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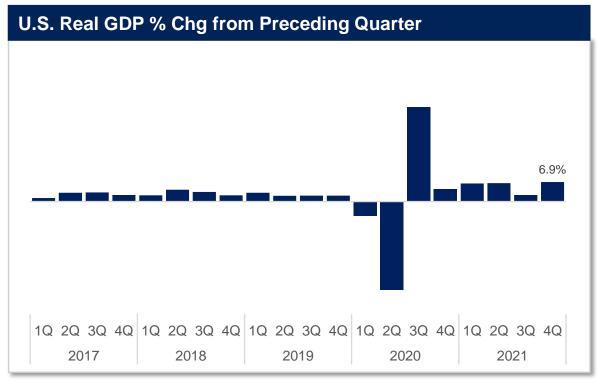
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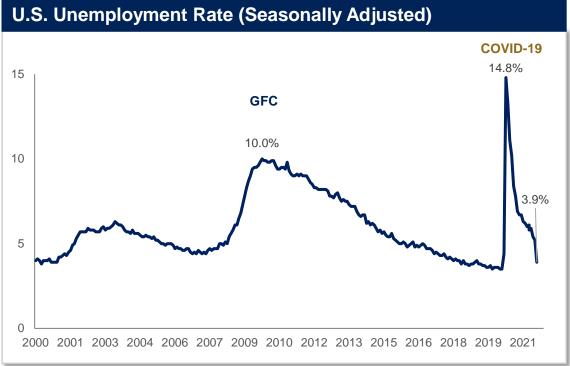


U.S. Economic recovery continued in 2021



Near-term economic indicators continue to be robust



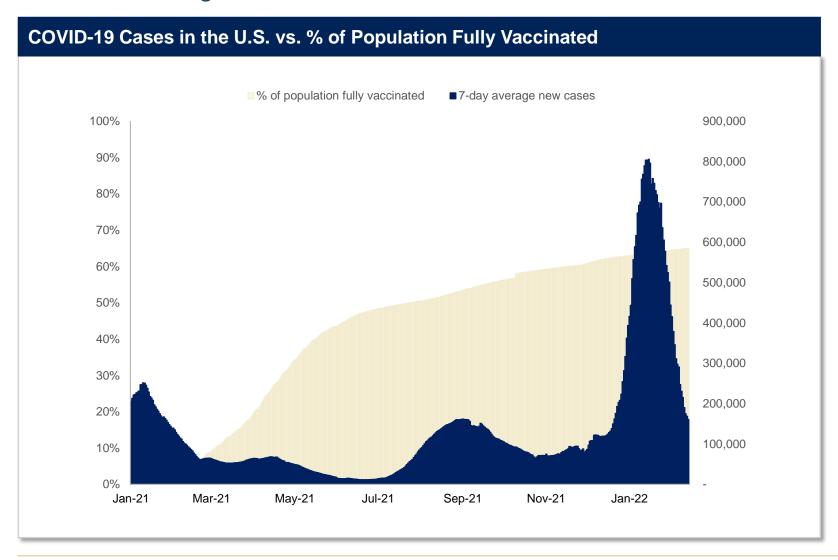


- Real gross domestic product (GDP) increased 6.9% in 4Q 2021, after increasing 2.3% in 3Q 2021
- U.S. CPI rose 7.0% for 2021, the largest 12-month increase since the period ending June 1982
- Unemployment rate improved to 3.9% in Dec 2021, closer to pre-COVID-19 levels
- Federal fund rates continue to anchor near 0% in the near term, with the first rate hike anticipated in March 2022

COVID-19 Cases Surged in Jan 2022 driven by Omicron variant



U.S. economic growth accelerated late 2021 but lost momentum at the end due to Omicron wave



- 7-day moving average peaked at ~800k cases mid-Jan, down 80% to ~160k cases by mid Feb
- Omicron variant was more contagious than the Delta variant, but is fading quickly as it is milder

U.S. vaccination statistics

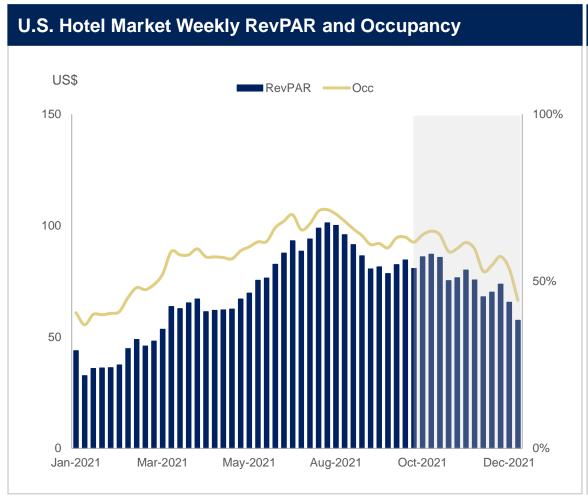
Vaccination status	Count (mil)	% of Population
One Dose	251	76%
Fully vaccinated	213	64%
Fully vaccinated with booster dose	90	42%

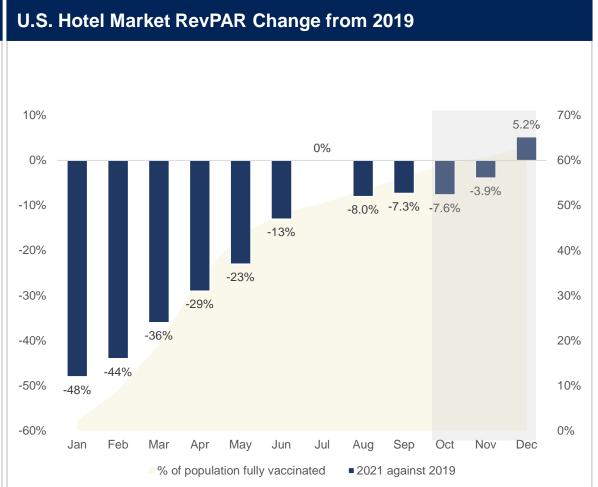
Source: CDC

U.S. Hotel Market Recovery Supported by Strong Leisure Demand



Vaccination availability and uptake improved confidence in travel





Source: STR





FY2021 Key Highlights



Recovery on Track





Gross Revenue

US\$ 130.7 mil

(FY2020: US\$78.1 mil)



RevPAR

US\$64

(FY2020: US\$42)



Net Property Income

US\$24.9 mil

(FY2020: US\$5.0 mil loss)



Distributable Income

US\$ 2.0 mil¹

(FY2020: NIL)

Portfolio Valuation

US\$722.6 mil

(FY2020: US\$686.9 mil)

Aggregate leverage ratio

44.3%

(FY2020: 48.2%)

New Loan Facility

US\$95 mil

Refinancing existing loans to extend maturity to 2.6 years

Portfolio Optimization

Selective potential divestment of non-core assets

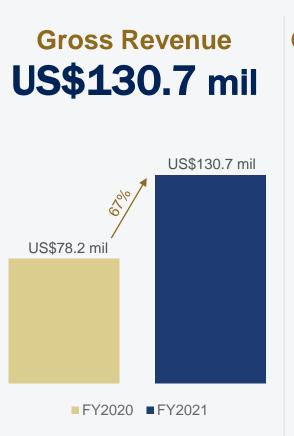
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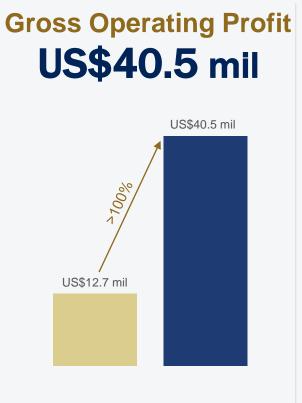
FY2021 Key Performance Indicators

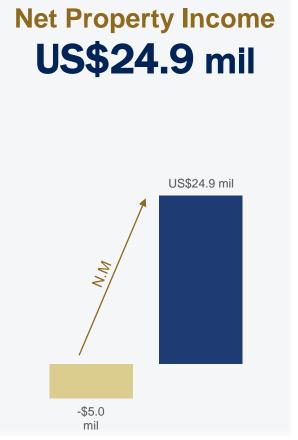


Improvement across all performance indicators







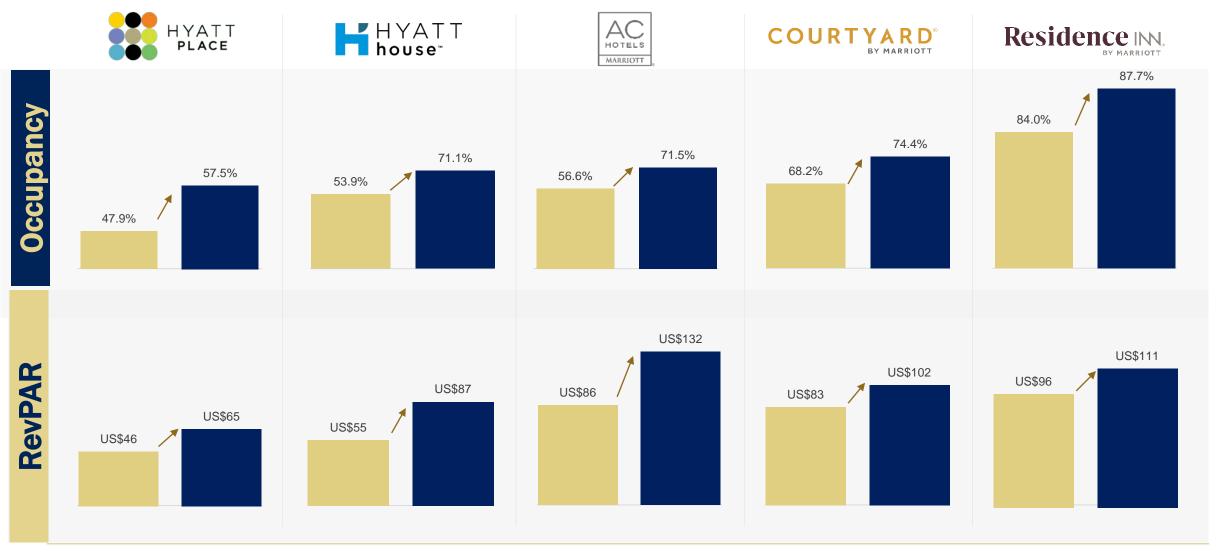


■FY2020 ■FY2021

Portfolio Performance by Brands



Sustained recovery in occupancy and RevPAR across the portfolio



2H 2021 Key Performance Indicators



Continuous Improvement in Portfolio Performance

	1H 2021	2H 2021	Change	
Portfolio Indicators				
Occupancy	51.2%	62.9%	11.7 pp	
RevPAR	US\$52	US\$75	44.2%	
RevPAR Index (RPI)	106.1%	104.6%	-1.5 pp	
Financial Indicators				
Gross Revenue	US\$52.8 mil	US\$77.8 mil	47.3%	
Gross Operating Profit (GOP)	US\$14.1 mil	US\$26.3 mil	86.5%	
GOP Margin	26.7%	33.8%	7.1 pp	
Net Property Income (NPI)	US\$9.1 mil	US\$15.8 mil	73.6%	
NPI Margin	17.3%	20.3%	3.0 pp	
Distributable Income	-	US\$2.0 mil¹	N.M.	
Distribution per Stapled Security (US cents)	-	0.355	N.M.	

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Distribution Schedule



- Distribution of 0.355 US cents per Stapled Security to be paid on 30 March 2022
- Stapled Securityholders **NOT** required to submit W-8Ben or W-9 Forms
- Distributions are semi-annual

Distribution Schedule	
Ex-Distribution Date	2 March 2022 at 9.00 a.m.
Books Closure Date	3 March 2022 at 5.00 p.m
Payment Date	30 March 2022

Valuation uplifted with recovery underway



Increase in portfolio valuation as underlying fundamentals improve

2020 Valuation

As at 31 Dec 2020

US\$ 686.9 mil

2021 Valuation

As at 31 Dec 2021

US\$722.6 mil

5.2%

- 5.2% increase in total portfolio value as at 31 Dec 2021 compared to 31 Dec 2020
- Valuation uplift in line with market and recovery trajectory
- U.S. hotel transaction volume in 2021 up 395% yoy, exceed pre-pandemic levels by 43%¹

Sound Financial and Liquidity Position

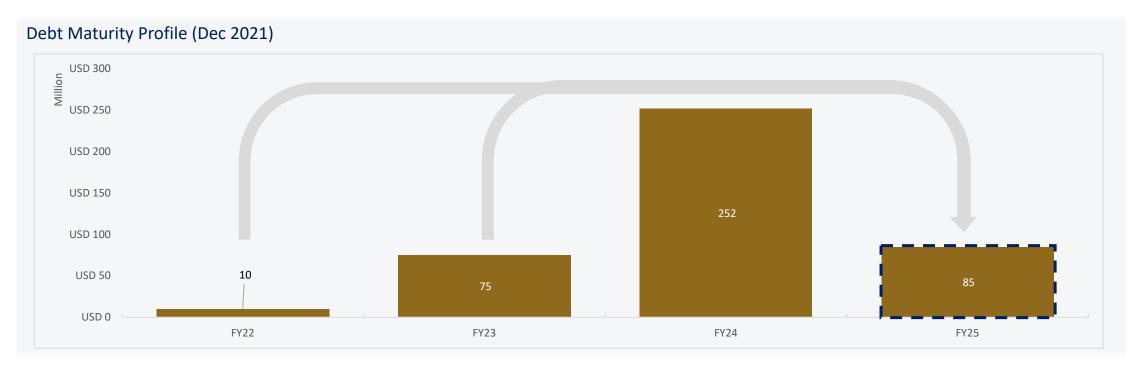


	As at 30 Sep 2021	As at 31 Dec 2021
NAV per Stapled Security	US\$0.61	US\$0.70
Cash Balance	US\$28.5 mil	US\$19.2 mil
Total Debt Outstanding	US\$350.3 mil	US\$338.1 mil
Aggregate Leverage Ratio	48.4%	44.3%
Interest Cover Ratio	2.0x	2.0x
Weighted Average Debt Maturity	2.2 years	2.0 years
Average Cost of Debt (p.a.)	3.4%	3.4%
% of Fixed Debt	76.6%	79.1%

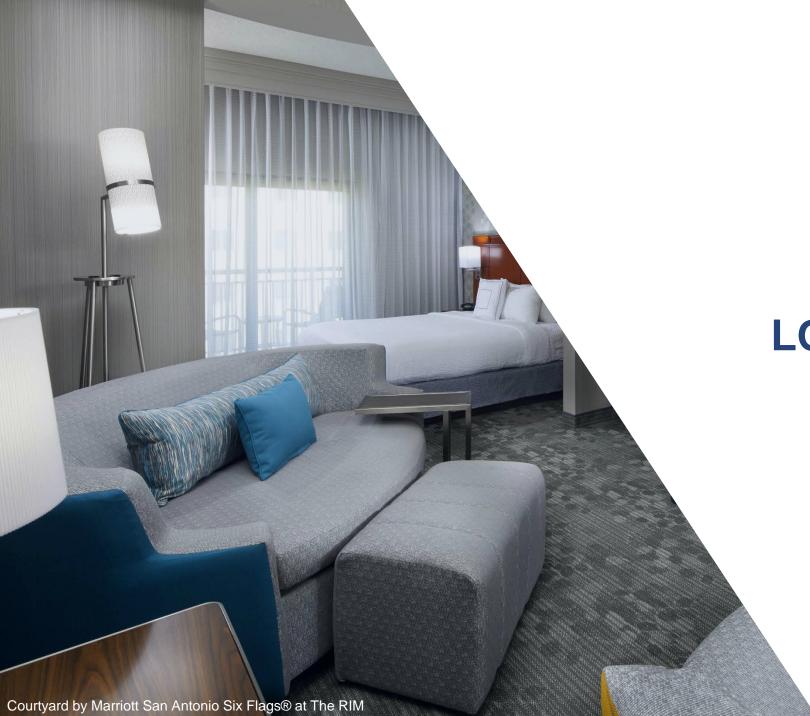
Proactive Capital Management



SG lender banks continue to be supportive



- Proactively started early refinancing for short-term loans
 - > New US\$95 mil 3-year unsecured facility in place to refinance existing loans maturing in FY2022 & FY2023
- Extended overall debt maturity profile from 2.0 years to 2.6 years
- US\$19 mil committed undrawn facilities¹ available





LOOKING AHEAD

Going Forward



Fundamentals bode well for 2022 and beyond

- High % of population vaccinated
- Effective vaccines from Pfizer, Moderna and J&J
- Daily COVID-19 cases falling

Successful Vaccine rollout Leisure travel surged

- Domestic leisure transient demand primary driver
- International visitation to U.S. expected to rebound
- Improved traveller confidence

- Record transaction volumes in 2021
- Reflects investors' confidence and optimism in industry
- Greater liquidity in hotel debt markets

Investment activity boomed

Pent-up corporate and group demand

- Leisure group demand early to recover
- Steady increase in corporate travellers
- Omicron wave temporarily delayed return of business travel and group events

Recovery to Pre-pandemic levels continue to advance



Hotel industry fundamentals are poised for continued recovery

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022F	2023F	2024F
Occupancy	66%	66%	44%	58%	64%	66%	67%
ADR	\$130	\$131	\$103	\$125	\$134	\$140	\$145
RevPAR	\$86	\$87	\$45	\$72	\$86	\$92	\$97
RevPAR compared w/ 2019	N.A.	-	-50%	-17%	-1%	+7%	+12%

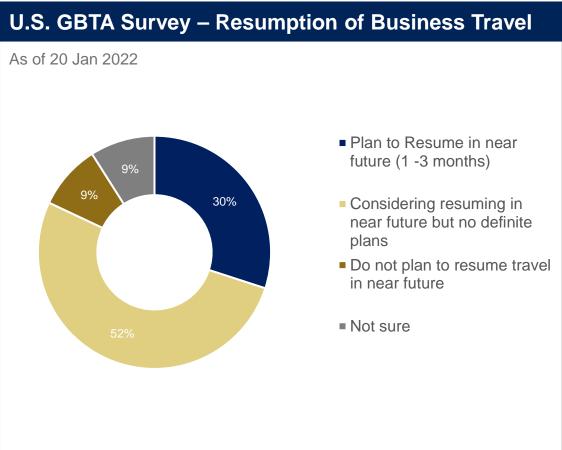
Source: STR

Road to Recovery for Domestic Business Travel



Omicron effect moderated travel confidence and delayed business travel return

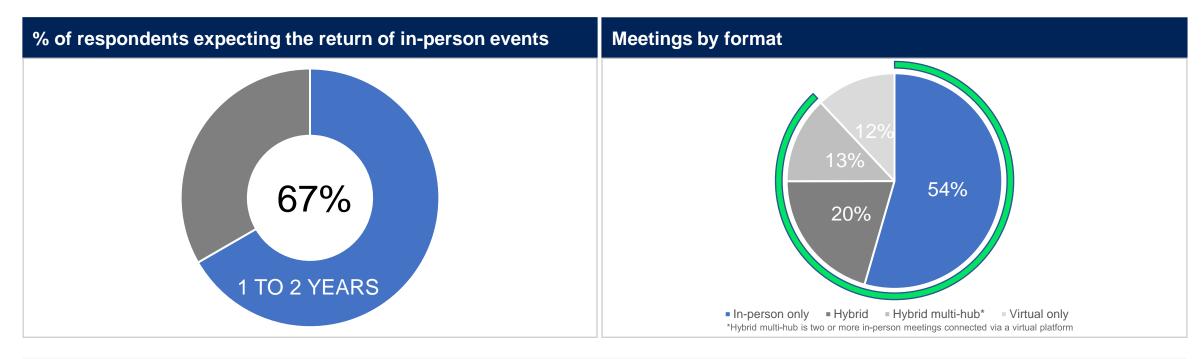




Rebound of Group and Convention Demand on the Horizon



Return of In-Person Gatherings and Events starting in 2022



- Pre-pandemic activity levels in sight
- Two-thirds expect in-person meeting levels to return to pre-pandemic levels
- More than 80% of meetings will have an in-person component

Renewed optimism for the U.S. Lodging Industry



Return of International travel



- U.S. opened its borders to vaccinated international travelers in November 2021
- Relaxation of restrictions, pent-up demand and higher vaccination rates are anticipated to fuel 2022 international visitation

Positive Factors With Challenges Ahead



Hotel industry fundamentals are poised for continued recovery

- + Reopening of U.S. borders to vaccinated international travelers
- + Enhanced travel confidence from vaccine rollout with highly effective vaccines
- + Return of corporate, group and international travel

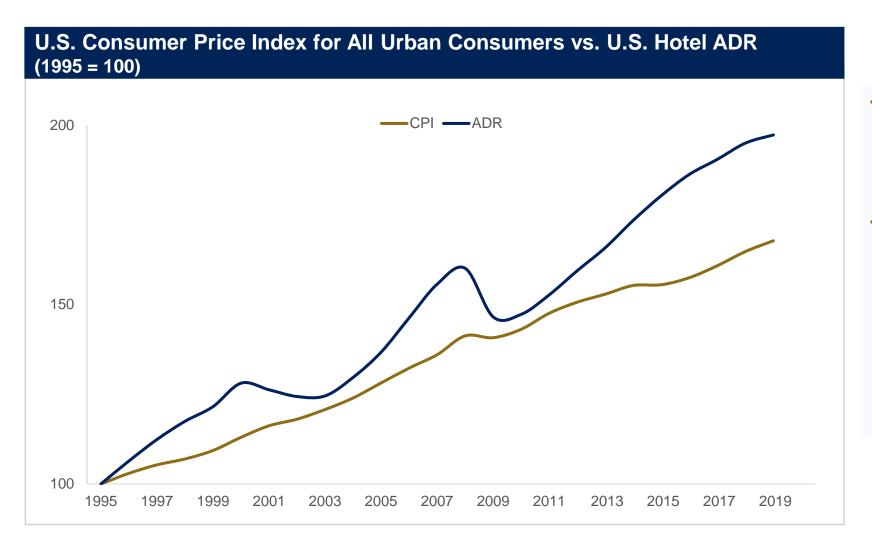


- Labor shortages/turnover
- Wage pressures
- Supply-chain disruptions
- Inflationary pressures

Hotel Industry – A Hedge Against Inflation



Hotels are well-preserved from effects of inflation due to daily rents



- Hotels are inflation-proof due to its ability to quickly re-price hotel rents (ADR)
- U.S. hotel rates have outpaced inflation, mitigating cost increases (e.g., labor and other expenses)

Key Takeaways



- U.S. economy has recovered and is booming
- Travel demand recovering quickly as COVID threat fades
- Hotel industry fundamentals continue to strengthen
- Portfolio posted strong performance in 2021
- Sound financial and liquidity position
- Proactive capital management and hands-on asset management
- Hotels are a hedge against inflation

Thank You

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