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Opening Remarks

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Agenda

- Speaker introductions
- Poll
- Impact of COVID on the industry
- State of the airline industry and outlook
- Fleets & Utilisation
- Aviation Restart, Safely Managing Aircraft Return to Service



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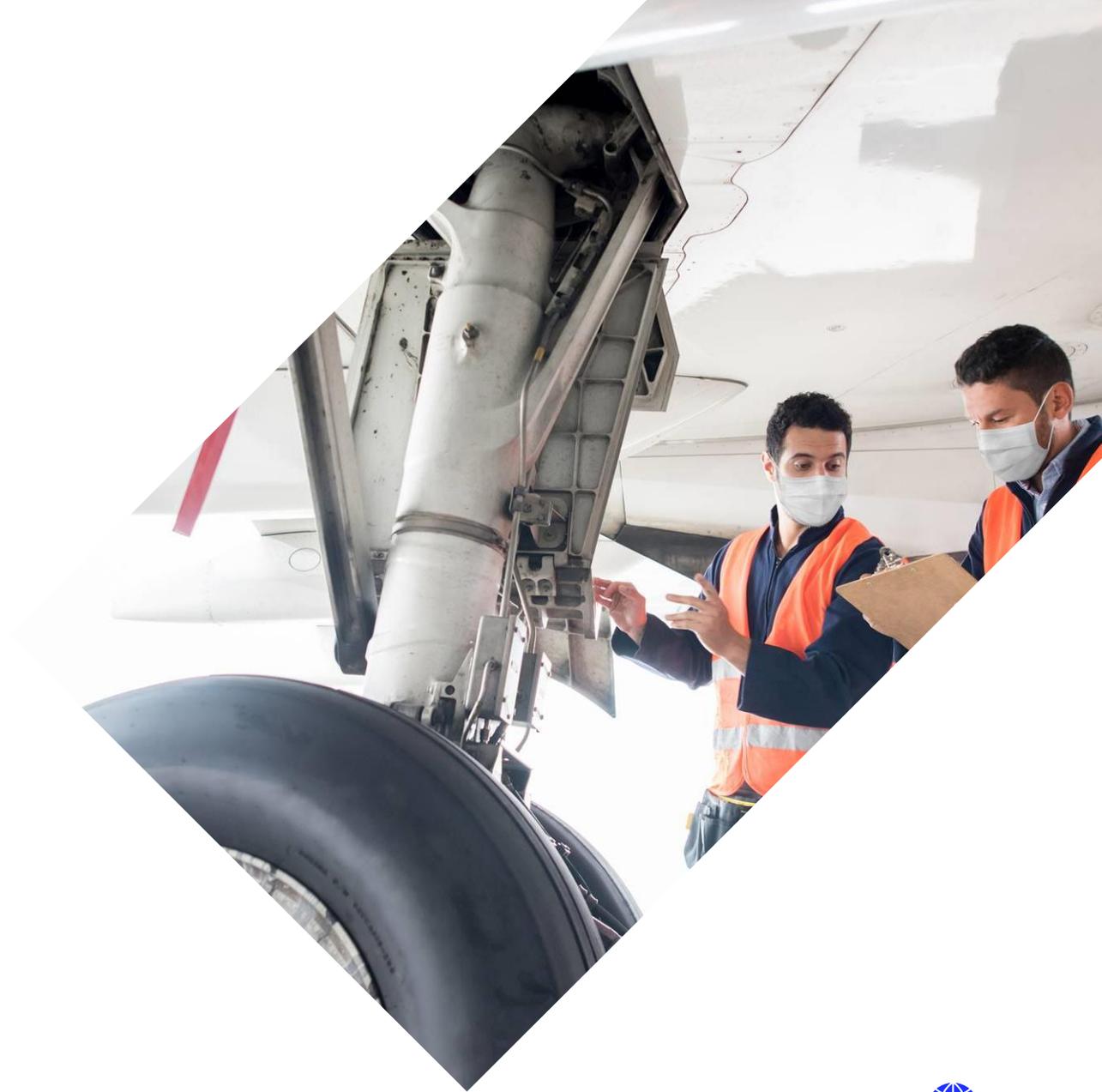
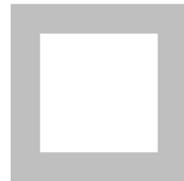
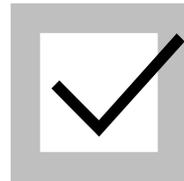
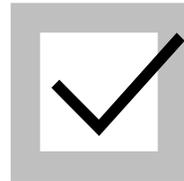
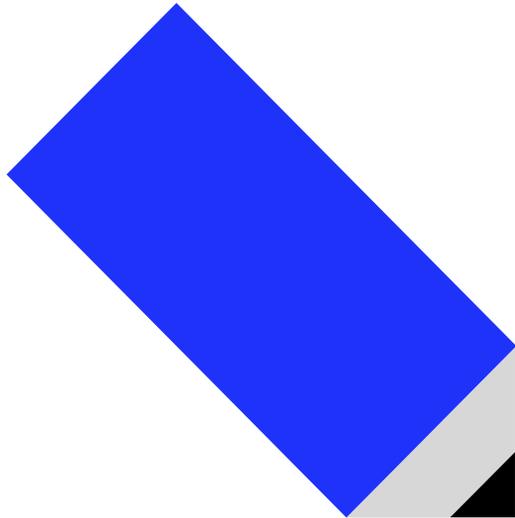
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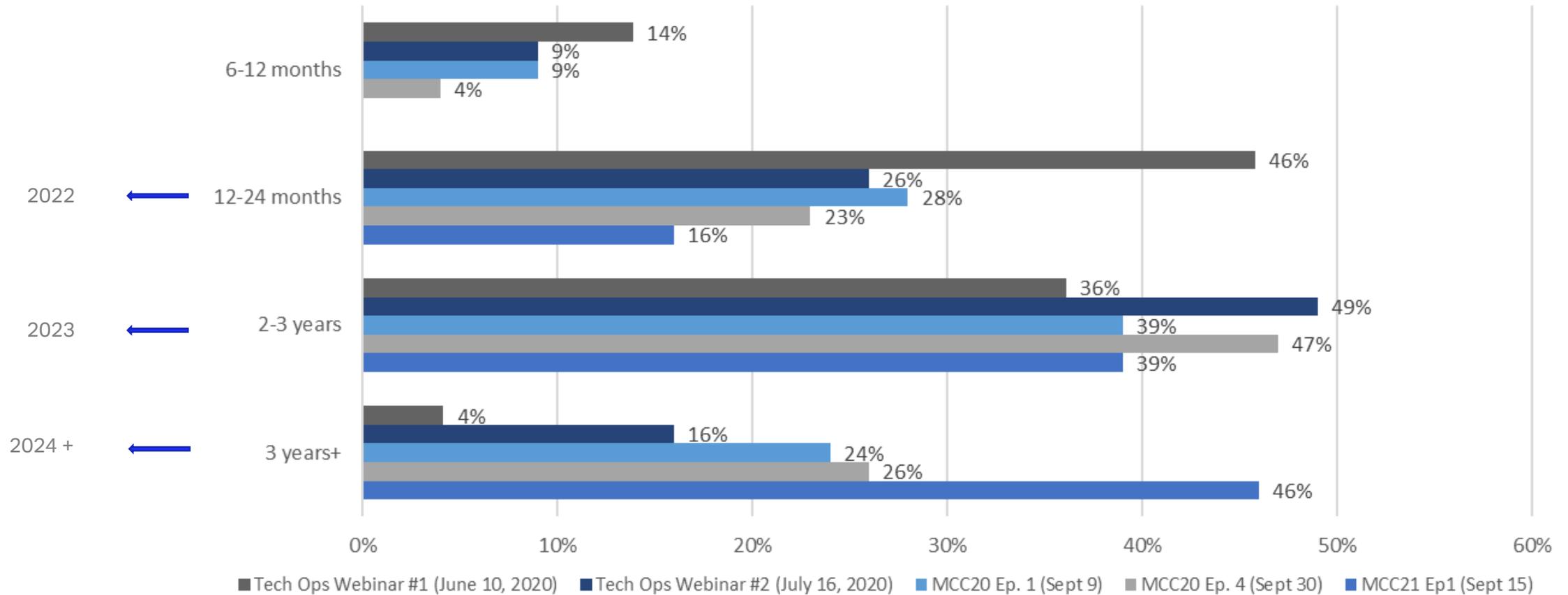
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Poll



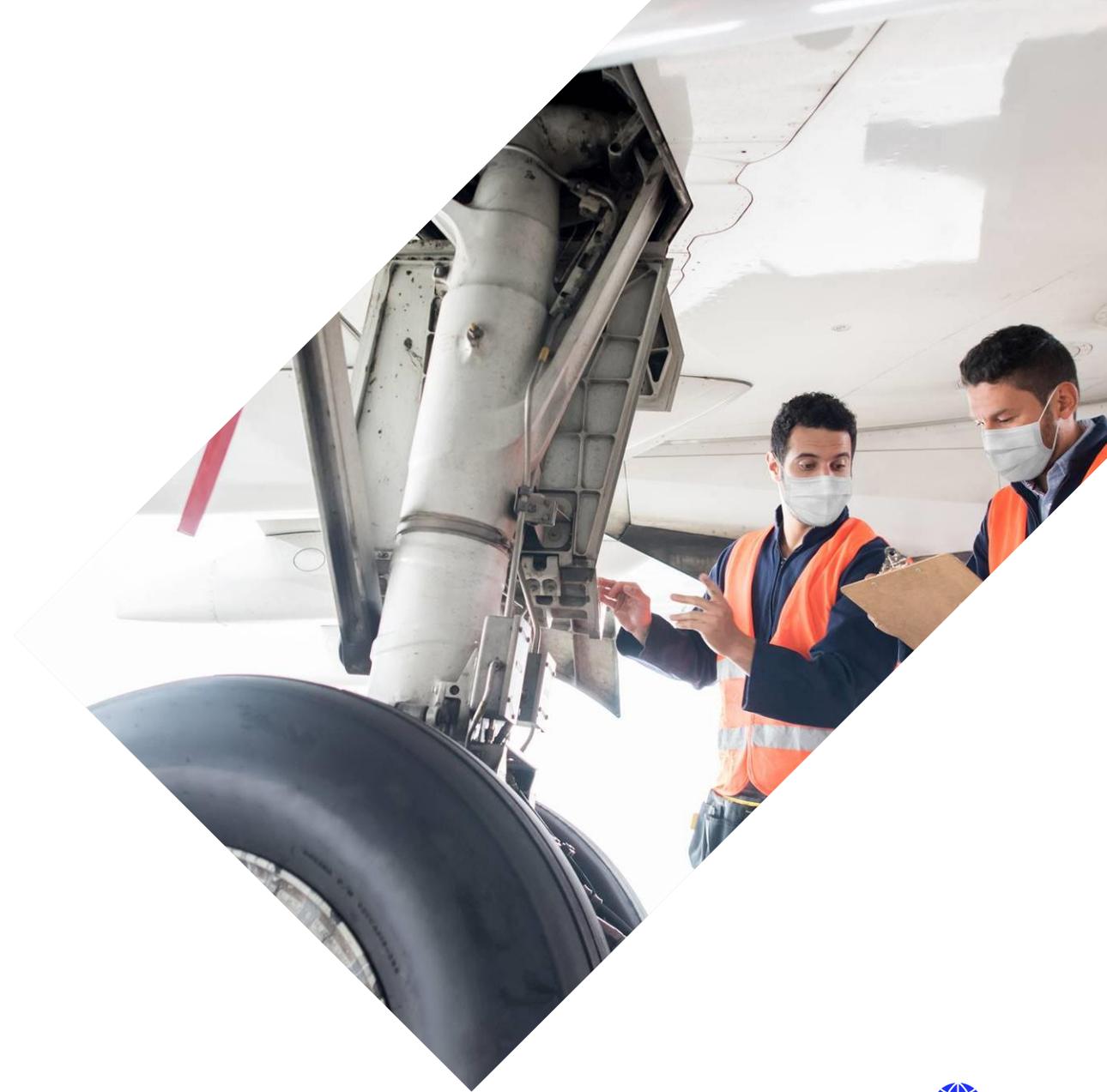
When will demand for travel be back to 2019 levels? (Results from 2020 & 2021 polls)



Impact of COVID on the industry



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Impact of COVID on the industry

IATA 17th Maintenance Cost Conference

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September 15th, 2021

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Not Good!!!

- **Some general thoughts**
- **Short term considerations**
- **Long term considerations**

Accept the reality that there is a power greater than you

VIRUS



**Best guess for return to
2019 levels**

2024

- **Domestic travel ahead of international**
- **Direct ahead of hubs**
- **Narrowbodies do better than widebodies**

- **The worst may still be ahead of us, at least financially**

- **Future of business travel**
- **Future of leasing**
 - Provides financing to airlines
 - Impact on orders but even on the design of airplanes
- **Role of Governments**

- **Traditional models do not work right now**
- **Times of experiments**
- **New airlines, new airplane types, new fuels**

Thank you for listening!

Please be safe and sane

Adam Pilarski

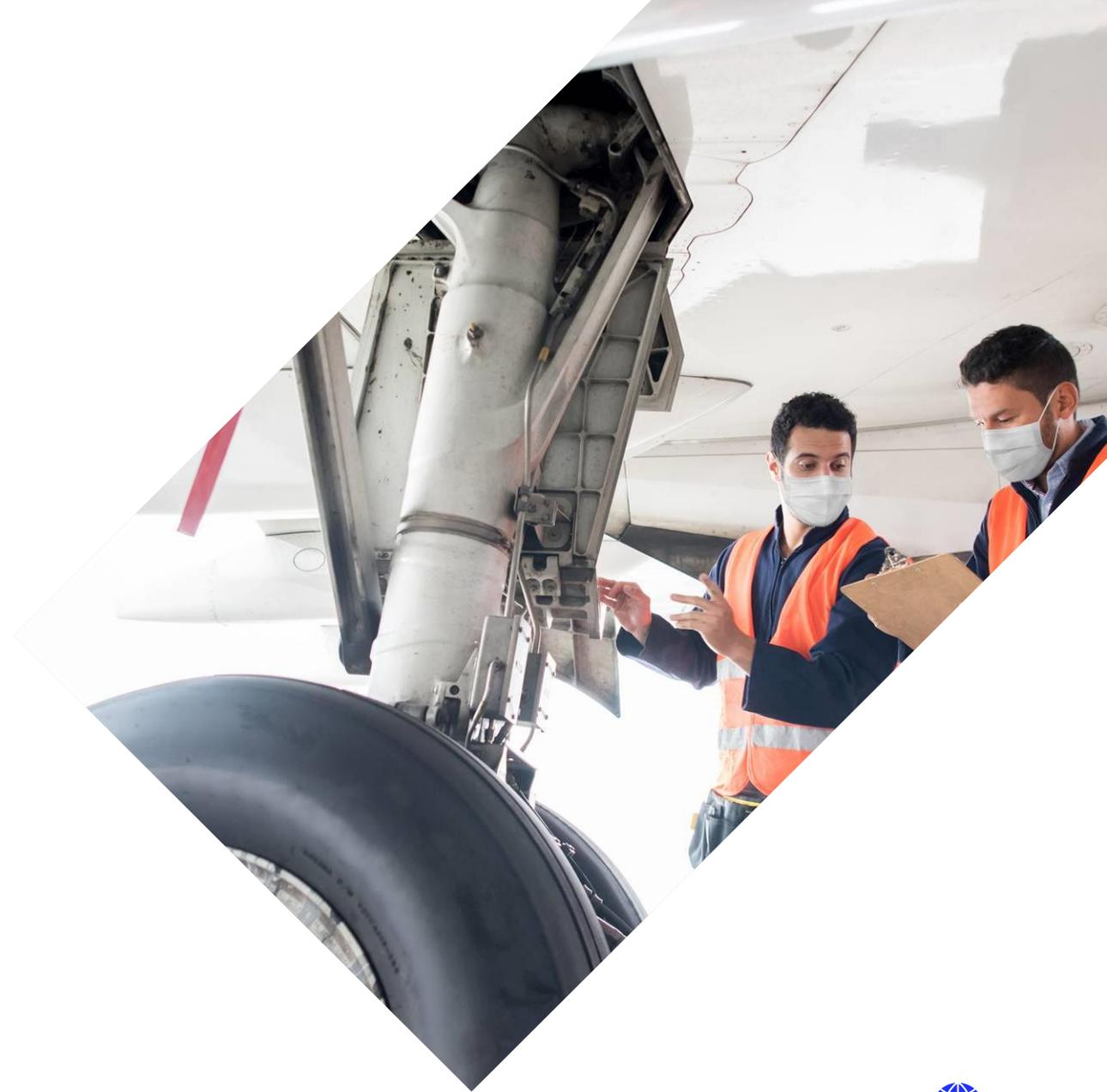
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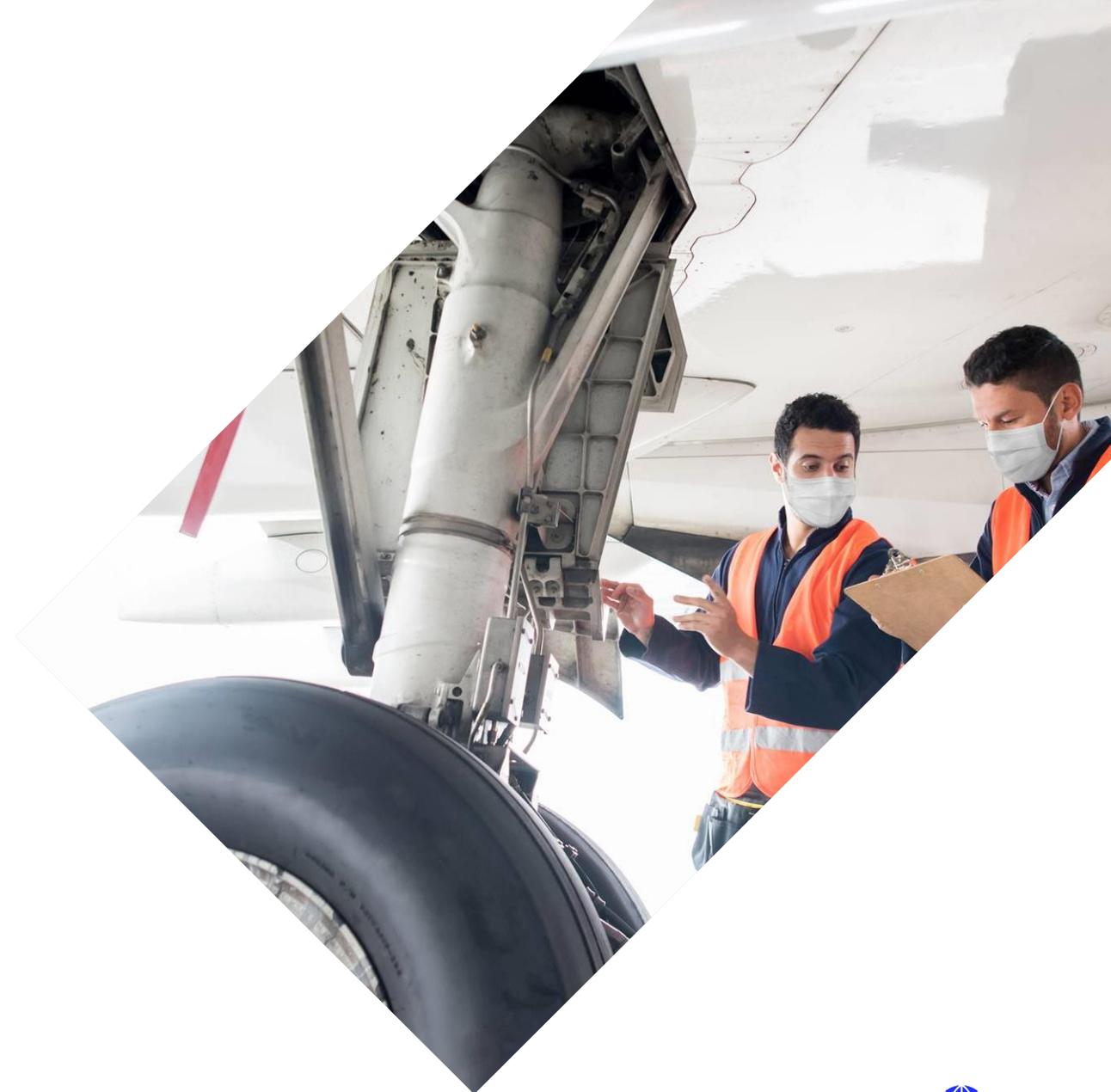
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State of the airline industry and outlook



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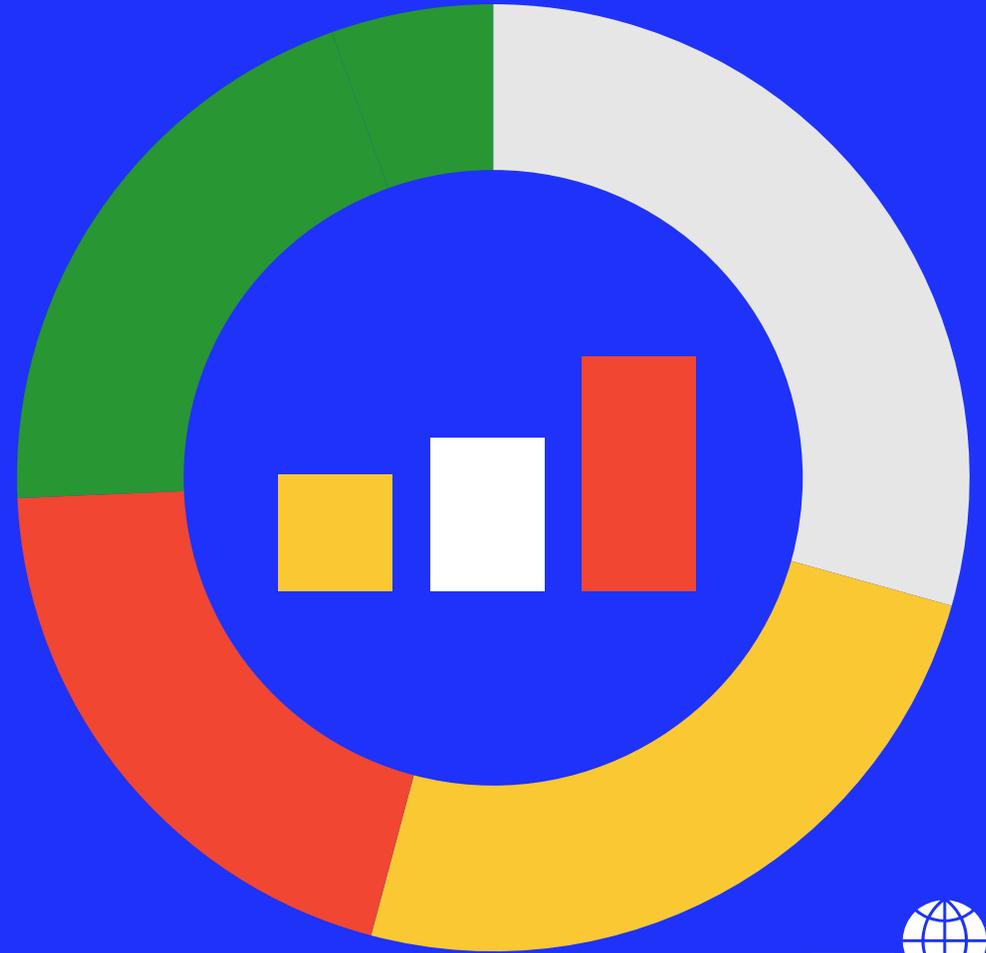
COVID-19

Update on the state of the airline industry and outlook

Michael Moosberger

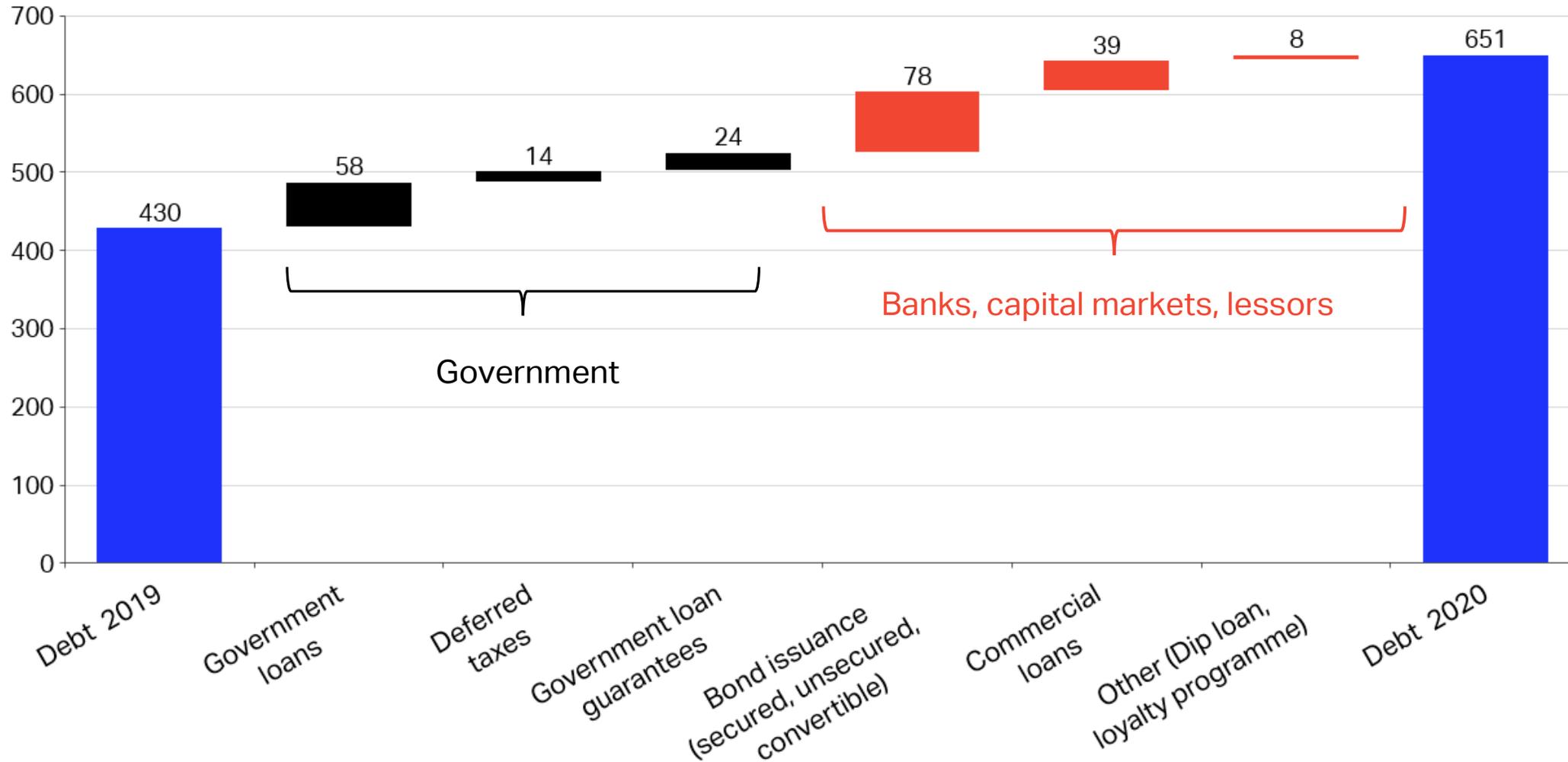
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Survival cost - a huge rise in airlines' debt by end-2020

\$220bn rise in airline debt as a result of govt aid and market issues

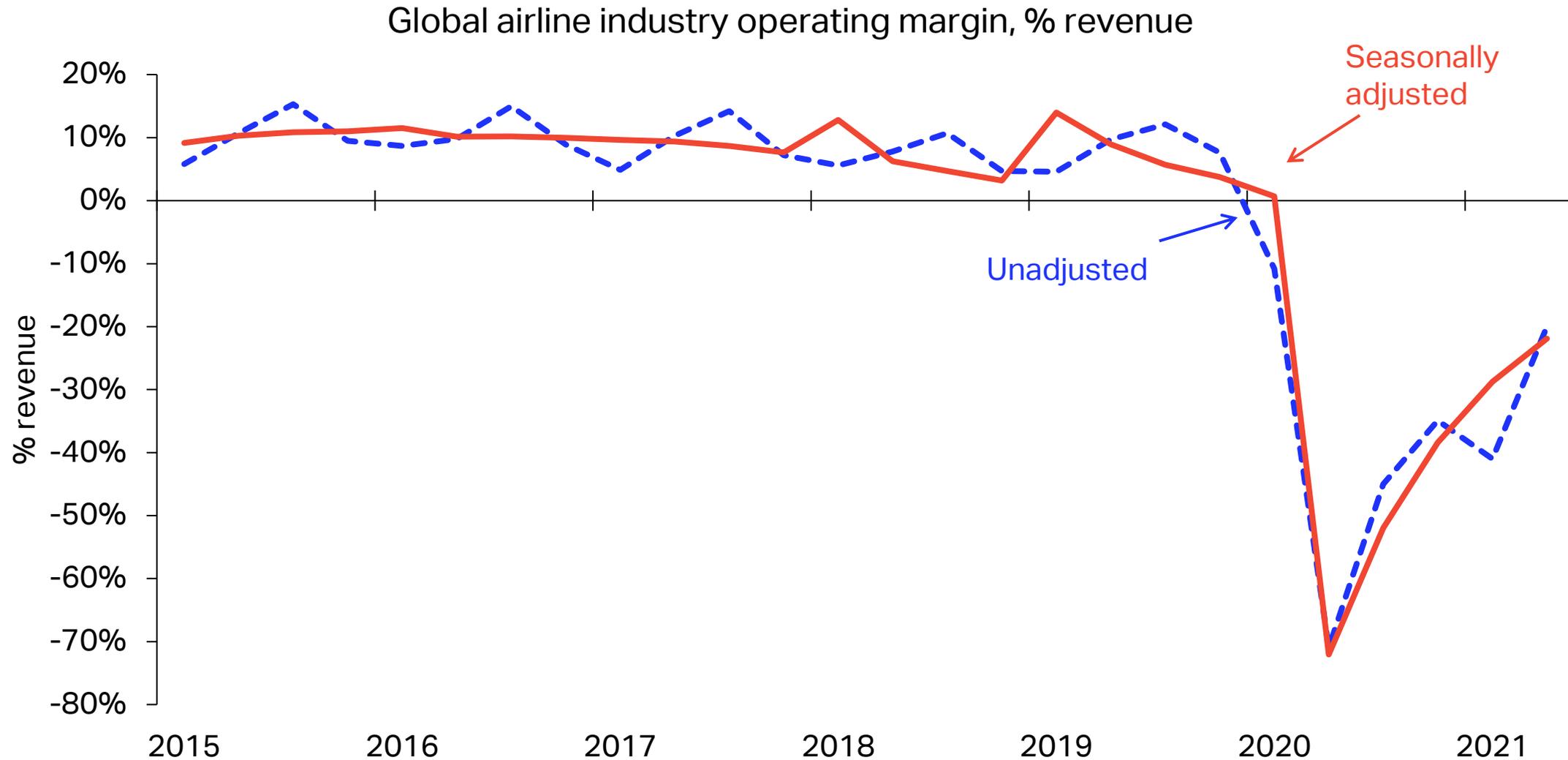


Source: IATA Economics using data from own estimates of Government aid, private debt estimates from Airfinance Journal, November 2020. Debt includes adjustment for operating leases.



Airline industry financials are improving but still negative

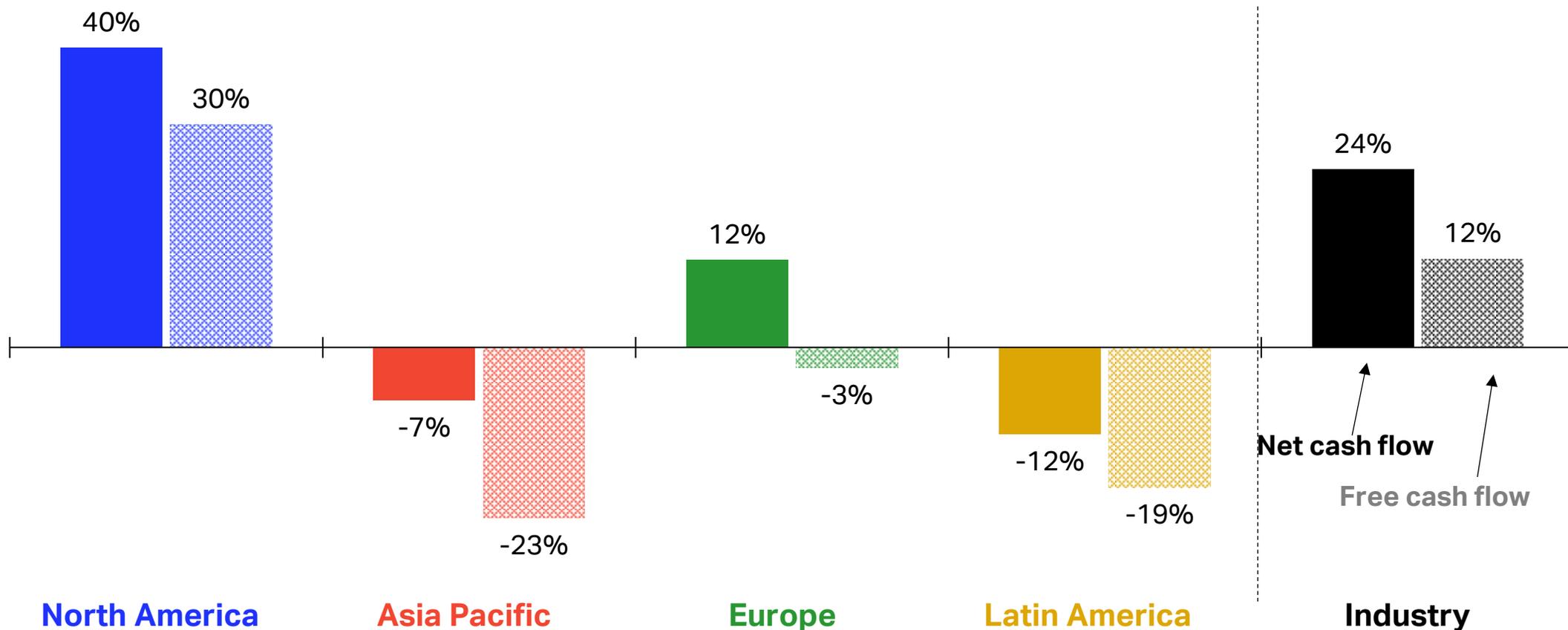
Operating losses reduced to 20% of revenues by Q2 of 2021



Transition to cash flow generation but uneven

North America and China ahead of others with strong domestic recovery

Net cash flow from operating activities (darker colour) and free cash flow (lighter colour) in Q2 2021*, % of revenues



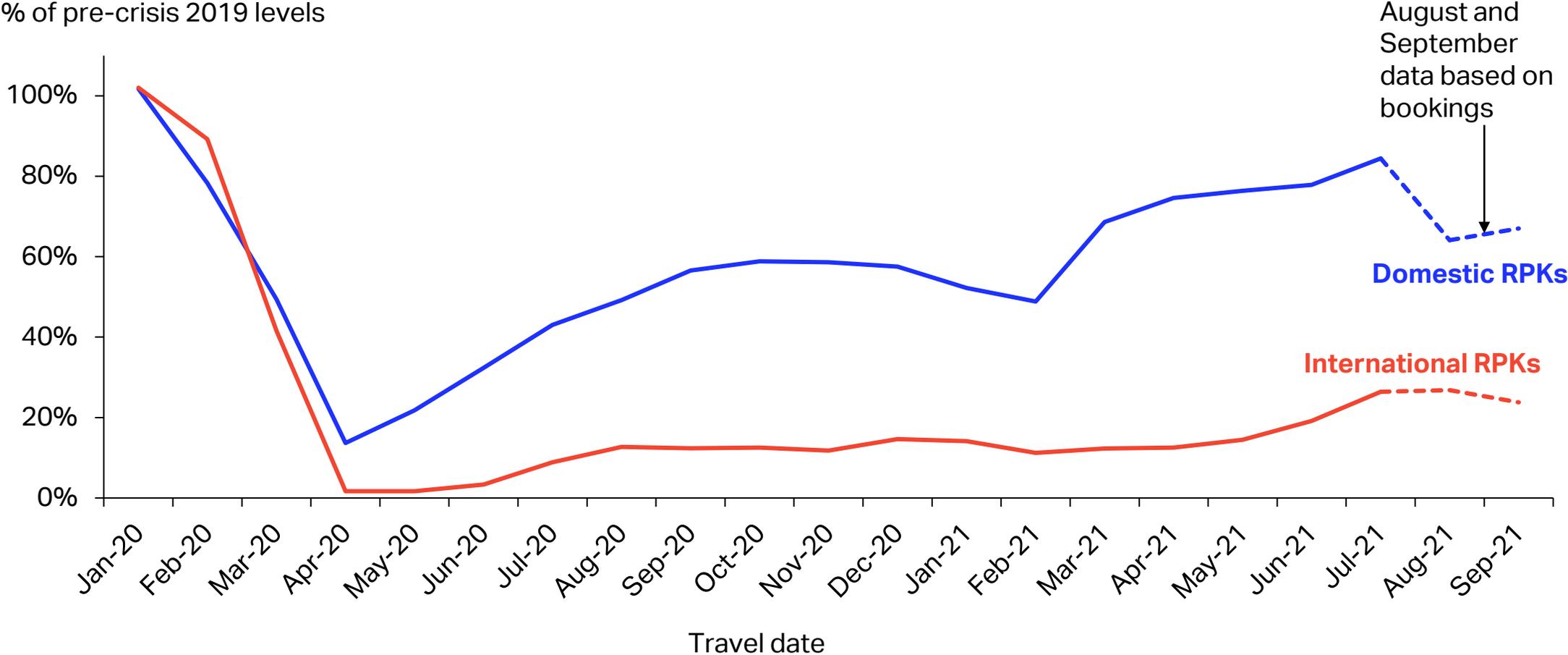
*sample of 40 airlines



Air travel rebounded in July, but risks are rising

Global RPK recovery may stall after the rebound in Northern summer

Industry-wide RPKs

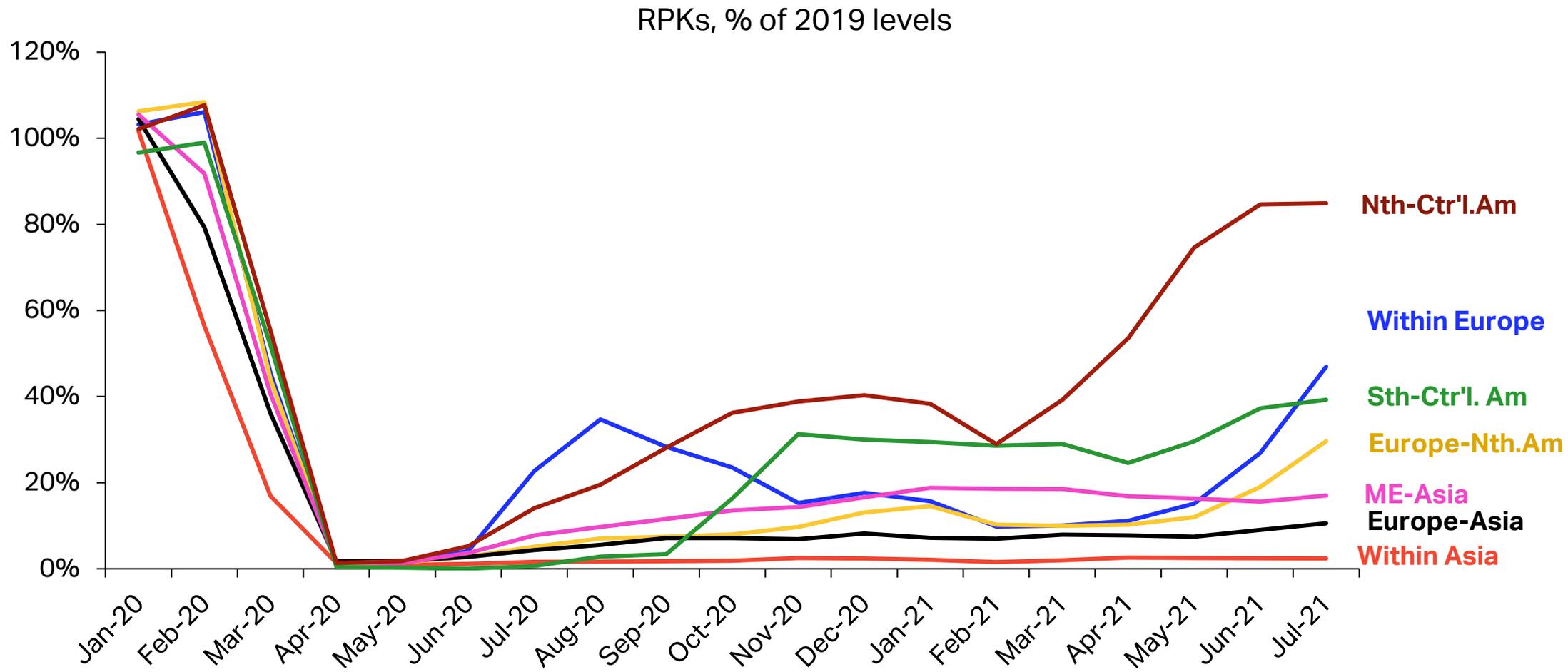


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International air travel recovery based on few markets

Within Europe and North-Central America routes have improved

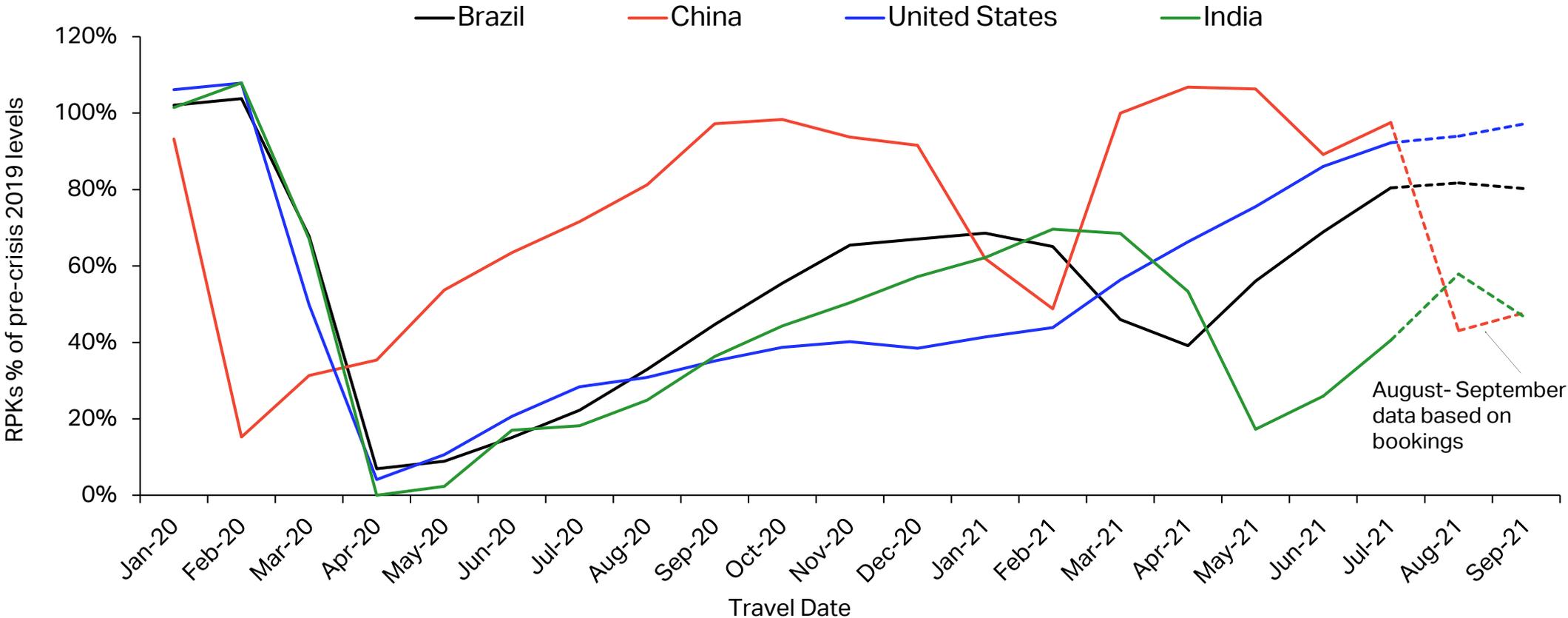


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Domestic markets are vulnerable but rebound quickly

Setback in China but recovery continues once outbreak is under control

Domestic Traffic (Revenue Passenger-Kilometers)

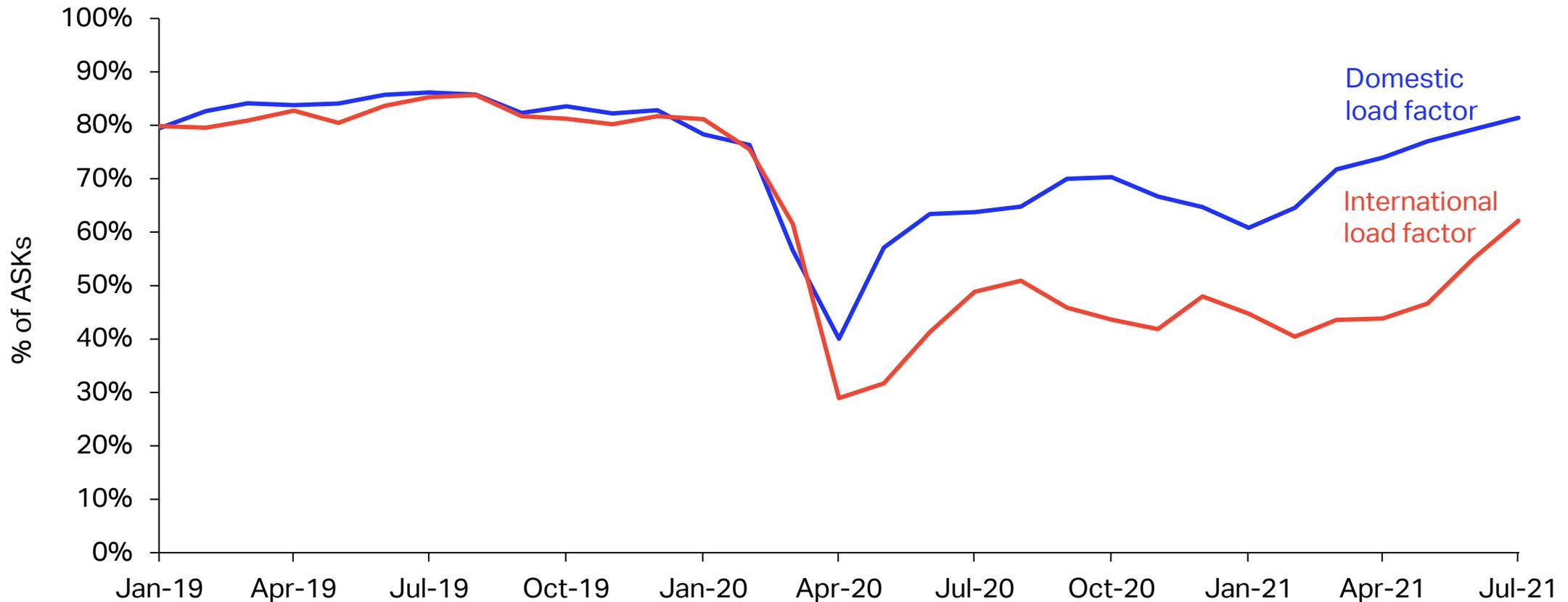


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Domestic load factors much stronger than international

Domestic load factors close to pre-crisis levels, international improving

Load factors on domestic and international markets



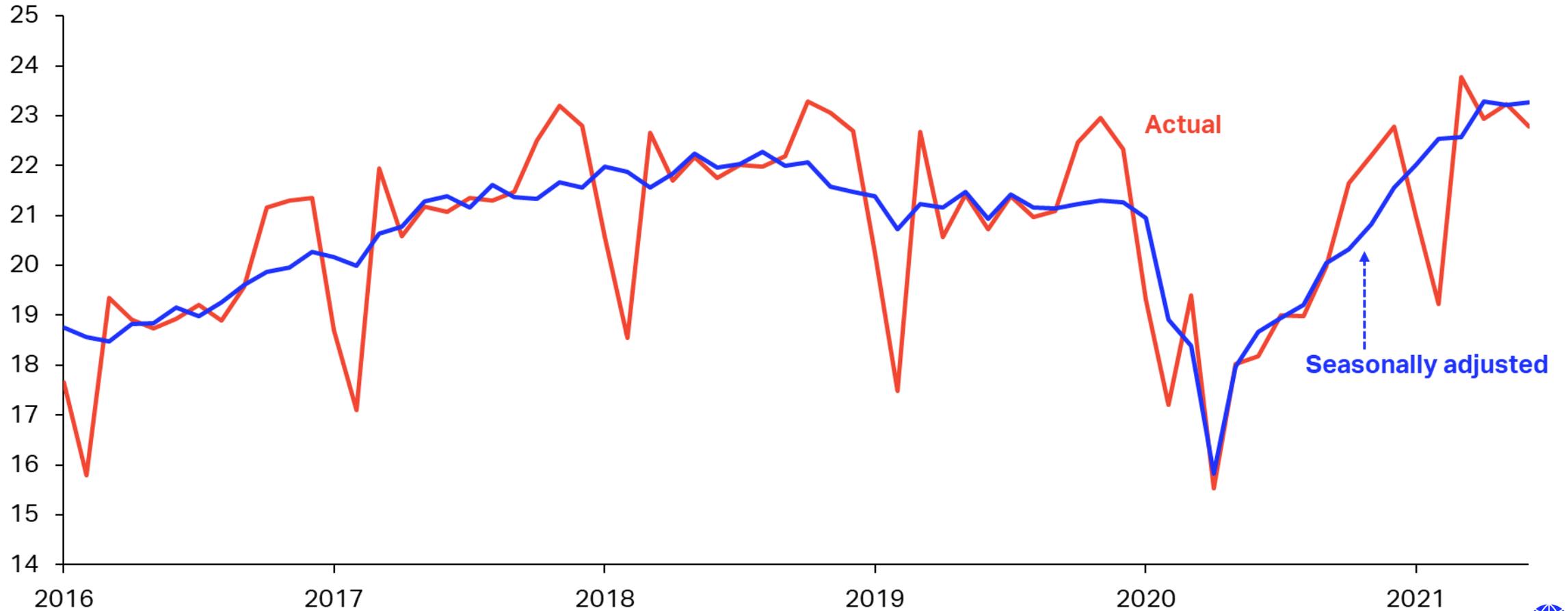
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Air cargo volumes (CTKs) on strong upward trend

Seasonally adjusted CTKs 4.5% above pre-crisis peak by mid-2021

Industry CTKs (billion per month)

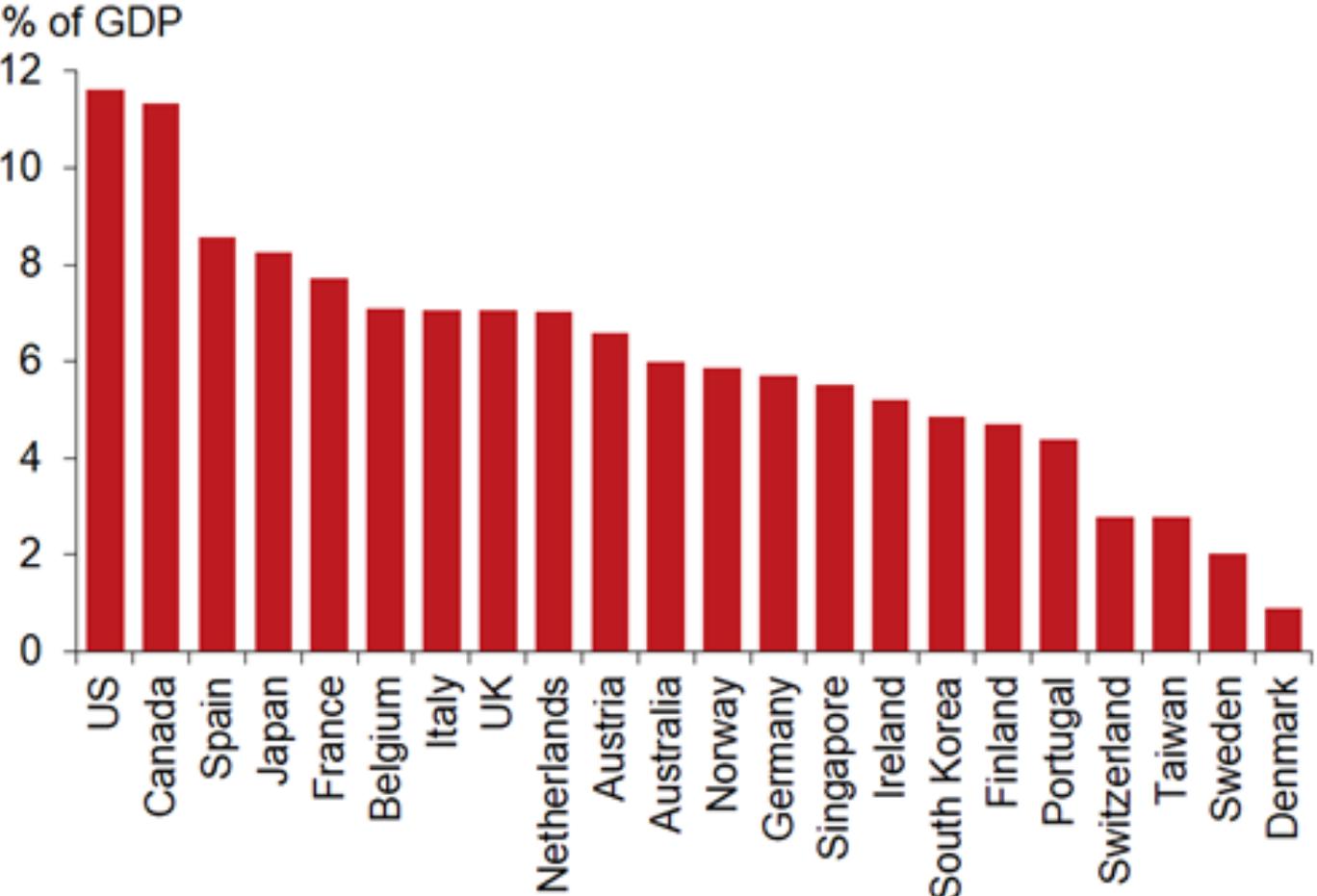


Source: IATA Economics using data from IATA Monthly Statistics. Data is adjusted for seasonality.

Consumers have accumulated savings to spend

In some markets consumers 'excess' savings exceed 10% of GDP

Adv Econ: Excess household savings



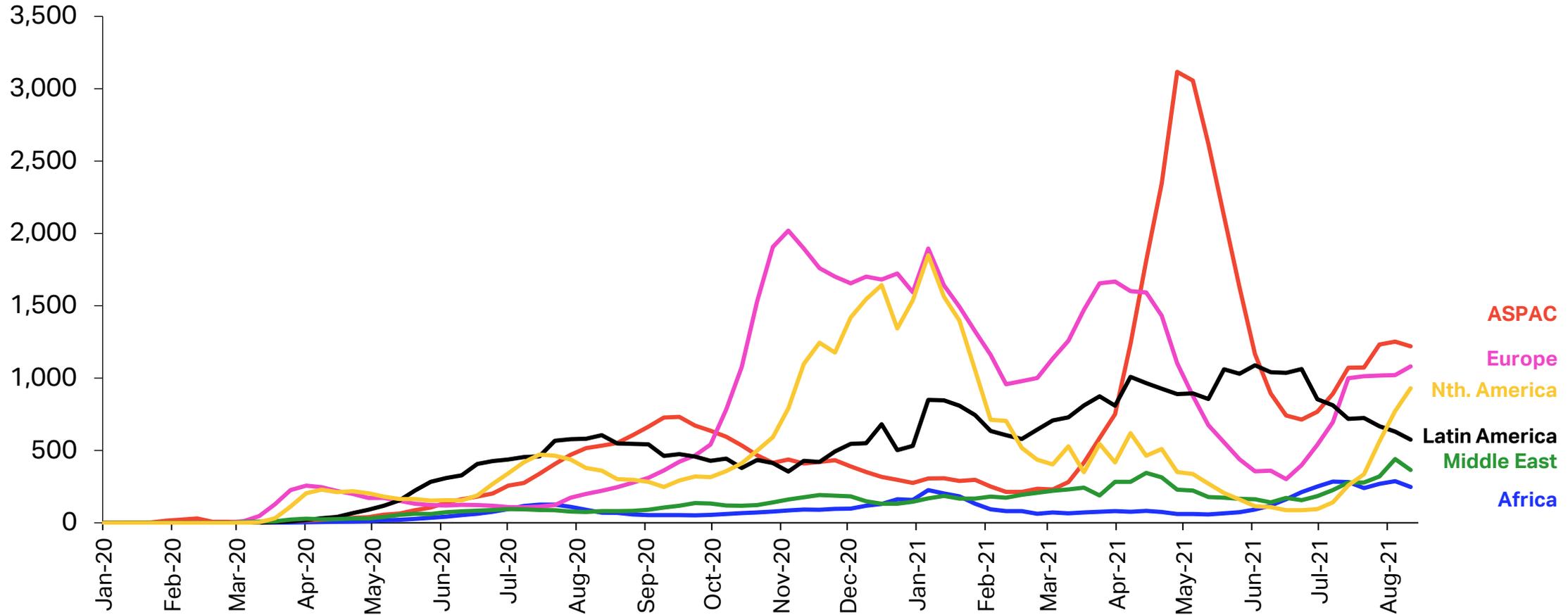
Source : Oxford Economics/Haver Analytics



New COVID-19 cases are rising in most regions

New variants have meant virus control much harder than expected

New COVID-19 cases per week (000's)



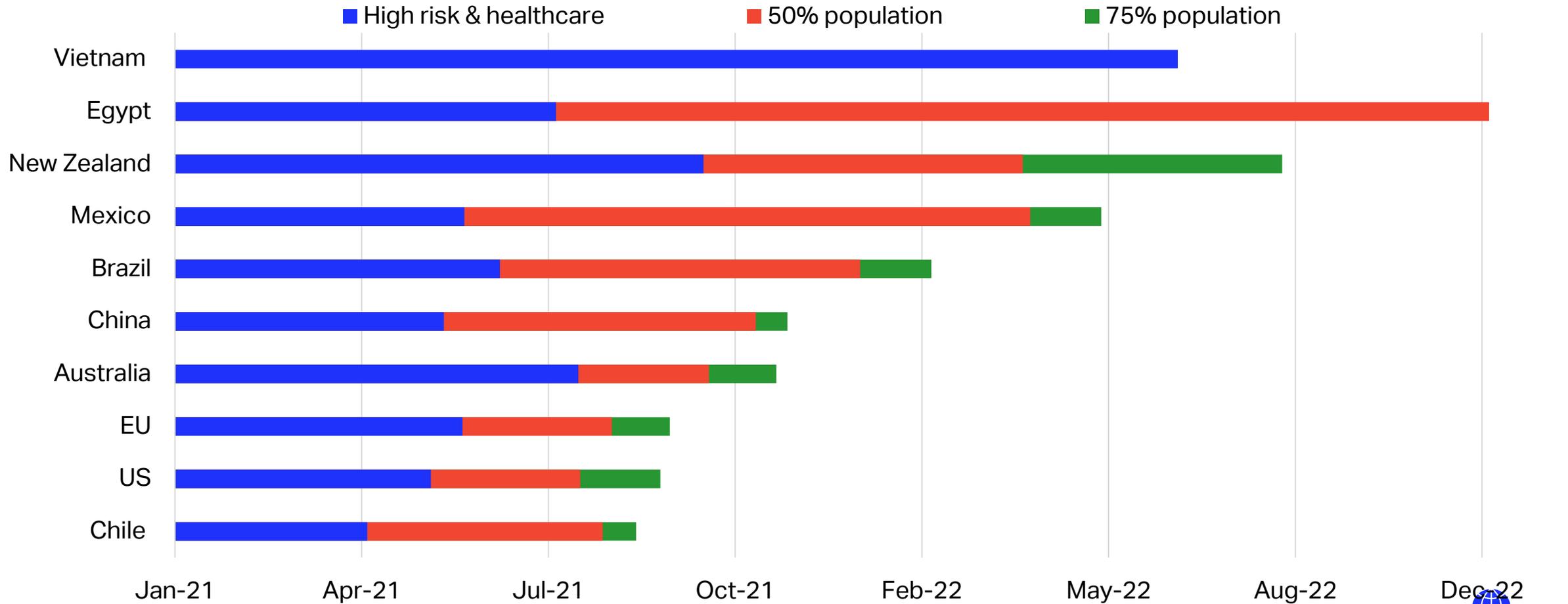
Source: IATA Economics using data from European Centre for Disease Control



Vaccine rollout creates differences in recovery paths

High income countries + China to recover first, but many will lag behind

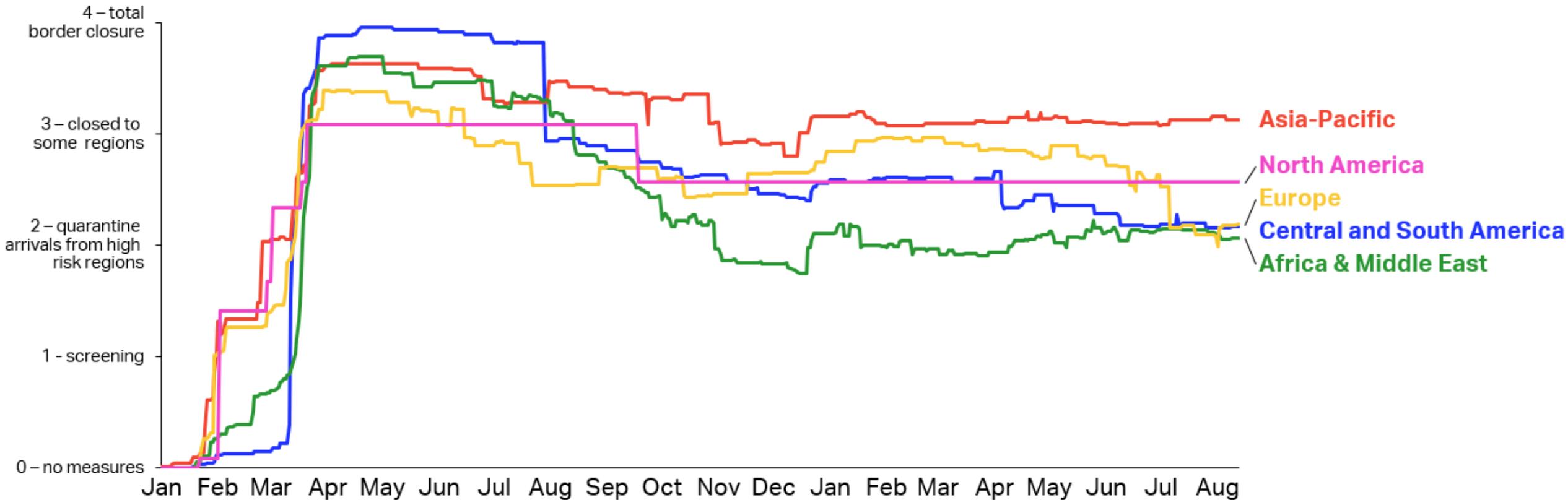
Airfinity's vaccination rollout forecast



International travel restrictions remain high

Asia remains most stringent, Latin America and Europe improve

International travel stringency index weighted by population (Jan 2020-Aug 2021)



Source: IATA Economics using data from Oxford University

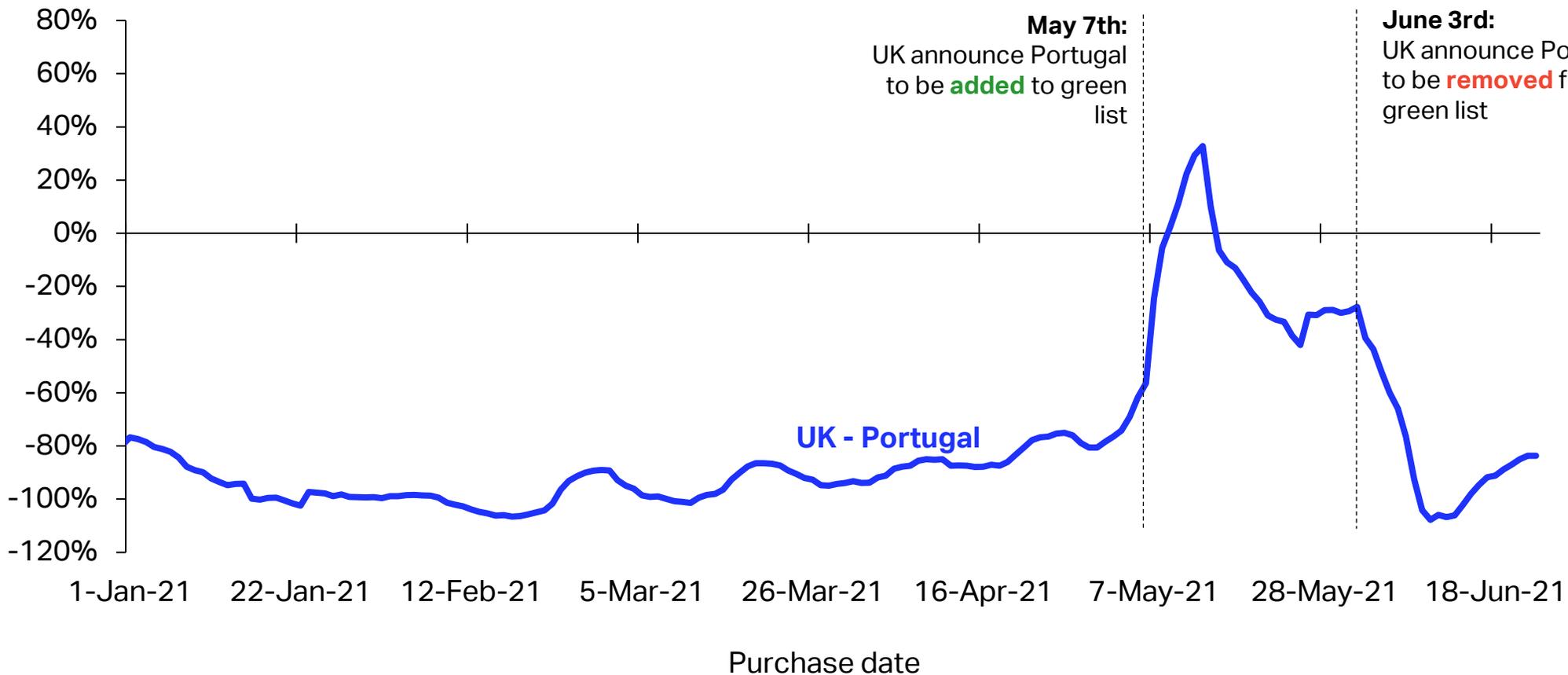


There is substantial pent-up demand but it is fragile

Surge of bookings from the UK to Portugal reversed in a month

Forward bookings, UK - Portugal travel

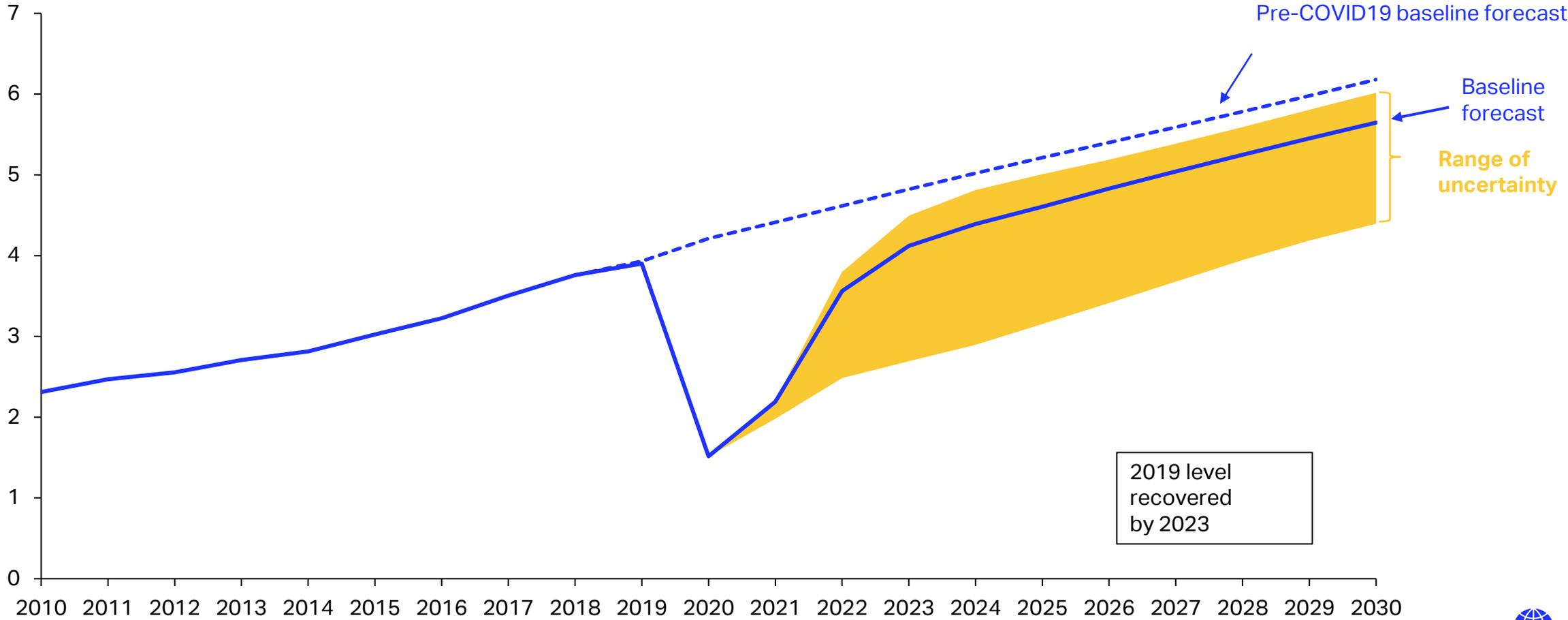
% change vs the same period in 2019, 7-day MA



Full recovery of air travel will still take several years

Downside risks linked to virus variants and border policy

Global passenger departures, billions per year

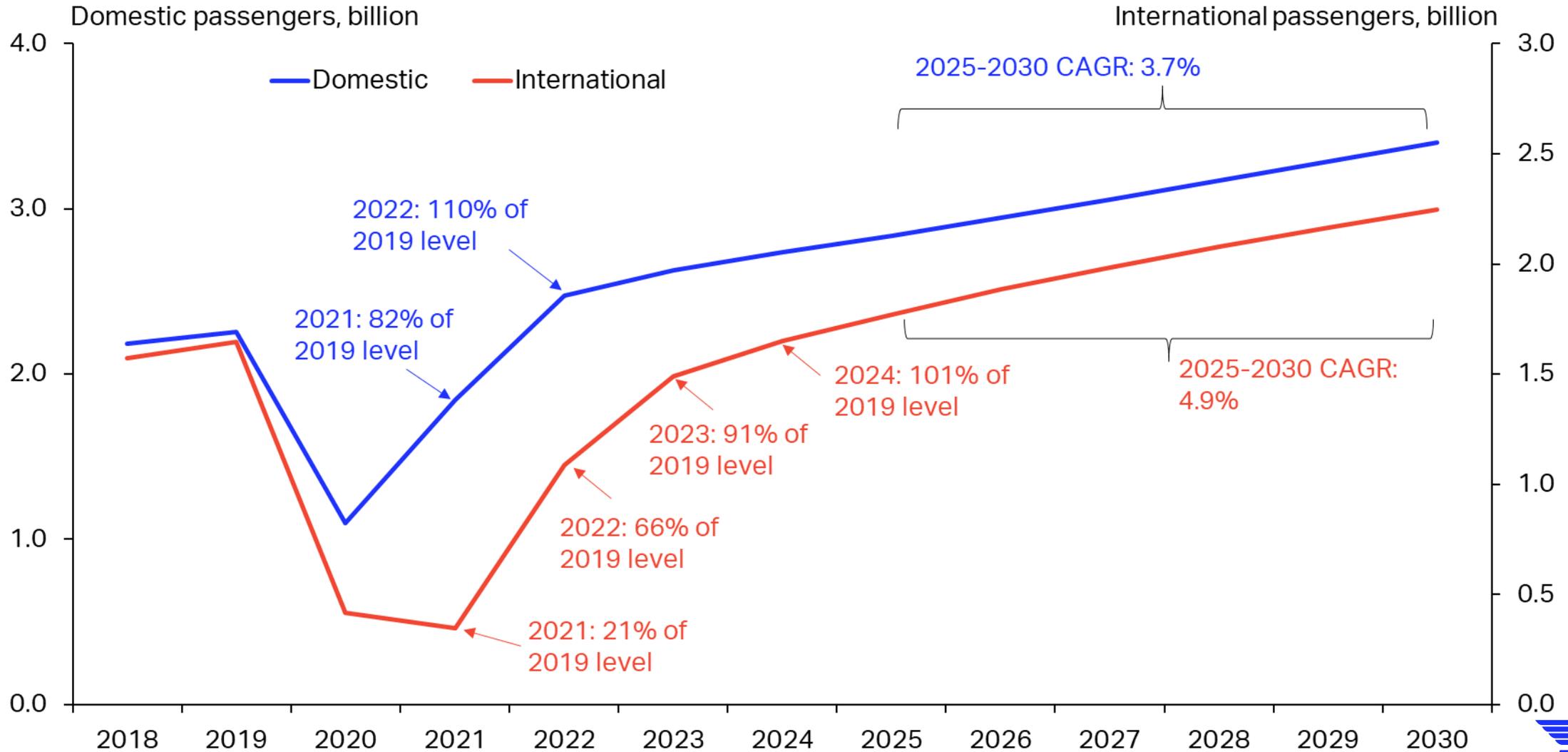


Source: IATA/Tourism Economics APF, July 2021



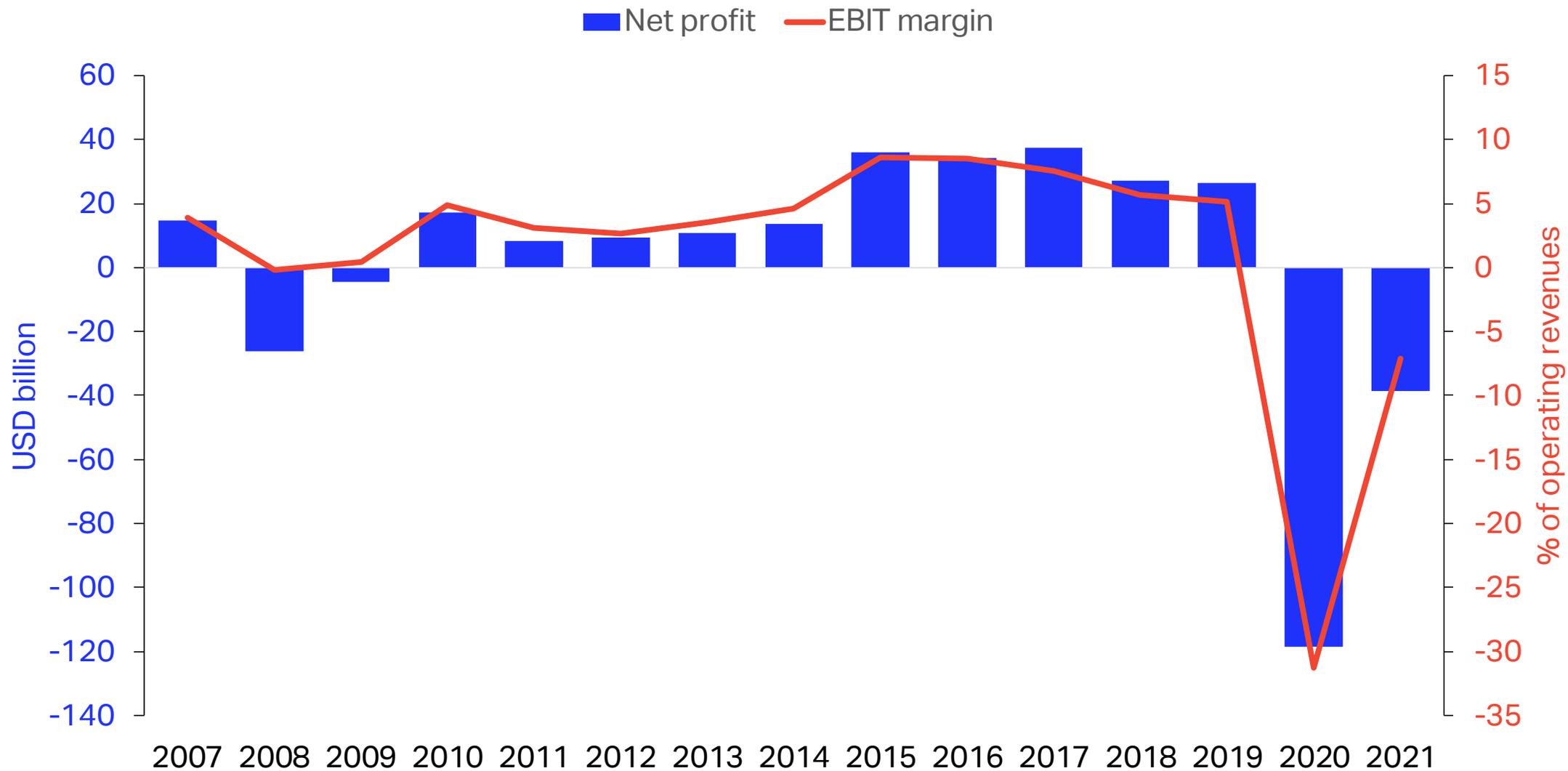
Rapid recovery in domestic but international lags

Domestic above 2019 level by next year. International not until 2024



Losses forecast to be reduced to USD38bn in 2021

Regions with large domestic markets to lead improvement



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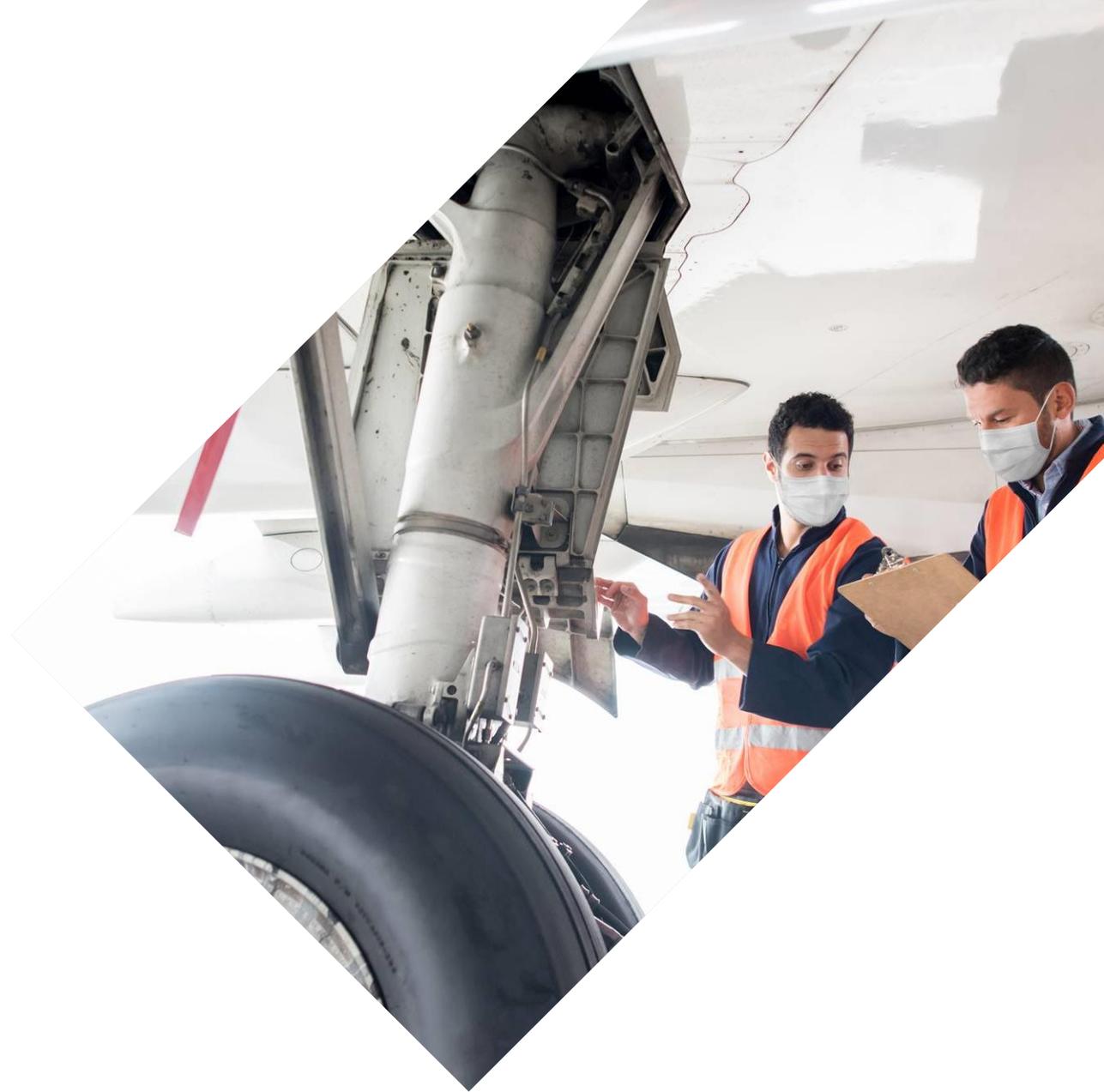
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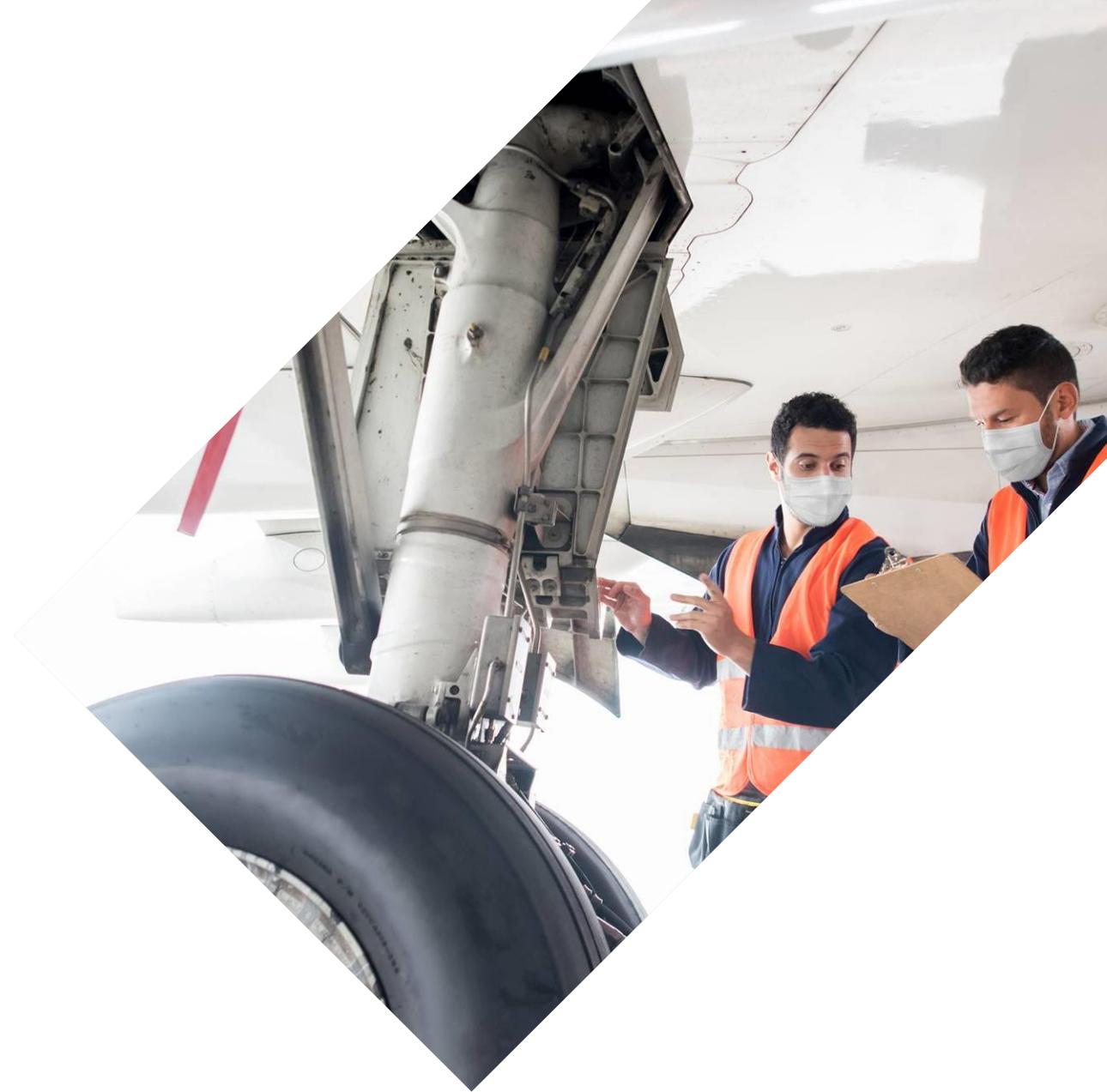


Fleets & Utilisation



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FLEETS & UTILISATION UPDATE

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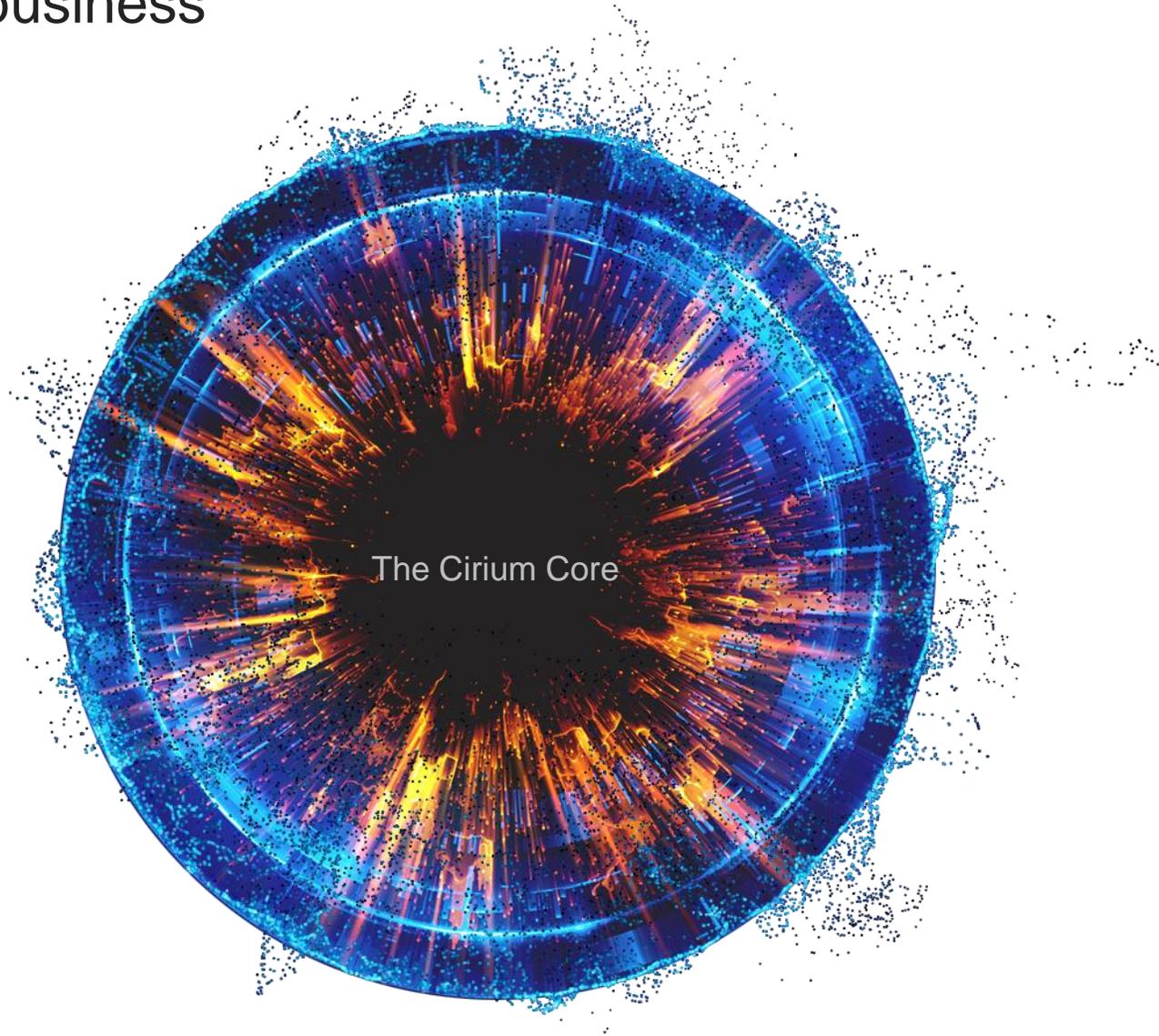


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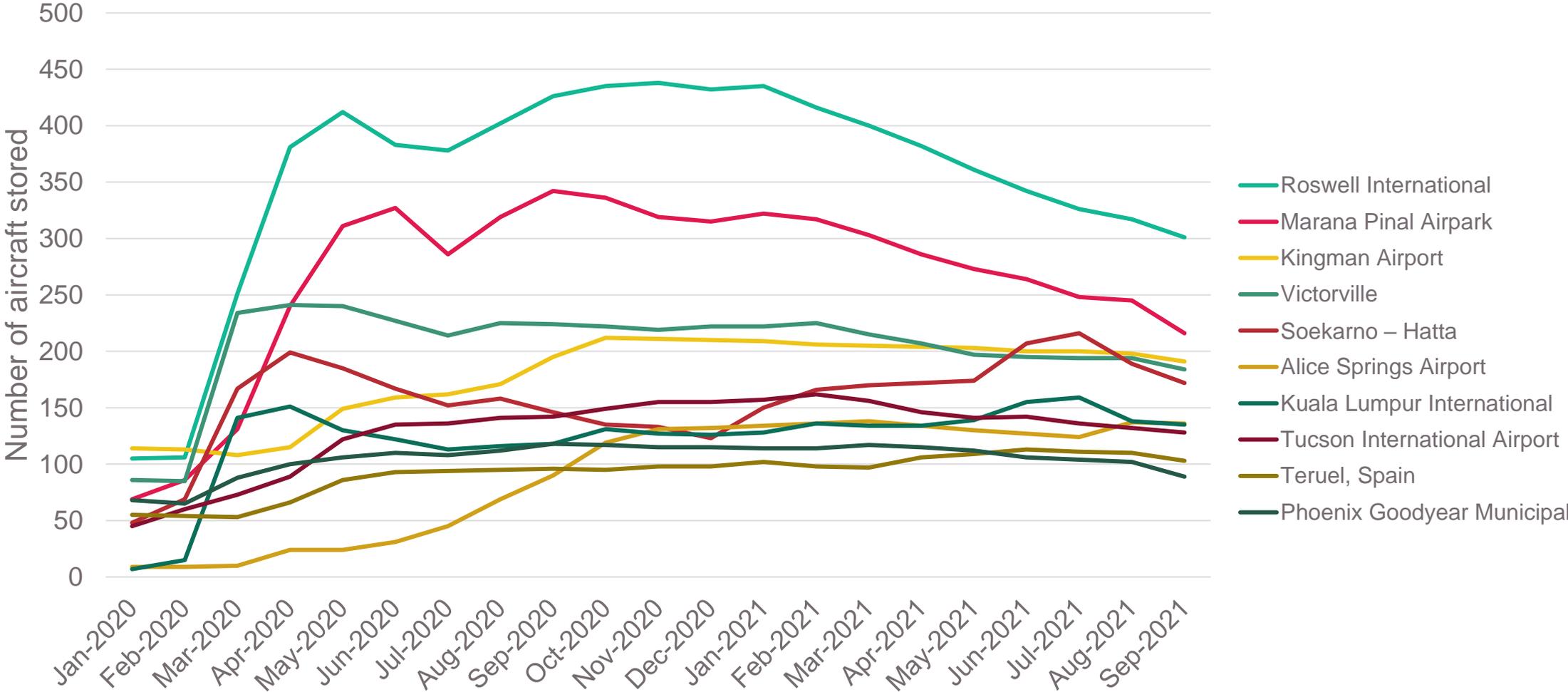
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The in-service passenger jet fleet has been growing steadily since February



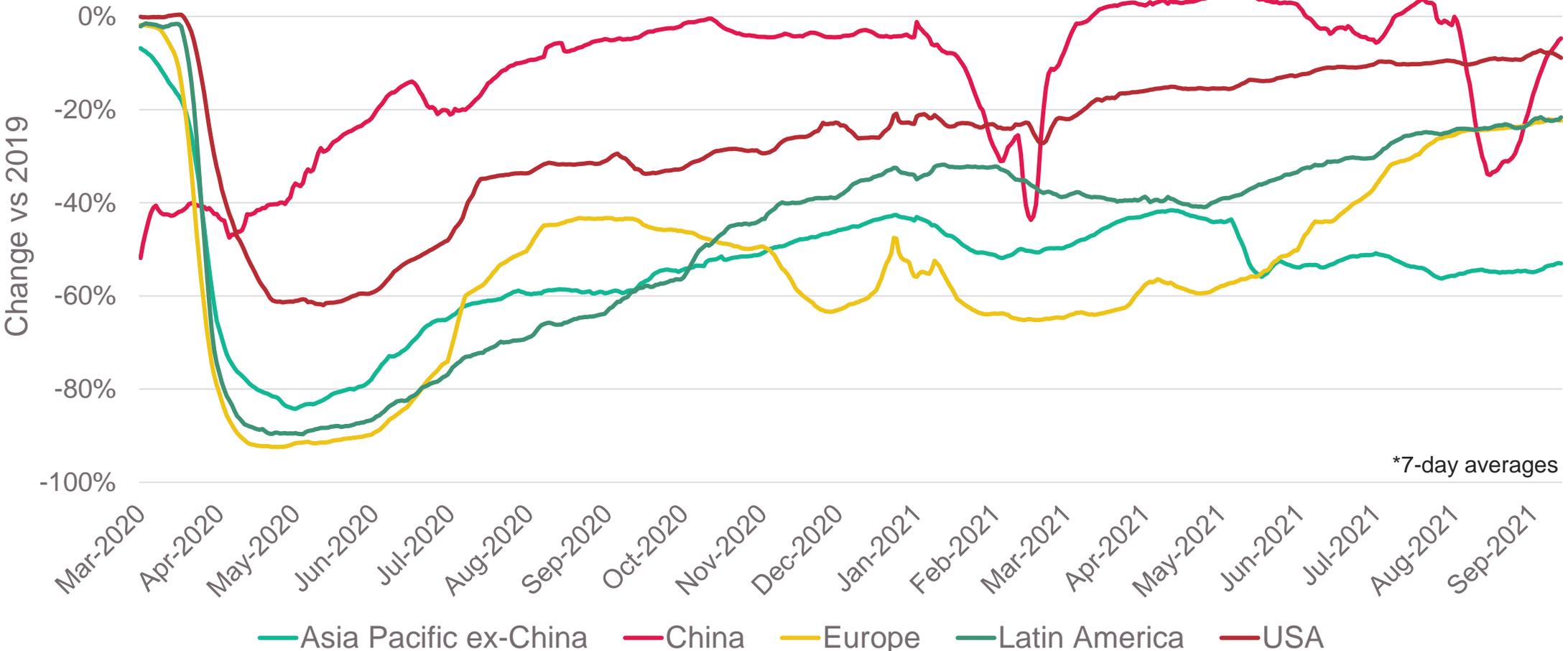
The top 10 passenger jet storage locations have also seen inventories decline



However, recent improvements in tracked daily passenger jet flight numbers may be levelling off, with international volumes still at half of pre-pandemic level

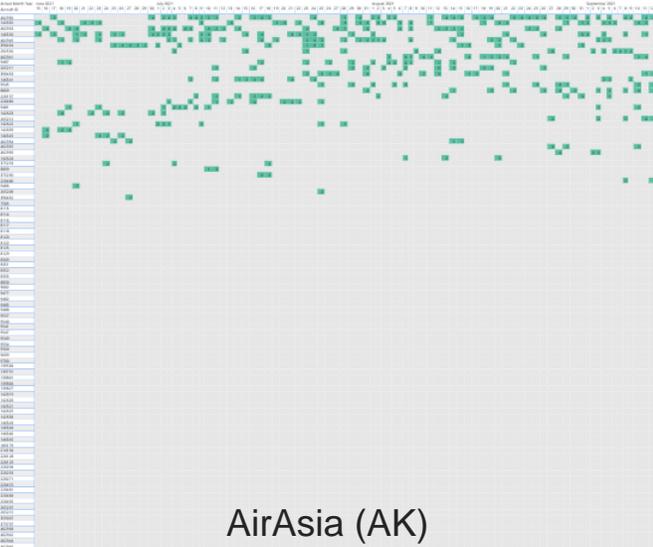


Number of passenger jets tracked daily with Chinese operators is almost back to 2019 levels, but the rest of Asia Pacific is lagging



*7-day averages

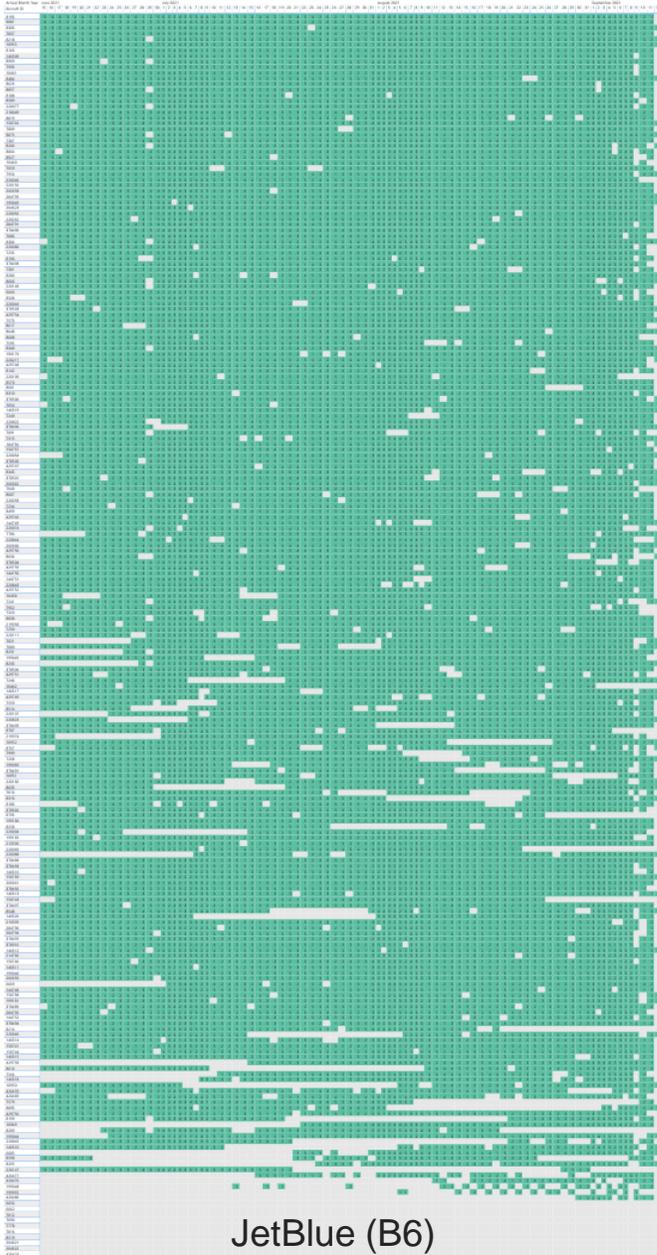
Fleet activity for past 90 days shows stark impact of travel restrictions by region



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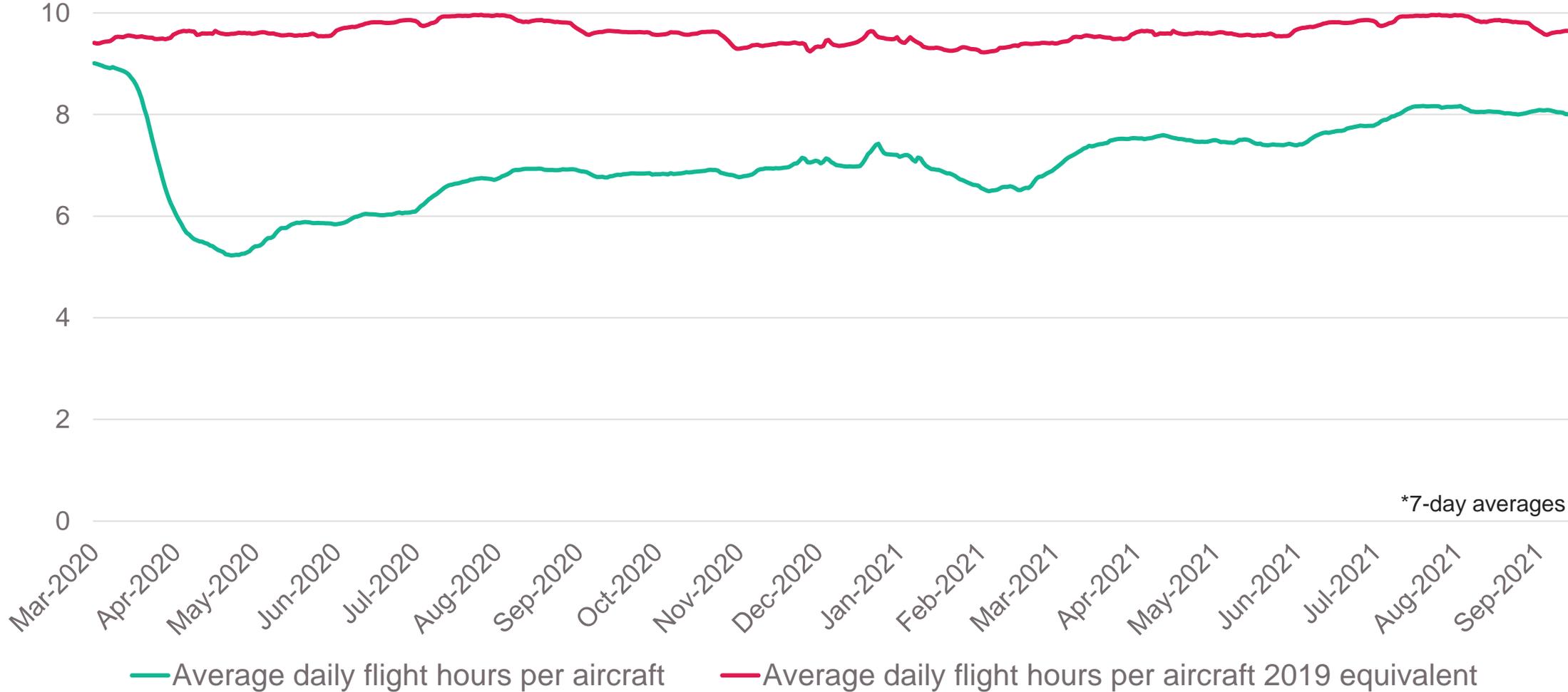
easyJet (U2)



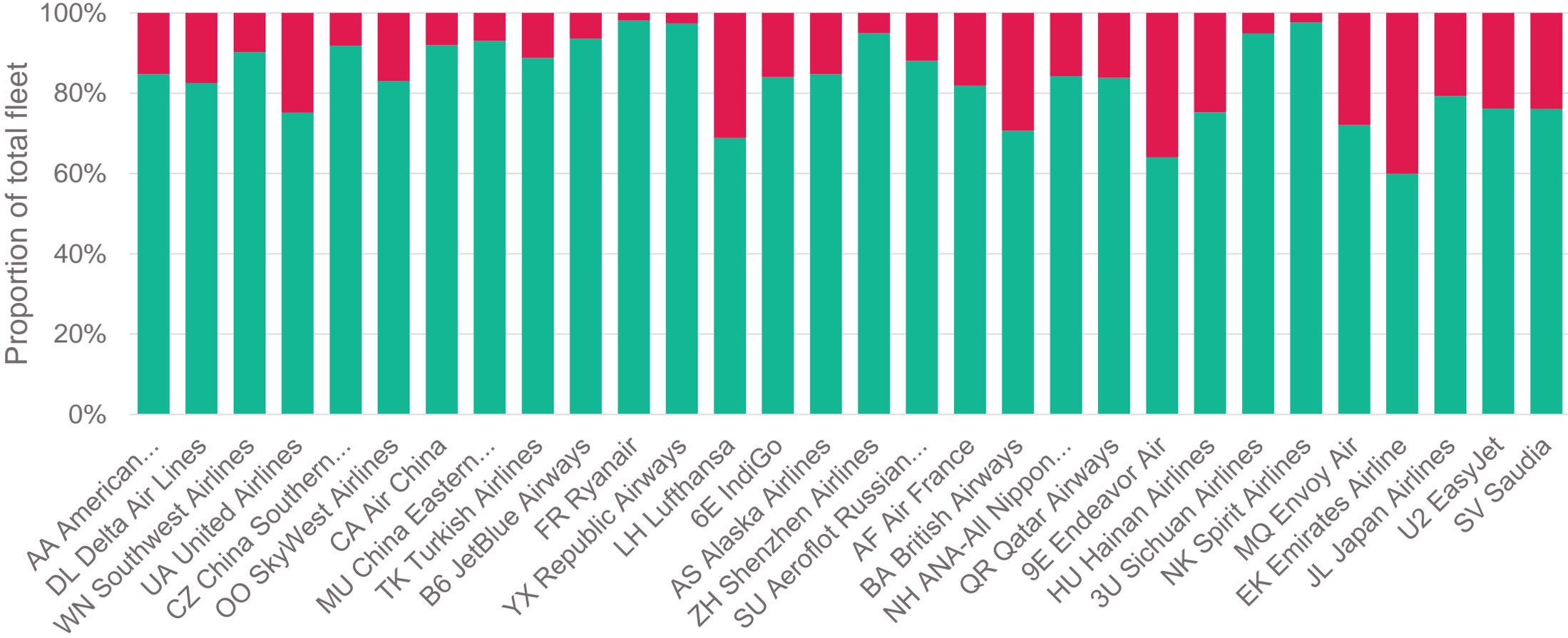
JetBlue (B6)

Daily flights tracked per MSN
(90 days up to and including September 12)

Meanwhile in-service passenger jets are on average flying almost two hours less per day compared with 2019

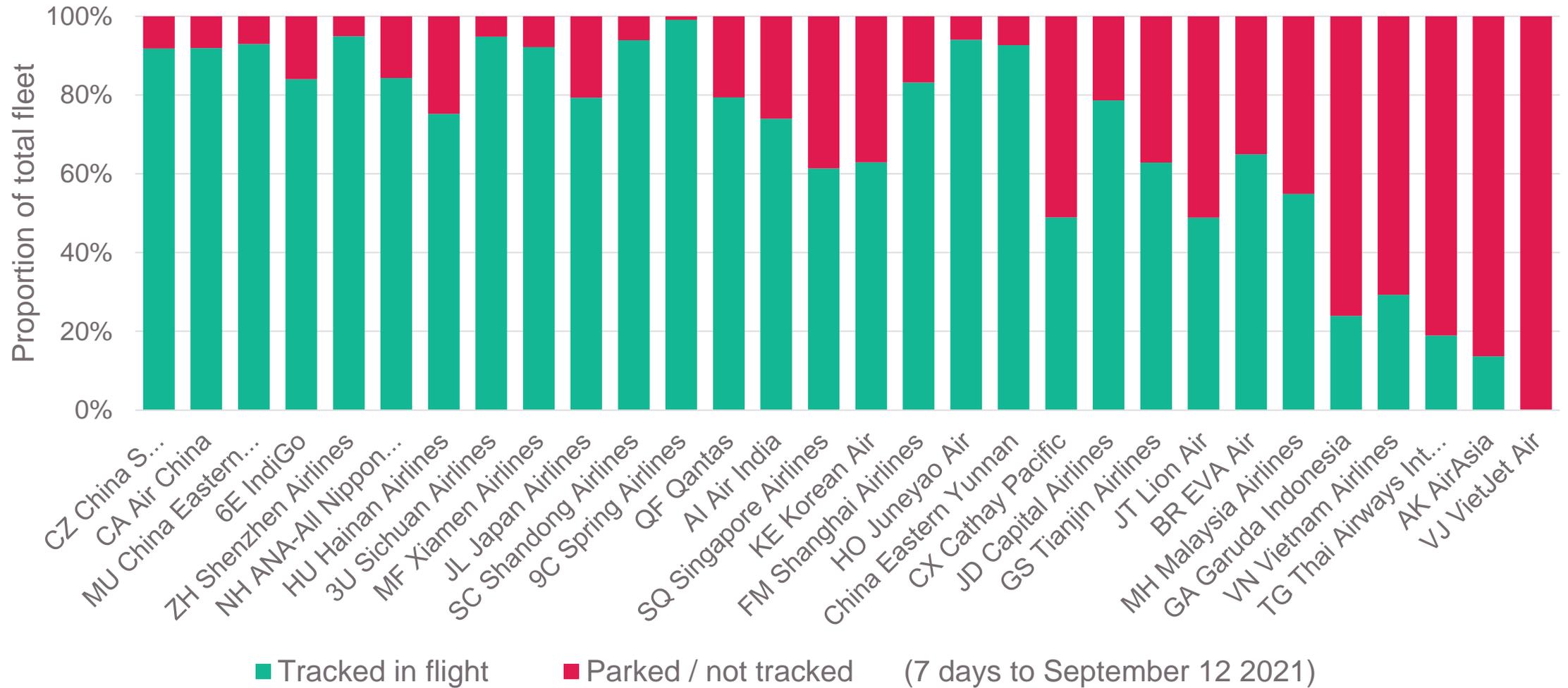


Top 30 global carriers by fleet size flew majority of their aircraft at least once during seven days to September 12...

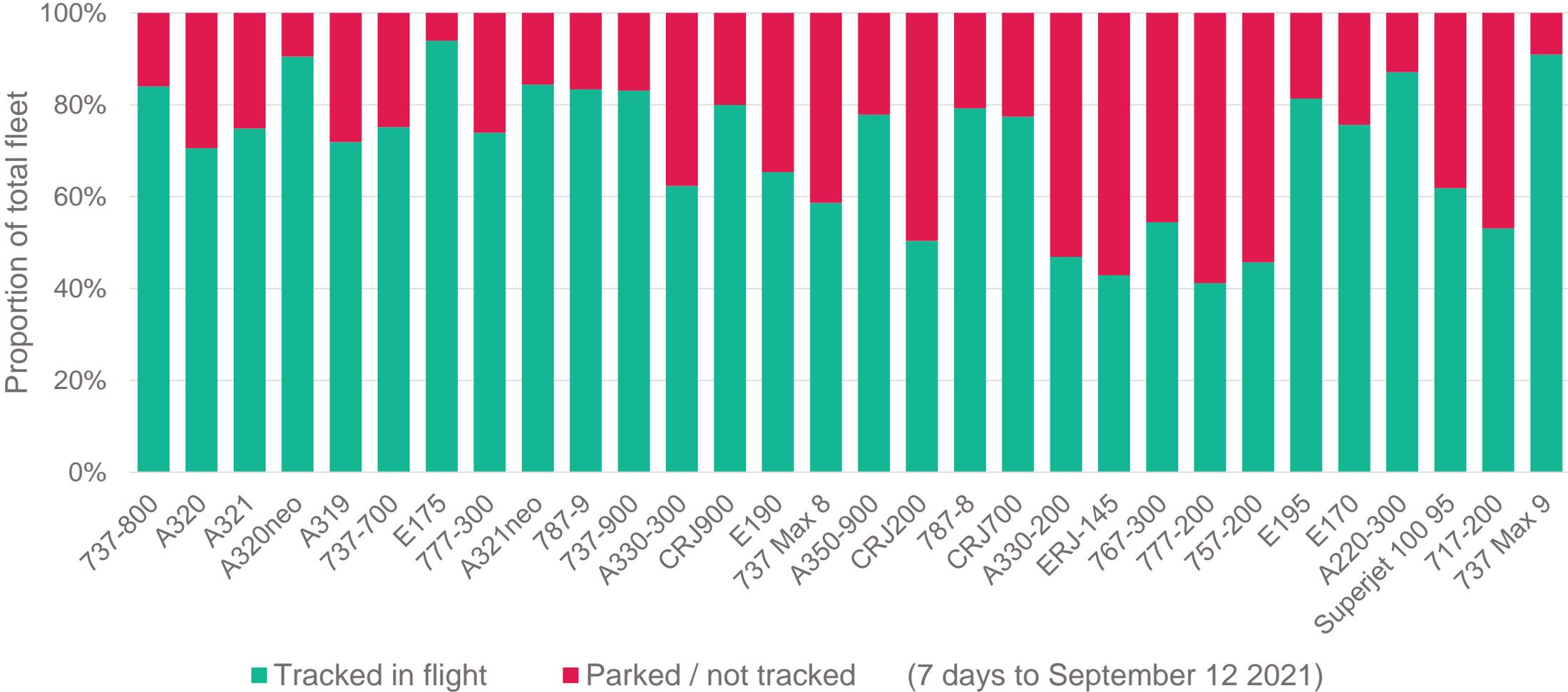


■ Tracked in flight
 ■ Parked / not tracked
 (7 days to September 12 2021)

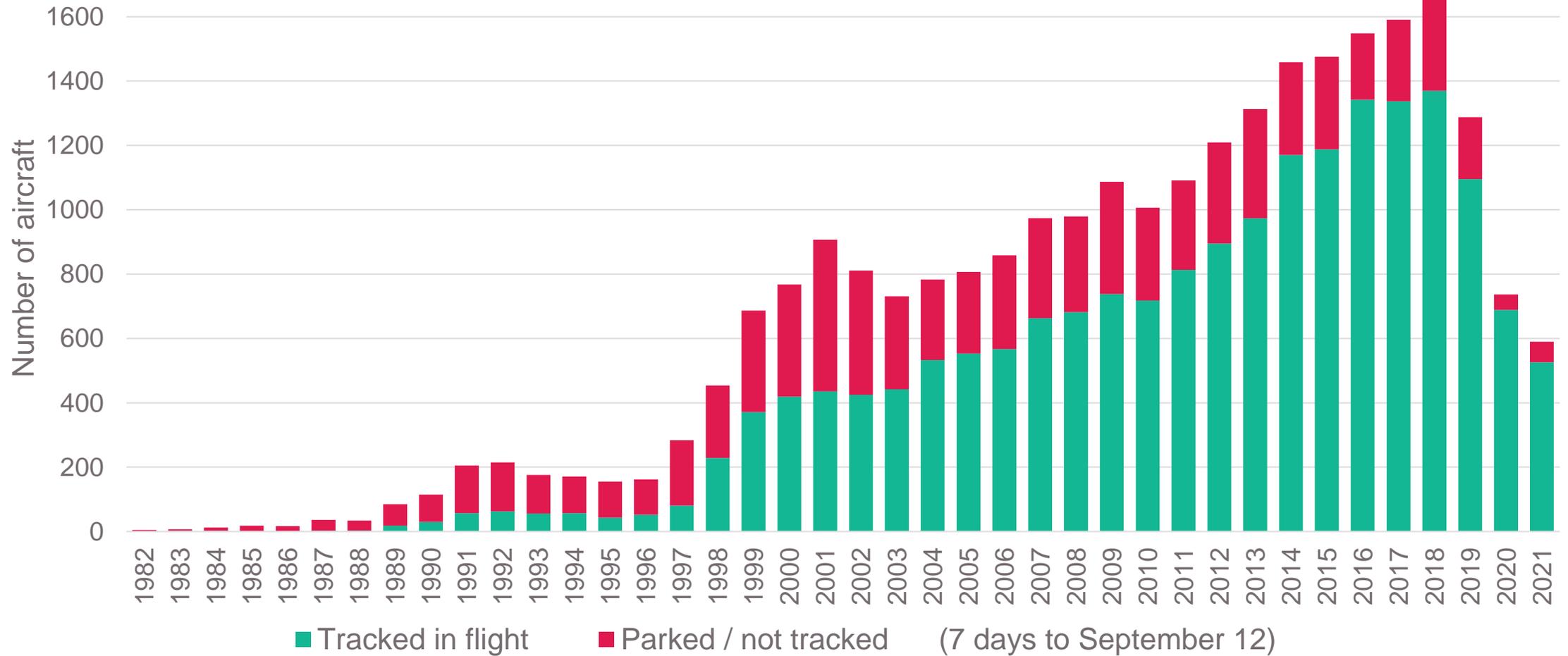
...but this was not the case for some Asia Pacific operators



For certain legacy aircraft series, less than half of fleet was tracked in flight during seven days to September 12...

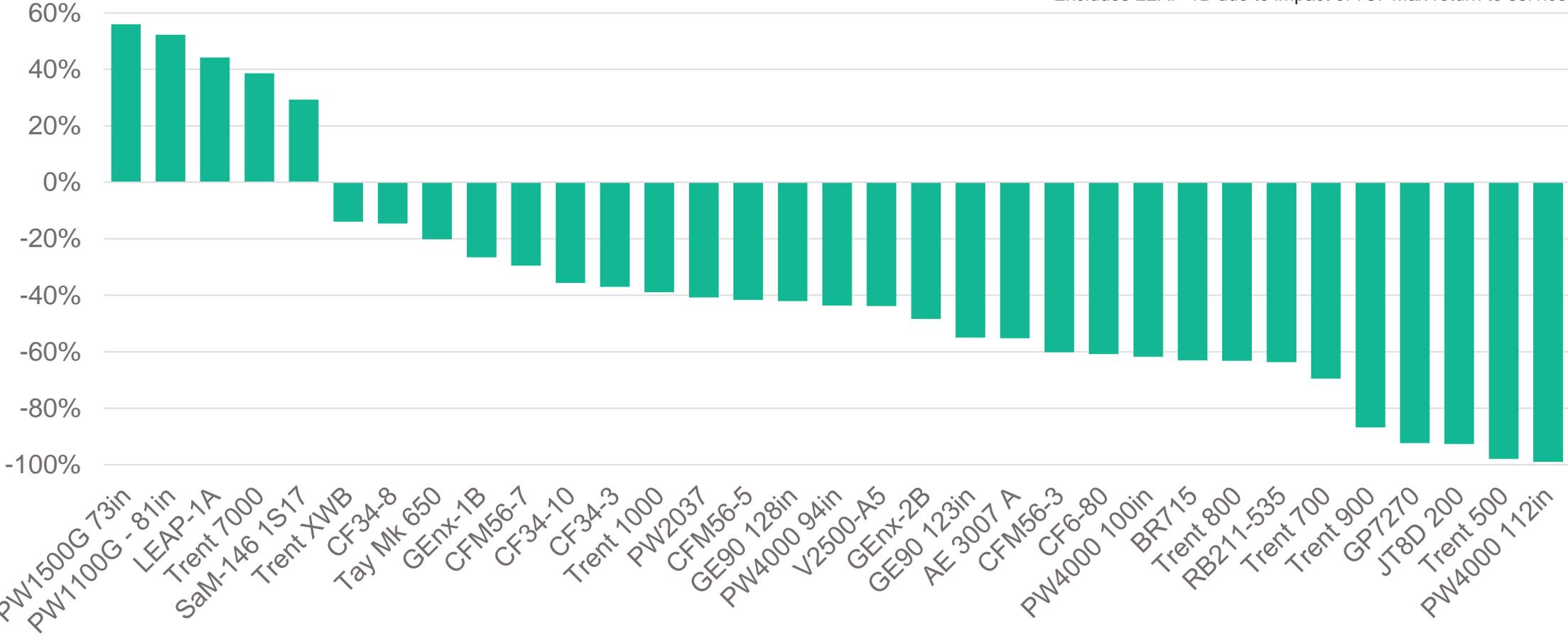


...and high proportion of in-active passenger jets were pre-2004 build



Some latest-generation engine series are achieving higher average daily flight hours than in 2019

*Excludes LEAP-1B due to impact of 737 Max return to service



■ % change in tracked 7-day average flight hours vs 2019, at September 12 2021

Daily estimated block fuel/CO₂ has declined more than flight volumes as operating patterns change and airlines favour newer-generation passenger jets

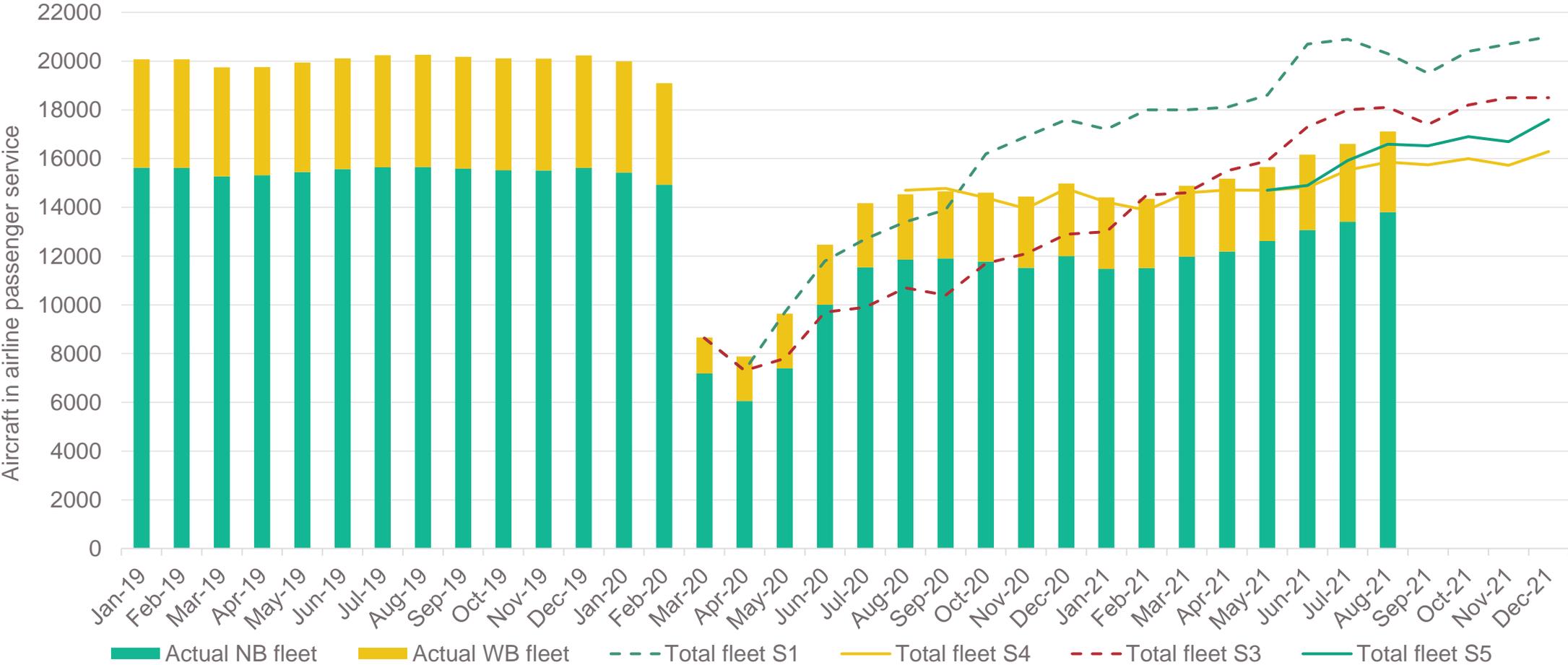


Fleet recovery scenarios

Definition & data sources

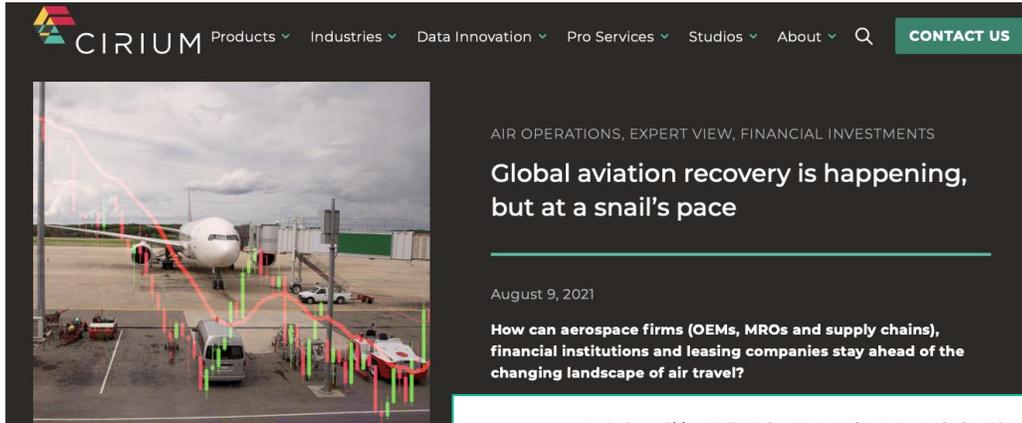
- ✚ Scenarios derived by **Ascend by Cirium**, using Cirium Schedules data and Cirium Fleets Analyzer as the key data sources for monthly capacity and in-service fleets
- ✚ Capacity (ASKs) factored using IATA's published global passenger load factor to derive monthly traffic for Jan 2019 to Feb 2020
- ✚ Initially, three forward demand & capacity scenarios outlined, corresponding to differing severity of demand impact, and time to recover to 2019 traffic levels:
 - ✚ Scenario 1: Three month 'hibernation' phase, followed by gradual traffic recovery. 2019 traffic level reached by Q3 2021
 - ✚ Scenario 2: Three month 'hibernation' phase, followed by faster recovery. 2019 traffic level reached by Q1 2021
 - ✚ Scenario 3: Up to six month 'hibernation' phase, followed by slower recovery. 2019 traffic level not reached until 2023
- ✚ Subsequently, two additional scenarios constructed in September 2020, which included assumptions for separate domicile regions:
 - ✚ Scenario 4: Traffic stagnates over winter 2020/2021, then gradual traffic recovery from Q3 2021. 2019 traffic level reached by 2023-2025, dependent on region
 - ✚ Scenario 5: as per Scenario 4, but faster rebound from Q3 2020
- ✚ Input assumptions on load factor, single-aisle/twin-aisle capacity split, and aircraft productivity
- ✚ Outputs are monthly global RPKs, ASKs, and in-service fleet numbers

Passenger fleet in service is increasing ahead of more optimistic recovery scenario (S5)



Source: Cirium Fleets Analyzer, Ascend by Cirium analysis

For more on our latest recovery scenarios visit cirium.com/thoughtcloud...



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Global aviation recovery is happening, but at a snail's pace

August 9, 2021

How can aerospace firms (OEMs, MROs and supply chains), financial institutions and leasing companies stay ahead of the changing landscape of air travel?

In the latest **Cirium LIVE: Market status and recovery outlook** webinar, **Rob Morris**, global of consultancy, **Max Kingsley-Jones**, senior consultant, and **George Dimitroff**, head of value at **Ascend by Cirium** – the consultancy arm of the business – covered the insights to take and anticipate future market supply and demand.

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The dynamic is positive, the trajectory is positive

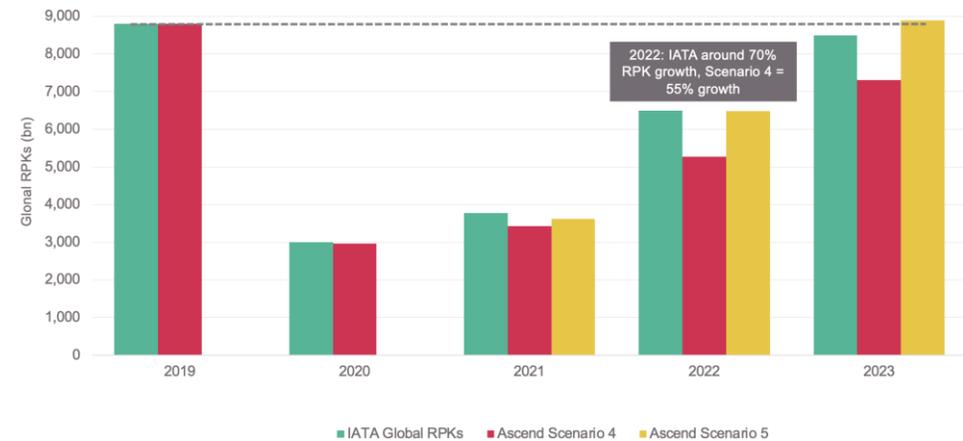
It's no surprise that recovering from the impact of the pandemic will be difficult as we saw capacity down 52% cumulatively in 2020 over 2019. In fact, capacity remained down by 57% at the end of March 2021 over 2019, with the global airline schedule projecting a recovery to -52% at the end of July and August respectively.

IATA's more recent forecast predicted capacity growth in 2021 of 21.9%, which equates to 47% down over 2019. According to the latest **Cirium schedules data**, capacity is projected to be down only 40% this year over 2019 albeit there remains plenty of scope for revision here given five months of the year remain in outlook in the schedule. For now, this is a slightly more positive outlook than IATA. Looking at the seven-day average trend for global capacity scheduled this year worldwide, we were 42% down over the 2019 equivalent at the end of July.

The key point is the dynamic is becoming more stable and the trajectory is more positive. For example, the current projection for the global schedule for August shows further recovery to -36% down over 2019 by the end of the month.

Airlines are still making revisions on a weekly basis and typically removing capacity from the schedule; however, it is less impactful than previously seen.

New IATA forecast and Ascend baseline scenario 4 both assume strong rebound in traffic in 2022, implies strong recovery in active fleet & utilisations



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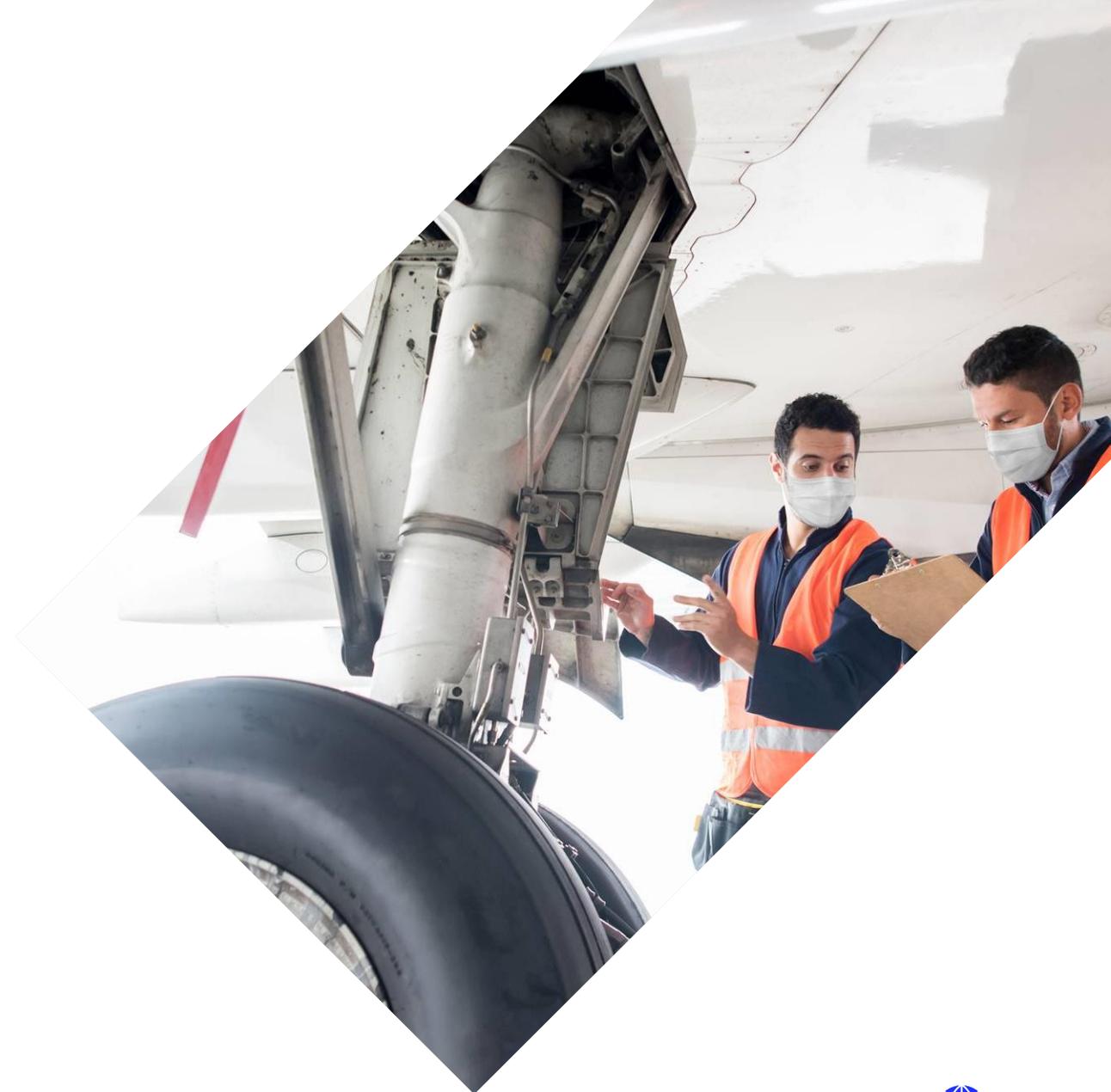
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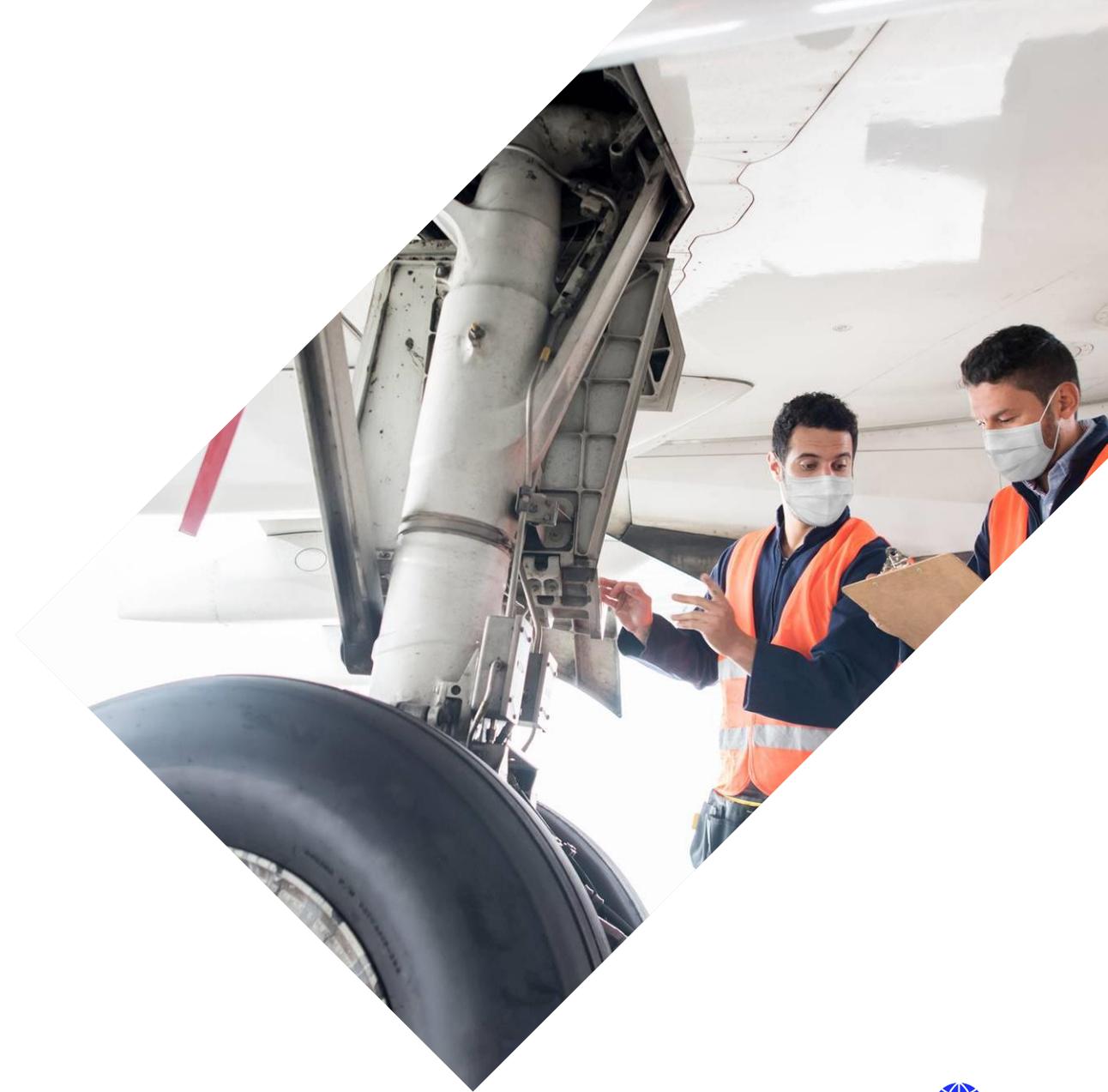
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AVIATION RESTART

SAFELY MANAGING THE AIRCRAFT
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SAFELY MANAGING AIRCRAFT RETURN TO SERVICE



1 Risk Based approach

-Unexpected Change and identifying risks

2 Continuing Airworthiness during Parking

-Program Adjustments

3 Return to Service Strategies

-Phased pathway to safe & efficient return to service

Continuing Airworthiness during Parking – preserves C of A / protects valuable assets



ELEMENTS	DETAIL	ACTIONS
1 Unexpected Change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The pandemic created conditions of global grounding of worldwide fleet resulting in aircraft instantly parked/stores at locations in as-is conditions • Inability to enter aircraft into Parking/Storage programs in a suitable environment • Inability to quickly transition aircraft into Parking programs due to high volume • Non-availability of consumables / materials to preserve aircraft 	<p>Identify associated Risks and introduce effective controls</p> <p>Update internal processes and associated work instructions to manage rapid change</p>
2 Continuing Airworthiness Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Follow ICAs including OEM approved deviations • Monitor Program changes - AMM / Temporary Revisions / Service Letters / TAs • Ensure effective tracking controls – inspection consistency, transitions in/out of parking, repeat maintenance intervals 	<p>Resource to monitor, validate, and ensure compliance with the latest ICA revisions, re-work of existing task cards</p>
3 Program Adjustments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimize maintenance frequencies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Engine/ APU run ○ Operate aircon packs to ventilate cabins & manage relative humidity ○ Fuel testing / treatments / Biocide – effectively control microbiological growth ○ Defect Management - early identification and rectification impedes deterioration ○ Corrosion (e.g., Engine Lip Skin) , Bird & Insect Nesting preventions • Parking / Storage location environmental considerations 	<p>Customise to local conditions to manage environmental deterioration, damage, defects</p>
4 Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communicate on key status updates and changes to Parking Programs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Deviations/Extensions as published by OEMs ○ Identified program issues, adjustments ○ Introduced Optimisations 	<p>Establish regular update protocols with key stakeholders (Regulatory Authorities, CAMO, AMO)</p>

Return to service

Risks

Consideration of all identified risks/hazards/treatment measures captured in the initial and regular Risk Assessments

Configuration

Configuration controls, compliance with the allowable configuration and actions to address existing gaps – hardware & software configurations

Address any aircraft components / parts removed for off-wing maintenance or storage or robberies (cannibalization)

Maintenance

COVID impacts to AMO - Performance of non-familiar tasks

- Training & re-certification

Transport constraints - Material lead times & shipping delays

Lessons Learnt post RTS - Analyse post operation defects and introduce preventative actions

- Heavy Maintenance – Corrosion (e.g. Spoiler Cables)
 - Landing Gear Scraper rings (Leaks)
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Establish a Safe and efficient pathway for return to service

- 1** **Scheduled maintenance**
 - Acquit scheduled maintenance
 - Mandatory Instructions for Continuing Airworthiness (AD / ASB)
 - Overdue Maintenance / deviations → OEM Justification & Regulatory Approvals

- 2** **De-Preservation**
 - De-preservation maintenance instructions per AMM / Service Letters
 - Open Defects acquittal; robbed parts
 - Loadable Software updates – NDB, Terrain DB..
 - Part power engine runs (80%)

- 3** **Optimise**
 - Operational checks – Engine Cowl Thermal Anti-Ice /Bleeds / Isolation & Pack Valves
 - Lights – Internal/External/Cockpit/Emergency
 - Cabin readiness; Deep Clean, carpets, furnishing, galley equip, lavatories
 - External wash

- 4** **Validate**
 - Maintenance Provider capabilities
 - Primary & Secondary flight controls incl. Spoilers, Speed brakes, Flaps, Slats
 - Extensive pre-flight checks – Critical systems & Alternate/Standby systems
 - Full Thrust Take-off
 - Verification (shake-down) non-revenue flight

SUMMARY



- ❑ Comprehensive Risk Assessments to manage unexpected change & de-preservation
- ❑ Effective Continuing Airworthiness Controls during Parking / Storage / Restoration
- ❑ Detailed analysis of maintenance requirements - pathway to safe & efficient return to service
- ❑ Introduce effective monitoring of post RTS reports
- ❑ **IATA Document – Guidance for managing Aircraft Airworthiness for Operators during and Post Pandemic**
 - ✓ Input from operators based on experience includes Best Practices and Lessons Learnt
 - ✓ The **Safety Risk Assessment template** provides a sample of the most common hazards, risks and mitigation actions.

<https://www.iata.org/contentassets/d0e499e4b2824d4d867a8e07800b14bd/iata-guidance-managing-aircraft-airworthiness-during-post-pandemic.pdf>



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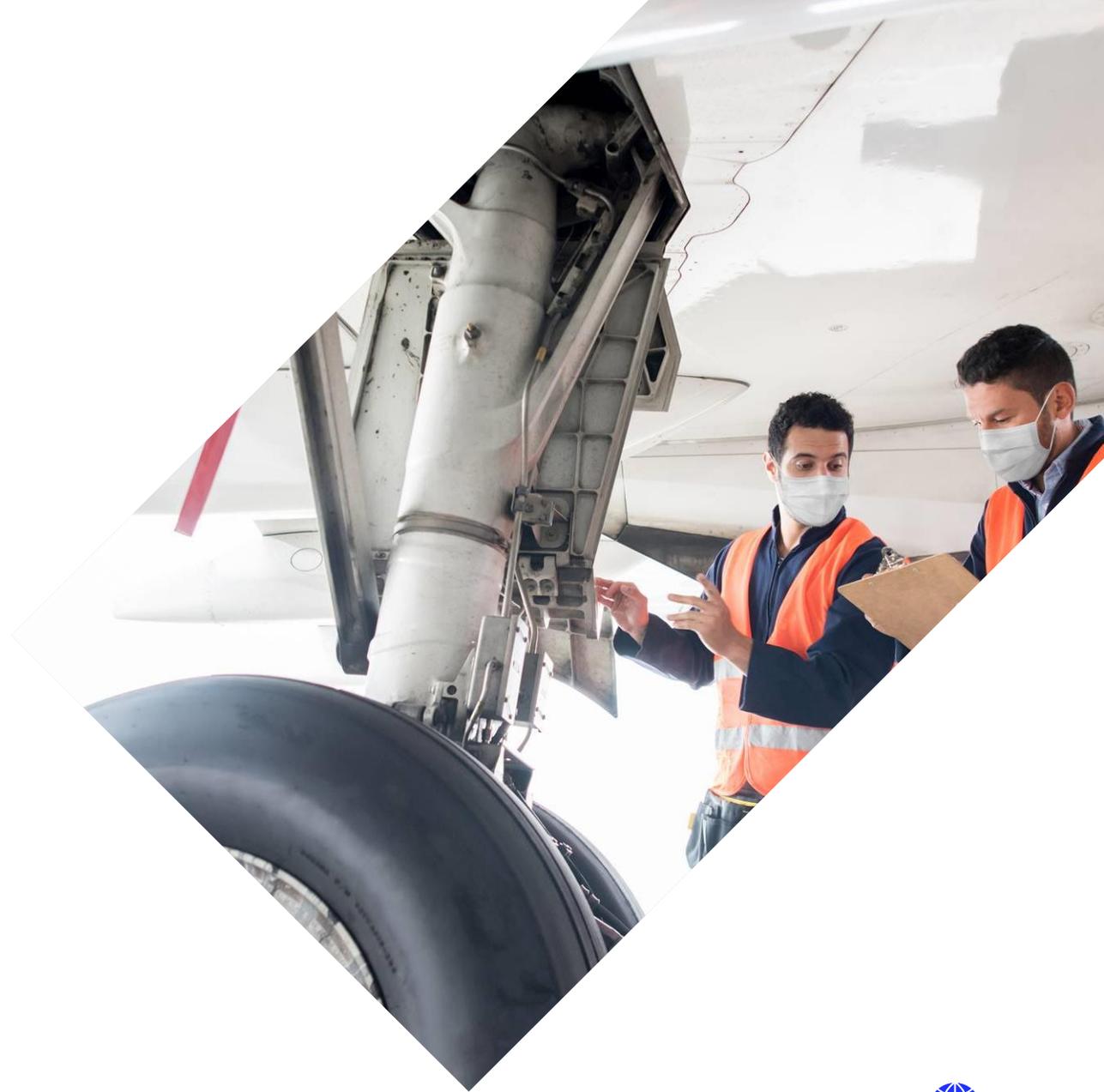
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