



Series S: Prime, Expanded Prime & Jumbo

Full Doc, Express Doc, 1099, Bank Statement, WVOE, P&L, Asset Utilization, FLEX (DU®/DO®/LPA®)

Series S: Prime

FULL DOC, EXPRESS DOC, ASSET UTILIZATION, 1099, BANK STATEMENT, 12/24 MONTH P&L, AND WVOE			
PRIMARY RESIDENCE (1-4 Units)			
TRANSACTION TYPE	MAX LTV/CLTV	MAX LOAN AMOUNT	MIN FICO
PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	90% (Purchase Only)	\$1,000,000	700
	90% (Purchase Only)	\$1,500,000	720
	85%	\$2,000,000	680
	80%	\$2,000,000	660
		\$2,500,000	680
		\$3,000,000	700
	75%	\$3,500,000	700
CASH OUT	80%	\$1,500,000	700
		\$2,000,000	720
	75%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,000,000	700
		\$2,500,000	720
	70%	\$2,000,000	660
		\$2,500,000	700
		\$3,000,000	720
SECOND HOME (1 Unit)			
TRANSACTION TYPE	MAX LTV/CLTV	MAX LOAN AMOUNT	MIN FICO
PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	85%	\$1,000,000	680
		\$1,500,000	720
	80%	\$1,000,000	660
		\$2,000,000	680
		\$2,500,000	700
	75%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,500,000	680
	65%	\$3,000,000	720
CASH OUT	75%	\$1,500,000	680
		\$2,000,000	720
	70%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,000,000	680
		\$2,500,000	720
	65%	\$2,000,000	660
INVESTMENT (1-4 Units)			
TRANSACTION TYPE	MAX LTV/CLTV	MAX LOAN AMOUNT	MIN FICO
PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	80%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,000,000	680
		\$2,500,000	700
	75%	\$2,000,000	660
CASH OUT	75%	\$1,500,000	680
	70%	\$2,000,000	660
		\$2,500,000	720

Series S: Expanded Prime

FULL DOC, EXPRESS DOC, ASSET UTILIZATION, 1099, BANK STATEMENT, 12/24 MONTH P&L			
PRIMARY RESIDENCE (1-4 Units)			
TRANSACTION TYPE	MAX LTV/CLTV	MAX LOAN AMOUNT	MIN FICO
PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	80%	\$1,500,000	640
		\$2,000,000	660
		\$2,500,000	700
	75%	\$2,000,000	620
		\$2,500,000	680
		\$3,000,000	700
CASH OUT	80%	\$1,000,000	680
	75%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,000,000	680
	70%	\$1,500,000	640
		\$2,000,000	660

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		\$2,000,000	660
		\$2,500,000	700
	70%	\$2,000,000	640
		\$2,500,000	680
CASH OUT	75%	\$1,500,000	660
		\$2,000,000	700
	70%	\$1,000,000	640
		\$2,000,000	680
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	70%	\$2,500,000	680
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		\$2,000,000	700
	70%	\$1,000,000	640
		\$2,000,000	660
	65%	\$1,500,000	640
		\$2,500,000	680

FLEX CONNECT

FNMA DU®/DO® or FHLMC LPA® (“AUS”) DOCUMENTATION					
OCCUPANCY	TRANSACTION TYPE	CREDIT GRADE	MAX LTV/CLTV	MAX LOAN AMOUNT	MIN FICO
PRIMARY 1-4 Units	PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	PRIME Connect	80%	\$2,500,000	660
		PLUS Connect			640
	CASH OUT	PRIME Connect	75%	\$2,500,000	660
		PLUS Connect			640
SECOND HOME 1 Unit	PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	PRIME Connect	75%	\$2,500,000	680
		PLUS Connect			640
INVESTMENT 1-4 Units	PURCHASE RATE AND TERM	PRIME Connect	70%	\$2,500,000	660
		PLUS Connect			640

ALL PROGRAMS	MAX LTV/CLTV	PRIME CONNECT	PLUS CONNECT
No Escrows	85%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
Condos (Warrantable)	85%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
Loan amount < 200k	85%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
Condos (Non-Warrantable)	80%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
First Time Homebuyer (FTHB)	85%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
30 Year Interest Only	85%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
40 Year Interest Only	80%	X	Matrix Caps Apply
Asset Utilization	80% (Primary / Second Home)	X	Matrix Caps Apply
	65% (Investment)	X	X
	60% (Cash-out)	X	X
Gift of Equity	75%	X	X
Bank Statement Income – 3 rd Party Expense Ratio	80% (Purchase, Rate-Term)	X	N/A
	75% (Cash-out)	X	X
Profit & Loss (P&L) (Max UPB - \$2,000,000)	80% (Purchase)	X	Matrix Caps Apply
	75% (Rate-Term)	X	X
	70% (Cash-out)	X	X
	80% (Purchase)	X	Not Eligible
WVOE (Max UPB \$1,500,000)	70% (Rate-Term, Cash-out, FTHB)	X	
Rural Properties	75% (Primary)	X	X

	70% (Second Home)	X	X
Appraisal marked 'Suburban' but zoned 'Rural Residential'	80% (Purchase)	X	X
	75% (Rate-Term)	X	X
	65% (Cash-out)	X	X
55% DTI	80% (Primary Homes)	X	Matrix Caps Apply
Properties Listed for Sale w/in the Last 12 months	65% (Cash-out)	X	X
Declining Markets	5% reduction to max eligibility	X	X
Notes:			
- Flex Connect – Follow the above Prime/Plus Connect Max LTV/CLTV			
- All Doc Types - When supplemental sources of income are being used, the worst-case pricing and LTV/FICO caps apply			

PRODUCTS	All Products	Product	Term	IO Term	Initial Cap	Periodic Cap	Life Cap
		5/6 ARM	360 mo	NA	2	1	5
		5/6 ARM	480 mo	NA	2	1	5
		5/6 ARM IO	360 mo	120 mo	2	1	5
		5/6 ARM IO	480 mo	120 mo	2	1	5
		7/6 ARM	360 mo	NA	5	1	5
		7/6 ARM	480 mo	NA	5	1	5
		7/6 ARM IO	360 mo	120 mo	5	1	5
		7/6 ARM IO	480 mo	120 mo	5	1	5
		30 Yr Fixed	360 mo	NA	NA	NA	NA
		30 Yr Fixed IO	360 mo	120 mo	NA	NA	NA
		40 Yr Fixed	480 mo	NA	NA	NA	NA
		40 Yr Fixed IO	480 mo	120 mo	NA	NA	NA
MIN LOAN AMOUNT	All Programs	\$125,000					
INTEREST ONLY	PRIME Connect	Purchase: Max 85% LTV/CLTV Rate & Term: Max 80% LTV/CLTV Min 700 FICO					
	PLUS Connect	Min 680 FICO					
	FLEX Connect	Prime/Plus restrictions apply					
INTEREST ONLY PERIOD	40 Year Interest Only = 10 year I/O then 30-year amortization; Max 80% LTV/CLTV 30 Year Interest Only = 10 year I/O then 20-year amortization; Max 85% LTV/CLTV						
QUALIFICATION	PRIME Connect Plus Connect	5/6s and 7/6s – greater of Note Rate or the Fully Indexed Rate (rounded to the nearest .125)					
	FLEX Connect	5/6s – greater of the Note Rate + 2% or Fully Indexed rate 7/6s – greater of Note Rate or the Fully Indexed rate					
	For I/O’s, calculate payment based on (1) the Qualifying Rate described above, (2) the original balance, and (3) a term that equals the amortization term (i.e., 360 months for 40 year I/O). Qualifying payment for I/O must include principal component.						
DTI	PRIME Connect and PLUS Connect	Up to 55%	☐ 9 months reserves				
			☐ Min 720				
			☐ Max \$1.5M				
			☐ No 40-yr term				
	Max 45%	☐ No Interest Only					
		☐ Max 80% LTV/CLTV on Primary Residences only					
☐ 2 nd Homes/Investment properties are ineligible							
Max 50%	☐ No P&L, WVOE, or Asset Utilization income doc type as a primary or supplemental income source						
	☐ No CPA or CPA review required						
FLEX Connect	Per FNMA DU®/DO® or FHLMC LPA® (“AUS”) Findings (max of 50% DTI)						
	When Asset Utilization is used as a supplemental source of income, max DTI is 45%						
BORROWER	Non-Occupant Co-Borrower	All Programs			Per FNMA/FHLMC/AUS Eligible with blended ratios		
	Non-Permanent Resident Aliens	PRIME Connect / PLUS Connect			Refer to ‘Non-Permanent Resident’ section of manual		
		FLEX Connect			Per FNMA/FHLMC/AUS Refer to ‘Non-Permanent Resident’ section of manual		
	Limited Partnerships, General Partnerships, Corporations, Limited Liability Company – Eligible (Layered entities not permitted) First Time Homebuyers – Eligible (See guidelines for details) Foreign Nationals – Ineligible						
	All borrowers must have a valid SSN						

CREDIT EVENTS		Short Sale, Foreclosure, Single Bankruptcy, 120+		12 Month Housing History	
	PRIME CONNECT	4 Years BK – Ch 7, 11, 13 – based on discharge or dismissal date Multiple BKs, regardless of seasoning, are ineligible Note: Cash out cannot be used to settle, BK must have been settled prior to application		0 x 30 x 12 or 1 x 30 x 12 with LLPA	
	PLUS CONNECT	2 Years		0 x 60 x 12	
		1 Year (additional LLPA applies)			
FLEX CONNECT		Follow applicable PRIME Connect or PLUS Connect credit grades		PRIME: 1 x 30 x 12 (per AUS, no rolling)	
		For loan casefiles with credit events outside of FNMA or FHLMC allowances, “Extenuating Circumstance (EC)” override in AUS may be used. The loan must still fall within PRIME Connect or PLUS Connect requirements for seasoning. See the Underwriting Guidelines for details.		PLUS: 0 x 60 x 12	
QUALIFYING FICO	Full Doc, Express Doc, Asset Utilization and FLEX		Primary income earner		
	Bank Statement		Primary income earner Borrowers with 50/50 split ownership need to use the higher of the two mid FICO scores		
	No borrower can have a middle FICO score less than 660 (PRIME Connect; PRIME FLEX), 640 (PLUS FLEX), 620 (PLUS Connect) For refinances, the use of the highest mid score is only eligible if that borrower meets continuity First Time Investors – Min 700 FICO When supplemental sources of income are being used, the worst-case pricing and LTV/FICO caps apply VantageScore ineligible				
RESERVES	PRIME / PLUS	Full Doc (Full Doc, Express Doc, 1099)		3 months	
		Alt Doc (Bank Statements, P&L, and WVOE)		6 months	
		All Doc Types – If R/T Refi, Max 60% LTV/CLTV, Min 0x30x12		No reserves	
	FLEX CONNECT	Per AUS			
GIFT FUNDS	Primary Purchase Only Borrowers must have 5% of their own funds documented but not required to use; Borrowers with no housing history must have 10% of their own funds documented but not required to use Gift of equity eligible to a max 75% LTV (Primary Only) FLEX Connect – Follow FNMA/FHLMC Selling Guide for all gift, gift of equity and minimum borrower contribution requirements				
	If min borrower contribution % is not used towards the down payment, those funds can be used towards reserves				
CASH OUT TRANSACTION	Cash-Out permitted to meet reserves for all programs May pay off an existing mortgage(s) with a minimum 6 months seasoning or create a new lien if the property is owned free and clear				
MAX CASH OUT		Max Cash Out	>70 LTV/CLTV	≤70 LTV/CLTV	
		All Programs	\$1MM	Unlimited	
BANK STATEMENT INCOME (12 OR 24 MONTHS)	☐ 2-year history of business ownership – greater than 1-year but less than 2 can be considered as per FNMA. ☐ Business ownership – Minimum of 20% ownership (25% for business bank statements; 20% for personal statements w/ evidence of business bank account) ☐ SG permits the use of the Laminr bank statement income tool to calculate eligible monthly deposits for Business Bank Statements. See UW Manual for more information.				
	BUSINESS BANK STATEMENTS				
	Borrowers who are using more than 5 separate bank accounts must qualify using personal bank statements				
	OPTION 1 – FIXED EXPENSE RATIO		OPTION 2 - THIRD PARTY EXPENSE RATIO		
	Option A: 50% Expense Factor		(CPA/Tax Attorney/Enrolled Agent/CTEC)		
	☐ Verify borrower is a minimum 25% owner of business		☐ Purchase/Rate & Term - Max 80% LTV		
	☐ Decreasing or negative ending balances must be addressed		☐ Cash-out refinance – Max 75% LTV		
	☐ Cyclical and seasonal trends may be taken into consideration		☐ 10% Floor		
	Option B: 30% Expense Factor		☐ 3 rd party must have filed most recent business tax returns, audited the business financial statements, OR reviewed working papers provided by the borrower		
	Eligible for small service businesses (Consulting, Accounting, Legal, Therapy, Financial Planning, Insurance, etc.)		☐ Tax Professional must verify the borrower’s ownership percentage		
	☐ Any Retail, Wholesale or non-office services (e.g. landscaping, contractor) are ineligible)		☐ To determine net income, multiply eligible business deposits by the following: 100% minus the Expense Ratio as described above		
☐ No more than 5 employees		☐ PTINs ineligible			
☐ May have a small office space with rent not exceeding 15% of gross					
Option C: 20% Expense Ratio					
Eligible only if all of the following applies to the business					
☐ Borrower is sole owner and operator of the business (no partners, employees, etc.)					
☐ Service business (no cost of goods, no heavy equipment, machinery, etc.)					
☐ Does not require office space that would incur rent					

	PERSONAL BANK STATEMENTS	
	OPTION 1 PERSONAL BANK STATEMENTS WITH EVIDENCE OF BUSINESS BANK ACCOUNT	OPTION 2 PERSONAL BANK STATEMENTS WITH NO BUSINESS BANK ACCOUNT
	☐ 100% of business deposits in a personal bank account can be used. ☐ Provide most recent 2 months business statements to validate deposits are from the borrower owned business bank account (Only giving credit for transfers from the business; or receipt of payroll from business and distributions only) ☐ Minimum 20% ownership	☐ Comingled business and personal with no business account for non-service businesses are considered as business bank statements with the appropriate expense factor (20% Service Business, 50% non-service business) applied. See 'Business Bank Statements' section of Manual for detail on expense ratios ☐ Deposits from self-employment business only will be included in bank statement calculation ☐ A trend of repeated expense not reported on the credit report may need additional explanation and may be considered a liability ☐ Minimum 25% ownership
12/24 MONTH CPA/ENROLLED AGENT (EA) PREPARED PROFIT & LOSS	☐ Max LTV 80% Purchase; 75% R&T; 70% Cash Out Refinance; Min 680 FICO ☐ \$2.0MM Max Loan Amount ☐ Primary residence only ☐ Self-Employed borrowers only ☐ Most recent 12 or 24 -month Profit & Loss statement (P&L). The P&L end date must be less than 90 days old at closing ☐ All Profit & Loss statements must be completed by an independent CPA/EA ☐ CPA/EA license must be verified ☐ Self-employed borrowers who file their own tax returns are not eligible ☐ Minimum of 2 years self-employment in the current profession ☐ Borrower narrative on nature of business required ☐ See Underwriting Manual for additional requirements ☐ PTINs ineligible	
WRITTEN VERIFICATION OF EMPLOYMENT	☐ Max LTV 80% Purchase; 70% Rate-Term / Cash-Out; Min 680 FICO ☐ \$1.5MM Max Loan Amount ☐ Prime Connect Only ☐ Primary Residence Only ☐ FTHB – Max 70% LTV ☐ Wage Earners Only ☐ Two years history of employment in the same industry and 1-year continuous employment at current job	
FLEX CONNECT (AUS Documentation and Bank Statement Income)	FLEX program will utilize Fannie Mae Desktop Underwriter (DU®/DO®) or Freddie Mac Loan Product Advisor (LPA®) findings, referred to throughout this document as "AUS," with the added guideline allowance of Connect PRIME and Connect PLUS benefits for ease of process. The loan will be underwritten to the FLEX program matrix, the AUS Findings and the overlays noted below. Any items not addressed in this section will default to FNMA/FHMLC Selling Guides. This is a Non-QM program. Please refer to the full matrix and guidelines for additional process details.	
	Underwriting Process	☐ FNMA DU®/DO® or FHLMC LPA® is required ☐ References to "AUS" throughout this document collectively refer to FNMA DU®/DO® or FHLMC LPA® Findings ☐ For underwriting guidelines not addressed in this document or UW Guidelines, please reference the Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac Seller Guide for details
	AUS Requirements	☐ Approve/Eligible ☐ Approve/Ineligible (due to loan amount, loan structure, Interest Only, property (non-warrantable condo) and credit event ☐ Refer to 'Credit Event' section for details ☐ Note: Refer or Caution findings will not be eligible for delivery, however, may be eligible under PRIME Connect or PLUS Connect Program and considered a manual underwrite
TRADELINES	PRIME Connect PLUS Connect	☐ If the primary income earner has three credit scores, the minimum tradeline requirement is waived for all borrowers ☐ Each borrower must have 2 tradelines or joint borrowers must have a total of 3 tradelines combined, rated at least 12 months, with activity in the last 24 months. ☐ Tradeline may be opened or closed ☐ Eligible tradelines cannot have any derogatory history in the previous 24 months ☐ Current housing, not reporting on credit, can be considered an open tradeline if supported by bank records (cancelled checks/debits) ☐ No authorized user accounts will be used to satisfy minimum tradelines ☐ Non-traditional credit is not allowed as an eligible tradeline.
	FLEX Connect	Follow AUS Findings
ESCROWS	Required for HPML loans per CFPB and LTVs > 85%	
	Primary 1-4 Units Second Home 1-Unit Non-Owner 1-4 Units	Live/Work Condos – Follow FNMA Co-Ops Permitted Max Acreage – Max 10 acres Minimum Square Footage – 500 sq ft per unit-No kitchenettes Declining Markets requires a 5% LTV reduction from max borrower qualifies for -

PROPERTY	Max Financed Properties – Prime/Plus- no limit; FLEX- as per FNMA DO®, DU®, FHLMC LPA® SGCP exposure to a single borrower/guarantor is limited to \$5M UPB or 10 loans. Subject Property Short Term Rental income is not permitted State Condominium Requirement (Warrantable and Non-Warrantable): California Balcony Bill – SB326 : An inspection is required for projects with wood deck, balcony, stairway, walkway, or railing elevated more than 6 feet above the ground. Projects with an unacceptable or no inspection are ineligible.		Beginning markets requires a 3% LTV reduction from max borrower qualifies for Floor: 75% Purchase; 70% Refinance Florida– Projects over 30 years old or 25 years if within 3 miles from the coast, a structural inspection within every 10 years is required for projects 3 stories or higher. ☐ Inspection must confirm no conditions severe enough to affect the safety, soundness, structural integrity or habitability of the improvements ☐ Projects with unacceptable or no inspections are ineligible																																		
	Rural Properties – eligible for PRIME, PLUS and FLEX: ☐ Primary Residence – Max 75% LTV/CLTV ☐ 2nd Home – Max 70% LTV/CLTV ☐ Investment – Ineligible Properties with appraisals marked ‘suburban’ but zoned ‘Rural Residential’ are allowed with Max LTVs: ☐ 80% Purchase ☐ 75% Rate-Term ☐ 65% Cash-out Must be primarily for residential use																																				
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TEMPORARY BUYDOWNS	Buydown Types: ☐ 2-1 Buydown ☐ 1-0 Buydown Eligibility: ☐ Primary Residence ☐ Purchase ☐ Seller/Builder and Third Party funded subsidies ☐ Third Party subsidies include Real Estate Agents and Brokerages; Funds from Borrower(s) are ineligible ☐ 30-year and 40-year Fully Amortizing Fixed Rate only ☐ Borrower must qualify at the Note rate
PREPAYMENT PENALTY	Applies only to Investment Properties – PRIME Connect, PLUS Connect, FLEX Connect Standard Prepayment Penalty Term – 1, 2 ,3 ,4, or 5-year (see rate sheet)