# **Monthly Indicators**



### December 2022

2022 was a turbulent year for the US housing market, as inflation, soaring interest rates, and elevated sales prices combined to cause a slowdown nationwide. Affordability challenges continue to limit market activity, with pending home sales and existing-home sales down month-over-month and falling 37.8% and 35.4% year-over-year, respectively, according to the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR). Higher mortgage rates are also impacting prospective sellers, many of whom have locked in historically low rates and have chosen to wait until market conditions improve before selling their home.

New Listings were down 22.5 percent to 434. Pending Sales decreased 15.2 percent to 523. Inventory grew 7.9 percent to 1,372 units.

Prices moved higher as the Median Sales Price was up 3.4 percent to \$210,500. Days on Market increased 36.8 percent to 26 days. Months Supply of Inventory was up 25.0 percent to 1.5 months.

Economists predict sales will continue to slow and housing prices will soften in many markets over the next 12 months, with larger price declines projected in more expensive areas. However, national inventory shortages will likely keep prices from dropping too much, as buyer demand continues to outpace supply, which remains limited at 3.3 months, according to NAR. Even if prices fall, many prospective buyers will find it difficult to afford a home in 2023, as higher rates have diminished purchasing power, adding hundreds of dollars to monthly mortgage payments.

## **Activity Snapshot**

+ 3.4% + 7.9% - 30.0% One-Year Change in One-Year Change in One-Year Change in Closed Sales Median Sales Price **Homes for Sale** 

Residential activity for Regional Board B composed of single-family properties, townhomes and condominiums combined. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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## **Activity Overview**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	12-2021	12-2022	Percent Change	YTD 2021	YTD 2022	Percent Change
New Listings	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	560	434	- 22.5%	14,514	13,473	- 7.2%
Pending Sales	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	617	523	- 15.2%	12,664	11,291	- 10.8%
Closed Sales	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	1,303	912	- 30.0%	12,721	11,707	- 8.0%
Days on Market	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	19	26	+ 36.8%	22	21	- 4.5%
Median Sales Price	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	\$203,531	\$210,500	+ 3.4%	\$201,663	\$225,000	+ 11.6%
Average Sales Price	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	\$242,401	\$246,567	+ 1.7%	\$238,366	\$260,766	+ 9.4%
Pct. of List Price Received	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	104.6%	101.8%	- 2.7%	105.6%	106.1%	+ 0.5%
Housing Affordability Index	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	201	137	- 31.8%	203	128	- 36.9%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	1,271	1,372	+ 7.9%			
Months Supply of Inventory	12-2019 12-2020 12-2021 12-2022	1.2	1.5	+ 25.0%			

## **New Listings**

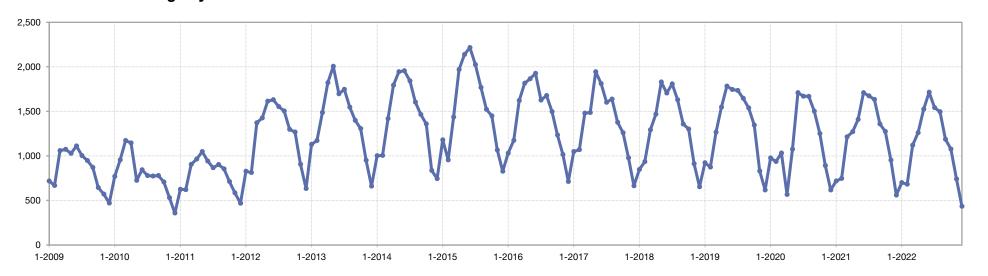
A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.



December			Year to Date		
617	<b>560</b>		13,888	14,514	13,473
		434			
+ 0.2%	- 9.2%	- 22.5%	- 12.3%	+ 4.5%	- 7.2%
2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022

New Listings		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	699	717	-2.5%
February 2022	682	746	-8.6%
March 2022	1,119	1,213	-7.7%
April 2022	1,260	1,271	-0.9%
May 2022	1,524	1,409	+8.2%
June 2022	1,714	1,708	+0.4%
July 2022	1,542	1,673	-7.8%
August 2022	1,495	1,633	-8.5%
September 2022	1,186	1,358	-12.7%
October 2022	1,077	1,273	-15.4%
November 2022	741	953	-22.2%
December 2022	434	560	-22.5%
12-Month Avg	1,123	1,210	-7.2%

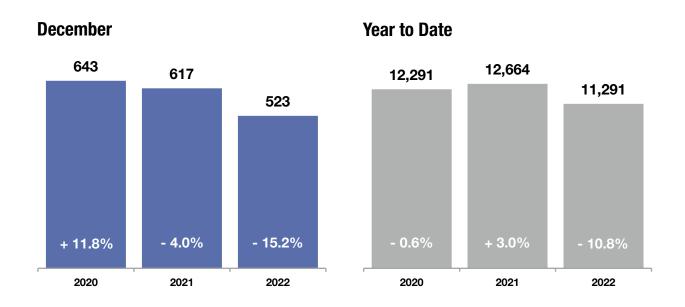
## **Historical New Listings by Month**



# **Pending Sales**

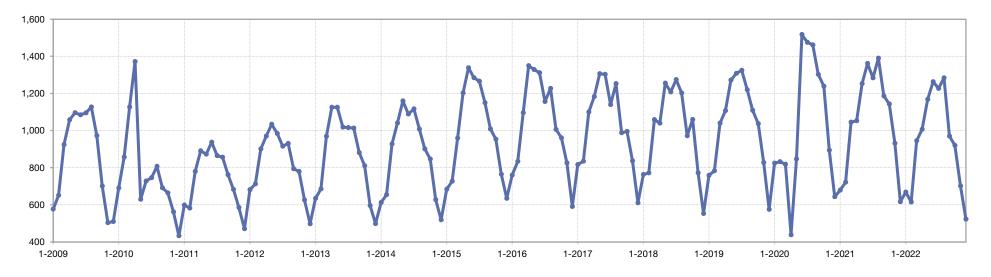
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.





Pending Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	668	679	-1.6%
February 2022	615	722	-14.8%
March 2022	945	1,045	-9.6%
April 2022	1,006	1,053	-4.5%
May 2022	1,168	1,253	-6.8%
June 2022	1,263	1,361	-7.2%
July 2022	1,227	1,284	-4.4%
August 2022	1,284	1,390	-7.6%
September 2022	970	1,186	-18.2%
October 2022	920	1,143	-19.5%
November 2022	702	931	-24.6%
December 2022	523	617	-15.2%
12-Month Avg	941	1,055	-10.8%

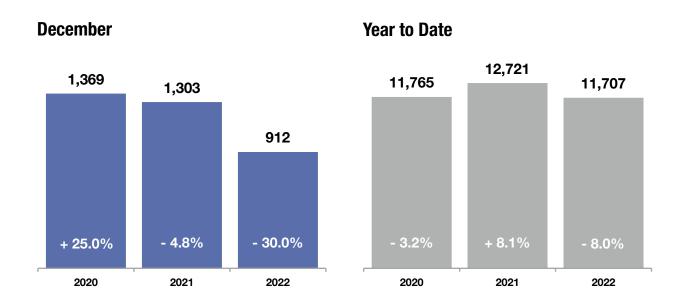
### **Historical Pending Sales by Month**



## **Closed Sales**

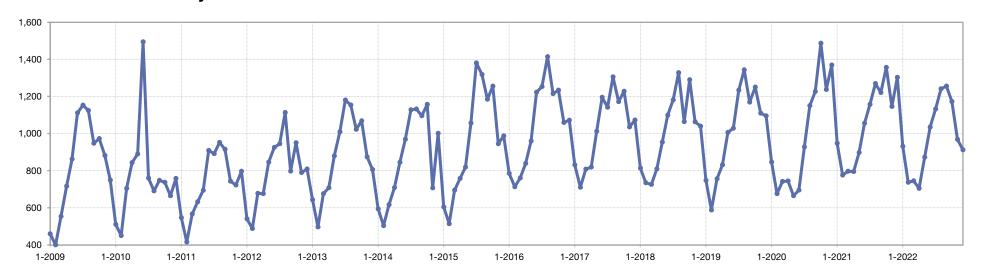
A count of the actual sales that closed in a given month.





Closed Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	931	948	-1.8%
February 2022	737	776	-5.0%
March 2022	745	797	-6.5%
April 2022	705	795	-11.3%
May 2022	873	898	-2.8%
June 2022	1,035	1,055	-1.9%
July 2022	1,132	1,157	-2.2%
August 2022	1,241	1,269	-2.2%
September 2022	1,255	1,221	+2.8%
October 2022	1,173	1,356	-13.5%
November 2022	968	1,146	-15.5%
December 2022	912	1,303	-30.0%
12-Month Avg	976	1,060	-7.9%

## **Historical Closed Sales by Month**



## **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.

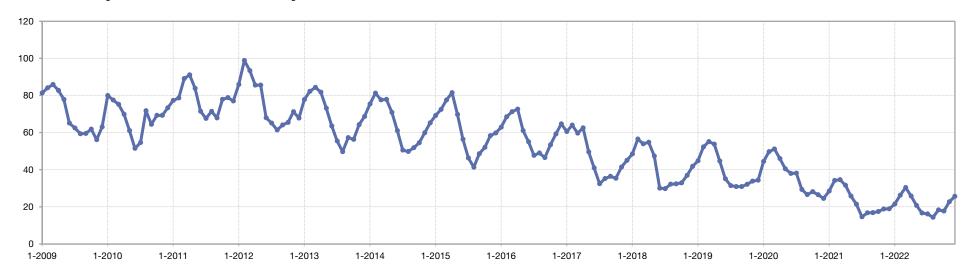


December			Y	ear to Date		
24		26		35		
	19				22	21
- 29.4%	- 20.8%	+ 36.8%		- 7.9%	- 37.1%	- 4.5%
2020	2021	2022		2020	2021	2022

Days on Market		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	21	28	-25.0%
February 2022	26	34	-23.5%
March 2022	30	35	-14.3%
April 2022	26	32	-18.8%
May 2022	21	26	-19.2%
June 2022	17	21	-19.0%
July 2022	16	15	+6.7%
August 2022	14	17	-17.6%
September 2022	18	17	+5.9%
October 2022	18	17	+5.9%
November 2022	23	19	+21.1%
December 2022	26	19	+36.8%
12-Month Avg*	21	22	-4.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Average Days on Market of all properties from January 2022 through December 2022. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

### **Historical Days on Market Until Sale by Month**



## **Median Sales 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.

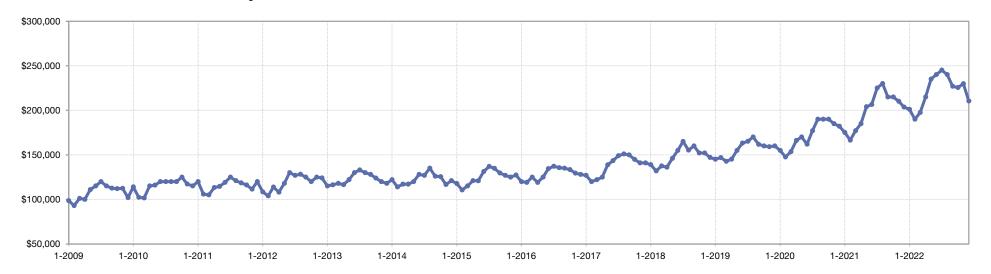


#### **December Year to Date** \$225,000 \$210,500 \$203,531 \$201,663 \$182,000 \$175,000 + 11.8% + 3.4% + 13.8% + 10.8% + 15.2% + 11.6% 2020 2021 2022 2020 2021 2022

	Prior Year	Percent Change
\$201,000	\$175,000	+14.9%
\$190,000	\$166,500	+14.1%
\$197,500	\$177,000	+11.6%
\$215,000	\$185,000	+16.2%
\$235,000	\$204,000	+15.2%
\$240,000	\$206,500	+16.2%
\$245,000	\$225,000	+8.9%
\$240,000	\$230,000	+4.3%
\$227,000	\$215,000	+5.6%
\$225,500	\$215,000	+4.9%
\$229,900	\$210,000	+9.5%
\$210,500	\$203,531	+3.4%
\$225,000	\$201,663	+11.6%
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### **Historical Median Sales Price by Month**



# **Average Sales Price**

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



December			Year to Date		
<b>\$213,627</b>	\$242,401	\$246,567	\$206,095	\$238,366	\$260,766
			\$200,095		
+ 15.6%	+ 13.5%	+ 1.7%	+ 10.8%	+ 15.7%	+ 9.4%
2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022

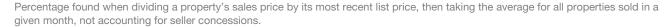
	Prior Year	Percent Change
\$239,235	\$205,606	+16.4%
\$225,199	\$196,492	+14.6%
\$227,324	\$208,149	+9.2%
\$245,213	\$219,713	+11.6%
\$272,849	\$229,045	+19.1%
\$273,043	\$237,891	+14.8%
\$283,609	\$258,417	+9.7%
\$278,729	\$268,894	+3.7%
\$273,130	\$258,535	+5.6%
\$263,983	\$249,053	+6.0%
\$265,260	\$242,559	+9.4%
\$246,567	\$242,401	+1.7%
\$260,766	\$238,366	+9.4%
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## **Historical Average Sales Price by Month**



## **Percent of List Price Received**



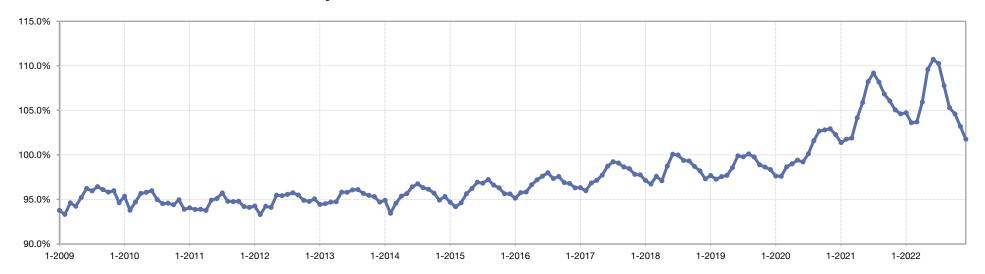


December			Year to Date		
102.3%	104.6%	101.8%	100.8%	105.6%	106.1%
+ 4.1%	+ 2.2%	- 2.7%	+ 1.9%	+ 4.8%	+ 0.5%
2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022

Pct. of List Price Received		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	104.7%	101.4%	+3.3%
February 2022	103.6%	101.8%	+1.8%
March 2022	103.7%	101.9%	+1.8%
April 2022	105.9%	104.1%	+1.7%
May 2022	109.6%	105.9%	+3.5%
June 2022	110.7%	108.2%	+2.3%
July 2022	110.2%	109.2%	+0.9%
August 2022	107.8%	108.2%	-0.4%
September 2022	105.3%	106.8%	-1.4%
October 2022	104.6%	106.0%	-1.3%
November 2022	103.2%	105.0%	-1.7%
December 2022	101.8%	104.6%	-2.7%
12-Month Avg*	106.1%	105.6%	+0.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Average Pct. of List Price Received for all properties from January 2022 through December 2022. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

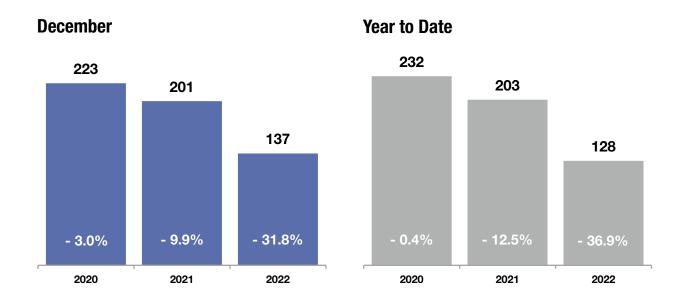
### **Historical Percent of List Price Received by Month**



## **Housing Affordability Index**

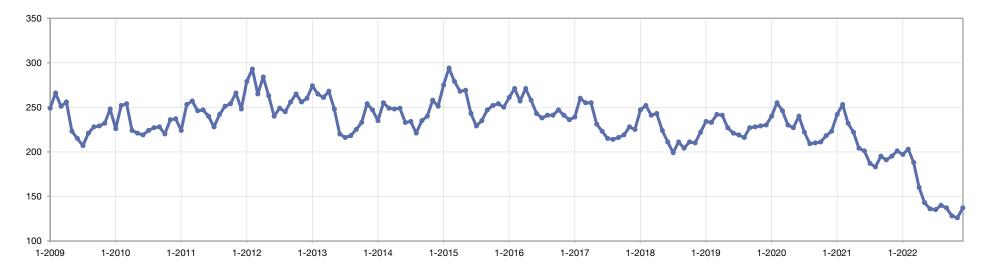


This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.



Affordability Index		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	197	242	-18.6%
February 2022	203	253	-19.8%
March 2022	188	232	-19.0%
April 2022	160	222	-27.9%
May 2022	143	204	-29.9%
June 2022	136	201	-32.3%
July 2022	135	187	-27.8%
August 2022	140	183	-23.5%
September 2022	137	195	-29.7%
October 2022	128	191	-33.0%
November 2022	126	195	-35.4%
December 2022	137	201	-31.8%
12-Month Avg	153	209	-27.0%

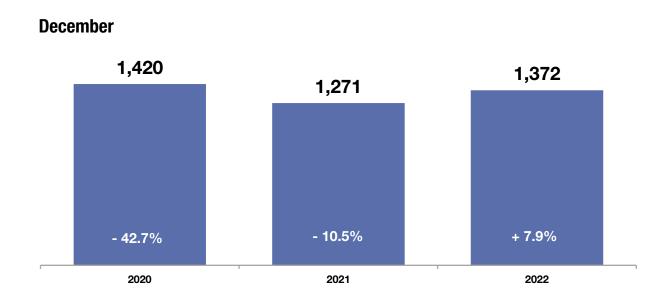
### **Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month**



## **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

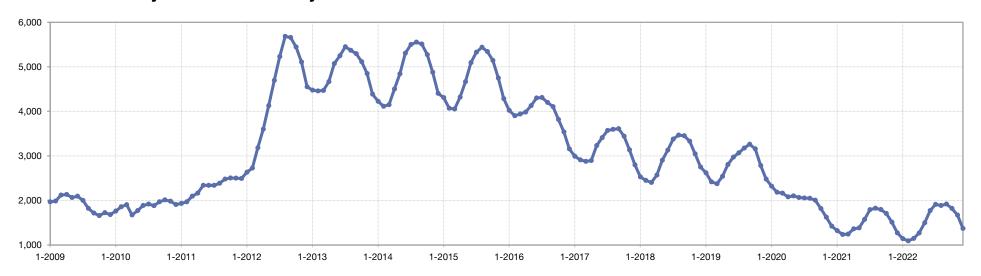
The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.





Homes for Sale		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	1,142	1,320	-13.5%
February 2022	1,093	1,236	-11.6%
March 2022	1,145	1,243	-7.9%
April 2022	1,267	1,362	-7.0%
May 2022	1,498	1,382	+8.4%
June 2022	1,769	1,571	+12.6%
July 2022	1,910	1,793	+6.5%
August 2022	1,886	1,824	+3.4%
September 2022	1,917	1,794	+6.9%
October 2022	1,820	1,706	+6.7%
November 2022	1,669	1,510	+10.5%
December 2022	1,372	1,271	+7.9%
12-Month Avg*	1,541	1,501	+2.7%

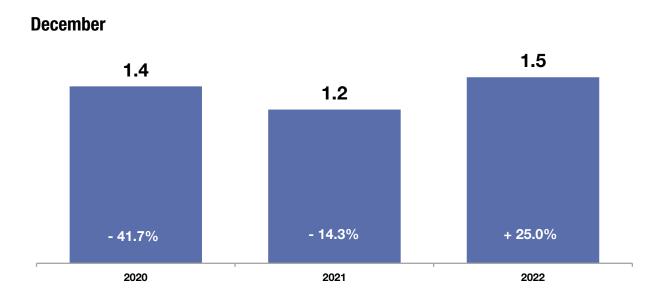
## **Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale by Month**



## **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		Prior Year	Percent Change
January 2022	1.1	1.3	-15.4%
February 2022	1.0	1.2	-16.7%
March 2022	1.1	1.2	-8.3%
April 2022	1.2	1.3	-7.7%
May 2022	1.5	1.2	+25.0%
June 2022	1.7	1.4	+21.4%
July 2022	1.9	1.7	+11.8%
August 2022	1.9	1.7	+11.8%
September 2022	1.9	1.7	+11.8%
October 2022	1.9	1.6	+18.8%
November 2022	1.8	1.4	+28.6%
December 2022	1.5	1.2	+25.0%
12-Month Avg*	1.5	1.4	+7.1%

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

### **Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month**

