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208.05 Entitlement to Default Interest

Between Fannie Mae and the Lender, unless the Lender's Contract expressly provides otherwise, so long as the Lender is obligated to make or has made Delinquency Advances as provided in [Part V, Chapter 2: Reporting and Remitting, Section 208.02A: Obligation to Make Delinquency Advances](#), the Lender is entitled to retain 50 percent of the default interest collected from or on behalf of the Borrower. The other 50 percent of such default interest, to the extent collected from or on behalf of the Borrower, is remitted to and retained by Fannie Mae. Notwithstanding anything in this Section 208.05 to the contrary, with respect to any Non-Performing Mortgage Loan with a Last Paid Installment prior to March 1, 2012, if the Lender is obligated to make Delinquency Advances then the Lender is entitled to all default interest collected from or on behalf of the Borrower with respect to such Mortgage Loan. If the Lender is not obligated to make any Delinquency Advances on a Non-Performing Mortgage Loan, all default interest shall be remitted to and retained by Fannie Mae. Without regard to whether the Lender is making Delinquency Advances, Fannie Mae is always entitled to the interest that accrues at the stated interest rate on the Mortgage Loan net of the Lender's Servicing Fee.



Glossary

B

Borrower Person who is the obligor per the Note.

Synonyms

- Borrowers
- Borrower's

L

Last Paid Installment Due date of the last payment received.

Synonyms

- LPI

Lender Person Fannie Mae approved to sell or service Mortgage Loans.

Synonyms

- Lenders
- Lender's

M

Mortgage Loan Mortgage debt obligation evidenced, or when made will be evidenced, by

- the Loan Documents, or
- a mortgage debt obligation with a Fannie Mae credit enhancement.

Synonyms

- Mortgage Loans
- Mortgage Loan's

N



Non-Performing Mortgage Loan

Mortgage Loan with an uncured default.

Synonyms

- Non-Performing Mortgage Loans
- Non-Performing Mortgage Loan's
- Non-Performing

S

Servicing Fee

Fee a Servicer receives for collecting payments, managing operational procedures, and assuming your portion of credit risk for a Mortgage Loan, and which may be expressed as a percentage.

Synonyms

- Servicing Fees