## CHTA Annual Industry Overview and Performance and Outlook Study

January 2020



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## 2019 Key Performance Snapshot



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Hotel Performance According to STR

- Record Year for Average Daily Rate (ADR) Up 5.6% and RePar
- Room Inventory Up 2.8% to 259,538
- Occupancy Down 2.7%
- Air Arrivals to Caribbean
- Up 4.4% in 2019 According to Forward Keys

**Overall Arrivals** 

- Up 4% First 9 Months 2019 According to Caribbean Tourism Organization Resilience From Hurricanes
- Tourism Performance and Hotel Inventory Nears Pre-2017 Hurricane Levels for Most of the Six Major Destinations Impacted by 2017 Storms
- Bahamas Experiencing Healthy Bounceback Overall from Hurricane Dorian Hotel Inventory in the Pipeline According to STR
- 4,451 New Rooms Brought on Stream in 2019



### CHTA Industry Performance and **Outlook St**udy

In January 2020 the Caribbean Hotel and Tourism Association conducted its fifth annual Industry Performance and Outlook survey. This was undertaken to assist the organization with gaining a better understanding of the state of the tourism economy, its outlook, and the degree to which a number of factors impact or may affect the tourism industry.

# SUMMARY OF RESULTS



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Assessing Hotel Performance in 2019 vs. 2018, outlook for 2020:

- Tourism Continues to Stimulate Job Creation nearly 49% reported employment up, 35% reported maintaining existing levels
- Sales/Revenue 60% reported sales/rev up, down 76% last year
- Capital Spending Up for 9<sup>th</sup> Consecutive Year two-thirds reported an increase in CapEx (increase over last year, where 61% reported an increase)
- Most hotels reporting some increase in ADR and occupancy
- Profit expecations about the same as last year 79% expect net profit, 21% expect loss
- Outlook for 2020...Remains strong



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#### Business Performance in 2019 vs. 2018

	DOWN MORE THAN 10%	DOWN SOME	SAME	UP SOME	UP MORE THAN 10%
Employment	9.76%	7.32%	34.15%	31.71%	17.07%
Sales/Revenue	10.00%	17.50%	12.50%	30.00%	30.00%
Pricing	5.00%	25.00%	37.50%	25.00%	7.50%
Profits	15.38%	23.08%	15.38%	35.90%	10.26%
Capital Spending	15.38%	0.00%	17.95%	35.90%	30.77%

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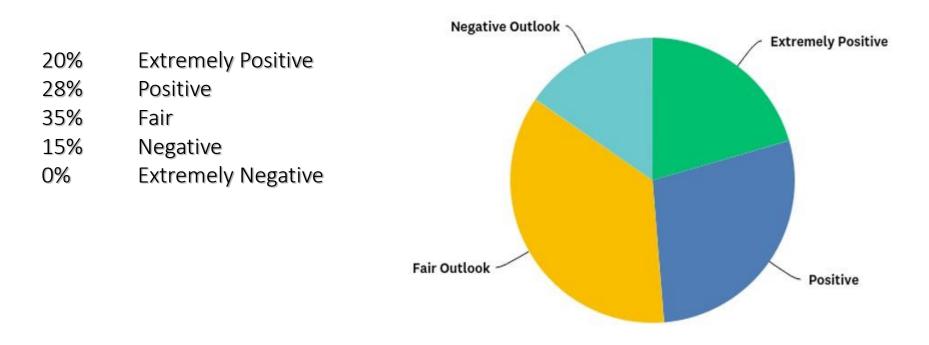
# LOOKING AHEAD TO 2020

#### Despite Areas of Concern, Overall Outlook Remains Positive



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## **Tourism Outlook for 2020**







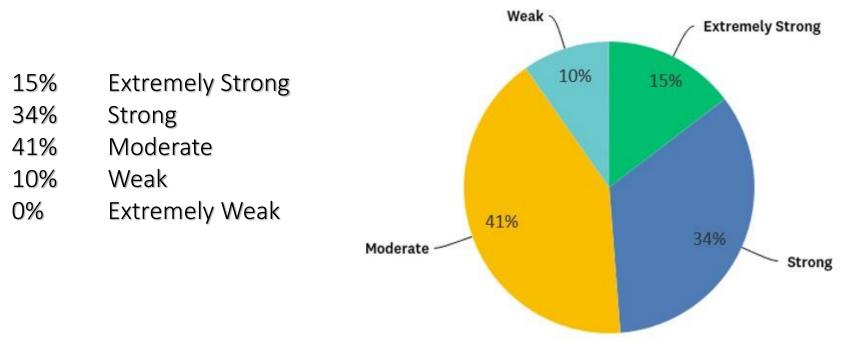
#### Expected Business Performance in 2020 vs. 2019

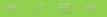
	DOWN SIGNIFICANTLY	DOWN SOME	SAME	UP SOME	UP SIGNIFICANTLY
Employment	0.00%	7.50%	62.50%	25.00%	5.00%
Sales/Revenue	0.00%	12.50%	10.00%	60.00%	17.50%
Profits	7.50%	10.00%	35.00%	40.00%	7.50%
Capital Spending	10.00%	15.00%	35.00%	32.50%	7.50%
Pricing	2.44%	12.20%	36.59%	43.90%	4.88%

# Strength of the Tourism Economy in the Caribbean Today



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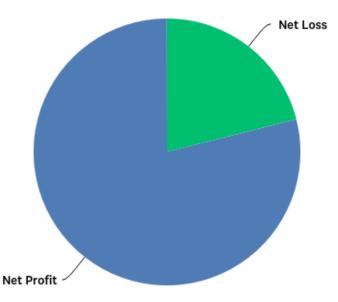




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## Net Profits are Anticipated in 2019

21% Net Loss79% Net Profit





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