

Lodging - US RevPAR +0.3% Y/Y Last Week; Halloween drove noisy results

Group RevPAR soft (-2.0%) given the holiday impact

What's Incremental To Our View

Overall U.S. RevPAR was +0.3% Y/Y for the week ending 11/2/2019, per STR, stronger than the prior week's result of +0.0%. (2-year stacked RevPAR was +0.6% vs +5.4% in the prior week.) Independent hotels (about 1/3rd of the data set) were -3.2% y/y. Luxury (+6.0%) was the strongest chain scale for branded hotels; Midscale was the weakest at -3.3%. Upper Midscale (+0.2%) slightly underperformed the industry average. Within Upper Upscale & Luxury class hotels, Group (-2.0% vs. -4.3% prior week) was softer than Transient (+3.6% vs. +2.7% prior week).

While headline RevPAR was within our expectations, day of week RevPAR was quite volatile given Halloween moving to a Thursday this year from a Wednesday last year. Increasingly we view this holiday as having greater impact to corporate travel and in some cases a positive benefit to hotels catering to parties/ activities.

For the month of October, we estimate that full-service branded domestic hotels (the typical Hilton [HLT, Hold], Hyatt [H, Hold], or Marriott [MAR, Hold] hotel) will finish -2% to -3% (our prior estimate was flat to down low single digits). We estimate that the overall industry will finish approximately -2% (our prior estimate was flat to down low single digits). Please note that reported monthly results include hotels that are not in the weekly data set.

Last week's RevPAR details:

- Luxury was the strongest chain scale: Upscale and Upper Midscale underperformed by 480 bps and 580 bps, respectively: Luxury RevPAR (+6.0%), Upper Upscale (+3.4%), Upscale (+1.2%), Upper Midscale (+0.2%), Midscale (-3.3%), and Economy (-1.9%). Independent hotels (-3.2%) underperformed the headline U.S. RevPAR.
- Within Upper Upscale & Luxury class hotels, Group underperformed Transient: Transient segment (individual business and leisure travelers) RevPAR was +3.6% (vs. +2.7% last week) and Group segment RevPAR was -2.0% (vs. -4.3% last week).
- Washington, D.C. (+6.9%) was the strongest of the top five markets: Boston (-7.7%), Chicago (+3.4%), Los Angeles (+6.1%), and NYC (-3.4%).

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What's Inside

Weekly STR results and analysis



- Other relevant markets:
 - San Francisco was very strong (Moscone Convention Center expected to have a very strong 4Q19 citywide calendar): RevPAR was +28.5% vs. -15.1% last week.
 - Florida markets were mixed: Miami (-8.3% vs. +2.4% last week); Orlando (+8.6% vs. +6.6% last week).

The lodging stocks: We continue to favor C-Corps over hotel REITS (we favored hotel REITS for the first half of last year) and within C-Corps we prefer Buyrated WH. In an environment of low RevPAR growth combined with gradually increasing wages/margin pressures, we think returns for hotel owners is a major headwind to EBITDA growth. We believe hotel stocks, but especially hotel REIT stocks, typically work best when there is a spark to RevPAR growth and at this moment we are not seeing such sparks like we did at this time one year ago.

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Weekly RevPAR Summary

_		YoY % change in RevPAR											
			Upper		Upper		-	Inde-	New	-		.	
	U.S.	Luxury	<u>.</u>	•	Midscale				York	Boston	LA	Chicago	DC
9/28/2019	-0.8%	0.6%	-2.7%	-2.5%		-0.6%			1.7%	-12.0%	-2.6%	0.2%	0.9%
10/5/2019	-7.5%	-12.9%	-11.3%	-7.9%	-5.2%	-5.1%			-18.3%		-5.7%	-23.1%	-12.5%
0/12/2019	-2.6%	-7.3%	-5.7%	-2.9%	-0.6%	-1.0%	-0.5%	-1.5%	-11.9%	-16.5%	-8.8%	-4.7%	-5.0%
10/19/2019	-0.7%	4.8%	-2.4%	-3.1%	-2.7%	-3.5%	-2.4%	2.5%	1.8%	-14.1%	-2.6%	-5.3%	18.5%
0/26/2019	0.0%	2.0%	-0.5%	-1.4%	-0.5%	-2.1%	-2.6%	1.5%	-5.2%	-5.7%	4.4%	-0.1%	10.9%
11/2/2019	0.3%	6.0%	3.4%	1.2%	0.2%	-3.3%	-1.9%	-3.2%	-3.4%	-7.7%	6.1%	3.4%	6.9%
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1Q16	2.7%	1.6%	1.9%	2.2%	2.0%	0.0%	1.8%	4.0%	-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%	3.0%	5.1%	-2.5%	-0.5%	9.3%	1.2%	5.5%
4Q16	3.2%	1.9%	0.6%	1.2%	2.2%	3.9%	4.4%	5.1%	0.9%	-1.6%	6.9%	3.3%	8.0%
1Q17	3.4%	2.1%	3.0%	1.0%	2.4%	3.5%	2.6%	5.2%	-1.3%	-1.1%	-2.5%	1.5%	16.1%
2Q17	2.7%	2.3%	0.6%	0.6%	1.2%	2.4%	3.7%	5.1%	0.2%	4.4%	3.6%	0.8%	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%
4Q17	4.2%	4.5%	3.2%	3.8%	3.9%	3.7%			0.8%	3.7%	4.2%	-2.5%	2.2%
1Q18	3.5%	6.6%	0.9%	2.2%	3.0%	3.8%	5.3%	3.8%	7.1%	2.6%	2.7%	5.8%	-11.0%
2Q18	4.0%	4.9%	3.4%	2.8%	3.0%	4.1%	3.1%		4.2%	-1.2%	0.6%	4.0%	3.1%
3Q18	1.7%	3.3%	1.9%	0.8%	-0.5%	0.1%	1.8%	2.2%	0.7%	2.8%	1.3%	7.5%	-3.4%
4Q18	2.4%	3.0%	1.1%	0.0%	0.5%	1.3%			3.5%		3.0%	2.8%	-3.4%
1Q19	1.5%	-0.7%	1.2%	-0.5%	0.4%	-0.1%			-7.1%		-1.7%	-4.5%	-2.4%
2Q19	1.1%	1.1%	0.5%	-0.4%	0.0%	-0.7%			-1.8%		1.6%	-0.1%	-1.5%
3Q19	0.7%	1.3%	1.1%	-0.5%	-0.1%	-1.0%	-0.9%	1.6%	-2.2%	-0.4%	-0.2%	-2.2%	4.5%
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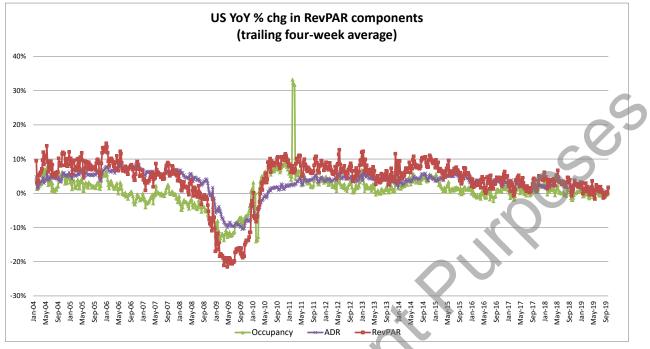
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	U.S.	Luxury	Upscale	Upscale	Midscale	Midscale	Economy	pendent	York	Boston	LA	Chicago	DC
9/28/2019	-0.5%	-0.2%	-1.3%	-1.4%	-0.4%	-0.5%	-0.9%	0.8%	1.3%	-5.2%	-2.6%	-0.6%	1.9%
10/5/2019	-3.8%	-5.0%	-5.2%	-3.6%	-2.1%	-1.7%	-2.2%	-2.8%	-12.5%	-9.8%	-2.9%	-14.8%	-3.8%
10/12/2019	-1.2%	-3.2%	-3.0%	-1.5%	0.3%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	-8.6%	-8.6%	-5.5%	-3.2%	-4.6%
10/19/2019	0.2%	3.4%	-1.0%	-1.4%	-0.8%	-0.8%	-1.5%	1.9%	-0.5%	-7.3%	-2.5%	-6.0%	16.6%
10/26/2019	0.2%	1.8%	-0.5%	-1.0%	-0.2%	-0.6%	-1.7%	1.4%	-4.0%	-2.3%	3.1%	-1.9%	9.0%
11/2/2019	0.6%	4.7%	2.0%	0.7%	0.3%	-0.8%	-1.1%	-2.0%	-2.5%	-2.2%	4.1%	-0.3%	4.4%
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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%	1.4%	2.2%	2.0%	2.2%	3.2%	3.8%	-1.2%	1.3%	5.8%	3.9%	4.1%
1Q17	2.5%	2.3%		1.3%	1.6%	1.8%			-2.2%	0.0%	-0.2%	1.7%	13.6%
2Q17	2.2%	2.2%	1.2%	1.7%	1.5%	2.1%	2.3%	3.5%	-1.5%	4.1%	2.8%	1.5%	2.0%
3Q17	1.4%	1.4%		0.8%	1.2%	1.9%		2.2%	-2.0%	0.8%	1.8%	-2.4%	0.0%
4Q17	2.4%	2.2%	1.9%	1.8%	1.8%	2.5%	3.4%		-0.2%	0.8%	4.6%	-2.0%	2.4%
1Q18	2.5%	4.5%	1.0%	1.7%	2.0%	3.0%	4.0%	3.1%	3.5%	-1.0%	4.0%	1.4%	-9.4%
2Q18	2.9%	3.5%	2.9%	2.4%	2.1%	2.6%	2.7%	3.1%	3.7%	-0.1%	2.1%	3.3%	2.4%
3Q18	2.1%	3.3%	2.4%	1.8%	1.2%	1.3%	1.2%	1.9%	1.2%	1.9%	1.1%	6.7%	-0.8%
4Q18	2.0%	3.7%	2.2%	1.6%	1.1%	0.9%	0.6%	2.9%	3.4%	5.6%	1.4%	2.2%	-2.1%
1Q19	1.1%	2.2%	2.5%	1.0%	0.8%	-0.2%	-0.3%	1.0%	-3.8%	0.7%	-1.0%	-2.4%	1.5%
2Q19	1.2%	2.5%	1.4%	0.6%	0.7%	-0.2%	0.6%	1.7%	-1.0%	3.2%	0.8%	-1.7%	0.2%
3Q19	0.8%	1.5%	1.3%	0.2%	-0.1%	-0.5%	-0.5%	1.6%	-1.9%	0.9%	-0.2%	-2.8%	4.0%
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10/5/2019	-3.9%	-8.4%	-6.4%	-4.5%	-3.1%	-3.4%	-2.7%	-3.4%	-6.7%	-13.9%	-2.8%	-9.7%	-9.1%
10/12/2019	-1.4%	-4.3%	-2.7%	-1.5%	-0.9%	-1.7%	-0.5%	-1.4%	-3.7%	-8.7%	-3.4%	-1.5%	-0.4%
10/19/2019	-0.9%	1.3%	-1.4%	-1.7%	-2.0%	-2.7%	-0.9%	0.7%	2.4%	-7.4%	-0.1%	0.8%	1.6%
10/26/2019	-0.2%	0.2%	0.0%	-0.4%	-0.3%	-1.5%	-1.0%	0.1%	-1.2%	-3.4%	1.2%	1.8%	1.8%
11/2/2019	-0.3%	1.3%	1.3%	0.5%	0.0%	-2.5%	-0.8%	-1.2%	-0.9%	-5.6%	2.0%	3.7%	2.4%
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2Q16	0.6%	-0.7%	0.7%	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%	-0.4%	1.2%	-1.4%	-1.7%	1.5%	-1.4%	1.3%
3Q16	0.0%	0.0%	-0.1%	-0.6%	-0.6%	-0.6%	-0.6%	0.7%	0.3%	-2.8%	1.7%	-0.7%	1.9%
 4Q16	0.6%	-0.2%	-0.8%	-1.0%	0.2%	1.7%	1.2%	1.2%	2.2%	-2.8%	1.0%	-0.5%	3.7%
1Q17	0.9%	-0.2%	0.6%	-0.3%	0.7%	1.6%	0.2%	1.6%	1.0%	-1.1%	-2.4%	-0.2%	2.2%
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3Q17	0.5%	-0.9%	-0.9%	-0.1%	0.6%	1.6%		0.9%	1.1%		-2.9%	-2.7%	-0.5%
 4Q17	1.8%	2.2%	1.3%	2.0%	2.1%	1.2%	0.3%	2.0%	1.0%	2.8%	-0.3%	-0.5%	-0.2%
1Q18	0.9%	2.1%	0.0%	0.5%	1.1%	0.9%	1.3%	0.7%	3.5%	3.7%	-1.3%	4.4%	-1.8%
2Q18	1.1%	1.3%	0.5%	0.4%	0.9%	1.5%		1.5%	0.5%		-1.4%	0.7%	0.7%
3Q18	-0.4%	0.0%		-1.0%	-1.7%	-1.1%		0.3%	-0.5%		0.2%	0.7%	-2.6%
 4Q18	0.4%	-0.7%	-1.1%	-1.6%	-0.6%	0.4%		1.9%	0.1%		1.6%	0.6%	-1.3%
1Q19	0.4%	-2.8%	-1.3%	-1.4%	-0.5%	0.0%		2.1%	-3.5%		-0.7%	-2.2%	-3.8%
2Q19	-0.1%	-1.4%	-0.9%	-1.0%	-0.7%	-0.6%		0.7%	-0.7%		0.8%	1.7%	-1.7%
3Q19	-0.1%	-0.2%	-0.2%	-0.7%	0.0%	-0.5%	-0.4%	0.0%	-0.3%	-1.4%	0.1%	0.6%	0.4%

Source: STR data, STRH research

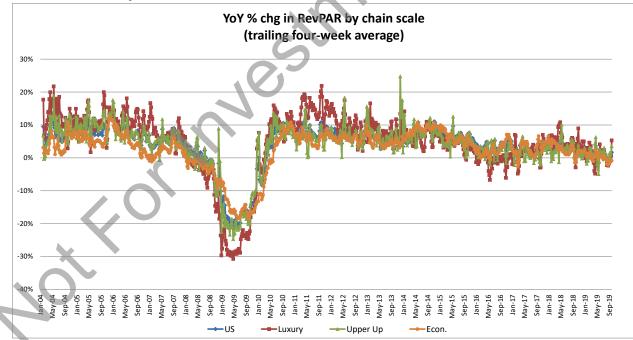


RevPAR Component Trends



Source: STR data, STRH research

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 11/5/19	Rating	PT*	% upside down- side	Valuation EBITDA (\$M)* **	As Reported EBITDA (\$M)*	Target EV/EBITDA Multiple	Risks
Choice Hotels	CHH	\$89.89	Hold	\$87	-3%	\$393	\$393	14.0X	Upside risk: conservative guidance. Downside risk: slowdown in development opportunities.
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									Upside risk: specific markets (esp. NYC) perform better than expected
DiamondRock Hospitality	DRH	\$10.43	Hold	\$9	-14%	\$250	\$251	11.5X	Downside risk: company unable to locate properties to buy.
									Upside risk: the company increases dividends by more than expected; NYC outperforms or is sold down at attractive multiples.
									Downside risk: Group underperforms. NYC hotels underperform and
Host Hotels & Resorts	HST	\$17.41	Hold	\$19	9%	\$1,431	\$1,431	12.0X	asset sales do not happen.
									Upside risk: Transient and group trends outperform expectations
Hyatt Hotels	Н	\$78.02	Hold	\$79	1%	\$729	\$763	13.2X	Downside risk: ongoing misexecution and volatility.
									Upside risk: Accelerating tour flow, FCF generation and declining
Bluegreen Vacations Corporation	BXG	\$10.01	Hold	\$11	11%	\$106	\$106	7.8X	consumer defaults. Downside risk: 3rd party induced defaults worsen. Middle market customers underperform.
subgreen vacations corporation	BAG	\$10.01	HUIU	φΠ	1170	\$106	\$100	1.0A	Downside risk: Disruption in a major market (HGV more concentrated
									than peers), issues with Japanese customer (HGV more exposed than
Hilton Grand Vacations	HGV	\$35.88	Buy	\$42	18%	\$412	\$439	11.0X	peers), difficulty sourcing additional fee-for-service inventory deals
									Upside risk: Macro lodging trends improve beyond expectations.
Hilton	HLT	\$100.15	Hold	\$99	-1%	\$2,378	\$2,481	14.8X	Downside risk: slowing pipeline. 2020 is a recession year in the U.S.
									Upside Risk: Significant U.S macroeconomic improvement results in
									large recovery in transient corporate demand (and consequential >400 bps RevPAR improvement). Owned assets sell for
									premium prices relative to MAR expectations.
									Downside Risk: 2020 is a recession year in the US. Geopolitical and
Marriott International	MAR	\$133.69	Hold	\$128	-4%	\$3,446	\$3,760	14.9X	policy risks negatively impact lodging demand.
			_						Downside risk; M&A story fades and multiples revert to historical levels
Marriott Vacations	VAC	\$115.80	Buy	\$155	34%	\$831	\$865	11.1X	Downside risk: Significant supply growth, macroeconomic
Park Hotels & Resorts	PK	\$24.20	Buy	\$28	16%	\$883	\$898	12.0X	challenges/shocks, higher than expected labor costs.
		φ£ 1.20	50)	ψLU	1070	φοσσ	\$000	12.07	Upside Risks: Material near-term incremental EBITDA from Legacy LHC
									assets. Downside Risks: Planned asset sales do not materialize as
									expected and/or at lower-than-expected pricing. Incremental EBITDA
		· ·							from major CapEx investments take longer than anticipated, resulting in
Pebblebrook Hotel Trust***	PEB	\$27.47	Hold	\$26	-5%	\$462	\$462	14.0X	multiple contraction. Downside risk: demand shock, hurricanes, inability to complete 2021
Playa Hotels & Resorts	PLYA	\$8.48	Buy	\$11	30%	\$187	\$195	11.5X	growth initiatives, country-specific risks (emerging market portfolio)
	. 2.77	φ0.10	Buy	ψΠ	0070	¢101	\$100	11.0/1	Upside risk: RevPAR reaccelerates due to macroeconomic
RLJ Lodging Trust***	RLJ	\$17.54	Sell	\$14	-20%	\$382	\$395	11.0X	improvements, leading to estimate revisions and multiple expansion.
									Upside risk:recovering group demand better than expected, better marging
									recovery.
Ryman Hospitality Properties	RHP	\$89.15	Hold	\$78	-13%	\$511	\$505	12.2X	Downside risk: booking issues stickier than expected. Upside risk: Recovery of corporate demand in SHO's markets. Above
									average group bookings in Orlando and Boston Park Plaza post-meetin
								•	space expansions.
									Downside risk: Weaker than expected demand trends following capital
Sunstone Hotel Investors	SHO	\$14.34	Hold	\$14	-2%	\$304	\$304	11.5X	investment projects.
/sil Basata Jaa	MTN	¢006 74	Bung	¢000	100/	\$706	\$706	15 OX	Downside risk: Economic conditions, competition for vacation and ski
/ail Resorts, Inc.	MTN	\$236.74	Buy	\$280	18%	\$796	\$796	15.0X	dollars, stagnant skier visitation, an aging customer, and climate change
							1		Downside risk: The timeshare business is especially vulnerable to
Wyndham Destinations	WYND	\$49.23	Buy	\$76	54%	\$1,027	\$1,046	9.2X	economic softness. There are potential execution risks post the spin of
									Downside risk: Slowdown in development opportunities. La Quinta
Wyndham Hotels & Resorts	WH	\$55.14	Buy	\$68	23%	\$635	\$657	13.0X	synergies below expectations.

* All of our Lodging price targets are derived by applying a target EV/EBTDA multiple to our estimate for 2020 EBITD, ** Valuation EBITDA excludes select items for specific companies including stock-based compensation. *** Covered by Gregory J. Miller

Source: FactSet, STRH research

Companies Mentioned in This Note

Bluegreen Vacations Corporation (BXG, \$10.01, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Choice Hotels International, Inc. (CHH, \$89.89, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) DiamondRock Hospitality Company (DRH, \$10.43, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Hyatt Hotels Corporation (H, \$78.02, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Hilton Grand Vacations Inc. (HGV, \$35.88, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes) Hilton Worldwide Holdings Inc. (HLT, \$100.15, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (HST, \$17.41, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Marriott International, Inc. (MAR, \$133.69, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Vail Resorts, Inc. (MTN, \$236.74, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes) Pebblebrook Hotel Trust (PEB, \$27.47, Hold, Gregory Miller) Park Hotels & Resorts Inc. (PK, \$24.20, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes) Playa Hotels & Resorts N.V. (PLYA, \$8.48, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes) Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc. (RHP, \$89.15, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) **RLJ Lodging Trust** (RLJ, \$17.54, Sell, Gregory Miller) Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc. (SHO, \$14.34, Hold, C. Patrick Scholes) Marriott Vacations Worldwide Corporation (VAC, \$115.80, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes Wyndham Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (WH, \$55.14, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes) Wyndham Destinations, Inc. (WYND, \$49.23, Buy, C. Patrick Scholes)

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