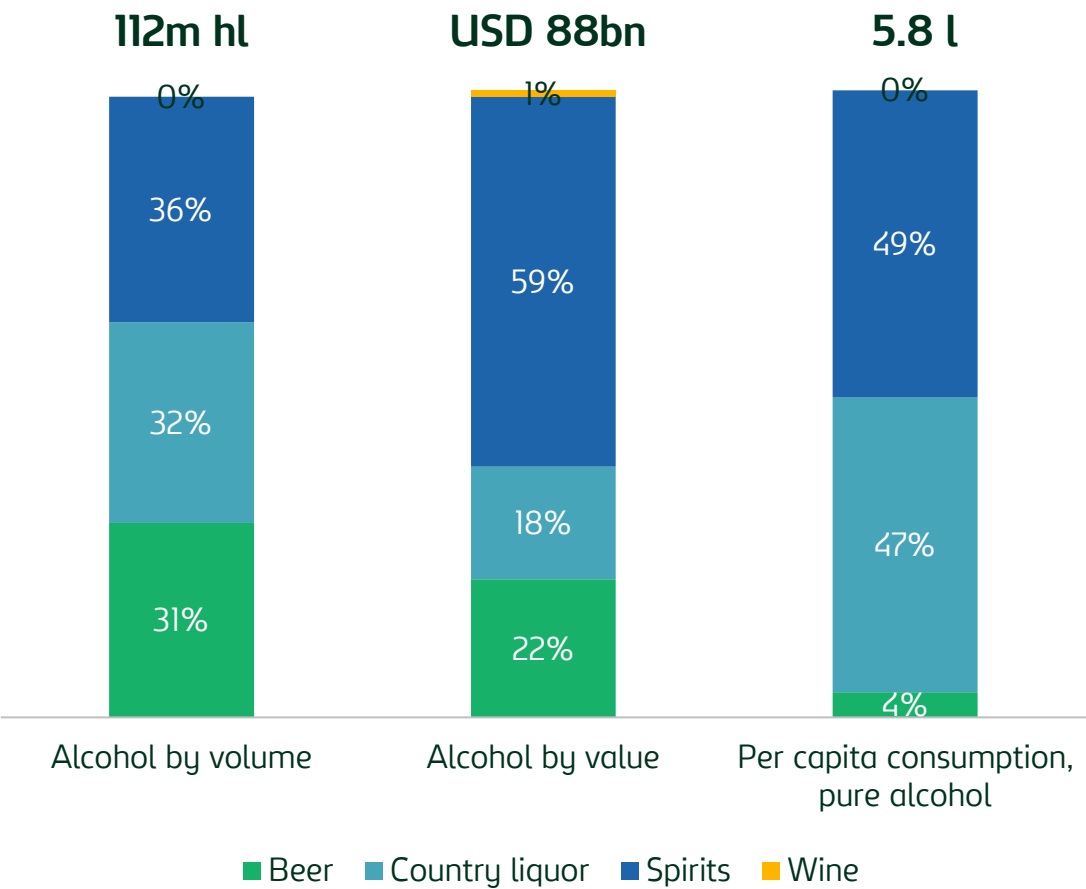




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Continuing our positive trajectory  
in India, capturing market and  
share growth opportunities

# India is historically a spirits market, characterised by favourable liquor pricing versus beer



| INDIAN-MADE FOREIGN LIQUOR. Pack size: 180 ml |         |            |         |
|---|---------|------------|---------|
|   | Economy | Mainstream | Premium |
| ABV   | 42.8%   | 42.8%      | 40%     |
| PRICE (INR)                                   | 150     | 160        | 605     |

| COUNTRY LIQUOR. Pack size: 180 ml |  |  |  |
|  | No segmentation |  |  |
| ABV | 42.8% |  |  |
| PRICE (INR) | 70 |  |  |
| BEER. Pack size: 650 ml |  |  |  |
|  | Economy | Mainstream | Premium |
| ABV | 6.5% | 6.2% | 5.9% |
| PRICE (INR) | 165 | 190 | 240 |

# Alcohol is governed by state-specific policies covering route-to-market, pricing and taxes...

## ROUTE-TO-MARKET ARCHETYPES

### Government-controlled (62% of volumes)

- Brewers sell to corporations under excise oversight. Outlets collect goods from government depots

### Auction (24% of volumes)

- Retail licences are auctioned off annually. Goods must pass through a government-sanctioned warehouse

### Free trade (14% of volumes)

- Alcohol moves from brewers to distributors to retailers

## LIMITED NUMBER OF OUTLETS

### 100,000 licensed outlets selling alcohol

- 71 outlets / 1 million people
- Laos: 3,500 outlets / 1 million people
- Vietnam: 25,000 outlets / 1 million people

| TOP 8 STATES<br>83% of industry |   |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|---------------------------------|---|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                 | State 1   | State 2 | State 3 | State 4 | State 5 | State 6 | State 7 | State 8 |
| Route-to-market                 | Free  | Govt    | Hybrid  | Auction | Auction | Govt    | Govt    | Govt    |
| Pricing flexibility             | √   | √       | X       | X       | X       | X       | X       | X       |
| Consumer price (INR)            | 190   | 180     | 135     | 130     | 150     | 160     | 160     | 200     |
| State govt. taxes               | 65%   | 60%     | 65%     | 62%     | 55%     | 64%     | 66%     | 51%     |
| Trade margin                    | 12%   | 9%      | 9%      | 15%     | 20%     | 18%     | 39%     | 16%     |
| Carlsberg NSR                   | 23%   | 31%     | 26%     | 22%     | 25%     | 19%     | 16%     | 17%     |
| RTM stability                   | √   | √       | X       | √       | √       | √       | √       | √       |
| Export/import duty              | Ranges from INR 200-1,923 per hl for imports & INR 100-628 per hl for exports |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Trade licence cost              | Ranges from USD 2.5k to 3m per licence across states.                         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |

# ... with overall restricted communication towards consumers

TV or social media alcohol ads



Advertising of non-alcoholic brand extensions (restricted by size of extensions business)



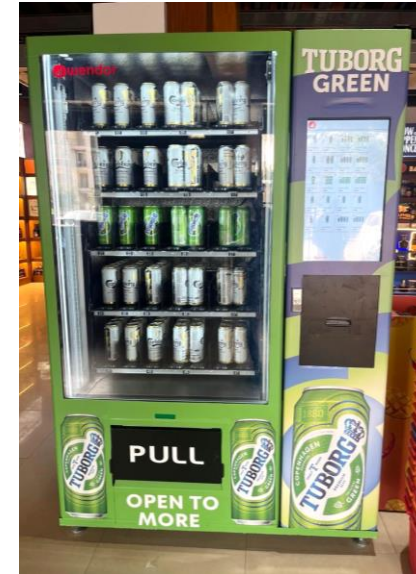
Merchandising in on- and off-trade



Branding inside the outlet



Branding outside the outlet (except West Bengal)

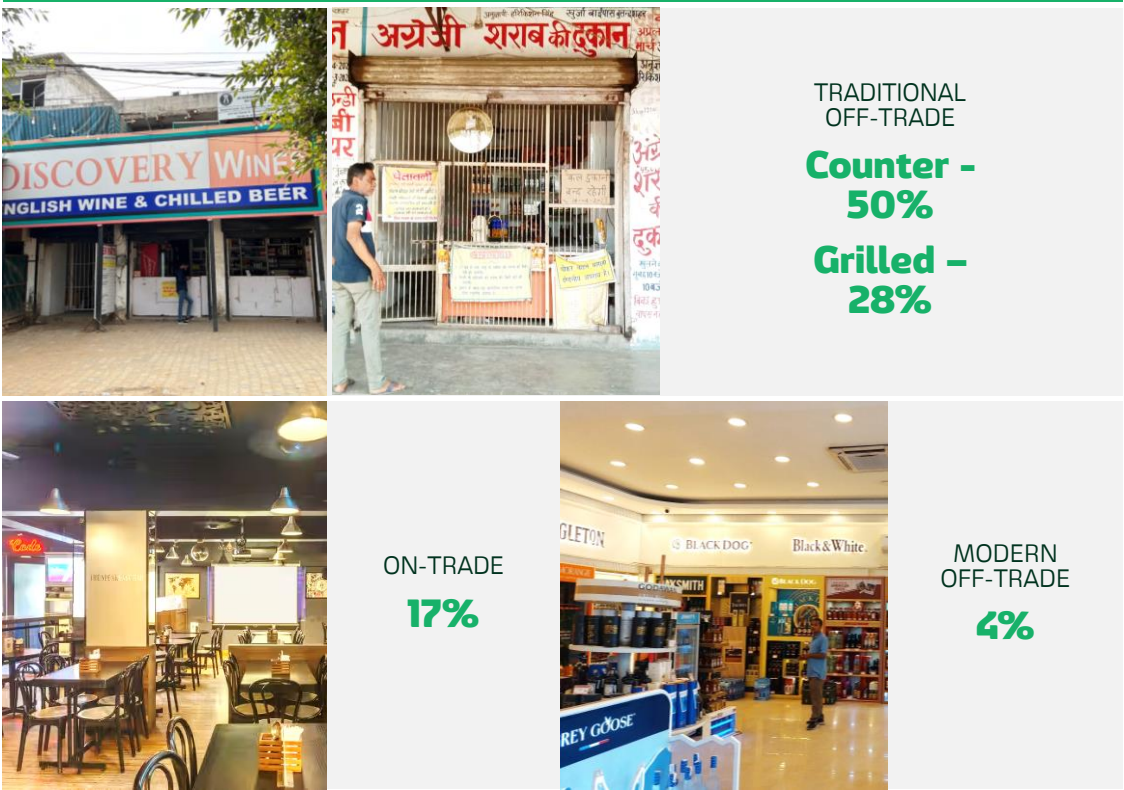


# The outlet universe is changing, but still dominated by traditional trade...

38,000 of a total of 83,000 outlets in Carlsberg states account for 90% of Carlsberg volume



95% of Carlsberg and industry volume is sold through traditional outlets



... and 650 ml bottles are the most popular packaging format in the market

**31%**  
500 ml



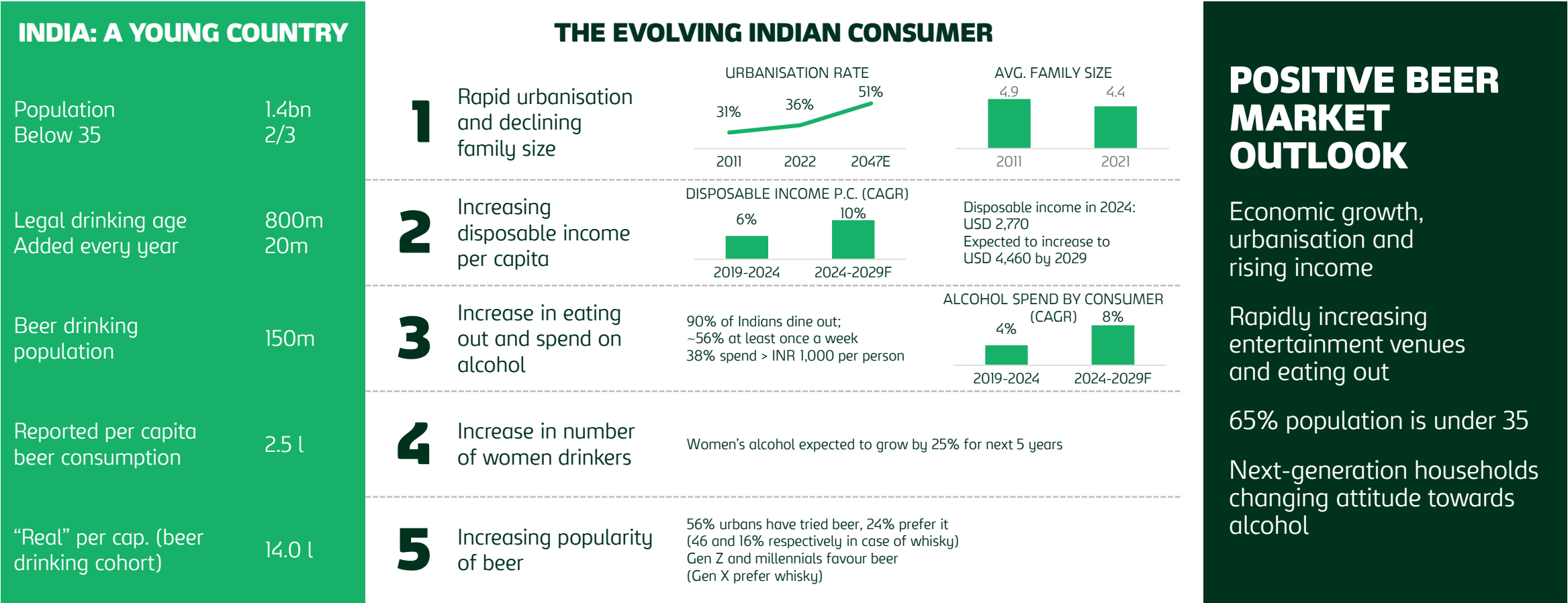
**3%**  
330 ml








**66%**  
650 ml



# India is undergoing significant changes, with an attractive outlook for the beer category






# Carlsberg India is present across segments in a market dominated by mainstream strong beer

| TOTAL                   |                 | MILD BEER (< 5%)<br>~20% OF MARKET |             |   |             | STRONG BEER (> 5-8%)<br>~80% OF MARKET |             |   |           |
|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|-------------|---|-------------|--|-------------|---|-----------|
| (PRICE INDEX)           | SHARE OF MARKET | INDUSTRY                           |             | CARLSBERG INDIA   |             | INDUSTRY                               |             | CARLSBERG INDIA   |           |
|                         |                 | Share of market                    | Growth 2024 | Share of segment  | Position    | Share of market                        | Growth 2024 | Share of segment  | Position  |
| SUPER PREMIUM<br>(~180) | ~0.5%           | ~0.5%                              | +15%        |    | ~1%<br>n.a. | 0%                                     | -           | -   | -         |
| PREMIUM<br>(~125)       | ~20%            | ~6%                                | +22%        |     | ~10%<br>#3  | ~13%                                   | +20%        |    | 31%<br>#2 |
| MAINSTREAM<br>(100)     | ~80%            | ~10%                               | +1%         |  | ~7%<br>#2   | ~60%                                   | +6%         |  | 26%<br>#2 |
| ECONOMY<br>(~80)        | ~10%            | ~1%                                | +27%        | -   | -           | ~9%                                    | +29%        | -   | -         |

# Thanks to a comprehensive bottom-up, outlet-level strategy for each state...

Applying a cluster approach based on size of opportunity and ease of doing business

|                  | 1 CLUSTER 1 (9 states)   | 2 CLUSTER 2 (6 states)  | 3 4 CLUSTERS 3 & 4 (6 states)  |
|------------------|--|---|--|
| KEY STATES       | 4 key states accounting for ~90% of total cluster volume   | 2 key states accounting for ~65% of total cluster volume  | 3 states accounting for ~95% of total cluster volume   |
| SHARE OF REVENUE | Cluster 1 accounting for 67% of Carlsberg India revenue<br>4 key states accounting for 60% of Carlsberg India revenue  | Cluster 2 accounting for 15% of Carlsberg India revenue<br>2 key states accounting for 9% of Carlsberg India revenue  | Clusters 3 & 4 accounting for 18% of Carlsberg India revenue<br>3 key states accounting for 20% of Carlsberg India revenue   |
| KEY IMPERATIVES  |  <p>Grow across portfolio (premium and mainstream)</p> <p>Accelerate modern on-trade with launch of draught beer and K1664</p> <p>Establish defensive play in growing economy segment</p> |  <p>Grow profitable premium</p> <p>Advocate for brewer net sales improvement</p> <p>Solve capacity constraints to protect cluster growth</p> |  <p>Grow profitable premium</p> <p>Advocate for brewer net sale improvement</p> <p>Current capacity to serve existing volume goals except for one state</p> |

# ... and disciplined in-market execution...

## ROUTE-TO-MARKET GRIP... OUTLET SEGMENTATION



## IN-STORE VISIBILITY

- 1.** Focused discounts
- 2.** Innovative trade programmes
- 3.** Consumer promotions
- 4.** Excellent FIT

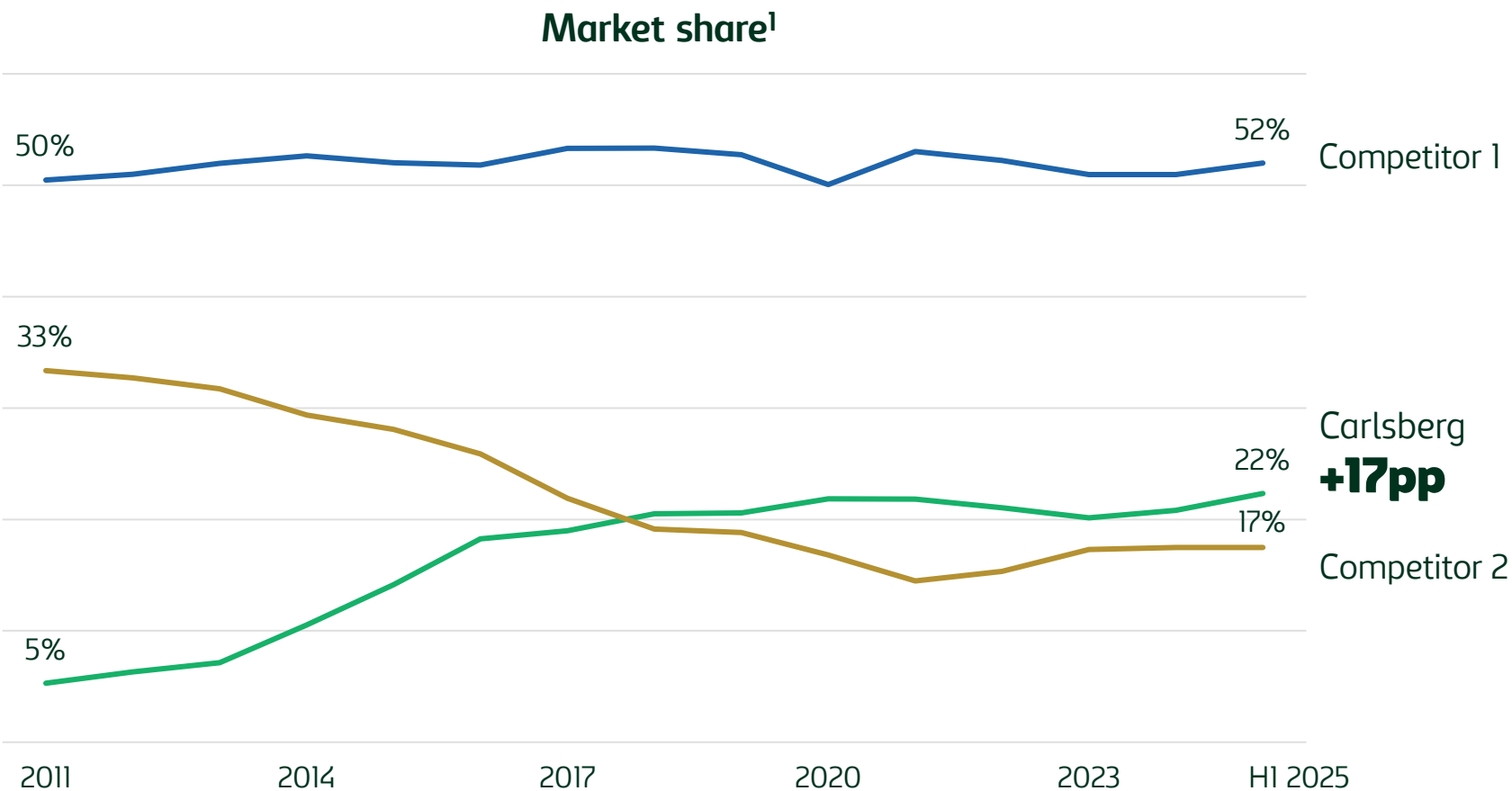
## ... AND BRAND PULL CONSUMER TRIALS AND DIGITAL AMPLIFICATION



## IN-STORE VISIBILITY



# ... we have significantly improved our market position in our Indian footprint...



<sup>1</sup> Carlsberg India states (~80% of industry volumes)



**9x**

Carlsberg volume increase  
2011-2024 (industry 2x)

**#2**

Tuborg position in India

**9**

States with #1-2 position

**65**

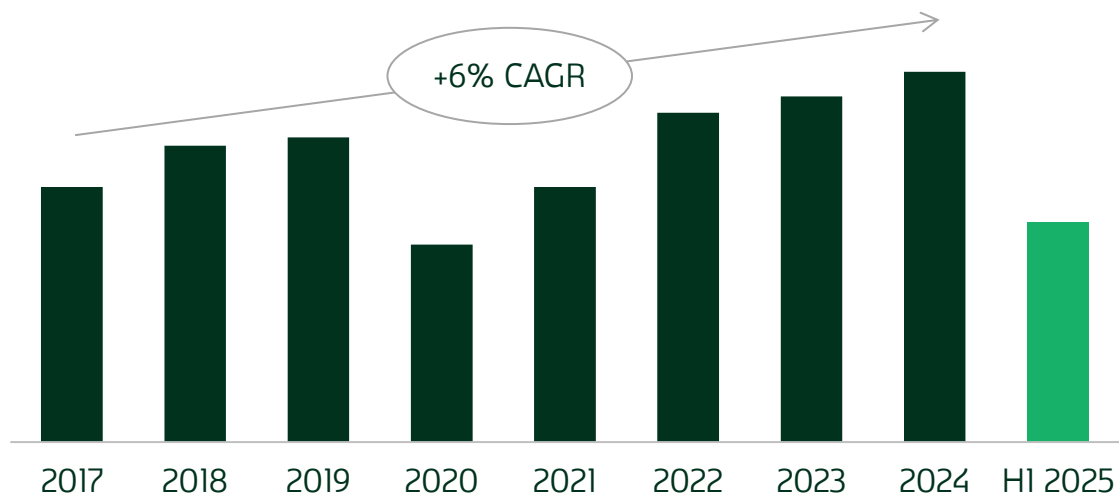
Cities out of 101 with #1-2  
position

**22**

States with significant growth  
potential in premium

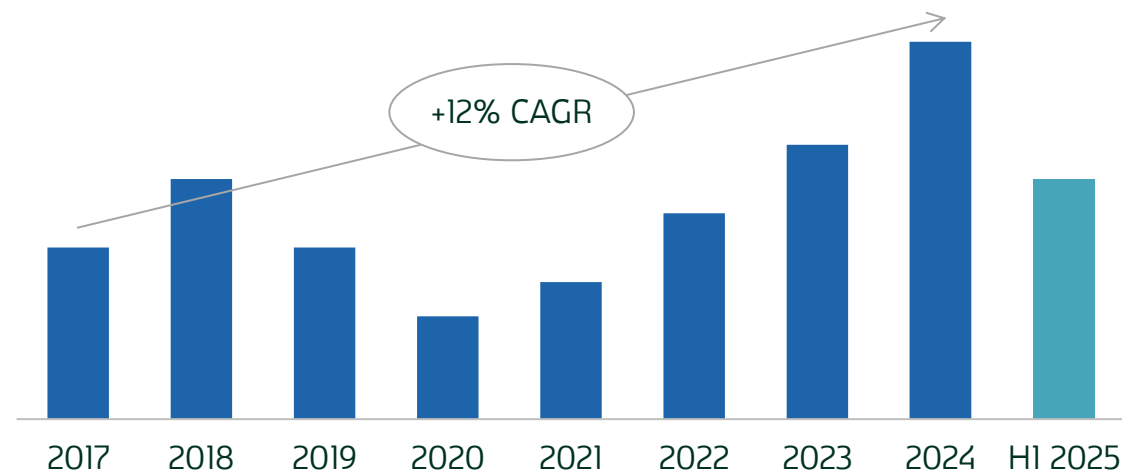
# ... delivering excellent growth for the iconic Tuborg and Carlsberg brands...

Tuborg



**Tuborg** appeals to the large population of younger-generation Indian consumers with fewer social constraints

Carlsberg

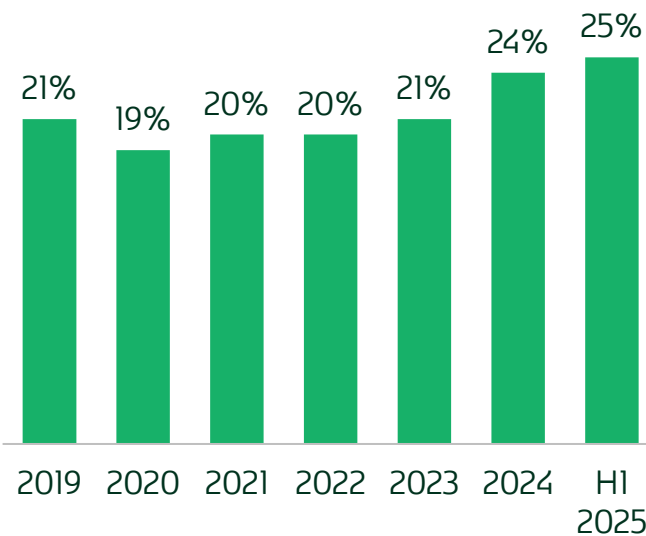


**Carlsberg** appeals to the rising middle-class population seeking its aspirational international premium brand appeal – smooth and sophisticated

# ... and strengthening our position in the premium segment...

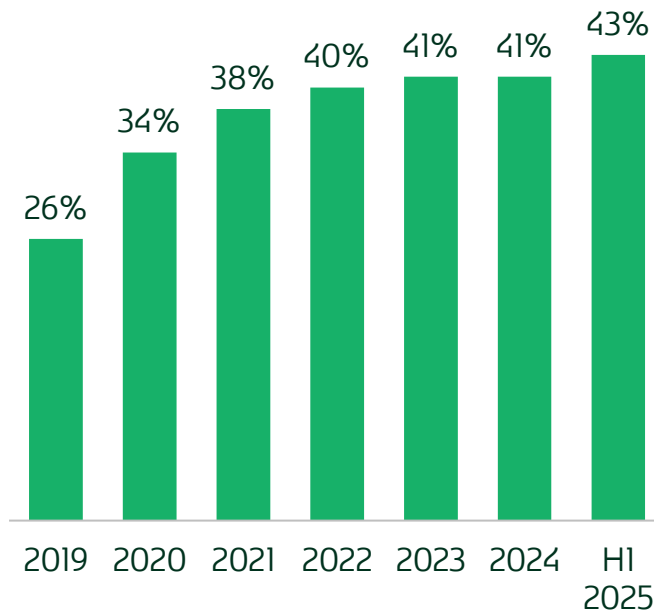


Premium market share  
India



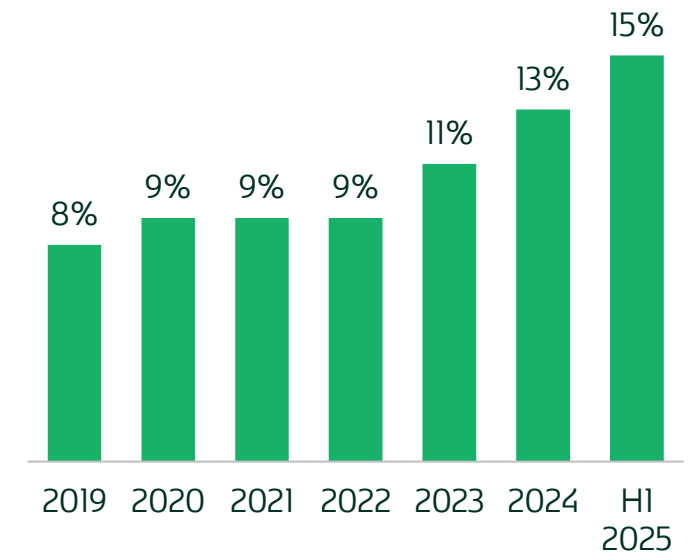
22 focused markets in India  
Population: 1.0bn (70% of the total population of 1.4bn)

Premium market share  
Maharashtra



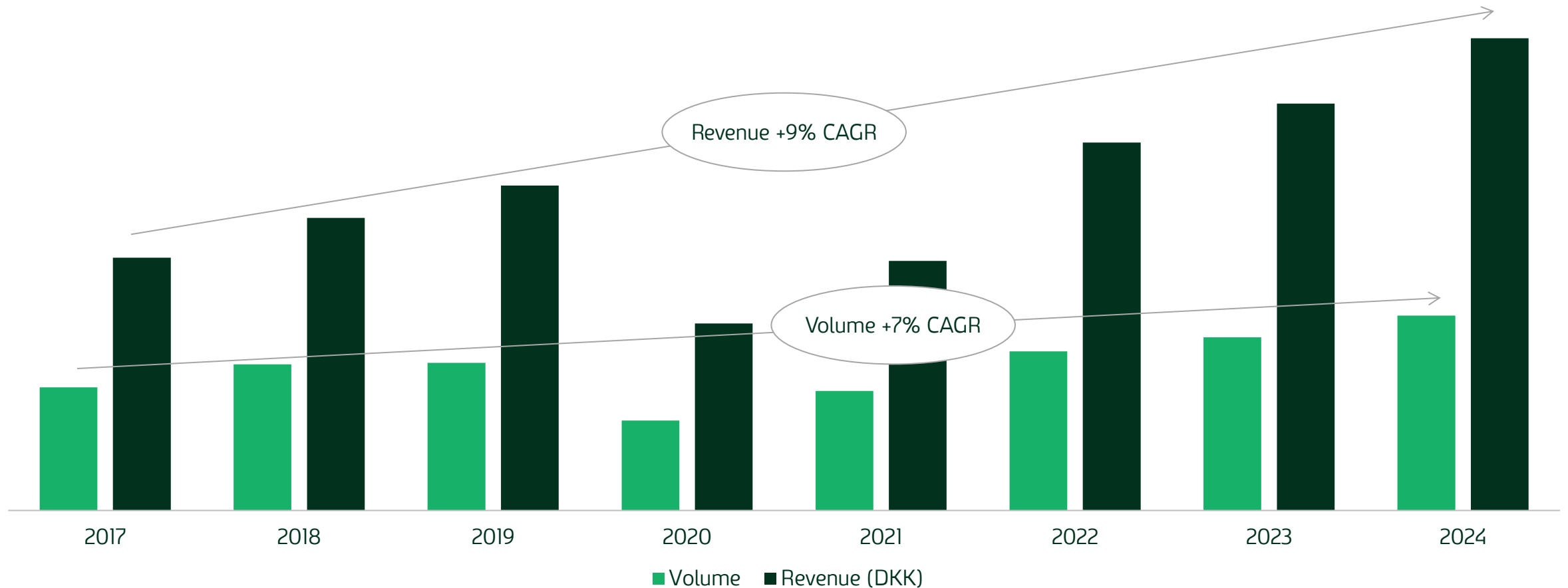
Population: 130m  
Richest state in India  
Capital: Mumbai

Premium market share  
Karnataka



Population: 70m  
IT "capital"  
Capital: Bangalore

**... leading to strong volume and revenue growth, despite the setback caused by the pandemic**



# Strong volume growth has led to tight capacity

63%

Total volume growth  
2017-2024

20%

Capacity increase  
2017-2024



Own capacity flat since 2018



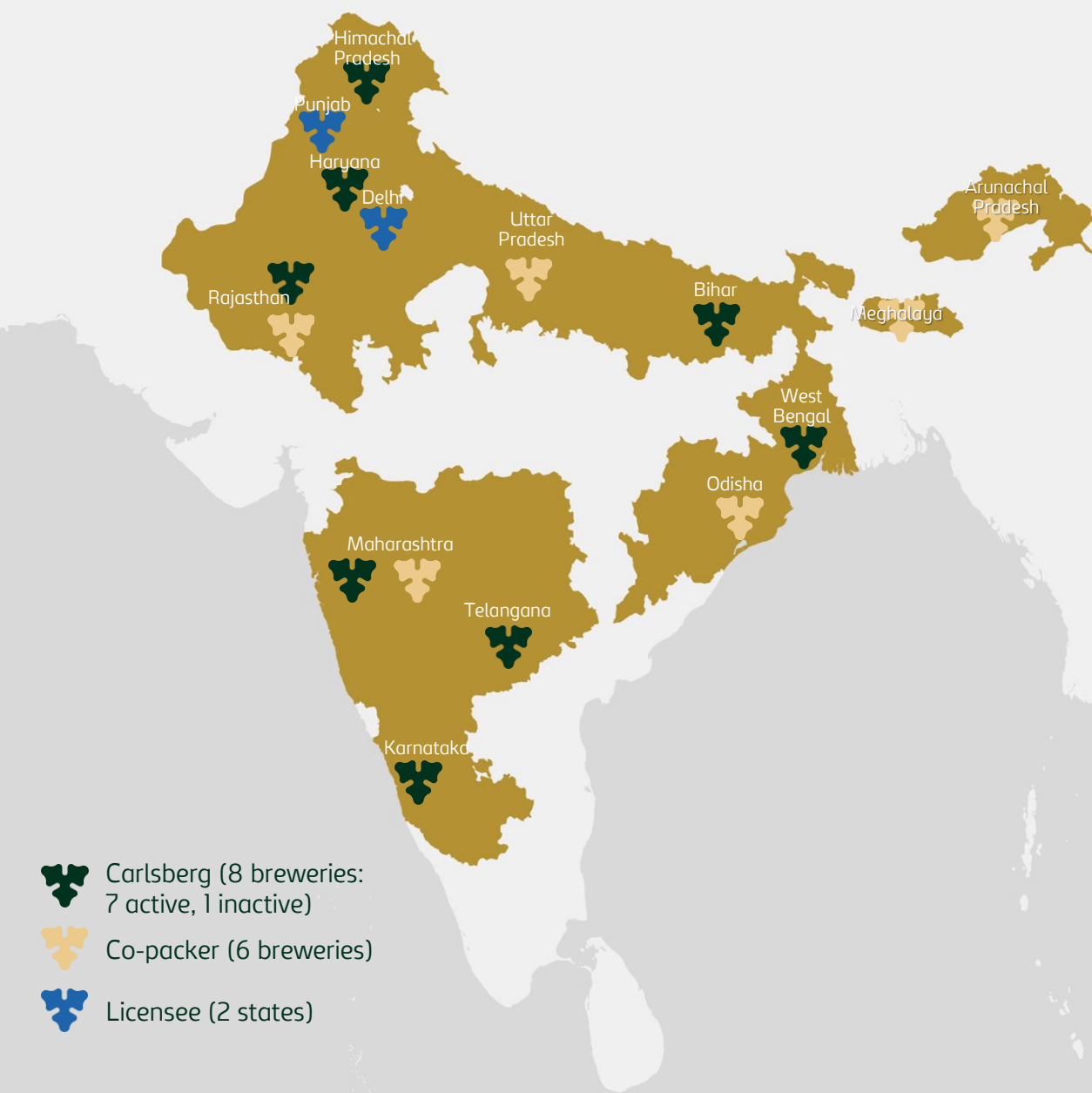
New co-packers added in 2023 and 2024



Capacity utilisation at peak ~90%



Greenfield and brownfield expansions  
in the coming years



# We are continuing our growth journey in line with Accelerate SAIL

## PORTFOLIO FOCUS

- Build on the momentum of our flagship brands and variants



- Accelerate premium range

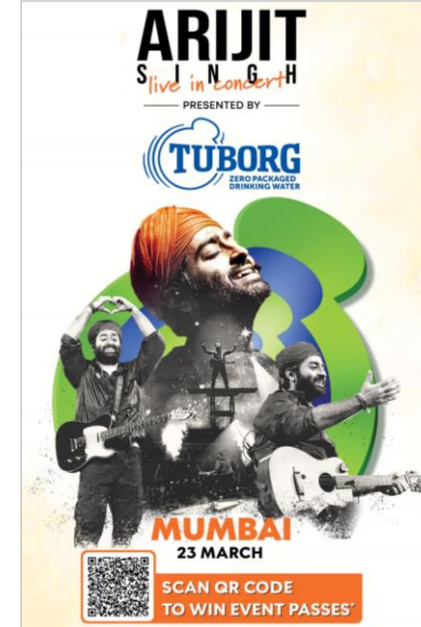


- Lead category growth in super premium segment



## MARKET EXECUTION

- Navigate the complexity of the dynamic state-by-state regulatory environment
- State cluster approach with targeted priorities, actions and KPIs for each cluster
- Leverage cluster approach: 106 key cities, outlet segmentation based on potential
- Trade- and consumer-facing activation in outlets/music events/festivals
- Technology-led execution to drive KPIs and field incentives/rewards



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# KEY TAKE-AWAYS

## CARLSBERG INDIA

### 1.

Complex Indian beer market with state-by-state regulation

- Route-to-market
- Pricing
- Alcohol tax regimes
- Import and export duties



### 2.

Beer market growth opportunities driven by

- Demographics
- Urbanisation
- Increased disposable income
- Increasing popularity of beer



### 3.

Carlsberg India has consistently outperformed the market

- Targeted approach to states, applying a cluster strategy
- Lean portfolio and favourable brand mix
- Disciplined in-market sales execution



### 4.

Growth journey to continue



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