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Valuation Advisory Services Expertise



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- Our client portfolios in aggregate exceed \$100 billion
- We are committed to valuation best practices for commercial real estate.
- Our experts have MAI, CFA, CRE, FRICS, MRICS, CCIM designations.
- We are AMC-licensed in the majority of states.
- We are an SEC-registered investment advisor.



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- Stuyvesant Town and Peter Cooper Village, the 11,200-apartment-unit complex in Manhattan's east side, was acquired by Blackstone Group and Ivanhoe Cambridge for \$5.3 billion. The 56-acre property was purchased in 2006 for \$5.4 billion in a venture led by Tishman Speyer Properties, then the most ever paid for a single property. (WSJ, Oct. 25, 2015)
- Blackstone's September 2015 purchases, including: Strategic Hotels & Resorts for \$6 billion: A free-market rental-housing portfolio in Manhattan for \$690 million; 49% interest in Market Square East and West office complex in Washington, DC for \$291.6 million (IREI, Sept. 14, 2015)
- U.S. pension funds were reported to have increased their assets invested in property to 7.7% in 2q 2015, up from 6.3% in 2011, (WSJ, Aug. 13, 2015)
- Zell's Chicago-based Equity Residential recent sale of 23,000 apartment units for \$5.27 billion to Starwood Capital. (Oct. 31 Crain's Chicago Business)

- Hyatt Hotels is in talks to purchase Starwood Hotels & Resorts Worldwide Inc., which according to most experts, is expected to be one of the largest-ever hotel deals when actually transacted. (Oct. 28 and Oct. 30 Wall St. Journal)
- REIT performance has been sidelined and investment remains quiet following the recent U.S. stock market dip, according to the MSCI U.S. REIT index. (WSJ, Sept. 9, 2015)
- The number of mergers and acquisitions is the largest it has been since 2007. The
 merger between commercial real estate firms Cushman & Wakefield and DTZ was
 finalized on Sept. 1, 2015, with the firm still primarily known as Cushman & Wakefield.
- GE Capital shed their huge mortgage portfolio comprised of 313 loans secured by more than 450 U.S. properties. Largest piece to Deutsche Bank AG...46 performing and subperforming loans... \$1.59 billion. This was one of the largest U.S. portfolio loans sales since the credit crisis. (Commercial Property Executive, Sept. 22, 1915)

Déjà Vu or Vuja De...?

"Not deja vu; vuja de.

It's the distinct sense that, somehow, something that just happened has never happened before...And then suddenly the feeling is gone. Vuja de."

George Carlin



Global Risk Free Rates

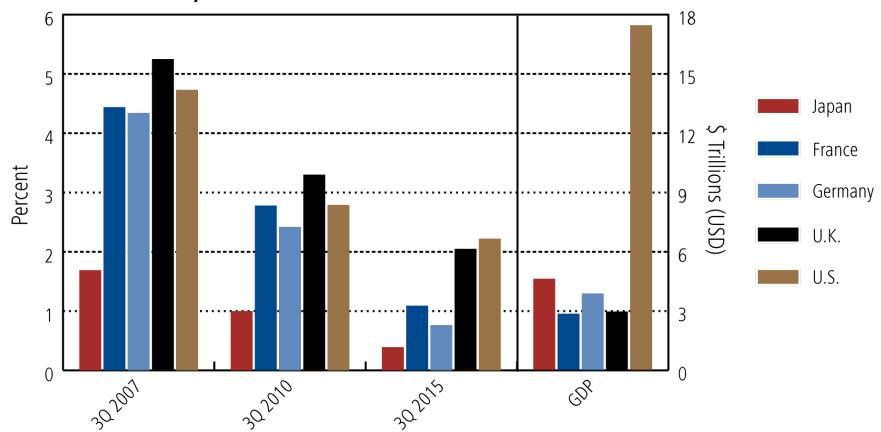


Source: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, October 2015.



Global Risk Free Rates and GDP

Global Treasury Rates and GDP



Sources: Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Deutsche Bundsebank, Agence France Tresor, World Bank, October 2015.



Treasurys Still Very Low

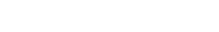
10-year Treasurys

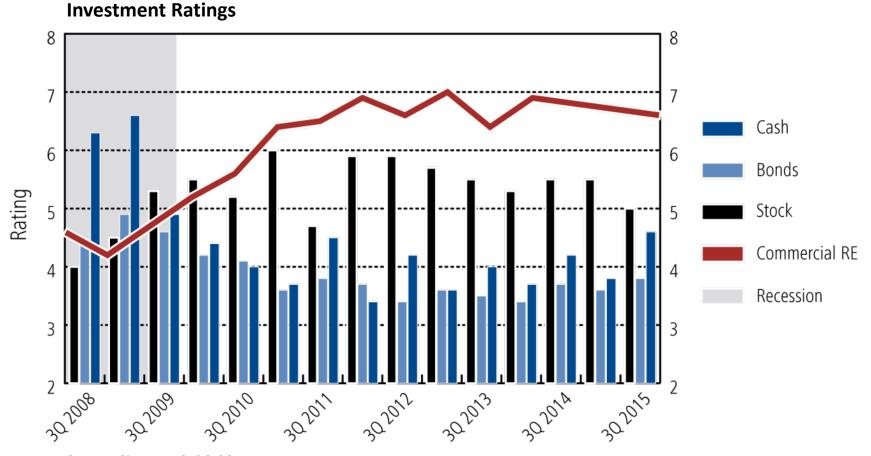


Source: Federal Reserve, 3Q 2015.



CRE Very Attractive



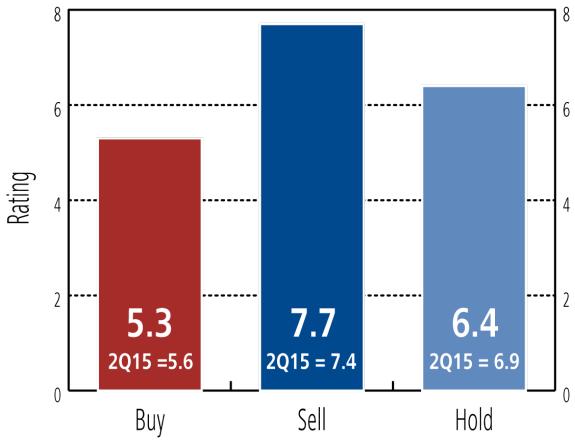


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A Time to Sell



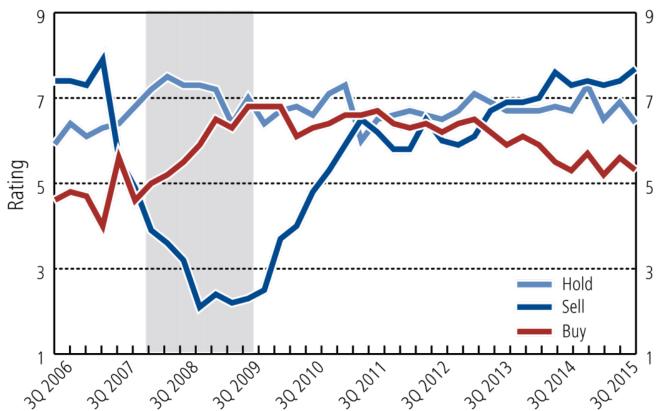


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Now Versus Then



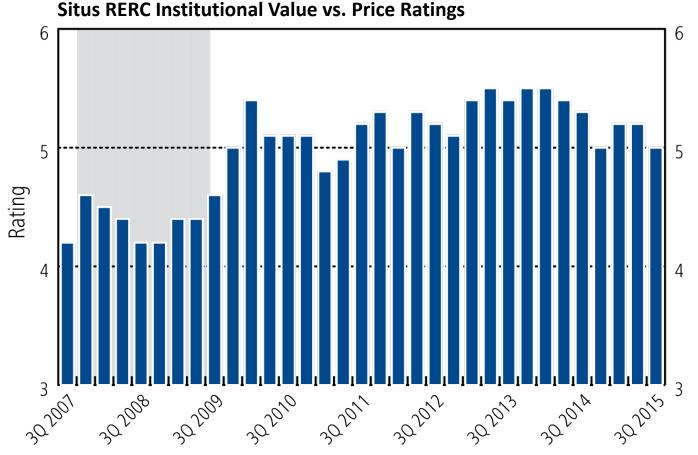


Source: Situs RERC, 3Q 2015.



Value vs. Price Ratings Above Average





Source: Situs RERC, 3Q 2015.

Value vs. Price and Return vs. Risk Observations:

- The industrial and office property sectors offered more value to investors in 3q
 2015 than during the previous quarter.
- The apartment sector in general was overpriced compared to the value.
- The **industrial sector** received the highest return vs. risk rating among the individual property sectors in 3q 2015.
- The apartment sector return vs. risk rating increased from the previous quarter and indicated that return was equal to risk for this quarter or neutral.

Effective rent growth

- Effective **rent in the office sector grew for the 20**th **consecutive quarter**, according to preliminary third quarter data from Reis, Inc. While quarterly growth did not accelerate, year-over-year growth rate did accelerate.
- With robust preliminary growth on both a quarterly and yearly basis, apartment sector effective rent has not been this strong (on a year-over-year basis) since 2007.
- The industrial warehouse and distribution sector maintained steady rent growth in 3q 2015.

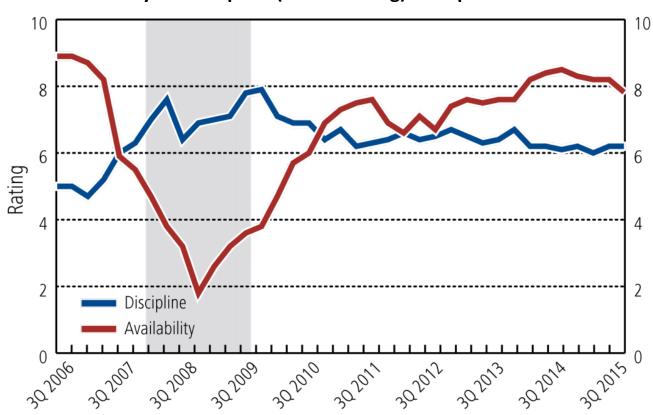
	Vacancy Rate (3q 2015)	Effective Rent (2q 2015)
Office	16.6%	\$30.43/sf
Industrial	10.7%	\$4.93/sf
Retail	10.1%	\$19.89/sf
Apartment	4.3%	\$1,146/unit

Source: Reis, Inc., 3q 2015



Underwriting Still Holding

Availability vs. Discipline (Underwriting) of Capital

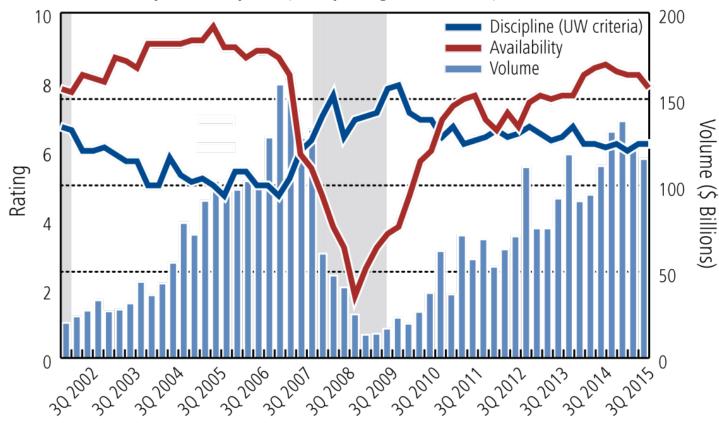


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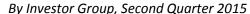


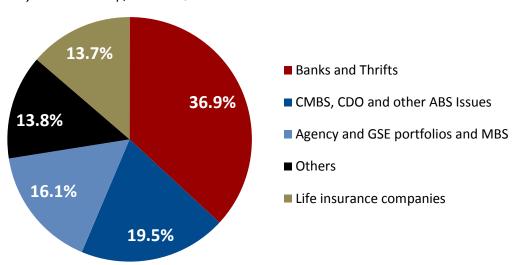
Sources: Real Capital Analytics, Situs RERC, 3Q 2015.



- Total loans outstanding for commercial real estate increased by 1.66% from the previous quarter to \$3.48 trillion, per the Federal Reserve's Flow of Funds.
- U.S. CMBS issuance dipped to \$23.1 billion in 3q 2015, down from an average of \$27.2 billion for the first two quarters this year and from \$28.1 billion in the year-earlier period, according to Commercial Mortgage Alert.

Commercial Multifamily Mortgage Debt Outstanding

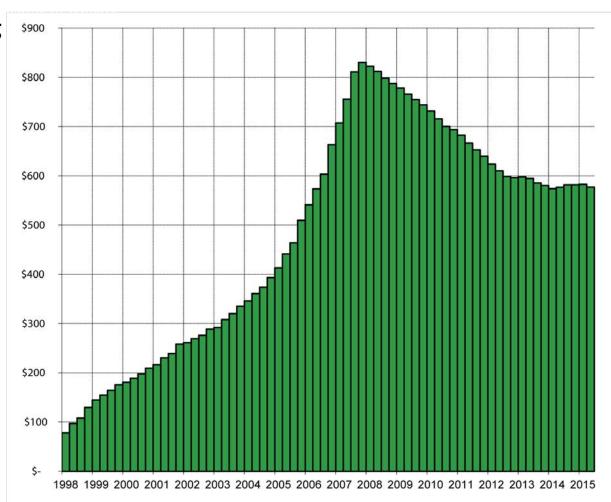




Source: Mortgage Bankers Association, September 2015

Billions of Dollars

 Total U.S. CMBS outstanding was \$577.1 billion in 2q
 2015, lower than the previous quarter and much less than the peak of \$830.1 billion in 4q 2007.

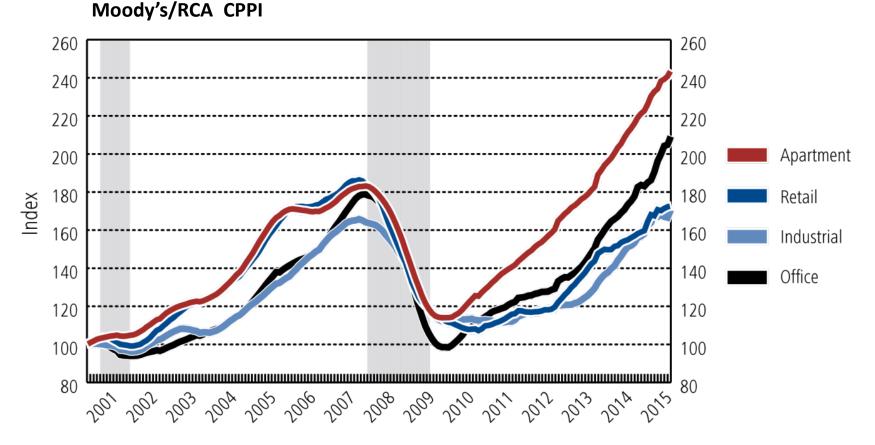


Source: Wells Fargo Securities, LLC, and Intex Solutions, Inc.



Prices Continue to Rise

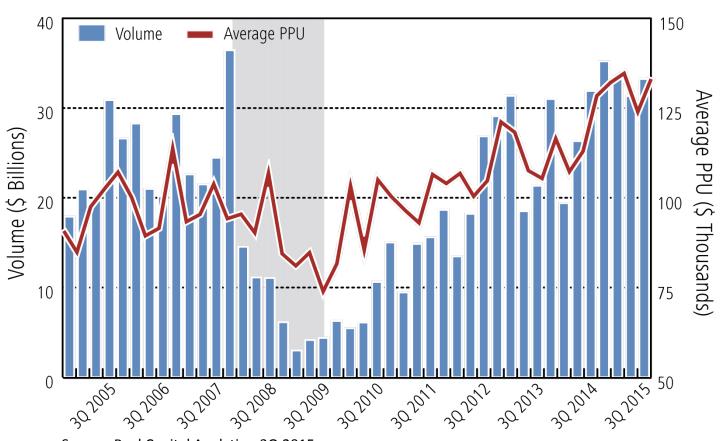




Source: Moody's/Real Capital Analytics, August 2015.



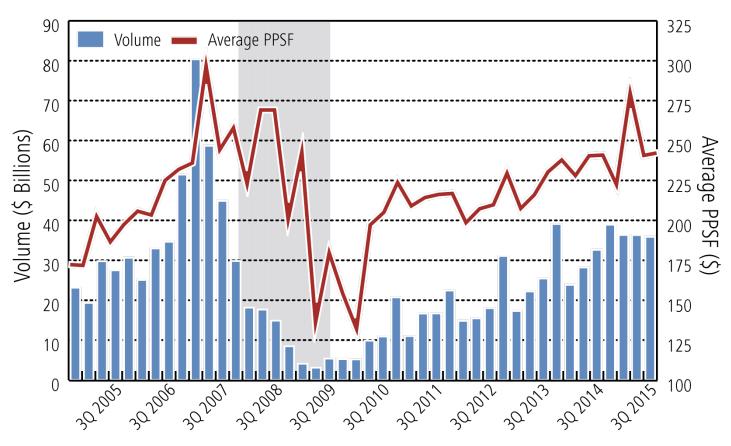
Apartment Volume/PPU



Source: Real Capital Analytics, 3Q 2015.



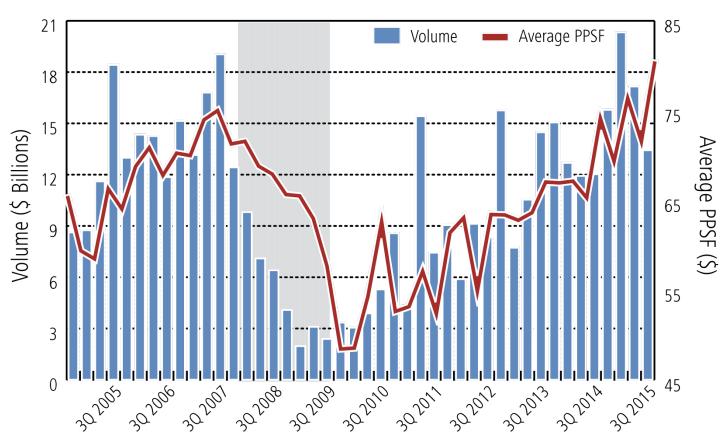
Office Volume/PPSF



Source: Real Capital Analytics, 3Q 2015.



Industrial Volume/PPSF



Source: Real Capital Analytics, 3Q 2015.

Price versus Value

"Price Is What You Pay, Value Is What You Get"

Warren Buffet

Price is an observation...Value is a Probable Outcome...

RERC Overall Relative Value vs. Price Index



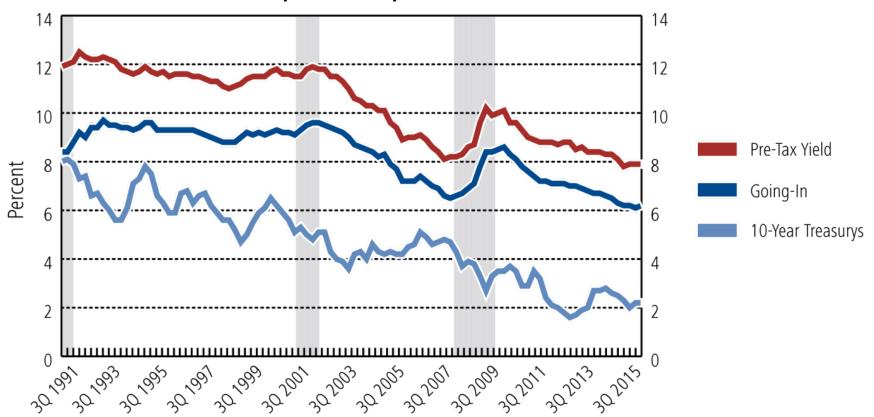
Source: Situs RERC, 3Q 2015.

- 1. Austin
- 2. San Antonio
- 3. Dallas
- 4. Raleigh/Durham
- 5. Orlando
- 6. Las Vegas
- 7. Atlanta
- 8. Phoenix
- 9. Denver
- 10. Charlotte
- 11. New Orleans
- 12. Salt Lake City
- **13.** Omaha
- **14.** Tampa
- 15. Oklahoma City
- 16. Norfolk
- 17. Houston
- 18. Seattle
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- 20. Washington, D.C.



Historical Rates & Today



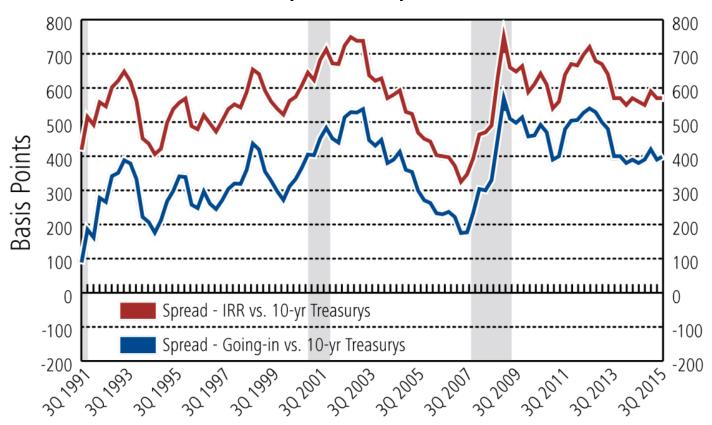


Sources: Situs RERC, Federal Reserve, 3Q 2015 preliminary.



Spreads Over Treasurys

Situs RERC Rates vs. 10-year Treasurys



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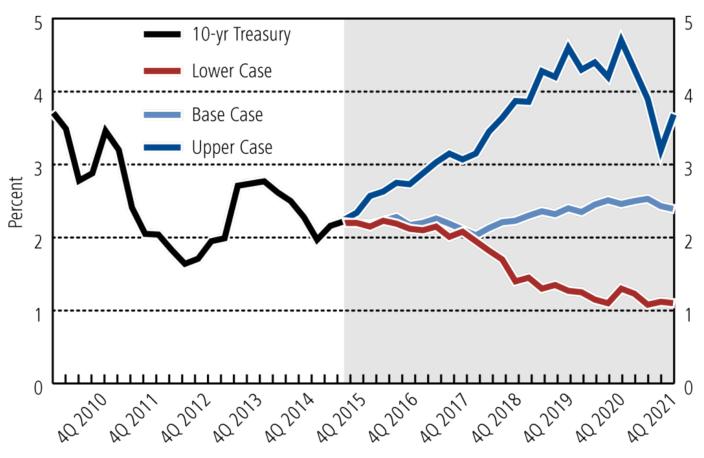
10-Year Treasury Forecast 2015-2021

We have examined three paths or scenarios for interest rates – Excess Profits Case, Constrained Growth Case, and Financial Repression Case. Based on our views, the probabilities of three scenarios would be 20%/60%/20%, respectively. Further insights into these scenarios include:

- <u>Upper Case or Excess Profits</u>: This is a scenario in which the economy begins expanding as a result of a strong global economic recovery at a faster rate than expected, and the Federal Reserve raises short-term rates gradually over the next few years and then more drastically in 2019 to stave off inflation.
- <u>Baseline or Constrained Growth</u>: This is a scenario in which the economy continues to grow slowly
 and the Federal Reserve raises rates less significantly than the scenario above. In the constrained
 growth case over the next 5 years, we will see an economic climate and rates very similar to the
 past 5 years.
- Lower Case or Financial Repression: Due to the substantial government debt-to-GDP of both the U.S. and other developed economies, it is plausible that we will see 10-Year Treasury rates actually decline as the U.S. seeks to reduce its debt in real terms by keeping government bond yields below the rate of inflation. This policy has precedent, as it was used over the 20 years following World War II (the most recent time period when developed debt-to-GDP was as high as it is now).



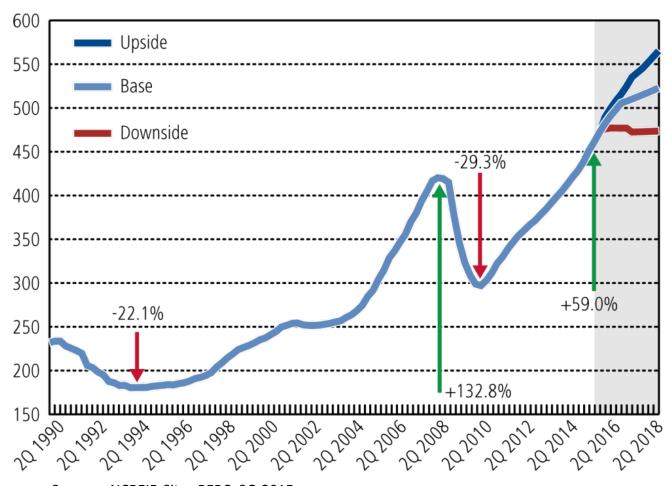
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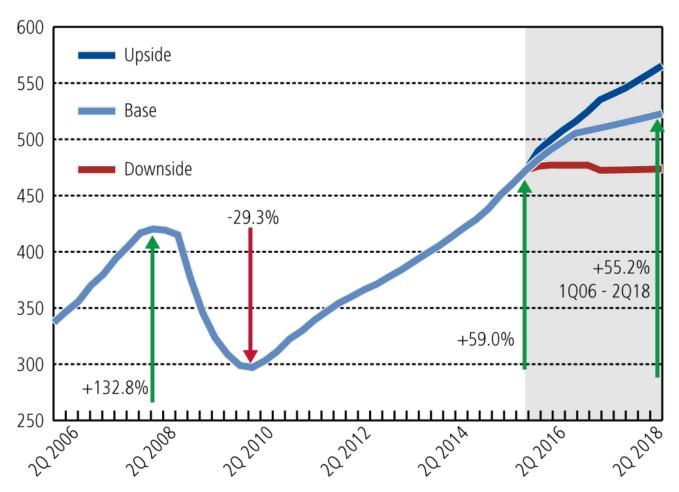
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Sources: NCREIF, Situs RERC, 3Q 2015.



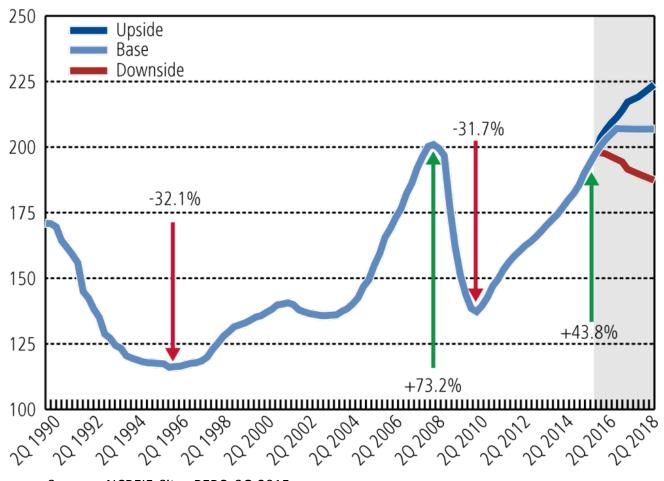
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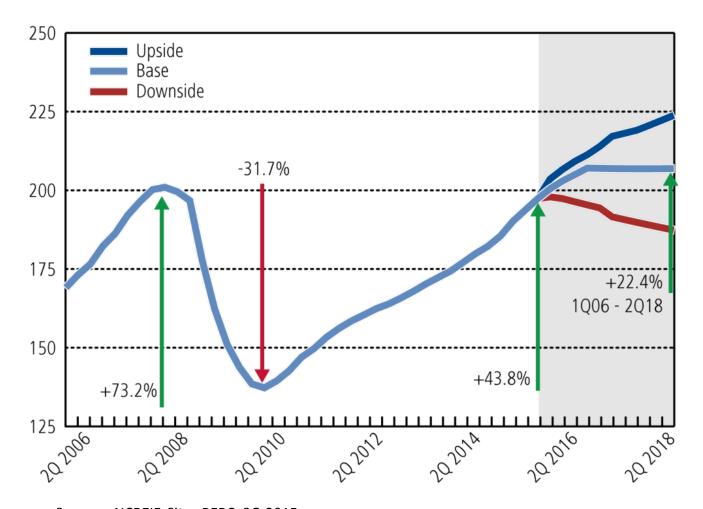
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Outlook for 2016

- Commercial real estate values are fully priced to low long-term interest rates.
- Values and prices are unlikely to increase at the same pace in 2016. Unless underwriting criteria is compromised.
- Investment climate is not conducive to a major correction in the commercial real estate market for 2016.
- Longer Term Challenge: Will high Valuation that allow high Leverage be offset by Income Growth..., or does a major correction loom?



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