MANAGEMENT REPORT

for the year ended 31 March 2021

In accordance with the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority ('IRDA') (Preparation of Financial Statements and Auditors' Report of Insurance Companies) Regulations, 2002, and circulars/guidelines issued by IRDA thereafter, the following Management Report is submitted for the financial year ended 31 March 2021.

With respect to the operations of Bajaj Allianz Life Insurance Company Limited ('the Company') for the financial year ended 31 March 2021 and the results thereof, the Management of the Company confirms that:

1. Certificate of registration

The registration certificate granted by Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) is in force as on the date of this report.

2. Statutory liabilities

All dues payable to the statutory authorities have been duly paid except those under dispute or disclosed under contingent liabilities in the notes to the accounts forming part of financial statements.

3. Shareholding pattern and transfer of shares

There has been no transfer of shares during the year and the shareholding pattern is in accordance with the statutory and regulatory requirements. There has been no fresh capital infusion during the year.

The shareholding pattern of the Company is as follows:

Particulars	As at 31 March 2021	As at 31 March 2020
Bajaj Finserv Limited	74%	74%
Allianz SE	26%	26%
Total	100%	100%

4. Investments outside India

No investments directly or indirectly have been made outside India from the funds of the holders of policies issued in India.

5. Solvency margin

We hereby confirm that the Company has maintained adequate assets to cover both its liabilities and required solvency margin as prescribed under Section 64VA of the Insurance Act, 1938 (amended by the Insurance Laws (Amendment) Act, 2015) and the IRDAI (Assets, Liabilities and Solvency Margin of Life Insurance Business) Regulations, 2016.

Particulars	As at 31 March 2021	As at 31 March 2020
Actual solvency ratio	666%	745%
Required solvency ratio	150%	150%

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6. Valuation of assets in the Balance Sheet

The values of all the assets have been reviewed on the date of Balance Sheet and in the Management's belief, the assets set forth under each of the headings in the Balance Sheet are shown in the aggregate at amounts not exceeding their realisable or market value under their related headings - "Loans", "Investments", "Agent balances", "Outstanding Premiums", "Income accrued on investments", "Amounts due from other entities carrying on insurance business (including amounts due from reinsurers)", "Cash" and the several items specified under "Sundry Debtors", "Advances" and "Other Accounts" except debt securities held in non-linked Policyholders' funds and Shareholders' funds.

As prescribed by IRDA (Preparation of Financial Statements and Auditor's Report of Insurance Companies) Regulations 2002, all debt securities held under the Shareholders' fund and non-linked Policyholders' funds, including government securities, are considered as 'held to maturity' and accordingly measured at historical cost, subject to amortisation of premium or accretion of discount in the Revenue account or the Profit and Loss account over the period of maturity/holding.

As at 31 March 2021 the market and book value of these investments were as follows:

	Value as per E (Book		(₹ in i nousand) Market value*		
Particulars	31 March 2021	31 March 2020	31 March 2021	31 March 2020	
Debt investments held in Non-linked policyholders' funds and Shareholders' funds	388,504,492	321,157,847	402,309,388	337,920,565	

^{*} Market value for government securities is the price obtained from CRISIL and for debt securities other than government securities is determined using bond valuer from CRISIL, basis the yield of the security.

7. Application and Investments of Life Insurance fund

We certify that, no part of the Life Insurance fund has been directly or indirectly applied in contravention of the Insurance Act, 1938 relating to the application and investments of the life insurance funds and all investments made are in accordance in with IRDAI (Investment) Regulations, 2016.

8. Overall risk exposure and strategy adopted to mitigate the same

The Company is committed towards managing risks in line with its stated risk appetite through a systematic framework which identifies, evaluates, mitigates and monitors risks that could potentially have a material impact on the value of the organisation or potentially hinder the organisation in achieving its stated business objectives and goals.

Risk Organisation: Effective risk management is based on a common understanding of risks, clear organisational structures and comprehensively defined risk management processes. There is a defined risk governance framework in place to address the risk management objectives of the Company. The risk governance structure of the Company consists of the Board, the Board Risk Management Committee (RMC) and the Executive Risk Management Committee (ERMC). There are then the various lines of defenses which include the Heads of each department which act as a self-defense mechanism through the Internal Financial Control and Compliance certification framework. Internal Audit, Risk management, Fraud prevention and Compliance teams act as the next line of defense finally followed by Statutory and Concurrent Auditors which act as the final line of defense.

How we manage our risks: We manage our risk through our business strategy, continuously seeking to identify opportunities to maximise risk-adjusted returns. Our risk management framework broadly revolves around the following four pillars:

- Risk management process
- Solvency assessment
- Capital in decision making
- Risk appetite framework

The Company has established, for all material quantified and non-quantified risks, a comprehensive risk management process which entails:

- Risk identification
- Risk assessment
- Risk response and control activities
- Risk monitoring
- Risk reporting

Key risks: Our business is about protecting our customers from the impact of unwanted risk. We receive premiums which we invest to maximise risk-adjusted returns, so that we can fulfil our obligations to customers while providing a return to our Shareholders. In doing so, we accept the risks set out below:

Risks customers transfer to us	Risks from our investments	Risks from our operations
Life Insurance risk, which includes mortality and morbidity risk,	While investing in different assets to meet our obligations to our customers	Operational risk is the losses arising from inadequate or failed
expense risk (cost to administer policies) and persistency risk (customers lapsing their policies).	and return to our Shareholders', we face risk of uncertain returns because of credit risk (actual defaults and	internal processes, people and systems or external events including regulatory changes.
Some of our life and saving policies provide guaranteed investment return, thus we accept from them the market	expected defaults) and market risks (fluctuations in asset values and not match with liability movement).	Such failures may impact our customers directly, our reputation with our customers, distributors
risk and credit risk.	Liquidity risk is the inability to pay claims when due, on account of insufficient funds.	and regulators. This includes business interruption and fraud risks.

Overall risk exposure and strategy adopted to mitigate the same - the types of risk under each category identified are described in detail in the table below:

Ris	к Туре	Risk preference	Mitigation
(a)	Market risks	-	
•	Price of all assets Property rates Interest rates	 We prefer to match our liability and minimise duration gap between asset and liability and also ensure cash flow matching Policyholders' risk tolerance in case of risk sharing We seek some market risks as part of our investments. We believe we have enough expertise and tools to manage it 	 Adherence to Regulatory minimum requirement in sovereign bonds Maintaining a desired mix between debt and equity subjected to investment regulations by IRDAI Risk appetite set to overall market risk under the Strategic Asset Allocation Active asset management based on the ALM output Asset and liability duration matching limits impact of interest rate changes and actions taken to manage guarantee risk Entered into FRA (Forward Rate Agreement) to hedge the interest rate risk Holding adequate reserves for the cost of guarantee Policyholders' expectation on returns are managed through an active portfolio management strategy undertaken by our most experienced Investments team
(b) •	Credit risk Credit default Credit spread Reinsurance risk	 We take on credit risk as we believe we have the expertise to manage it As an insurer, we benefit from being able to invest for the long term due to the relative stability and predictability of our cash outflows We retain/reinsure while effectively managing the risk and reward 	 Setting limits on exposure to asset classes, investee companies, investee company groups and industries. Norms include those prescribed under the Investment Regulations and those set as internal limits based on the risk appetite of the Company Investment restrictions (minimum and maximum) on sovereign and corporate exposures Dealings only with approved counter parties Limiting exposure to high rated debt instruments Use of financially sound reinsurers
(c)	Liquidity risk		
•	Illiquid assets class / investment inability to pay claims when due	 The relatively illiquid nature of insurance liabilities is a potential source of additional investment return by allowing us to invest in higher yielding assets Less appetite for short term needs 	 Asset liability matching methodology develops optimal asset portfolio maturity structures in our business to ensure cash flows are sufficient to meet liabilities Contingency funding plan in significant stressed scenarios Timing the cash inflows and outflows through cash flow matching and by maintaining a minimum mix of liquid assets.

Risk Type Risk preference Mitigation

(d) Life Insurance risks

- Mortality
- Longevity
- Persistency
- Morbidity
- Expenses
- Underwriting and claims controls
- New business volume and mix
- We take measured amounts of life and health insurance risks where we have the appropriate core skills in underwriting
- We prefer longevity and mortality risks as they diversify well (i.e. have little or no correlation) against other risks we retain
- Risk appetites set to limit exposures to key life and health insurance risks
- Robust anti-fraud framework
- Identification of high fraud density zones based on Company and Industry experience
- Cross sharing fraud information with industry
- Early claims incorporated as criteria in assessing sales performance
- Risk selection and underwriting on acceptance of new business
- Analytics driven risk assessment engine at policy underwriting stage to identify potential fraud alerts
- Underwriting and claims policies and procedures are in place to assess and manage the risks. The Company conducts periodic reviews of both underwriting and claims processes and its effectiveness to ascertain the mortality and morbidity risk experience
- Product design that ensures products and propositions meet customer needs
- Product development cycle to analyse the sensitivity of profit margins and of profit emergence prior to launch of products and on an ongoing basis
- Use of reinsurance to mitigate mortality/morbidity risks, in addition the Company uses a mix of surplus, quota share and catastrophe reinsurances to manage the probable fluctuation in mortality risk
- Product development, pricing allowing persistency risk based on most recent experience
- Robust and most granular bottom up business operating plan for persistency, expenses, new business (mix and volume) and monitoring actuals
- Business quality parameters such as early claims, surrenders, persistency, etc. and expenses included as a key performance indicator for all function/sales heads
- Balanced risk & reward plan for persistency, expenses and new business for senior management

Risk Type

Risk preference

Mitigation

(e) Operational risks

- Business conduct & reputation
- Legal, regulatory & compliance
- People
- Process
- Data security
- Technology
- Outsourcing risk
- Business continuity
- External risk due to external environment

- We have very low appetite for business conduct risks
- Operational risk should generally be reduced to as low a level as is commercially sensible, on the basis that taking operational risk will rarely provide us with an upside, and operational failures may adversely impact our reputation, impairing our ability to attract new business, or lead to poor customer outcomes
- Risk due to external environment or situation like COVID-19 pandemic is addressed keeping in view government directives / orders and ensuring compliance to regulatory guidelines / circulars

- Application of enhanced business standards covering key processes
- Monitoring of controls through assurance activity and information on the operation of the control environment from management, internal audit and risk functions, supported by operational risk and audit registers and first line control logs
- Scenario based approach to determine appropriate level of capital for operational risks
- Conduct risk management framework
- Internal audit department performs regular audits and reports the findings to the senior management and Audit Committee on regular basis on deviations from norms
- Compliance tracker is maintained with timelines and actionable. All regulatory guidelines and changes are apprised to the relevant stakeholders and timely submission of the reports due is ensured
- Ensuring adequacy of controls through the Internal Financial Control framework with half yearly independent assessment of the framework
- Processes of the Company are outsourced as permitted under the regulatory guidelines. The Company carries out required due-diligence for any new activity or vendor empanelment
- The Company has a Disaster recovery (DR) site in a different seismic zone and a documented Board approved Business Continuity Policy (BCP) & detailed Business Continuity Plan
- Disaster Recovery Plan (DRP) exists and the same is being tested on a periodic basis
- Fraud prevention unit entrusted with responsibility of investigating all fraud cases
- The Public relation (PR) team continuously monitors the environment for any reputation risk
- COVID-19 initiatives Safety and travel advisory issued to employees
- Work from home ensured with necessary arrangements for employees and call centers
- Safety advisory issued for declaration of travel, suspected / positive cases for tracking including medical helpline numbers
- Core Committee on Disaster Management formed with regular updates to key stakeholders
- High Frequency Communication SMS (with bitly links, vernaculars), Personalised Emailers, WhatsApp Messages, Social Media highlighting digital platforms for policy servicing and renewal

9. Operations outside of India

The Company does not have any operations in a country outside of India.

10. Claims

(a) The average time taken by the Company from the date of submission of the final requirement by the claimant to dispatch of claim payment, in respect of mortality and morbidity claims, was as follows:

Period	Average claim settlement time (in days)
FY2021	7
FY2020	8
FY2019	8
FY2018	12
FY2017	7
FY2016	8

⁽b) Ageing of mortality and morbidity claims registered but not settled:

Traditional business

(₹ In Thousand)

	31 March 2021		31 March 2020		31 March 2019		31 March 2018		31 March 2017	
Period	No. of claims	Amount	No. of claims	Amount	No. of claims	Amount	No. of claims	Amount	No. of claims	Amount
Less than 30 Days	55	29,668	80	29,296	38	4,022	266	103,388	58	49,945
30 days to 6 months	33	74,010	57	7,339	86	5,435	400	220,370	1	3,000
6 months to 1 year	-	-	-	-	49	1,615	4	2,090	-	-
1 year to 5 years	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 years and above	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	88	103,678	137	36,635	173	11,072	670	325,848	59	52,945

Linked business

(₹ In Thousand)

	31 March 2021		31 March 2020		31 March 2019		31 March 2018		31 March 2017	
Period	No. of claims	Amount								
Less than 30 Days		2,000					8	30,093	3	2,150
30 days to 6 months	-		1	1,500	2	1,274	20	13,541	1	200
6 months to 1 year	-		-		-	-	-	-	-	-
1 year to 5 years	-	_	-		-	-	-		-	-
5 years and above	-		-		-		-		-	-
Total	2	2,000	1	1500	2	1,274	28	43,633	4	2,350

11. Valuation of Investments

(a) Shareholders' investment and non-linked policyholders' investments

As required by IRDA (Preparation of Financial Statements and Auditor's Report of Insurance Companies)
Regulations 2002, all Non-Linked Policyholders' and Shareholders' investments are valued as stated below:

- All debt securities are considered as 'held to maturity' and accordingly stated at historical cost adjusted for amortization of premium or accretion of discount, as the case may be, over the remaining period of maturity using the effective yield basis
- AT1 Additional Tier 1 Basel III compliant perpetual bonds are valued at fair value as per the IRDAI Investment Master
 Circular of May 2017. AT1 bonds with a residual maturity of over 182 days are valued on a yield to maturity basis, by
 using spreads over the benchmark rate (based on the matrix released by the CRISIL on daily basis) to arrive at the yield
 for pricing the security
- AT1 Additional Tier 1 Basel III compliant perpetual bonds with a residual maturity up to 182 days are valued at last valuation price plus the difference between the redemption value and last valuation price, spread uniformly over the remaining maturity period of the instrument
- Money market instruments (including treasury bills, certificate of deposits, commercial papers and Tri-Party Repo TREPs) are valued at historical cost and adjusted for amortization of premium or accretion of discount, as the case may
 be, over the period of maturity/holding on a straight-line basis
- Listed equity shares are stated at fair value being the last quoted closing price on the National Stock Exchange of India (NSE). In case the equity shares are not listed on the NSE, then they are valued on the last quoted closing price on Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE)
- Equity Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) are valued as equity shares. In case the ETF is not traded either on NSE or BSE on any day, latest available Net Asset Value (NAV) as published by the mutual fund is considered for valuation
- Equity shares lent under the Securities Lending and Borrowing scheme (SLB) scheme continue to be recognised in the Balance Sheet as the Company retains all the associated risks and rewards of these securities. These securities are valued as stated above for equity shares
- Units of Real Estate Investment Trust (REITs) are stated at fair value being the last quoted price on the National Stock Exchange of India (NSE). In case any of the REITs is not listed on the NSE, then they are valued on the last quoted closing price on Bombay Stock Exchange Limited (BSE). The price considered for valuation should not be later than 30 days. In case, where quoted price is not available for last 30 days, the REITs shall be valued as per the latest NAV (not more than 6 months old) of the Units published by the trust
- Redeemable preference shares are considered as 'held to maturity' and accordingly valued at historical cost and is subject to amortization of premium or accretion of discount
- Listed preference shares other than redeemable preference shares are valued at fair value, being the last quoted closing price on NSE at the Balance Sheet date. In case the preference shares are not listed on the NSE, then they are valued on the last quoted closing price on BSE. If price is not available on Balance Sheet date, the quoted price on the earliest previous day is used for valuation
- In case of unlisted equity and preference shares (other than redeemable preference shares) and listed preference (other than redeemable preference shares) that are not regularly traded in active markets and which are classified as 'thinly traded' as per the guidelines governing mutual funds for valuation of thinly traded securities laid down by Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) are valued at historical cost, subject to provision for diminution in the value, if any, of such investments determined separately for each individual investment

- Mutual fund units are stated at fair value being the NAV per unit on the Balance Sheet date declared by respective mutual fund
- Alternative investment funds (AIF) are valued at NAV, if available or historical cost less diminution in value of investments
- Investment in security receipts, fixed deposits and Tri-Party Repo TREPs are valued at cost
- Unrealised gains/losses on changes in fair values of listed equity shares, ETFs, AIF, mutual funds, REITs and AT1 Additional Tier 1 Basel III compliant perpetual bonds are taken to the "Fair Value Change Account" in the Balance Sheet
- Investment property is held to earn rental income or for capital appreciation and is not occupied by the Company. Investment property is initially valued at cost including any directly attributable transaction costs. Investment property is revalued at least once in every three years. The change in carrying amount of investment property is taken to "Revaluation reserve" in the Balance Sheet
- Interest rate derivative contracts for hedging of highly probable forecasted transactions on insurance contracts and investment cash flows in life, pension and annuity business, are accounted for in the manner specified in accordance with 'Guidance Note on Accounting for Derivative Contracts' issued by the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI) and IRDAI Investment Master Circular issued in May 2017
- All derivatives are initially recognised in the Balance Sheet at their fair value, which usually represents their cost. All
 derivatives are carried as assets when the fair values are positive and as liabilities when the fair values are negative.
 The notional or contractual amount associated with derivative financial instruments are not recorded as assets or
 liabilities in the Balance Sheet as they do not represent the fair value of these transactions
- On each reporting date, Forward Rate Agreement (FRA) contract is valued at the difference between the market value
 of underlying bond at the spot reference yield taken from the Security Exchange Board of India ('SEBI') approved rating
 agency and present value of contracted forward price of underlying bond including present value of intermediate
 coupon inflows from valuation date till FRA contract settlement date, at applicable INR-Overnight Index Swap
 (OIS) rate curve
- The portion of fair value gain/loss on the Interest Rate Derivative that is determined to be an effective hedge is recognised directly in appropriate equity account i.e. "Hedge Fluctuation Reserve" which is included in 'Credit/(Debit) Fair Value Change Account' under Policyholders funds in the Balance Sheet. The ineffective portion of the change in fair value of such instruments is recognised in the Revenue Account in the period in which they arise. The accumulated gains or losses that were recognised directly in the Hedge Reserve are reclassified into Revenue Account, in the same period during which the income from hedged forecasted cash flows affect the Revenue Account (such as in the periods that income on the investments acquired from underlying forecasted cash flow is recognized in the Revenue Account). If the hedging relationship ceases to be effective or it becomes probable that the expected forecast transaction will no longer occur, hedge accounting is discontinued and accumulated gains or losses that were recognised directly in the Hedge Fluctuation Reserve are reclassified into Revenue Account. Costs associated with derivative contracts are considered as at a point in time cost

(b) Linked fund investments

Investments under Unit linked funds have been valued on mark to market basis as stated below:

- Government securities are valued at prices obtained from CRISIL
- Debt securities other than government securities with a residual maturity of over 182 days are valued on a yield to maturity basis, by using spreads over the benchmark rate (based on the matrix released by the CRISIL on daily basis) to arrive at the yield for pricing the security
- Debt securities with a residual maturity up to 182 days are valued at last valuation price plus the difference between the redemption value and last valuation price, spread uniformly over the remaining maturity period of the instrument

- Listed equity shares are valued at fair value, being the last quoted closing price on the NSE. In case the equity shares are not listed on the NSE, then they are valued on the last quoted closing price on BSE
- Equity Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) are valued as equity shares. In case the ETF is not traded either on NSE or BSE on any day, latest available NAV as published by the mutual fund is considered for valuation
- Equity shares lent under Securities Lending and Borrowing scheme (SLB) scheme are valued as equity shares as the Company retains the risk and reward of the shares lent. The securities are valued as stated above for equity shares
- Listed preference shares are valued and stated at fair value, being the last quoted closing price on NSE at the Balance Sheet date. In case the preference shares are not listed on the NSE, then they are valued on the last quoted closing price on BSE
- If preference shares are not traded either on the NSE or BSE on the Balance Sheet date, then the price at which the preference shares are traded on the Primary or the Secondary Exchange, as the case may be, on the earliest previous day is considered for valuation
- Listed equity and preference shares that are not regularly traded in active markets and which are classified as 'thinly traded' as per the guidelines governing mutual funds for valuation of thinly traded securities laid down by SEBI, are valued at historical cost, subject to provision for diminution in the value, if any, of such investment determined separately for each individual investment
- Money market instruments (including treasury bills, certificate of deposits, commercial papers and Tri-Party Repo TREPs) are valued at cost and adjusted for amortization of premium or accretion of discount, as the case may be over the period of maturity/holding on a straight-line basis
- Investments in fixed deposit and reverse repos are valued at cost
- Mutual fund units are valued at the last available NAV per unit as declared by respective mutual fund
- Securities with call option are valued at the lower of the value as obtained by valuing the security up to final maturity date or the call option date. In case there are multiple call options, the security is valued at the lowest value obtained by valuing the security at various call dates or up to the final maturity date
- Securities with put option are valued at the higher of the value as obtained by valuing the security up to final maturity date or the put option date. In case there are multiple put options, the security is valued at the highest value obtained by valuing the security at various put dates or up to the final maturity date
- The securities with both put and call option on the same day would be deemed to mature on the put/call date
 and would be valued on a yield to maturity basis, by using spreads over the benchmark rate based on the matrix
 released by CRISIL
- Unrealised gains and losses are recognised in the Revenue Account as prescribed by IRDAI (Preparation of Financial Statements and Auditors' Report of Insurance Companies) Regulations 2002

12. Review of asset quality and performance of investments

All investments are made in accordance with the regulatory norms, the Investment Policy, fund objectives of unit linked funds, asset liability management guidelines and risk profile of the respective fund.

(a) Asset composition

The asset composition of investment assets (excluding unclaimed fund) of the company as at 31 March 2021 is as follows:

(₹ In Thousand)

	Policyholders' - Non- Linked		Policyholders' - Linked		Sharehol	ders′	Total investments		
Asset Class	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	
Government Securities	214,414,390	61.5%	49,188,426	17.2%	47,407,348	47.1%	311,010,164	42.3%	
Equities	45,110,257	12.9%	172,948,546	60.6%	14,408,790	14.3%	232,467,593	31.6%	
Debentures & Bonds									
- AAA	65,884,364	18.9%	9,290,159	3.3%	13,894,533	13.8%	89,069,056	12.1%	
- AA / AA+	2,782,477	0.8%	253,550	0.1%	96,392	0.1%	3,132,419	0.4%	
- AA - & Below	499,977	0.1%	-	-	-	0.0%	499,977	0.1%	
Money Market Instruments	18,203,294	5.2%	34,627,478	12.1%	18,544,117	18.4%	71,374,889	9.7%	
Equity ETF	-	-	13,474,137	4.7%	-	0.0%	13,474,137	1.8%	
Fixed Deposits	1,475,100	0.4%	743,200	0.3%	5,302,500	5.3%	7,520,800	1.0%	
Investment Property	-	-	-	-	921,596	0.9%	921,596	0.1%	
AT1 Bonds	-	-		-		-	-	-	
Others ¹	227,150	0.1%	5,084,268	1.8%		-	5,311,418	0.7%	
TOTAL	348,597,009	100.0%	285,609,764	100.0%	100,575,276	100.0%	734,782,049	100.0%	

¹Includes investment in Security receipts, Alternative Investment Funds (AIFs) Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) in case of Non-Linked & Shareholders' funds and Net current assets in case of linked funds.

The Company has invested in well diversified investment portfolio. Substantial portion of the investments are readily marketable thereby extending good liquidity support. Out of the total investment assets of the Company, 38.9% of the assets are attributable to linked funds (including discontinued fund) and 61.1% to non-linked funds. 65.3% of the linked funds are invested in equities. 86.5% of non-linked funds are invested in debt instruments. 69.3% of the total equity

Portfolio is invested in Nifty 50 index stocks and 97.8% of the total equity portfolio is invested in stocks forming part of Nifty 500 index.

The Company maintains a strong quality of fixed income portfolio at all point of time. 99.2% of the fixed income portfolio is held in highest credit rated securities (Sovereign/AAA or equivalent). 99.9% of the Company's investments in fixed income portfolio is rated AA or above.

The Company has during the year reversed impairment of ₹ 111.32 crore (net of provision) on account of sale and / or subsequent receipt of outstanding amount.

(b) Fund performance- Investment

Linked policyholders' funds:

Fund performance of major linked funds covering over 99% of the AUM over a one, three and five year period is as follows:

			Fund returns			
Fund Name	SFIN	AUM¹ (₹ In Thousand)	1 Year	3 Year (CAGR)*	5 Year (CAGR)*	
Equity Large Cap funds						
Equity Growth Fund	ULIF02924/07/06EQGR0WFUND116	27,420,027	63.11%	10.75%	13.21%	
Equity Growth Fund II	ULIF05106/01/10EQTYGROW02116	30,797,864	64.33%	12.01%	14.33%	
Equity Plus Fund	ULIF00723/07/04EQPLUSFUND116	5,936,916	63.56%	11.11%	13.74%	
Equity Gain Fund	ULIF00523/07/04EQGAINFUND116	4,079,853	61.29%	9.48%	12.06%	
Equity Growth Pension Fund	ULIF03624/07/06EQTYGROPEN116	738,095	63.72%	11.11%	13.93%	
Benchmark Return			70.87%	13.24%	13.67%	
Equity Mid Cap funds						
Accelerator Mid Cap Fund II	ULIF05206/01/10ACCMIDCA02116	33,786,383	72.20%	6.03%	14.18%	
Accelerator Mid Cap Fund	ULIF03124/07/06ACCEMIDCAP116	4,276,301	70.32%	4.10%	12.68%	
Equity Midcap Plus Fund	ULIF01809/03/05EQUMIDPLUS116	1,168,647	66.45%	3.53%	11.84%	
Equity Midcap Fund	ULIF01709/03/05EQUMIDFUND116	628,654	63.92%	1.89%	10.27%	
Accelerator Midcap Pension Fund	ULIF03324/07/06ACCEMIDPEN116	365,864	70.53%	3.86%	12.27%	
Benchmark Return			112.92%	10.81%	16.16%	
Index funds						
Equity Index Fund II	ULIF03024/07/06EQTYINDX02116	19,486,557	68.54%	13.34%	13.23%	
Blue Chip Equity Fund	ULIF06026/10/10BLUECHIPEQ116	6,245,473	65.36%	14.03%	13.76%	
Equity Fund	ULIF00315/01/04EQUITYFUND116	1,829,951	63.34%	12.23%	12.17%	
Equity Index Pension Fund II	ULIF03724/07/06EQINDPEN02116	1,158,193	67.82%	14.53%	14.08%	
Equity Index Fund	ULIF00623/07/04EQINDEFUND116	935,893	66.21%	14.06%	13.92%	
Group Equity Fund	ULGF01018/04/11GREQTYFUND116	460,122	61.61%	10.72%	13.67%	
Group Equity Index Fund	ULGF00822/02/10GREQTYINDX116	349,713	64.84%	13.46%	13.17%	
Benchmark Return			70.87%	13.24%	13.67%	

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			Fund returns			
Fund Name	SFIN	AUM¹ (₹ In Thousand)	1 Year	3 Year (CAGR)*	5 Year (CAGR)*	
Balanced funds						
Asset Allocation Fund	ULIF04528/09/07ASSETALLOC116	8,493,900	38.26%	8.46%	9.94%	
Asset Allocation Fund II	ULIF07205/12/13ASSETALL02116	2,887,672	36.00%	9.21%	10.53%	
Group Asset Allocation Fund	ULGF00926/02/10GRASSALLOC116	863,909	39.46%	8.47%	10.26%	
Asset Allocation Pension Fund	ULIF04628/01/08ASALLOCPEN116	511,349	37.79%	8.98%	10.43%	
Benchmark Return			46.75%	12.63%	12.48%	
Debt funds						
Bond Fund	ULIF02610/07/06B0NDFUNDLI116	18,547,682	5.38%	7.45%	7.57%	
Group Debt Fund II	ULGF01924/06/13GRDEBTFU02116	9,716,468	5.62%	7.12%	7.45%	
Group Debt Fund III	ULGF02202/03/15GRDEBTFU03116	1,188,720	5.97%	6.68%	NA	
Group Debt Fund	ULGF00426/03/08GRDEBTFUND116	842,295	5.81%	6.98%	7.31%	
Debt Plus Fund	ULIF00923/07/04DEBTPLUSFU116	657,778	5.53%	7.31%	7.21%	
Debt Fund	ULIF00415/01/04DEBTFUNDLI116	435,550	3.43%	5.19%	5.26%	
Bond Pension Fund	ULIF03524/07/06B0NDPENFUN116	291,730	5.26%	6.91%	6.65%	
Benchmark Return			7.69%	8.98%	8.61%	
Cash funds						
Liquid Fund	ULIF02510/07/06LIQUIDFUND116	3,774,224	3.28%	1.81%	3.57%	
Cash Plus Fund	ULIF01023/07/04CASHPLUSFU116	528,684	3.75%	5.31%	5.81%	
Cash Fund	ULIF00215/01/04CASHFUNDLI116	310,922	1.31%	3.19%	3.69%	
Benchmark Return			4.07%	6.01%	6.40%	
Ethical funds						
Pure Stock Fund	ULIF02721/07/06PURESTKFUN116	28,976,690	60.78%	11.55%	13.78%	
Pure Stock Fund II	ULIF07709/01/17PURSTKFUN2116	19,146,301	60.64%	10.55%	NA	
Pure Equity Fund	ULIF02017/12/05PUREEQFUND116	427,694	64.22%	11.39%	13.48%	
Benchmark Return			70.87%	13.24%	13.67%	
Debt funds						
Group Short Term Debt Fund III	ULGF02024/06/13GRSHTRDE03116	463,099	5.45%	6.28%	6.63%	
Group Short Term Debt Fund II	ULGF01218/04/11GRSHTRDE02116	121,376	5.28%	6.80%	7.31%	
Benchmark Return			7.80%	8.38%	8.08%	

			Fund returns			
Fund Name	SFIN	AUM¹ (₹ In Thousand)	1 Year	3 Year (CAGR)*	5 Year (CAGR)*	
Other funds					-	
Secure Gain Fund	ULGF00215/10/04SECUREFUND116	19,159,129	13.98%	8.75%	8.87%	
Discontinued Life Policy Fund	ULIF07026/03/13DISCONLIFE116	15,715,325	3.30%	4.43%	5.08%	
Pension Builder Fund	ULIF06908/02/13PENSIONBUI116	3,218,178	8.76%	6.97%	6.77%	
Stable Gain Fund	ULGF00115/09/04STABLEFUND116	2,934,964	18.91%	8.75%	9.33%	
Guaranteed Bond Fund	ULIF06322/09/11GTEB0NDFND116	2,378,980	5.83%	7.08%	7.41%	
Discontinue Pension Policy Fund	ULIF07126/03/13DISCONPENS116	1,166,295	3.34%	4.90%	5.26%	
Builder Bond Fund	ULIF07313/05/15BLDRBNDFND116	895,744	5.04%	7.33%	6.64%	
Group Growth Fund II	ULGF01311/05/11GRGROWFU02116	314,925	4.11%	6.27%	5.96%	
Balanced Equity Fund	ULIF07413/05/15BALEQTYFND116	181,545	12.85%	7.91%	7.82%	
Assured Return Fund	ULIF06127/01/11ASSRDRETRN116	296,089	4.31%	6.13%	6.51%	
Max Gain Fund II	ULIF05814/09/10MAXGAINF02116	8,538	1.61%	4.12%	6.51%	
Shield Plus Fund III	ULIF05711/08/10SHIELDPL03116	2,660	2.88%	5.09%	6.20%	
Shield Plus Fund II	ULIF05610/05/10SHIELDPL02116	481	2.18%	5.44%	6.63%	
Benchmark Return			-	-	-	

^{*}CAGR- Compound annual growth rate

NA indicates that the fund was non-existent during the relevant period.

Non-linked Policyholders' and Shareholders' funds:

Fund performance of non-linked policyholders' and shareholders' funds is as follows:

	FY2021			FY2020		
Fund	AUM (₹ In Thousand)¹	1 year return			1 year return	
		Market value*	Book value#	AUM (₹ In Thousand)¹	Market value*	Book value#
Policyholders' fund						
Participating	206,169,146	16.6%	11.2%	163,587,192	7.0%	8.0%
Non-participating	142,427,863	8.8%	8.0%	108,696,856	9.4%	7.9%
Shareholders' fund	100,575,276	14.2%	9.3%	92,372,517	5.8%	7.0%

Note

Linked fund returns computed based on point to point NAV movement and for other funds based on investment income/average investment.

^{*}Market Value yields computed as investment income/average investment

[#]Book value yields computed as investment income/average investment

¹ AUM at 31 March of respective year.

13. Payments made to parties in which Directors are interested

(₹ In Thousand)

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irector	1,483,651	
		857,219
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	1,764,856	1,265,724
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irector	187,229	150,433
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irector		
Nember	4,488	126,845
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irector		45,450
irector	179,070	
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irector	70.227	85,981
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¹ Appointed as director w.e.f 1 Apr 2020 and Ceased to be Director w.e.f. 17 July 2020

² Appointed as director w.e.f. 24 Sep 2020

³ Appointed as Independent director w.e.f. 19 May 2020

14. Management responsibility statement

The Management confirms that:

- (a) In the preparation of financial statements, the applicable accounting standards, principles and policies are followed along with proper explanations relating to material departures, if any;
- (b) The management has adopted accounting policies and applied them consistently and made judgments and estimates that are reasonable and prudent so as to give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company at the end of the financial year and of the operating profit and of the profit of the Company for the year;
- (c) The management has taken proper and sufficient care for the maintenance of adequate accounting records in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Insurance Act, 1938 (amended by the Insurance Laws (Amendment) Act, 2015) and the Companies Act, 2013, for safeguarding the assets of the Company and for preventing and detecting fraud and other irregularities;
- (d) The management has prepared the financial statements on a going concern basis;
- (e) The management has ensured that an internal audit system commensurate with the size and nature of the business exists and is operating effectively.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

Sanjiv Bajaj

Chairman DIN 00014615 Place: Pune

Lila Poonawalla

Chairperson of Audit Committee DIN 00074392 Place: Pune

Ranjit Gupta

Director DIN 00139465 Place: Pune

Tarun Chugh

Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer DIN 02578909 Place: Mumbai

Bharat Kalsi

Chief Financial Officer Place: Pune

Avdhesh Gupta

Appointed Actuary Place: Pune

Rajesh Shanoy

Company Secretary Place: Pune

Date: 23 April 2021