

## **Bima Sugam**

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Recently, the <u>Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI)</u> has approved the setting up of <u>Bima Sugam</u> — an **online insurance marketplace (like an e-commerce platform)** for buying, selling, and servicing insurance policies as well as settling claims.

- It will onboard all the companies that offer life and non-life insurance products under one roof.
- Bima Sugam will serve as a unified platform, integrating with government databases, insurers, intermediaries, and insurance repositories.
- It will fetch customer details, provide product information, and facilitate the purchase and servicing of insurance policies.
- Acting as a single interface, it will cater to customers, intermediaries, and agents, enabling them
  to connect and transact across various insurers (life, health, non-life).
- Bnefits for Customers:
  - Insurance policies are available in electronic format, reducing reliance on physical documents.
  - Bima Sugam aims to make life insurance more affordable by streamlining processes and reducing administrative costs.

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