

Weekly Market Activity Report



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For Week Ending July 4, 2015

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As fireworks go boom, the boom of housing's summer selling season tends to relax across the country, giving way to Facebook photos of families and friends at picnics and on road trips. Amidst the red, white and blue Instagram filters and patriotic Twitter profile pics, you'll still likely see evidence of sales being made and articles about overall affordability. So take a quick break to play catch or chomp a hot dog, because the homeownership dream is alive and thriving this summer.

In the Twin Cities region, for the week ending July 4:

- New Listings increased 0.2% to 1,270
- Pending Sales increased 13.3% to 1,184
- Inventory decreased 7.5% to 16,940

For the month of June:

- Median Sales Price increased 4.7% to \$229,900
- Days on Market decreased 5.7% to 66
- Percent of Original List Price Received increased 0.5% to 97.7%
- Months Supply of Inventory decreased 15.9% to 3.7

Quick Facts

| + 0.2% | + 13.3% | - 7.5% |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Change in New Listings | Change in Pending Sales | Change in Inventory |

Metrics by Week

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|-----------------------------|---|
| New Listings | 2 |
| Pending Sales | 3 |
| Inventory of Homes for Sale | 4 |

Metrics by Month

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| Days on Market Until Sale | 5 |
| Median Sales Price | 6 |
| Percent of Original List Price Received | 7 |
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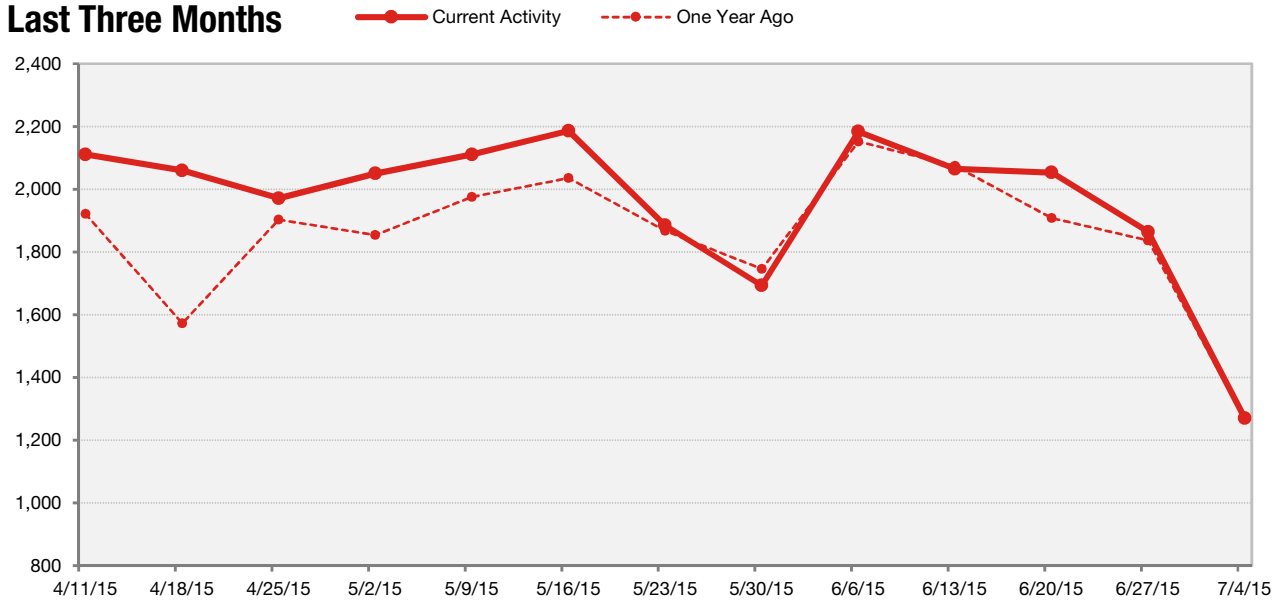
New Listings

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



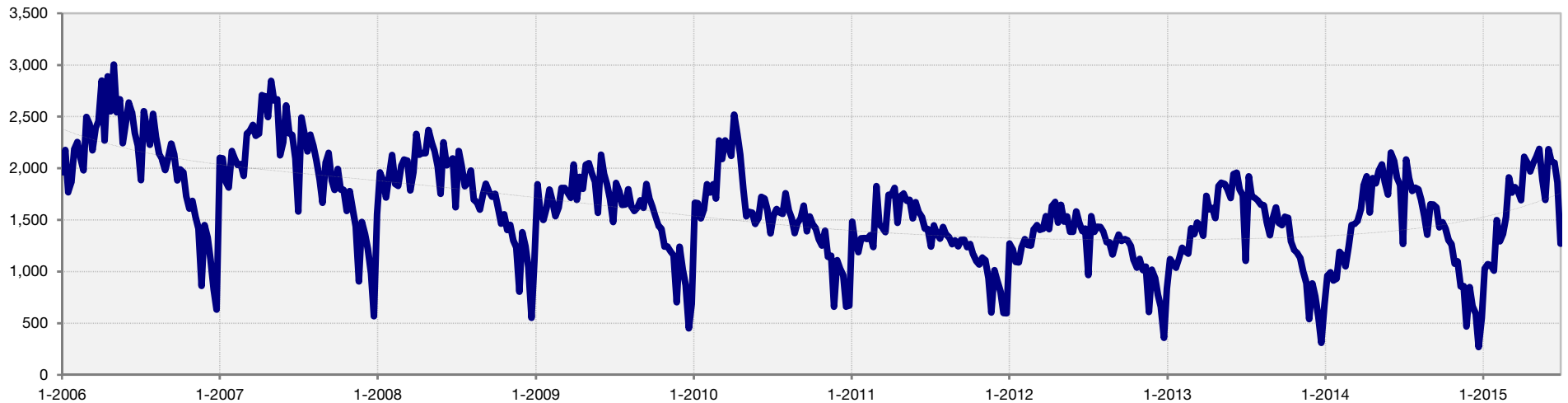
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Last Three Months



| For the Week Ending | Current Activity | One Year Previous | + / - |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 4/11/2015 | 2,111 | 1,921 | + 9.9% |
| 4/18/2015 | 2,060 | 1,572 | + 31.0% |
| 4/25/2015 | 1,971 | 1,903 | + 3.6% |
| 5/2/2015 | 2,050 | 1,854 | + 10.6% |
| 5/9/2015 | 2,111 | 1,975 | + 6.9% |
| 5/16/2015 | 2,186 | 2,036 | + 7.4% |
| 5/23/2015 | 1,885 | 1,867 | + 1.0% |
| 5/30/2015 | 1,693 | 1,746 | - 3.0% |
| 6/6/2015 | 2,184 | 2,152 | + 1.5% |
| 6/13/2015 | 2,065 | 2,074 | - 0.4% |
| 6/20/2015 | 2,053 | 1,908 | + 7.6% |
| 6/27/2015 | 1,864 | 1,837 | + 1.5% |
| 7/4/2015 | 1,270 | 1,267 | + 0.2% |
| 3-Month Total | 25,503 | 24,112 | + 5.8% |

Historical New Listings



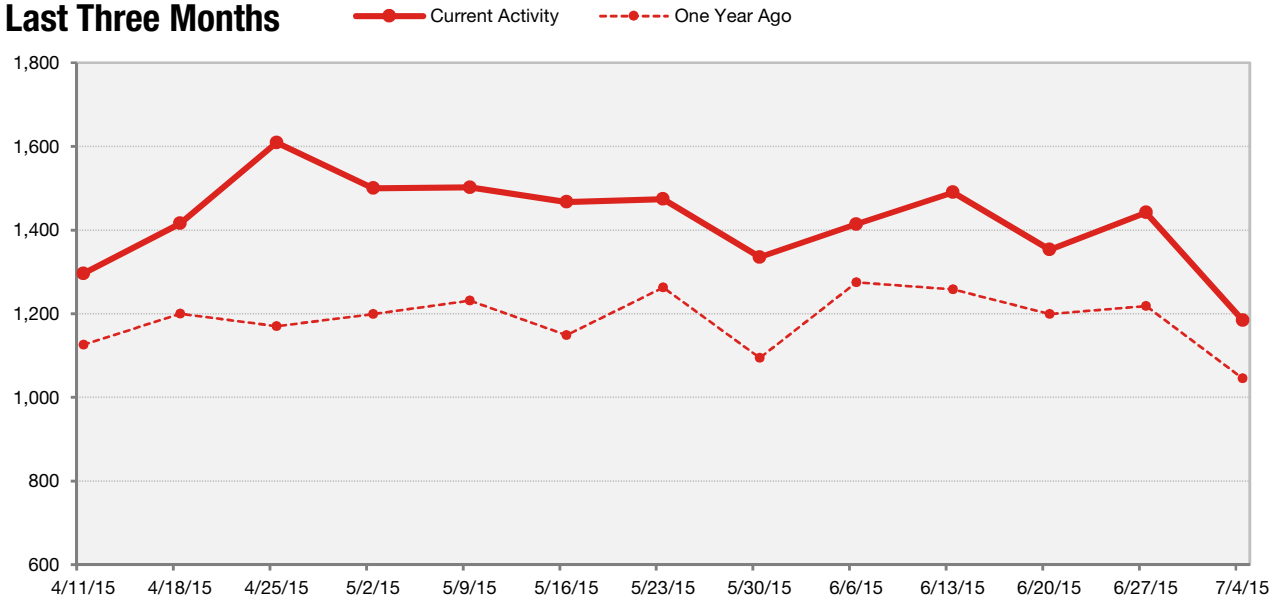
Pending Sales

A count of the properties that have offers accepted on them in a given week.



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| 4/11/2015 | 1,296 | 1,126 | + 15.1% |
| 4/18/2015 | 1,416 | 1,200 | + 18.0% |
| 4/25/2015 | 1,609 | 1,170 | + 37.5% |
| 5/2/2015 | 1,500 | 1,199 | + 25.1% |
| 5/9/2015 | 1,502 | 1,231 | + 22.0% |
| 5/16/2015 | 1,467 | 1,149 | + 27.7% |
| 5/23/2015 | 1,474 | 1,263 | + 16.7% |
| 5/30/2015 | 1,335 | 1,094 | + 22.0% |
| 6/6/2015 | 1,414 | 1,275 | + 10.9% |
| 6/13/2015 | 1,490 | 1,258 | + 18.4% |
| 6/20/2015 | 1,353 | 1,199 | + 12.8% |
| 6/27/2015 | 1,442 | 1,218 | + 18.4% |
| 7/4/2015 | 1,184 | 1,045 | + 13.3% |
| 3-Month Total | 18,482 | 15,427 | + 19.8% |

Historical Pending Sales



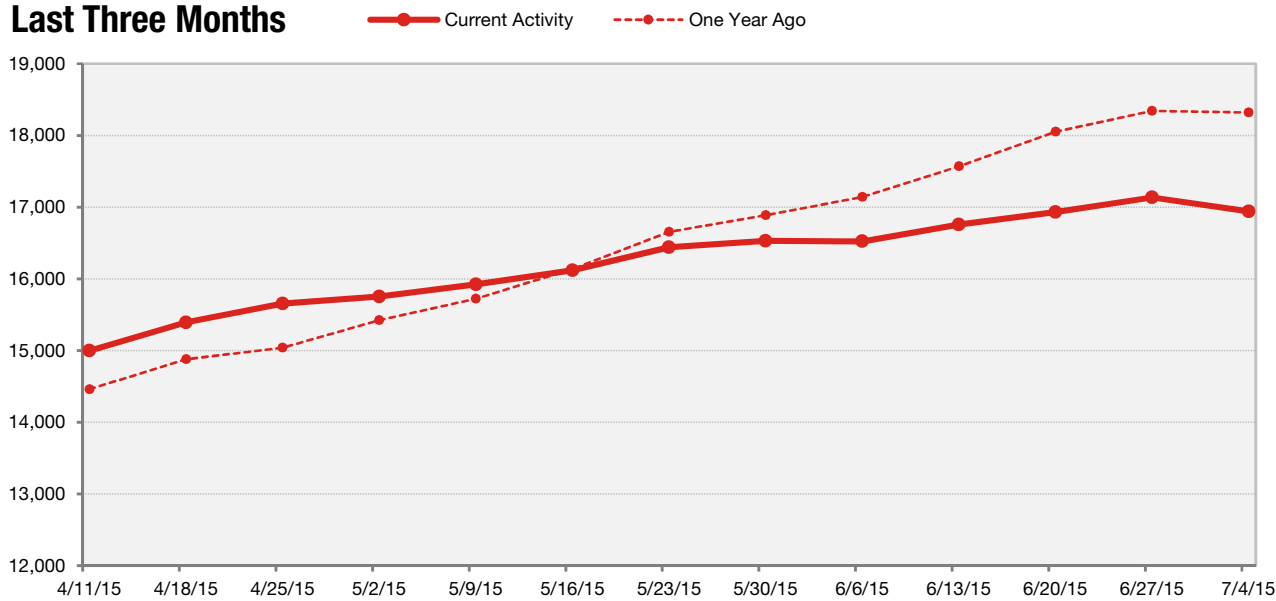
Inventory of Homes for Sale

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



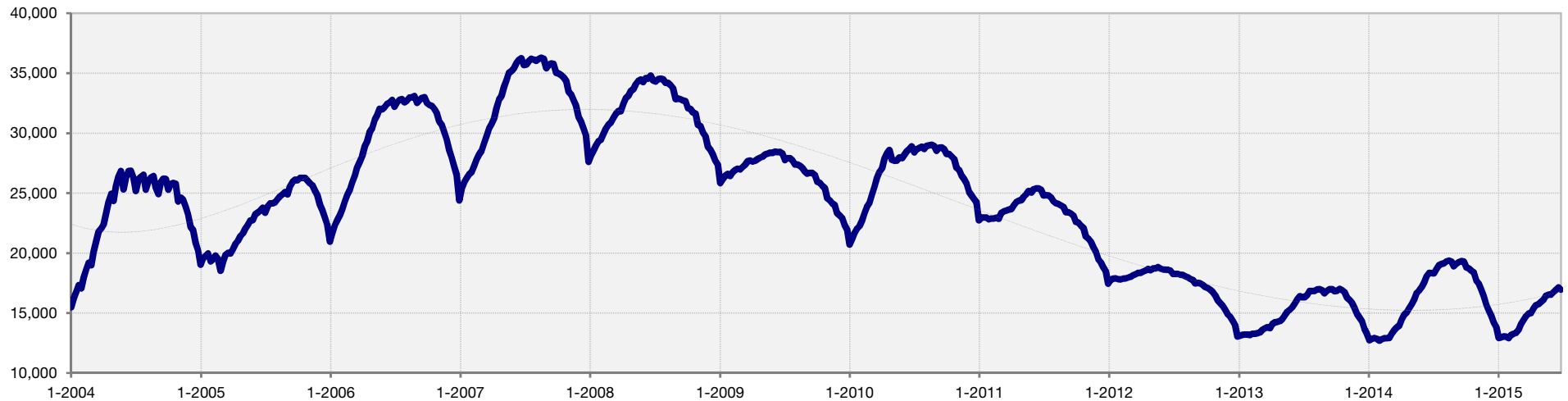
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Last Three Months



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| 4/11/2015 | 14,999 | 14,461 | + 3.7% |
| 4/18/2015 | 15,391 | 14,879 | + 3.4% |
| 4/25/2015 | 15,655 | 15,040 | + 4.1% |
| 5/2/2015 | 15,752 | 15,425 | + 2.1% |
| 5/9/2015 | 15,923 | 15,721 | + 1.3% |
| 5/16/2015 | 16,120 | 16,138 | - 0.1% |
| 5/23/2015 | 16,440 | 16,657 | - 1.3% |
| 5/30/2015 | 16,529 | 16,890 | - 2.1% |
| 6/6/2015 | 16,523 | 17,144 | - 3.6% |
| 6/13/2015 | 16,757 | 17,570 | - 4.6% |
| 6/20/2015 | 16,931 | 18,055 | - 6.2% |
| 6/27/2015 | 17,135 | 18,343 | - 6.6% |
| 7/4/2015 | 16,940 | 18,322 | - 7.5% |
| 3-Month Avg | 16,238 | 16,511 | - 1.7% |

Historical Inventory Levels



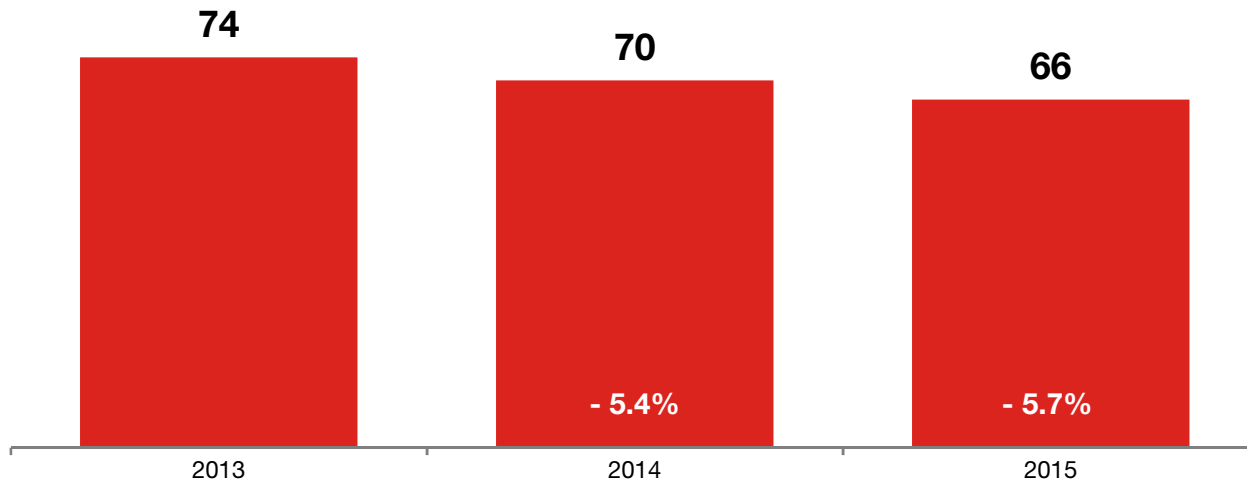
Days on Market Until Sale

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



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June



| Month | Current Activity | One Year Previous | + / - |
|--------------|------------------|-------------------|--------|
| July | 68 | 72 | - 5.6% |
| August | 68 | 70 | - 2.9% |
| September | 71 | 71 | 0.0% |
| October | 72 | 75 | - 4.0% |
| November | 79 | 75 | + 5.3% |
| December | 89 | 86 | + 3.5% |
| January | 101 | 93 | + 8.6% |
| February | 106 | 99 | + 7.1% |
| March | 103 | 95 | + 8.4% |
| April | 85 | 89 | - 4.5% |
| May | 76 | 80 | - 5.0% |
| June | 66 | 70 | - 5.7% |
| 12-Month Avg | 79 | 79 | 0.0% |

Historical Days on Market Until Sale



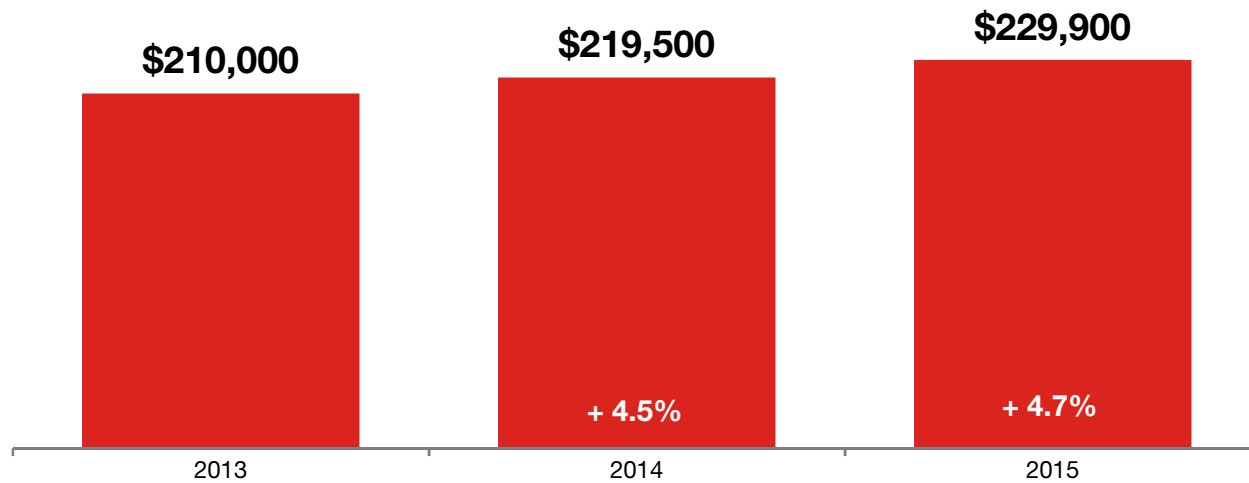
Median Sales Price

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



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June



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| July | \$215,000 | \$208,000 | + 3.4% |
| August | \$219,000 | \$207,900 | + 5.3% |
| September | \$205,000 | \$195,000 | + 5.1% |
| October | \$207,900 | \$194,900 | + 6.7% |
| November | \$205,000 | \$195,000 | + 5.1% |
| December | \$200,000 | \$190,025 | + 5.2% |
| January | \$195,000 | \$179,850 | + 8.4% |
| February | \$200,000 | \$183,000 | + 9.3% |
| March | \$210,000 | \$190,000 | + 10.5% |
| April | \$215,000 | \$196,000 | + 9.7% |
| May | \$224,000 | \$210,000 | + 6.7% |
| June | \$229,900 | \$219,500 | + 4.7% |
| 12-Month Med | \$215,000 | \$199,900 | + 7.6% |

Historical Median Sales Price



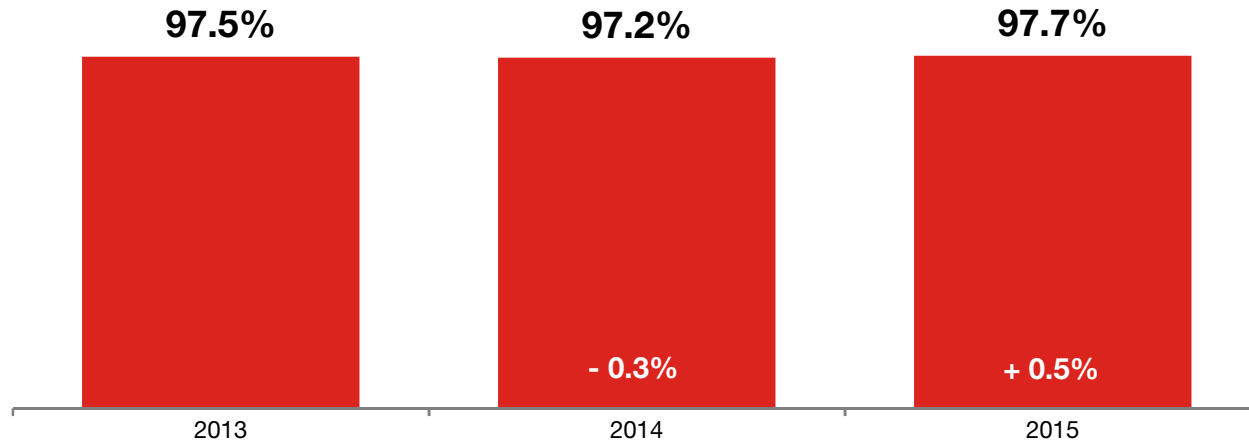
Percent of Original List Price Received

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



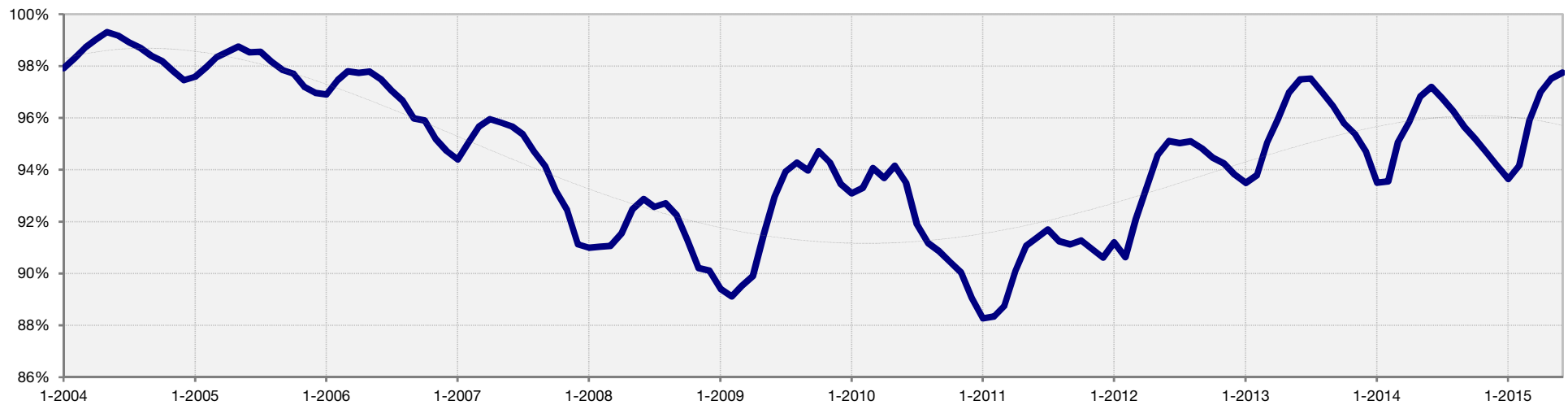
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| July | 96.8% | 97.5% | - 0.7% |
| August | 96.3% | 97.0% | - 0.7% |
| September | 95.6% | 96.5% | - 0.9% |
| October | 95.2% | 95.8% | - 0.6% |
| November | 94.7% | 95.4% | - 0.7% |
| December | 94.2% | 94.7% | - 0.5% |
| January | 93.6% | 93.5% | + 0.1% |
| February | 94.2% | 93.5% | + 0.7% |
| March | 95.9% | 95.1% | + 0.8% |
| April | 97.0% | 95.9% | + 1.1% |
| May | 97.5% | 96.8% | + 0.7% |
| June | 97.7% | 97.2% | + 0.5% |
| 12-Month Avg | 96.1% | 96.1% | 0.0% |

Historical Percent of Original List Price Received



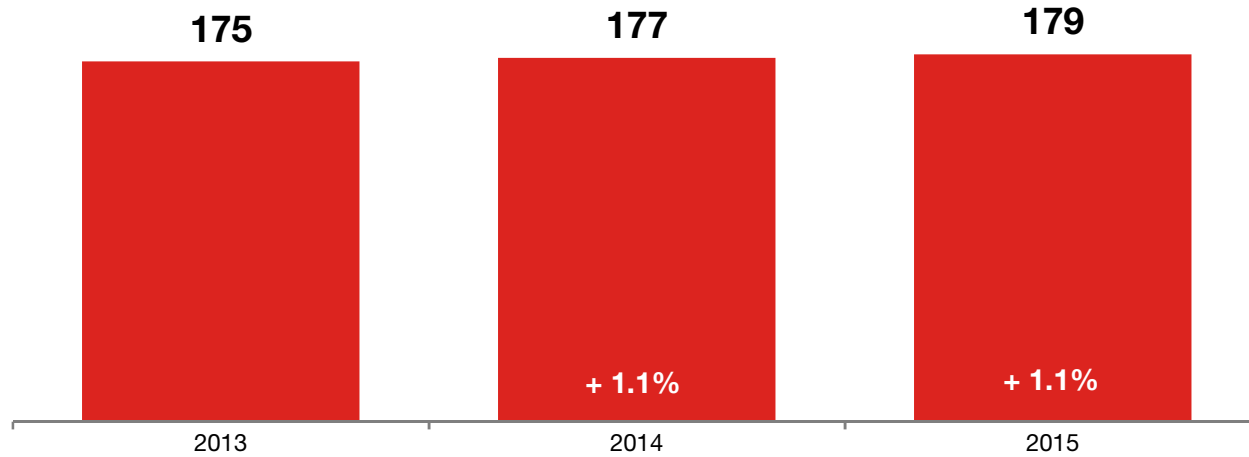
Housing Affordability Index

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



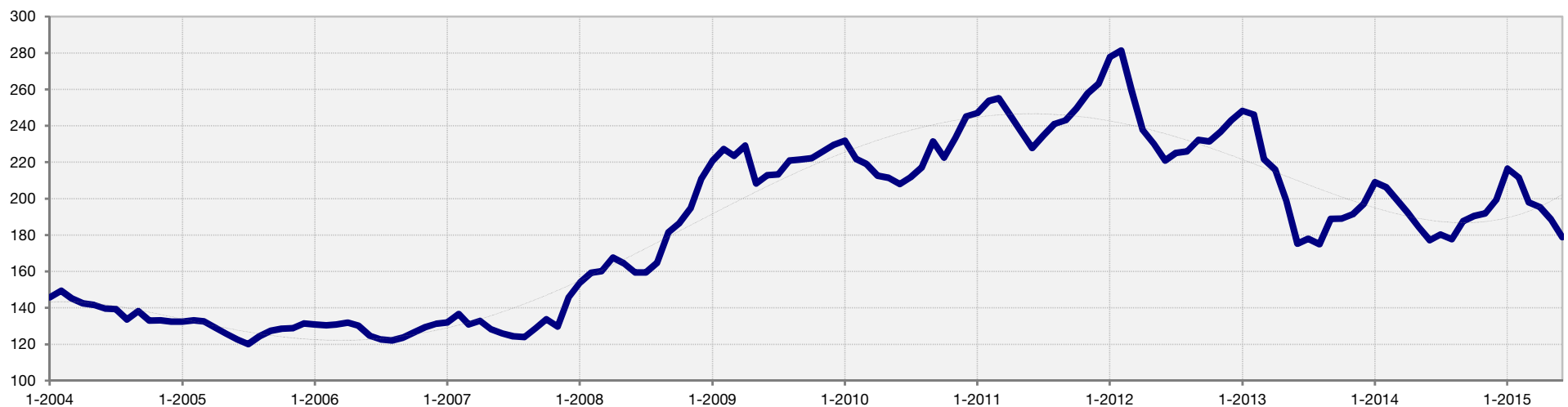
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| July | 180 | 178 | + 1.1% |
| August | 178 | 175 | + 1.7% |
| September | 188 | 189 | - 0.5% |
| October | 190 | 189 | + 0.5% |
| November | 192 | 192 | 0.0% |
| December | 199 | 197 | + 1.0% |
| January | 216 | 209 | + 3.3% |
| February | 212 | 206 | + 2.9% |
| March | 198 | 200 | - 1.0% |
| April | 195 | 192 | + 1.6% |
| May | 189 | 184 | + 2.7% |
| June | 179 | 177 | + 1.1% |
| 12-Month Avg | 194 | 192 | + 1.0% |

Historical Housing Affordability Index



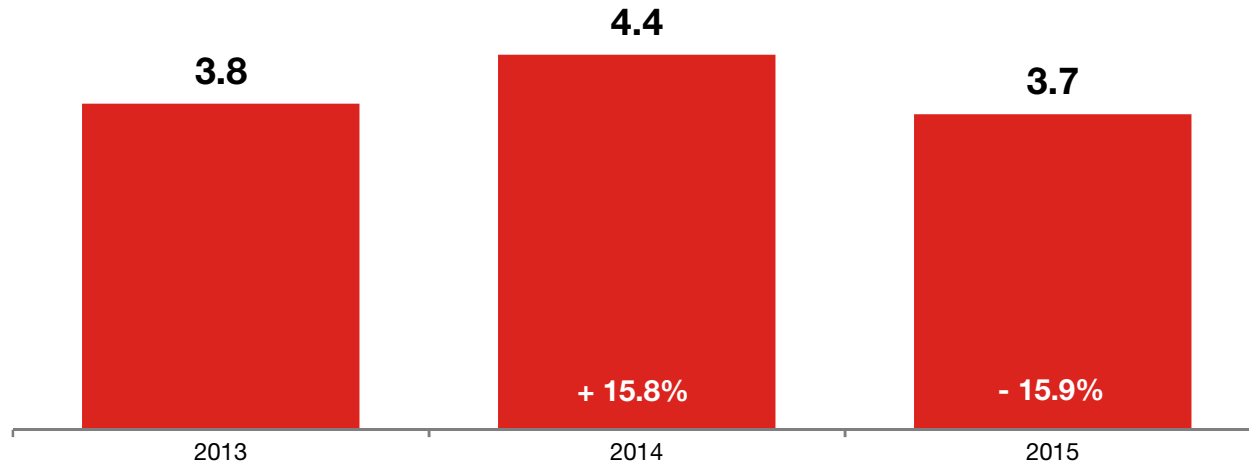
Months Supply of Inventory

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.



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| July | 4.6 | 3.8 | + 21.1% |
| August | 4.6 | 3.8 | + 21.1% |
| September | 4.6 | 3.8 | + 21.1% |
| October | 4.3 | 3.7 | + 16.2% |
| November | 3.9 | 3.4 | + 14.7% |
| December | 3.1 | 2.9 | + 6.9% |
| January | 3.1 | 2.9 | + 6.9% |
| February | 3.2 | 3.0 | + 6.7% |
| March | 3.5 | 3.3 | + 6.1% |
| April | 3.6 | 3.6 | 0.0% |
| May | 3.7 | 4.1 | - 9.8% |
| June | 3.7 | 4.4 | - 15.9% |
| 12-Month Avg | 3.8 | 3.6 | + 5.6% |

Historical Months Supply of Inventory

