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Monthly Indicators

June 2010

Think global, act local. With European debt crises, oil spills and disappointing job growth figures putting stress on the stock market, the local housing market didn't fare much better.

Buyers were somewhat slow during June, as Pending Sales posted a 22.2 percent decrease from June 2009. Many would-be June buyers already bought during the credit period, and sellers seem to be aware of the demand cool-down as New Listings dipped by 21.4 percent from last year.

Despite slow pendings, inventory levels fortunately decreased a slight 2.2 percent compared to last year, which still managed to exert downward price pressure on the market. The Median Sales Price for June of \$146,500 was a very minor 1.1 percent decrease from last year.

Negotiations remained fairly consistent with last year at this time as sellers received 95.2 percent of their original list price. Market times decreased 7.7 percent to 83 days; while months supply decreased 14.3 percent to 7.9 months.

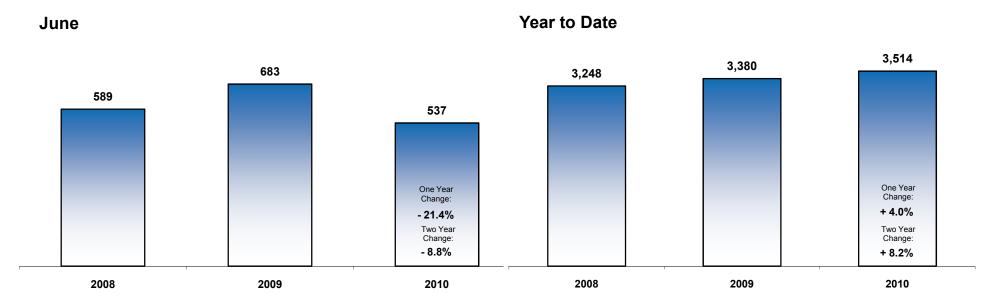
Expect closings to receive a slight boost as Congress recently extended the closing date to September 30 for tax credit buyers, and expect the market to stay flat or post minor improvements over the near term.

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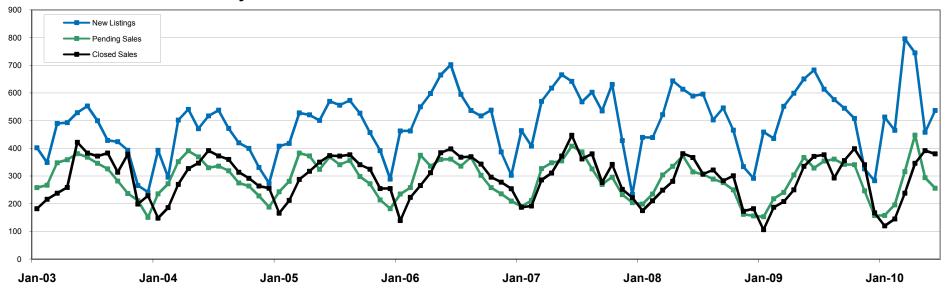
New Listings

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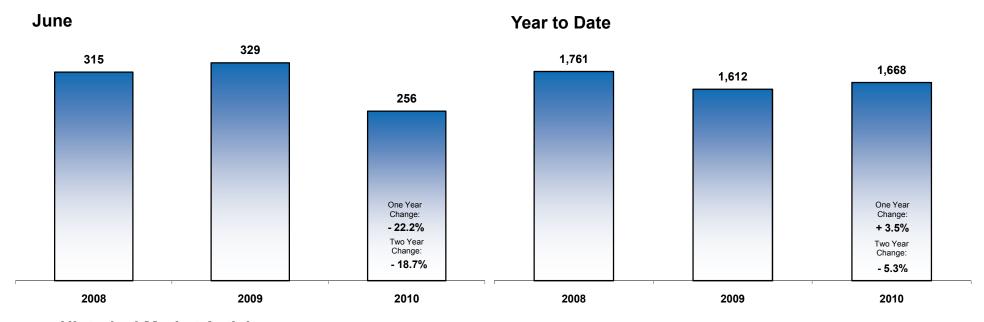
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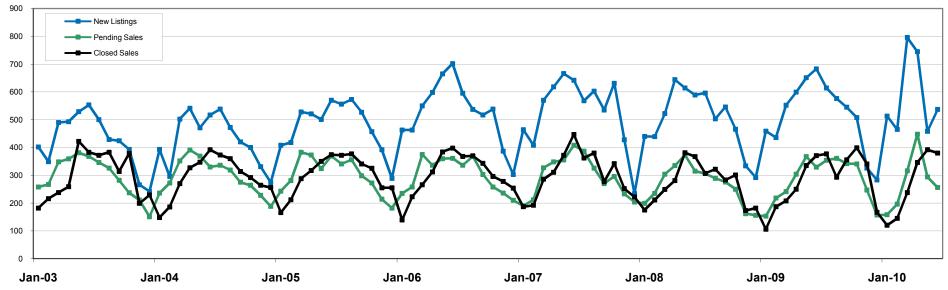
Pending Sales

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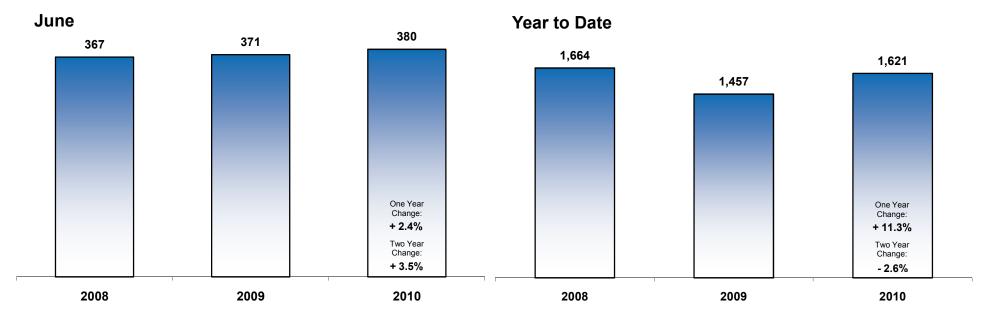
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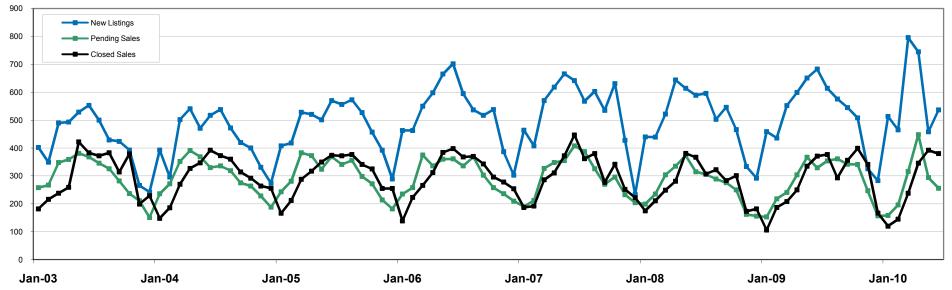
Closed Sales

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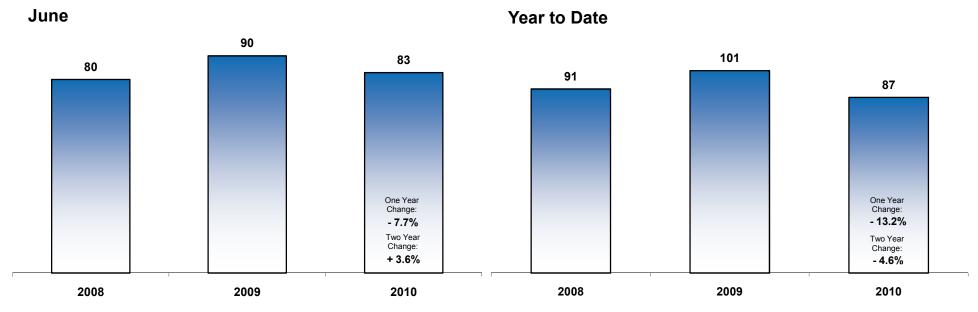
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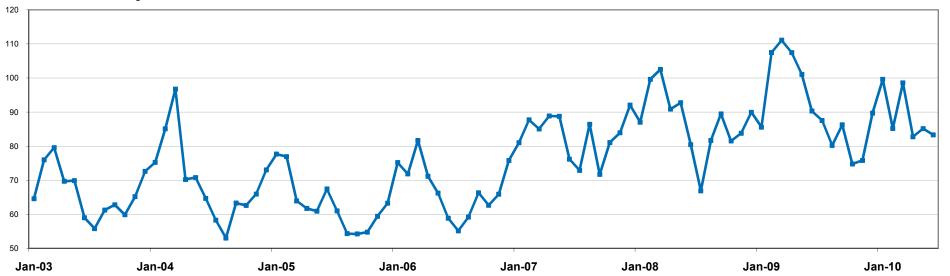
Days on Market Until Sale

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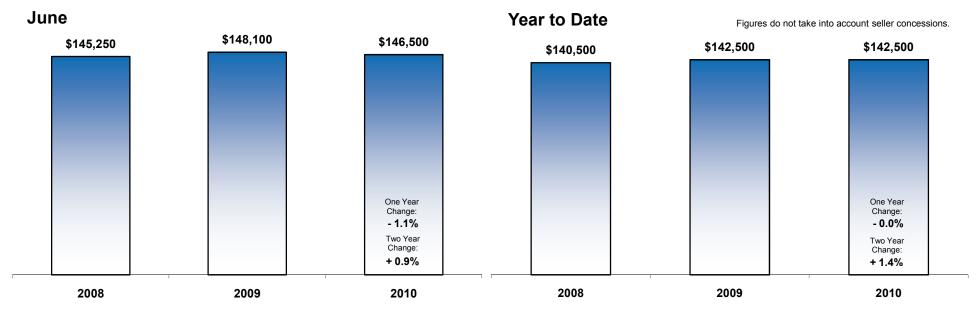
Historical Days on Market Until Sale



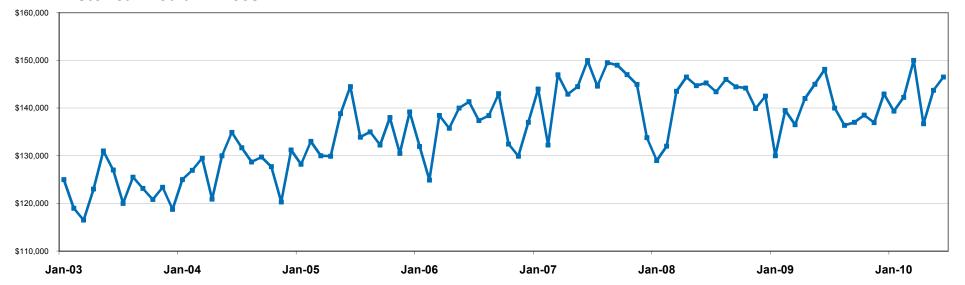
Median Sales Price

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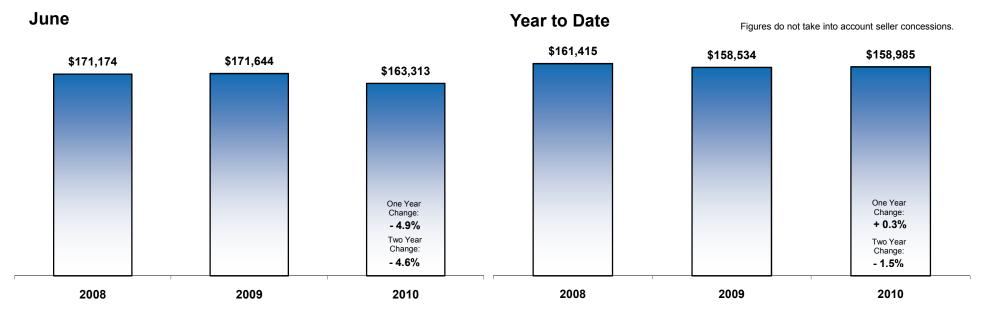
Historical Median Prices



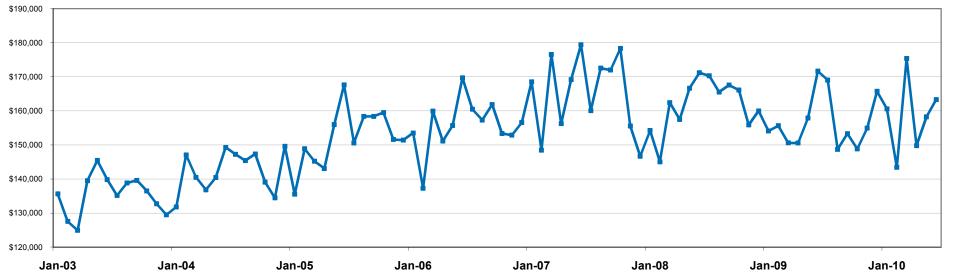
Average Sales Price

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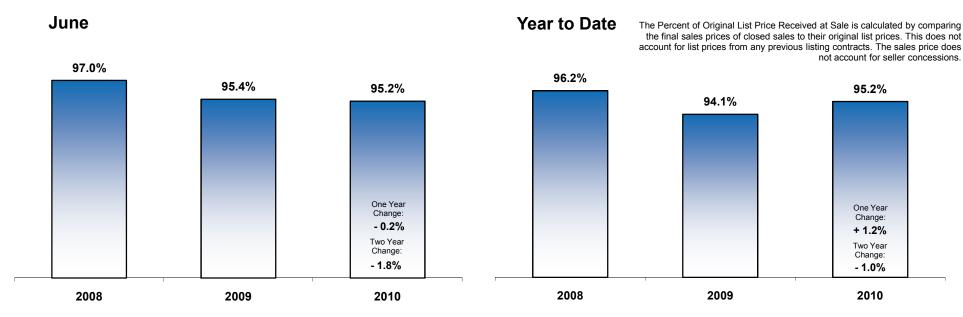
Historical Average Prices



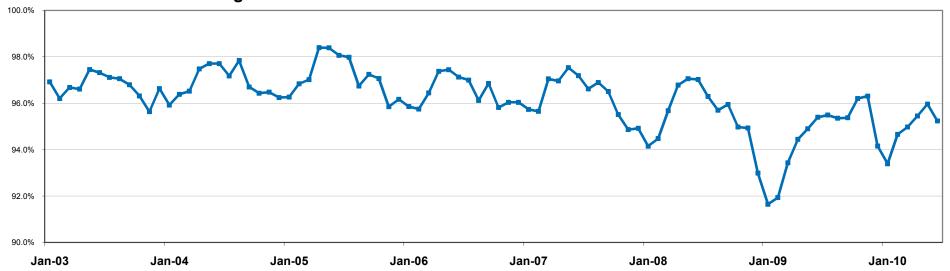
Percent of Original List Price Received at Sale

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Historical Percent of Original List Price Received at Sale



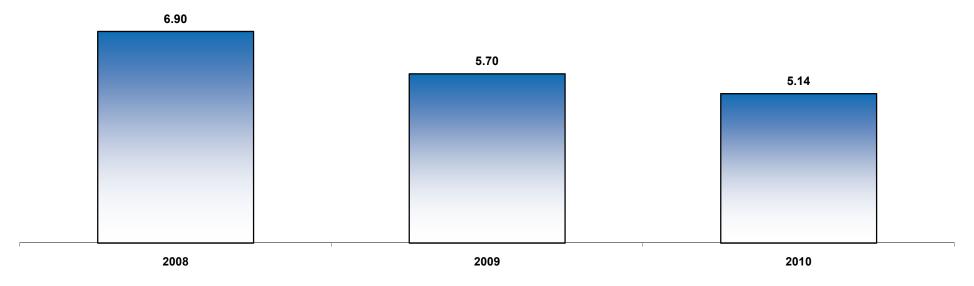
Mortgage Rates

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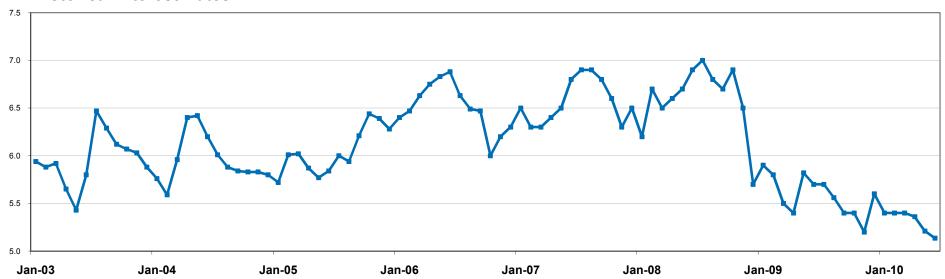


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Mortgage rate information is gathered from HSH Associates Financial Publishers, Inc (www.hsh.com). Data represents national 30-year fixed-rate mortgages.



Historical Interest Rates



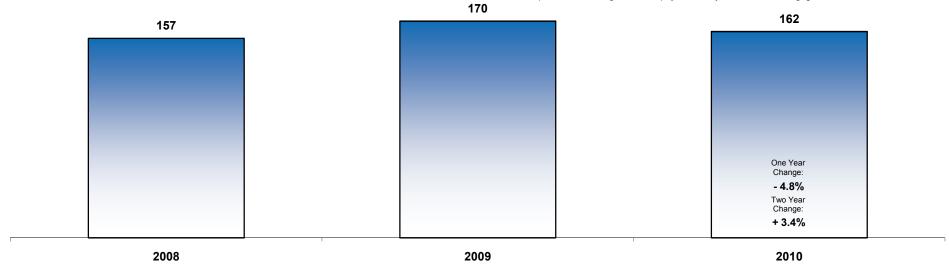
Housing Affordability Index

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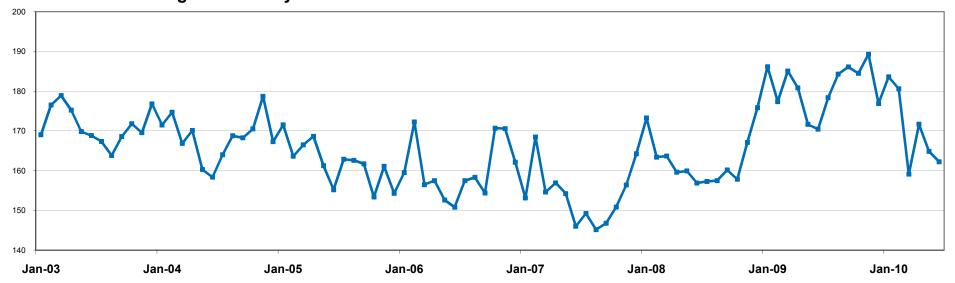




The HAI formula measures housing affordability for the Sioux Falls Housing Market. An HAI of 120 would mean the median family income is 120% of the necessary income to qualify for the median priced home using 20% downpayment, 30-year fixed rate mortgage.



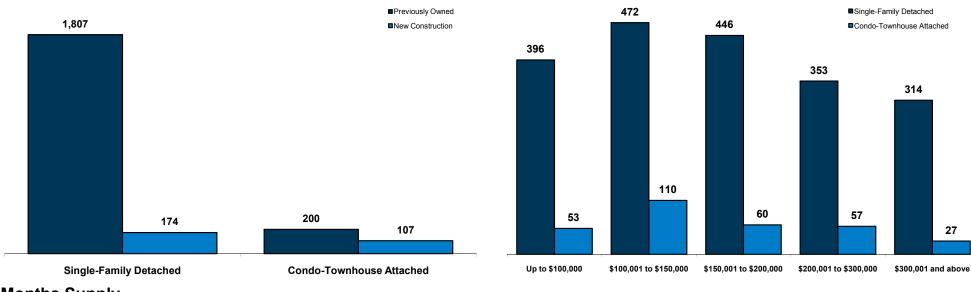
Historical Housing Affordability Index



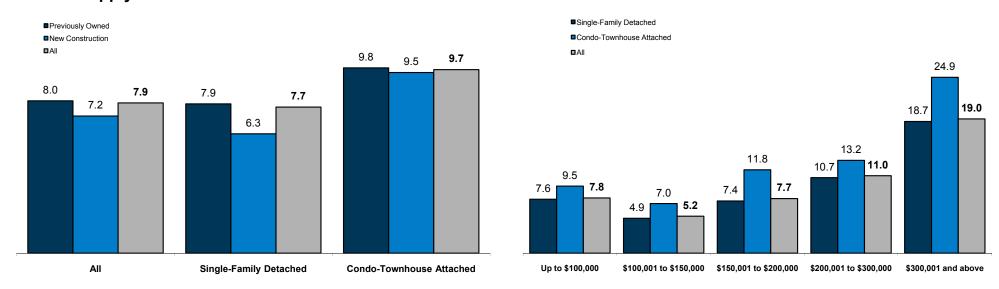
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Inventory of Active Listings



Months Supply



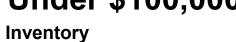
A market is considered balanced between buyers and sellers when there is roughly a 5- to 6-month supply of homes available for purchase.

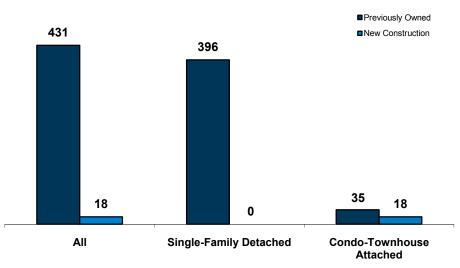
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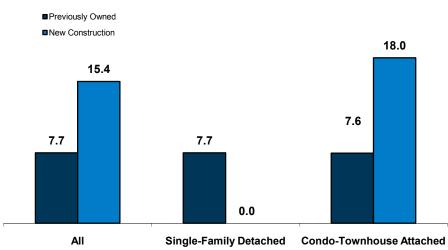


Under \$100,000



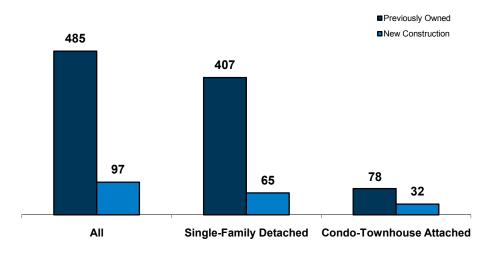


Months Supply

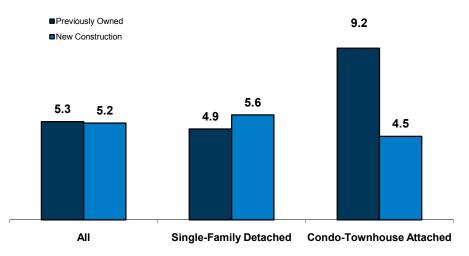


\$100,001 to \$150,000

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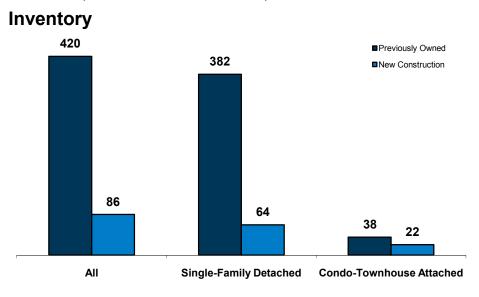
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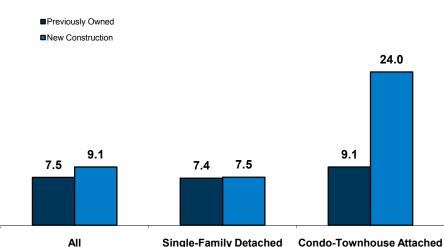
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\$150,001 to \$200,000



Months Supply



\$200,001 to \$300,000

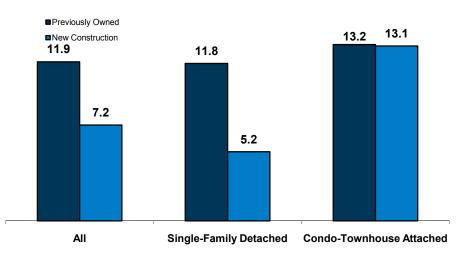
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Single-Family Detached

Months Supply



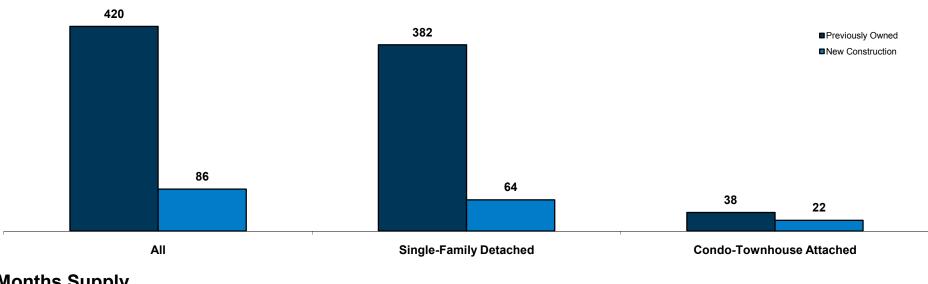
Condo-Townhouse Attached

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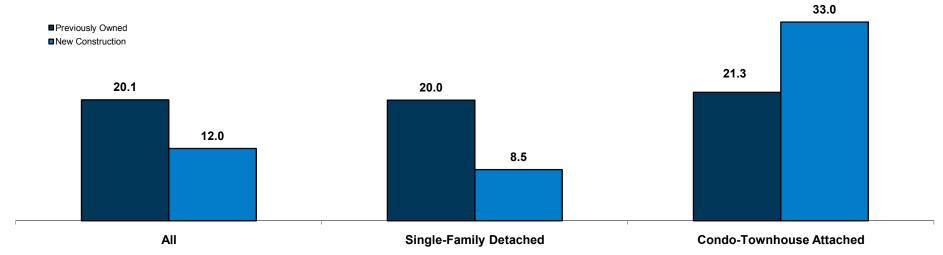


\$300,001 and above

Inventory



Months Supply



Market Overview



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June 2010		This Year	Last Year	Percent Change	5-Year Average	This Year Year-to- Date	Previous Year Year-to- Date	Percent Change	5-Year Year-to- Date Average
New Listings	Apr	745	599	+ 24.4%	641	2,519	2,046	+ 23.1%	2,149
	May	458	651	- 29.6%	611	2,977	2,697	+ 10.4%	2,760
	Jun	537	683	- 21.4%	631	3,514	3,380	+ 4.0%	3,390
Pending Sales	Apr	448	304	+ 47.4%	354	1,118	916	+ 22.1%	1,078
	May	294	367	- 19.9%	350	1,412	1,283	+ 10.1%	1,427
	Jun	256	329	- 22.2%	334	1,668	1,612	+ 3.5%	1,761
Closed Sales	Apr	346	250	+ 38.4%	300	849	751	+ 13.0%	886
	May	392	335	+ 17.0%	373	1,241	1,086	+ 14.3%	1,259
	Jun	380	371	+ 2.4%	393	1,621	1,457	+ 11.3%	1,652
Days on Market Until Sale	Apr	83	107	- 23.0%	88	90	105	- 14.6%	90
	May	85	101	- 15.8%	87	88	104	- 15.0%	89
	Jun	83	90	- 7.7%	78	87	101	- 13.2%	87
Median Sales Price	Apr	\$136,700	\$142,000	- 3.7%	\$140,770	\$140,000	\$138,650	+ 1.0%	
	May	\$143,710	\$145,000	- 0.9%	\$143,582	\$141,000	\$140,900	+ 0.1%	
	Jun	\$146,500	\$148,100	- 1.1%	\$146,225	\$142,500	\$142,500	- 0.0%	
Average Sales Price	Apr	\$149,784	\$150,558	- 0.5%	\$153,039	\$157,404	\$152,336	+ 3.3%	\$155,754
	May	\$158,213	\$157,909	+ 0.2%	\$161,528	\$157,659	\$154,055	+ 2.3%	\$157,444
	Jun	\$163,313	\$171,644	- 4.9%	\$171,050	\$158,985	\$158,534	+ 0.3%	\$160,702
Total Active Listings Available	Apr	2,239	2,154	+ 3.9%					
	May	2,322	2,265	+ 2.5%					
	Jun	2,270	2,320	- 2.2%					
Percent of Original List Price	Apr	95.5%	94.4%	+ 1.1%	96.2%	94.9%	93.1%	+ 1.9%	94.9%
Received at Sale	May	96.0%	94.9%	+ 1.1%	96.6%	95.2%	93.7%	+ 1.7%	95.2%
	Jun	95.2%	95.4%	- 0.2%	96.4%	95.2%	94.1%	+ 1.2%	95.2%
Mortgage Rates	Apr	5.4	5.4	- 0.7%	6.1				
	May	5.2	5.8	- 10.5%	6.2				
	Jun	5.1	5.7	- 9.9%	6.3				
Housing Affordability Index	Apr	172	181	- 5.1%	165				
	May	165	172	- 4.0%	161				
	Jun	162	170	- 4.8%	157				
Months Supply of Inventory	Apr	7.7	8.9	- 13.7%					
	May	7.7	9.2	- 16.1%		-	-		
	Jun	7.9	9.2	- 14.3%					

Annual Review

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