# **Monthly Indicators**

**Omaha Area Region** 



### **April 2022**

The average 30-year fixed rate mortgage exceeded 5% in April, the highest level since 2011, according to Freddie Mac. The recent surge in mortgage rates has reduced the pool of eligible buyers and has caused mortgage applications to decline, with a significant impact on refinance applications, which are down more than 70% compared to this time last year. As the rising costs of homeownership force many Americans to adjust their budgets, an increasing number of buyers are hoping to help offset the costs by moving from bigger, more expensive cities to smaller areas that offer a more affordable cost of living.

New Listings increased 20.1 percent for New Construction but decreased 13.5 percent for Existing Homes. Pending Sales decreased 16.7 percent for New Construction and 9.4 percent for Existing Homes. Inventory increased 61.0 percent for New Construction but decreased 17.2 percent for Existing Homes.

Median Closed Price increased 19.0 percent for New Construction and 15.1 percent for Existing Homes. Days on Market decreased 17.0 percent for New Construction and 28.6 percent for Existing Homes. Months Supply of Inventory increased 216.7 percent for New Construction but decreased 16.7 percent for Existing Homes.

Affordability challenges are limiting buying activity, and early signs suggest competition for homes may be cooling somewhat. Nationally, existing home sales are down 2.7% as of last measure, while pending sales dropped 1.2%, marking 5 straight months of under contract declines, according to the National Association of REALTORS®. Inventory remains low, with only 2 months supply at present, and home prices continue to rise, with the median existing home at \$373,500, a 15% increase from this time last year. Homes are still selling quickly, however, and multiple offers are common in many markets.

### **Quick Facts**

- 2.4% + 15.6% + 5.9%

Change in Change in Change in

Closed Sales
All Properties

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Homes for Sale

All Properties

All Properties

This report covers residential real estate activity in the Omaha area, which includes the counties of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy, Saunders and Washington in Nebraska; the counties of Harrison, Mills and Pottawattamie in Iowa; and the following ZIP codes: 68037 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	4-2021	4-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	209	251	+ 20.1%	1,105	904	- 18.2%
Pending Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	156	130	- 16.7%	955	678	- 29.0%
Closed Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	159	165	+ 3.8%	635	654	+ 3.0%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	47	39	- 17.0%	50	31	- 38.0%
Median Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$356,702	\$424,450	+ 19.0%	\$355,474	\$405,767	+ 14.1%
Average Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$370,758	\$467,033	+ 26.0%	\$377,137	\$449,114	+ 19.1%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	101.4%	102.2%	+ 0.8%	101.3%	101.9%	+ 0.6%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	117	77	- 34.2%	117	80	- 31.6%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	290	467	+ 61.0%	_	_	_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1.2	3.8	+ 216.7%	_	_	_

# **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.

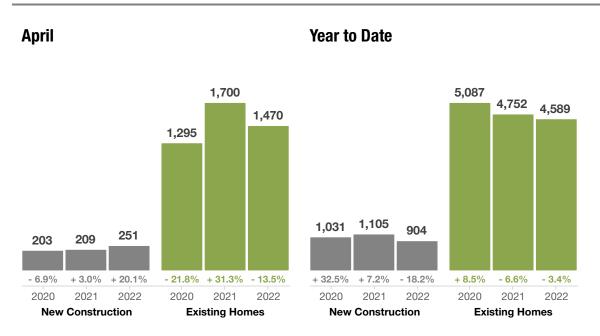


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	4-2021	4-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,700	1,470	- 13.5%	4,752	4,589	- 3.4%
Pending Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,389	1,258	- 9.4%	4,119	3,992	- 3.1%
Closed Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,044	1,009	- 3.4%	3,227	3,194	- 1.0%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	7	5	- 28.6%	11	9	- 18.2%
Median Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$235,000	\$270,500	+ 15.1%	\$225,000	\$250,700	+ 11.4%
Average Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$267,825	\$304,275	+ 13.6%	\$256,110	\$287,693	+ 12.3%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	102.7%	104.4%	+ 1.7%	101.3%	102.8%	+ 1.5%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	178	121	- 32.0%	186	130	- 30.1%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	691	572	- 17.2%	_		_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	0.6	0.5	- 16.7%	_	-	_

## **New Listings**

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





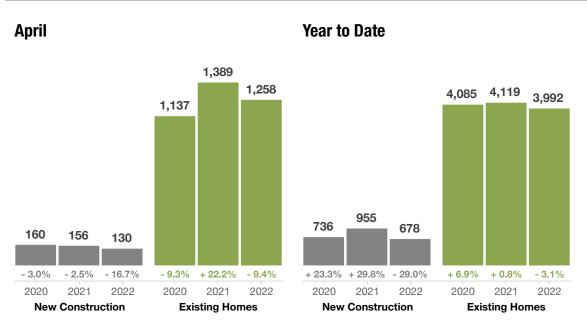
New Listings	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	154	- 49.5%	1,519	- 4.5%
Jun-2021	160	- 48.9%	1,808	+ 17.4%
Jul-2021	133	- 50.2%	1,665	+ 1.1%
Aug-2021	186	- 31.4%	1,463	+ 3.3%
Sep-2021	227	- 16.2%	1,464	+ 1.8%
Oct-2021	272	+ 19.8%	1,357	- 2.6%
Nov-2021	130	- 47.2%	988	+ 14.9%
Dec-2021	167	- 26.8%	630	- 16.0%
Jan-2022	248	- 17.3%	774	- 3.9%
Feb-2022	194	- 25.7%	978	+ 13.1%
Mar-2022	211	- 37.0%	1,367	- 1.1%
Apr-2022	251	+ 20.1%	1,470	- 13.5%
12-Month Avg	194	- 27.9%	1,290	+ 0.6%



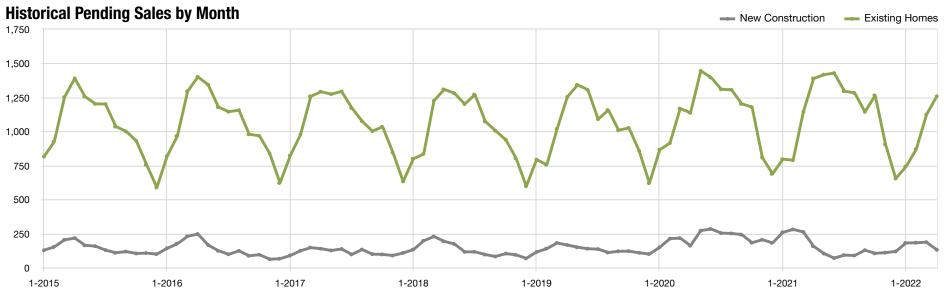
## **Pending Sales**

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





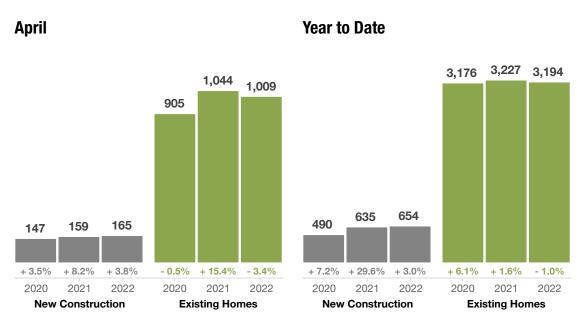
Pending Sales	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	103	- 62.0%	1,417	- 1.9%
Jun-2021	69	- 75.6%	1,429	+ 2.3%
Jul-2021	91	- 64.0%	1,296	- 1.1%
Aug-2021	88	- 64.8%	1,283	- 1.8%
Sep-2021	127	- 47.5%	1,144	- 4.9%
Oct-2021	104	- 42.9%	1,265	+ 7.3%
Nov-2021	109	- 46.6%	906	+ 12.0%
Dec-2021	118	- 34.8%	654	- 4.9%
Jan-2022	180	- 30.2%	741	- 6.9%
Feb-2022	182	- 35.0%	869	+ 10.1%
Mar-2022	186	- 28.7%	1,124	- 1.8%
Apr-2022	130	- 16.7%	1,258	- 9.4%
12-Month Avg	124	- 47.2%	1,116	- 0.4%



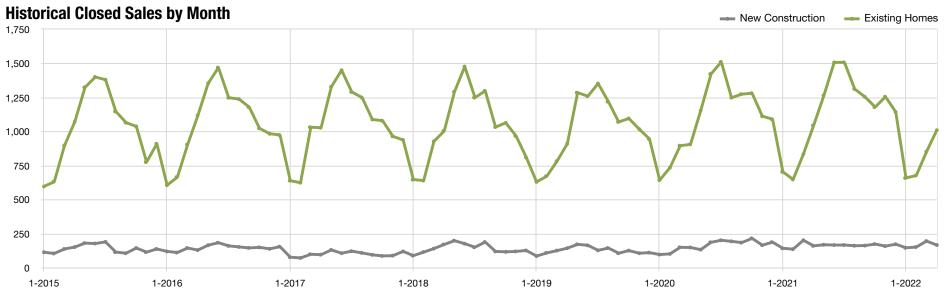
### **Closed Sales**

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





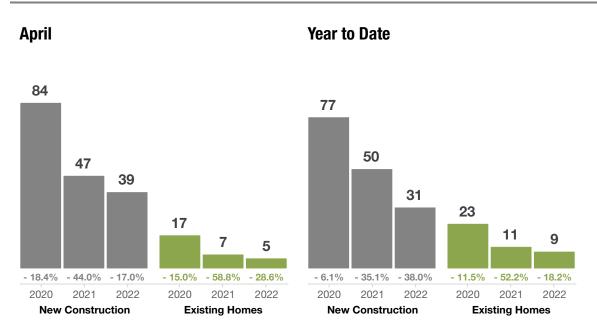
Closed Sales	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	167	+ 27.5%	1,265	+ 9.6%
Jun-2021	165	- 10.8%	1,507	+ 6.0%
Jul-2021	165	- 17.5%	1,508	- 0.2%
Aug-2021	160	- 16.7%	1,312	+ 5.1%
Sep-2021	161	- 12.0%	1,254	- 1.6%
Oct-2021	172	- 19.6%	1,179	- 8.0%
Nov-2021	157	- 4.3%	1,255	+ 12.9%
Dec-2021	171	- 8.1%	1,143	+ 4.9%
Jan-2022	145	+ 2.8%	658	- 6.4%
Feb-2022	150	+ 11.1%	676	+ 4.5%
Mar-2022	194	- 3.0%	851	+ 2.2%
Apr-2022	165	+ 3.8%	1,009	- 3.4%
12-Month Avg	164	- 5.7%	1,135	+ 2.3%



## **Days on Market Until Sale**

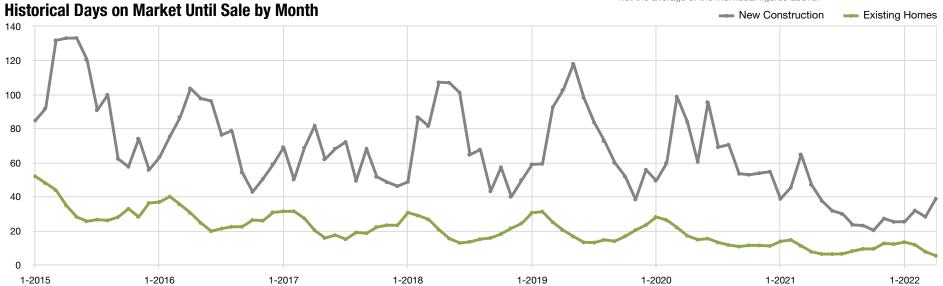
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	37	- 38.3%	6	- 60.0%
Jun-2021	32	- 66.3%	6	- 60.0%
Jul-2021	30	- 56.5%	6	- 53.8%
Aug-2021	23	- 67.1%	8	- 27.3%
Sep-2021	23	- 56.6%	9	- 18.2%
Oct-2021	20	- 62.3%	9	- 18.2%
Nov-2021	27	- 50.0%	12	+ 9.1%
Dec-2021	25	- 54.5%	12	+ 9.1%
Jan-2022	25	- 35.9%	13	- 7.1%
Feb-2022	32	- 28.9%	12	- 14.3%
Mar-2022	28	- 56.9%	7	- 36.4%
Apr-2022	39	- 17.0%	5	- 28.6%
12-Month Avg*	28	- 52.5%	9	- 29.0%

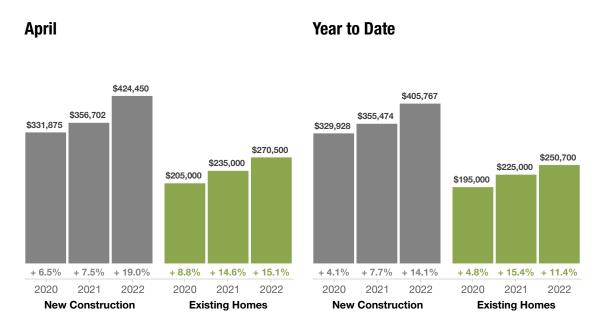
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### **Median Closed Price**

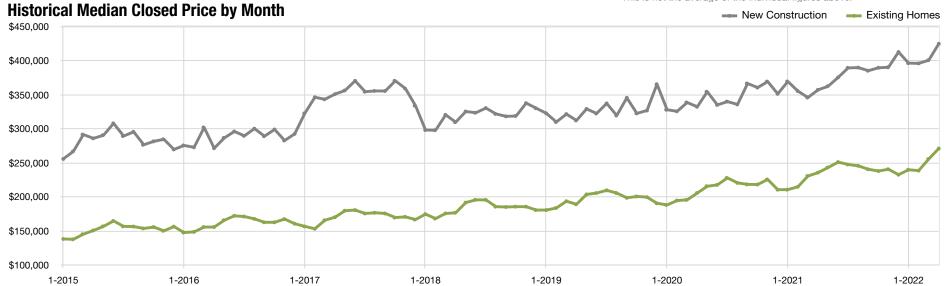
Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.





Median Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	\$361,945	+ 2.3%	\$242,500	+ 12.8%
Jun-2021	\$375,000	+ 12.1%	\$250,500	+ 15.4%
Jul-2021	\$389,000	+ 14.6%	\$247,000	+ 8.7%
Aug-2021	\$389,432	+ 16.2%	\$245,000	+ 11.4%
Sep-2021	\$384,856	+ 5.1%	\$240,000	+ 10.2%
Oct-2021	\$389,164	+ 8.1%	\$237,363	+ 9.1%
Nov-2021	\$389,900	+ 5.7%	\$240,000	+ 6.7%
Dec-2021	\$412,307	+ 17.5%	\$232,000	+ 10.5%
Jan-2022	\$395,990	+ 7.3%	\$239,200	+ 13.9%
Feb-2022	\$395,639	+ 11.5%	\$238,000	+ 11.1%
Mar-2022	\$400,243	+ 15.9%	\$255,000	+ 10.9%
Apr-2022	\$424,450	+ 19.0%	\$270,500	+ 15.1%
12-Month Avg*	\$394,300	+ 11.9%	\$245,000	+ 11.4%

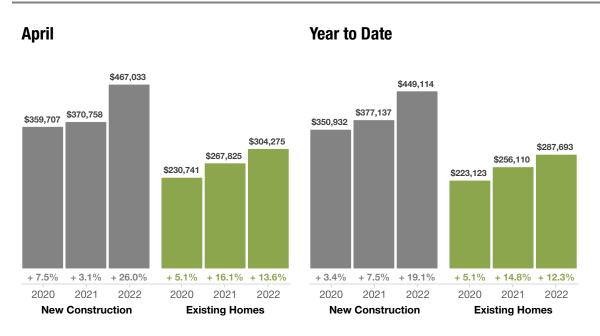
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## **Average Closed Price**

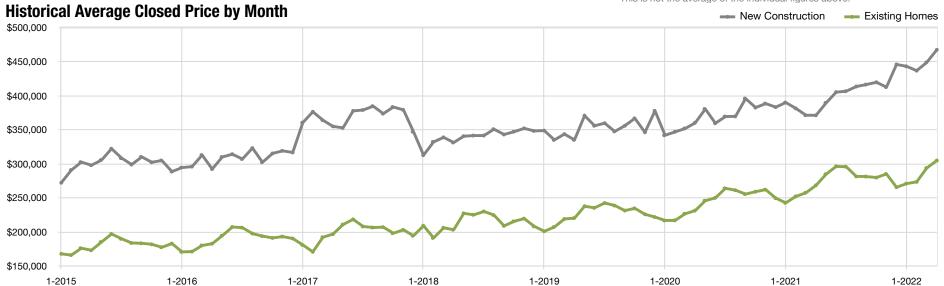
Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.





Average Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	\$388,926	+ 2.3%	\$284,135	+ 15.9%
Jun-2021	\$404,801	+ 12.7%	\$295,648	+ 18.6%
Jul-2021	\$406,171	+ 10.1%	\$295,186	+ 12.1%
Aug-2021	\$413,062	+ 11.9%	\$280,945	+ 7.8%
Sep-2021	\$415,975	+ 5.2%	\$280,746	+ 10.1%
Oct-2021	\$419,351	+ 9.7%	\$279,235	+ 8.0%
Nov-2021	\$412,211	+ 6.2%	\$284,534	+ 8.8%
Dec-2021	\$445,575	+ 16.4%	\$265,003	+ 6.4%
Jan-2022	\$442,785	+ 13.7%	\$270,338	+ 11.7%
Feb-2022	\$436,389	+ 14.6%	\$272,907	+ 8.5%
Mar-2022	\$448,442	+ 20.9%	\$293,197	+ 14.2%
Apr-2022	\$467,033	+ 26.0%	\$304,275	+ 13.6%
12-Month Avg*	\$425,245	+ 12.6%	\$284,855	+ 11.4%

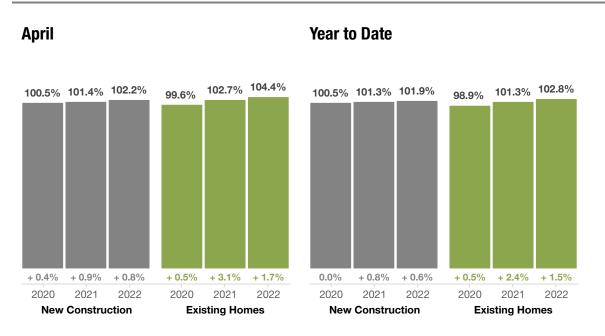
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### **Percent of List Price Received**

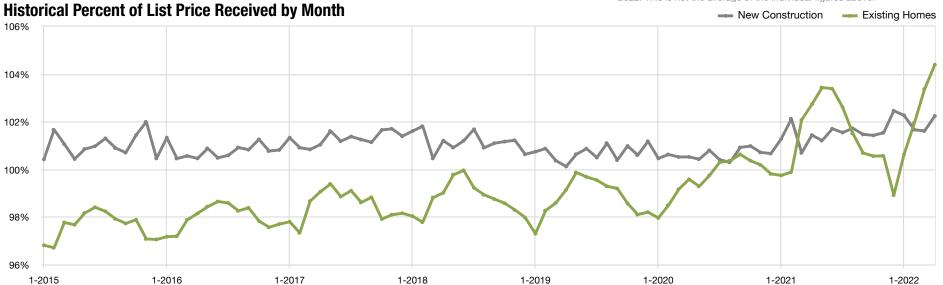
Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its most recent list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.





Pct. of List Price Received	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	101.2%	+ 0.8%	103.4%	+ 4.1%
Jun-2021	101.7%	+ 0.9%	103.4%	+ 3.7%
Jul-2021	101.5%	+ 1.1%	102.6%	+ 2.3%
Aug-2021	101.7%	+ 1.4%	101.5%	+ 1.1%
Sep-2021	101.5%	+ 0.6%	100.7%	+ 0.1%
Oct-2021	101.4%	+ 0.4%	100.6%	+ 0.2%
Nov-2021	101.5%	+ 0.8%	100.6%	+ 0.4%
Dec-2021	102.5%	+ 1.8%	98.9%	- 0.9%
Jan-2022	102.3%	+ 1.0%	100.6%	+ 0.9%
Feb-2022	101.7%	- 0.4%	101.9%	+ 2.0%
Mar-2022	101.6%	+ 0.9%	103.4%	+ 1.3%
Apr-2022	102.2%	+ 0.8%	104.4%	+ 1.7%
12-Month Avg*	101.7%	+ 0.9%	101.9%	+ 1.5%

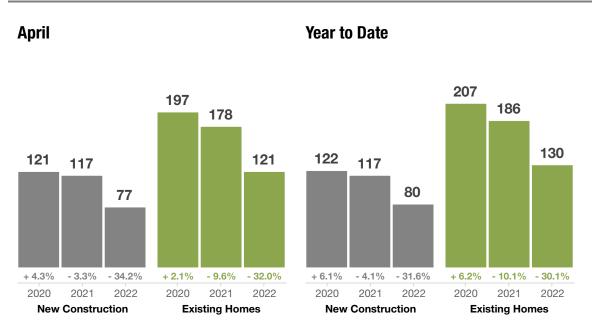
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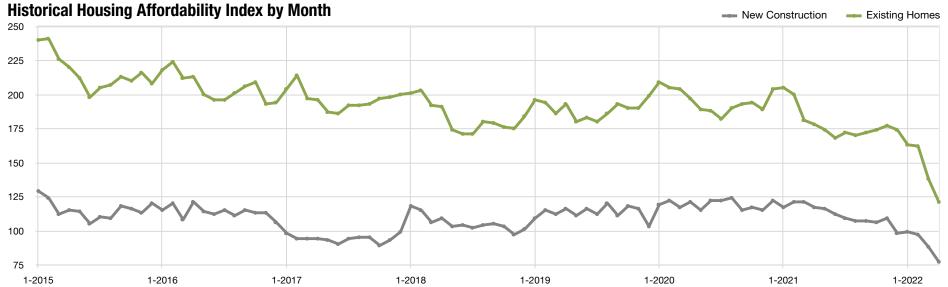
## **Housing Affordability Index**



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.



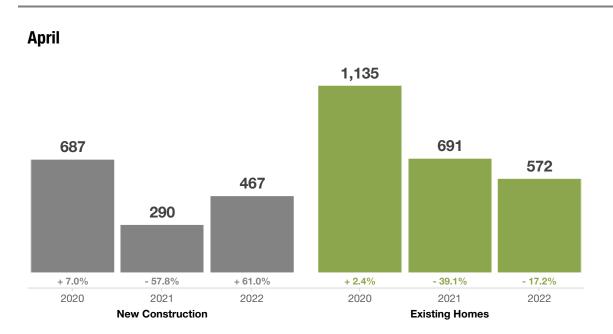
New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
116	+ 0.9%	174	- 7.9%
112	- 8.2%	168	- 10.6%
109	- 10.7%	172	- 5.5%
107	- 13.7%	170	- 10.5%
107	- 7.0%	172	- 10.9%
106	- 9.4%	174	- 10.3%
109	- 5.2%	177	- 6.3%
98	- 19.7%	174	- 14.7%
99	- 15.4%	163	- 20.5%
97	- 19.8%	162	- 19.0%
88	- 27.3%	138	- 23.8%
77	- 34.2%	121	- 32.0%
102	- 14.3%	164	- 14.1%
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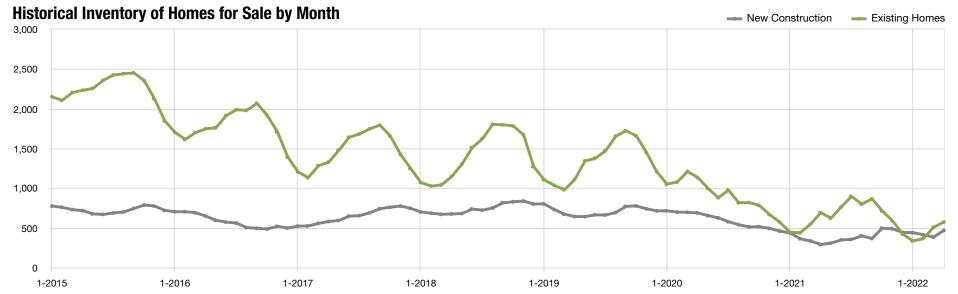
## **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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





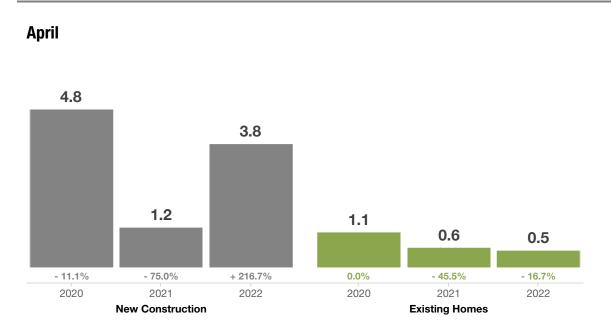
Homes for Sale	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2021	307	- 53.1%	622	- 37.6%
Jun-2021	348	- 44.3%	763	- 13.3%
Jul-2021	353	- 38.8%	896	- 8.1%
Aug-2021	398	- 26.2%	797	- 2.3%
Sep-2021	365	- 28.6%	865	+ 5.7%
Oct-2021	495	- 3.7%	713	- 9.1%
Nov-2021	488	- 1.0%	589	- 11.7%
Dec-2021	441	- 3.7%	421	- 26.4%
Jan-2022	439	+ 0.7%	334	- 24.9%
Feb-2022	413	+ 14.1%	363	- 16.9%
Mar-2022	383	+ 14.7%	506	- 7.3%
Apr-2022	467	+ 61.0%	572	- 17.2%
12-Month Avg	408	- 15.5%	620	- 13.8%



## **Months Supply of Inventory**

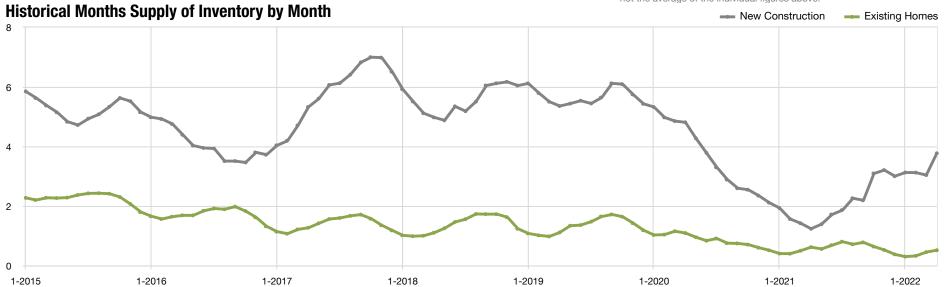
The inventory of homes for sale at the end of a given month, divided by the average monthly pending sales from the last 12 months.





Months Supply	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change	
May-2021	1.4	- 67.4%	0.6	- 33.3%	
Jun-2021	1.7	- 55.3%	0.7	- 12.5%	
Jul-2021	1.9	- 42.4%	0.8	- 11.1%	
Aug-2021	2.3	- 20.7%	0.7	- 12.5%	
Sep-2021	2.2	- 15.4%	0.8	+ 14.3%	
Oct-2021	3.1	+ 24.0%	0.6	- 14.3%	
Nov-2021	3.2	+ 39.1%	0.5	- 16.7%	
Dec-2021	3.0	+ 42.9%	0.4	- 20.0%	
Jan-2022	3.1	+ 63.2%	0.3	- 25.0%	
Feb-2022	3.1	+ 93.8%	0.3	- 25.0%	
Mar-2022	3.0	+ 114.3%	0.4	- 20.0%	
Apr-2022	3.8	+ 216.7%	0.5	- 16.7%	
12-Month Avg*	2.6	+ 5.9%	0.6	- 16.0%	

<sup>\*</sup> Months Supply for all properties from May 2021 through April 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	4-2021	4-2022	% Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	% Change
New Listings	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,909	1,721	- 9.8%	5,857	5,493	- 6.2%
Pending Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,545	1,388	- 10.2%	5,074	4,670	- 8.0%
Closed Sales	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	1,203	1,174	- 2.4%	3,862	3,848	- 0.4%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	13	10	- 23.1%	18	13	- 27.8%
Median Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$250,900	\$290,000	+ 15.6%	\$244,250	\$275,000	+ 12.6%
Average Closed Price	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	\$281,452	\$327,170	+ 16.2%	\$276,020	\$315,142	+ 14.2%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	102.6%	104.1%	+ 1.5%	101.3%	102.7%	+ 1.4%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	166	113	- 31.9%	171	119	- 30.4%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	981	1,039	+ 5.9%	_		_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2020 10-2020 4-2021 10-2021 4-2022	0.7	0.8	+ 14.3%	_	_	_