

FHA Net Tangible Benefit Worksheet

Loan Number:	
Borrower(s):	Co- Borrower(s):
FHA Case Number:	
Property Address:	

The underwriter must determine there is a documented net tangible benefit to the Borrower(s) per the standards in the charts below for all Streamline Refinance transactions. A Net Tangible Benefit is:

- A reduced Combined Rate (refers to the interest rate on the mortgage plus the MIP rate),
- A change from an ARM to a fixed rate Mortgage, and/or
- A reduced term*

That results in a financial benefit to the Borrower.

Note: *Reduction in Term refers to the reduction of the remaining amortization period of the existing Mortgage.

Net Tangible Benefit Standard for Streamline Refinances without a Term Reduction

From →	То		
Amortization	Fixed Rate	One-Year ARM	Hybrid ARM
Туре	New Combined Rate	New Combined	New Combined Rate
		Rate	
Fixed Rate	At least 0.5% points below	At least 2% points	At least 2% points below
Refinance	the prior Combined Rate.	below the prior	the prior Combined
		Combined Rate.	Rate.
Any ARM with Less	No more than 2% points	At least 1% point	At least 1% point below
Than 15 Months to	above the prior Combined	below the prior	the prior Combined
next payment	Rate.	Combined Rate.	Rate.
change date			
Any ARM With	No more than 2% points	At least 2% points	At least 1% point below
Greater Than or	above the prior Combined	below the prior	the prior Combined
Equal to 15 Months	Rate.	Combined Rate.	Rate.
to Next Payment			
Change Date			

The Lender must determine that there is a net tangible benefit to the Borrower meeting the standards in the applicable chart below for Streamline Refinance transactions without a reduction in term.

	Current Mortgage	Proposed Mortgage
Interest Rate	\$	\$
MIP Rate	\$	\$
Combined Rate	%	%
Combined Rate Difference		%

Test	Net Tangible Benefit Test	Results	Criteria	
	Any ARM with < 15 Mo's to Payment Change to Fixed Rate Any ARM with ≥ 15 Mo's to Payment Change to Fixed Rate		New Combined Rate no more than 2% above prior Combined Rate	
	Fixed Rate to Fixed Rate		New Combined Rate at least 0.5% below the prior Combined Rate	
	Fixed Rate to 1 year ARM		New Combined Rate at	
	Any ARM with ≥ 15 Mo's to Payment Change to 1 year ARM		least 2% below the prior Combined Rate	
	Fixed Rate to Hybrid (Fixed) ARM			
	, ,		New Combined Rate at least 1% below the	
	Any ARM with 15 < Mo's to Payment Change to Hybrid (Fixed) ARM		prior Combined Rate	
	Any ARM with ≥ 15 Mo's to Payment Change to Hybrid (Fixed) ARM			

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Net Tangible Standards for Streamline Refinances with a Term Reduction

From →	То		
Amortization	Fixed Rate	One-Year ARM	Hybrid ARM
Туре	New Combined Rate	New Combined	New Combined Rate
		Rate	
Fixed Rate	Below the prior Combined	N/A	N/A
Refinance	Rate.		
Any ARM with Less	No more than 2% points	N/A	N/A
Than 15 Months to	above the prior Combined		
next payment	Rate.		
change date			
Any ARM With	No more than 2% points	N/A	N/A
Greater Than or	above the prior Combined		
Equal to 15 Months	Rate.		
to Next Payment			
Change Date			

The Lender must determine that there is a net tangible benefit to the Borrower meeting the standards per the applicable chart below; also, the combined principal, interest, and Monthly MIP payment of the new Mortgage must not exceed the combined principal, interest, and Monthly MIP payment of the refinanced Mortgage by more than \$50.

	Current Mortgage	Proposed Mortgage
Amortization Type		
Amortization Term		
	Current Mortgage	Proposed Mortgage
Principal and Interest	\$	\$
Monthly Mortgage	\$	\$
Insurance		
Total	\$	\$
Difference	\$	

	Current Mortgage	Proposed Mortgage
Interest Rate	\$	\$
MIP Rate	\$	\$
Combined Rate	%	%
Combined Rate Difference		%

Test	Net Tangible Benefit Test	Results	Criteria
	Any ARM with < 15 Mo's to Payment Change to Fixed		New Combined Rate no
	Rate		more than 2% above prior
	Any ARM with ≥ 15 Mo's to Payment Change to Fixed Rate		Combined Rate
	Fixed Rate to Fixed Rate		New Combined Rate must
			be below the prior
			Combined Rate
	Reduction in Term		The Mortgage term is
			reduced; the combined
			principal, interest, and
			Monthly MIP payment of
			the new Mortgage must
			not exceed the combined
			principal, interest, and
			Monthly MIP payment of
			the refinanced Mortgage
			by more than \$50.

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