### Monthly Market Detail - March 2023 Single-Family Homes Palm Beach County





Summary Statistics	March 2023	March 2022	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	1,465	1,590	-7.9%
Paid in Cash	627	765	-18.0%
Median Sale Price	\$575,000	\$541,000	6.3%
Average Sale Price	\$903,891	\$971,124	-6.9%
Dollar Volume	\$1.3 Billion	\$1.5 Billion	-14.2%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	94.8%	100.0%	-5.2%
Median Time to Contract	31 Days	10 Days	210.0%
Median Time to Sale	73 Days	51 Days	43.1%
New Pending Sales	1,584	1,780	-11.0%
New Listings	1,738	2,049	-15.2%
Pending Inventory	2,213	2,624	-15.7%
Inventory (Active Listings)	3,876	1,869	107.4%
Months Supply of Inventory	3.2	1.2	166.7%

# Closed Sales

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Month	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	3,234	-19.5%
March 2023	1,465	-7.9%
February 2023	975	-21.2%
January 2023	794	-33.2%
December 2022	999	-37.6%
November 2022	920	-38.3%
October 2022	1,049	-28.7%
September 2022	1,170	-19.3%
August 2022	1,292	-20.4%
July 2022	1,190	-32.9%
June 2022	1,472	-30.5%
May 2022	1,527	-19.2%
April 2022	1,484	-25.4%
March 2022	1,590	-7.7%



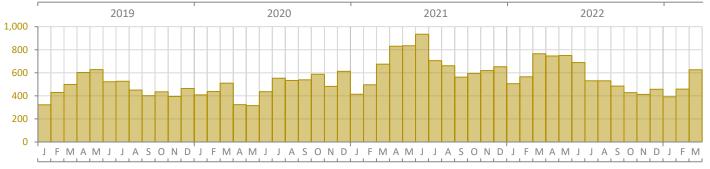


### Cash Sales

The number of Closed Sales during the month 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.

Month	Cash Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	1,477	-19.6%
March 2023	627	-18.0%
February 2023	458	-18.9%
January 2023	392	-22.5%
December 2022	457	-29.9%
November 2022	412	-33.4%
October 2022	428	-27.9%
September 2022	485	-13.7%
August 2022	531	-19.7%
July 2022	531	-24.8%
June 2022	689	-26.2%
May 2022	750	-10.2%
April 2022	746	-10.1%
March 2022	765	13.3%



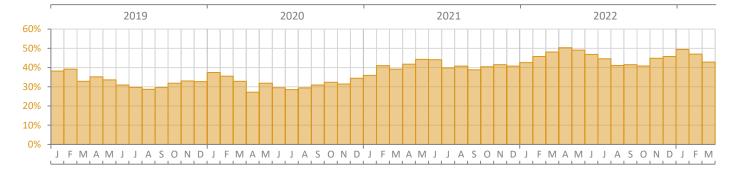
### Cash Sales as a Percentage of Closed Sales

The percentage of Closed Sales during the month 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 month involved some sort of financing, such as mortgages, owner/seller financing, assumed loans, etc.

	Percent of Closed	Percent Change
Month	Sales Paid in Cash	Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	45.7%	0.0%
March 2023	42.8%	-11.0%
February 2023	47.0%	2.8%
January 2023	49.4%	16.0%
December 2022	45.7%	12.3%
November 2022	44.8%	8.0%
October 2022	40.8%	1.0%
September 2022	41.5%	7.0%
August 2022	41.1%	1.0%
July 2022	44.6%	12.1%
June 2022	46.8%	6.1%
May 2022	49.1%	11.1%
April 2022	50.3%	20.6%
March 2022	48.1%	22.7%





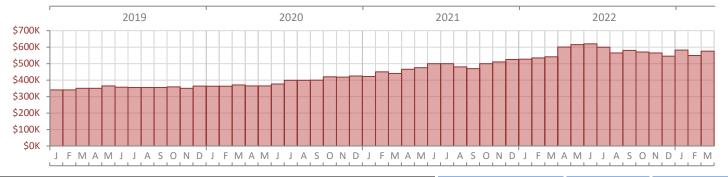


### Median Sale Price

The median sale price reported for the month (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 month, and the mix of the types of homes that sell can change over time.

Month	Median Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	\$565,000	5.6%
March 2023	\$575,000	6.3%
February 2023	\$549,500	2.7%
January 2023	\$582,500	10.6%
December 2022	\$545,000	3.8%
November 2022	\$565,000	10.8%
October 2022	\$570,000	14.0%
September 2022	\$580,000	23.4%
August 2022	\$565,000	17.7%
July 2022	\$600,000	20.0%
June 2022	\$620,000	24.0%
May 2022	\$615,000	29.5%
April 2022	\$601,000	29.0%
March 2022	\$541,000	23.0%



### Average Sale Price

The average sale price reported for the month (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.

Month	Average Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	\$951,075	0.9%
March 2023	\$903,891	-6.9%
February 2023	\$910,654	-10.4%
January 2023	\$1,087,769	31.7%
December 2022	\$825,243	-18.1%
November 2022	\$900,203	-5.6%
October 2022	\$928,051	15.3%
September 2022	\$860,306	8.3%
August 2022	\$882,972	9.2%
July 2022	\$957,308	15.8%
June 2022	\$1,182,748	14.6%
May 2022	\$1,000,866	1.7%
April 2022	\$1,085,785	4.9%
March 2022	\$971,124	-7.1%



**Median Sale Price** 

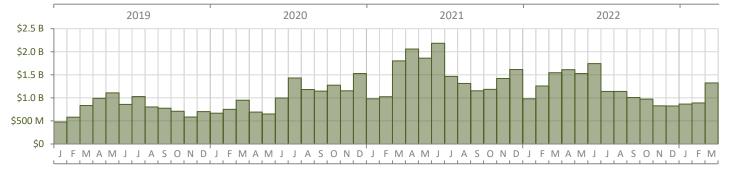


#### Dollar Volume

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

*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.

Month	Dollar Volume	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	\$3.1 Billion	-18.7%
March 2023	\$1.3 Billion	-14.2%
February 2023	\$887.9 Million	-29.4%
January 2023	\$863.7 Million	-12.0%
December 2022	\$824.4 Million	-48.9%
November 2022	\$828.2 Million	-41.7%
October 2022	\$973.5 Million	-17.7%
September 2022	\$1.0 Billion	-12.6%
August 2022	\$1.1 Billion	-13.1%
July 2022	\$1.1 Billion	-22.3%
June 2022	\$1.7 Billion	-20.3%
May 2022	\$1.5 Billion	-17.8%
April 2022	\$1.6 Billion	-21.8%
March 2022	\$1.5 Billion	-14.3%



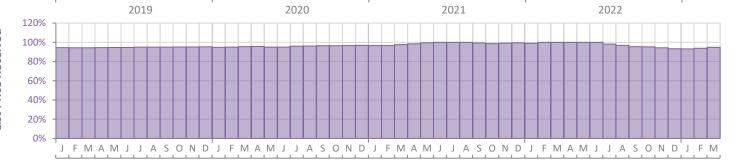
### Median Percent of Original List Price Received

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

**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.

Month	Med. Pct. of Orig. List Price Received	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	94.0%	-6.0%
March 2023	94.8%	-5.2%
February 2023	93.8%	-6.2%
January 2023	93.1%	-6.0%
December 2022	93.3%	-6.1%
November 2022	94.3%	-4.9%
October 2022	95.3%	-3.4%
September 2022	95.4%	-3.9%
August 2022	96.8%	-3.2%
July 2022	98.2%	-1.8%
June 2022	100.0%	0.0%
May 2022	100.0%	0.5%
April 2022	100.0%	1.5%
March 2022	100.0%	2.5%





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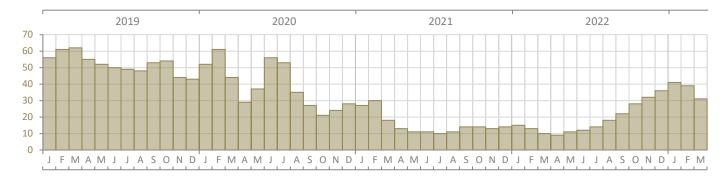
### Median Time to Contract

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

*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 month. 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.

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l		Contract	Year-over-Year
	Year-to-Date	39 Days	200.0%
	March 2023	31 Days	210.0%
	February 2023	39 Days	200.0%
	January 2023	41 Days	173.3%
	December 2022	36 Days	157.1%
	November 2022	32 Days	146.2%
	October 2022	28 Days	100.0%
	September 2022	22 Days	57.1%
	August 2022	18 Days	63.6%
	July 2022	14 Days	40.0%
	June 2022	12 Days	9.1%
	May 2022	11 Days	0.0%
	April 2022	9 Days	-30.8%
	March 2022	10 Days	-44.4%





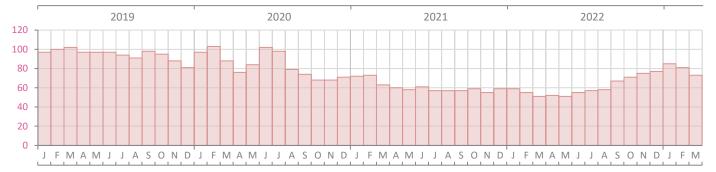
#### Median Time to Sale

The median number of days between the listing date and closing date for all Closed Sales during the month

**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.

	Month	Median Time to Sale	Percent Change Year-over-Year
ĺ	Year-to-Date	81 Days	47.3%
	March 2023	73 Days	43.1%
	February 2023	81 Days	47.3%
	January 2023	85 Days	44.1%
	December 2022	77 Days	30.5%
	November 2022	75 Days	36.4%
	October 2022	71 Days	20.3%
	September 2022	67 Days	17.5%
	August 2022	58 Days	1.8%
	July 2022	57 Days	0.0%
	June 2022	55 Days	-9.8%
	May 2022	51 Days	-12.1%
	April 2022	52 Days	-13.3%
	March 2022	51 Days	-19.0%



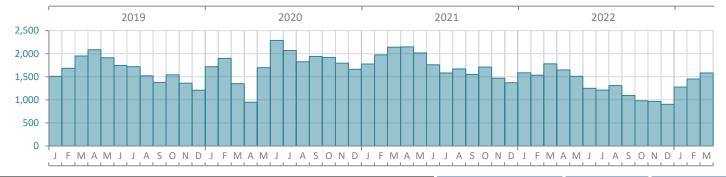


## New Pending Sales

The number of listed properties that went under contract during the month

Economists' note: Because of the typical length of time it takes for a sale to close, economists consider Pending Sales to be a decent indicator of potential future Closed Sales. It is important to bear in mind, however, that not all Pending Sales will be closed successfully. 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.

Month	New Pending Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	4,315	-12.0%
March 2023	1,584	-11.0%
February 2023	1,453	-5.3%
January 2023	1,278	-19.5%
December 2022	904	-34.0%
November 2022	967	-34.1%
October 2022	979	-42.8%
September 2022	1,093	-29.6%
August 2022	1,310	-21.6%
July 2022	1,213	-23.4%
June 2022	1,251	-28.9%
May 2022	1,509	-25.1%
April 2022	1,648	-23.3%
March 2022	1,780	-16.9%



### **New Listings**

The number of properties put onto the market during the month

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New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
4,909	-7.9%
1,738	-15.2%
1,484	-11.2%
1,687	4.8%
1,076	-17.9%
1,360	-7.5%
1,577	-6.9%
1,562	-9.5%
1,709	0.2%
1,980	2.1%
2,286	11.9%
2,222	7.4%
2,052	-8.7%
2,049	-4.4%
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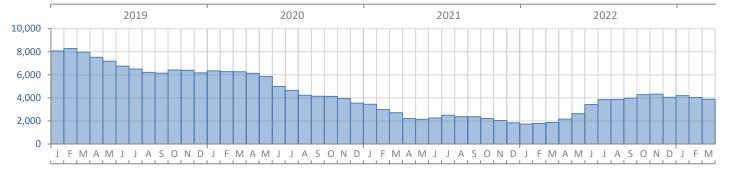


### **Inventory (Active Listings)**

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

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Month	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
YTD (Monthly Avg)	4,035	125.3%
March 2023	3,876	107.4%
February 2023	4,027	126.6%
January 2023	4,202	143.3%
December 2022	4,042	120.6%
November 2022	4,322	113.2%
October 2022	4,286	93.8%
September 2022	3,977	67.8%
August 2022	3,865	63.1%
July 2022	3,854	54.6%
June 2022	3,421	51.4%
May 2022	2,631	23.1%
April 2022	2,155	-2.5%
March 2022	1,869	-31.2%



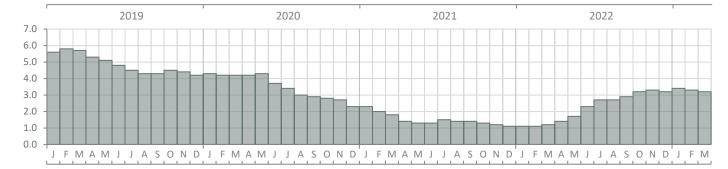
### Months Supply of Inventory

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.

Month	Months Supply	Percent Change Year-over-Year
YTD (Monthly Avg)	3.3	200.0%
March 2023	3.2	166.7%
February 2023	3.3	200.0%
January 2023	3.4	209.1%
December 2022	3.2	190.9%
November 2022	3.3	175.0%
October 2022	3.2	146.2%
September 2022	2.9	107.1%
August 2022	2.7	92.9%
July 2022	2.7	80.0%
June 2022	2.3	76.9%
May 2022	1.7	30.8%
April 2022	1.4	0.0%
March 2022	1.2	-33.3%





**Median Time to Contract** 

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# Closed Sales by Sale Price

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Sale Price	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	0	-100.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	2	-66.7%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	8	-61.9%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	15	-25.0%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	42	-12.5%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	46	-48.3%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	188	-16.8%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	486	1.3%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	399	-1.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	279	-4.8%

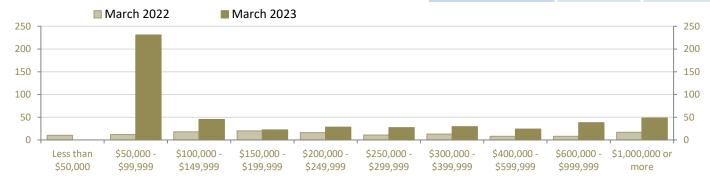


### Median Time to Contract by Sale Price

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

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Sale Price	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	(No Sales)	N/A
\$50,000 - \$99,999	231 Days	1825.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	45 Days	150.0%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	22 Days	10.0%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	28 Days	75.0%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	27 Days	145.5%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	29 Days	123.1%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	24 Days	200.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	38 Days	375.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	48 Days	182.4%



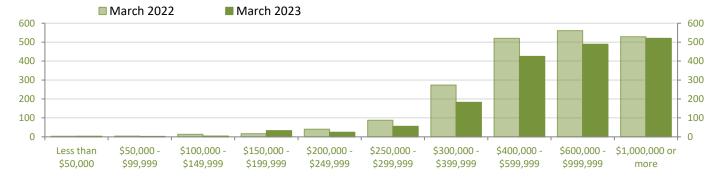


# New Listings by Initial Listing Price

The number of properties put onto the market during the month

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Initial Listing Price	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	3	0.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	2	-50.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	4	-69.2%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	33	94.1%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	24	-40.0%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	56	-36.4%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	182	-33.6%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	425	-18.3%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	489	-12.8%
\$1,000,000 or more	520	-1.7%

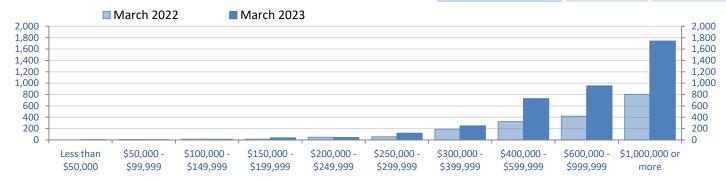


### Inventory by Current Listing Price

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

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Current Listing Price	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	1	N/A
\$50,000 - \$99,999	3	-62.5%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	10	-28.6%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	37	164.3%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	42	-10.6%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	119	112.5%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	248	32.6%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	725	123.8%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	951	127.5%
\$1,000,000 or more	1,740	117.2%



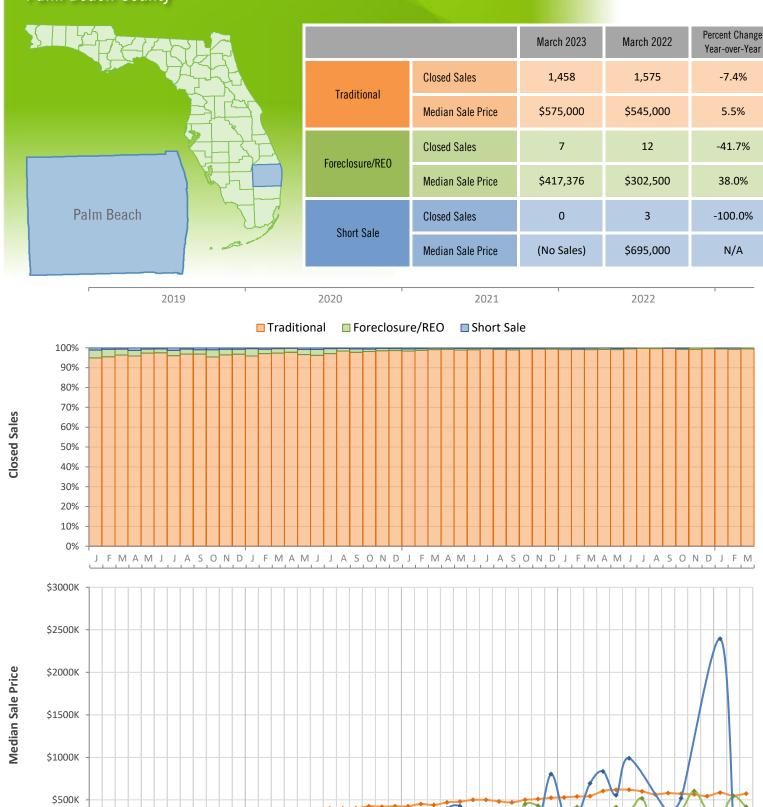
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