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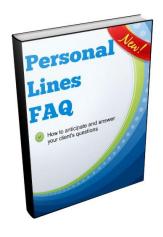
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The Google Effect



Confucius once said, "Choose a job you love, and you will never have to work a day in your life."

More true now than ever. If you enjoy building your book of business on a daily basis and saving customers money, this isn't a job. If you show up, clock in and get through the day, this business can be a drag.

Some agency owners have seen their books of business shrink, competition increase and the insurance business no longer motivates them. Many of these owners have sold and moved on. The agency owners that I still see in the business are smaller 1-3 office establishments. The owners are involved in the day to day operations and are a significant part of the new business submissions. GEICO, Esurance and other TV advertisers are responsible for shifting the customer from the independent agent to the direct writers in recent years and it took billions of dollars of advertising revenue to do it, but it worked.

At this point in the game, an agency owner has to decide whether or not to sell or reinvent the agency to compete in today's social media world. The yellow books are door stops and serve little purpose – quite frankly, they are a waste of paper.

Most consumers simple "google" what they want or need and get results quicker than opening the yellow book. Customers will also go online to check your agency's Yelp and Google reviews and anything else that comes up under your name. You are being sized up in a decision making search that lasts about 5 minutes. It's imperative that you maximize the "Google-effect".

Here are some key components of these successful agencies. Your agency needs to make sure that after every policy, you follow up with an email to the client to ask them to consider posting a review of their experience on Yelp and Google. New business prospects "Google" everything these days and reviews are important to them. And most importantly, gather email addresses from all of your clients.

If you continue to ignore these market changes, you're going to find it incredibly difficult to stay in business. I have written numerous articles on this because it's vital information and yet I still hear from principles that don't know why their phones aren't ringing with referrals and new business.

Business has also slowed on the insurance company and general agency side and I see marketing departments laying off personnel and taking much of these functions in-house – a trend that has been gaining popularity for the last few years. Once a company starts cutting to the bone, it's an important indicator. This happens cyclically but we are definitely at this junction.

The good news comes from those agency owners who "get-it". They realize what it takes to impress clients and to draw them to their agency and to encourage referral business. This is what we all work for.

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1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.: 3 hours P&C CE GIAA Member & Staff attend for free Non-Members pay \$25.00

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When you get to the point where new business is coming from existing client referrals and additional policies, life is much easier. Agencies who capitalize on the referral business have one thing in common. They respond very quickly to client needs with quality products and service. Your agency should be on their speed dial.

Lean and efficient is the name of the game. You don't need more producers as much as you need those that multitask and understand the dynamic of time efficiency - a hard thing to teach but easier to learn when there is a leader in the

trenches setting an example.

Efficiency and productivity are contagious attributes when the office is surrounded by those who understand it. The principle has to make some hard decisions and cut the "dead wood" out and get down to a smaller, less costly but highly motivated sales force.

I can remember years ago when broker fees were at a peak and for every 2 producers, we had 1 service representative in the office. The fees paid for this luxury.

In this market, those 2 producers probably own all or part of their book of business but they also service those clients. Additionally, the pay the agency owner a percentage of their commissions to be part of the organization. Times have changed and that is the only constant in our business.

Editor's note: Make plans to attend GIAA Conference at Sea Palms Resort on St. Simons Island, GA on November 13-15, 2014.

All of the topics mentioned in the above article will be discussed.

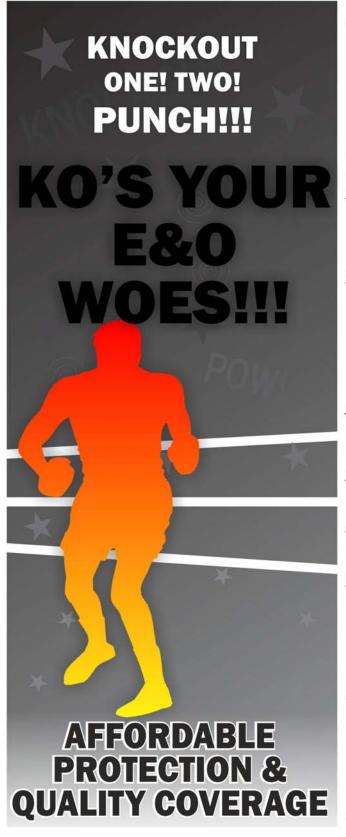
All attendees will be given links to "How To" Guides.

More information and registration at www.Georgia-Agents.com.

www.InsuranceLibrary.com is a one-of-a-kind website that allows consumers to ask insurance questions which are then answered by licensed insurance agents. Consumers, who are turning to the web as their primary source of research, have quickly adopted the site and are now visiting it thousands of times a day to view answers, ask new questions, view the free insurance agent profiles and even contact agents directly for free insurance quotes.

Insurance agents have quickly caught on and are realizing that answering these questions is not only a great way to generate free insurance leads, but it's also a great way to share online content and promote their expertise on one of the busiest insurance sites on the web. They are finding that leveraging a site with existing consumer traffic is much easier than spending all of their efforts on their own websites.





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How Do You Pay Your People and Still Keep a Profit in the Agency?

By Al Diamond of Agency Consulting, Inc.



In the Spring of each year, crocus' bloom, the grass turns green and a myriad of "SURVEYS" are released, all valuable, spouting "industry averages" and best practices. Agency owners are drawn to these surveys like flies to sugar because we're never sure whether we are cheating ourselves or our employees in terms of their salaries. That's why our Composite Group studies, the largest in the industry, are released in the Fall instead of in the Spring. We don't 'think' that numbers lie, we KNOW they do! Statistics can give you averages and medians, but who wants to strive to be average?

We have all the statistics available that the smaller surveys have. But instead of calculating averages to see how much and how best to pay our people, we **ask** the successful agents how they do it and share the results with you.

Here are some (paraphrased) responses we have received from agents, big and small, regarding their methods of compensation (and our editorial remarks for clarification):

When the agency makes more money, I make more money as the owner and I share the benefit with my employees through bonuses and strong raises. When the agency loses money, I take the "hit." I try to pay a raise, even in bad times, but it may be minimal. If I can't pay my bills, then there are no raises for anyone.

This represents the traditional approach in which the agency owner treats their employees like family.

I give my folks a decent raise every year to keep up with inflation, a Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA). If the year is good, they still get the COLA and I make more money myself. If the year is 'not so good' they still all get the Cost of Living Adjustment and I take a hit.

Some of these agents are just trying to keep their employees up to the changes of cost of living, 2% to 3% regardless of performance of the individual or of the agency. Many will lose their most valuable employees if there are others who perform poorly and still get the same amount. We've noticed that some of these agents will take exorbitant compensation for themselves in the good years (as their "just due") and complain bitterly but still give COLAs to their employees when they are actually losing money.

The agency supports my family. I need to make a certain level of living. If the agency provides me that amount, I'll consider raises on an equal basis or by individual performance. If the agency doesn't make enough, there are no raises until my compensation model is achieved.

This type of agency could be very small, but we've also seen quite large concerns act the same way. They often leave no money in the agency at the end of the year. Raises for employees depend on whether the agency is making MORE or less money than in prior years and could be on a COLA or merit basis but not on an incentive basis because they want to guard against paying employees more when they don't have to. This is the 'subjective approach' to compensation.

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The business is a BUSINESS and, like any other business, it is required to make a reasonable profit for its stockholders. If it were a large, public company and didn't keep its stockholders happy, they would sell their stock and find other, more lucrative ways of investing. Even though it's a small company with only a few stockholders, we have 'options' and if we don't make money or lose money, we will certainly consider earlier retirement or sale to use the value of our asset better. We set a profit target and no one gets a raise until that target has been achieved.

Most of these agencies are achieving sufficient scale to have professional management (owners or not). The owner(s) are businesspeople who seek a fair compensation for themselves (compared to what nonowners would get for the same job) and require that their asset gives them an ROI that is competitive to what they could do with the value in cash in the marketplace. Their compensation programs are usually Merit based or Incentive based and tied to budget results of the agency or even of the departments.

We set a profit goal within our Annual Planning and Budgeting. But our employees are our most important asset and we keep them motivated by paying them according to their productivity growth. Everyone knows their measures of success and tries to achieve them every year.

This response has come from a number of Agency Consulting Group, Inc.'s ICP (Incentive Compensation Program) agencies. Link **here** if you haven't been familiarized with the ICP concept.

We're large enough that our budget controls our compensation levels. We see the surveys and reports every year, but, frankly, we pay more attention to our bottom line than to any statistics. If we achieve our budgeted revenue, we know that our profits will be there and we allocate a specific percentage to compensation. We allocate a percentage of that growth to raises and distribute those amounts to our divisions by virtue of their revenues and profits. Some of our departments pay on commission, others pay based on individual merit and we have some groups that are working together in an incentive basis where group success achieves group raises. We only bonus for unique and exceptional situations, not for general success.

These are usually larger agencies but, surprisingly, some small, fast-growth agencies also appear in this group. These agencies have an owner or key manager who is financially very astute. By years of effort, they understand that productivity and growth is key to profits and compensation is a lifeline to profits. So the budget is KING in these agencies and compensation advances are tied to agency or department growth and profit.

One common thread that ran through all of our responses is that difference in treatment of Contingencies and in how (and if) bonuses are paid.

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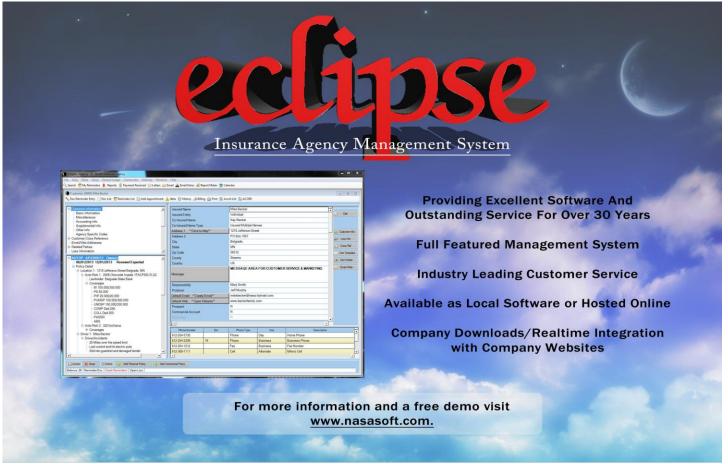




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Small Mom & Pop shops can't pay their bills without a good contingency. They count on it to operate, so they just include it in growth and profitability. They pay any net contingency to themselves (the owners) and/or to employees as bonuses, a benefit of a good year.

Agencies who have been burned by needing contingency money to operate and experiencing a bad year (or a bad run of years) have gotten smart enough to limit their spending to their commission income only and leave their annual contingencies as bonuses for the owners and/or employees.]

Agencies smart enough to know that they only benefit from GROWTH have learned to use some or all of their contingency income to support their growth (new producers, new support staff, marketing efforts, acquisitions, etc.).

Some agencies with historically strong Contingency Ratios (this year's received contingency income compared to last year's Commission Income) set aside a part of their contingency income (as a percentage) each year before consideration of bonuses. They actually budget contingency income BELOW THE LINE (after Pre-Tax Profit in the Operating Statement) to make

expensing without contingency the norm instead of the exception.

Other agencies with historically strong Contingency Ratios (usually because of sufficient premium in carriers to insulate contingency income from those Companies -- \$5MM to \$10MM+ of Premiums with a carrier) will return to melding contingency income into general revenue for expense distribution and growth and profit budgeting. If your agency underwrites its book of business with a specific carrier to historically profitable levels those premium levels will generally insulate you against severe contingency changes with the exception of Cat Codes (usually addressed with Stop Losses).

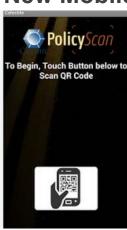
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7 Ways to Build Online Customer Trust

Quick Response Creates Customer Confidence

What took so long! If I wanted my question answered in two hours, I would have waited two hours to ask the question!



It's easy to build trust when you have the opportunity to connect with customers in person. You can look into their eyes, read their expressions, and interact at a more personal level. Even on the phone you can listen to a customer's tone of voice and react accordingly. But, building trust online is a different story; not necessarily more difficult. Just different.

Certain companies have excelled at building online trust, such as Zappos, Apple, and Sephora. Their reputations are stellar. They are recognized in many surveys and studies as top ranked online retailers. Interesting to note that Apple and Sephora are also topped ranked traditional retailers, known for delivering an amazing customer service experience. That trust has crossed over into the online world. So, how do these companies build online trust? Here are seven common sense ways to do so. Unfortunately, they aren't always so common.

- 1. Remember that people do business with people. Even in the online world where customers purchase through your website, remember that the website was designed by people to be used by people. Make the site easy to navigate and simple to understand.
- 2. Be accessible through multiple channels. In other words, you may have a great <u>call center</u>, but you should also have support available through the other channels a customer may want to use, such as email, texting, Facebook, or Twitter.
- 3. Make contact information available on every page of a website. Make it easy for a customer to call, email, or connect with you instantly.
- 4. Keep telephone hold times to a minimum. It can be frustrating for a customer to have to wait for extended periods of time. It sends a message that the company doesn't care enough to staff properly. As an alternative, consider technology that will let the customer know how long the wait time is with the option of an automatic call-back.
- 5. When a customer contacts you via social channels, respond quickly which means minutes, not hours or days. Tweet If I wanted my question answered two hours from now, I would have waited two hours to ask the question.
- 6. Share social proof. Use testimonials from happy customers to help prove trust and increase a customer's confidence to do business with you.
- 7. Ask your customers to post online reviews. This shows that you have confidence that you will take care of your customers by delivering a great customer service experience and taking care of any problems that may arise in such a way that will earn you a glowing online review.

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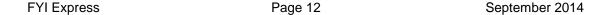
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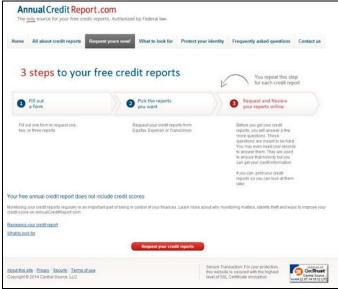
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Only one website is authorized to fill orders for the free annual credit report you are entitled to under law — annualcreditreport.com. Other websites that claim to offer "free credit reports," "free credit scores" or "free credit monitoring" are not part of the legally mandated free annual credit report program.

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Some "imposter" sites use terms like "free report" in their names; others have URLs that purposely misspell annualcreditreport.com in the hope that you will mistype the name of the official site. Some of these "imposter" sites direct you to other sites that try to sell you something or collect your personal information.

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Sales Lessons from Secretariat by John Chapin

I wrote this on June 3rd, so it's more than likely that by the time you read this, we either have another Triple-Crown Winner in California Chrome, or we don't. Either way, as the Belmont Stakes rolls around each year, I'm reminded of perhaps the most famous horse ever and winner of the Triple-Crown back in 1973, Secretariat. If you haven't seen the 2010 movie Secretariat, you need to. Both inspirational and motivational, the movie provides us with some great sales, as well as life, lessons. While Secretariat provides some good examples, perhaps even more are found in the jockey: Ronnie Turcotte, the trainer: Lucien Laurin, and especially in the owner: Penny Chenery.

Sales and Life Lessons from the Movie Secretariat

1) Keep the pedal to the metal.

Secretariat won the third leg of the Triple-Crown, the Belmont Stakes, by a record 31 lengths. After Ronnie Turcotte allegedly ran another horse so hard that its heart exploded, several outsiders suggested that he not push Secretariat too hard in the Belmont, the longest of the three Triple-Crown races. Ronnie didn't listen. Even if you have a huge lead on the competition, you never back off and you never rest on your laurels. As soon as you take a break or take your foot off the gas, you lose momentum, you start to slip into a comfort zone, and you begin to lose your hunger and drive. Too many things can go wrong in addition to the competition gaining on or passing you. Economies shift, stock markets crash, terrorist events happen, and all industries face major changes at some point. You need to ride the wave as long as possible when things are going well because there will be problems and setbacks at some point. When you're last, you outwork everyone and push hard. The same rule applies when you're first, or anywhere else in the pack for that matter... outwork everyone. keep pushing hard, keep the pedal buried.

2) You have to be committed.

Penney Chenery put it all on the line for Secretariat, she went all in. She risked financial ruin and stretched family relationships to the breaking point to do what she knew, in her heart, was the right thing to do. Anyone great at anything has had that moment where they had to decide between being involved in something and being committed. When you're committed at the highest level you have extreme confidence and conviction. You have passion and you believe 100% in what you are doing. You burn all the boats, all the bridges and all possible avenues of escape and decide you'll either succeed or die trying. When you are committed you have a career instead of a job and you take complete responsibility for your success or failure. When you are committed you develop yourself personally and professionally and you are obsessed with doing whatever it takes to win, ethically of course. You turn over every stone, look under every rock, and you leave absolutely nothing to chance. On the few occasions when you do lose, you know there was nothing more you could have done.

3) It's all about heart.

Secretariat's heart was twice the size of an average horse. Your figurative heart needs to be just as large. When you watch Secretariat, you notice that all the important characters: Secretariat, Penney, Lucien, and Ronnie all had a ton of heart. Heart is all about having the right attitude. Attitude is by far the biggest factor that will lead to your success or failure. Attitude means having the drive and determination to succeed. In sales and business, attitude also means always doing what's right for the customer, always staying positive and upbeat with the customer, and always being willing to do whatever it takes to make the customer happy. Having a lot of heart and the right attitude also makes you extremely resilient, which leads to point number four...

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4) It doesn't matter where you start, or where you are right now, it only matters where you end up.

Secretariat, and especially the other characters in the movie, all faced several daunting obstacles along the way. You too will stumble and fall. You will have challenges both personally and professionally. There may be sleepless nights, times when you wake up at three in the morning wishing this was all a bad dream, or days when you're down and depressed wondering how you're going to make it. There will be times when your sales numbers are down, your business is hurting, and you consider quitting. Don't. If you've got points number one, two, and three above covered, you should have the resolve to continue and carry on. Remember, this is a marathon, not a sprint. They're not going to tally your final score until the end. It doesn't matter if you have the lowest numbers in the office today, this week, or this month, what matters is that you hang in there, keep getting up every day, and keep swinging away. What matters is that you leave it all out on the field knowing you did the best you possibly could.

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Cod	34789	Company Name 21st Century Centennial Ins Co	Domicile PA	Written 16,452	Share 0.28%	Share 88.53%	Earned 17,053	Incurred 12,154	Loss Ratio 71.27%
	43974	21st Century Ind Ins Co	PA	0	0%	100.00%	0	-5	0%
	12963	21st Century Ins Co	CA	0	0%	100.00%	0	52	0%
176	32220	21st Century N Amer Ins Co	NY	1,860	0.03%	99.25%	2,000	668	33.40%
155	36587	21st Century Natl Ins Co	NY	0	0%	100.00%	0	10	0%
8 155	20796 10807	21st Century Premier Ins Co ACCC Ins Co	PA TX	0	0% 0.54%	100.00% 80.12%	0 29,486	14 19,000	0% 64.44%
561	11711	Access Ins Co	TX	31,633 2,802	0.05%	98.65%	2,155	2,123	98.52%
200	42609	Affirmative Ins Co	IL	40	0.00%	100.00%	43	27	62.79%
31	22837	AGCS Marine Ins Co	IL	0	0%	100.00%	0	-18	0%
8	40258	AIG Assur Co	PA	0	0%	100.00%	0	21	0%
200	19402	AIG Prop Cas Co	PA	2,297	0.04%	99.04%	2,245	858	38.22%
111	26883	AIG Specialty Ins Co	IL	0	0%	100.00%	0	65	0%
176	19399	AIU Ins Co	NY	0	0%	100.00%	0	-4	
31 140	41661 22330	Alfa Gen Ins Corp Alfa Ins Corp	AL AL	7,477 30,387	0.13% 0.52%	94.55% 80.64%	7,821 30,315	7,091 23,447	90.67% 77.34%
3548	11004	Alfa Specialty Ins Corp	VA	14,437	0.52%	89.04%	12,118	9,475	78.19%
111	20222	All Amer Ins Co	OH	0	0.23%	100.00%	0	-7	0%
50	42579	Allied Prop & Cas Ins Co	IA	8,516	0.15%	93.58%	6,143	5,456	88.82%
200	10212	Allmerica Fin Alliance Ins Co	NH	9,459	0.16%	92.82%	11,268	8,641	76.69%
280	41840	Allmerica Fin Benefit Ins Co	MI	7,216	0.12%	94.80%	7,045	5,209	73.94%
8	29688	Allstate Fire & Cas Ins Co	IL	366,967	6.30%	33.46%	364,321	248,912	68.32%
257	19240	Allstate Ind Co	IL	8,869	0.15%	93.29%	9,495	5,503	57.96%
200 140	19232	Allstate Ins Co	IL IL	139,091	2.39%	54.12% 72.85%	142,430	72,435	50.86%
280	17230 38156	Allstate Prop & Cas Ins Co Alpha Prop & Cas Ins Co	WI	61,055 463	1.05% 0.01%	99.83%	54,196 517	31,039 365	57.27% 70.60%
3362	19100	Amco Ins Co	IA	1,084	0.01%	99.65%	928	499	53.77%
473	19720	American Alt Ins Corp	DE	1,126	0.02%	99.61%	294	321	109.18%
244	10111	American Bankers Ins Co Of FL	FL	6,593	0.11%	95.50%	6,602	3,560	53.92%
140	19690	American Economy Ins Co	IN	70	0.00%	99.99%	82	208	253.66%
17	23450	American Family Home Ins Co	FL	28	0.00%	100%	91	91	100%
241	10386	American Family Ins Co	OH	37,230	0.64%	77.12%	33,673	32,348	96.07%
E	26247 19380	American Guar & Liab Ins American Home Assur Co	NY NY	0	0%	100.00% 100.00%	0	-870	0% 0%
5 660	17957	American Independent Ins Co	PA	3,803	0% 0.07%	97.69%	3,525	2,638	74.84%
8	16810	American Mercury Ins Co	OK	3,250	0.06%	98.34%	3,734	2,382	63.79%
1120	23469	American Modern Home Ins Co	OH	1,193	0.02%	99.58%	1,164	510	43.81%
111	38652	American Modern Select Ins Co	ОН	433	0.01%	99.86%	493	141	28.60%
28	39942	American Natl Gen Ins Co	MO	576	0.01%	99.78%	603	468	77.61%
3495	28401	American Natl Prop & Cas Co	MO	8,359	0.14%	93.87%	8,034	5,602	69.73%
254 111	19615 42978	American Reliable Ins Co	AZ DE	3,764	0.06% 0.01%	97.81%	3,803 627	2,129 209	55.98%
8	42976	American Security Ins Co American Serv Ins Co Inc	IL	584 0	0.01%	99.77% 100.00%	027	-1	33.33%
8	10387	American Standard Ins Co Of OH	OH	13,503	0.23%	90.25%	12,795	15,233	119.05%
267	19704	American States Ins Co	IN	339	0.01%	99.92%	375	242	64.53%
1235	19712	American States Ins Co Of TX	TX	54	0.00%	100.00%	59	74	125.42%
50	37214	American States Preferred Ins Co	IN	47	0.00%	100.00%	47	67	142.55%
	40142	American Zurich Ins Co	IL	0	0%	100.00%	0	12	0%
3548	27898	Americas Ins Co	LA	174	0.00%	99.97%	49	30	
91 19	12504 27928	Ameriprise Ins Co Amex Assur Co	WI IL	5,820 0	0.10%	96.24% 100.00%	5,487 0	4,841 39	88.23% 0%
1213	19976	Amica Mut Ins Co	RI	26,564	0.46%	82.99%	26,350	16,696	63.36%
36	24678	Arrowood Ind Co	DE	0	0.40%	100.00%	20,000	-2	
69	11558	AssuranceAmerica Ins Co	SC	10,544	0.18%	92.14%	11,020	7,754	70.36%
155	27154	Atlantic Specialty Ins Co	NY	0	0%	100.00%	0	35	0%
5	41041	Auto Club S Ins Co	FL	2,600	0.04%	98.88%	2,883	1,722	59.73%
241	18988	Auto Owners Ins Co	MI	38,466	0.66%	75.84%	38,120	25,512	66.93%
155	19062	Automobile Ins Co Of Hartford CT	CT	1,724	0.03%	99.31%	1,861	1,005	54.00%
155	24813	Balboa Ins Co Bankers Standard Ins Co	CA PA	0	0%	100.00%	9.475	-9 7 726	
155 473	18279 19658	Bristol W Ins Co	OH	8,243 207	0.14% 0.00%	94.01% 99.96%	8,475 223	7,726 199	91.16% 89.24%
8	16713	Buckeye State Mut Ins Co	OH	1,552	0.00%	99.42%	943	676	71.69%
3678	20117	California Cas Ind Exch	CA	3,556	0.06%	97.94%	3,500	3,353	95.80%
1316	20230	Central Mut Ins Co	OH	18,341	0.31%	88.25%	18,039	10,927	60.57%
	37524	Charter Ind Co	TX	4,708	0.08%	97.17%	4,670	3,724	79.74%
175	25615	Charter Oak Fire Ins Co	CT	1,001	0.02%	99.71%	1,069	1,156	108.14%
473	22810	Chicago Ins Co	IL	0	0%	100.00%	0	-1	
155	10052	Chubb Natl Ins Co	IN OH	4,024	0.07%	97.55%	3,399	939	27.63%
250	28665 10677	Cincinnati Cas Co Cincinnati Ins Co	OH OH	36 905	0% 0.63%	100.00% 77.75%	0 35,860	23,967	0% 66.83%
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140	31534	Citizens Ins Co Of Amer	MI	1,050	0.02%	99.69%	1,289	661	51.28%

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254 88	25089 10906	Coast Natl Ins Co Commercial Alliance Ins Co	CA TX	7,032 323	0.12% 0.01%	94.92% 99.93%	7,325 396	5,491 361	74.96%
3495	12157	Companion Prop & Cas Ins Co	SC	323	0.01%	100.00%	110	121	91.16% 110%
8	20443	Continental Cas Co	IL	0	0.00%	100.00%	0	6	
69	35289	Continental Ins Co	PA	0	0%	100.00%	0	233	0%
140	10783	Cornerstone Natl Ins Co	MO	-73	0.00%	100%	1,140	1,071	93.95%
2538	20982	Country Cas Ins Co	IL	1,904	0.03%	99.22%	1,890	1,364	72.17%
408	20990	Country Mut Ins Co	IL	81,386	1.40%	69.23%	80,566	58,524	72.64%
626	21008	Country Pref Ins Co	IL NAT	21,257	0.37%	86.25%	20,023	13,151	65.68%
3548 155	21164 10898	Dairyland Ins Co Delta Fire & Cas Ins Co	WI GA	2,744 756	0.05% 0.01%	98.79% 99.75%	2,737 837	2,359 53	86.19% 6.33%
155	42587	Depositors Ins Co	IA	10,481	0.01%	99.75%	11,476	7,955	69.32%
5	42781	Direct Gen Ins Co	IN	18,741	0.10%	87.93%	18,280	11,514	62.99%
140	40649	Economy Premier Assur Co	IL	3,399	0.06%	98.12%	3,510	1,894	53.96%
88	21261	Electric Ins Co	MA	2,400	0.04%	99.00%	2,293	1,523	66.42%
69	21407	Emcasco Ins Co	IA	0	0%	100.00%	0	-4	0%
3702	11252	Encompass Home & Auto Ins Co	IL	27,966	0.48%	81.60%	20,215	17,568	86.91%
8	15130	Encompass Ind Co	IL	13,462	0.23%	90.48%	14,272	11,116	77.89%
300	11251	Encompass Independent Ins Co	IL.	0	0%	100.00% 95.16%	0	-1	0% 70.47%
473 19	10071 10072	Encompass Ins Co Of Amer Encompass Prop & Cas Co	IL IL	6,870 1,860	0.12% 0.03%	95.16% 99.28%	7,398 2,071	5,213 1,598	70.47% 77.16%
19	28746	Equity Ins Co	TX	8,886	0.03%	99.28%	8,161	8,437	103.38%
111	37915	Essentia Ins Co	MO	4,318	0.13%	97.48%	2,298	871	37.90%
215	25712	Esurance Ins Co	WI	2,965	0.05%	98.50%	3,181	2,541	79.88%
111	30210	Esurance Prop & Cas Ins Co	CA	23,882	0.41%	84.68%	24,099	18,390	76.31%
111	10802	Ethio Amer Ins Co	GA	0	0%	100.00%	0	-23	0%
111	22110	Everest Security Ins Co	GA	27,706	0.48%	82.08%	22,264	15,016	67.45%
4	21652	Farmers Ins Exch	CA	158	0.00%	99.98%	273	71	
796	20281 10790	Federal Ins Co Federated Natl Ins Co	IN FL	451 0	0.01%	99.84% 100.00%	460 12	157 89	34.13% 741.67%
3548	21873	Firemans Fund Ins Co	CA	2,418	0.04%	98.96%	2,425	1,958	80.74%
4	10336	First Acceptance Ins Co Inc	TX	65	0.00%	99.99%	76	8	10.53%
3548	11508	First Acceptance Ins Co of GA Inc	GA	37,559	0.65%	76.48%	37,653	24,044	63.86%
267	24724	First Natl Ins Co Of Amer	NH	1,053	0.02%	99.67%	1,167	300	25.71%
241	11185	Foremost Ins Co Grand Rapids MI	MI	8,673	0.15%	93.44%	7,775	7,421	95.45%
175	41513	Foremost Signature Ins Co	MI	0	0%	100.00%	0	-6	0%
169	21253	Garrison Prop & Cas Ins Co	TX	46,491	0.80%	74.51%	47,018	48,105	102.31%
215 300	41491 35882	Geico Cas Co Geico Gen Ins Co	MD MD	1,601 283,948	0.03% 4.88%	99.40% 38.33%	1,775 277,520	821 217,177	46.25% 78.26%
303	22055	Geico Ind Co	MD	176,892	3.04%	51.74%	171,132	117,080	68.42%
69	24732	General Ins Co Of Amer	NH	358	0.01%	99.90%	390	244	62.56%
785	11231	Generali Us Branch	NY	0	0%	100.00%	0	-2	0%
38	34436	Georgia Farm Bureau Cas Ins Co	GA	2,659	0.05%	98.83%	3,015	1,946	64.54%
3548	14001	Georgia Farm Bureau Mut Ins Co	GA	184,940	3.18%	45.60%	180,456	106,232	58.87%
3678	22063	Government Employees Ins Co	MD	118,426	2.03%	63.06%	117,823	84,919	72.07%
38	10322	Grange Ind Ins Co	OH	3,325	0.06%	98.17%	2,524		74.37%
19 91	14060	Grange Mut Cas Co Grange Prop & Cas Ins Co	OH OH	5,341	0.09%	96.82%	5,612 22,396		46.24% 61.25%
33	11982 23809	Granite State Ins Co	PA	23,452	0.40%	85.49% 100.00%	22,390	13,717 1	
300	26344	Great Amer Assur Co	OH	9	0.00%	100.00%	9		
	20303	Great Northern Ins Co	IN	3,781	0.06%	97.75%	3,992	2,357	59.04%
241	37311	Greenstar Ins Co	GA	9,607	0.17%	92.66%	8,275	8,030	97.04%
267	42331	Guideone Amer Ins Co	IA	2,793	0.05%	98.69%	2,853	1,894	66.39%
111	42803	Guideone Elite Ins Co	IA	3,268	0.06%	98.29%	3,367	2,052	60.94%
303	15032	Guideone Mut Ins Co	IA IA	1,203	0.02%	99.56%	1,242	816	
660 3495	14559 34037	Guideone Specialty Mut Ins Co	IA AZ	4,675 672	0.08% 0.01%	97.33%	4,304 1,195	3,975	92.36% 132.97%
215	19530	Hallmark Ins Co Hallmark Natl Ins Co	OH	-1	0.01%	99.76% 100.00%	1,195	1,589 -7	-63.64%
8	22292	Hanover Ins Co	NH	219	0.00%	99.96%	259	33	12.74%
215	35696	Harleysville Preferred Ins Co	PA	467	0.01%	99.83%	429	421	98.14%
123	22357	Hartford Accident & Ind Co	CT	3,655	0.06%	97.88%	3,293	2,338	71.00%
	29424	Hartford Cas Ins Co	IN	428	0.01%	99.87%	465	134	28.82%
303	19682	Hartford Fire In Co	CT	280	0.00%	99.95%	300	205	68.33%
267	37478	Hartford Ins Co Of The Midwest	IN	10,293	0.18%	92.50%	10,626	7,107	66.88%
169	38261	Hartford Ins Co Of The Southeast	CT	19,638	0.34%	87.28%	17,410	14,472	83.12%
561	30104 31550	Hartford Underwriters Ins Co Haulers Ins Co Inc	CT TN	2,498 2,897	0.04% 0.05%	98.92% 98.60%	2,703 2,656	948 1,787	35.07% 67.28%
91	22578	Horace Mann Ins Co	IL	3,540	0.05%	98.00%	3,742	2,098	56.07%
761	22756	Horace Mann Prop & Cas Ins Co	IL	6,708	0.00%	95.27%	6,127	4,726	77.13%
57	29068	IDS Prop Cas Ins Co	WI	5,655	0.10%	96.64%	5,772	3,718	
12	11738	Infinity Auto Ins Co	OH	25,930	0.45%	83.44%	30,155	19,162	63.55%
		Infinity Cas Ins Co			0%	100.00%			



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Gro				Premiums	Market	Market	Premiums	Losses	Direct
Cod 3548	22268	Company Name Infinity Ins Co	Domicile IN	Written 517	Share 0.01%	Share 99.81%	Earned 495	Incurred 133	Loss Ratio 26.87%
2538	16802	Infinity Safeguard Ins Co	OH	3,007	0.05%	98.40%	3,469	2,839	81.84%
169	38873	Infinity Security Ins Co	IN	0	0%	100.00%	0	-1	0%
50	20260	Infinity Select Ins Co	IN	9,230	0.16%	92.98%	10,018	6,277	62.66%
69	12599	Infinity Standard Ins Co	IN	0	0%	100.00%	0	3	
8 3548	11162 19429	Insurance Co of the South Insurance Co Of The State Of PA	GA PA	34,647	0.60%	78.98% 100.00%	34,174 0	2,138 707	6.26% 0%
2538	10922	Insuremax Ins Co	IN	3,492	0.06%	98.06%	3,273	2,789	85.21%
140	22780	Integon Gen Ins Corp	NC	55	0.00%	100.00%	83	40	
31	22772	Integon Ind Corp	NC	97	0.00%	99.99%	159	6	
46	29742	Integon Natl Ins Co	NC	1,691	0.03%	99.34%	2,838	2,868	101.06%
	23647	Ironshore Ind Inc	MN	347	0.01%	99.91%	353	62	17.56%
3098	13722	Knightbrook Ins Co	DE	13,318	0.23%	90.93%	12,386	7,680	62.01%
2538 4664	42404 23035	Liberty Ins Corp Liberty Mut Fire Ins Co	IL WI	3,321 133,689	0.06% 2.30%	98.23% 58.80%	4,140 145,750	2,630 114,241	63.53% 78.38%
4004	36447	LM Gen Ins Co	IL	85,416	1.47%	67.83%	65,100	49,028	75.31%
303	33600	LM Ins Corp	IL	5,877	0.10%	96.14%	4,656	4,088	87.80%
361	11198	Loya Ins Co	TX	6,920	0.12%	95.04%	6,707	7,433	110.82%
175	37745	Maiden Specialty Ins Co	NC	0	0%	100.00%	0	-25	0%
361	29939	Main St Amer Assur Co	FL	959	0.02%	99.72%	1,042	1,190	
4.40	28932	Markel Amer Ins Co	VA	236	0.00%	99.96%	242	174	71.90%
140 111	19356 22306	Maryland Cas Co	MD NH	0 845	0% 0.01%	100.00% 99.74%	0 1,021	51 459	0% 44.96%
88	22306	Massachusetts Bay Ins Co Mendakota Ins Co	MN	416	0.01%	99.74%	457	230	
3548	33650	Mendota Ins Co	MN	65	0.00%	99.99%	69	54	78.26%
311	31968	Merastar Ins Co	IL	2,967	0.05%	98.45%	3,110	1,418	45.59%
88	10015	Mercury Ind Co Of GA	GA	28,055	0.48%	81.12%	29,357	20,337	69.27%
598	34410	Mercury Ins Co Of GA	GA	391	0.01%	99.89%	415	185	44.58%
3478	23353	Meridian Security Ins Co	IN	12,117	0.21%	91.35%	10,446	9,019	86.34%
19 408	24821	Meritplan Ins Co	CA RI	0	0% 0.25%	100.00% 89.29%	0	5	
38	40169 25321	Metropolitan Cas Ins Co Metropolitan Drt Prop & Cas Ins Co	RI	14,340 395	0.25%	99.88%	14,214 417	11,066 123	77.85% 29.50%
140	39950	Metropolitan Gen Ins Co	RI	432	0.01%	99.86%	444	253	56.98%
3495	34339	Metropolitan Grp Prop & Cas Ins Co	RI	34,514	0.59%	79.57%	32,375	22,624	69.88%
91	26298	Metropolitan Prop & Cas Ins Co	RI	5,283	0.09%	96.91%	5,437	3,040	55.91%
140	40150	MGA Ins Co Inc	TX	6,516	0.11%	95.61%	6,896	5,159	74.81%
215	38660	MIC Gen Ins Corp	MI	1,320	0.02%	99.49%	1,457	1,296	88.95%
38 84	21687 23434	Mid Century Ins Co Middlesex Ins Co	CA WI	4,643 33	0.08%	97.41% 100.00%	3,295 35	2,031 -14	61.64% -40%
361	42447	National Gen Assur Co	MO	8,374	0.00%	93.73%	9,433	7,324	77.64%
241	23728	National Gen Ins Co	MO	2,036	0.04%	99.15%	2,161	7,024	
91	32620	National Interstate Ins Co	OH	436	0.01%	99.85%	483	900	186.34%
1326	19445	National Union Fire Ins Co Of Pitts	PA	45	0.00%	100.00%	45	-241	-535.56%
241	19119	National Unity Ins Co	TX	12,294	0.21%	91.15%	8,241	4,257	51.66%
660	26093	Nationwide Affinity Co of Amer	OH	99,379	1.71%	64.76%	91,229	77,601	85.06%
111	10723 23760	Nationwide Assur Co	WI OH	252 0	0.00%	99.95% 100.00%	283 0	199 -91	70.32% 0%
169 4509	25453	Nationwide Gen Ins Co Nationwide Ins Co Of Amer	WI	94	0.00%	99.99%	123	21	17.07%
111	23779	Nationwide Mut Fire Ins Co	OH	36,787	0.63%	78.38%	38,323	21,314	55.62%
38	23787	Nationwide Mut Ins Co	OH	0		100.00%	0	93	
783	37877	Nationwide Prop & Cas Ins Co	ОН	38,562	0.66%	75.17%	40,668	24,601	60.49%
225	23841	New Hampshire Ins Co	PA	0	0%	100.00%	0	-6	
4716	12130	New South Ins Co	NC	103	0.00%	99.98%	154	41	26.62%
69 91	14788 36455	NGM Ins Co Northbrook Ind Co	FL IL	23,720	0% 0.41%	100.00% 85.09%	0 24,852	15 16,929	0% 68.12%
140	19372	Northern Ins Co Of NY	NY	23,720	0.41%	100.00%	24,652	-1	06.12%
785	40231	Old Dominion Ins Co	FL	181	0.00%	99.97%	208	99	47.60%
88	34940	Omni Ind Co	IL	13,357	0.23%	90.71%	11,178	7,636	68.31%
69	39098	Omni Ins Co	IL	145	0.00%	99.98%	177	49	27.68%
311	21970	OneBeacon Ins Co	PA	0	0%	100.00%	0	-6	
4799	32700	Owners Ins Co	OH	74,055	1.27%	71.80%	71,660	52,779	
2898	20346 37850	Pacific Ind Co Pacific Specialty Ins Co	WI CA	550 169	0.01% 0.00%	99.79% 99.97%	584 178	38 176	6.51% 98.88%
69	23442	Patriot Gen Ins Co	WI	2,035	0.00%	99.97%	2,195	2,410	
3678	25755	Peachtree Cas Ins Co	FL	1,121	0.03%	99.63%	709	824	116.22%
140	18139	Peak Prop & Cas Ins Corp	WI	4,943	0.02%	97.09%	4,665	3,763	
2538	24198	Peerless Ins Co	NH	5,884	0.10%	96.04%	7,262	5,216	71.83%
2538	37648	Permanent Gen Assur Corp	OH	6,674	0.11%	95.39%	7,579	6,591	86.96%
140	22906	Permanent Gen Assur Corp Of OH	OH	11,880	0.20%	91.56%	13,190	10,474	79.41%
84	13714	Pharmacists Mut Ins Co	IA DA	55	0.00%	99.99%	50	20	
69	18058	Philadelphia Ind Ins Co Phoenix Ins Co	PA CT	1,333 5,711	0.02% 0.10%	99.47% 96.54%	1,314 6,170	937 2,521	71.31% 40.86%

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3362	12873	Privilege Underwriters Recp Exch	FL	1,246	0.02%	99.51%	878	887	101.03%
1326 775	11851 24252	Progressive Advanced Ins Co Progressive Amer Ins Co	OH OH	13,957 15,562	0.24% 0.27%	90.01% 88.80%	14,552 16,526	8,053 9,451	55.34% 57.19%
2538	17350	Progressive America Co	OH	14,040		89.77%	14,807	6,277	42.39%
111	24260	Progressive Cas Ins Co	OH	0		100.00%	0	-2	
111	42994	Progressive Classic Ins Co	WI	14,179	0.24%	89.53%	14,964	6,790	
12	16322	Progressive Direct Ins Co	OH	11,803	0.20%	91.76%	12,414	5,823	46.91%
796	42412	Progressive Gulf Ins Co	OH	-2		100.00%	1	-211	-21100%
3596	24279	Progressive Max Ins Co	OH	0		100.00%	6	-209	-3483.33%
169	35190	Progressive Mountain Ins Co	OH	385,683	6.62%	27.15%	385,216	258,693	
361 31	38628 42919	Progressive Northern Ins Co Progressive Northwestern Ins Co	WI	0		100.00% 100.00%	0	13 -5	
215	37834	Progressive Preferred Ins Co	OH	0		100.00%	0	-5 -9	
867	21735	Progressive Premier Ins Co Of IL	OH	238,396	4.09%	42.43%	233,250	158,999	
84	38784	Progressive Southeastern Ins Co	IN	8,049	0.14%	94.29%	8,461	4,561	53.91%
215	34690	Property & Cas Ins Co Of Hartford	IN	2,154	0.04%	99.08%	2,426	1,746	71.97%
	24295	Providence Washington Ins Co	RI	0		100.00%	0	-1	
661	43044	Response Ins Co	IL	-6		100.00%	214	52	24.30%
311	26050	Response Worldwide Ins Co	IL	16		100.00%	198	-134	-67.68%
1129 218	13056 25405	RLI Ins Co Safe Auto Ins Co	IL OH	335 20,136	0.01% 0.35%	99.93% 86.60%	165 20,171	132 12,515	80% 62.04%
761	24740	Safeco Ins Co Of Amer	NH	6,492	0.33%	95.72%	6,856	5,916	
218	39012	Safeco Ins Co Of IL	IL	26,743	0.46%	82.53%	22,767	13,791	60.57%
155	11215	Safeco Ins Co Of IN	IN	24,164	0.41%	84.27%	18,412	12,008	
212	24759	Safeco Natl Ins Co	NH	6,325	0.11%	95.94%	6,575	4,893	74.42%
212	25640	Safeway Ins Co Of GA	GA	50,494	0.87%	73.71%	51,367	36,504	71.07%
761	40460	Sagamore Ins Co	IN	12	0.00%	100.00%	10	0	
218	24988	Sentry Ins A Mut Co Southern Fire & Cas Co	WI	349	0.01%	99.90%	741	307	41.43%
1281	22888 37141	Southern Fire & Cas Co Southern Gen Ins Co	GA	45 24,552	0.00% 0.42%	100.00% 83.86%	48 23,734	53 16,676	
212	26867	Southern Ins Co Of VA	VA	11,504	0.42 %	91.96%	11,645	6,856	58.88%
12	15172	Southern Mut Ins Co	GA	5,784	0.10%	96.44%	5,667	3,661	64.60%
155	22861	Southern Pilot Ins Co	WI	5,798	0.10%	96.34%	5,727	4,801	83.83%
69	12610	Southern Trust Ins Co	GA	7,590	0.13%	94.42%	7,690	5,632	73.24%
3495	19070	Standard Fire Ins Co	CT	8,215	0.14%	94.15%	9,195	5,580	
69	32387	Star Cas Ins Co	FL	1,378		99.45%	1,088	667	61.31%
212 12	25127 25135	State Auto Prop & Cas Ins Co State Automobile Mut Ins Co	IA OH	5,158 1,151	0.09% 0.02%	97.00% 99.60%	5,859 1,243	6,310 748	
3495	25133	State Farm Fire & Cas Co	IL	129,533	2.22%	61.02%	123,159	107,888	87.60%
140	25178	State Farm Mut Auto Ins Co	IL	1,195,634	20.53%	20.53%	1,173,472	890,025	
69	22683	Teachers Ins Co	IL	4,706	0.08%	97.25%	4,903	2,558	52.17%
4725	13242	Titan Ind Co	TX	527	0.01%		720	402	55.83%
4684	28188	Travco Ins Co	CT	3,889	0.07%	97.62%	4,200	1,862	44.33%
155	36137	Travelers Commercial Ins Co	CT	19,779	0.34%	86.94%	19,510	13,963	
212	27998	Travelers Home & Marine Ins Co	CT	93,395	1.60%	66.37% 99.12%	93,378	59,121	63.31%
12	25658 25666	Travelers Ind Co Travelers Ind Co Of Amer	CT CT	2,038 5,526			2,191 5,874	863 3,785	
12	41106	Triumphe Cas Co	OH	84			98	57	58.16%
12	21709	Truck Ins Exch	CA	291	0.01%	99.94%	454	360	
12	40118	Trustgard Ins Co	OH	2,789	0.05%	98.74%	2,988	1,085	36.31%
12	29459	Twin City Fire Ins Co Co	IN	507	0.01%		468	259	
12	35319	United Automobile Ins Co	FL	23,019	0.40%		22,181	17,498	
8	25941	United Serv Automobile Assn	TX	180,335	3.10%	48.70%	177,956	145,320	
1281 62	25895 16063	United States Liab Ins Co Unitrin Auto & Home Ins Co	PA NY	25 6,482	0.00% 0.11%	100.00% 95.83%	24 6,731	5,398	
3494	10915	Unitrin Direct Prop & Cas Co	IL	2,917	0.11%	98.55%	2,793	1,644	58.86%
140	25968	USAA Cas Ins Co	TX	138,607	2.38%	56.50%	136,339	108,657	79.70%
244	18600	USAA Gen Ind Co	TX	75,392		70.53%	69,205	58,884	85.09%
155	42889	Victoria Fire & Cas Co	ОН	107	0.00%	99.98%	152	83	54.61%
155	10105	Victoria Select Ins Co	OH	7,284	0.13%		7,152	4,134	
4754	10777	Victoria Specialty Ins Co	OH	1,614	0.03%	99.37%	1,647	1,514	91.92%
69	20397	Vigilant Ins Co	NY	336			353	150	
3495 69	40428 19003	Voyager Ind Ins Co Waco Fire & Cas Ins Co	GA GA	19,405 166	0.33% 0.00%	87.61% 99.97%	18,728 282	1,656 277	8.84% 98.23%
36	26085	Warner Ins Co	IL	9		100.00%	45	-93	
553	27502	Western Gen Ins Co	CA	7	0.00%	100.00%	1	4	
	13250	Workmens Auto Ins Co	CA	1,230		99.53%	1,463	1,202	82.16%
3478	31267	York Ins Co of ME	ME	0	0%	100.00%	0	21	0%
155	26220	Yosemite Ins Co	IN	294	0.01%	99.94%	217	29	
215	16535	Zurich Amer Ins Co	NY	0	- 7 -		0	75	
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Wes Shipley, President of Ranchers and Farmers Insurance Company, added that "the purchase by Anchor will allow us to make many of the changes our agents have been requesting – additional capacity in certain areas, higher property limits, and new products." He went on to say that "our day-to-day operations will remain the same. We'll continue to operate out of our Beaumont offices. There will be no personnel changes. All of our staff that our agents have worked with through the years will remain the same. Our agents will continue to conduct business with us in the same way after the sale, as they did before the sale."

The sale is expected to close before the end of the year. Mitch Sattler, President of Anchor, stated that "we will be working closely with the staff in Beaumont to ensure that the transition will occur seamlessly so that our agents and their customers will continue to receive the quality service that they've come to expect over the years." He went on to state that "This combination of companies will allow us to add more products, more services, and cover a broader geographic area. We feel very fortunate to be able to join forces with Southeast, Spindletop, and Ranchers and Farmers Insurance Company. They have an outstanding reputation, and provide us with an outstanding platform to build and expand upon in the future."

Anchor Insurance was recently founded by a team of highly experienced insurance professionals with expertise in leading and growing successful property insurance companies. According to Jennifer Pintacuda, Chief Financial Officer of Anchor, "We are committed to making this acquisition a success, both from a customer experience standpoint and financially. By way of capital infusion, we will double the insurance company surplus, allowing us to grow and deliver on the plans we have made. This extra capital will also provide us with significant reinsurance buying power we need to protect the company and meet our claims obligations while we expand and add capacity."

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