

# AMAZON KATY

## Fulfillment Center









AMAZON INVESTMENT GRADE TENANCY (S&P AA-)



MISSION-CRITICAL AMAZON LOCATION FOR A FULFILLMENT CENTER



MARK-TO-MARKET OPPORTUNITY AT EXPIRATION



12.3 YEARS REMAINING LEASE TERM

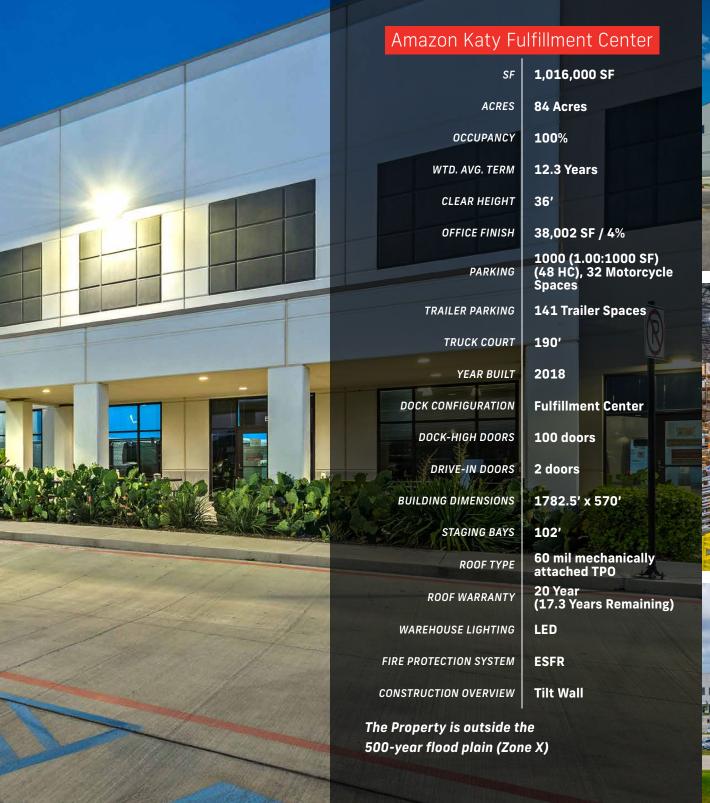
## INVESTMENT SUMMARY

Jones Lang LaSalle ("JLL"), on behalf of the owner, is pleased to present the opportunity to purchase the fee simple interest in the **Amazon Katy Fulfillment Center** (the "Property"), a 1,016,000 square foot fulfillment center in Houston, TX with 12.3 years of lease term remaining. Developed in 2018 by Duke Realty as a Build-to-Suit, the state-of-the-art warehouse is currently 100% leased to Amazon.com and offers 1.5% annual rent increases throughout the remainder of the term.

The Amazon Katy Fulfillment Center serves as a mission-critical facility for Amazon, as the building features an optimal layout for the tenant's logistical needs and is located in the highest growth area of Houston's MSA only 15 minutes from the city's population center. Amazon also put significant capital investment into the building, including a \$3.5 million two-level Hazmat Room located in the Northeast section of the building.

The highly functional facility employs 1,600 people and ships 40,000 packages per day in 22 hours of operation. The property's rent is currently 19.5% below market, especially when compared to the other fulfillment center in the city, which will position a new owner to capture an increase in rental rates at lease expiration due to rising land prices and higher construction costs in West Houston. The Katy Fulfillment Center represents a unique opportunity to acquire best-in-class product in a core industrial location that is long-term net leased to one of the most desirable tenants in the world.











## INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS



### Newly Constructed, State-of-the-Art Facility

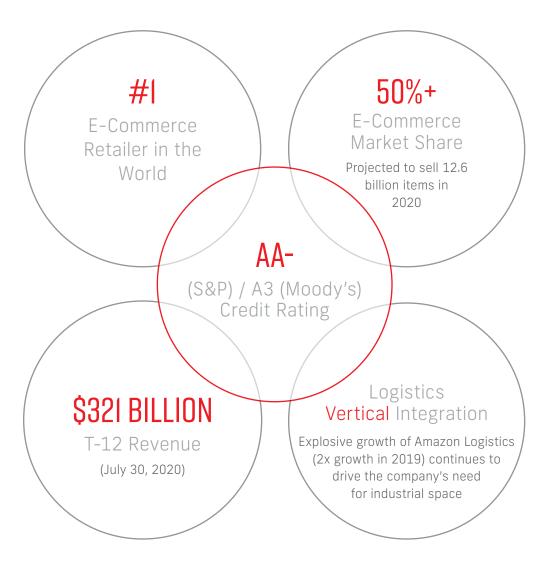
Constructed in 2018 as a build-to-suit by Duke Realty, The Amazon Katy Fulfillment Center is a state-of-the-art fulfillment center providing all amenities and building characteristics sophisticated tenants have come to expect in modern industrial warehouses. The 84-acre site allows for ample parking for it's 1,600 employees with 1,048 parking spaces and 141 trailer spaces. The 1,016,000-squarefoot building has 36' clear heights, LED lighting, ESFR fire system, and 2 drive-in doors.

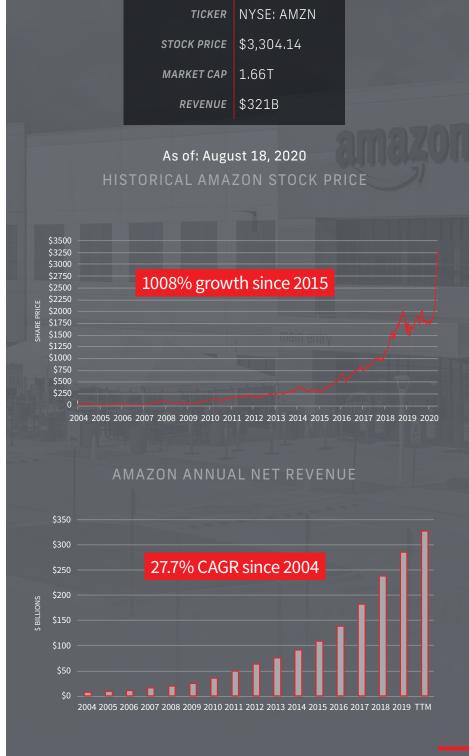




#### Amazon Investment Grade Tenancy (S&P AA-)

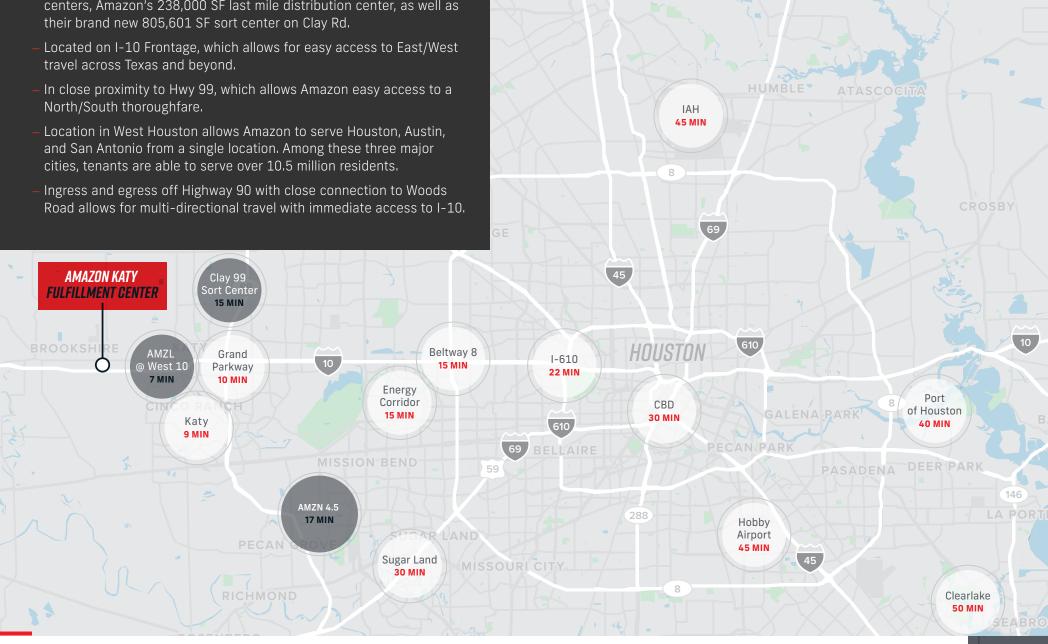
The #1 E-Commerce retailer in the world, Amazon.com, Inc. (the 'Guarantor') is one of the most sought-after tenants in the country and maintains one of the strongest retention ratios in the buildings they occupy. The company boasts a AA- credit rating by S&P and A3 by Moody's with \$280 billion in 2019 revenue with 10-year corporate bonds trading at 1.50%.





#### ) Mission Critical Location for an Amazon Fulfillment Center

 The Katy Fulfillment Center is located with exceptional proximity to the center of Houston's geographical population, major employment centers, Amazon's 238,000 SF last mile distribution center, as well as their brand new 805,601 SF sort center on Clay Rd.



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The Katy Fulfillment Center allows a new owner the opportunity to capitalize on below market rents upon Amazon's lease expiration. The historic rise in land prices in West Houston coupled with rising construction costs will continue to drive rental rates up in the submarket and will perfectly position existing best-in-class assets, such as the Amazon Katy Fulfillment Center, to capture rent increases once in-place leases expire. In addition, Amazon's current rent is significantly below other comparable fulfillment centers in the region.

#### North Houston Fulfillment Center

**ADDRESS** 

10550 Ella Blvd, Houston, TX 77038

**SIZE** 855,000 SF

YEAR BUILT 2017

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#### San Marcos Fulfillment Center

**ADDRESS** 

1401 East McCarty Ln, San Marcos, TX 78666

SIZE

855,000 SF

YEAR BUILT 2016

HOUSTON

#### Amazon Katy Fulfillment Center

**ADDRESS** 

31555 US-90, Brookshire, TX 77423

**SIZE** 1,016,000 SF

YEAR BUILT | 2018

Schertz Fulfillment Center

ADDRESS 6000 Schertz Pkwy Shertz, TX 78154

**SIZE** 1,269,000 SF

YEAR BUILT 2013

**GULF OF MEXICO** 

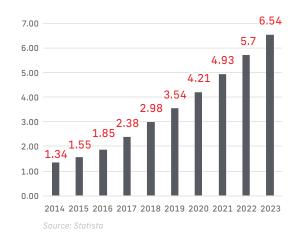


#### Growth of E-commerce

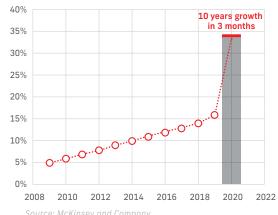
The rapid growth of e-commerce has continued to lead to rampant growth in the industrial property sector. A projected \$3,54 trillion was spent on e-commerce in 2019 globally, which results in 19% growth over 2018. Because of the recent pandemic, U.S. e-commerce penetration jumped to more than 25% in April of 2020, up from 15% at year-end 2019. The disruption e-commerce has caused to brick and mortar stores should have a very minimal impact on logistics supply and demand as major retailers who have announced bankruptcies in 2020 account for less than 20 bps of total U.S. logistics real estate market occupancy.

#### E-COMMERCE SALES GROWTH

in Trillion U.S. Dollars



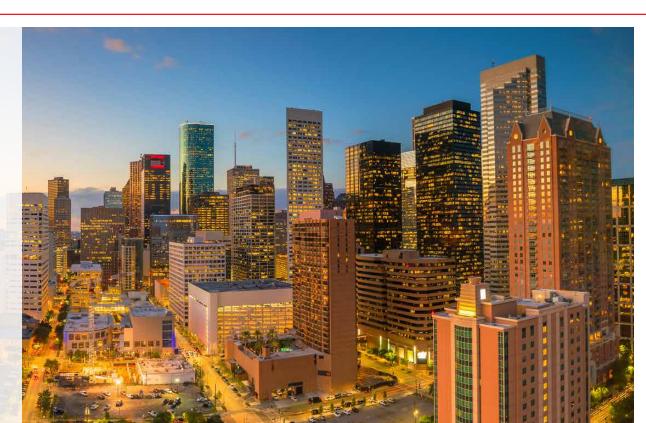
#### U.S. E-COMMERCE PENETRATION

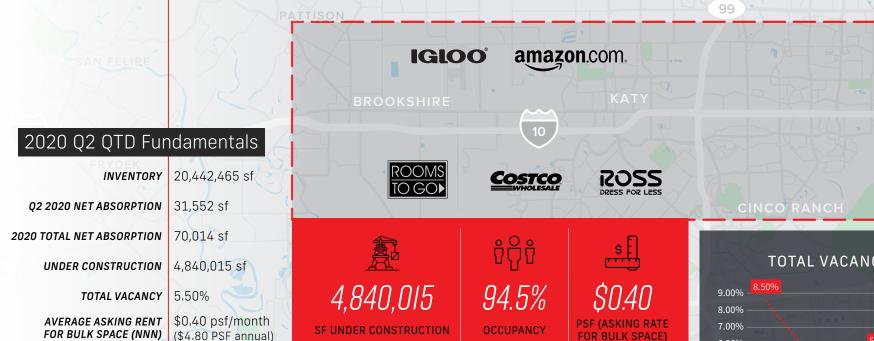




### Houston: Nation-Leading Growth

The Houston MSA covers nearly 10,000 square miles and is home to over 3 million jobs. It is a global gateway city, boasting a history of impressive GDP, population, and employment growth. Since 9/11, Houston has added 2.3 million residents, equal to the size of Austin. In 2019, Houston ranked #3 in U.S. population growth, adding 90k new residents; only DFW and Phoenix ranked higher.







#### Houston's Most Dynamic Submarket

As Houston's population migration continues to move West and Northwest, demand for quality industrial space in the coveted West Houston submarket remains strong and there is a lack of available land for future development. The submarket has 20,442,465 square feet of industrial space that is currently 94.5% occupied with 9% of the submarket inventory being built in the last 18 months. During that period, vacancy has remained relatively constant.

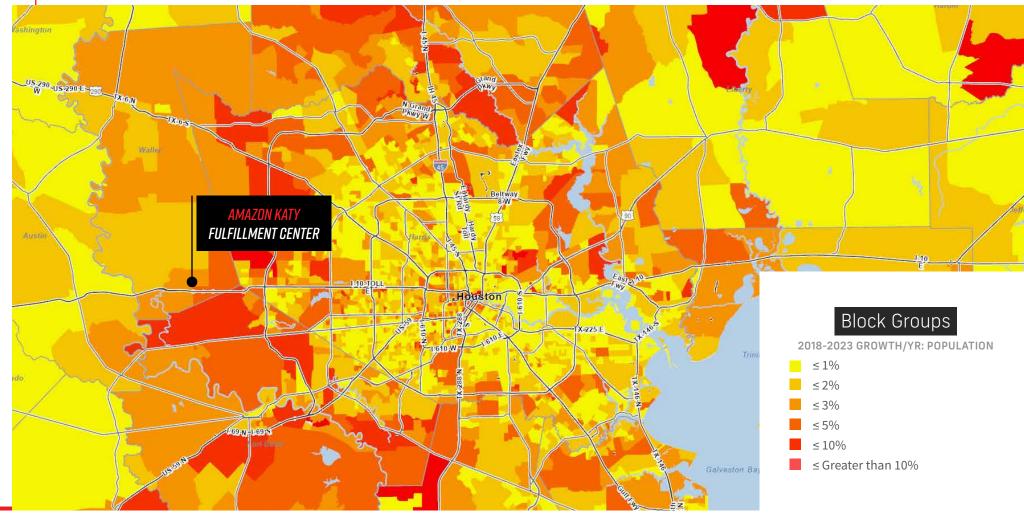
The West Houston submarket is quickly becoming the most desired industrial submarket in the city, as low vacancy continues to beat market averages due to over 1.8 million square feet of net absorption in 2019 and through the first half of 2020. The submarket contains other significant corporate users including Amazon, Igloo, Rooms To Go, Costco Wholesale, Ross Dress for Less, Southern Glazers, MedLine, Bel Furniture and many others.





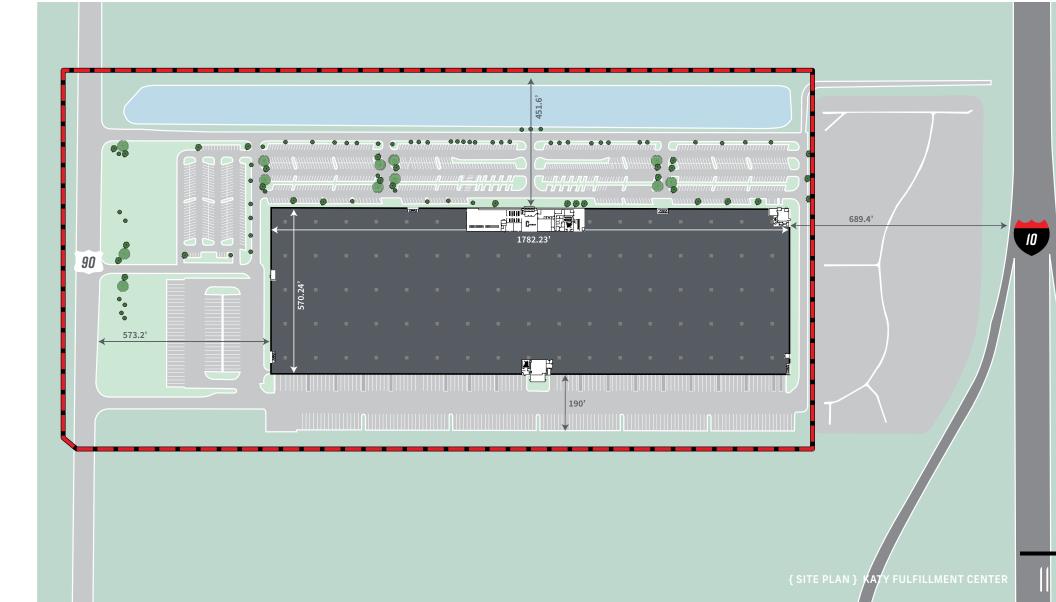
#### West Houston Population Boom

Approximately 375,000 people reside in the Katy area, which makes it larger in population than either Pittsburgh, PA or Cincinnati, OH. Population has shown strong growth at a rate over 3% annually, and the population is expected to grow to 440,000 people by the year 2024, with employment growth demonstrating trends similar to the population growth. The civilian employed population in the Katy area is 186,000, with growth projected to over 227,000 persons by the year 2024 (20.3%). The Katy area has an unemployment rate of below 5%. The average household income is \$129,000 and is projected to increase to \$142,000 by the year 2024. The strong household income number is fueled by educational attainment above the national average, with over 47.7% of the population having a bachelor's/graduate degree.









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