## 2023 Swiss safe harbour interest rates

## 1. Swiss Franc (CHF) denominated transactions

Loans to related parties (Minimum values)				
Loans financed through equity		1.5%		
Loans financed through debt	up to CHF 10 million	debt related costs + 0.5% (at least 1.5%)		
	exceeding CHF 10 million	debt related costs + 0.25% (at least 1.5%)		

Loans <u>from</u> related parties (Maximum values)			
Real estate loans		Housing and agriculture	Industry and commerce
up to a loan in the amount of the first mortgage (i.e., 2/3 of the market value of the property)		2.25%	2.75%
for the remainder, whereby the following maximum rates for debt financing apply: -up to 70% of market value for building land, villas, condominiums, holiday homes and factory properties; -up to 80% of market value for other properties.		3%	3.5%
Operating loans			
operating activities	up to CHF 1 million	3.75%	
	exceeding CHF 1 million	2.25%	
holding activities	up to CHF 1 million	3.25%	
	exceeding CHF 1 million	2%	

## 2. Non-CHF denominated transactions

Non-CHF basis rates				
Country	Currency	2022	2023	
European Union	EUR	0.5%	3%	
USA	USD	2%	3.75%	
Great Britain	GBP	1.25%	5.25%	

Loans to related parties (Minimum values)		
Loans financed through equity	non-CHF basis rates	
Loans financed through debt	debt related costs + 0.5% (at least non-CHF rates above)	

Loans from related parties (Maximum values)				
Operating loans				
operating activities	up to CHF 1 million	non-CHF basis rates + 2.25%		
	exceeding CHF 1 million	non-CHF basis rates + 0.75%		
holding activities	up to CHF 1 million	non-CHF basis rates + 1.75%		
	exceeding CHF 1 million	non-CHF basis rates + 0.5%		

Higher interest rates may in principle be applied if it can be proved that the rates are at arm's length.