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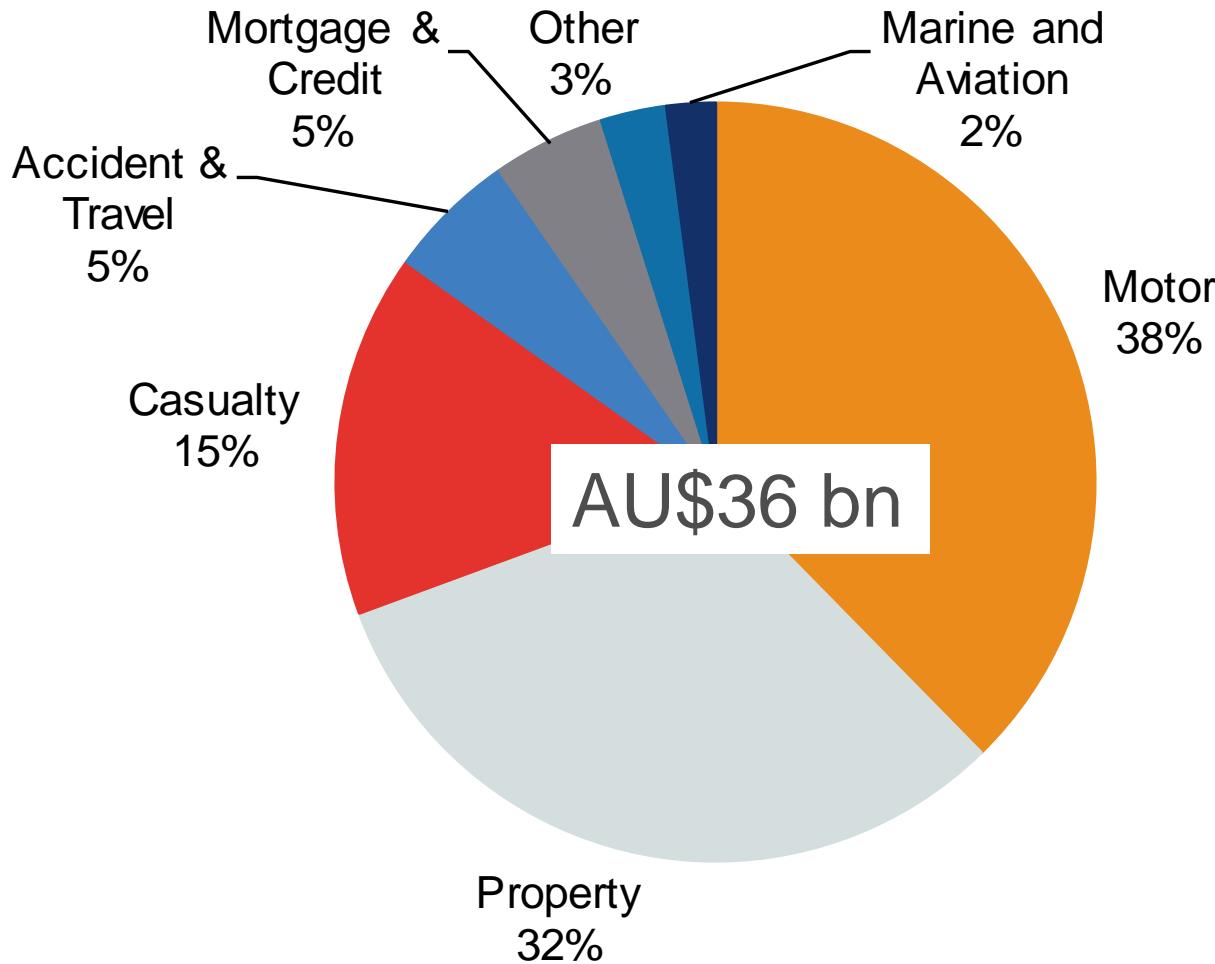
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# Australia - Challenges and Opportunities in Non-Life and Life

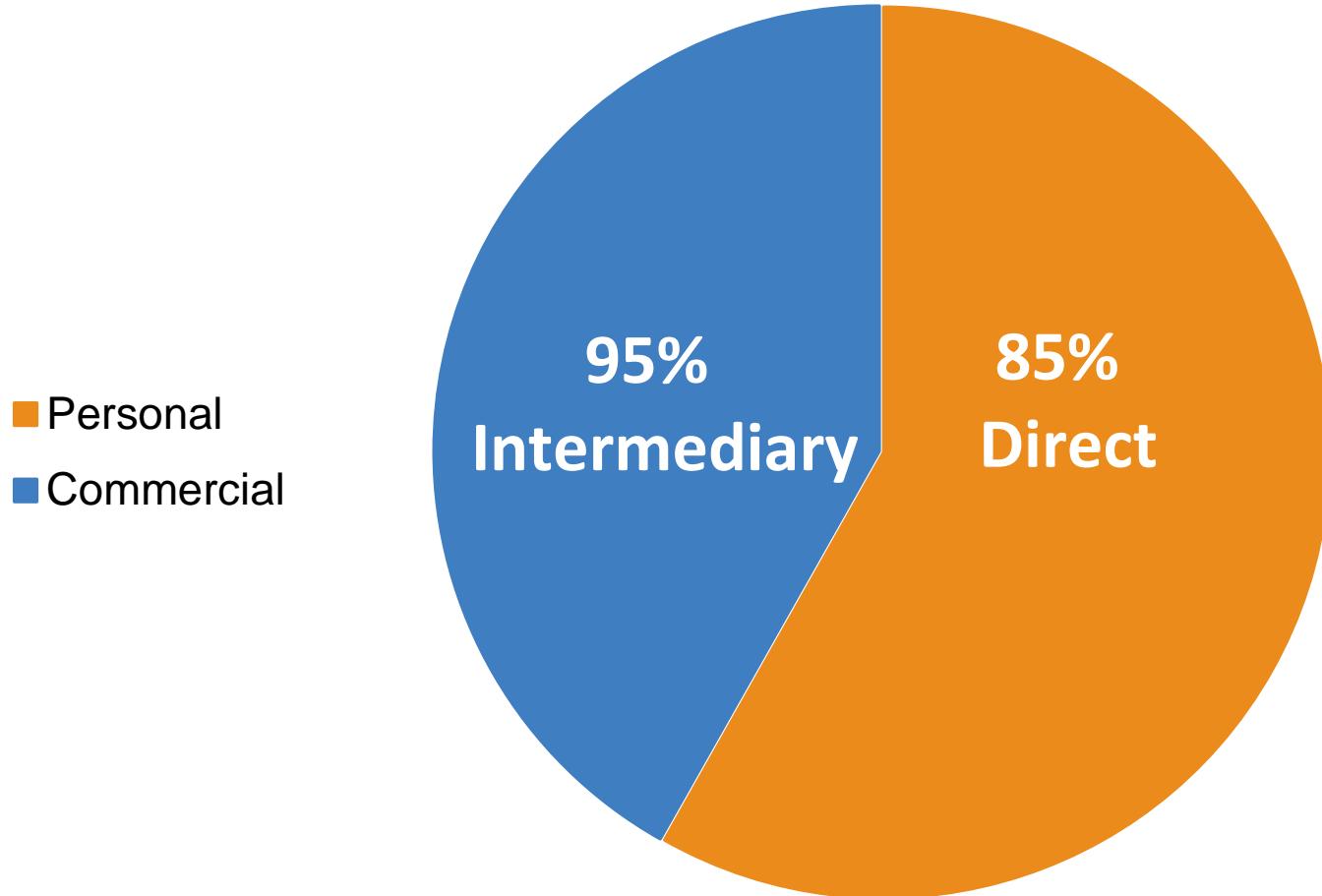
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# Background to non-life market



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# Role of actuary in non-life

## Regulated Role – Appointed Actuary

1. Insurance liability valuation
2. Financial condition report
3. Whistleblowing obligations

## Other Common Roles

1. Pricing
2. Capital
3. Reinsurance
4. Risk

# Capital modelling



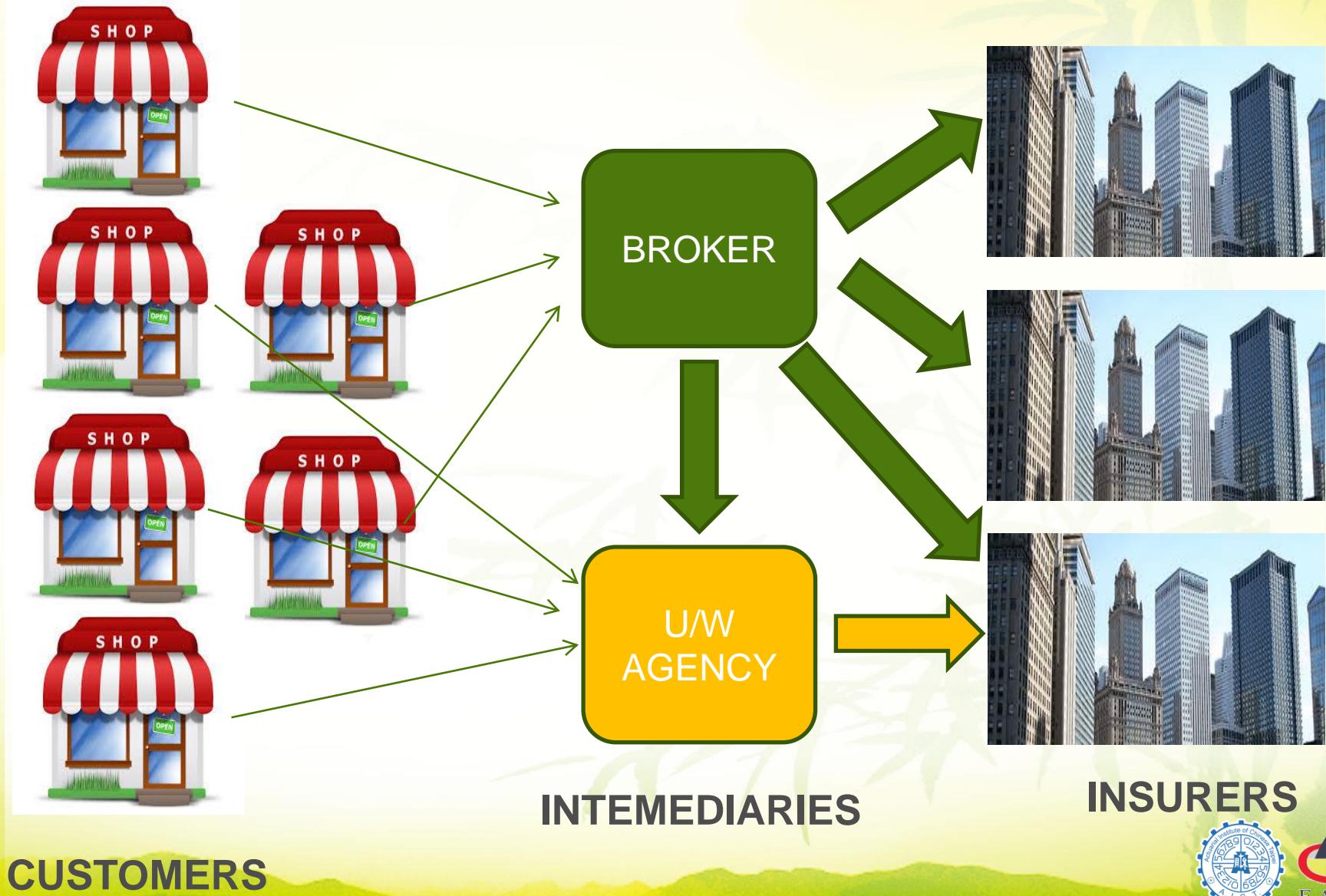
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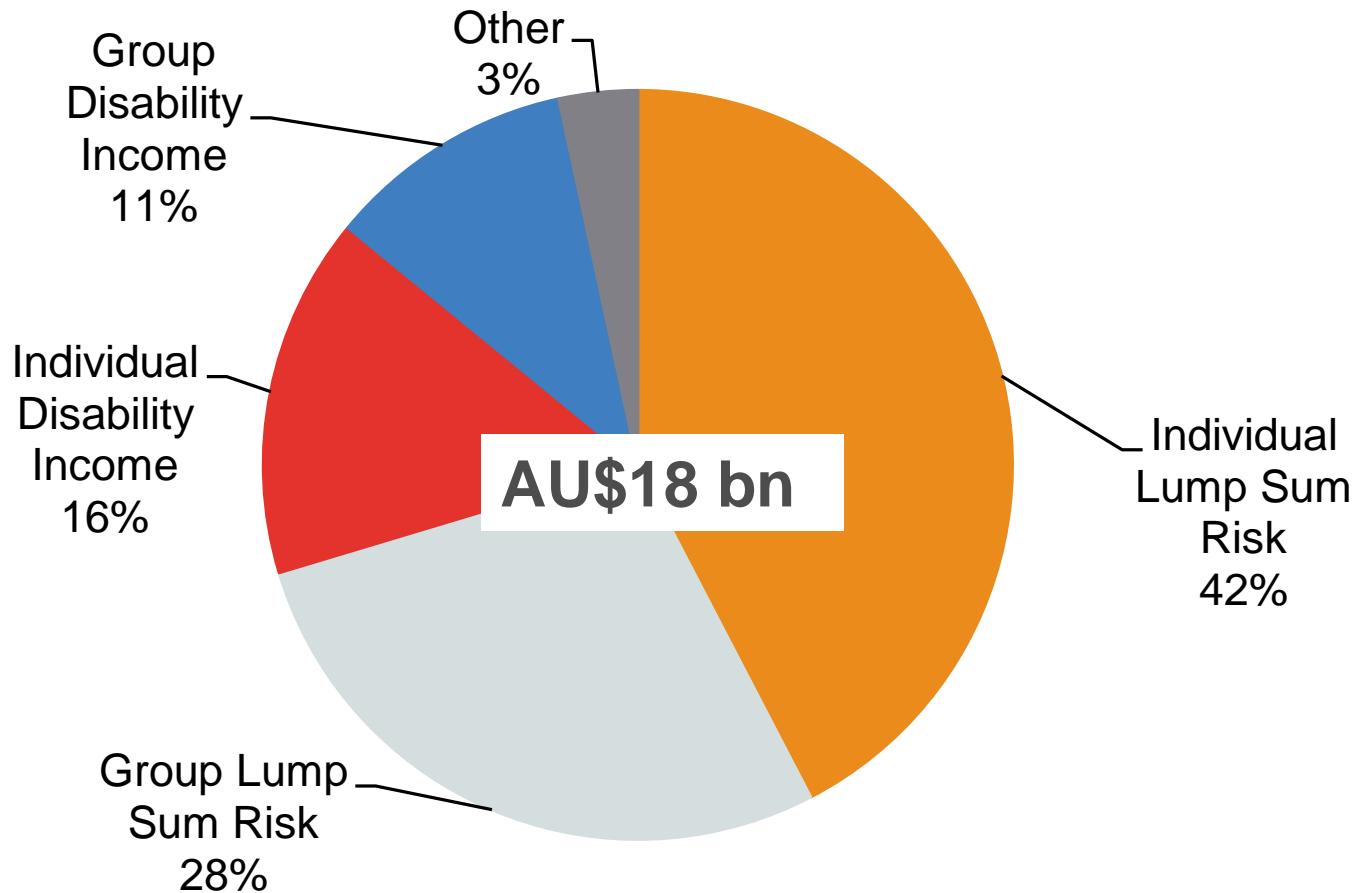
# Affordability



# Distribution in commercial



# Background to life market



# Role of actuary in life

## Regulated Role – Appointed Actuary

1. Policy liability valuation & statutory capital
2. Pricing, reinsurance sign off
3. Financial condition report
4. Approval of distribution of retained profit & capital
5. Whistleblowing obligations
6. Participating policyholders

## Other Common Roles

1. Risk based capital
2. ALM & guarantees
3. Risk

# Life industry profit downturn



1. Group lump sum
2. Retail income protection
3. Lapses

# Summary

## Non life

- Profitable
- Granular modelling
  - Personal
  - Commercial
- Modelling risk

## Life

- Profit downturn
- Data and modelling issues
- Product structure issues