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## Performance for the year ended March 31, 2026

- Private Market leadership in Individual New Business Premium and Individual Rated Premium with market share of 25.5% & 22.9% respectively.
- Annualized Premium Equivalent (APE) stands at ₹ 242.7 billion with growth of 13%
- Individual New Business Sum Assured stands at ₹ 4,463 billion with 61% growth
- Improvement in 13M & 49M persistency by 53 bps & 107 bps respectively<sup>6</sup>
- Value of New Business (VoNB) stands at ₹ 66.7 billion with growth of 12%
- VoNB Margin stands at 27.5%
- Indian Embedded value (IEV) stands at ₹ 807.9 billion with 15% growth
- Profit After Tax (PAT) stands at ₹ 24.7 billion with 2% growth
- Operating Return on Embedded Value stands at 19.7%
- Assets under Management stands at ₹ 4.9 trillion with 9% growth
- Robust Solvency ratio of 1.90

### Key measures of performance

Particulars	(₹ in billion)		
	FY 2026	FY 2025	YoY
<b>Revenue Parameters</b>			
New Business Premium (NBP)	425.5	355.8	20%
Renewal Premium (RP)	587.3	494.1	19%
<b>Gross Written Premium (GWP)</b>	<b>1,012.9</b>	<b>849.8</b>	<b>19%</b>
Individual New Business Premium	297.8	263.6	13%
Individual Rated Premium (IRP)	219.0	193.5	13%
Annualized Premium Equivalent (APE)	242.7	214.2	13%
Private Market Share based on IRP <sup>1</sup>	22.9%	22.8%	
APE Product mix (%) (Par/Non Par/ULIP)	7/33/60	3/33/64	
APE Channel mix (%) (Banca/Agency/others)	60/29/11	61/28/11	
<b>Financial Parameters</b>			
Profit after Tax (PAT)	24.7	24.1	2%
Net Worth	190.8	169.8	12%
Assets under Management (AuM)	4,871.6	4,480.4	9%
<b>IEV, VoNB and VoNB Margin<sup>2</sup></b>			
Indian Embedded Value (IEV)	807.9	702.5	15%

Particulars	FY 2026	FY 2025	YoY
IEV per share (in ₹) (IEV / Number of Shares)	805.4	701.0	15%
Value of New Business (VoNB)	66.7	59.5	12%
VoNB per Share (in ₹) (VoNB / Number of Shares)	66.5	59.4	12%
New Business Margin (VoNB Margin)	27.5%	27.8%	-
<b>Key Financial Ratios</b>			
Operating expense ratio <sup>3</sup>	6.1%	5.3%	-
Commission ratio <sup>4</sup>	4.4%	4.4%	-
Total cost ratio <sup>5</sup>	10.6%	9.7%	-
<b>Persistency Ratios - Premium Basis (Regular Premium/ Limited Premium payment under individual category)<sup>6</sup></b>			
13 <sup>th</sup> month persistency	87.9%	87.4%	-
25 <sup>th</sup> month persistency	78.0%	77.7%	-
37 <sup>th</sup> month persistency	72.3%	72.1%	-
49 <sup>th</sup> month persistency	69.1%	68.0%	-
61 <sup>st</sup> month persistency	58.1%	63.6%	-
Solvency Ratio	1.90	1.96	-
Return on Equity (RoE)	13.7%	15.1%	-

1. Source: Life insurance council

2. IEV, VoNB and VoNB Margin for FY 26 & FY 25 have been reviewed by Independent Actuary.

3. Operating expense ratio = Operating expenses / Gross Written Premium (GWP)

4. Commission ratio = Commission (including rewards) / Gross Written Premium (GWP)

5. Total cost ratio = (Operating expenses + Commission + Provision for doubtful debt and bad debt written off) /GWP

6. The persistency ratios are calculated as per IRDAI circular IRDAI/NL/MSTCIR/RT/93/6/2024 dated June 14, 2024.

Persistency Ratios for the year ended March 31, 2026 and March 31, 2025 are 'Upto the Quarter' Persistency calculated using policies issued in 1<sup>st</sup> March to 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> February of the relevant years.

N.B: Refer the section on definitions, abbreviations and explanatory notes.

**The Board of Directors of SBI Life Insurance Company Limited approved and adopted its audited financial results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2026, following its meeting on Wednesday, April 22, 2026 in Mumbai.**

The Company's 3 key strengths – a highly effective distribution network, one of best operating efficiency, and customer centricity has resulted in registering a growth better than industry on Individual Rated New Premium basis.

#### **Managing Director & CEO's Statement:**

**Amit Jhingran, MD & CEO** of SBI Life stated: The life insurance industry witnessed improved momentum during FY26, supported by recent regulatory measures and a gradual shift in customer preference towards protection-oriented products. The exemption of GST on individual policies enhanced affordability and supported demand during the period.

The Company's product mix reflected evolving customer preferences, with balanced contributions from ULIPs, participating and non-participating savings products, while the Par and retail protection segments recorded

strong year-on-year premium growth. The Company reported stable Value of New Business (VNB) margins along with steady VNB growth during FY26.

SBI Life Insurance remains focused on maintaining a balanced approach to growth and profitability. The Company continues to strengthen its product portfolio, distribution capabilities and operational efficiencies, while adhering to prudent risk management practices. As one of the leading private life insurers in India, SBI Life remains committed to enhancing insurance penetration and delivering long-term value to all stakeholders.

The disclosure of financial results submitted to exchanges is annexed to this release.

### **Business growth and market share**

- The Company has maintained its leadership position in Individual Rated Premium of ₹ 219.0 billion with 22.9% private market share in FY 26.
- Growth in Individual New Business Premium by 13% to ₹ 297.8 billion in FY 26.
- Protection New Business Premium stands at ₹ 46.22 billion in FY 26.
- Gross Written Premium (GWP) has grown by 19% to ₹ 1,012.9 billion in FY 26 mainly due to 20% growth in New Business Regular Premium (NBP) and 19% growth in Renewal Premium (RP) in FY 26.

### **Distribution network**

- The Company has strong distribution network of 358,506 trained insurance professionals consisting of Agents, CIFs and SPs along with widespread operations with 1,230 offices across country.
- The Company has diversified distribution network comprising of strong bancassurance channel, agency channel and others comprising of corporate agents, brokers, micro agents, common service centers, insurance marketing firms, web aggregators and direct business.
- APE channel mix for FY 26 is bancassurance channel 60%, agency channel 29% & other channels 11%.
- Individual NBP of Other channel has increased by 38% to ₹ 50.7 billion in FY 26 as compared to last year.

### **Cost Efficiency**

- Total Cost ratio for FY 26 is 10.6% vis-à-vis 9.7% for FY 25
  - Commission ratio for FY 26 & FY 25 is 4.4%.
  - Operating Expense ratio for FY 26 is 6.1% vis-à-vis 5.3% in FY 25

### **Profitability**

- Profit after Tax (PAT) grew by 2% to ₹ 24.7 billion for FY 26.
- VoNB increased by 12% to ₹ 66.7 billion for FY 26.
- VoNB margin stands at 27.5% in FY 26.

### **Persistency**

- Growth in 13<sup>th</sup> month and 49<sup>th</sup> month persistency (based on premium considering Regular Premium/ Limited Premium payment under individual category) in FY 26 by 53 bps and 107 bps respectively due to our focus on improving the quality of business and customer retention.

### **Assets under Management**

- AuM grew by 9% from ₹ 4,480.4 billion as on March 31, 2025 to ₹ 4,871.6 billion as on March 31, 2026 with debt-equity mix of 62:38. 94% of the debt investments are in AAA and Sovereign instruments.

### **Financial position**

- The Company's net worth increased by 12% from ₹ 169.8 billion as on March 31, 2025 to ₹ 190.8 billion as on March 31, 2026.
- Robust solvency ratio of 1.90 as on March 31, 2026 as against the regulatory requirement of 1.50 indicating strong financial position of the Company.

### **Definitions, abbreviations and explanatory notes**

- **New Business Premium (NBP):** Insurance premium that is due in the first policy year of a life insurance contract or a single lump sum payment from the policyholder.
- **Annualized Premium Equivalent (APE):** The sum of annualized first year premiums on regular premium policies, and 10% of single premiums, written by the Company during the fiscal year from both retail and group customers.
- **Individual New Business Premium:** Insurance premium that is due in the first policy year of an individual life insurance contract.
- **Individual Rated Premium (IRP):** New business premiums written by the Company under individual products and weighted at the rate of 10% for single premiums.

- **Renewal Premium:** Life insurance premiums falling due in the years subsequent to the first year of the policy.
- **Embedded Value:** The measure of the consolidated value of shareholders' interest in the covered life insurance business, which is all life insurance business written by the Company since inception and in force as on the valuation date (including lapsed business which have the potential of getting revived). The Embedded Value of the Company has been determined on the basis of the Indian Embedded Value (IEV) Methodology calculated as per APS 10 set forth by the Institute of Actuaries of India (IAI).
- **Value of New Business (VoNB):** VoNB is the present value of expected future earnings from new policies written during a specified period and it reflects the additional value to shareholders expected to be generated through the activity of writing new policies during a specified period.
- **Value of New Business Margin / VoNB Margin:** VoNB Margin is the ratio of VoNB to New Business Annualized Premium Equivalent for a specified period and is a measure of the expected profitability of new business.
- **Solvency Ratio:** Solvency ratio means ratio of the amount of Available Solvency Margin to the amount of Required Solvency Margin as specified in form-KT-3 of IRDAI Actuarial Report and Abstracts for Life Insurance Business Regulations.
- **Net worth:** Net worth represents the shareholders' funds and is computed as sum of share capital and reserves (including share premium but excluding employee stock options outstanding account), share application money and fair value change account net of debit balance in profit and loss account.

### **About SBI Life Insurance**

SBI Life Insurance ('SBI Life' / 'The Company'), one of the most trusted life insurance companies in India, was incorporated in October 2000 and is registered with the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) in March 2001.

Serving millions of families across India, SBI Life's diverse range of products caters to individuals as well as group customers through Protection, Pension, Savings and Health solutions.

Driven by 'Customer-First' approach, SBI Life places great emphasis on maintaining world class operating efficiency and providing hassle-free claim settlement experience to its customers by following high ethical standards of service. Additionally, SBI Life is committed to enhance digital experiences for its customers, distributors and employees alike.

SBI Life strives to make insurance accessible to all, with its extensive presence across the country through its 1,230 offices, 29,344 employees, a large and productive network of about 282,001 agents, 84 corporate agents and 9 bancassurance partners with more than 40,000 partner branches, 160 brokers and other insurance marketing firms.

In addition to doing what's right for the customers, the company is also committed to provide a healthy and flexible work environment for its employees to excel personally and professionally.

SBI Life strongly encourages a culture of giving back to the society and has made substantial contribution in the areas of child education, healthcare, disaster relief and environmental upgrade. In 2025-26, the Company touched over 20,500 direct beneficiaries through various CSR interventions.

Listed on the Bombay Stock Exchange ('BSE') and the National Stock Exchange ('NSE'), the company has an authorized capital of ₹ 20.0 billion and a paid up capital of ₹ 10.0 billion. The AuM is ₹ 4,871.6 billion.

For more information, please visit our website-[www.sbilife.co.in](http://www.sbilife.co.in) and connect with us on Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, Instagram, and LinkedIn.

(Numbers & data mentioned above are for the year ended March 31, 2026)

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(₹1 billion (bn) = ₹ 100 crore; ₹1 trillion = ₹ 1 lakh crore)