# **Monthly Indicators**

**Omaha Area Region** 



### **March 2024**

U.S. existing-home sales improved for the second month in a row, jumping 9.5% to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 4.38 million units, exceeding economists' expectations and marking the largest monthly gain in a year, according to the National Association of REALTORS®(NAR). The rebound in home sales comes amid fluctuating mortgage rates and elevated sales prices, indicating there is plenty of buyer demand heading into the spring selling season.

New Listings increased 21.9 percent for New Construction and 8.2 percent for Existing Homes. Pending Sales decreased 4.5 percent for New Construction but increased 10.7 percent for Existing Homes. Inventory increased 16.6 percent for New Construction and 34.8 percent for Existing Homes.

Median Closed Price increased 0.1 percent for New Construction and 3.7 percent for Existing Homes. Days on Market decreased 17.0 percent for New Construction but increased 30.8 percent for Existing Homes. Months Supply of Inventory decreased 4.0 percent for New Construction but increased 42.9 percent for Existing Homes.

The recent surge in home sales was likely due to a dip in mortgage rates in December and an increase in housing supply nationwide. According to NAR, total inventory grew 5.9% month-over-month and 10.3% year-overyear to 1.07 million units, for a 2.9 months' supply at the current sales pace. Buyer demand remains robust, and the limited supply of inventory helped push the median existing-home sales price up 5.7% year-over-year to \$384,500, the eighth consecutive month of annual price increases.

### **Quick Facts**

- 5.9%	+ 3.3%	+ <b>24.1</b> %
Change in	Change in	Change in
Closed Sales	Median Closed Price	Homes for Sale
All Properties	All Properties	All Properties

This report covers residential real estate activity in the Omaha area, which includes the counties of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy, Saunders and Washington in Nebraska; the counties of Harrison, Mills and Pottawattamie in Iowa; and the following ZIP codes: 68016, 68037, 68048, 68307, 68403, 68409, 68413, 68455 and 68463. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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### **New Construction Overview**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	3-2023	3-2024	% Change	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	% Change
New Listings	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	315	384	+ 21.9%	918	946	+ 3.1%
Pending Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	222	212	- 4.5%	613	558	- 9.0%
Closed Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	205	171	- 16.6%	417	401	- 3.8%
Days on Market Until Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	88	73	- 17.0%	73	67	- 8.2%
Median Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$430,000	\$430,319	+ 0.1%	\$438,900	\$416,653	- 5.1%
Average Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$457,147	\$454,948	- 0.5%	\$475,844	\$459,957	- 3.3%
Percent of List Price Received	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	100.6%	100.1%	- 0.5%	101.1%	100.3%	- 0.8%
Housing Affordability Index	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	84	81	- 3.6%	83	84	+ 1.2%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	908	1,059	+ 16.6%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	7.5	7.2	- 4.0%		_	_

# **Existing Homes Overview**

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

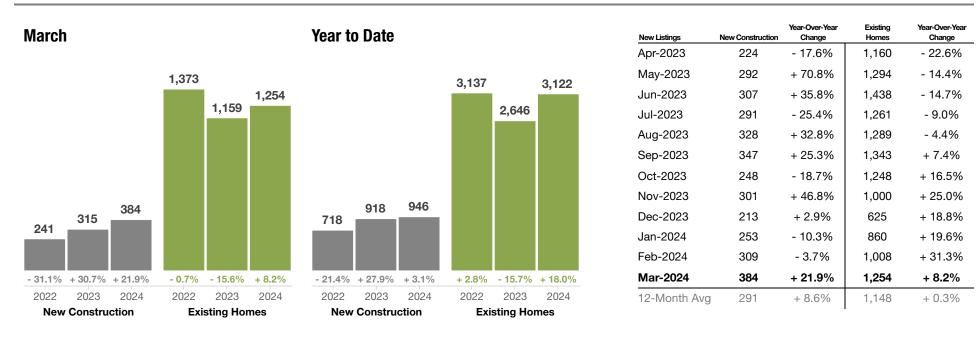


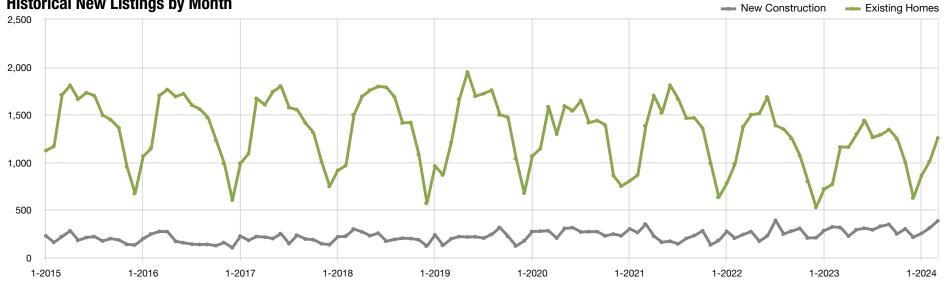
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Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	3-2023	3-2024	% Change	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	% Change
New Listings	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	1,159	1,254	+ 8.2%	2,646	3,122	+ 18.0%
Pending Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	862	954	+ 10.7%	2,186	2,319	+ 6.1%
Closed Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	743	721	- 3.0%	1,818	1,842	+ 1.3%
Days on Market Until Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	13	17	+ 30.8%	18	19	+ 5.6%
Median Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$270,000	\$280,000	+ 3.7%	\$260,000	\$275,000	+ 5.8%
Average Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$313,517	\$325,883	+ 3.9%	\$299,738	\$314,922	+ 5.1%
Percent of List Price Received	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	100.3%	99.4%	- 0.9%	99.5%	98.6%	- 0.9%
Housing Affordability Index	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	134	124	- 7.5%	139	126	- 9.4%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	629	848	+ 34.8%		—	_
Months Supply of Inventory	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	0.7	1.0	+ 42.9%		_	_

### **New Listings**

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





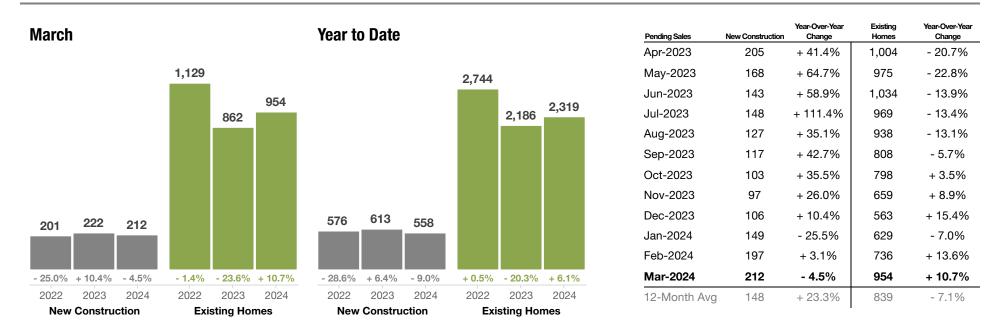


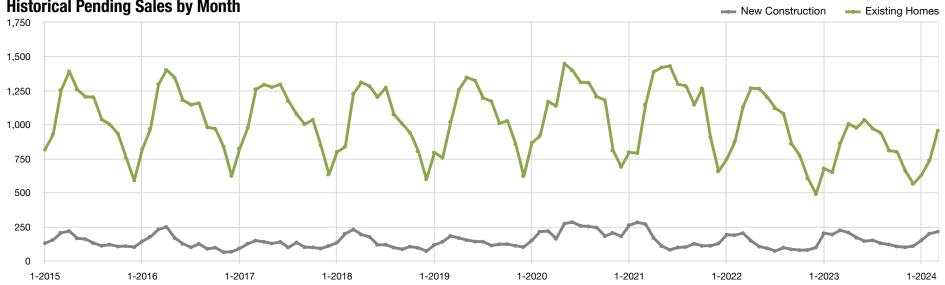
#### **Historical New Listings by Month**

### **Pending Sales**

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





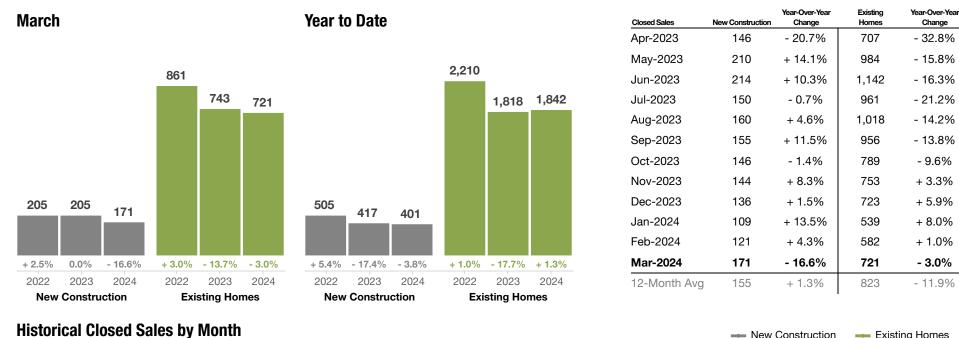


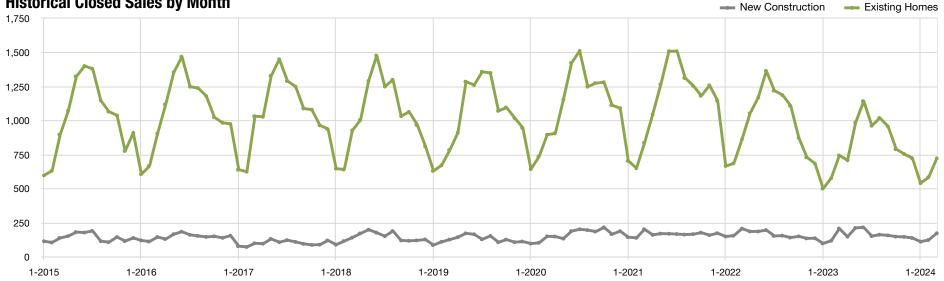
#### **Historical Pending Sales by Month**

### **Closed Sales**

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



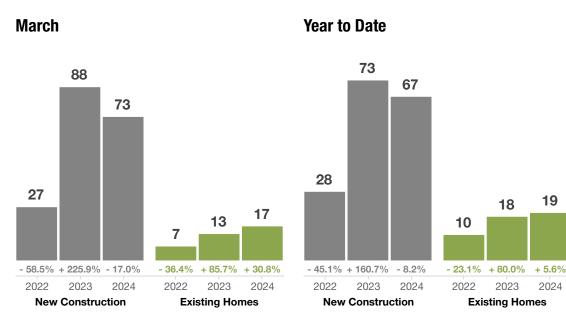




### **Days on Market Until Sale**

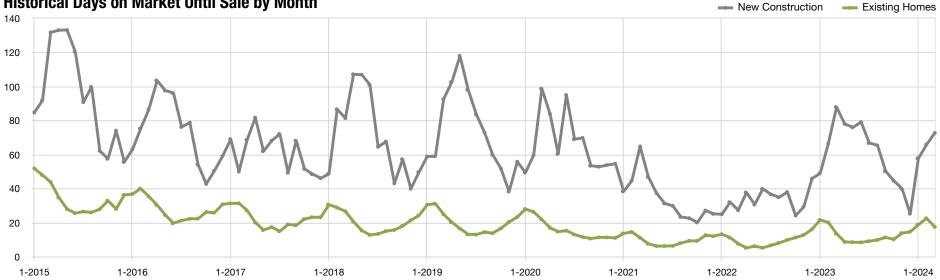
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	78	+ 105.3%	9	+ 80.0%
May-2023	76	+ 145.2%	8	+ 33.3%
Jun-2023	79	+ 97.5%	8	+ 60.0%
Jul-2023	67	+ 81.1%	9	+ 28.6%
Aug-2023	65	+ 85.7%	10	+ 25.0%
Sep-2023	50	+ 31.6%	11	+ 10.0%
Oct-2023	45	+ 87.5%	10	- 9.1%
Nov-2023	40	+ 37.9%	14	+ 7.7%
Dec-2023	25	- 45.7%	15	- 6.3%
Jan-2024	58	+ 18.4%	19	- 9.5%
Feb-2024	66	0.0%	22	+ 10.0%
Mar-2024	73	- 17.0%	17	+ 30.8%
12-Month Avg*	62	+ 41.0%	12	+ 21.6%

\* Days on Market for all properties from April 2023 through March 2024. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



#### Historical Days on Market Until Sale by Month

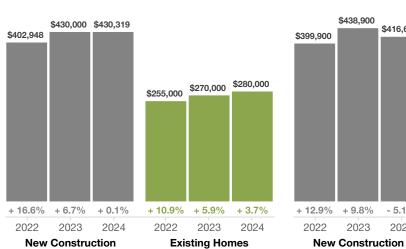
### **Median Closed Price**

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

Year to Date



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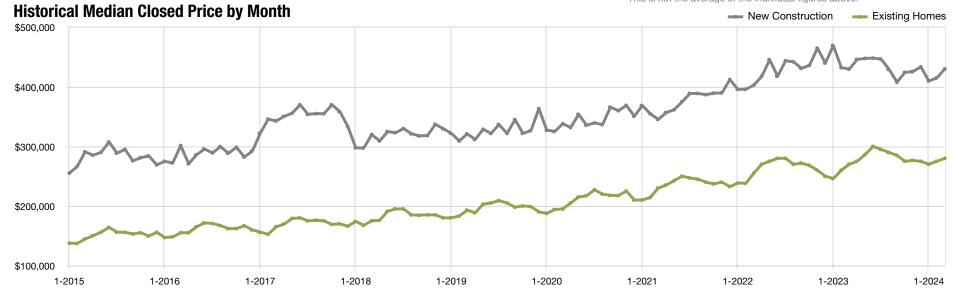


#### \$416,653 \$275,000 \$260,000 \$245,000 - 5.1% + 11.9% + 6.1% + 5.8% 2024 2022 2023 2024

Median Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	\$446,176	+ 6.8%	\$275,000	+ 1.9%
May-2023	\$447,875	+ 0.5%	\$286,500	+ 4.2%
Jun-2023	\$448,390	+ 7.3%	\$300,000	+ 7.1%
Jul-2023	\$446,784	+ 0.6%	\$295,000	+ 5.4%
Aug-2023	\$429,548	- 2.9%	\$290,000	+ 7.4%
Sep-2023	\$407,990	- 5.4%	\$285,000	+ 4.8%
Oct-2023	\$424,481	- 2.7%	\$275,000	+ 2.6%
Nov-2023	\$425,782	- 8.4%	\$276,500	+ 6.3%
Dec-2023	\$433,689	- 1.5%	\$275,000	+ 10.0%
Jan-2024	\$409,990	- 12.7%	\$270,000	+ 9.8%
Feb-2024	\$414,990	- 4.0%	\$275,000	+ 5.8%
Mar-2024	\$430,319	+ 0.1%	\$280,000	+ 3.7%
12-Month Avg*	\$430,319	- 1.2%	\$285,000	+ 5.6%

**Existing Homes** 

\* Median Closed Price for all properties from April 2023 through March 2024. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



### **Average Closed Price**

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



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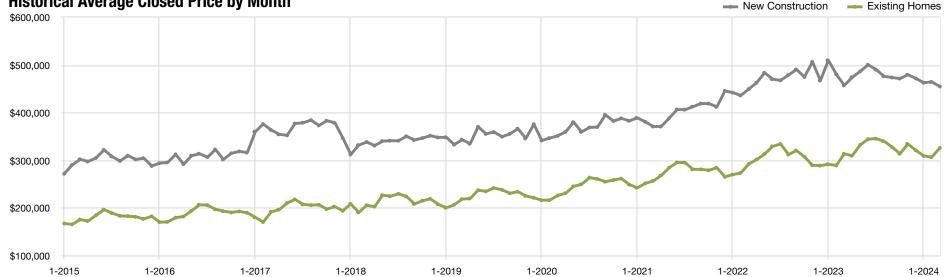


Year to Date

Average Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	\$474,195	+ 2.4%	\$309,508	+ 2.6%
May-2023	\$486,616	+ 0.6%	\$332,187	+ 6.2%
Jun-2023	\$500,438	+ 6.4%	\$344,345	+ 4.6%
Jul-2023	\$490,468	+ 4.8%	\$345,437	+ 3.4%
Aug-2023	\$476,331	- 0.6%	\$340,019	+ 9.0%
Sep-2023	\$473,764	- 3.4%	\$327,861	+ 2.3%
Oct-2023	\$471,450	- 0.7%	\$313,633	+ 2.1%
Nov-2023	\$479,606	- 5.4%	\$334,289	+ 15.5%
Dec-2023	\$471,801	+ 1.0%	\$320,695	+ 11.1%
Jan-2024	\$462,784	- 9.2%	\$309,139	+ 6.1%
Feb-2024	\$464,490	- 3.4%	\$306,677	+ 6.1%
Mar-2024	\$454,948	- 0.5%	\$325,883	+ 3.9%
12-Month Avg*	\$477,025	+ 0.0%	\$328,272	+ 5.5%

**Historical Average Closed Price by Month** 

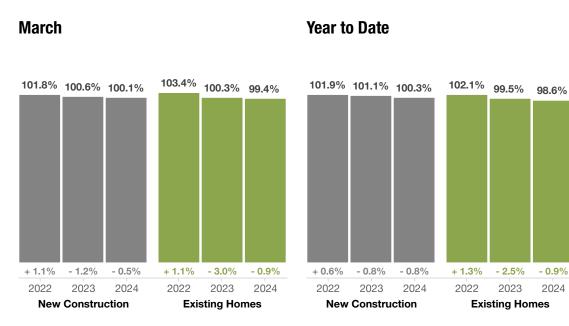
\* Average Closed Price for all properties from April 2023 through March 2024. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



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

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

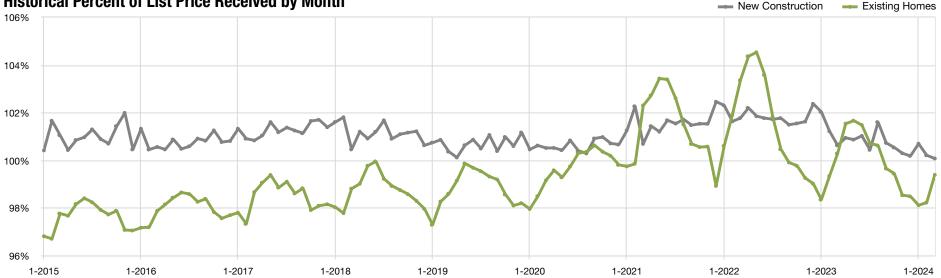




Pct. of List Price Received	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	100.9%	- 1.3%	101.5%	- 2.8%
May-2023	100.9%	- 1.0%	101.7%	- 2.7%
Jun-2023	101.0%	- 0.8%	101.5%	- 2.0%
Jul-2023	100.4%	- 1.3%	100.7%	- 1.1%
Aug-2023	101.6%	- 0.2%	100.6%	+ 0.1%
Sep-2023	100.7%	- 0.8%	99.7%	- 0.2%
Oct-2023	100.5%	- 1.0%	99.4%	- 0.4%
Nov-2023	100.3%	- 1.3%	98.5%	- 0.8%
Dec-2023	100.2%	- 2.1%	98.5%	- 0.5%
Jan-2024	100.7%	- 1.3%	98.1%	- 0.2%
Feb-2024	100.2%	- 1.0%	98.2%	- 1.1%
Mar-2024	100.1%	- 0.5%	99.4%	- 0.9%
12-Month Avg*	100.7%	- 1.0%	100.0%	- 1.3%

**Historical Percent of List Price Received by Month** 

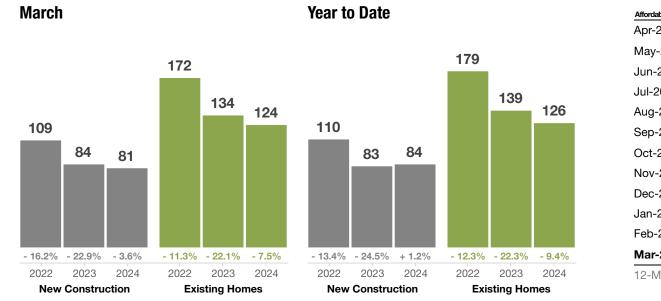
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# **Housing Affordability Index**

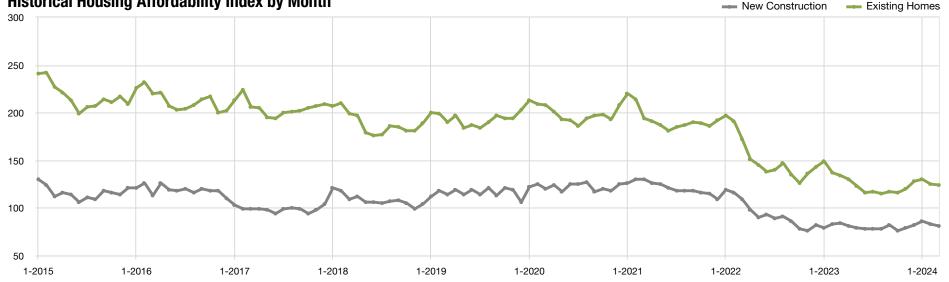
This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.





Affordability Index	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	81	- 17.3%	130	- 13.9%
May-2023	79	- 12.2%	123	- 15.2%
Jun-2023	78	- 16.1%	116	- 15.9%
Jul-2023	78	- 12.4%	117	- 16.4%
Aug-2023	78	- 14.3%	115	- 21.8%
Sep-2023	82	- 4.7%	117	- 13.3%
Oct-2023	76	- 2.6%	116	- 7.9%
Nov-2023	79	+ 3.9%	120	- 11.8%
Dec-2023	82	0.0%	128	- 10.5%
Jan-2024	86	+ 8.9%	130	- 12.8%
Feb-2024	83	0.0%	125	- 8.8%
Mar-2024	81	- 3.6%	124	- 7.5%
12-Month Avg	80	- 7.0%	122	- 12.9%

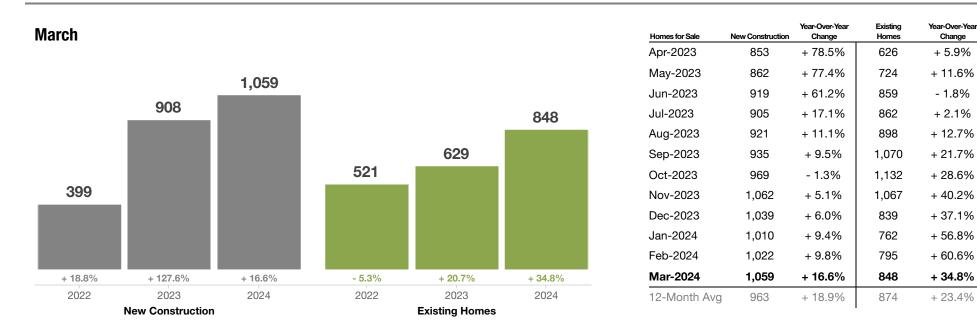
#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month**

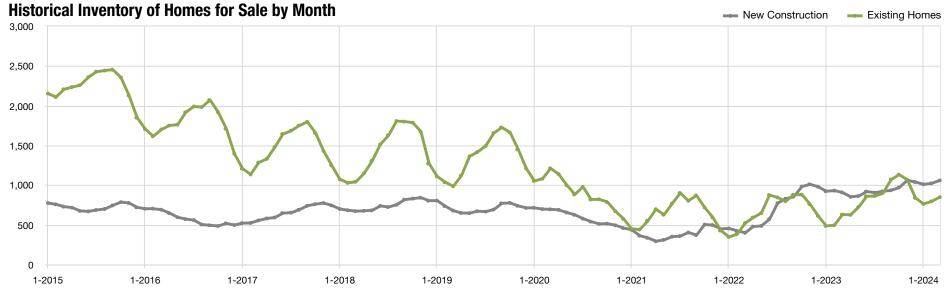


### **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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



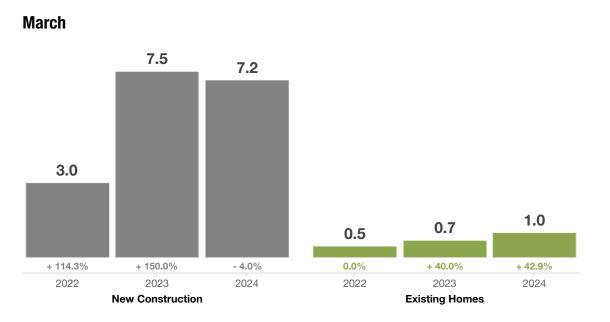




### **Months Supply of Inventory**

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.

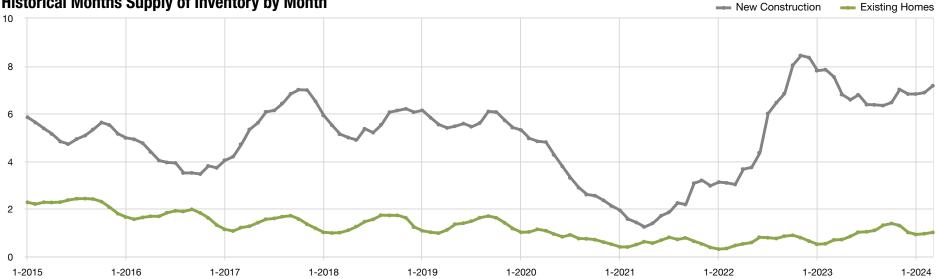




<b>Historical Months</b>	Supply	of Inventory	<b>/</b> b	v Month
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Months Supply	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Apr-2023	6.8	+ 83.8%	0.7	+ 40.0%
May-2023	6.6	+ 78.4%	0.8	+ 33.3%
Jun-2023	6.8	+ 54.5%	1.0	+ 25.0%
Jul-2023	6.4	+ 6.7%	1.0	+ 25.0%
Aug-2023	6.4	- 1.5%	1.1	+ 37.5%
Sep-2023	6.3	- 7.4%	1.3	+ 44.4%
Oct-2023	6.5	- 18.8%	1.4	+ 55.6%
Nov-2023	7.0	- 16.7%	1.3	+ 62.5%
Dec-2023	6.8	- 19.0%	1.0	+ 66.7%
Jan-2024	6.8	- 12.8%	0.9	+ 80.0%
Feb-2024	6.9	- 11.5%	1.0	+ 100.0%
Mar-2024	7.2	- 4.0%	1.0	+ 42.9%
12-Month Avg*	6.7	+ 1.7%	1.1	+ 50.3%

\* Months Supply for all properties from April 2023 through March 2024. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



### **New and Existing Homes Combined**

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



Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	3-2023	3-2024	% Change	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	% Change
New Listings	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	1,474	1,638	+ 11.1%	3,564	4,068	+ 14.1%
Pending Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	1,084	1,166	+ 7.6%	2,799	2,877	+ 2.8%
Closed Sales	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	948	892	- 5.9%	2,235	2,243	+ 0.4%
Days on Market Until Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	30	28	- 6.7%	28	28	0.0%
Median Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$304,000	\$314,000	+ 3.3%	\$285,000	\$300,000	+ 5.3%
Average Closed Price	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	\$344,609	\$350,625	+ 1.7%	\$332,610	\$340,875	+ 2.5%
Percent of List Price Received	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	100.4%	99.5%	- 0.9%	99.8%	98.9%	- 0.9%
Housing Affordability Index	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	119	110	- 7.6%	127	116	- 8.7%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	1,537	1,907	+ 24.1%			
Months Supply of Inventory	3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023 3-2024	1.5	1.9	+ 26.7%			_