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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Insurance has significantly contributed to the economic development of both advanced and emerging nations, serving as a trusted means to mobilize public savings. In India, the insurance sector has undergone a series of transformations, including deregulation, regulation, nationalization, privatization, and globalization. The liberalization process has facilitated partnerships between domestic private companies and international entities. Since the year 2000, the Indian Life Insurance sector has witnessed fierce competition among public and private companies, as well as within the private sector itself. This study aims to examine the financial performance of LIC, ICICI Prudential Life Insurance, SBI Life Insurance, and HDDFC Standard Life Insurance during the period 2017-18 to 2021-22. Different financial ratios have been computed to assess the liquidity, solvency, profitability, leverage, efficiency ratio of selected Life Insurance companies. To conduct a more in-depth analysis of the data ANOVA is applied.

This study primarily relies on secondary data. The pertinent and necessary information was gathered from text books, websites, national and international articles, as well as the annual reports of LIC, ICICI Prudential Life Insurance, SBI Life Insurance, and HDDFC Standard Life Insurance.