

# MAKING INSURANCE ACCESSIBLE TO THOSE WHO NEED IT MOST: BENEFITS & CHALLENGES OF USING TECHNOLOGY

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## A SHORT INTRO ABOUT DEMOCRANCE













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16 **MARKETS LIVE** 



**50**+ **PRODUCTS SUPPORTED** 

### Company Overview

- Democrance is a B2B InsurTech, offering a SaaS, plug-and-play technology platform that digitizes sales &distribution verticals of the insurance value chain for leading insurance companies.
- Weenable insurers to sell digitally across multiple channels from a single platform:













Online D2C

Agents

**Brokers** 

Banks

Aggregators

**Partners** 

#### Individual & Commercial product lines supported:



Motor



Travel



Home Health







Life

A&H



P&C SME



Marine



Micro



**Group Life** 



Fleet



Cargo

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## OUR TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION: WHITE LABELLED SAAS PLATFORM

Better: Cheaper: Bigger: Leveraging on data Insurance process digitization 3<sup>rd</sup> party connectivity Underwriting & policy Distribution Single data layer External data Distribution Insurer ecosystem admin partnerships Renewals, cross and Data extracts Billing Expayments Government data Data science Payment gateways & reporting up-selling Accounting & Customer self-Analytics dashboards Artificial intelligence Health & mobility Claims management reinsurance servicing

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# WHY INCLUSIVE INSURANCE IS CHALLENGING: WHAT HAS NOT WORKED?



### DEMAND-SIDE (CUSTOMER)



Poor awareness and trust in insurance in developing countries

- Difficult to understand value
- ✓ Insurers often don't have good brand recognition



#### SUPPLY-SIDE (INSURER)



Traditional distribution channels are not viable

✓ No access to low-income population



Customer journey is too complicated

- ✓ Lots of paperwork at policy enrolment and claim
- ✓ Insurance exclusions and long Terms & Conditions



Insurers often struggle to understand this segment

- ✓ Pressure on short-term results
- Develop simple product and value propositions



Collecting insurance premium collection is difficult

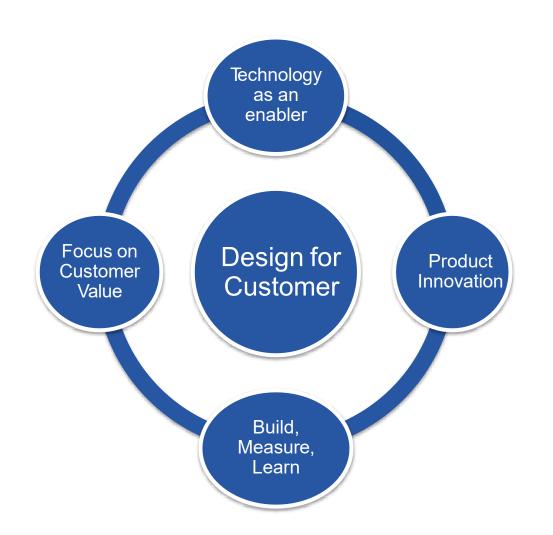
✓ Low-income segment don't have bank account or credit/debit card



Legacy technology cannot process mass low-premium policies

 Lack of a flexible IT platform to integrate with non-traditional partners and manage millions of policies

## DIGITAL INCLUSIVE INSURANCE: WHAT HAS WORKED?





We will continue to innovate for marginalized communities and contribute to build resilient societies thanks to the power of technology. #democratizinginsurance

# OUR MICRO INSURANCE JOURNEY: WHAT HAVE WE ACRHIEVED?



New Innovation

**Improved Efficiencies** 

New customer Segments



# HOW WE ENABLE LEADING INSURERS TO SELL MORE MICRO INSURANCE THROUGH TECHNOLOGY





#### **Front End Journeys**

Customizable, responsive, out-ofthe-box journeys for all customer, broker and agent interactions.

#### **Key Features**:

Journeys are customized with your brand guidelines (Logos, colors & fonts).

No code journey builder tool, to easily create and edit journeys in minutes.

Human Centric designed UI, ensuring a seamless UX with each interaction.



#### **Product Builder**

Digitize and manage your products with our in-platform configurable rating engine.

#### **Key Features**:

Take control of your products and easily edit underwriting rates, rules & prices.

Increase your speed to market, configure, launch & test new products quickly

Configure policy admin & payment workflows on a product level.



#### **API Connectivity**

Connect in real time to your core systems, partners & external data sources with the use of our API's

#### **Key Features**:

Extract data from government entities to pre-populate user submission data.

Integration with existing internal systems such as CRM, accounting and reinsurance.

Enable partners to consume Democrance API's for Quoting & Binding Policies.



#### **Reporting & Analytics**

Custom reporting available & indepth performance dashboards to monitor all activity.

#### **Key Features**:

Create custom report types, available to send via API or manually timed SFTP delivery.

View product or channel performance via your in-platform customer dashboard.

Ability for management to contextualize performance and determine possible changes. <sup>7</sup>

# THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY FOR SUSTAINABLE MICRO INSURANCE PROGRAMS















**Customer Acquisition** 

Product Development



Premium Collections

**Business Intelligence** 

Document Management; Claims Processing

Value Added Services



Ease of customer acquisition, segmentation and personalization

Harnessing big data for product design, pricing

Reducing cost of distribution by digitizing manual processes Enable efficient premium collection tools, from non-traditional sources i.e bank accounts/credit cards

Real-time business insights based on customized KPIs

Real-time claim projections based on active claim activity vs. historical data and market benchmarks Personalized value addition solutions for customers

To increase sales and conversion by sourcing pre-underwritten leads

Accurate pricing frameworks and customer insights

**Distribution is KEY!** 

Frictionless premium collections is critical

To monitor business performance and support reporting needs

To allow insurer to adjust products, underwriting criteria or reserves on time

Client intelligence & Al

### FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES: ENABLERS & DRIVERS

### 1) Digitization

Insurers will need to adopt higher level of innovation & technology adoption



# 3) Analytics, Data Science & Artificial Intelligence (AI)

Use of big data is on the increase, to better address customer changing needs. (i.e. in 2021 Insurance industry invested/spent \$3.6bn)

### 2) Insurance Eco-System

IOT, lifestyle devices integrated into insurance product design i.e. Health, Motor sector

### 4) New Solutions: Personalization

Customers designing their own insurance solutions

### FUTURE OPPORTUNITIES: ENABLERS & DRIVERS

#### Al will not have the same impact across the insurance value chain Medium impact Significant impact Low impact POLICY SALES & UNDERWRITING FINANCE & PRODUCT CLAIMS MARKETING ACQUISITION MANAGEMENT DISTRIBUTION & RISK MGMT. MANAGEMENT **ACCOUNTS** & SERVICING Acquisition & Risk Acceptance In-force Business Loss Reserve A/C Receivable Market Product Sales Mgmt. Definition Development Admin. Creation & Payable Policy Validation Collections Proc. Rewrite, Reissue, Product Product Sales Tracking Claims Quotation Val. Configuration Branding & Monitoring Cancellation Litigation Asset Mamt. Referrals & Neg. Financial Acctg. Distribution Policy Endt. Claims Product Rating Mgmt. Maintenance Financials Channel Mamt. Costing, Budg. Policy Reinst. & Taxation Reinsurance Commission Product Filing Policy Renewal Payroll Acctg. Facility Mamt. Product Testing Issue Quote Sales Planning Loss Control Book Keeping Issue Policy Audit Direct Sales Commission Sales Execution Risk Inspection Product Design Channel Support Quick Quote Claims Reg. Processing Claims Validation Claims Market Research Risk Analysis Contracts and Actuarial Account & Statement Assessment Process & Analysis Contract Portfolio Preparation Risk Monitoring Claims Management Management Product Market Adjudication Remittance Pricina Promotion Processing Fraud Mgmt. Claims Subro.

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# CASE STUDY: TECHNOLOGY FOR MOBILE WALLETS/E-KIOSK PAYMENTS



## Democrance track record

Mexico, Egypt, Philippines



# Partnership Value proposition

- Freemium: mobile wallet / e-payment subsidises insurance premium to increase wallet usage
- Paid up-/cross-sell: premium deducted from mobile wallet, payment card or cash at kiosks



# Marketing and Sales (offline to online)

- · Face-to-face promotion by agents at Retail kiosks
- Digital and BTL marketing by Democrance
- In-App notification







# Democrance's Platform for Wallet partnerships

- Democrance back-end platform: campaign management, policy, billing and claim administration + data aggregation to feed the Insurer legacy policy admin system
- Front-end customer journey
  - Policy Enrolment: kiosk teller enrolls customer on Democrance web portal (online/offline)
  - Issuing e-Certificate via SMS / Email / in-App / POS etc.
  - My Wallet and Claim portal for self-servicing
- Democrance API integration with billing platform (for upsell)