Target Market Determination (TMD)

Strata Insurance



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1. What is a Target Market Determination?

A Target Market Determination (TMD) is a determination that GIO has made to:

- describe the class of Customers this product has been designed for;
- specify product distribution conditions;
- specify TMD review periods and triggers; and
- set out reporting requirements.

This TMD assists GIO staff, our Distributors and Customers in understanding the target market for this product.

In this TMD, distribution includes the following conduct in relation to Customers:

- dealing in the product (e.g. issuing or arranging for the product to be issued to a Customer);
- giving a PDS or other regulated disclosure document; and
- providing financial product advice in relation to the product.

2. What product does this TMD apply to?

This TMD applies to the building cover (and common contents cover if added to the policy) in the GIO Strata Insurance Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) and any Supplementary Product Disclosure Statement (SPDS) we may issue.

3. What are the key attributes of this product?

Summary of Key Product Attributes	 This product provides: cover for accidental loss or damage to the Customer's building (with the ability to add common contents cover) during the period of insurance caused by an incident. Accidental loss or damage cover includes cover for incidents such as flood, storm, fire (including bushfire), escape of liquid, and impact;
	 legal liability cover for having to pay compensation for death or bodily injury to other people, or loss or damage to other people's property:
	 in connection with the Customer's building, common contents, common areas or the scheme land or the Customer's land at the insured address; and
	 at the insured address.
	For full details of the cover available in this product, including the conditions and exclusions that apply, GIO staff, our Distributors and Customers should read the PDS which can be found at www.gio.com.au.

4. What is the target market for this product?

Key Eligibility Criteria	This product is suitable for:	This product is not suitable for:
Customers within target market	Customers who require cover for a building (cover for common contents can be added if required by the Customer but cannot be purchased on its own), that is:	• customers whose building is not registered or required to be registered or insured under a body corporate, strata title, group, or community title
	 fully owner occupied and/or rented to tenants as their permanent residence used for holiday rental, holiday letting, short term rental and home sharing schemes as long as the percentage of the overall building or complex used in this way meets our underwriting criteria 	 covering common contents on their own buildings where more than 40% of the units/dwellings are used for holiday rental, holiday letting, short-term and home sharing schemes
	Customers who have an insured address that is located within an acceptable State or Territory (NSW, ACT, VIC, WA and NT)	
Location of the building	Buildings located within an acceptable postcode	Buildings located within an unacceptable postcode including some offshore islands
The type of building	Buildings that are either:	Buildings such as but not limited to:
	 small residential strata title properties and community titled properties 	hotels, motels, resorts
	 residential properties associated with a body 	ski lodgeschalets
	corporate or owners corporation	
Use of the building	Buildings that:	Buildings where:
	 are occupied by tenants as their permanent residence 	commercial use premises exist
	 provide limited cover for properties used for 	non-residential business activity occursused as Boarding or guest house
	short-term rental or holiday letting (including arrangements booked through an online	 used as boarding or guest nouse occupied by trespassers or unauthorised persons
	booking platform)	• more than 40% of the units/dwellings are used for holiday rental, holiday letting, short-term rental and home sharing schemes
Condition of the building	Buildings that are well maintained and in a good condition and structurally sound	Buildings that don't meet our acceptability criteria for condition including, but not limited to, buildings that are:
		• not structurally sound
		• up for or subject to demolition
		• under construction or in the course
		of construction

This product is designed to be consistent with the likely objectives, financial situation and needs of Customers who meet the Key Eligibility Criteria described above and who:

Customer objectives and needs	• require and seek financial protection for accidental loss or damage to the Customer's building (with the ability to add cover for common contents), including for incidents like flood, storm, fire (including bushfire), escape of liquid and impact;	
	• require and seek legal liability cover for having to pay compensation for death or bodily injury to other people, or loss or damage to other people's property:	
	 in connection with the Customer's building, common contents, common areas or the scheme land or the Customer's land at the insured address; and 	
	 at the insured address; and 	
Financial situation	• are able to pay premiums in accordance with the chosen policy structure, inclusive of any applicable GST, stamp duty, other government charges and any levies that apply.	
	Customers can adjust the premium to suit their circumstances by choosing from a range of excesses, amounts of cover and by choosing to pay annually or by instalments.	

This product is likely to be consistent with the objectives, financial situation and needs of the Customers in the target market because:

- the product provides cover for the types of loss or damage that Customers in the target market are seeking to insure against;
- the product can be tailored to suit individual needs by allowing customers flexibility to choose from a range of excesses, amounts of cover and payment options; and
- the target market for the product covers those Customers who are eligible to receive cover.

5. When will we review this TMD?

We will complete a review of this TMD for this product by no later than the following periods:

- a. First review period: By 04/08/2023.
- b. Ongoing review periods:
 - At least every 2 years following the first review period.
- c. Significant impact review: Within 1 year of the TMD being updated based on a Review Trigger, a significant dealing outside of target market or a material change to the product's distribution channel.

6. Other circumstances which will trigger a TMD review

The Review Triggers for this product are:

- if one or more terms of the product are altered and we consider that this alteration reasonably suggests that this TMD is no longer appropriate;
- an event or circumstance occurs that materially changes a factor taken into account when making the TMD that would suggest to us that the TMD is no longer appropriate, such as a change in underwriting requirements;
- the discovery of a material defect in the PDS which reasonably suggests that the TMD is no longer appropriate;
- if feedback, such as significant or systemic complaints or claims issues, is received from a Distributor or Customers who purchased the product, and we consider that this reasonably suggests to us the TMD is no longer appropriate;
- if feedback, regulatory orders or directions received from a regulator, the Code Governance Committee (CGC) or Australian Financial Complaints Authority (AFCA) suggest this TMD is no longer appropriate;
- if a change in law, regulation, or regulatory guidance materially affects the product design or distribution of the product (or class of products that includes this product) where we consider that this reasonably suggests that this TMD is no longer appropriate;
- where significant dealings outside the TMD occur, and we consider that this reasonably suggests that this TMD is no longer appropriate;
- if a remediation event relating to this product occurs where we consider this would reasonably suggest that:
 - this product is unsuitable for a particular cohort of Customers; and
 - the TMD may no longer be appropriate.
- if we consider, through our ongoing monitoring of product value data metrics (such as those identified in Section 9 of this TMD), that material deviations have occurred in a combination of data metrics reasonably suggesting that the product is not providing value or the TMD is no longer appropriate.

7. What distribution conditions apply to this product?

The following conditions apply to this product:

- those Distributors who distribute the product are required to be authorised by us to distribute this product and those arrangements must not be cancelled or suspended;
- this product must only be distributed in accordance with this TMD;
- distribution of this product must comply with all of our underwriting criteria;
- distribution of this product must be conducted through our policy administration system through the following distribution channels:
 - contact centres;
 - GIO Agencies;
- this product cannot be distributed where this TMD is not up to date and no new TMD has been published; and
- the TMD must be current and not subject to any ASIC action that might suggest that the TMD is no longer appropriate.

Business processes including reasonable platform controls (such as knockout underwriting questions), staff and distributor training, telephone and platform scripting and quality assurance programs are designed to ensure that the product is distributed to Customers within the target market in line with the above distribution conditions.

8. When do Third Party Distributors who distribute our products need to report complaints about this product to us?*

Third Party Distributors who distribute our products need to provide us information on complaints made about this product on a Quarterly basis (**Complaints Reporting Period**).

Third Party Distributors who distribute our products are required to provide to us this complaints information within 10 business days of the end of the Complaints Reporting Period.

All complaints lodged with us are handled in accordance with Suncorp's Group Complaint Management Standard.

*This section 8 only applies to products distributed by Third Party Distributors.

9. Information to assess TMDs and reporting periods

The table below sets out the kinds of information we need to identify, or those that Distributors who distribute our product need to provide to us, to enable us to ensure that the TMD for this product continues to be appropriate.

Information	Persons required to report	Reporting period
Complaints feedback including: Nature of complaints Number of complaints Product category 	Distributors / Issuer	Quarterly
Claims data including: • Average claims costs • Claims acceptance rates • Claims frequency • Loss ratios	lssuer	Quarterly
Annual Product Review outcomes	lssuer	Annually
Sales information including:Strike ratesCancellation ratesException reporting	lssuer	Quarterly
Dealings of product outside of TMD	Distributors / Issuer	As soon as practicable but within 10 business days
Any feedback, regulatory orders or directions received from a regulator, CGC or AFCA in respect of the product or its distribution	Distributors / Issuer	As soon as practicable but within 10 business days

