



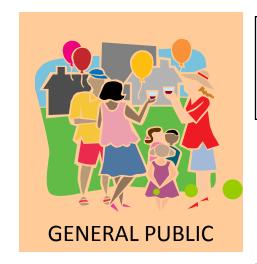
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Communicating Takaful

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Background



HIGH PROPENSITY TO CONSUME

RISK MANAGEMENT SOLUTION

TAKAFUL

ADHERENTS

HIGH PROPENSITY TO CONSUME

RELIGION

NON ADHERENTS

LOW PROPENSITY TO CONSUME







Insurance and Risk Transfer





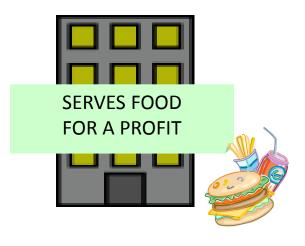


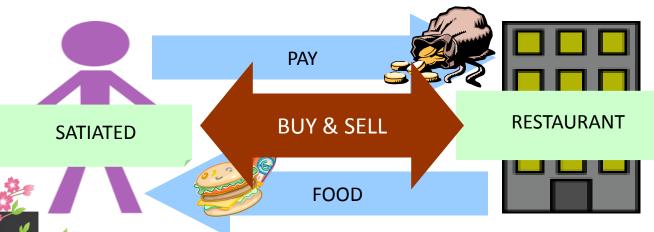


Takaful and Risk Sharing **FACED WITH RISK** FACED WITH RISK **FACED WITH RISK PARTICIPANT PARTICIPANT PARTICIPANT** COME TOGETHER TO SHARE RISK

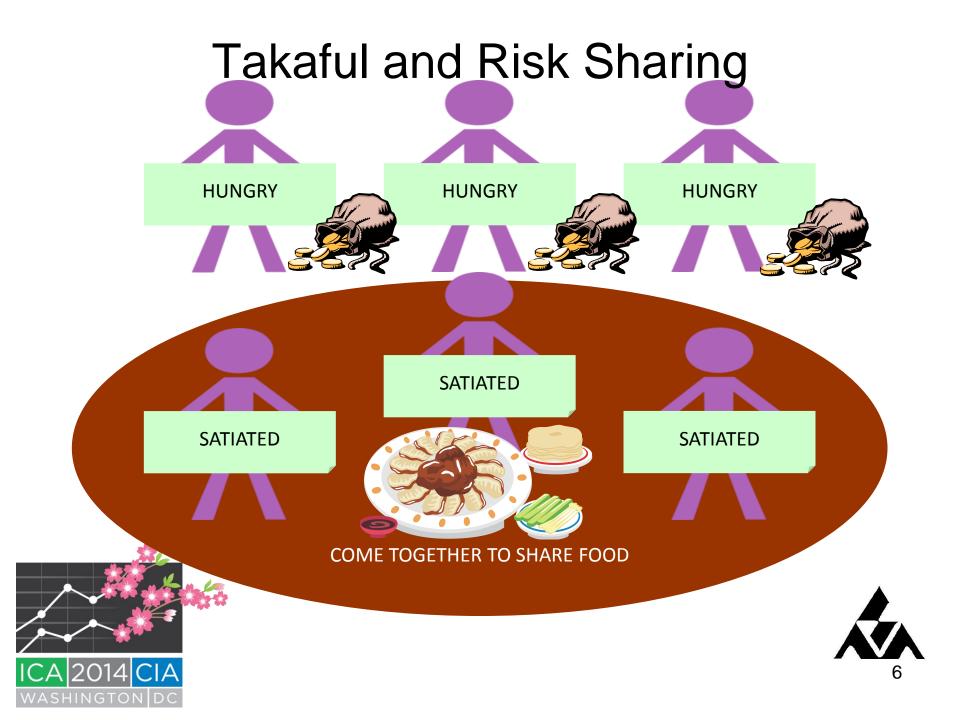
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Form vs Substance

INDIFFERENT

HAVING A MEAL IN A RESTAURANT OR IN A POTLUCK GATHERING

USING INSURANCE OR TAKAFUL TO MANAGE RISK

DIFFERENT

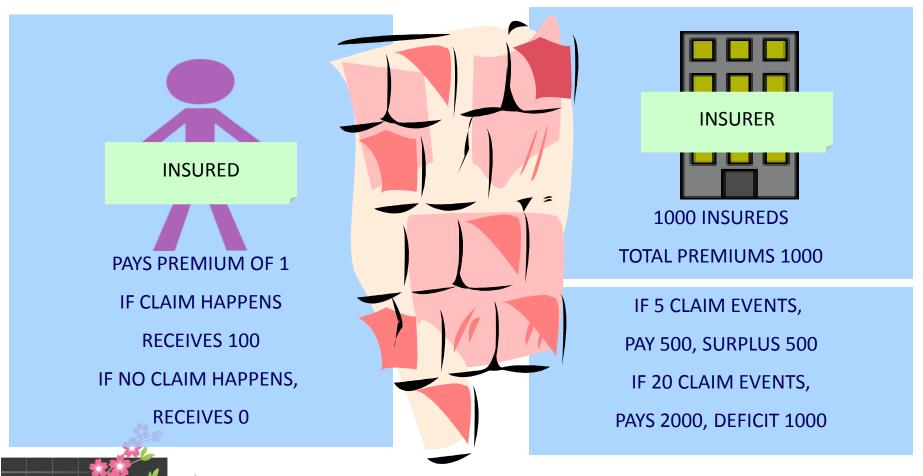
MANAGING A RESTAURANT AND ORGANISING A POTLUCK GATHERING ARE VERY DIFFERENT TASKS

ROLE OF AN ACTUARY IN INSURANCE AND IN TAKAFUL





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DEFINITE FINANCIAL OUTCOME



Takaful and Risk Sharing



CONTRIBUTES 1

IF CLAIM HAPPENS

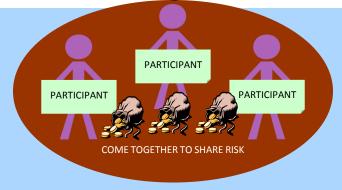
RECEIVES 100

IF NO CLAIM HAPPENS,

RFCFIVFS 0

IF SURPLUS, RECEIVES REFUND

IF DEFICIT, CONTRIBUTES MORE



1000 PARTICIPANTS
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION 1000

IF 5 CLAIM EVENTS,
PAY 500, SURPLUS 500
IF 20 CLAIM EVENTS,
PAY 2000, DEFICIT 1000



VARIABLE FINANCIAL OUTCOME



Which is the better product?

NOT POSSIBLE TO DISTINGUISH AT OUTSET WHETHER TAKAFUL OR INSURANCE RESULTS IN HIGHER EVENTUAL FINANCIAL VALUE.

TAKAFUL AND INSURANCE ARE NOT DIRECT, PERFECT SUBSTITUTES.

IT CAN BE ARGUED THAT, CETERIS PARIBUS, TAKAFUL IS BETTER DUE TO UNDERLYING ELEMENTS OF MUTUAL HELP WHICH IS BENEVOLENT IN NATURE.

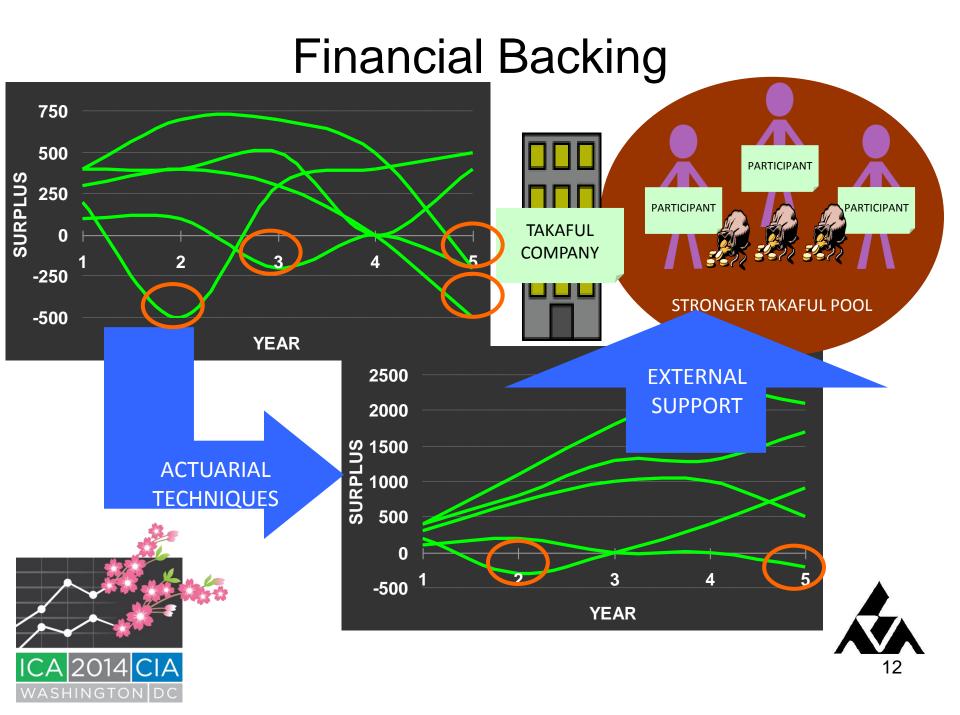
BUT:

- ARE CONSUMERS ALWAYS SEEKING TO HELP EACH OTHER?
- DO CONSUMERS FACE FINANCIAL CONSTRAINTS?
- DO CONSUMERS UNDERSTAND HOW TAKAFUL RELATES TO HELPING EACH OTHER?

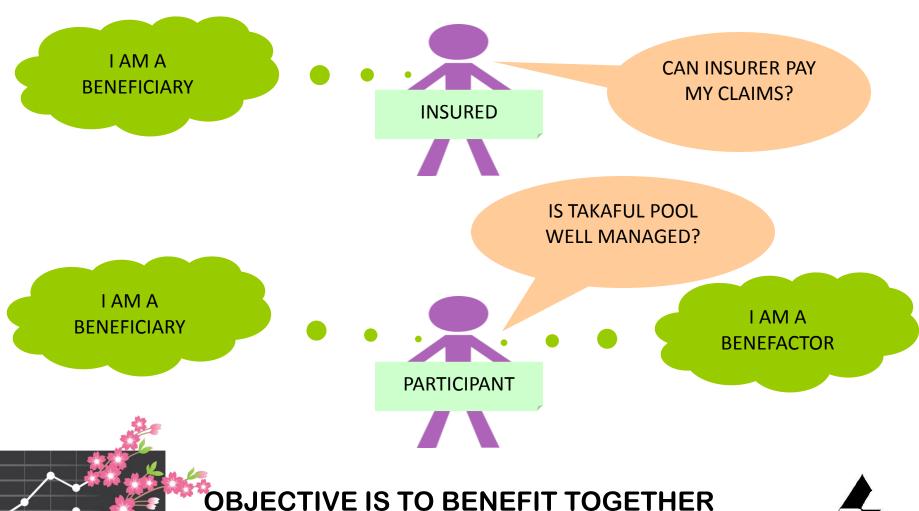
THE SUITABILITY OF A FINANCIAL PRODUCT ULTIMATELY DEPENDS ON SPECIFIC FINANCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES.



Administration UNDERWAR WAR RISK TAKAFUL COMPANY FEE **PARTICIPANT PARTICIPANT PARTICIPANT**



Transparency and Fairness





Questions?

