



Summary Statistics	December 2024	December 2023	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	256	318	-19.5%
Paid in Cash	173	226	-23.5%
Median Sale Price	\$384,250	\$468,933	-18.1%
Average Sale Price	\$843,042	\$787,762	7.0%
Dollar Volume	\$215.8 Million	\$250.5 Million	-13.8%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	93.7%	97.0%	-3.4%
Median Time to Contract	67 Days	23 Days	191.3%
Median Time to Sale	109 Days	64 Days	70.3%
New Pending Sales	206	252	-18.3%
New Listings	503	440	14.3%
Pending Inventory	435	449	-3.1%
Inventory (Active Listings)	1,987	1,662	19.6%
Months Supply of Inventory	6.9	5.2	32.7%

# **Closed Sales**

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Month	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	3,444	-10.1%
December 2024	256	-19.5%
November 2024	236	-19.7%
October 2024	200	-18.7%
September 2024	230	-21.2%
August 2024	217	-22.2%
July 2024	285	7.1%
June 2024	283	-25.7%
May 2024	423	-4.1%
April 2024	431	12.5%
March 2024	404	-2.4%
February 2024	270	-9.1%
January 2024	209	-4.6%
December 2023	318	15.6%

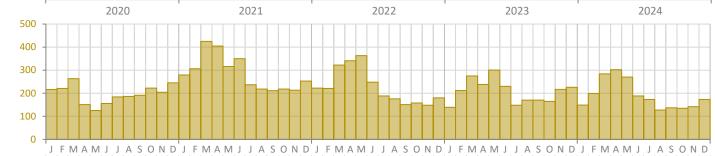




Cash Sales	Month	Cash Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
	Year-to-Date	2,279	-8.5%
The number of Closed Sales during the month in which	December 2024	173	-23.5%
buyers exclusively paid in cash	November 2024	142	-34.6%
buyers exclusively paid in cash	October 2024	135	-18.2%
	September 2024	137	-19.4%
	August 2024	127	-25.3%
<i>Economists' note</i> : Cash Sales can be a useful indicator of the extent to	July 2024	173	16.9%
which investors are participating in the market. Why? Investors are	June 2024	188	-18.3%
far more likely to have the funds to purchase a home available up front,	May 2024	270	-10.3%
whereas the typical homebuyer requires a mortgage or some other	April 2024	302	26.9%
form of financing. There are, of course, many possible exceptions, so	March 2024	284	3.3%

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	April 2024	302	26.9%
	March 2024	284	3.3%
	February 2024	199	-6.1%
	January 2024	149	7.2%
	December 2023	226	25.6%



# 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
Year-to-Date	66.2%	1.8%
December 2024	67.6%	-4.9%
November 2024	60.2%	-18.4%
October 2024	67.5%	0.6%
September 2024	59.6%	2.4%
August 2024	58.5%	-3.9%
July 2024	60.7%	9.2%
June 2024	66.4%	9.9%
May 2024	63.8%	-6.6%
April 2024	70.1%	12.9%
March 2024	70.3%	5.9%
February 2024	73.7%	3.2%
January 2024	71.3%	12.3%
December 2023	71.1%	8.5%





#### Percent Change Median Sale Price Median Sale Price Month Year-over-Year \$383,500 Year-to-Date -6.5% The median sale price reported for the month (i.e. 50% December 2024 \$384,250 -18.1% November 2024 -31.8% \$373,700 of sales were above and 50% of sales were below) October 2024 \$385,277 -9.7% September 2024 -4.0% \$380,000 *Economists' note* : Median Sale Price is our preferred summary August 2024 -10.5% \$345,000 statistic for price activity because, unlike Average Sale Price, Median July 2024 -6.3% \$365,000 Sale Price is not sensitive to high sale prices for small numbers of June 2024 \$384,060 -1.5% homes that may not be characteristic of the market area. Keep in mind May 2024 \$368,000 -9.1% that median price trends over time are not always solely caused by April 2024 0.0% \$399,000 changes in the general value of local real estate. Median sale price only March 2024 \$385,775 -8.9% February 2024 \$389,750 1.2% reflects the values of the homes that sold each month, and the mix of January 2024 \$420,000 0.6% the types of homes that sell can change over time. 20.2% December 2023 \$468,933



### 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
Year-to-Date	\$703,003	13.8%
December 2024	\$843,042	7.0%
November 2024	\$724,991	-14.2%
October 2024	\$1,218,391	100.8%
September 2024	\$1,167,673	109.6%
August 2024	\$481,706	-8.7%
July 2024	\$537,872	2.7%
June 2024	\$581,185	5.3%
May 2024	\$545,992	-6.1%
April 2024	\$699,838	24.6%
March 2024	\$634,890	11.4%
February 2024	\$590,937	-14.5%
January 2024	\$722,730	8.6%
December 2023	\$787,762	38.2%



Average Sale Price

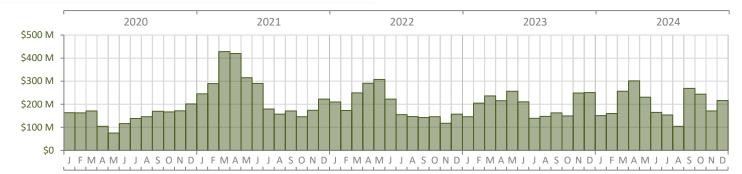


#### **Dollar Volume**

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
Year-to-Date	\$2.4 Billion	2.3%
December 2024	\$215.8 Million	-13.8%
November 2024	\$171.1 Million	-31.1%
October 2024	\$243.7 Million	63.2%
September 2024	\$268.6 Million	65.1%
August 2024	\$104.5 Million	-29.0%
July 2024	\$153.3 Million	10.0%
June 2024	\$164.5 Million	-21.8%
May 2024	\$231.0 Million	-9.9%
April 2024	\$301.6 Million	40.2%
March 2024	\$256.5 Million	8.7%
February 2024	\$159.6 Million	-22.3%
January 2024	\$151.1 Million	3.7%
December 2023	\$250.5 Million	59.8%

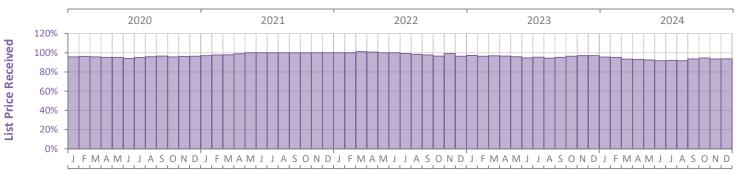


## Median Percent of Original List Price Received

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
Year-to-Date	93.3%	-2.8%
December 2024	93.7%	-3.4%
November 2024	93.5%	-3.6%
October 2024	94.4%	-2.0%
September 2024	93.5%	-1.7%
August 2024	91.6%	-2.9%
July 2024	92.0%	-3.5%
June 2024	91.7%	-3.2%
May 2024	92.4%	-3.5%
April 2024	93.0%	-3.5%
March 2024	93.3%	-3.6%
February 2024	95.1%	-1.2%
January 2024	95.5%	-1.6%
December 2023	97.0%	0.7%



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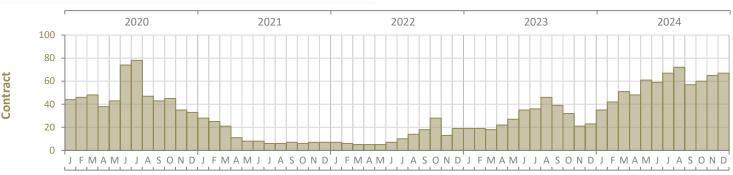


# Median Time to Contract

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

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Month	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Year-to-Date	60 Days	114.3%
December 2024	67 Days	191.3%
November 2024	65 Days	209.5%
October 2024	60 Days	87.5%
September 2024	57 Days	46.2%
August 2024	72 Days	56.5%
July 2024	67 Days	86.1%
June 2024	59 Days	68.6%
May 2024	61 Days	125.9%
April 2024	48 Days	118.2%
March 2024	51 Days	183.3%
February 2024	42 Days	121.1%
January 2024	35 Days	84.2%
December 2023	23 Days	21.1%



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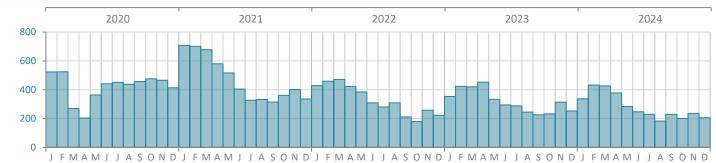
*Economists' note* : Time to Sale is a measure of the length of the home selling process, calculated as the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the closing of the sale. *Median* Time to Sale is the amount of time the "middle" property selling this month was on the market. That 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
Year-to-Date	105 Days	47.9%
December 2024	109 Days	70.3%
November 2024	118 Days	100.0%
October 2024	103 Days	41.1%
September 2024	108 Days	28.6%
August 2024	117 Days	34.5%
July 2024	120 Days	55.8%
June 2024	107 Days	32.1%
May 2024	101 Days	34.7%
April 2024	91 Days	35.8%
March 2024	95 Days	58.3%
February 2024	82 Days	30.2%
January 2024	79 Days	27.4%
December 2023	64 Days	3.2%





New Pending Sales	Month	New Pending Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
0.000	Year-to-Date	3,388	-11.6%
The number of listed properties that went under	December 2024	206	-18.3%
contract during the month	November 2024	236	-24.6%
	October 2024	200	-13.8%
	September 2024	229	1.3%
<i>Economists' note</i> : Because of the typical length of time it takes for a	August 2024	183	-25.3%
sale to close, economists consider Pending Sales to be a decent	July 2024	229	-20.5%
indicator of potential future Closed Sales. It is important to bear in	June 2024	247	-16.3%
mind, however, that not all Pending Sales will be closed successfully.	May 2024	284	-14.7%
So, the effectiveness of Pending Sales as a future indicator of Closed	April 2024	378	-16.4%
Sales is susceptible to changes in market conditions such as the	March 2024	427	1.7%
availability of financing for homebuyers and the inventory of	February 2024	432	2.1%



January 2024

December 2023

# New Listings

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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
Year-to-Date	5,634	-0.1%
December 2024	503	14.3%
November 2024	544	-6.7%
October 2024	366	-25.8%
September 2024	366	-10.3%
August 2024	297	-21.8%
July 2024	354	6.9%
June 2024	358	-5.5%
May 2024	397	3.4%
April 2024	496	-7.5%
March 2024	574	-7.7%
February 2024	651	22.1%
January 2024	728	32.1%
December 2023	440	41.9%

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Pending Sales

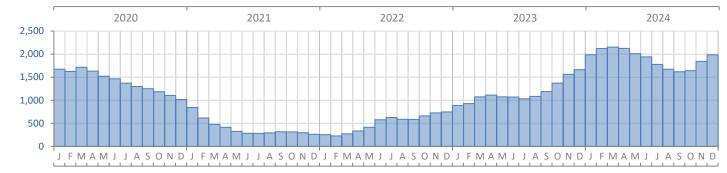
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# Inventory (Active Listings) Month The number of property listings active at the end of the month Decement Economists' note : There are a number of ways to define and calculate Septement

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Month	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
YTD (Monthly Avg)	1,906	62.8%
December 2024	1,987	19.6%
November 2024	1,843	18.0%
October 2024	1,641	19.7%
September 2024	1,617	36.0%
August 2024	1,672	54.4%
July 2024	1,777	72.0%
June 2024	1,941	81.6%
May 2024	2,010	87.3%
April 2024	2,124	91.0%
March 2024	2,153	100.3%
February 2024	2,119	128.1%
January 2024	1,985	124.0%
December 2023	1,662	121.9%

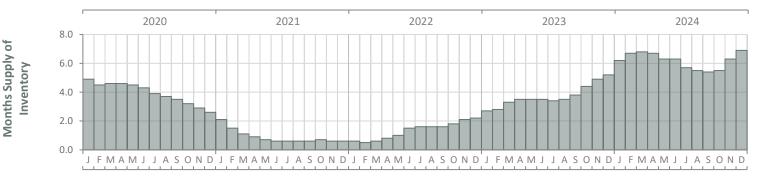


# Months Supply of Inventory

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
YTD (Monthly Avg)	6.2	67.6%
December 2024	6.9	32.7%
November 2024	6.3	28.6%
October 2024	5.5	25.0%
September 2024	5.4	42.1%
August 2024	5.5	57.1%
July 2024	5.7	67.6%
June 2024	6.3	80.0%
May 2024	6.3	80.0%
April 2024	6.7	91.4%
March 2024	6.8	106.1%
February 2024	6.7	139.3%
January 2024	6.2	129.6%
December 2023	5.2	136.4%



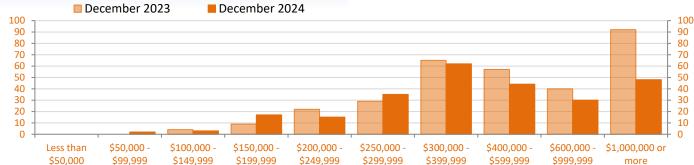


#### **Closed Sales by Sale Price**

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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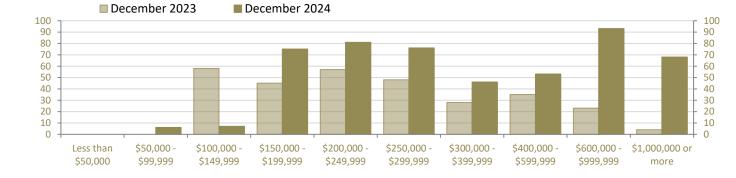




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Sale Price	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	(No Sales)	N/A
\$50,000 - \$99,999	6 Days	N/A
\$100,000 - \$149,999	7 Days	-87.9%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	75 Days	66.7%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	81 Days	42.1%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	76 Days	58.3%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	46 Days	64.3%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	53 Days	51.4%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	93 Days	304.3%
\$1,000,000 or more	68 Days	1600.0%



**Closed Sales** 

**Median Time to Contract** 



# New Listings by Initial Listing Price

The number of properties put onto the market during the month

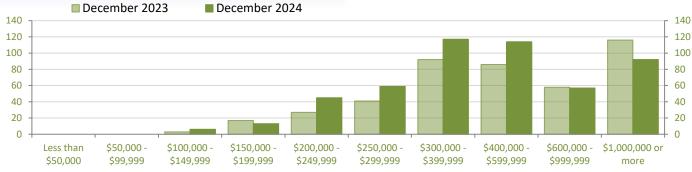
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	Initial Listing Price	New Listings	Percent Change Year-over-Year
	Less than \$50,000	0	N/A
	\$50,000 - \$99,999	0	N/A
I	\$100,000 - \$149,999	6	100.0%
	\$150,000 - \$199,999	13	-23.5%
	\$200,000 - \$249,999	45	66.7%
	\$250,000 - \$299,999	59	43.9%
	\$300,000 - \$399,999	117	27.2%
	\$400,000 - \$599,999	114	32.6%
	\$600,000 - \$999,999	57	-1.7%
	\$1,000,000 or more	92	-20.7%



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#### 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	2	100.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	7	600.0%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	21	320.0%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	111	122.0%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	195	72.6%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	267	31.5%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	504	25.1%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	393	11.3%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	215	-10.4%
\$1,000,000 or more	272	-7.2%



#### Monthly Distressed Market - December 2024 Townhouses and Condos Sarasota County



