MARKETBEAT

GREECE

Office Q1 2020



YoY Chg 12-Mo. Forecast 8.59% Vacancy Rate 20,000 Take-Up sqm €22.00 Prime Rent, PSQM

ECONOMIC INDICATORS Q1 2020



Source: Bank of Greece & Elstat

ECONOMY: Economic prospects weaken with the arrival of the COVID-19 pandemic

Following a recent emerged from a 10-year economic crisis, the arrival of the COVID-19 pandemic is expected to have sharp effects on the output level, household spending, business investment and international trade of Greece. This impact cannot, for the time being, quantified, due to a lack of available data and given that the pandemic is still unfolding. According to the baseline scenario of the Bank of Greece, GDP growth in 2020 is now projected to be zero, rather than 2.4% as last revised. Retail establishments, restaurants, schools and leisure activities, museums and most hotels and seasonal tourist accommodations, have almost all ground to a halt while customers self-quarantine and practice social distancing. As per Hellenic Federation of Enterprises manufacturing and agriculture, even if their link to global supply chains is relatively limited, will suffer the consequences of a likely prolonged scarcity, and a price hike, of raw materials. Tourism, retail trade and shipping seems to encounter a retrenchment of a smaller or larger size, depending on the duration and the impact of the COVID-19 to production, incomes and consumption. The government imposed severe social distancing measures at a much earlier stage than other European countries and Greece avoided the tragic healthcare crisis of other countries. Hopeful signs are emerging that policy steps to "flatten the curve" are beginning to work but it is too early to say if these signs are sustainable and how they will impact the economy.

SUPPLY & DEMAND: earlier stage requirements are being delayed or placed on hold.

Corporates in Greece are focused to adjust to the new remote working regime and closely monitoring the market to take strategic decisions, discuss and plan for scenarios. Vast majority of assignments that were close to completion are moving forward with material delays. In general, the majority of earlier stage requirements are being delayed or placed on hold. The Greek Ministry of Finance has announced a 40% reduction in rent for commercial and residential property for the month of April in order to support companies and their employees. For property owners suffering a loss of income due to the rent reduction, a four-month suspension of tax obligations and tax installments is provided.

PRICING: Headline rents stable

At this stage landlords are keeping headline rents stable, being more generous to incentives offered to occupiers. Sellers are unwilling to lower prices significantly, hoping that the impact on the economy would be temporary and that market confidence would recover rapidly after the pandemic will be contained.

TAKE UP/DELIVERIES



OVERALL VACANCY & ASKING RENT



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MARKET STATISTICS

SUBMARKET	INVENTORY (SQM)	AVAILABILITY (SQM)	OVERALL VACANCY RATE(%)	YTD OVERALL TAKE- UP(SQM)	UNDER CNSTR (SQM)	PRIME RENT* (€/SQM/MNTH)	PRIME YIELD*
CBD & CBD periphery	1,750,000	160,000	9.14	4,000	26,000	€22.00	6.15
Athens North East(Kifisias Ave, Attiki Odos, Mesoghion)	1,850,000	125,000	6.76	10,000	14,600	€18.50	6.50
Athens North(E75)	60,000	12,000	20.00	1,000	5,000	€13.00	7.20
Athens South(Syngrou, Vouliagmenis)	1,000,000	70,000	7.00	1,500	15,000	€16.50	6.70
Piraeus Port	280,000	40,000	14.29	2,000	7,000	€15.50	7.00
Other	150,000	30,000	20.00	1,500	8,000	€13.00	8.00
DOWNTOWN TOTALS	5,090,000	437,000	8.59%	20,000	75,600	€15.42	6.90

^{*}Rental rates & yields reflect average prime

KEY LEASE TRANSACTIONS Q1 2020

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	TENANT	SQM	TYPE
Orbit building	CBD	Travel	700	New lease
Kifisias Ave	Kifisias Ave	Consultancy	3,500	New lease
Close to Kifisias Ave	Kifisias Ave	Bank	2,000	Renewal

^{*}Renewals not included in leasing statistics

KEY SALES TRANSACTIONS Q1 2020

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	SELLER / BUYER	SQM	PRICE/€ PSQM
Michalakopoulou 184 & Rapsanis Strs	CBD periphery	Pireos Real Estate	8,896.00	17.1/3,525
CBD	CBD	Confidential	7,757.00	Confidential

KEY CONSTRUCTION COMPLETIONS YTD 2020

PROPERTY	SUBMARKET	MAJOR TENANT	SQM	DEVELOPER	
115 Kifisias Ave, CBD fringe «The Orbit»	CBD	TAXIBEAT	17,131.00	NOVAL	

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