# REPORT

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Compared to last quarter:

**VACANCY** 



**ABSORPTION** 



**LEASE RATES** 



CONSTRUCTION



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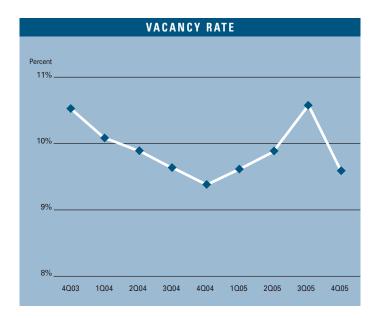
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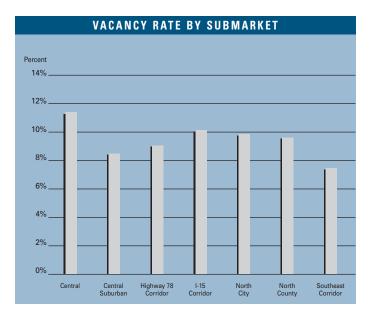
- Unemployment in the fourth quarter of 2005 in San Diego County is 4.2%, which is a decrease of 0.1% since the third quarter of 2005 and down from the 4.4% we saw a year ago.
- According to Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation it is estimated that San Diego County added 21,900 new non-farm jobs in 2005, and they are forecasting 23,000 new jobs in 2006. They are also forecasting a 6.8% increase in total personal income for 2005.
- Currently there is 4,034,118 square feet of Office construction underway, and total construction is higher than the 3,187,299 square feet that was under construction at this same time last year. This is an increase of over 26% when compared to last year.
- Planned Office construction in San Diego County is slightly down compared to last year. Currently there is 9,248,471 square feet of Office space on the slate as being planned, compared to last year's figure of 9,314,577 square feet.
- The Office vacancy rate is at 9.61%, which is up from the 9.45% rate we saw during the fourth quarter of 2004.
- The average asking full service lease rate checked in at \$2.52 a square foot per month this quarter. This is five cents higher than last quarter and 5.88% higher than what was reported in the fourth quarter of 2004.
- The Office absorption checked in at a positive 885,713 square feet for the fourth quarter of 2005, giving the San Diego Office Market a total of two and half million square feet of positive absorption for 2005.
- Rental rates are expected to continue to increase at moderate levels in the short run, and concessions will lessen as the economy in San Diego County continues to expand.
   These conditions will put upward pressure on lease rates going forward. We should see rental rate growth of 5% to 7% in 2005.

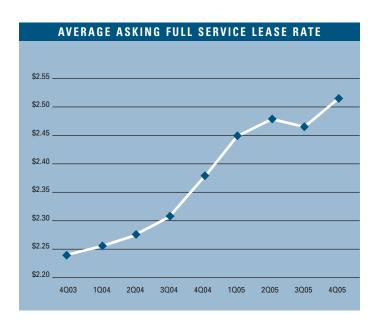
#### OFFICE MARKET STATISTICS

	2005	2004	2003	% CHANGE VS. 2004
Inventory Added	1,895,210	1,098,314	938,318	72.56%
Under Construction	4,034,118	3,187,299	1,382,648	26.57%
Vacancy	9.61%	9.45%	10.50%	1.69%
Availability	11.97%	12.66%	13.25%	-5.45%
Pricing	\$2.52	\$2.38	\$2.24	5.88%
Net Absorption	2,503,077	2,194,717	1,607,411	14.05%
Gross Activity	10,277,560	9,675,818	8,778,897	6.22%

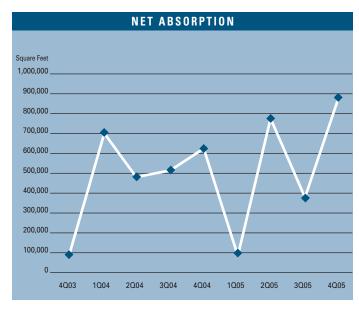
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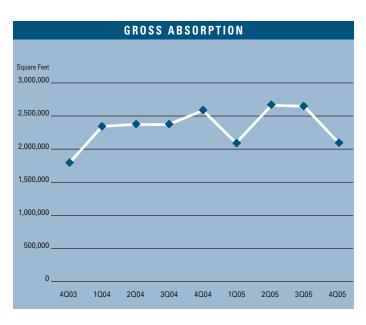












# FOURTH QUARTER 2005

	INVENTORY				VACANCY & ABSORPTION					
	Number Of Buildings	Net Rentable Square Feet	Square Feet U / C	Square Feet Planned	Square Feet Vacant	Vacancy Rate 402005	Total Availability 402005	Average Asking Lease Rate	Net Absorption 402005	Net Absorption 2005
Central										
Downtown	135	11,423,860	463,179	80,000	1,298,673	11.37%	1,552,188	\$2.51	30,871	181,110
Central Total	135	11,423,860	463,179	80,000	1,298,673	11.37%	1,552,188	\$2.51	30,871	181,110
Central Suburban										
City Heights/University Kearny Mesa Mission Gorge Mission Valley	38 212 49 128	862,585 8,390,741 1,204,153 6,721,669	0 100,000 0 0	78,696 1,178,910 0 184,000	66,775 740,275 68,525 761,113	7.74% 8.82% 5.69% 11.32%	68,715 857,581 114,012 845,178	\$1.50 \$1.98 \$1.42 \$2.18	(16,890) (3,478) (761) 70,806	(7,613) 255,154 (6,460) 295,692
Old Town Point Loma Rose Canyon/Morena Uptown/Hillcrest	29 49 44 75	700,032 1,298,836 976,166 1,935,630	72,018 0 0 0	0 109,196 0	47,057 93,900 50,448 80,861	6.72% 7.23% 5.17% 4.18%	47,057 93,900 53,927 110,177	\$1.72 \$1.29 \$2.17 \$1.64	(7,935) 25,218 (9,095) (8,701)	(1,187) 83,723 43,433 20,037
Central Suburban Total	624	22,089,812	172,018	1,550,802	1,908,954	8.64%	2,190,547	\$2.06	49,164	682,779
Highway 78 Corridor		7.5.70.2	,	,211,302	,===,50	2.1.70	, , , , , ,	7=:50		11-11-11
Oceanside San Marcos/Vista	29 73	557,036 1,872,638	10,538 188,528	166,000 277,000	49,359 171,636	8.86% 9.17%	52,136 204,328	\$1.75 \$1.85	7,462 5,250	3,565 (36,713)
Highway 78 Corridor Total	102	2,429,674	199,066	443,000	220,995	9.10%	256,464	\$1.84	12,712	(33,148)
I-15 Corridor										
Escondido Poway Rancho Bernardo Scripps Ranch	57 29 81 38	1,137,891 1,190,044 4,391,779 1,419,124	0 0 352,932 60,000	90,914 324,000 1,312,668 595,000	73,643 226,945 344,190 188,568	6.47% 19.07% 7.84% 13.29%	90,852 233,168 638,970 198,436	\$2.23 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$1.96	(9,397) 8,989 117,079 (6)	43,015 0 19,005 (38,899)
I-15 Corridor Total	205	8,138,838	412,932	2,322,582	833,346	10.24%	1,161,426	\$2.09	116,665	23,121
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North City  Del Mar Heights Governor Park La Jolla Miramar N University City - UTC Center Sorrento Mesa Torrey Pines/Sorrento Valley	61 19 49 34 85 115	3,978,103 857,999 1,619,997 1,121,771 7,137,307 7,156,769 3,422,132	706,062 0 0 0 156,560 1,135,000 71,000	920,363 0 0 0 494,097 1,640,000 53,839	304,658 104,761 139,717 193,451 630,363 751,448 369,042	7.66% 12.21% 8.62% 17.25% 8.83% 10.50%	579,430 113,021 152,863 207,657 827,027 945,023 426,669	\$0.00 \$2.55 \$3.21 \$0.00 \$3.06 \$2.62 \$3.38	161,485 (32,101) 13,356 29,720 195,375 111,294 19,375	355,198 1,082 22,217 42,816 322,898 169,058 202,840
North City Total	420	25,294,078	2,068,622	3,108,299	2,493,440	9.86%	3,251,690	\$3.02	498,504	1,116,109
North County										
Carlsbad North Beach Cities	111 95	4,121,341 2,195,763	372,456 58,000	1,372,638 26,400	465,882 147,821	11.30% 6.73%	556,051 185,634	\$0.00 \$3.00	73,426 34,313	326,836 78,733
North County Total	206	6,317,104	430,456	1,399,038	613,703	9.71%	741,685	\$3.00	107,739	405,569
South/Southeast Corridor										
East County South San Diego	95 89	2,040,899 2,714,148	12,560 275,285	92,750 252,000	80,070 279,914	3.92% 10.31%	91,184 387,150	\$1.46 \$0.00	(12,515) 82,573	25,942 101,595
South/Southeast Total	184	4,755,047	287,845	344,750	359,984	7.57%	478,334	\$1.46	70,058	127,537
Class A Class B Class C	194 934 748	22,950,629 40,623,481 16,874,303	3,213,962 820,156 0	6,711,108 2,537,363 0	2,915,339 3,616,574 1,197,182	12.70% 8.90% 7.09%	3,490,903 4,691,839 1,449,592	\$2.74 \$2.37 \$1.77	305,753 553,274 26,686	847,993 1,564,592 90,492

This survey consists of office buildings greater than 10,000 square feet. Lease rates are on a full service gross basis.



### CENTRAL

Downtown

#### **CENTRAL SUBURBAN**

City Heights/University Kearny Mesa Mission Gorge Mission Valley Old Town Point Loma Rose Canyon/Morena Uptown/Hillcrest

#### **HIGHWAY 78 CORRIDOR**

Oceanside San Marcos/Vista

#### **I-15 CORRIDOR**

Escondido Poway Rancho Bernardo Scripps Ranch

#### **NORTH CITY**

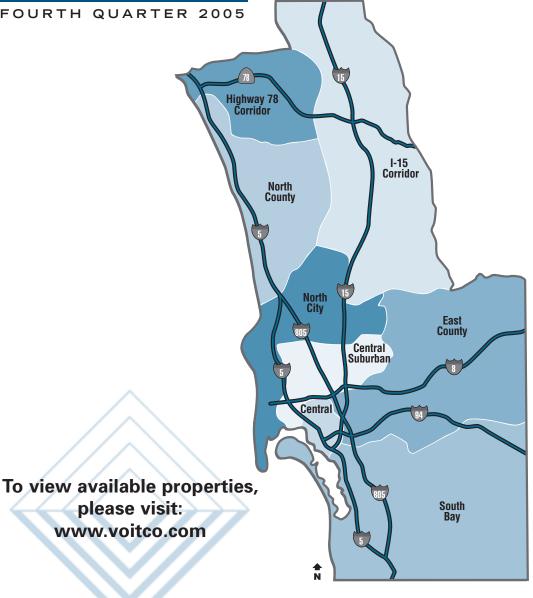
Del Mar Heights Governor Park La Jolla Miramar N University City - UTC Center Sorrento Mesa Torrey Pines/Sorrento Valley

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

Carlsbad North Beach Cities

#### **SOUTH/SOUTHEAST CORRIDOR**

East County South San Diego



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