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Research Site

Real Capital Analytics

Trends, interpretive data, and key aspects of the capital

environment on a local and national basis





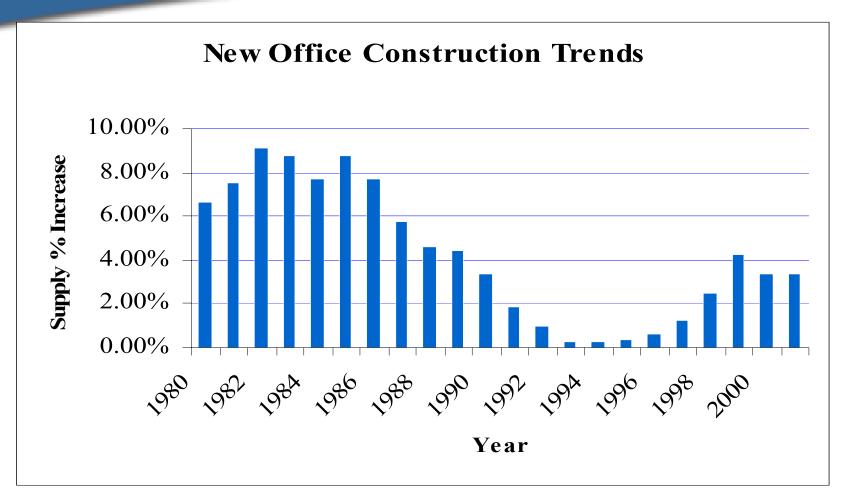
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Other Links & Notable Info.

Provides listings of links to other resources - brokers, etc.

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Office Construction Trends





Office - Pulse / Recent Trends

- Q1 2002 US Average Vacancy was 14.7% South-Atlantic Region reported 13.8% Atlanta reported 17.5%
- Past 10-year Low was 7.5% in Q3 of 2000
- Vacancies increased by 210 basis points
 Q3-Q4 01, when it rose from 11.6% to 13.7%
- The change declined to 100 basis points between Q4 2001 and Q1 2002
- Vacancies should increase throughout the year
- Do not expect a reversal until mid-to-late 2003, and perhaps 2004

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Office – Top & Bottom Markets

- Top Markets: Greater Washington, DC markets are at or near 10% vacancy
- The District, with 6.4% is the strongest office market in the country
- Norfolk and suburban Maryland at 10.3 and 10.5% respectively
- New York, at 9.2% continues stand out in the country
- Weakest Markets: San Francisco, San Jose,
 Dallas and Austin are especially weak, with
 vacancies of 19.8%, 19.6%, 21.7% and 20.4 merica

Office – Rent Growth

- There were NO markets in the country that experienced growth during the first quarter!
- The nationwide average was –4.1% for the quarter Those are quarterly numbers, not annualized
- Chicago was the closest to break even, with -0.2%
- San Francisco and San Jose experienced –10.8 and –11.5% growth (i.e. declines) respectively.
- If the trend continued for the year, office rents in San Jose would decline nearly 50%.



Industrial - Pulse / Recent Trends

- Q1 2002 US Average Vacancy was 10.2% Atlanta reported 15.7%
- Past 10-year Low was 6.5% in Q3 of 2000
- Vacancies increased by 80 basis points
 Q3-Q4 01, when it rose from 8.9% to 8.7%.
- The change declined to 50 basis points between Q4 2001 and Q1 2002
- Vacancies should increase throughout the year
- Do not expect a reversal until mid-to-late 2003



Industrial – Top & Bottom Markets

- Top Markets: Ventura, CA with 6.0% vacancy
- Los Angeles report 7.1%; New Jersey 8.5%
- Six other smaller markets are below 8.5%
- Bottom Markets: Raleigh and Pittsburgh lead the nation with 22.1 and 19.1% vacancy



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Apartment - Pulse / Recent Trends

- Q1 2002 US Average Vacancy was 5.7% South-Atlantic Region reported 6.5% Atlanta reported 9.7%
- Past 10-year Low was 3.0% in Q4 of 2000
- Vacancies increased by 100 basis points
 Q3-Q4 01, when it rose from 3.8% to 4.8%
- The change declined to 90 basis points between Q4 2001 and Q1 2002
- Vacancies should increase throughout the year
- Though relatively healthy, do not expect a reduction in vacancies until mid-to-late 2003

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Apartment – Top & Bottom Markets

- Top Markets: Suburban Maryland, Philadelphia, and Los Angeles with 2.6%, 2.8% & 3.3% vacancy
- Weakest Markets: Charlotte and Austin reported
 11.6 and 11.1 respectively
- Charlotte and Austin were the only markets above 10%.



Apartment – Rent Growth

- The nationwide average was –0.1% for the quarter
- Washington, DC and New Orleans posted 1.8% and 1.2% rent growth
- New York, Oakland and San Francisco experienced declines of 3.6%, 3.9% and 4.6% respectively
- San Jose topped the list with an 8.2% decline



Retail - Pulse / Recent Trends

- Q1 2002 US Average Vacancy was 7.1% South-Atlantic Region reported 7.3% Atlanta reported 8.3%
- Past 10-year Low was 5.9% in Q3 & Q4 of 2000
- Vacancies increased by 30 basis points
 Q3-Q4 01, when it rose from 6.8% to 7.1%
- The change declined to 20 basis points between Q4 2001 and Q1 2002
- Vacancies should increase throughout the year
- Do not expect a reversal until mid-to-late 2003



Retail – Top & Bottom Markets

- Top Markets: Seattle, San Jose and San Diego with 3.6%, 3.7%, and 3.8% vacancy
- There are 7 markets with sub-5% vacancy
- Weakest Markets: New Orleans leads the country with 12.1% vacancy
- San Antonio, Ft. Worth and Houston reports 11.8%, 11.5% and 10.5% respectively



Retail – Rent Growth

- The nationwide rent growth was 0.1% That's a POSITIVE number!
- Charlotte posted a 2.1% decline
- Sacramento posted a 2.5% increase
- Philadelphia and Oakland were #2 and #3 with 1.5% gains for the quarter

