



Summary Statistics	2020	2019	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	2,528	2,275	11.1%
Paid in Cash	1,275	1,276	-0.1%
Median Sale Price	\$193,000	\$168,000	14.9%
Average Sale Price	\$243,020	\$210,593	15.4%
Dollar Volume	\$614.4 Million	\$479.1 Million	28.2%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	95.4%	94.6%	0.8%
Median Time to Contract	46 Days	47 Days	-2.1%
Median Time to Sale	86 Days	85 Days	1.2%
New Pending Sales	2,806	2,386	17.6%
New Listings	3,131	3,096	1.1%
Pending Inventory	333	192	73.4%
Inventory (Active Listings)	605	964	-37.2%
Months Supply of Inventory	2.9	5.1	-43.1%

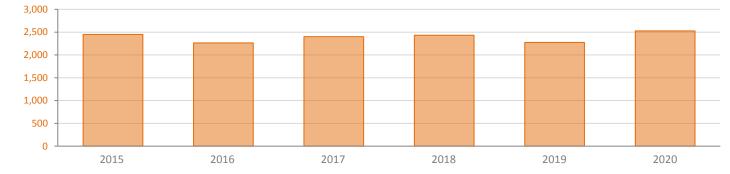
Closed Sales	
The number of sales transactions which closed during the year	

*Economists' note* : Closed Sales are one of the simplest—yet most important—indicators for the residential real estate market. When comparing Closed Sales across markets of different sizes, we recommend comparing the percent changes in sales rather than the number of sales.

**Closed Sales** 

Year	Closed Sales	Year-over-Year
2020	2,528	11.1%
2019	2,275	-6.5%
2018	2,432	1.3%
2017	2,401	6.1%
2016	2,264	-7.6%
2015	2,450	-0.6%

Percent Change



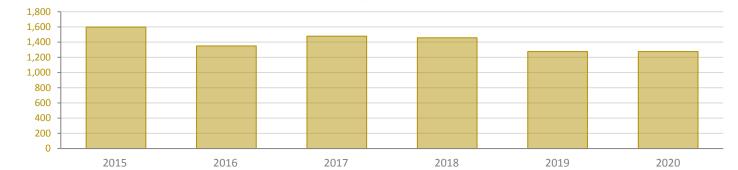


## Cash Sales

The number of Closed Sales during the year in which buyers exclusively paid in cash

*Economists' note* : Cash Sales can be a useful indicator of the extent to which investors are participating in the market. Why? Investors are far more likely to have the funds to purchase a home available up front, whereas the typical homebuyer requires a mortgage or some other form of financing. There are, of course, many possible exceptions, so this statistic should be interpreted with care.

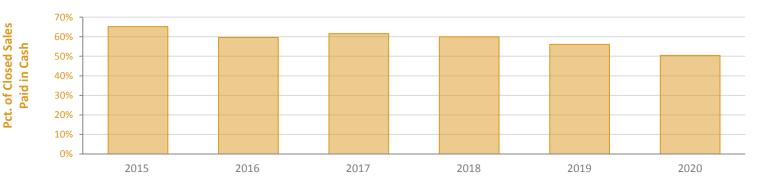
Year	Cash Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	1,275	-0.1%
2019	1,276	-12.4%
2018	1,456	-1.6%
2017	1,479	9.6%
2016	1,350	-15.5%
2015	1,598	-4.8%



### Cash Sales as a Percentage of Closed Sales The percentage of Closed Sales during the year which were Cash Sales

*Economists' note* : This statistic is simply another way of viewing Cash Sales. The remaining percentages of Closed Sales (i.e. those not paid fully in cash) each year involved some sort of financing, such as mortgages, owner/seller financing, assumed loans, etc.





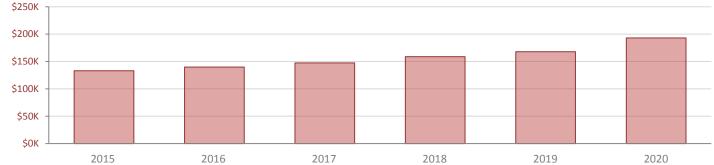


## Median Sale Price

The median sale price reported for the year (i.e. 50% of sales were above and 50% of sales were below)

*Economists' note* : Median Sale Price is our preferred summary statistic for price activity because, unlike Average Sale Price, Median Sale Price is not sensitive to high sale prices for small numbers of homes that may not be characteristic of the market area. Keep in mind that median price trends over time are not always solely caused by changes in the general value of local real estate. Median sale price only reflects the values of the homes that *sold* each year, and the mix of the types of homes that sell can change over time.

Year	Median Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	\$193,000	14.9%
2019	\$168,000	5.9%
2018	\$158,700	7.6%
2017	\$147,500	5.4%
2016	\$139,900	5.2%
2015	\$133,000	14.8%

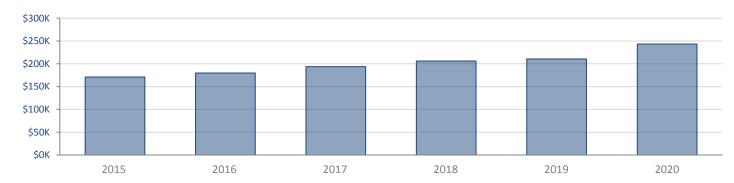


## Average Sale Price

The average sale price reported for the year (i.e. total sales in dollars divided by the number of sales)

*Economists' note* : Usually, we prefer Median Sale Price over Average Sale Price as a summary statistic for home prices. However, Average Sale Price does have its uses—particularly when it is analyzed alongside the Median Sale Price. For one, the relative difference between the two statistics can provide some insight into the market for higher-end homes in an area.

20	818	2019	2020
	Year	Average Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
	2020	\$243,020	15.4%
	2019	\$210,593	2.2%
	2018	\$206,074	6.3%
2	2017	\$193,799	7.9%
	2016	\$179,598	5.1%
or	2015	\$170,923	11.3%



**Median Sale Price** 

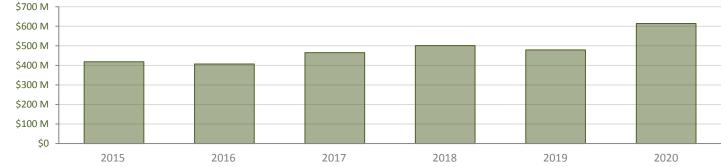


## **Dollar Volume**

The sum of the sale prices for all sales which closed during the year

*Economists' note* : Dollar Volume is simply the sum of all sale prices in a given time period, and can quickly be calculated by multiplying Closed Sales by Average Sale Price. It is a strong indicator of the health of the real estate industry in a market, and is of particular interest to real estate professionals, investors, analysts, and government agencies. Potential home sellers and home buyers, on the other hand, will likely be better served by paying attention to trends in the two components of Dollar Volume (i.e. sales and prices) individually.

Year	Dollar Volume	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	\$614.4 Million	28.2%
2019	\$479.1 Million	-4.4%
2018	\$501.2 Million	7.7%
2017	\$465.3 Million	14.4%
2016	\$406.6 Million	-2.9%
2015	\$418.8 Million	10.6%

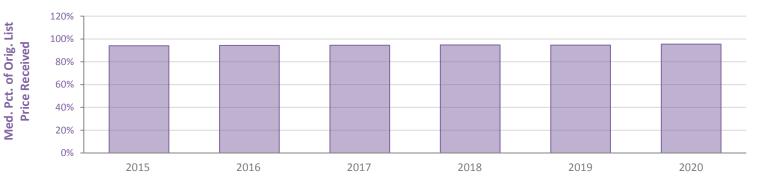


# Median Percent of Original List Price Received

The median of the sale price (as a percentage of the original list price) across all properties selling during the year

*Economists' note* : The Median Percent of Original List Price Received is useful as an indicator of market recovery, since it typically rises as buyers realize that the market may be moving away from them and they need to match the selling price (or better it) in order to get a contract on the house. This is usually the last measure to indicate a market has shifted from down to up, so it is what we would call a *lagging* indicator.

Year	Med. Pct. of Orig. List Price Received	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	95.4%	0.8%
2019	94.6%	-0.1%
2018	94.7%	0.2%
2017	94.5%	0.2%
2016	94.3%	0.3%
2015	94.0%	1.4%





## Median Time to Contract

The median number of days between the listing date and contract date for all Closed Sales during the year

*Economists' note* : Like Time to Sale, Time to Contract is a measure of the length of the home selling process calculated for sales which closed during the year. The difference is that Time to Contract measures the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the signing of the contract which eventually led to the closing of the sale. When the gap between Median Time to Contract and Median Time to Sale grows, it is usually a sign of longer closing times and/or declining numbers of cash sales.

Year	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	46 Days	-2.1%
2019	47 Days	2.2%
2018	46 Days	-2.1%
2017	47 Days	0.0%
2016	47 Days	-13.0%
2015	54 Days	-34.1%

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## Median Time to Sale

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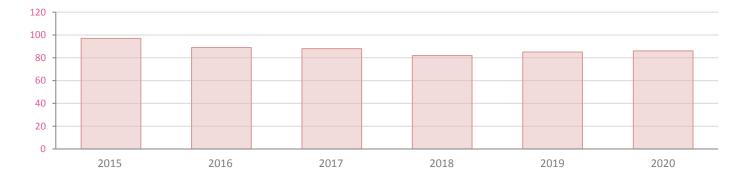
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*Economists' note* : Time to Sale is a measure of the length of the home selling process, calculated as the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the closing of the sale. *Median* Time to Sale is the amount of time the "middle" property selling this month was on the market. That is, 50% of homes selling this month took *less* time to sell, and 50% of homes took *more* time to sell. Median Time to Sale gives a more accurate picture than Average Time to Sale, which can be skewed upward by small numbers of properties taking an abnormally long time to sell.

Year	Median Time to Sale	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	86 Days	1.2%
2019	85 Days	3.7%
2018	82 Days	-6.8%
2017	88 Days	-1.1%
2016	89 Days	-8.2%
2015	97 Days	-16.4%



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**New Listings** 

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lew Pending Sales	Year	New Pending Sa
he number of listed properties that went under	2020	2,806
contract during the year	2019	2,386
<i>Economists' note</i> : Because of the typical length of time it takes for a	2018	2,548
sale to close, economists consider Pending Sales to be a decent indicator of potential future Closed Sales. It is important to bear in	2017	2,605
mind, however, that not all Pending Sales will be closed successfully.	2010	2 5 1 0

in m So, the effectiveness of Pending Sales as a future indicator of Closed Sales is susceptible to changes in market conditions such as the availability of financing for homebuyers and the inventory of distressed properties for sale.

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2020	2,806	17.6%
2019	2,386	-6.4%
2018	2,548	-2.2%
2017	2,605	3.5%
2016	2,518	-9.0%
2015	2,767	-7.3%

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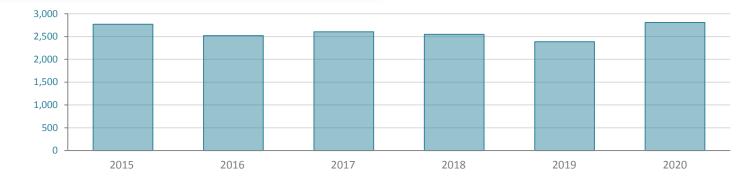
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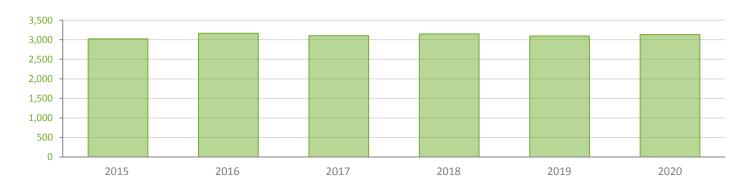
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# **New Listings**

The number of properties put onto the market during the year

*Economists' note* : New Listings tend to rise in delayed response to increasing prices, so they are often seen as a lagging indicator of market health. As prices rise, potential sellers raise their estimations of value—and in the most recent cycle, rising prices have freed up many potential sellers who were previously underwater on their mortgages. Note that in our calculations, we take care to not include properties that were recently taken off the market and quickly relisted, since these are not really *new* listings.



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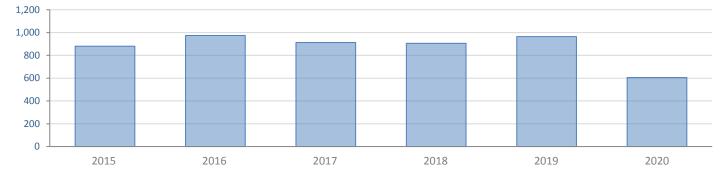


Inventory (Active Listings)

The number of property listings active at the end of the year

*Economists' note* : There are a number of ways to define and calculate Inventory. Our method is to simply count the number of active listings on the last day of the year, since it is the most current. Inventory rises when New Listings are outpacing the number of listings that go offmarket (regardless of whether they actually sell). Likewise, it falls when New Listings aren't keeping up with the rate at which homes are going off-market.

Year	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year	
2020	605 -37.2%		
2019	964	6.5%	
2018	905	-0.8%	
2017	912	-6.4%	
2016	974	10.7%	
2015	880	-21.7%	

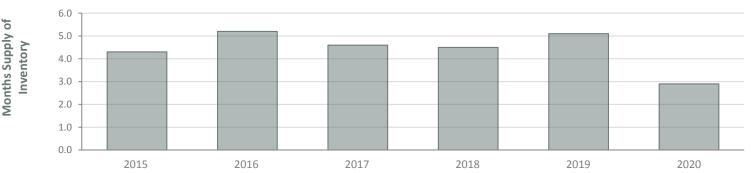


## Months Supply of Inventory (Year-End) An estimate of the number of months it will take to

deplete the current Inventory given recent sales rates

*Economists' note* : MSI is a useful indicator of market conditions. The benchmark for a balanced market (favoring neither buyer nor seller) is 5.5 months of inventory. Anything higher is traditionally a buyers' market, and anything lower is a sellers' market. There is no single accepted way of calculating MSI. A common method is to divide current Inventory by the most recent month's Closed Sales count, but this count is a usually poor predictor of future Closed Sales due to seasonal cycles. To eliminate seasonal effects, we use the 12-month average of monthly Closed Sales instead.

Year	Months Supply	Percent Change Year-over-Year
2020	2.9	-43.1%
2019	5.1	13.3%
2018	4.5	-2.2%
2017	4.6	-11.5%
2016	5.2	20.9%
2015	4.3	-21.8%





Closed Sales by Sale Price	
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The number of sales transactions which closed during	\$50
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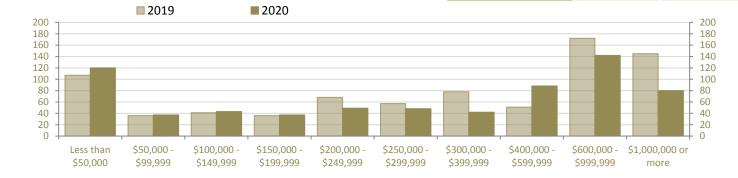
Sale Price	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	20	-9.1%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	227	-23.6%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	486	-15.5%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	579	21.1%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	341	24.9%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	254	16.0%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	318	40.7%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	197	53.9%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	90	76.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	16	166.7%



## Median Time to Contract by Sale Price The median number of days between the listing date and contract date for all Closed Sales during the year

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Sale Price	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year	
Less than \$50,000	120 Days 12.1%		
\$50,000 - \$99,999	37 Days 2.8%		
\$100,000 - \$149,999	43 Days	4.9%	
\$150,000 - \$199,999	37 Days	2.8%	
\$200,000 - \$249,999	49 Days	-27.9%	
\$250,000 - \$299,999	48 Days	-15.8%	
\$300,000 - \$399,999	42 Days	-46.2%	
\$400,000 - \$599,999	88 Days	72.5%	
\$600,000 - \$999,999	142 Days	-17.4%	
\$1.000.000 or more	80 Days	-44.8%	





# New Listings by Initial Listing Price

The number of properties put onto the market during the year

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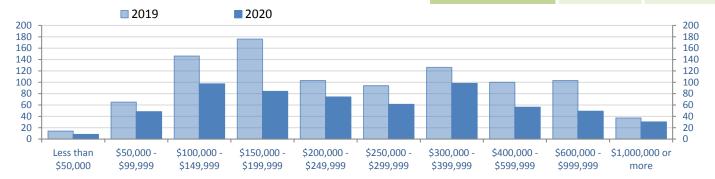
Initial Listing Price	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year	
Less than \$50,000	20	-4.8%	
\$50,000 - \$99,999	245 -22.2%		
\$100,000 - \$149,999	544	-16.4%	
\$150,000 - \$199,999	721	-1.5%	
\$200,000 - \$249,999	410	20.6%	
\$250,000 - \$299,999	352	16.6%	
\$300,000 - \$399,999	458	38.0%	
\$400,000 - \$599,999	238	-2.5%	
\$600,000 - \$999,999	114	-16.2%	
\$1,000,000 or more	29	26.1%	



## Inventory by Current Listing Price The number of property listings active at the end of the year

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Current Listing Price	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	8	-42.9%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	48	-26.2%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	97	-33.6%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	84	-52.3%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	74	-28.2%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	61	-35.1%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	98	-22.2%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	56	-44.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	49	-52.4%
\$1,000,000 or more	30	-18.9%



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Percent Change



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		2020	2019	Year-over-Year
Traditional Foreclosure/REO Short Sale	Closed Sales	2,504	2,219	12.8%
	Median Sale Price	\$193,000	\$169,900	13.6%
	Closed Sales	21	48	-56.3%
	Median Sale Price	\$153,450	\$131,435	16.7%
	Closed Sales	3	8	-62.5%
	Median Sale Price	\$133,134	\$227,000	-41.4%
2017	2018	2019 2020		2020

Traditional Foreclosure/REO Short Sale

