

Consumption/Demand (% YoY*)	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
Personal Loans	17.0	11.9		18.8	18.1	16.4	14.7	12.6	12.3	11.6	14.3	11.6	11.7	10.2	10.1	11.2
Retail Payments	39.9	29.4		28.5	39.3	56.7	35.0	20.5	27.4	22.8	17.8	24.7	23.3	23.3	28.1	25.3
Consumer Sentiment Index(abs)	69.9	56.7	72.7	73.1	68.6	67.9	67.2	65.3	62.9	59.9	57.6	60.3	59.4	58.0	53.9	53.0
Rural Wage Growth	4.6	4.8		4.9	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.3	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.8	5.2		5.1	5.0
Non-Oil Imports	33.0	17.4	24.0	33.7	43.4	50.0	13.9	8.3	26.7	22.3	31.5	39.0	45.6	17.5	11.1	4.9
Passenger cars sales	44.2	-19.7	23.0	10.3	9.0	198.7	-20.1	-12.1	-13.9	-17.3	-23.1	-32.7	-43.2	-28.9	-0.4	5.5
POL Consumption	14.7	-2.8	16.3	6.1	17.9	23.7	9.6	6.5	5.4	-0.1	-0.4	-11.8	0.2	-0.9	-5.5	-3.9
Two wheelers	62.8	-21.2	15.0	8.3	22.2	253.2	15.4	-20.9	-27.3	-21.1	-10.8	-34.4	-24.9	-3.9	-6.2	-8.9
Consumer Price Inflation	7.1	5.5	7.0	6.7	7.0	7.0	7.8	7.0	6.1	6.0	5.7	4.9	4.5	4.4	5.3	5.6
Core CPI(ex food and fuel)	6.2	6.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.2	7.0	6.3	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.1
Industry/Manufacturing (% YoY*)	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
Credit To Industry	9.2	3.6		10.5	9.5	8.7	8.1	7.5	6.5	6.4	7.6	3.8	4.1	1.5	1.3	1.0
Cement Production	13.8	5.3		2.0	19.7	26.2	7.5	8.9	5.0	14.3	14.2	-3.6	14.6	3.7	7.9	2.6
CV (Quarterly)		103.3						16.0			-0.9			25.0		
Coal Production	26.8	5.2		11.3	32.0	33.6	30.1	0.2	6.6	8.2	5.2	8.2	14.7	14.2	11.8	5.8
Steel Production	6.6	2.1		5.7	3.7	14.7	2.5	4.1	5.9	3.6	-0.6	1.5	4.5	6.6	3.6	1.1
Eight Core Industry	11.6	2.6		4.5	13.2	19.2	9.5	4.8	5.9	4.0	4.1	3.4	8.4	3.0	2.2	0.8
IIP Electricity	13.5	2.6		2.3	16.4	23.5	11.8	6.1	4.5	0.9	2.8	2.1	3.1	2.9	6.7	4.1
IIP Mining	6.0	3.5		-3.3	7.8	11.2	8.4	3.9	4.5	2.8	2.6	4.9	11.5	4.9	6.1	2.2
IIP Manufacturing	10.6	-0.2		3.2	13.0	20.6	5.6	1.4	0.5	1.3	0.6	0.8	3.1	2.3	1.4	-1.0
IIP Capital Goods	25.3	-3.4		5.8	29.1	54.4	12.0	2.4	2.0	1.4	-3.0	-2.0	-1.5	1.0	1.3	0.3
IIP Infrastructure/Construction	8.8	3.8		3.9	9.3	18.1	4.0	6.7	9.1	6.1	2.0	3.1	6.6	6.6	6.5	1.5
IIP consumer goods	7.9	-2.9		-0.2	11.2	18.6	2.2	-3.9	-7.0	-0.2	-0.6	-1.8	-1.1	2.1	0.7	-2.1
Capacity Utilisation (abs)		69.0						75.3			72.4			68.3		
Manufacturing PMI (abs)	55.2	54.0	56.2	56.4	53.9	54.6	54.7	54.0	54.9	54.0	55.5	57.6	55.9	53.7	52.3	55.3
Wholesale Price Index(WPI)	14.9	12.7	12.4	13.9	16.2	16.6	15.4	14.6	13.4	13.7	14.3	13.8	11.8	11.6	11.6	11.6
Services (% YoY*)	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
Services PMI (abs)	57.7	52.3	57.2	55.5	59.2	58.9	57.9	53.6	51.8	51.5	55.5	58.1	58.4	55.2	56.7	45.4
Credit to Services	13.3	6.4		16.5	12.8	12.9	11.1	8.7	5.6	7.3	10.8	3.6	2.9	4.9	7.2	7.4
Housing loans	14.7	9.5		16.2	15.1	13.7	13.7	12.9	6.7	7.6	9.3	8.0	8.4	8.6	8.9	9.5
Airport Passenger Traffic	253.3	0.6		127.4	288.1	502.4	95.3	44.2	4.7	-8.7	59.1	71.2	75.9	-25.4	-29.6	-39.7
Railway Freight Traffic	10.3	7.0	7.9	8.3	11.3	14.6	9.4	6.7	6.6	7.7	7.2	6.1	8.4	9.4	10.2	6.3
E-toll collections (INR Bn)	42.4	31.7	41.6	41.6	43.0	43.7	42.2	41.0	36.3	36.0	36.8	31.8	33.6	30.1	30.8	29.8
Monetary (%)	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
M3 (% YoY*)	8.7	10.3	8.9	8.6	7.8	8.8	9.5	8.7	8.7	8.4	11.4	9.5	9.7	10.8	11.0	11.6
M3/M0	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2
Gsec 10 Year Yield	7.3	6.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.3	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.2	6.2	6.2
5-Year AAA Yield	7.4	6.2	7.4	7.7	7.5	7.4	6.9	6.5	6.3	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.1	6.1
5-Year AA Yield	9.5	8.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	8.4	8.7	8.3	8.2	8.3	7.8	7.8	7.4	7.4	7.4	9.6
Credit to Deposit Ratio	72.7	71.0		72.9	73.5	72.7	71.5	72.2	71.8	71.5	71.3	71.0	70.0	70.2	70.2	70.2
Fiscal (INR Tn)	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
Total Expenditure	2.8	3.2		1.8	3.6	3.1	2.7	6.5	3.3	2.9	4.5	2.5	2.0	3.5	2.7	1.8
Capital Expenditure	0.5	0.5		0.3	0.7	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.4	0.5	1.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.2
Revenue Expenditure	2.3	2.7		1.5	2.9	2.8	2.0	5.4	2.9	2.4	3.3	2.3	1.8	2.9	2.3	1.7
E-Way Bills (Bn)	74.9	64.5	75.6	75.6	74.5	73.6	75.2	78.2	69.1	68.8	71.6	61.2	73.5	67.9	65.9	64.2
GST	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2
Total Receipts	2.9	1.7				1.9	3.8	-0.4	1.1	3.8	1.0	1.8	2.9	1.3	1.4	1.9
External	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
Indian Rupee(USD/INR)	78.1	74.5	79.6	79.6	78.1	77.3	76.2	76.2	75.0	74.4	75.4	74.5	74.9	73.6	74.2	74.5
REER 40 currency	104.0	104.3	103.9	103.6	104.0	104.8	103.5	103.4	103.6	104.8	104.5	105.9	105.3	105.6	104.8	104.4
6-month forward premium on USD	3.3	4.5	3.0	3.2	2.8	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.3	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.0	3.8	4.0
FX Reserves USD Bn	585.5	623.4	561.0	573.9	593.3	601.4	597.7	617.6	631.5	629.8	633.6	637.7	642.0	638.6	633.6	620.6
Trade Balance USD Bn	-24.9	-15.9	-28.0	-27.8	-24.0	-24.2	-20.6	-18.5	-18.5	-17.0	-21.0	-21.1	-17.7	-22.7	-11.7	-10.7
Services Surplus USD Bn	9.1	8.7	9.6	9.3	9.5	8.4	8.5	11.6	8.3	8.4	10.4	7.6	8.2	8.5	8.1	7.5
Crude Indian Basket	106.2	78.8	97.7	105.8	115.3	109.3	102.9	113.7	93.3	84.2	73.3	80.5	82.0	73.0	70.1	73.5
CAD % GDP		-1.2						-1.5			-2.7			-1.3		
Flows	FY23YTDA	FY22 Avg	Aug-22	Jul-22	Jun-22	May-22	Apr-22	Mar-22	Feb-22	Jan-22	Dec-21	Nov-21	Oct-21	Sep-21	Aug-21	Jul-21
FII Net Debt USD Bn	-0.3	0.0	0.5	-0.3	-0.3	-0.7	-0.5	-0.6	-0.5	0.7	-1.6	0.2	-0.1	1.5	1.8	-0.1
FII Net Equity USD Bn	-1.3	-1.5	6.8	0.8	-6.3	-4.9	-2.7	-4.8	-5.0	-4.8	-1.7	-0.8	-2.3	1.1	1.0	-1.7
Net FDI FLOWS USD Bn	4.6	3.5			3.8	4.9	5.0	3.1	4.3	5.8	1.6		1.9	2.9	5.0	2.1
Private Transfers USD Bn		20.1						21.2			21.3			18.9		
ECB USD Bn	1.1	3.2			1.7	1.4	0.3	5.0	2.3	7.9	4.8	2.4	1.3	3.9	2.6	3.4
MFs Net Equity INR Bn	129.9	137.0	61.2	89.0	155.0	185.3	158.9	284.6	197.1	148.9	250.8	116.1	52.1	86.8	86.7	225.8
SIP Flows INR Bn	122.3	103.7	126.9	121.4	122.2	122.8	118.0	123.0	114.4	115.2	113.0	110.0	105.1	103.5	99.2	96.6

Indian economy is appearing to be a steady ship in choppy waters, showing signs of domestic resilience. Consumer sentiment/Petroleum consumption and other fast moving indicators are reasonably strong

Inflation increased marginally in August as food prices, especially cereals, rose. Core inflation remains sticky. We stick to our view that peak inflation is behind us

Industrial growth remains strong, barring seasonal exceptions. Credit to large industries has started to pick momentum. Manufacturing PMI at 56.2 shows robust strength

Services PMI increased in August to 57.2. Rise in credit and travel are good omens for domestic services' demand. Export of services is also doing well, averaging at USD 9.1 bn for FY23YTD

RBI has turned hawkish in an attempt to protect currency. The yield curve is now flattening with rise in short term rates exceeding the rise in long term rates. Interbank liquidity remains in moderate surplus

India's fiscal authorities are striving hard to maintain fiscal deficit and are likely to find success in avoiding extra borrowings this year. Fiscal position is on track with healthy numbers

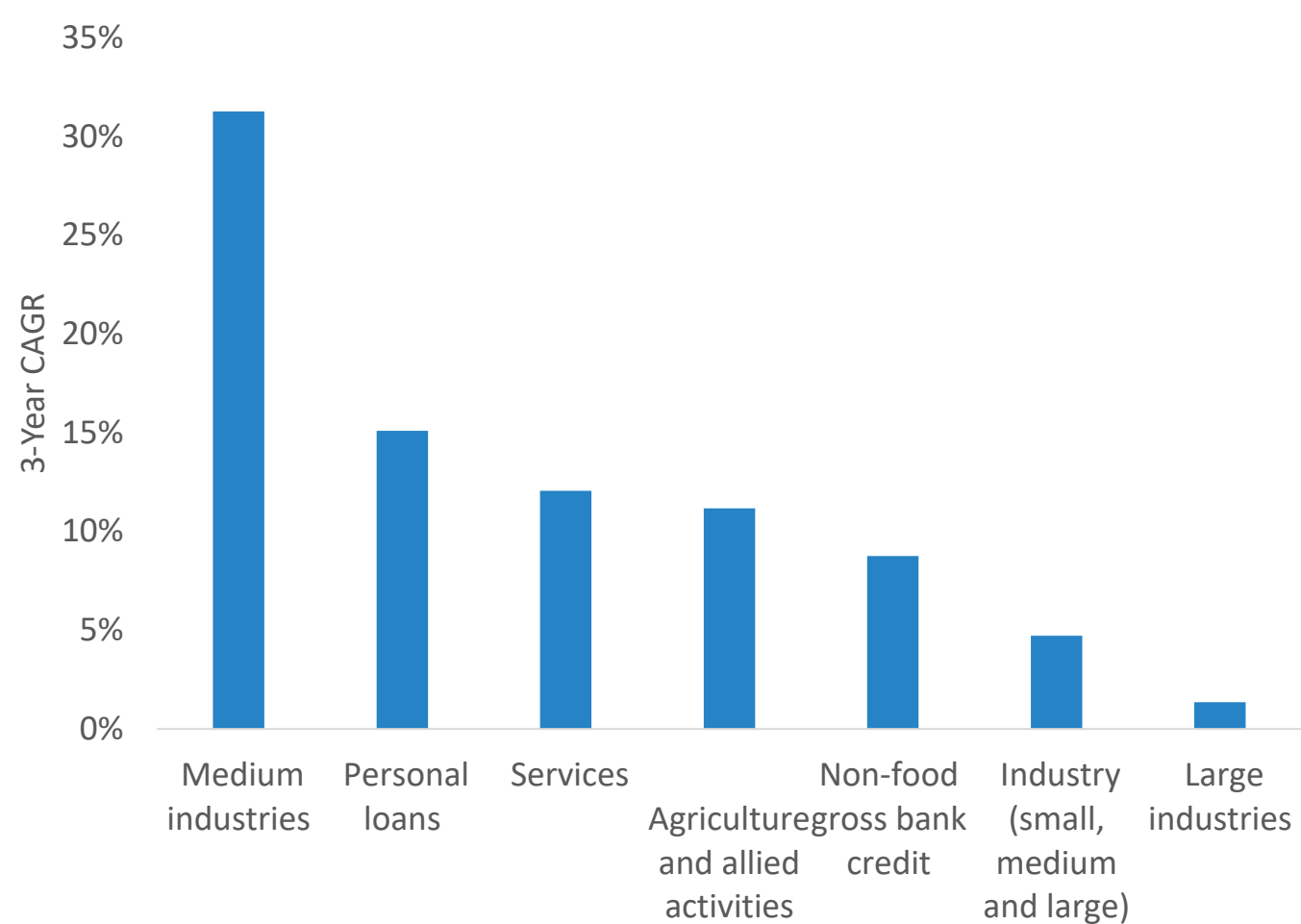
External headwinds have mildly eased as crude prices fell and monetary policies appear softer than previously expected. High trade deficit, however, keeps the currency under pressure. RBI has mitigated some of the currency volatility by running down on forex reserves which now stand at USD 561 bn

India received highest FII flows in August among the Emerging Market peers. India's inclusion in JPM EM Bond Index will help debt flows, if that happens. Otherwise, FDI and ECB flows were moderate. MF flows slowed down but the SIP book remained strong.

YTDA= Year to Date Average, Avg= Average

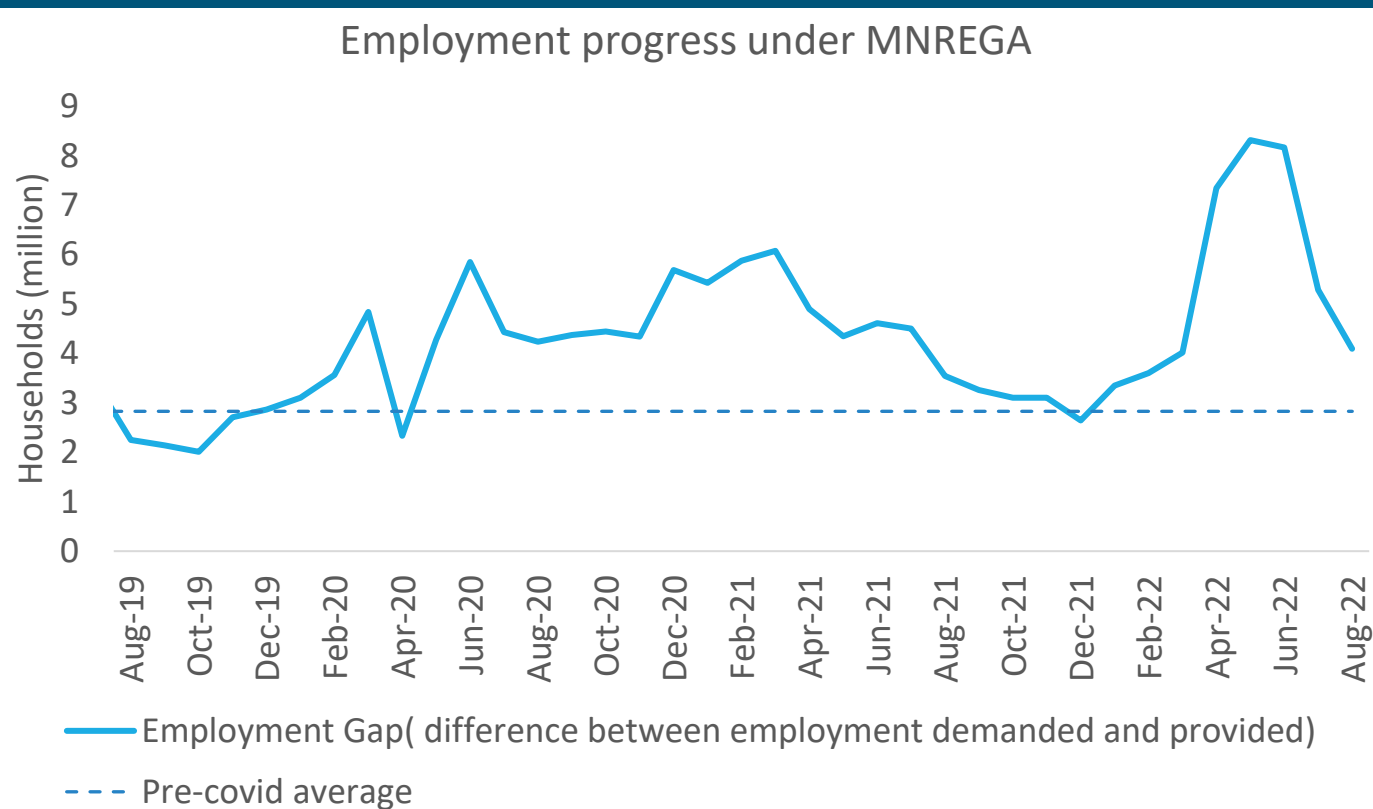
*Growth numbers for months between Mar-21 and Sep-21 are calculated as 2-Year CAGR to adjust for the base for highlighted indicators

Exhibit 1: Current credit spurt is led by medium industries, personal loans and services. Large industries have now started to pick momentum



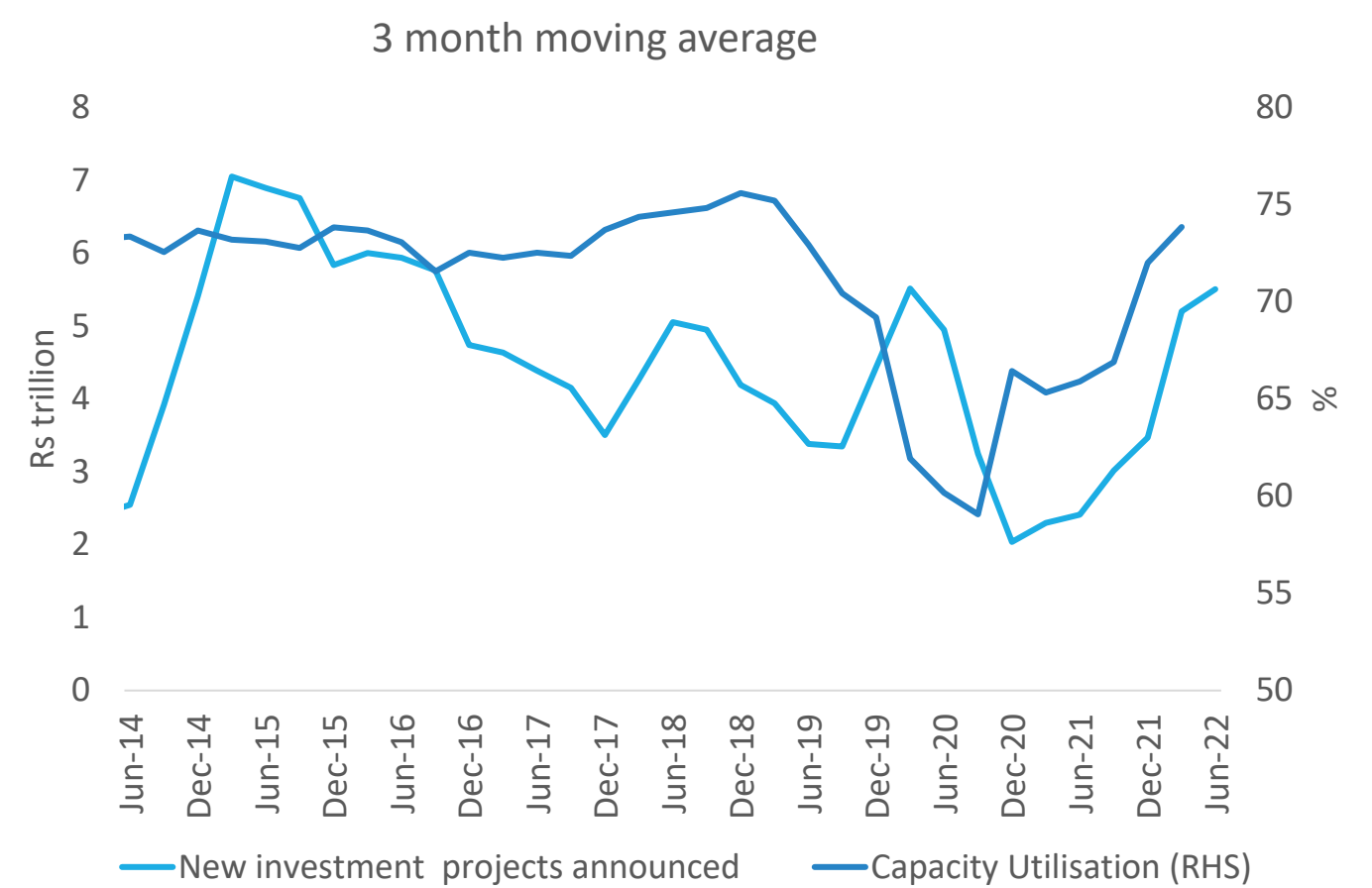
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Exhibit 3: The gap between employment demanded and provided under MGNREGA is moving towards pre-covid average- some sign of rural recovery there!



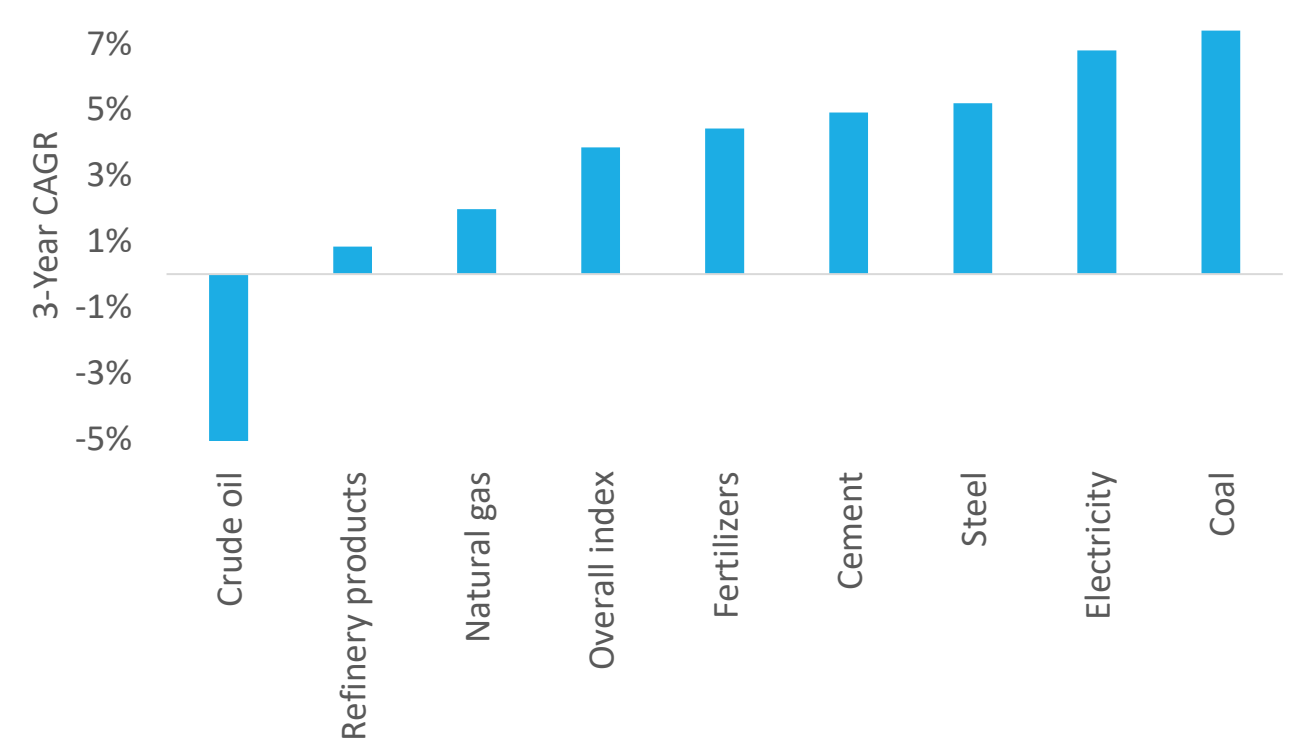
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Exhibit 2: Rising capacity utilization coupled with rise in new projects announced paints a picture of rise in investments



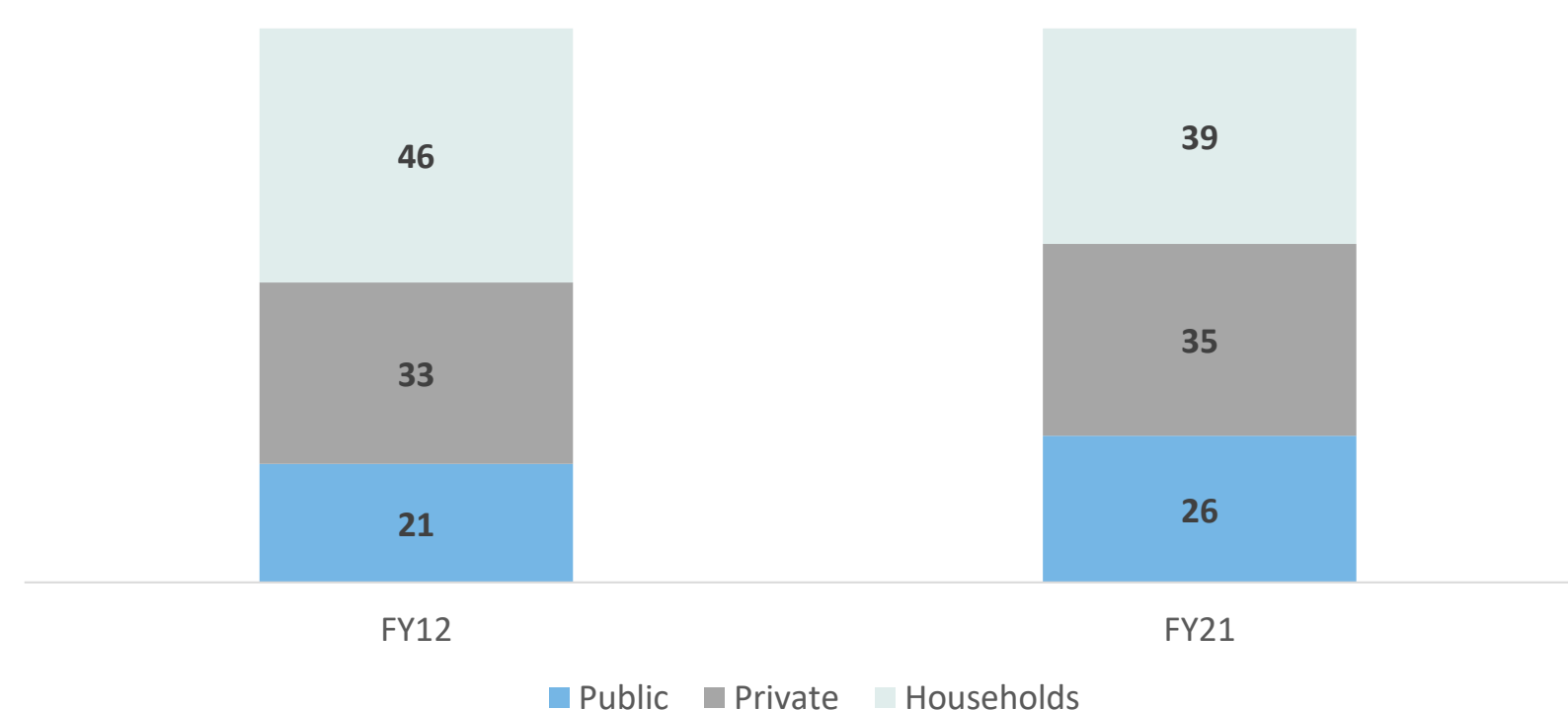
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Exhibit 4: Cement/Steel/Electricity/Coal production growth bodes well for the infrastructure sector



Source: CMIE

Exhibit 5: The investment cycle is in nascent stage as share of private and household investment continues to be low, needs to durably pick up



Source: CMIE

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