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Things to consider when you choose a home loan provider.

There's more to a home loan than just interest rates.

Compare the loan-to-value (LTV) ratio.

LTV signifies the maximum home loan amount that a person is eligible for on the total cost of a property. So an LTV of 80% means that you can get a loan of maximum 80% of the value of the property. Go for the loan that suits your needs best.

Ensure security of your property.

It is important that your property be legally and technically approved. Choose a provider who offers legal and technical appraisal of your chosen property.

Evaluate your loan options.

- Loan plans Choose from fixed, floating, part-fixed and part-floating rate of interest.
- Fees The applicable fees for processing, pre-payment, foreclosure, etc.
- Other services These can include free personal accident insurance cover, doorstep service and assistance in finalization of a property.

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Tip of the day

Ensure that your shortlisted property has been approved by the home-loan provider you finally choose. You will then be able to get the loan funds quicker.



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