



PL-4: Usage-based Insurance: Are you Ready?

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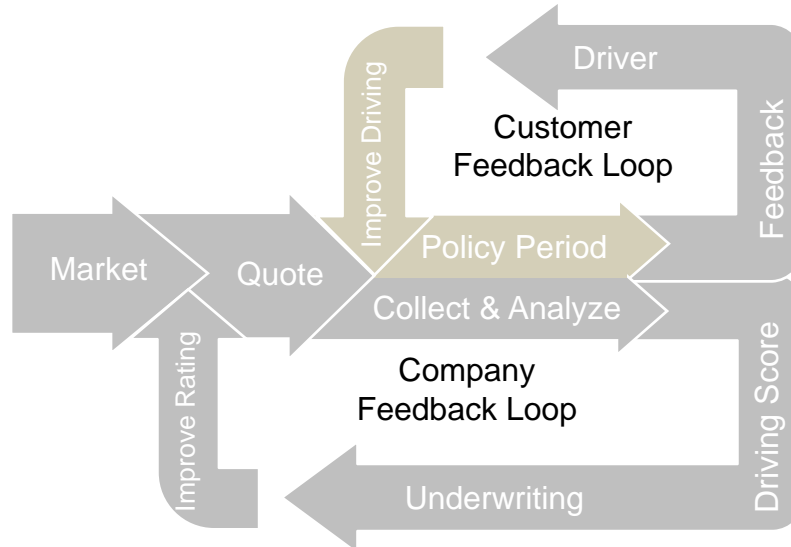
Usage-based Insurance (UBI) utilize insured's driving behavior collected from telematic devices to differentiate risk and/or providing useful information to policyholders. Poised to be the next major innovation since auto insurers began using credit scores.

What is currently happening?
Why is UBI good for companies, customers & society?
What are the obstacles to implementation?

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How does UBI work?



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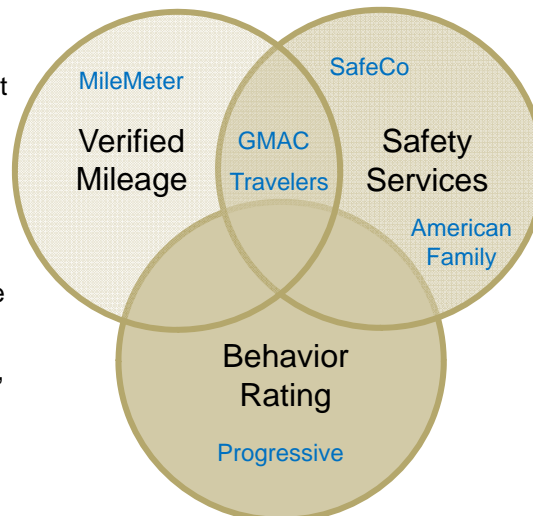
What is usage-based insurance (UBI)?



UBI programs collect data on driving behavior from telematic devices and use that information to modify insurance premiums or to provide useful feedback to policyholders, or both.

- Companies have UBI programs around the globe
- Many other companies, including small companies, are moving toward implementation

Notable US Programs



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Commercial Auto



- Many telematics manufacturers and distributors
- Primarily used for fleet management, not insurance
- Professional installation required
 - Annual maintenance provides opportunity
 - High average premium justifies cost
- No standard for data
- No consistent databases or loss cost models

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On-Board Recording Device Commercial Regulations



Section 395.15 FMCSA safety regulations - Automatic On-Board Recording Device (AOBRD), replace a paper logbook.

AOBRD automatically records engine use, road speed, miles driven, the date, and time of day.

Drivers enter other information required for hours-of-service records.

Electronic On-Board Recorder (EOBR) formally proposed.

EOBR uses GPS to automatically record additional hours-of-service.

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What proportion of the US commercial fleets currently use telematics?



- 1) Less than 10%
- 2) 10% to 25%
- 3) 26% to 50%
- 4) More than 50%

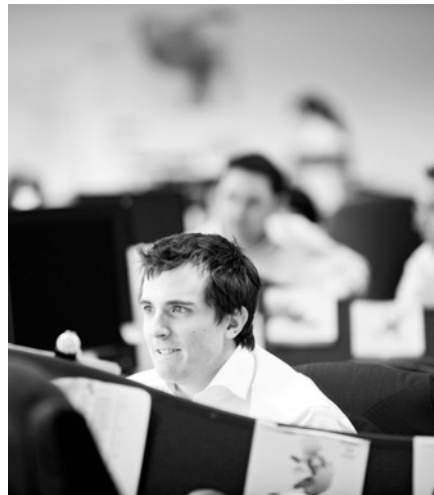
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Personal Auto



- ▶ Early pilots used professionally installed OEM or after-market devices
- ▶ Subsidized cost for learning
- ▶ Inconvenient for consumers and low adoption rate

- ▶ Opportunities as device costs decline
- ▶ Multiple electronic makers offering devices
- ▶ Several insurers launching efforts



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What proportion of the US auto insurance market will use UBI in 5 years?

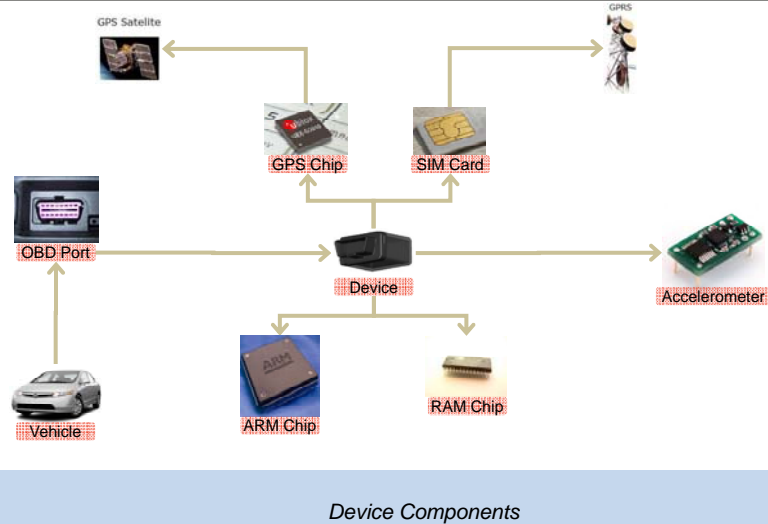


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Telematic Devices



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Alternative Models



► Dedicated Device

- Insurance must pay for device and install
- Need self install to appeal to mass market
 - Reasonable cost
 - Ease of use

► Shared Services Device

- Device is able to support added value services outside insurance for example
 - Satellite Navigation
 - Rerouting to avoid Traffic Congestion
 - Theft Tracking
 - Speed camera warnings
 - Emergency Call etc.
- Hard install may be required for these

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Added Value Services

- Safe Driver Coaching
 - In vehicle feedback
 - Web site reports
- Emergency Call
 - Detect significant impacts
 - Send text alerts ("Where am I" message)
 - Real-time service to dispatch help
- Theft Service
 - Detect motion without ignition
 - Tracking and call for help
- Geo-fence Service
 - Detect location outside boundary zone
 - Trigger notification



Subscription services could help subsidize the costs

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Which technology will be most prevalent in five years?

1. Aftermarket OBD
2. Smart phone app
3. GPS (e.g. Garmin)
4. OEM
5. Other

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DATA

Data Transmission Costs and Alternatives



- ▶ Data types
- ▶ Record size
- ▶ Frequency of transmission
- ▶ Data Compression



Data Uses

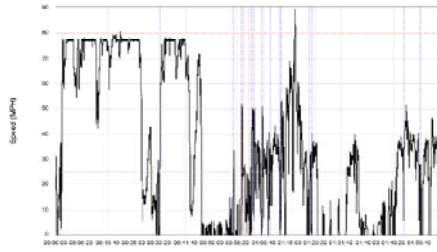


- ▶ Data needed for loss cost models
- ▶ Data consumer wants
- ▶ Data for additional services



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Customer Feedback



Start Time	16/03/2009 07:40
End Time	16/03/2009 09:45
Duration	02:04:07
Idle	00:23:33
0 to 25 MPH	00:30:59
26 to 50 MPH	00:31:08
51 to 80 MPH	00:38:36
Over 81 MPH	00:00:19
Distance	70.2 Miles
Average Speed	34 MPH
Maximum Speed	80 MPH
Hard Brakes	2 (Between 0.50 G and 0.79 G)
Extreme Brakes	0 (Over 0.79 G)
Hard Accelerations	16 (Between 0.31 G and 0.46 G)
Extreme Accelerations	0 (Over 0.45 G)
Parameters	
Parameter 1	Vehicle Speed Every 1 Seconds
Parameter 2	Engine Speed Every 5 Seconds

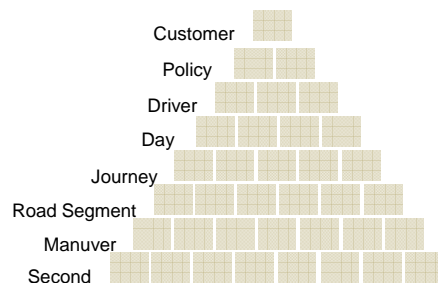
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Trip 2	27/02/2009 19:24	00:12:43	7.7	77	00:00:00	4	0	0	0
Trip 3	27/02/2009 19:43	00:11:00	7.7	83	00:00:06	3	0	3	0
Trip 4	28/02/2009 08:32	00:14:53	8.7	89	00:00:00	3	0	0	0
Trip 5	28/02/2009 08:48	00:06:17	0.8	29	00:00:00	0	0	0	0
Trip 6	28/02/2009 08:33	00:07:56	2.1	45	00:00:00	4	0	1	0
Trip 7	28/02/2009 18:46	00:10:31	6.1	76	00:00:00	4	0	1	0
Trip 8	28/02/2009 12:55	00:23:24	20.9	78	00:00:00	5	0	0	0
Trip 9	28/02/2009 12:15	00:24:21	28.1	79	00:00:00	5	0	1	0
Trip 10	28/02/2009 18:07	00:14:22	8.0	77	00:00:00	2	0	1	0
Trip 11	28/02/2009 10:11	00:08:26	2.1	36	00:00:00	0	0	0	0
Trip 12	28/02/2009 18:23	00:14:27	8.3	79	00:00:00	1	0	2	0
Trip 13	28/02/2009 22:29	00:18:45	8.8	78	00:00:00	3	2	0	0
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Trip 15	01/03/2009 14:08	00:11:54	6.1	75	00:00:00	1	0	0	0
Trip 16	01/03/2009 14:33	00:07:33	7.4	43	00:00:00	0	0	0	0
Trip 17	01/03/2009 14:32	00:11:22	5.3	78	00:00:00	0	0	0	0
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Trip 19	01/03/2009 16:36	00:11:37	8.6	78	00:00:00	0	0	0	0
Trip 20	01/03/2009 10:09	00:13:20	6.7	72	00:00:00	0	0	0	0



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Levels of Aggregation



Factors can exist at any level

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Data Sources



- ▶ Internally recorded by device
 - ▶ Clock, Accelerometer

- ▶ Obtained from vehicle diagnostics
 - ▶ Odometer, Speedometer, Engine operation

- ▶ Obtained from external sources
 - ▶ GPS, Maps, Weather, Traffic

- ▶ Developed from raw data

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What are the biggest obstacles to UBI rollout?

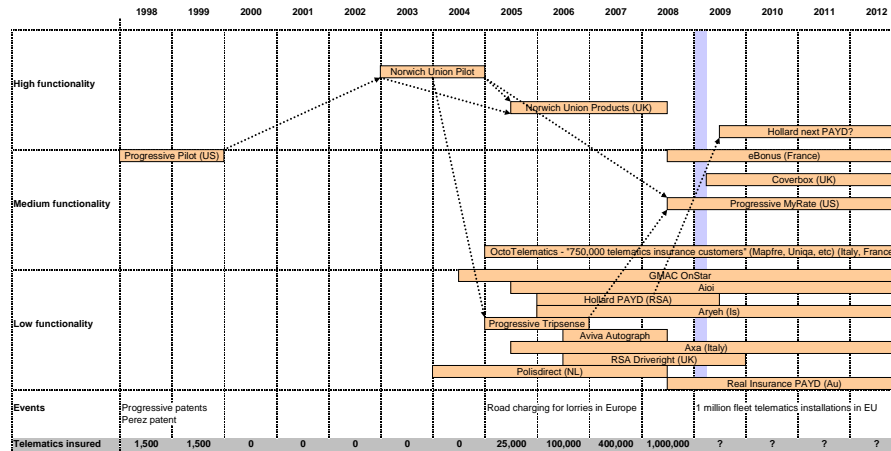
- 1) Consumer privacy
- 2) Technology
- 3) Investment costs
- 4) Lack of data
- 5) Patents
- 6) Other

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VALUE PROPOSITION

Telematics Timeline



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Why now?



There are numerous reasons why UBI is gaining momentum

- Technology costs have dropped
- Predictive power significantly enhances accuracy of prices
- Participating consumers love it
- Accident reduction potential
- Politically accepted
- Retention dramatically increased

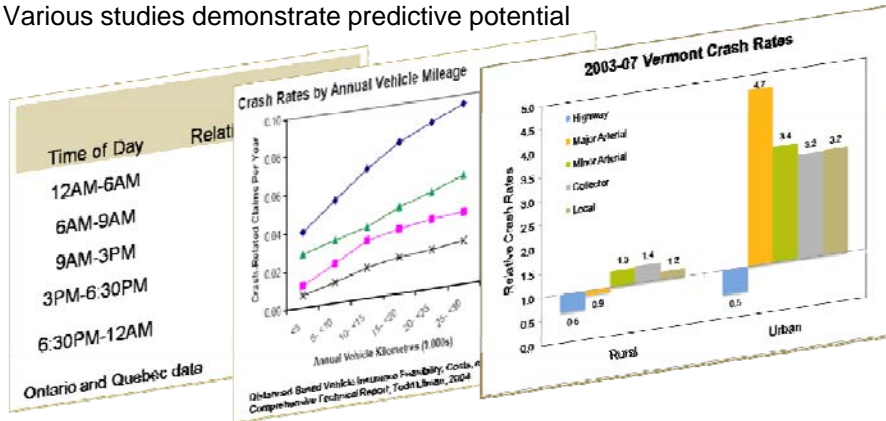


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Tremendous predictive power



Various studies demonstrate predictive potential



- › Companies gain competitive advantage through better segmentation
- › Elimination of cross-subsidization is more “fair”

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Appeals to participating consumers

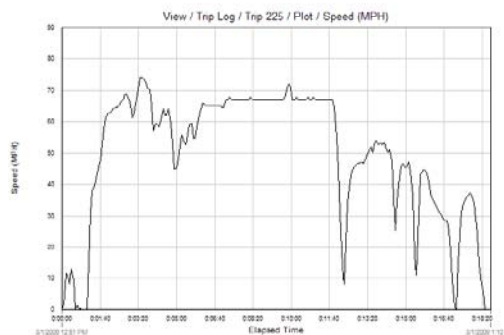


Once educated, UBI appeals to consumers

- › Makes sense
- › Controllable
- › Side benefits

As it is causal, reduces reliance on risk proxies

- › Insurance credit scores
- › Driver assignment
- › Charges for relatively rare accidents, convictions



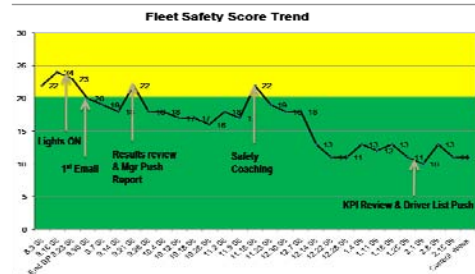
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Improves driving and reduces accidents

UBI experience significantly better

- Norwich Union: 30% frequency reduction
- GreenRoads: 54% improvement in fleet crash rate
- Iceland postal service reduced crash rate by 56%
- Progressive offers up to 61% discounts
- Pepsi (Iceland) reduced fleet crash rates by over 80%



Early adopters will have increased profits and a competitive advantage

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Missing Premium

- Rating error represented nearly 10% in personal auto premium
- Largest cause (\$2.6 billion) was unrated drivers
- 52 percent of auto policies change of vehicles or drivers annually
- 5 times more likely to report mileage changes that lower than raise premium.
- But UBI accurately tracks behavior

Source: Quality Planning report in [National Underwriter Online News Service](#), Jan. 20, 2010

With UBI, who drives may no longer matter.

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What will be the average loss cost savings for early adopters?



- 1) Less than 5%
- 2) 6% to 10%
- 3) 11% to 20%
- 4) 21% to 50%
- 5) Greater than 50%

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Even the regulators can support this



Unlike many innovations, regulators should love this too

- “Fairly” discriminatory
- Saves lives
- Environmentally friendly
- Addresses affordability issues

Some states have applicable legislation

- CA: required rating variable
- TX: HB 45
- OR: tax rebate
- Items pending in other states



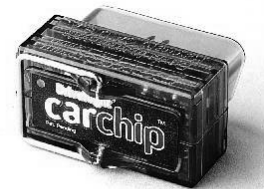
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What does this mean?



Devices can track simple or very detailed driving behavior

- Significantly increase pricing accuracy
- Minimize reliance on detailed questions and controversial proxy variables
- Help customers understand and eliminate risky behaviors
- Differentiate product offering via additional services



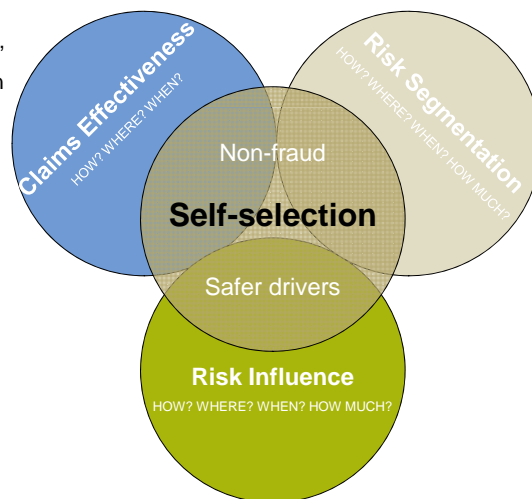
All this means increased profits and retention!

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Reducing Risk Cost with Telematics



- **Risk Segmentation**
 - Deriving risk factors from the data, and applying loadings / discounts to customers to enhance selection
- **Risk Influence**
 - Customer feedback on behaviors to avoid
 - Reducing Vehicle usage overall, and especially higher risk miles
- **Claims Effectiveness**
 - Informing the claims process
 - Use of Telematics data as evidence
- **Self Selection**
 - Reducing underwriting and claims fraud

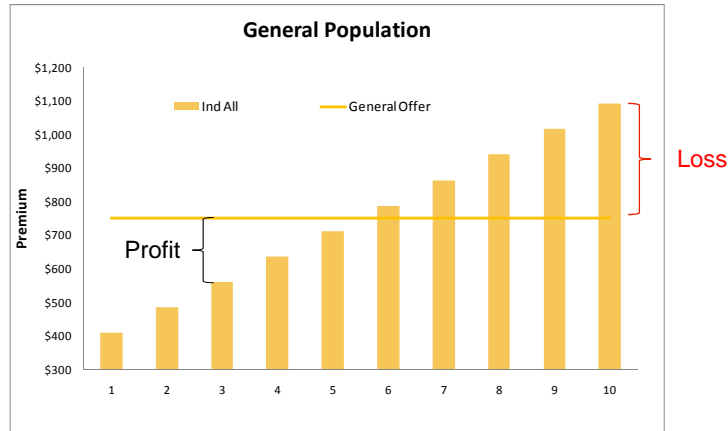


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UBI is a significant advantage for early adopters!



Risk varies significantly by driving behavior, even though premium is not

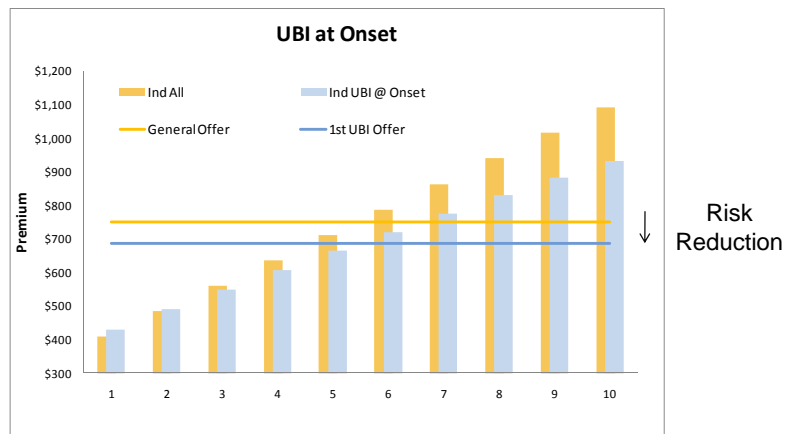


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UBI population's risk is lower than total population due to self-selection, observation effect, and consumer feedback mechanisms

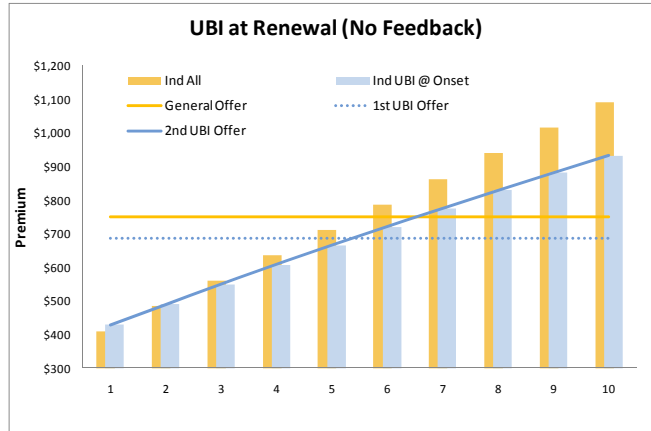


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Once behavior is measured, UBI insurer will be able to segment the risks effectively and have a huge competitive advantage

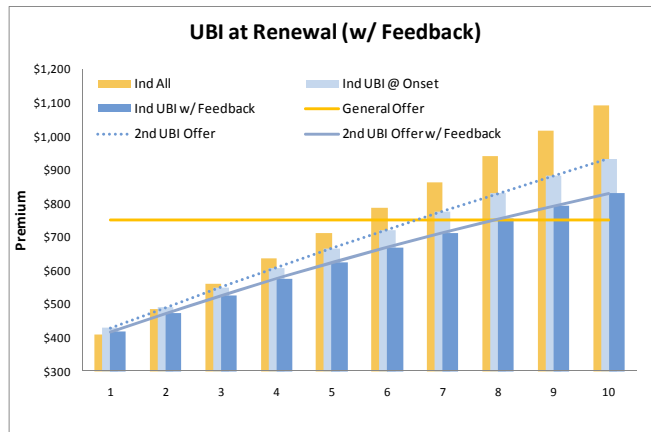


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UBI is a significant advantage for early adopters!



If provide feedback to drivers, can drive the costs down even lower to increase advantage



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