

A CRITICAL TABLE: PRICING CRITICAL ILLNESS IN THE UK ON A NEW INSURED LIVES TABLE

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1 Executive Summary

The Authors

1.1 Introduction

In November last year we set ourselves the task of constructing an insured lives critical illness table for the UK market, which can be used as a benchmark or reference point for reserving and experience analysis by UK insurance companies. This paper describes the construction of that table. Although the paper is of most interest for actuaries operating in the UK market, we believe it highlights many useful issues which will be of use to actuaries operating in different geographical markets. In addition we hope these actuaries will find Section 4 as useful summary of what is happening in the UK.

The format of the paper is such that a lot of the detail is in the Appendices. We hope this structure makes it easy to read.

In May 2005 the CMI published the CI experience for a large section of the UK life insurance industry for the quadrennium 1999-2002, comprising of 7.4 million life years of exposure and 11,803 claims. The CMI is reluctant to publish an insured lives table based on the graduation of this data because of the immaturity of the dataset, its limited age range and the uncertainties that exist within the dataset due to the need to estimate dates of diagnosis (Section 5.2) and the application of grossing up factors (Section 6.2).

We believe actuaries at insurance companies need a table that fits the data better than the standard tables which are currently used, namely CIBT93 and CIBT02. These tables are both based on population data rather than insured lives data and do not differentiate between smoker and non-smoker. Whilst we have sympathy with the CMI's view we believe it is better to have an insured lives table with caveats than no insured table at all. Although there may be some questions about the absolute level of our table we believe the shape is a good fit. Given a correctly shaped table, most companies have enough data to enable them to determine the appropriate level of the table for their business.

The new table presented in this paper is based on the draft rates from CIBT02, reshaped to reflect the experience data from the CMI for the quadrennium 1999 – 2002. For the purpose of this paper we have named our rates, CIIT00. The rates consist of 4 tables subdivided by sex and smoker status; CIIT00 MNS, CIIT00 MSM, CIIT00 FNS and CIIT00 FSM.

As well as testing the goodness of fit of the rates against CMI experience we have tested it against the experience of some of the largest CI providers in the UK for which our company had the data. We feel that the results do show that CIIT00 is a suitable table to use when analysing experience and setting reserving bases.



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There are two main reasons why it is particularly important to have a good quality standard table now:

- the introduction of regulations which are pushing companies more towards realistic balance sheets.
- the introduction of the Sex Equality Directive which only allows the use of sex differentials in insurance rates based on published research.

1.2 Results

This paper introduces a new Insured Lives table for the pricing of CI in the UK. The CIIT00 tables were based on a lives investigation and contain insured rates for 23 individual CI conditions. The tables also include selection discounts for each condition to reflect the effect of underwriting in the early years of a contract.

The tables are a good fit to the CMI ACI 1999-2002 data, as well as the insured data from four major UK CI providers. Individual companies may need to change the level of the CIIT00 tables based on their own data. However, the shape appears to be a good fit for the offices that we have tested.

We have noticed that the experience on a lives basis for policies with a sum assured of below £10,000 is very poor. When we removed these policies from the experience, the overall level of the CIIT00 table compares well to the individual anonymised companies that we have tested in Section 8.5.

In constructing the CIIT00 table, we have also analysed the CMI 1999-2002 experience by sum assured band. The experience deteriorates as sum assured increases over £100,000 and is particularly poor for benefits over £250,000.

1.3 Points of Interest

We thought it would be useful here to summarise issues we came across during this project which we feel will be of interest to readers of this paper.

- **Age definition**

There has recently been confusion about the age definition that should be used with the CIBT93 table. The CMI uses an “age nearest” definition. If an office incorrectly assumes that the CMI results are on an “age exact” basis, then the results will be understated by around 5% (see Table 8 in Section 5.3.2).

- **Adjustments to claims**

There claims in the CMI 1999-2002 data understates the true claims that should be used when constructing an insured lives table. This is due to the following reasons:

- The CMI collects CI claims on a “claims settled in a year” basis. This understates the diagnosed claims when CI business volumes are growing. (See Section 6.2).
- The contributing offices do not cover all of the ABI conditions in their policies. The number of claims for some causes is therefore understated, since although the policy is in the exposure, the office won’t pay out in the event of contracting such an illness.
- The cause of claim has not always been recorded. We have increased the claims from known causes to reflect the fact that the “unknown” claims could have come from any of these illnesses. However, we have not increased the death claims, since we could see from the data that these claims were CI claims.
- The CIIT00 table provides rates for ABI conditions only. We have removed claims from non-ABI conditions.

- ACI and SCI experience**

This paper primarily focussed on producing insured rates for ACI, since the UK CI market sells mainly ACI products. However, we have noted that SCI experience is worse than ACI experience; probably because some ACI deaths should have been coded as a critical illness. We have therefore expressed the extra SCI experience as 26.4% of the ACI deaths rates. This allows SCI rates to be calculated and avoids any possibility that SCI rates may exceed ACI rates.
- Date of Diagnosis**

The date of diagnosis is only recorded in 56.3% of 1999-2002 claims. In the remaining 43.7% of claims, we have estimated the date of diagnosis based on the patterns observed in the cases where date of diagnosis is known. The CMI has encouraged offices to start recording date of diagnosis and the proportion of claims where the date of diagnosis is filled in has been increasing in the most recent submissions.
- Coma rates**

The draft CIBT02 table does not contain any rates for coma, since the authors argue that a payout will eventually be made under TPD or death. However, the CMI data 44 coma payouts and we have therefore included insured rates for coma in the CIIT00 table. (See Section 4.3.2)
- Benign Brain Tumour**

Our research has shown that there are more benign brain tumour claims in the CMI 1999-2002 data, than the draft CIBT02 table predicts for the population. We believe the main reason for this is that CIBT02 does not include incidence from tumours in the meninges in the benign brain tumour rate. This could understate the population rate by up to 75%. Another reason may be that claim staff code some malignant tumours as benign. (See Section 4.3.3)
- Grouping of conditions with similar characteristics**

Although the 1999-2002 data volume is significant, the credibility of the claims becomes less when subdividing the data by condition. This is especially true for some of the minor conditions. However, some conditions are very closely related e.g. cardiovascular conditions such as heart attack, angioplasty and coronary artery by-pass surgery. Instead of scaling the draft CIBT02 rates by the incidences of individual illnesses, we have grouped similar conditions together to give more credible adjustments. The groups are discussed in Section 7.3.2.
- Select discounts**

Underwriting is less efficient at identifying the risk factors for some illnesses (e.g. cancers) than for other illnesses (e.g. heart attack). It is therefore to be expected that different illnesses would exhibit select periods of different lengths. In particular accidents should show a very short select period, while deaths should show a long select period. We have calculated different select periods for each of the illness groups to reflect the effect of underwriting. The “all conditions” select table is calculated by summing the select tables from the individual conditions. (See Section 7.4)
- Experience deteriorates with an increase in Sum Assured**

The CIIT00 table is a lives table. However, we have noted that the experience deteriorates significantly when the sum assured increases. This is particularly true for policies with a sum assured of more than £250,000. This suggests anti-selection at higher sums assured and that the additional underwriting at these higher sums assured is not sufficient.

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1.5 Legal Disclaimer

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2 Abbreviations Used in the Paper

ABI	-	Association of British Insurers
ACI	-	Accelerated Critical Illness where the benefit is payable on the diagnosis of critical illness or death, whichever occurs first
A/E	-	Actual Claims / Expected Claims
CI	-	Critical Illness
CIBT93	-	Critical Illness Base Table for the year 1993
CIBT02	-	Critical Illness Base Table for the year 2002
CIIT00	-	Critical Illness Insured Table for the year 2000
CMI	-	Continuous Mortality Investigation
ELT15	-	English Life Tables No. 15
FNS	-	Female Non-smoker
FSM	-	Female Smoker
GAD	-	Government Actuary's Department
GLM	-	Generalised Linear Modelling
HES	-	Hospital Episodes Statistics
IBNS	-	Incurred But Not Settled
ICD	-	International Classification of Diseases
I/P	-	Insured Population to Population
MNS	-	Male Non-smoker
MSM	-	Male Smoker
ONS	-	Office of National Statistics
SCI	-	Standalone Critical Illness where the benefit is paid on diagnosis of critical illness
SDA	-	Settled claims to Diagnosed claims Adjustment
SoBP	-	Statement of Best Practice
TPD	-	Total and Permanent Disability

3 CIIT00 Tables

On the next four pages are the results of our work, namely the four CI tables for insured lives: CIIT00 MNS, CIIT00 MSM, CIIT00 FNS and CIIT00 FSM.

The rates are annual qx's that apply to the exact ages in the tables.

The tables can be downloaded in Excel format from the Gen Re UK website:
www.genrelifehealth.com/uk

The following select discounts should be applied to the ultimate illness rates to construct a select table. The "All Conditions" select tables are shown in Appendix 1 and are constructed by summing the individual conditions by duration.

Table 1 - Selection Discounts by Condition

Condition	Sex / Smoker	Duration 0	Duration 1	Duration 2	Ultimate
Cancer	MNS	17.2%	-	-	-
	MSM	13.9%	-	-	-
	FNS	5.0%	-	-	-
	FSM	5.0%	-	-	-
Heart Attack	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Stroke	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Multiple Sclerosis	All	48.9%	-	-	-
Alzheimer's Disease	All	48.9%	-	-	-
Angioplasty	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Aorta Graft Surgery	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Benign Brain Tumour	All	26.9%	-	-	-
Blindness	All	0%	-	-	-
Coma	All	0%	-	-	-
Coronary Artery Bypass	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Deafness	All	0%	-	-	-
Heart Valve Replacement	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Kidney Failure	All	45.0%	42.1%	7.7%	-
Loss of Limbs	All	0%	-	-	-
Loss of Speech	MNS	17.2%	-	-	-
	MSM	13.9%	-	-	-
	FNS	5.0%	-	-	-
	FSM	5.0%	-	-	-
Major Organ Transplant	All	45.0%	42.1%	7.7%	-
Motor Neurone Disease	All	48.9%	-	-	-
Paralysis	All	0%	-	-	-
Parkinson's Disease	All	48.9%	-	-	-
Third Degree Burns	All	0%	-	-	-
Total & Permanent Disability	All	77.9%	47.7%	15.8%	-
Death	MNS	23.0%	18.4%	15.4%	-
	MSM	16.1%	13.3%	-	-
	FNS	22.7%	22.7%	-	-
	FSM	16.2%	12.0%	-	-

CIIT00 – Annual Ultimate MNS Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact)

Age	Cancer	Heart Attack	Stroke	Multiple Sclerosis	Alzheimer's Disease	Angioplasty	Aorta Graft Surgery	Benign Brain Tumour	Blindness	Coma	Coronary Artery By-Pass	Deafness	Heart Valve Replacement	Kidney Failure	Loss of Limbs	Loss of Speech	Major Organ Transplant	Motor Neurone Disease	Paralysis	Parkinson's Disease	Third Degree Burns	Total & Permanent Disability	Total SCI Rates	Death	Total ACI Rates	Age
20	2.05	0.50	0.15	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.17	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.06	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.07	2.93	3.30	6.24	20
21	2.23	0.05	0.18	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.18	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.07	3.14	3.40	6.54	21
22	2.31	0.05	0.18	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.18	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.03	3.27	3.40	6.66	22
23	2.48	0.08	0.18	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.19	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.07	3.54	3.40	6.93	23
24	2.57	0.10	0.20	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.10	3.72	3.35	7.07	24
25	2.74	0.10	0.20	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.21	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.10	3.97	3.30	7.27	25
26	2.91	0.13	0.23	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.22	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.07	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.14	4.23	3.35	7.59	26
27	3.08	0.18	0.23	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.24	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.17	4.60	3.42	8.02	27
28	3.25	0.20	0.25	0.32	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.25	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.21	4.94	3.49	8.43	28
29	3.42	0.25	0.28	0.32	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.26	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.24	5.24	3.55	8.79	29
30	3.60	0.30	0.28	0.39	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.28	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.01	0.06	0.24	5.54	3.60	9.15	30
31	3.77	0.38	0.30	0.45	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.29	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.09	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.01	0.06	0.28	5.96	3.65	9.62	31
32	4.02	0.45	0.33	0.51	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.31	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.09	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.35	6.44	3.65	10.10	32
33	4.28	0.58	0.35	0.51	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.32	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.09	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.38	6.98	3.65	10.63	33
34	4.54	0.70	0.38	0.58	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.34	0.02	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.09	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.05	7.58	3.68	11.27	34	
35	4.88	0.85	0.43	0.58	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.36	0.02	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.10	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.05	8.26	3.67	11.94	35	
36	5.22	1.05	0.45	0.64	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.37	0.02	0.04	0.08	0.01	0.10	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.05	9.07	3.87	12.94	36	
37	5.52	1.30	0.51	0.64	0.01	0.06	0.01	0.39	0.02	0.04	0.10	0.01	0.11	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.03	0.05	0.06	9.82	4.06	13.88	37	
38	5.79	1.61	0.57	0.71	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.41	0.02	0.04	0.13	0.01	0.12	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.06	0.05	10.73	4.25	14.98	38	
39	6.12	1.99	0.64	0.71	0.01	0.09	0.02	0.43	0.02	0.04	0.16	0.01	0.13	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.05	0.02	0.07	0.05	11.70	4.48	16.18	39	
40	6.50	2.46	0.73	0.71	0.01	0.11	0.02	0.45	0.02	0.04	0.22	0.01	0.14	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.06	0.02	0.09	0.05	12.89	4.71	17.60	40	
41	6.94	3.00	0.82	0.71	0.02	0.14	0.02	0.47	0.02	0.04	0.30	0.01	0.15	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.07	0.02	0.11	0.05	14.28	4.98	19.26	41	
42	7.48	3.61	0.92	0.77	0.02	0.17	0.02	0.49	0.03	0.04	0.39	0.01	0.17	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.08	0.02	0.13	0.05	16.02	5.25	21.27	42	
43	8.06	4.30	1.05	0.77	0.03	0.21	0.02	0.51	0.03	0.04	0.48	0.01	0.18	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.09	0.02	0.15	0.05	17.77	5.59	23.36	43	
44	8.66	5.07	1.19	0.71	0.04	0.25	0.03	0.53	0.03	0.04	0.64	0.01	0.20	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.10	0.02	0.17	0.05	19.63	5.90	25.52	44	
45	9.34	5.89	1.33	0.71	0.05	0.30	0.03	0.54	0.03	0.04	0.80	0.01	0.23	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.08	0.11	0.02	0.20	0.05	21.85	6.32	28.17	45	
46	10.49	6.63	1.50	0.71	0.06	0.34	0.04	0.56	0.04	0.04	0.97	0.01	0.25	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.13	0.02	0.23	0.05	24.47	6.86	31.33	46	
47	11.54	7.70	1.72	0.71	0.07	0.40	0.04	0.58	0.03	0.04	1.20	0.01	0.28	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.14	0.02	0.27	0.05	27.47	7.57	35.04	47	
48	12.82	8.84	1.98	0.71	0.10	0.47	0.05	0.59	0.03	0.04	1.50	0.01	0.32	0.28	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.16	0.02	0.30	0.05	30.98	8.30	39.28	48	
49	14.26	10.04	2.29	0.64	0.12	0.54	0.06	0.61	0.03	0.04	1.82	0.01	0.37	0.28	0.05	0.00	0.14	0.18	0.02	0.35	0.05	34.81	8.94	43.74	49	
50	15.84	11.34	2.65	0.64	0.16	0.62	0.08	0.63	0.03	0.04	2.17	0.02	0.42	0.28	0.05	0.00	0.14	0.20	0.02	0.39	0.05	39.02	9.63	48.65	50	
51	17.69	12.68	3.03	0.64	0.21	0.70	0.10	0.64	0.04	0.05	2.56	0.02	0.49	0.30	0.06	0.00	0.14	0.22	0.02	0.44	0.05	43.65	10.26	53.92	51	
52	19.72	14.11	3.46	0.58	0.26	0.79	0.12	0.65	0.04	0.05	3.06	0.02	0.56	0.30	0.06	0.00	0.14	0.25	0.02	0.50	0.05	48.79	10.87	59.66	52	
53	22.06	15.65	3.92	0.58	0.34	0.89	0.15	0.67	0.04	0.05	3.54	0.02	0.64	0.33	0.07	0.00	0.17	0.28	0.02	0.57	0.05	54.52	11.67	66.18	53	
54	24.61	17.29	4.48	0.58	0.45	0.99	0.19	0.68	0.04	0.05	4.17	0.02	0.73	0.33	0.08	0.00	0.17	0.31	0.02	0.65	0.05	60.86	12.49	73.35	54	
55	27.50	19.09	5.11	0.51	0.58	1.10	0.24	0.70	0.04	0.05	4.82	0.02	0.84	0.33	0.08	0.00	0.17	0.34	0.02	0.74	0.05	67.81	13.61	81.42	55	
56	31.10	20.43	5.59	0.51	0.76	1.18	0.29	0.71	0.05	0.05	5.39	0.02	0.94	0.36	0.09	0.00	0.17	0.38	0.02	0.85	0.05	74.93	14.73	89.66	56	
57	35.12	21.89	6.16	0.45	0.99	1.26	0.36	0.72	0.05	0.05	6.04	0.02	1.04	0.36	0.10	0.00	0.17	0.42	0.02	0.98	0.04	82.73	16.03	98.76	57	
58	39.50	23.39	6.77	0.45	1.29	1.34	0.44	0.74	0.05	0.05	6.73	0.03	1.16	0.39	0.11	0.00	0.17	0.46	0.02	1.13	0.04	91.26	17.53	108.79	58	
59	44.23	25.01	7.46	0.45	1.70	1.42	0.55	0.75	0.05	0.05	7.42	0.03	1.28	0.39	0.13	0.00	0.14	0.50	0.02	1.31	0.04	100.40	19.25	119.65	59	
60	49.37	26.67	8.19	0.39	2.24	1.50	0.67	0.76	0.06	0.06	8.15	0.03	1.42	0.41	0.14	0.00	0.14	0.55	0.02	1.52	0.04	110.25	21.02	131.27	60	
61	54.87	28.41	8.96	0.39	2.92	1.57	0.83	0.78	0.06	0.06	8.92	0.03	1.57	0.44	0.15	0.00	0.14	0.60	0.02	1.77	0.04	120.85	22.98	143.83	61	
62	60.67	30.24	9.77	0.32	3.84	1.63	1.01	0.80	0.07	0.06	9.65	0.03	1.72	0.44	0.17	0.00	0.11	0.65	0.02	2.06	0.04	131.90	25.17	157.07	62	
63	66.76	32.10	10.70	0.32	5.06	1.69	1.23	0.81	0.07	0.07	10.34	0.04	1.88	0.47	0.19	0.00	0.11	0.70	0.02	2.41	0.04	143.78	27.64	171.42	63	
64	73.28	34.00	11.67	0.26	6.68	1.74	1.47	0.83	0.08	0.07	11.02	0.04	2.05	0.50	0.20	0.00	0.08	0.80	0.02	2.80	0.04	156.37	30.39	186.76	64	
65	79.80	35.91	12.77	0.26	8.77	1.78	1.74	0.85	0.09	0.07	11.63	0.05	2.22	0.52	0.22	0.00	0.08	0.80	0.02	3.26	0.04	169.68	33.65	203.33	65	
66	86.80	37.90	13.98	0.26	11.40	1.81	2.03	0.87	0.10	0.08	12.12	0.05	2.39	0.58	0.24	0.00	0.06	0.85	0.02	3.77	0.04	175.37	37.17	220.72	66	
67	94.02	39.88	15.28	0.19	14.58	1.83	2.35	0.89	0.11	0.09	12.56	0.06	2.56	0.61	0.26	0.00	0.06	0.90	0.02	4.35	0.05	190.64	40.39	241.03	67	
68	101.53	41.95	16.74	0.19	18.27	1.83	2.68	0.92	0.13	0.09	12.93	0.06	2.73	0.66	0.28	0.00	0.06	0.95	0.03	4.97	0.05	207.04	43.53	263.25	68	
69	109.33	44.06	18.32	0.19	22.48	1.82	3.01	0.95	0.15	0.10	13.25	0.07	2.90	0.72	0.30	0.00	0.06	0.99	0.03	5.63	0.05	224.37	46.88			

CIIT00 – Annual Ultimate MSM Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact)

Age	Cancer	Heart Attack	Stroke	Multiple Sclerosis	Alzheimer's Disease	Angioplasty	Aorta Graft Surgery	Benign Brain Tumour	Blindness	Coma	Coronary Artery By-Pass	Deafness	Heart Valve Replacement	Kidney Failure	Loss of Limbs	Loss of Speech	Major Organ Transplant	Motor Neurone Disease	Paralysis	Parkinson's Disease	Third Degree Burns	Total & Permanent Disability	Total SCI Rates	Death	Total ACI Rates	Age
20	2.12	0.15	0.44	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.17	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.19	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.10	3.61	4.09	7.70	20
21	2.29	0.15	0.52	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.18	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.19	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.10	3.87	4.20	8.08	21
22	2.38	0.15	0.52	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.18	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.20	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.05	4.03	4.20	8.23	22
23	2.56	0.22	0.52	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.19	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.20	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.10	4.37	4.20	8.58	23
24	2.65	0.30	0.59	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.20	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.01	0.21	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.15	4.68	4.15	8.82	24
25	2.82	0.30	0.59	0.31	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.21	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.21	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.01	0.06	0.15	4.98	4.09	9.06	25
26	3.00	0.37	0.67	0.31	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.22	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.22	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.21	5.37	4.15	9.52	26
27	3.18	0.52	0.67	0.42	0.00	0.01	0.03	0.24	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.23	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.26	5.90	4.32	10.23	27
28	3.35	0.59	0.74	0.52	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.25	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.23	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.31	6.41	4.50	10.91	28
29	3.53	0.74	0.81	0.52	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.26	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.24	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.06	0.36	6.89	4.68	11.57	29
30	3.71	0.89	0.81	0.62	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.28	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.24	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.36	7.35	4.86	12.21	30
31	3.88	1.11	0.89	0.73	0.00	0.04	0.03	0.29	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.01	0.25	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.02	0.06	0.41	8.09	5.03	13.12	31
32	4.15	1.33	0.96	0.73	0.00	0.05	0.03	0.31	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.01	0.26	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.06	0.52	8.83	5.15	13.98	32
33	4.41	1.70	1.03	0.83	0.00	0.06	0.03	0.32	0.02	0.03	0.07	0.01	0.27	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.06	0.57	9.74	5.27	15.01	33
34	4.68	2.07	1.11	0.93	0.00	0.08	0.03	0.34	0.02	0.04	0.15	0.01	0.28	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.67	10.79	5.45	16.24	34
35	5.03	2.51	1.26	0.93	0.01	0.10	0.04	0.36	0.02	0.04	0.15	0.01	0.29	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.05	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.77	11.94	5.57	17.50	35
36	5.38	3.10	1.33	1.04	0.01	0.13	0.04	0.37	0.02	0.04	0.22	0.01	0.30	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.07	0.05	0.93	13.37	5.86	19.23	36
37	5.84	3.87	1.52	1.04	0.01	0.16	0.04	0.39	0.02	0.04	0.30	0.01	0.33	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.07	0.03	0.08	0.05	0.98	15.05	6.58	21.63	37
38	6.30	4.83	1.71	1.14	0.01	0.21	0.04	0.41	0.02	0.04	0.39	0.01	0.36	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.08	0.03	0.10	0.05	1.14	17.14	7.34	24.47	38
39	6.85	5.99	1.92	1.14	0.02	0.27	0.05	0.43	0.02	0.04	0.48	0.01	0.39	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.09	0.02	0.12	0.05	1.29	19.45	8.20	27.65	39
40	7.49	7.45	2.21	1.14	0.02	0.34	0.05	0.45	0.02	0.04	0.65	0.01	0.42	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.10	0.02	0.14	0.05	1.45	22.35	9.12	31.47	40
41	8.23	9.14	2.52	1.14	0.03	0.43	0.06	0.47	0.02	0.04	0.92	0.01	0.47	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.11	0.02	0.17	0.05	1.65	25.75	10.17	35.92	41
42	9.15	11.07	2.83	1.25	0.04	0.53	0.07	0.49	0.03	0.04	1.20	0.01	0.51	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.13	0.02	0.20	0.05	1.91	29.85	11.27	41.12	42
43	10.16	13.26	3.25	1.25	0.05	0.63	0.08	0.51	0.03	0.04	1.49	0.01	0.57	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.15	0.02	0.24	0.05	2.12	34.23	12.60	46.84	43
44	11.27	15.72	3.68	1.14	0.06	0.78	0.09	0.53	0.03	0.04	1.98	0.01	0.63	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.16	0.02	0.28	0.05	2.32	39.12	13.92	53.03	44
45	12.57	18.36	4.13	1.14	0.07	0.92	0.10	0.54	0.03	0.04	2.48	0.01	0.70	0.25	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.18	0.02	0.33	0.05	2.68	44.73	15.58	60.31	45
46	14.11	20.65	4.68	1.14	0.09	1.06	0.12	0.56	0.03	0.04	3.03	0.01	0.77	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.21	0.02	0.37	0.05	2.99	50.33	16.92	67.25	46
47	15.36	23.07	5.15	1.14	0.12	1.20	0.13	0.58	0.03	0.04	3.58	0.01	0.84	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.23	0.02	0.43	0.05	3.35	55.74	19.33	75.07	47
48	16.87	25.49	5.71	1.14	0.16	1.35	0.15	0.59	0.03	0.04	4.33	0.01	0.93	0.28	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.26	0.02	0.49	0.05	3.77	61.82	21.89	83.71	48
49	18.55	27.92	6.36	1.04	0.20	1.51	0.18	0.61	0.03	0.04	5.07	0.01	1.03	0.28	0.05	0.00	0.14	0.29	0.02	0.56	0.05	4.28	68.20	24.27	92.47	49
50	20.35	30.45	7.10	1.04	0.26	1.67	0.21	0.63	0.03	0.04	5.81	0.02	1.14	0.28	0.05	0.00	0.14	0.32	0.02	0.63	0.05	4.80	75.03	26.89	101.93	50
51	22.44	32.89	7.85	1.04	0.33	1.83	0.25	0.64	0.04	0.05	6.65	0.02	1.26	0.30	0.06	0.00	0.14	0.36	0.02	0.72	0.05	5.32	82.23	29.40	111.63	51
52	24.69	35.42	8.69	0.93	0.43	1.99	0.30	0.65	0.04	0.05	7.68	0.02	1.40	0.30	0.06	0.00	0.14	0.40	0.02	0.81	0.05	5.99	90.06	31.89	121.96	52
53	27.23	38.06	9.54	0.93	0.56	2.16	0.36	0.67	0.04	0.05	8.61	0.02	1.55	0.33	0.07	0.00	0.17	0.45	0.02	0.92	0.05	6.66	98.44	35.03	133.47	53
54	29.95	40.80	10.57	0.93	0.73	2.34	0.44	0.68	0.04	0.05	9.83	0.02	1.73	0.33	0.08	0.00	0.17	0.50	0.02	1.05	0.05	7.38	107.67	38.30	145.97	54
55	32.96	43.73	11.70	0.83	0.94	2.52	0.54	0.70	0.04	0.05	11.05	0.02	1.93	0.33	0.08	0.00	0.17	0.55	0.02	1.20	0.05	8.10	117.50	42.60	160.09	55
56	37.29	46.79	12.81	0.83	1.22	2.70	0.66	0.71	0.05	0.05	12.35	0.02	2.15	0.36	0.09	0.00	0.17	0.61	0.02	1.37	0.05	8.88	129.16	46.10	175.26	56
57	42.11	50.13	14.11	0.73	1.59	2.88	0.82	0.72	0.05	0.05	13.83	0.02	2.39	0.36	0.10	0.00	0.17	0.67	0.02	1.58	0.04	9.60	141.98	50.18	192.16	57
58	47.35	53.57	15.50	0.73	2.09	3.07	1.01	0.74	0.05	0.05	15.41	0.03	2.65	0.39	0.11	0.00	0.17	0.74	0.02	1.82	0.04	10.37	155.92	54.85	210.77	58
59	53.02	57.28	17.08	0.73	2.76	3.25	1.25	0.75	0.05	0.05	16.99	0.03	2.94	0.39	0.13	0.00	0.14	0.81	0.02	2.11	0.04	11.05	170.87	60.25	231.12	59
60	59.19	61.09	18.75	0.62	3.62	3.43	1.54	0.76	0.06	0.06	18.66	0.03	3.26	0.41	0.14	0.00	0.14	0.89	0.02	2.46	0.04	11.72	186.88	65.79	252.67	60
61	65.78	65.08	20.52	0.62	4.73	3.59	1.90	0.78	0.06	0.06	20.42	0.03	3.59	0.44	0.15	0.00	0.14	1.05	0.02	2.86	0.04	12.28	202.08	71.92	276.00	61
62	72.73	69.26	22.37	0.52	6.21	3.74	2.32	0.80	0.07	0.06	22.10	0.03	3.95	0.44	0.17	0.00	0.14	1.07	0.02	3.34	0.04	12.70	222.03	78.78	300.80	62
63	80.03	73.53	24.51	0.52	8.19	3.88	2.81	0.81	0.07	0.07	23.67	0.04	4.32	0.47	0.19	0.00	0.11	1.13	0.02	3.89	0.04	12.96	241.25	86.51	327.76	63
64	87.76	77.89	26.74	0.42	10.81	3.99	3.36	0.83	0.08	0.07	25.25	0.04	4.70	0.50	0.20	0.00	0.08	1.22	0.02	4.53	0.04	13.06	261.59	95.12	356.71	64
65	95.77	82.25	29.24	0.42	14.19	4.08	3.98	0.85	0.09	0.07	26.64	0.05	5.09	0.52	0.22	0.00	0.08	1.30	0.02	5.27	0.04	12.85	283.04	105.33	388.37	65
66	104.06	86.80	32.03	0.42	18.45	4.15	4.66	0.87	0.10	0.08	27.76	0.05	5.48	0.58	0.24	0.00	0.06	1.38	0.02	6.10	0.04	0.00	293.33	141.95	435.28	66
67	112.71	91.35	35.00	0.31	23.58	4.19	5.38	0.89	0.11	0.09	28.78	0.06	5.87	0.61	0.26	0.00	0.06	1.46	0.02	7.03	0.05	0.00	317.81	157.70	475.51	67
68	121.71	96.09	38.34	0.31	29.57	4.19	6.10	0.92	0.13	0.0																

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Age	Cancer	Heart Attack	Stroke	Multiple Sclerosis	Alzheimer's Disease	Angioplasty	Aorta Graft Surgery	Benign Brain Tumour	Blindness	Coma	Coronary Artery By-Pass	Deafness	Heart Valve Replacement	Kidney Failure	Loss of Limbs	Loss of Speech	Major Organ Transplant	Motor Neurone Disease	Paralysis	Parkinson's Disease	Third Degree Burns	Total & Permanent Disability	Total SCI Rates	Death	Total ACl Rates	Age
20	1.43	0.00	0.14	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.10	2.18	0.85	3.03	20
21	1.56	0.03	0.14	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.12	2.39	0.85	3.24	21
22	1.77	0.03	0.16	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.13	2.71	0.85	3.56	22
23	2.04	0.03	0.16	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.15	3.07	0.85	3.91	23
24	2.24	0.03	0.19	0.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.14	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.18	3.40	0.85	4.24	24
25	2.58	0.03	0.19	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.14	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.19	3.82	0.88	4.70	25
26	2.85	0.05	0.22	0.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.06	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.22	4.29	0.88	5.17	26
27	3.29	0.05	0.22	0.65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.25	4.88	0.92	5.80	27
28	3.67	0.05	0.25	0.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.28	5.45	0.96	6.41	28
29	4.19	0.05	0.25	0.84	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.33	6.09	0.99	7.09	29
30	4.72	0.08	0.27	0.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.18	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.37	6.86	1.03	7.89	30
31	5.25	0.11	0.30	1.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.41	7.58	1.10	8.68	31
32	5.94	0.11	0.33	1.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.47	8.50	1.14	9.64	32
33	6.57	0.14	0.35	1.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.21	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.52	9.34	1.18	10.51	33
34	7.35	0.16	0.38	1.29	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.23	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.59	10.34	1.21	11.55	34
35	8.07	0.22	0.41	1.42	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.67	11.39	1.29	12.68	35
36	8.88	0.25	0.44	1.48	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.26	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.05	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.75	12.44	1.32	13.76	36
37	9.66	0.30	0.49	1.55	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.27	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.84	13.54	1.48	15.02	37
38	10.51	0.38	0.52	1.55	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.29	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.00	0.95	14.63	1.68	16.32	38
39	11.42	0.44	0.57	1.61	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.31	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.00	1.05	15.89	1.86	17.75	39
40	12.48	0.52	0.63	1.61	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.33	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.07	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.00	1.18	17.29	2.08	19.37	40
41	13.60	0.63	0.71	1.68	0.03	0.02	0.01	0.35	0.02	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.07	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.00	1.33	18.86	2.38	21.24	41
42	14.93	0.74	0.76	1.68	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.37	0.03	0.02	0.05	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.07	0.00	1.48	20.56	2.75	23.30	42
43	16.33	0.84	0.84	1.68	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.39	0.03	0.02	0.08	0.01	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.01	0.08	0.00	1.64	22.39	3.08	25.47	43
44	17.93	0.95	0.93	1.61	0.05	0.03	0.01	0.41	0.03	0.02	0.08	0.01	0.09	0.14	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.05	0.01	0.10	0.00	1.82	24.36	3.44	27.80	44
45	19.74	1.09	1.01	1.61	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.43	0.03	0.02	0.11	0.01	0.10	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.06	0.01	0.12	0.00	2.03	26.71	3.81	30.52	45
46	21.88	1.23	1.09	1.55	0.08	0.04	0.01	0.45	0.03	0.02	0.14	0.01	0.11	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.06	0.06	0.01	0.14	0.00	2.23	29.34	4.01	33.35	46
47	23.73	1.39	1.17	1.55	0.10	0.05	0.01	0.47	0.03	0.02	0.16	0.01	0.12	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.06	0.08	0.01	0.16	0.00	2.44	31.76	4.20	35.97	47
48	25.63	1.53	1.28	1.48	0.12	0.05	0.01	0.49	0.03	0.02	0.19	0.01	0.13	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.09	0.01	0.19	0.00	2.69	34.26	4.40	38.66	48
49	27.57	1.69	1.36	1.42	0.16	0.06	0.01	0.51	0.03	0.02	0.22	0.01	0.14	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.10	0.01	0.22	0.00	2.94	36.79	4.47	41.26	49
50	29.43	1.88	1.47	1.36	0.20	0.07	0.01	0.53	0.03	0.03	0.25	0.02	0.16	0.17	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.12	0.01	0.26	0.00	3.21	39.32	4.60	43.92	50
51	31.31	2.07	1.58	1.29	0.25	0.08	0.02	0.55	0.04	0.03	0.27	0.02	0.18	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.30	0.00	3.49	41.95	4.79	46.74	51
52	33.10	2.29	1.72	1.23	0.31	0.10	0.02	0.57	0.04	0.03	0.33	0.02	0.20	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.16	0.01	0.35	0.00	3.77	44.56	4.86	49.42	52
53	34.79	2.53	1.85	1.23	0.39	0.11	0.02	0.58	0.04	0.03	0.35	0.02	0.23	0.19	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.18	0.01	0.41	0.00	4.08	47.19	5.12	52.31	53
54	36.44	2.83	1.99	1.16	0.50	0.13	0.03	0.60	0.04	0.03	0.41	0.02	0.26	0.19	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.20	0.01	0.47	0.00	4.39	49.84	5.39	55.23	54
55	37.99	3.13	2.15	1.10	0.62	0.15	0.03	0.61	0.04	0.03	0.49	0.02	0.29	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.23	0.01	0.54	0.00	4.70	52.52	5.78	58.30	55
56	40.38	3.49	2.32	1.03	0.78	0.17	0.04	0.63	0.05	0.03	0.54	0.02	0.33	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.26	0.02	0.62	0.00	5.02	56.09	6.17	62.26	56
57	42.71	3.89	2.51	0.97	0.98	0.19	0.04	0.64	0.05	0.03	0.63	0.02	0.38	0.22	0.03	0.00	0.08	0.30	0.02	0.71	0.00	5.34	59.78	6.70	66.48	57
58	45.04	4.36	2.75	0.90	1.24	0.21	0.05	0.66	0.05	0.03	0.74	0.03	0.43	0.22	0.04	0.00	0.08	0.33	0.02	0.81	0.00	5.65	63.68	7.36	71.03	58
59	47.37	4.85	3.00	0.84	1.56	0.24	0.06	0.67	0.05	0.04	0.82	0.03	0.49	0.25	0.04	0.00	0.08	0.37	0.02	0.92	0.00	5.96	67.69	8.21	75.90	59
60	49.64	5.42	3.27	0.77	1.96	0.27	0.07	0.68	0.06	0.04	0.93	0.03	0.56	0.25	0.05	0.00	0.08	0.41	0.02	1.05	0.00	6.26	71.83	9.19	81.03	60
61	51.85	6.02	3.60	0.71	2.45	0.29	0.09	0.70	0.06	0.04	1.06	0.03	0.63	0.25	0.05	0.00	0.08	0.46	0.02	1.19	0.00	6.55	76.15	10.51	86.66	61
62	54.06	6.67	3.98	0.65	3.07	0.32	0.10	0.71	0.07	0.04	1.20	0.03	0.70	0.28	0.05	0.00	0.06	0.50	0.02	1.34	0.00	6.84	80.71	12.02	92.73	62
63	56.27	7.38	4.41	0.58	3.83	0.35	0.12	0.73	0.07	0.05	1.33	0.04	0.78	0.28	0.06	0.00	0.06	0.54	0.02	1.52	0.00	7.10	85.55	13.79	99.34	63
64	58.48	8.12	4.88	0.52	4.78	0.38	0.14	0.74	0.08	0.05	1.50	0.04	0.86	0.28	0.07	0.00	0.06	0.59	0.02	1.72	0.00	7.37	90.69	15.83	106.52	64
65	60.81	8.91	5.42	0.45	5.94	0.40	0.17	0.76	0.09	0.05	1.63	0.05	0.95	0.30	0.07	0.00	0.06	0.63	0.02	1.95	0.00	7.59	96.28	18.06	114.34	65
66	63.26	9.72	6.05	0.45	7.34	0.43	0.20	0.78	0.10	0.06	1.80	0.05	1.03	0.30	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.67	0.02	2.21	0.00	7.92	108.43	21.65	130.34	66
67	65.89	10.62	6.75	0.39	9.05	0.45	0.23	0.80	0.11	0.06	1.96	0.06	1.12	0.33	0.09	0.00	0.03	0.71	0.02	2.50	0.00	8.33	123.18	25.63	152.18	67
68	68.70	11.55	7.52	0.32	11.11	0.46	0.27	0.82	0.13	0.07	2.10	0.06	1.29	0.36	0.10	0.00	0.03	0.74	0.03	2.83	0.00	8.7				

CIIT00 – Annual Ultimate FSM Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact)

Age	Cancer	Heart Attack	Stroke	Multiple Sclerosis	Alzheimer's Disease	Angioplasty	Aorta Craft Surgery	Benign Brain Tumour	Blindness	Coma	Coronary Artery By-Pass	Deafness	Heart Valve Replacement	Kidney Failure	Loss of Limbs	Loss of Speech	Major Organ Transplant	Motor Neurone Disease	Paralysis	Parkinson's Disease	Third Degree Burns	Total & Permanent Disability	Total SCI Rates	Death	Total ACI Rates	Age
20	1.43	0.00	0.32	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.17	2.57	2.28	4.85	20
21	1.56	0.06	0.32	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.01	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.19	2.83	2.28	5.11	21
22	1.77	0.06	0.39	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.12	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.22	3.22	2.28	5.50	22
23	2.04	0.06	0.39	0.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.02	0.03	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.24	3.61	2.28	5.89	23
24	2.24	0.06	0.45	0.54	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.14	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.29	4.02	2.28	6.30	24
25	2.58	0.06	0.45	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.14	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.31	4.48	2.38	6.86	25
26	2.85	0.06	0.51	0.81	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.06	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.36	5.05	2.38	7.43	26
27	3.29	0.13	0.51	0.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.41	5.73	2.48	8.21	27
28	3.67	0.13	0.58	1.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.46	6.41	2.58	8.99	28
29	4.19	0.13	0.58	1.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.53	7.10	2.68	9.78	29
30	4.72	0.19	0.64	1.34	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.18	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.60	8.03	2.77	10.80	30
31	5.25	0.26	0.71	1.43	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.19	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.68	8.88	2.97	11.85	31
32	5.94	0.26	0.77	1.61	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.20	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.11	0.08	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.77	9.93	3.07	13.00	32
33	6.57	0.32	0.84	1.70	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.21	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.12	0.11	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.84	10.90	3.17	14.07	33
34	7.35	0.39	0.90	1.79	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.23	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.01	0.12	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.03	0.97	12.04	3.27	15.31	34
35	8.07	0.51	0.97	1.97	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.24	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.12	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.03	1.09	13.35	3.47	16.82	35
36	8.88	0.58	1.03	2.06	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.26	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.13	0.11	0.01	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.03	1.23	14.56	3.57	18.13	36
37	9.66	0.71	1.16	2.15	0.01	0.02	0.01	0.27	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.13	0.11	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.03	1.38	15.90	3.67	19.57	37
38	10.51	0.90	1.22	2.15	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.29	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.14	0.11	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.02	0.01	0.05	0.03	1.54	17.22	3.87	21.09	38
39	11.42	1.03	1.35	2.24	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.31	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.01	0.15	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.06	0.03	1.71	18.73	3.96	22.70	39
40	12.48	1.22	1.48	2.24	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.33	0.02	0.02	0.13	0.01	0.16	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.03	0.01	0.07	0.03	1.93	20.45	4.16	24.61	40
41	13.60	1.48	1.67	2.33	0.03	0.04	0.01	0.35	0.02	0.02	0.13	0.01	0.17	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.01	0.08	0.03	2.17	22.42	4.46	26.88	41
42	14.93	1.74	1.80	2.33	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.37	0.03	0.02	0.19	0.01	0.18	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.01	0.10	0.03	2.41	24.45	4.86	29.31	42
43	16.33	2.00	2.00	2.33	0.05	0.06	0.01	0.39	0.03	0.02	0.19	0.01	0.20	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.01	0.12	0.03	2.68	26.71	5.15	31.86	43
44	17.93	2.25	2.19	2.24	0.07	0.07	0.02	0.41	0.03	0.02	0.19	0.01	0.21	0.14	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.01	0.14	0.03	2.97	29.06	5.45	34.51	44
45	19.74	2.57	2.38	2.24	0.09	0.08	0.02	0.43	0.03	0.02	0.26	0.01	0.23	0.17	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.08	0.01	0.16	0.03	3.28	31.89	5.75	37.64	45
46	21.88	2.90	2.57	2.15	0.11	0.09	0.02	0.45	0.03	0.02	0.32	0.01	0.25	0.17	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.09	0.01	0.19	0.03	3.64	35.01	6.05	41.06	46
47	23.73	3.28	2.77	2.15	0.14	0.11	0.02	0.47	0.03	0.02	0.39	0.01	0.28	0.17	0.02	0.06	0.06	0.11	0.01	0.22	0.03	3.98	37.98	6.34	44.33	47
48	25.63	3.60	3.02	2.06	0.17	0.13	0.03	0.49	0.03	0.02	0.45	0.01	0.30	0.17	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.12	0.01	0.26	0.03	4.39	41.04	6.64	47.68	48
49	27.79	3.99	3.22	1.97	0.22	0.15	0.03	0.51	0.03	0.02	0.51	0.01	0.34	0.17	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.14	0.01	0.31	0.03	4.80	44.35	6.74	51.09	49
50	30.28	4.44	3.48	1.88	0.27	0.17	0.03	0.53	0.03	0.03	0.58	0.02	0.38	0.17	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.16	0.01	0.36	0.03	5.24	48.18	6.94	55.12	50
51	32.91	4.89	3.73	1.79	0.34	0.20	0.04	0.55	0.04	0.03	0.64	0.02	0.42	0.19	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.19	0.01	0.42	0.03	5.70	52.24	7.23	59.47	51
52	35.55	5.41	4.05	1.70	0.43	0.23	0.05	0.57	0.04	0.03	0.77	0.02	0.47	0.19	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.22	0.01	0.49	0.03	6.15	56.51	7.33	63.84	52
53	38.19	5.99	4.38	1.70	0.55	0.26	0.05	0.58	0.04	0.03	0.84	0.02	0.54	0.19	0.02	0.06	0.08	0.25	0.01	0.57	0.03	6.66	60.98	7.73	68.71	53
54	40.91	6.69	4.70	1.61	0.69	0.30	0.06	0.60	0.04	0.03	0.97	0.02	0.61	0.19	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.28	0.01	0.66	0.03	7.17	65.68	8.13	73.81	54
55	43.64	7.40	5.08	1.52	0.87	0.35	0.07	0.61	0.04	0.03	1.16	0.02	0.69	0.22	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.32	0.01	0.76	0.03	7.68	70.62	8.72	79.34	55
56	46.39	8.24	5.47	1.43	1.09	0.39	0.09	0.63	0.05	0.03	1.29	0.02	0.79	0.22	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.37	0.02	0.87	0.03	8.18	75.69	9.32	85.01	56
57	49.06	9.20	5.92	1.34	1.37	0.45	0.10	0.64	0.05	0.03	1.48	0.02	0.90	0.22	0.03	0.06	0.08	0.41	0.02	0.99	0.03	8.71	81.07	10.11	91.18	57
58	51.74	10.30	6.50	1.25	1.72	0.51	0.12	0.66	0.05	0.03	1.74	0.03	1.03	0.22	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.46	0.02	1.13	0.03	9.22	86.86	11.10	97.96	58
59	54.41	11.46	7.08	1.16	2.16	0.57	0.14	0.67	0.05	0.04	1.93	0.03	1.17	0.25	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.52	0.02	1.28	0.03	9.73	92.81	12.39	105.20	59
60	57.02	12.81	7.72	1.07	2.72	0.63	0.17	0.68	0.06	0.04	2.19	0.03	1.32	0.25	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.57	0.02	1.45	0.03	10.21	99.12	13.87	112.99	60
61	59.56	14.22	8.50	0.99	3.40	0.70	0.20	0.70	0.06	0.04	2.51	0.03	1.48	0.25	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.63	0.02	1.64	0.03	10.69	105.79	15.86	121.64	61
62	62.10	15.77	9.40	0.90	4.26	0.76	0.24	0.71	0.07	0.04	2.83	0.03	1.66	0.28	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.69	0.02	1.86	0.03	11.15	112.91	18.14	131.04	62
63	64.64	17.44	10.43	0.81	5.32	0.83	0.29	0.73	0.07	0.05	3.15	0.04	1.85	0.28	0.06	0.06	0.06	0.76	0.02	2.11	0.03	11.59	120.52	20.81	141.33	63
64	67.18	19.18	11.52	0.72	6.63	0.89	0.34	0.74	0.08	0.05	3.54	0.04	2.04	0.28	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.82	0.02	2.38	0.03	12.02	128.62	23.88	152.51	64
65	69.85	21.05	12.81	0.63	8.24	0.95	0.40	0.76	0.09	0.05	3.86	0.05	2.24	0.30	0.07	0.06	0.06	0.88	0.02	2.70	0.03	12.38	137.42	27.25	164.68	65
66	72.67	22.98	14.29	0.63	10.19	1.01	0.47	0.78	0.10	0.06	4.25	0.05	2.44	0.30	0.08	0.06	0.03	0.93	0.02	3.07	0.03	0.00	134.37	33.91	188.28	66
67	75.69	25.10	15.96	0.54	12.56	1.06	0.55	0.80	0.11	0.06	4.63	0.06	2.65	0.33	0.09	0.00	0.03	0.99	0.02	3.47	0.03	0.00	144.73	60.26	204.98	67
68	78.91	27.29	17.76	0.45	15.42	1.10	0.65	0.82	0.13	0.07	4.96	0.06	2.85	0.36	0.10	0.00	0.03									

4 Background

4.1 CMI Experience

4.1.1 The CMI

The CMI is the largest single research project organised by the UK Actuarial Profession. It has been accumulating and analysing data on mortality and morbidity risks arising under life assurance, annuity and pension business for over 80 years. Although organised by the UK Actuarial Profession and paid for by those life offices, reinsurers and others who use its analytical and benchmarking services, it is constituted independently as a research organisation.

It publishes its work by means of:

- Reports – available to all
- Working Papers – available to all
- Annual results and quadrennium results – available only to CMI members

The CMI's publically available material can be obtained through the UK Actuarial Profession's website (<http://www.actuaries.org.uk>) under the research and prizes section.

4.1.2 CI Investigation for the 1999-2002 Quadrennium

'All Office' results for the Critical Illness (CI) investigation for the 1999-2002 quadrennium and for the individual years were released by the CMI to member offices in May 2005. This was done after the CMI had completed its usual process described below:

- The life offices submitted their data. Details of the offices that submitted data are detailed in Appendix 2.
- The CMI Secretariat checked the data.
- The CMI issued an error report and a warning report to each life office regarding its data.
- Each office reviewed the reports and corrected the data as it felt appropriate.
- The CMI processed the data and generated results for that office which were sent back to the office.
- Each life office confirmed its data was correct and the results made sense.
- Once all the life offices have submitted verified data, "all office" results were generated.

Unlike for the mortality investigation where data is received in a grouped format, the CMI collects the CI data on an individual policy basis. Details of the CMI's data collection coding are given in the appendix of CMI Working Paper 14.

Subsequently, the CMI made available to member offices the 1999-2002 data in raw format to allow interested parties to perform their own analyses. Office number and product code have been removed to preserve the confidentiality of the offices. It was the availability of this data that first gave us the idea of producing an insured lives table.

The dataset contains a substantial volume of data. In total it comprises 7.4 m life years of exposure and 11,803 claims broken down as follow:

Table 2 – Top level split of data for the quadrennium 1999-2002

	ACI	SCI
CI claims	7,978	1,493
Deaths & Terminal Illness	2,332	-

This is the first quadrennium for which the CMI has released CI results. The CMI released the results (but not the data) of the 2003 and 2004 experience analysis at the end of April 2007. This has increased the data volume considerably (see Table 3) because a number of new offices have joined the dataset.

Table 3 - Top level split of data for the years 2003 - 2004

	ACI	SCI
CI claims	6,741	1,223
Deaths & Terminal Illness	1,598	-

Unfortunately as yet we only have the summary results and therefore have not been able to incorporate them into our work.

4.1.3 Claim Date

Until the CMI had gone through the data collection process it was unsure which claim dates were available and which claim dates to use. Therefore the CMI felt it was necessary to collect four claim dates, Date of Diagnosis, Date of Notification, Date of Admission and Date of Settlement. Unfortunately not all of the offices were able to provide all of these dates. Table 4 shows the percentage of claims where the stated date was given.

Table 4 – Percentage of total claim records containing the respective claim date

	% of claims
Date of Diagnosis	56%
Date of Notification	83%
Date of Admission	33%
Date of Settlement	88%

The CMI felt that it was appropriate to use Date of Diagnosis to calculate age and duration of a claim to avoid distorting the age and duration pattern of the experience.

Therefore, before the Actual versus Expected analysis could be done, an analysis of the reporting and settlement delays had to be done. Using these delay patterns it was possible to estimate the Date of Diagnosis for the 44% of claims where this was missing (see Section 5.2 for more details). The CMI has made good progress in getting life offices to record Date of Diagnosis and therefore in future analyses estimating Date of Diagnosis should be less of an issue. The proportion of claims with Date of Diagnosis filled in has increased to 71% in 2003 and 75% in 2004.

Although for 12% of cases no actual Date of Settlement was given, the year in which settlement occurred was taken to be the year in which the CMI was informed of the claim and therefore the claim could be allocated to the appropriate exposure.

4.1.4 Structure of the Data

With the estimated Date of Diagnosis the data, which is on both a “lives” and “amount” basis, can be broken down by age, duration, sex, smoker status, benefit type and/or sales channel. In addition, the life offices provide details of the claim cause, which the CMI categorises into 31 cancer categories and 25 other condition categories (see Table 12 in Section 5.5.1 for further details). The categories include Death and all the 2002 standard ABI conditions (see Section 4.2).

The CMI collects a list of in-force policies at each year end. A census method is therefore used to calculate exposure which assumes that all policies no longer in-force at the end of the year exited half-way through the year and new business entered mid-year.

The inforce data is grouped by age nearest and curtate duration at 1/1/n and the claims for each calendar year, determined by Date of Settlement, are grouped using age nearest and curtate duration at Date of Diagnosis.

4.1.5 Date of Settlement

A unique feature of this CMI analysis is that they do not use a single date of claim to determine the age and policy duration at time of claim and to assign claims to a particular year’s experience. Instead it allocates:

- Claims to exposure years according to the Date of Settlement
- Age and duration according to the Date of Diagnosis.

One of the major issues highlighted by the CMI is the substantial delays observed in the claims data, e.g. the average delay between diagnosis and settlement was 176 days, but with some delays being well in excess of 5 years. This total delay has two causes, firstly the delay between Date of Diagnosis and the Date of Notification, and secondly by further significant delays between the Date of Notification and the Date of Settlement.

The CMI only includes claims in its experience analysis when there is certainty, i.e. when the claim has been settled. Therefore for the following practical reasons the CMI felt it was best to collect settled claims in each calendar year:

- It would be impractical to wait for all claims incurred in a given year to be settled to get fully developed experience data.
- Claims with Date of Diagnosis before a life office or a new portfolio of an existing contributor joined the investigation would have to be discarded as there is no corresponding exposure. In particular all claims pertaining to years prior to 1999 would be unusable.
- Similarly the claims experience will not develop when a life office leaves the investigation.
- The accuracy of trying to allocate claims to exposure years according to their date of diagnosis is undermined by the large number of claims with estimated Date of Diagnosis.
- As data is collected past experience analyses will have to be revisited as claims replace the IBNS estimates.

As a consequence the CMI allocate claims to exposure year according to the Date of Settlement.

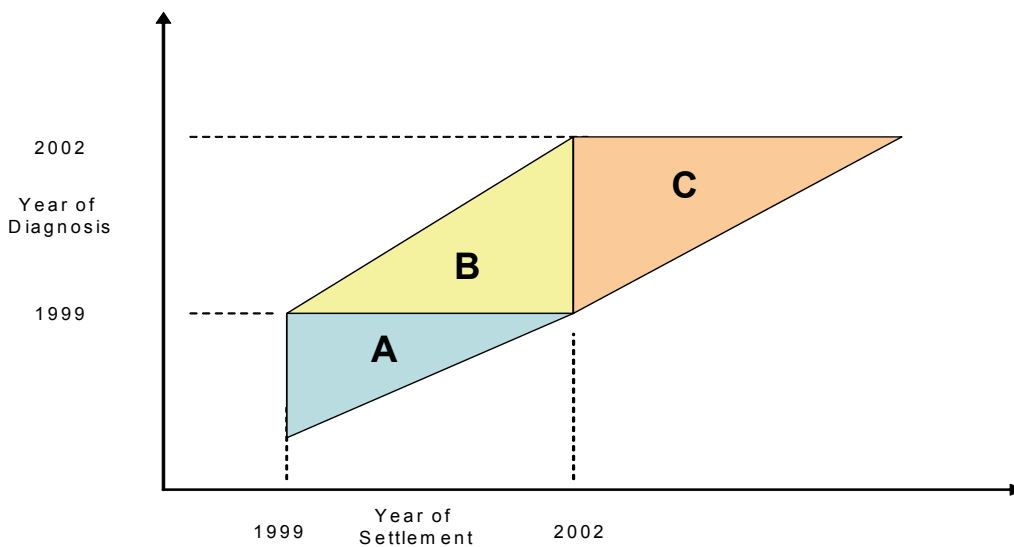
4.1.6 The SDA Adjustment

Using Date of Settlement over or underestimates depending on whether the number of claims is growing or shrinking. The number of policies of CI insurance in force in the UK has grown rapidly despite new business volumes reducing in the last few years and with the experience maturing the claim volumes are still growing.

Figure 1 represents claim volumes by year of diagnosis on the y-axis and year of settlement on the x-axis.

- Triangle A represents claims that were incurred before 1999 (Date of Diagnosis before 1999), and that have been settled between 1999 and 2002. These are claims that either occurred shortly before 1999, or have long settlement delays.
- Triangle B represents claims that were incurred and settled between 1999 and 2002.
- Triangle C represents claims that were incurred between 1999 and 2002, but will only be settled after 2002. These are claims that either occurred shortly before the end of 2002, or have long settlement delays.

Figure 1 - Claim volumes by Year of Diagnosis and Year of Settlement



The 1999-2002 data included claims by year of settlement (area A+B). However, in order to calculate true incidence rates, the claims that were diagnosed between 1999 and 2002 (area B+C) are needed. The 1999-2002 claims data therefore needs to be adjusted by the ratio $(B+C) / (A+B)$. This adjustment is greater than 1 as C is larger than A for the 1999-2002 data, because the volume of claims is growing.

The adjustment “converts” the known number of settled claims to diagnosed claims and we therefore refer to the “Settled claims to Diagnosed claims Adjustment (SDA)”.

It is worth noting that the SDA could be less than 100% if the volume of claims is declining i.e. area A exceeds area C and is not necessarily a grossing-up adjustment.

The SDA is also not an IBNS adjustment, since an IBNS adjustment would be $(B+C) / B$.

See Section 6.2 for the derivation of the SDA by condition and duration.

4.1.7 CMI Results

Significant volumes of CI business only started to be written from 1995 in the UK. Therefore as one can see from Table 13 in Section 5.5.2 the data is still immature. In addition it is subject to estimation of Date of Diagnosis for a significant proportion of claims and the results are subject to a significant SDA. Hence the CMI believe there is too much uncertainty surrounding the experience for it to be used to graduate an official CMI table.

Consequently, the “All Office” results issued by the CMI consisted of the A/E ratios with Expected being based on CIBT93 table; this is the table preceding CIBT02 which is described in Section 4.3.

A summary of the results is given in Section 5.4.2.

4.2 The UK Standard CI Definitions

4.2.1 The First SoBP for CI

Before April 1999 life offices were free to use their own CI definitions. Consequently a range of definitions were used across the industry. This resulted in an Office of Fair Trading (“OFT” – UK Cartel and Consumer Protection Bureau) investigation which suggested the varying definitions made it hard for consumers to compare different products across the industry. This was considered undesirable.

The OFT’s recommendations were implemented by the ABI in April 1999 when it issued its first SoBP for CI. It was agreed with the OFT that all conditions that were included in at least 75% of policies on the market should be standardised (see Appendix 5 for the 2002 research on coverage) and hence the first SoBP included the following 20 CI definitions:

1. Aorta Graft
2. Benign Brain Tumour
3. Blindness
4. Cancer
5. Coma
6. Coronary Artery By-Pass Grafts
7. Deafness
8. Heart Attack
9. Heart Valve Replacement or Repair
10. Kidney Failure
11. Loss of Limbs
12. Loss of Speech
13. Major Organ Transplant
14. Motor Neurone Disease
15. Multiple Sclerosis
16. Paralysis of Limbs
17. Parkinson’s Disease
18. Stroke
19. Terminal Illness
20. Third Degree Burns

The SoBP stipulated that in order for a life office to name one of its products CI, it must:

- Cover at least cancer, heart attack and stroke
- Use claims definitions that are at least as generous as the minimum standardised definitions for any of the other 20 conditions.

4.2.2 The Second SoBP for CI

A review of the CI definitions was conducted in 2001. This resulted in the second SoBP being issued in May 2002 which included two minor changes to the cancer and heart attack definitions. The change of the cancer definition was driven by the concerns over PSA testing being able to detect very prevalent minor prostate cancers leading to a significant increase in male claims. The change to the heart attack definition was driven by changes in medical practice regarding the use of troponins to diagnose heart attacks.

4.2.3 The Fourth SoBP for CI

A third SoBP was issued in January 2004. This made some minor changes to other sections of the SoBP, but made no changes to the definitions. After a lengthy consultation period the ABI issued the fourth SoBP in April 2006 which changed nearly all of the definitions, as well as adding the following three definitions:

1. Alzheimer's Disease
2. HIV infection
3. Traumatic Head Injury

The purpose of the changes was to improve clarity and to ensure that the number of claims in future did not dramatically increase due to improvements in diagnostics, i.e. "future proof" the definitions.

Details of how the definitions have developed are given in Appendix 3.

4.3 CIBT02

4.3.1 Background

CIBT02 is a set of estimated CI incidence rates for the UK population (except for the TPD rates that were derived from insured data) relating to the year 2002. The paper is still in draft form and is due to be finalised soon. It updates CIBT93 which related to the year 1993. Because CI trends since 1993 have varied by condition, age and gender, it was felt the shape of the CIBT93 rates was no longer appropriate. In addition, the data available for 2002 was better than that for 1993, this enabled refinements in the construction of the table, in particular by age and sex.

CIBT93 was constructed by the CI Healthcare Study Group and published in the paper "A Critical Review" presented to the Staple Inn Actuarial Society on 14 March 2000. The draft CIBT02 was published by the Institute of Actuaries CI Trends Research Group in December 2006 in their paper "Exploring the Critical Path". Full details of the construction of the rates are available in that paper.

The CI rates are built up from rates for the individual conditions that make up the cover. The paper therefore has rates for the 23 ABI conditions mentioned in Appendix 7. In addition CIBT02 contains rates for Traumatic Head Injury and HIV, but both are set to zero. There were none of these claims in the CMI 1999-2002 data and therefore we have ignored them.

The CIBT02 rates are:

- For age range 18 to 85 with age definition of age nearest
- Aggregate rather than differentiated between smokers and non-smokers
- Rates for Stand-alone CI and Accelerated CI cover, but not more complex variants such as “buy-back” or “second event cover”.
- The rates for each condition do not vary by SCI and ACI.

For each condition other than death and TPD, CIBT02 contains rates that were produced using the following general approach:

- The raw Observed Rates were calculated from appropriate national data sources, the main ones being Cancer Registrations (ONS), HES data (Department of Health), Mortality Statistics by Cause (ONS) and National Population Estimates (ONS). These rates are in age bands rather than for individual ages.
- The Raw Observed Rates are mostly for all occurrences of the condition rather than for first ever occurrence of the condition. Therefore the rates needed to be adjusted for this factor.
- The Raw Observed Rates needed to be increased due to unreported incidence as a result of for example, treatment at a private hospital or sudden death before admittance to hospital.
- The Crude Rates are the Raw Observed Rates with the above two adjustments.
- The Crude Rates were interpolated and smoothed to obtain rates for each age.
- The Raw Observed Rates were calculated using the total population as the denominator whereas when dealing with first ever event the denominator should be the population who has not yet had the condition. Therefore the Crude Rates were further increased to allow for the reduction in the denominator by the prevalence of the condition.
- Finally the rates were reduced to allow for 28 day survival following occurrence of the condition to give the stand-alone rate for the condition.

A slightly different approach was followed for the death and the TPD rates:

- Population mortality data was available from the GAD for the year 2001 to 2003 and cause of death was available from the ONS. To avoid double counting it was necessary to calculate the death rates without overlap with the CI conditions. These were constructed by subtracting the proportion of deaths where the cause of claim was a CI condition.
- TPD is a definition that exists only in the insurance world. The TPD rates were therefore calculated using individual income protection data. Income Protection claims that have not recovered after five years were assumed to be totally and permanently disabled and used as a proxy for TPD incidence rates. TPD incidence rates were reduced to allow for the overlap with other CI conditions.

Rates are central mx-type rates rather than initial qx-type rates. The difference between qx and mx is very small in the context of the approximations and uncertainty inherent in the table. Therefore the CI Trends Research Group suggests that the rates can be used as qx.

4.3.2 Adjustments for Coma

The coma rates within CIBT02 are zero. This is because the authors argue that there is a 100% overlap with other critical illnesses. The condition for a coma claim is only fulfilled after 96 hours in a coma and therefore the author’s argument is that the patient would qualify for a TPD or death payout.

Although the arguments put forward in “Exploring the Critical Path” for 100% overlap with other critical illness payouts seem reasonable from a medical point of view, the CMI data contains 44 coma claims. These coma claims were probably the result of an accident that may eventually have led to a TPD or death claim. However, since the payouts were made under the coma definition, offices require a rate to measure their experience against.

CIIT00 was derived by adjusting CIBT02 to be in line with the CMI experience on a condition by condition basis. Therefore it was necessary to have a non-zero entry for coma. We have used hospital episode statistics and UK population data to derive a population rate for coma. We have added the population coma rate to the draft CIBT02 table and the revised table, CIBT02(adj), is shown in Appendix 7.

4.3.3 Benign Brain Tumour

In our analysis we have noted that the CMI 1999-2002 data has more benign brain tumour claims than CIBT02 expect. This can be seen in Table 19. An I/P adjustment of 224% imply that benign brain tumours are more prevalent in the insured group than in the general population. The magnitude of the I/P adjustment can possibly be explained by the following reasons:

- It is very difficult to identify benign brain tumours in the underwriting process. Brain scans do not form part of standard medical examinations. A benign brain tumour is usually only identified when symptoms force the person to seek medical help. The incidence of benign brain tumours may therefore be very similar between the insured group and the population.
- Data from the ONS¹ suggest that benign brain tumours are about 20% more prevalent in high socio-economic groups.
- The CIBT02 benign brain tumour rates were calculated from HES data, using ICD10 codes D33 and D43. However, we have spoken to doctors and claims managers and have been told that D32 is also accepted for claims purposes as benign brain tumours. The rates in CIBT02 may therefore be too low. Adding D32 increases the expected rate by about 75%. The descriptions of D32, D33 and D43 are:
 - D32 – Benign neoplasm of meninges
 - D33 – Benign neoplasm brain and other parts of the central nervous system.
Excludes: meninges²
 - D43 – Neoplasm of uncertain or unknown behaviour of brain and central nervous system.

It also seems likely that claims staff enter some claims relating to malignant brain tumours as benign brain tumours.

¹ Quinn, Babb, Brock, Kirby, Jones, *Cancer Trends in England and Wales 1950 – 1999 (2001)*, Chapter 4

² Meninges is the system of membranes that envelops the central nervous system.

5 Data from the CMI

5.1 Overview

As a member of the CMI Gen Re was given a copy of the raw data underlying the experience analysis results issued by the CMI in May 2005. To maintain life office confidentiality the CMI removed the life office name and policy number. In addition, the data does not include any of the Date of Diagnosis estimates. This raw data has enabled us to replicate most of the CMI's analyses.

For the purpose of this project we took the CMI data to be correct. We are confident in the CMI's methodology and expertise in collecting the data.

Before doing any analysis on this data we needed to estimate the missing Dates of Diagnosis (described in Section 5.2).

To ensure our analysis programs were running correctly we attempted to replicate the results issued by the CMI. Like the CMI we used Date of Settlement to allocate claims to the exposure. Our experience analysis methodology is different from that used by the CMI and this is discussed in Section 5.3. We were able to replicate the CMI figures to within a satisfactory margin of error. The comparison of our figures and the CMI's figures are given in Appendix 4 and a summary of the data is given in Section 0.

5.2 Estimates for Date of Diagnosis

Only 56.3% of the claims had a Date of Diagnosis. From these claims the CMI calculated the following average delays between Date of Diagnosis and the other claim dates (see Section 6.2 for a further discussion on delays).

Table 5 – Average delays between Date of Diagnosis and the other 3 claim dates

Duration at relevant date of claim in days	Average observed delay in days from Date of Diagnosis to Date of:		
	Settlement	Admission	Notification
CI claims			
<= 91 days	53	48	19
92 -183 days	82	77	29
184 – 365 days	104	99	50
366 – 730 days	125	120	68
731 – 1096 days	154	149	117
1097 – 1462 days	195	190	141
1463 – 1828 days	234	229	192
1829 – 2194 days	236	231	206
2195 – 2560 days	261	256	208
>= 2561 days	298	293	253
Death claims			
<= 91 days	41	36	8
92 – 183 days	44	39	14
>= 184 days	103	98	12

We followed the CMI's methodology as described in Working Paper 14 to estimate the Date of Diagnosis for the remaining 43.7% of claims which had no Date of Diagnosis. This involved subtracting the average number of days in Table 5 from the relevant claim date. If the Date of Settlement was available, the Date of Diagnosis was estimated from it as the Date of Settlement is considered the most reliable date. If the Date of Settlement was not available, the Date of Admission was the next preferred date. Failing this the Date of Notification was used.

Table 6 shows the percentage of claims for which each of the four claims dates was used to get the Date of Diagnosis.

Table 6 – Claim Date used to obtain Date of Diagnosis

Claim date	Number of Claims	Percentage of Claims
Date of Diagnosis	6,649	56.3%
Date of Settlement	4,990	42.3%
Date of Admission	142	1.2%
Date of Notification	22	0.2%
Total	11,803	100.0%

5.3 Differences in Methodologies

5.3.1 Calculation of Exposure

Our method of calculating exposure was fundamentally different to that used by the CMI. The CMI used the census method which assumes that all policies no longer in-force at the year end exited half-way through the year and that new business entered mid-year. With a growing portfolio the half-way assumption is inaccurate and can lead to small over-estimate in the exposure.

As the data is on a policy by policy basis it was possible to improve on the exposure estimate at least in respect of the date of commencement. It was not possible to improve on the CMI’s methodology for date of exit as the CMI do not collect date of exit for lapses. We calculated exposure on a policy by policy basis using a standard experience analysis package, GLEAN³. For the purpose of verifying our methodology we replaced the date of commencement by the date 1 July of the year of commencement so as to replicate the census method. However, for the construction of CIIT00 we used the correct date of commencement. The effect of this change is shown in Table 7.

Table 7 – Difference in A/E due to using exact date of commencement rather than mid-year of year of commencement for exposure

		ACI			SCI		
Sex	Smoker	Mid-year	Exact	Ratio	Mid-year	Exact	Ratio
M	NS	38.1%	38.3%	100.4%	44.3%	44.4%	100.1%
M	SM	68.9%	69.3%	100.6%	74.2%	74.5%	100.4%
F	NS	45.1%	45.4%	100.5%	51.9%	52.0%	100.3%
F	SM	56.9%	57.3%	100.7%	56.8%	57.1%	100.6%

Changing the inception date from a mid-year commencement to an exact entry date has only a small effect on the A/E. However, we believe our methodology is better and therefore for our work we used the exact date of commencement.

5.3.2 Age Definition

Since CIBT93 is a population table based on grouped data, there is no correct age definition. However, there should be consistency within the industry on how the table should be used.

In “A Critical Review”, the authors stated that the table should be used as “age exact”, but their calculations instead used “age nearest”. The CMI uses the CIBT93 table on an “age nearest” basis, while many actuaries in the industry use the CIBT93 table on an “age exact” basis. If people incorrectly assume the CMI analysis is on an “age exact” basis and use it accordingly, then they are understating the experience by about 5%. This can be seen from Table 8.

³ GLEAN is an experience analysis software package provided by Sungard Data Systems Inc.

Table 8 – Difference to A/E due to using age exact rather than age nearest

		ACI			SCI		
Sex	Smoker	Age Nearest	Age Exact	Ratio	Age Nearest	Age Exact	Ratio
M	NS	38.1%	40.0%	105.0%	44.3%	46.7%	105.3%
M	SM	68.9%	72.5%	105.1%	74.2%	78.4%	105.7%
F	NS	45.1%	47.3%	104.7%	51.9%	54.3%	104.7%
F	SM	56.9%	59.7%	104.9%	56.8%	59.7%	105.0%

For the purpose of verifying our analysis programs, we too have used the “age nearest” definition.

It is important that the CIIT00 table is based on “age exact” in order to be consistent with how decrement tables are used. The age definition in the underlying CIBT02 table is not important, since it is automatically changed to an “age exact” definition by means of our methodology described in Section 7.

5.4 Comparison of Our Results and the CMI’s Results

5.4.1 Verification of Claims Data and Exposure Calculation

Appendix 4 compares our claims figures and exposure figures to those of the CMI. From the tables it can be seen that we came very close to the CMI figures and were therefore happy that our methodology was consistent. We suspect the reasons for the small differences are:

- When the Date of Diagnosis occurs exactly on a policy anniversary X, it is possible GLEAN and the CMI’s system are allocating the claim to different durations X-1 and X.
- The aggregate exposure is the same as for the CMI, however our method allocates the exposure precisely to different ages and durations, while the CMI calculates age and duration at the census point. The exposure for a given age and duration and the corresponding Expected may therefore be slightly different.

5.4.2 Comparison of A/E Calculation

Table 9 shows how close our A/E figures compared to the CMI’s figures.

Table 10 and Table 11 show this in more detail by age and duration for ACI. For ACI, our overall claims and exposure figures agree exactly with the CMI’s. The reason for the small differences in Table 9 is due to the exposures being allocated to slightly different ages and duration. This leads to small differences in the expected.

Table 9 – Our A/E figures versus the CMI’s A/E figures by ACI and SCI

		ACI			SCI		
Sex	Smoker	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
M	NS	38.0%	38.1%	99.6%	44.2%	44.3%	99.7%
M	SM	68.7%	68.9%	99.6%	74.0%	74.2%	99.8%
F	NS	45.0%	45.1%	99.6%	51.8%	51.9%	99.8%
F	SM	56.7%	56.9%	99.6%	56.8%	56.8%	99.9%

Table 10 – Our A/E figures versus the CMI’s A/E figures by age banding for ACI

Smoker Status	Age Band	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
NS	-30	50.2%	49.8%	100.9%	43.5%	43.3%	100.5%
NS	31-40	39.6%	39.7%	99.8%	48.2%	48.3%	99.9%
NS	41-50	35.6%	35.8%	99.5%	45.1%	45.3%	99.5%
NS	51-60	35.5%	35.8%	99.2%	41.4%	41.9%	98.8%
NS	61-	38.9%	39.5%	98.4%	31.4%	31.9%	98.4%
NS	All	38.0%	38.1%	99.6%	45.0%	45.1%	99.6%
SM	-30	55.2%	54.5%	101.3%	49.4%	49.2%	100.5%
SM	31-40	59.6%	59.8%	99.7%	51.5%	51.6%	99.9%
SM	41-50	76.2%	76.5%	99.6%	59.3%	59.6%	99.6%
SM	51-60	76.7%	77.3%	99.2%	62.9%	63.6%	98.8%
SM	61-	55.9%	57.2%	97.8%	91.3%	94.0%	97.1%
SM	All	68.7%	68.9%	99.6%	56.7%	56.9%	99.6%

Table 11 – Our A/E figures versus the CMI’s A/E figures by duration for ACI

Smoker Status	Duration	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
NS	0	31.0%	30.4%	101.7%	40.6%	40.0%	101.5%
NS	1	37.3%	38.0%	98.2%	46.4%	47.2%	98.4%
NS	2	42.6%	42.8%	99.5%	49.6%	49.6%	100.0%
NS	3	41.4%	41.6%	99.6%	48.0%	48.3%	99.4%
NS	4	37.2%	37.8%	98.6%	46.9%	47.3%	99.3%
NS	5+	40.5%	40.9%	99.1%	43.0%	43.6%	98.7%
NS	All	38.0%	38.1%	99.6%	45.0%	45.1%	99.6%
SM	0	63.7%	62.6%	101.8%	45.4%	44.5%	101.9%
SM	1	67.9%	69.6%	97.6%	59.9%	61.1%	98.0%
SM	2	75.4%	75.1%	100.3%	60.3%	60.2%	100.1%
SM	3	82.6%	83.2%	99.3%	56.0%	56.4%	99.3%
SM	4	65.2%	65.9%	98.9%	56.0%	56.0%	100.0%
SM	5+	64.5%	65.2%	98.9%	65.7%	66.8%	98.3%
SM	All	68.7%	68.9%	99.6%	56.7%	56.9%	99.6%

5.5 Summary of Data

5.5.1 Claims Data by Cause

As mentioned in Section 4.1.4 the CMI claims data included details of cause of claim.

Table 12 gives details of the causes of claim recorded by the CMI together with the observed distribution of claims cause. As can be seen the main causes of SCI claim are cancer, heart attack, stroke, multiple sclerosis, coronary artery by-pass and TPD making up 88.0% of SCI claims. These major conditions plus deaths make up 93.4% of ACI claims. For comparison with the SCI ratio, the major conditions make up 91.6% of the non-death claims.

Table 12 – Number of claims for each condition and percentage of total claims (excl. uncoded smoker status)

Claims 1999-2002	ACI	%	SCI	%	All
Major ABI Conditions:					
Cancer	4,519	43.9%	871	58.5%	5,390
Heart Attack	1,157	11.2%	192	12.9%	1,349
Stroke	525	5.1%	81	5.4%	606
Multiple Sclerosis	465	4.5%	73	4.9%	538
Coronary Artery By-pass	229	2.2%	50	3.4%	279
Minor ABI Conditions:					
Alzheimer's Disease	5	0.0%	0	0.0%	5
Angioplasty	45	0.4%	16	1.1%	61
Aorta Graft Surgery	9	0.1%	3	0.2%	12
Benign Brain Tumour	142	1.4%	16	1.1%	158
Blindness	5	0.0%	2	0.1%	7
Coma	39	0.4%	5	0.3%	44
Deafness	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Heart Valve Replacement	60	0.6%	12	0.8%	72
Kidney Failure	59	0.6%	6	0.4%	65
Loss of Limbs	4	0.0%	1	0.1%	5
Loss of Speech	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Major Organ Transplant	25	0.2%	0	0.0%	25
Motor Neurone Disease	30	0.3%	11	0.7%	41
Paralysis	19	0.2%	4	0.3%	23
Parkinson's Disease	19	0.2%	6	0.4%	25
Third Degree Burns	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0
Non-ABI Illnesses					
	117	1.1%	43	2.9%	160
Unknown					
	92	0.9%	54	3.6%	146
Total & Permanent Disability					
	404	3.9%	43	2.9%	447
Deaths & Terminal Illness					
	2,320	22.5%	0	0.0%	2,320
All					
	10,289	100.0%	1,489	100.0%	11,778 ⁴

5.5.2 Distribution of Exposure

The following tables and the tables in Appendix 4.2 give a summary of the distribution of the exposure for ACI and SCI. From this you will note:

- The data is rather immature with less than 20% of the business in duration 5+.
- There is minimal data with ages above 60.
- There is relatively little smoker experience (19.2%).
- There is relatively little SCI experience (13.7%).

⁴ 11,803 claims – 25 uncoded smoker claims = 11,778 (see Section 6.3.1)

Table 13 – Distribution of Exposure by Age and Duration

Age / Duration	0	1	2	3	4	5+	All
0 -30	9.6%	6.3%	4.2%	2.8%	1.7%	1.8%	26.4%
31 - 40	11.3%	8.6%	6.9%	5.6%	4.4%	8.5%	45.3%
41 - 50	4.7%	3.6%	2.9%	2.5%	2.1%	5.5%	21.4%
51 – 60	1.2%	1.0%	0.9%	0.7%	0.6%	2.0%	6.5%
60 +	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.4%
All	26.8%	19.6%	14.9%	11.6%	9.0%	18.1%	100.0%

Table 14 – Distribution of Exposure by Sex and Smoker status

Sex / Smoker Status	NS	SM	All
M	42.1%	10.9%	53.0%
F	38.8%	8.2%	47.0%
All	80.8%	19.2%	100.0%

6 Adjustments to CMI's Claims Data

6.1 Overview

Before we could use the CMI data to construct the insured lives table the claims data required some adjustments.

As already discussed in Section 4.1.6 the claims data under-represents the claims incurred during the investigation period and requires an SDA.

The CMI has stated in Working Paper 14 that the quadrennium results need to be increased by around 15%. Since only 56.3% of claims have Date of Diagnosis filled in, we felt that we could not improve on the CMI's estimate. We took 15% to be the correct overall increase for all of the quadrennium data.

In December 2005, the CMI presented further analysis that confirmed the 15% increase to the overall result, but shows that different increases should be used by sex, smoker status, duration and product (ACI & SCI) since inception.

Although we agree with the CMI that the increases vary by sex and smoker status, we felt that the main driver behind these differences is the cause of claim and it is the different mix of conditions by sex / smoker status / product that causes the sex / smoker status / product difference. It is well reported that cardiovascular claims are relatively more prevalent in males and cancer claims are relatively more prevalent in females. Lung cancer is relatively more prevalent in smokers than in non-smokers. Different claim causes have different settlement delays and hence require different adjustments.

Our research confirmed that the most important factors in determining the settlement delay are claim cause and duration since inception at claim. This is discussed in Section 6.2. Overall the SDA increased the quadrennium claims (ACI and SCI combined) by 15.1%, the ACI claims by 14.7% and the SCI claims by 17.7%.

As well as the SDA there were four further minor adjustments to be made:

- For this exercise we only need data which has a known smoker status. Therefore all data with smoker status unknown was removed (Section 6.3.1).
- The claims with unknown cause were respread amongst the claims with known cause (Section 6.3.2).
- Certain claims needed to be adjusted upwards because the claim condition was not fully represented in the exposure (Section 6.3.3).
- The insured lives table represents critical illnesses from the ABI conditions discussed in Section 4.2. Hence the claims with causes that were not one of the ABI conditions were removed (Section 6.3.4).

The effect of these four adjustments can be seen in Appendix 6.

6.2 Adjustments to Claims Data to reflect Diagnosed Claims

6.2.1 Overall SDA

In Working Paper 14, the CMI calculated the SDA factor that applies to the quadrennium 1999 – 2002 data to be of the order of 15%. The 15% is an average across:

- ACI and SCI
- Illnesses (TPD, Deaths and Other Illnesses)
- Duration since policy inception
- Sex
- Smoker status
- Age
- Distribution channels (Broker, Bancassurer, Tied)

Some contributing offices have supplied data for less than the full period of investigation (i.e. not for every year from 1999 to 2002. See Appendix 2.). When estimating the SDA factor with a run-off triangle, the triangle is distorted in the first year these offices enter the experience or the final year in which they leave the experience.

In their analysis, the CMI have modified the development patterns to allow for the above mentioned distortions. We took the simpler route of just calculating the SDA on the data from the group that contributed data over the whole period of investigation Group 1 in Appendix 2). This produced an overall SDA factor of 15.1%, which we felt reproduced the CMI original estimate.

Table 15 shows the number of claims that were available to calculate the SDA factors in a run-off triangle.

Table 15 – Number of claims available to calculate the SDA factor

No. of claims 1999-2002	11,803
No. of claims where Diagnosis and Settlement dates are known	5,404
No. of claims where Diagnosis and Settlement dates are known for Group 1	3,066

6.2.2 Different SDA factors by Condition and Duration

Given the limited amount of data there was a practical limitation in how many subdivisions of the data separate SDA factors could be calculated for. Therefore we only calculated SDA factors for the most significant subdivisions of the data.

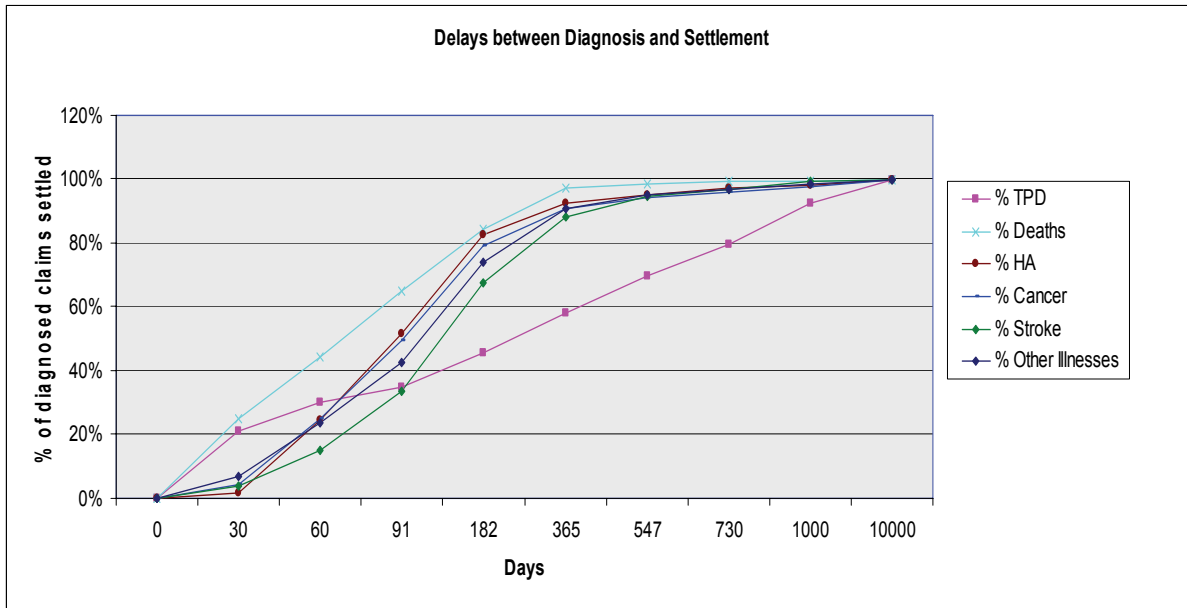
We used GLM, a data mining product⁵ and our knowledge of CI to identify the most significant cohort splits. In order of importance they were:

- **Condition**

The result of this exercise suggested calculating separate SDA factors for Deaths, TPD and the remaining other CI conditions. It seemed logical to us that Death claims are settled relatively fast and that TPD claims take a relatively long time to settle because of the need to confirm permanency of the condition. The average delays Table 16 show this clearly as do the delay patterns in Figure 2.

⁵ CART Pro V6.0 Data Mining Software from Salford Systems.

Figure 2 – Delay between diagnosis and settlement patterns



- Duration at Date of Diagnosis**

The result of this exercise suggested subdividing the data between durations 0-2 and 3+. This seems intuitively correct because most offices will tend to manage the claims process differently depending on policy duration, with claims in the initial few years of a policy investigated with particular care to check for non-disclosure. It is common for claims after the first 3 years to be investigated less thoroughly. Again the average delays in Table 16 show this clearly.
- Sex**

This also came out as mildly significant. For the practical reason of not wanting to break the data down into too small groupings, we decided not to split the data by this factor. The importance of sex may also be overstated, since the site of cancer is seldom recorded in the data and we have therefore treated cancer as a single condition. If cancer could be divided into different conditions (e.g. breast cancer, prostate cancer etc.), then the overlap between cancer and sex would be removed.
- Smoker Status**

This came out as not significant. We see no reason why the reporting and settlement delays should vary by smoker status for a given illness.
- Age**

This came out as not significant. We see no reason why the reporting and settlement delays should vary by age group for a given illness.
- ACI and SCI**

We did not test for the significance of this, but we see no reason why the reporting and settlement delays should vary by whether the policy is ACI or SCI.
- Distribution Channel**

We did not investigate the significance of this factor, since the 1999-2002 data contains an error in the distribution channel field for one office. We intend to investigate this further when we get access to the corrected data, since it may affect the reporting delays. However, we see no reason why the distribution channel should have an effect on settlement delays.
- Table 16 gives the different settlement delays by condition and duration. The overall average of 176 days agrees with the diagnosis to settlement delay published by the CMI in Working Paper 14.

Table 16: Average delay between diagnosis and settlement in days for all offices by duration and condition

Condition	Duration 0 - 2	Duration 3+	Average
Deaths	108	99	103
Other Conditions	183	155	172
TPD	651	247	409
All	190	155	176

The results above suggested that we should split the data into six subgroups by condition and duration. However, we decided to use the same SDA factors for Deaths and TPD across all durations. The reasons for this decision were:

- The number of claims in the TPD and Deaths cohort are too few to make up credible separate run-off triangles
- Since the SDA factor for Death claims was small and the difference in average delay by duration (Table 16) was small, we felt the difference in the two separate SDA factors would be marginal.
- The main delay for TPD is due to determining the permanence of the claim and this was unlikely to change significantly with duration. We believe the average delay in duration 0-2 (see Table 16) is a statistical fluctuation, since there are a limited number of TPD claims where the Date of Diagnosis is known.

Given this, we have split the data into four subgroups (deaths all durations, other conditions durations 0 to 2, other conditions durations 3+, TPD all durations) and created run-off triangles for each subgroup. From these subgroups we calculated the SDA factors given in Table 17.

Table 17 – Our SDA factors

Condition	Duration 0 - 2	Duration 3+	Average
Deaths	4.1%	4.1%	4.1%
Other Conditions	18.8%	16.0%	17.5%
TPD	25.7%	25.7%	25.7%
All ACI	15.6%	13.8%	14.7%
All SCI	18.9%	16.4%	17.7%
All	16.0%	14.1%	15.1% ⁶

Our calculation gives an overall figure very close to the 15% suggested by the CMI. In addition, by calculating separate factors for the main conditions and durations, we allow for the differences in settlement delay while retaining credible claim numbers.

We feel that the SDA factors look sensible, since

- Death claims have the smallest SDA and TPD the largest factor. This mirrors the settlement delay pattern.
- Duration 0-2 have a bigger SDA than duration 3+ for the other conditions. This agrees with our intuition that claims personnel will investigate early duration claims more thoroughly.

⁶ Weighted average of the SDA factors based on the modified data in Appendix 6

6.3 Further Adjustments to Claims Data

6.3.1 Removal from Data of Cases with Smoker Status Unknown

For this exercise we wanted to produce rates split by smoker status and therefore we had to exclude data where the smoker status was unknown. The CMI data included a small subgroup of data where the smoker status was unknown which we removed for the purpose of this exercise.

The following table shows the effect on Exposure and Claims when the uncoded smokers were removed.

Table 18 - The effect of removing uncoded smoker from Exposure and Claims

	Exposure	Claims
All data (ACI & SCI)	7,396,748	11,803
Uncoded smokers	45,170 (0.6% of Exposure)	25 (0.2% of Claims)
Remaining known smoker status	7,351,578	11,778

6.3.2 Respreding of Unknown claim cause

The data included a small number of claims where the cause of claim was unknown. We felt that the best thing to do with these claims was to respread them proportionately amongst the claims where the cause was known. From the data we saw that none of these were death claims and therefore decided that these claims should be respread amongst the CI conditions excluding death.

From Appendix 6 it can be seen that 1.2% of ACI claims excluding death had an unknown claim condition and 3.7% of SCI claims had an unknown claim condition. Therefore we increased the claims with known claim cause but excluding death by 1.2% for ACI and 3.7% for SCI.

6.3.3 Adjustment for under representation

Appendix 5 shows that all the contributing offices cover the major CI conditions. However, for the other CI conditions this was not always the case especially amongst the Bancassurers. Consequently there was a mismatch between the exposure and the claims data. To correct for this we decided to gross-up the number of claims for the relevant conditions instead of trying to adjust the exposure for each condition.

The CMI believe that many of less common conditions have a significant overlap with the main conditions, especially TPD. Hence they have not attempted to make any allowance for the fact that some of these less common conditions are not present in all the exposure. Whilst we accept there is an overlap with the main conditions, CIBT02 shows there is a significant residual incidence and therefore we felt it was incorrect to make no adjustment.

We accept that our grossing-up is conservative, however

- the adjustments are fairly small (about 0.5%)
- for reserving it is better to be slightly conservative.

As mentioned in Section 4.2 the ABI commissioned research into the presence of conditions in CI policies in the market. The ABI conducted this research in 1999 and again 2001. Ideally we would have liked to use the 1999 research, since it would be more representative of the inforce business between 1999 and 2002. However, only the 2001 research was available to us (Table 40 in Appendix 5).

From the research it was possible to estimate the under representation for a given condition with the relative exposure that each company contributed during the quadrennium. However, because the publicly available CMI data did not contain company names, we asked the CMI to calculate the relative exposure weights for us. The grossing-up factors are given in Table 40 in Appendix 5. The maximum adjustment was +38% ($100\% / 72.5\% - 1$).

The increase for under representation is small compared to the overall number of claims, resulting in 55 more ACI claims out of 11,739 and 11 more SCI claims out of 1,714.

6.3.4 Removal of Claims from Non-ABI Conditions

The CIIT00 table is designed to represent the experience of a policy consisting of all the ABI's 2002 CI conditions listed in Appendix 3 and TPD. Therefore, the claims resulting from additional illnesses that are not in the list of ABI conditions except for TPD were removed. There were 118 (1.1%) ACI claims and 44 (2.9%) SCI claims which fell into this category.

6.4 Modified Claims Data

Table 41 and Table 42 in Appendix 6 show how the claims data was modified. From this it can be seen that the aggregate ACI claims changed from 10,310 to 11,739 and the aggregate SCI claims changed from 1,493 to 1,714. This is a result of the changes discussed in Sections 6.2 and 6.3.

7 Construction of CIIT00

7.1 Overview

The new table presented in this paper is based on CIBT02(adj) reshaped to reflect the experience data from the CMI for the quadrennium 1999 – 2002. For the purpose of this paper we have named the insurance table, CIIT00. There are four tables distinguishing by sex and smoker status; CIIT00 MNS, CIIT00 MSM, CIIT00 FNS and CIIT00 FSM.

The experience suggested there is a difference between the experience of ACI excluding death and SCI. We believe this is to do with the allocation of claims to death for ACI rather than to a given CI condition. If a policyholder dies before claims settlement following a CI condition but after the SCI survival period, the claim should be technically allocated to the CI condition but in practice is likely to be recorded as a death claim. We felt that this would not significantly affect the shape of the rates, hence we calculated I/P adjustments for the CI conditions based on both ACI and SCI experience. This is discussed in Section 7.2..

Each condition was categorised into one of 7 categories of claim which we felt would have a similar I/P adjustment. For each category of claim we calculated the I/P adjustment to convert the population rate into an insured CI rate which takes account of:

- The effect of underwriting,
- The socio-economic position of insured lives compared to the whole population.
- The effect of smoking status.

This is discussed in Section 7.3 together with any subsequent smoothing that was necessary.

In the UK the CI experience does suggest there is some selection and we found this did vary by category of condition. This is discussed in Section 7.4

Finally, Section 7.5 discusses the production of separate rates for ACI and SCI. The rates for each condition are the same for ACI and SCI. The difference between the two sets of rates is the proportion of deaths that are included.

7.2 Data Used

7.2.1 ACI experience versus SCI experience

The CMI's data shows the experience for SCI is significantly higher than for CI conditions (excluding deaths) for ACI.

One theory for this is that ACI is often sold alongside a mortgage and therefore experiences less anti-selection from applicants. It is our opinion that this effect should be small, since both products are underwritten in the same way.

We believe it has more to do with the allocation of death claims under ACI. Technically the death claims following a CI condition in the period after the end of the SCI survival period (e.g. 28 days) should be allocated to the CI condition. However, it is likely that the claim will be allocated to deaths. This is because for ACI it does not matter whether a claim is a death claim or a CI claim, therefore once the policyholder has died it is not necessary to investigate further as to whether or not it was technically a CI claim rather than a death claim.

7.2.2 Which data to use?

In an ideal world given the above we would not mix the ACI and SCI data to get shape and selection patterns for the CI rates. However, given the limited amount of data and the fact that we did not believe the above difference would significantly effect the shape or the select pattern, we decided to combine the data initially and only at the end calibrate the rates to obtain ACI and SCI rates which reflect the actual level of experience.

In a similar vain we would have ideally liked to create smoothed select and ultimate rates using the select and ultimate experience separately. Again we did not feel the difference in shape of the select rates and ultimate rates would be significantly different and because of the limited amount of data especially in the ultimate durations we decided to combine the select and ultimate data and only at the end calibrate the rates to obtain select and ultimate rates which reflect the select and ultimate experience.

Due to the lack of data at older ages (only 6 claims above age 70), we decided it was not practical to produce a set of rates for ages above 70. Even above age 60 the data is very sparse, but most term policies in the UK go to age 70 and hence we thought practitioners would prefer a table with rates up to this age.

7.3 Calculation of Raw I/P Adjustment

7.3.1 Raw I/P adjustment formula

The raw I/P adjustments for each CI condition were calculated as follows:

Equation 1

$$A/E = \frac{\sum_c \theta_{x,s}}{\sum [Exp_{x,s} \times q_x]}$$

Where \sum denotes the fact the raw I/P adjustments were calculated using data grouped in some manner.

$\theta_{x,s}$ is the number of claims for age x and smoker status s in the CMI experience for condition c.

q_x is the rate of incidence for age x from CIBT02(adj). These rates have no smoker status.

CIBT02(adj) is CIBT02 adjusted as described in Section 4.3.2 to include rates for coma.

$Exp_{x,s}$ is the exposure for age x and smoker status s in the CMI experience.

The I/P adjustment takes account of;

- The effect of underwriting,
- The socio-economic position of insured lives compared to the whole population.
- Smoker status.

The CIBT02(adj) rates do not distinguish between smokers and non-smokers and hence the I/P adjustments do distinguish between smokers and non-smokers. The population rates in CIBT02(adj) already take account of overlap of conditions and therefore the I/P adjustment does not include any allowance for overlaps.

7.3.2 Grouped Raw I/P Adjustments

We felt the raw I/P adjustments for illnesses with similar characteristics should be of the same order because the underwriting effects, socio economic effects and smoking effects should be similar. Amongst the CI conditions we identified the following 7 categories of the conditions:

1. Cancer type conditions
2. Cardiovascular type conditions
3. Neurological type conditions
4. Accident type conditions
5. Organ failure type conditions
6. TPD
7. Death & terminal illness

To test our hypothesis we calculated the overall raw I/P adjustment for each condition and for each group of conditions.

Table 19 shows these raw I/P adjustments.

Table 19 – Raw I/P adjustments by condition averaged over all ages, gender and smoker status.

Conditions	Adjusted Claims ⁷	Expected	Individual I/P	Grouped I/P
Cancer-type conditions				
Benign Brain Tumour	217	97	224%	224%
Cancer	6,437	9,049	71%	71%
Loss of Speech ⁸	0	0	-	
<i>Sub Total</i>	<i>6,654</i>	<i>9,145</i>		
Cardiovascular-type conditions				
Heart Attack	1,608	4,347	37%	38%
Stroke	722	1,843	39%	
Coronary Artery By-pass	332	685	48%	
Heart Valve Replacement	89	317	28%	
Angioplasty	87	211	41%	
Aorta Graft Surgery	20	49	40%	
<i>Sub Total</i>	<i>2,859</i>	<i>7,451</i>		
Neurological-type conditions				
Multiple Sclerosis	642	938	68%	63%
Motor Neurone Disease	49	56	87%	
Parkinson's Disease	41	107	38%	
Alzheimer's Disease	8	77	10%	
<i>Sub Total</i>	<i>740</i>	<i>1,179</i>		
Accident-type conditions				
Coma	61	115	53%	19%
Paralysis	32	98	32%	
Blindness	10	87	11%	
Loss of Limbs	6	61	10%	
Third Degree Burns	0	162	0%	
Loss of Hearing	0	41	0%	
<i>Sub Total</i>	<i>108</i>	<i>564</i>		
Organ failure-type conditions				
Kidney Failure	77	397	19%	20%
Major Organ Transplant	30	132	23%	
<i>Sub Total</i>	<i>107</i>	<i>529</i>		
TPD	570	3,514	16%	16%
Deaths & Terminal Illness	2,415	5,138	47%	47%

Overall we felt the initial groupings made sense except for benign brain tumour. As mentioned in Section 4.3.3 we believe the main reason for the large raw I/P adjustment is because the CIBT02 rates should be larger. However, there is also some evidence to suggest that benign brain tumours are more prevalent in higher socio-economic groups and it is likely that some malignant brain tumours get wrongly characterised as benign brain tumours because the claims staff do not wait for malignancy to be proved for brain cancers as it does not affect the claim. Therefore, we decided to separate benign brain tumour out of the cancer group for the purpose of calculating raw I/P adjustments.

The broad pattern of these overall I/P adjustments fits in with our expectations; that is the conditions that can be most easily detected at underwriting stage and the conditions with high socio-economic effect have the smallest I/P adjustments.

⁷ Adjusted ACI and SCI claims = 11738.6 + 1713.6 = 13,452.2. See Appendix 6.

⁸ Loss of speech is mainly a result of throat cancer.

Some further points that are worth making are:

There is no loss of speech claims in the CMI data, since loss of speech is usually the result of throat cancer or a stroke. This is reflected in the CIBT02 rates being zero for all ages. Therefore, it does not matter in which of the two groupings it was added. We have placed it in the cancer type condition grouping.

- The I/P adjustments for Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease were low. We believe this reflects the fact that the experience is still immature with very little exposure at older ages where these conditions are prevalent. Hence we felt it sensible to maintain the neurological-type conditions group and used the higher group I/P adjustment for Alzheimer's and Parkinson's.
- Anecdotally, we believe blindness, loss of limbs, third degree burns and loss of hearing are greatly affected by occupation. Therefore one would expect a large I/P adjustment due to the underwriting out of dangerous occupations and due to socio-economic selection implicit in the insured population. Hence it is perhaps not surprising that the I/P adjustments were much lower than for coma and paralysis which do not have these effects. However, the volume of data was so small that further subdivision was not practical.
- The 47% I/P adjustment for deaths & terminal illness is consistent with the ratio of population deaths from ELT15 (centred around 1992) to insured lives deaths from T92 of 48%.

7.3.3 Refining the Grouped Raw I/P Adjustments

For each category of condition the I/P adjustments were broken down into different levels of grouping by age, gender and smoker status depending on the amount of claims data available:

- Where the condition had less than 100 male claims and 100 female claims a single I/P adjustment regardless of age, sex and smoker status was calculated.
- Where there were more than 100 male claims or 100 female claims, then separate I/P adjustments were calculated for each sex.
- Where there were more than 100 male non-smoker claims or 100 female non-smoker claims (there were always more non-smoker claims than smoker claims), then separate I/P adjustments were calculated for sex and smoker status.
- Where there were more than 100 claims in some age groupings for the male non-smokers or female non-smokers, then separate I/P adjustments were calculated by age grouping. Age groupings with less than 100 claims were merged until they included more than 100 claims. The initial age groupings were; 0 to 30, 31 to 40, 41 to 50, 51 to 60 and 60 to 100.

7.3.4 Smoothing the raw I/P Adjustments

For the cancer, cardiovascular and deaths the raw I/P adjustments varied by age band. However, there were discontinuities at the edges of the age bands that were clearly the result of our methodology, rather than any discontinuities in the experience. We therefore decided to smooth the raw I/P adjustments. To do this we used a nine year moving average (four years before and four years after the age to be estimated), since the age groups usually cover 10 years.

A summary of the final I/P adjustments is given in Appendix 8 for quinquennial ages and the average final I/P adjustments are given in Tabel 20.

Table 20 - Summary of Average Smooth I/P Adjustments by Conditions Group

Sex	Benign Brain Tumour	Cancer	Cardiovascular	Neurological	Accident	Organ failure	TPD	Deaths	All
MNS	224%	69%	31%	59%	19%	20%	24%	38%	43%
MSM	224%	84%	80%	91%	19%	20%	34%	78%	75%
FNS	224%	71%	25%	58%	19%	20%	10%	44%	47%
FSM	224%	68%	60%	76%	19%	20%	16%	92%	58%

7.3.5 Initial Rates

For each condition a set of rates was calculated by applying the smoothed I/P adjustments for the relevant category of conditions to the CITB02(adj) rates. These rates reflect the insured experience of ACI and SCI combined. Since the underlying CIBT02(adj) table is smooth and the I/P adjustments that are applied to the CIBT02(adj) rates are smooth, the resulting rates were also be smooth.

7.4 Selection Adjustments

The rates from Section 7.3.5 take no account of any durational effects as a result of underwriting. All the evidence we have previously seen suggested that there is a selection effect for critical illnesses, but that it is less than on life only business (usually five years). Because death usually follows a severe illness it is relatively easy for underwriters to identify people who are likely to die in the next few years. This is not the case for CI conditions which often are at the start of the death process and hence it is harder for the underwriters to identify people who are likely to claim in the next few years.

Underwriting relies on medical questionnaires, doctors' reports and standard medical examinations. These tools are good at identifying the risks for cardiovascular conditions, but are less useful for identifying cancers and benign brain tumours. For conditions where underwriting can identify the risk factors, we expected a longer and steeper select period than for conditions that are harder to underwrite. In particular, the select period for accident-type conditions should be very small.

The following list of condition types (see Section 7.3.2) reflects our view, in descending order, of where underwriting will have the biggest effect:

- Deaths
- TPD
- Organ Failure-type conditions
- Cardiovascular-type conditions
- Neurological-type conditions
- Cancer-type conditions
- Accident-type conditions

We therefore derived selection periods and discounts based on the 7 condition types, rather than on the total CIIT00 rates. For each of these condition types, we did not feel there was sufficient data to derive selection discounts by age, the calculated selection discounts are assumed to apply to all ages.

Both death and cancer claims result from various causes which have differing select patterns. The mix of these causes varies greatly by sex and smoker status and therefore we expected the select patterns to be affected by sex and smoker status. Therefore, for these two condition types we have calculated select periods and discounts that vary by sex and smoker status. For the remaining conditions we saw no reasons why for a given condition the select pattern would vary by sex and smoker status.

For each grouping of data the A/Es were calculated for durations 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 1+, 2+, 3+, 4+ and 5+⁹. In the UK it is accepted that the select pattern for mortality is 5 years, therefore for the reasons explained in the first paragraph on this Section we did not investigate any longer select periods. We chose the select period by inspecting the A/Es by eye.

The initial rates from Section 7.3.5 were then adjusted by the ultimate A/E so that these adjusted rates represented the ultimate experience.

For the select durations the A/E's were then recalibrated to give the following select discounts:

Table 21 – Select discounts and select period for each condition type

Condition	Sex / Smoker	0	1	2	Ultimate
Deaths	MNS	23.0%	18.4%	15.4%	-
	MSM	16.1%	13.3%	-	-
	FNS	22.7%	22.7%	-	-
	FSM	16.2%	12.0%	-	-
TPD	All	77.9%	47.7%	15.8%	-
Organ Failure	All	45.0%	42.1%	7.7%	-
Cardiovascular	All	22.4%	4.5%	-	-
Neurological	All	48.9%	-	-	-
Benign Brain Tumour	All	26.9%	-	-	-
Cancer	MNS	17.2%	-	-	-
	MSM	13.9%	-	-	-
	FNS	5.0%	-	-	-
	FSM	5.0%	-	-	-
Accident	All	0.0%	-	-	-

The experience did reflect our initial hypothesis about which condition types had the biggest select pattern outlined in the third paragraph of this Section. We believe the reason that the deaths do not have a longer select period is because they are non-CI deaths. Non-CI deaths are likely to have a different select pattern to CI deaths and they will have a different select pattern to all deaths (non-CI deaths plus CI deaths).

The select rates for the “All Conditions” table in Appendix 1 are the combination of the select rates for the individual conditions. The relative contribution from different conditions change with age and the select pattern therefore also changes with age.

The following table gives a rough indication of the average select discounts for the “All Conditions” ACI and SCI tables:

Table 22 - Approximate Select Discounts for the "All Conditions" ACI CIIT00 table

ACI Select Discounts	0	1	2
MNS	24.7%	9.0%	5.0%
MSM	21.8%	8.0%	0.7%
FNS	17.2%	6.3%	1.0%
FSM	19.3%	6.8%	1.3%

⁹ Duration 5+ indicates the grouping of all durations 5 and greater.

Table 23 - Approximate Select Discounts for the "All Conditions" SCI CIIT00 table

SCI Select Discounts	0	1	2
MNS	25.4%	5.7%	1.3%
MSM	24.3%	5.7%	1.1%
FNS	16.4%	4.1%	1.2%
FSM	20.0%	5.5%	1.5%

7.5 ACI and SCI Rates

7.5.1 Recalibration for ACI

The select rates described in Section 7.4 above reflect the insured experience of ACI and SCI.

The majority of CI business sold in the UK is ACI. Therefore, we decided that the CIIT00 rates should be calibrated such that the A/E for each condition type for the ACI experience was 100%. The calibration only adjusted the level and not the shape (including select pattern) of the rates.

The resulting rates are the CIIT00 rates by condition given in Section 3 and for all conditions combined given in Appendix 1.

7.5.2 Adjustments required for SCI

As expected when we run the SCI experience analysis against the ACI rates excluding death the A/E was in excess of 100%, 106.8% to be exact.

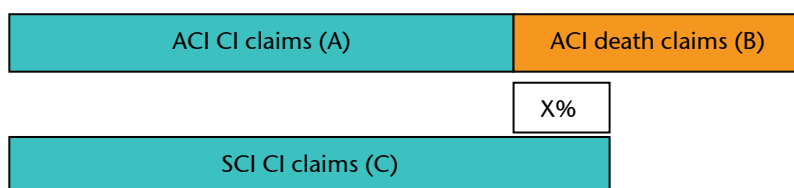
As mentioned in Section 7.2.1 we believe that this difference is because some ACI deaths would qualify as SCI claims e.g. a death from cancer on an ACI policy may incorrectly be recorded as a death rather than a cancer claim.

In order to come up with SCI rates we had two alternatives:

- Increase the rates for each condition.
- Calculate an overall adjustment.

Given the relatively small size of the SCI market, we felt it best to have one set of rates and have an overall adjustment for SCI. For the overall adjustment we also had 2 alternatives:

- A flat increase.
- An increase expressed as a percentage of deaths as illustrated below.



The problem with the first alternative is that it is possible for SCI rates to be larger than ACI rates. This clearly makes no sense. Therefore we went for the second alternative.

The x% was derived from the following equation:

$$\left(\frac{C}{A} - 1\right) / \left(\frac{B}{A}\right) = \frac{6.8\%}{25.9\%} = 26.4\%$$

Hence the rates constructed using the ACI rates excluding deaths plus 26.4% of the death rates reflect the SCI experience.

The combined SCI rates are given in Appendix 1.

8 Goodness of Fit

8.1 Overview

Having developed CIIT00, we back-tested it against the CMI 1999-2002 data and against other sources to make sure that it provided a reasonable fit. We were more concerned that the shape of the rates looked reasonable than the overall level, because if the shape of the rates is correct most companies will have sufficient experience to get a fairly credible measure of their overall level of experience. Given the relatively high claims rate, companies accumulate a significant volume of CI experience relatively quickly. In addition, different companies will have different levels of experience depending on sales channel, underwriting and claims standards.

Using the tests described in Section 8.2 we did the following goodness of fit tests on the ACI tables:

1. Compared the goodness of fit of the CIIT00 tables (all conditions) against the CMI 1999-2002 data adjusted as described in Section 6. This is described in Section 8.3.
2. Compared the goodness of fit of the CIIT00 tables at an individual conditions level against the CMI 1999-2002 data adjusted as described in Section 6. This is described in Section 8.4.
3. Compared the goodness of fit of the CIIT00 tables (all conditions) against the experience from a few major UK clients (anonymised). This is described in Section 8.5.

For the SCI table we were only able to test the goodness of fit for all conditions together against the CMI 1999-2002 data adjusted as described in Section 6 (See Section 8.3.2) because:

- We did not allocate the proportion of ACI deaths to individual conditions.
- We did not have sufficient SCI experience from UK clients.

In all of the goodness of fit tests we have tested the null hypothesis at the 99% level. We thought this was reasonable, since we tested individual illnesses while I/P adjustments were determined at a grouped level.

We have treated individual ages as credible cohorts. However, where the Expected number of claims in a cohort was less than five, we grouped it with the adjacent age until the Expected exceeded five in all cohorts.

To independently check our A/Es for the 1999-2002 data, we asked the CMI to run CIIT00 against their unadjusted data. The CMI intends to run CIIT00 against the 2003 and 2004 data at a later stage now that the data is available.

8.2 Explanation of the statistical tests

We have used four statistical tests (from Benjamin and Pollard (1993)) to measure the goodness of fit of the expected tables:

- A Chi-square test
- An individual standardised deviations test
- A deviations signs test
- A Normal(0,1) confidence interval test.

8.2.1 Chi-square test

The chi-square test is a well-known statistical test for the goodness of fit of observed data to a graduated table. The chi-square statistic is the sum of the squared deviances:

Equation 2 – Equations underlying the chi-squared test

$$Deviance_i = \frac{(actual_i - expected_i)}{standard\ error_i}$$

$$Test\ Statistic = \sum_{i=1}^n Deviance_i^2$$

where n is the number of age groups in which the data is compared to the table. The test statistic has a chi-square distribution with n degrees of freedom.

The test concludes that the data does not fit the table well if the distances between observed and expected claims are too far apart in aggregate.

Two disadvantages of the chi-square test are:

- It can be affected by a few big deviances, and
- It cannot identify small consistent biases e.g. where the observed is larger than the expected for young ages and then changes so that the observed is smaller than the expected for older ages, but none of the deviances are very big.

We therefore used two additional tests described in Sections 8.2.2 and 8.2.3 to compensate for these deficiencies.

8.2.2 Individual Standardised Deviations test

If the observed claims fit the expected table, then the deviances (see Equation 2) should be from a Normal(0,1) distribution i.e. there should be many small deviances and only a few large ones.

The area under a Normal(0,1) curve can be divided into the following segments:

Table 24 - Area under a Normal(0,1) curve

x-axis segments	$(-\infty; -3]$	$(-3; -2]$	$(-2; -1]$	$(-1, 0)$	$[0; 1)$	$[1, 2)$	$[2, 3)$	$[3, \infty)$
Probability of occurring	0%	2%	14%	34%	34%	14%	2%	0%

This test counts the number of times that the deviances fall in each of the segments and compares the distribution of the deviances against the normal distribution. The test will be failed if there are too many large deviances or if the distribution of deviances is skewed.

8.2.3 Runs test

If the observed claims fit the expected table, then the observed claims should have a 50% chance of being bigger and a 50% chance of being smaller than expected claims in an age grouping. The deviances are then assumed to be independent of each other.

A run is a consecutive sequence of positive or negative deviances in adjoining age groups. The test compares the actual number of runs with the expected number of runs as follows:

Equation 3 – Equations underlying the runs test

$$\text{Number of Positive deviations} = m$$

$$\text{Number of Negative deviations} = n$$

$$\mu = \text{Expected number of runs} = 1 + \frac{2mn}{m+n}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \text{Variance of number of runs} = \frac{2mn(2mn - m - n)}{(m+n)^2(m+n-1)}$$

$$\text{Test Statistic} = \frac{\text{Number of runs} - \mu}{\sigma}$$

The test statistic compares the observed number of runs against the expected number of runs.

The test statistic is distributed Normal(0,1) and the null hypothesis that the deviances are independent, is rejected if the test statistic falls outside the confidence interval.

8.2.4 Normal(0,1) Confidence Interval Test

This test accepts that the Expected table is a good fit to the observed data, if the observed number of claims fall inside a Normal(0,1) confidence interval.

For the 99% confidence interval:

$$99\% \text{ Confidence Interval} = (\mu - 2.58 \times \sigma; \mu + 2.58 \times \sigma)$$

$$\mu = \text{Expected number of claims}$$

$$\sigma = \text{Standard deviation of number of claims}$$

8.3 Goodness of fit for all conditions

Due to the number of steps involved in deriving the CIIT00 rates we wanted to make sure that in aggregate the rates fitted the experience. We tested the goodness of fit of the CIIT00 select table for ages 25 to 65 for MNS, MSM, FNS and FSM, using the statistical tests in Section 8.2.

8.3.1 Goodness of fit of the “All Conditions” ACI table

The “All Conditions” ACI table contains all of the CI conditions and deaths. The following table shows whether the statistical tests “accept” or “reject” CIIT00 as a suitable table (at the 99% significance level):

Table 25- Goodness of fit results of the “All Conditions” ACI CIIT00 table

Statistical Test	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
Chi-square test (Section 8.2.1)	Accept	Accept	Accept	Reject
Individual standard deviations test (Section 8.2.2)	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
Runs test (Section 8.2.3)	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

Although the chi-square test rejects the female smoker table, all the other tests suggest that ACI CIIT00 is a good fit for the ACI CMI 1999-2002 data. In particular, the runs test and the individual standard deviations test show that the shape of the ACI CIIT00 tables fits the ACI CMI 1999-2002 data well.

8.3.2 Goodness of fit of the “All Conditions” SCI table

“The All Conditions” SCI table contains all of the CI conditions. The SCI Expected table is also increased by 26.4% of the ACI deaths rates to reflect the relative level of SCI experience compared to ACI (see Section 7.5.2). The following table shows whether the statistical tests “accept” or “reject” CIIT00 as a suitable table (at the 99% significance level):

Table 26- Goodness of fit results of the “All Conditions” SCI CIIT00 table

Statistical Test	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
Chi-square test (Section 8.2.1)	Accept	Accept	Reject	Accept
Individual standard deviations test (Section 8.2.2)	Accept	Accept	Reject	Accept
Runs test (Section 8.2.3)	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

The SCI CIIT00 tables appear to be a good fit to the SCI CMI 1999-2002 data.

The fit to the SCI data could possibly be improved by using different percentages of ACI deaths for MNS, MSM, FNS and FSM.

8.4 Goodness of fit by condition

We wanted to test whether our grouping of conditions to derive average I/P adjustments were reasonable. Therefore, we tested whether the calculated ACI insured rates for each condition which was grouped, fits the observed number of ACI claims from the CMI 1999-2002 data. Since cancer, benign brain tumour, TPD and deaths & terminal illness were not grouped, they were not tested here. Loss of speech could not be tested because it had zero expected claims.

To test this we used the test described in Section 8.2.4.

The following table shows the upper and lower bounds of the 99% Normal(0,1) confidence interval and whether the observed claims (adjusted claims) fall inside the interval:

Table 27 - Goodness of Fit on ACI CIIT00 rates by Condition

ACI Conditions	Raw ACI Claims	Adjusted ACI Claims	Expected on CIIT00	A/E	SE ¹⁰	0.5% Lower bound ¹¹	99.5% Upper bound	Goodness of Fit
Cardiovascular-types								
Heart Attack	1,157	1,375	1,430	96%	38	1,333	1,527	Accept
Stroke	525	624	570	109%	24	508	631	Accept
Coronary Artery By-pass	229	271	237	114%	15	198	277	Accept
Heart Valve Replacement	60	74	98	75%	10	73	124	Accept
Angioplasty	45	64	71	90%	8	49	92	Accept
Aorta Graft Surgery	9	15	16	91%	4	6	27	Accept
All	2,025	2,422	2,422	100%				
Neurological-types								
Multiple Sclerosis	465	553	498	111%	22	441	556	Accept
Motor Neurone Disease	30	36	30	118%	5	16	44	Accept
Parkinson's Disease	19	31	57	54%	8	38	77	Reject
Alzheimer's Disease	5	8	41	19%	6	25	58	Reject
All	519	627	627	100%				
Accident types:								
Coma	39	53	19	289%	4	7	30	Reject
Paralysis	19	26	16	164%	4	6	26	Accept
Blindness	5	7	14	48%	4	4	24	Accept
Loss of Limbs	4	5	10	49%	3	2	18	Accept
Third Degree Burns	0	0	26	0%	5	13	39	Reject
Deafness	0	0	7	0%	3	0	13	Accept
All	67	91	91	100%				
Organ Failure-types								
Kidney Failure	59	70	75	93%	9	53	97	Accept
Major Organ Transplant	25	30	25	120%	5	12	38	Accept
All	84	100	100	100%				

The adjusted claims fall inside the 99% confidence interval for 14 of the 18 grouped conditions. We believe that the data unrepresents Alzheimer's and Parkinson's claims and this was reflect in the CIIT00 rates, therefore it is not surprising that these conditions failed the test. Only coma and third degree burns are unexpectedly outside the confidence intervals. This points to the fact that the comment regarding the two levels of I/P for accident type conditions may be correct. However, given the claims volumes we did not review this further.

8.5 Goodness of fit for "All Conditions" ACI table against anonymised client data

The CMI 1999-2002 data is not ideal in two respects:

- It relates to a time period that is five years ago, and
- The data is collected on a claims settled basis.

Data from clients are more recent and often have the diagnosis and notified dates filled in.

In order to test the shape and level of the CIIT00 table, we have compared the CIIT00 table against anonymised client data. We have used two IFA offices and two bancassurers.

Table 28 gives the A/Es for the anonymised clients:

¹⁰ SE = Expected ^{0.5}

¹¹ 0.5% Lower bound = Expected - 2.58 x SE and 99.5% Upper bound = Expected + 2.58 x SE

Table 28 - A/Es against ACI CIIT00 for anonymised clients

Office	A/E
IFA Office A	84.2%
IFA Office B	87.3%
Bancassurance Office C	90.4%
Bancassurance Office D	95.1%

The pattern above is typical of what we have seen over the last couple of years, namely individual life office experience seems always to be better than the average CMI experience. However, although the overall level may be of the order of 10% too high, it is more the shape of the rates rather than the absolute level that we are concerned about, because each office can adjust the level of the CIIT00 according to its own experience if the shape of the table is correct.

We have tested the shape of the CIIT00 table by

- sex (male and female)
- smoker (smoker and non-smoker)
- age bands (0-30, 31-40, 41-50, 51-60 and 61-99), and
- duration since inception (0, 1, 2 and 3+);

in total, 80¹² cohorts were tested for goodness of fit. The null hypothesis is that the claims in each cohort are within a 99% confidence interval of the CIIT00 Expected, but scaled down by the A/E in Table 28 Table 29 shows the number of cohorts where the null hypothesis was accepted or rejected.

Table 29 - Number of cells where the actual claims are within a 99% confidence interval from the Expected

Office	Accept	Reject	% Accepted
IFA Office A	77	3	96%
IFA Office B	78	2	98%
Bancassurance Office C	78	2	98%
Bancassurance Office D	77	3	96%
All	310	10	97%

Overall, the CIIT00 table (scaled down for the overall level of each company) fitted 97% of the cohorts that we have tested. We feel that this shows that the shape of CIIT00 fits the client data very well.

¹² 80 = 2 sexes x 2 smoker statuses x 5 age bands x 4 durations

9 Points to note about CIIT00

9.1 Age Definition

CIIT00 is has been derived on a lives basis for ACI. The rates are annual rates that apply from the exact ages shown in the tables.

9.2 Overall Level

We have observed that the experience of companies we deal with is consistently below 100%, this is shown in Section 8.5. All things being equal we would expect a distribution of experiences around 100%.

One possible reason may be that the SDA factor of 15% is on the high side.

Another reason may be due to the large number of policies and claims with sum insured below £10,000 that have terrible experience¹³. If we ignore these policies the CMI experience reduces from 100% to 90.3%. This looks more reasonable when considered against the anonymised client experience shown in Section 8.5.

It is possible that these policies come from a particular portfolio and we believe that the CMI should investigate the source of these claims more thoroughly.

9.3 Different Definitions

The CMI experience includes three tranches of business with differing definitions; the pre April 1999 policies which had non-standardised definitions, the April 1999 to April 2002 policies which used the 1999 standardised definitions and the post April 2002 policies which used the 2002 standardised definitions. Therefore, we did ask ourselves how relevant this experience is for deriving a table which will be used to analyse the current in-force business which will have a very different mix of definitions. We believe that in most cases the changes in the definitions will have only produced marginal differences in experience. Hence although this is not perfect we believe the derived rates are satisfactory.

Obviously as the experience matures we will be able to refine the experience to include only underwriting periods after the introduction of the standard ABI CI definitions which will allow more homogeneity in the data.

¹³ There are 1,114 claims with sum assured less or equal to £10,000 out of 11,803 claims

9.4 Date of Diagnosis

For 44% of the claims the date of diagnosis has been estimated using the average claim delay present in the 56% of claims (see Table 6). This has two drawbacks:

- It implicitly assumes that the claim delay patterns in the claims with date of diagnosis is the same as the claim delay patterns in the claims without date of diagnosis. Given that the two sets of claims may come from different life office portfolios this may not be true.
- Even assuming the claim delay patterns are the same, using an average instead of a distribution means that for some cases the actual date of diagnosis is significantly different.

Although there are these clear drawbacks, we felt it was better to use 100% of the data but include date estimates, than only use 56% of the data.

The CMI has actively encouraged companies to record the date of diagnosis and we are told that in the 2004 data about 75% of claims now have date of diagnosis.

9.5 Using CIIT00 for Experience Analysis

Clearly for a company to do robust experience analysis it needs to record date of diagnosis and be able to correctly allocate claims by date of diagnosis within the experience analysis. In these circumstances the company does not need to calculate an SDA adjustment, but it needs to calculate an IBNR adjustment and an adjustment to pending claims. Given the delays mentioned in Section 5.2, these two adjustments can be quite significant.

In addition many companies will have policies which cover more than the 22 conditions covered by CIIT00. Our belief is that most of these conditions will only have a marginal effect on the experience and therefore CIIT00 would still offer a fairly good estimate of the experience. Alternatively it should be possible to derive the appropriate insured rates for any additional condition by using population statistics and the appropriate I/P adjustment derived in this paper.

9.6 Applicability of CIIT00 for the 2006 ABI Definitions

9.6.1 Troponins

The 2002 ABI definitions introduced the use of troponins to identify heart attack claims and since 2005, troponins have become the predominant method for determining a heart attack. As a result the number of cases of heart attack has risen dramatically (by the order of 30%) as this more sensitive diagnostic test identifies heart attacks which previously would not have been classified as heart attack.

The 2006 ABI definitions restrict the number of heart attacks which qualify for claim by introducing a severity level on the troponin measure. We believe this may reduce the number of heart attack claims but are unsure how this will work in practice, because the troponin level is not always recorded by the hospital and therefore the claim evidence may only show whether or not there was an increase in the troponin level.

9.6.2 ABI Increases Scope of Cancer Definition

Late last year the ABI announced that essential thrombocythaemia and polycythaemia rubra vera fulfil the cancer definition and therefore should be paid out as Cancer claims. We believe the ABI has misunderstood the medical evidence, because it is clear that not all forms of these conditions are malignant.

They have compounded this mistake by making this apply to all previous ABI definitions. We estimate this will increase Cancer claims by about 1.5%. So for claims experience going forward, Cancer claims will increase regardless of the generation of definition.

9.7 Child CI

Most CI policies in the UK include Child CI in their coverage. This is not covered in CIIT00 because it is not in the CMI experience. In fact it is very difficult to do an experience analysis for Child CI, because the number of children is not recorded (even if it were to be recorded at commencement it is likely to change) and it is therefore not possible to calculate the exposure per policy. For example, a policyholder with no children has less exposure than a policyholder with 3 children.

9.8 The TPD definition

The SoBP in Appendix 3 does not include a TPD claims definition. Individual offices therefore draw up their own definitions for TPD. The TPD definitions can broadly be grouped into the following three groups:

- Own Occupation definition: The claimant is unable to perform the material and substantial duties of his own occupation, and is likely to remain so permanently.
- Suited Occupation definition: The claimant is unable to perform his own occupation and any occupation for which he is suitably trained, educated or experienced.
- Activities of Daily Living definition: The claimant is unable to routinely perform a set of everyday activities e.g. walking, bending, reading or writing, without the help of another person, but with reasonable assistive aids such as walking sticks or reading glasses.

The TPD definition is only fulfilled once the disability has been confirmed as total and permanent. This is often not fully understood by the claimant and has resulted in very high claim repudiation rates on TPD.

TPD is not an illness per se, but rather a “catch-all” condition that pays out on debilitating illnesses or accidents that are not explicitly named in the policy conditions.

The “Own Occupation” definition provides the highest level of cover and is used by offices that sell their products in the competitive IFA market. The “Activities of Daily Living” definition provides the least cover and is often used by offices that sell through a single tied salesforce such as bancassurers.

The CMI contributing offices are a mixture of IFA offices and bancassurers and the TPD claims have therefore resulted from different TPD definitions. The TPD rate in CIIT00 is therefore an average rate for the market, rather than a rate that corresponds to a specific claims definition.

We considered adjusting the TPD rate to reflect an “Own Occupation” definition, but that would not be appropriate for other TPD definitions and the adjustment would be very subjective. In our opinion, the CIIT00 TPD rate is equivalent to approximately 90% of an “Own Occupation” TPD rate.

Appendix 1 – CIIT00 Select tables for ACI and SCI

Table 30 – ACI CIIT00 MNS and MSM Annual Select Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact)

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				6.24	20
18			5.71	6.54	21
19		5.54	6.00	6.66	22
20	4.88	5.82	6.13	6.93	23
21	5.12	5.96	6.39	7.07	24
22	5.23	6.20	6.52	7.27	25
23	5.42	6.33	6.73	7.59	26
24	5.51	6.54	7.04	8.02	27
25	5.65	6.83	7.45	8.43	28
26	5.89	7.22	7.84	8.79	29
27	6.19	7.59	8.19	9.15	30
28	6.47	7.92	8.54	9.62	31
29	6.74	8.27	9.00	10.10	32
30	7.01	8.70	9.46	10.63	33
31	7.34	9.14	9.99	11.27	34
32	7.68	9.65	10.61	11.94	35
33	8.07	10.24	11.27	12.94	36
34	8.52	10.85	12.23	13.88	37
35	9.01	11.76	13.13	14.98	38
36	9.72	12.62	14.18	16.18	39
37	10.43	13.61	15.33	17.60	40
38	11.22	14.70	16.70	19.26	41
39	12.11	16.00	18.29	21.27	42
40	13.16	17.50	20.23	23.36	43
41	14.38	19.32	22.24	25.52	44
42	15.83	21.24	24.34	28.17	45
43	17.39	23.23	26.88	31.33	46
44	19.03	25.61	29.92	35.04	47
45	20.96	28.51	33.49	39.28	48
46	23.33	31.90	37.57	43.74	49
47	26.11	35.78	41.87	48.65	50
48	29.29	39.86	46.61	53.92	51
49	32.62	44.37	51.73	59.66	52
50	36.28	49.25	57.30	66.18	53
51	40.23	54.54	63.63	73.35	54
52	44.52	60.56	70.59	81.42	55
53	49.39	67.21	78.41	89.66	56
54	54.76	74.68	86.39	98.76	57
55	60.84	82.34	95.21	108.79	58
56	67.04	90.83	104.93	119.65	59
57	73.95	100.19	115.45	131.27	60
58	81.53	110.38	126.73	143.83	61
59	89.78	121.29	138.92	157.07	62
60	98.61	133.12	151.78	171.42	63
61	108.16	145.68	165.72	186.76	64
62	118.27	159.30	180.62	203.33	65
63	129.18	173.92	196.71	220.72	66
64	140.84	189.76	213.67	241.03	67
65	153.43	208.95	233.20	263.25	68
66	171.20	228.13	254.52	287.25	69
67	186.32	249.06	277.48	313.30	70
68	202.77	271.61	302.34		71
69	220.46	296.00			72
70	239.63				73

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				7.70	20
18			7.67	8.08	21
19		7.02	8.05	8.23	22
20	6.33	7.38	8.22	8.58	23
21	6.65	7.56	8.55	8.82	24
22	6.78	7.87	8.79	9.06	25
23	7.03	8.09	9.03	9.52	26
24	7.19	8.34	9.48	10.23	27
25	7.36	8.75	10.17	10.91	28
26	7.70	9.39	10.85	11.57	29
27	8.21	10.02	11.50	12.21	30
28	8.71	10.62	12.14	13.12	31
29	9.21	11.23	13.05	13.98	32
30	9.71	12.08	13.88	15.01	33
31	10.39	12.84	14.91	16.24	34
32	11.01	13.81	16.12	17.50	35
33	11.78	14.94	17.36	19.23	36
34	12.68	16.10	19.07	21.63	37
35	13.63	17.68	21.45	24.47	38
36	14.90	19.90	24.27	27.65	39
37	16.80	22.51	27.43	31.47	40
38	18.97	25.43	31.22	35.92	41
39	21.45	28.96	35.64	41.12	42
40	24.43	33.07	40.80	46.84	43
41	27.88	37.85	46.48	53.03	44
42	31.87	43.15	52.64	60.31	45
43	36.35	48.91	59.86	67.25	46
44	41.23	55.62	66.75	75.07	47
45	46.87	62.06	74.51	83.71	48
46	52.27	69.22	83.09	92.47	49
47	58.36	77.13	91.76	101.93	50
48	65.10	85.13	101.13	111.63	51
49	71.89	93.79	110.76	121.96	52
50	79.21	102.71	120.98	133.47	53
51	86.74	112.17	132.38	145.97	54
52	94.70	122.70	144.77	160.09	55
53	103.59	134.18	158.77	175.26	56
54	113.24	147.13	173.81	192.16	57
55	124.25	161.18	190.60	210.77	58
56	136.04	176.89	209.08	231.12	59
57	149.29	194.17	229.33	252.67	60
58	163.83	213.16	250.78	276.00	61
59	179.81	233.28	274.01	300.80	62
60	196.73	255.14	298.75	327.76	63
61	215.05	278.45	325.67	356.71	64
62	234.59	303.84	354.60	388.37	65
63	255.79	331.17	386.29	435.28	66
64	278.55	361.14	435.23	475.51	67
65	303.46	408.85	475.46	520.00	68
66	348.65	446.54	519.95	568.59	69
67	380.01	488.12	568.53	622.04	70
68	414.58	533.45	621.98		71
69	452.30	583.18			72
70	493.83				73

Table 31 – ACI CIIT00 FNS and FSM Annual Select Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact)

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				3.03	20
18			3.01	3.24	21
19		2.76	3.21	3.56	22
20	2.49	2.95	3.53	3.91	23
21	2.66	3.25	3.88	4.24	24
22	2.92	3.60	4.21	4.70	25
23	3.22	3.92	4.67	5.17	26
24	3.47	4.37	5.13	5.80	27
25	3.87	4.82	5.75	6.41	28
26	4.22	5.41	6.35	7.09	29
27	4.75	5.99	7.03	7.89	30
28	5.23	6.64	7.82	8.68	31
29	5.81	7.42	8.61	9.64	32
30	6.46	8.17	9.56	10.51	33
31	7.13	9.09	10.42	11.55	34
32	7.92	9.92	11.44	12.68	35
33	8.66	10.91	12.56	13.76	36
34	9.54	11.98	13.63	15.02	37
35	10.46	13.01	14.87	16.32	38
36	11.37	14.17	16.15	17.75	39
37	12.41	15.37	17.57	19.37	40
38	13.50	16.69	19.17	21.24	41
39	14.69	18.19	21.01	23.30	42
40	16.05	19.91	23.05	25.47	43
41	17.59	21.82	25.20	27.80	44
42	19.33	23.82	27.50	30.52	45
43	21.16	25.98	30.18	33.35	46
44	23.15	28.50	32.98	35.97	47
45	25.45	31.16	35.56	38.66	48
46	27.90	33.63	38.22	41.26	49
47	30.13	36.13	40.77	43.92	50
48	32.40	38.58	43.39	46.74	51
49	34.61	41.07	46.17	49.42	52
50	36.84	43.68	48.80	52.31	53
51	39.18	46.19	51.65	55.23	54
52	41.39	48.86	54.51	58.30	55
53	43.72	51.54	57.53	62.26	56
54	46.06	54.34	61.44	66.48	57
55	48.49	58.03	65.61	71.03	58
56	51.76	61.94	70.11	75.90	59
57	55.19	66.15	74.93	81.03	60
58	58.86	70.62	80.01	86.66	61
59	62.76	75.34	85.60	92.73	62
60	66.84	80.48	91.62	99.34	63
61	71.27	86.02	98.19	106.52	64
62	76.01	92.04	105.32	114.34	65
63	81.13	98.56	113.12	130.34	66
64	86.63	105.69	130.32	141.14	67
65	92.62	121.23	141.11	153.29	68
66	109.18	130.98	153.26	167.34	69
67	117.48	141.91	167.31	183.55	70
68	126.75	154.52	183.52		71
69	137.42	169.01			72
70	149.71				73

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				4.85	20
18			4.82	5.11	21
19		4.46	5.07	5.50	22
20	4.00	4.69	5.46	5.89	23
21	4.20	5.06	5.84	6.30	24
22	4.50	5.44	6.25	6.86	25
23	4.81	5.83	6.80	7.43	26
24	5.11	6.36	7.37	8.21	27
25	5.57	6.91	8.13	8.99	28
26	5.99	7.64	8.90	9.78	29
27	6.62	8.38	9.69	10.80	30
28	7.22	9.12	10.70	11.85	31
29	7.86	10.10	11.73	13.00	32
30	8.67	11.08	12.87	14.07	33
31	9.52	12.16	13.92	15.31	34
32	10.43	13.17	15.15	16.82	35
33	11.30	14.34	16.64	18.13	36
34	12.32	15.76	17.92	19.57	37
35	13.51	16.97	19.34	21.09	38
36	14.57	18.31	20.83	22.70	39
37	15.71	19.71	22.41	24.61	40
38	16.95	21.20	24.29	26.88	41
39	18.23	22.97	26.52	29.31	42
40	19.79	25.07	28.91	31.86	43
41	21.60	27.32	31.42	34.51	44
42	23.60	29.69	34.02	37.64	45
43	25.68	32.14	37.11	41.06	46
44	27.88	35.05	40.47	44.33	47
45	30.45	38.23	43.68	47.68	48
46	33.30	41.27	46.97	51.09	49
47	35.97	44.35	50.31	55.12	50
48	38.69	47.52	54.27	59.47	51
49	41.48	51.28	58.55	63.84	52
50	44.80	55.33	62.85	68.71	53
51	48.38	59.42	67.63	73.81	54
52	51.95	63.95	72.65	79.34	55
53	55.87	68.70	78.10	85.01	56
54	60.00	73.85	83.69	91.18	57
55	64.46	79.13	89.78	97.96	58
56	69.02	84.87	96.48	105.20	59
57	73.93	91.20	103.64	112.99	60
58	79.32	97.94	111.35	121.64	61
59	85.05	105.21	119.93	131.04	62
60	91.20	113.27	129.25	141.33	63
61	97.98	122.04	139.47	152.51	64
62	105.33	131.65	150.58	164.68	65
63	113.35	142.09	162.69	188.28	66
64	122.00	153.50	188.26	204.98	67
65	131.42	179.65	204.96	223.65	68
66	158.13	195.38	223.62	245.15	69
67	171.28	212.94	245.12	269.81	70
68	185.93	233.14	269.78		71
69	202.72	256.28			72
70	222.00				73

Table 32 – SCI CIIT00 MNS and MSM Annual Select Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact) – incl. 26.4% of ACI deaths

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				3.81	20
18			3.65	4.04	21
19		3.55	3.88	4.16	22
20	3.01	3.78	4.01	4.43	23
21	3.20	3.92	4.27	4.60	24
22	3.30	4.16	4.44	4.84	25
23	3.49	4.31	4.68	5.12	26
24	3.61	4.55	4.95	5.50	27
25	3.78	4.81	5.32	5.86	28
26	3.99	5.16	5.67	6.17	29
27	4.25	5.49	5.98	6.49	30
28	4.49	5.79	6.30	6.93	31
29	4.73	6.10	6.72	7.41	32
30	4.97	6.51	7.19	7.95	33
31	5.27	6.94	7.72	8.56	34
32	5.61	7.46	8.32	9.23	35
33	6.00	8.02	8.98	10.09	36
34	6.43	8.65	9.82	10.89	37
35	6.92	9.43	10.60	11.85	38
36	7.53	10.18	11.53	12.88	39
37	8.13	11.06	12.54	14.13	40
38	8.81	12.01	13.77	15.59	41
39	9.57	13.17	15.19	17.41	42
40	10.49	14.51	16.96	19.24	43
41	11.56	16.17	18.76	21.19	44
42	12.86	17.88	20.67	23.52	45
43	14.22	19.69	22.95	26.28	46
44	15.69	21.82	25.65	29.47	47
45	17.38	24.39	28.78	33.17	48
46	19.44	27.36	32.40	37.17	49
47	21.82	30.80	36.31	41.56	50
48	24.58	34.49	40.62	46.36	51
49	27.55	38.59	45.34	51.66	52
50	30.82	43.08	50.54	57.60	53
51	34.42	48.02	56.37	64.16	54
52	38.36	53.56	62.82	71.40	55
53	42.78	59.71	69.94	78.81	56
54	47.68	66.51	77.22	86.96	57
55	53.12	73.49	85.24	95.89	58
56	58.69	81.21	94.02	105.48	59
57	64.86	89.66	103.47	115.80	60
58	71.59	98.82	113.64	126.91	61
59	78.87	108.67	124.61	138.55	62
60	86.70	119.32	136.12	151.07	63
61	95.13	130.56	148.51	164.39	64
62	104.00	142.70	161.71	178.56	65
63	113.51	155.67	175.77	187.34	66
64	123.62	169.55	185.44	203.94	67
65	134.35	181.71	201.84	221.88	68
66	145.49	197.87	219.53	240.97	69
67	157.76	215.30	238.35	261.36	70
68	170.90	233.85	258.42		71
69	184.82	253.62			72
70	199.63				73

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				4.69	20
18			4.66	4.98	21
19		4.41	4.96	5.14	22
20	3.81	4.70	5.12	5.48	23
21	4.06	4.88	5.46	5.77	24
22	4.18	5.19	5.74	6.06	25
23	4.43	5.45	6.02	6.47	26
24	4.63	5.73	6.42	7.05	27
25	4.84	6.11	6.99	7.60	28
26	5.14	6.63	7.54	8.12	29
27	5.54	7.15	8.05	8.63	30
28	5.93	7.63	8.56	9.42	31
29	6.33	8.13	9.34	10.19	32
30	6.71	8.87	10.09	11.13	33
31	7.28	9.56	11.03	12.23	34
32	7.83	10.45	12.11	13.41	35
33	8.53	11.47	13.27	14.92	36
34	9.32	12.55	14.75	16.79	37
35	10.19	13.94	16.61	19.07	38
36	11.28	15.70	18.87	21.61	39
37	12.74	17.83	21.39	24.75	40
38	14.44	20.19	24.51	28.44	41
39	16.38	23.14	28.16	32.83	42
40	18.79	26.58	32.50	37.56	43
41	21.60	30.66	37.20	42.79	44
42	24.91	35.11	42.40	48.84	45
43	28.56	40.04	48.39	54.80	46
44	32.63	45.68	54.30	60.85	47
45	37.24	51.26	60.29	67.60	48
46	41.81	56.89	66.98	74.61	49
47	46.43	63.17	73.90	82.13	50
48	51.58	69.65	81.34	89.99	51
49	56.90	76.64	89.12	98.48	52
50	62.60	83.95	97.50	107.69	53
51	68.58	91.82	106.60	117.78	54
52	75.00	100.36	116.58	128.74	55
53	81.96	109.75	127.42	141.33	56
54	89.59	119.95	139.88	155.23	57
55	97.94	131.77	153.66	170.40	58
56	107.57	144.87	168.71	186.78	59
57	118.29	159.18	184.99	204.25	60
58	129.95	174.72	202.35	223.07	61
59	142.60	191.31	221.08	242.82	62
60	156.09	209.26	240.77	264.09	63
61	170.63	228.20	262.00	286.70	64
62	185.94	248.66	284.59	310.85	65
63	202.36	270.50	308.77	330.81	66
64	219.80	293.95	330.76	359.44	67
65	238.40	318.31	359.39	390.51	68
66	260.97	345.94	390.46	423.74	69
67	282.60	375.89	423.69	459.48	70
68	305.92	407.92	459.42		71
69	330.75	442.28			72
70	357.41				73

Table 33 – SCI CIIT00 FNS and FSM Annual Select Rates per 10,000 (Age Exact) – incl. 26.4% of ACI deaths

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				2.41	20
18			2.39	2.62	21
19		2.28	2.59	2.93	22
20	2.01	2.47	2.91	3.29	23
21	2.18	2.77	3.26	3.62	24
22	2.44	3.12	3.59	4.06	25
23	2.74	3.44	4.02	4.52	26
24	2.99	3.86	4.48	5.12	27
25	3.36	4.31	5.08	5.70	28
26	3.72	4.89	5.65	6.35	29
27	4.22	5.45	6.29	7.13	30
28	4.69	6.08	7.07	7.87	31
29	5.24	6.83	7.79	8.80	32
30	5.88	7.54	8.72	9.65	33
31	6.50	8.44	9.56	10.66	34
32	7.27	9.25	10.55	11.73	35
33	7.99	10.22	11.62	12.79	36
34	8.85	11.25	12.66	13.93	37
35	9.73	12.25	13.78	15.08	38
36	10.62	13.33	14.91	16.38	39
37	11.56	14.41	16.20	17.84	40
38	12.54	15.64	17.63	19.49	41
39	13.63	17.01	19.26	21.28	42
40	14.86	18.56	21.03	23.20	43
41	16.23	20.25	22.93	25.27	44
42	17.77	22.07	24.97	27.72	45
43	19.41	24.02	27.38	30.40	46
44	21.20	26.33	30.03	32.87	47
45	23.29	28.89	32.47	35.42	48
46	25.62	31.24	34.98	37.97	49
47	27.73	33.63	37.49	40.53	50
48	29.90	36.04	40.01	43.21	51
49	32.07	38.45	42.64	45.84	52
50	34.22	40.95	45.22	48.54	53
51	36.45	43.42	47.88	51.27	54
52	38.63	45.94	50.55	54.05	55
53	40.81	48.48	53.28	57.72	56
54	43.00	51.05	56.90	61.55	57
55	45.21	54.52	60.68	65.62	58
56	48.25	58.13	64.70	69.85	59
57	51.38	61.97	68.88	74.26	60
58	54.68	65.95	73.24	78.93	61
59	58.09	70.11	77.86	83.89	62
60	61.61	74.50	82.78	89.19	63
61	65.29	79.18	88.04	94.87	64
62	69.17	84.19	93.67	101.05	65
63	73.28	89.55	99.82	104.05	66
64	77.62	95.41	104.02	111.75	67
65	82.34	100.90	111.73	120.28	68
66	88.85	108.26	120.25	130.02	69
67	94.76	116.39	129.99	141.01	70
68	101.23	125.68	140.98		71
69	108.58	136.13			72
70	116.83				73

Age	q[x]	q[x]+1	q[x]+2	q[x]+3	Age
17				3.18	20
18			3.14	3.43	21
19		2.98	3.40	3.82	22
20	2.59	3.21	3.78	4.21	23
21	2.79	3.58	4.17	4.62	24
22	3.09	3.96	4.57	5.11	25
23	3.40	4.35	5.05	5.68	26
24	3.71	4.82	5.62	6.38	27
25	4.11	5.37	6.31	7.09	28
26	4.52	6.03	7.01	7.81	29
27	5.09	6.71	7.72	8.76	30
28	5.63	7.39	8.66	9.66	31
29	6.21	8.30	9.54	10.74	32
30	6.96	9.15	10.61	11.73	33
31	7.68	10.17	11.59	12.91	34
32	8.54	11.11	12.74	14.27	35
33	9.35	12.22	14.09	15.50	36
34	10.31	13.51	15.30	16.87	37
35	11.37	14.66	16.64	18.24	38
36	12.37	15.93	17.98	19.78	39
37	13.45	17.21	19.49	21.55	40
38	14.57	18.64	21.23	23.59	41
39	15.79	20.28	23.24	25.73	42
40	17.22	22.18	25.33	28.07	43
41	18.85	24.17	27.63	30.50	44
42	20.60	26.35	30.01	33.41	45
43	22.51	28.61	32.87	36.61	46
44	24.52	31.32	36.02	39.66	47
45	26.91	34.31	39.01	42.79	48
46	29.57	37.16	42.08	46.13	49
47	32.06	40.04	45.35	50.01	50
48	34.59	43.15	49.16	54.15	51
49	37.33	46.78	53.22	58.45	52
50	40.52	50.64	57.45	63.02	53
51	43.92	54.67	61.94	67.83	54
52	47.43	58.94	66.67	72.92	55
53	51.11	63.44	71.68	78.15	56
54	54.99	68.20	76.83	83.74	57
55	59.08	73.09	82.34	89.79	58
56	63.27	78.32	88.31	96.08	59
57	67.70	84.01	94.52	102.78	60
58	72.48	89.91	101.14	109.97	61
59	77.41	96.22	108.26	117.69	62
60	82.64	102.99	115.90	126.01	63
61	88.21	110.28	124.15	134.93	64
62	94.15	118.16	133.00	144.62	65
63	100.51	126.61	142.63	148.61	66
64	107.27	135.84	148.58	160.64	67
65	114.61	144.72	160.61	173.83	68
66	124.88	156.33	173.80	188.84	69
67	134.12	169.08	188.81	205.62	70
68	144.18	183.57	205.59		71
69	155.54	199.76			72
70	168.22				73

Appendix 2 – CMI 1999-2002 contributing offices

There were 16 member offices that contributed data to the quadrennium 1999 – 2002. The offices can be divided into five groups of contributors, as existing offices have left the investigation and new offices have joined. The CMI has not disclosed which offices contributed data for different calendar years.

The five groups are:

1. Data for 1999 to 2002
2. Data for 1999 to 2001
3. Data for 2000 to 2002
4. Data for 1999
5. Data for 2002

The data contributors are:

1. Aegon
2. Allied Dunbar
3. AXA
4. Barclays Life
5. BUPA
6. Co-operative Insurance Society
7. Cornhill Life
8. Halifax Life
9. HSBC
10. Legal & General
11. Liverpool Victoria
12. Nationwide Life
13. Royal & Sun Alliance
14. Scottish Provident
15. Standard Life
16. Swiss Life (UK)

Appendix 3 – ABI CI Definitions

Illness	1999 Definition	2006 Definition
Alzheimer's Disease	Not covered	<p>A definite diagnosis of Alzheimer's disease by a Consultant Neurologist, Psychiatrist or Geriatrician. There must be permanent clinical loss of the ability to do all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • remember; • reason; and • perceive, understand, express and give effect of ideas. <p>For the above definitions, the following are not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other types of dementia
Aorta Graft Surgery	<p>Undergoing surgery for disease of the aorta needing excision and surgical replacement of a portion of the diseased aorta with a graft. For this definition, aorta means the thoracic and abdominal aorta but not its branches.</p>	<p>The undergoing of surgery for disease to the aorta with excision and surgical replacement of a portion of the diseased aorta with a graft.</p> <p>The term aorta includes the thoracic and abdominal aorta but not its branches.</p> <p>For the above definition, the following are not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any other surgical procedure, for example the insertion of stents or endovascular repair. • Surgery following traumatic injury to the aorta.
Benign Brain Tumour	<p>A non-malignant tumour in the brain resulting in permanent deficit to the neurological system. Tumours or lesions in the pituitary gland are not covered.</p>	<p>A non-malignant tumour or cyst in the brain, cranial nerves or meninges within the skull, resulting in permanent neurological deficit with persisting clinic symptoms.</p> <p>For the above definition, the following are not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tumours in the pituitary gland • Angiomas.

Illness	1999 Definition	2006 Definition
Blindness	Total permanent and irreversible loss of all sight in both eyes.	Permanent and irreversible loss of sight to the extent that even when tested with the use of visual aids, vision is measured at 3/60 or worse in the better eye using a Snellen eye chart.
Cancer	<p>A malignant tumour characterised by the uncontrolled growth and spread of malignant cells and invasion of tissue. The term cancer includes leukaemia and Hodgkin's disease but the following are excluded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All tumours which are histologically described as pre-malignant, as non-invasive or as cancer in situ. • All forms of lymphoma in the presence of any Human Immunodeficiency Virus. • Kaposi's sarcoma in the presence of any Human Immunodeficiency Virus. <p>Any skin cancer other than malignant melanoma.</p>	<p>Any malignant tumour positively diagnosed with histological confirmation and characterised by the uncontrolled growth of malignant cells and invasion of tissue. The term malignant tumour includes leukaemia, lymphoma and sarcoma.</p> <p>For the above definition, the following are not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All cancers which are histologically classified as any of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ pre-malignant; ○ non-invasive; ○ cancer in situ; ○ having either borderline malignancy; or ○ having low malignant potential. • All tumours of the prostate unless histologically classified as having a Gleason score greater than 6 or having progressed to at least clinical TNM classification T2N0M0. • Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia unless histologically classified as having progressed to at least Binet Stage A. <p>Any skin cancer other than malignant melanoma that has been histologically classified as having caused invasion beyond the epidermis (outer layer of skin).¹⁴</p>
Coma	A state of unconsciousness with no reaction to external stimuli or internal needs, persisting continuously with the use of life support systems for a period of at least 96 hours and resulting in permanent neurological deficit. Coma secondary to alcohol or drug misuse is not covered.	<p>A state of unconsciousness with no reaction to external stimuli or internal needs which:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • requires the use of life support systems for a continuous period of at least 96 hours; and • results in permanent neurological deficit with persisting clinical symptoms. <p>For the above definition, the following is not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coma secondary to alcohol or drug abuse.
Coronary Artery By-pass Surgery	The undergoing of open heart surgery on the advice of a Consultant Cardiologist to correct narrowing or blockage of one or more coronary arteries with by-pass grafts but excluding balloon angioplasty, laser relief or any other procedures.	The undergoing of surgery requiring median sternotomy (surgery to divide the breastbone) on the advice of a Consultant Cardiologist to correct narrowing or blockage of one or more coronary arteries with by-pass grafts.
Deafness	Total permanent and irreversible loss of all hearing in both ears.	Permanent and irreversible loss of hearing to the extent that the loss is greater than 95 decibels across all frequencies in the better ear using a pure tone audiogram.

¹⁴ This is the revised ABI cancer definition issued in December 2006. It specifically includes essential thrombocythaemia and polycythaemia rubra vera under the cancer cover.

Illness	1999 Definition	2006 Definition
Heart Attack	The death of a portion of the heart muscle as a result of inadequate blood supply as evidenced by an episode of typical chest pain, new electrocardiograph changes and by the elevation of cardiac enzymes. The evidence must be consistent with the diagnosis of heart attack.	<p>Death of heart muscle, due to inadequate blood supply, that has resulted in all of the following evidence of acute myocardial infarction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Typical clinical symptoms (for example, characteristic chest pain). • New characteristic electrocardiographic changes. • The characteristic rise of cardiac enzymes or Troponins recorded at the following levels or higher; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Troponin T > 1.0 ng/ml - AccuTnl > 0.5 ng/ml or equivalent threshold with other Troponin I methods. <p>The evidence must show a definite acute myocardial infarction.</p> <p>For the above definition, the following are not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other acute coronary syndromes including but not limited to angina.
Heart Valve Replacement or Repair	Undergoing open heart surgery from medical necessity to replace or repair one or more heart valves.	The undergoing of surgery requiring median sternotomy (surgery to divide the breastbone) on the advice of a Consultant Cardiologist to replace or repair one or more heart valves.
HIV infection	Not covered	<p>Infection by Human Immunodeficiency Virus resulting from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a blood transfusion given as part of medical treatment; • a physical assault; or • an incident occurring during the course of performing normal duties of employment [from the eligible occupations listed below] ¹ ; <p>after the start of the policy and satisfying all of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The incident must have been reported to appropriate authorities and have been investigated in accordance with the established procedures. • Where HIV infection is caught through a physical assault or as a result of an incident occurring during the course of performing normal duties of employment, the incident must be supported by a negative HIV antibody test taken within 5 days of the incident. • There must be a further HIV test within 12 months confirming the presence of HIV or antibodies to the virus. • [The incident causing infection must have occurred in the UK] ² . <p>For the above definition, the following is not covered:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HIV infection resulting from any other means, including sexual activity or drug abuse. <p>1. Note: include specified occupations if applicable 2. Note: include geographic limits as applicable</p>
Kidney Failure	End stage renal failure presenting as chronic irreversible failure of both kidneys to function, as a result of which either regular renal dialysis or renal transplant is initiated.	Chronic and end stage failure of both kidneys to function, as a result of which regular dialysis is necessary.
Loss of Limbs	The permanent physical severance of two or more limbs from above the elbow/wrist or knee/ankle joint.	Permanent physical severance of any combination of 2 or more hands or feet at or above the wrist or ankle joints.

Illness	1999 Definition	2006 Definition
Loss of Speech	Total permanent and irreversible loss of the ability to speak as a result of physical injury or disease.	Total permanent and irreversible loss of the ability to speak as a result of physical injury or disease.
Major Organ Transplant	The actual undergoing as a recipient of, or inclusion on an official UK waiting list for, a transplant of a heart, liver, lung, pancreas or bone marrow.	The undergoing as a recipient of a transplant of bone marrow or of a complete heart, kidney, liver, lung, or pancreas, or inclusion on an official UK waiting list for such a procedure. For the above definition, the following is not covered: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transplant of any other organs, parts of organs, tissues or cells. A definite diagnosis of motor neurone disease by a Consultant Neurologist. There must be permanent clinical impairment of motor function.
Motor Neurone Disease	Confirmation by a Consultant Neurologist of a definite diagnosis of Motor Neurone Disease	A definite diagnosis of motor neurone disease by a Consultant Neurologist. There must be permanent clinical impairment of motor function.
Multiple Sclerosis	A definite diagnosis by a Consultant Neurologist of Multiple Sclerosis which satisfies all of the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There must be current impairment of motor or sensory function, which must have persisted for a continuous period of at least six months. • The diagnosis must be confirmed by diagnostic techniques current at the time of the claim. 	A definite diagnosis of Multiple Sclerosis by a Consultant Neurologist. There must be current clinical impairment of motor or sensory function, which must have persisted for a continuous period of at least 6 months.
Paralysis / Paraplegia	Total irreversible loss of muscle function or sensation to the whole of any two limbs as a result of injury or disease. The disability must be permanent and supported by appropriate neurological evidence.	Total and irreversible loss of muscle function to the whole of any 2 limbs.
Parkinson's Disease	Confirmation by a Consultant Neurologist of a definite diagnosis of Parkinson's Disease. Parkinson's Disease secondary to alcohol or drug misuse is not covered.	A definite diagnosis of Parkinson's disease by a Consultant Neurologist. There must be permanent clinical impairment of motor function with associated tremor, rigidity of movement and postural instability. For the above definition, the following is not covered: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parkinson's disease secondary to drug abuse.
Stroke	A cerebrovascular incident resulting in permanent neurological damage. Transient Ischaemic Attacks are specifically excluded.	Death of brain tissue due to inadequate blood supply or haemorrhage within the skull resulting in permanent neurological deficit with persisting clinical symptoms. For the above definition, the following are not covered: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transient ischaemic attack. • Traumatic injury to brain tissue or blood vessels.
Terminal Illness	Advanced or rapidly progressing incurable illness where, in the opinion of an attending Consultant and our Chief Medical Officer, the life expectancy is no greater than 12 months. (AIDS is specifically excluded and not covered under this definition.)	Advanced or rapidly progressing incurable illness where, in the opinions of an attending Consultant and our Chief Medical Officer, the life expectancy is no greater than 12 months.

Illness	1999 Definition	2006 Definition
Third Degree Burns	Third degree burns covering at least 20% of the body surface area.	Burns that involve damage or destruction of the skin to its full depth through to the underlying tissue and covering at least 20% of the body's surface area.
Traumatic Head Injury	Not covered	Death of brain tissue due to traumatic injury resulting in permanent neurological deficit with persisting clinical symptoms.

The following two changes to the 1999 definitions were made in 2002:

Illness	2002 Definition
Cancer	<p>Any malignant tumour characterised by the uncontrolled growth and spread of malignant cells and invasion of tissue. The term cancer includes leukaemia and Hodgkin's disease but the following are excluded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All tumours which are histologically described as pre-malignant, as non-invasive or as cancer in situ. ▪ All tumours of the prostate unless histologically classified as having a Gleason score greater than 6 or having progressed to at least TNM classification T2N0M0. ▪ All forms of lymphoma in the presence of any Human Immunodeficiency Virus. ▪ Kaposi's sarcoma in the presence of any Human Immunodeficiency Virus. ▪ Any skin cancer other than invasive malignant melanoma
Heart Attack	<p>The death of a portion of heart muscle, due to inadequate blood supply, that has resulted in all of the following evidence of acute myocardial infarction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ typical chest pain; ▪ new characteristic electrocardiographic changes; ▪ the characteristic rise of cardiac enzymes, troponins or other biochemical markers; <p>where all of the above shows a definite acute myocardial infarction. Other acute coronary syndromes, including but not limited to angina, are not covered under this definition.</p>

Appendix 4 – Verification of Our Analysis

4.1 Verification of Claims Data

Table 34 – Our claim figures versus the CMI’s claim figures by ACI and SCI

Sex	Smoker	ACI claims			SCI claims		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference
M	NS	4,261	4,261	0	702	702	0
M	SM	1,892	1,892	0	185	185	0
F	NS	3,257	3,257	0	515	515	0
F	SM	879	879	0	87	87	0
Total		10,289	10,289	0	1,489	1,489	0

Table 35 – Our claims figures versus the CMI’s claims figures by age banding for ACI

Smoker Status	Age Band	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference
NS	-30	460	459	1	358	358	0
NS	31-40	1,197	1,198	-1	1,180	1,180	0
NS	41-50	1,319	1,319	0	1,083	1,083	0
NS	51-60	1,097	1,097	0	588	588	0
NS	61-	188	188	0	48	48	0
NS	All	4,261	4,261	0	3,257	3,257	0
S	-30	152	151	1	94	94	0
S	31-40	498	499	-1	265	265	0
S	41-50	694	694	0	309	309	0
S	51-60	507	507	0	190	190	0
S	61-	41	41	0	21	21	0
S	All	1,892	1,892	0	879	879	0

Table 36 – Our claims figures versus the CMI’s claims figures by duration for ACI

Smoker Status	Duration	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Difference
NS	0	760	756	4	659	658	1
NS	1	725	727	-2	593	594	-1
NS	2	658	660	-2	507	507	0
NS	3	526	526	0	405	405	0
NS	4	394	394	0	329	327	2
NS	5+	1,198	1,198	0	764	766	-2
NS	All	4,261	4,261	0	3,257	3,257	0
S	0	441	438	3	176	175	1
S	1	355	358	-3	177	178	-1
S	2	300	300	0	136	136	0
S	3	262	262	0	101	101	0
S	4	164	164	0	81	80	1
S	5+	370	370	0	208	209	-1
S	All	1,892	1,892	0	879	879	0

4.2 Verification of Exposure Calculation

Table 37 – Our exposure figures versus the CMI’s exposure figures by ACI and SCI

		ACI Exposure			SCI Exposure		
Sex	Smoker	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
M	NS	2,612,401	2,611,119	100.0%	476,898	477,604	100.1%
M	SM	709,598	709,596	100.0%	95,803	95,958	100.2%
F	NS	2,481,984	2,481,870	100.0%	368,717	369,395	100.2%
F	SM	543,568	543,718	100.0%	62,187	62,316	100.2%

Table 38 – Our exposure figures versus the CMI’s exposure figures by age banding for ACI

Smoker Status	Age Band	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
NS	-30	620,956	625,127	100.7%	744,674	749,060	100.6%
NS	31-40	1,191,065	1,190,114	99.9%	1,107,122	1,105,882	99.9%
NS	41-50	588,896	586,087	99.5%	486,673	484,463	99.5%
NS	51-60	197,266	195,795	99.3%	136,219	135,289	99.3%
NS	61-	14,218	13,996	98.4%	7,296	7,176	98.4%
NS	All	2,612,401	2,611,119	100.0%	2,481,984	2,481,870	100.0%
S	-30	186,866	188,158	100.7%	173,999	175,015	100.6%
S	31-40	332,958	332,634	99.9%	234,229	233,992	99.9%
S	41-50	144,998	144,384	99.6%	105,111	104,747	99.7%
S	51-60	42,528	42,224	99.3%	29,102	28,872	99.2%
S	61-	2,248	2,197	97.7%	1,126	1,093	97.1%
S	All	709,598	709,596	100.0%	543,567	543,718	100.0%

Table 39 – Our exposure figures versus the CMI’s exposure figures by duration for ACI

Smoker Status	Duration	Male			Female		
		CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio	CMI Figure	Our Figure	Ratio
NS	0	672,718	683,812	101.6%	647,240	659,194	101.8%
NS	1	503,355	497,277	98.8%	483,113	477,274	98.8%
NS	2	384,852	385,396	100.1%	368,985	369,668	100.2%
NS	3	302,390	300,603	99.4%	289,954	287,959	99.3%
NS	4	237,118	234,916	99.1%	226,666	224,847	99.2%
NS	5+	511,969	509,116	99.4%	466,026	462,928	99.3%
NS	All	2,612,402	2,611,119	100.0%	2,481,984	2,481,870	100.0%
S	0	208,398	211,832	101.6%	157,898	160,822	101.9%
S	1	146,914	144,881	98.6%	112,397	110,959	98.7%
S	2	106,177	106,557	100.4%	81,726	81,972	100.3%
S	3	79,857	79,315	99.3%	61,846	61,386	99.3%
S	4	59,429	58,976	99.2%	46,514	46,051	99.0%
S	5+	108,822	108,036	99.3%	83,187	82,529	99.2%
S	All	709,597	709,596	100.0%	543,568	543,718	100.0%

Appendix 5 – ABI Research into Coverage of Conditions in the UK CI Market

The following table shows the conditions covered by each of the contributing offices. The table is based on ABI research carried out in 2001.

Since the contributing office's name and policy number has been removed from the data, we were not able to calculate what proportion of policies cover each condition. The CMI is duty bound to keep this information confidential, however they did provide us with the percentage of exposure for which each condition is covered based on the ABI research matrix.

Table 40 - Conditions covered by contributing offices based on ABI research in 2001

Conditions	% of 99-02 Exposure	Aegon	Allied Dunbar	AXA	Barclays Life	BUJA	CIS	Cornhill	Halifax Life	HSBC	L&G	Liverpool Vic	Nationwide Life	R&SA	Scot Prov	Standard Life	Swiss Life
Major Conditions																	
Cancer	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Heart Attack	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Stroke	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Multiple Sclerosis	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Minor Conditions																	
Alzheimer's Disease	74.7%	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	-	-	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Angioplasty	84.1%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc
Aorta Graft Surgery	72.5%	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Benign Brain Tumour	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Blindness	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Coma	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Coronary Artery By-pass	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Deafness	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Heart Valve Replacement	96.1%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Kidney Failure	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Loss of Limbs	99.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Loss of Speech	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Major Organ Transplant	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Motor Neurone Disease	99.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Paralysis	87.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Parkinson's Disease	72.5%	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Third Degree Burns	86.8%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	-	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Total & Permanent Disability	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc
Deaths & Terminal Illness	100.0%	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc	Inc

Appendix 6 – Modified Data

Table 41 – Summary of how claims data was modified for ACI

ACI Claims 1999-2002	Original Number	% of Total ACI Cost	Removal of Unknown Smoker	Repeating of Unknown Claim Cause	Adjustment for Under-representation and Removal of Non-ABI Conditions	SDA	Final NS & SM ABI claims	% of Total ACI Cost
	A		B	C	D	E	A-B+C+D+E	
Major ABI Conditions:								
Cancer	4,526	43.9%	7	53	-	803.1	5,374.8	45.8%
Heart Attack	1,157	11.2%	0	14	-	204.4	1,374.9	11.7%
Stroke	526	5.1%	1	6	-	92.5	623.6	5.3%
Multiple Sclerosis	465	4.5%	0	5	-	82.1	552.6	4.7%
Minor ABI Conditions:								
Alzheimer's Disease	5	0.0%	0	0.1	1.7	1.2	8.0	0.1%
Angioplasty	45	0.4%	0	0.5	8.6	9.6	63.7	0.5%
Aorta Graft Surgery	9	0.1%	0	0.1	3.5	2.2	14.7	0.1%
Benign Brain Tumour	142	1.4%	0	1.7	21.8	29.2	194.7	1.7%
Blindness	5	0.0%	0	0.1	0.8	0.9	6.8	0.1%
Coma	39	0.4%	0	0.5	6.0	8.0	53.5	0.5%
Coronary Artery By-pass	229	2.2%	0	2.7	0.0	39.5	271.2	2.3%
Deafness	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Heart Valve Replacement	60	0.6%	0	0.7	2.5	11.0	74.1	0.6%
Kidney Failure	59	0.6%	0	0.7	0.0	10.2	69.9	0.6%
Loss of Limbs	4	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.7	4.7	0.0%
Loss of Speech	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Major Organ Transplant	25	0.2%	0	0.3	0.0	4.4	29.7	0.3%
Motor Neurone Disease	30	0.3%	0	0.4	0.0	5.3	35.6	0.3%
Paralysis	19	0.2%	0	0.2	2.9	4.0	26.1	0.2%
Parkinson's Disease	19	0.2%	0	0.2	7.3	4.6	31.1	0.3%
Third Degree Burns	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Non-ABI Illnesses	118	1.1%	1	1.4	-	-	-	-
Unknown	92	0.9%	0	-	-	-	-	-
Total & Permanent Disability	404	3.9%	0	4.7	-	105.0	513.76	4.4%
Deaths & Terminal Illness	2332	22.6%	12	-	-	95.1	2415.12	20.6%
Total	10,310	100.0%					11,738.6	100.0%

Table 42 – Summary of how claims data was modified for SCI

SCI Claims 1999-2002	Original Number	% of Total ACI Cost	Removal of Unknown Smoker	Repeating of Unknown Claim Cause	Adjustment for Under-representation and Removal of Non-ABI Conditions	SDA	Final NS & SM ABI claims	% of Total ACI Cost
	A		B	C	D	E	A-B+C+D+E	
Major ABI Conditions:								
Cancer	871	58.3%	0	32.8	-	158	1,062	62.0%
Heart Attack	192	12.9%	0	7.2	-	34	234	13.6%
Stroke	81	5.4%	0	3.1	-	15	99	5.8%
Multiple Sclerosis	74	5.0%	1	2.8	-	13	89	5.2%
Minor ABI Conditions:								
Alzheimer's Disease	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Angioplasty	16	1.1%	0	0.6	3.1	3.5	23.2	1.4%
Aorta Graft Surgery	3	0.2%	0	0.1	1.2	0.8	5.1	0.3%
Benign Brain Tumour	17	1.1%	1	0.6	2.5	3.5	22.6	1.3%
Blindness	2	0.1%	0	0.1	0.3	0.5	2.9	0.2%
Coma	5	0.3%	0	0.2	0.8	1.1	7.1	0.4%
Coronary Artery By-pass	50	3.3%	0	1.9	0.0	8.8	60.7	3.5%
Deafness	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Heart Valve Replacement	12	0.8%	0	0.5	0.5	2.2	15.2	0.9%
Kidney Failure	6	0.4%	0	0.2	0.0	1.2	7.4	0.4%
Loss of Limbs	1	0.1%	0	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.2	0.1%
Loss of Speech	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Major Organ Transplant	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Motor Neurone Disease	11	0.7%	0	0.4	0.0	2.0	13.4	0.8%
Paralysis	4	0.3%	0	0.2	0.6	0.8	5.6	0.3%
Parkinson's Disease	6	0.4%	0	0.2	2.4	1.5	10.1	0.6%
Third Degree Burns	0	0.0%	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0%
Non-ABI Illnesses	44	2.9%	1	1.6	-	-	0	-
Unknown	55	3.7%	1	-	-	-	0	-
Total & Permanent Disability	43	2.9%	0	1.6	-	11	56	3.3%
Total	1,493	100.0%					1,713.6	100.0%

Appendix 7 – CIBT02(adj)

Male / Female Ages 20 – 70

The zero coma rates in the original CIBT02 table have been substituted with the population coma rates that we have derived.

Note that the “Total SCI Rates” and “Total ACI Rates” still correspond to the original CIBT02 table and assume a zero rate for coma.

Appendix 8 – Smoothed I/P adjustments

MNS, MSM, FNS and FSM, Ages 20 -70

I/P adjustments by age group were calculated for Cancer, Deaths and the Cardiovascular conditions, since there were enough claims to calculate credible adjustments (see Table 19).

Cancer				
Age	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
20	84%	88%	70%	65%
25	84%	88%	70%	65%
30	84%	88%	72%	65%
35	84%	88%	75%	65%
40	76%	89%	74%	67%
45	66%	90%	73%	70%
50	62%	82%	68%	70%
55	58%	71%	61%	70%
60	58%	71%	61%	70%
65	58%	71%	61%	70%
70	58%	71%	61%	70%

Cardiovascular				
Age	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
20	24%	68%	25%	60%
25	24%	68%	25%	60%
30	24%	68%	25%	60%
35	24%	68%	25%	60%
40	26%	76%	25%	60%
45	28%	85%	25%	60%
50	33%	85%	25%	60%
55	39%	86%	25%	60%
60	39%	86%	25%	60%
65	39%	86%	25%	60%
70	39%	86%	25%	60%

Deaths				
Age	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
20	43%	56%	33%	92%
25	43%	56%	33%	92%
30	39%	56%	33%	92%
35	35%	56%	33%	92%
40	35%	71%	45%	92%
45	35%	90%	60%	92%
50	38%	111%	60%	92%
55	42%	137%	60%	92%
60	42%	137%	60%	92%
65	42%	137%	60%	92%
70	42%	137%	60%	92%

For the conditions with fewer claims, we have calculated I/P adjustments for all ages grouped together.

Condition	MNS	MSM	FNS	FSM
Benign Brain Tumour	224%	224%	224%	224%
TPD	24%	34%	10%	16%
Neurological Type	59%	91%	58%	76%
Organ Failure Type	20%	20%	20%	20%
Accident Type	19%	19%	19%	19%

Appendix 9 – Anonymised Client data against CIIT00

The null hypothesis is that the claims in each cohort are within a 99% confidence interval of the Expected, where the Expected is based on CIIT00, but scaled down by the office’s overall A/E.

Table 43 - Hypothesis test on whether the actual claims are inside a 99% confidence interval based on scaled CIIT00 Expected rates

Office A				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Reject
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

Office B				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

MSM				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

MSM				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FNS				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FNS				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FSM				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Reject	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Reject	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FSM				
MNS	Duration			
Age	0	1	2	3+
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Reject	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Reject	Accept

Office C

MNS	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Reject	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

MSM	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FNS	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Reject	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FSM	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

Office D

MNS	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

MSM	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FNS	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Reject	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

FSM	Duration			
	0	1	2	3+
Age				
0-30	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
31-40	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept
41-50	Accept	Accept	Reject	Accept
51-60	Accept	Accept	Accept	Reject
60-99	Accept	Accept	Accept	Accept

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