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Europe, Africa and Latin America findings

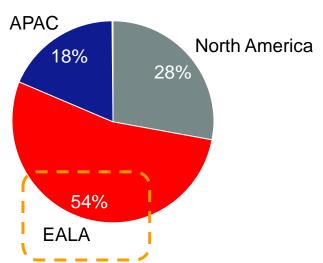
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#### Methodology

- Quantitative global survey of 64 C-level insurance executives in EALA 31 from Life carriers and 33 from P&C carriers. All are involved in investment decision-making for sales, customer service, distribution and/or marketing strategies
- 20 countries covering developed and emerging markets
- Telephone interviews conducted from February to May 2011

#### Regions represented



#### **Countries surveyed**

Developed		Emerging
Markets		Markets
UK France Germany Italy Switzerland Austria Denmark Belgium	Finland Norway Sweden Netherlands Spain	Brazil Mexico Russia Turkey South Africa Czech Republic Poland

### **Key Finding 1: Profitable growth will be more challenging in the next 3 years**

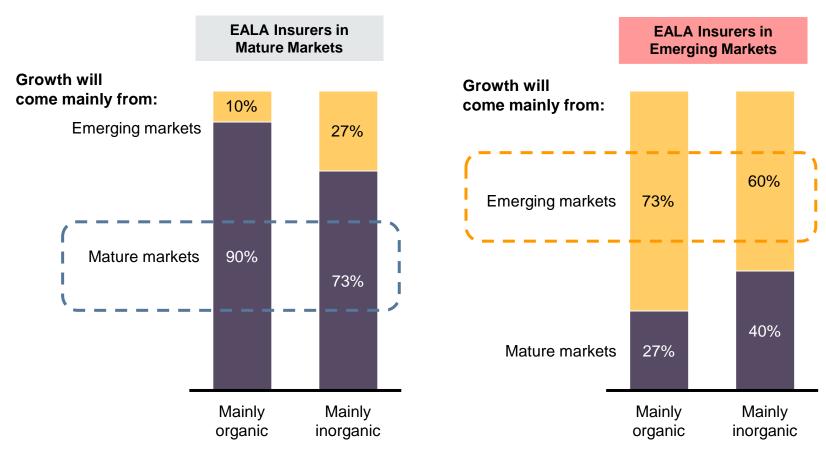


- As the economy slowly recovers, insurers in EALA need to address a wide set of challenges to sustain profitable growth
- EALA insurers in mature & emerging markets alike expect growth to be achieved mainly in their home markets
- Consumers have become more demanding & diverse, better able to find the information they need to make insurance decisions and expecting information to be available at any time via all channels

### EALA insurers in mature & emerging markets alike expect growth to be achieved mainly in their home markets



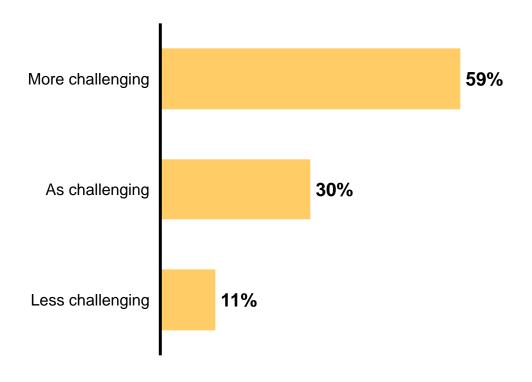
Q: What will be the main driver of growth for your company in the next 3 years?\*



### The battle for customers will become more challenging for insurers in EALA in the next 3 years



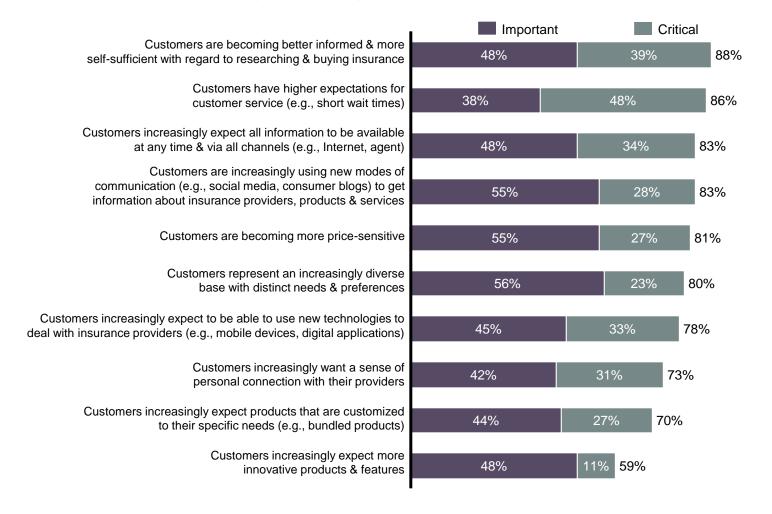
Q: Do you anticipate organic growth to be more or less challenging in the next 3 years?



# Consumers in EALA have become more demanding, self-sufficient and expecting information to be available at anytime via all channels



Q: What are the key challenges that your company will face in attracting & retaining customers in the next 3 years?



## Key Finding 2: The ability to deliver a differentiated & exceptional customer experience will be critical to attracting & retaining more demanding consumers

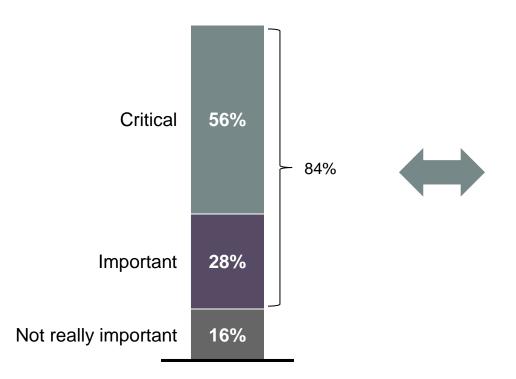


- Despite its importance to them, most insurers in EALA have only been partially successful at providing an exceptional customer experience
- Across a spectrum of services, few carriers in EALA have achieved meaningful differentiation
- Superior marketing & distribution capabilities are enabling a few insurers in EALA to out-perform their competitors
- However, many are lagging the top performers in a number of key areas

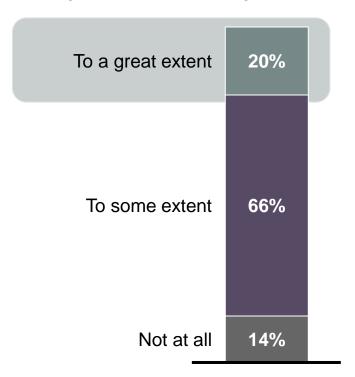
### Most insurers in EALA are only partially successful at meeting their critical goal of providing a differentiated & exceptional customer experience



Q: For insurers seeking organic growth, how important is it to give customers a differentiated & exceptional experience?



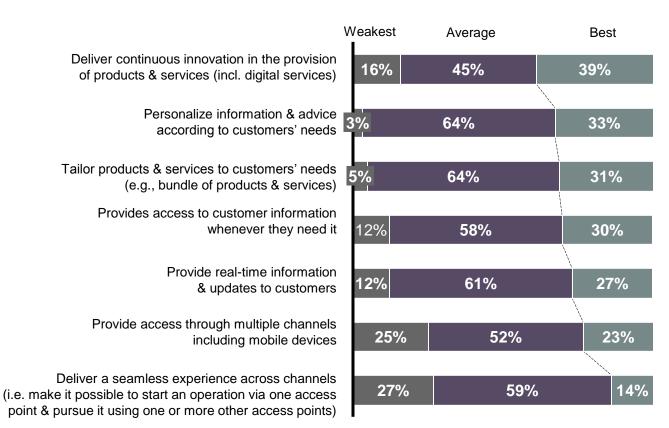
Q: To what extent does your company currently deliver a differentiated & exceptional customer experience?







#### Q: How does your company perform compared to your competitors?



- Among the best in the industry: you are advanced or leading edge
- Average; you are in line with the performance of the majority of your peers
- Among the weakest in the industry

## Superior marketing & distribution capabilities are enabling a few insurers in EALA to out-perform their competitors



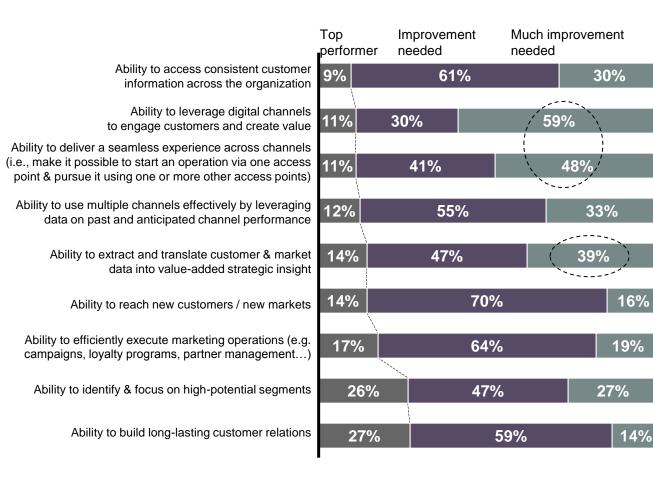
Q: Do your current marketing & distribution capabilities give you a competitive advantage?



## Many insurers in EALA are lagging the top performers in a number of key marketing & distribution areas



### Q: How would you rate your company's performance in each of these marketing & distribution capability areas area?



- No improvement required you already are among the top performers
- Slight improvement required to be among the top performrs
- Significant improvement required to be among the top performers

### Key Finding 3: A strong analytics capability is a prerequisite for the delivery of a differentiated & exceptional customer experience



- The vast majority of insurers in EALA are convinced it is important or critical to invest in improving their analytics capabilities
- While most carriers in EALA have already made substantial investments, they believe they need to expand this – and one in four are planning significant increases
- In addition to gaining access to relevant, current data, the most important challenges facing insurers in EALA are in the areas of analytics skills, technology and standardized practices

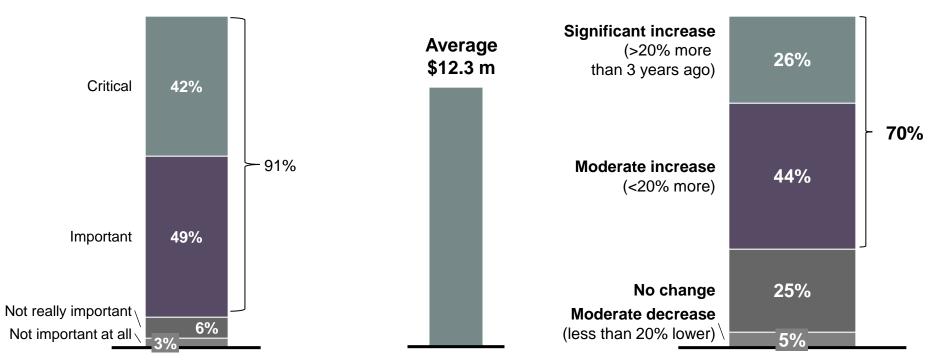
### The average insurer in EALA has invested \$12.3m in analytics, and plans to increase this amount



Q: How important is it for your company to invest in analytics in order to be a top performer in your industry in the next 3 years?

Q: How much has your company invested in analytics at the global level (including internal resources) in the last 3 years?

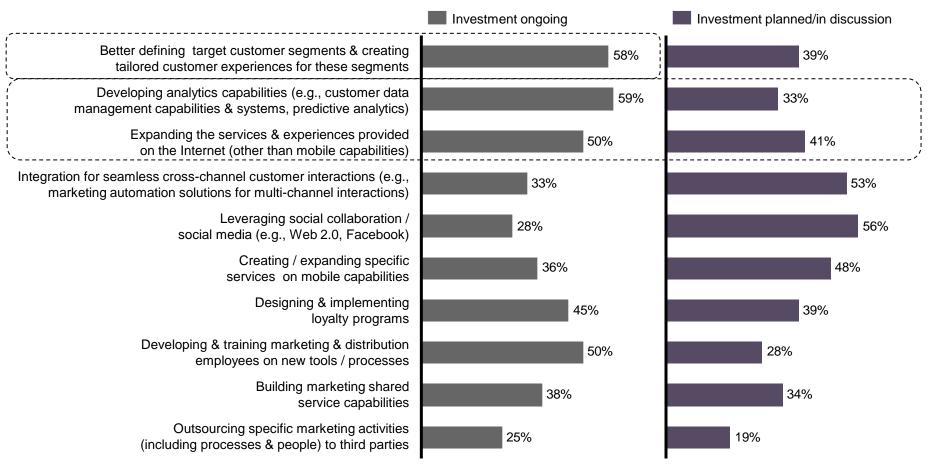
Q: How will your company change its investment in the next 3 years to improve its analytics capabilities?







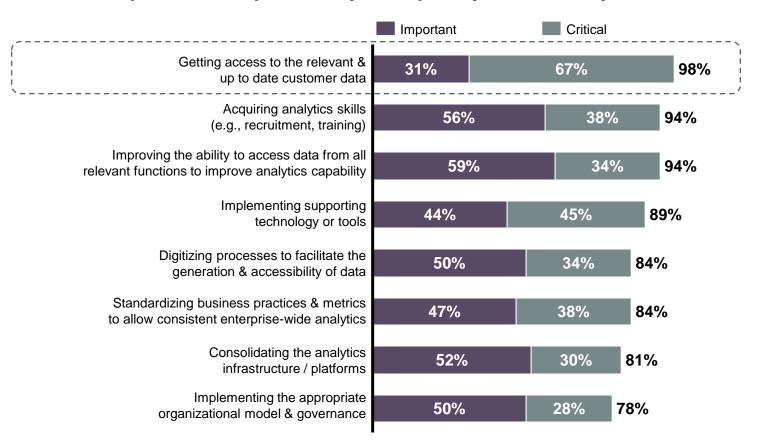
Q: What investment are you making, or considering making, in the next 3 years to create a differentiated & exceptional experience for your customers?







Q: How important will these challenges be for your company as it develops & implements a superior analytics capability in the next 3 years?



### Key Finding 4: Superior mobile capabilities will be critical to outperform the market



- The overwhelming majority of insurers in EALA regard it as important or critical to improve the provision of services via mobile devices
- Most plan to invest, over the next three years, in significantly enhancing their mobile capability
- To develop a sophisticated mobile capability, insurers in EALA will need to improve their skills, systems and processes – and the integration of their channels

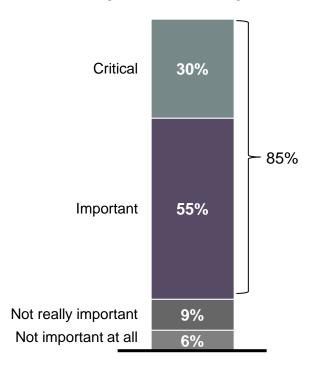
### The average insurer in EALA has invested \$6.7m in mobile capabilities, with many planning to increase this amount significantly

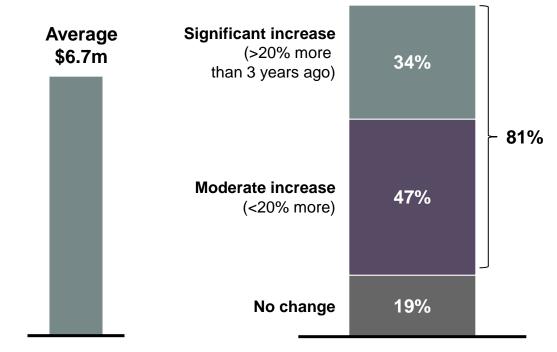


Q: How important is it for your company to invest in mobile capabilities along the value chain in order to be a top performer in your industry in the next 3 years?

Q: How much has your company invested in mobile capabilities at the global level (including internal resources) in the last 3 years?

Q: How will your company change its investment in the next 3 years to improve its mobile capabilities?

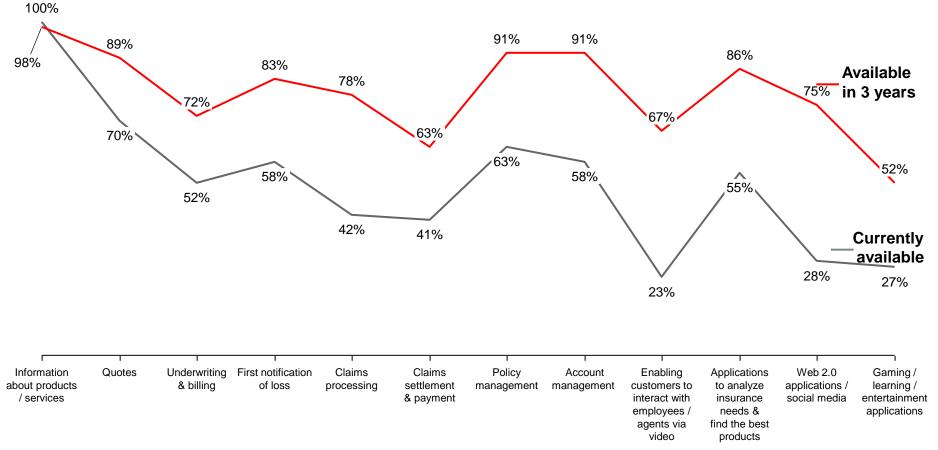




## Although insurers in EALA already provide a wide range of services on the Internet, they will continue to expand their online offering



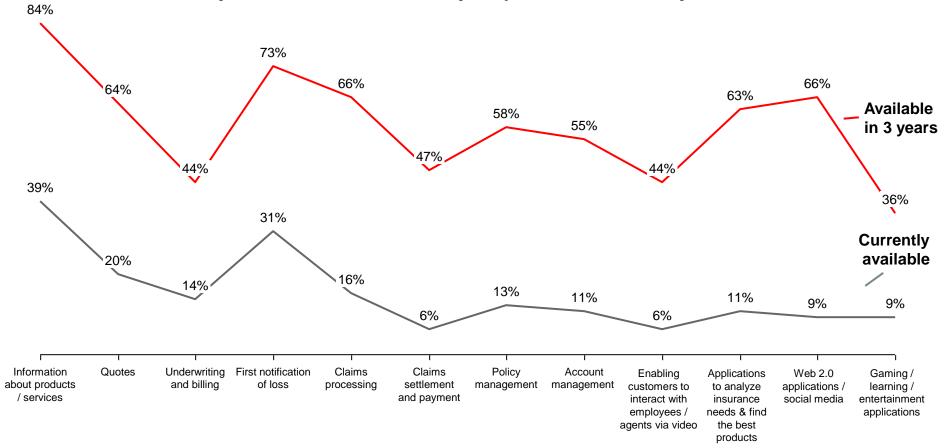
Q: What online services, accessible via PC or laptop, do you currently provide for your customers? What are your plans for the next 3 years?







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Q: What are the key challenges facing your company as it strives to develop superior mobile capabilities in the next 3 years?

