

# Lodging — U.S. RevPAR +6.7% Y/Y Last Week; A Treat of a Week

Group (+5.2%) and hurricane-impacted markets strong

Overall U.S. RevPAR was +6.7% y/y for the week ending 10/28/17, per STR, up from the prior week's result of +2.6%. (2-year stacked RevPAR was +19.5% vs. +8.6% in the prior week.) Midscale (+8.9%) was the strongest chain scale; Independent hotels (+6.5%) slightly underperformed the industry average. Within Upper Upscale & Luxury class hotels, Group (+5.2% vs. -2.5% prior week) was stronger than Transient (+3.9% vs. +1.6% prior week). This week saw strong group demand and continued strength from hurricane-impacted markets. Houston RevPAR was +53.8%, Miami was +15.6%, Orlando was +14.3%, and Tampa was +23.9%.

As discussed last week: it is important to note that large and damaging weather events such as Harvey and Irma have historically been net positives for hotel demand, especially for limited service and extended stay hotels (see Choice (CHH, \$69.75, Hold) post-Katrina in 2005). However, while RevPAR growth rates will likely go up for companies such as CHH and Wyndham (WYN, \$106.85, Buy) in 2017 and into the first half of 2018, we caution investors to remember this is one-time and not sustainable demand and will likely mean second-half 2018 and first-half 2019 RevPAR growth rates will be challenged by the tough y/y comp (See CHH in 2006).

For the month of October, we estimate that full-service branded domestic hotels (the typical Hilton [HLT, \$72.28, Buy], Hyatt [H, \$62.66, Hold], or Marriott [\$119.48, Hold] US hotel) will finish at approx. +5%, which due to the strong week last week is approximately 1 pt higher than our prior thoughts. We estimate the overall industry will finish approximately +4-5% (also 1 pt higher). We expect volatility next week due to Halloween moving to Tuesday from Monday y/y. Please note that reported monthly results include hotels that are not in the weekly data set. For more granularity, please also see our Fall Calendar Shift RevPAR Roadmap report.

• Harvey impact: Houston RevPAR was +53.8% for the week compared with +25.9% last week. Historically, weather events such as these have been a net benefit to hotel demand (outside of the most impacted areas). This increased demand comes from extended relocations in hotels and increased government spending to repair the damage in the areas hit. We expect high occupancy in Houston and Texas in general for the next several months due to Harvey. Notably, FEMA recently announced that the Transitional Sheltering Assistance program (which pays for hotel stays for displaced)

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residents) has been extended to November 7th. This extension will further help the market, particularly in light of considerable market headwinds (new supply, oil and gas weakness, etc.)

OPlease see further in this note for our analysis on the booking availability of Houston-area hotels within our REIT coverage. We note that from our call-arounds last week that room availability is opening up at a number of hotels in the market. This appears to have been reflected in the large sequential decline of RevPAR performance two weeks ago, but considering the stronger results last week we note to investors that one week does not make a trend. We do not suggest that RevPAR growth rates will fall back to normal anytime soon (hotels may still be quite occupied even if not full). However, we are starting to see signs that some of the hurricane-related demand is dissipating.



- Orlando +14.3%. Last week was +5.6%.
- o Tampa +23.9%. Last week was +19.3%.
- Miami +15.6%. Last week was -1.6%. Miami was less impacted by the hurricane and thus we expect the hurricane demand impact to be less than for Orlando and Tampa. However, it is likely that areas of south Miami-Dade that are closer to the Florida Keys will have outsized RevPAR gains. The majority of the hotels in this part of Miami are select- and limited-service and thus the ideal fit for hurricane displacement and relief worker demand.
- Please see the attached STR note for a deep-dive on the Irma impact (starting on page 3).

#### Color on last week's RevPAR results:

- Midscale was the strongest chain scale: Luxury RevPAR (+6.6%), Upper Upscale (+4.3%), Upscale (+5.9%), Upper Midscale (+7.7%), Midscale (+8.9%), and Economy (+6.6%). Independent hotels (+6.5%) slightly underperformed headline U.S. RevPAR.
- Within Upper Upscale & Luxury class hotels, Group was stronger than Transient: Transient segment (individual business and leisure travelers) RevPAR was +3.9% (vs. +1.6% last week) and Group segment RevPAR was +5.2% (vs. -2.5% last week).
- LA (+7.5%) led the top 5 markets: Boston (+7.0%); Chicago (-14.3%); NYC (+0.7%); and DC (+5.6%).
- Other relevant markets:
  - San Francisco was moderately positive: RevPAR was +2.3% vs. -9.4% last week. We anticipate weak y/y results in San Francisco for 4Q due to the renovations at the Moscone Center (although less bad than 2Q/3Q).
  - Texas results were mixed: Dallas RevPAR was +1.6% (vs. -3.4% last week). Houston RevPAR was +53.8% (vs. +25.9% last week).

The lodging and leisure stocks: As we have written in our last several reports, while the RevPAR trends are uninspiring, the good news is we believe companies are likely not going to miss their uninspiring and intentionally conservative guided ranges. We believe as it relates especially to the C-corps, "Stable" is the new "Good". That said, 2018 will likely still see a gradual deceleration in RevPAR growth rates from 2017's levels and this will be more negative for the hotel REITS as costs are rising faster than revenues. The good news for the hotel REITS is that their dividends are attractive, in our view, and should be sustainable over the next year. We believe an unwillingness to have to go against a 6%+ dividend yield has kept investors from being overly negative (potentially shorting) the hotel REITS.



#### **Houston Hotel Status**

Harvey Status							
Company	Property	8/29/2017	9/1/2017	9/6/2017	9/12/2017	10/3/2017	10/24/2017
Chesapeake Lodging Trust	No Geographical Exposure						
DiamondRock Hospitality Company	No Geographical Exposure						
FelCor Lodging Trust	Wyndham Houston - Medical Center	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open Booked Tonight, Some Openings	Open
Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	Houston Marriott - Texas Medical Center/Museum District	Closed	Open	Open	Open, No Availability	Rest of Week	Booked Tonight and Weekend
	JW Marriott Houston	Open, No New Reservations	Open	Open, No Availability	Open, About 5 Rooms Left	Booked through Week	Booked Tonight, Availability Rest of Week
	St. Regis Houston	Open, No New Reservations	Open	Open	Open, No Availability	Open, Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week	Open, Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
	Houston Airport Marriott at George Bush Intercontinental	Open	Open, No New Reservations	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Open	Open
LaSalle Hotel Properties	No Geographical Exposure						
Park Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	No Geographical Exposure						
Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.	No Geographical Exposure						
Sunstone Hotel Investors	Hilton Houston North	Open	Open, No New Reservations	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Open	Open
	Houston Marriott North	Closed	Open, Booked Through Week	Open, Booked Until October	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Booked Until Friday	Some Availability
RLI Lodging Trust	Hyatt House Houston - Galleria	Open	Open, Booked Through Weekend	i Open	Open, No Availability	Open, No Availability	Open, No Availability
	Residence Inn Houston - Galleria	Open	Open	Open, Booked Until Further Notice	Open, 1 Room Available	Booked Through Week	Booked until Weekend
	Courtyard Houston - Galleria	Closed	Open, Booked "Solid"	Open, Booked Until October	Open, Booked Until Weekend	Booked Until Thursday	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
	Hampton Inn Houston - Galleria	Open	Open, 2 Rooms Open Tonight, Booked Through Weekend	Open, Booked For Next Two Weeks	Open, Booked Until Weekend	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week	Booked Tonight and Over Weekend
	Residence Inn Houston - Sugar Land	Busy Signal	Open	Not Taking Reservations	Open, One Room Available	Booked Until Friday	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
	Courtyard Houston - Sugar Land	Busy Signal	Open, Completely Booked	Open, Completely Booked	Open, No Availability	Booked Tonight, Open Rest of Week	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
	Courtyard Houston - Downtown/Convention Center	Open	Open	Open, Booked Next Few Days	Open, No Availability	Booked Tonight, Open Rest of Week	Booked through Weekend
	Residence Inn Houston - Downtown/Convention Center	Open	Open, Booked Until Middle September	Open, Booked Through Week	Open, Booked for Next Few Days	Booked Until Friday	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
	SpringHill Suites Houston - Downtown/Convention Center	Open	Open, Booked Through Weekend	d Open, Booked Through Friday	Open, Booked for the Night	Some Openings Tonight, Booked Remainder of Week	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week
Downtown Big Box	Marriott Marquis Houston	Closed	Open	Open	Open	Some Openings Tonight and Wednesday	Booked Tonight, Near Sellout for Rest of Week
	Hilton Americas-Houston	Open, No New Reservations	Open	Open	Open, No Availability	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week	Booked Tonight, Some Openings Rest of Week

Source: STRH Research



# **Weekly RevPAR Summary**

	YoY % change in RevPAR												
			Upper		Upper			Inde-	New				
	U.S.	Luxury	Upscale	Upscale	Midscale	Midscale	Economy	pendent	York	Boston	LA	Chicago	DC
9/2/2017	4.3%	5.8%	2.9%	3.6%	4.0%	5.3%	2.3%	4.9%	1.0%	5.0%	3.0%	-1.3%	-1.0%
9/9/2017	3.7%	2.3%	1.4%	3.4%	5.7%	9.5%	8.1%	1.2%	-0.3%	6.8%	2.2%	4.6%	2.8%
9/16/2017	1.8%	0.6%	-1.9%	0.7%	3.6%	7.6%	8.7%	0.6%	2.3%	-6.2%	3.4%	-7.9%	-6.4%
9/23/2017	-2.5%	-10.4%	-6.9%	-2.1%	1.5%	3.4%	2.5%	-3.6%	-7.2%	-18.5%	-7.3%	-16.1%	-17.5%
9/30/2017	1.2%	-4.6%	-0.5%	1.7%	2.1%	3.6%	2.4%	1.2%	-1.8%	0.7%	-6.0%	-1.0%	0.0%
10/7/2017	3.0%	3.3%	3.9%	1.7%	2.1%	1.3%	0.6%	3.4%	1.2%	5.5%	1.6%	6.4%	-15.0%
10/14/2017	7.8%	16.7%	11.0%	6.2%	4.4%	3.2%	2.9%	7.7%	11.1%	21.1%	6.4%	2.6%	36.3%
10/21/2017	2.6%	1.2%	1.2%	1.8%	3.4%	4.0%	4.0%	2.0%	-0.1%	2.5%	-1.6%	4.2%	8.4%
10/28/2017	6.7%	6.6%	4.3%	5.9%	7.7%	8.9%	6.6%	6.5%	0.7%	7.0%	7.5%	-14.3%	5.6%
		rong Group week combined with hurricane impact			Midscale and Upper Midscale led the industry					LA and Boston led the Top 5 markets			
1Q15	8.0%	6.3%	6.0%	7.0%	8.5%	8.8%	9.2%	8.9%	-4.3%	13.8%	7.7%	11.4%	6.3%
2Q15	6.5%	5.5%	5.4%	5.9%	6.3%	6.6%	6.7%	7.1%	-1.8%	7.1%	7.4%	11.0%	11.7%
3Q15	5.9%	4.4%	4.0%	5.7%	5.7%	6.4%	6.1%	6.8%	0.6%	7.1%	11.1%	5.1%	0.3%
4Q15	4.8%	2.7%	3.8%	4.2%	4.9%	3.7%	4.4%	5.9%	-2.0%	5.3%	8.3%	1.4%	2.1%
1Q16	2.7%	1.6%	1.9%	2.2%	2.0%	0.0%	1.8%		-1.2%	-3.0%	16.6%	-4.8%	3.1%
2Q16	3.5%	0.8%	2.9%	3.1%	3.2%	3.2%	3.0%	4.2%	-4.5%	1.5%	11.1%	-1.0%	3.5%
3Q16	3.3%	1.5%	2.5%	2.0%	1.8%	2.5%			-2.5%	-0.5%	9.3%	1.2%	5.5%
4Q16	3.2%	1.9%	0.6%	1.2%	2.2%					-1.6%	6.9%	3.3%	8.0%
1Q17	3.4%	2.1%	3.0%	1.0%	2.4%				-1.3%	-1.1%	-2.5%	1.5%	16.1%
2Q17	2.7%	2.3%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%			5.1%		4.4%	3.6%		0.8%
3Q17	1.9%	0.5%	-0.7%	0.7%	1.8%	3.5%	2.9%	3.1%	-0.9%	-0.2%	-1.2%	-5.0%	-0.6%

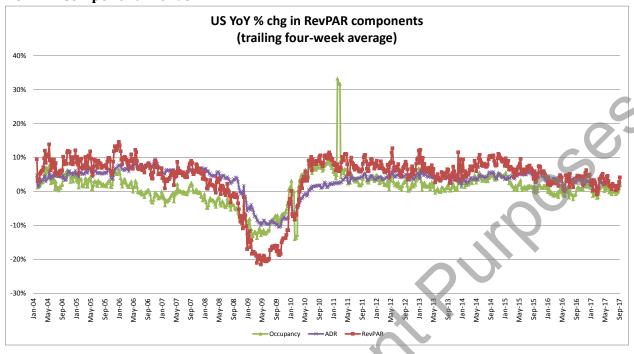
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_			Upper		Upper			Inde-	New				
	U.S.	Luxury	Upscale	Upscale	Midscale	Midscale	Economy	pendent	York	Boston	LA	Chicago	DC
9/2/2017	2.1%	4.2%	1.4%	0.9%	1.1%	2.0%	2.3%	2.6%	-0.7%	2.6%	3.4%	-1.3%	-2.9%
9/9/2017	1.6%	3.4%	1.2%	1.9%	2.1%	3.8%	4.4%	0.6%	-1.5%	1.7%	3.6%	4.3%	-0.7%
9/16/2017	1.4%	4.4%	0.9%	2.1%	2.2%	3.7%	4.8%	0.7%	-0.2%	-2.3%	4.6%	-5.4%	-2.5%
9/23/2017	-1.9%	-3.2%	-4.2%	-1.3%	0.2%	1.9%	2.6%	-1.8%	-5.6%	-11.0%	-1.1%	-8.7%	-10.4%
9/30/2017	0.8%	0.3%	-0.1%	1.3%	0.6%	1.8%	2.8%	1.0%	-2.4%	0.9%	0.5%	0.8%	1.9%
10/7/2017	2.0%	-1.7%	1.4%	0.9%	1.4%	1.6%	3.0%	1.9%	0.5%	3.7%	4.4%	5.5%	-10.9%
10/14/2017	5.3%	9.1%	5.8%	3.7%	2.5%	2.7%	3.8%	4.7%	5.8%	10.7%	5.6%	-1.4%	23.3%
10/21/2017	1.7%	2.0%	1.4%	1.1%	1.8%	2.7%	4.1%	1.1%	-1.0%	2.4%	2.6%	2.8%	6.8%
10/28/2017	2.6%	3.9%	1.5%	2.1%	2.6%	3.9%	4.5%	2.0%	0.5%	0.9%	5.8%	-8.9%	3.8%
1Q15	4.7%	5.8%	4.7%	5.2%	4.7%	4.7%	5.5%	4.7%	-4.1%	7.3%	6.5%	7.1%	1.7%
2Q15	4.8%	4.9%	4.8%	5.3%	4.6%	4.3%	5.4%	4.6%	-1.5%	6.8%	7.1%	9.2%	7.9%
3Q15	4.5%	3.7%	3.6%	5.2%	4.4%	4.6%	5.0%	4.6%	0.3%	7.4%	9.6%	5.3%	-0.1%
4Q15	3.6%	2.3%	3.0%	3.9%	3.5%	3.0%	4.2%	3.8%	-2.3%	3.9%	6.1%	2.3%	1.0%
1Q16	3.2%	1.9%	2.7%	3.2%	2.6%	1.7%	3.3%	3.7%	-3.1%	1.4%	11.3%	-1.9%	1.1%
2Q16	2.9%	1.5%	2.2%	2.9%	2.8%	2.7%	3.4%	3.0%	-3.1%	3.3%	9.4%	0.3%	2.1%
3Q16	3.4%	1.5%	2.5%	2.7%	2.4%	3.1%	3.6%	4.4%	-2.7%	2.3%	7.5%	1.9%	3.5%
4Q16	2.6%	2.1%		2.2%			3.2%	3.8%	-1.2%		5.8%	3.9%	4.1%
1Q17	2.5%	2.3%		1.3%		1.8%	2.4%		-2.2%	0.0%	-0.2%	1.7%	13.6%
2Q17	2.2%	2.2%		1.7%		2.1%	2.3%	3.5%	-1.5%	4.1%	2.8%	1.5%	2.0%
3Q17	1.4%	1.4%	0.2%	0.8%	1.2%	1.9%	2.4%	2.2%	-2.0%	0.8%	1.8%	-2.4%	0.0%

	YoY % change in Occupancy												
			Upper		Upper			Inde-	New				
	U.S.	Luxury	Upscale	Upscale	Midscale	Midscale	Economy	pendent	York	Boston	LA	Chicago	DC
9/2/2017	2.2%	1.6%	1.5%	2.7%	2.9%	3.2%	-0.1%	2.3%	1.7%	2.4%	-0.4%	0.0%	1.9%
9/9/2017	2.1%	-1.0%	0.3%	1.4%	3.5%	5.5%	3.6%	0.6%	1.2%	5.0%	-1.3%	0.3%	3.5%
9/16/2017	0.5%	-3.7%	-2.8%	-1.4%	1.4%	3.8%	3.7%	-0.2%	2.5%	-3.9%	-1.2%	-2.7%	-4.0%
9/23/2017	-0.7%	-7.5%	-2.8%	-0.9%	1.3%	1.5%	0.0%	-1.8%	-1.7%	-8.4%	-6.3%	-8.1%	-7.9%
9/30/2017	0.4%	-4.9%	-0.5%	0.3%	1.5%	1.7%	-0.4%	0.2%	0.6%	-0.2%	-6.5%	-1.9%	-1.9%
10/7/2017	0.9%	5.1%	2.4%	0.8%	0.7%	-0.3%	-2.3%	1.5%	0.6%	1.8%	-2.7%	0.9%	-4.7%
10/14/2017	2.4%	6.9%	4.9%	2.4%	1.8%	0.4%	-0.9%	2.8%	5.0%	9.4%	0.8%	4.1%	10.6%
10/21/2017	0.9%	-0.8%	-0.2%	0.7%	1.6%	1.3%	-0.1%	1.0%	0.9%	0.1%	-4.2%	1.4%	1.5%
10/28/2017	4.0%	2.6%	2.8%	3.7%	5.0%	4.8%	2.0%	4.4%	0.2%	6.0%	1.6%	-5.9%	1.7%
1Q15	3.1%	0.5%	1.3%	1.7%	3.6%	3.9%	3.5%	4.0%	-0.2%	6.1%	1.1%	4.0%	4.6%
2Q15	1.6%	0.6%	0.5%	0.6%	1.7%	2.2%	1.3%	2.3%	-0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	1.7%	3.5%
3Q15	1.4%	0.6%		0.5%				2.1%	0.2%	-0.3%	1.3%	-0.1%	0.4%
4Q15	1.2%	0.4%		0.2%				2.1%	0.3%	1.4%	2.0%	-0.9%	1.1%
1Q16	-0.5%	-0.3%		-0.9%				0.3%	2.0%	-4.3%	4.7%	-3.0%	2.0%
2Q16	0.6%	-0.7%	0.7%	0.2%				1.2%	-1.4%	-1.7%	1.5%	-1.4%	1.3%
3Q16	0.0%	0.0%		-0.6%				0.7%	0.3%	-2.8%	1.7%	-0.7%	1.9%
4Q16	0.6%	-0.2%		-1.0%				1.2%	2.2%	-2.8%	1.0%	-0.5%	3.7%
1Q17	0.9%	-0.2%	0.6%	-0.3%				1.6%	1.0%	-1.1%	-2.4%	-0.2%	2.2%
2Q17	0.5%	0.1%		-1.1%				1.6%	1.7%	0.3%	0.8%	-0.7%	-1.2%
3Q17	0.5%	-0.9%	-0.9%	-0.1%	0.6%	1.6%	0.5%	0.9%	1.1%	-1.0%	-2.9%	-2.7%	-0.5%

Source: STR data, STRH research

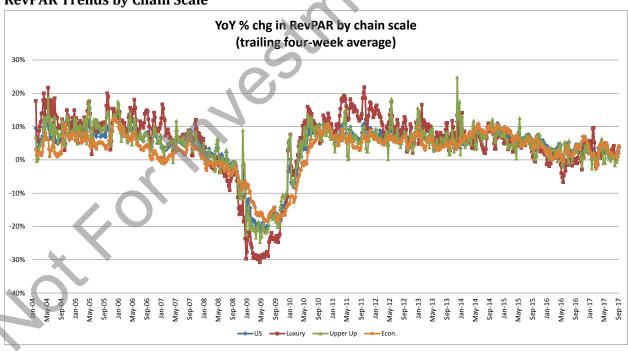


# **RevPAR Component Trends**



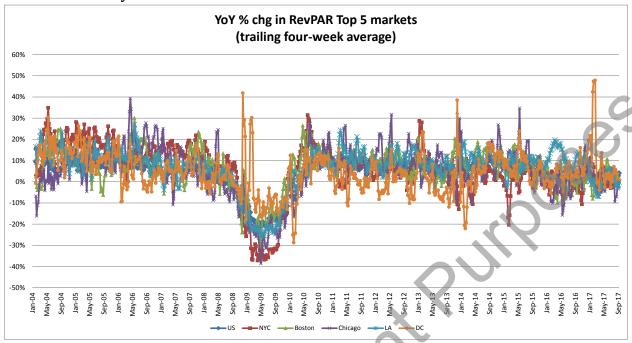
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## **RevPAR Trends by Chain Scale**



Source: STR data, STRH research

## **RevPAR Trends by Market**



Source: STR data, STRH research



**Price Target/Risks Summary** 

Lodging	TKR	Price 10/31/17	Rating	PT*	% upside down- side	2018E EBITDA (\$M)	Target EV/EBITDA Multiple	Risks
-0499		10/01/11	rtating		Grao	(4)	ara pro	Holo
								Upside risk: improvement in NY and Chicago markets
								Downside risk: softening of RevPAR trends in Boston or SF. Slowdown
Chesapeake Lodging Trust	CHSP	\$27.90	Hold	\$23	-18%	\$183	12.0X	real estate lending.
								Upside risk: conservative guidance.
								Downside risk: big catalyst of special dividend already baked into the
Choice Hotels	CHH	\$69.75	Hold	\$65	-7%	\$321	13.5X	stock.
	DDII	040.00			407	0054	44.57/	Upside risk: specific markets (esp. NYC) perform better than expect
DiamondRock Hospitality	DRH	\$10.86	Hold	\$11	1%	\$254	11.5X	Downside risk: company unable to locate properties to buy.
								Upside risk: the company increases dividends by more than expecte
								NYC outperforms or is sold down at attractive multiples
In a tillatala e Danasta	LICT	£40.50	11-1-1	<b>C40</b>	20/	C4 445	40 FV	Downside risk: Group underperforms. NYC hotels underperform an
lost Hotels & Resorts	HST	\$19.56	Hold	\$19	-3%	\$1,415	12.5X	asset sales do not happen.
		000.00		004	00/	0777	40.01/	Upside risk: Transient and group trends outperform expectations
Hyatt Hotels	Н	\$62.66	Hold	\$61	-3%	\$777	12.2X	Downside risk: ongoing misexecution and volatility.
								Downside risk: Disruption in a major market (HGV more concentrate
			_					than peers), issues with Japanese customer (HGV more exposed th
Hilton Grand Vacations	HGV	\$40.96	Buy	\$41	0%	\$408	10.9X	peers), difficulty sourcing additional fee-for-service inventory deals
			_					Downside risk: overhang from remaining big sponsor ownership, slow
Hilton	HLT	\$72.28	Buy	\$77	7%	\$2,070	14.7X	pipeline
								Upside risk: further acceleration in returning capital to shareholders
nterContinental Hotels	IHG	\$55.59	Hold	\$51	-8%	\$899	13.5X	Downside risk: trends continue to worsen in Greater China
								Downside risk: membership base erosion as churn outstrips new
LG	ILG	\$29.67	Buy	\$29	-2%	\$368	10.8X	timeshare sales
								Upside risk: ability to increase dividend.
aSalle Hotel Properties	LHO	\$28.21	Hold	\$26	-8%	\$319	12.5X	Downside risk: heavy D.C. exposure.
								Upside Risk: Significant U.S macroeconomic improvement results i
								large recovery in transient corporate demand (and consequential >40
								bps RevPAR improvement). Owned assets sell for
								premium prices relative to MAR expectations.
								Downside Risk: 2017 or 2018 is a recession year in the US. Geopolit
Marriott International	MAR	\$119.48	Hold	\$96	-20%	\$3,139	13.7X	and policy risks negatively impact lodging demand.
								Upside risk: Mix shift not an issue for margins, quicker execution/ups
								of buyback program; Downside risk: inability to achieve developmer
								margin targets, inability to close asset sales or asset sales are done
Marriott Vacations	VAC	\$131.62	Hold	\$120	-9%	\$295	10.4X	lesser values than expected
								Upside risk: The downturn in the lodging cycle is short-lived and posi
								macroeconomic trends result in increasingly positive RevPAR growth
								improved EBITDA.
						4.4		Downside risk: Significant supply growth and macroeconomic
Park Hotels & Resorts	PK	\$28.79	Hold	\$28	-3%	\$753	12.0X	challenges/shocks.
								Upside risk: RevPAR reaccelerates due to macroeconomic
								improvements, leading to estimate revisions and multiple expansion
								Downside risk: Significant supply growth, struggle to source deals/lo
RLJ Lodging Trust	RLJ	\$21.66	Hold	\$22	2%	\$587	11.5X	leverage, macroeconomic challenges/demand shocks.
					O A			Upside risk:recovering group demand better than expected, better ma
				- 4				recovery.
Ryman Hospitality Properties	RHP	\$66.13	Hold	\$59	-11%	\$385	12.3X	Downside risk: booking issues stickier than expected.
								Upside risk: valuation discount to peers.
								Downside risk: San Diego, Boston, LA exposure. Insufficient ADR I
Sunstone Hotel Investors	SHO	\$16.32	Hold	\$15	-8%	\$340	12.0X	from Boston Park Plaza/Marriott Wailea Beach renovations.
						• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	-	Downside risk: the timeshare business is especially vulnerable to
Vyndham Worldwide Corp	WYN	\$106.85	Buy	\$112	5%	\$1,509	9.8X	economic softness.
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Source: FactSet, STRH research



#### **Companies Mentioned in This Note**

Choice Hotels International, Inc. (CHH, \$69.75, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Chesapeake Lodging Trust (CHSP, \$27.90, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

DiamondRock Hospitality Company (DRH, \$10.86, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Hyatt Hotels Corporation (H, \$62.66, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Hilton Grand Vacations Inc. (HGV, \$40.96, Buy, Bradford Dalinka)

Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc. (HLT, \$72.28, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes)

Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (HST, \$19.56, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

InterContinental Hotels Group, PLC (IHG, \$55.59, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

ILG, Inc. (ILG, \$29.67, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes)

LaSalle Hotel Properties (LHO, \$28.21, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Marriott International, Inc. (MAR, \$119.48, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Park Hotels & Resorts Inc. (PK, \$28.79, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. (RHP, \$66.13, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

RLJ Lodging Trust (RLJ, \$21.66, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Sunstone Hotel Investors (SHO, \$16.32, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Marriott Vacations Worldwide Corp. (VAC, \$131.62, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes)

Wyndham Worldwide Corporation (WYN, \$106.85, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes)

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