

Lemonade (NYSE: LMND)

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# Company Background

# Lemonade

#### The Business

- Digital-first insurance company using AI and behavioral economics
  - Offers renters, homeowners, pet, car, and life insurance
- Unique business model incorporating giveback program
  - Takes fixed fee from premiums, remaining funds used for claims/donations

### Origin/History

- Founded in 2015 by Daniel Schreiber and Shai Wininger in New York
- Initially launched with renters insurance in NY state in 2016
- Expanded product lines and geographical presence over subsequent years
- Went public in July 2020 at \$29/share, raising \$319 million

### Management Team

- Daniel Schreiber Co-founder and CEO, former President of Powermat
- Shai Wininger Co-founder and President, previously co-founded Fiverr
- Tim Bixby CFO, brings experience from NASDAQ-listed companies

### Competitive Advantages & Disadvantages

- Advantages:
  - AI-driven platform reduces operational costs and claims processing time
  - Strong brand appeal to younger, tech-savvy demographic
  - Transparent business model with fixed fee structure
- Disadvantages:
  - Limited track record compared to traditional insurers
  - Higher customer acquisition costs in competitive market

#### Lemonade

Get insurance in 90 seconds with Lemonade's app











# Products/Relevant Technologies



#### Core Platform

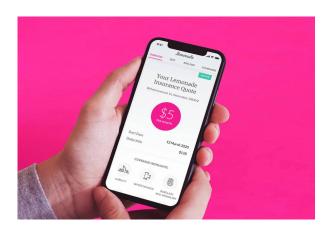
- AI-powered insurance platform "AI Maya"
  - Handles policy creation, claims processing, and customer service
- Machine learning algorithms for risk assessment
  - Uses behavioral data and predictive analytics for underwriting

#### **Insurance Products**

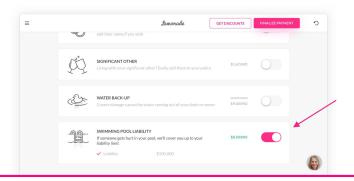
- Renters & Homeowners Insurance
  - Coverage for property damage, liability, and personal belongings
- Pet, Life, and Car Insurance (EV specialty)
  - Customizable policies with digital-first experience
  - Car insurance leverages telematics for usage-based pricing

### Customer Experience Technology

- Mobile-first interface with instant everything
  - 3-minute signup, instant quotes, claims paid in seconds
- Transparency tools and features
  - Real-time policy management
  - Clear documentation and instant chat support
  - Live policy updates and claim tracking



#### Swimming Pool Liability Add-on





# Financials, Valuation, and Outlook

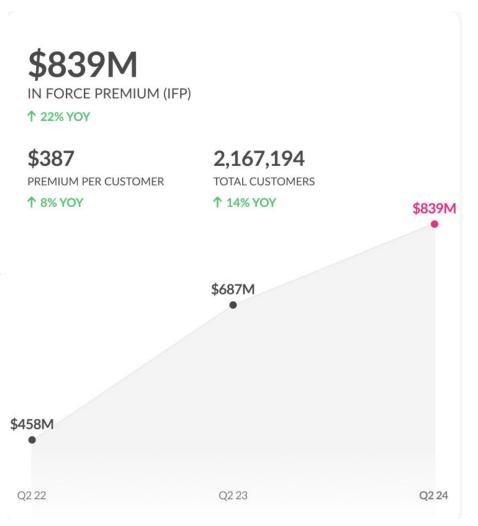


# **Current Financials (FY23)**

- Revenue: 429.8M
  - o 67.4% YoY increase
- Premium per customer: \$366
  - 3-yr CAGR: 11.5%
- Gross loss ratio: 85%
  - o 90% in 2022, 70% in 2020
- Net loss: \$236.9M
  - \$101.9M of sales and marketing
- Net investment income: \$24.7M
  - o \$8.4M in 2022

### Future Expectations (FY24)

- Expected revenue: \$515M
  - 20% YoY growth
- Adj. EBIDTA loss: \$155M
  - o loss of \$172.6M in 2023





# **Peer Comparison**



#### **Root Insurance**

- Auto insurance
- Focused on usage-based pricing and telematics

#### **Lemonade:**

- Offers renters, homeowners, pet, car, and life insurance
- Digital-first insurance company using AI and behavioral economics

#### Oscar Health

- Health insurance platform
- Focused on technology-driven customer experiences

| Company                                | Debt/Assets | Debt/Equity | EV/Revenue | Price/Book |
|--|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| Root<br>Insurance<br>(NASDAQ:<br>ROOT) | 0.22        | 1.80        | 0.37       | 3.98       |
| Lemonade<br>(NYSE:<br>LMND)            | 0.11        | 0.24        | 2.55       | 2.08       |
| Oscar<br>Health<br>(NYSE:<br>OSCR)     | 0.08        | 0.37        | 0.26       | 3.47       |



# Macro/Policy/Market Outlook



# Digital Insurance Market Trends

- O Digital insurance platform market is projected to grow from \$132.86 billion in 2024 to \$229.07 billion by 2029, a CAGR of 11.51%
- Insurtech funding rose by 40% to \$1.27 billion in Q2 2024, with a focus on AI

# Regulatory Climate

- The NAIC's 2023 priorities support state-based solutions for insurance regulation
- The FCA is currently reviewing premium finance for fair consumer treatment

### Economic Conditions

- In September, the Fed cut interest rates by 0.5%, setting the range at 4.75%-5%, potentially boosting insurance consumer spending
- The U.S. inflation rate dropped to 2.4% in September, which stabilizes insurance claim costs





# <u>Bull</u>

### • AI-Driven Cost Efficiency

• Lemonade's AI model cuts customer acquisition costs by ~50%, and improves underwriting accuracy, lowering loss ratios and boosting profitability

### • High-Growth Market Expansion

New verticals like car, pet, and life insurance create additional revenue streams.
The U.S. pet insurance market alone is projected to double by 2030

### • Improving Loss Ratios

O Q3 2023 gross loss ratio fell to 83%, down from 94% in Q3 2022

# <u>Bear</u>

### High Loss Ratios

 Lemonade's ratios are above competitor's 50-70% averages, risking delayed profitability if claim costs rise

### Competition

 Traditional insurers adopting AI reduces Lemonade's edge, potentially increasing marketing costs to maintain market share

### • Economic Sensitivity

A recession could cause consumers to cut non-essential coverage like pet insurance,
especially among price-sensitive younger customers



# **Investment**

- Path to profitability: continuous revenue expansion, particularly by investing the float similar to Markel (money collected from premiums that hasn't been paid back in claims)
  - Margins will have to improve, which will be dependent on Lemonade's ability to lower marketing & sales expenses and lower loss ratios
- Network Effects: Lemonade's AI models will benefit from increased customers because more data can be collected and used to improve existing models
- New Verticals: car, pet, and life insurance
  - Potential to increase TAM and take market share from incumbents
  - Loss ratio will improve as Lemonade becomes more familiar with the sub-sectors

# Timeline/Strategy

- Cautious long-term hold
  - Sell if the price dips 10% from purchase
- Expect high amounts of volatility
  - Due to current growth phase
- Lemonade must turn profitable in the future
  - Ideally in less than 5 years

