MARKETBEAT MONTERREY

Industrial Q4 2019



7,371,264 Net Absorption, SF









Overall, Net Asking Rent

ECONOMIC INDICATORS Q4 2019

2.5M Monterrey **Employment**



YoY Chg



12-Mo.

Forecast



Monterrev **Unemployment Rate**

3.6% Mexico



Source: INEGI

ECONOMY: Foreign Investment Keeps Flowing In

The product of an intense lobbying activity by Monterrey's government, Chinese companies announced new investment projects that will exceed 160 million dollars and will create more than 1.850 new jobs.

"These announcements represent the consolidation of the promotional efforts that we have been making in the investment agency with these companies for several months, with some even for more than a year," said local authorities¹.

Currently, Chinese companies represent 22% of the portfolio of projects under negotiation in the statistics of the Ministry of Economy and Labor. A growing number of Asian companies are opening operations at Monterrey, among which Lenovo, Hofusan, Bromake, Mexin, Didi, Broad-Ocean, are escalating their profile.

DEMAND: Leasing Increases After Weak Start in 2019

After a beginning of the year full of uncertainty about the landing of new firms at Monterrey, the industrial real estate activity finally took off by midvear, having a healthy performance and ending the year at a moderately expanding ratio.

There was good leasing activity across the different industrial submarkets in Monterrey. Even some large-scale industrial buildings that had remained available for years finally got leased in the larger submarkets such as Apodaca and Santa Catarina. In the second half of the year, increased absorption reduced the vacancy rate to 9.0%.

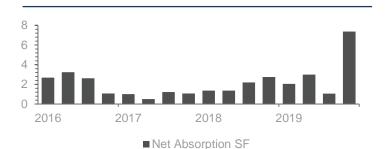
PRICING: Asking Rents Remain Stagnant

Throughout the year, the asking prices for the different submarkets have remained almost static. Only markets with little inventory or very homogeneous supply have shown a different evolution.

From 2012 to 2016, there was an increase in asking prices, which in 2018 and 2019 seems to have stopped, according to the quotes of the available spaces.

1. Staff. (2019). Confirman tres empresas chinas inversiones en el estado por 160 MDD. Martes 10 de Diciembre, de Secretaria de Economía Sitio web: http://www.nl.gob.mx/noticias/confirman-tres-empresas-chinas-inversiones-en-el-estado-por-160-mdd

SPACE DEMAND / DELIVERIES

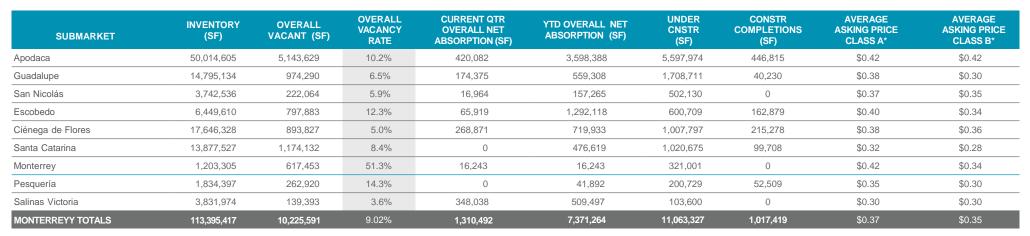


OVERALL VACANCY & ASKING RENT



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^{*}Rental rates reflect weighted net asking \$psf/month

KEY LEASE TRANSACTIONS Q4 2019

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	TENANT	SF	TYPE
MTY 026	Escobedo	DHL	218,577	Lease
ATP B015	Ciénega de Flores	Lenovo	180,015	Lease
Mic 7,8,12	Apodaca	Celestica	390,000	Lease
Milenium I Building 1	Apodaca	Jabil	306,059	Lease
Building 3	Escobedo	Walmart	265,220	Lease

^{*}Renewals not included in leasing statistics

KEY SALES TRANSACTIONS Q4 2019

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	TENANT	SF	TYPE
Rocktenn	Guadalupe	N/A	174,375	Sale
Rómulo Díaz no. 1878	Monterrey	Simsa	16,243	Sale

^{*}Renewals not included in leasing statistics

KEY CONSTRUCTION COMPLETIONS Q4 2019

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	SELLER / BUYER	SF
MT 6	Apodaca	Savy Capital	122,089
PDN 2	Escobedo	Puerta del Norte	103,011
Spec VI	Apodaca	Vynmsa	52,216

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