# **Monthly Indicators**

Omaha Area Region



#### September 2023

National sales of existing homes recently fell to a 7-month low, as surging borrowing costs, rising sales prices, and limited inventory continue to keep many would-be buyers out of the market. Borrowers have become increasingly sensitive to fluctuations in mortgage rates, which have remained above 7% since mid-August. With fewer buyers able to afford the costs of homeownership, existing-home sales declined 0.7% month-overmonth and were down 15.3% year-over-year, according to the National Association of REALTORS®(NAR).

New Listings increased 23.5 percent for New Construction and 6.6 percent for Existing Homes. Pending Sales increased 46.3 percent for New Construction but decreased 6.4 percent for Existing Homes. Inventory increased 8.1 percent for New Construction and 21.8 percent for Existing Homes.

Median Closed Price decreased 5.2 percent for New Construction but increased 5.0 percent for Existing Homes. Days on Market increased 39.5 percent for New Construction and 10.0 percent for Existing Homes. Months Supply of Inventory decreased 7.4 percent for New Construction but increased 44.4 percent for Existing Homes.

Prices have continued to increase this fall despite softening home sales nationwide, as a lack of inventory has kept the market competitive for prospective buyers, sparking bidding wars and causing homes to sell for above asking price in some areas. Heading into September there were only 1.1 million units available for sale, 0.9% fewer than a month ago and 14.1% fewer than the same period last year, according to NAR. As a result, the U.S. median existing-home sales price rose 3.9% year-over-year to \$407,100, marking the third consecutive month that the median sales price topped \$400,000.

#### **Quick Facts**

- 14.4%	+ 4.3%	+ 15.0%
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: 68037 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	9-2022	9-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	277	342	+ 23.5%	2,299	2,658	+ 15.6%
Pending Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	82	120	+ 46.3%	1,161	1,502	+ 29.4%
Closed Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	139	140	+ 0.7%	1,509	1,430	- 5.2%
Days on Market Until Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	38	53	+ 39.5%	33	72	+ 118.2%
Median Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$431,185	\$408,945	- 5.2%	\$424,265	\$436,781	+ 3.0%
Average Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$490,556	\$466,136	- 5.0%	\$464,549	\$481,208	+ 3.6%
Percent of List Price Received	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	101.5%	100.6%	- 0.9%	101.8%	101.0%	- 0.8%
Housing Affordability Index	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	79	75	- 5.1%	80	70	- 12.5%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	853	922	+ 8.1%		_	_
Months Supply of Inventory	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	6.8	6.3	- 7.4%	_	_	_

# **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.

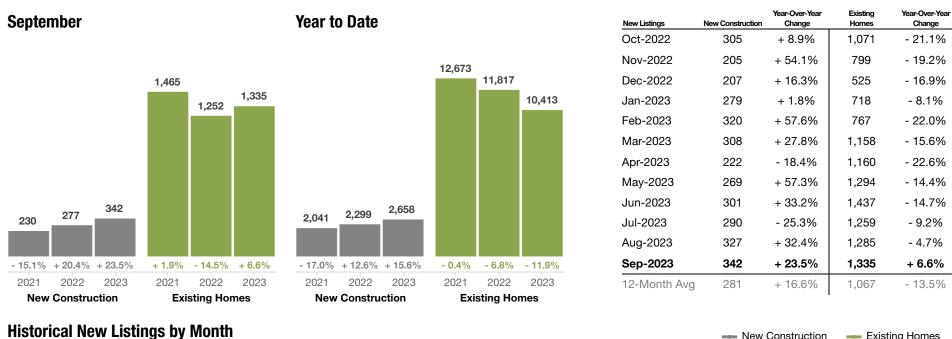


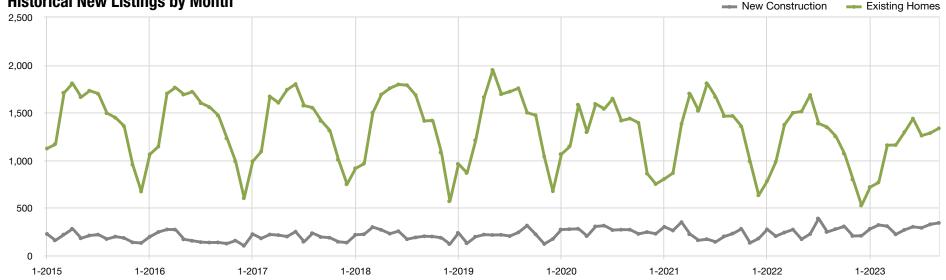
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Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	9-2022	9-2023	% Change	YTD 2022	YTD 2023	% Change
New Listings	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	1,252	1,335	+ 6.6%	11,817	10,413	- 11.9%
Pending Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	857	802	- 6.4%	9,528	7,907	- 17.0%
Closed Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	1,108	927	- 16.3%	9,308	7,520	- 19.2%
Days on Market Until Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	10	11	+ 10.0%	8	11	+ 37.5%
Median Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$271,500	\$285,000	+ 5.0%	\$266,000	\$282,000	+ 6.0%
Average Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$320,163	\$328,071	+ 2.5%	\$309,633	\$326,520	+ 5.5%
Percent of List Price Received	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	99.9%	99.7%	- 0.2%	102.4%	100.6%	- 1.8%
Housing Affordability Index	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	125	107	- 14.4%	127	108	- 15.0%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	878	1,069	+ 21.8%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	0.9	1.3	+ 44.4%		_	_

## **New Listings**

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



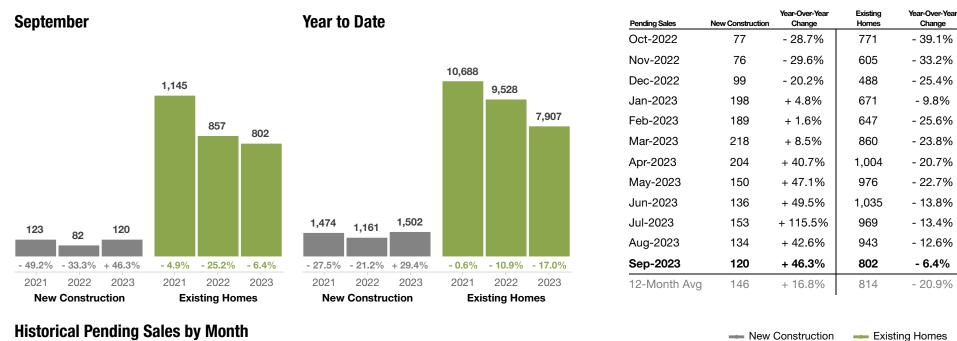


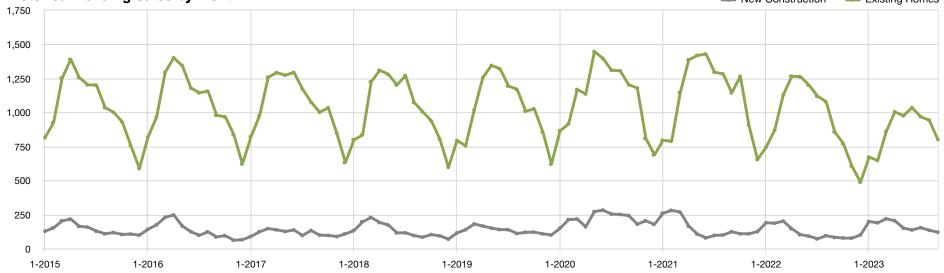


### **Pending Sales**

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



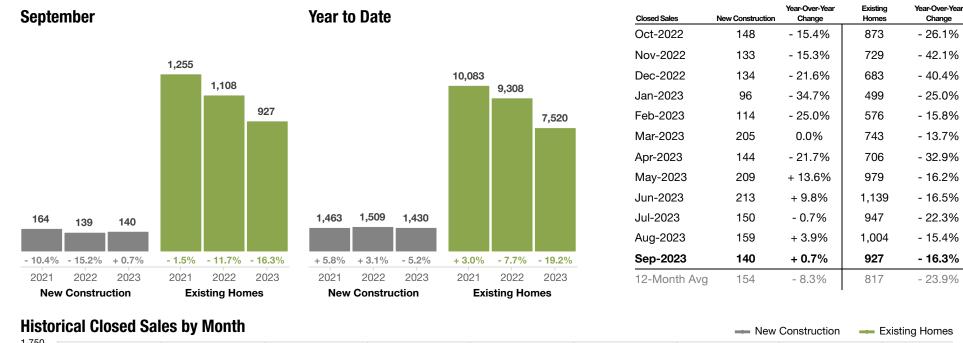


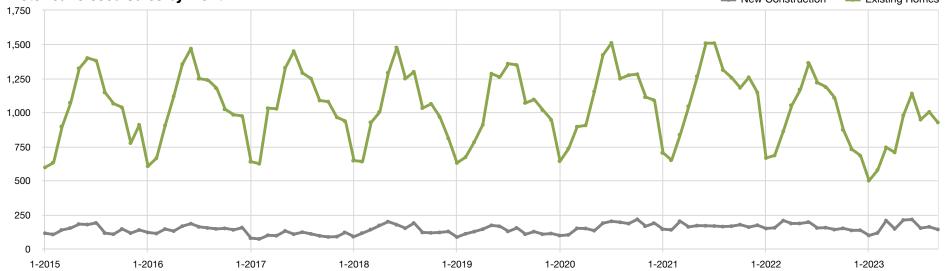


#### **Closed Sales**

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



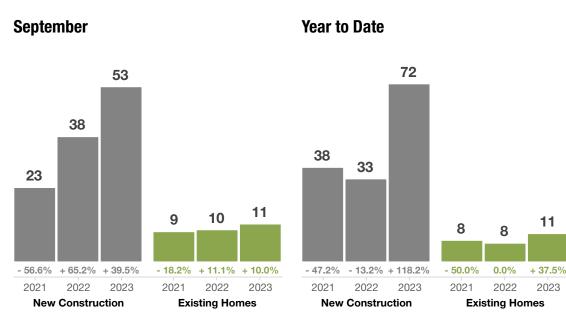




#### **Days on Market Until Sale**

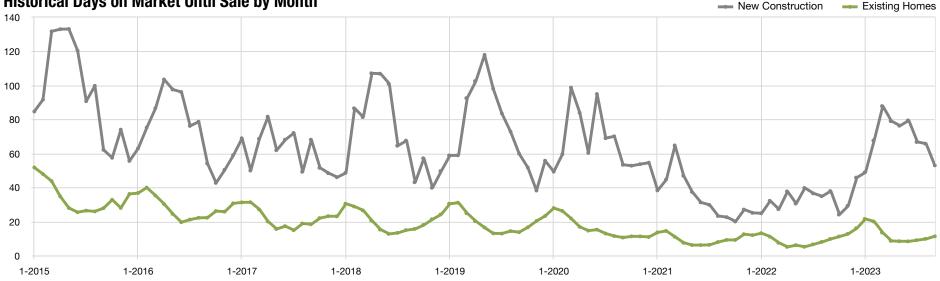
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.





Days on Market	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Oct-2022	24	+ 20.0%	11	+ 22.2%
Nov-2022	29	+ 7.4%	13	0.0%
Dec-2022	46	+ 84.0%	16	+ 33.3%
Jan-2023	49	+ 96.0%	21	+ 61.5%
Feb-2023	68	+ 112.5%	20	+ 81.8%
Mar-2023	88	+ 225.9%	13	+ 85.7%
Apr-2023	79	+ 107.9%	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	66	+ 88.6%	10	+ 25.0%
Sep-2023	53	+ 39.5%	11	+ 10.0%
12-Month Avg*	63	+ 102.6%	12	+ 36.3%

\* Days on Market for all properties from October 2022 through September 2023. 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.

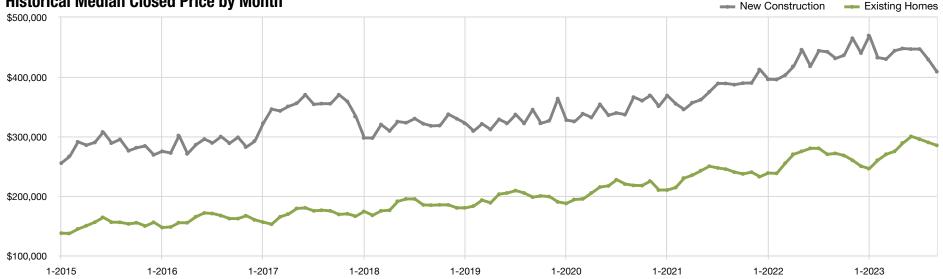


September Year to Date \$431,185 \$408.945 \$386,992 \$271,500 \$285, \$240,000 - 5.2% + 5.7% + 11.4% + 10.2% + 13.1% + 5.0 2021 2022 2023 2021 2022 202 **New Construction Existing Homes** 

	<b>.</b>	\$424,265	\$436,781				
5,000	\$367,750			\$240,000	\$266,000	\$282,000	
.0%	+ 8.5%	+ 15.4%	+ 3.0%	+ 13.2%	+ 10.8%	+ 6.0%	
23	2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023	
	New	Constru	ction	Exi	sting Ho	nes	

Median Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Oct-2022	\$436,375	+ 12.0%	\$268,000	+ 13.1%
Nov-2022	\$465,000	+ 19.3%	\$260,000	+ 8.3%
Dec-2022	\$440,091	+ 6.7%	\$250,000	+ 7.6%
Jan-2023	\$469,424	+ 18.5%	\$246,000	+ 3.1%
Feb-2023	\$432,459	+ 9.3%	\$260,000	+ 9.2%
Mar-2023	\$430,000	+ 6.7%	\$270,000	+ 5.9%
Apr-2023	\$444,007	+ 6.3%	\$275,000	+ 1.9%
May-2023	\$447,750	+ 0.5%	\$289,000	+ 5.1%
Jun-2023	\$446,780	+ 6.9%	\$300,000	+ 7.1%
Jul-2023	\$446,784	+ 0.6%	\$295,250	+ 5.4%
Aug-2023	\$429,220	- 2.9%	\$290,000	+ 7.4%
Sep-2023	\$408,945	- 5.2%	\$285,000	+ 5.0%
12-Month Avg*	\$438,541	+ 5.5%	\$276,000	+ 6.2%

\* Median Closed Price for all properties from October 2022 through September 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



#### **Historical Median Closed Price by Month**

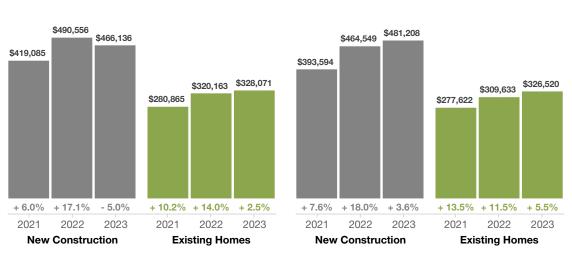
#### **Average Closed Price**

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



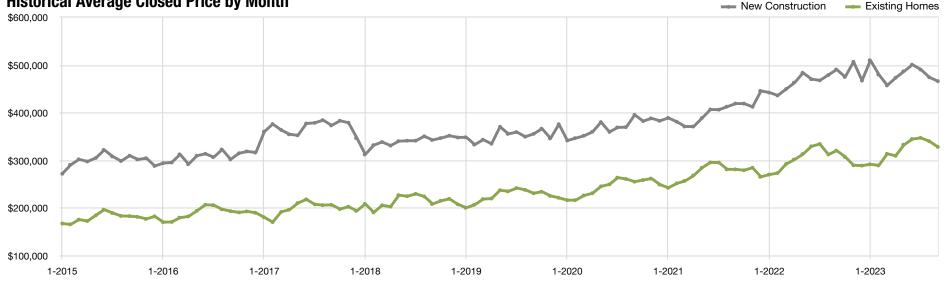
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Average Closed Price	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Oct-2022	\$474,944	+ 13.4%	\$307,212	+ 10.1%
Nov-2022	\$506,824	+ 23.0%	\$289,515	+ 1.9%
Dec-2022	\$467,360	+ 4.9%	\$288,719	+ 8.9%
Jan-2023	\$509,936	+ 15.3%	\$291,473	+ 8.0%
Feb-2023	\$480,075	+ 10.1%	\$289,148	+ 5.9%
Mar-2023	\$457,147	+ 1.7%	\$313,517	+ 7.3%
Apr-2023	\$473,240	+ 2.2%	\$309,400	+ 2.6%
May-2023	\$486,646	+ 0.6%	\$332,539	+ 6.3%
Jun-2023	\$500,706	+ 6.5%	\$344,572	+ 4.7%
Jul-2023	\$490,468	+ 4.8%	\$346,934	+ 3.8%
Aug-2023	\$474,240	- 1.0%	\$339,943	+ 8.9%
Sep-2023	\$466,136	- 5.0%	\$328,071	+ 2.5%
12-Month Avg*	\$481,547	+ 5.9%	\$319,410	+ 6.3%

\* Average Closed Price for all properties from October 2022 through September 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.



#### **Historical Average Closed Price by Month**

### **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.



Year-Over-Year

Change

- 0.8%

- 1.3%

+ 0.1%

- 2.3%

- 2.6%

- 3.0%

- 2.8%

- 2.7%

- 2.0%

- 1.0%

+ 0.1%

- 0.2%

- 1.4%

Existing

Homes

99.8%

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Pct. of List Price Year to Date September Received New Construction Oct-2022 101.5% Nov-2022 101.6% 102.1% 102.4% 100.6% 101.5% 101.5% 100.6% 101.4% 101.8% 101.0% Dec-2022 102.4% 100.7% 99.9% 99.7% Jan-2023 102.0% Feb-2023 101.2% Mar-2023 100.6% Apr-2023 100.9% May-2023 100.9% Jun-2023 101.0% Jul-2023 100.4% Aug-2023 101.6% Sep-2023 100.6% + 0.6% 0.0% - 0.9% +0.1% - 0.8% - 0.2% + 0.8% + 0.4% - 0.8% + 2.4% + 0.3% - 1.8% 2021 2022 2023 2021 2022 2023 2022 2023 2021 2022 2023 2021 12-Month Avg\* 101.2% **New Construction Existing Homes New Construction Existing Homes** 

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

\* Pct. of List Price Received for all properties from October 2022 through September 2023. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

Year-Over-Year

Change

0.0%

+0.1%

- 0.1%

- 0.3%

- 0.4%

- 1.2%

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- 1.0%

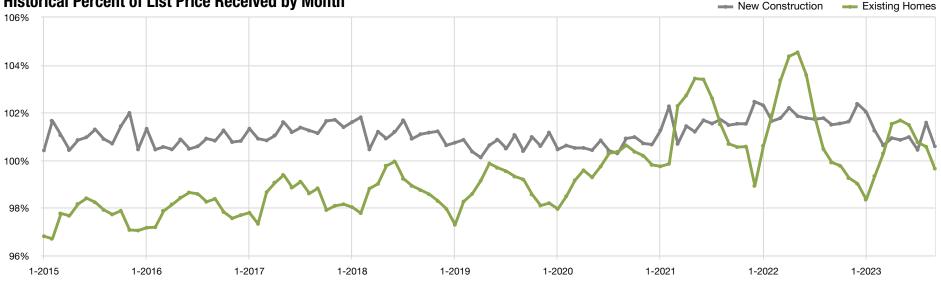
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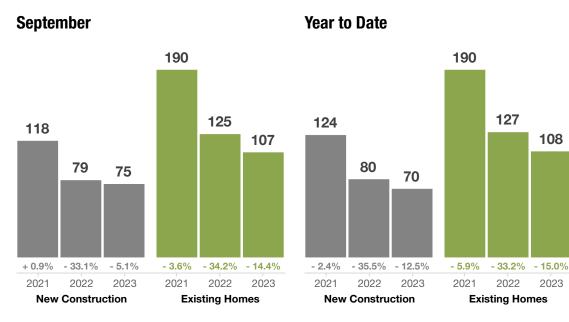
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# **Housing Affordability Index**

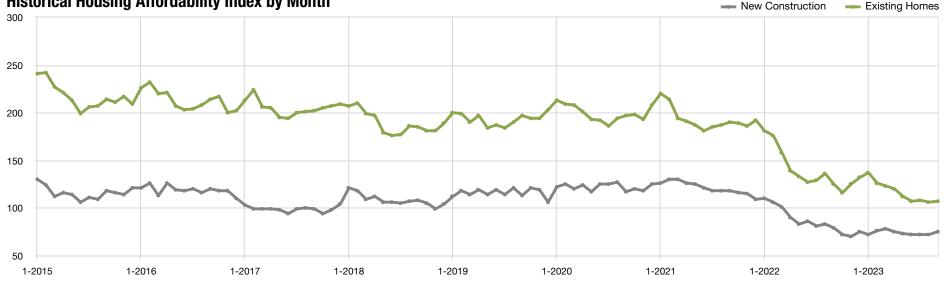
This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.





Affordability Index	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Oct-2022	72	- 37.9%	116	- 38.6%
Nov-2022	70	- 39.1%	125	- 32.8%
Dec-2022	75	- 31.2%	132	- 31.3%
Jan-2023	72	- 34.5%	137	- 24.3%
Feb-2023	76	- 28.3%	126	- 28.4%
Mar-2023	78	- 22.8%	123	- 22.2%
Apr-2023	75	- 16.7%	120	- 13.7%
May-2023	73	- 12.0%	112	- 15.8%
Jun-2023	72	- 16.3%	107	- 15.7%
Jul-2023	72	- 11.1%	108	- 16.3%
Aug-2023	72	- 13.3%	106	- 22.1%
Sep-2023	75	- 5.1%	107	- 14.4%
12-Month Avg	74	- 23.7%	118	- 24.4%

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

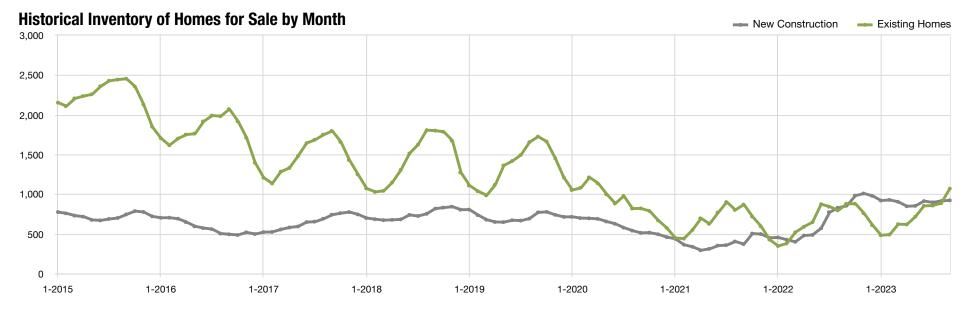


#### **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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



September						Homes for Sale	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
						Oct-2022	981	+ 95.0%	879	+ 22.6%
					1,069	Nov-2022	1,008	+ 102.8%	759	+ 27.8%
					1,009	Dec-2022	978	+ 117.8%	609	+ 42.6%
	853	922	869	878		Jan-2023	919	+ 102.4%	482	+ 39.3%
						Feb-2023	927	+ 118.1%	490	+ 29.3%
						Mar-2023	903	+ 126.3%	621	+ 19.7%
						Apr-2023	847	+ 77.2%	618	+ 4.9%
370						May-2023	852	+ 75.3%	716	+ 10.7%
						Jun-2023	912	+ 60.0%	852	- 2.4%
						Jul-2023	896	+ 16.1%	856	+ 1.7%
						Aug-2023	913	+ 10.3%	886	+ 11.4%
- 27.7%	+ 130.5%	+ 8.1%	+ 6.0%	+ 1.0%	+ 21.8%	Sep-2023	922	+ 8.1%	1,069	+ 21.8%
2021	2022	2023	2021	2022	2023	12-Month Avg	922	+ 64.6%	736	+ 16.1%
	New Construction			Existing Homes				·		

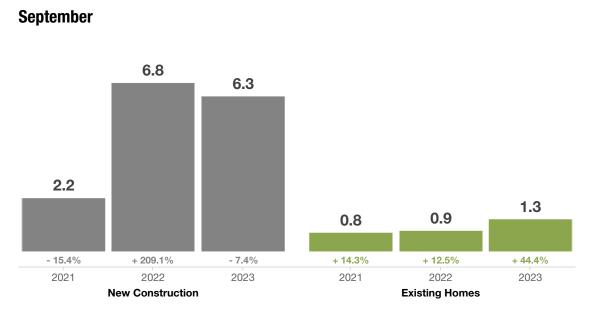


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## **Months Supply of Inventory**

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.

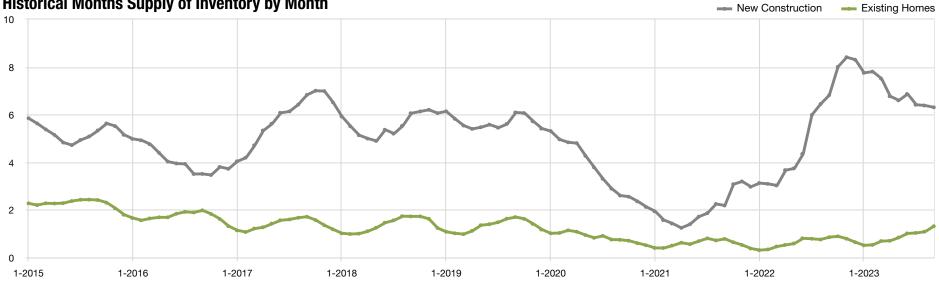




Months Supply	New Construction	Year-Over-Year Change	Existing Homes	Year-Over-Year Change
Oct-2022	8.0	+ 158.1%	0.9	+ 50.0%
Nov-2022	8.4	+ 162.5%	0.8	+ 60.0%
Dec-2022	8.3	+ 176.7%	0.6	+ 50.0%
Jan-2023	7.8	+ 151.6%	0.5	+ 66.7%
Feb-2023	7.8	+ 151.6%	0.5	+ 66.7%
Mar-2023	7.5	+ 150.0%	0.7	+ 40.0%
Apr-2023	6.8	+ 83.8%	0.7	+ 40.0%
May-2023	6.6	+ 78.4%	0.8	+ 33.3%
Jun-2023	6.9	+ 56.8%	1.0	+ 25.0%
Jul-2023	6.4	+ 6.7%	1.0	+ 25.0%
Aug-2023	6.4	0.0%	1.1	+ 37.5%
Sep-2023	6.3	- 7.4%	1.3	+ 44.4%
12-Month Avg*	7.3	+ 76.1%	0.8	+ 44.0%

#### Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month

\* Months Supply for all properties from October 2022 through September 2023. 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.



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Pending Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	939	922	- 1.8%	10,689	9,409	- 12.0%
Closed Sales	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	1,247	1,067	- 14.4%	10,817	8,950	- 17.3%
Days on Market Until Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	13	17	+ 30.8%	11	21	+ 90.9%
Median Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$290,000	\$302,500	+ 4.3%	\$287,000	\$305,000	+ 6.3%
Average Closed Price	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	\$339,156	\$346,187	+ 2.1%	\$331,242	\$351,243	+ 6.0%
Percent of List Price Received	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	100.1%	99.8%	- 0.3%	102.3%	100.6%	- 1.7%
Housing Affordability Index	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	117	101	- 13.7%	118	100	- 15.3%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	1,731	1,991	+ 15.0%			_
Months Supply of Inventory	9-2021 3-2022 9-2022 3-2023 9-2023	1.5	2.1	+ 40.0%			_