



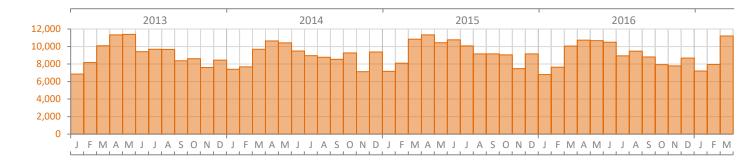
Summary Statistics	March 2017	March 2016	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	11,193	10,052	11.4%
Paid in Cash	6,624	6,251	6.0%
Median Sale Price	\$171,000	\$156,250	9.4%
Average Sale Price	\$255,298	\$230,710	10.7%
Dollar Volume	\$2.9 Billion	\$2.3 Billion	23.2%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	94.7%	94.5%	0.2%
Median Time to Contract	52 Days	49 Days	6.1%
Median Time to Sale	92 Days	91 Days	1.1%
New Pending Sales	13,510	12,576	7.4%
New Listings	15,495	15,509	-0.1%
Pending Inventory	18,297	19,201	-4.7%
Inventory (Active Listings)	57,204	57,284	-0.1%
Months Supply of Inventory	6.3	6.2	1.6%

# **Closed Sales**

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Month	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
March 2017	11,193	11.4%
February 2017	7,949	4.1%
January 2017	7,209	6.2%
December 2016	8,673	-5.2%
November 2016	7,780	4.1%
October 2016	7,941	-12.3%
September 2016	8,800	-3.9%
August 2016	9,468	3.4%
July 2016	8,928	-11.4%
June 2016	10,481	-2.7%
May 2016	10,681	2.4%
April 2016	10,721	-5.4%
March 2016	10,052	-7.3%



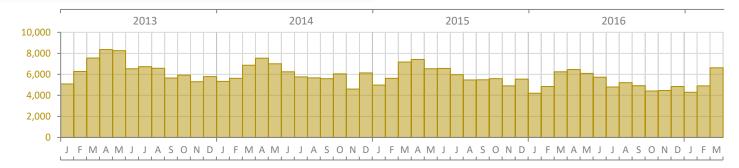


## **Cash Sales**

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
March 2017	6,624	6.0%
February 2017	4,910	1.2%
January 2017	4,298	2.1%
December 2016	4,842	-12.6%
November 2016	4,458	-9.0%
October 2016	4,416	-20.9%
September 2016	4,920	-10.2%
August 2016	5,213	-4.8%
July 2016	4,802	-19.5%
June 2016	5,727	-12.9%
May 2016	6,095	-6.7%
April 2016	6,462	-12.9%
March 2016	6,251	-12.9%

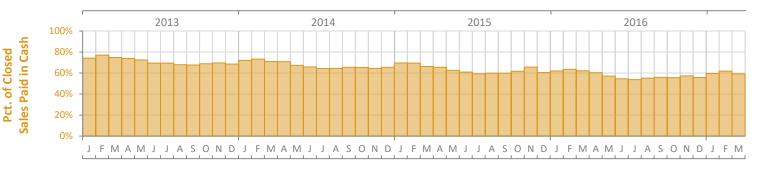


## Cash Sales as a Percentage of Closed Sales

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
March 2017	59.2%	-4.8%
February 2017	61.8%	-2.7%
January 2017	59.6%	-3.9%
December 2016	55.8%	-7.8%
November 2016	57.3%	-12.7%
October 2016	55.6%	-9.9%
September 2016	55.9%	-6.5%
August 2016	55.1%	-7.9%
July 2016	53.8%	-9.1%
June 2016	54.6%	-10.5%
May 2016	57.1%	-8.8%
April 2016	60.3%	-7.9%
March 2016	62.2%	-6.0%



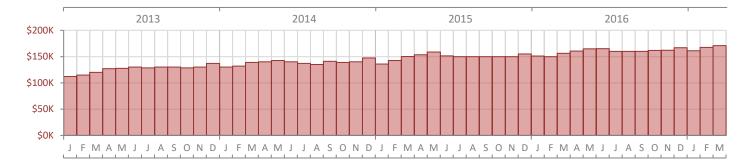


## Median Sale Price

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
March 2017	\$171,000	9.4%
February 2017	\$167,500	11.7%
January 2017	\$161,000	6.6%
December 2016	\$166,900	7.7%
November 2016	\$162,000	8.0%
October 2016	\$161,607	7.8%
September 2016	\$160,000	6.7%
August 2016	\$160,000	6.7%
July 2016	\$160,000	6.7%
June 2016	\$165,000	8.9%
May 2016	\$164,700	3.7%
April 2016	\$160,500	4.6%
March 2016	\$156,250	4.1%



### 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
March 2017	\$255,298	10.7%
February 2017	\$240,977	8.5%
January 2017	\$244,520	4.0%
December 2016	\$235,404	4.2%
November 2016	\$240,815	4.4%
October 2016	\$221,513	0.6%
September 2016	\$222,308	-2.9%
August 2016	\$222,759	3.3%
July 2016	\$223,048	0.3%
June 2016	\$241,465	3.2%
May 2016	\$242,238	-1.8%
April 2016	\$254,977	3.0%
March 2016	\$230,710	-3.6%



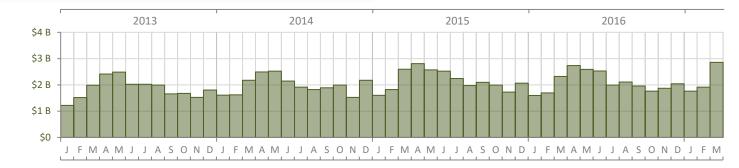


### Dollar Volume

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.

Dollar Volume	Percent Change Year-over-Year
\$2.9 Billion	23.2%
\$1.9 Billion	12.9%
\$1.8 Billion	10.4%
\$2.0 Billion	-1.3%
\$1.9 Billion	8.7%
\$1.8 Billion	-11.7%
\$2.0 Billion	-6.7%
\$2.1 Billion	6.8%
\$2.0 Billion	-11.1%
\$2.5 Billion	0.4%
\$2.6 Billion	0.6%
\$2.7 Billion	-2.6%
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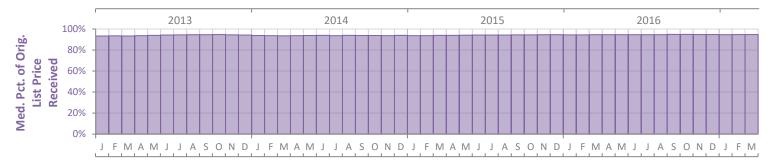


## Median Percent of Original List Price Received

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
March 2017	94.7%	0.2%
February 2017	94.7%	0.3%
January 2017	94.6%	0.2%
December 2016	94.7%	0.1%
November 2016	94.7%	0.1%
October 2016	94.8%	0.4%
September 2016	94.8%	0.4%
August 2016	94.6%	0.3%
July 2016	94.6%	0.3%
June 2016	94.6%	0.4%
May 2016	94.6%	0.5%
April 2016	94.5%	0.6%
March 2016	94.5%	0.5%





Percent Change

Year-over-Year

6.1%

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-3.7%

-7.1%

-5.2%

-10.0%

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-8.8%

-13.8%

-17.2%

-19.7%

Median Time to

Contract

52 Days

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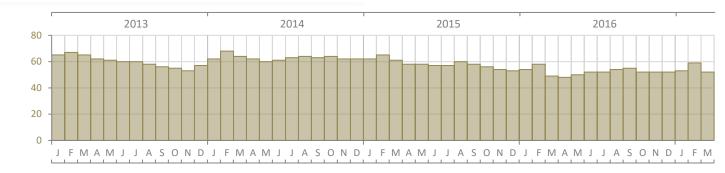
March 2016

## 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.

Median Time to Contract

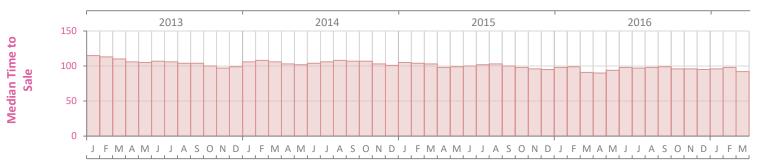


## Median Time to Sale

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
March 2017	92 Days	1.1%
February 2017	98 Days	-1.0%
January 2017	96 Days	-2.0%
December 2016	95 Days	0.0%
November 2016	96 Days	0.0%
October 2016	96 Days	-2.0%
September 2016	99 Days	-1.0%
August 2016	98 Days	-4.9%
July 2016	97 Days	-4.9%
June 2016	98 Days	-2.0%
May 2016	94 Days	-5.1%
April 2016	90 Days	-8.2%
March 2016	91 Days	-11.7%



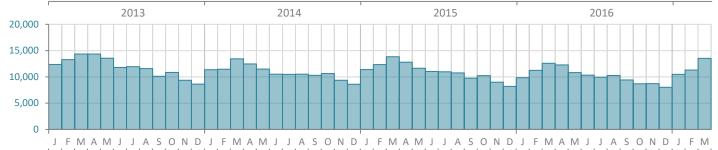


# **New Pending Sales**

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.





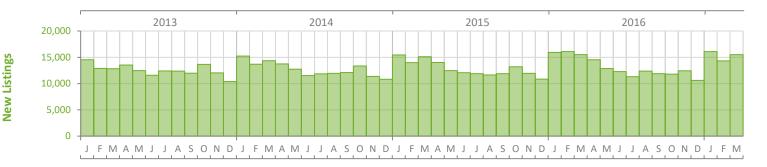
# New Listings

Pending Sales

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. Note that in our calculations, we take care to not include properties that were recently taken off the market and quickly relisted, since these are not really *new* listings.

Month	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
March 2017	15,495	-0.1%
February 2017	14,327	-11.0%
January 2017	16,069	0.9%
December 2016	10,594	-2.4%
November 2016	12,431	4.2%
October 2016	11,796	-10.6%
September 2016	11,892	0.1%
August 2016	12,378	6.3%
July 2016	11,296	-4.8%
June 2016	12,273	1.8%
May 2016	12,846	3.1%
April 2016	14,526	3.7%
March 2016	15,509	2.6%



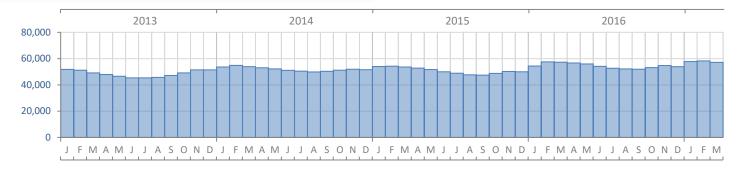


# Inventory (Active Listings)

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

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Month	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
March 2017	57,204	-0.1%
February 2017	58,205	1.3%
January 2017	57,784	6.3%
December 2016	53,856	7.9%
November 2016	54,654	8.7%
October 2016	53,079	9.0%
September 2016	51,934	9.4%
August 2016	52,114	9.4%
July 2016	52,645	7.9%
June 2016	54,044	8.1%
May 2016	55,922	8.3%
April 2016	56,629	7.4%
March 2016	57,284	6.8%

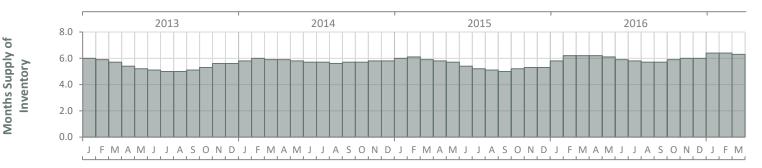


# Months Supply of Inventory

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
March 2017	6.3	1.6%
February 2017	6.4	3.2%
January 2017	6.4	10.3%
December 2016	6.0	13.2%
November 2016	6.0	13.2%
October 2016	5.9	13.5%
September 2016	5.7	14.0%
August 2016	5.7	11.8%
July 2016	5.8	11.5%
June 2016	5.9	9.3%
May 2016	6.1	7.0%
April 2016	6.2	6.9%
March 2016	6.2	5.1%





## Closed Sales by Sale Price

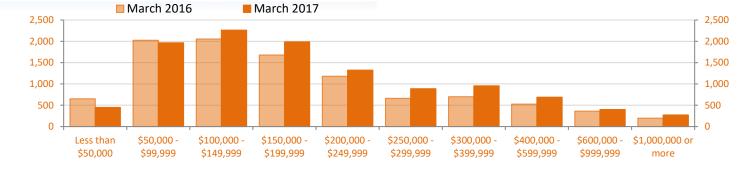
**Closed Sales** 

**Median Time to** 

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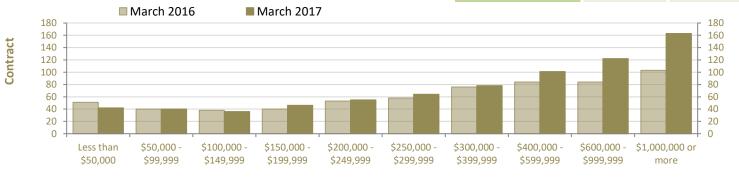
Sale Price	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	451	-30.9%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	1,965	-3.1%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	2,260	9.9%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	1,987	18.3%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	1,325	12.1%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	889	33.7%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	955	36.0%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	688	30.6%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	399	9.9%
\$1,000,000 or more	274	39.8%



### 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	42 Days	-17.6%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	40 Days	0.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	36 Days	-5.3%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	46 Days	15.0%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	55 Days	3.8%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	64 Days	10.3%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	78 Days	2.6%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	101 Days	20.2%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	122 Days	45.2%
\$1,000,000 or more	163 Days	58.3%



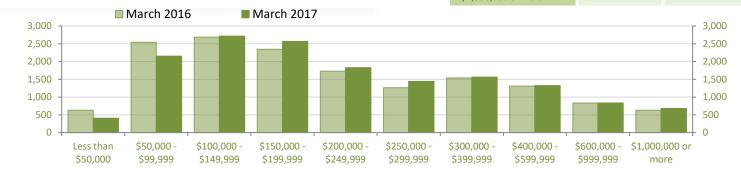


# New Listings by Initial Listing Price The number of properties put onto the market during

the month

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Initial Listing Price	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	405	-35.8%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	2,153	-15.4%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	2,714	1.1%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	2,564	9.4%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	1,825	5.5%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	1,441	13.8%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	1,562	1.4%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	1,322	1.0%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	832	0.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	677	7.8%



### Inventory by Current Listing Price The number of property listings active at the end of the month

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Current List	ting Price	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$	50,000	1,041	-43.1%
\$50,000 - \$	99,999	5,445	-21.5%
\$100,000 -	\$149,999	6,644	-8.9%
\$150,000 -	\$199,999	6,940	0.4%
\$200,000 -	\$249,999	6,118	8.7%
\$250,000 -	\$299,999	5,483	6.5%
\$300,000 -	\$399,999	7,482	7.9%
\$400,000 -	\$599,999	7,409	5.3%
\$600,000 -	\$999,999	5,384	8.3%
\$1,000,000	or more	5,258	14.7%



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