Monthly Market Detail - December 2017

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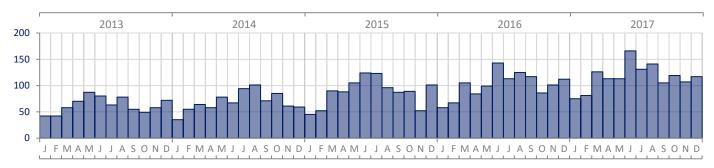
Summary Statistics	December 2017	December 2016	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	117	112	4.5%
Paid in Cash	13	12	8.3%
Median Sale Price	\$228,500	\$227,366	0.5%
Average Sale Price	\$246,321	\$250,698	-1.7%
Dollar Volume	\$28.8 Million	\$28.1 Million	2.6%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	98.8%	99.2%	-0.4%
Median Time to Contract	25 Days	49 Days	-49.0%
Median Time to Sale	90 Days	133 Days	-32.3%
New Pending Sales	90	80	12.5%
New Listings	90	78	15.4%
Pending Inventory	167	142	17.6%
Inventory (Active Listings)	329	364	-9.6%
Months Supply of Inventory	2.8	3.6	-22.2%

Closed Sales

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Month	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	117	4.5%
November 2017	107	5.9%
October 2017	119	38.4%
September 2017	105	-10.3%
August 2017	141	12.8%
July 2017	131	15.9%
June 2017	166	16.1%
May 2017	113	14.1%
April 2017	113	34.5%
March 2017	126	20.0%
February 2017	81	20.9%
January 2017	75	29.3%
December 2016	112	10.9%



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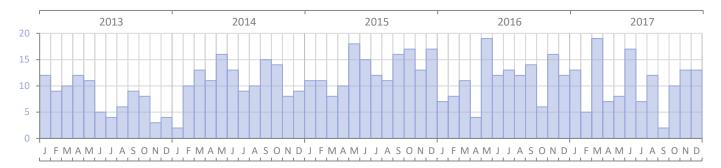
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The number of Closed Sales during the month in which buyers exclusively paid in cash

Economists' note: Cash Sales can be a useful indicator of the extent to which investors are participating in the market. Why? Investors are far more likely to have the funds to purchase a home available up front, whereas the typical homebuyer requires a mortgage or some other form of financing. There are, of course, many possible exceptions, so this statistic should be interpreted with care.

	Month	Cash Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
I	December 2017	13	8.3%
I	November 2017	13	-18.8%
I	October 2017	10	66.7%
I	September 2017	2	-85.7%
I	August 2017	12	0.0%
I	July 2017	7	-46.2%
I	June 2017	17	41.7%
	May 2017	8	-57.9%
	April 2017	7	75.0%
	March 2017	19	72.7%
I	February 2017	5	-37.5%
	January 2017	13	85.7%
I	December 2016	12	-29.4%



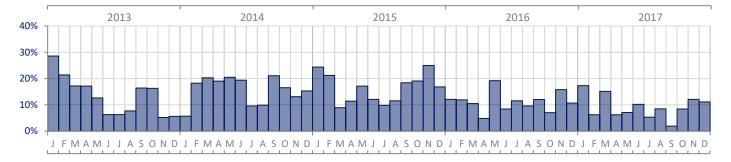
Cash Sales as a Percentage of Closed Sales

The percentage of Closed Sales during the month which were Cash Sales

Economists' note: This statistic is simply another way of viewing Cash Sales. The remaining percentages of Closed Sales (i.e. those not paid fully in cash) each month involved some sort of financing, such as mortgages, owner/seller financing, assumed loans, etc.

Month	Percent of Closed Sales Paid in Cash	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	11.1%	3.7%
November 2017	12.1%	-23.4%
October 2017	8.4%	20.0%
September 2017	1.9%	-84.2%
August 2017	8.5%	-11.5%
July 2017	5.3%	-53.9%
June 2017	10.2%	21.4%
May 2017	7.1%	-63.0%
April 2017	6.2%	29.2%
March 2017	15.1%	43.8%
February 2017	6.2%	-47.9%
January 2017	17.3%	43.0%
December 2016	10.7%	-36.3%





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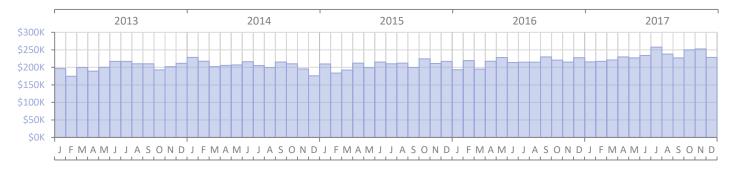


Median Sale Price

The median sale price reported for the month (i.e. 50% of sales were above and 50% of sales were below)

Economists' note: Median Sale Price is our preferred summary statistic for price activity because, unlike Average Sale Price, Median Sale Price is not sensitive to high sale prices for small numbers of homes that may not be characteristic of the market area. Keep in mind that median price trends over time are not always solely caused by changes in the general value of local real estate. Median sale price only reflects the values of the homes that *sold* each month, and the mix of the types of homes that sell can change over time.

Month	Median Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	\$228,500	0.5%
November 2017	\$252,500	17.4%
October 2017	\$249,900	13.3%
September 2017	\$227,000	-1.3%
August 2017	\$237,900	10.7%
July 2017	\$257,500	20.0%
June 2017	\$233,875	9.3%
May 2017	\$227,000	-0.4%
April 2017	\$230,000	5.8%
March 2017	\$221,200	13.4%
February 2017	\$217,240	-1.0%
January 2017	\$215,500	11.4%
December 2016	\$227,366	4.8%



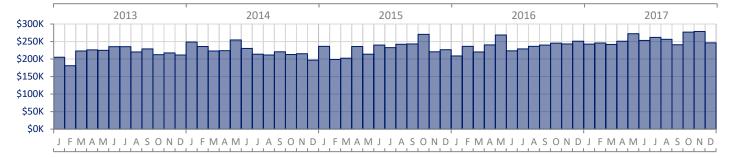
Average Sale Price

The average sale price reported for the month (i.e. total sales in dollars divided by the number of sales)

Economists' note: Usually, we prefer Median Sale Price over Average Sale Price as a summary statistic for home prices. However, Average Sale Price does have its uses—particularly when it is analyzed alongside the Median Sale Price. For one, the relative difference between the two statistics can provide some insight into the market for higher-end homes in an area.

Month	Average Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	\$246,321	-1.7%
November 2017	\$278,875	14.7%
October 2017	\$276,776	12.7%
September 2017	\$240,786	0.3%
August 2017	\$256,134	8.5%
July 2017	\$261,753	14.5%
June 2017	\$252,997	13.2%
May 2017	\$272,135	1.4%
April 2017	\$250,885	4.4%
March 2017	\$241,747	9.9%
February 2017	\$245,762	4.1%
January 2017	\$242,563	16.2%
December 2016	\$250,698	10.7%





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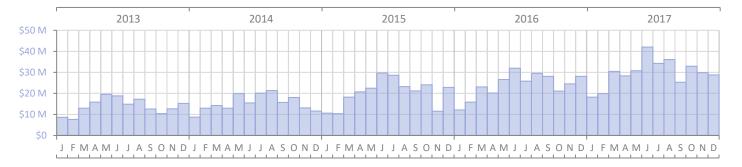


Dollar Volume

The sum of the sale prices for all sales which closed during the month

Economists' note: Dollar Volume is simply the sum of all sale prices in a given time period, and can quickly be calculated by multiplying Closed Sales by Average Sale Price. It is a strong indicator of the health of the real estate industry in a market, and is of particular interest to real estate professionals, investors, analysts, and government agencies. Potential home sellers and home buyers, on the other hand, will likely be better served by paying attention to trends in the two components of Dollar Volume (i.e. sales and prices) individually.

Month	Dollar Volume	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	\$28.8 Million	2.6%
November 2017	\$29.8 Million	21.5%
October 2017	\$32.9 Million	56.0%
September 2017	\$25.3 Million	-10.0%
August 2017	\$36.1 Million	22.3%
July 2017	\$34.3 Million	32.7%
June 2017	\$42.0 Million	31.4%
May 2017	\$30.8 Million	15.7%
April 2017	\$28.4 Million	40.5%
March 2017	\$30.5 Million	31.8%
February 2017	\$19.9 Million	25.8%
January 2017	\$18.2 Million	50.2%
December 2016	\$28.1 Million	22.8%

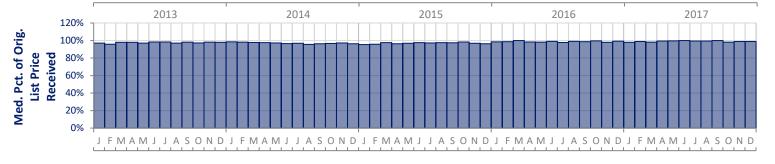


Median Percent of Original List Price Received

The median of the sale price (as a percentage of the original list price) across all properties selling during the month

Economists' note: The Median Percent of Original List Price Received is useful as an indicator of market recovery, since it typically rises as buyers realize that the market may be moving away from them and they need to match the selling price (or better it) in order to get a contract on the house. This is usually the last measure to indicate a market has shifted from down to up, so it is what we would call a *lagging* indicator.

Month	Med. Pct. of Orig. List Price Received	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	98.8%	-0.4%
November 2017	98.8%	0.9%
October 2017	98.1%	-1.5%
September 2017	100.0%	1.4%
August 2017	99.4%	0.4%
July 2017	99.5%	1.7%
June 2017	100.0%	0.9%
May 2017	99.6%	1.5%
April 2017	99.4%	1.0%
March 2017	98.2%	-1.7%
February 2017	98.9%	0.2%
January 2017	97.9%	-0.6%
December 2016	99.2%	2.9%



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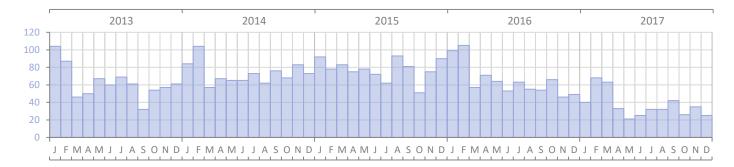
Median Time to Contract

The median number of days between the listing date and contract date for all Closed Sales during the month

Economists' note: Like Time to Sale, Time to Contract is a measure of the length of the home selling process calculated for sales which closed during the month. The difference is that Time to Contract measures the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the signing of the contract which eventually led to the closing of the sale. When the gap between Median Time to Contract and Median Time to Sale grows, it is usually a sign of longer closing times and/or declining numbers of cash sales.

Month	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	25 Days	-49.0%
November 2017	35 Days	-23.9%
October 2017	26 Days	-60.6%
September 2017	42 Days	-22.2%
August 2017	32 Days	-41.8%
July 2017	32 Days	-49.2%
June 2017	25 Days	-52.8%
May 2017	21 Days	-67.2%
April 2017	33 Days	-53.5%
March 2017	63 Days	10.5%
February 2017	68 Days	-35.2%
January 2017	40 Days	-59.6%
December 2016	49 Days	-45.6%





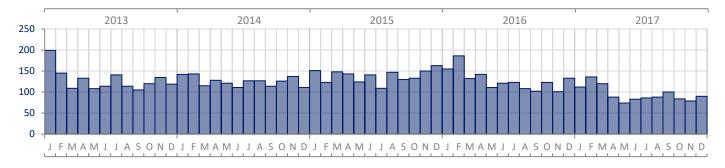
Median Time to Sale

The median number of days between the listing date and closing date for all Closed Sales during the month

Economists' note: Time to Sale is a measure of the length of the home selling process, calculated as the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the closing of the sale. *Median* Time to Sale is the amount of time the "middle" property selling this month was on the market. That is, 50% of homes selling this month took *less* time to sell, and 50% of homes took *more* time to sell. Median Time to Sale gives a more accurate picture than Average Time to Sale, which can be skewed upward by small numbers of properties taking an abnormally long time to sell.

Month	Median Time to Sale	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	90 Days	-32.3%
November 2017	79 Days	-21.8%
October 2017	84 Days	-31.7%
September 2017	100 Days	-2.0%
August 2017	88 Days	-18.5%
July 2017	86 Days	-30.1%
June 2017	83 Days	-31.4%
May 2017	74 Days	-33.3%
April 2017	88 Days	-38.0%
March 2017	120 Days	-9.1%
February 2017	136 Days	-26.9%
January 2017	112 Days	-27.7%
December 2016	133 Days	-18.4%





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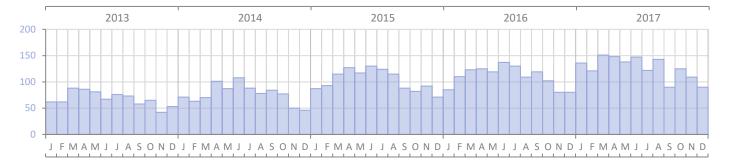


New Pending Sales

The number of listed properties that went under contract during the month

Economists' note: Because of the typical length of time it takes for a sale to close, economists consider Pending Sales to be a decent indicator of potential future Closed Sales. It is important to bear in mind, however, that not all Pending Sales will be closed successfully. So, the effectiveness of Pending Sales as a future indicator of Closed Sales is susceptible to changes in market conditions such as the availability of financing for homebuyers and the inventory of distressed properties for sale.

Month	New Pending Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	90	12.5%
November 2017	109	36.3%
October 2017	125	22.5%
September 2017	90	-24.4%
August 2017	143	31.2%
July 2017	122	-6.2%
June 2017	147	7.3%
May 2017	138	16.0%
April 2017	148	18.4%
March 2017	151	22.8%
February 2017	121	10.0%
January 2017	136	60.0%
December 2016	80	12.7%



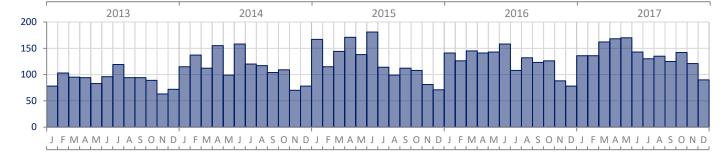
New Listings

The number of properties put onto the market during the month

Economists' note: New Listings tend to rise in delayed response to increasing prices, so they are often seen as a lagging indicator of market health. As prices rise, potential sellers raise their estimations of value—and in the most recent cycle, rising prices have freed up many potential sellers who were previously underwater on their mortgages.

Month	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	90	15.4%
November 2017	121	37.5%
October 2017	142	12.7%
September 2017	125	1.6%
August 2017	135	2.3%
July 2017	130	20.4%
June 2017	143	-9.5%
May 2017	170	18.9%
April 2017	168	19.1%
March 2017	162	11.7%
February 2017	136	7.9%
January 2017	136	-3.5%
December 2016	78	9.9%





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Inventory (Active Listings)

The number of property listings active at the end of the month

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Month	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	329	-9.6%
November 2017	335	-11.1%
October 2017	339	-9.4%
September 2017	341	-7.3%
August 2017	308	-19.4%
July 2017	338	-12.7%
June 2017	343	-23.4%
May 2017	369	-21.8%
April 2017	341	-23.4%
March 2017	346	-23.8%
February 2017	342	-21.0%
January 2017	345	-19.0%
December 2016	364	-8.1%



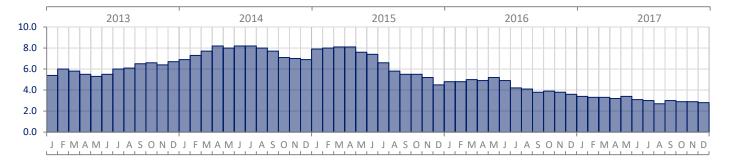
Months Supply of Inventory

An estimate of the number of months it will take to deplete the current Inventory given recent sales rates

Economists' note: MSI is a useful indicator of market conditions. The benchmark for a balanced market (favoring neither buyer nor seller) is 5.5 months of inventory. Anything higher is traditionally a buyers' market, and anything lower is a sellers' market. There is no single accepted way of calculating MSI. A common method is to divide current Inventory by the most recent month's Closed Sales count, but this count is a usually poor predictor of future Closed Sales due to seasonal cycles. To eliminate seasonal effects, we use the 12-month average of monthly Closed Sales instead.

Month	Months Supply	Percent Change Year-over-Year
December 2017	2.8	-22.2%
November 2017	2.9	-23.7%
October 2017	2.9	-25.6%
September 2017	3.0	-21.1%
August 2017	2.7	-34.1%
July 2017	3.0	-28.6%
June 2017	3.1	-36.7%
May 2017	3.4	-34.6%
April 2017	3.2	-34.7%
March 2017	3.3	-34.0%
February 2017	3.3	-31.3%
January 2017	3.4	-29.2%
December 2016	3.6	-20.0%





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Closed Sales by Sale Price

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Sale Price	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	2	N/A
\$50,000 - \$99,999	7	133.3%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	7	-30.0%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	32	33.3%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	24	-31.4%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	20	0.0%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	15	50.0%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	7	0.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	3	0.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	N/A



Median Time to Contract by Sale Price

The median number of days between the listing date and contract date for all Closed Sales during the month

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Sale Price	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	62 Days	N/A
\$50,000 - \$99,999	15 Days	-91.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	8 Days	-60.0%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	19 Days	-75.6%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	22 Days	-47.6%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	13 Days	-78.7%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	51 Days	37.8%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	153 Days	33.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	244 Days	23.9%
\$1,000,000 or more	(No Sales)	N/A





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New Listings by Initial Listing Price

The number of properties put onto the market during the month

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Initial Listing Price	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	0	-100.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	0	N/A
\$100,000 - \$149,999	3	0.0%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	25	31.6%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	23	-17.9%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	13	0.0%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	18	100.0%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	5	25.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	3	200.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	N/A



Inventory by Current Listing Price

The number of property listings active at the end of the month

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Current Listing Price	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	0	-100.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	2	-60.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	7	-61.1%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	40	-44.4%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	59	-39.8%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	75	38.9%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	63	26.0%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	46	21.1%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	27	17.4%
\$1,000,000 or more	10	100.0%



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