Default to Digital

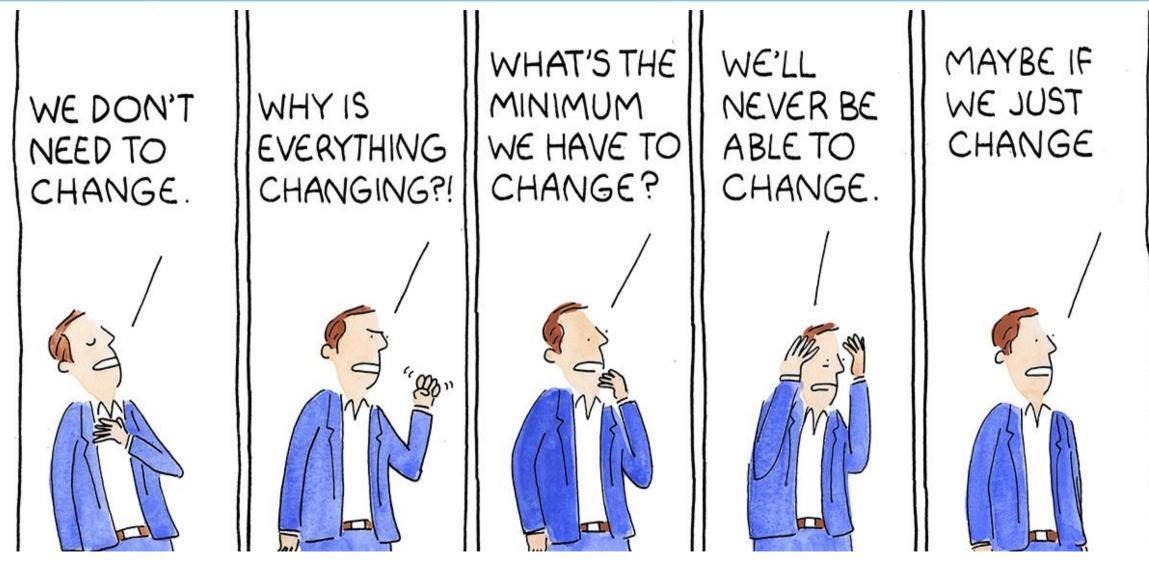
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"Changing is what people do when they have no options left'' - Holly Black



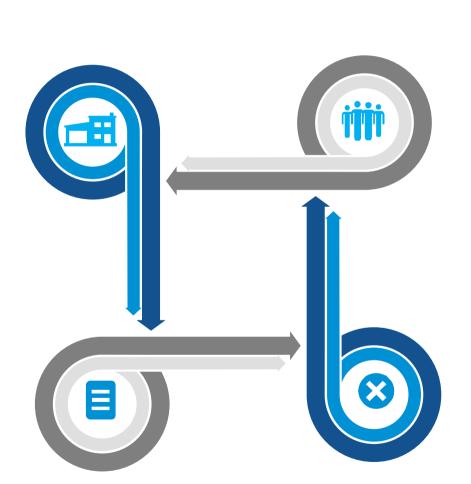
Covid-19 has been a disruption that has challenged the status quo of insurance business practices in India

1. Dependence on `physical infrastructure' for:

- Customer sales / servicing touchpoints (e.g., branch)
- Daily business operations
- Trainings / engagement activities

3. Use of `physical documents' for:

- New business customer authentication & consent, policy document etc.
- Servicing policy transactions, payouts & claims



2. Default to `face-to-face interactions' for:

- New business sales
- Customer servicing
- Internal meetings, reviews, cross departmental collaboration etc.

4. Continuing to let insurance be `complex' across:

- Pitch need for insurance
- Product features, benefits, pricing
- Process policy purchase, servicing transactions etc.



This disruption is also bringing about long-lasting shifts in consumer / distributor behaviour, towards a `new normal'



Customer 'digital maturity' seeing a step change

[40% increase in time spent on news and social networking apps¹]



Complex decisions' getting procrastinated

[Move to digital necessitating insurance simplification]



Customers expecting 'convenience & customization'

[Use of partner integration, AI / ML & Analytics to improve customer experience]



Customers preferring 'digital' over 'physical'

[60% indicate online as preferred medium for buying insurance in next 6M; 100% increase in term insurance Google searches compared to pre Covid²]

Distributors demanding 'digital enablement'

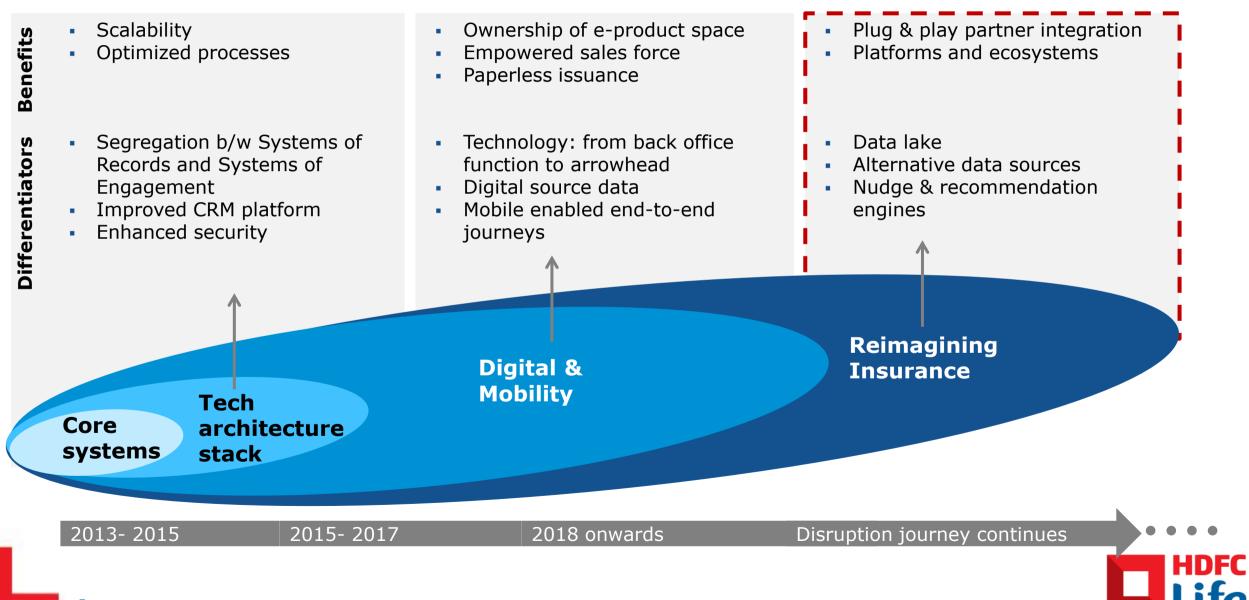
[Over 50% agents have already started using digital applications and portals³]



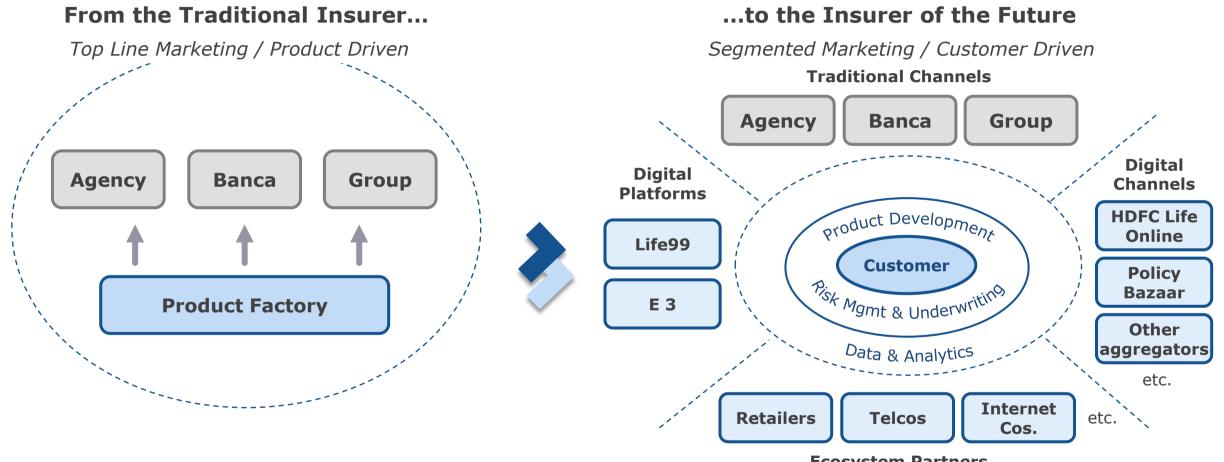
1. Nielson research

- 2. BCG survey: 60% indicates % among digitally mature survey respondents
- *3.* BCG survey: 50% indicates % of agents who responded to the survey

At HDFC Life, we have sustained our focus on digital transformation, starting way back in 2013...



Over the course of time, we had reimagined our operating model from being product centric to being customer centric...



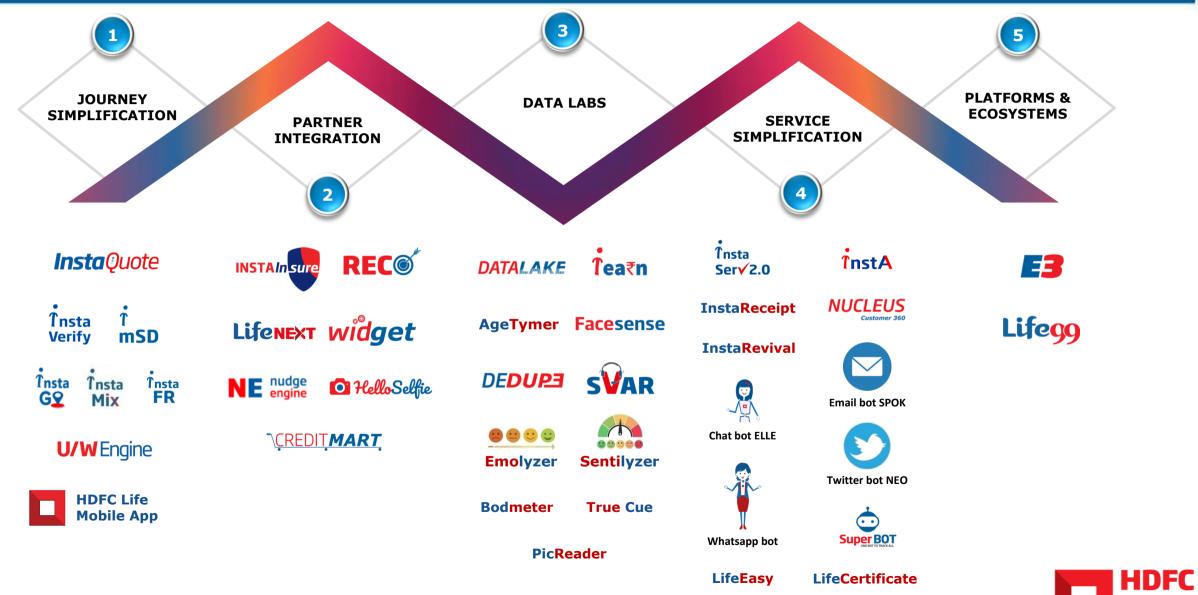
Ecosystem Partners



...and created multiple cognitive engines to serve the reimagined operating model

Enablers	Building Blocks			Culture
Cloud Computing	Journey Simplification Give me a <u>simple</u> journey from purchase to payout			Fail Early / Fail Fast
AI / ML	Platforms & Ecosystems Nudge me in	5 Customer 2	Partner Integration <i>Give me an <u>integrated</u> experience</i>	Agile / Sprints
Data Lake	Service Simplification			MVP Approach
Partnering with the Best		ervice <u>PEISC</u>	onalize my riences	Local Customer / Global Resources
Core Systems	Digital Assets	E-Commerce	Data Labs	Platforms
Engines powering the model				HDFC
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Cognitive engines rapidly developed a suite of products & micro services to solve customer's sales & service needs



We are now 'defaulting to digital' in both our business and operating model

Parts of 'existing business' converted to 'digital'

Acceleration of digital sales

- Growing traffic to digital assets
 - Reinventing sales journeys
 - 'Simplification' lens to journey design

'End to end' digital enablement



- Digital prospecting, login & conversion
- Upskilling sales force for `virtual sales'
- Digital servicing

Innovation & process digitization



- Seamless issuance (tele-medicals, preunderwritten products)
- Alternatives to physical docs / consent

'Virtual / WFH operations'



- Infrastructure enablement
- Collaboration tools

Levers for being 'born digital'

Business models that create and act on dynamic, personalized customer insights (data-driven)

Products / journeys that are **simple** and easily **scalable** across channels, partners & technology interfaces

Multi-company / hybrid ecosystems & platforms (build, manage or collaborate)

Tech architecture for business of the future (**Cloud** native, **micro-service** based, modular design)

Innovation & experimentation across the organization (transcending hierarchy and departments)

Standards reset for the digital world (e.g., data governance / security, TATs, **parameters to measure impact** etc.)



One example of such a 'default to digital' model is WISE, an industry-first video based sales enablement tool



Zero setup for customer



Voice & Video with multiple modes



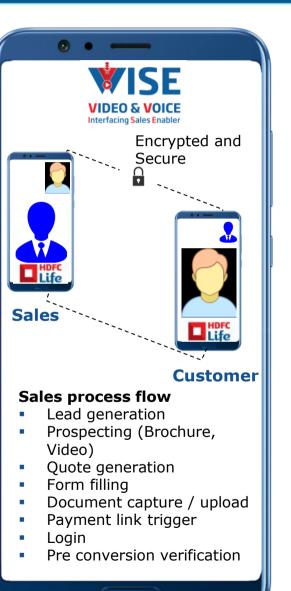
Screen share to display content



Device agnostic (Mobile / Tablet / Desktop / Laptop)



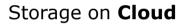
Enables **Tri-Party** connect





Lead tracking and functional dashboard







Options for **masking** sections of the form



Document upload / Capture **photo**



Encrypted **recording**



We are cognizant of the implications of a 'default to digital model' and are well poised to reset to the 'new normal', as Covid recedes



"I want you to find a bold and innovative way to do everything exactly the same way it's been done for 25 years!"



Thank You

