credit Support

- Agency-backed guarantee from Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac, or Ginnie Mae substantially eliminates credit risk for investors
- Dual protection from both government support of guarantors and security of underlying mortgage collateral



# **Compelling Yield and Excess Returns**

- Compelling current income with an ability to employ leverage through highly attractive funding that enhances return potential
- Agency MBS have historically provided excess returns over U.S. Treasuries, despite similar credit profiles, and active management of borrower prepayment option can yield material alpha relative to Treasuries

1.44% | 1.81% APPROX. SPREAD TO TREASURIES | SWAPS

### Differentiated Asset

- Minimal correlation to both U.S. equities and other fixed income assets provides meaningful diversification benefits, particularly during periods of volatility
- Differentiated asset class that is fundamental to the U.S. economy and supports the U.S. mortgage market

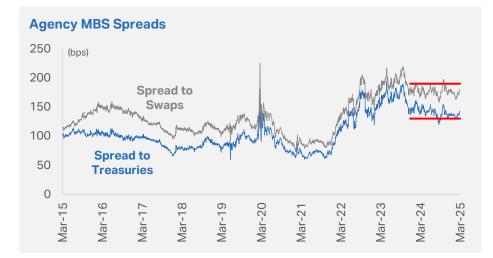
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APPROX. CORRELATION
TO U.S. EQUITIES

# AGENCY MBS: ATTRACTIVE TECHNICALS PRESENT A COMPELLING OPPORTUNITY

In the current environment, we believe Agency MBS offer investors compelling levered and unlevered return opportunities, which are further enhanced by their attractive value relative to other fixed income investment alternatives.

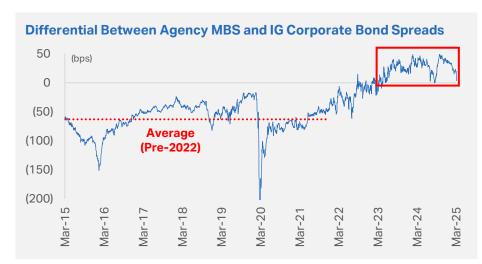
#### **AGENCY MBS SPREADS**

- The turbulent macroeconomic backdrop in 2022 and 2023 drove a dramatic repricing of Agency MBS spreads to levels previously reached only during significant financial market dislocations.
- Following a relatively stable 2024, broad tariff-fueled market volatility
  has driven spreads back to the higher end of the recent range where
  spreads have not historically remained for extended periods.
- These wider spreads improve the return potential of new investments.
- Importantly, we believe AGNC remains well-positioned to continue navigating market uncertainty and generating attractive monthly dividend income from our portfolio of high-quality Agency MBS.



#### **RELATIVE VALUE**

- Agency MBS have a risk profile similar to U.S. Treasuries and benefit from explicit government support, which is particularly important considering the deteriorating macroeconomic outlook.
- Most other yield-oriented fixed income products, including investment grade (IG) corporate bonds and non-Agency securities, are not guaranteed against default and expose investors to credit risk.
- Despite their superior credit profile, Agency MBS spreads have surpassed IG corporate bond spreads for the first time in AGNC's history, enhancing the relative value of Agency MBS within the broader fixed income investment universe.



**Disclosure:** Agency MBS spread to U.S. Treasuries and swaps reflect the 30-year current coupon Agency MBS yield spread to a 50/50 average of 5- and 10-year U.S. Treasury yields and a 50/50 average of 5- and 10-year SOFR OIS swaps, respectively, for the trailing 10-year period ended March 31, 2025. Differential reflects the difference between the Agency MBS spread (as represented by the FNMA 30-year current coupon Z-spread) and the investment grade corporate bond spread (as represented by the Bloomberg U.S. Corporate Bond Index Z-spread) for the trailing 10-year period ended March 31, 2025 (values below -200 basis points have been excluded from the chart for scaling purposes). Source: Bloomberg and JP Morgan.

# THE AGNC ADVANTAGE

### AGNC: BUILT WITH PURPOSE

### As a best-in-class Agency MBS investor, AGNC is the source for:

#### PROVEN LONG-TERM PERFORMANCE

Since our May 2008 IPO, our dividend-driven total stock return has significantly exceeded those of comparable indices and other yield-oriented alternatives, which illustrates the durability of our business model and the benefit of being a long-term investor in AGNC.

427% TOTAL STOCK RETURN

#### SUBSTANTIAL MONTHLY DIVIDEND INCOME

Our dividend yield meaningfully exceeds those of financial services indices and other traditional yield-oriented sectors, providing a substantial monthly income component to total returns, with over \$14 billion of common stock dividends paid since inception.

15.0% DIVIDEND YIELD

#### DIFFERENTIATED ASSET EXPOSURE

The massive Agency MBS market is regarded by the Federal Reserve as a pillar of our financial system, and AGNC provides stockholders a liquid and efficient way to gain exposure to this fixed income asset class that is backed by a guarantee from one of three Agencies and supports the U.S. mortgage market.

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AGENCY MBS MARKET SIZE

### UNIQUE INVESTMENT CAPABILITIES

AGNC is led by a seasoned management team with a platform that brings together asset selection expertise, competitive funding advantages, and disciplined risk management strategies to generate superior long-term value for stockholders.

\$78.9B
INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

#### **EFFICIENCY AND TRANSPARENCY**

AGNC's investment capabilities are further enhanced by a stockholder-friendly platform that provides industry-leading operating efficiency, significant scale, and a long-standing commitment to transparent investor communications and stockholder-focused capital management.

1.24% EXPENSE STRUCTURE

**Disclosure:** Total stock return is measured from AGNC's May 2008 IPO through March 31, 2025 and includes price appreciation and dividend reinvestment; dividends are assumed to be reinvested at the closing price of the security on the ex-dividend date. Dividend yield, dividends paid since inception, and investment portfolio as of March 31, 2025. Agency MBS market size as of December 2024. Expense structure reflects AGNC's operating expenses as a percentage of average stockholders' equity for the twelve months ended December 31, 2024. Past performance is not indicative of future results. Source: Bloomberg and Urban Institute.

# POWERFUL ASSET. PREMIER APPROACH.

Selecting high quality assets, optimizing financing structures, and managing market risks are critical components of levered fixed income investing. Since inception, our dynamic portfolio strategies have been a major driver of AGNC's outperformance across economic cycles and exogenous events.



### ASSET SELECTION EXPERTISE

We carefully select assets with favorable underlying loan characteristics, utilizing proven modeling techniques to analyze each asset's risk profile, determine effective alpha generation opportunities, and optimize returns over the life of the investment.



## COMPETITIVE FUNDING ADVANTAGES

AGNC's track record, scale, and differentiated operational capabilities – including a captive broker-dealer that significantly enhances our funding profile – enable us to enhance returns through an appropriate use of leverage that is consistent with market conditions.

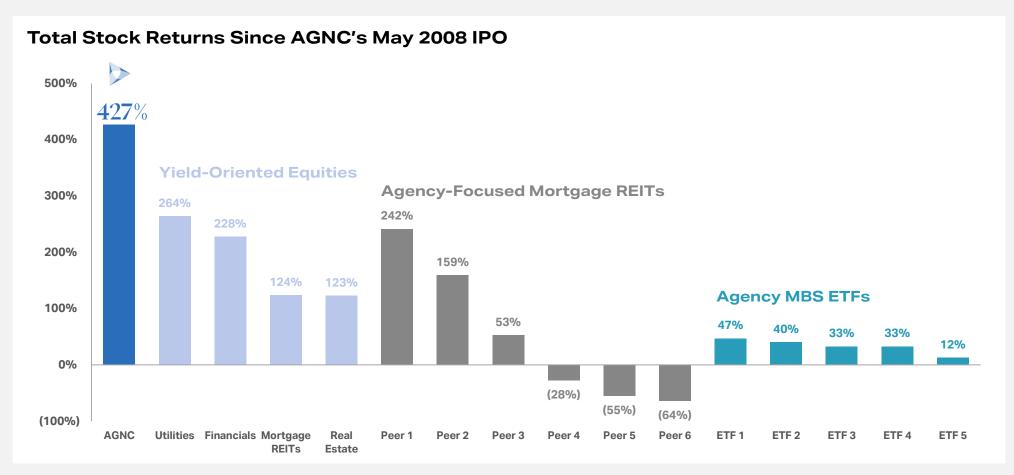


### DISCIPLINED RISK MANAGEMENT

We employ dynamic and proprietary risk modeling across current and prospective market scenarios to actively manage interest rate and related risks, continuously adjusting our hedge portfolio, duration, and leverage to optimize returns as market conditions evolve.

### PROVEN LONG-TERM PERFORMANCE

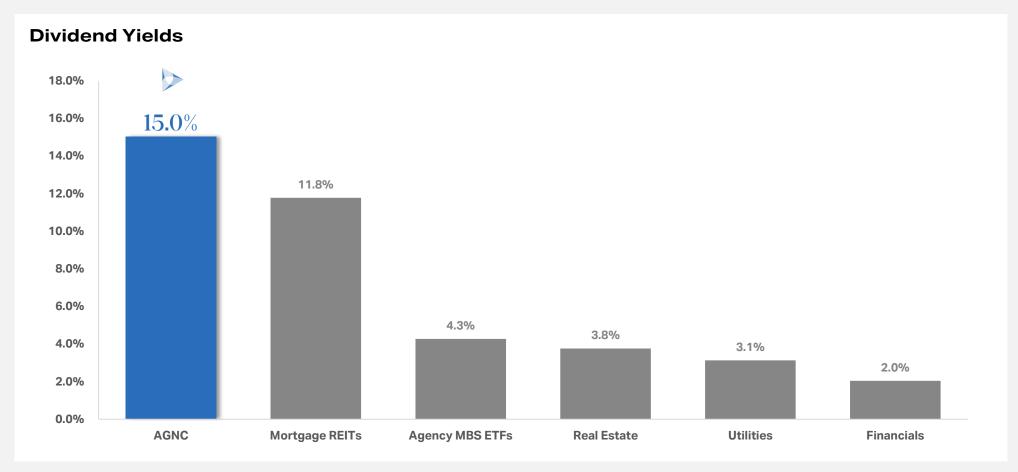
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**Disclosure:** Total stock return is measured from AGNC's May 2008 IPO through March 31, 2025; if a company or ETF shown was not publicly traded as of the date of AGNC's May 2008 IPO, its total stock return is measured beginning as of the date it became publicly traded. Total stock return over a period includes price appreciation and dividend reinvestment; dividends are assumed to be reinvested at the closing price of the security on the ex-dividend date. Yield-oriented equity sectors shown reflect the following indices: Utilities (S&P 500 Utilities Index), Financials (S&P 500 Financials Index), Real Estate (S&P 500 Real Estate Index), and Mortgage REITs (FTSE NAREIT Mortgage REITs Index). Agency-Focused Mortgage REITs include ARR, DX, IVR, NLY, ORC, and TWO. Agency MBS ETFs include JMBS, LMBS, MBB, SPMB, and VMBS. Comparative data provided for informational purposes only. Past performance is not indicative of future results. An investment in AGNC involves different risks and uncertainties from indices, companies, and ETFs cited. Source: Bloomberg.

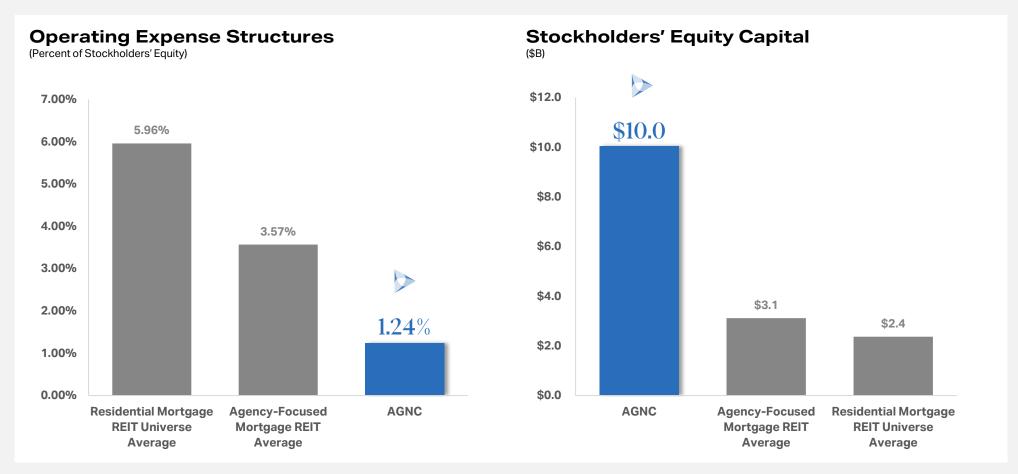
### SUBSTANTIAL DIVIDEND YIELD

AGNC's dividend yield meaningfully exceeds those of financial services indices, other traditional yield-oriented sectors, and other Agency MBS-focused models, providing a substantial monthly income component to total returns.



## A LONG-STANDING FOCUS ON EFFICIENCY AND TRANSPARENCY

AGNC's stockholder-friendly platform provides industry-leading operating efficiency, significant scale, and a long-standing commitment to transparent investor communications and stockholder-focused capital management.



Disclosure: Operating expense structures are based on operating expenses and average stockholders' equity (excluding noncontrolling interests, as applicable) over the trailing twelve-month period ended December 31, 2024 as publicly reported by such REITs. Operating expenses include expenses for compensation and benefits, management fees, incentive fees (if applicable), and G&A and may include one-time or nonrecurring expenses. Operating expenses exclude direct expenses associated with operating activities, such as loan acquisition costs, servicing expenses, etc. to the extent publicly disclosed by such REITs. Stockholders' equity capital is as of March 31, 2025 for AGNC and December 31, 2024 for other REITs and reflects total REIT stockholders' equity (excluding noncontrolling interests, as applicable). The residential mortgage REIT universe average reflects an unweighted average of AOMR, ARR, CHMI, CIM, DX, EFC, IVR, MFA, MITT, NLY, NYMT, ORC, PMT, RITM, RWT, and TWO. The Agency-focused mortgage REIT average reflects an unweighted average of ARR, DX, IVR, NLY, ORC, and TWO. Comparative data provided for informational purposes only. Source: Company filings and S&P Global Market Intelligence.



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