



Market

Supply Outlook

**Demand** 

Outlook

Performance

Increased cost of financing and ongoing economic and geopolitical headwinds in the CEE region, caused 2023 transaction volumes to drop by 18% compared to 2022. However, the volume invested international buyers increased by 197% over the same period, illustrating the region's rising attractiveness for inbound capital. Several significant deals are progressing since the year-end 2023 suggesting transaction volumes will rise in 2024.

Rising debt costs in 2023 exerted pricing pressure on hotel real estate in all CEE markets, resulting in yield decompression ranging from +25 bps in Warsaw to +75 bps in Bratislava and Sofia compared to 2022. Despite this, the impact was partly offset by improved operating income. The anticipated moderation of interest rates in 2024 is expected to contribute to the yield stabilization.

While the average hotel occupancy level across the CEE-6 capitals in 2023 lagged behind 2019 by 9%, the ADR surpassed it by 23%, resulting in a 12% RevPAR growth. The strongest increase was recorded in Warsaw and Budapest. The positive trend is anticipated to persist in 2024, albeit at a more moderate pace.

In 2023, 20 hotels with a total of 2,658 rooms opened in CEE-6 capitals, including 732 rooms reopening after rebranding or refurbishment. Additional supply includes lbis, Tribe, Dorothea Autograph Collection in Budapest, and Zleep Hotel in Prague. While Intercontinental Palace Athenee Bucharest and Almanac X in Prague reopened after renovations. Looking ahead to 2024, 22 hotels with 2,570 rooms are set to open, revealing a 2.1% supply increase across CEE-6 capitals (vs. 2023).

The demand for hotel accommodation continued to recover in 2023, with international tourist arrivals in CEE increasing by 20% vs 2022, reaching 73% of the prepandemic level (2019). Further growth will be driven by the recovery of corporate and group demand, supported by the ongoing expansion in air connectivity.



Sources: Cushman & Wakefield, STR, Oxford Economics

Note: A contingency of 5% is assumed for transactions in the last 12 months, as some deals are revealed with notable delay.

€ 373 million transacted

26 properties comprising
3,424 rooms sold

50% of capital was deployed by domestic buyers

43% of volume was invested in Luxury hotels

#### RECENT TRANSACTION TRENDS

	Last 6 months (H2 2023)					Current Year (2023)				
	Properties	Rooms	Volume	% Change*		Properties	Rooms	Volume	% Change*	
CEE	14	2,139	197	-37%		26	3,424	373	-18%	
Capitals	4	625	131	-52%	ļ	12	1,407	282	-13%	-
CZ	5	428	87	67%		9	773	137	68%	
HU	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	3	498	103	-55%	
PL	2	452	72	445%		4	761	83	82%	
BG	4	993	18	401%		4	993	18	33%	
Volume transac	ted in FUR mill	ions			•					

Volume transacted in EUR millions

\*Refers to the % change in transaction volume from the previous period

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CEE-6: Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia

Source: Cushman & Wakefield

#### ANNUAL TRANSACTION VOLUMES

(2013 - 2023, EUR MILLIONS)



# AVERAGE TRANSACTION PRICE (2023, EUR)

Avg Price per Property Millions
 Avg Price per Key Thousands



# BREAKDOWN BY NO. OF ROOMS SOLD & DEAL SIZE (2023, % SHARE OF DEALS)



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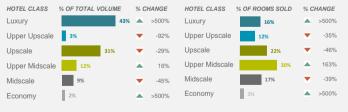
# NATURE OF INVESTMENTS

## TRANSACTION VOLUME\* BY SOURCE OF CAPITAL

(% CHANGE, 2023 vs 2022) Americas Domestic >500% **-**45% Furone\* **>**500% MEA APAC **V**-100% % Share **>**500% Domesti Europe - APAC Legend: Americas ▲YoY % Change in ▼Transaction Volume MEA \*Based on buyers whose identity is kn Source: Cushman & Wakefield

#### TRANSACTION VOLUME PER HOTEL CLASS

(% CHANGE, 2023 vs 2022)



Source: Cushman & Wakefield

#### TRANSACTED VOLUME BY TYPE OF INVESTOR

(2023, % SHARE OF TOTAL VOLUME)

Source: Cushman & Wakefield / RCA



#### TRANSACTED VOLUME BY OPERATING STRUCTURE





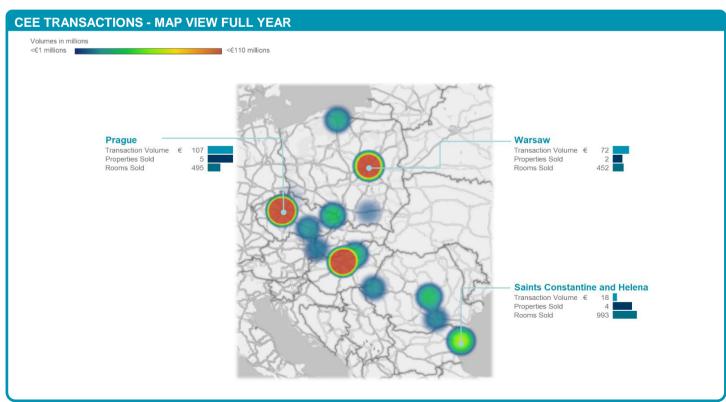
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### **MAJOR DEALS OF 2022-23**

Year Property  Market  Keys  Buyer  Origin  Origin  Oostrava, CZE  139 ISWM Group  CYP Accor Invest  FRA  2023 Hotel Clara Futura  Dolni Brelany, CZE  40 Investika  CZE Archdiocese of Prague  CZI  2023 The HUB Portfolio of 2 Hotels  Warsaw, POL  430 Corum AM  FRA Ghelamco Poland  PO  2023 Black Sea Property Portfolio of 4 Hotels  Saints Constantine and Helena, BLG  946 Grand Hotel Varna AD  BLG  Black Sea Property  BLG  2023 Becali Hotel  Venus, ROU  92 Energoutil  ROU  Becali George  ROI
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2023 Becali Hotel Venus, ROU 92 Energoutil ROU Becali George RO
2023 Courtyard Prague City Prague, CZE 161 S Immo AUT CPI Hotels CZE
2023 Fantanele Complex Fantanele, ROU 70 Transilvania Quest ROU Unita Turism ROU
2023 K+K Elisabeta Bucharest, ROU 67 Lorand and Zsuzsanna Szarvadi ROU InterGlobe IND
2023 Novum Hotel Vitkov Prague, CZE 95 AB Hanner / Baltic Asset LTU CONFIDENTIAL n/a
2023 Sofitel Budapest Budapest, HUN 360 Equilor HUN Indotek Group HUI
2023 Sovereign Hotel Prague, CZE 50 CONFIDENTIAL AZE Deidda CZE
2022 Hotel Gellert Budapest, HUN 234 BDPST Group HUN Indotek Group HUI
2022 Mama Shelter Bucharest, ROU 123 One United Properties ROU Keys MS Clemenceau ROU
2022 Vienna House Easy by Windham Airport Bucharest, ROU 177 HR Group GER U City THA
2022 DoubleTree by Hilton Oradea, ROU 147 CONFIDENTIAL n/a SIF Banat-Crisana ROI
2022 Hotel Praha Splindleruv Mlyn, CZE 27 Rohlik Group CZE Mountain Properties CZE
2022 Studio Plac Dominikanski Wroclaw, POL 138 Atrium European Real Estate JEY Toscom Development PO
2022 Ibis Styles City West Budapest, HUN 114 Infogroup HUN CONFIDENTIAL n/a
2022 Alice Hotel Budapest, HUN 41 West Hungaria Bau HUN BDPST Group HUI
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Note: Ordered by date of transaction.



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