

**Cherish today's little moments &
create tomorrow's precious memories
with **Smart Income!****



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Terminal Bonus, if any



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(This Product is also available for online sale)

As individuals, our life-stage, life-style and future aspirations determine our financial needs. These could include life cover to protect the family due to increasing uncertainties in life, saving for bigger goals like child's education/wedding and saving for additional income or retirement income. With the world around us changing rapidly, planning well to achieve our financial goals assumes paramount importance.

At HDFC Life Insurance, we understand the importance of your needs and help you by offering a unique life insurance solution which offers cover against unfortunate event and savings in form of regular income depending on the option chosen.

PRESENTING HDFC LIFE SMART INCOME PLAN

'HDFC Life Smart Income Plan' is a non-linked, participating individual life insurance cum savings plan that provides Guaranteed Income Benefit during the income payout term and Guaranteed Death Benefit during the term of the policy. It offers two benefit options - Enhanced Maturity and Enhanced Income - to choose from at the inception of the policy and depending on the option chosen, this plan may also provide Guaranteed Survival Benefit during the policy term in addition to the Maturity Benefit at the end of the policy term.

KEY REASONS TO BUY

- Pay for a limited term, enjoy Life insurance cover during full policy term
- Guaranteed Income Benefit[#]
- Pay for 6/8/10/12 years, get income for 12/16/20/24 years
- Flexible options to avail potential upside of benefits through bonuses (if declared)

PLAN AT A GLANCE

Eligibility Parameters		Premium Payment Term			
		6 years	8 years	10 years	12 years
Policy Term		19 years	25 years	31 years	37 years
Minimum Age at entry (as on last birthday)		10 years	8 years	6 years	4 years
Maximum Age at Entry (as on last birthday)		60 years			
Minimum Age at Maturity (as on last birthday)		29 years			
Maximum Age at Maturity (as on last birthday)		97 years			
Minimum Sum Assured		As per minimum premium			
Maximum Sum Assured		No Limit (subject to Board approved underwriting policy)			
Minimum Premium (₹)	Annual	₹30,000			
	Half- Yearly	₹18,000			
	Monthly	₹3,000			
Maximum Premium (₹)		No Limit (subject to Board approved underwriting policy)			
Premium Payment Mode		Annual, Half-Yearly, Monthly*			
Income Payout Term		12 Years	16 years	20 years	24 years
Income Payout Mode		Annual			

*For monthly premium payment mode, 3 monthly premiums are collected in advance on the date of commencement of the policy.

Guaranteed Income Benefit (GIB) is paid on survival during the income payout term, provided all due premiums are paid during the premium payment term. The last installment of GIB is paid as part of maturity benefit and other installments are paid as part of survival benefits during the policy term as per the following table.

Sl. No.	PPT	Policy Term	GIB as survival benefit	GIB as maturity benefit
1.	6 years	19 years	Payable annually from end of policy year 8 to end of policy year 18	Payable at the end of policy year 19
2.	8 years	25 years	Payable annually from end of policy year 10 to end of policy year 24	Payable at the end of policy year 25
3.	10 years	31 years	Payable annually from end of policy year 12 to end of policy year 30	Payable at the end of policy year 31
4.	12 years	37 years	Payable annually from end of policy year 14 to end of policy year 36	Payable at the end of policy year 37

The same has been mentioned in details in respective sections.

Income Payout term is defined as period equal to twice the premium payment term which starts on completion of one year from the end of premium payment term and continues till the end of policy term.

Premium Payment Term	Income Payout Term	Income Payout Term commences from end of:
6 Years	12 Years	7 th Policy Year
8 Years	16 Years	9 th Policy Year
10 Years	20 Years	11 th Policy Year
12 Years	24 Years	13 th Policy Year

Tax on income payable will be applicable as per prevailing income tax laws.

BENEFITS IN DETAIL

A. Death Benefit

HDFC Life Smart Income Plan ensures that your family is financially protected in your absence.

Benefit Options	Death Benefit
Option 1 - Enhanced Maturity	Sum Assured on Death + accrued Simple Reversionary Bonus till the date of death, if any + Terminal Bonus as on date of death, if any
Option 2 - Enhanced Income	Sum Assured on Death + accrued and unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus till the date of death, if any + Terminal Bonus as on date of death, if any

The Policy will terminate on payment of Death Benefit in the event of death of Life Assured and no other benefits are paid. Sum Assured on Death is applicable on death of life assured during the policy term and is defined as higher of:

- X times the **Annualized Premium**¹; or
- 105% of the **Total Premiums Paid**² up to the date of death;

The multiple of 'X' times is defined as follows:

Entry Age	Sum Assured on Death Multiple (X)
For entry age 44 years and below	10 times
For entry age 45 years and above	10 or 7 times

The multiple 'X' times for entry age 45 years and above needs to be chosen by the Policyholder at Date of Inception of Policy and cannot be changed subsequently.

¹**Annualized Premium** shall be the Premium amount payable in a year chosen by the Policyholder excluding the taxes, rider premiums, Underwriting Extra Premiums and loadings for modal Premiums, if any.

²**Total Premiums Paid** means total of all the Premiums received, excluding any extra Premium, any rider Premium and taxes.

B. Survival Benefit

This plan offers you the freedom to choose the way you want to receive your survival benefits during the income payout term, as per your financial needs.

There are two options to choose from:

▪ Option 1: Enhanced Maturity

On survival of the Life Assured if all the due premiums are paid, you will get

- Guaranteed Income Benefit (GIB) of 10% of Basic Sum Assured annually in arrears, commencing on completion of two years from the end of premium payment term till the end of the policy term minus 1 year, as survival benefit.

Guaranteed Income Benefit commences on completion of two years from the end of premium paying term as provided in the table below:

PPT	GIB Payout commences from (the end of)
6	8 th policy year
8	10 th policy year
10	12 th policy year
12	14 th policy year

▪ Option 2: Enhanced Income

On survival of the Life Assured if all the due premiums are paid, you will get

- Guaranteed Income Benefit (GIB) of 10% of Basic Sum Assured annually in arrears, commencing on completion of two years from the end of premium payment term till the end of the policy term minus 1 year, as survival benefit.

Guaranteed Income Benefit commences on completion of two years from the end of premium paying term as provided in the table below :

PPT	GIB Payout commences from (the end of)
6	8 th policy year
8	10 th policy year
10	12 th policy year
12	14 th policy year

- To enhance your income, Simple Reversionary Income Bonus (SRIB), if any, declared annually throughout the policy term, is paid annually in arrears along with the Guaranteed Income Benefit, commencing on completion of two years from the end of premium paying term till end of the policy term minus 1 year, as survival benefit. The timing of bonuses declaration and its payout is specified in the Table 1 under Section D.

C. Maturity Benefit

- **Option 1: Enhanced Maturity:** Last installment of GIB (10% of Basic Sum Assured) plus Accrued Simple Reversionary Bonus, if any, plus Terminal Bonus, if any, is payable, on survival of the life assured till the end of the policy term, as maturity benefit.
- **Option 2: Enhanced Income:** Last installment of GIB (10% of Basic Sum Assured) plus Accrued and unpaid Simple Reversionary Income bonus, if any, plus Terminal Bonus, if any, is payable on survival of the life assured till the end of the policy term, as maturity benefit. The timing of bonuses declaration and its payout is specified in the Table 1 under Section D.

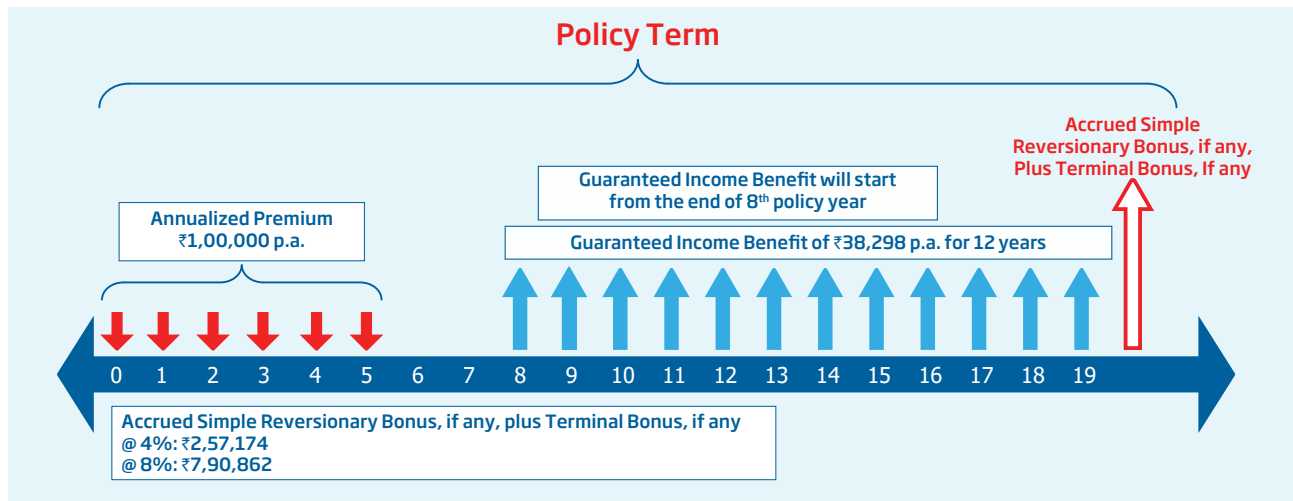
LET'S SEE HOW HDFC LIFE SMART INCOME PLAN WORKS?

Let's understand with the help of sample illustrations which are intended to show premium payable and benefits under each option, at two assumed rates of interest i.e., 8% and 4% p.a.

Please note: Some benefits are guaranteed and some benefits are variable with returns based on the future performance of your insurer carrying on life insurance business. If your policy offers guaranteed benefits then these will be clearly marked "guaranteed" in the illustration table on this page. If your policy offers variable benefits then the illustrations on this page will show two different rates of assumed future investment returns. These assumed rates of return are not guaranteed and they are not the upper or lower limits of what you might get back, as the value of your policy is dependent on a number of factors including future investment performance.

Sample Illustration for Enhanced Maturity

Mr. Rahul, aged 30 years chooses to pay a premium of Rs.1,00,000 p.a. (excluding taxes and levies) in HDFC Life Smart Income Plan for 6 years with a policy term of 19 years and opts for Option 1- Enhanced Maturity with Basic Sum Assured of Rs.3,82,984. Sum total of Annualized Premiums paid is Rs.6,00,000 and he gets a Life Insurance Cover of Rs.10,00,000. Let's look at the benefits offered to him under this plan. Diagrammatic illustration for the plan benefits under Enhanced Maturity Option is shown below:



Death Benefit - In case of sad demise of Rahul during the Policy Term, Sum Assured on Death equal to Rs.10,00,000 will be paid to his family as a lumpsum along with accrued Simple Reversionary Bonus till the date of death, if any plus Terminal Bonus as on date of death, if any. The policy will terminate thereafter.

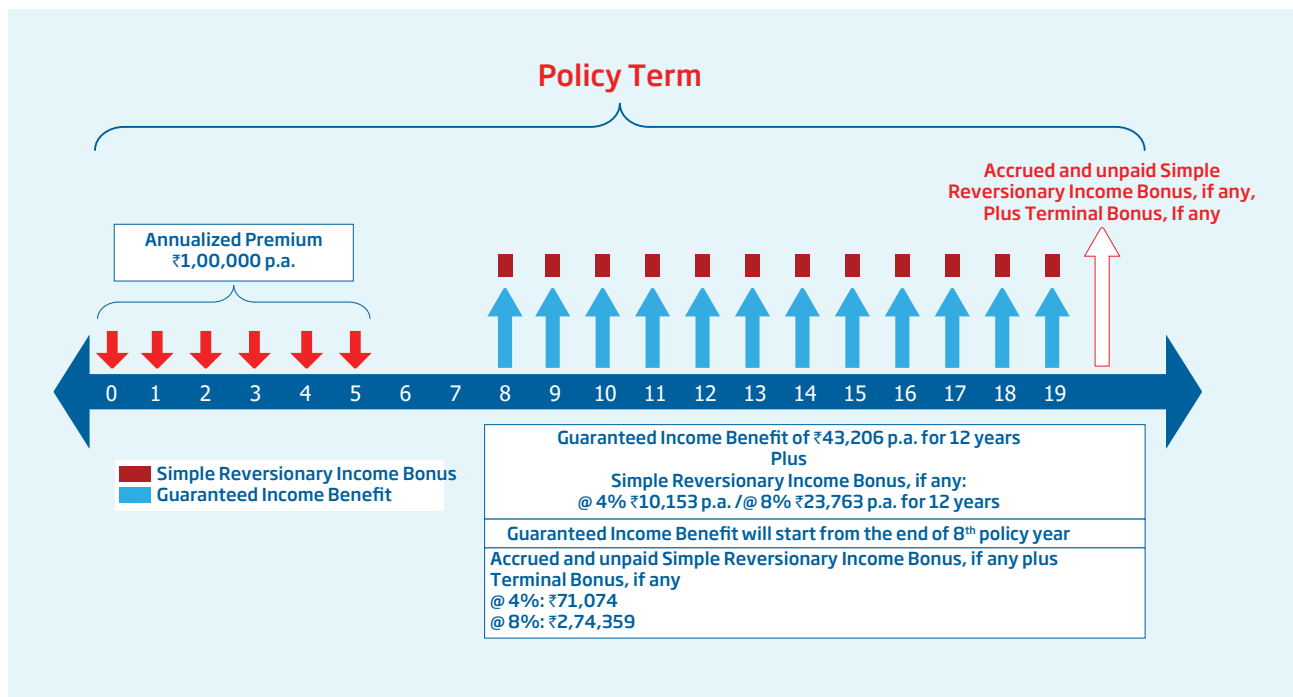
Survival Benefit - On paying all the premiums as when due and on his survival during the income payout term[^], Rahul will get a Guaranteed Income Benefit of Rs.38,298 p.a., which is 10% of Basic Sum Assured, for 11 years.

[^]Income Payout Term is a period equal to twice the premium payment term which starts on completion of one year from the end of premium payment term and continues till the end of policy term.

Maturity Benefit - On paying all the premiums as and when due and on his survival till the end of policy term of 19 years, Mr. Rahul will receive last installment of Guaranteed Income Benefit of Rs.38,298 plus a lumpsum amount of Rs.7,90,862 (Assuming 8% returns on investment p.a.) / Rs.2,57,174 (Assuming 4% returns on Investment p.a.) and policy will terminate thereafter.

Sample Illustration for Enhanced Income

Mr. Sharma, aged 30 years chooses to pay a premium of Rs.1,00,000 p.a. (excluding taxes and levies) in HDFC Life Smart Income Plan for 6 years with policy term of 19 years and opts for Option 2 - Enhanced Income with Basic Sum Assured of Rs.4,32,061. Sum total of Annualized Premiums paid is Rs.6,00,000 and he gets a Life Insurance Cover of Rs.10,00,000. Let's look at the benefits offered to him under this plan. Diagrammatic illustration for Enhanced Income is shown below:



Death Benefit - In case of sad demise of Mr. Sharma during the Policy Term, Sum Assured on Death equal to Rs.10,00,000 will be paid to his family as a lump sum along with accrued & unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus till the date of death, if any plus Terminal Bonus as on date of death, if any. The policy will terminate thereafter.

Survival Benefit - On paying all the premium as and when due and on his survival during the income payout term[^], Mr. Sharma will start receiving guaranteed income benefit of Rs.43,206 p.a., which is 10% of Basic Sum Assured plus Simple Reversionary Income Bonus of Rs.23,763 p.a. (Assuming 8% returns on investment p.a.) / Rs.10,153 p.a. (Assuming 4% returns on investment p.a.), from the end of 8th policy year, for 11 years, bonus may or may not be declared.

[^]Income Payout Term is a period equal to twice the premium payment term which starts on completion of one year from the end of premium payment term and continues till the end of policy term

Maturity Benefit - On paying all the premiums as and when due and on his survival till the end of policy term of 19 years, Mr. Sharma will receive last installment of Guaranteed Income Benefit of Rs.43,206 plus an installment of Simple Reversionary Income Bonus of Rs.23,763 (Assuming 8% returns on investment p.a.) / Rs.10,153 (Assuming 4% returns on investment p.a.) plus a lumpsum amount of Rs.2,74,359 (Assuming 8% returns on investment p.a.) / Rs.71,074 (Assuming 4% returns on investment p.a.) and policy will terminate thereafter.

D. Bonus under this Policy

Your policy is eligible for bonuses during policy term. Under this policy, Company may declare Simple Reversionary Bonus (SRB) and Simple Reversionary Income Bonus (SRIB).

Simple Reversionary Bonus will be a percentage of the 'Basic Sum Assured' and will be payable, if any, on death or maturity, whichever is earlier.

Simple Reversionary Income Bonus will be a percentage of the 'Basic Sum Assured' and the payout commences on completion of two years from the end of Premium Payment Term and is payable annually, if any declared, along with the Guaranteed Income Benefit. The timing of bonus declaration and its payout is shown in Table 1. In case of death during the Policy Term, accrued and unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus, if any, will be payable.

Table 1

Simple Reversionary Income Bonus accrued at the end of the Policy Year	Simple Reversionary Income Bonus payable at the end of Policy Year^^ (during the Income Payout Term)				
Policy Year	Policy Year (for a Premium Payment Term of 6 years)	Policy Year (for a Premium Payment Term of 8 years)	Policy Year (for a Premium Payment Term of 10 years)	Policy Year (for a Premium Payment Term of 12 years)	
1	8	10	12	14	
2	9	11	13	15	
3	10	12	14	16	
4	11	13	15	17	
5	12	14	16	18	
6	13	15	17	19	
7	14	16	18	20	
8	15	17	19	21	
9	16	18	20	22	
10	17	19	21	23	
11	18	20	22	24	
12	Accrued & Unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus if any, payable on maturity	21	23	25	
13		22	24	26	
14		23	25	27	
15		24	26	28	
16		Accrued & Unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus if any, payable on maturity	27	29	
17			28	30	
18			29	31	
19			30	32	
20			NA	Accrued & Unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus if any, payable on maturity	33
21			NA		34
22	NA	35			
23	NA	36			
24	NA	Accrued & Unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus if any, payable on maturity	Accrued & Unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus if any, payable on maturity		
25	NA				
26	NA				
27	NA				
28	NA				
29	NA				
30	NA				
31	NA				
32	NA			NA	
33	NA			NA	
34	NA	NA			
35	NA	NA			
36	NA	NA			
37	NA	NA	NA		

^^The above table is indicative and is provided for illustration purposes as bonuses are not guaranteed.

The Company might also declare terminal bonus, if any, and the same will be payable in the event of death during the Policy Term or on policy maturity date whichever is earlier.

OTHER IMPORTANT BENEFITS

Enhanced Protection through Riders

We offer the following Rider options (as modified from time to time) to help you enhance your protection:

Rider	UIN	Scope of Benefits**
HDFC Life Income Benefit on Accidental Disability Rider	101B013V03	A benefit equal to 1% of Rider Sum Assured per month for the next 10 years, in case of an Accidental Total Permanent Disability. There is no maturity benefit available under this rider.
HDFC Life Critical Illness Plus Rider	101B014V02	A lump sum benefit equal to the Rider Sum Assured shall be payable in case you are diagnosed with any of the 19 Critical Illnesses and survive for a period of 30 days following the diagnosis. There is no maturity benefit available under this rider.
HDFC Life Protect Plus Rider	101B016V01	The rider provides protection against cancer and accidental death or disability. There is no maturity benefit available under this rider.

**For all details on Riders, kindly refer to the Rider Brochures available on our website

The Rider Policy Term and Premium Payment Term shall be consistent with the Base Policy's Policy Term and Premium Payment Term. Any rider coverage terminates as soon as the base coverage terminates by way of claim or surrender or maturity. Riders will not be available if the term of the rider exceeds outstanding term under the base policy.

HOW HDFC LIFE SMART INCOME PLAN WORKS

Step 1

- Choose the Sum Assured on Death payable to nominee in case of demise of life assured and death benefit multiple in case of age at entry is 45 years and above.
- Choose the benefit option, policy term / premium payment term & mode

Step 2

- Based on the parameters chosen above and your age at entry, the premium payable by you will be calculated
- Accordingly, Basic Sum Assured and Guaranteed Income Benefit you will have after completion of chosen premium payment term will be calculated.

Step 3

- In case of demise of the life assured, Sum Assured on Death along with applicable bonuses, if any will be paid as death benefit to the nominee.
- After premium payment term is over, you will start receiving Guaranteed Income Benefit during income payout term, along with applicable accrued bonuses, if any as per the option chosen.

TAXES

Policyholder may be eligible for tax benefits as per prevailing tax laws:

- On the base premiums paid³
- On proceeds of the policy³
- On the premium paid towards riders³, if any

³The aforesaid tax benefits are subject to change in tax laws. We therefore urge the Policyholder to carefully analyze in consultation with his/her tax advisor the tax benefits/tax implications, if any that may arise on opting for this policy.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. Grace Period: Grace Period means the time from the due date for the payment of premium, without any penalty or late fee, during which time the policy is considered to be in-force with the risk cover without any interruption, as per the terms and conditions of the policy. The grace period for payment of premium shall be fifteen (15) days, where the policyholder pays the premium on a monthly basis; and 30 days in case of other applicable premium payment frequencies.

In case of death during Grace Period, full death benefit is payable subject to the deduction of the due premiums as well as any balance premiums due during Policy Year of death.

B. Lapsation: If at least first 2 full years' premiums have not been paid within the grace period, the policy will lapse on the date of expiry of grace period. The risk cover will cease and no benefits will be payable in case of Lapsed Policies.

You may revive your lapsed policy subject to conditions stated in Section D on Revival.

C. Reduced Paid up: If at least first 2 full years' premiums have been paid and further premiums are unpaid and the policy is not surrendered, the policy will acquire the status of reduced paid up on the date of expiry of grace period until the policy is revived for full benefits.

The benefits payable for a policy acquiring reduced paid-up status are reduced benefits and are as per the formula mentioned below:

Reduced Paid-Up Death Benefit:

It will be paid as lump sum on death of life assured during policy term and policy will terminate.

Under Enhanced Maturity:

$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Death benefit} = \frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \times (\text{Sum Assured on Death}) + \text{Accrued Simple Reversionary Bonus if any, accrued before policy acquiring paid up status}$$

Under Enhanced Income:

$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Death benefit} = \frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \times (\text{Sum Assured on Death}) + \text{Accrued and unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus, if any, accrued before policy acquiring reduced paid up status}$$

Reduced Paid-up Survival Benefit:

Survival benefit commences on completion of two years from the end of premium payment term till the end of Policy term minus 1 year and is payable annually subject to life assured being alive.

Under Enhanced Maturity:

$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Survival benefit} = \frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \times (\text{Guaranteed Income Benefit})$$

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$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Survival benefit} = \frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \times (\text{Guaranteed Income Benefit}) + \text{Accrued and unpaid Simple Reversionary Income Bonus, if any, accrued before policy acquiring reduced paid up status}$$

Reduced Paid-Up Maturity Benefit:

It will be paid as lump sum on survival of the life assured till the end of policy term.

Under Enhanced Maturity:

$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Maturity benefit} = \text{Last installment of} \left(\frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \right) \times \text{Guaranteed Income Benefit} + \text{Accrued Simple Reversionary Bonus, if any, Accrued before policy acquiring reduced paid up status}$$

Under Enhanced Income:

$$\text{Reduced Paid-up Maturity benefit} = \text{Last installment of} \left(\frac{\text{Number of premiums paid}}{\text{Total number of premiums payable}} \times \text{Guaranteed Income Benefit} \right)$$

Simple Reversionary Income Bonus - Not Applicable

The reduced paid-up policy ceases to participate in the future profits from the date of first unpaid premium.

A reduced paid-up policy can be surrendered any time before maturity provided the policy has not terminated earlier.

- D. Revival:** Policy can be revived during the policy term but within a period of five years from the date of first unpaid premium by submitting the proof of continued insurability to the satisfaction of the board approved underwriting policy and making the payment of all due premiums together with payment of late fees calculated at such interest rate as may be prevailing at the time of the payment.

The current rate of interest is 9.50% p.a. Any change in the revival interest rates will be in accordance with the following formula: Average Annualised 10-year benchmark G-Sec Yield (over last 6 months & rounded upto the nearest 50 bps) + 2%. During revival campaigns, the company may offer reduced interest rates subject to the rules of the special revival campaign. The rebates offered during the revival campaign may vary from year to year. The maximum interest rate rebate may be set up to the prevailing revival interest rate.

Any change in the basis of determination of interest rate for revivals shall be done only after prior approval of the Authority.

All the benefits under the policy shall be restored on the revival of lapsed/reduced paid up policy. On revival of the policy, all the bonuses will get restored which would have been paid accrued had the policy remained premium paying throughout.

Thus on revival of a policy with Simple Reversionary Bonus, the declared bonuses during the period when the policy was in lapse/reduced paid-up status, will accrue under the policy. The accrued bonus will be paid on maturity or on death whichever is earlier.

Similarly on revival of a policy with Simple Reversionary Income Bonus, the declared bonuses during the period when the policy was in lapse/reduced paid-up status, will accrue under the policy and will be paid out on survival to the payout years as per "Table 1" or on death, whichever is earlier.

On revival of the policy, full applicable Guaranteed Income Benefit had the policy remained in-force less Guaranteed Income Benefit already paid out shall be payable to the policyholder on the date of revival.

E. Surrender: In order to honour unexpected commitments or needs, a Surrender option is available. This policy can be surrendered if at least 2 full years' premiums are paid. The surrender benefits are payable immediately on surrender. All benefits under the policy shall automatically terminate upon payment of surrender benefit.

The surrender benefit is higher of the Special Surrender Value (SSV), if any or the Guaranteed Surrender Value (GSV). GSV and SSV are as follows:

Guaranteed Surrender Value (GSV): If at least 2 full years' Premiums have been paid, the Policy acquires a Guaranteed Surrender Value.

The Guaranteed Surrender Value is calculated as following subject to minimum value of zero

- GSV Factor 1 multiplied by Total Premiums Paid excluding Underwriting Extra Premium, if any, plus
 - GSV Factor 2 multiplied by the subsisting* Simple Reversionary Bonus till the date of surrender, if any, for Enhanced Maturity; multiplied by the subsisting* Simple Reversionary Income Bonus till the date of surrender, if any, for Enhanced Income
- less
- Sum of all Guaranteed Income Benefits paid till the date of surrender, if any

*subsisting bonus - declared but unpaid bonus

The GSV computed will always be floored to a minimum value of zero.

The GSV factors increase with the policy duration and are provided in the table below:

GSV factor 1

Policy Year /PPT	6	8	10	12	Policy Year /PPT	6	8	10	12
1	0%	0%	0%	0%	21		85%	75%	70%
2	30%	30%	30%	30%	22		85%	75%	70%
3	35%	35%	35%	35%	23		90%	80%	70%
4	50%	50%	50%	50%	24		90%	80%	75%
5	50%	50%	50%	50%	25		90%	80%	75%
6	50%	50%	50%	50%	26			85%	75%
7	50%	50%	50%	50%	27			85%	80%
8	55%	50%	50%	50%	28			85%	80%
9	55%	55%	55%	55%	29			90%	80%
10	60%	55%	55%	55%	30			90%	80%
11	65%	60%	55%	55%	31			90%	85%
12	70%	60%	60%	55%	32				85%
13	70%	65%	60%	60%	33				85%
14	75%	65%	60%	60%	34				85%
15	80%	70%	65%	60%	35				90%
16	85%	70%	65%	60%	36				90%
17	85%	75%	65%	65%	37				90%
18	90%	75%	70%	65%					
19	90%	80%	70%	65%					
20		80%	75%	70%					

GSV factor 2

Policy Year /PPT	6	8	10	12	Policy Year /PPT	6	8	10	12
1	0%	0%	0%	0%	21		35%	30%	25%
2	10%	10%	10%	10%	22		35%	30%	30%
3	10%	10%	10%	10%	23		40%	30%	30%
4	15%	15%	15%	15%	24		40%	35%	30%
5	15%	15%	15%	15%	25		40%	35%	30%
6	15%	15%	15%	15%	26			35%	30%
7	15%	15%	15%	15%	27			35%	30%
8	15%	15%	15%	15%	28			40%	35%
9	20%	20%	15%	15%	29			40%	35%
10	20%	20%	20%	20%	30			40%	35%
11	25%	20%	20%	20%	31			40%	35%
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16	35%	30%	25%	25%	36				40%
17	40%	30%	25%	25%	37				40%
18	40%	30%	25%	25%					
19	40%	35%	30%	25%					
20		35%	30%	25%					

Special Surrender Value (SSV): If at least 2 full years' Premiums have been paid, the policy will acquire a Special Surrender Value.

Any changes to the SSV Factors shall be made only after prior approval of the Authority

All benefits under the policy shall automatically terminate upon payment of Surrender Value.

F. Policy Loan: At any time during the policy term if at least 2 full years' premiums have been paid, and if any surrender value is available under the policy, policyholder may obtain a loan on the sole security of the policy and on its proper assignment to the Company. The maximum loan amount that will be advanced at any one time or more than one time shall not exceed 70% of the available surrender value at that point of time and provided that the amount of the loan is not less than Rs.1,000.

The interest rate charged shall be determined by the Company from time to time. The current interest rate on loan is 9.50% p.a. The interest rate on loan shall be calculated as the Average Annualised 10-year benchmark G-Sec Yield (over last 6 months & rounded up to the nearest 50 bps) + 2%. The interest rate shall be reviewed half-yearly and any change in the interest rate shall be effective from 25th February and 25th August each year. In case upon review the interest rate is revised, the same shall apply until next revision. The source of 10-year benchmark G-sec yield shall be RBI Negotiated Dealing System-Order Matching segment (NDS-OM).

Any change to the basis of determination of interest rate can be made only after prior approval of the Authority.

Any fresh loan within the permissible limits will be granted after deducting any outstanding loans including accumulated interest, if any. Also, any benefits payable under the policy will be adjusted against the outstanding loan & interest, if any. In case of other than In-Force or fully paid-up policies, if at any point of time, the outstanding loan along with outstanding accrued interest exceeds the surrender value payable under this policy, the company reserves the right to foreclose this policy, after giving intimation and reasonable opportunity to the policyholder to continue the policy.

G. Premium Size Discount

HDFC Life Smart Income Plan rewards you with a premium discount if you pay higher premium amount. The premium slabs and applicable discounts on premium (excluding GST, if any) are summarized below;

Annual Premium/ PPT	6	8	10	12
₹60,000 to ₹95,999	-	-	-	3.00%
₹96,000 to ₹1,43,999	-	0.50%	1.00%	4.25%
₹144,000 to ₹1,91,999	0.50%	1.25%	1.75%	5.00%
₹1,92,000 and above	0.50%	1.50%	2.00%	5.25%

H. Death Benefit for Minor Life Assured: If age of the life assured is 12 years or more, the risk will commence immediately from the policy commencement date. If the age of life assured is less than 12 years, the risk will commence under the policy (that is full death benefit will become payable on death of life assured) on the last day of second policy year. If the age of life assured is less than 12 years and if the life assured dies before the last day of the second policy year, only the total premiums paid by the policyholder shall be returned and no other death benefit shall be paid.

I. Vesting for Minor Life Assured:

If the Policy is issued on the life of a minor, the policy will vest automatically on him/her on his/her attainment of Age of majority and on such vesting; the Company will recognize him/her to be the holder of the Policy.

J. Free Look Period:

The Policyholder shall have a period of 15 days (30 days if the Policy is sourced through Distance Marketing#) from the date of receipt of the Policy Document to review the terms and conditions of this Policy and if policyholder disagree with any of the terms and conditions, he/she shall have the option to return the Policy to the Company stating the reasons for the cancellation upon which the Company shall return the Premium paid subject to deduction of a proportionate risk Premium for the period of insurance cover in addition to the expenses incurred on medical examination (if any) and the stamp duty charges All Benefits and rights under this Policy shall immediately stand terminated on the cancellation of the Policy.

#Distance Marketing includes every activity of solicitation (including lead generation) and sale of insurance products through the following modes: (i) voice mode, which includes telephone-calling (ii) short messaging service (SMS) (iii) electronic mode which includes e-mail, internet and interactive television (DTH) (iv) physical mode which includes direct postal mail and newspaper and magazine inserts and (v) solicitation through any means of communication other than in person.

Mode change: There is an option to change premium payment mode between monthly, half-yearly and annual option. There is no explicit charge levied for change in the premium payment mode

K. Suicide Exclusion:

In case of death of the Life Assured due to suicide within 12 months from the Date of Commencement of Risk under the Policy or from the date of Revival of the Policy, as applicable, the nominee/assignee or beneficiary of the policyholder shall be entitled to at least 80% of the Total Premiums Paid till the date of death or Surrender Value available as on the date of death whichever is higher, provided the policy is In Force.

L. Mode of Premium Payment:

You may choose to pay your premiums annually, half-yearly or monthly. The premium payment mode can be changed during the policy term upon receipt of your written request. However such change will become effective on the policy anniversary date. Following factors are applied to premium for the premium paying modes available:

Mode of Premium	Multiplicative Factor
Monthly	1
Half Yearly	5.86
Annual	11.50

In case the premium payment mode change is sought from annual to monthly mode, the annual premium shall be divided by Annual modal factor, that is 11.50, to calculate the monthly premium payable from effective policy anniversary date.

In case the premium payment mode change is sought from monthly to annual mode, the monthly premium shall be multiplied by Annual modal factor, that is 11.50, to calculate the Annual premium payable from effective policy anniversary date.

In case the premium payment mode change is sought from annual to half-yearly mode, the annual premium shall be divided by Annual modal factor, that is 11.50, and then multiplied by Half-Yearly modal factor, that is 5.86, to calculate the half-yearly premium payable from effective policy anniversary date.

In case the premium payment mode change is sought from half-yearly to annual mode, the half-yearly premium shall be divided by Half-Yearly modal factor, that is 5.86, and then multiplied by Annual Modal factor, that is 11.50, to calculate the annual premium payable from effective policy anniversary date.

For Monthly mode: 3 Monthly premiums are collected in advance on the date of commencement of the policy.

M. Alterations:

No alterations are allowed other than the change in premium payment mode in this policy.

N. Assignment Provisions:

Assignment should be in accordance with provisions of Section 38 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time.

O. Nomination Provisions:

Nomination should be in accordance with provisions of Section 39 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time.

P. Risk factors:

- A) HDFC Life Smart Income Plan is a Non-Linked, Participating Individual Life Insurance Savings Product.
- B) HDFC Life Insurance Company Limited is only the name of the Insurance Company and HDFC Life Smart Income Plan is only the name of the product and does not in any way indicate the quality of the product, its future prospect or returns.
- C) This product guarantees payment of the Guaranteed Income Benefit on survival of the Life Assured till completion of the policy term and Sum Assured on Death if death of Life Assured occurs during the policy term.
- D) Simple Reversionary Bonus, Simple Reversionary Income Bonus and Terminal Bonus are not guaranteed and depend on participating fund's performance.
- E) Past performance is not an indication for the future performance.
- F) The purpose of this brochure is to provide a general overview about this policy. The information herein is indicative of the terms, conditions and exceptions contained in the policy terms and conditions of HDFC Life Smart Income Plan. Please refer to the policy terms and conditions to understand in detail the associated risks, benefits, etc.
- G) In the event of any inconsistency / ambiguity between the terms contained herein and the policy terms and conditions, the policy terms and conditions will prevail.
- H) The acceptance of the proposal shall be subject to prevailing board approved underwriting policy.

Section 41: Prohibition of Rebate:

Under the provisions of Section 41 of the Insurance Act, 1938 as amended from time to time.

(1) No person shall allow or offer to allow, either directly or indirectly, as an inducement to any person to take or renew or continue an insurance in respect of any kind of risk relating to lives or property in India, any rebate of the whole or part of the commission payable or any rebate of the premium shown on the policy, nor shall any person taking out or renewing or continuing a policy accept any rebate, except such rebate as may be allowed in accordance with the published prospectuses or tables of the insurer:

(2) Any person making default in complying with the provisions of this section shall be punishable with fine which may extend to ten lakh rupees.

Fraud, Misstatement and forfeiture:

Fraud, Misstatement and forfeiture would be dealt with in accordance with provisions of Sec 45 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time.

Section 45 of the Insurance Act, 1938

Under the provisions of Section 45 of Insurance Act, 1938 amended from time to time

- 1) No policy of life insurance shall be called in question on any ground whatsoever after the expiry of three years from the date of the policy, i.e., from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later.
- 2) A policy of life insurance may be called in question at any time within three years from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later, on the ground of fraud: Provided that the insurer shall have to communicate in writing to the insured or the legal representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured the grounds and materials on which such decision is based.
- 3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (2), no insurer shall repudiate a life insurance policy on the ground of fraud if the insured can prove that the mis-statement of or suppression of a material fact was true to the best of his knowledge and belief or that there was no deliberate intention to suppress the fact or that such mis-statement of or suppression of a material fact are within the knowledge of the insurer: Provided that in case of fraud, the onus of disproving lies upon the beneficiaries, in case the policyholder is not alive.
- 4) A policy of life insurance may be called in question at any time within three years from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later, on the ground that any statement of or suppression of a fact material to the expectancy of the life of the insured was incorrectly made in the proposal or other document on the basis of which the policy was issued or revived or rider issued: Provided that the insurer shall have to communicate in writing to the insured or representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured the grounds and materials on which such decision to repudiate the policy of life insurance is based: Provided further that in case of repudiation of the policy on the ground of misstatement or suppression of a material fact, and not on the ground of fraud, the premiums collected on the policy till the date of repudiation shall be paid to the insured or the legal representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured within a period of ninety days from the date of such repudiation.
- 5) Nothing in this section shall prevent the insurer from calling for proof of age at any time if he is entitled to do so, and no policy shall be deemed to be called in question merely because the terms of the policy are adjusted on subsequent proof that the age of the Life Insured was incorrectly stated in the proposal.

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