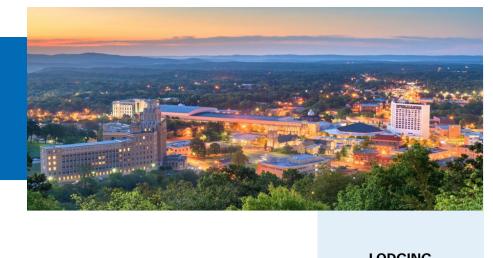
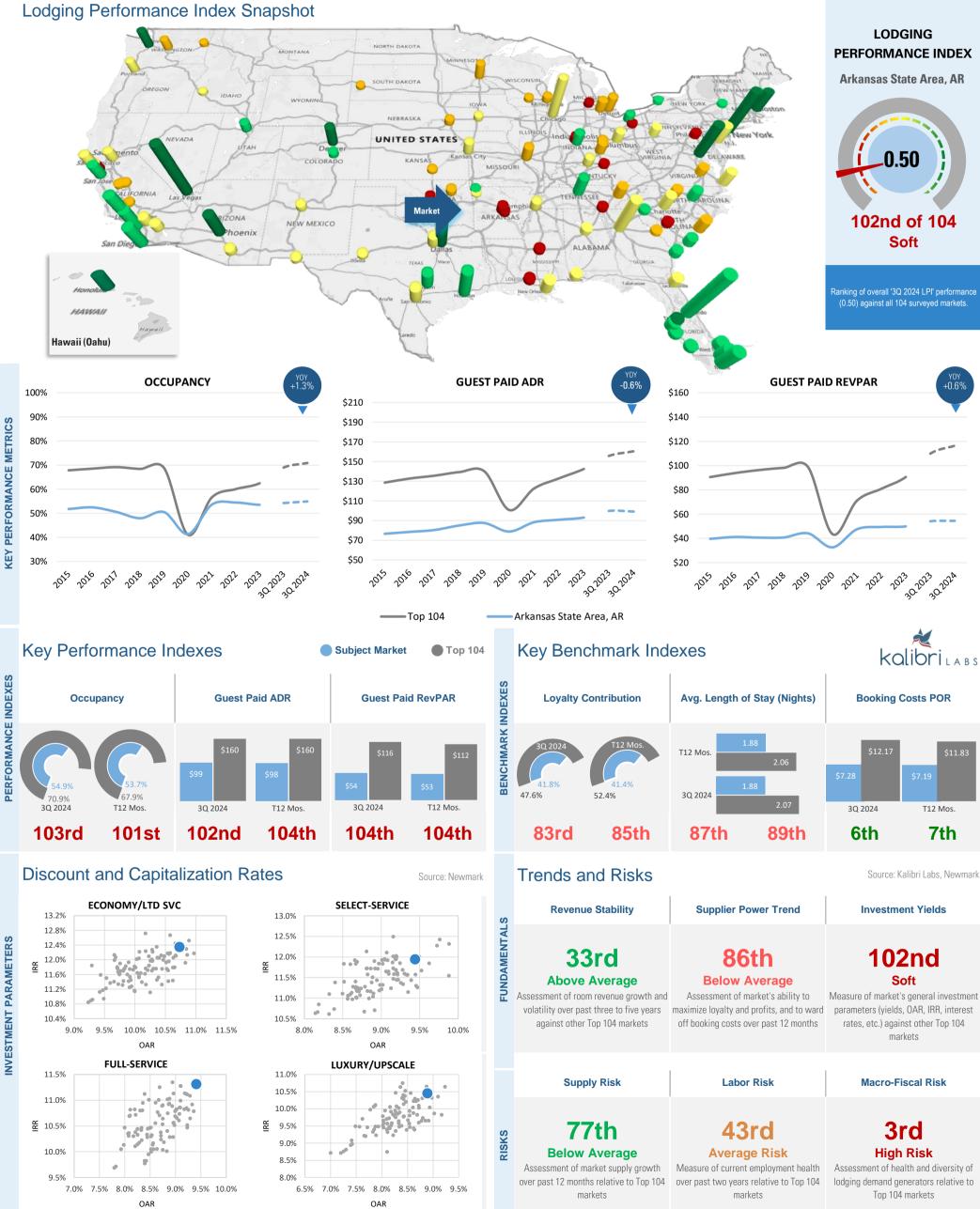
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HOTEL MARKET NSIGHTS REPORT

## 3Q 2024

## ARKANSAS STATE AREA, AR

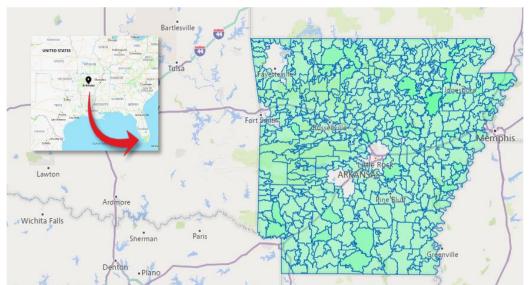




Source: US Census Bureau,

Dept. of Labor Statistics

## Location



## **Quick Facts**

## **Jurisdictional Information**

Municipal Name: Multiple County: Multiple Michigan State: Geo Coordinates (market center): 35.07141, -92.35122

### **Major Hotel Demand Generators**

Aerojet Rocketdyne | Arkansas Best Corp. | Arkansas Children's Hospital | Arkansas State University | Baldor Electric | Baptist Health | Central Arkansas Veterans Healthcare System | ExxonMobil (lithium) | FedEx Freight | Hytrol Conveyor Co. | Little Rock Air Force Base | NEA Baptist Memorial Medical | O.K. Foods Inc. | Oaklawn Racing Casino Resort | Riceland Foods | Sparks Health System | St. Bernards Medical Center | St. Edward Mercy Medical Center | Tyson Foods Inc. | Walmart Inc.

## Metrics and Ranking

Population (hotel market area) Income per Capita Feeder Group Size Feeder Group Earnings Total Market Hotel Revenues

## Measurement

1,604,600 \$38.097 142.7 Persons PSR \$5,437,463 PSR \$402.0 million

## Rankings

39th of 104 (Average) 90th of 104 (Soft) 96th of 104 (Soft) 88th of 104 (Below Average)

70th of 104 (Below Average)

## **Key Performance Metrics**

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Data provided by:	kalibrilab

YEAR		Guest Paid		CO	PE	Booking Cost	ADR COPE	Loyalty	Avg Length of	Supply	Performance
ENDING	Occ %	ADR	RevPAR	ADR	RevPAR	POR	%	%	Stay Nights	Rooms	Index (LPI)
2015	51.7%	\$76.62	\$39.65	\$72.66	\$37.60	\$3.96	94.8%	41.6%	1.76	22,570	0.24
2016	52.4%	\$78.54	\$41.18	\$74.25	\$38.94	\$4.28	94.6%	43.7%	1.75	22,520	0.50
2017	50.5%	\$80.46	\$40.67	\$75.75	\$38.28	\$4.71	94.1%	46.8%	1.72	22,630	0.39
2018	47.9%	\$85.06	\$40.76	\$79.78	\$38.23	\$5.29	93.8%	51.6%	1.71	21,810	0.36
2019	50.5%	\$87.53	\$44.17	\$81.71	\$41.24	\$5.82	93.4%	58.7%	1.73	20,790	0.59
2020	41.3%	\$78.89	\$32.65	\$73.62	\$30.43	\$5.27	93.3%	36.6%	1.87	20,600	0.87
2021	53.6%	\$88.33	\$47.51	\$82.20	\$44.06	\$6.13	93.1%	38.1%	1.83	20,670	0.75
2022	54.4%	\$90.87	\$49.44	\$84.45	\$45.98	\$6.41	92.9%	37.8%	1.82	20,720	0.60
2023	53.5%	\$93.12	\$49.88	\$86.46	\$46.26	\$6.66	92.8%	37.6%	1.81	20,730	0.46
CAGR: 2015 thru 2023	0.4%	2.5%	2.9%	2.2%	2.6%	6.7%	-0.3%	-1.3%	0.4%	-1.1%	8.5%
30 2023	54.2%	\$99.80	\$54.12	\$92.51	\$50.17	\$7.29	92.7%	39.9%	1.84	21,190	0.49
30 2024	54.9%	\$99.20	\$54.47	\$91.91	\$50.47	\$7.28	92.7%	41.8%	1.88	21,040	0.50

## **Notable Metrics**

	Latest-Quarter Booking Costs POR	T12-Month Booking Costs POR			
HIGHEST	6th Strong Arkansas State Area, AR enjoyed low latest—quarter booking costs POR (\$7.28)	7th Strong The market enjoyed low T12-month booking costs POR (\$7.19)			

### th Booking Costs POR Population Density per Room

## **13th**

**Above Average** The market also boasted strong population density per room (76.03)

## **Notable Trends**

Long-Term Historical LPI Growth	Short-Term Historical LPI Growth

2nd **Very Strong Very Strong** Arkansas State Area, AR enjoyed strong The market has benefited from strong long-term historical LPI growth (8.7%) short-term historical LPI growth (11.4%) Short-Term Historical Average Length of Stay Growth

13th

# 2nd

**Above Average** The market also has benefited from strong short-term historical average length of stay growth (1.7%)

T12-Month COPE RevPAR

LOWEST



This market posted weak T12-month COPE RevPAR (\$48.57)

## T12-Month COPE ADR

Last

The market has been hindered by weak T12-month COPE ADR (\$90.53)

## T12-Month Guest Paid RevPAR

## Last

Arkansas State Area, AR also has been hindered by weak T12-month Guest Paid RevPAR (\$52.54)

## Overall Health of Hotel Market

## 103rd

The market has been hampered by weak general hotel market performance (levels and trends of fundamentals)

## Long-Term Historical Booking Costs POR Growth

## Soft

We note this area exhibited high long-term historical booking costs POR growth (4.5%)

## General Economy Reverence

## **Below Average**

Arkansas State Area, AR also posted weak general economic reverence (per-capita unemployment, GDP and other indicators)



## Arkansas State Area, AR: Regeneration Stage

The Arkansas State Area, AR market is currently in the 'Regeneration' stage of the performance cycle. In this stage, hotels and the underlying economy are underperforming. The highest and best uses of hotel assets are still being challenged by lingering pandemic impacts, oversupply, weak economic indicators, and/or poor corporate contribution. Hotel investors look for opportunities to either exit or regenerate demand. Example markets in this stage include Cincinnati, OH; Detroit, MI; and Knoxville, TN.

In the 'Ignition' stage, hotels typically perform adequately for operators to enjoy positive returns, with confidence the economy will remain fully recovered from the pandemic. While the regional economy continues to recover, strong hotel performance locally is igniting expansion in certain key sectors. Example markets in this stage include Baltimore, MD; Miami, FL; and New Orleans, LA.

In the 'Absorption' stage, hotels are underperforming but in an economy with resilience and confidence the economy will shed any lingering pandemic impacts, presenting upside for CRE. Barriers to entry are high and the market hosts little or no new supply, allowing for the existing stock of rooms to be absorbed. Example markets in this stage include Minneapolis, MN;; and

In the 'Expansion' stage, hotels perform adequately, contributing to a resilient economy that has fully exited from the Expansion pandemic environment. Displacement demand is high, new hotel supply is feasible (despite barriers normally being high), and the overall economy is expanding. Example markets in this stage include Anaheim, CA; Atlanta, GA; and Austin, TX.

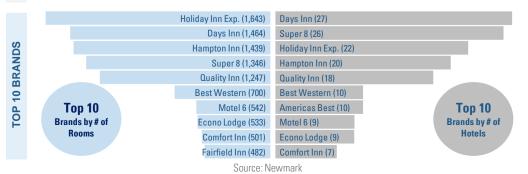
## **Industry Observations**

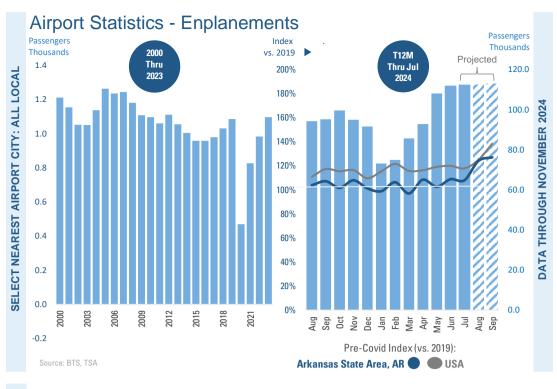
**Business Cycle:** Employment Growth (2 yr): Risk Exposure (402 US markets): Key Industry Notes:

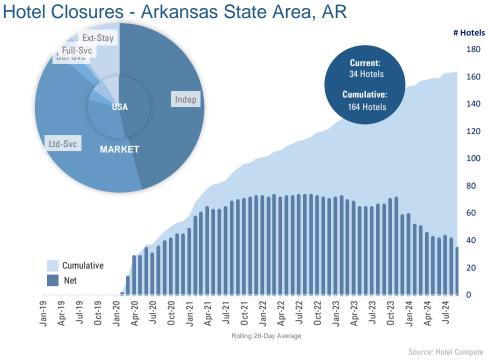
90th Percentile: Above Average Low business costs

Well-developed infrastructure Regional healthcare hub Few dynamic growth drivers Low incomes, high poverty rate

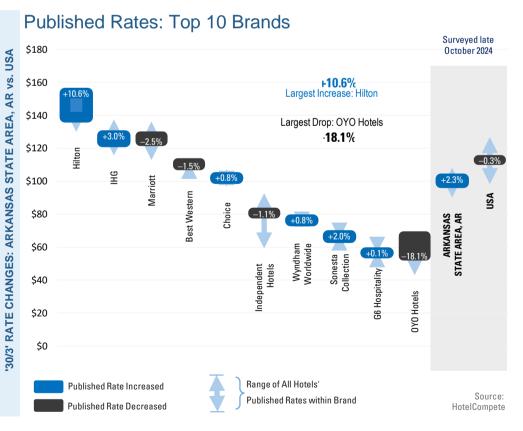
Moody's Rating NR This market is not rated by Moody's

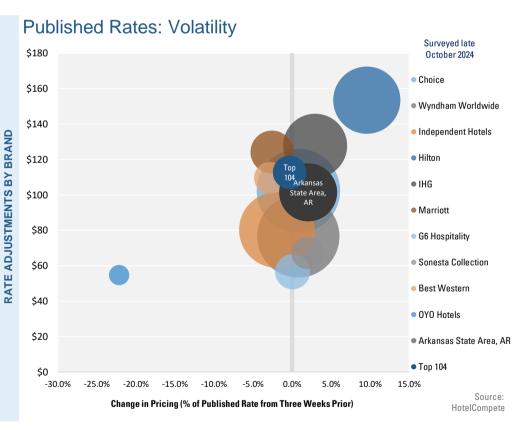


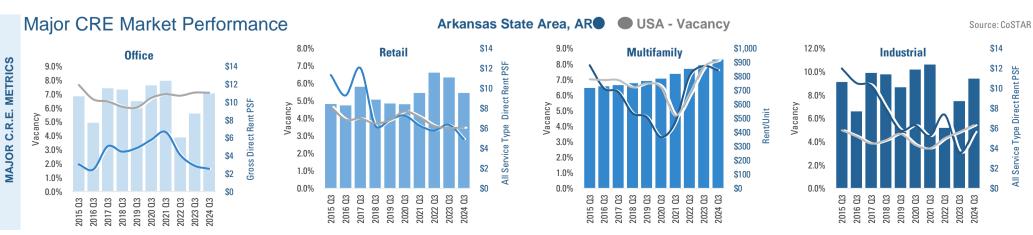




### Scale and Service Distribution: Arkansas State Area, AR **CATEGORY PENETRATION RELATIVE TO USA** Distribution Based on Distribution based on **SEPTEMBER 2024 CHAIN SCALE SERVICE ORIENTATION MARKET MARKET** USA USA Upper U Luxury 0% SCALE AND SERVICE ORIENTATION Fu Extended-Stay 1% Select-Service 12% Independent 142% Economy 214% ARKANSAS STATE AREA, AR ARKANSAS STATE AREA, AR Upper Midscale 24% Independent 40% 25% 28% Economy 54% 12% 16% 36% Limited-Service 45% Midscale 16%







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