RECORD NUMBER OF DEALS

Q3 saw 180 separate industrial transactions, a record number for a single guarter. Industrial volume of £2.2bn was also the second strongest in a decade and 33% above the five-year guarterly average.

15 portfolios changed hands in Q3, with a combined value of £751m. Notable deals included Kames Capital's acquisition of the Cedar Portfolio for £39.90m (5.85% NIY) and Ascendas REIT's acquisition of the Owl Portfolio, the largest of the quarter, for £205.01m (5.07%).

CBRE Global Investors and LondonMetric were the main sellers, with a combined value of £137.40m over four portfolios. Blackstone and Urban Logistics REIT were the main purchasers, acquiring £204.70m over four portfolios.

We expect portfolio trading to continue apace in Q4, with a further 12 currently being marketed. Vendors include CBREGI, Clipstone, IOAM and L&G.

Overseas investors (£494m), Institutions (£243m) and Quoted Propcos (£93m) were all net buyers in Q3. Undisclosed and private propcos continued to seek profit, being net sellers throughout the quarter.

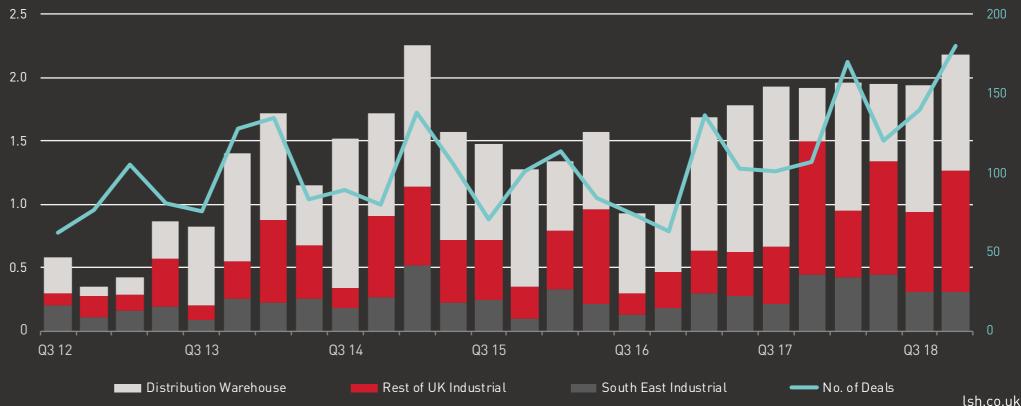
South East estates dominated the multi-let sector with the main buyers including Canal & River Trust, Legal & General and Stenprop. Achieved yields in Q3 ranged from as low as 3.87% in Guildford to 7.81% in Cannock.

Tritax Big Box REIT continued their domination of the big box full forward funding market, acquiring two assets let to Amazon in Darlington and Haydock with a combined value of £189.40m. Net initial yields were 5.00% and 4.90% respectively, further demonstrating the depth of demand and a narrowing of the discount to built stock.

Q4 is off to a flying start with a flurry of stock coming to the market across all three sub-sectors. With the buyer pool starting to thin, it will be an interesting test for the market as to whether everything completes before the year end.

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KEY Q3 DISTRIBUTION DEALS

PROPERTY	TERM CERTAIN (YEARS)	TENANT	PRICE	NIY	DATE	VENDOR	PURCHASER
Blackburn Industrial Estate, Sherburn in Elmet	17.25	Eddie Stobart	£31.75m	5.00%	Sep-18	NFU Mutual	Palmer Capital
Prospero, Ansty	30.00	Meggitt	£73.40m	3.40%	Aug-18	Opus / Manse	Aviva Investors
Flex Meadow, Harlow	2.90	Clipper Logistics Plc	£11.30m	4.30%	Aug-18	Legal & General	BMO
Michigan Drive, Milton Keynes	10.10	Royal Mail	£12.00m	2.80%	Jul-18	UK & European	London Metric
12 Waxlow Road, Park Royal	5.40	AFM Group Ltd	£14.65m	2.81%	Aug-18	Kingston Estates	Oxford University Endov

KEY Q3 MULTI-LET DEALS

PROPERTY	SIZE (SQ FT)	AWULT (YEARS)	PRICE	NIY	DATE	VENDOR	PURCHASER
Lineside Industrial Estate, Littlehampton	207,356	3.00	£21.00m	5.25%	Aug-18	Cording Real Estate	Legal & General
Gateway 36, Barnsley	145,282	18.25	£15.80m	4.76%	Jul-18	Harwood	Mayfair Capital
Nexus Park, Newbury	79,801	13.50	£27.50m	4.80%	Jul-18	Canmoor	Hermes
Deacon Way Industrial Estate, Reading	72,910	4.80	£11.40m	4.49%	Sep-18	Canmoor	DTZ Investors
The Moorfield Centre,* Guildford	23,025	2.90	£6.30m	3.87%	Jul-18	Westbrook	LSHIM*

KEY Q3 PORTFOLIO DEALS

PROPERTY	AWULT (YEARS)	NUMBER OF PROPERTIES	PRICE	NIY	DATE	VENDOR	PURCHASER
Column Portfolio	-	50	107.70m	7.00%	Jul-18	M7 Real Estate	Blackstone
Graphene Portfolio	4.20	6	£16.30m	5.70%	Sep-18	BMO	Clearbell Capital
Mitre Portfolio	6.30	5	£17.90m	4.35%	Aug-18	Milton Group	Left Field Capital
Atlas Portfolio	4.80	7	£62.00m	4.24%	Aug-18	CBRE Global Investors	KF Investors
Owl Portfolio	11.75	12	£205.01m	5.07%	Aug-18	Oxenwood	Ascendas REIT

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