

# KEEPING CURRENT MATTERS May 2022

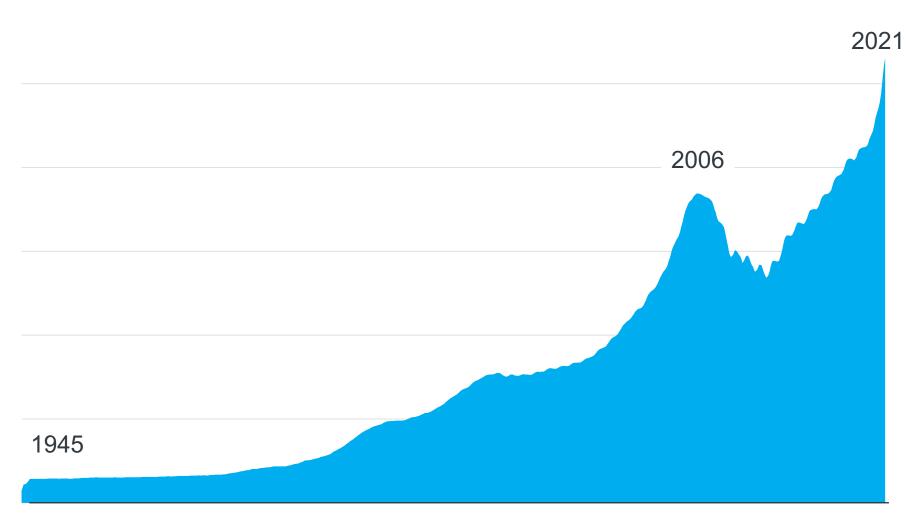




# Why We're Not Headed for a Housing Bubble

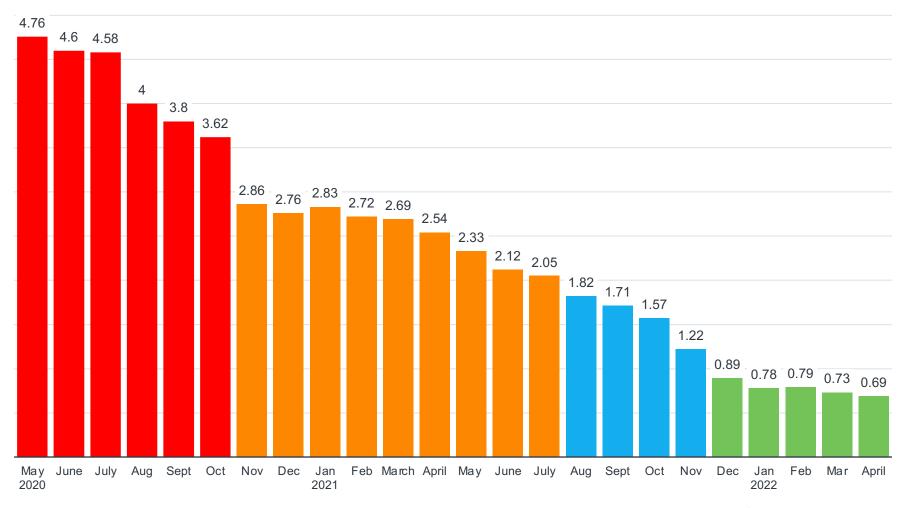
#### **Home Price Appreciation Since WWII**

**Historical Housing Market Data** 



#### Forbearance Number Edges Downward

Monthly Number of Loans in Active Forbearance (in millions)



Source: Black Knight

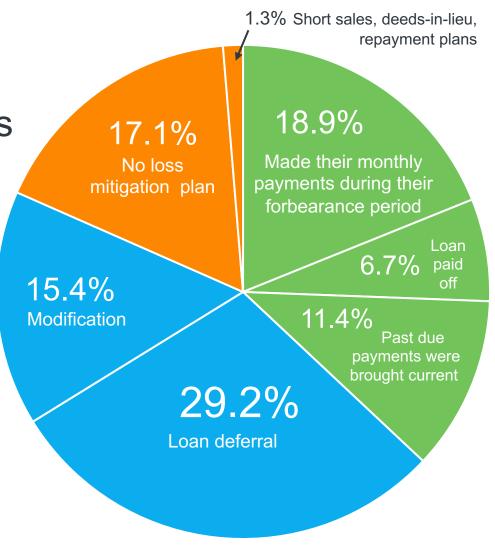
#### Loans Upon Exiting Forbearance Program

37% were paid in full

44.6% were work outs or repayment plans

18.4% were still in trouble

Cumulative forbearance exits for the period from June 1, 2020 **through March 31, 2022** 



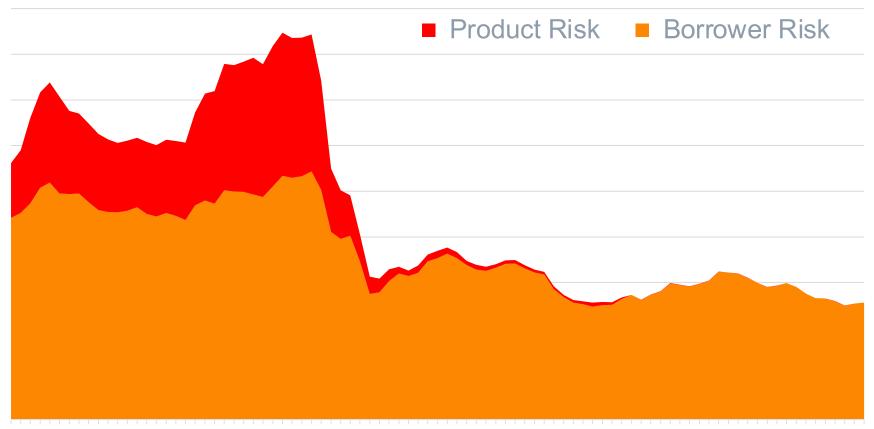


We have learned from history that prices can fall. The more important question is if it's going to happen right now. And that's hard to say.

- Danielle Hale, Chief Economist, realtor.com

# **Lending Standards Nothing Like Early 2000s**

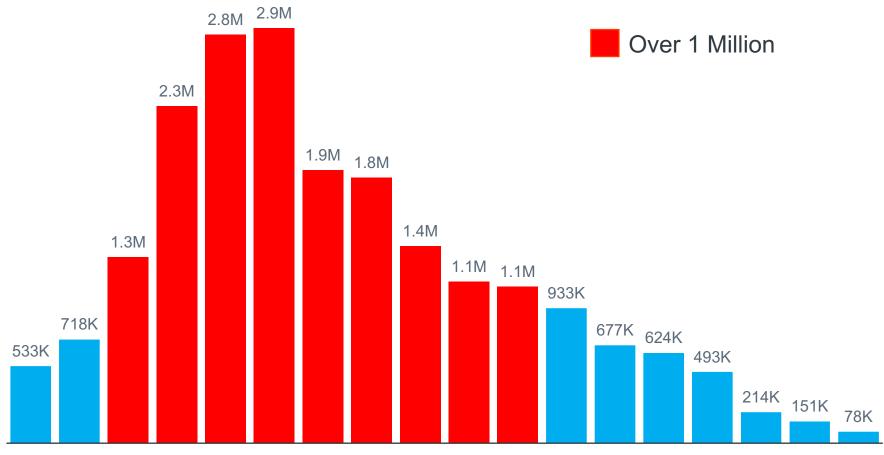
Default Risk in the Mortgage Market (1999-2021)



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#### Foreclosure Activity at an All-Time Low

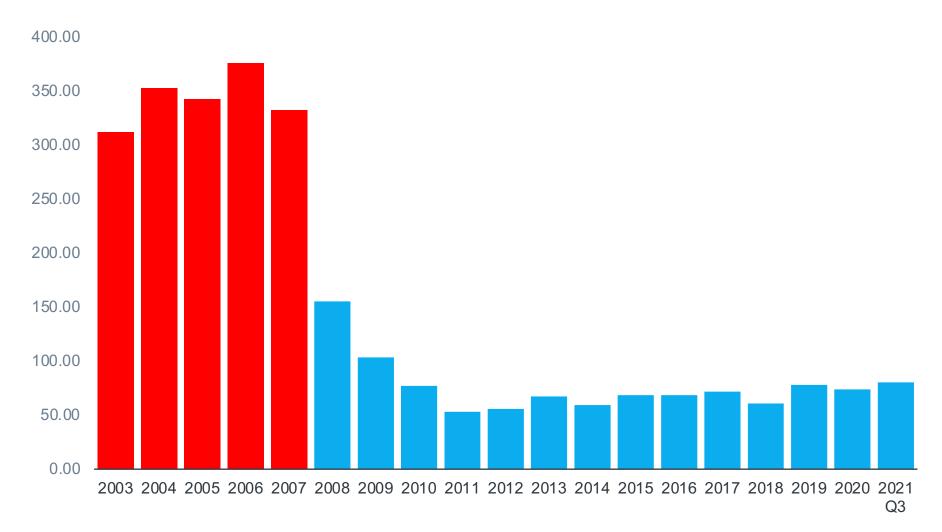
U.S. Properties with Foreclosure Filings: ATTOM 2021 Year-End Report



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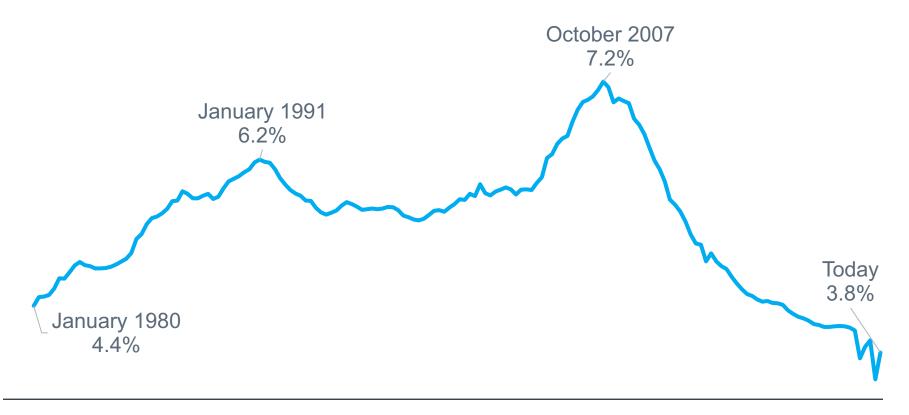
#### **Lending Standards Tighter Since Crash**

Volume of Loans in Billions with a Credit Score < 620



#### Mortgage Debt Is Not a Challenge

Household Debt Service Ratio for Mortgages as a Percentage of Disposable Personal Income. (*Total quarterly required mortgage payments divided by total quarterly disposable personal income*)



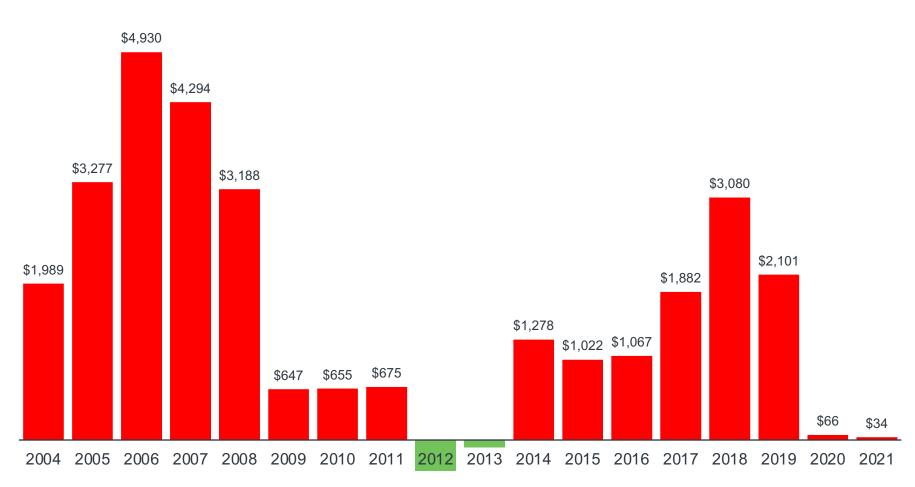
1980

Today

Source: The Fed

#### Mortgage Payments Virtually Unaffected

Difference in Annual Mortgage Payment for Cash-Out Refinances



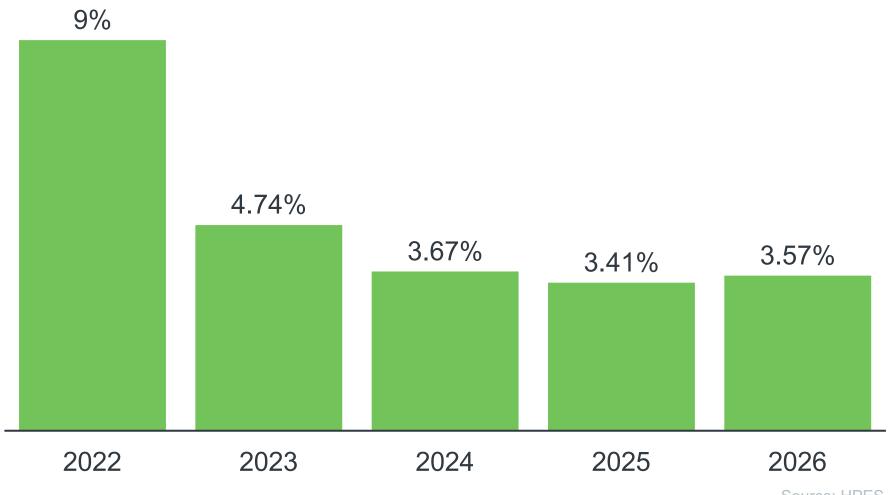
Source: Freddie Mac



### What's Ahead?

#### **Estimated Home Price Performance**

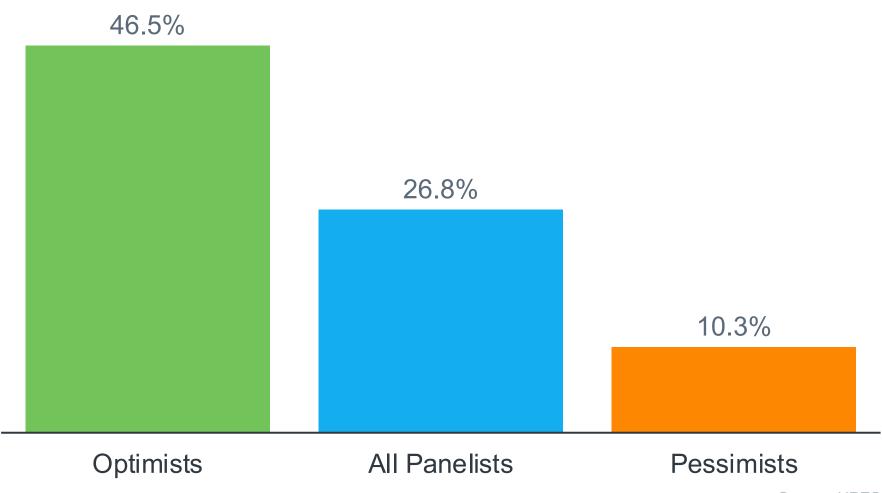
January to January, as Forecasted in Q1 2022



Source: HPES

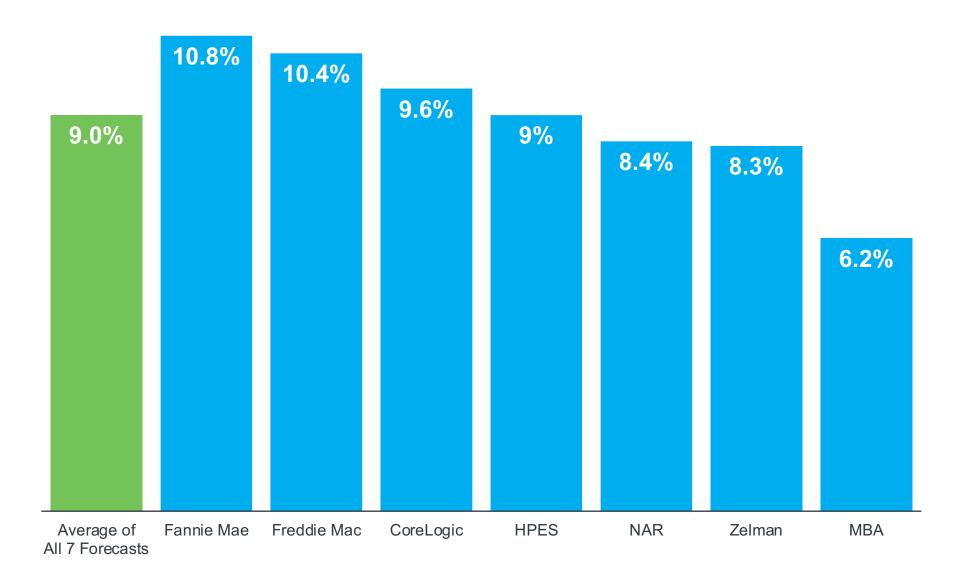
#### **Cumulative House Appreciation by 2026**

As Forecast in Q1 2022



Source: HPES

#### **Home Price Forecasts for 2022**





Based on the current estimate for the peak Fed Funds rate (3.25% to 4.0%), the 30-year fixed mortgage will likely peak at between 5.0% and 5.7%. There is some variability in the relationship, so we might see rates as high as the low 6% range. (This all depends on inflation and the Fed Funds rate - but I don't expect rates to move much higher than the current rate - although 6% is possible).

- Bill McBride, Author, Calculated Risk Blog



## **Affordability**



New data from the Harris Poll show 84% of Americans plan to cut back spending as a result of price spikes... More than 70% of respondents said they're feeling the effects of inflation the most in gas prices and groceries.

- Bloomberg

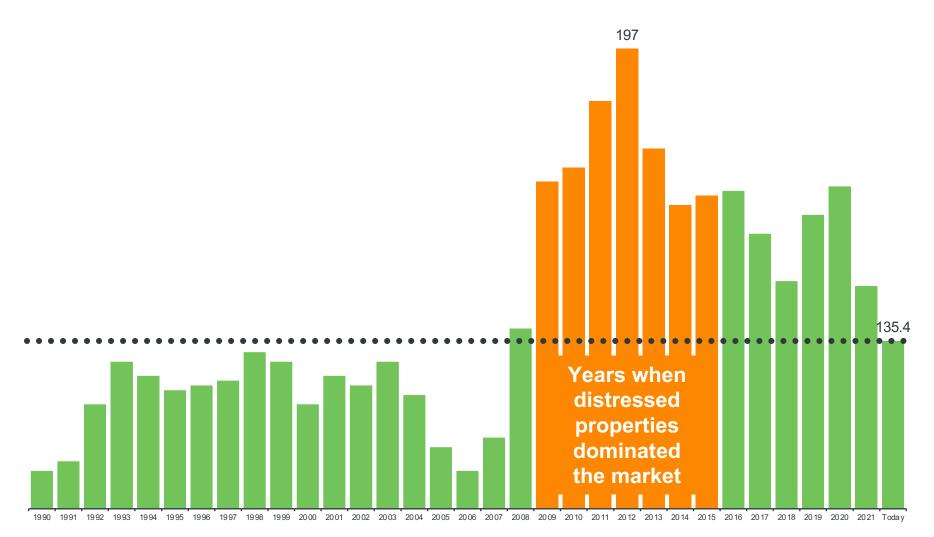
#### **Change in Mortgage Payment**

Loan Amount of \$300K, Principal and Interest Payments Only\*

	January 2021	April 2021	July 2021	October 2021
Average Mortgage Rate	2.73%	3.06%	2.87%	3.07%
Monthly Payment*	\$1,221.55	\$1,274.54	\$1,243.88	\$1,276.17
	December 2021	January 2022	Current	Oct 2022?
Average Mortgage Rate	3.09%	3.44%	5.27%	5.5%
Monthly Payment*	\$1,279.42	\$1,337.11	\$1,660.33	\$1,703.37

#### Affordability Approaching Historical Levels

Housing Affordability Index: 1990 to Today





The average consumer is spending an additional \$429 monthly for items other than shelter. Meanwhile, average weekly wages rose just \$212 per month, so the consumer is short by \$217 per month. . . . This means that the average consumer will be looking for a home that is \$41,793 cheaper.

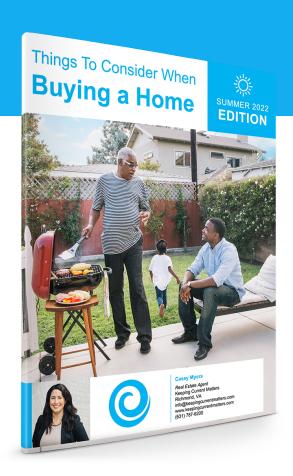
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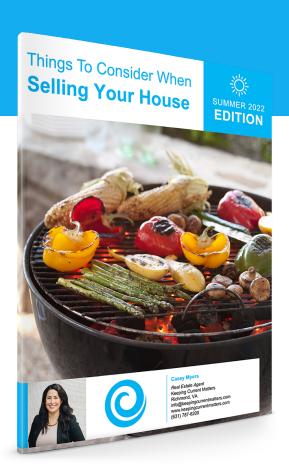


# Do I have a relevant market opinion based upon facts?

# Summer Buyer & Seller Guides: June 3, 2022







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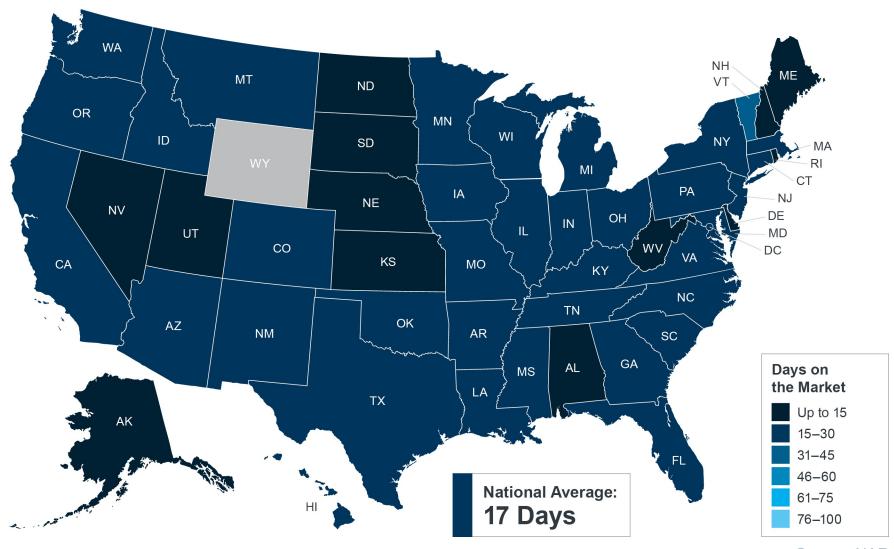
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## **Home Sales**

#### **Average Days on the Market**

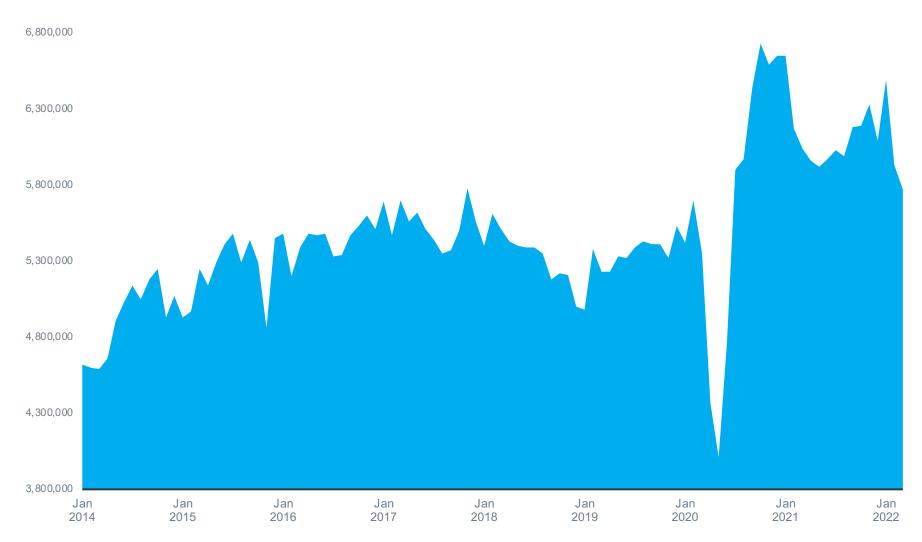
March 2022



Source: NAR

#### **Existing Home Sales**

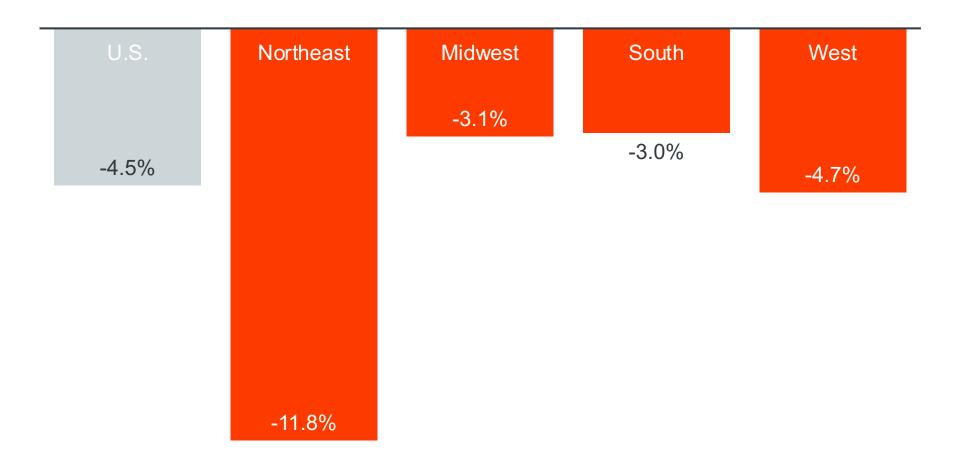
Since January 2014



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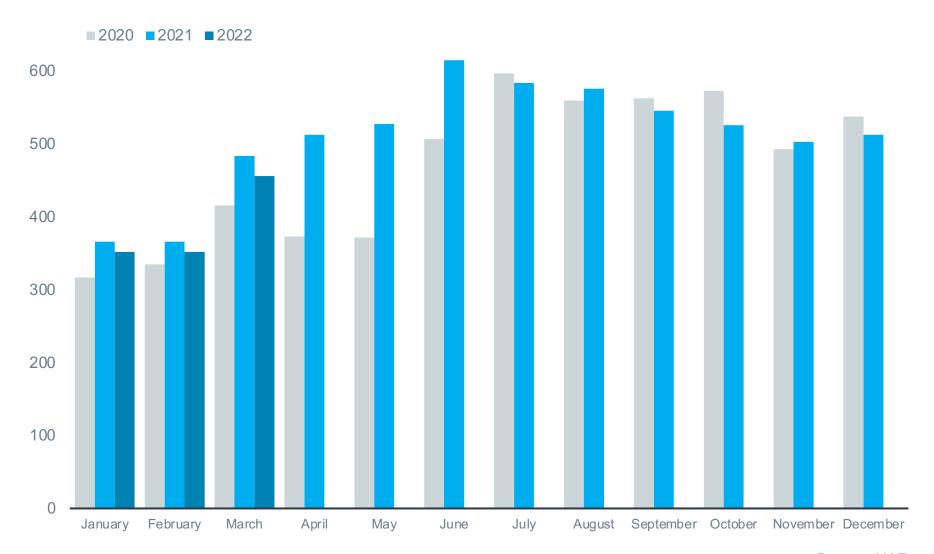
#### **Existing Home Sales**

Year-Over-Year, by Region



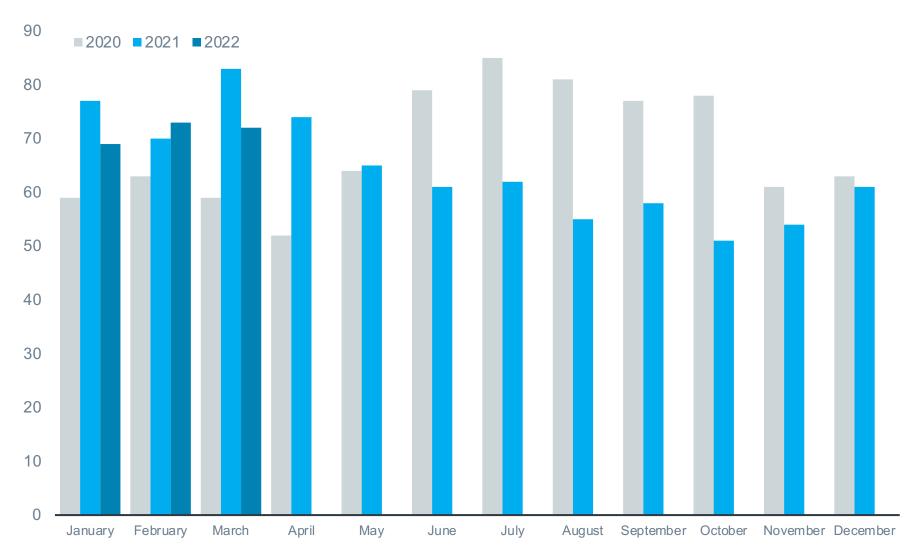
#### **Existing Home Sales**

#### In Thousands



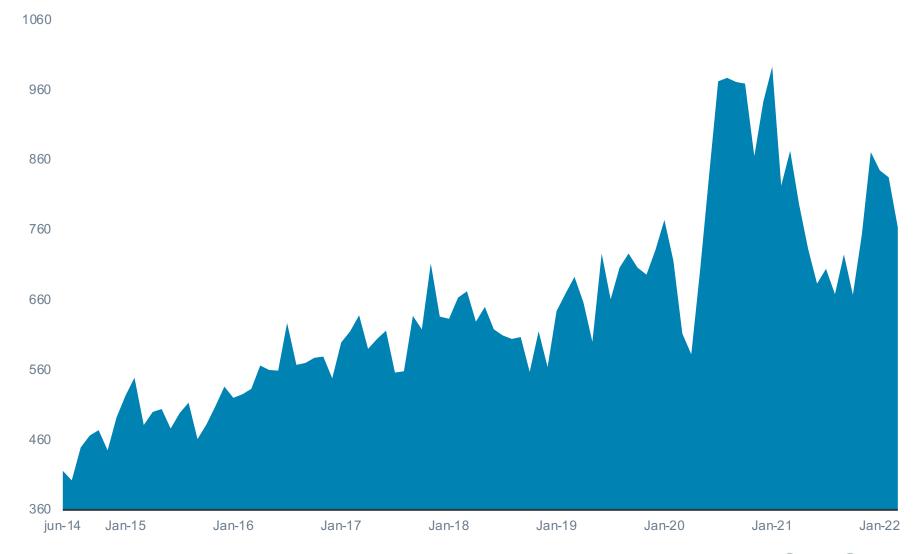
#### **New Home Sales**

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#### **New Home Sales**

#### Annualized in Thousands

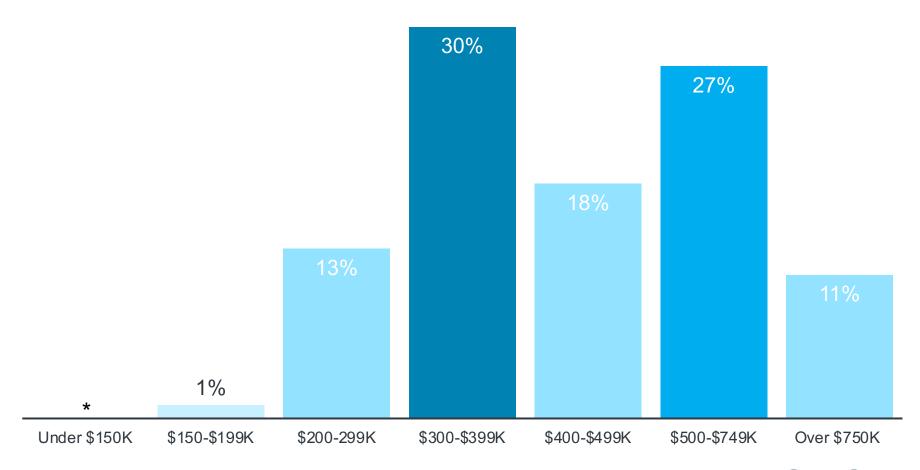


Source: Census

#### **New Home Sales**

#### Percent of Distribution by Price Range

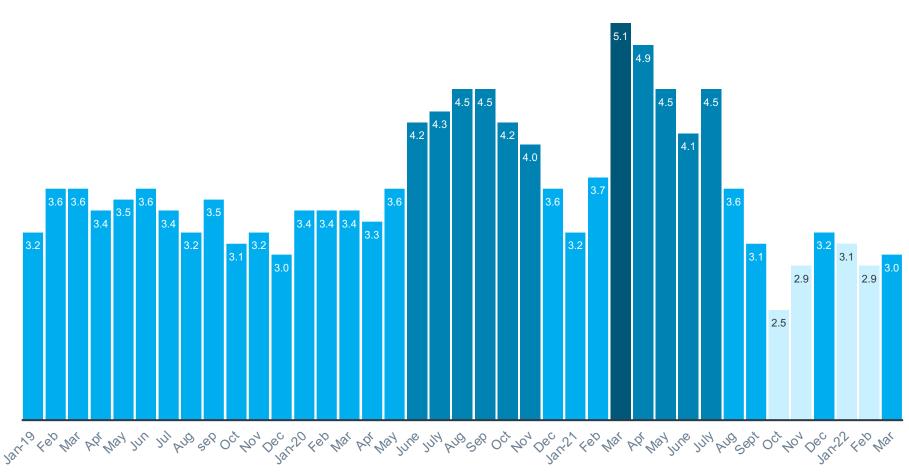
\* Less Than 500 Units or Less Than 0.5 Percent



Source: Census

#### **New Homes Selling Fast**

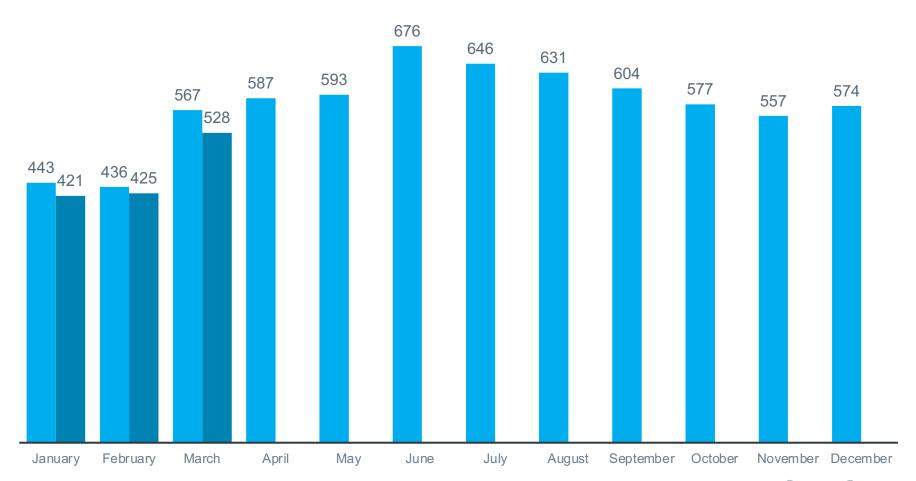
Median Months from Completion to Sold



#### **Total Home Sales**

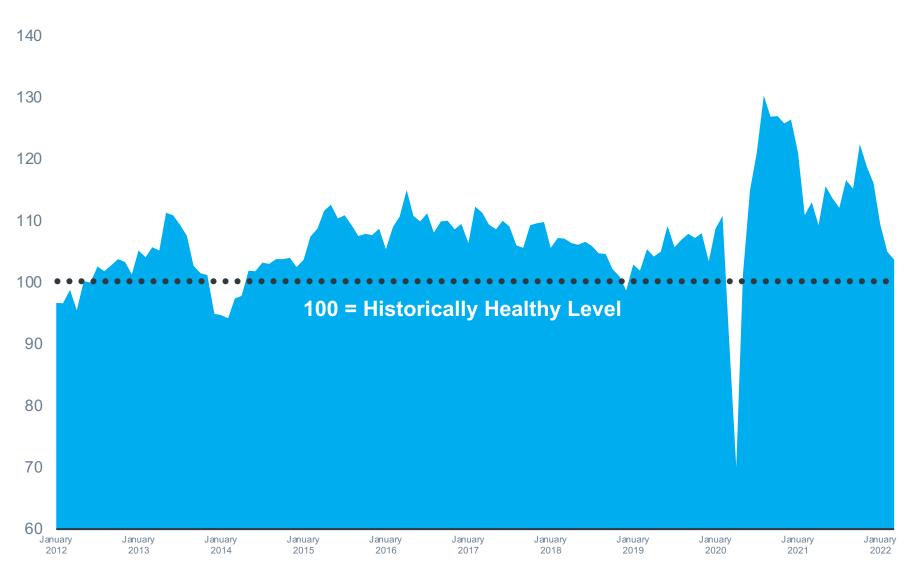
#### In Thousands

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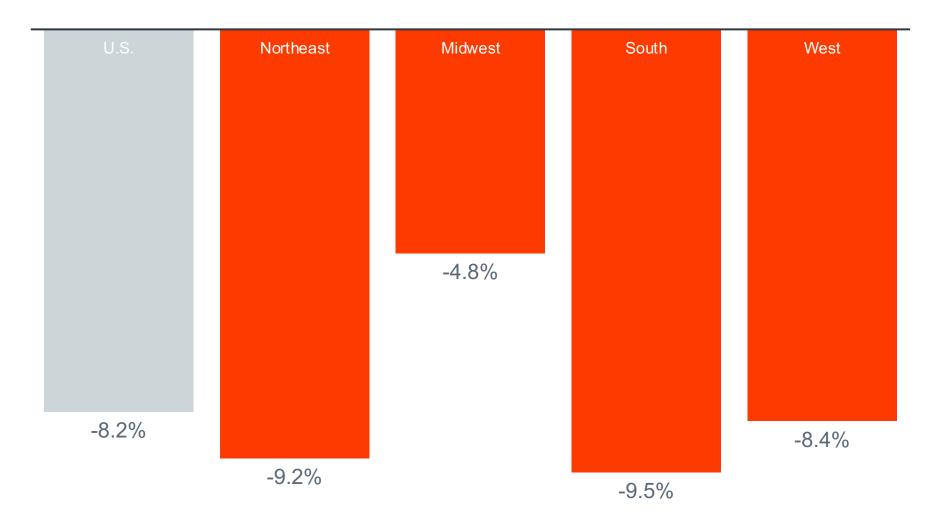
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#### **Pending Home Sales**



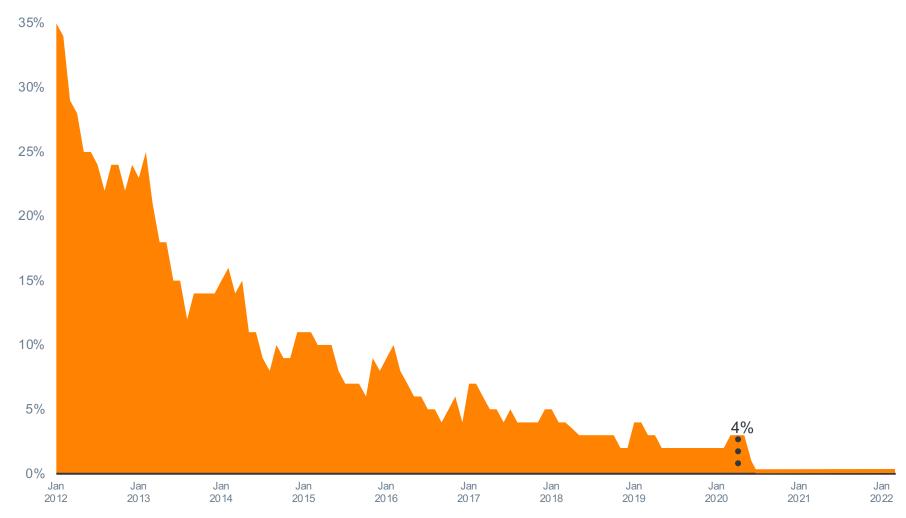
#### **Pending Home Sales**

Year-Over-Year by Region



#### **Percentage of Distressed Property Sales**

Distressed Sales (*Foreclosures and Short Sales*) represented Less Than 1% of Sales in March.

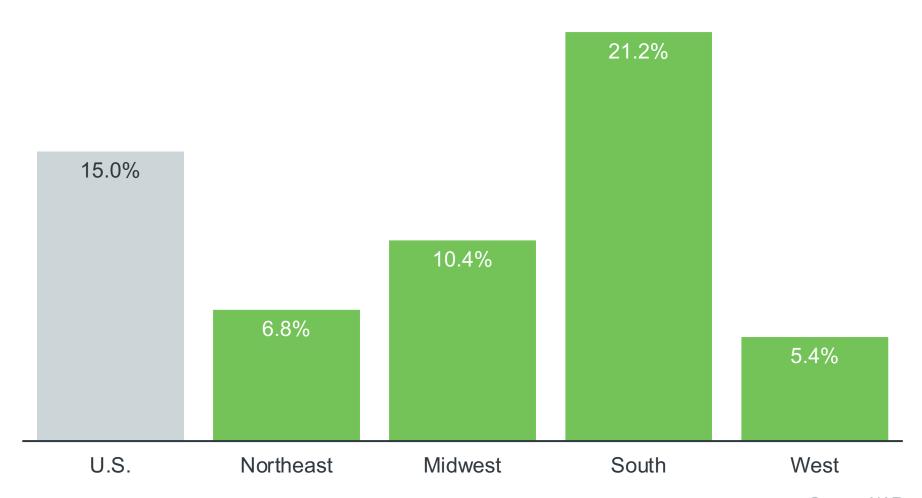




### **Home Prices**

#### **Sales Price of Existing Homes**

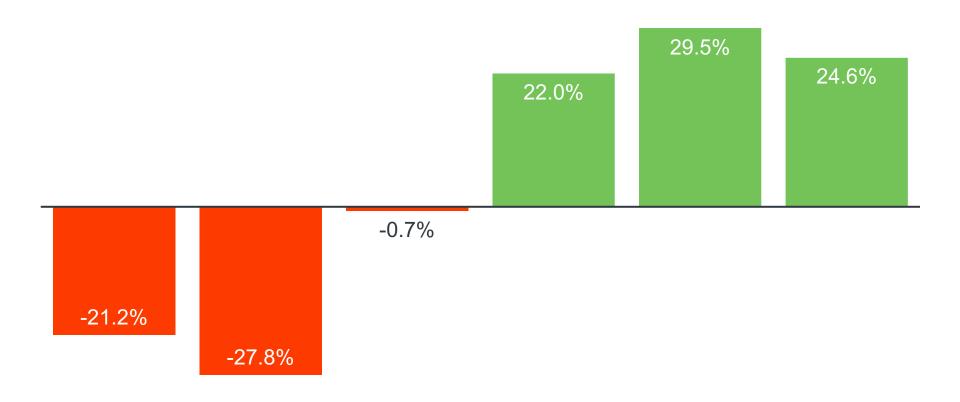
Year-Over-Year, by Region



Source: NAR

#### % Change in Sales

Year-Over-Year, by Price Range

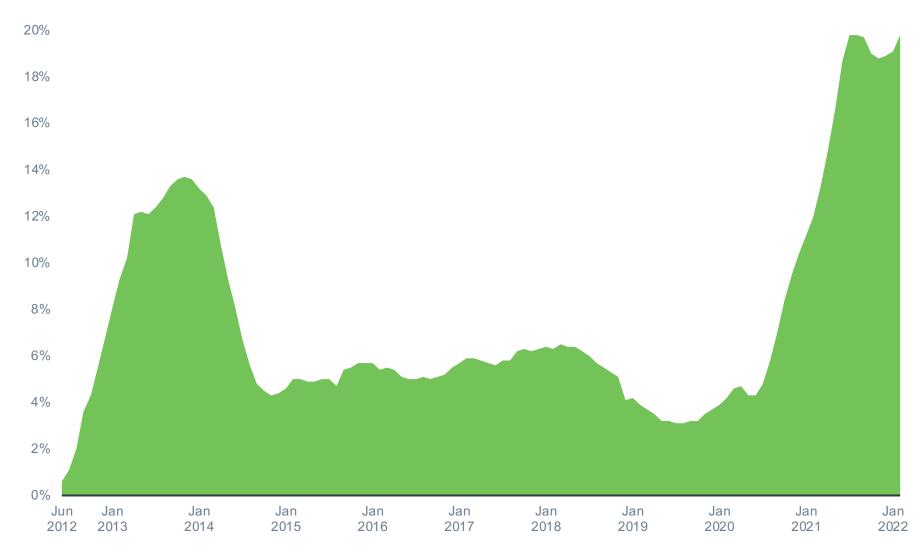


	\$0-100K	\$100-250K	\$250-500K	\$500-750K	\$750K-1M	\$1M+
<b>%</b>	-21.2%	-27.8%	-0.7%	22.0%	29.5%	24.6%

Source: NAR

#### **Change in Home Prices**

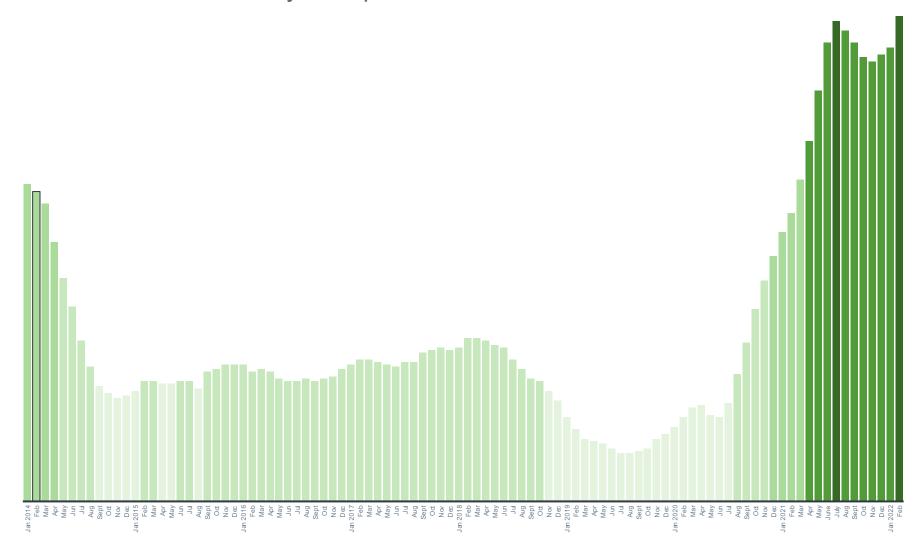
Year-Over-Year



Source: S&P Case-Shiller

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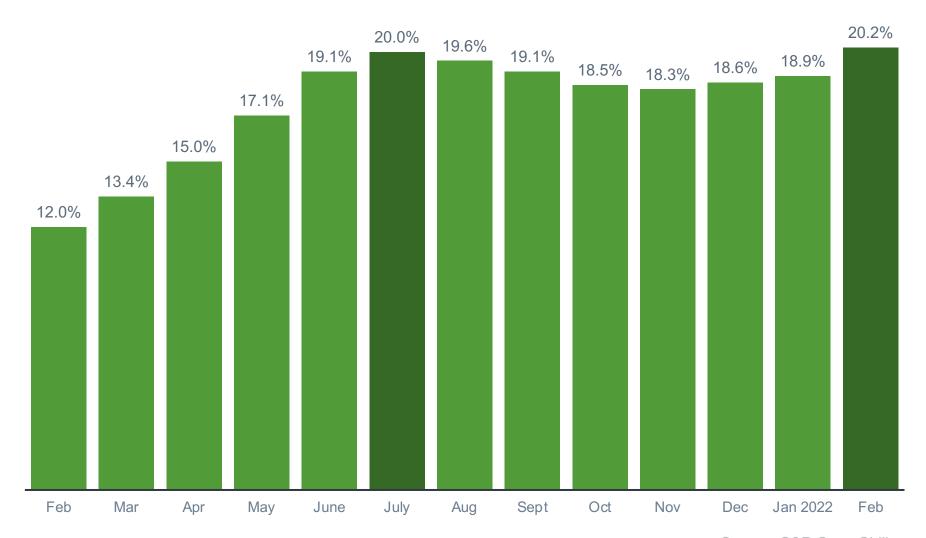
Year-Over-Year, 20 City Composite



Source: S&P Case-Shiller

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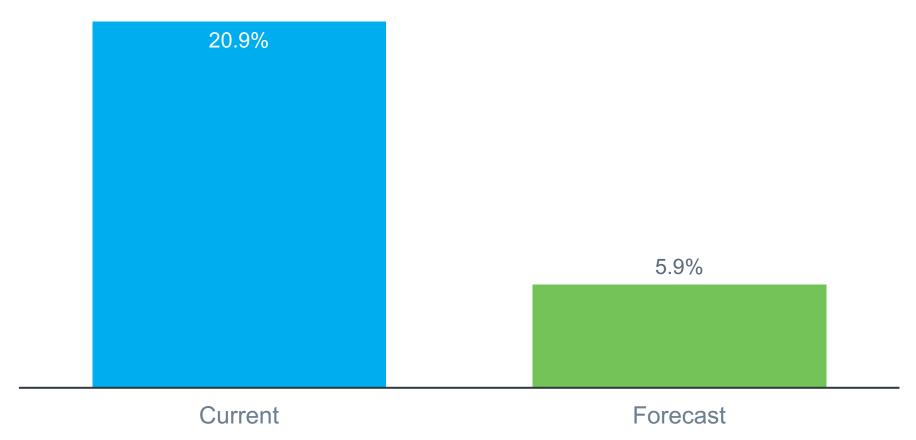
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#### **Year-Over-Year % Change in Price**

March 2022



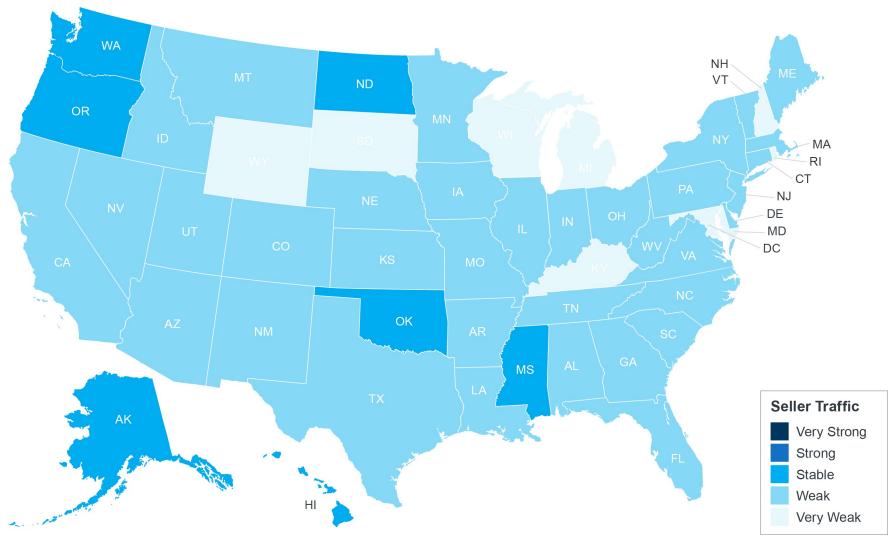
Source: CoreLogic



## **Housing Inventory**

#### **Seller Traffic Index**

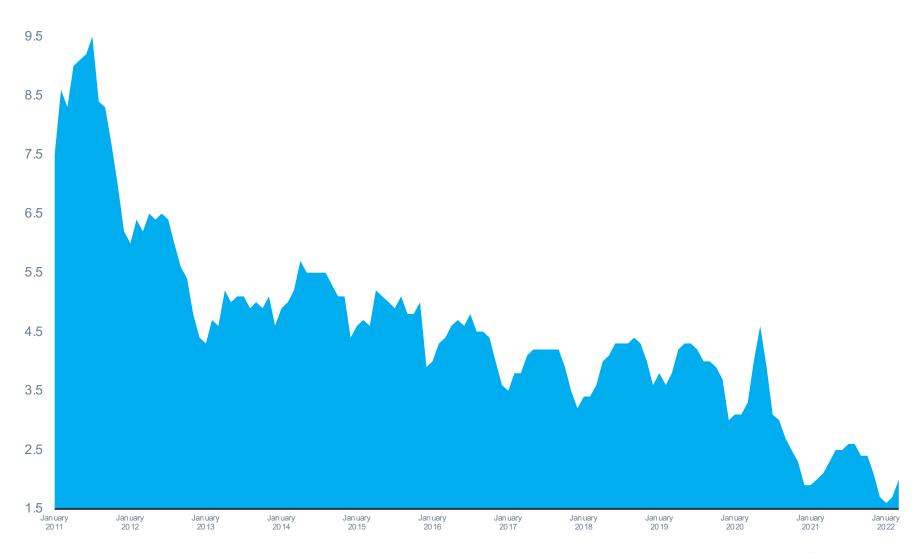
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#### **Months Inventory of Homes for Sale**

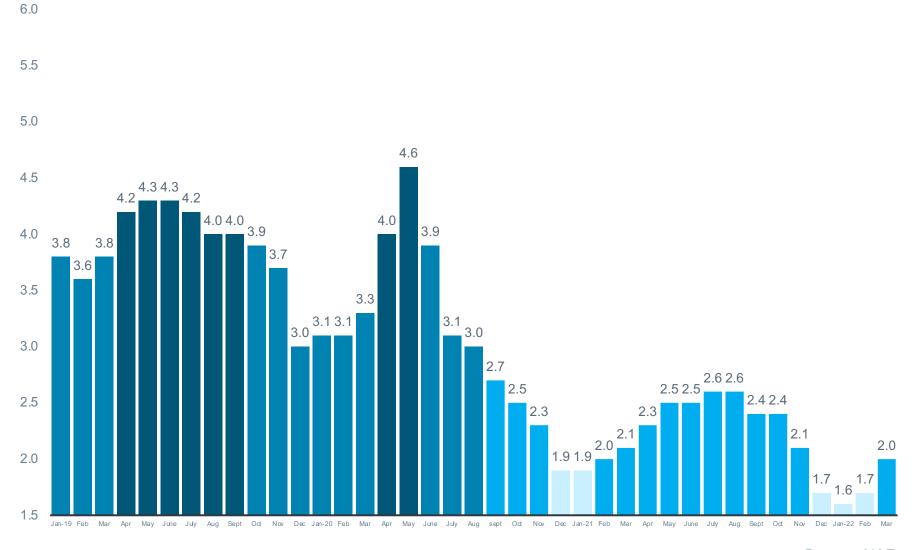
2011 - Today



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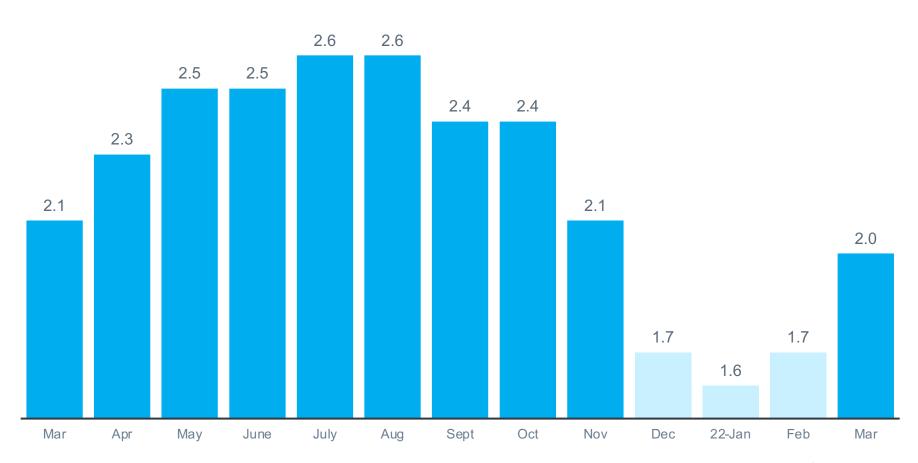
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Since 2019



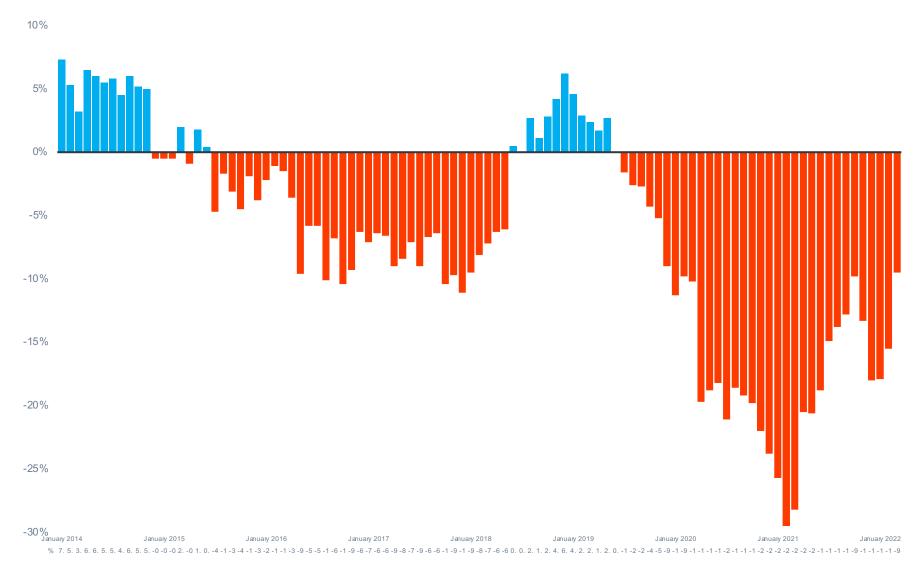
#### Months Inventory of Homes for Sale

Last 12 Months



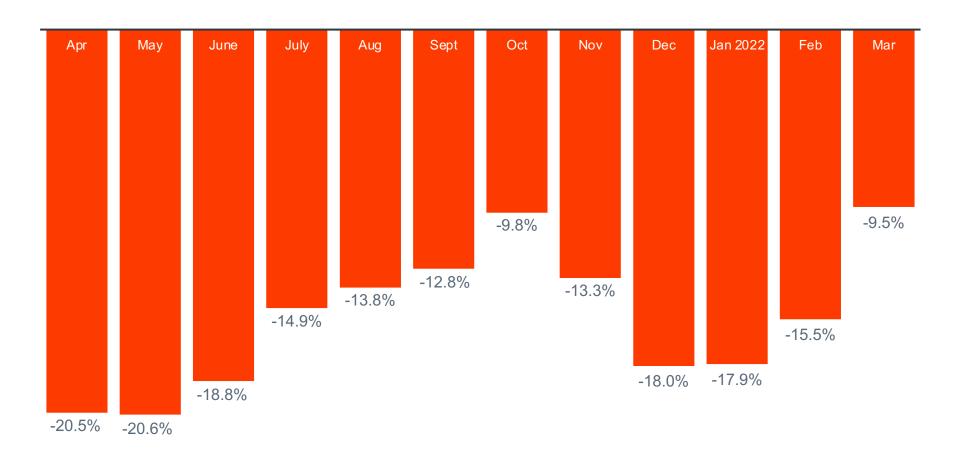
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#### **Year-Over-Year Inventory Levels**



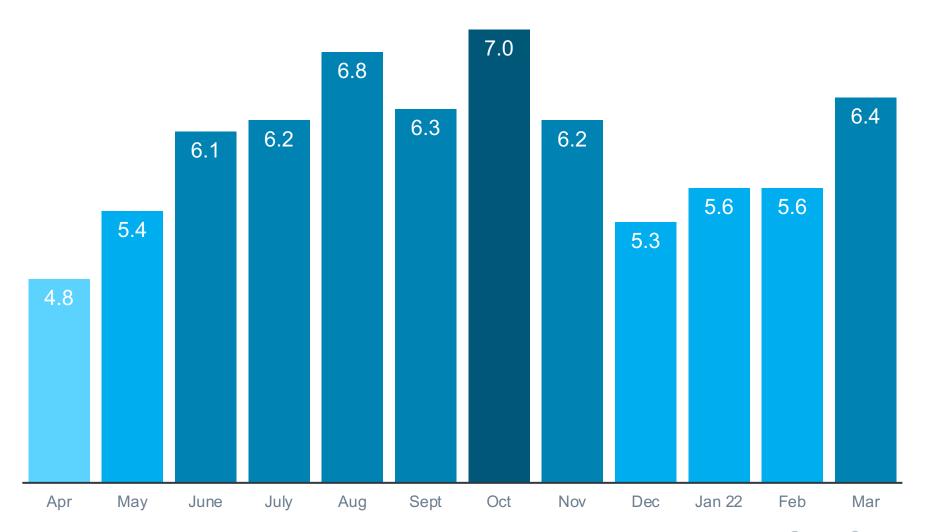
#### **Year-Over-Year Inventory Levels**

Last 12 Months



#### **New Home Monthly Inventory**

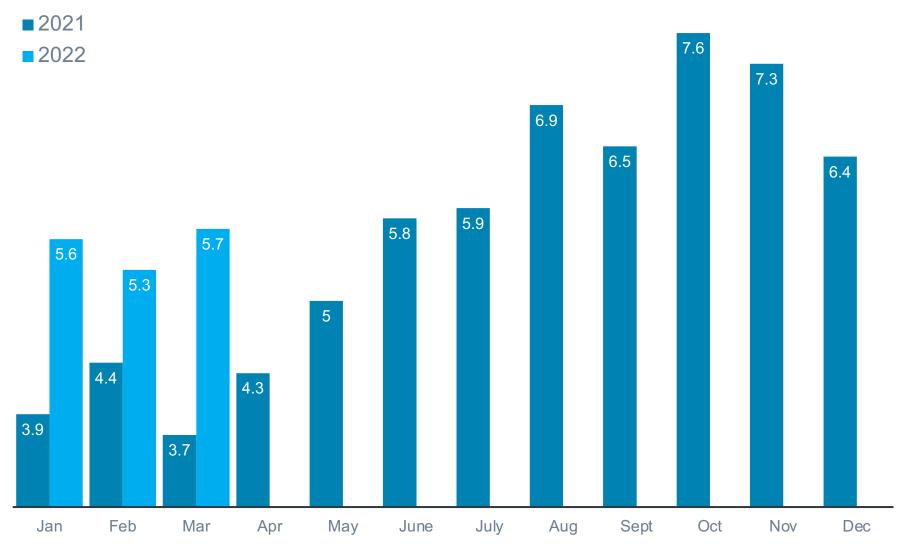
Seasonally Adjusted, Last 12 Months



Source: Census

#### **New Home Monthly Inventory**

Non-Seasonally Adjusted



Source: Census



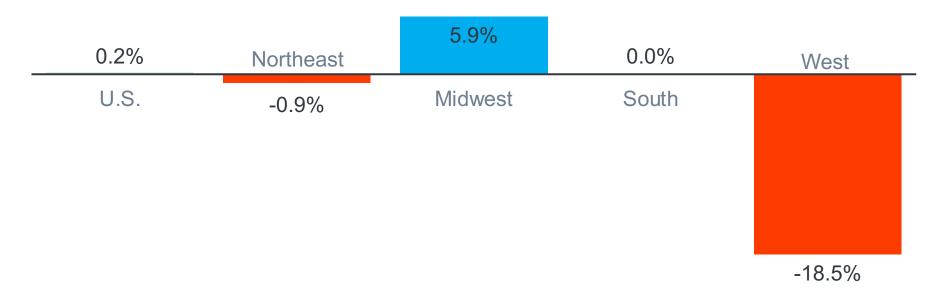
# **Buyer Demand**

# 121 Markets Nationwide See Double-Digit Home Showings Per Listing

Year-Over-Year Increase in Showing Activity, March 2022

Michael Lane, Vice President & General Manager, Showing Time

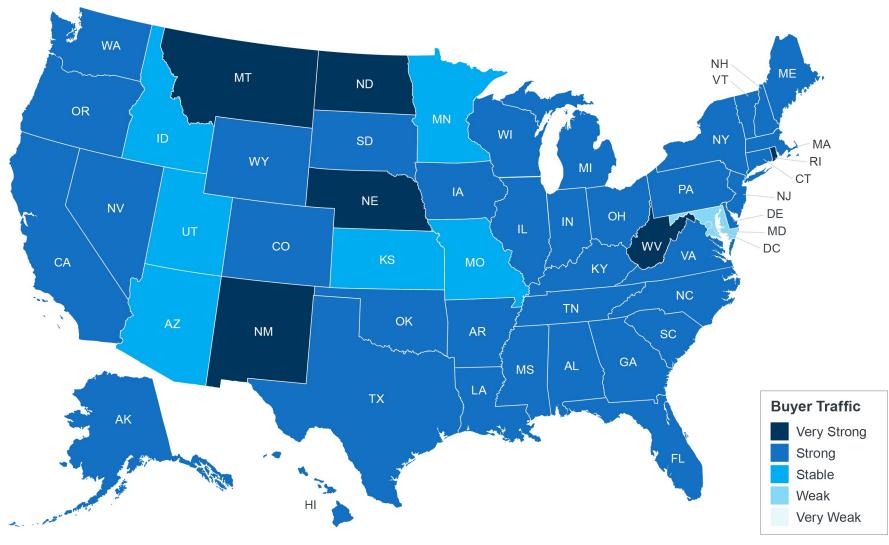
"We are sensing a slight slowdown in the Western region of the U.S. in year-over-year Showing Index values, although there is still very strong activity. . . . The demand per listing is still at historically unprecedented levels, but for the first time in the last 12 months it is neutral."



Source: ShowingTime

#### **Buyer Traffic Index**

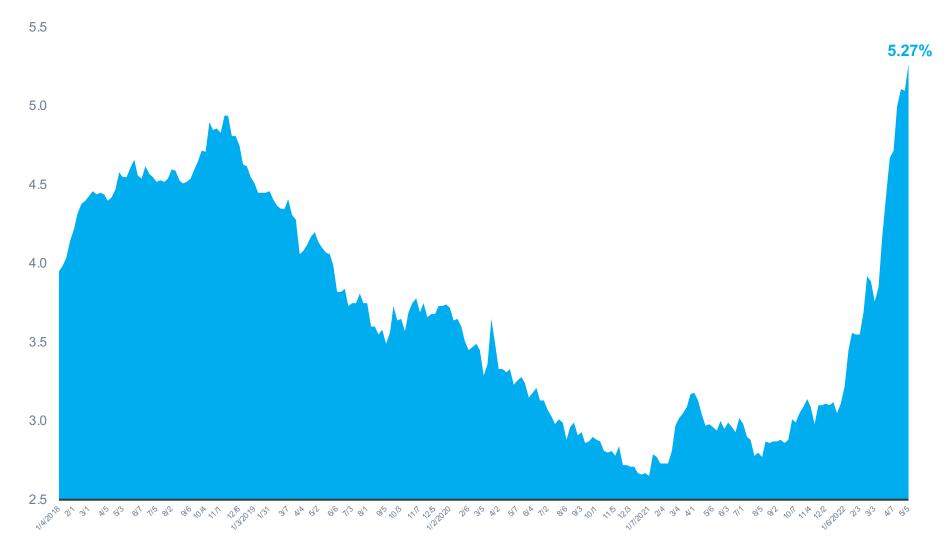
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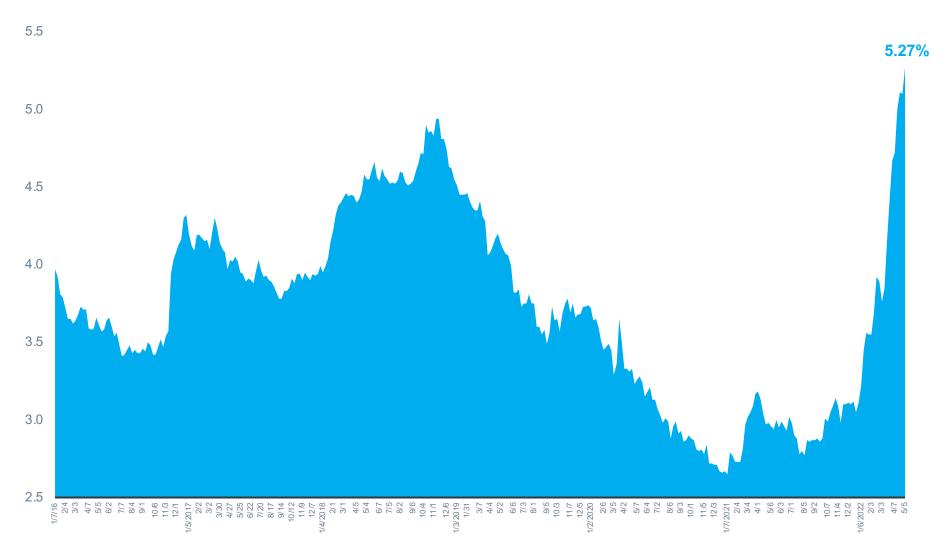
Source: NAR



30-Year Fixed Rate, January 2018–Today



30-Year Fixed Rate, January 2016–Today



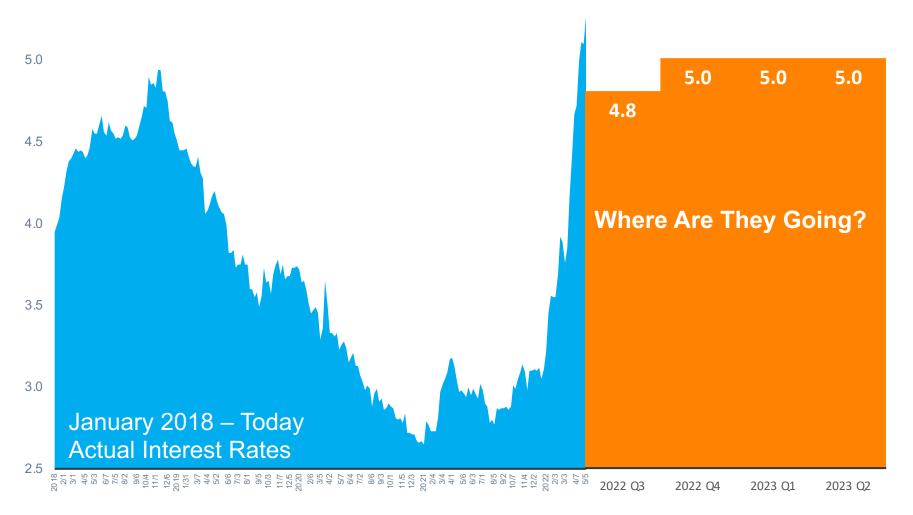
#### **Mortgage Rate Projections**

April 2022

Quarter	Freddie Mac	Fannie Mae	MBA	NAR	Average of All Four				
2022 3Q	4.8	4.5	4.8	5.2	4.83%				
2022 4Q	5.0	4.5	4.8	5.3	4.90%				
2023 1Q	5.0	4.5	4.8	5.3	4.90%				
2023 2Q	5.0	4.5	4.8	5.4	4.93%				

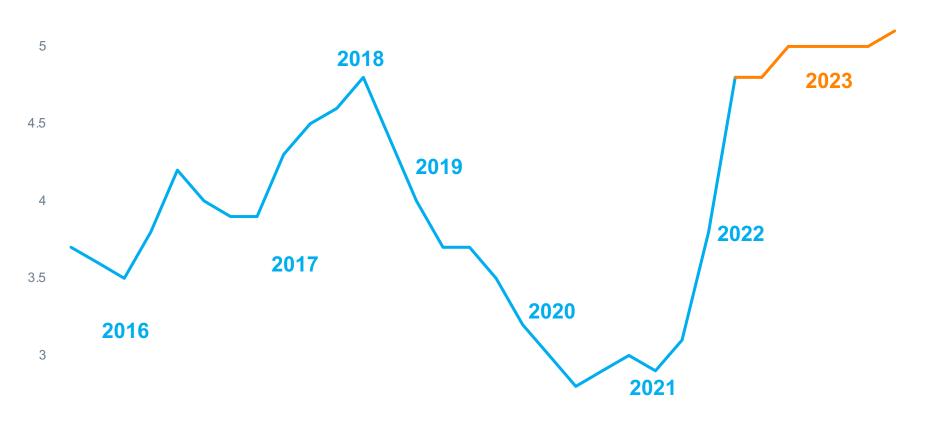
30-Year Fixed Rate





30-Year Fixed Rate





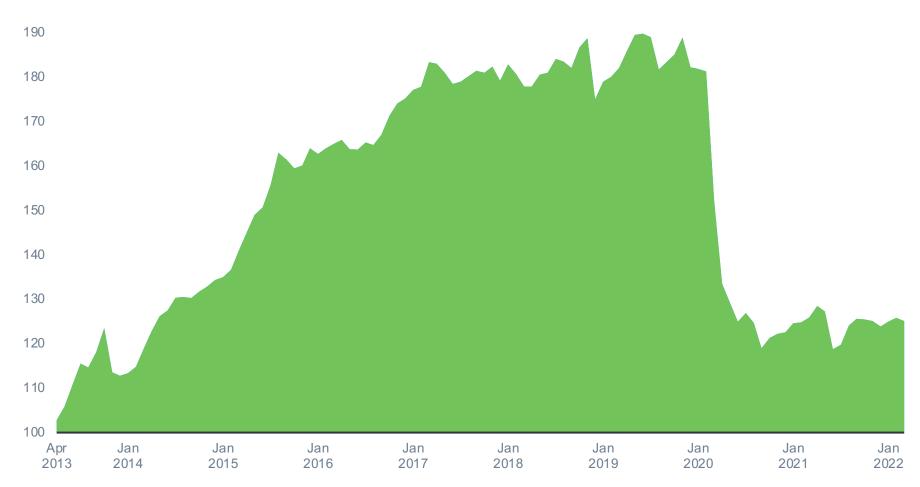
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Rate	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.8	4.2	4.0	3.9	3.9	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.8	4.4	4	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.2	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.8	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.1



# Mortgage Credit Availability

# Mortgage Credit Availability Index (MCAI)

March 2022



Source: MBA

#### **Lending Standards Still Under Control**

Historic Data for the Mortgage Credit Availability Index (MCAI)

