COSTAR COMMERCIAL REPEAT-SALE INDICES

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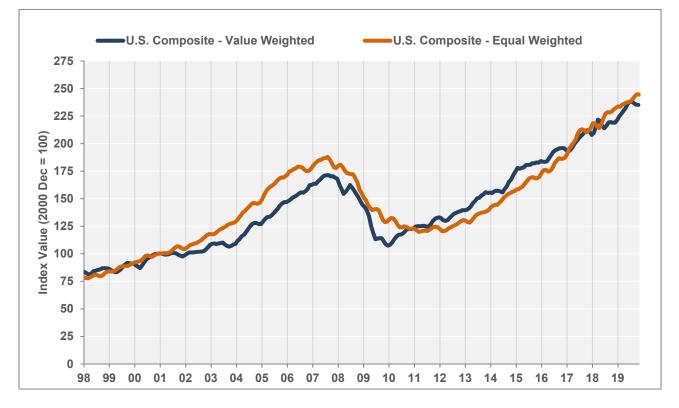
CCRSI RELEASE – December 2019 (With data through November 2019)

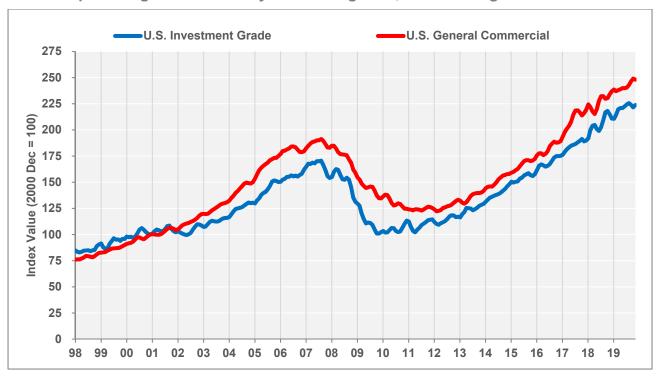
COMPOSITE PRICE GROWTH MODERATE THROUGH NOVEMBER

RESTRAINED DEVELOPMENT SUPPORTS BROAD-BASED PRICE GAINS

This month's CoStar Commercial Repeat Sale Indices (CCRSI) provides the market's first look at commercial real estate pricing trends through November 2019. Based on 1,160 repeat sale pairs in November 2019 and more than 219,700 repeat sales since 1996, the CCRSI offers the broadest measure of commercial real estate repeat sales activity.

U.S. Composite Indices: Equal- And Value-Weighted, Data Through November 2019

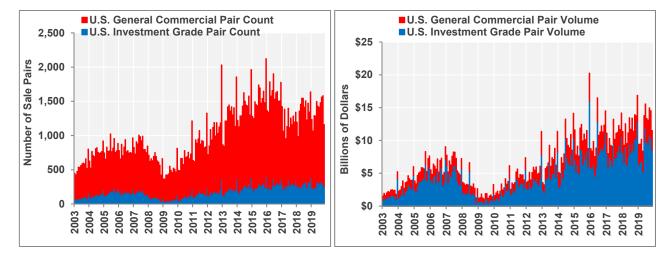


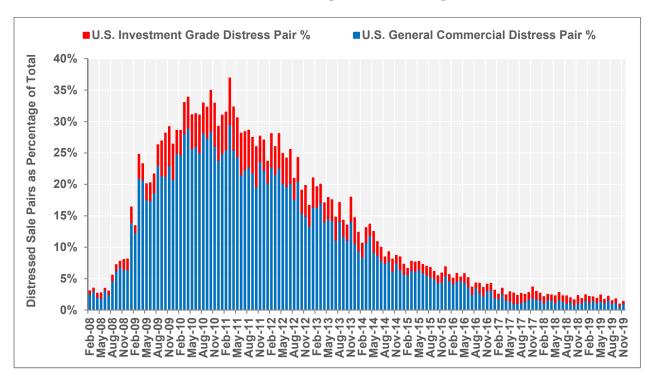


U.S. Equal-Weighted Indices By Market Segment, Data Through November 2019



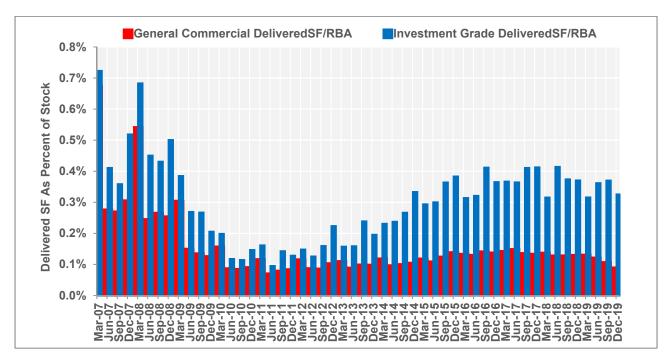
U.S. Pair Volume, Data Through November 2019







Market Fundamentals, Data Through November 2019



CCRSI National Results Highlights

- COMPOSITE INDICES DEMONSTRATE SLOW, STEADY GROWTH THROUGH NOVEMBER 2019. The equal-weighted U.S. Composite Index, which reflects the more numerous but lower-priced property sales typical of secondary and tertiary markets, increased 5.7% in the 12-month period ended in November 2019 while the value-weighted U.S. Composite Index, which reflects larger asset sales common in core markets, rose 7.1% in the same period.
- BOTH COMPOSITE INDICES HAVE SURPASSED PREVIOUS CYCLE PEAKS; SLOWER GROWTH EVIDENT AS CYCLE HAS MATURED. The value-weighted and equal-weighted U.S. Composite Indices stood at 37.1% and 30.3% above previous cycle highs, respectively, in November 2019. As such, recent annual gains have decelerated from a double-digit annual pace earlier in the cycle. However, such a slowdown is expected, as the cycle has matured.
- THE SUBDUED PACE OF CONSTRUCTION OVER THE LAST SEVERAL YEARS HAS EXTENDED THE CRE CYCLE AND SUPPORTED CONTINUED PRICE GROWTH. Deliveries as a share of stock across the three major property types office, retail, and industrial—has averaged is projected to average just 0.24% in the four quarters ended in December 2019, which was half the rate of deliveries at the peak of the last cycle in 2007-08. Illustrating tenant preferences for high-quality space this cycle, quarterly construction completions relative to total stock in the Investment Grade segment of the market are on a stronger 0.34% annual pace, compared to 0.1% in the General Commercial segment, in 2019.
- SALES VOLUME ON TRACK TO SURPASS 2018 RECORD. Composite pair volume of \$151 billion in the 12-month period ending in November 2019 was up 3.7% from the prior 12-month period ended in November 2018. Even on a year-to-date basis through the first 11 months of the year, volume is up over 2% from the same period in 2018. The moderate uptick in volume was felt broadly across the Investment-Grade and General Commercial Segments. Repeat-sale transaction volume increased 3.9% in the Investment-Grade segment, and 3.3% in the General Commercial segment in the 12-month period ended in November 2019.

| | 1 Month Earlier | 1 Quarter Earlier | 1 Year Earlier | Trough to Current |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Value-Weighted U.S. Composite Index | -0.2% | 1.5% | 5.7% | 103.9% ¹ |
| Equal-Weighted U.S. Composite Index | -0.1% | -1.3% | 7.4% | 118.9% ² |

Monthly CCRSI Results, Data Through November 2019

| U.S. Investment-Grade Index | 1.0% | -0.8% | 4.1% | 119.3% ³ |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|------|---------------------|
| U.S. General Commercial Index | -0.4% | 2.1% | 6.0% | 101.4% ⁴ |
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¹ Trough Date: January 2010 ² Trough Date: June 2011 ³ Trough Date: June 2010 ⁴ Trough Date: June 2011

Market Fundamentals Data Through November 2019

| | Annual Net Absorption (in millions of square feet) | | | |
|--------------------|--|--------|--------|--------|
| | 2016Q3 | 2017Q3 | 2018Q3 | 2019Q3 |
| Aggregate | 575.7 | 261.1 | 270.9 | 55.9 |
| Investment Grade | 270.5 | 116.5 | 119.9 | 20.0 |
| General Commercial | 305.2 | 144.5 | 151.0 | 35.9 |

Note: "Net Absorption" is the change in occupied space, calculated based on three types of properties: office, retail, and industrial.

About The CoStar Commercial Repeat-Sale Indices

The CoStar Commercial Repeat-Sale Indices (CCRSI) is the most comprehensive and accurate measure of commercial real estate prices in the United States. In addition to the national Composite Index (presented in both equal-weighted and value-weighted versions), national Investment-Grade Index, and national General Commercial Index, which we report monthly, we report quarterly on 30 sub-indices in the CoStar index family. The sub-indices include breakdowns by property sector (office, industrial, retail, multifamily, hospitality, and land), by region of the country (Northeast, South, Midwest, and West), by transaction size and quality (general commercial, investment-grade), and by market size (composite index of the prime market areas in the country).

The CoStar indices are constructed using a repeat sales methodology, widely considered the most accurate measure of price changes for real estate. This methodology measures the movement in the prices of commercial properties by collecting data on actual transaction prices. When a property is sold more than once, a sales pair is created. The prices from the first and second sales are then used to calculate price movement for the property. The aggregated price changes from all of the sales pairs are used to create a price index.

| | Available Mont | hly And Quarte | ly CCRSI Indices | |
|---|--|---------------------|--|---|
| National Composite CRE Price Index | National Indices by Property Type | Regional Indices | Regional Indices by Property Type | Prime Market Indices by Property Type |
| All Properties | Office | Northeast | Northeast: Office, Multifamily, Industrial, Retail | Office |

| General Commercial | Retail | Midwest | Midwest: Office, Multifamily, Industrial, Retail | Multifamily |
|-----------------------|-------------|---------|--|-------------|
| Investment- Grade | Industrial | South | South: Office, Multifamily, Industrial, Retail | Industrial |
| | Multifamily | West | West: Office, Multifamily, Industrial, Retail | Retail |
| | Hospitality | | | |
| | Land | | | |

Prime Office Markets

| CBSA Listed Alphabetically |
|----------------------------|
| Boston |
| Los Angeles |
| New York |
| Orange County |
| San Francisco |
| Seattle |
| Washington, D.C. |

Prime Industrial Markets

| CBSA Listed Alphabetically |
|----------------------------|
| Atlanta |
| Chicago |
| Dallas |
| Houston |
| Los Angeles |
| Northern New Jersey |
| Riverside |
| Seattle |
| |

Prime Retail Markets

| CBSA Listed Alphabetic | |
|------------------------|--|

- Boston
- Los Angeles
- New York
- Orange County
- San Diego
- San Francisco

Prime Multifamily Markets

CBSA Listed Alphabetically Boston Chicago Houston Los Angeles New York

Orange County

| San Jose | |
|------------------|--|
| Washington, D.C. | |

| San Francisco |
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| San Jose |
| Seattle |
| Washington, D.C. |

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For more information about the CCRSI Indices, including the full accompanying data set and research methodology, legal notices and disclaimer, please visit <u>http://costargroup.com/costar-news/ccrsi</u>.

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