# Industrial Market Outlook Q1 2022



# **MARKET OVERVIEW**

The shortage of warehouse distribution space in the Inland Empire's industrial market continued in the first quarter of 2022, as new development increased to keep pace with the economic growth and seemingly unending demand for more industrial space across the region from ecommerce. The soaring demand for warehouse distribution space is keeping developers active in the market, which has resulted in large industrial development projects in the Inland Empire. Industrial space under construction jumped 22.2 percent from the prior quarter, up 39.4 percent compared to last year to 32.2 million square feet. With completed construction totaling close to 5.7 million square feet and net absorption at 5.3 million square feet in the first quarter, the increased supply of industrial development has made an impressive effort to keep pace with demand. Year over year, close to 24.3 million square feet of industrial space was completed while the sum of net absorption over the past five quarters totaled 35.6 million square feet.

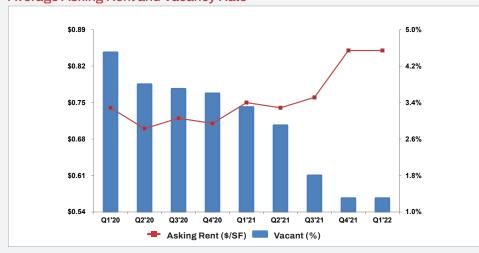
The average asking rent held steady from the prior quarter at \$0.85 triple net, up 13.3 percent from the first quarter of 2021. The vacancy rate remained at a record low of 1.3 percent, steady from the previous quarter and 200 basis points below the first quarter of 2021. The market's strength was extraordinary in the first quarter, with virtually all new warehouse distribution space getting leased and occupied rapidly upon completion.

# TRENDS TO WATCH

As supply chains were disrupted by the COVID-19 shutdown, the demand for ecommerce that followed prompted developers to build mega warehouse distribution facilities to feed distribution networks. A 4.06 million square foot facility is now under construction in the West Inland Empire, reportedly for Amazon. It's the largest such facility under construction in Southern California. Inland Empire's West industrial submarket has become the largest and tightest in the region. Vacant industrial space in the West IE fell 58.4 percent from last year to a historic low of 0.8 percent, as rent shot up 50 percent from last year to \$1.17 per square foot per month – the highest in the region.

As demand for well-located state of the art warehouse distribution space continues, the West Inland Empire will remain a magnet as a distribution hub with the largest, newest, big-box industrial buildings in Southern California.

# Average Asking Rent and Vacancy Rate



# **MARKET OUTLOOK**

# **Asking Rental Rates**



#### Sale Prices



#### Availability/Vacancy Rates



## **Landlord Concessions**



## Sales/Leasing Volume



## **New Construction**



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# Market Statistics\*

SUBMARKET	EXISTING TOTAL RBA (SF)	UNDER CONSTRUCTION (SF)	TOTAL AVAILABLE (%)	TOTAL VACANCY (%)	LEASING VOLUME (SF)	YTD LEASING VOLUME (SF)	SALES VOLUME (SF)	YTD SALES VOLUME (SF)	AVERAGE ASKING RENT \$/SF NNN	AVERAGE SALE PRICE \$/SF
East	255,980,374	15,385,992	4.9%	1.5%	5,317,320	5,317,320	1,299,603	1,299,603	\$0.88	\$257
High Desert	23,812,805	2,098,930	3.5%	3.5%	208,073	208,073	63,731	63,731	\$0.48	\$157
South	22,604,571	385,716	11.8%	5.3%	167,624	167,624	145,727	145,727	\$0.98	\$184
West	336,636,566	14,314,663	4.2%	0.8%	2,430,112	2,430,112	1,185,475	1,185,475	\$1.17	\$270
Inland Empire	639,034,316	32,185,301	4.7%	1.3%	8,123,129	8,123,129	2,694,536	2,694,536	\$0.85	\$256

# Leasing

Increased speculative development in the first quarter, on the heels of solid leasing volume, underscores the need to supply more construction. Well-located, state of the art warehouse distribution buildings remain in strong demand.



# **Select Lease Transactions**

ADDRESS	CITY	SUBMARKET	SIZE SF
20201 Caroline Way	Riverside	East	782,209
12215 Holly St	Riverside	East	750,579
23550 Placentia Ave	Perris	East	682,700
6251 Archibald Ave	Eastvale	West	501,649
15801 Meridian Pky	Riverside	East	526,258

# Sales

Sales volume took a pause in the first quarter of 2022 after growing to an all-time high in the fourth quarter of 2021. First quarter 2022 sales volume totaled more than \$676 million. In the first quarter of 2022, the average cap rate moved up 10 basis points from the fourth quarter of 2021 to 5.0 percent.



# **Select Sales Transactions**

ADDRESS	CITY	SUBMARKET	SIZE SF
14800 Meridian Pky	March Air Reserve Base	East	1,174,800
20820 Krameria Ave (Part of a Portfolio)	Riverside	East	390,480
21362 Harvill Ave	Perris	East	197,865
3601 Galleria At Tyler	Riverside	East	145,258
5401 E Jurupa St	Ontario	West	142,404

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# High Desert

Adelanto

Apple Valley

Barstow

Helendale

Hesperia

Lucerne Valley

Phelan

Silver Lakes

Victorville

# West IE

Chino Hills

Chino

Corona

Eastvale

Fontana

Mira Loma

Montclair

Norco

Ontario

Rancho Cucamonga

Upland

# East IE

Banning

Beaumont

Bloomington

Calimesa

Colton

Conton

**Grand Terrace** 

Highland

Jurupa Valley

Loma Linda

Mentone

Moreno Valley

Perris

Redlands

Rialto

Riverside

Rubidoux

San Bernardino

Yucaipa

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