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Climate Risk Insurance



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Wikipedia

https://en.wikipedia.org > wiki > Climate risk insurance

Climate risk insurance

Climate risk insurance is a type of insurance designed to mitigate the financial and other risk associated with climate change, especially phenomena like extreme weather. The insurance is often...



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https://www.pwc.com > financial-services > library > cli...

Climate risk and insurance: the case for resilience

Climate change threatens insurers' ability to protect society. Assessing risks and solutions with key stakeholders can help carriers build climate resilience.



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https://www.wfp.org > risk-management-insurance-and-...

Climate risk management, insurance and financing

WFP is a leader in promoting macro-level climate risk financing and insurance products that can offer rapid finance to affected communities in the event of major disaster.



International Association of Insurance Supervisors

https://www.iaisweb.org > Activities and Topics

Climate risk

One of the main effects of climate change on insurers is through the expected increase in natural catastrophes (NatCat)-related claims. To assess the potential risks associated with this trend, as a first...



Bundesministerium für wirtschaftliche Zusammenarbeit und Entwicklung

https://www.bmz.de > issues > climate-risk-insurance

BMZ achievements in climate and disaster risk finance ...



UNEP FI

https://www.unepfi.org > themes > climate-change > 20...

Climate Risk Landscape Report 2024

Apr 19, 2024 — The 2024 Climate Risk Landscape Report serves as a comprehensive resource delving into the available tools for financial institutions to assess physical and transition climate risks.



Welcome to the United Nations

https://pacific.un.org > 267537-what-reinsurers-can-do-c...

What re/insurers can do for climate adaptation and resilience

May 1, 2024 — Risk assessment and pricing: insurance and reinsurance companies, along with brokers, are crucial players in tackling climate change risks. They can support climate risk insurance through...



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Climate change and insurance

May 8, 2023 — In fact, climate change is considered one of the greatest global challenges of the 21stcentury. Climate risk insurance can help build resilience against these risks as part of a "holistic...

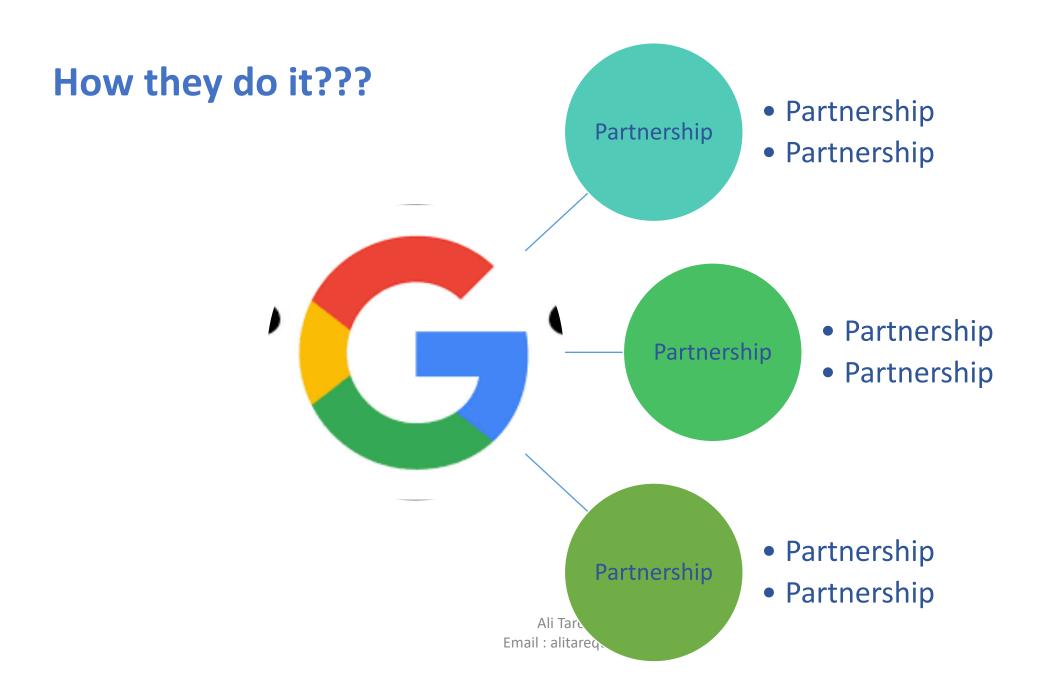


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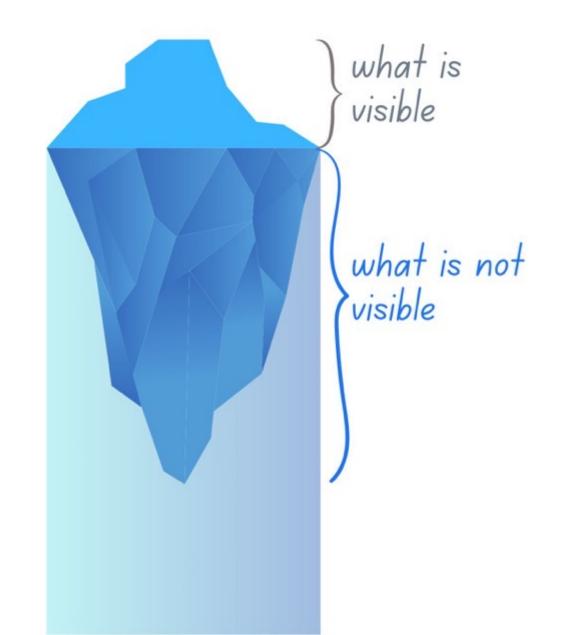
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Climate Risk Insurance Annual Report 2023

Apr 23, 2024 — The 2023 Climate Risk Insurance (CRI) Annual Report highlights key insights and achievements from WFP supported CRI programmes.



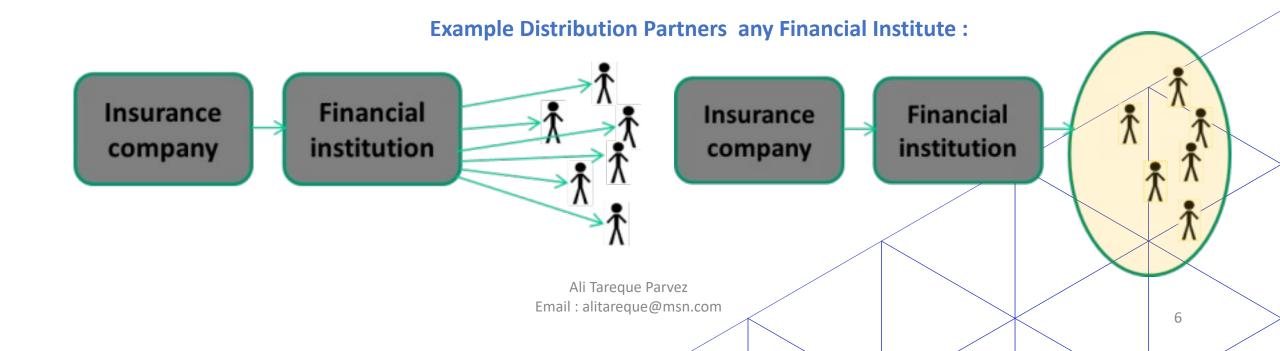
Impact of Insurance

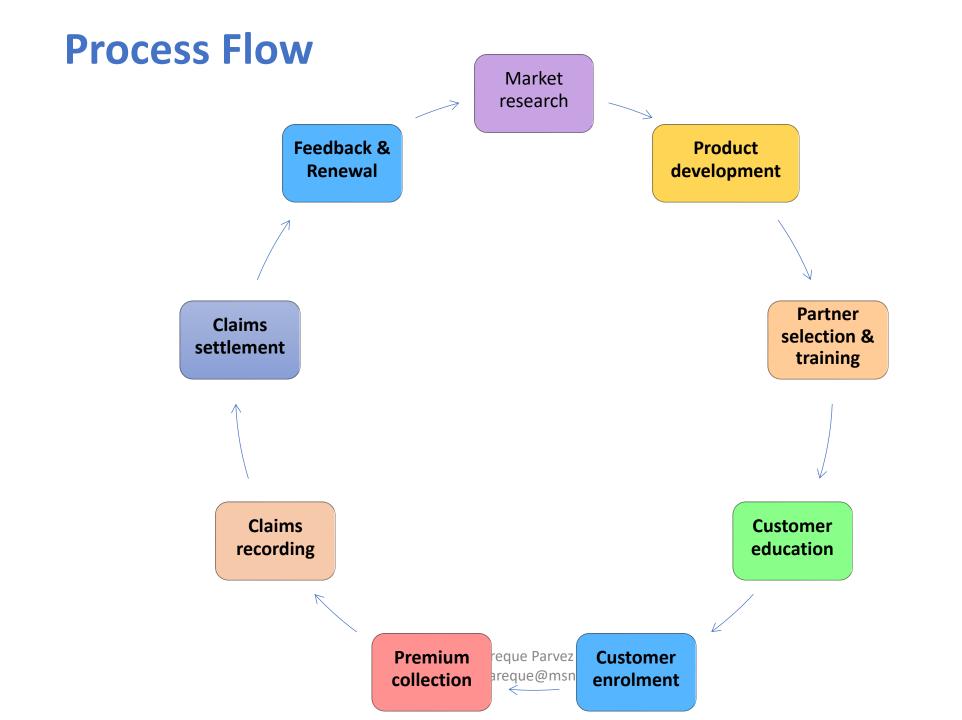


How to distribute Insurance

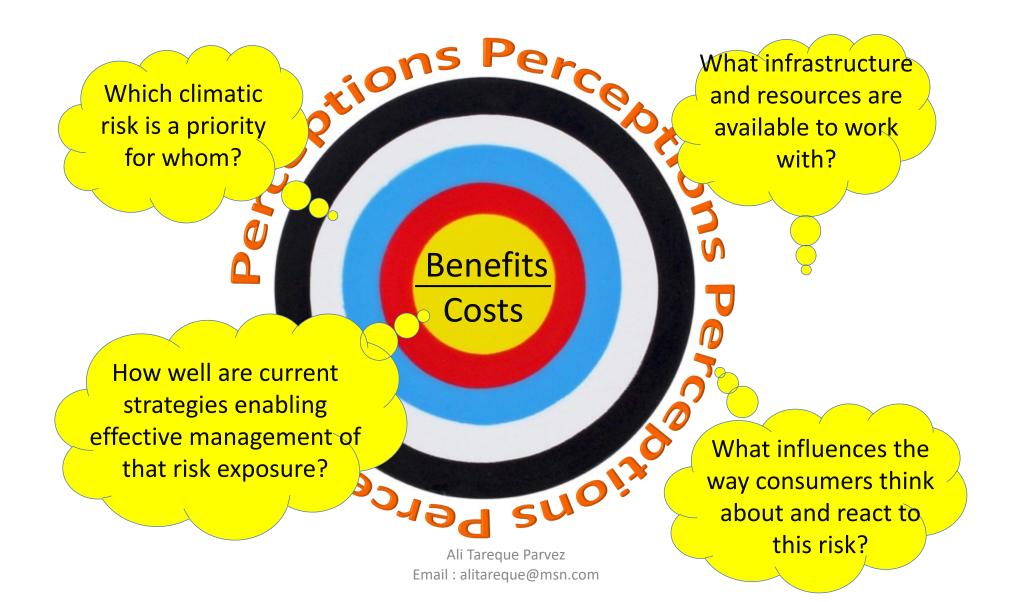
Individual coverage: the Distribution Partners as a *delivery channel*

Portfolio coverage: the Distribution Partners as a *client*





What do we need to know?



Climate change and extreme weather events adversely impacting livelihoods





Insurance as a facilitator for....

...reducing household vulnerability

...promoting stronger enterprises

...achieving public policy objectives (UHC, food security, climate change)







Providing Climate Insurance Requires...

Market research

- Client needs assessment
- Competitor analysis

Product design

Marketing and education

Enrolment and premium collection

servicing and value-added services Ensuring

customers can

have the support

they need at all

Providing clients

with access to

agriculture,

Technology

health services,

weather, business

and risk reduction tips, among others

times

- Collecting
- Loss assessment
- Technology

- Conceptualization
- Data collection
- Technical pricing
- Prototyping and piloting
- Underwriting and reinsurance
- Regulatory approvals
- Technology

Product promotion

- Building client understanding
- Technology

- Collecting client data and documents
- Collecting premium
- Issuing policy
- Technology

Policy Claims reporting, assessment and payment

- documents
- Validation
- Payment

Monitoring and evaluation

performance

Measuring financial

and social

Almost no insurance provider has the capacity to do it all alone. Partnerships are key if you really want to be customer-centric!

Types of partnerships to explore

Service partners

Help insurance providers make the insurance product (and its value-added services) a reality. Examples: technology providers, consulting firms, insurers, reinsurers, third party loss adjusters, training associations, data providers, market research firms, among others

Direct and indirect distribution partners

Critical partners to achieve success and scale. Directly and indirectly, they will be avenues to reach clients who insurers would not have access to otherwise. Examples: online platforms, mobile network operators, financial institutions, sports/social clubs, among others

Social advocacy partners

Help raise awareness and education on a broader scale regarding the role insurance can play in supporting the target market. Examples: NGOs, foundations, business associations, government bodies and programmes, among others

Brand and image boosters

Help position the insurance brand and increase its visibility. These institutions may not offer any type of product or service, but their endorsement is very useful. Examples: regulatory authorities, government bodies, international organizations, celebrities, among others

Climate Risk Insurance

Range of Insurance distribution channels

Community-based Financial Direct sales Brokers organization institutions **Local Authority** Utility companies Retailers MNOs Digital Post offices Service providers Aggregators platforms/apps

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Engagement

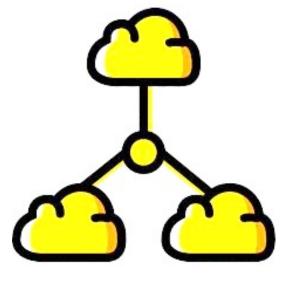


Actuarial Support





Technical Support



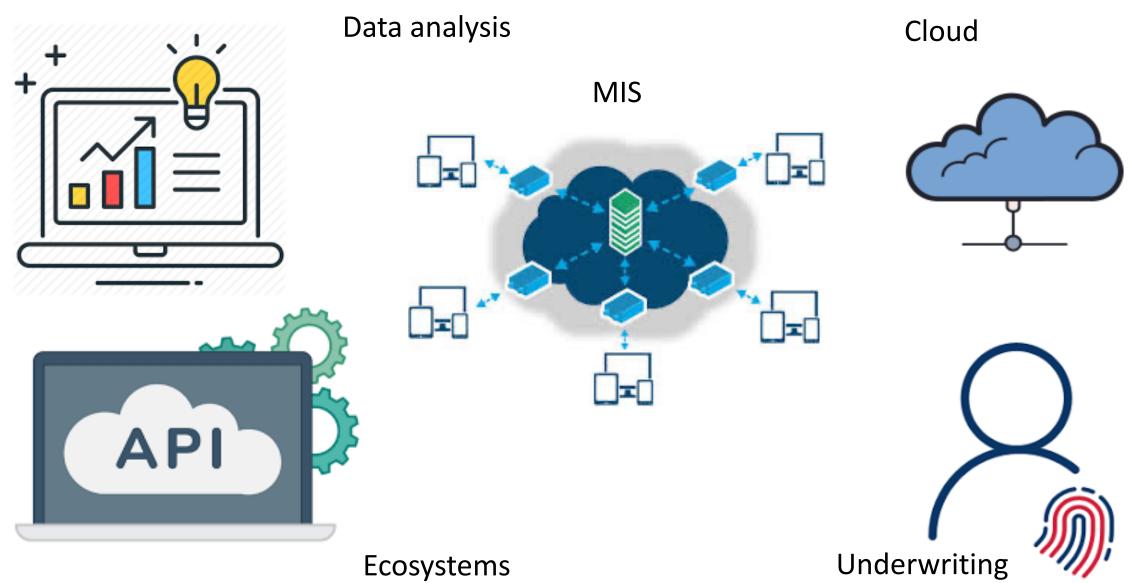
Donor / Fund for operation



Weather data



Support Required







Farmers make small deposits at regular group meetings toward purchase of insurance. Savings are stored in a lock box.

The VISA Model

Field staff/agents attend monthly group meetings, educate on insurance, and collect saved premium payments.

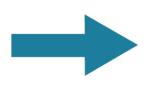
Optional Outreach staff deposit funds into individual savings accounts in the branch office.



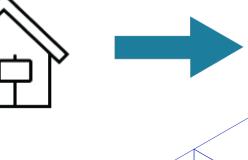
Purchases are aggregated and submitted to the insurance company.















VISA in Action: Northern Kenya



Stakeholders in Bangladesh Market



































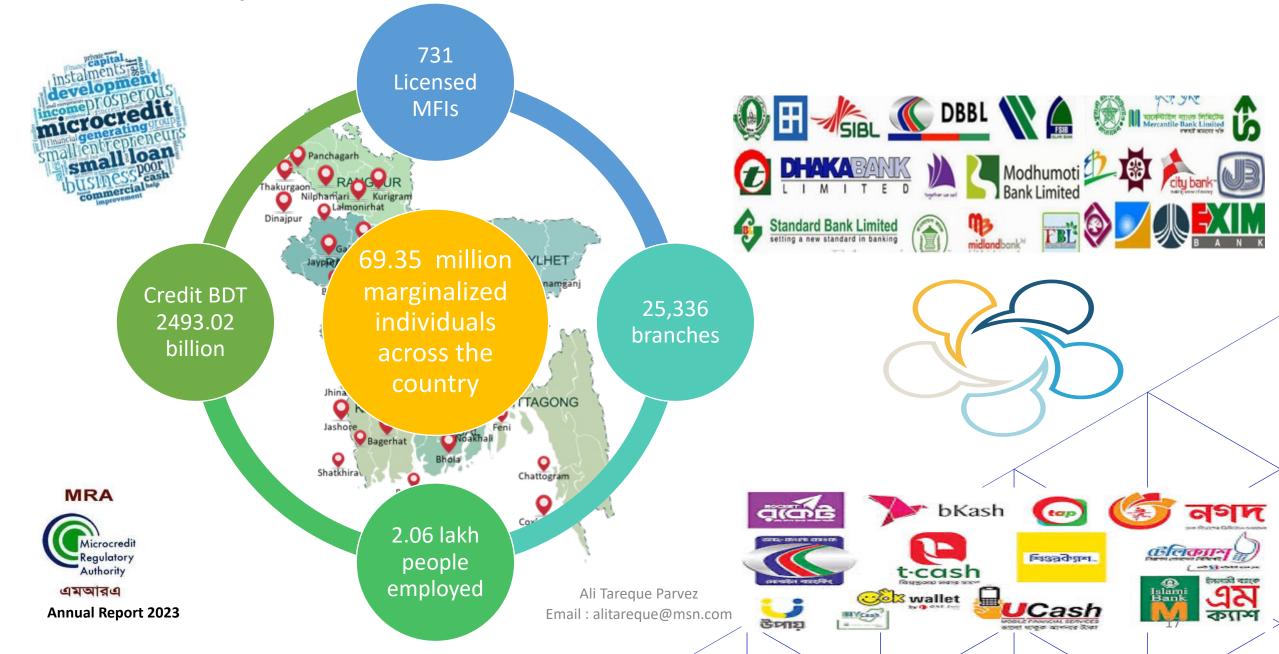


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Pragati Life Insurance Limited

Microfinance, Banks & Mobile Financial Services



Benefits of distribution channels

Think beyond enrolment. Distribution channels can do more than just sell products (see the example of Fonkoze). Many are well placed to provide support across the value chain:

Promotion	Enrolment	Premium collection	Education	n Providing value-added services	Claims reporting	Claims	nent Claims payment
Financial institutions	•	•	❸	•		•	•
Cooperatives etc.	•	•	0 0 0 0 0 0	•	&	❸	&
Retailers	•	•	•	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	&	•
MNOs	•	•	•	0 0	&	(4)	•
Employers	•	•	•	•		&	&
Direct sales	•	•	•	•	&	&	⊕

Mix and match. Distribution channels can be combined in creative ways to leverage their infrastructurand expertise. Consider how you can combine elements of different channels to take advantage of their benefits and address shortcomings. Financial institutions, for example, offer an existing client base and payment platform, yet their employees often do not prioritise insurance. In some cases insurers have responded by installing their own sales agents in the branches of financial institutions. Increasingly, exciting hybrid models are emerging, like banking correspondents, which merge elements of retail and financial institutions.

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Macroinsurance



during the 2022/23 season

Total value of premium 2.5 million people protected amounts to US\$9.2 million by macro-level insurance



Over US\$62.6 million in financial coverage



Over **617,000** people received WFP assistance funded by macroinsurance payouts in 2023



US\$15.7 million in insurance payouts triggered during the 2022/23 season, of which US\$13.1 million was transferred to beneficiaries in 2023.





World Food



Inclusive insurance



Over 2.5 million people covered by inclusive and/or meso-level insurance in 2023



Total value of premium amounts to nearly US\$12.9 million



Over US\$235 million in financial coverage, including over US\$177 million in indirect coverage through technical assistance



Over 205,000 people benefiting from inclusive insurance payouts distributed in 2023



Over US\$2.1 million in insurance payouts distributed in 2023

Using satellite data measured the flood how long is the inundation period and calculate the loss of income of marginal people mainly day labours. Few MFIs were the distribution partners and claim settlement was done through MFS (Mobile Financial Services)

Figure 3. Participants' perception of insurance in Bangladesh



Nearly 300,000 participants engaged in financial inclusion initiatives in countries where WFP implements climate risk insurance programmes

Financial Inclusion



70 percent of participants are women



saved by participants of financial inclusion where WFP implements climate risk insurance programmes

Over US\$1.8 million programmes in countries





90% participants satisfied with payout amount



98% participants believe payout was helpful



participants willing to purchase insurance indipendently

US\$2 million of loans accessed by financial inclusion initiative participants in countries where WFP implements climate risk insurance programmes

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Card Pioneer Microinsurance Inc., Philippines – ProtectMax

Distribution Partner - Cebuana Lhuillier (Pwanshop)

An **Insurance** package with benefits: Personal Accident, Emergency Benefit and Calamity Aid which covers damages caused by fire, typhoon, flood, and earthquake.



Dismemberment and/or Disablement, Property and Emergency **

Benefit, Catastrophic Cover – Act of Nature

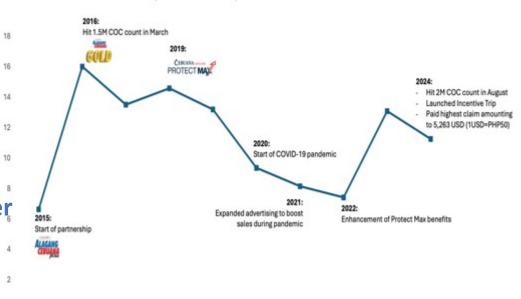
- ☐ Sum Insured: Philippines Peso 30,000 / USD 508
- □ Sublimit Of Accidental Dismemberment and/or Disablement of Philippines Peso 10,000 / USD 169 including Unprovoked Murder and Assault
- ☐ Fire Cash Assistance Philippines Peso 5,000 / USD 85
- ☐ Death Benefit Philippines Peso 10,000 / USD 169
- ☐ Emergency Expense Benefit Philippines Peso 1,500 / USD 25





Cebuana Lhuillier - Pioneer Microinsurance Enrollments

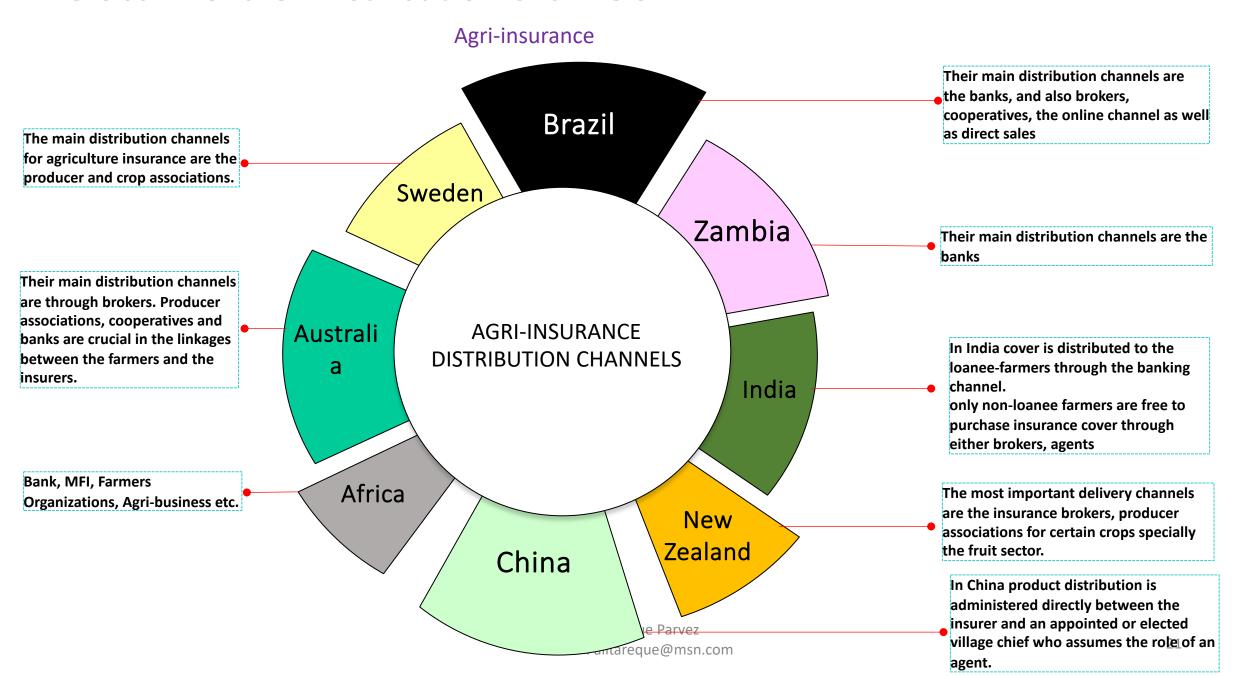
(2015 - AUG. 2024)



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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	as of Aug. 2024	
Total enrollments (in millions)	6.6	16	13.5	14.6	13.2	9.3	8.1	7.4	13.1	11.2	

Total enrollments (in millions)

Global Trend Of Distribution Channels





Britam Insurance Kenya

- 300 households affected by floods in Madogo Ward, Tana River County received a claim of \$ 866,614
- The claims were paid under the Index-Based Flood Insurance (IBFI) policy designed to cushion small-scale farmers residing in flood-prone areas from the catastrophic effects of floods.
- Britam in partnership with Swiss Re and Oxfam Kenya in May launched the flood insurance product targeting farmers living along the banks of the flood-prone river. Other players in the partnership include Risk Shield and Arid Lands Development Focus, which is Oxfam's implementing partner in Upper Tana.
- Two parameters –rainfall and river water levels— are used to predict flooding and its impact on communities.



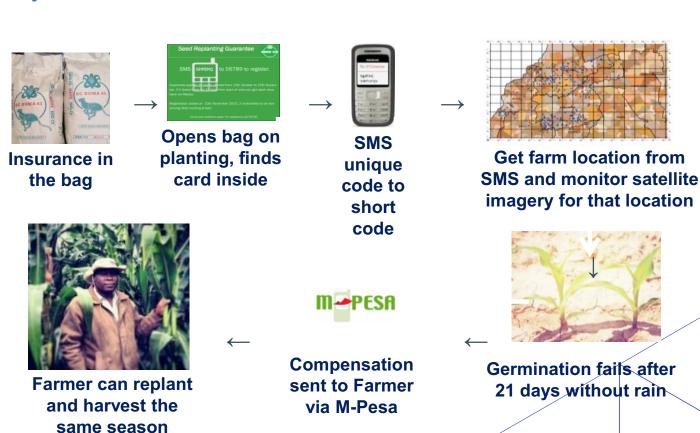






Kilimo Salama in Kenya (now ACRE)

- Distributed through local seed stockists
- Scanner with tailor-made software that allows for paperless registration and immediate confirmation of policy
- Premium transferred in batches through M-Pesa
- Claims disbursed through mobile money platform
- Weather stations for settlement established through mobile phone location/signal



New Segment for insurer: builds trust Farmers insured grew from 200 to 350k over 4 years

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Blue Marble – Extream Heat Income Loss

- ☐ Maximum daily temperature over 3 consecutive days
- ☐ Gujarat, India
- **□** 21,000 Customers
- ☐ Income Loss for Women work in informal sector





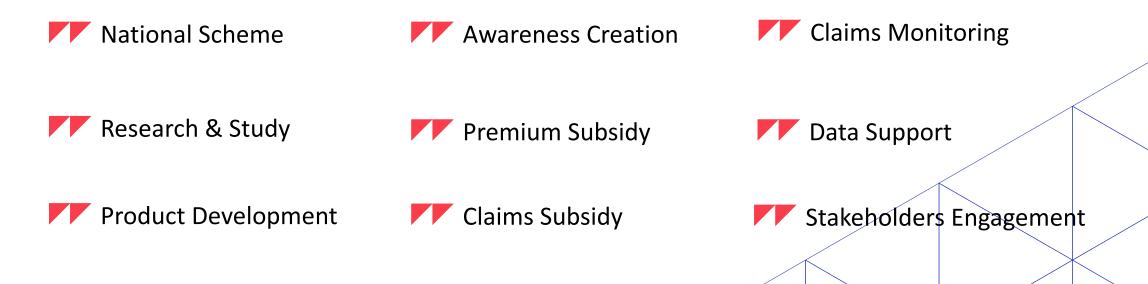






Public Private Partnership (PPP)

If well-designed, a PPP can strengthen the capacities of different levels of government; accelerate project implementation; achieve better risk allocation; enhance public management; reduce costs; and increase the quality of services. Both governments and private players can benefit from a well-designed PPP. The design, roles and dynamics that emerge during implementation vary from country to country.



African Risk Capacity (ARC) Group















- Harare, Zimbabwe, ARC Ltd, the commercial arm of the ARC Group, paid out a total of close to \$32 million to the Government of Zimbabwe and its humanitarian partners in parametric insurance claims. This payout makes history as one of the highest that ARC has ever made. It followed the El Niño-driven drought that devastated the region and led to a failed 2023/24 agricultural season.
 - The proceeds of the payout will assist 509,000 vulnerable households in 27 districts across the country who were most affected by this disaster event.
- Link: https://www.arc.int/news/arc-group-makes-total-us32-million-climate-insurance-payouts-assist-people-affected-drought

One Acre Farm Africa ONE ACRE FUND

Rwanda, Tanzania and Malawi more than 1 Million

- From Insurance Farmers Got Coverage:
- 1. Re-supplying planting materials
- 2. Loan reductions and forgiveness
- 3. Yield-based insurance

Natural Disaster Fund, a public-private partnership managed by Global Parametrics with seed investment from the UK's Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office and Germany's BMZ via KfW, with global reinsurer Hannover Re

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Rose January, Malawian farmer "If we hadn't received support, we'd have even less than we do now, particularly when I compare myself to farmers who don't farm with One Acre Fund, who didn't get additional seed to replant."

Communication with Customers – Distribution Partners Engagement & Customer Literacy



Distribution Partner – MFIs, Cooperatives, Aggregator Field Team Need to be trained

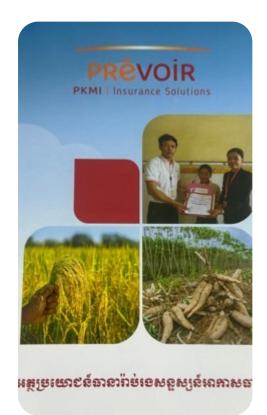
Literacy Materials need to share with customers

Customer need to be engaged in Product Development

Field level impact and results need to be collected

Find the fastest way to settle claims

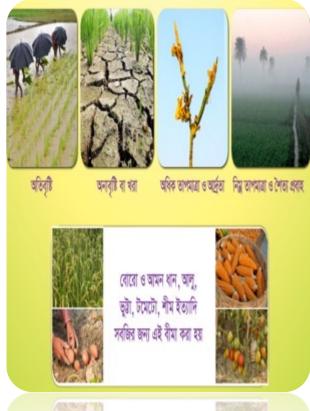
Materials for Staff Training and Customer Literacy Meeting



Booklet for Staff / FAQ



X-banner for Customer Literacy







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Festoon

Promotion

Short animated AV AV Commercial AV can be created អ្នកស្ថានទីត្រូវតិក្រោទត្ត ចម្រើន ម.អ 123816:TWRBER: 070 600 900 Using local cable network for Advertisement advertising with T-shirt កសិកម្មវៃធ្លាតគឺមានធានារ៉ាប់រង small animated advertisement ខាងក្រោយ Any sort of Banner/ promotion – village **Entrance Banner** fair leaflet, video Promotion show etc.

Promotion









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You won't have to worry about losing out on your agricultural crops from the weather issues!

With Brevor (Cambodia) Microlife Insurance PLC, we will help you to insure the financial losses to your agricultural crops caused by cases:

- Dryness of the dry season is caused by a little rain
- Excessive rainfall causes heavy rainfall.

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