# **Monthly Indicators**

**Lincoln Area Region** 



### October 2022

Existing home sales declined nationwide for the eighth consecutive month, falling 1.5% as of last measure, according to the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR), with sales down nearly 24% from the same period last year. Pending home sales also declined, dropping 10.9% month-to-month, exceeding economists' expectations. Stubbornly high inflation and soaring borrowing costs have eroded buyer purchasing power and have caused the market to cool rapidly this year.

New Listings increased 16.7 percent for New Construction but decreased 6.7 percent for Existing Homes. Pending Sales decreased 51.8 percent for New Construction and 24.6 percent for Existing Homes. Inventory increased 26.3 percent for New Construction and 14.7 percent for Existing Homes.

Median Closed Price increased 4.9 percent for New Construction and 6.3 percent for Existing Homes. Days on Market increased 66.7 percent for New Construction and 10.0 percent for Existing Homes. Months Supply of Inventory increased 43.2 percent for New Construction and 25.0 percent for Existing Homes.

The US housing market is undergoing a major shift, and affordability continues to be an obstacle for buyers and sellers. Mortgage rates have doubled since March, and home prices remain elevated due to a limited supply of homes, although price gains are slowing at a quickening pace. As a result, many homeowners are waiting until market conditions improve to sell their home, while other sellers are increasingly cutting prices and offering concessions to attract a greater number of buyers.

### **Quick Facts**

- 20.0% + 8.8% + 20.2%

Change in Change in Change in Change in Homes for Sale
All Properties All Properties All Properties

This report covers residential real estate activity in the Lincoln area, which includes all of Lancaster and Seward counties, as well as the following ZIP codes: 68003, 68304, 68347, 68349, 68366, 68407, 68418, 68454, 68461 and 68462. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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# **New Construction Overview**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year. New Construction properties only.



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	10-2021	10-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	102	119	+ 16.7%	1,019	1,079	+ 5.9%
Pending Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	56	27	- 51.8%	638	540	- 15.4%
Closed Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	63	52	- 17.5%	596	711	+ 19.3%
Days on Market Until Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	27	45	+ 66.7%	41	41	0.0%
Median Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$395,976	\$415,379	+ 4.9%	\$363,629	\$405,665	+ 11.6%
Average Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$397,942	\$441,684	+ 11.0%	\$374,856	\$429,153	+ 14.5%
Percent of List Price Received	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	101.5%	100.8%	- 0.7%	101.2%	101.4%	+ 0.2%
Housing Affordability Index	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	105	70	- 33.3%	115	72	- 37.4%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	270	341	+ 26.3%	_		_
Months Supply of Inventory	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	4.4	6.3	+ 43.2%	_		_

# **Existing Homes Overview**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year. Existing Homes properties only.

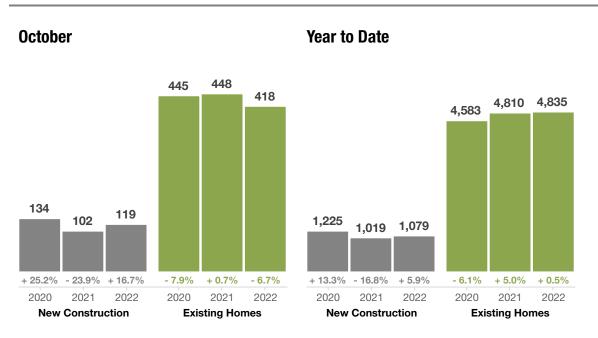


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	10-2021	10-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	448	418	- 6.7%	4,810	4,835	+ 0.5%
Pending Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	382	288	- 24.6%	4,004	3,739	- 6.6%
Closed Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	427	340	- 20.4%	3,840	3,701	- 3.6%
Days on Market Until Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	10	11	+ 10.0%	8	9	+ 12.5%
Median Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$240,000	\$255,000	+ 6.3%	\$235,500	\$256,000	+ 8.7%
Average Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$271,971	\$298,112	+ 9.6%	\$270,648	\$296,982	+ 9.7%
Percent of List Price Received	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	100.0%	99.4%	- 0.6%	102.0%	101.5%	- 0.5%
Housing Affordability Index	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	174	115	- 33.9%	177	114	- 35.6%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	300	344	+ 14.7%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	0.8	1.0	+ 25.0%	_		_

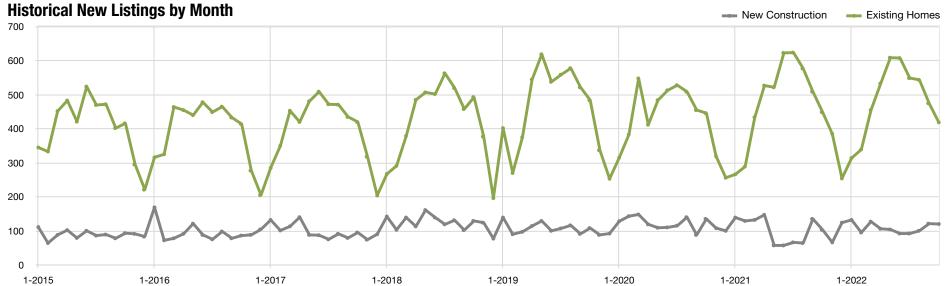
# **New Listings**

A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.





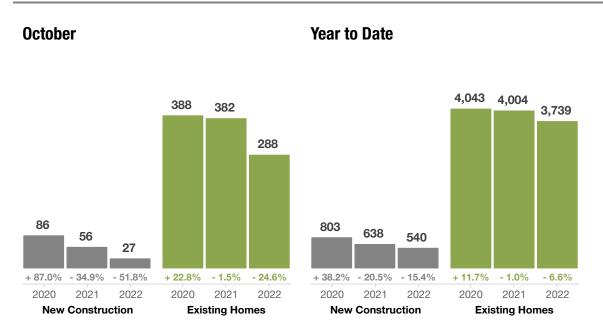
New Listings	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	65	- 39.3%	384	+ 20.8%
Dec-2021	123	+ 24.2%	253	- 0.8%
Jan-2022	131	- 5.1%	313	+ 18.1%
Feb-2022	94	- 26.6%	338	+ 17.4%
Mar-2022	126	- 3.8%	454	+ 4.8%
Apr-2022	105	- 28.1%	532	+ 1.1%
May-2022	103	+ 83.9%	608	+ 16.7%
Jun-2022	91	+ 62.5%	607	- 2.4%
Jul-2022	91	+ 40.0%	548	- 12.0%
Aug-2022	99	+ 57.1%	543	- 5.7%
Sep-2022	120	- 10.4%	474	- 6.7%
Oct-2022	119	+ 16.7%	418	- 6.7%
12-Month Avg	106	+ 3.9%	456	+ 1.6%



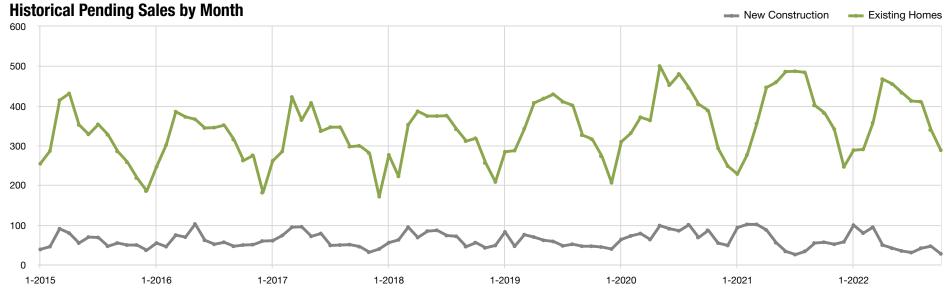
# **Pending Sales**

A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.





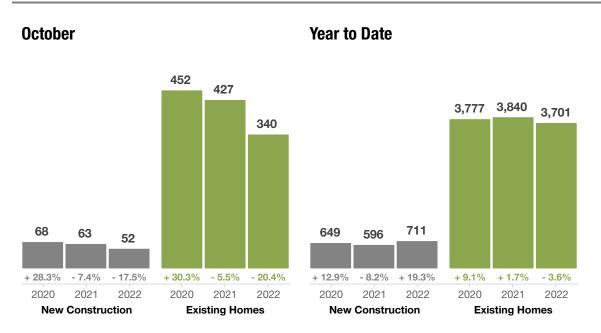
Pending Sales	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	51	- 5.6%	341	+ 16.4%
Dec-2021	57	+ 18.8%	246	- 0.8%
Jan-2022	99	+ 6.5%	288	+ 26.3%
Feb-2022	79	- 21.8%	290	+ 5.1%
Mar-2022	94	- 6.9%	357	+ 0.6%
Apr-2022	49	- 43.7%	467	+ 4.7%
May-2022	41	- 25.5%	455	- 0.9%
Jun-2022	34	+ 3.0%	433	- 10.9%
Jul-2022	30	+ 20.0%	412	- 15.4%
Aug-2022	41	+ 24.2%	410	- 15.3%
Sep-2022	46	- 14.8%	339	- 15.5%
Oct-2022	27	- 51.8%	288	- 24.6%
12-Month Avg	54	- 12.9%	361	- 4.7%



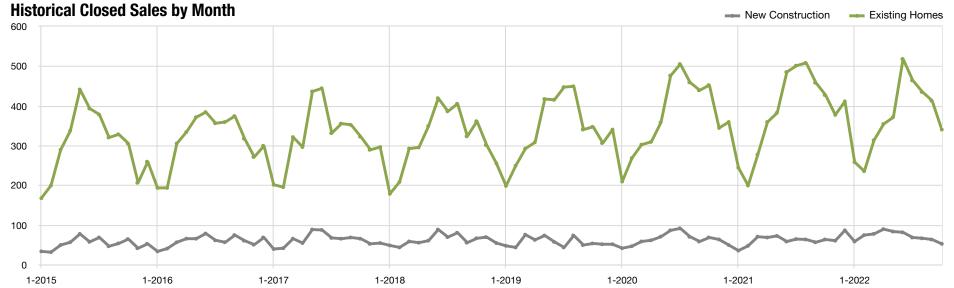
### **Closed Sales**

A count of the actual sales that closed in a given month.





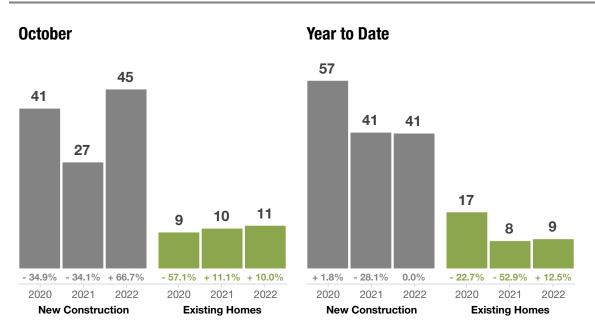
Closed Sales	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	60	- 4.8%	377	+ 9.6%
Dec-2021	86	+ 75.5%	411	+ 14.5%
Jan-2022	58	+ 65.7%	258	+ 5.7%
Feb-2022	74	+ 57.4%	235	+ 18.1%
Mar-2022	77	+ 10.0%	313	+ 13.0%
Apr-2022	89	+ 30.9%	354	- 1.4%
May-2022	83	+ 15.3%	371	- 2.9%
Jun-2022	81	+ 39.7%	518	+ 6.8%
Jul-2022	68	+ 6.3%	464	- 7.4%
Aug-2022	66	+ 4.8%	435	- 14.4%
Sep-2022	63	+ 12.5%	413	- 9.8%
Oct-2022	52	- 17.5%	340	- 20.4%
12-Month Avg	71	+ 20.3%	374	- 1.3%



# **Days on Market Until Sale**

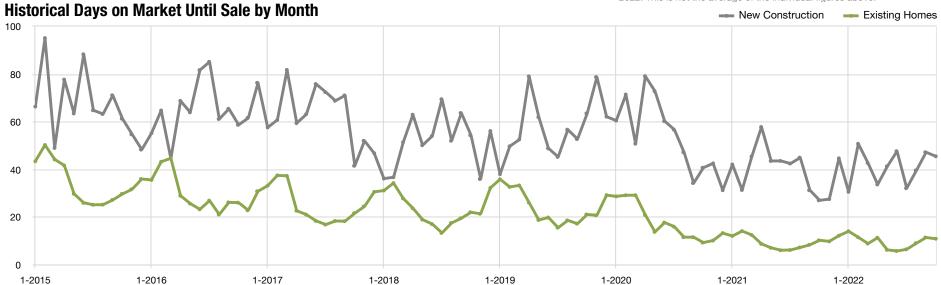
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	27	- 35.7%	10	0.0%
Dec-2021	45	+ 45.2%	12	- 7.7%
Jan-2022	31	- 26.2%	14	+ 16.7%
Feb-2022	51	+ 64.5%	11	- 21.4%
Mar-2022	43	- 4.4%	9	- 25.0%
Apr-2022	34	- 41.4%	11	+ 22.2%
May-2022	41	- 4.7%	6	- 14.3%
Jun-2022	48	+ 9.1%	6	0.0%
Jul-2022	32	- 23.8%	6	0.0%
Aug-2022	40	- 11.1%	9	+ 28.6%
Sep-2022	47	+ 51.6%	11	+ 37.5%
Oct-2022	45	+ 66.7%	11	+ 10.0%
12-Month Avg*	40	- 0.8%	9	+ 4.2%

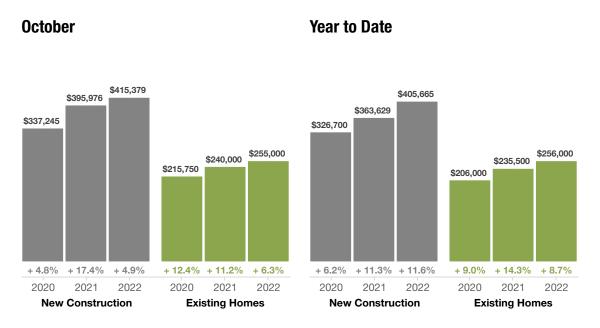
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## **Median Closed Price**

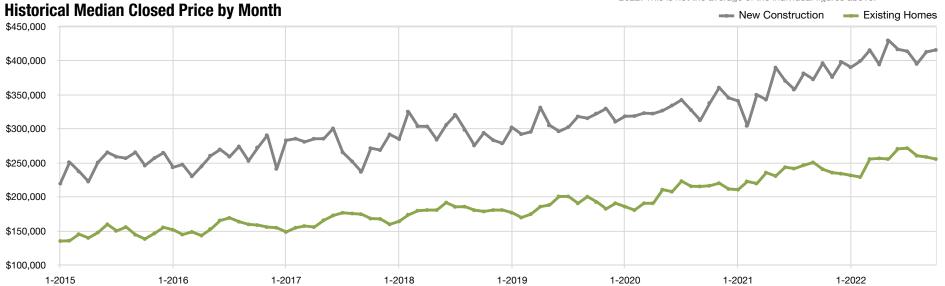
Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.





Median Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	\$375,581	+ 4.3%	\$235,000	+ 7.1%
Dec-2021	\$397,805	+ 15.3%	\$233,500	+ 10.7%
Jan-2022	\$389,962	+ 14.6%	\$231,000	+ 10.0%
Feb-2022	\$399,057	+ 31.3%	\$228,500	+ 2.9%
Mar-2022	\$415,082	+ 18.8%	\$255,000	+ 16.4%
Apr-2022	\$394,033	+ 15.1%	\$256,000	+ 8.9%
May-2022	\$429,375	+ 10.2%	\$255,000	+ 10.9%
Jun-2022	\$416,297	+ 12.5%	\$270,000	+ 11.1%
Jul-2022	\$413,456	+ 15.8%	\$271,000	+ 12.4%
Aug-2022	\$394,900	+ 3.7%	\$259,900	+ 5.7%
Sep-2022	\$412,470	+ 10.8%	\$258,000	+ 3.2%
Oct-2022	\$415,379	+ 4.9%	\$255,000	+ 6.3%
12-Month Avg*	\$402,500	+ 11.8%	\$251,550	+ 7.6%

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# **Average Closed Price**

Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.

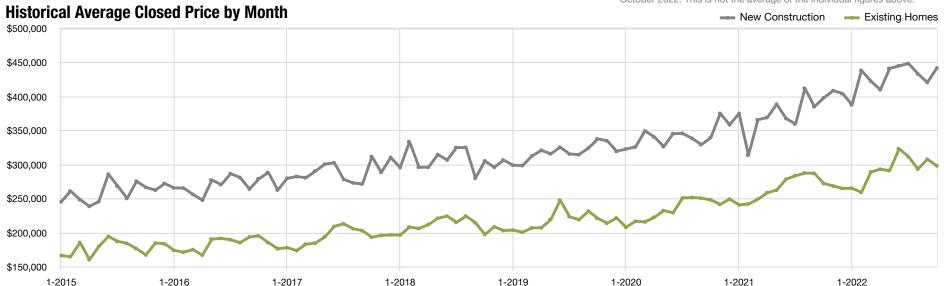


#### **Lincoln Area Region**

#### **Year to Date October** \$441,684 \$429,153 \$397,942 \$374,856 \$339,299 \$337,554 \$298,112 \$296,982 \$271,971 \$270,648 \$247,860 \$235,989 + 12.2% + 9.7% + 9.6% + 0.5% + 17.3% + 11.0% + 6.6% + 11.1% + 14.5% + 7.3% + 14.7% + 9.7% 2020 2021 2022 2020 2021 2022 2020 2021 2022 2020 2021 2022 **New Construction Existing Homes New Construction Existing Homes**

Average Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	\$408,468	+ 8.9%	\$268,353	+ 11.2%
Dec-2021	\$404,308	+ 12.8%	\$264,771	+ 6.3%
Jan-2022	\$387,667	+ 3.4%	\$264,933	+ 10.1%
Feb-2022	\$438,243	+ 39.8%	\$259,064	+ 7.1%
Mar-2022	\$422,564	+ 15.6%	\$288,838	+ 16.1%
Apr-2022	\$409,771	+ 11.0%	\$292,978	+ 13.3%
May-2022	\$441,112	+ 13.5%	\$290,924	+ 10.9%
Jun-2022	\$445,017	+ 21.1%	\$323,057	+ 16.1%
Jul-2022	\$448,369	+ 24.7%	\$311,573	+ 9.9%
Aug-2022	\$433,212	+ 5.2%	\$293,171	+ 2.0%
Sep-2022	\$420,559	+ 9.2%	\$307,604	+ 7.2%
Oct-2022	\$441,684	+ 11.0%	\$298,112	+ 9.6%
12-Month Avg*	\$425,203	+ 13.8%	\$291,627	+ 9.3%

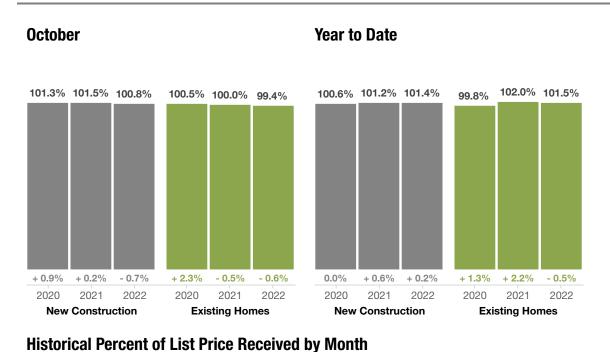
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### **Percent of List Price Received**

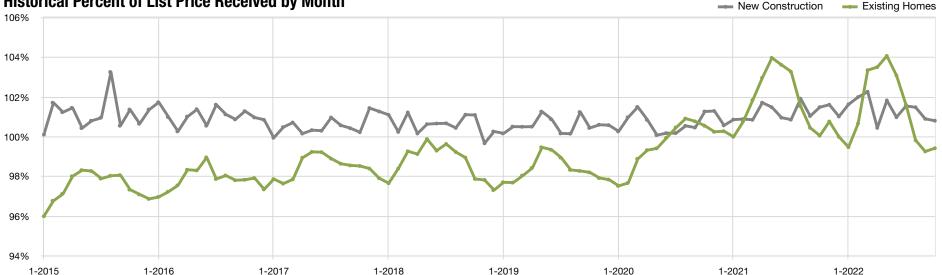


Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its most recent list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



Pct. of List Price Received	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	101.6%	+ 0.3%	100.8%	+ 0.6%
Dec-2021	101.0%	+ 0.4%	100.0%	- 0.3%
Jan-2022	101.6%	+ 0.8%	99.5%	- 0.5%
Feb-2022	102.0%	+ 1.1%	100.7%	0.0%
Mar-2022	102.3%	+ 1.5%	103.3%	+ 1.5%
Apr-2022	100.4%	- 1.3%	103.5%	+ 0.5%
May-2022	101.8%	+ 0.3%	104.1%	+ 0.1%
Jun-2022	101.0%	+ 0.1%	103.1%	- 0.5%
Jul-2022	101.5%	+ 0.7%	101.6%	- 1.6%
Aug-2022	101.5%	- 0.4%	99.8%	- 1.7%
Sep-2022	100.9%	- 0.1%	99.2%	- 1.2%
Oct-2022	100.8%	- 0.7%	99.4%	- 0.6%
12-Month Avg*	101.4%	+ 0.2%	101.3%	- 0.4%

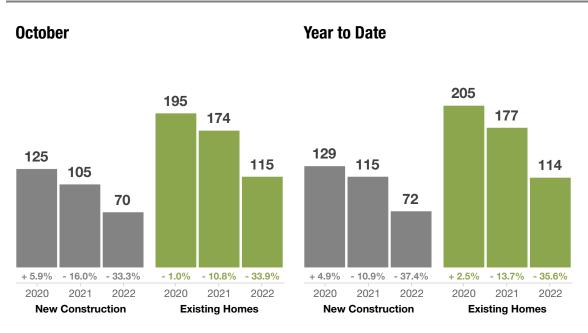
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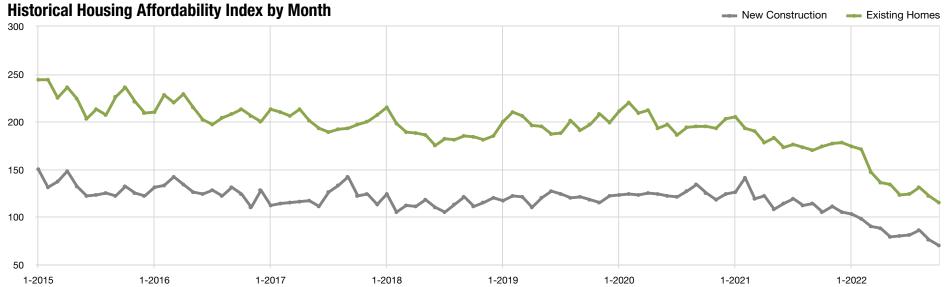
# **Housing Affordability Index**



This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.



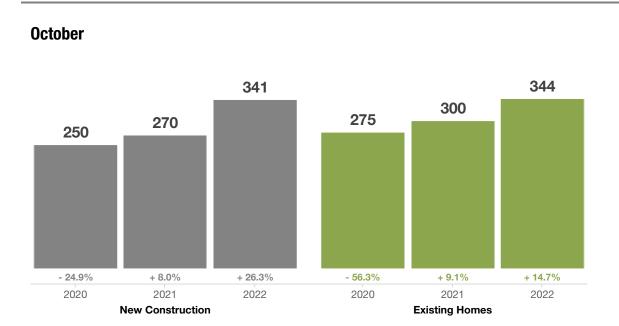
Affordability Index	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	111	- 5.9%	177	- 8.3%
Dec-2021	105	- 15.3%	178	- 12.3%
Jan-2022	103	- 18.3%	174	- 15.1%
Feb-2022	98	- 30.5%	171	- 11.4%
Mar-2022	90	- 24.4%	147	- 22.6%
Apr-2022	88	- 27.9%	136	- 23.6%
May-2022	79	- 26.9%	134	- 26.8%
Jun-2022	80	- 29.8%	123	- 28.9%
Jul-2022	81	- 31.9%	124	- 29.5%
Aug-2022	86	- 23.2%	131	- 24.3%
Sep-2022	76	- 33.3%	122	- 28.2%
Oct-2022	70	- 33.3%	115	- 33.9%
12-Month Avg	89	- 25.2%	144	- 21.7%



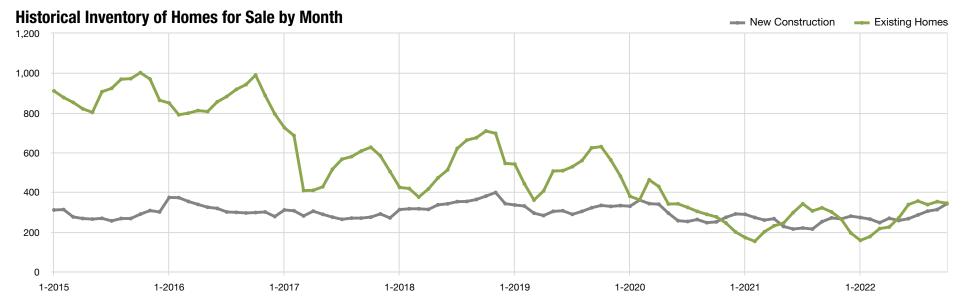
# **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.





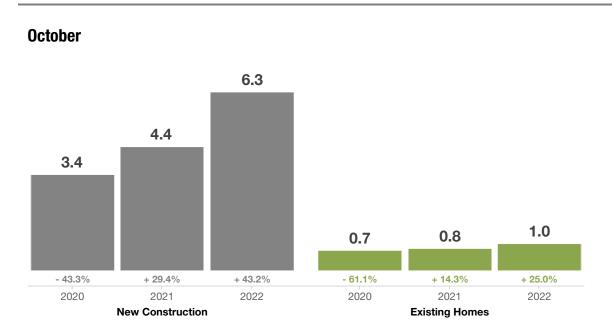
Homes for Sale	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	265	- 2.9%	264	+ 8.2%
Dec-2021	279	- 3.8%	194	- 2.5%
Jan-2022	272	- 5.6%	157	- 8.2%
Feb-2022	264	- 2.9%	176	+ 15.8%
Mar-2022	246	- 5.0%	216	+ 8.0%
Apr-2022	268	+ 0.8%	224	- 2.6%
May-2022	257	+ 13.2%	270	+ 10.7%
Jun-2022	266	+ 24.3%	337	+ 13.5%
Jul-2022	285	+ 30.1%	355	+ 4.1%
Aug-2022	304	+ 42.1%	337	+ 10.5%
Sep-2022	312	+ 24.3%	352	+ 9.7%
Oct-2022	341	+ 26.3%	344	+ 14.7%
12-Month Avg	280	+ 10.2%	269	+ 7.6%



# **Months Supply of Inventory**

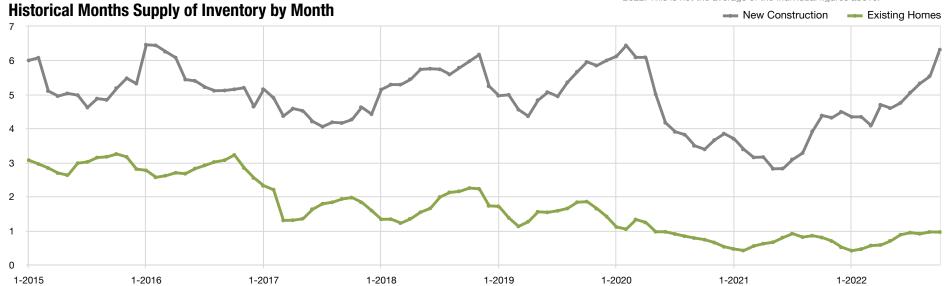
The inventory of homes for sale at the end of a given month, divided by the average monthly pending sales from the last 12 months.





Months Supply	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2021	4.3	+ 16.2%	0.7	+ 16.7%
Dec-2021	4.5	+ 18.4%	0.5	0.0%
Jan-2022	4.3	+ 16.2%	0.4	- 20.0%
Feb-2022	4.3	+ 26.5%	0.5	+ 25.0%
Mar-2022	4.1	+ 32.3%	0.6	+ 20.0%
Apr-2022	4.7	+ 46.9%	0.6	0.0%
May-2022	4.6	+ 64.3%	0.7	0.0%
Jun-2022	4.8	+ 71.4%	0.9	+ 12.5%
Jul-2022	5.1	+ 64.5%	0.9	0.0%
Aug-2022	5.3	+ 60.6%	0.9	+ 12.5%
Sep-2022	5.5	+ 41.0%	1.0	+ 25.0%
Oct-2022	6.3	+ 43.2%	1.0	+ 25.0%
12-Month Avg*	4.8	+ 40.4%	0.7	+ 6.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Months Supply for all properties from November 2021 through October 2022. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



# **New and Existing Homes Combined**

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year.



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	10-2021	10-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	550	537	- 2.4%	5,829	5,914	+ 1.5%
Pending Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	438	315	- 28.1%	4,642	4,279	- 7.8%
Closed Sales	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	490	392	- 20.0%	4,436	4,412	- 0.5%
Days on Market Until Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	12	15	+ 25.0%	13	14	+ 7.7%
Median Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$250,514	\$272,500	+ 8.8%	\$250,000	\$280,000	+ 12.0%
Average Closed Price	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	\$288,167	\$317,158	+ 10.1%	\$284,652	\$318,236	+ 11.8%
Percent of List Price Received	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	100.2%	99.6%	- 0.6%	101.9%	101.5%	- 0.4%
Housing Affordability Index	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	166	107	- 35.5%	167	104	- 37.7%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	570	685	+ 20.2%	_	_	_
Months Supply of Inventory	10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022	1.3	1.7	+ 30.8%	_	_	_