

## **DSCR Plus**

**Program Code:** DSCR Plus -30, -7/6, -5/6, -30 IO, -40 IO, -7/6 IO, -7/6 IO-40, -5/6 IO, -5/6 IO-40

Investment Property							
		Max CLTV					
FICO	Loan Amt	DSCR ≥ 1		DSCR ≥ 0.75		DSCR < 0.75 (No Ratio)	
		Pur & R/T	Cash Out	Pur & R/T	Cash Out	Pur & R/T	Cash Out
	≤ 1M	80%	75%	75%	70%	75%	65%
740+	≤ 1.5M	75%	70%	70%	65%	70%	60%
	≤ 2M	75%	60%	65%	60%	65%	60%
	≤ 1M	80%	75%	75%	70%	70%	60%
720-739	≤ 1.5M	75%	70%	70%	65%	65%	60%
	≤ 2M	75%	60%	65%	NA	NA	NA
	≤ 1M	75%	70%	75%	65%	65%	60%
700-719	≤ 1.5M	75%	70%	70%	65%	65%	60%
	≤ 2M	70%	60%	65%	NA	NA	NA
	≤ 1M	75%	65%	70%	60%	65%	60%
680-699	≤ 1.5M	70%	60%	NA	NA	NA	NA
	≤ 2M	65%	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	≤ 1M	70%	65%	60%	60%	60%	60%
660-679	≤ 1.5M	65%	60%	NA	NA	NA	NA
	≤ 2M	60%	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

- 2-4 Units / Condo / Non-Warrantable Condo Max LTV/CLTV: 75%
- Interest Only:
  - o DSCR ≥ 1 Max LTV/CLTV: 75%
  - o DSCR is 0.75-0.99 Max LTV/CLTV: 70%
  - o DSCR < 0.75 or No DSCR: Not allowed
  - o Min FICO 700
- Declining Market: 5% LTV Reduction
- Foreign National Borrower: See Foreign National Borrower Restriction
- \*Non-Permanent Resident Alien:
  - Max 75% LTV/CLTV
  - Cash-Out not allowed

General Requirements
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**DSCR Calculation** 

 Debt Service Coverage Ratio is the Monthly Gross Rents divided by the PITIA of the subject property



	<ul> <li>DSCR = Eligible monthly rent / PITIA (Loans with an interest only feature may use the ITIA payment)</li> <li>DSCR loans will be qualified at original Note Rate, regardless of ARM or Fixed</li> </ul>				
Occupancy	<ul><li>Investment</li></ul>				
Product Type	Product	Term	Amort. Term	I/O Term	Qualifying Rate
	40-Yr Fixed IO	40 yr	30 yr	10 yr	
	30-Yr Fixed	30 yr	30 yr	NA	Note Rate
	30-Yr Fixed IO	30 yr	20 yr	10 yr	
	7/6 ARM	30 yr	30 yr	NA	
	7/6 ARM IO	30 yr	20 yr	10 yr	Higher of
	7/6 ARM IO-40Yr Term	40 yr	30 yr	10 yr	Fully
	5/6 ARM	30 yr	30 yr	NA	Indexed or
	5/6 ARM IO	30 yr	20 yr	10 yr	Note Rate
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	<ul> <li>-Multiple Listings in the past twelve (12) months will not be eligible</li> <li>Cash out is for business purposes only and the borrower must provide an LOE detailing the purpose and use of the proceeds</li> <li>Any loan where Cash-Out proceeds would be utilized for personal use will not be eligible</li> <li>Refinance of a previous Cash-Out seasoned &lt; 1 year will be considered Cash-Out refinance</li> </ul>
Loan Amount	<ul><li>Min: \$125,000</li><li>Max: \$2,000,000</li></ul>
Max Cash-Out Limit	<ul> <li>LTV &gt; 60%: Max Cash-out \$500,000</li> <li>LTV ≤ 60%: Unlimited Cash-out</li> </ul>
Property Type	<ul> <li>Single Family</li> <li>2-4 Units<sup>1</sup></li> <li>Condo<sup>1</sup> (Full Review Required)</li> <li>Non-Warrantable Condo<sup>1</sup> (Full Review Required)</li> <li><sup>1</sup> Max LTV/CLTV: 75%</li> </ul>
Rural Property	Not permitted
State Restrictions	<ul> <li>FL Condo: Up to 7 stories. No High Rise Condo (8+)</li> <li>Properties located in Baltimore City, MD are not eligible</li> </ul>
Appraisals	<ul> <li>FNMA Form 1004, 1025, 1073 with interior / exterior inspection</li> <li>Form 1007 Schedule of Rents is required for all Non-Owner-Occupied loans</li> <li>Appraisals with condition or quality ratings of C5 or C6 not allowed</li> <li>2nd Appraisal required for loans &gt; \$2,000,000 or HPML flip transactions as defined by the CFPB</li> <li>Original appraisals are valid for 120 days from the note date. Any appraisal dated greater than 120 days will require a recertification of value completed by the original licensed appraiser and is good for an additional 120 days. If the loan does not close within the initial recertification, then another update may be obtained but the original appraisal must be dated within 12 months of the note</li> </ul>
Appraisal Review	<ul> <li>Collateral Underwriter (CU) as a secondary valuation if the score is &lt;=2.5</li> <li>CDA if the score is &gt; 2.5</li> </ul>
Ineligible Property Type	<ul> <li>Manufactured Homes</li> <li>Residential units with &gt;= 5 units</li> <li>Log Homes</li> <li>Faux Log Homes (properties with a Log Cabin aesthetic, may be eligible with exception, subject to LLPA)</li> <li>Condotels</li> <li>Cooperatives</li> <li>Condominium projects with registration services or restrictions on owner's ability to occupy</li> <li>Unique Properties</li> <li>Unpermitted Additions</li> <li>Mixed Use Properties</li> <li>Builder Model Leaseback</li> <li>Boarding Houses</li> <li>Barndominiums</li> <li>Group Homes</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Fractional Ownership/Timeshares</li> <li>Assisted Living/Continuing Care Facilities</li> </ul>
	Mandatory Country Club Memberships
	Zoning Violations
	<ul> <li>Properties under Construction</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Agricultural zoned properties (may be considered case-by-case, exception required, subject to LLPA)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Multiple dwellings on same lot (legal ADU acceptable. Limited to one)</li> <li>Working Farms</li> </ul>
	C5 or C6 Property Condition Grades
	Live/Work Condos
	Earth Berm Homes
	<ul> <li>Geodesic Domes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Houseboats</li> </ul>
	Homes on Native American Land (Reservations)
	<ul> <li>Properties used for the cultivation, distribution, manufacture, or sale of Marijuana</li> </ul>
	Theme Park Resort Properties
Escrow Impound	<ul> <li>Allowed. Mandatory Impound for Foreign National and HPML (High Price Mortgage Loan)</li> </ul>
Prepayment	<ul> <li>Investment Properties only</li> </ul>
Penalty	<ul> <li>Prepayment periods up to 5-years eligible, see rate sheet</li> </ul>
Charty	Six months of interest on prepayments that exceed 20% of the original
	principal balance in a given 12-month time period
Document Age	<ul> <li>Ninety (90) days prior to the note date</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>STR Income may be verified through a third-party property management provider or Vender such as AirBnB, AirDNA, VRBO, and HomeAway are acceptable. history to be verified from a third-party property management provider. Documentation must include property address/ID specific to subject.</li> <li>Purchases: Gross rent is based on 100% of the 1007 market rent from the appraisal</li> <li>Refinances: Gross rent is the lower of 100% of the 1007 market rent from the appraisal, OR the supplement appraisal form completed by the appraiser of record reporting Short Term Rental Income, OR the actual 12-month STR income history, as supported by documentation from AirBnB, VRBO, HomeAway, or a third-party property management provider</li> </ul>
	General Underwriting Guidelines
Credit Score	Middle of 3 scores or lower of 2
Tradelines	<ul> <li>Each Borrower's credit profile must include a minimum of two (2) trade lines within the last twenty-four (24) months that show a twelve (12) month history, or a combined credit profile between Borrower and co-Borrower with a minimum of three (3) tradelines</li> <li>Accounts can be open or closed</li> <li>Authorized user accounts will not be included in the number of tradelines</li> <li>Eligible tradeline cannot have any derogatory history in previous twenty-four (24) months</li> <li>If all borrowers have three (3) credit scores, the minimum tradeline requirement is waived</li> </ul>
<b>Housing History</b>	■ 0x30x12
	<ul> <li>Twelve (12) months housing history is required. Twelve (12) month mortgage/housing history includes all occupancy types – Primary, Second Home and Investment Properties. If primary housing is documented as free and clear, no exception is needed; this includes whether or not the borrower is on the Note or Vested on Title of their primary.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>If the subject property has delinquent taxes &gt; one year from the Note date, this will be considered on a case-by-case basis and will require an exception by MK Lending, subject to LLPA</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Any additional delinquencies in the housing history will be subject to review and must adhere to the matrix</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>For DSCR Plus a credit report or VOM/VOR is required on the subject property (if a refinance) and the borrower's primary residence only</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>All mortgages and rental payments should be current at time of closing. If the credit report or VOR/VOM reflects a past- due status, updated documentation is required to verify the account is current</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>This includes loans qualifying through DSCR Plus even if the account showing the delinquency is not the subject or primary residence</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Housing history evidenced by twelve (12) months proof of payment via cancelled checks, bank debits or institutional VOR</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Private Party VORs / VOMs without supporting documents may be considered on a case-by-case basis and requires an exception from MK Lending, subject to LLPA</li> <li>If the borrower is living rent-free as a dependent with family and a 12 month housing history is not applicable, a rent-free letter is required. For first-time homebuyers, rent-free is permitted with no credit exceptions</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>LOE or rent-free letter is required when a twelve (12) month housing history is not applicable. If the borrower is a FTHB, rent-free is permitted with no credit exceptions</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Past due balloon will be considered a delinquency (1x30) and not a housing event, but only within one hundred eighty</li> <li>(180) days of maturity</li> </ul>
Housing Event Seasoning	<ul> <li>BK/FC/SS/DIL/Mod (due to Default)/NOD/Lis Pendens/ &amp; 120+ days delinquent</li> <li>&gt; 36 Mo</li> </ul>
Reserves	<ul> <li>Loan Amt ≤ 500,000: 3 Months</li> <li>Loan Amt &gt; 500,000: 6 Months</li> <li>Cash out may be used to satisfy requirement</li> <li>No requirement for additional reserves for other financed properties, Subject Property reserves only</li> <li>Must be own fund</li> </ul>
Assets Requirements	<ul> <li>1 month bank statement or VOD with 30-day average</li> <li>DSCR Large deposits should be in line and consistent with the borrower's overall credit profile and may require a letter of explanation</li> </ul>
Asset Source	<ul> <li>Eligible         <ul> <li>Business accounts may only be used to meet down payment and/or reserve requirements if the Borrower(s) are 50% owners of the business and requires A letter from the accountant for business. The Balance of the business assets must be multiplied by the ownership percentage to determine the owner's portion of business assets allowed for the transaction</li> <li>Publicly traded Stocks / Bonds / Mutual Funds – 100% may be used for reserves</li> <li>Vested Retirement Accounts – 100% may be considered for reserves</li> <li>Bitcoin or other forms of cryptocurrency are permitted for both funds to close and reserves provided the cryptocurrency has been converted or liquidated to cash. Seasoning requirements not applicable given liquidation</li> <li>Life insurance policy current cash value or loan against the cash value may be used for down payment, closing costs or reserves</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>Foreign assets are acceptable and must be sixty (60) days seasoned with two (2) most recent bank statements. A currency calculation must be provided. Foreign assets from OFAC restricted countries are not allowed.</li> <li>1031 administrator / agent or permitted for down payment and closing costs</li> <li>Ineligible</li> <li>Gift of Equity is not allowed</li> <li>Rent credits not permitted</li> <li>Restricted stock is ineligible for to be used for reserves</li> <li>Sale of Personal Assets</li> <li>Employer assistance</li> </ul>
Gift Funds	<ul> <li>Gift funds cannot be counted towards reserves</li> <li>Purchase transactions only</li> <li>LTV/CLTV &lt; 75%: 100% gift allowed for down payment</li> <li>LTV/CLTV ≥ 75%: Min 5% contribution</li> </ul>
Insurance	<ul> <li>Rent loss insurance for the subject property is required and must equal at least six months of local average monthly rents</li> <li>Blanket policies covering the subject property are permitted</li> </ul>
Continuity Obligation	<ul> <li>Continuity of obligation occurs on a refinance transaction when at least one of the Borrower(s) (or members of the LLC) on the existing mortgage is also a Borrower / LLC on the new refinance transaction secured by the subject property</li> <li>Refinances of inherited properties and properties legally awarded to the borrower are allowed. This includes divorce, separation and dissolution of a domestic partnership. Seasoning requirements do not apply, and the following guides must be met:         <ul> <li>-Written agreement signed by all parties stating the terms of the buyout and property transfer must be obtained</li> <li>- Equity owners must be paid through subject loan's settlement</li> <li>- Subject Property has cleared probate and property is vested in the borrower's name</li> <li>- Current appraised value is used to determine loan-to-value</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Flip Transactions	<ul> <li>When the subject property is being resold within three hundred sixty-five (365) days of its acquisition by the seller and the sales price has increased more than ten (10%), the transaction is considered a "flip". To determine the three hundred sixty-five (365) day period, the acquisition date (the day the seller became the legal owner of the property) and the purchase date (the day both parties executed the purchase agreement) should be used</li> <li>Must be arm's length (the property was marketed openly and fairly through a multiple listing service, auction, for sale by owner offering documented or developer marketing) with no identity of interest between the buyer and property seller or other parties participating in the sales transaction</li> <li>No pattern of previous flipping activity may exist in the last twelve (12) months. Exceptions to ownership transfers may include sales by</li> </ul>



	government agencies, properties inherited or acquired through divorce, and sales by the holder of a defaulted loan  If the property is being purchased for more than 5% above the appraised value, a signed letter of acknowledgment from the borrower must be obtained  Second Appraisal Required  Greater than ten (10%) increase in sales price if seller acquired the property in the past ninety (90) days  Greater than twenty (20%) increase in sales price if seller acquired the
	property in the past one hundred eighty (180) days
Delayed Financing	<ul> <li>Allowed</li> </ul>
Interested Party Contribution	■ Max 6%
Ineligible Transactions	<ul> <li>Construction Loans</li> <li>Temporary Buydowns</li> <li>Rent Credits</li> <li>Non-Arm's Length</li> <li>Conversion Loans</li> <li>Lease Option</li> <li>Builder Bailout &amp; Model leasebacks</li> </ul>
Borrower Eligibility	<ul> <li>Experienced Investor: Borrower must have at least twelve (12) months of experience managing income-producing real estate within the most recent thirsty-six (36) months from the origination of the Note</li> <li>First Time Investors allowed when the below are met:         <ul> <li>DSCR &gt; 1; and FICO &gt; 700</li> </ul> </li> <li>First Time Investors MAY NOT be a First Time Homebuyer</li> </ul>
Non-Permanent Resident Alien	<ul> <li>Max 75% LTV/CLTV</li> <li>Cash-out not allowed</li> <li>VISA Allowed: (E-1, E-2, E-3, EB-5, G-1 through G-5, H-1B, L-1, NATO, O-1, R-1, TN (NAFTA) R-1</li> <li>Copy of unexpired passport and visa required</li> </ul>
Ineligible Borrower	<ul> <li>Assignment of Contracts</li> <li>Borrowers with diplomatic immunity</li> <li>Layered entity with a trust</li> <li>Irrevocable or Blind Trusts</li> <li>Non-profit Organizations</li> <li>Asylum applicants</li> <li>Land Trusts</li> <li>Self-employed Borrower deriving their income from any Cannabis related business</li> <li>Borrower(s) with residence of any country not permitted to conduct business with US Companies as determined by US government authority</li> </ul>



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Foreign National Borrower Restriction						
Maximum Financed Properties		<ul> <li>The maximum number of financed properties to any one Borrower/Guarantor is limited to twenty (20) residential properties</li> </ul>				
Solar Lease		<ul> <li>Must conform to FNMA guidelines</li> <li>PACE loans (or any similar loans with payments that are included in property taxes or take lien priority) are not eligible</li> </ul>				
		<ul> <li>Not permitted on Entities: LLC, Corporations, Entity Borrowers, Etc</li> <li>Not permitted on Cash-Out transactions</li> </ul>				
Power of Attorney		<ul> <li>Limited Power of Attorney (POA) is acceptable for executing closing documents, is specific to the transaction, contains an expiration date, initial 1003 is signed by the Borrower executing the POA</li> </ul>				

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680+ or Foreign Credit	≤ 1M	65%	60%	NA	NA	NA	NA

- Interest Only not allowed
- Non-warrantable Condo not allowed
- 2-4 Units and Warrantable Condo Max LTV/CLTV: 60%
- Florida Condo Cash-Out (up to 7 stories) Max LTV/CLTV: 50%
- Declining Markets: 5% LTV Reduction

Loan Amount	<ul><li>Min: \$150,000</li><li>Max \$1,000,000</li></ul>
Max Cash-Out Limit	Max Cash-Out \$250,000
Property Type	<ul> <li>Single Family</li> <li>2-4 Units<sup>1</sup></li> <li>Warrantable Condo<sup>1</sup></li> <li><sup>1</sup> Max LTV/CLTV: 60%</li> </ul>
State Restrictions	<ul> <li>Max 50% LTV for Florida Condo Cash Out (Up to 7 stories)</li> <li>Properties located in Baltimore City, MD are not eligible</li> </ul>
Reserves	<ul> <li>Minimum 12 months reserves required</li> <li>No requirement for additional reserves for other financed properties, Subject Property reserves only</li> <li>Must be own fund in a U.S. financial institution prior to closing</li> </ul>
Assets Requirements	<ul> <li>1 month bank statement <u>or</u> VOD with 30-day average from a U.S. financial institution</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>2 months bank statements or VOD with 60-day average from a Foreign financial institution. A currency calculation must be provided</li> <li>DSCR Large deposits should be in line and consistent with the borrower's overall credit profile and may require a letter of explanation</li> <li>All down payment, closing, and reserves must be transferred and deposited to a U.S. financial institution prior to closing and ACH must be set up</li> <li>Assets from OFAC sanctioned countries are ineligible</li> <li><a href="http://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Programs/Pages/Programs/aspx">http://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Programs/Pages/Programs/aspx</a></li> </ul>
Borrower Eligibility	<ul> <li>Must meet all of the following:         <ul> <li>Copy of Unexpired Passport</li> </ul> </li> <li>Copy of Valid Visa or I-797 Notice of Action Required with valid extension dates and an I-94 form (arrival/departure record)</li> <li>Borrowers who are residents of countries which participate in the Visa Waiver Program (VWP) will not be required to provide valid Visa.         <ul> <li><a href="https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visa-waiver-program.html">https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/us-visas/tourism-visit/visa-waiver-program.html</a></li> <li>ISA Allowed: B-1, B-2, I, O-2, H-2, H-3, J-1, J-2, P-1, and P-2</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Housing Event Seasoning	<ul> <li>BK/FC/SS/DIL/Mod (due to Default)/NOD/Lis Pendens/ &amp; 120+ days delinquent &gt; 48 Mo</li> </ul>
Credit/Tradeline	<ul> <li>U.S. Qualifying Credit</li> <li>If borrower has a valid SSN or ITIN, US credit report may be used.</li> <li>Middle of 3 scores or lower of 2 and standard tradeline requirement must be met.</li> <li>Foreign Qualifying Credit</li> <li>Three open accounts with a two-year history reflecting no late payments. (3x24)</li> <li>Mortgage and/or rental payment must be verified with a 12-month history not to exceed 0x30 in the last 12 months. (A 2-year housing history can be used as a tradeline)</li> <li>U.S. credit accounts can be combined with letters of reference from verifiable financial institutions in a foreign country.</li> <li>If letters are obtained, they must:</li> <li>State type and length of relationship, how the account(s) are held, and the status of the account(s)</li> <li>Contain contact information for the person(s) signing the letter(s)</li> <li>Any translation required must be signed and dated by a certified translator</li> </ul>
Interest Only	<ul> <li>Not allowed</li> </ul>