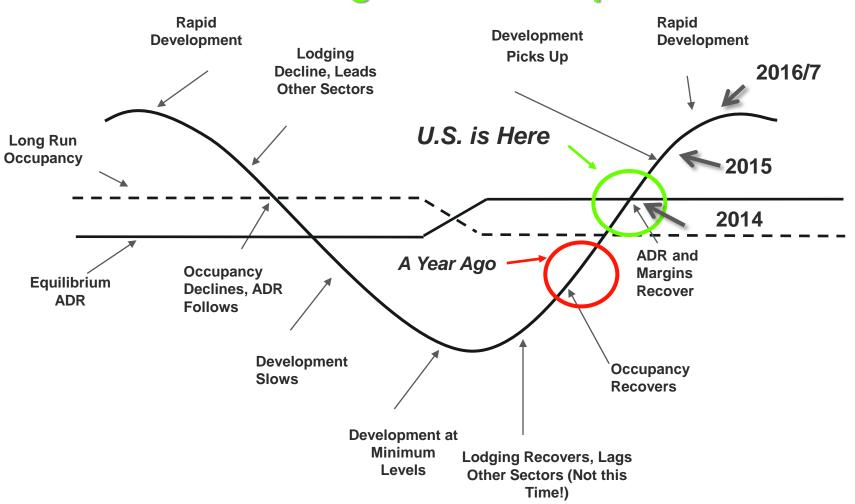


## The Hotel Market Cycle



#### **Entering the Sweet Spot**



#### The Path to the Peak



- The Economy
- Some Facts
- What to Expect
- Where are Cap Rates Headed?



## Hotel Horizons® Forecasting Model



#### •STR, Inc.

- Historical rooms occupied, room available, rooms revenue
- Pipeline of future hotel construction

#### Moody's Analytics

Economic forecasts

## May 2013



# What Did We Say a Year Ago?



## Hotel Horizons® May 2013



#### **United States**

	<u>2013</u>		<u>20</u>	<u>2014</u>		
	March 2013	STR <u>Actual</u>	March <u>2013</u>	Most Recent <u>Update</u>		
Occupancy	61.9%	62.3%	63.2%	63.3%		
ADR	5.3%	3.9%	4.8%	4.9%		
RevPAR	7.3%	5.4%	6.6%	6.6%		

Stronger Demand Weak ADR

Will ADR's Catch Up?

## **Next Topic**



## The Economy

## Leading Economic Indicator Index The Conference Board

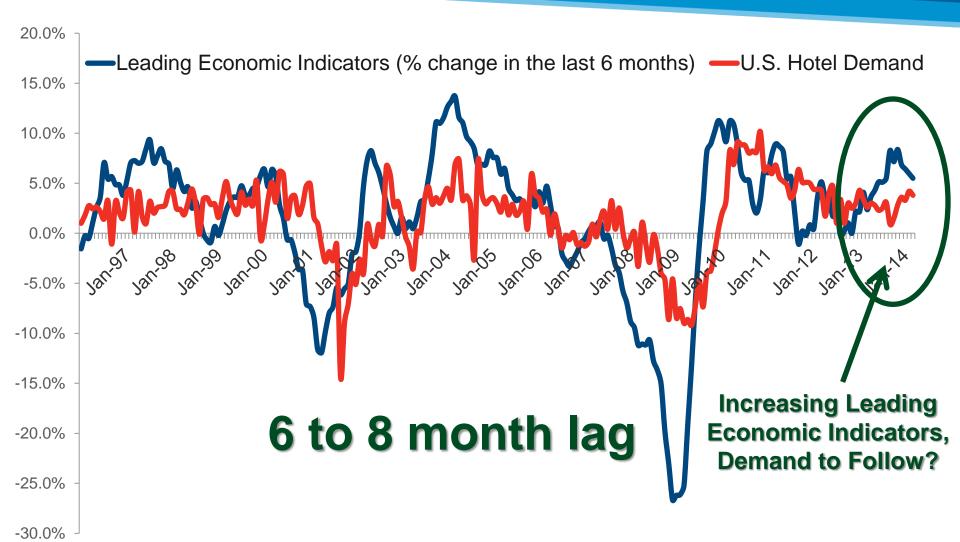


Components of the Conference Board's Leading Economic Indicator Index:

- Average weekly hours, manufacturing
- Average weekly initial claims for unemployment insurance
- •Manufacturers' new orders, consumer goods and materials
- •ISM new orders index
- •Manufacturers' new orders, nondefense capital goods excl. aircraft
- Building permits, new private housing units
- Stock prices, 500 common stocks
- Leading Credit Index™
- Interest rate spread, 10-year Treasury bonds less federal funds
- •Avg. consumer expectations for business conditions

### % change in last 6 months — March 2014





#### Did You Know?

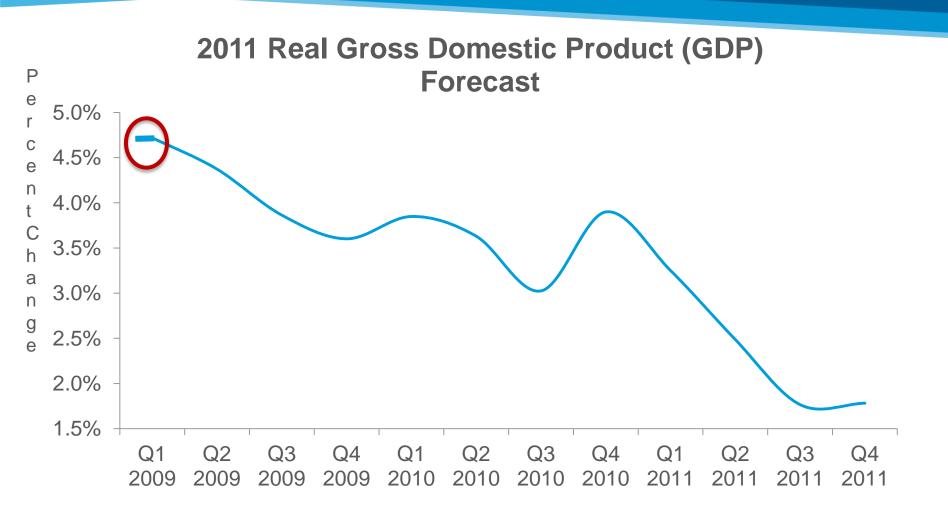


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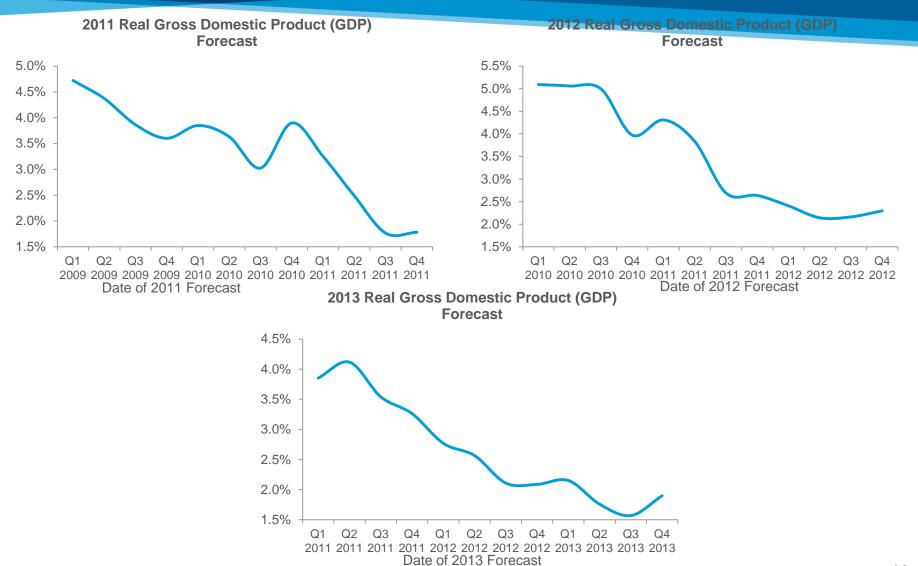


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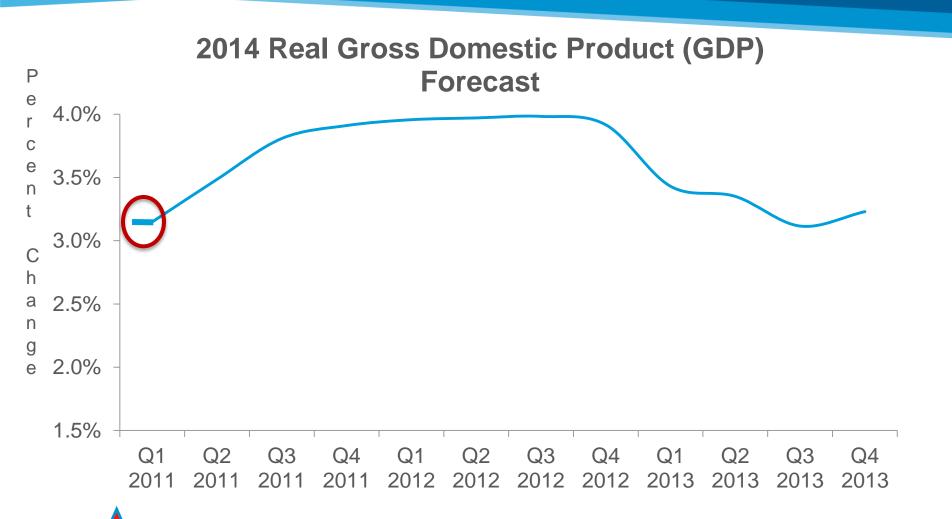




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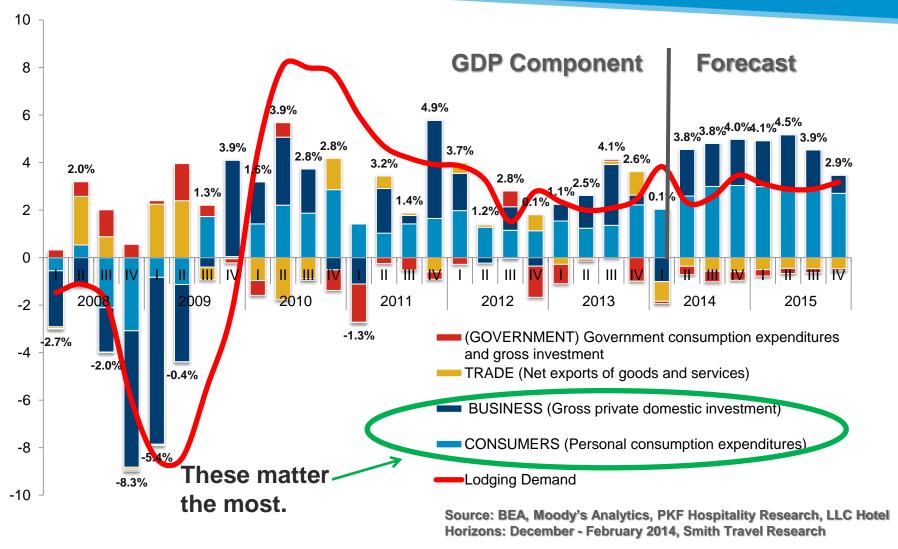


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## The Outlook for the Drivers that are Most Important to Hotels Remains Favorable





## What is Different Today?



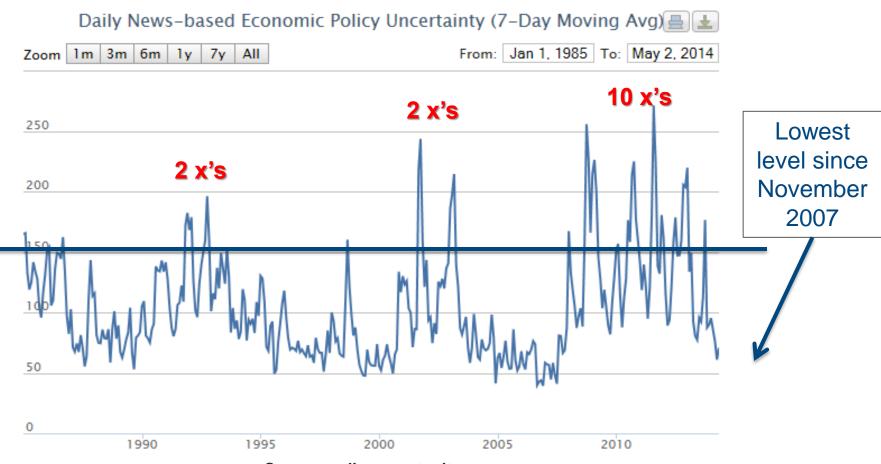
- •Remember the:
  - Fiscal Cliff
  - S+P Downgrade
  - Government Shutdown
  - Greece, Cyprus, Spain, etc.
- •Today:
  - Russia
  - I wonder what Monica Lewinsky is doing?

#### What's Different Now?



#### **Economic Policy Uncertainty Index**

We develop indices of economic policy uncertainty for the world's major economies.



## **Next Topic**



## Some Facts



## Some Happy Facts:



- 1. Demand has fully recovered.
  - Nationally and in 45 of 50 Top Markets.
- 2. 2013 Occupancy level was above the long run average.
  - Occupancy has increased four years in a row 2014 will be a record 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 3. Limited supply growth persists.
  - Below long run average Nationally and in 47 of 50 top markets.
- 4. Urban locations at record occupancy levels.
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  - A run that should last through 2015.

## **Next Topic**



## What to Expect

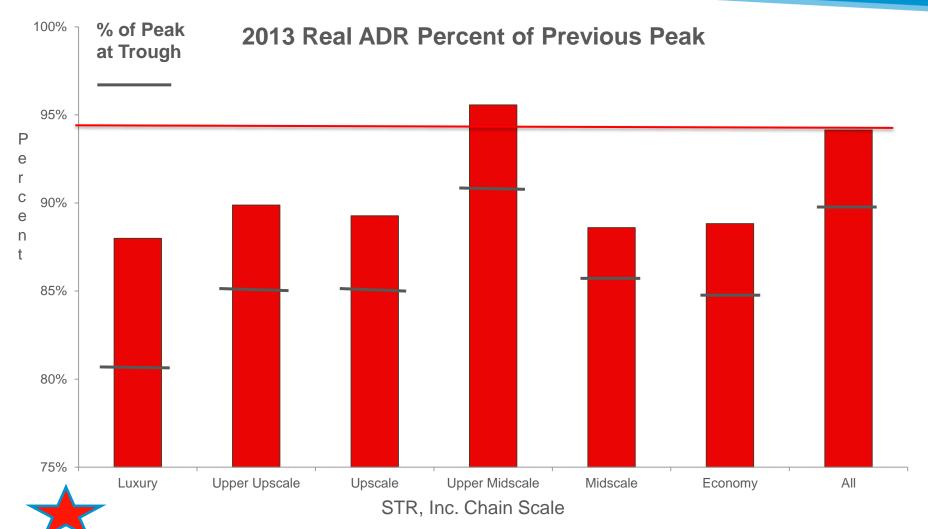
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#### Real ADR Recovery – Still a Way to Go





Source: PKF Hospitality Research, LLC, March-May 2014 Hotel Horizons®, STR, Inc..

## Troubling Signs in the Pipeline?



<u>Phase</u>	<u>Phase</u> <u>2014</u>		% Change
In Construction	102,855	72,509	41.9%
Final Planning	133,090	96,365	38.1%
Planning	145,558	151,876	-4.2%
Active Pipeline	<u>381,503</u>	<u>320,750</u>	18.9%

Total U.S. Pipeline, Number of Rooms by Phase, March 2014 and 2013 Source: STR, Inc.

## Question:

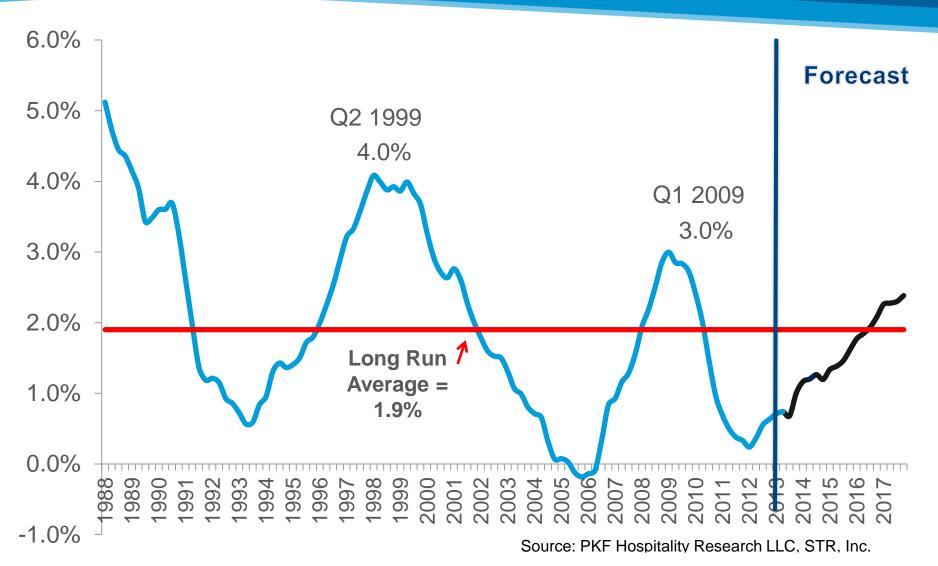


## When Was Overbuilding Last an Issue?



## U.S. Supply Change





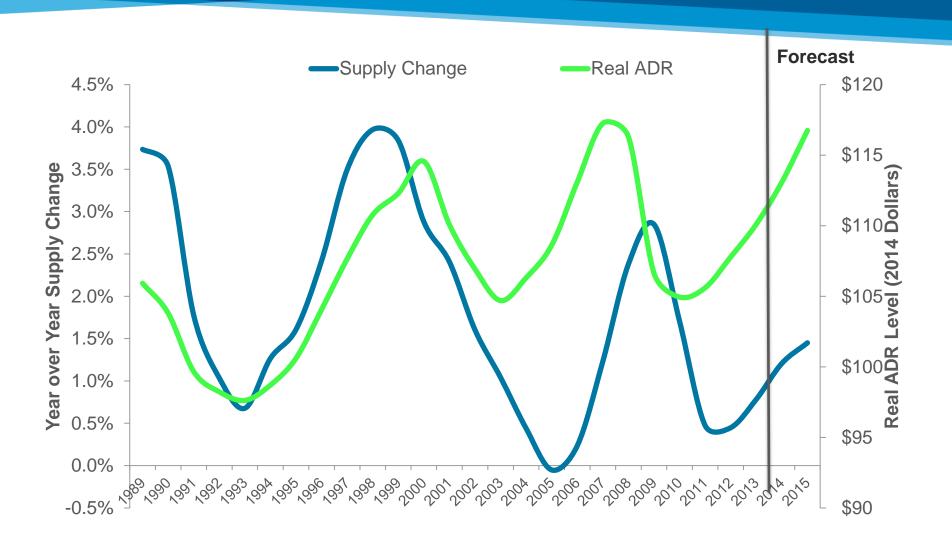
## Today vs. the Previous Peak of Construction Activity – Q1 2008



<u>Phase</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>Q1/2008</u>	<u>%</u> <u>Difference</u> <u>Change</u>
In Construction	102,855	207,468	-50.4%
Final Planning	133,090	113,419	17.3%
Planning	145,558	344,363	57.7%
Active Pipeline	<u>381,503</u>	<u>665,250</u>	42.7%

#### New Construction: Not a Near-Term Threat





## Real ADR Has Recovered in Six Markets



	2013-2015 Supply Growth		
Market	Top 50 Rank		
Austin	# 2		
Nashville	# 3		
Pittsburgh	# 4		
New Orleans	# 13		
San Francisco	# 45		
Oahu	# 47		

New York = #1

#### 2011-2013 Leading and Lagging Markets



#### **Leading Markets**

Historic Annual Average Change

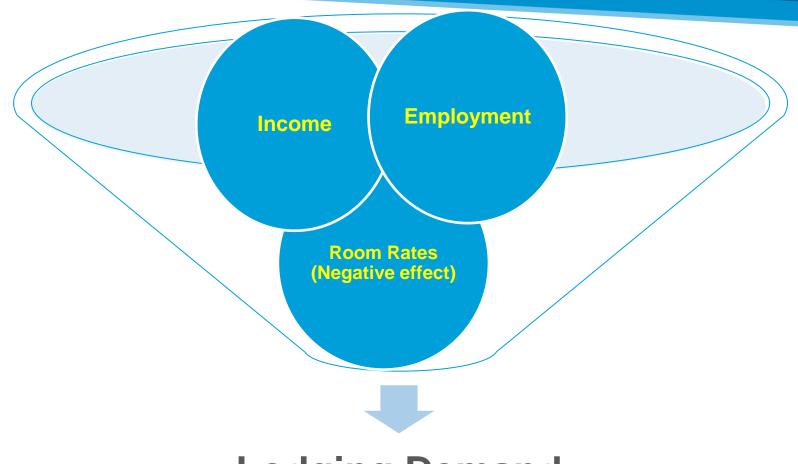
#### **Lagging Markets**

Historic Annual Average Change

City	RevPAR Change	ADR Change	City	RevPAR Change	ADR Change
Oahu	15.4%	13.1%	Wash. DC	-0.4%	0.1%
Oakland	14.3%	9.0%	Albuquerque	0.7%	1.1%
Houston	13.0%	5.7%	Baltimore	1.4%	2.0%
San Francisco	12.4%	10.1%	Tucson	1.5%	0.5%
Nashville	10.9%	5.2%	Philadelphia	2.4%	2.7%

#### **Major Factors in the PKF Demand Equation**



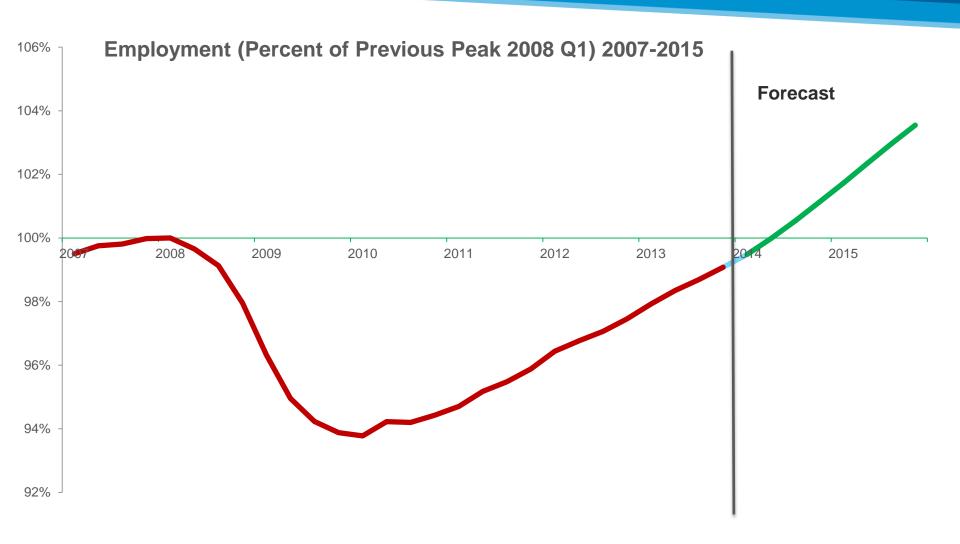




**Lodging Demand** 

### **Employment Recovery Nears**





**Source: Moody's Analytics** 

### **Employment and Demand by Type**



Some Types of Employment Matter More than Others.

#### **Primary Sectors:**

- Natural Resources/Mining
- 2. Construction
- 3. Manufacturing
- 4. Trade
- 5. Information
- 6. Financial Activities
- Education and Health Services\*
- 9. Leisure and Hospitality

Almost All Are
Forecast to
Grow at Above
Average Rates
through 2015

<sup>\*</sup> Below Average Growth

#### 2013-2015 Leading and Lagging Markets



#### **Leading Markets**

Forecast Average Annual Change

2013-2015

U.S. Average Employment Forecast = 2.5% per year 2013-2015

City	RevPAR Change	ADR Change	Employment Change
San Francisco	9.9%	9.1%	2.9%
Oakland	9.5%	8.9%	2.1%
Dallas	8.6%	7.3%	3.6%
Chicago	8.3%	6.7%	2.1%
Denver	8.1%	6.7%	3.2%

#### 2013-2015 Leading and Lagging Markets



#### **Lagging Markets**

#### Forecast Average Annual Change

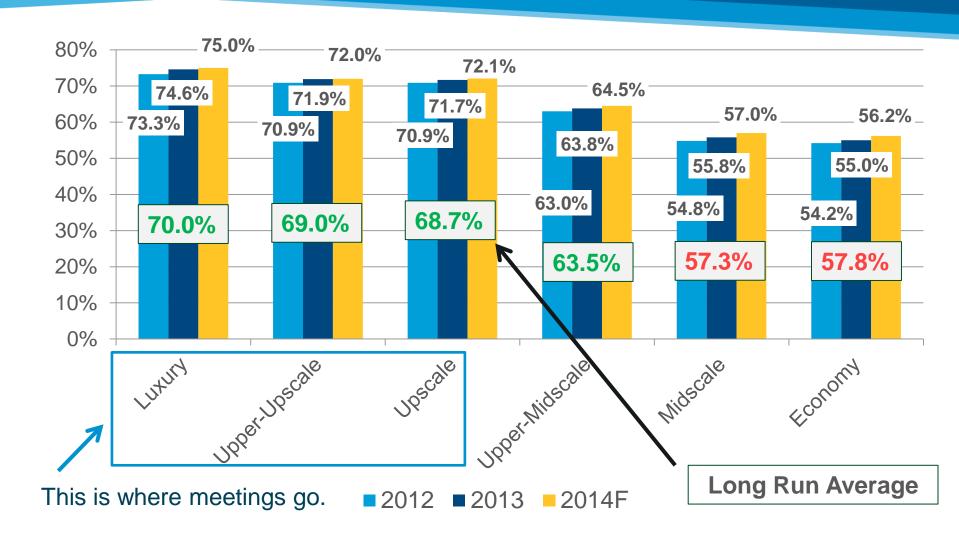
2013-2015

City	RevPAR Change	ADR Change	Employment Change	U.S. Average Employment Forecast = 2.5% per year 2013-2015
Wash. DC	2.1%	0.6%	1.9%	
Long Island	2.4%	4.3%	2.3%	Supply Growth -
New York	4.3%	4.6%	1.9%	Supply Growth = 5.7% per year
<b>New Orleans</b>	4.4%	4.9%	1.2%	
Philadelphia	4.7%	2.6%	1.8%	

**Above Average Employment Growth - Below Average Employment Growth** 

## Forecast Occupancy Levels By Chain-Scale





### RevPAR Forecast By Chain-Scale

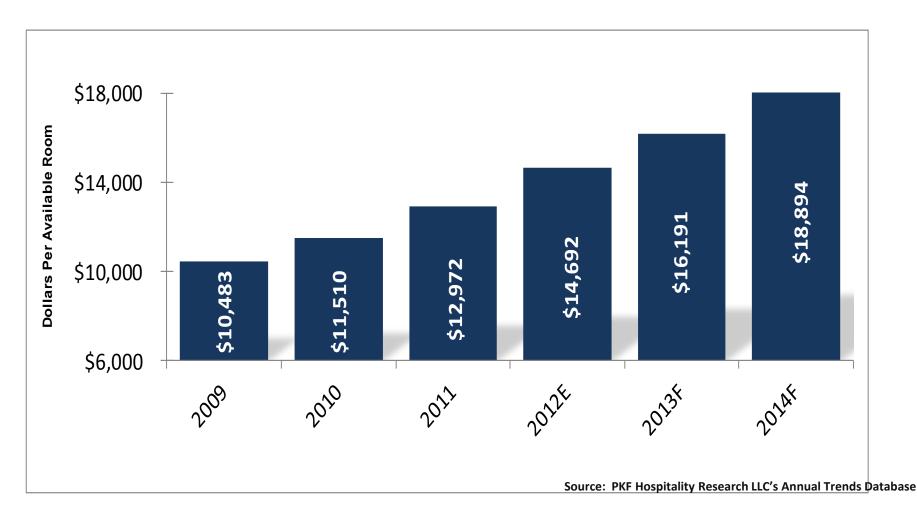


#### All U.S. Chain-Affiliated Hotels

Chain-Scale	2012	2013	2014F
Luxury (Ritz-Carlton, Four Seasons)	7.8%	7.5%	8.0%
Upper-Upscale (Marriott, Radisson Blu)	6.7%	5.9%	5.3%
Upscale (Courtyard, Radisson)	6.3%	5.4%	6.1%
Upper-Midscale (Hampton, Park Inn, C.I.)	6.6%	4.2%	4.3%
Midscale (Best Western, LaQuinta)	6.1%	4.1%	5.6%
Economy (Days Inn, Red Roof)	5.7%	4.9%	6.5%
All Hotels	6.7%	5.5%	6.6%

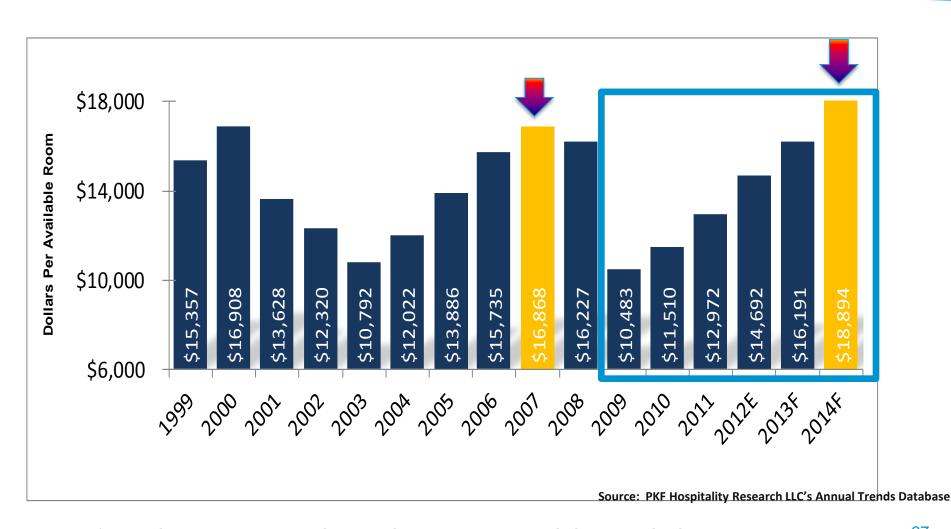
## Nominal Dollar Operating Profits\* Will Continue to Increase





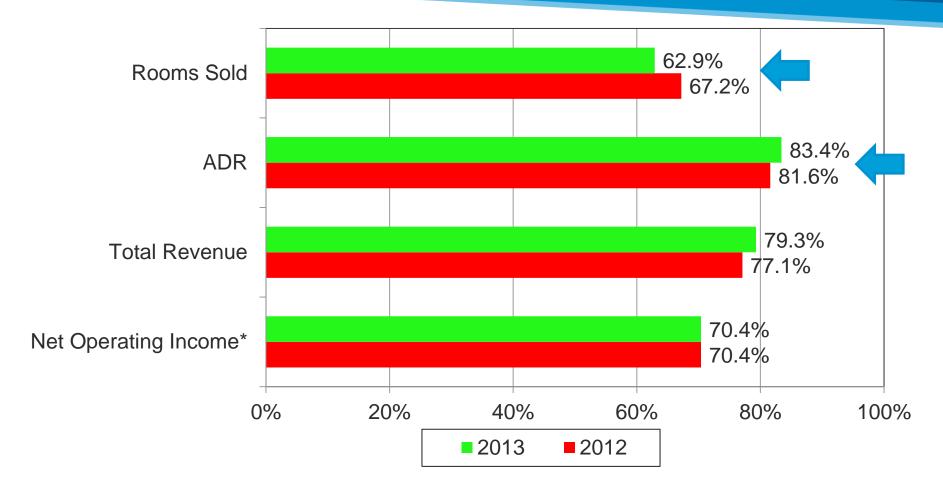
# Nominal Dollar Operating Profits\* Surpass Previous Peak in 2014





## Stage In Cycle – ADR Driving Revenue Percent of Hotels\*\* Posting an Increase From Prior Year





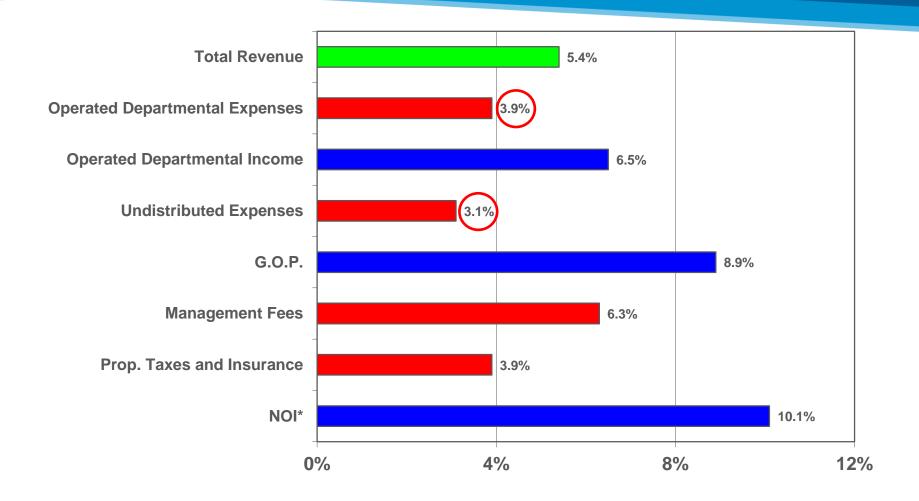
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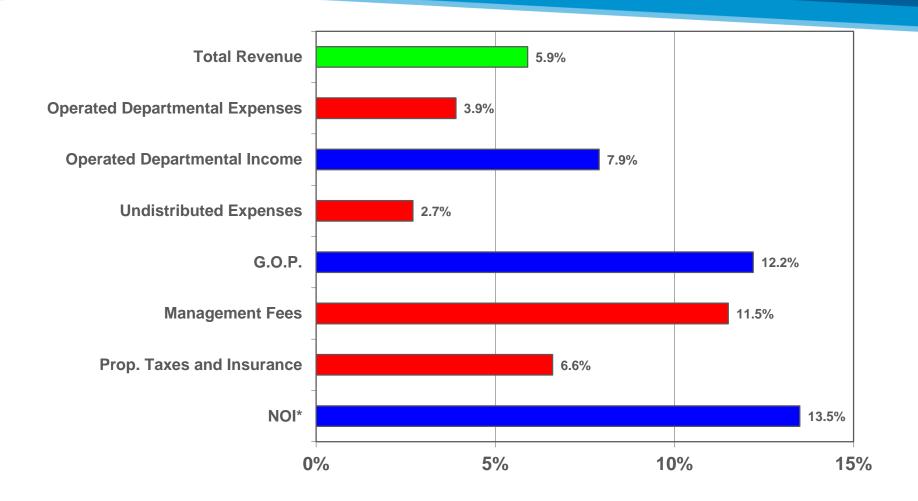
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#### 2013 U.S. Luxury Hotel Operating Performance

**Change – 2012 to 2013** 



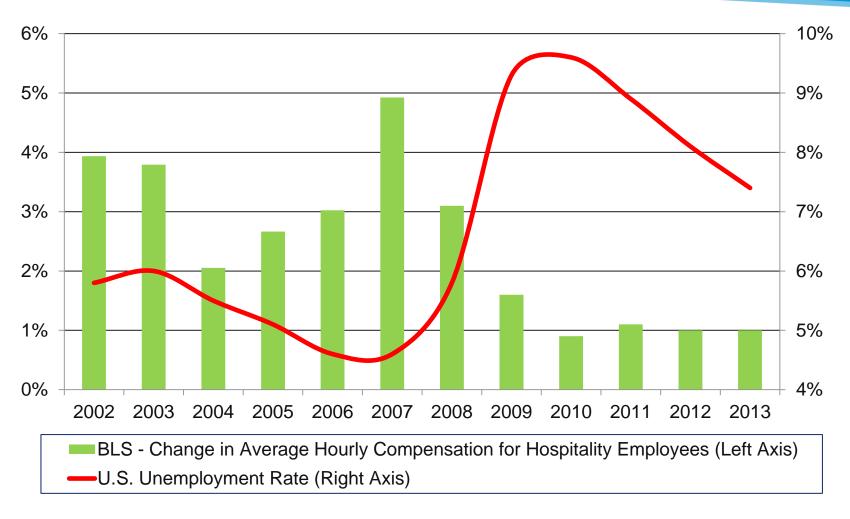


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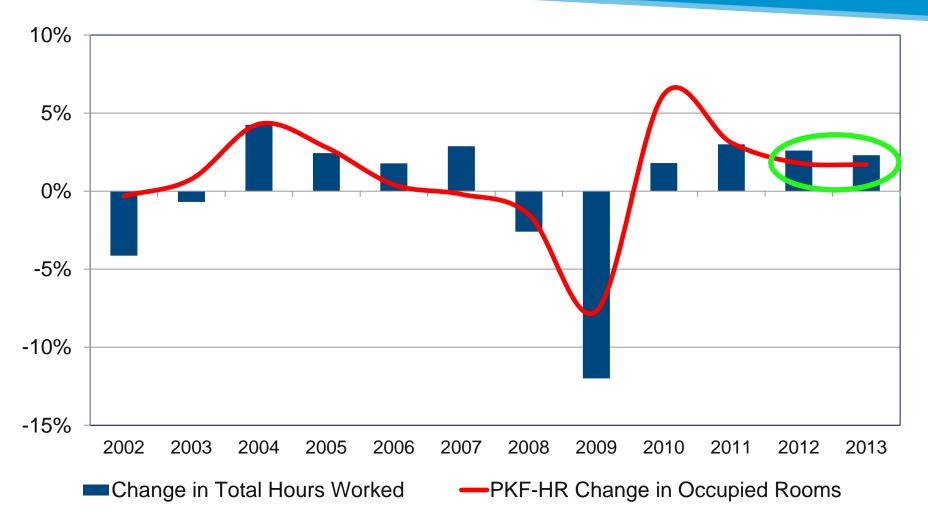




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# Change In Hours Worked vs. Change In Rooms Occupied

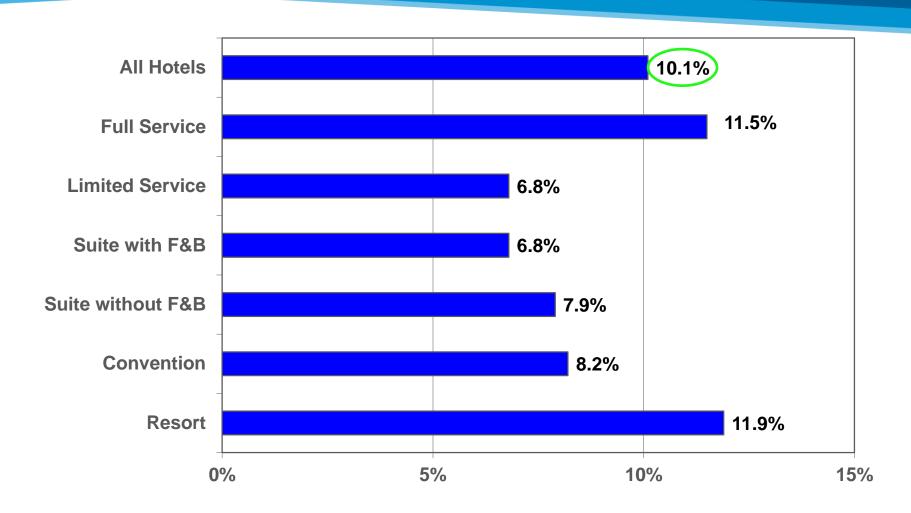




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# 2013 Net Operating Income\* Change from 2012





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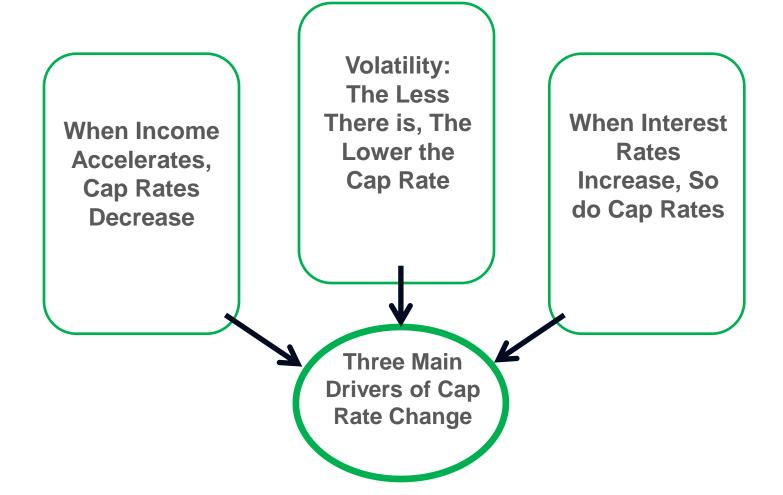
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## Where Are Cap Rates Going?

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### **Forecasts of Return Components**

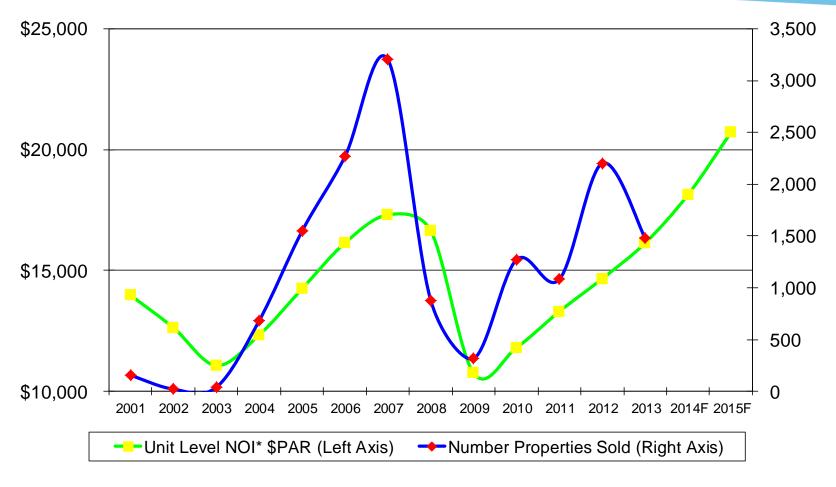


#### **Hotel Risk Premium Contracts** % $\land$ Net **Hotel Risk Operating** Cap Rate **Premium** $\% \Delta$ Supply Baa Income 8.2% 5.6% 2.6% 0.5% 12.7% 2011 8.1% 4.9% 3.2% 0.4% 10.2% 2012 8.0% 5.0% 3.0% 0.7% 10.1% 2013 8.3% 12.4% 6.0% 2.3% 1.0% 2014F 1.9% 1.3% 14.2% 6.9% 8.8% 2015F 1.7% 6.3% 1.2% 8.8% 7.6% 2016F

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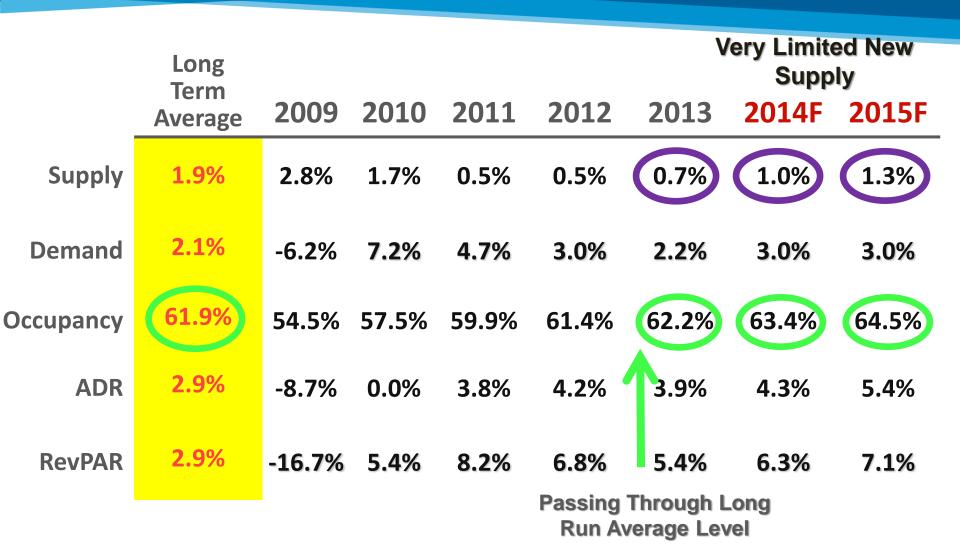


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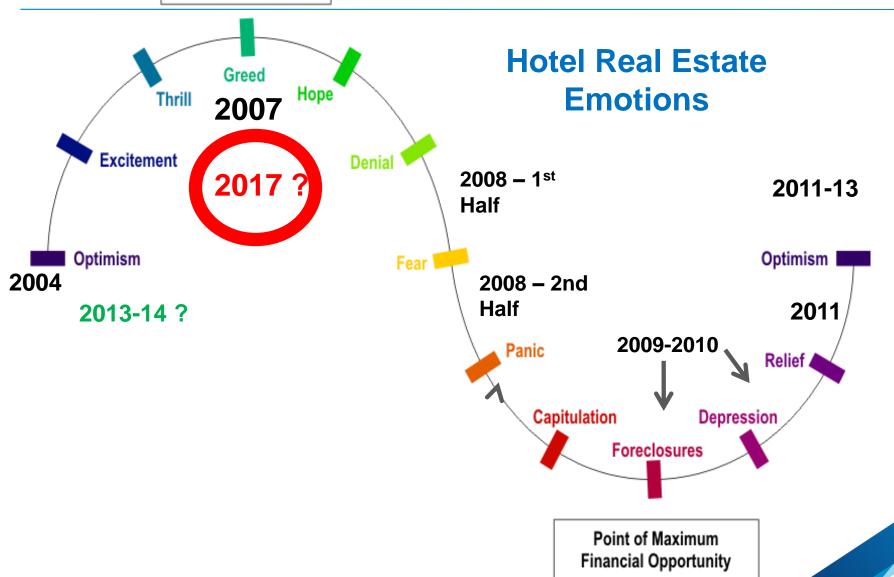
#### National Forecast – 2014/2015





Point of Maximum Financial Risk





## **Summary Thoughts:**



- The Economic Outlook for 2014 Has Remained Relatively Consistent Over the Past Three Years; Uncertainty is Disapating.
- 2. Industry Fundamentals Remain Solid.
- 3. Supply Growth will Remain in Check for at Least Another Two Years as Real ADR's Recover.
- 4. Attractive Hotel Profit Growth Continues and will Serve to Mitigate the Impact of Rising Interest Rates.
- 5. Owners and Investors will be Rewarded as a Result.

