

# Ocean Dial Asset Management India Capital Growth Fund April 2021





# COVID-19 AND INDIA: DAILY NEW CASES AT A NEW HIGHS

~267m  
Total Tests

~15m  
Total Confirmed Cases

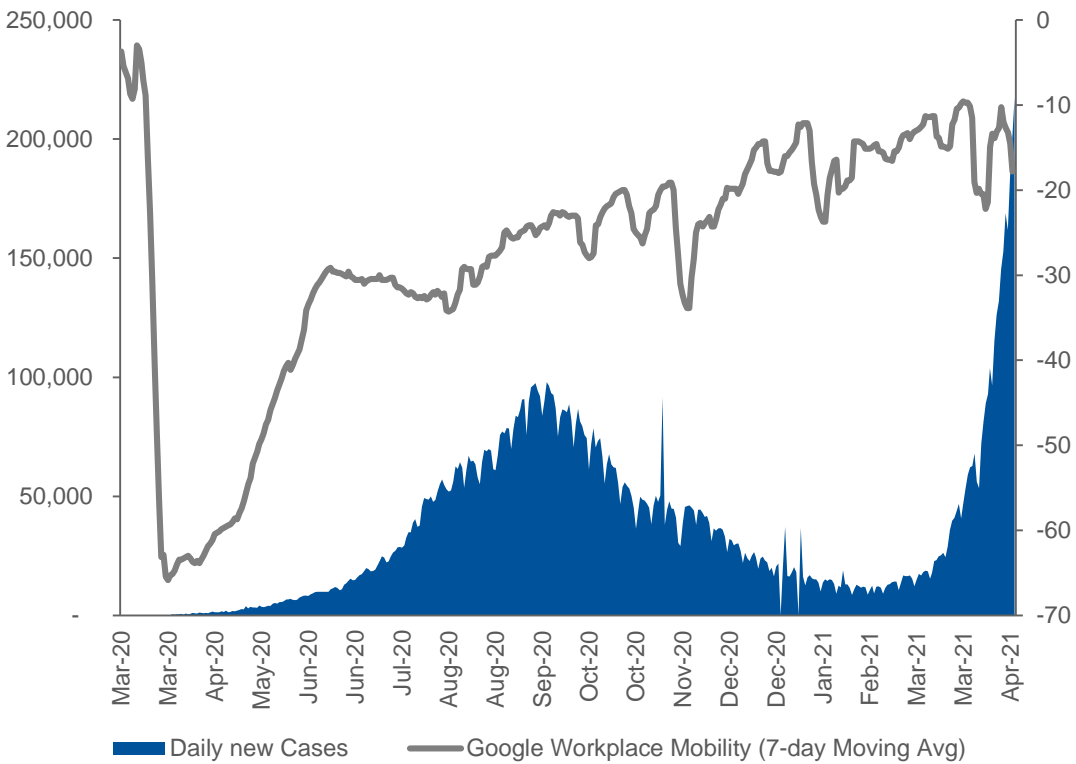
~12.9m  
Total Recovered Cases

~1.9m  
Total Active Cases

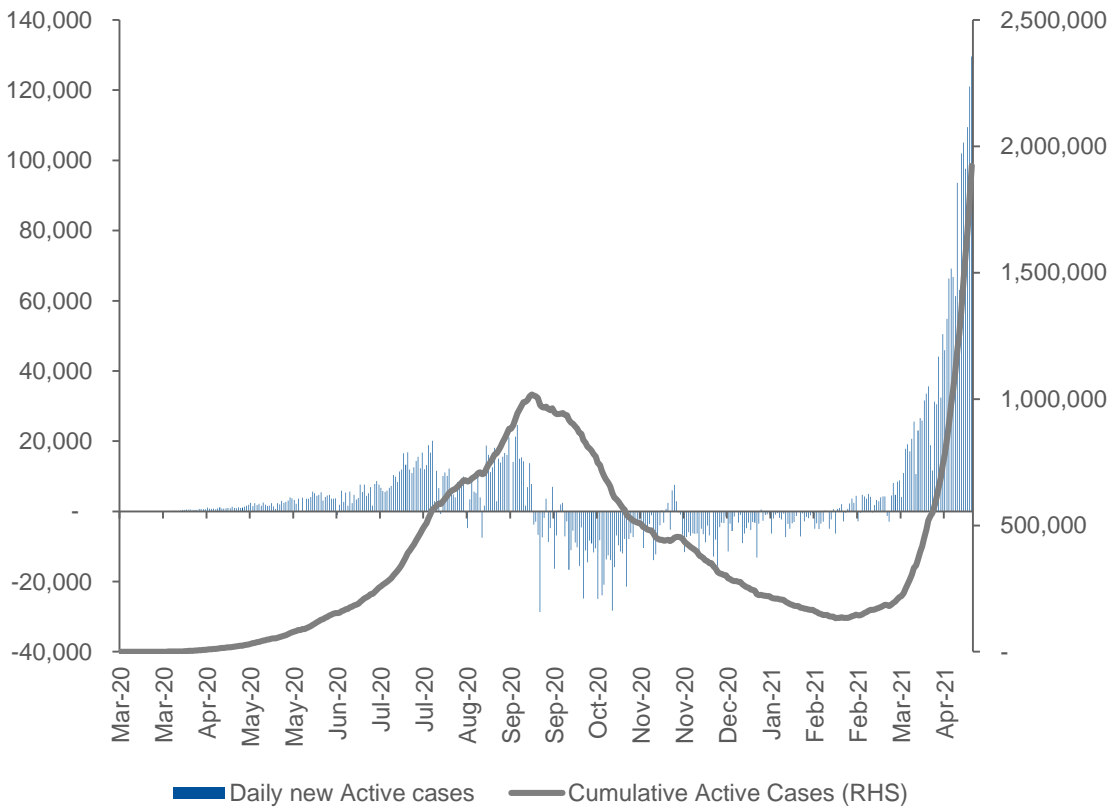
~0.18m  
Total Deaths

~123m  
Vaccination doses administered

Confirmed Cases vs. Google Workplace Mobility Index India (7-day moving avg. % change compared to pre-covid levels) – RHS



Active Cases

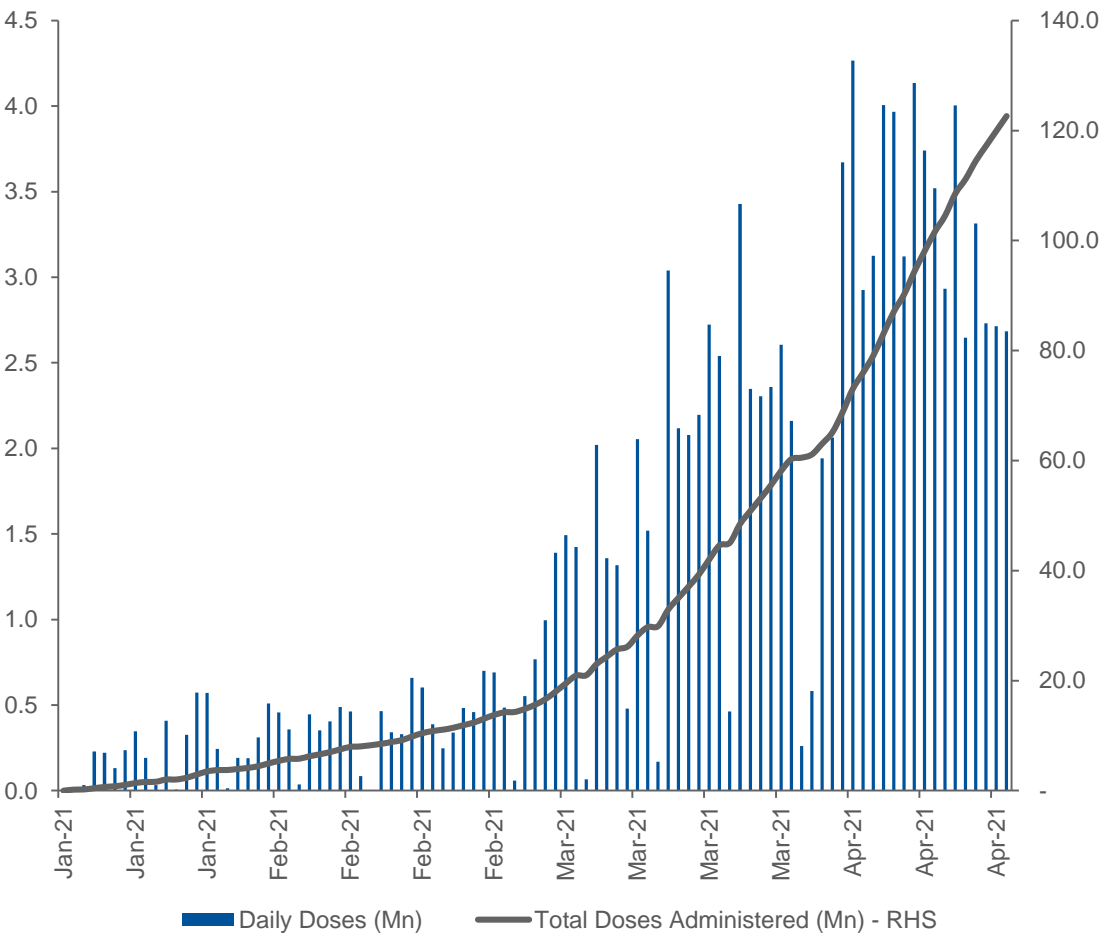


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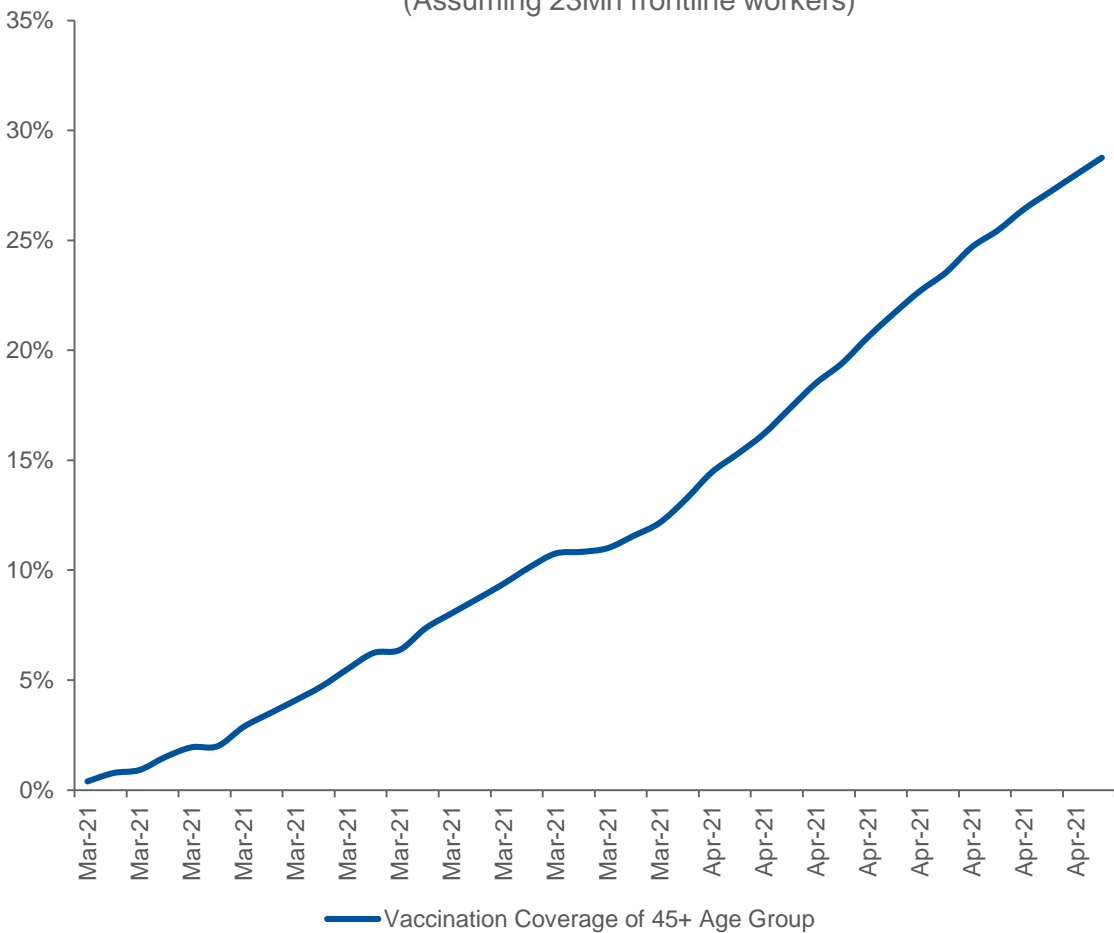


# VACCINATIONS: 8% RECEIVED FIRST DOSE, 29% OF 45+ AGE GROUP

123 Mn doses of Covid vaccines have been administered in India



~29% of 45+ Age Group Population has been vaccinated (Assuming 23Mn frontline workers)

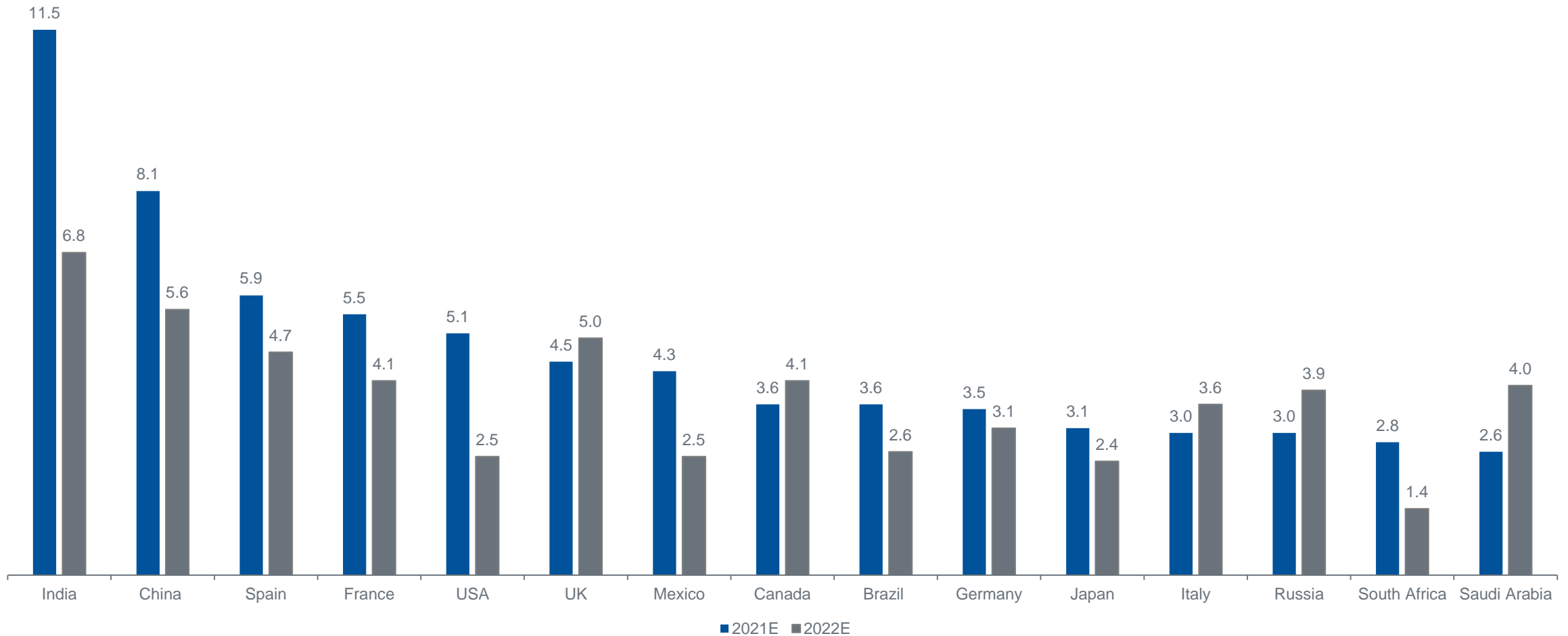


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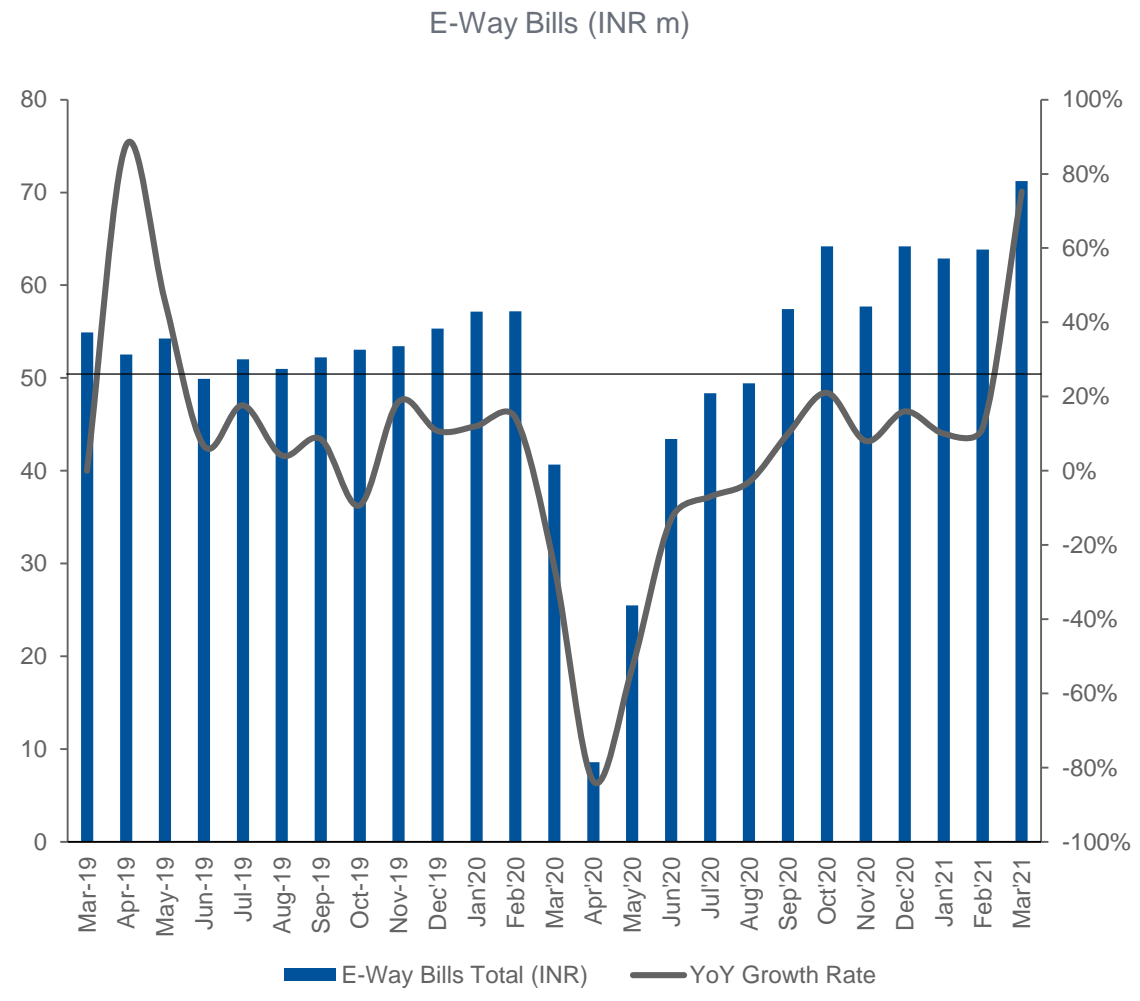
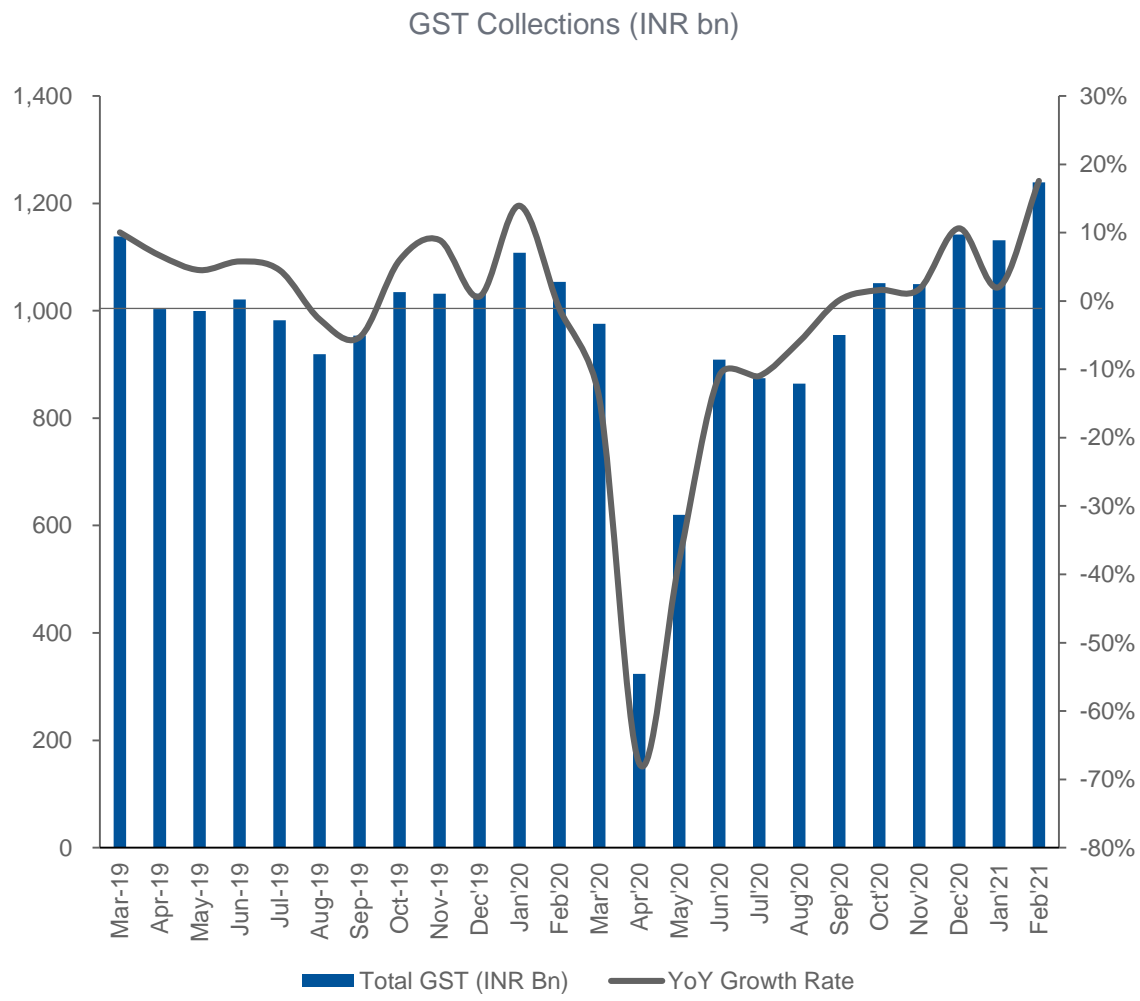
# IMF WORLD ECONOMIC OUTLOOK



India projected to be the fastest growing economy in 2021 and 2022  
GDP growth (%)



# ECONOMIC RECOVERY HAS BEEN STRONG

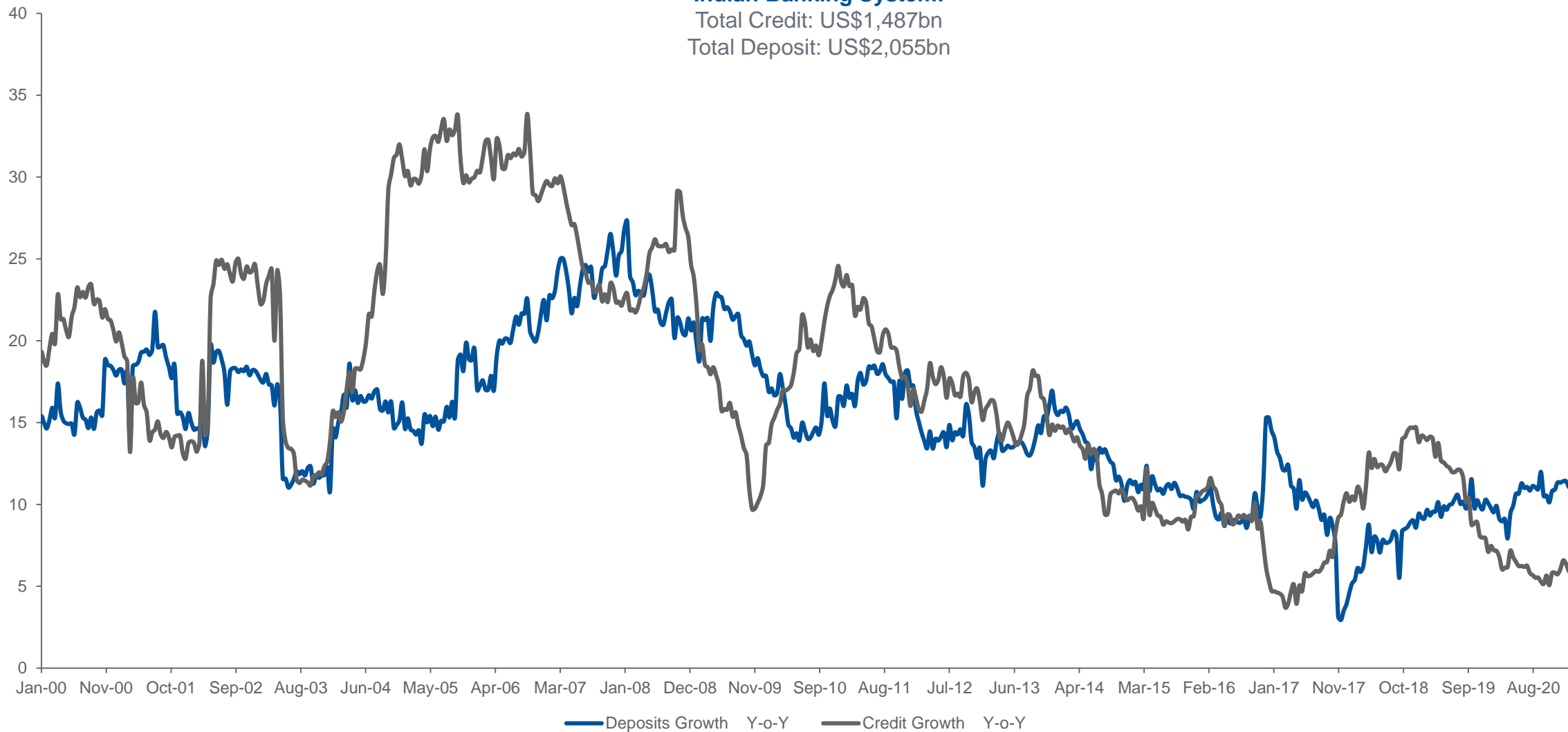






# BUT BANKING CREDIT GROWTH REMAINS WEAK

**Indian Banking System:**  
Total Credit: US\$1,487bn  
Total Deposit: US\$2,055bn



Source: GST Council India, Bloomberg, Ocean Dial Asset Management

# DISRUPTIVE REFORMS



Reforms implemented so far		
Reform	Beneficiary	Year of Implementation
FDI deregulation	Corporate sector	2010-2020
Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code	Financial sector	2016
Goods and Services Tax (GST)	Overall economy	2017
Real Estate Regulatory Authority	Real Estate	2017
Corporate Tax cut	Corporate sector	2019
Farm sector reforms	Farm economy	2020
Labour reforms	Manufacturing sector	2020

Key pending big-ticket reforms		
Reform	Beneficiary	Key challenge
Land acquisition	Manufacturing	Politically sensitive, state govt subject
Privatisation	Govt finances, businesses	Intent, complex PSU management structure



# INDIAN BUDGET: BIG PUSH FOR GROWTH

- + Government capex budgeted to increase by **26% in FY22**
  - + Focusing on infrastructure – in particular roads and railways
- + Increased transparency
  - + Off-balance-sheet funding of India's food subsidy programme onto its books for the first time
- + Nominal GDP growth expected to reach **15-16% in FY22**
  - + Government conservative in their estimates – predicting 14.4% nominal
- + Strong signal of intent
  - + FDI limits in the Insurance sector raised to 74% from 49% allowing external control
  - + Full privatisation of two state-owned banks and one general insurance company this year
- + Fiscal deficit for FY22 estimated to be **6.8% of GDP**
  - + Glide path: target of 4.5% by FY26



## ICGF PORTFOLIO: ECONOMIC RECOVERY



### **City Union Bank (£1.2bn)**

*Regional bank, dominant in SME lending*

### **IDFC First Bank (£2.7bn)**

*One of the youngest private sector banks in India*

### **Federal Bank (£1.4bn)**

*Mid-sized private sector bank*



### **Sagar Cements (£153m)**

*Cement supplier (South & West India) capacity of 5.8 million tonnes*

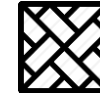
### **The Ramco Cements (£1.8bn)**

*Market leader in South India, capacity of 20.8 million tonnes*



### **Ramkrishna Forgings (£162m)**

*Auto components*



### **Kajaria Ceramics (£1.3bn)**

*Tile manufacturer*



### **Bajaj Electrical (£1.2n)**

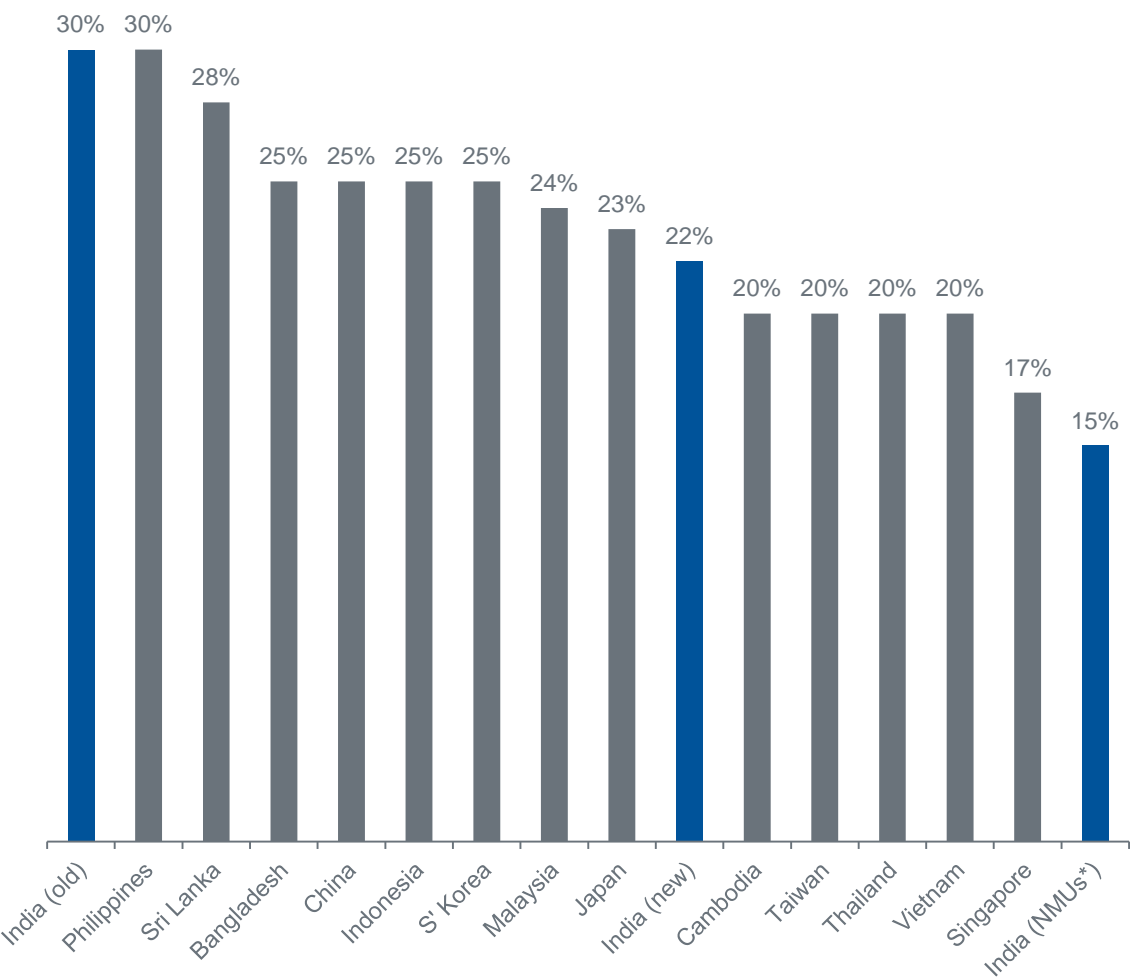
*Fans and brown goods*

Aggregate of 46.0% of portfolio

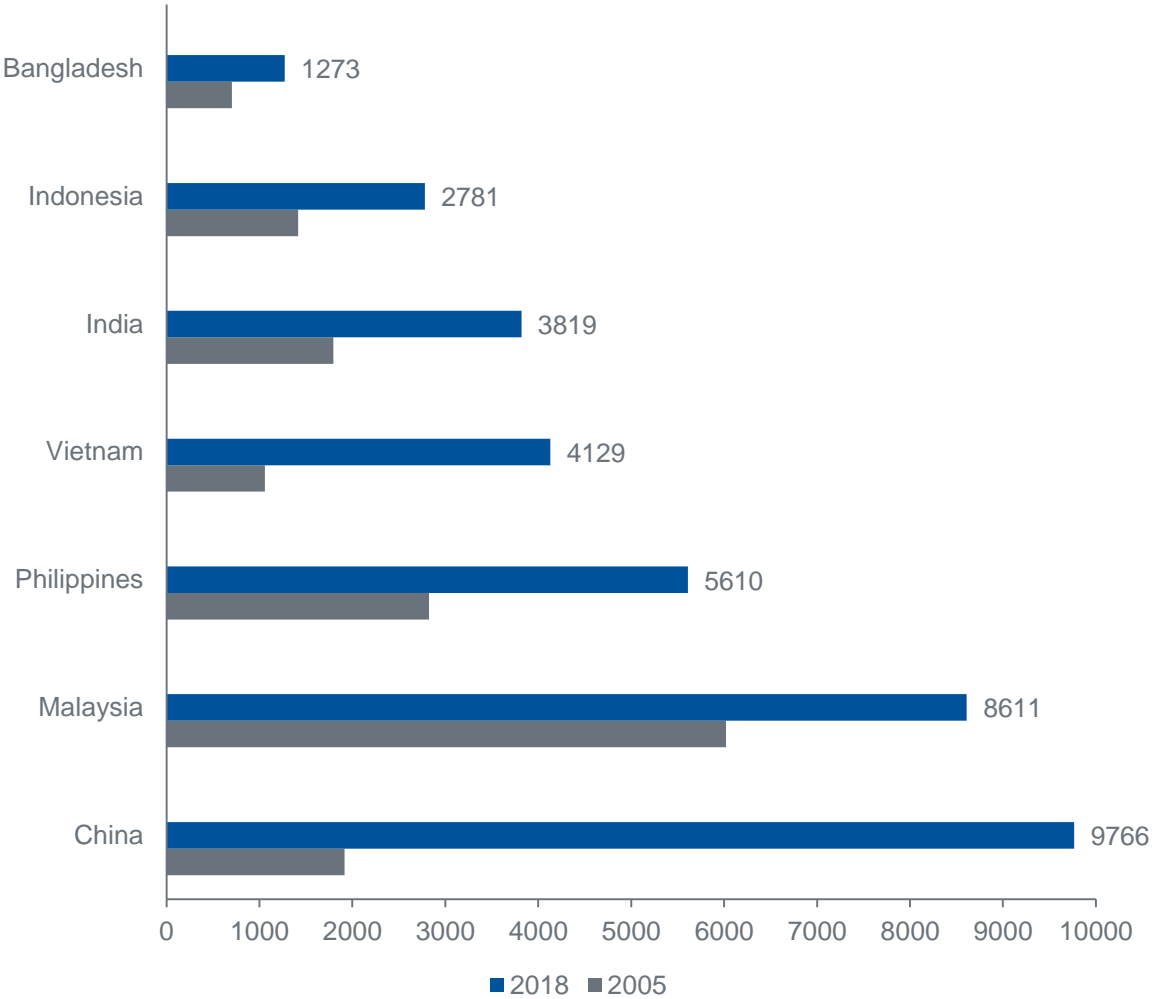
# CHINA +1



Base corporate tax rate of major Asian economies (CY19-end)






Wages per employee (in US\$, at current prices)



Source: UNIDO, Morgan Stanley Research, World Bank. \*New manufacturing units

## COMPANIES MOVING MANUFACTURING FROM CHINA TO INDIA



	Mobile phones	→	Plans to shift 1/5th of its production capacity from China to India
<b>SAMSUNG</b>	Mobile phones	→	Plans to double production capacity in Noida factory to 120m units p.a.
	Tech	→	Committed to exporting US\$10bn of made-in-India goods by 2025
	Packaging	→	By end of 2019 over 90% of its production is in India

## CORPORATIONS INVESTING IN INDIA'S TECH



# ICGF PORTFOLIO: SHIFT IN GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAINS



**Aarti Industries (£2.0bn)**  
*Benzene-based chemicals*

**PI Industries (£3.1bn)**  
*Agrochemicals*

**Divi's Laboratories (£8.9bn)**  
*Custom research - pharmaceuticals*

**Neuland Laboratories (£165m)**  
*Custom research - pharmaceuticals*



**Dixon Technologies (£1.7bn)**  
*Electronic manufacturing services*



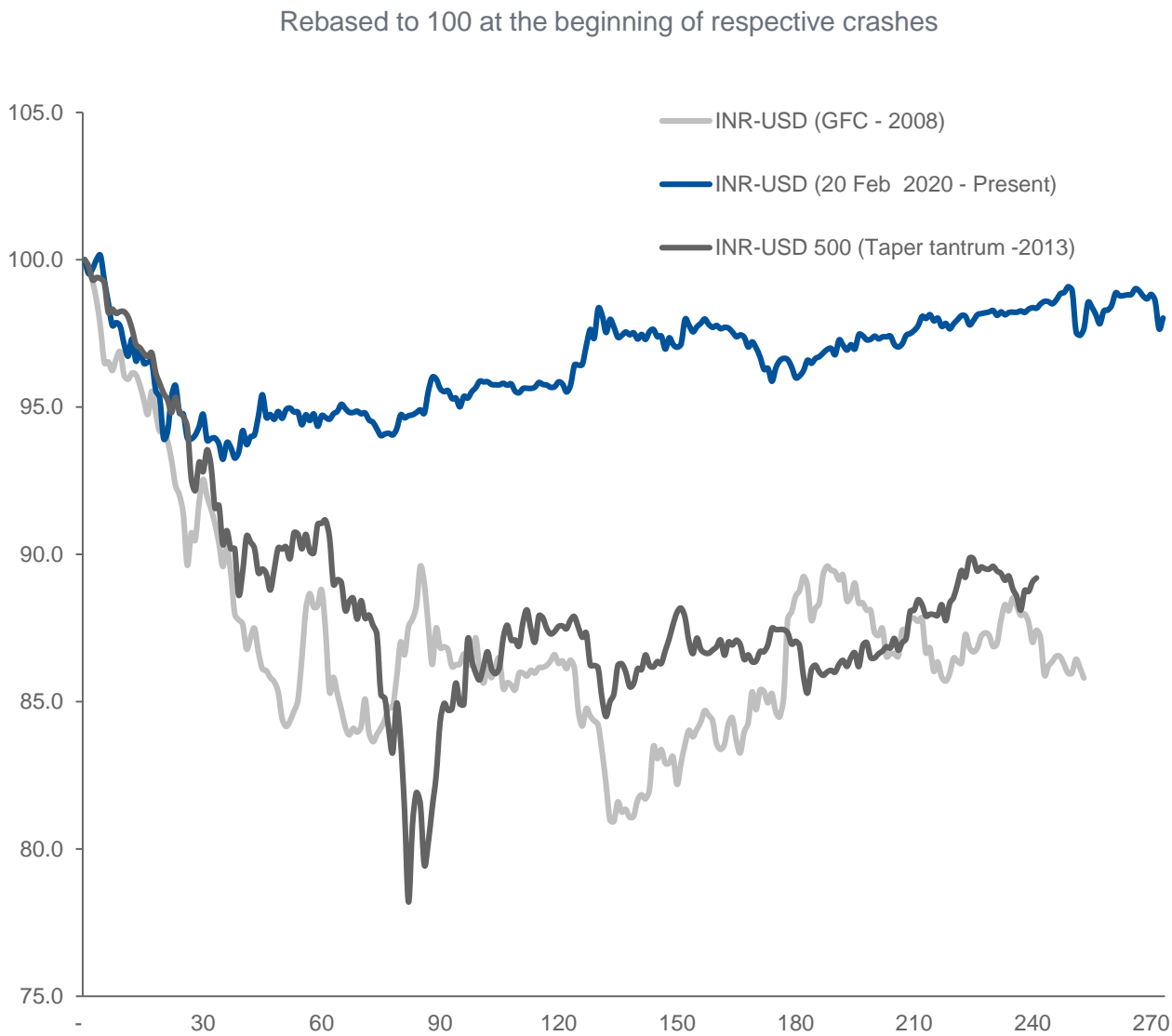
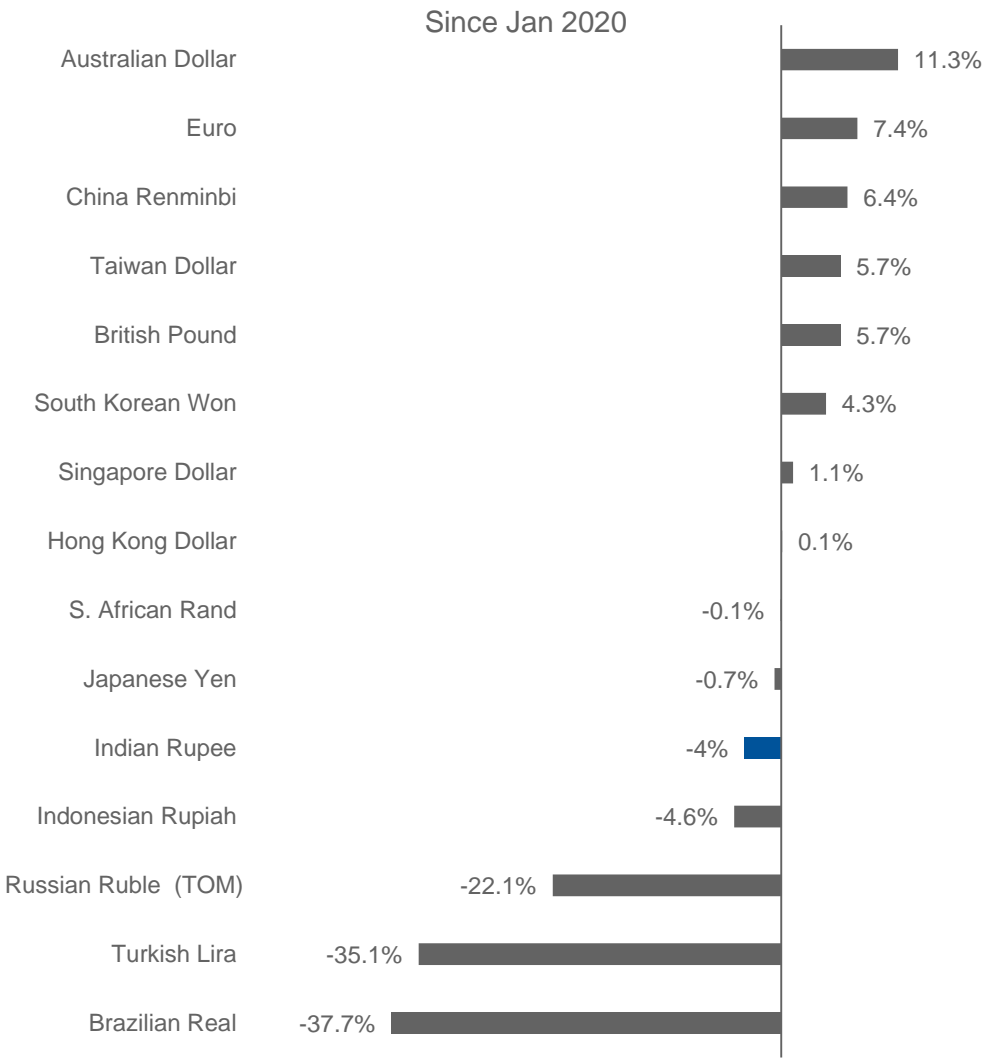
**Balkrishna Industries (£3.1bn)**  
*Auto components*



**Welspun India (£664m)**  
*Textiles*

Aggregate of 21.5% of portfolio

# CURRENCY MARKETS CYTD 2020: INR HAS BECOME MORE RESILIENT

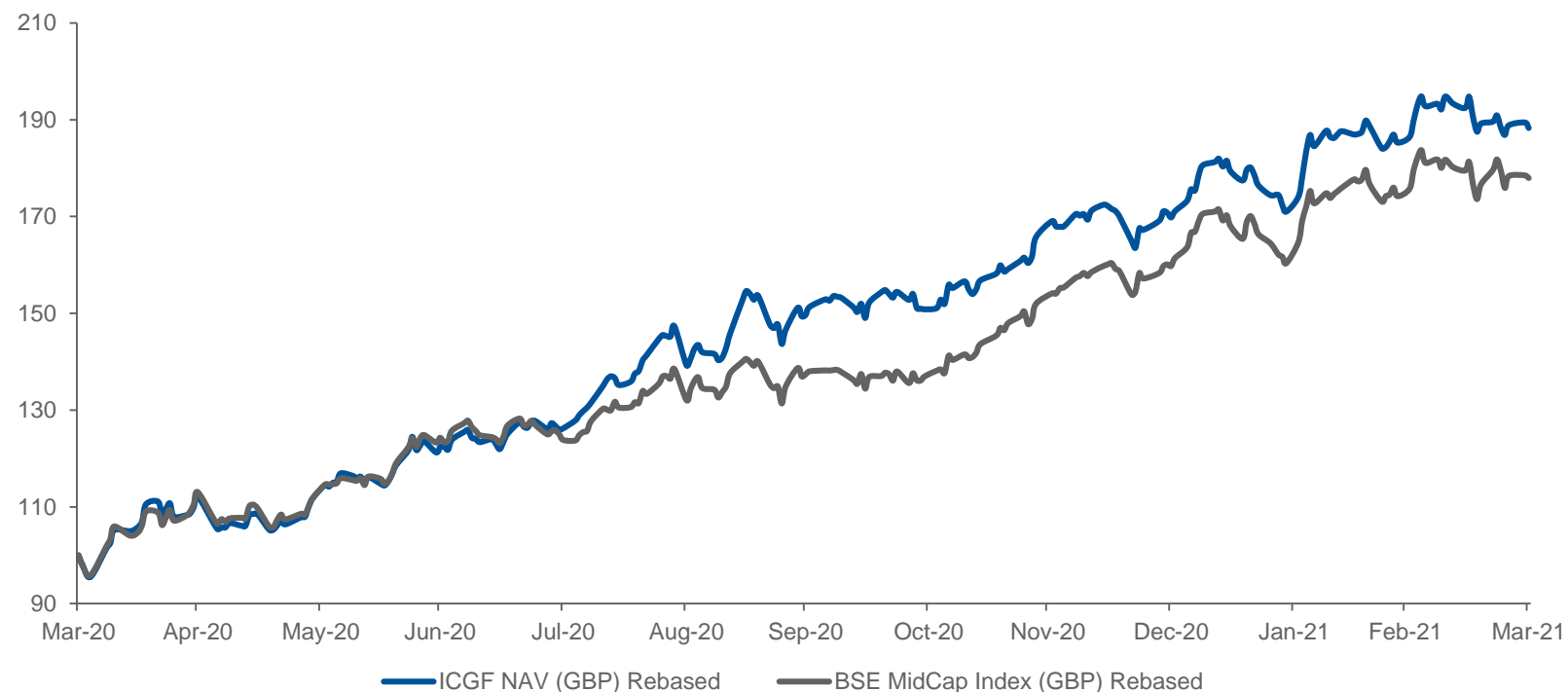


Source: Ocean Dial Asset Management, Bloomberg. As on 16 April 2021

# PERFORMANCE VS BSE MIDCAP TR INDEX



Rebased NAV Performance since 31 March 2020 (GBP)



Portfolio Characteristics	
CAGR since inception	13.3%
PE FY22E	17.8
ROE (3 year average)	18.6%
Tracking error	6.9%
Active share	92.8%

Performance	1m	3m	6m	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs
ICGF Rebased NAV* (GBP)	1.6%	10.9%	25.8%	88.3%	0.8%	62.5%
BSE MidCap TR Index (GBP)	2.2%	11.4%	29.5%	77.9%	19.6%	89.1%
<b>Out/under performance</b>	<b>(0.6%)</b>	<b>(0.5%)</b>	<b>(3.7%)</b>	<b>10.4%</b>	<b>(18.8%)</b>	<b>(26.6%)</b>

Source: Ocean Dial Asset Management, Bloomberg as at 31 March 2021

\*ICGF Rebased NAV is the fairest representation of the Manager's performance across all periods excluding the dilutive effect of the new ordinary shares issued on 8 August 2016 following the exercise of subscription share rights.

## PORTFOLIO TOP 10



Portfolio Company	Weight (%)	Characteristics	Market Capitalisation
Federal Bank	6.1%	Well run mid-sized private sector bank, attractive valuations	£1bn Mid Cap
Emami	5.5%	Dominant player across multiple niche consumer product categories, attractive valuations	£2bn Mid Cap
IndusInd Bank	5.1%	Fifth largest private sector bank in India and poised to gain market share. Value play with ebbing asset quality concerns	£7bn Large Cap
Gujarat Gas	4.8%	Key beneficiary of India's transition to cleaner energy	£4bn Mid Cap
IDFC Bank	4.2%	Well capitalised private sector retail bank. Digitally-focused and on a high growth trajectory	£3bn Mid Cap
PI Industries	4.2%	Quality agro-chemical company, high visibility, strong industry tailwinds in global supply chains	£3bn Mid Cap
Neuland Laboratories	4.0%	API and Custom Manufacturing solutions provider to multinational pharmaceutical companies. Beneficiary of China-dominated supply chain disruptions	£266m Small Cap
Tech Mahindra	3.9%	IT services, leads telecommunications vertical with structural tailwinds	£10bn Large Cap
Kajaria Ceramics	3.8%	Ceramic tile manufacturer, gaining market share from the unorganised sector following restrictions surrounding coal gasifiers	£1bn Mid Cap
JK Lakshmi Cement	3.6%	Deep value, capacity expansion complete and deleveraging underway	£1bn Mid Cap

	P/E FY22	P/E FY23	Earnings Growth FY22	Earnings Growth FY23
Weighted for Portfolio	17.8	14.1	34.4%	26.3%
BSE MidCap Index	20.6	17.3	30.7%	19.3%

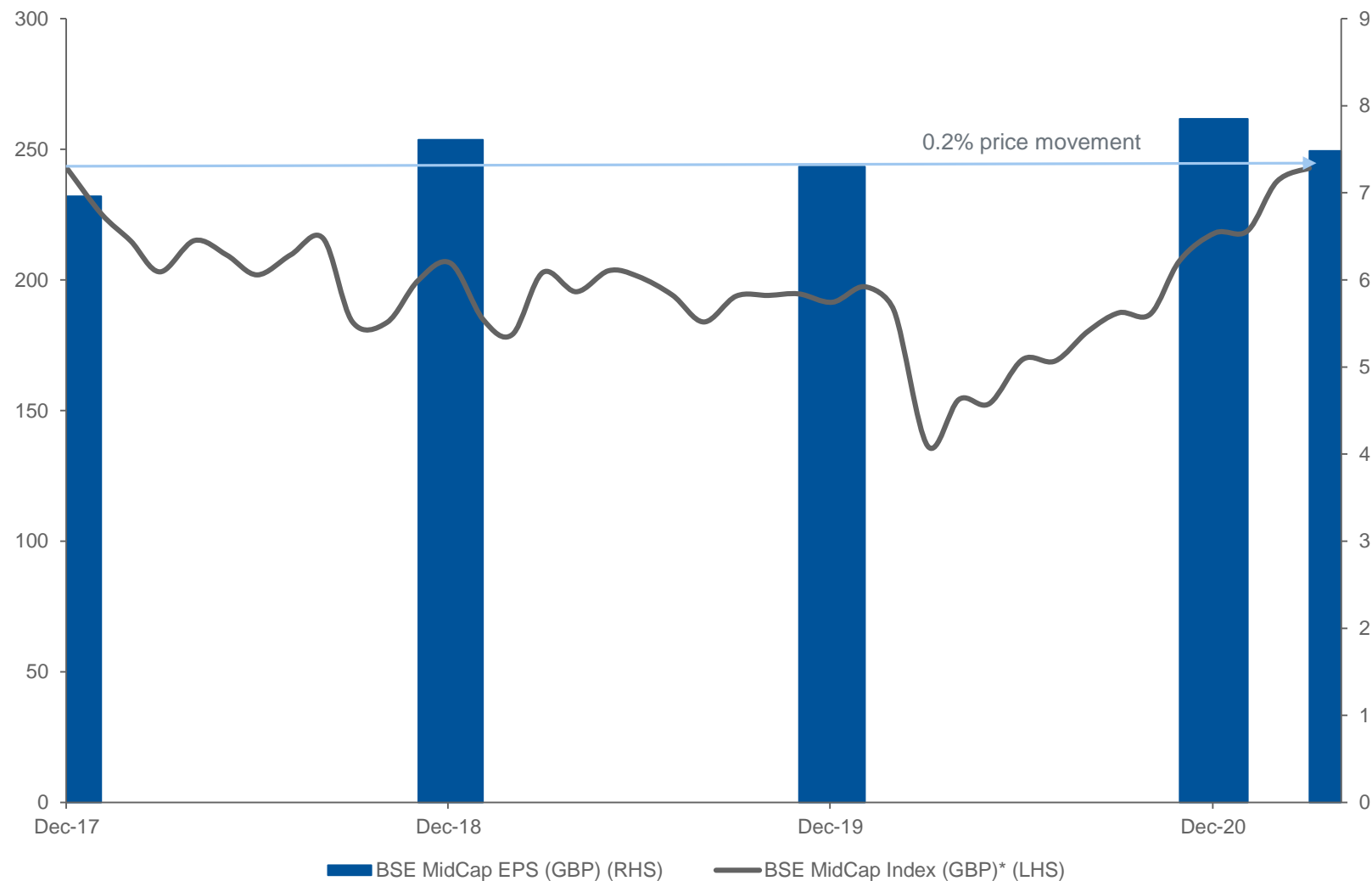


# KNOWN RISKS



- + **COVID-19:** If the second wave is substantially worse than the first
- + **Commodity prices:** Operating margin pressure
- + **Valuations:** Market optically not cheap
- + **Inflation:** A pick-up expected but will be a factor should it overshoot
- + **Political risk:** Unlikely as growth is the priority but a focus for the market
- + **Economic growth disappointment:** Rise in NPAs constrain banking sector to support investment
- + **Fiscal deficit:** Government straddling prudence vs supporting growth
- + **US Bond yields:** FII outflows expected if another rise transpires

# MARKET FLAT OVER PAST THREE YEARS



## 31 December 2017 – 31 March 2021

EPS Growth (GBP)	7.5%
BSE MidCap Index performance (GBP)	0.2%
GBP vs. INR	16.8%

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