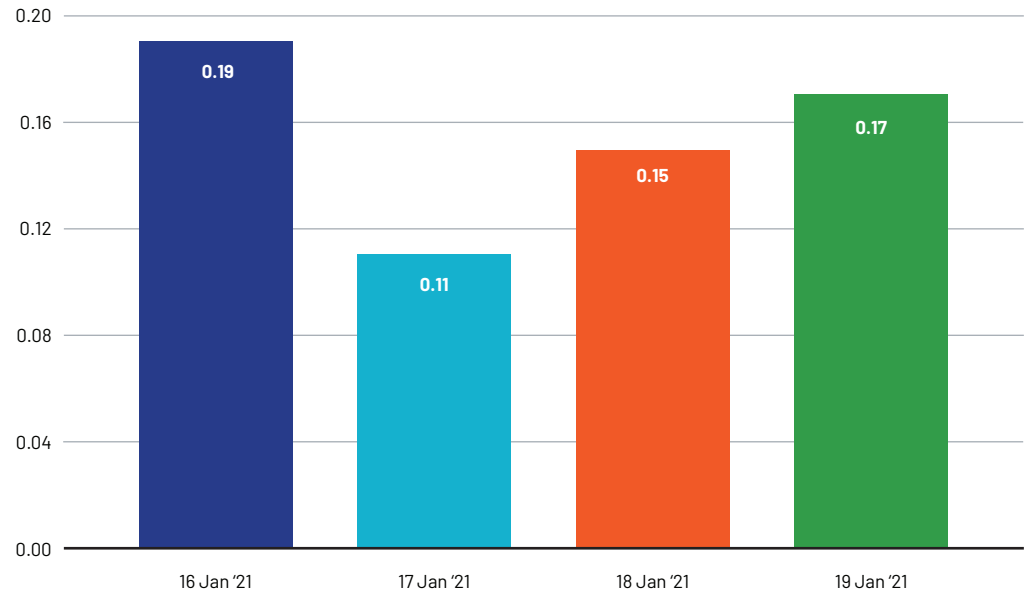


### Chart 3: while the vaccination drive has kick started

*Daily C19 vaccinations administered (Mn, 7d ma)*

Source: OWID, Acuity Knowledge Partners. Data as of 20 January 2021

Note: This is counted as a single dose, and may not equal the total number of people vaccinated, depending on the specific dose regime (e.g. people receive multiple doses)



- » India kicked off the vaccination drive on 16 January with locally manufactured Covishield and Covaxin
- » A total of 0.81mn vaccine doses were given as on 20 January (global: 54.4mn). However, doses per 100 stood at a meagre 0.06 vs. the global average of 0.7 (Israel tops with 35.5 doses per 100)
- » Even though scepticism around vaccination is preventing the government from reaching its target, the report from Lancet (on Covaxin-inducing immune response) should instil confidence among those prioritised to take the jab
- » As more vaccines likely get approval for emergency use eventually, hope for normalcy does not seem to be impossible