

Weekly Market Activity Report

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For Week Ending January 16, 2021

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Mortgage giant Freddie Mac reported this week that rates on a 30-year fixed-rate mortgage averaged 2.79% with .7 points. That is up slightly from the record lows seen last week, but almost one percent lower than the same week a year ago. Rates are expected to increase slightly this year, with the National Association of REALTORS® expecting rates to average 3.1 percent in 2021, and the Mortgage Bankers Association estimating an average of 3.3 percent.

In the Twin Cities region, for the week ending January 16:

- New Listings increased 0.8% to 929
- Pending Sales increased 7.4% to 815
- Inventory decreased 40.2% to 5,125

For the month of December:

- Median Sales Price increased 10.0% to \$307,000
- Days on Market decreased 30.4% to 39
- Percent of Original List Price Received increased 2.5% to 99.7%
- Months Supply of Homes For Sale decreased 41.2% to 1.0

Quick Facts

+ 0.8%	+ 7.4%	- 40.2%
Change in	Change in	Change in
New Listings	Pending Sales	Inventory

Metrics by Week

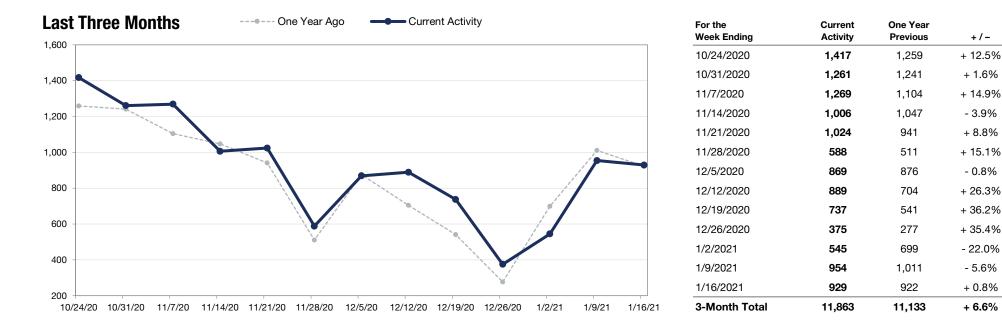
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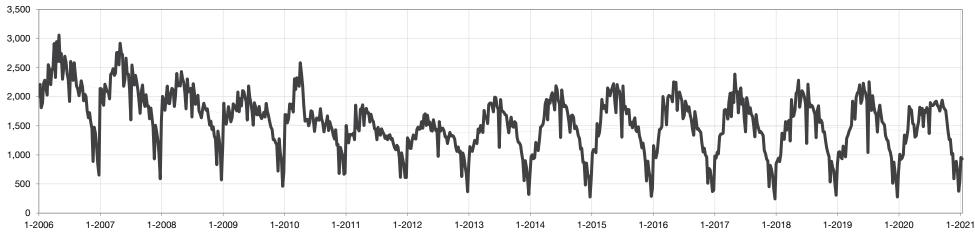
New Listings

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





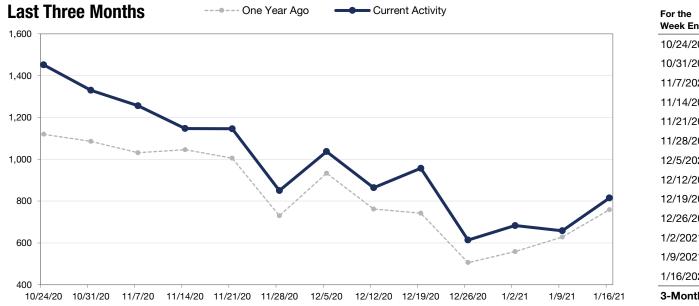
Historical New Listings



Pending Sales

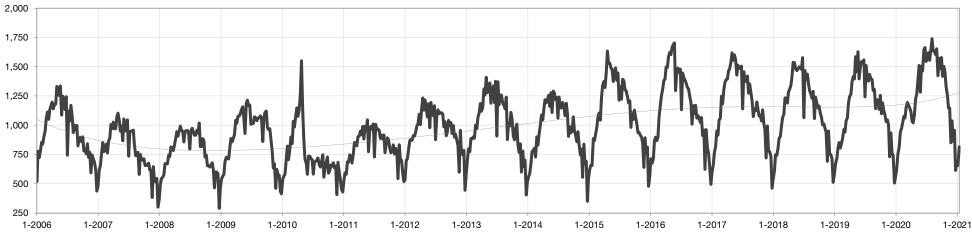
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given week.





For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
10/24/2020	1,452	1,120	+ 29.6%
10/31/2020	1,330	1,086	+ 22.5%
11/7/2020	1,256	1,031	+ 21.8%
11/14/2020	1,147	1,046	+ 9.7%
11/21/2020	1,146	1,005	+ 14.0%
11/28/2020	850	730	+ 16.4%
12/5/2020	1,037	933	+ 11.1%
12/12/2020	864	762	+ 13.4%
12/19/2020	957	742	+ 29.0%
12/26/2020	614	506	+ 21.3%
1/2/2021	683	558	+ 22.4%
1/9/2021	658	628	+ 4.8%
1/16/2021	815	759	+ 7.4%
3-Month Total	12,809	10,906	+ 17.4%

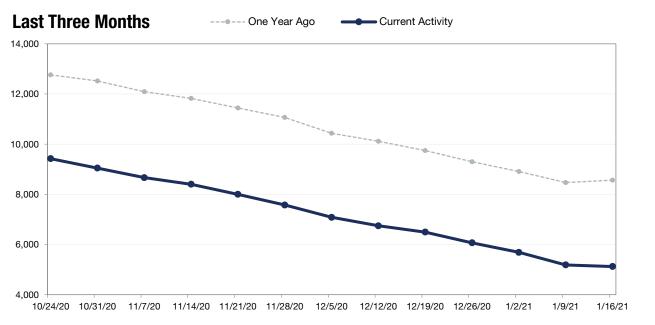
Historical Pending Sales



Inventory of Homes for Sale

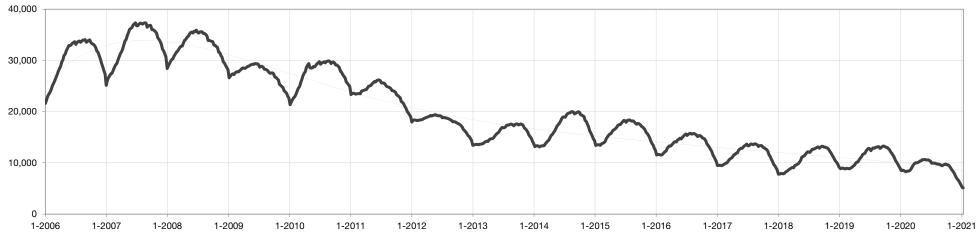


The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given week.



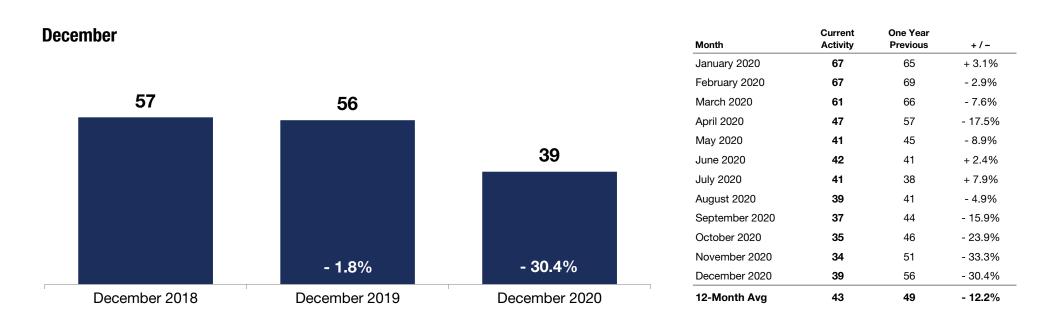
For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
10/24/2020	9,424	12,763	- 26.2%
10/31/2020	9,045	12,519	- 27.7%
11/7/2020	8,667	12,091	- 28.3%
11/14/2020	8,402	11,823	- 28.9%
11/21/2020	8,001	11,443	- 30.1%
11/28/2020	7,575	11,067	- 31.6%
12/5/2020	7,086	10,437	- 32.1%
12/12/2020	6,748	10,113	- 33.3%
12/19/2020	6,494	9,745	- 33.4%
12/26/2020	6,068	9,299	- 34.7%
1/2/2021	5,688	8,907	- 36.1%
1/9/2021	5,188	8,471	- 38.8%
1/16/2021	5,125	8,565	- 40.2%
3-Month Avg	7,193	10,557	- 31.9%

Historical Inventory Levels

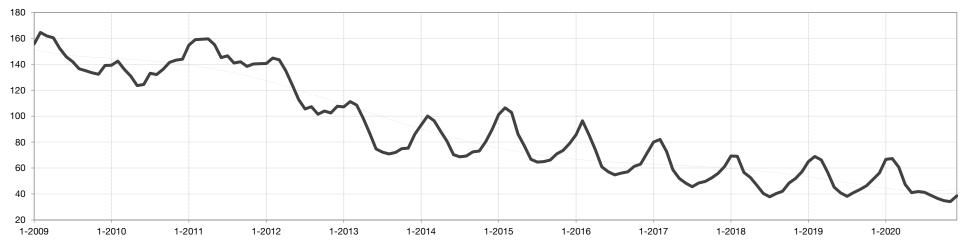


Days on Market Until Sale

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



Historical Days on Market Until Sale

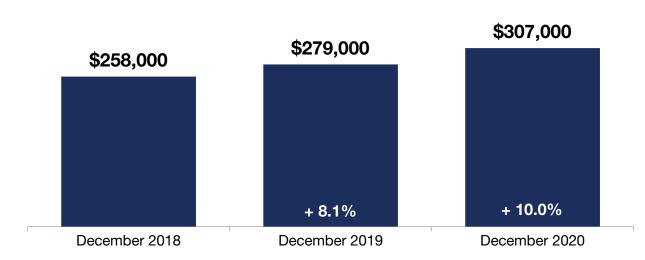


Median Sales Price

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



December



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
January 2020	\$270,000	\$259,000	+ 4.2%
February 2020	\$281,500	\$265,450	+ 6.0%
March 2020	\$297,000	\$275,001	+ 8.0%
April 2020	\$305,000	\$281,000	+ 8.5%
May 2020	\$294,900	\$285,000	+ 3.5%
June 2020	\$305,000	\$290,000	+ 5.2%
July 2020	\$312,500	\$283,210	+ 10.3%
August 2020	\$315,000	\$286,900	+ 9.8%
September 2020	\$310,000	\$279,900	+ 10.8%
October 2020	\$315,000	\$280,000	+ 12.5%
November 2020	\$310,000	\$280,000	+ 10.7%
December 2020	\$307,000	\$279,000	+ 10.0%
12-Month Med	\$305,000	\$280,000	+ 8.9%

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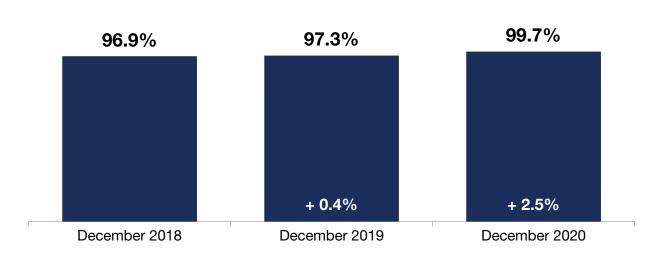
Historical Median Sales Price

Percent of Original List Price Received



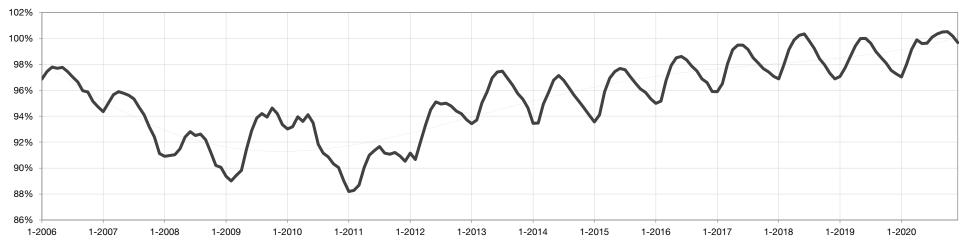
Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its original list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.

December



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
January 2020	97.0%	97.1%	- 0.1%
February 2020	98.0%	97.7%	+ 0.3%
March 2020	99.2%	98.6%	+ 0.6%
April 2020	99.9 %	99.4%	+ 0.5%
May 2020	99.6%	100.0%	- 0.4%
June 2020	99.6%	100.0%	- 0.4%
July 2020	100.1%	99.6%	+ 0.5%
August 2020	100.3%	99.0%	+ 1.3%
September 2020	100.5%	98.5%	+ 2.0%
October 2020	100.5%	98.1%	+ 2.4%
November 2020	100.2%	97.5%	+ 2.8%
December 2020	99.7%	97.3%	+ 2.5%
12-Month Avg	99.8%	98.8%	+ 1.0%

Historical Percent of Original List Price Received



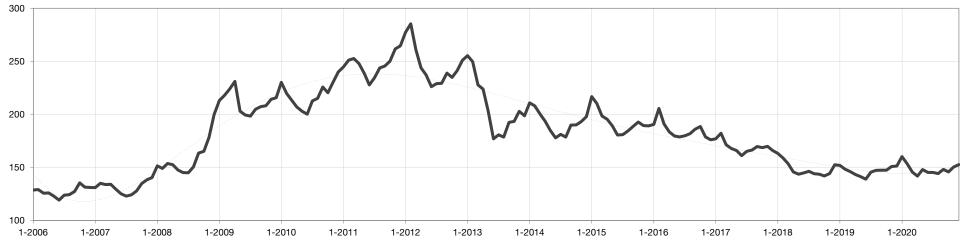
Housing Affordability Index



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.

Dece	ember			Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
				January 2020	160	152	+ 5.3%
				February 2020	154	148	+ 4.1%
	152	151	153	March 2020	146	146	0.0%
			April 2020	142	143	- 0.7%	
			May 2020	148	141	+ 5.0%	
			June 2020	145	139	+ 4.3%	
				July 2020	145	146	- 0.7%
				August 2020	144	147	- 2.0%
				September 2020	148	147	+ 0.7%
				October 2020	146	147	- 0.7%
	0 7 %	. 1 20/	November 2020	150	151	- 0.7%	
		- 0.7%	+ 1.3%	December 2020	153	151	+ 1.3%
I	December 2018	December 2019	December 2020	12-Month Avg	148	147	+ 0.7%

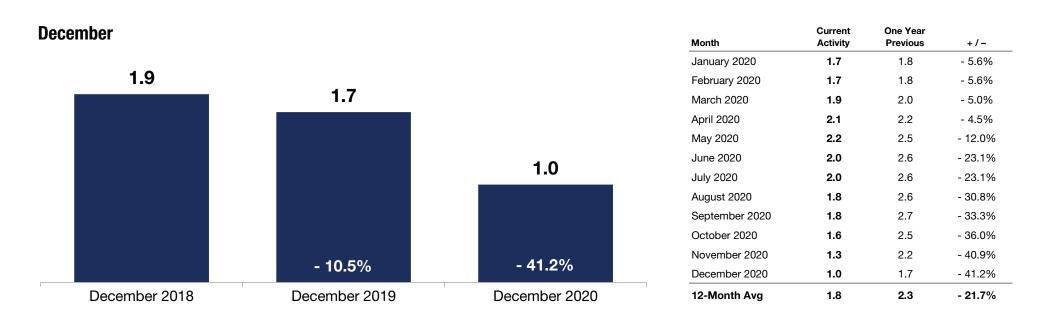
Historical Housing Affordability Index



Months Supply of Homes for Sale



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.



Historical Months Supply of Homes for Sale

