

#### INTRODUCTION TO THIS DOCUMENT

Colliers International presents the results of a survey of hotel owners and developers in the Middle East and North Africa into their responses to and expectations following the COVID-19 crisis.

#### **OUR TAKE-AWAYS:**

#### This is what we learned from this document:

- The majority of the hotel owners with existing hotels have reduced staff and or salaries.
- 65 per cent of hotel owners will proceed with hotel construction or development. Property upgrades and refurbishments are also being considered.
- 39 per cent of hotel owners predict full year 2020 occupancy to be between 21 per cent and 40 per cent.
- It has been projected that it will take between 6 to 12 months for hotels to return to 2019 occupancy levels.
- Hotels need to work on crisis management planning and leaner operations.

# Hotel Investors Sentiment Survey.

#### Who participated in the survey:



Hotel owners and developers in the Middle East and North Africa.



Survey participants from more than 25 cities in the MENA.



65% of participants own operational hotels.
Others have hotels under development.

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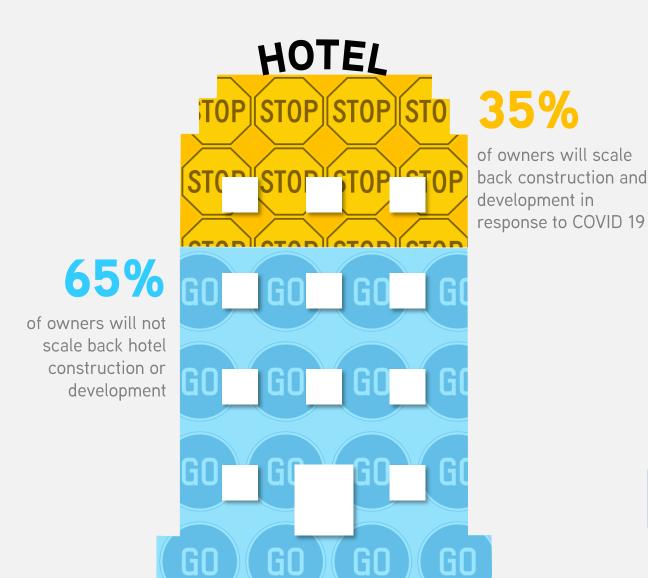


# How Hotel Owners with Existing Hotels are Responding to the COVID 19 Pandemic:



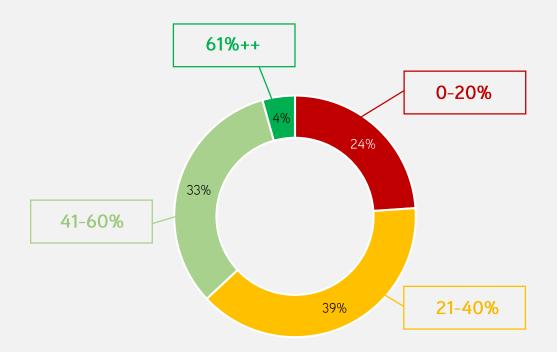


# How Owners with Hotels Under Construction and Development Plans are Responding to COVID 19:





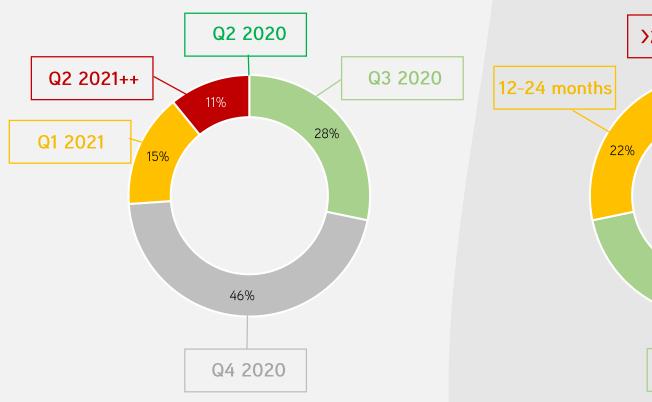
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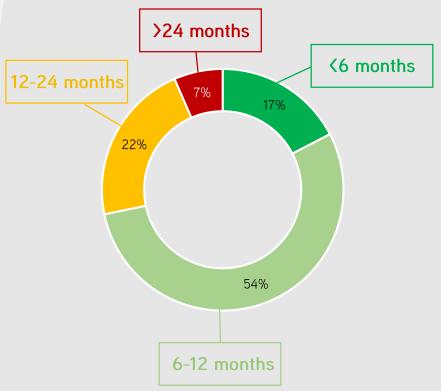




### **Start of Recovery**

## Time Expected for Hotel Market to Return to 2019 Occupancy







## **Expected Long Term Impact for the Industry:**





## Opportunities that Investors will Focus on in the Medium Term:





26% Acquisition.









