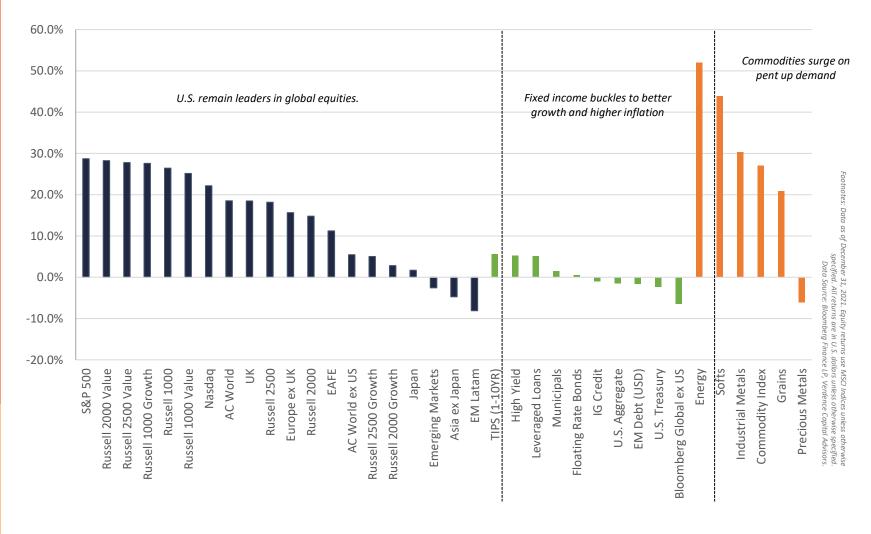




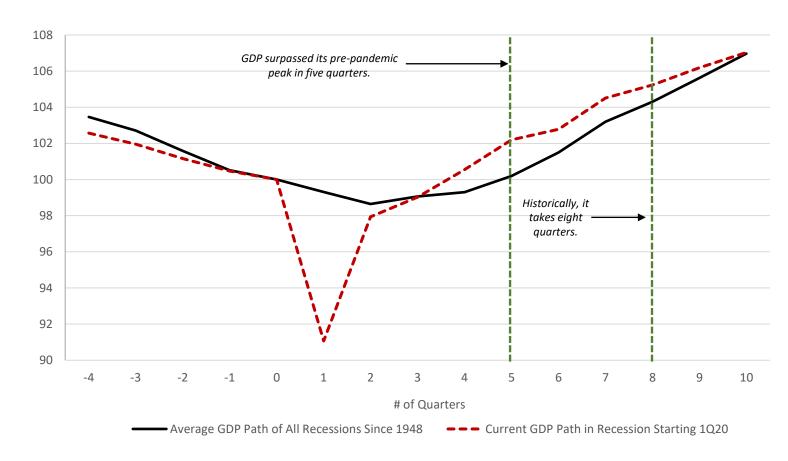


## **Market Returns 2021**





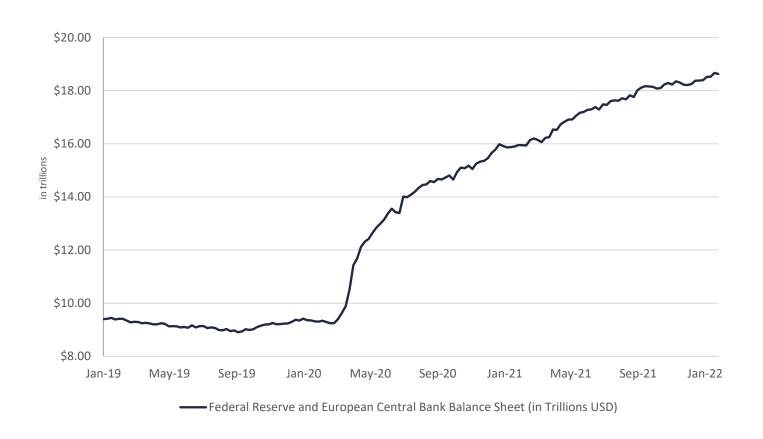
# 2021 Review – Historical Recovery in U.S. GDP



The U.S. economy surpassed its pre-pandemic peak level in just five quarters (in 2Q21). Historically, it takes eight quarters to make that accomplishment.



# **2021** Review – Unprecedented Central Bank Support



Central banks around the world expanded their balance sheets to combat the economic impact from the pandemic. The Federal Reserve and European Central Bank balance sheets are near \$20 trillion combined.



## **GLOBAL ECONOMY**

## **Global Growth Estimates**

Country	15 YR Average Annual GDP Growth	2022 Estimate	2023 Estimate
U.S.	1.48%	3.80%	2.50%
China	8.51%	5.20%	5.10%
Japan	0.41%	2.90%	1.40%
Germany	1.13%	3.90%	2.60%
UK	0.85%	4.50%	2.20%
India	6.00%	9.20%	7.70%
France	0.62%	4.00%	2.30%
Italy	-0.53%	4.20%	2.10%
Canada	1.42%	3.80%	3.10%
South Korea	3.23%	3.00%	2.50%
Russia	2.33%	2.60%	2.10%
Australia	2.40%	4.00%	2.90%
Brazil	1.81%	0.70%	2.00%
Spain	0.54%	5.50%	3.40%
Mexico	1.50%	2.60%	2.20%

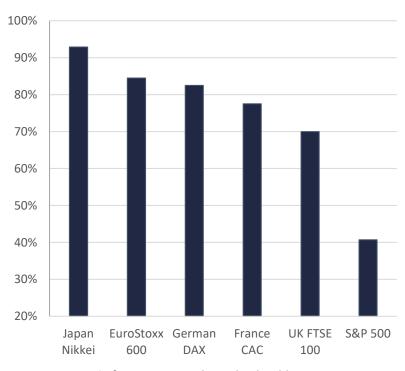
Green shaded means GDP is estimated to be above the past 15year average in 2022 and 2023.

Red shaded means it is estimated to be below its 15-year average.

The world economy is expected to continue to expand but growth will be more mixed as we navigate through the next phase of the global economic cycle.



# **Earnings and Dividends Take Over Total Return**



	2022	2023
Russell 2000 Growth	75%	40%
Russell 2500 Growth	53%	26%
Russell 2000	32%	22%
Russell 2500	23%	16%
Russell 2000 Value	21%	16%
Russell 2500 Value	17%	13%
MSCI Japan	11%	10%
MSCI Asia ex Japan	10%	10%
S&P 500	8%	12%
MSCI EM	6%	8%
MSCI EAFE	6%	8%
MSCI Europe ex UK	5%	10%
MSCI UK	1%	8%
MSCI Latin America	-7%	4%

**Expected Earnings Growth** 

■ % of Companies With Dividend Yield Over Generic 10YR Govt Bond Yield

With PE expansion challenged in 2022 (especially in the U.S.), investors will be more dependent on dividends and earnings growth as a portion of the total return in equities.



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