

## Insurance: Leading Through Disruption

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### I.I.I. Mission Statement



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## Sustainable Business Model

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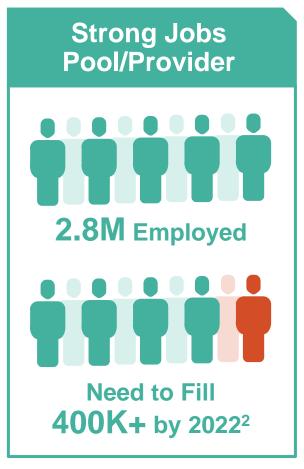


Bank Failures: 157

Insurance Impairments<sup>1</sup>: 8

**Policyholder Surplus:** 

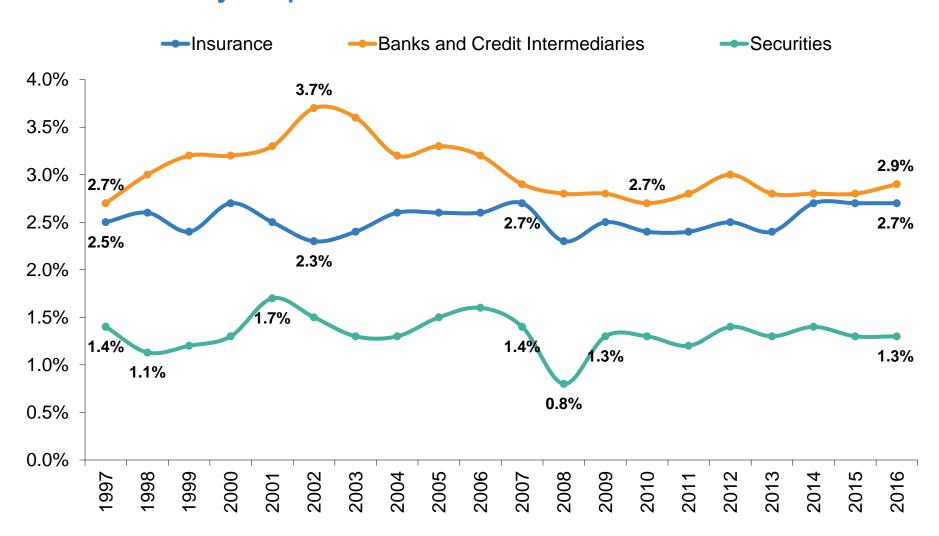
\$700.9B ₱ End 2016







# The Insurance Industry's Contribution to GDP Now Nearly Equals Banks'





# Insurance Industry Snapshot: By the Numbers



#### 2.8 million

People in the U.S. employed, in a wide variety of careers, from human resource administrators to public relations managers to financial analysts



#### \$5.8 trillion

Assets under management at year-end 2016, including \$1.5 trillion for the property/ casualty sector and \$3.7 trillion for the life sector



#### \$508 billion

Contributed to the U.S. gross domestic product in 2016, roughly 2.7% of the whole



#### \$40.0 billion

Federal and foreign income taxes paid in 2016, plus U.S. premium taxes paid



Source: A Firm Foundation, Insurance Information Institute.

# The Yearly Cash Flow to Rebuild Lives and Property is Substantial

Insurers annually pay over a trillion dollars in claims to rebuild lives, property, and businesses.

In 2016 alone, the industry paid

\$386.4 billion P/C incurred claims (L + LAE)

554.7 Life/Annuity benefits

560.9 Health Insurance benefits

= \$1.502 trillion

This is equivalent to \$125 billion per month.



### Insurers Are Major Investors, 2015

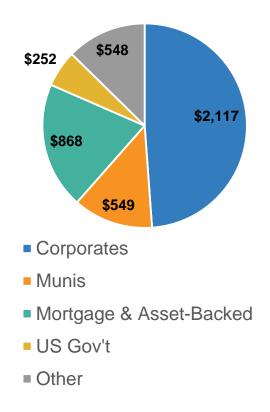
# Categories of investments (\$billions)

Total invested assets: \$5.8 trillion

## \$468 \$698 \$3,904 Bonds Stock Mortgages & Real Estate Other

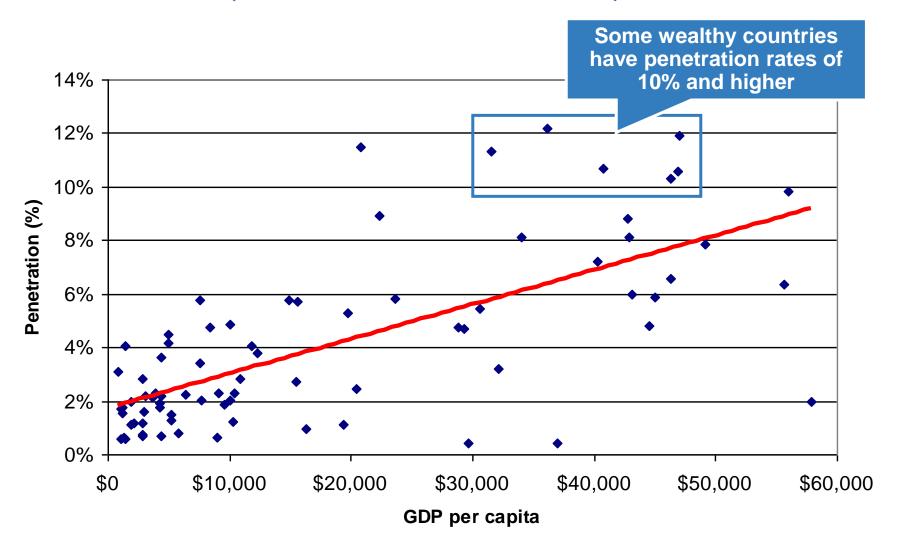
#### **Categories of bonds (\$billions)**

22% of corporate bonds outstanding 15% of municipal bonds outstanding



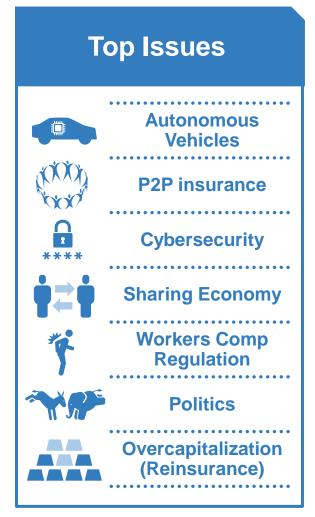


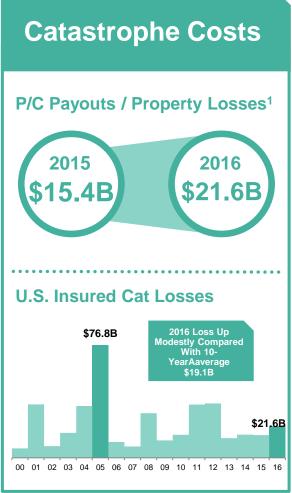
# As Economies Grow Wealthier, Insurance Market Penetration (Premium as % of GDP) Also Grows

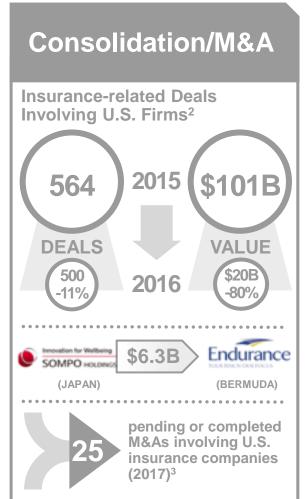


## Insurance Market Report

#### State of Insurance

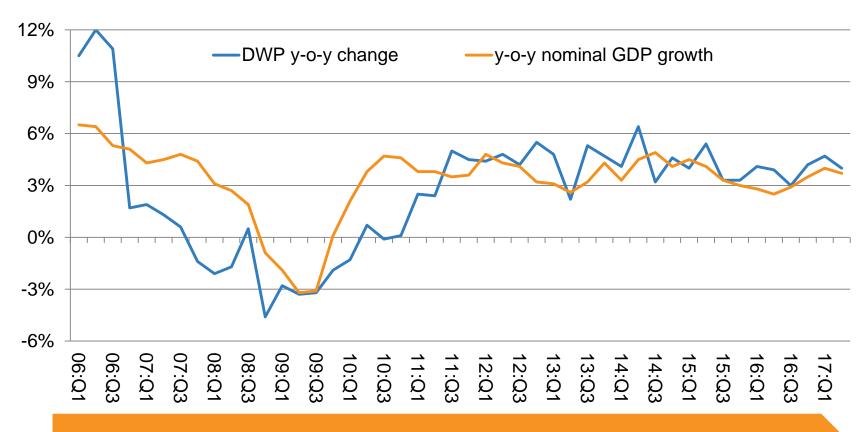






### The Economy Drives P/C Insurance Industry Premiums

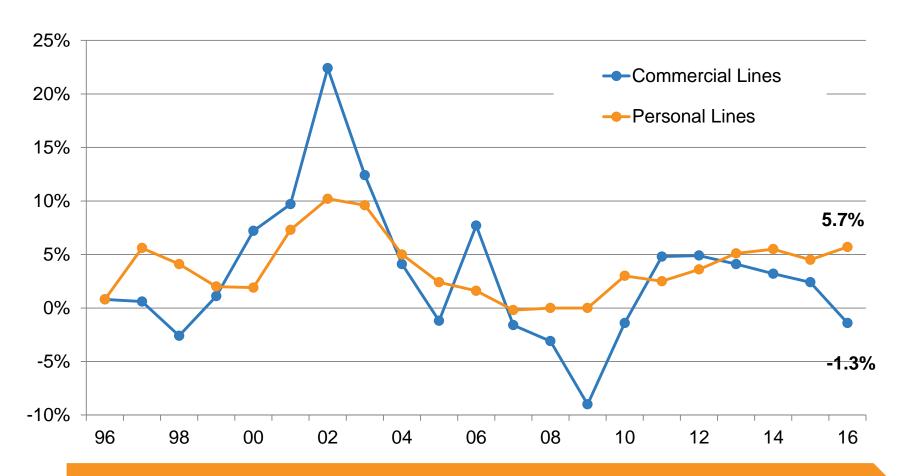
Direct Premium Growth (All P/C Lines) vs. Nominal GDP



Direct written premiums track nominal GDP—not quarter by quarter but overall fairly well.



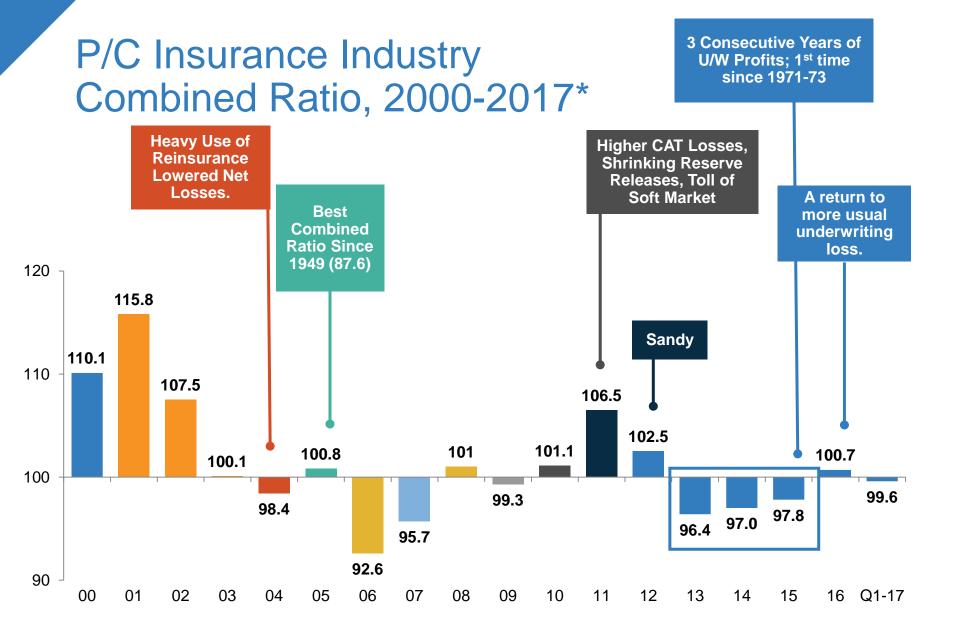
### Commercial & Personal Lines NPW Growth



Commercial lines is prone to much more cyclical volatility than personal lines.

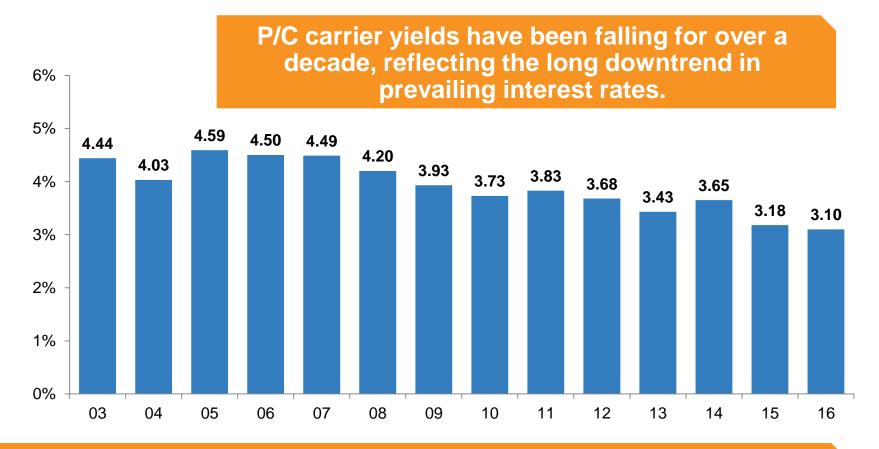


Note: Data include state funds beginning in 1998. Sources: A.M. Best; Insurance Information Institute.





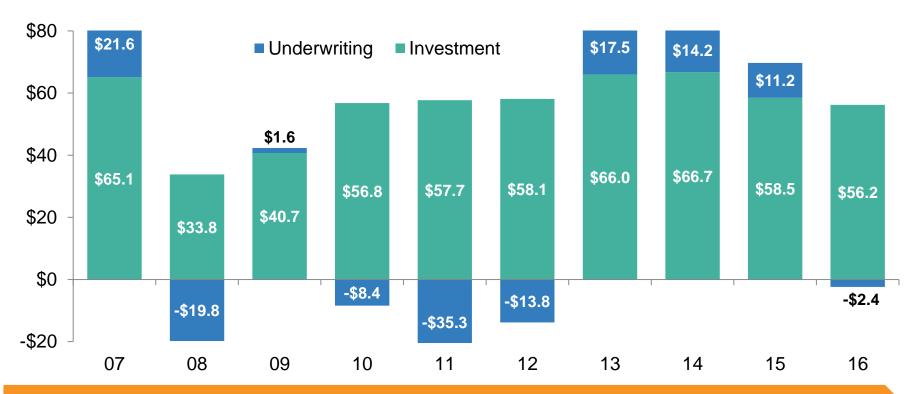
# P/C Insurer Portfolio Yields, 2003-2016



Even as prevailing rates rise in the next few years, portfolio yields are unlikely to rise quickly, since low yields of recent years are "baked in" to future returns.



### Sources of P/C Insurer Profits, 2007-2016

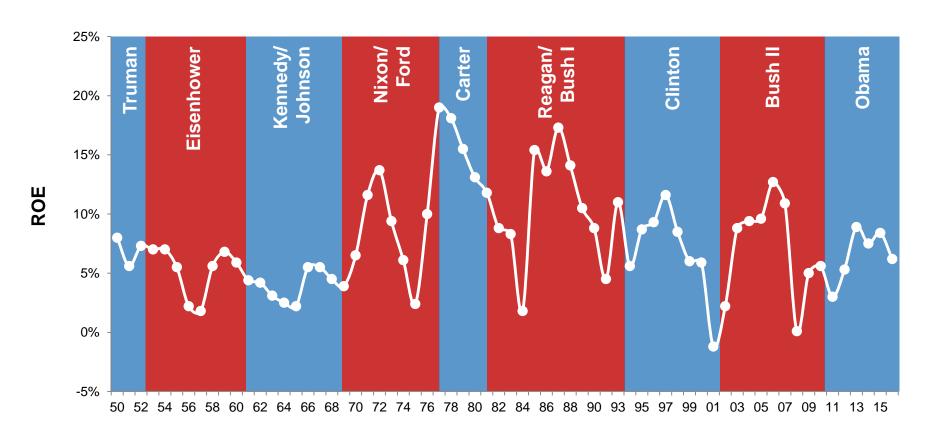


Insurer gains from investments vary from year to year (they plunged in 2008-09) but in the last decade, excluding the effect of the Great Recession, ranged between \$55 billion and \$65 billion each year. In contrast, net underwriting gains have not exceeded \$21 billion in any year and were actual losses in five of the 10 years.



# P/C Insurance Industry ROE by Presidential Party Affiliation

1950-2016\*



**BLUE** = Democratic President

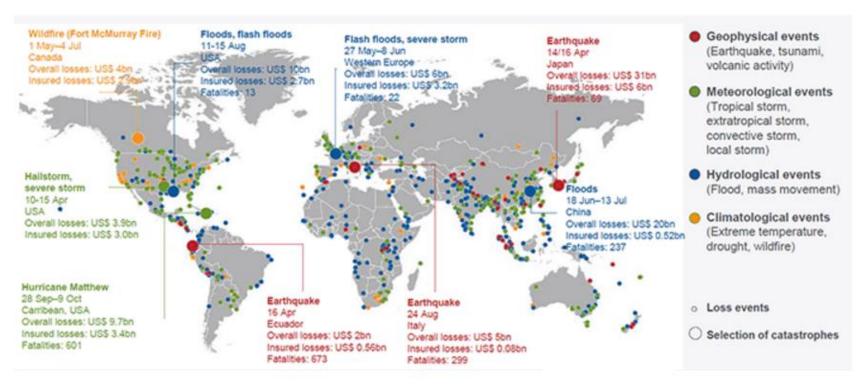
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## Catastrophe Change

# Natural Catastrophe Losses Totaled \$175 Billion, Up From \$103 Billion in 2015

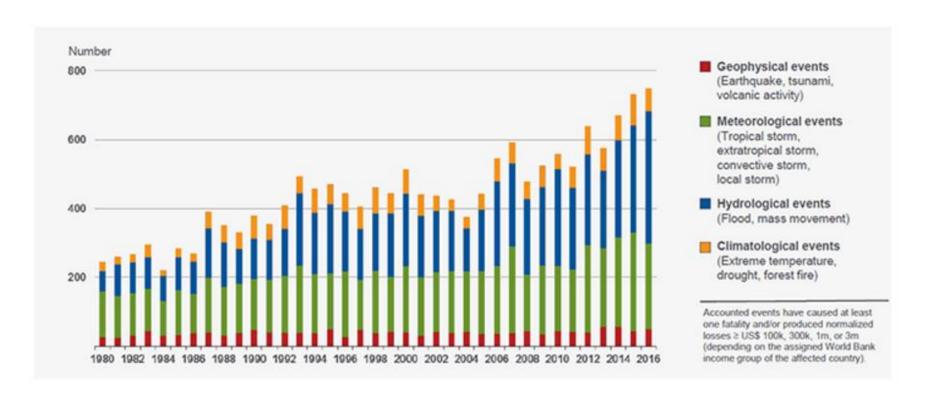
#### World Natural Catastrophes, 2016



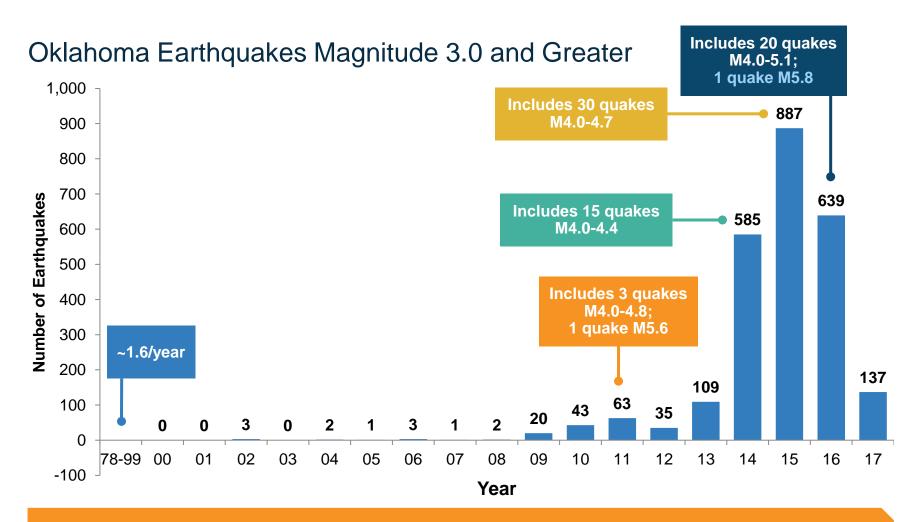
# The Frequency of Extreme Weather Events Is Rising

Number of World Natural Catastrophes, 1980-2016

(Number of relevant events by peril)



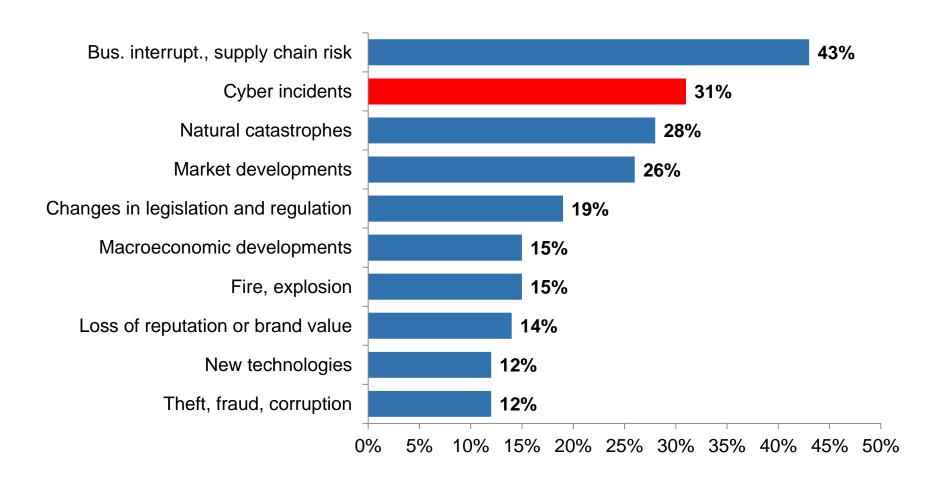
### Induced Earthquakes



Earthquake insurance take-up rates increased by over 300 percent from 2006 to 2015 in Oklahoma.

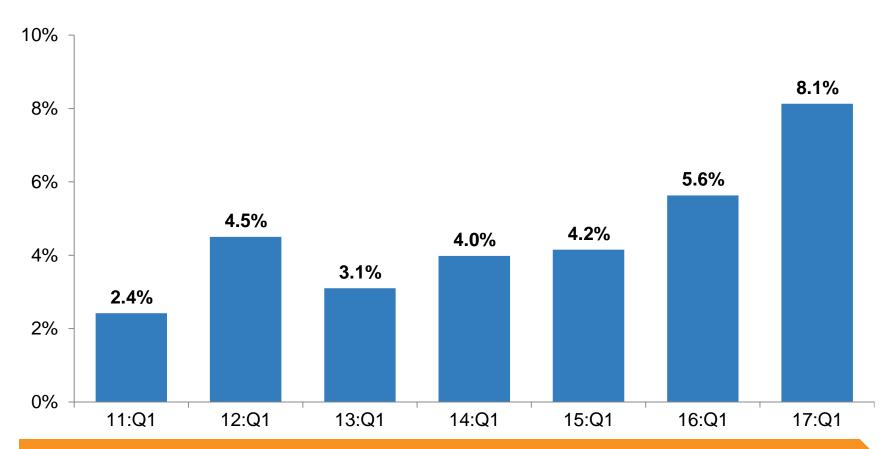


### Cyber Attacks – No. 2 Global Risk





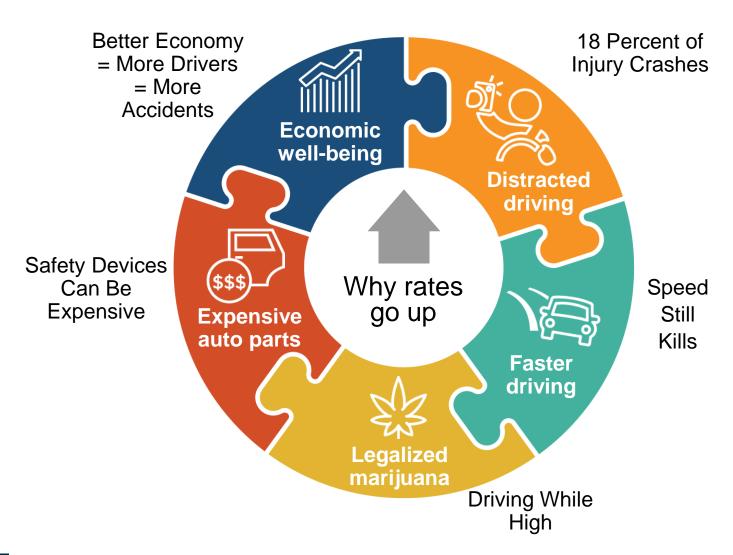
# CAT Claims as a Percent of Total Claims\*, First Quarter, 2011-2017



CAT claims are normally a small part of total claims in the first quarter, but that wasn't true in 2017. Moreover, although it's a small sample, the trend seems to be rising.



### Road Safety





# Insurance and the Fourth Industrial Revolution

# Insurance Disruption Technology / Digitalization

## Fundamental Changes

- ✓ Future of Auto
- Future of Reduced Risk Pools

#### **Opportunities**

- Automation / Efficiencies
- New Product Lines (Cyber)
- ▲ Emerging Technologies

#### Challenges

- ✓ Consumer Trust Demonstrate the Societal Value
- Big Data vs. Individual Privacy

## **New Market Entrants** "Uber of Insurance"?

- Lemonade
  - Offered in CA, IL, NJ, NY

## Regulatory Opportunities/Threats

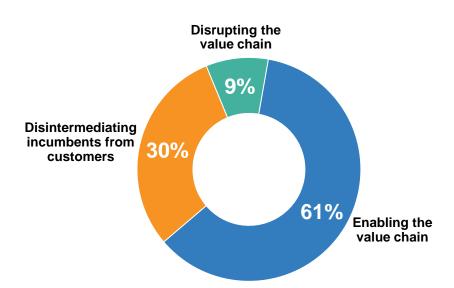
- ▲ Barrier to Entry
- US vs. Other Less Regulated Regions
- ▲ Trust Pull-back the Sandbox Approach

### InsurTech Disruption: Threat or Opportunity?

Automation efficiencies can have powerful impact on industry

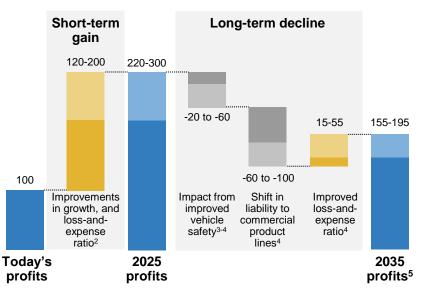
Focus of InsurTech in the insurance value chain<sup>1</sup>, %

Only nine percent of InsurTechs aim to oust incumbents



Future profits as a % of today's profits

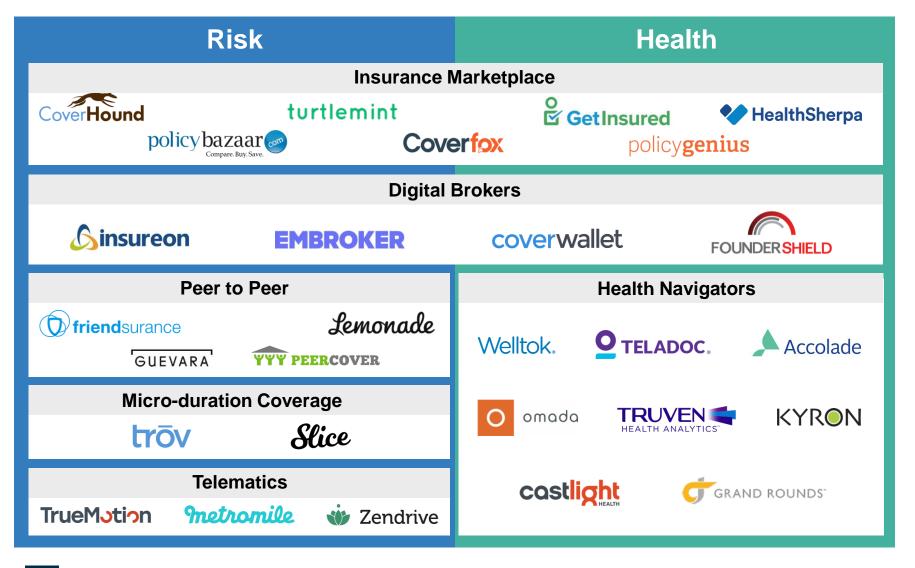
Digitizing the business, auto insurance example



¹Insurtechs are insurance businesses, usually startups, that use technologically innovative apps, processes, or business models; 2016 data based on some 500 commercially well-known cases. ²Assumes a 3 to 5 percentage point improvement in loss ratio, a 2 to 4 percentage point improvement in operating expenses, and a 6 to 8 percentage point improvement in direct sales conversions. ³Includes growth in investment income as well premiums. Investment income modeled as a flat percentage of premium in each year. ⁴Includes impact of semi- and fully autonomous vehicles. ⁵Assumes a 25 percent reduction in premiums as a result of telematics and sensors and a 50 percent risk transfer to commercial product liability. Source: Panorama by McKinsey; Digital and Auto Insurers Value at Stake Analysis, McKinsey, 2016.



## InsurTech Startups Have Broad Range...BUT...



### ...With Broad Incumbent Support







\$205M









\$57M







\$37M











\$21M







\$4M



Note: Total funding. Source: Aon.

# Successful Digital Transformation → Holistic Approach





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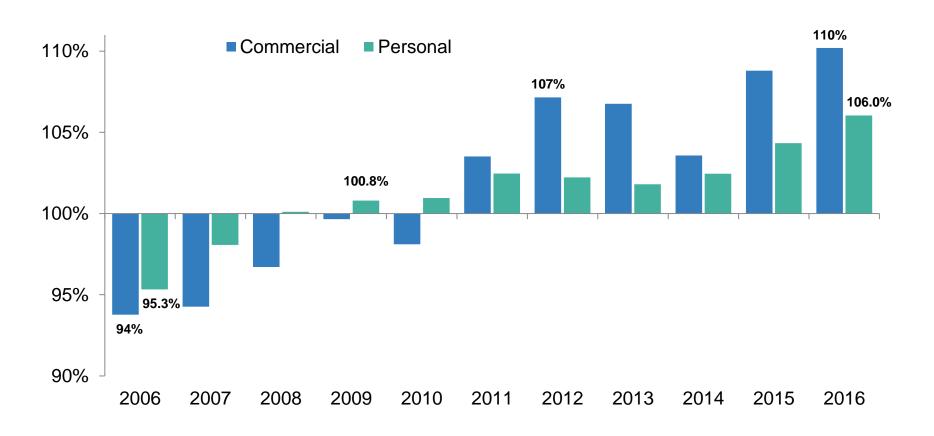
Q&A

### **APPENDIX**

## Rising Auto Costs

A force to be reckoned with...

### Net Combined Ratio, 2005-2016



Loss ratios have been rising for a decade.
2015 return on net worth is likely close to zero or negative.



### State Issues

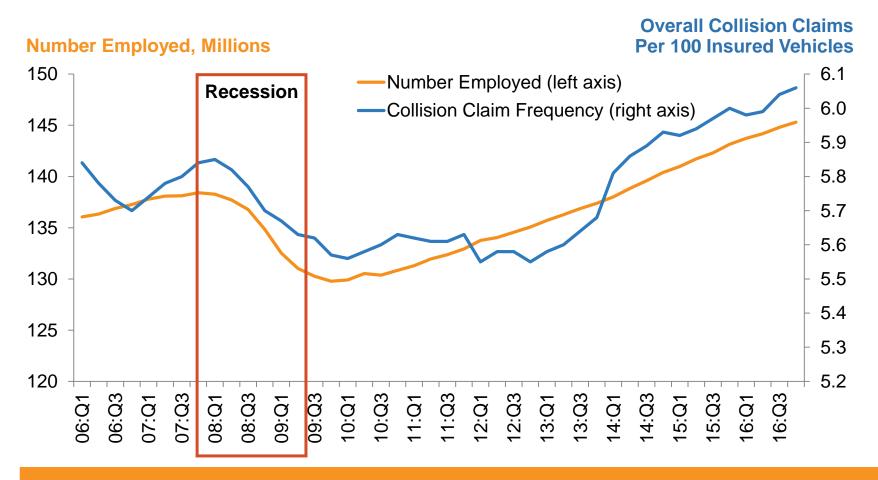
#### Auto Insurance

Increase in Loss Costs, 2015:Q1–2017:Q1



From 2015 to 2017, the cost of accidents has risen dramatically. By contrast, consumer prices overall rose 3.9 percent during 2014 and 2015.

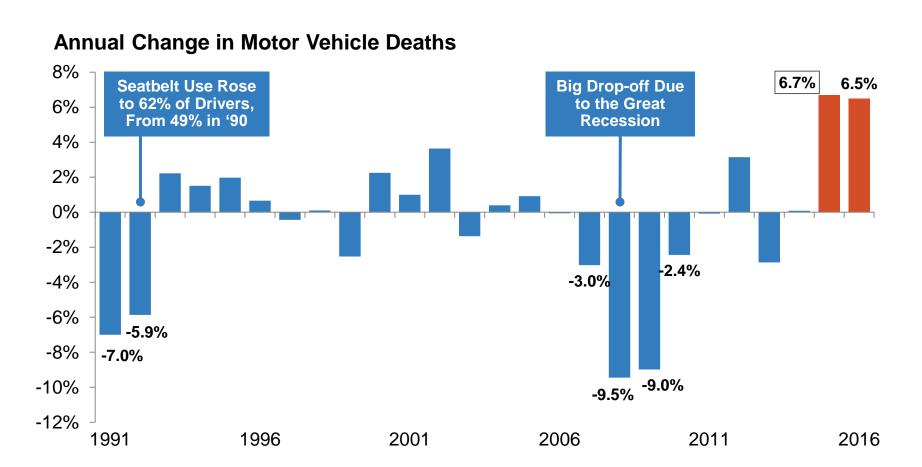
# More People Working and Driving => More Collisions, 2006-2016



When people are out of work, they drive less. When they get jobs, they drive to work, helping drive claim frequency higher.



## Severity: Driving Fatalities Are Rising

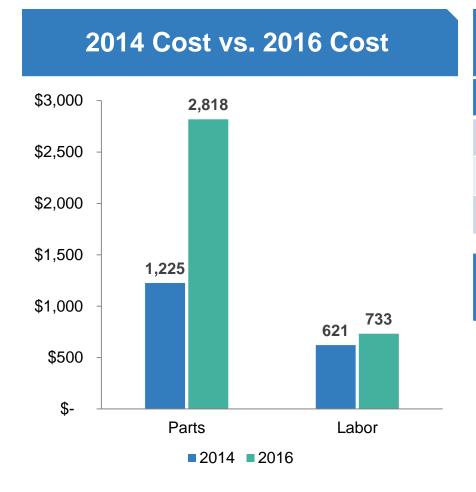


Driving has been getting safer for decades, but recent trend is discouraging—38,300 deaths in 2015.



### Fixing a Bumper

#### ...On an Entry-Level Luxury Car (~\$35K)



What Has Changed?		
	2014	2016
Grille: Distance Sensor	\$0	\$2,818
Headlamp Assembly	394	918
Mechanical Labor	0	108

#### **Fewer Accidents, Higher Costs**

▲ Parts: 130% Higher

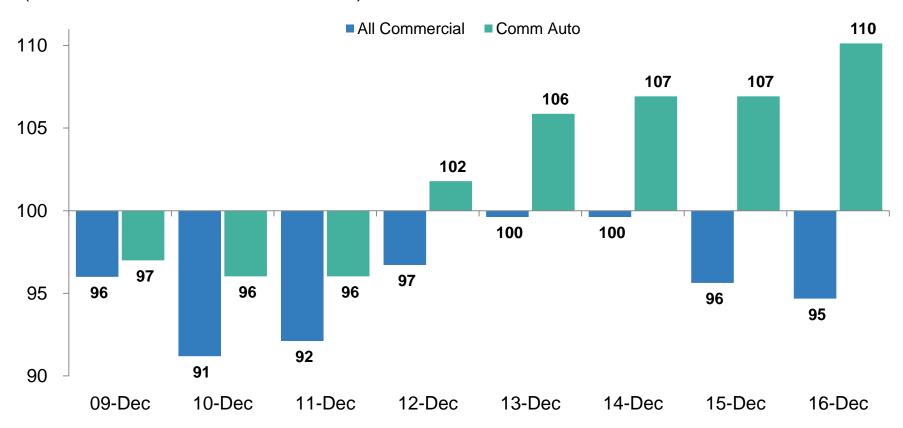
▲ Labor: 18% Higher

▲ Total cost: \$1,705 higher



### Commercial Auto Rates Since Late 2008

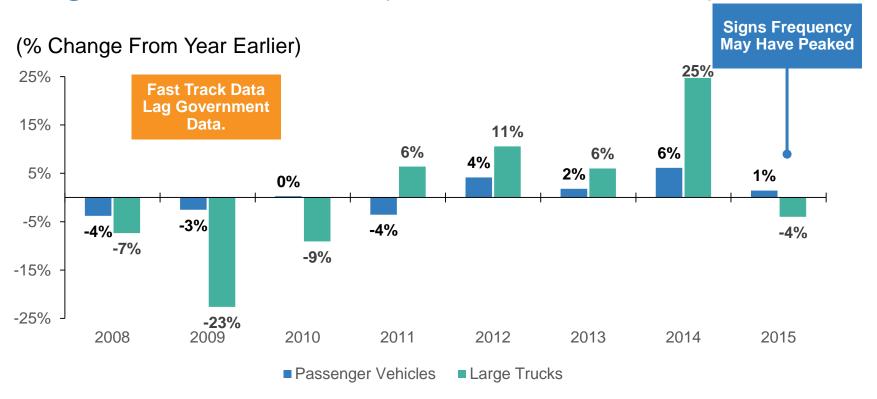
(Rate Index: December 2008 = 100)



Commercial auto rates fell less in soft cycle and have risen more than overall property/casualty market.



## Vehicles in Crashes Per 100 Registered Vehicles (Government Data)



Commercial Auto Claim Frequency Began Growing Before Personal Auto.



# Insurance As An Economic Growth Driver

# Major Construction Projects Don't Start Without Insurance



- ▲ An example: Boston's "Big Dig." At \$14 billion, the project was...
  - Larger than the original Panama Canal
  - More expensive than the "Chunnel" connecting France and England
  - Among the carriers who were winning bidders were AIG, Lexington, Zurich-American and Kemper Environmental.
  - Workforce included 150 general contractors, 600 construction companies
  - Worst fear: that a building within 50 feet of the excavation would collapse



# As Financial Intermediaries, Insurers Expand the Funds Available to Grow the Economy



As financial intermediaries, insurers convert short-term funds into longer-term investments

✓ In 2015, the industry converted \$71 billion in premium income that was not needed for immediate claims payments into new long-term investments (bonds, mortgages, common and preferred stock, and owned real estate)

# Insurance Contributes to Growth by Speeding Recovery

- Insurers are "financial first responders"
  - Insurance claims administration and payment is the most efficient way to achieve rapid recovery
  - Insurers perform this function more quickly and reliably than government or other aid organizations
  - This effect benefits not just those directly affected but also the wider community
  - After SuperStorm Sandy, 93% of claims were closed within 6 months



### Insurance Is an Instrument of Social Policy

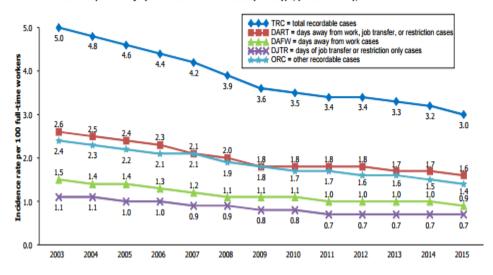
# Mandated auto liability insurance



Since 1959 (when IIHS was founded), over half a million deaths in auto crashes avoided

#### **Workers compensation insurance**

Chart 1. Nonfatal occupational injury and illness incidence rates by case type, private industry, 2003-2015



In just the last dozen years, Workers Comp insurers have continued to help reduce injury and illness rates in the workplace.



### Insurance Supports New Ventures

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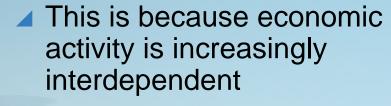
# SpaceX Explains September Explosion, Says It'll Try Again Sunday



Barely three months after one of its rockets blew up on the launchpad — destroying a \$200 million Facebook satellite with it — SpaceX said Monday that it plans to try again this weekend.

- Insurance enables individuals and organizations to take new risks.
- ✓ In the case of the Falcon 9 launches, insurance is needed for potential damages to
  - The launch pad
  - Nearby government property
  - Nongovernment property
  - The rocket and [\$200 million] satellite

# For the Economy, Insurance Is Growing in Importance



- This translates to an increase in the need for, and the cost of, activities that ensure the functioning of production and consumption (e.g., transportation, information)
- With modern technology, the vulnerability of these systems and interdependencies increases