# **Monthly Indicators**

**Mid-Fairfield County Association of REALTORS®** 



#### **April 2023**

U.S. existing-home sales declined 2.4 percent month-over-month as of last measure, according to the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR), reversing February's sales gain of 14.5%. Fluctuations in mortgage interest rates have caused buyers to pullback, with pending sales dropping 5.2% month-over-month. Meanwhile, the median existing-home sales price declined for the second month in a row, falling 0.9% nationally from the same time last year, the largest year-over-year decline since January 2012, according to NAR.

New Listings decreased 25.4 percent for Single Family homes and 68.5 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Pending Sales decreased 37.7 percent for Single Family homes and 23.8 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Inventory decreased 23.8 percent for Single Family homes and 37.7 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes.

Median Sales Price decreased 11.1 percent to \$1,045,000 for Single Family homes but increased 21.8 percent to \$389,750 for Townhouse/Condo homes. Days on Market decreased 21.7 percent for Single Family homes and 47.5 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes. Months Supply of Inventory increased 4.5 percent for Single Family homes but decreased 24.0 percent for Townhouse/Condo homes.

Housing inventory remains tight nationwide, with only 980,000 units available for sale heading into April, a 5.4% increase from one year earlier, although the number of homes for sale is down compared to the same period in 2019, prior to the pandemic. The lack of existing inventory continues to impact home sales, and with only 2.6 months' supply of homes at last measure, competition for available properties remains strong, especially in certain price categories, with multiple offers occurring on about a third of properties, according to NAR.

#### **Quick Facts**

- 33.7%	- 18.9%	<b>- 27.4</b> %
Change in	Change in	Change in
Closed Sales	Median Sales Price	Homes for Sale
All Properties	All Properties	All Properties

This report covers residential real estate activity in the Mid-Fairfield County Association of REALTORS® Association service area. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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# **Single Family Market Overview**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	4-2022	4-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	205	153	- 25.4%	674	507	- 24.8%
Pending Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	167	104	- 37.7%	517	367	- 29.0%
Closed Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	125	86	- 31.2%	415	283	- 31.8%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	60	47	- 21.7%	61	57	- 6.6%
Median Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$1,175,000	\$1,045,000	- 11.1%	\$950,000	\$862,000	- 9.3%
Average Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$1,459,471	\$1,274,314	- 12.7%	\$1,357,110	\$1,240,100	- 8.6%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	105.8%	103.2%	- 2.5%	103.4%	101.4%	- 1.9%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	50	49	- 2.0%	62	60	- 3.2%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	353	269	- 23.8%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	2.2	2.3	+ 4.5%	_		_

#### **Townhouse/Condo Market Overview**

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

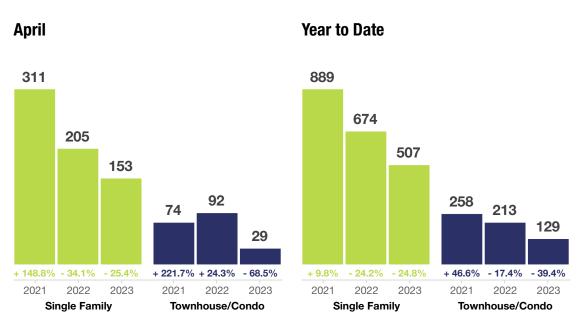


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	4-2022	4-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	92	29	- 68.5%	213	129	- 39.4%
Pending Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	42	32	- 23.8%	151	120	- 20.5%
Closed Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	41	24	- 41.5%	143	103	- 28.0%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	59	31	- 47.5%	60	44	- 26.7%
Median Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$320,000	\$389,750	+ 21.8%	\$330,000	\$355,000	+ 7.6%
Average Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$436,415	\$425,830	- 2.4%	\$405,887	\$475,756	+ 17.2%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	102.4%	100.6%	- 1.8%	100.7%	100.0%	- 0.7%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	183	132	- 27.9%	177	145	- 18.1%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	122	76	- 37.7%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	2.5	1.9	- 24.0%		_	_

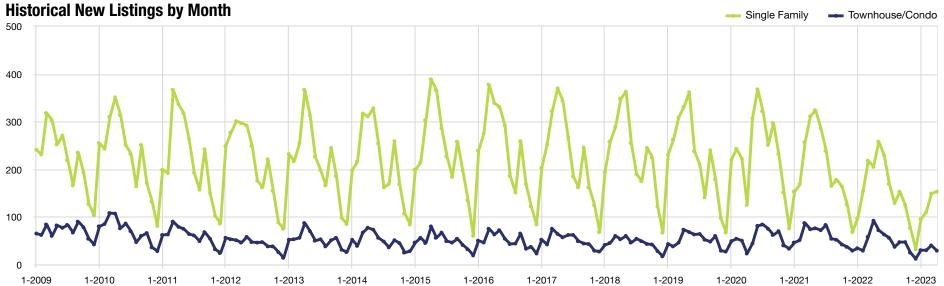
## **New Listings**

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





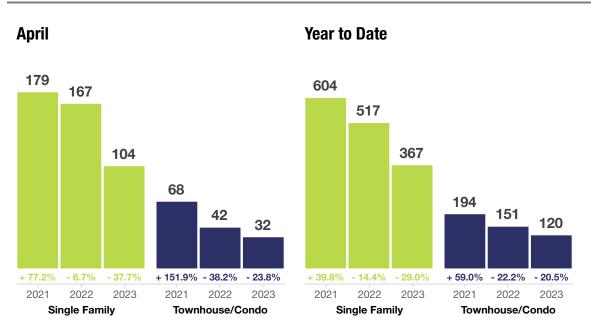
New Listings	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	258	- 20.4%	72	- 5.3%
Jun-2022	230	- 19.6%	63	- 12.5%
Jul-2022	169	- 29.3%	56	- 32.5%
Aug-2022	129	- 21.8%	37	- 31.5%
Sep-2022	153	- 14.0%	47	- 9.6%
Oct-2022	125	- 23.8%	47	+ 11.9%
Nov-2022	77	- 38.9%	25	- 32.4%
Dec-2022	32	- 52.9%	12	- 58.6%
Jan-2023	95	- 2.1%	30	- 11.8%
Feb-2023	110	- 28.6%	30	+ 3.4%
Mar-2023	149	- 31.7%	40	- 31.0%
Apr-2023	153	- 25.4%	29	- 68.5%
12-Month Avg	140	- 24.3%	41	- 25.5%



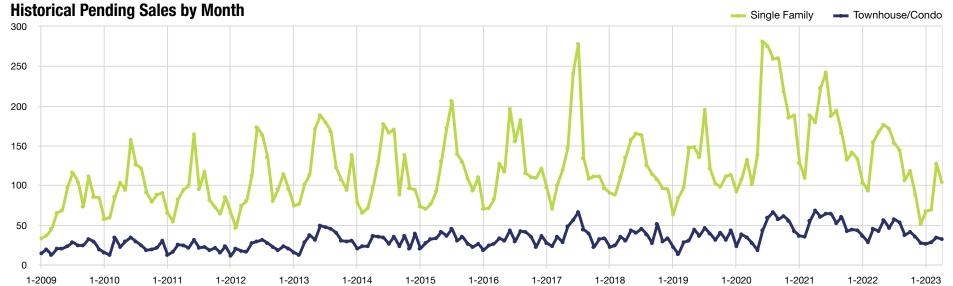
## **Pending Sales**

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





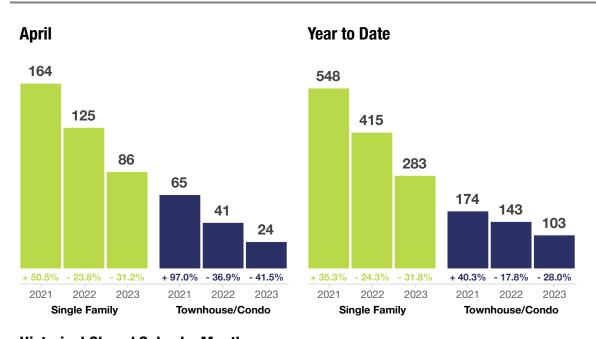
Pending Sales	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	176	- 20.7%	56	- 6.7%
Jun-2022	171	- 29.3%	46	- 28.1%
Jul-2022	153	- 18.2%	57	- 10.9%
Aug-2022	144	- 25.8%	53	+ 1.9%
Sep-2022	106	- 36.1%	37	- 38.3%
Oct-2022	118	- 10.6%	41	- 2.4%
Nov-2022	88	- 37.6%	35	- 20.5%
Dec-2022	51	- 61.7%	27	- 37.2%
Jan-2023	67	- 35.0%	26	- 27.8%
Feb-2023	69	- 25.8%	28	0.0%
Mar-2023	127	- 17.5%	34	- 24.4%
Apr-2023	104	- 37.7%	32	- 23.8%
12-Month Avg	115	- 28.6%	39	- 18.8%



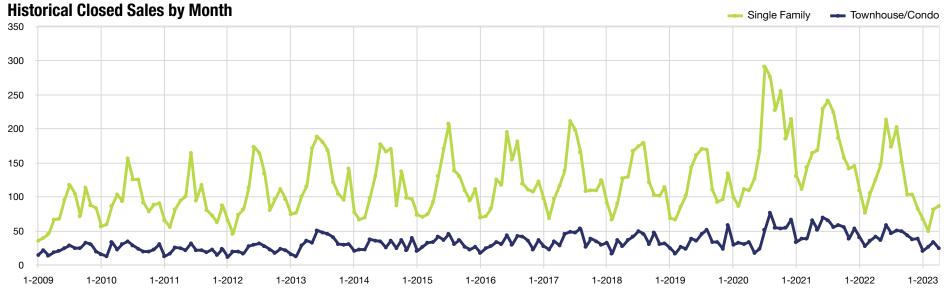
#### **Closed Sales**

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





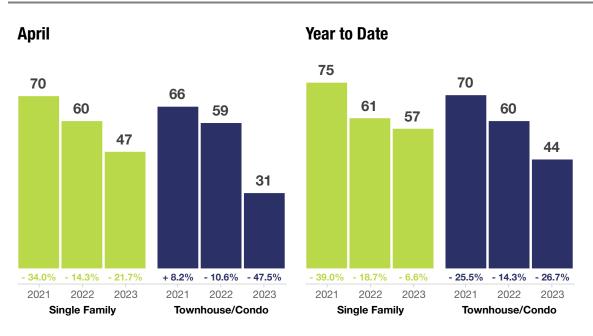
Closed Sales	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	147	- 12.5%	36	- 29.4%
Jun-2022	213	- 7.0%	58	- 15.9%
Jul-2022	173	- 28.2%	46	- 29.2%
Aug-2022	202	- 9.8%	50	- 9.1%
Sep-2022	151	- 18.8%	49	- 15.5%
Oct-2022	103	- 34.4%	43	- 21.8%
Nov-2022	103	- 27.0%	37	- 2.6%
Dec-2022	82	- 43.4%	38	- 28.3%
Jan-2023	67	- 38.5%	20	- 50.0%
Feb-2023	49	- 35.5%	26	- 3.7%
Mar-2023	81	- 22.9%	33	- 5.7%
Apr-2023	86	- 31.2%	24	- 41.5%
12-Month Avg	121	- 23.9%	38	- 22.4%



#### **Days on Market Until Sale**

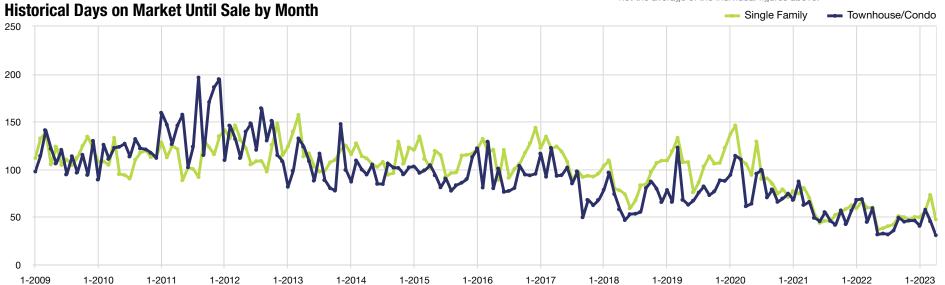
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	37	- 30.2%	32	- 34.7%
Jun-2022	38	- 13.6%	33	- 26.7%
Jul-2022	40	- 13.0%	32	- 41.8%
Aug-2022	42	- 8.7%	36	- 21.7%
Sep-2022	51	- 1.9%	49	+ 16.7%
Oct-2022	50	- 10.7%	45	- 21.1%
Nov-2022	47	- 19.0%	46	+ 9.5%
Dec-2022	50	- 19.4%	46	- 19.3%
Jan-2023	50	- 15.3%	41	- 39.7%
Feb-2023	57	- 14.9%	58	- 15.9%
Mar-2023	73	+ 21.7%	45	0.0%
Apr-2023	47	- 21.7%	31	- 47.5%
12-Month Avg*	46	- 13.6%	40	- 22.0%

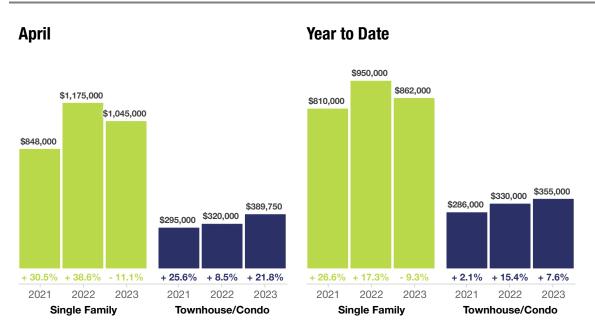
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#### **Median Sales Price**

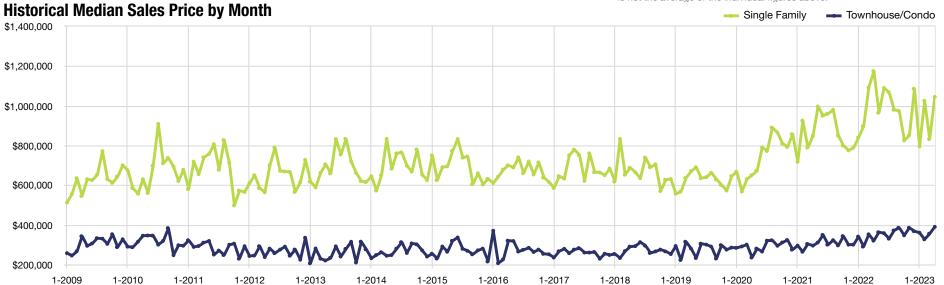
Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.





Median Sales Price	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse /Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	\$965,000	- 3.2%	\$362,500	+ 16.6%
Jun-2022	\$1,090,000	+ 14.7%	\$358,000	+ 2.6%
Jul-2022	\$1,068,000	+ 11.3%	\$330,000	+ 10.0%
Aug-2022	\$979,500	- 0.1%	\$371,500	+ 15.2%
Sep-2022	\$975,000	+ 14.7%	\$385,000	+ 30.1%
Oct-2022	\$825,000	+ 3.1%	\$347,000	+ 1.2%
Nov-2022	\$850,000	+ 9.7%	\$385,000	+ 28.3%
Dec-2022	\$1,086,000	+ 37.7%	\$368,000	+ 22.7%
Jan-2023	\$795,000	- 5.4%	\$360,000	+ 5.7%
Feb-2023	\$1,025,000	+ 14.3%	\$326,750	+ 12.6%
Mar-2023	\$832,000	- 23.8%	\$355,000	+ 0.9%
Apr-2023	\$1,045,000	- 11.1%	\$389,750	+ 21.8%
12-Month Avg*	\$958,000	+ 4.7%	\$360,000	+ 14.3%

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# **Average Sales Price**

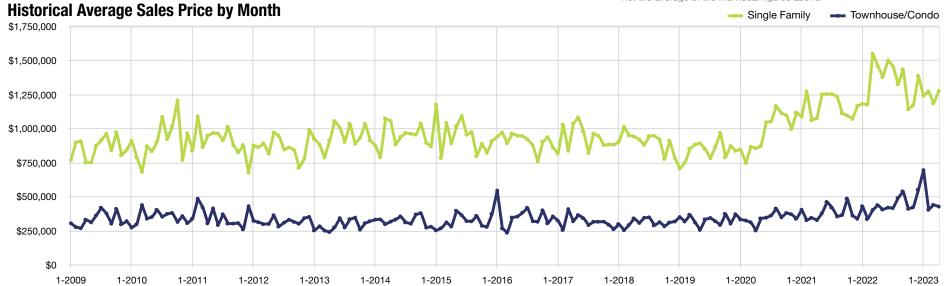
Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.



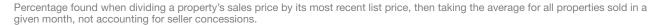
April		Year to Date	
\$1,459,471 \$1,274,314 \$1,076,051		\$1,357,110 \$1,240,100 \$1,114,138	\$475,756 \$405,887
+ 26.0% + 35.6% - 12.7%	\$436,415 \$425,830 \$326,107 + 30.6% + 33.8% - 2.4%	+ 33.9% + 21.8% - 8.6%	\$344,144 + 13.9% + 17.9% + 17.2%
2021 2022 2023	2021 2022 2023	2021 2022 2023	2021 2022 2023
Single Family	Townhouse/Condo	Single Family	Townhouse/Condo

Avg. Sales Price	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	\$1,378,164	+ 10.3%	\$403,896	+ 7.6%
Jun-2022	\$1,499,660	+ 19.6%	\$417,840	- 9.1%
Jul-2022	\$1,459,131	+ 16.6%	\$414,315	- 0.9%
Aug-2022	\$1,323,389	+ 7.2%	\$488,512	+ 38.5%
Sep-2022	\$1,434,524	+ 29.2%	\$537,414	+ 48.0%
Oct-2022	\$1,140,141	+ 4.1%	\$409,154	- 15.6%
Nov-2022	\$1,169,585	+ 9.3%	\$420,092	+ 16.9%
Dec-2022	\$1,387,573	+ 19.0%	\$549,129	+ 63.5%
Jan-2023	\$1,239,039	+ 5.0%	\$693,441	+ 62.0%
Feb-2023	\$1,272,678	+ 8.4%	\$402,019	+ 20.4%
Mar-2023	\$1,184,943	- 23.6%	\$438,232	+ 9.5%
Apr-2023	\$1,274,314	- 12.7%	\$425,830	- 2.4%
12-Month Avg*	\$1,345,927	+ 9.8%	\$459,998	+ 15.1%

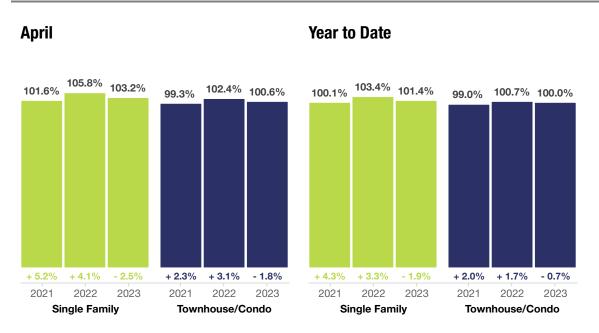
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#### **Percent of List Price Received**

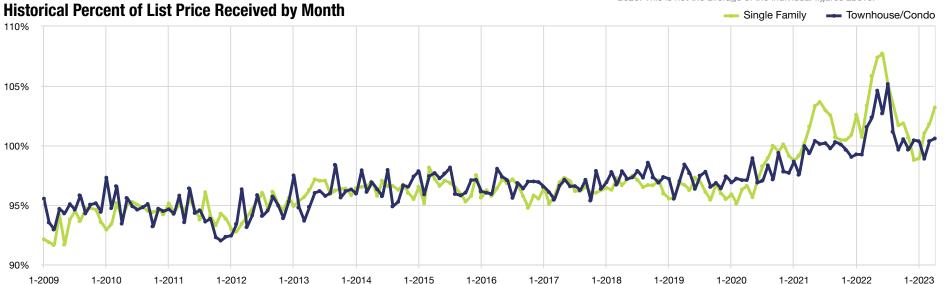






Pct. of List Price Received	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	107.4%	+ 4.0%	104.6%	+ 4.2%
Jun-2022	107.7%	+ 4.0%	102.7%	+ 2.6%
Jul-2022	105.2%	+ 2.2%	105.2%	+ 5.0%
Aug-2022	103.5%	+ 1.0%	101.2%	+ 1.4%
Sep-2022	101.7%	+ 1.0%	99.6%	- 0.7%
Oct-2022	101.9%	+ 1.4%	100.5%	+ 0.4%
Nov-2022	100.6%	+ 0.1%	99.6%	0.0%
Dec-2022	98.8%	- 2.1%	100.4%	+ 1.4%
Jan-2023	98.9%	- 3.6%	100.4%	+ 1.1%
Feb-2023	101.0%	+ 0.3%	98.9%	- 0.3%
Mar-2023	101.8%	- 1.5%	100.4%	- 1.2%
Apr-2023	103.2%	- 2.5%	100.6%	- 1.8%
12-Month Avg*	103.5%	+ 1.1%	101.4%	+ 1.2%

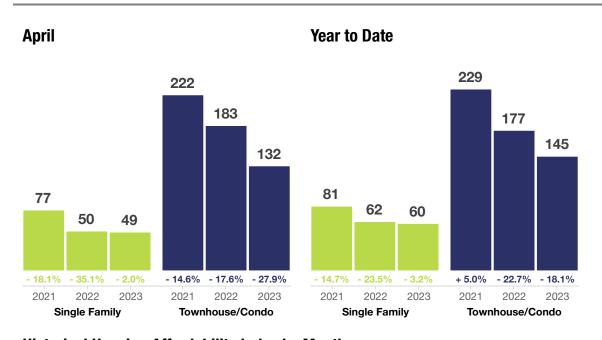
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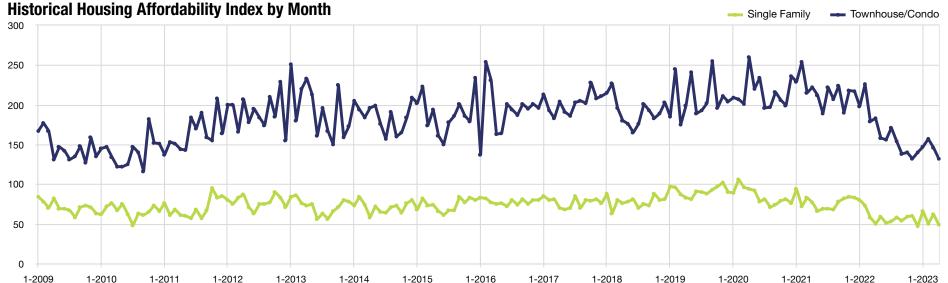
### **Housing Affordability Index**



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.



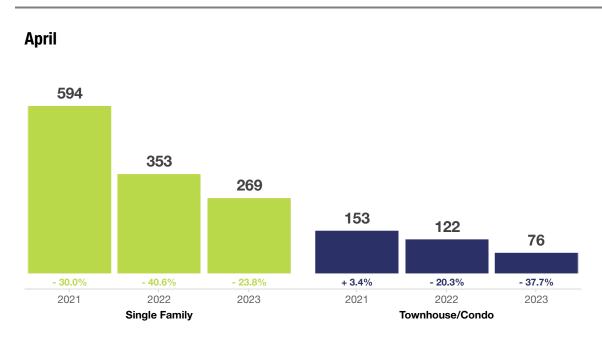
Affordability Index	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse /Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	59	- 10.6%	158	- 25.5%
Jun-2022	51	- 26.1%	156	- 17.5%
Jul-2022	53	- 23.2%	171	- 23.0%
Aug-2022	58	- 14.7%	154	- 25.6%
Sep-2022	54	- 30.8%	138	- 38.4%
Oct-2022	59	- 28.0%	140	- 26.3%
Nov-2022	60	- 28.6%	132	- 39.4%
Dec-2022	47	- 43.4%	140	- 35.5%
Jan-2023	66	- 17.5%	147	- 25.8%
Feb-2023	50	- 31.5%	157	- 30.5%
Mar-2023	62	+ 6.9%	146	- 18.4%
Apr-2023	49	- 2.0%	132	- 27.9%
12-Month Avg	56	- 22.2%	148	- 27.8%



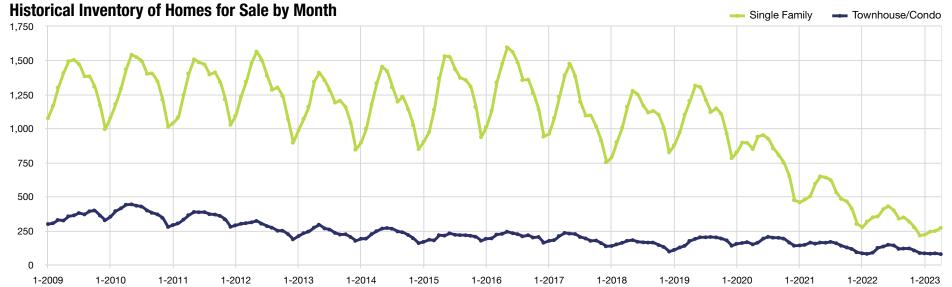
## **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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





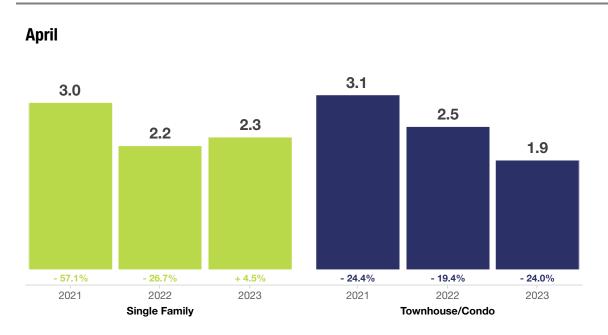
Homes for Sale	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	407	- 37.2%	132	- 18.0%
Jun-2022	428	- 33.0%	145	- 9.4%
Jul-2022	398	- 35.9%	140	- 15.7%
Aug-2022	337	- 36.3%	115	- 26.3%
Sep-2022	346	- 28.2%	117	- 15.2%
Oct-2022	315	- 32.1%	118	- 5.6%
Nov-2022	273	- 33.6%	103	- 9.6%
Dec-2022	213	- 28.5%	84	- 6.7%
Jan-2023	219	- 20.1%	82	0.0%
Feb-2023	242	- 23.4%	79	+ 1.3%
Mar-2023	246	- 29.1%	82	- 5.7%
Apr-2023	269	- 23.8%	76	- 37.7%
12-Month Avg	308	- 31.4%	106	- 13.8%



#### **Months Supply of Inventory**

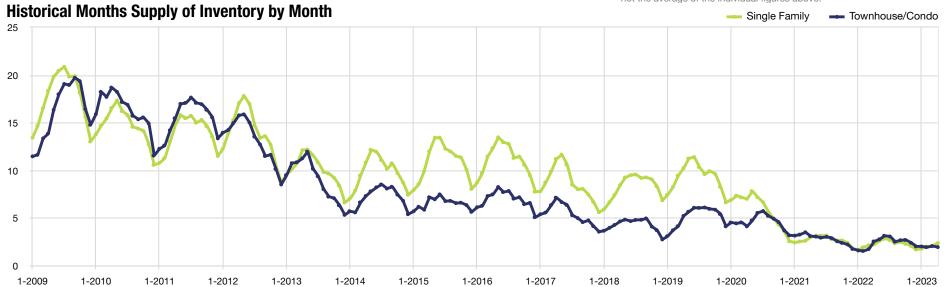
The inventory of homes for sale at the end of a given month, divided by the average monthly pending sales from the last 12 months.





Months Supply	Single Family	Year-Over-Year Change	Townhouse / Condo	Year-Over-Year Change
May-2022	2.6	- 16.1%	2.8	- 6.7%
Jun-2022	2.8	- 9.7%	3.1	+ 6.9%
Jul-2022	2.7	- 15.6%	3.0	0.0%
Aug-2022	2.3	- 17.9%	2.5	- 13.8%
Sep-2022	2.5	- 3.8%	2.7	+ 8.0%
Oct-2022	2.3	- 11.5%	2.7	+ 12.5%
Nov-2022	2.0	- 16.7%	2.4	+ 9.1%
Dec-2022	1.7	- 5.6%	2.0	+ 17.6%
Jan-2023	1.8	+ 12.5%	2.0	+ 25.0%
Feb-2023	2.0	+ 5.3%	1.9	+ 26.7%
Mar-2023	2.1	0.0%	2.0	+ 17.6%
Apr-2023	2.3	+ 4.5%	1.9	- 24.0%
12-Month Avg*	2.3	- 8.1%	2.4	+ 3.6%

<sup>\*</sup> Months Supply for all properties from May 2022 through April 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



## **All Residential Properties Market Overview**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	4-2022	4-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	297	182	- 38.7%	887	636	- 28.3%
Pending Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	209	136	- 34.9%	668	487	- 27.1%
Closed Sales	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	166	110	- 33.7%	558	386	- 30.8%
Days on Market Until Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	60	44	- 26.7%	61	53	- 13.1%
Median Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$863,500	\$700,000	- 18.9%	\$702,500	\$679,500	- 3.3%
Average Sales Price	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	\$1,206,789	\$1,089,190	- 9.7%	\$1,113,338	\$1,036,143	- 6.9%
Percent of List Price Received	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	105.0%	102.6%	- 2.3%	102.7%	101.0%	- 1.7%
Housing Affordability Index	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	68	74	+ 8.8%	83	76	- 8.4%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	475	345	- 27.4%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	4-2021 10-2021 4-2022 10-2022 4-2023	2.3	2.2	- 4.3%	_		_