SOLO[™] – Disability Insurance

SOLO Disability Insurance allows your client to focus on their recovery by paying a monthly amount if your client is unable to work due to an accident or illness.



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SOLO	DISABILITY INCOME	LOAN INSURANCE	Accident	Illness		
Target market	Self-employed and independent workers Business owners Employees without group disability insurance or with inadequate coverage The self-employed and independent workers The self-employed and ind	Individuals who: have mortgage or personal loans are covered by group or individual coverage that does not provide enough to cover their monthly expenses have a higher standard of living than their insurable earnings have a multi-dwelling mortgage loan own an incorporated company that has business loans	Individuals who: want accident coverage only are unable to afford a traditional disabil have high-risk occupations (such as cor are employees covered by a workers' co coverage outside of work have pre-existing medical conditions th disability insurance products are over 60 years of age and still workir	nstruction, heavy industry and mining) ompensation plan but also require nat make them ineligible for traditional		
Eligibility	Newcomers to Canada who:	Newcomers to Canada who:	Must be a Canadian citizen or a permar	nent resident		
(Number of hours and weeks worked)	 have been a resident in Canada for at least one year have obtained permanent residence status or have applied for it intend to settle permanently in Canada For more details, consult Webi.ca Belong to an occupational class other than "X" Work at least 30 hours per week and at least 40 weeks per year or between 35 and 39 weeks per year (minimum waiting period of 60 days) or Work between 24 and 29 hours per week and at least 40 weeks per year (minimum waiting period of 90 days) Restrictions for pregnant women in the 3rd trimester only: 90-day waiting period 2-year benefit period 	have been a resident in Canada for at least one year have obtained permanent residence status or have applied for it intend to settle permanently in Canada For more details, consult Webi.ca Belong to an occupation class other than «X»¹ Work at least 30 hours per week and at least 35 weeks per year or Work 24 to 29 hours per week and at least 40 weeks per year or Work 21 hours per week on a regular and continuous basis Restrictions for pregnant women in the 3rd trimester only: 90-day waiting period 2-year benefit period Individuals on parental leave are eligible for SOLO Loan Insurance without any restrictions.	Belong to an eligible occupation listed i Must have no physical or daily activiti Must be working at least 20 hours pe	in the illustration software¹: ies limitations		
Eligible loans	N/A	 Mortgage or mortgage line of credit, including multi-dwelling Line of credit Long-term loan or lease for a car, motor home, boat or motor bike Credit card RRSP loan or any other investment financing (leverage loan) All other fixed-term loans with regular payments (with or without minimum capital payments) Business loans Personal, student and renovation loan Rent also eligible (principal residence) SOLO Loan Insurance protects an individual or a corporation, but not both simultaneously. If a client requires personal and business coverage, they will have to buy 2 different SOLO Loan Insurance policies. 	N	/A		
Type of protection	24	hour	24 hour or Non-work related			
Occupation class	4A, 3A	, 2A, A, B	1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 5B (if the client's occupation compensation to qualify)	is 5B, they must be eligible for workers'		

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Eligibility for upgrade	Yes, please check the illustration software for conditions.			N/A				
Issue age	12111 22	: 18 to 60 : 18 to 50	18 to 69			18 to 64		
Premium structure	Term 65: Level up to age 65 Term 10: Level for 10 years The premium structure may be changed from T10 to T65 without any medical or financial proof.		Level up to age 75 Single rate for all ages depending on the coverage			Level up to age 70		
Non-guaranteed premium	The premium could change to reflect claims experience and/or in will not be considered.	terest rates in force. Any change would then affect all clients who s	share similar charac	hare similar characteristics. Health and ability to perform the occupation				
Waiting period	30, 30+, 60, 90, 90+, 120, 365 or 730 days The + signifies eligibility to receive the monthly amount as of the 1st day in case of accident.	30, 60, 90 or 120 days	0, 30 or 120 days 30 or 120 days			5		
Benefit period	2 years, 5 years or up to age 65	2 years, 5 years or up to age 65 Business Ioan: 2 or 5 years Rent: 2 years	Eligibility age	Classes 1–4	Classes 5 & 5B	Eligibility age	Classes 1-4	Classes 5 & 5B
			18-64	5 years or up to age 70	5 years	18-59	5 years or up to age 70	5 years
			Age 65-69	Up to age 70	Up to age 70	60-64	5 years N/A	5 years
			Benefit period is reduced to 24 months upon reaching age 68.					
Monthly amount	Minimum: \$400 Maximum: 4A: \$10,000 3A: \$9,000 2A: \$7,000 A: \$6,000 B: \$3,500 Monthly amount based on the percentage of the client's income.	Minimum: \$400 Maximum: \$5,000 \$3,500 - Class B No financial underwriting applies for amounts of \$3,000 and less, including all other covered loans. Monthly amount based on the monthly loan payments of the client or those of their incorporated business.	Minimum: \$500 Maximum: Classes 1, 2: \$6,000 Classes 3, 4, 5, 5B: \$5,000 Monthly amount based on the percentage of the client's income.					
Renewal	Guaranteed ren	ewable to age 65	Guaranteed renewable to age 75 Guaranteed renewable to age 70					
Continuation of coverage	After age 65, the coverage can be changed to a Term 5 disable employment, not be disabled at time of request and provide No medical evidence required	ility insurance plan at the insured's request. Must have full-time financial evidence	N/A					

201.0		LOAN INGUIDANCE	ESSENTIAL DISABILITY INCOME		
SOLO	DISABILITY INCOME	LOAN INSURANCE	Accident	Illness	
Total disability	If the client was employed prior to the onset of the disability due	e to an illness or an accident:	If the client was employed prior to the onset of disability due to an illness or an accident:		
	During the waiting period and the 24 months following: The client is considered totally disabled if they: 1. are unable to perform the main duties of their regular occu. 2. are not working in any gainful occupation 3. receive continuous medical care After receiving monthly amounts for 24 months: The client will continue receiving monthly amounts if they: 1. are unable to work at a replacement occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation 3. receive continuous medical care If the client was unemployed for less than 12 months, on materior unpaid leave of absence prior to the onset of disability due They are considered totally disabled if they: 1. are unable to work at a replacement occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation	rnity or parental leave for 70 weeks or less or on a paid	or an accident: During the waiting period and the 36 months following: The client is considered totally disabled if they: 1. are unable to perform the main duties of their regular occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation 3. receive continuous medical care After receiving monthly amounts for 36 months: The client will continue receiving monthly amounts if they: 1. are unable to work at a replacement occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation 3. receive continuous medical care If the client was unemployed for more than 60 days prior to the onset of one client is considered totally disabled if they: 1. are unable to work at a replacement occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation 2. are not working in any gainful occupation		
Regular occupation	receive continuous medical care	The occupation the insured worked at immediately prior to th	3. receive continuous medical care		
definition Replacement occupation definition		at could provide with at least 60% of the gross annual income received at the time of becoming totally disabled. To determine the type of replacement iders education, training and experience. However, Desjardins Insurance does not consider the availability of such occupation in the region where the			
End of coverage	The coverage will terminate when the first of the following events occurs: 1. Death of the client 2. Policy anniversary nearest to age 65 3. Policy lapse 4. Date of exchange from SOLO Disability Income coverage to SOLO Loan Insurance 5. Client's retirement date	The coverage will terminate when the first of the following events occurs: 1. Death of the client 2. Policy anniversary nearest to age 65 3. Policy lapse 4. Date of the exchange of SOLO Loan Insurance to SOLO Disability Income 5. Bankruptcy of the client, or that of the company for a business loan	The coverage will terminate when the first of the following events occurs: Policy anniversary nearest to age 75 Death of the client Policy lapse	The coverage will terminate when the first of the following events occurs: Policy anniversary nearest to age 70 Death of the client Policy lapse	
Annual policy fee	\$50	\$40	\$	50	
Eligibility to receive a monthly amount as of the first day of hospitalization or day surgery		eriod is 90 days or less. for a minimum of 18 hours.	N/A		
Amount payable at death	Pays 5 times the pre-selected monthly amount if the client dies while receiving disability monthly amounts. The death does not need to be related to the disability for this amount to be payable.	N/A			
Exchange privilege	Available during the first 7 years of the client's contract. The clier The client can convert the coverage based on the age at issue, w	nt can exchange their SOLO Disability Income for SOLO Loan and vithout new evidence of insurability and before age 60.	vice-versa.	N/A	

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SOLO	DISABILITY INCOME LOAN INSURANCE		Accident	Illness		
Complimentary assistance services ²	Complimentary assistance services for your clients and their love 24/7 phone assistance services Second medical opinion ³ : Specialist physicians can give you a	d ones, available at any time online or by phone, including: a second opinion on a diagnosis, treatment plan or surgical proced	dure for any medical condition—not just the	ones covered under your contract.		
Presumptive total disability	If total and irreversible loss of sight, hearing, speech, the use of both hands, or of both feet, or the use of a hand and a foot, the client will be presumed totally disabled whether working or not or requiring or not continuous care by a physician .			N/A		
Waiver of premium	Premiums are waived after the waiting period is satisfied. The wai	ver of premiums applies for partial, residual or total disability.	Premiums are waived after the waiting period is satisfied or after 30 days, whichever i longer and as long as a monthly amount is paid. The waiver of premium applies only total disability.			
Rehabilitation	Desjardins Insurance will pay the cost of services related to a reha Desjardins Insurance must approve the program in writing prior to		k sooner. This program must not be covered by another service or insurance policy and			
Organ donation	A monthly amount is payable for a disability resulting from an organ donation if the client's coverage has been in-force for at least 6 months prior to the organ donation.		N/A			
Accumulation of days for waiting period	Successive disability periods lasting 7 days or more, resulting from waiting period. However, the disability periods cannot be separated from the for occupation classes 2A, A, B. 12 months for occupation classes 4A and 3A.		N/A			
Recurrent disability	Periods of disability attributable to the same or related causes are waiting period applies to receive monthly amounts if these period 6 months for occupation classes 2A, A, B 12 months for occupation classes 4A and 3A		Periods of disability attributable to the same or related causes are considered a continuation of the same disability. These periods must be separated by less the days in which the client was not disabled. No new waiting period applies to recommentally amounts again.			
	The benefit period will be the one pre-selected by the insured les	ss the benefit periods already elapsed and are related to the same of	disability.			
Duration of monthly amount payment	Monthly amounts are payable as long as the client meets the disability definition without exceeding the benefit period.	Monthly amounts are payable as long as the client meets the disability definition without exceeding the benefit period. This period will also be determined by the maximum loan term or the benefit period, whichever is shorter.	Monthly amounts are payable as long as the client meets the disability definition without exceeding the benefit period.			
Minimum duration of monthly amount payment	The benefit period is always a minimum of 2 years even if the contract ends at age 65. For example, if the client becomes totally disabled at 64, monthly amounts will be paid for 2 years, up to age 66.			/A		
Integration and coordination with other benefits	No integration or coordination for the first \$1,200 even if the client receives benefit payments from a government plan or another insurance company for the first 36 months of a total disability or the selected benefit period, whichever is less.	No integration or coordination of the monthly amount unless the loans are already covered by another insurance plan.	During the first 24 months of the benefit per integrated or coordinated with other benefits			

 $^{^2}$ The assistance services are not a contractual obligation of Desjardins Insurance and may be withdrawn at any time without notice. 3 This service is offered by an external provider.

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		ADDITIONAL COVERAGES			
Partial disability (partial monthly amount)	The client is considered partially disabled if, as a result of an accid They are unable to perform at least one of the main duties of They are unable to work at least 50% of the time they norma They are receiving continuous medical care	their regular occupation; or			
	For a maximum of:		During a partial disability, the client receives an amount equal to 50% of the monthly amount payable. For a maximum of 6 months – for all occupation classes.		
Residual disability	Provides a monthly amount proportional to the income loss. The loss of income must be equal to or greater than 20% of the income the client earned prior to the disability. Conditions: Must receive continuous medical care. The payment will cease at the end of the selected benefit period, less the benefit period that has already elapsed and is related to the same disability. No residual monthly amount is payable if the client has been unemployed for over 60 days prior to the start of their disability.		N/A		
Future insurability option	 The insured may request up to 5 increases of up to 20% of the financial justifications. Must not be on disability. This additional coverage cannot be added after the contract has been disabilitied. 	can be added by product type st be met: up to age 55, without having to submit new evidence of insurability. by of the pre-selected amount (minimum of \$100) with supporting		N/A	
	Monthly amount: \$500 to \$8,000	Monthly amount: \$500 to \$1,000			
Return of premium	This additional coverage will reimburse 50% of the premiums paid, less any monthly amounts the client received. Issue ages: 18 to 55 Surrenders can be completed in the following situations: 1. On the later of the following dates: - Policy anniversary nearest to the client's 55th birthday OR - 10th policy anniversary 2. The policy anniversary nearest to the client's 65th birthday Between age 60 to 65, return of premium is reduced by 5% per remaining year before the policy anniversary nearest to the client's 65th birthday. This additional coverage cannot be added after the contract has been issued.	N/A	1	N/A	

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		ADDITIONAL COVERAGES			
Cost of living	Protects your income by indexing the monthly amount when the total or residual disability extends beyond 12 consecutive months.				
	This indexation is based on Statistics Canada Consumer Price Index and cannot exceed 5% per year.	N/A	N	J/A	
	The indexation applies as of the 13th month after the monthly amount start date and every 12 months thereafter.				
Regular occupation period extender	This coverage allows the client to extend the definition of total dibeyond the 24-month period.	sability based on the practice of their regular occupation			
	As a result, the insured will continue to receive monthly amounts for up to 5 years or until age 65 depending on what they have chosen.		N/A		
	However, to continue to receive the monthly amount, the insured must not engage in any gainful occupation and must receive continuous medical care.				
	N/A	Clients in occupation class B can only extend this coverage to 5 years.			
Accidental death, dismemberment or loss of use	N/A	N/A	Provides an additional amount of insurance unatural causes or if the client were to lose or the losses must be sustained within 365	one or more limbs or their sight. The death	
Accidental fracture			Provides an additional amount of insurance if the client suffers a fracture due t accident. The accidental fracture must be diagnosed within a period of 30 day following the accident.		
	N/A	N/A		he client sustains more than one fracture or e accident, Desjardins Insurance pays for the	

SOLO AGRICULTURE

SOLO Agriculture is a disability income coverage designed especially for agricultural producers wanting to obtain financial security in case of an illness or an accident.

Similar to SOLO Disability Income, this coverage allows agricultural producers to add the amortization cost related to major investments in the calculation of their insurable income.

For further information refer to the SOLO Disability Income Advisor Guide available on Webi.ca.

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Umitations \$ specific exclusions Limitations that apply in the event of termination of employment. If the client was: - unemployed for 12 months or less, on maternity or parental leave for 70 weeks or less immediately prior to the onset of disability. - No monthly amount is payable if the client's disability is due to one of the following disorders or their related treatments: or complications. - Sizess - Availety - Degression - Neurosis - Psychosis - Personality disorder - Chronic fallings expiditione - Personality disorder - Attention effectif disorder - Artention	SOLO	DISABILITY INCOME	LOAN INSURANCE	Accident	Illness				
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Clients are not eligible to receive a disability monthly amount when travelling or staying for more than 60 days outside of Canada or the United States.	•	If the client was: unemployed for 12 months or less, on maternity or parental of disability: No monthly amount is payable if the client's disability is due or complications: Stress Anxiety Depression Neurosis Psychosis Adjustment disorder Fibromyalgia or any chronic pain syndrome Chronic fatigue syndrome Personality disorder Attention deficit disorder Any other emotional or psychiatric disorder For any other disability, the waiting period will be adjusted to 90 devent of hospitalization and day surgery. unemployed for more than 12 months, on maternity or paren of disability: No monthly amount will be paid. However, if the insured returnonthly insurance amounts if he has never stopped paying hinsurance.	to one of the following disorders or their related treatments ays, if chosen one was less. This limitation also applies in the ntal leave for 70 weeks or more immediately prior to the onset urns to work full-time, he will once again be eligible to receive	To receive monthly amounts for an accident affecting the dorsal or cervical regions, a diagnosis must be made from medical tests. Soft tissue limitations also apply to dorsal or cervical region. Soft tissues The benefit period for a disability resulting from a medical condition affecting soft tissues is limited to: Occupation class 5: 20 days for each disability period Occupation class 4: 40 days for each disability period Occupation class 3: 60 days for each disability period Cocupation class 3: 60 days for each disability period For occupation class 3: 4 or 5, the cumulative maximum number of days on contract is 180. For occupation class 1 or 2, the benefit period is not limited for a disability resulting from a medical condition affecting soft tissues. However, the cumulative maximum number of months on contract is 36. For a complete list of soft tissues, please	illness resulting from one of these conditions, treatments or complications related to: anxiety, chronic fatigue syndrome, depression, environmental illness, Epstein-Barr syndrome, fibromyalgia or any chronic pain syndrome, fibrositis, multiple chemical sensitivity, stress or burnout, any trouble resulting from substance abuse or an addiction to it, any other psychiatric, psychological, emotional, behavioural or nervous disorder or any syndrome or state that results in subjective symptoms that cannot be confirmed by objective medical exams. Degenerative disc disease The maximum benefit period for a disability resulting directly or indirectly is 20 days. Once the client has received monthly amounts for 120 days for all benefit periods resulting from degenerative disc disease, no other monthly amount is payable for any other disability period resulting from such a condition. For a complete list of exclusions, please				
				Clients are not eligible to receive a disabilit or staying for more than 60 days outside o	y monthly amount when travelling f Canada or the United States.				

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