

# Residential Mortgage Product Guide

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### An overview of our criteria

#### Summary

- We offer residential capital repayment mortgages.
- Broker fees are capped at 12.5% of the net mortgage or £5k max.
- Our product fees are £499 (for loans under £20k) and £999 (for loans £20k and over) plus a
  processing fee of £499. \* additional fees apply to Northern Ireland.
- Commission and any broker fee is paid the next working day following completion & commission is 2% calculated on the net loan.
- Our loan amounts range from £10k to £250k, with our terms from 3 to 25 years.
- Loans available for various legal purposes, for example, consolidation, home improvements & business purposes.
- Loans are available on variable rates or fixed rates up to 5 years.
- Same day turnaround if application received before 1pm.
- Unlimited overpayments.

### Applicant information

- Age: 18 80 years old (term must end before 80th birthday).
- Lending into retirement assessed on a case-by-case basis.
- Must be UK national or have indefinite right to reside (min 3y UK resident).
- Sole applicants acceptable, where a spouse or partner holds no ownership to the property a waiver form would be required.
- E-ID for proof of identity, 3-year voter's role as proof of residency (evidence required if these areas are not met).
- Unlimited BTL properties in the background on residential applications (rent from AST to cover mortgage payment or shortfall will be taken into account).

# \* Northern Ireland Specific

- Maximum LTV 70%
- First charges minimum net loan £30,000 and an additional product fee of £1,599 applies.
- Second charges an additional product fee of £799 applies.



#### Property & valuation information

- England, Wales, Scotland & Northern Ireland all accepted (unable to lend in the Isle of Man).
- LTV up to 90%, but with LTV restrictions for Scottish Isles (65%) and Northern Ireland (70%).
- LTV restrictions for ex-council flats/maisonettes, £1m or more valuations and freehold flats.
- Non-traditional construction acceptable where suitable to the area.
- Minimum property value is £75k.
- Hometrack valuations will be conducted automatically on eligible applications, up to a max loan of £100K and max LTV of 75% subject to confidence score (not acceptable on ex-council flats or maisonettes):

Up to 65% LTV, with a net mortgage up to £50k Minimum 4.0 confidence level Up to 65% LTV, with net mortgage over £50k and up to £100k Minimum 5.0 confidence level Up to 75% LTV, with a net mortgage up to £50k Minimum 5.0 confidence level Up to 75% LTV, with a net mortgage over £50k and up to £100k Minimum 6.0 confidence level

• See full criteria for when a drive-by or full valuation is required.

## Acceptable income

- Min income on plan three and plan four £22.5k.
- Plan one and plan five min income £40k single, £50k joint. Subject to passing Equifax NAV score.
- Plan two min income £30k single, £40k joint. Subject to passing Equifax NAV score.
- Employed, self employed, contractors, agency workers, zero hours contract, most benefits, maintenance and pensions all accepted as income (JSA is not acceptable).
- Overtime, bonus and commission used (to a max of 50% of basic income, subject to criteria).
- No minimum time in employment, 12 months for self employed.
- EIV (Electronic Income Verification) accepted on employed applicants (subject to meeting criteria).



### Residential first charge mortgages





#### Applicable to residential

- 3 to 25 year term.
- First Charges unencumbered properties only.
- Capital and repayment mortgages only.
- 2% Commission paid next working day following completion calculated on net mortgage.
- Max 12.5% broker fees (£5,000 max) calculated on net mortgage.
- No minimum time in current employment.
- Minimum 12 months self-employment.
- Available England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.
- \* see additional details for Northern Ireland (page 2)

	ERC's	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5		
the	Variable rate	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%		
	2 year fixed rate	2%	1%	0%	0%	0%		
	3 year fixed rate	3%	2%	1%	0%	0%		
own,	5 year fixed rate	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%		
	All plans - £150 discharge fee							

Our fixed rate ERC's are calculated on the original net mortgage borrowed.

Fixed rate reverts to variable rate after fixed period.

#### Status units

- 1 unit per mortgage/secured loan arrear in last 12 months. Must miss a full calendar month, ignore part months arrears. Refer if paid within 7 days over the end of a month. Plan four maximum of 2 mortgage / secured loan arrears permitted UNLESS last 6 months' payments made in full.
- 1 unit per default (no max £) Ignore: <£300, <£3k satisfied, and all >12 months old.
- 1 unit per CCJ (no max £) Ignore: <£300, <£3k satisfied, and all >12 months old.
- 1 unit per credit card/unsecured loan/utility 3 down. Ignore: Accounts <£300 and 3 or more down & accounts that are currently 2 or fewer payments down, irrelevant of the previous account conduct.
- Ignore mail order and comms for adverse. Except 'Communication Supplier Loans' which are treated as unsecured loans.
- Ignore discharged bankrupts > 3 years old (providing no monies outstanding and no property interest).
- Ignore IVAs (Note: Must be up to date, satisfactory conduct for last 12 months and being settled with loan).
- No historic bankruptcies, current or historic IVAs/Trust Deeds, or active DMPs on plan one, plan two or plan five.
- Explanations for poor credit conduct are required at submission.

### Residential second charge mortgages

	Plan one	Plan two	Plan three	Plan four	Plan five
Mortgage size (net)*	£20,000 to £250,000	£10,000 to £150,000	£10,000 to £100,000	£10,000 to £75,000	£10,000 to £50,000
Max LTV (gross)*	65%	75%	80%	70%	90%
Variable rate	10.04%	10.24%	11.95%	12.34%	13.95%
2 year fixed rate	8.47%	8.69%	10.66%	11.09%	12.83%
3 year fixed rate	8.14%	8.36%	10.33%	10.76%	12.50%
5 year fixed rate	7.99%	8.22%	10.19%	10.62%	12.36%
5 year fixed rate (No ERC)	8.49%	8.72%	10.69%	11.12%	12.86%
Product fee *	£499 (<£20k net) £999 (>= £20k net)				
Processing fee	£499	£499	£499	£499	£499
Max status points	0	0	2	4	0
Equifax NAV score	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes



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