

### ICRA Limited

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**BSE Limited** 

Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers Dalal Street Mumbai 400 001. India Scrip Code: 532835

**National Stock Exchange of India Limited** 

Exchange Plaza, Plot no. C/1, G Block Bandra-Kurla Complex Bandra (East)

Mumbai - 400 051, India

Symbol: ICRA

Dear Sir/Madam,

#### Sub: - Investor Presentation, Q1 FY21

Pursuant to the applicable regulations of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed Investor Presentation, Q1 FY21.

Kindly take the above on record.

Regards,

Sincerely,

(S. Shakeb Rahman) Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl.: As above





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## **Group ICRA Overview**



### ICRA Nepal-ICRA Lanka

(subsidiaries of ICRA Limited)





### **ICRA Nepal**



First credit rating agency in Nepal



Provides independent credit rating opinions and grading services

#### **ICRA Lanka**



Provides independent credit rating opinions and research

### **ICRA** Limited

(parent entity - standalone)





Provides independent credit ratings opinions and research



29+ years of experience and 400+ workforce



10 offices across India

### **ICRA Analytics**

(subsidiary of ICRA Limited)





Provides solutions, analytics and digital platforms for risk management, market data, consulting and knowledge services



20+ years of experience and 600+ workforce



Serving clients across the globe



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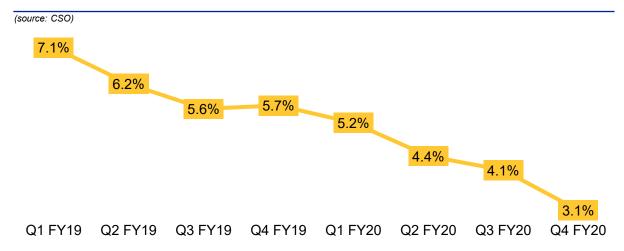
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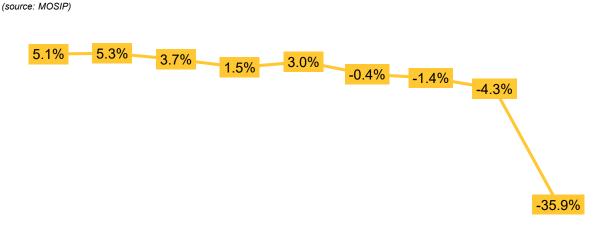
## **Deteriorating Economic Environment**





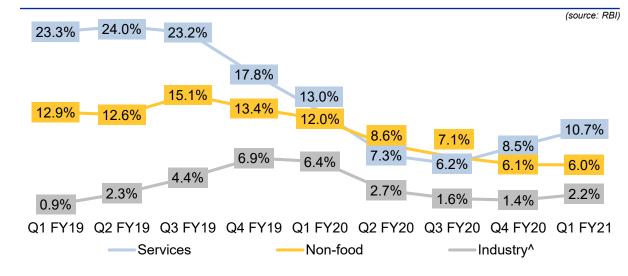


#### Index of Industrial Production Growth

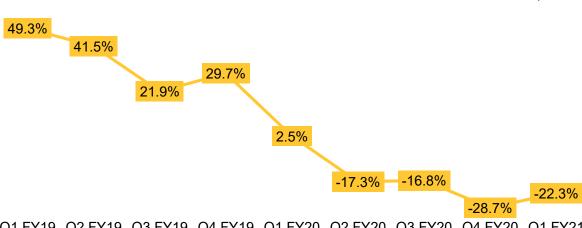


#### Q1 FY19 Q2 FY19 Q3 FY19 Q4 FY19 Q1 FY20 Q2 FY20 Q3 FY20 Q4 FY20 Q1 FY21

#### Bank Credit - YoY Growth\*



### **Outstanding CPs - YoY Growth\***



Q1 FY19 Q2 FY19 Q3 FY19 Q4 FY19 Q1 FY20 Q2 FY20 Q3 FY20 Q4 FY20

(source: RBI)

# **Challenges and Risk Factors**



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Economic and social challenges due to covid-19 pandemic

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Despite several policy measures, investment activity yet to show a meaningful revival 03

Reputation-related risks

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Competition from other rating agencies

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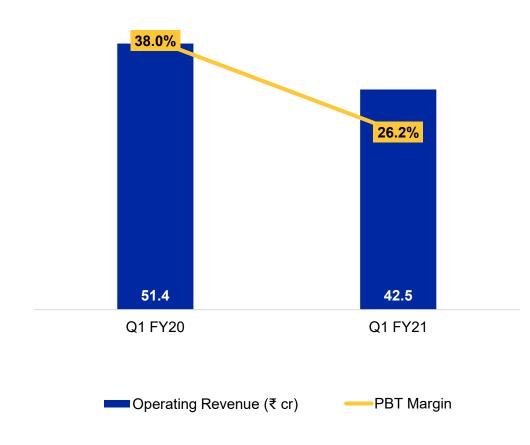
Ability to retain / attract quality manpower, rising compensation and related costs

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Funding substitutes including overseas borrowing or adverse domestic interest rate movements

### ICRA Standalone – Financial Performance





For the quarter ended June 30, 2020, the company's operating income was ₹42.5 cr, against ₹51.4 cr in the corresponding quarter of the previous year, a decline of 17.3%.

The bank loan segment got adversely impacted due the steep fall in economic activities and risk aversion following the nationwide lockdown after Covid-19 outbreak. Although the debt market segment benefitted from an increase in bond issuances as part of the TLTRO program, this was restricted to a few select entities only. Further, the securitisation volumes contracted rather sharply due to the moratorium extended to borrowers.

Other income in the quarter declined by 5.2% on y-o-y basis due to declining interest rates.

Employee benefit expenses declined in the quarter on y-o-y basis by 3.5%, while other expenses were higher by 12.3% on y-o-y basis. The increase in other expenses is primarily on account of legal cost incurred in relation to certain regulatory and other matters.

The PBT for the quarter was ₹13.6 cr, lower by 41.6% as against ₹23.4 cr y-o-y basis and PAT was ₹10.0 crore, lower by 33.1%.

# ICRA Standalone – P&L (₹ cr)

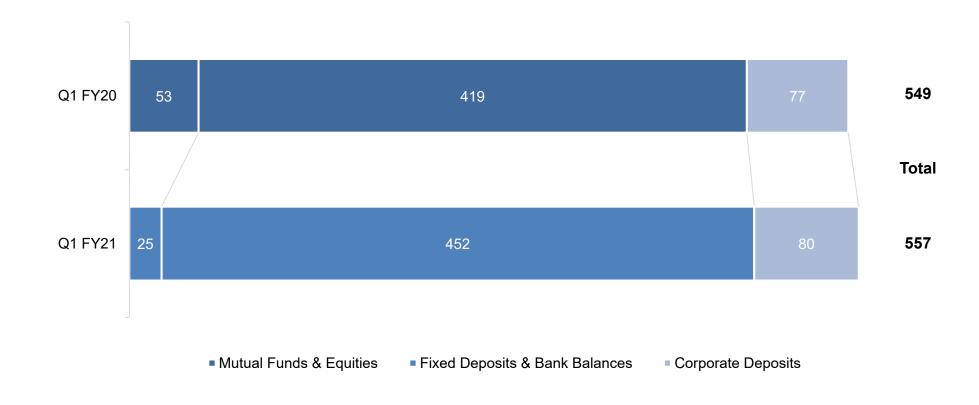


	Q1 FY20	Q1 FY21	Q1 FY21 vs Q1 FY20
a	51.4	42.5	-17.3%
b1	27.8	26.8	-3.5%
b2	8.9	10.0	12.3%
	1.2	1.2	3.7%
	0.3	0.4	
b	38.2	38.5	0.8%
c=a-b	13.2	4.0	-69.5%
d	10.1	9.6	-5.2%
e=c+d	23.4	13.6	-41.6%
f	8.4	3.7	-56.7%
g=e-f	14.9	10.0	-33.1%
h	(0.1)	0.4	
i=g+h	14.8	10.4	-29.7%
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Other Metrics		Q1 FY20	Q1 FY21
Comp Expense %	b1 / a	54.1%	63.2%
Other Expense %	b2 / a	17.3%	23.5%
Operating Margin %	c / a	25.7%	9.5%
Profit Before Tax Margin %	e / (a+d)	38.0%	26.2%
PAT Margin %	g / (a+d)	24.2%	19.2%

## ICRA Standalone – Investments (₹ cr)







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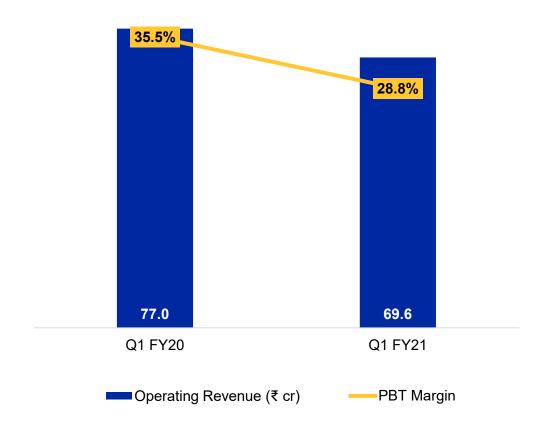
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### ICRA Standalone – Consolidated Performance





For the quarter ended June 30, 2020, the consolidated operating income was ₹69.6 cr, against ₹77.0 cr on y-o-y basis, reflecting a degrowth of 9.6%.

The PBT for the quarter was ₹23.3 crore, lower by 25.9%, and PAT was ₹17.0 cr, lower by 17.0% on y-o-y basis.

The de-growth in consolidated revenue for the quarter ended June 30, 2020 was mainly due to decline in revenue from rating business. This was offset by growth in our global outsourcing & information services business.

# ICRA Consolidated – P&L (₹ cr)

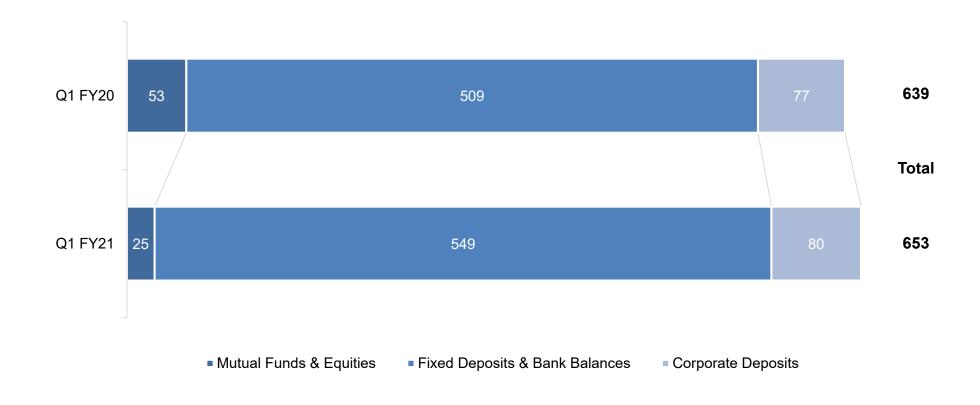


P&L		Q1 FY20	Q1 FY21	Q1 FY21 vs Q1 FY20
Operating Revenue	a	77.0	69.6	-9.6%
Compensation Expenses	b1	41.8	41.3	-1.1%
Other Expenses	b2	12.8	13.4	4.6%
Depreciation		2.3	2.3	0.1%
Finance Costs		0.4	0.5	
Total Expenses	b	57.2	57.5	0.5%
Operating Profit	c=a-b	19.8	12.1	-38.8%
Other Income	d	11.7	11.2	-4.1%
Profit Before Tax	e=c+d	31.4	23.3	-25.9%
Tax	f	10.9	6.2	-42.8%
PAT	g=e-f	20.5	17.0	-17.0%
Other Comprehensive Income (Net of Tax)	h	(0.1)	0.3	
Total Comprehensive Income (Net of Tax)	i=g+h	20.4	17.4	-14.9%

Other Metrics		Q1 FY20	Q1 FY21
Comp Expense %	b1 / a	54.2%	59.3%
Other Expense %	b2 / a	16.6%	19.2%
Operating Margin %	c / a	25.7%	17.4%
Profit Before Tax Margin %	e / (a+d)	35.5%	28.8%
PAT Margin %	g / (a+d)	23.2%	21.1%

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# **High Impact Research**



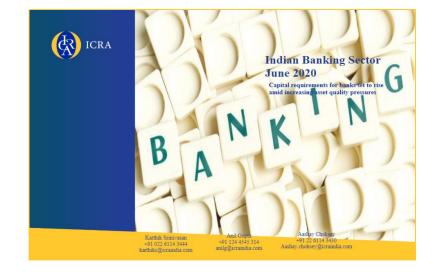












# Thematic Discussions for Industry Participants (8)



Covid-19 related rise in spending amidst lower revenue receipts to enlarge gross SDL issuance to Rs. 7.6-7.8 trillion in FY2021

Impact of Covid-19 and Challenges Ahead for the Indian Real Estate Sector

COVID-19 Impact on the Indian Oil & Gas Sector

Access to funding remain key as NBFCs prepare to battle asset quality pains

Covid Impact: An update on Construction and Transportation Infrastructure sectors - Roads, Airports and Metros

The Indian Passenger Vehicle Industry: Impact analysis of Covid-19



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