Tech Sector Update





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## **MARKET TAKEAWAYS**



Tech leasing softens, but tenants continue to diversify their location preferences. Overall tech leasing volume dipped for the third straight quarter to almost half the pre-pandemic peak level at the end of 2019. However, tech tenants remain loyal to Midtown South and the World Trade Center submarket, while also eyeing Midtown's west side submarkets.



Landlords in Midtown South remain confident in demand for prime space in the market.

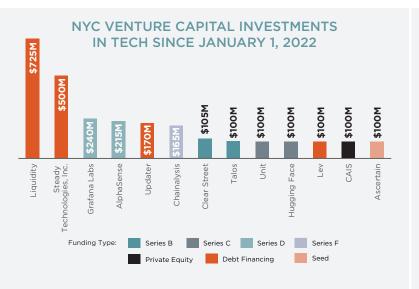
Asking rents grew a robust 3.1% on the quarter to \$83.49 psf, as several planned redevelopment projects were listed for premium rent of \$100.00 psf from potential anchor tenants.



Tech giants are scaling back on their workforce amidst concerns of a recession. Microsoft and Gopuff recently announced they will make cuts to their workforce, and Alphabet's Google announced it will slow the pace of hiring during the second half of the year.



Sublet space additions in the traditional tech-centric markets of Midtown South and Downtown outpaced new sublet availabilities in Midtown. As tech companies weigh their real estate needs, some are looking to dispose of their space. A recent example, Yelp announced it will close their NYC office on July 29 and be fully remote.



## NYC TOP 5 IPO'S SINCE OCTOBER 1ST

Company	Post Valuation (Billions)	
Rocket Global Acquisition	1.00	
NYIAX (NAS: NYX)	0.20	
Treasure Global	0.15	
BeBop Channel (PINX: BBOP)	Undisclosed	
Otis Wealth	Undisclosed	

KEY TECH MARKET	MIDTOWN SOUTH		DOWNTOWN	
STATISTICS	Q2 2021	Q2 2022	Q2 2021	Q2 2022
Availability	19.9%	18.1%	20.6%	23.1% 🛦
Sublease Space	4.6 MSF	3.9 MSF ▼	5.4 MSF	5.9 MSF ▲
Overall Asking Rent	\$79.98	\$83.49 🛦	\$59.80	\$60.27 🛦
Quarterly Leasing Activity	1.1 MSF	1.8 MSF 🛦	0.83 MSF	0.79 MSF 🔻

Source: Savills Research, Crunchbase, Pitchbook

## TOP 5 NYC TECH TENANTS IN THE MARKET

Tenant	Current Location	Approx. SF
Google	Multiple Locations	500,000
MongoDB	1633 Broadway	300,000
Oracle	315 Park Ave S, 120 Park Ave	200,000
TikTok	151 W 42nd St	100,000
Klarna	36 E 20th St	100,000



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