

# Catawba Valley Region Weekly Market Activity Report

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## For Week Ending May 2, 2026

Data current as of May 11, 2026

A family earning the U.S. median income of \$104,200 needed to spend 34% of its income on the mortgage for a median-priced new home (\$405,300) in the fourth quarter of 2025, down from 35% in the third quarter, according to the National Association of Home Builders/Wells Fargo Cost of Housing Index.

In the Catawba region, for the week ending May 2:

- New Listings decreased 7.2% to 129
- Pending Sales increased 21.7% to 112
- Inventory increased 3.3% to 1,193

For the month of April:

- Median Sales Price decreased 0.6% to \$298,195
- List to Close increased 2.0% to 102
- Percent of Original List Price Received decreased 0.3% to 94.7%
- Months Supply of Inventory decreased 2.9% to 3.3

## Quick Facts

<b>- 7.2%</b>	<b>+ 21.7%</b>	<b>+ 3.3%</b>
Change in New Listings	Change in Pending Sales	Change in Inventory

The Catawba Valley Region report includes Alexander, Burke, Caldwell, and Catawba Counties. Comprised of single-family properties, townhomes and condominiums combined. Data is refreshed regularly to capture changes in market activity. Figures shown may be different than previously reported. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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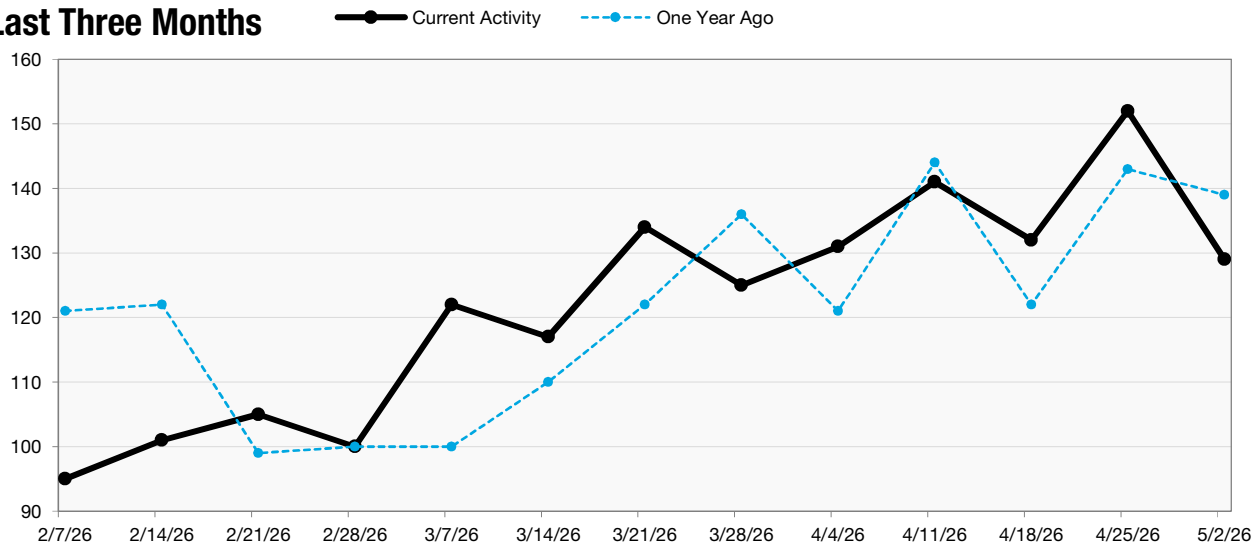


# New Listings

A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given week.

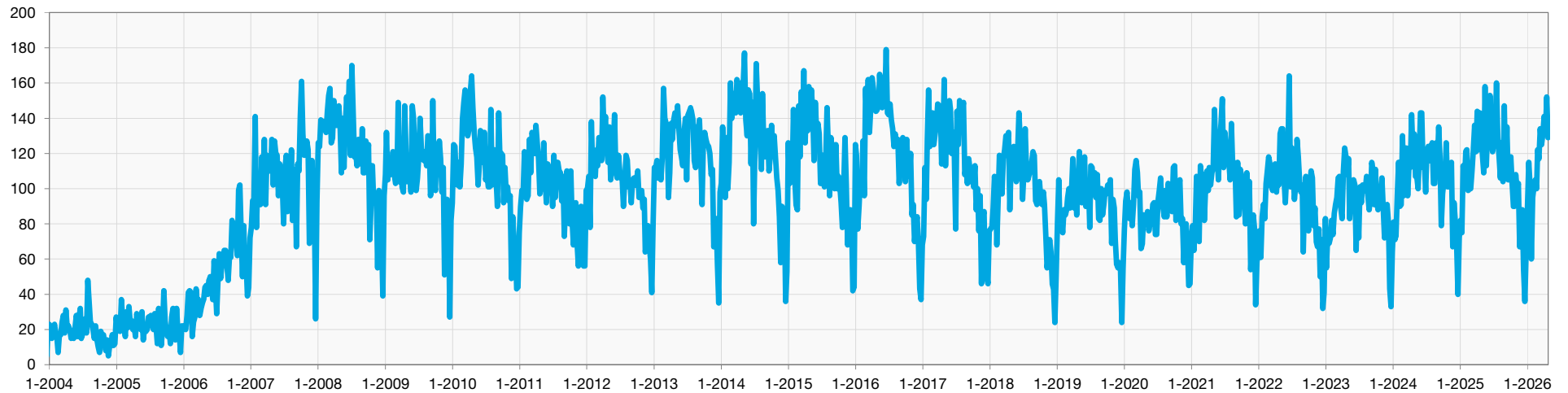


## Last Three Months



For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Ago	+ / -
2/7/2026	95	121	- 21.5%
2/14/2026	101	122	- 17.2%
2/21/2026	105	99	+ 6.1%
2/28/2026	100	100	0.0%
3/7/2026	122	100	+ 22.0%
3/14/2026	117	110	+ 6.4%
3/21/2026	134	122	+ 9.8%
3/28/2026	125	136	- 8.1%
4/4/2026	131	121	+ 8.3%
4/11/2026	141	144	- 2.1%
4/18/2026	132	122	+ 8.2%
4/25/2026	152	143	+ 6.3%
<b>5/2/2026</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>- 7.2%</b>
3-Month Total	1,584	1,579	+ 0.3%

## Historical New Listing Activity



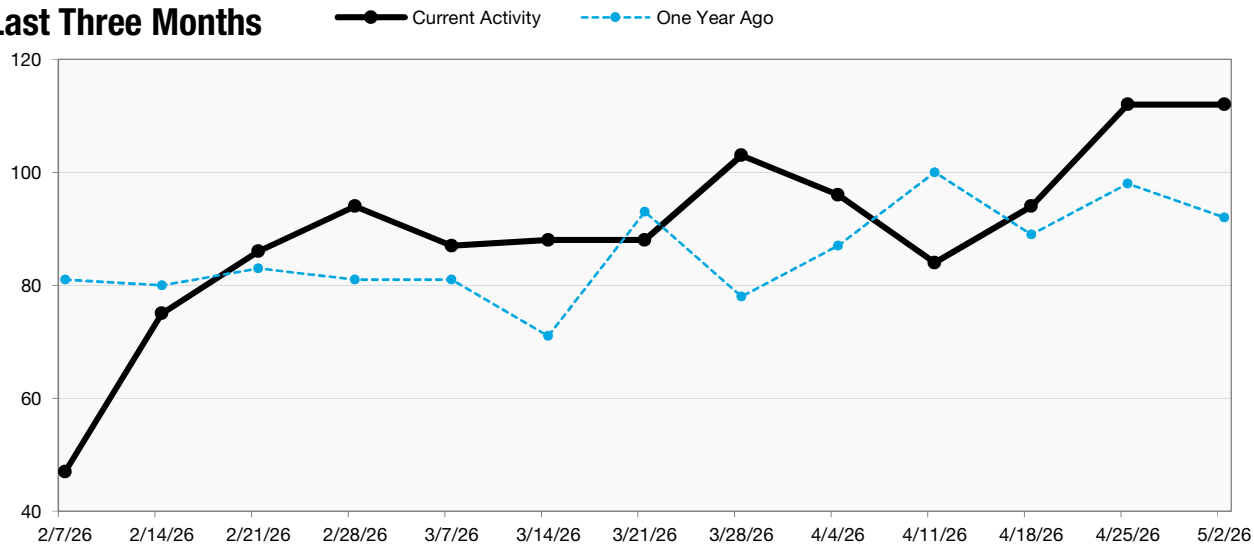
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# Pending Sales

A count of the properties on which contracts have been accepted in a given week. Pending contracts include "Under Contract-Show" and "Under Contract-No Show" statuses.

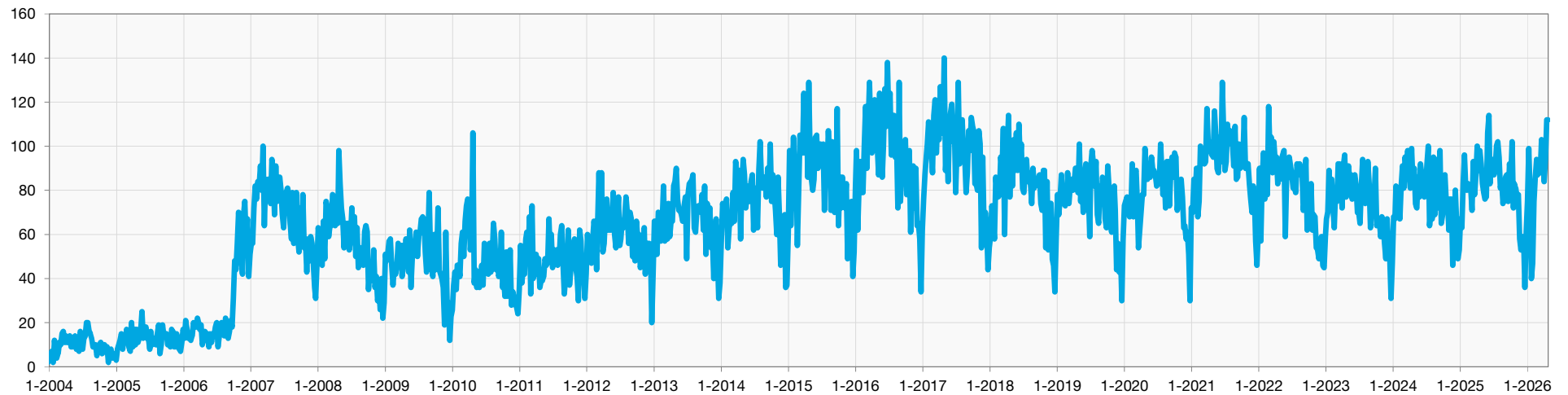


## Last Three Months



For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Ago	+ / -
2/7/2026	47	81	- 42.0%
2/14/2026	75	80	- 6.3%
2/21/2026	86	83	+ 3.6%
2/28/2026	94	81	+ 16.0%
3/7/2026	87	81	+ 7.4%
3/14/2026	88	71	+ 23.9%
3/21/2026	88	93	- 5.4%
3/28/2026	103	78	+ 32.1%
4/4/2026	96	87	+ 10.3%
4/11/2026	84	100	- 16.0%
4/18/2026	94	89	+ 5.6%
4/25/2026	112	98	+ 14.3%
<b>5/2/2026</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>+ 21.7%</b>
3-Month Total	1,166	1,114	+ 4.7%

## Historical Pending Sales Activity



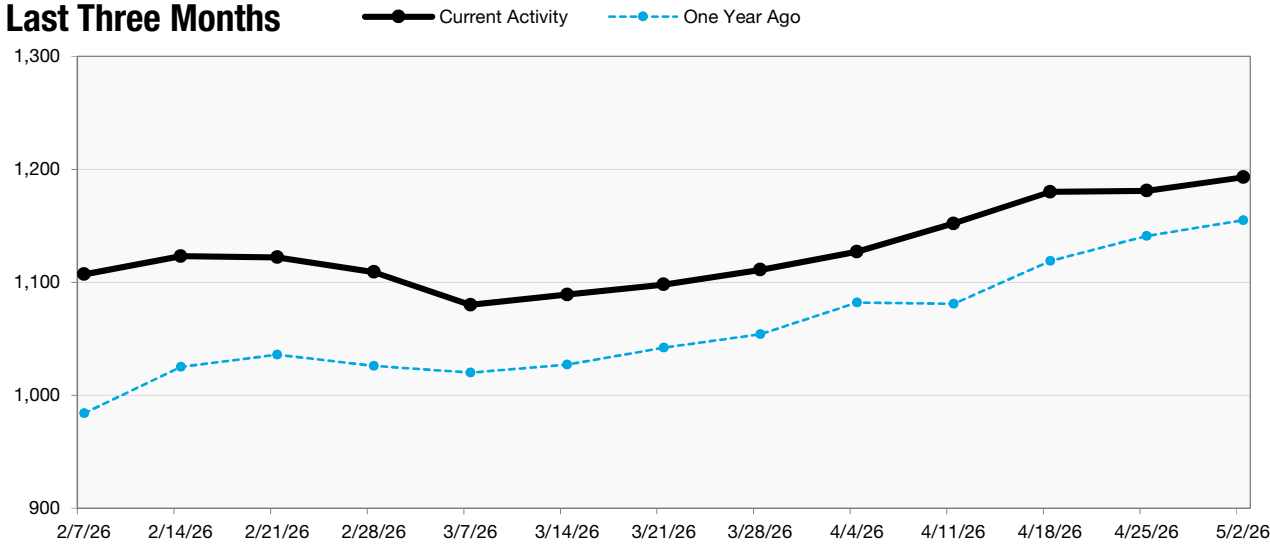
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# Inventory of Homes for Sale

The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given week.



## Last Three Months



For the Week Ending	Current Activity	One Year Ago	+ / -
2/7/2026	1,107	984	+ 12.5%
2/14/2026	1,123	1,025	+ 9.6%
2/21/2026	1,122	1,036	+ 8.3%
2/28/2026	1,109	1,026	+ 8.1%
3/7/2026	1,080	1,020	+ 5.9%
3/14/2026	1,089	1,027	+ 6.0%
3/21/2026	1,098	1,042	+ 5.4%
3/28/2026	1,111	1,054	+ 5.4%
4/4/2026	1,127	1,082	+ 4.2%
4/11/2026	1,152	1,081	+ 6.6%
4/18/2026	1,180	1,119	+ 5.5%
4/25/2026	1,181	1,141	+ 3.5%
<b>5/2/2026</b>	<b>1,193</b>	<b>1,155</b>	<b>+ 3.3%</b>
3-Month Avg	1,129	1,061	+ 6.4%

## Historical Inventory Activity



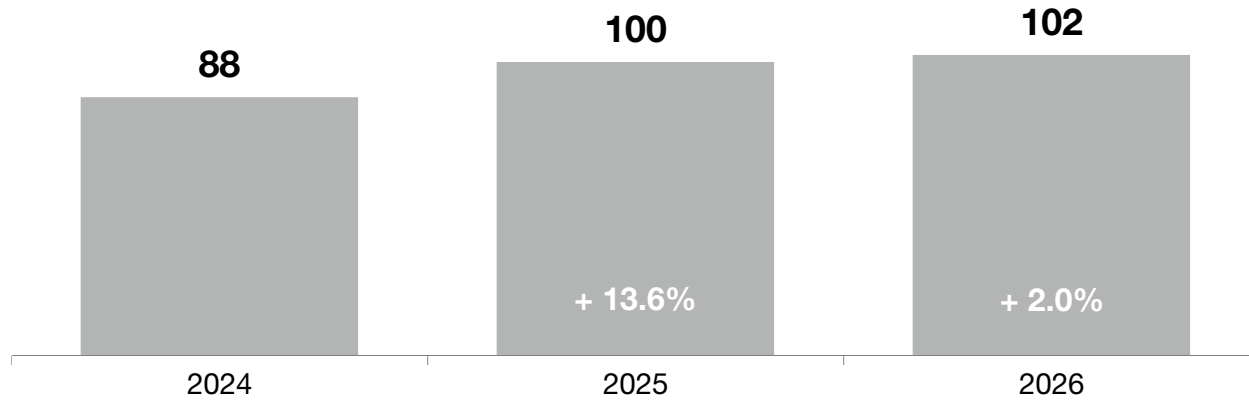
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# List to Close

“List to Close” provides the total number of days specific to the MLS number from “Listing Date” to “Sold Date.”

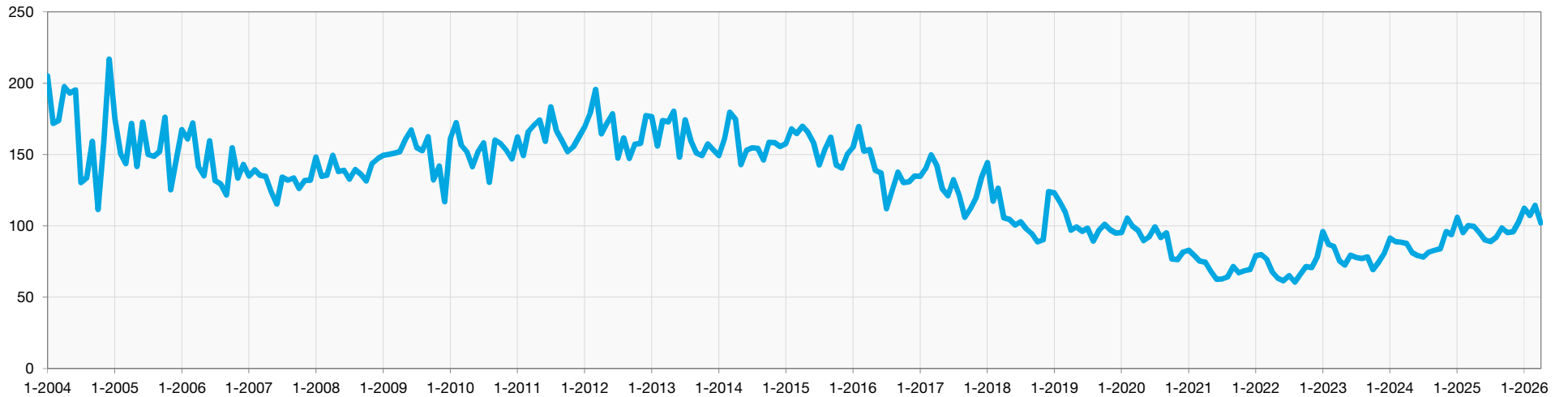


## April



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+ / -
May 2025	95	81	+ 17.3%
June 2025	90	79	+ 13.9%
July 2025	89	78	+ 14.1%
August 2025	92	82	+ 12.2%
September 2025	98	83	+ 18.1%
October 2025	95	84	+ 13.1%
November 2025	96	96	0.0%
December 2025	102	94	+ 8.5%
January 2026	112	106	+ 5.7%
February 2026	107	95	+ 12.6%
March 2026	114	100	+ 14.0%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>+ 2.0%</b>
12-Month Avg	99	89	+ 11.2%

## Historical List to Close



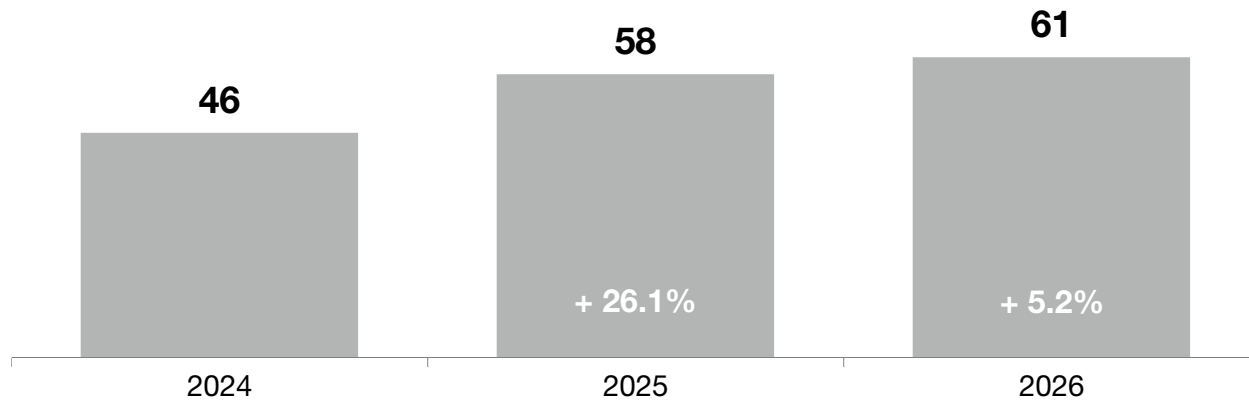
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# Days on Market



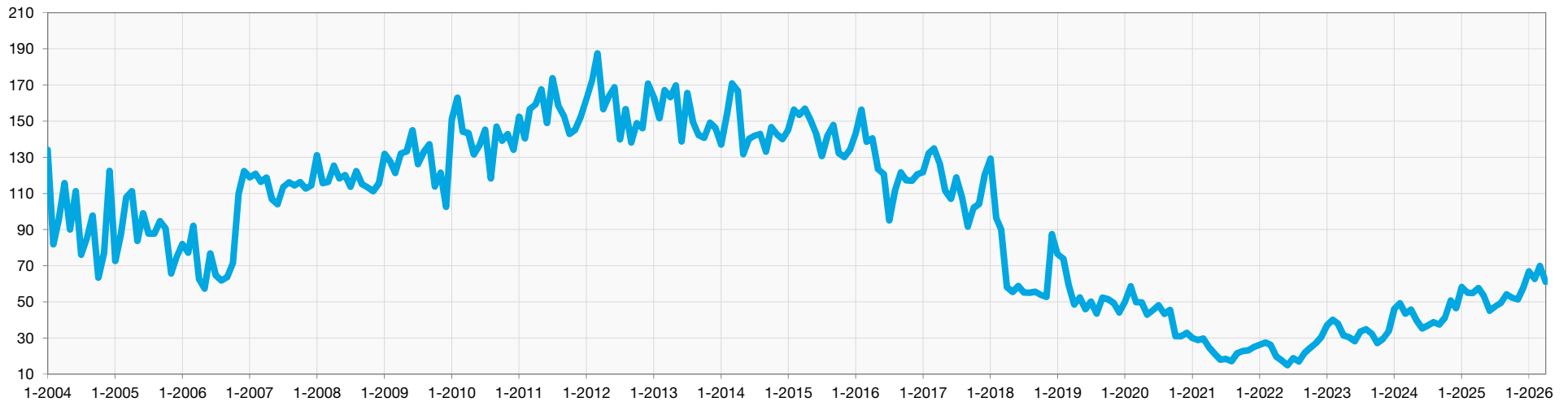
Days on Market (DOM) tracks the days on market for a property specific to the MLS number. DOM accrues for “Active” and “Under Contract-Show” statuses. DOM does not include any days that the listing is in “Under Contract-No Show,” “Temporarily off Market,” “Closed/Sold,” “Expired” and “Withdrawn” statuses.

## April



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May 2025	53	40	+ 32.5%
June 2025	45	35	+ 28.6%
July 2025	47	37	+ 27.0%
August 2025	49	39	+ 25.6%
September 2025	54	37	+ 45.9%
October 2025	52	41	+ 26.8%
November 2025	51	51	0.0%
December 2025	58	47	+ 23.4%
January 2026	67	58	+ 15.5%
February 2026	63	55	+ 14.5%
March 2026	70	55	+ 27.3%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>+ 5.2%</b>
12-Month Avg	55	46	+ 19.6%

## Historical Days on Market



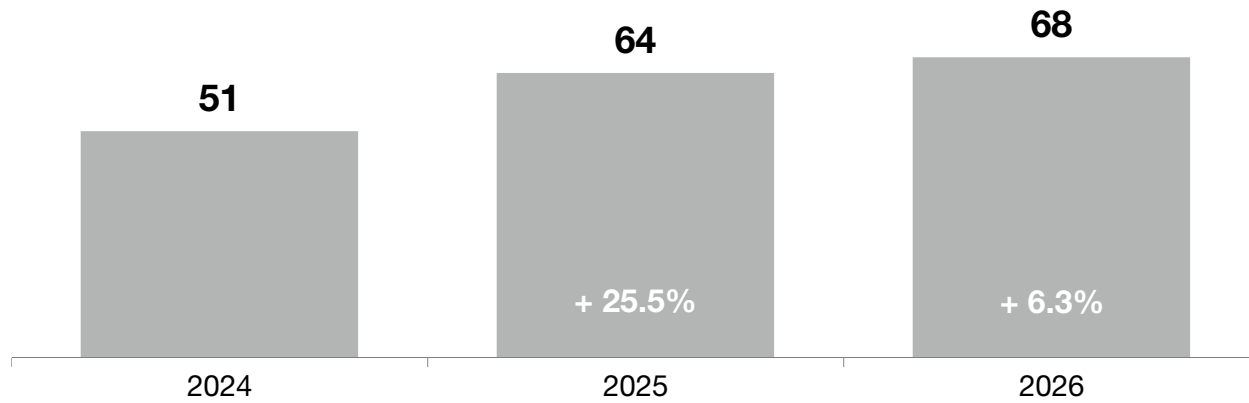
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# Cumulative Days on Market



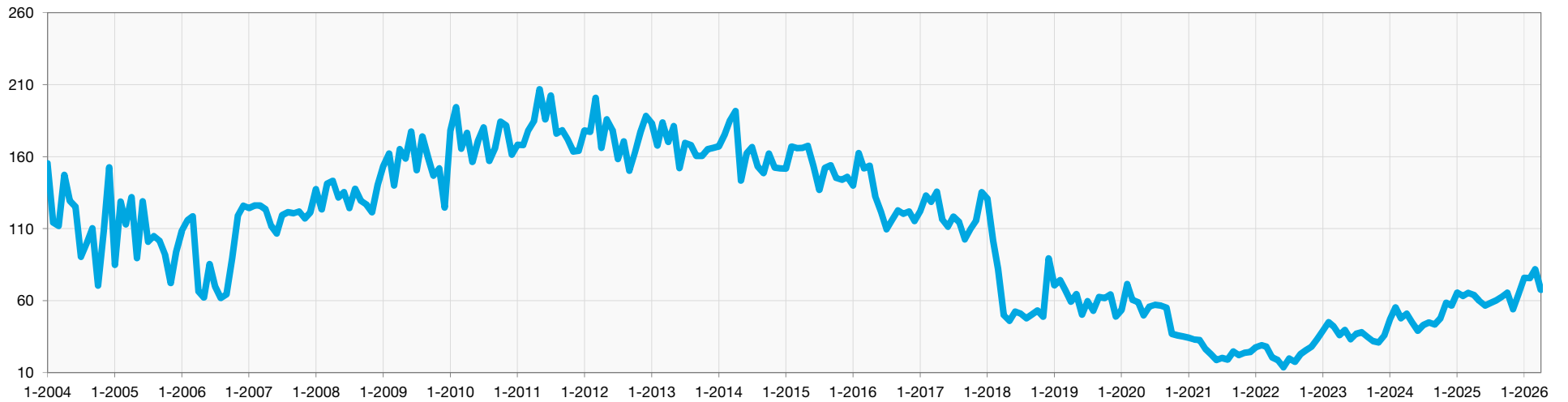
Cumulative Days on Market (CDOM) functions like Days on Market (DOM); except CDOM tracks the DOM for a property over multiple listings on the property. When a new listing is entered, the CDOM only resets to zero if the previous listing closed (sold) or if the previous listing has been off the market (expired or withdrawn) for more than 90 days.

## April



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+/-
May 2025	60	45	+ 33.3%
June 2025	57	39	+ 46.2%
July 2025	58	43	+ 34.9%
August 2025	60	45	+ 33.3%
September 2025	63	43	+ 46.5%
October 2025	65	48	+ 35.4%
November 2025	54	58	- 6.9%
December 2025	64	57	+ 12.3%
January 2026	76	66	+ 15.2%
February 2026	76	63	+ 20.6%
March 2026	82	65	+ 26.2%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>+ 6.3%</b>
12-Month Avg	64	52	+ 23.1%

## Historical Cumulative Days on Market



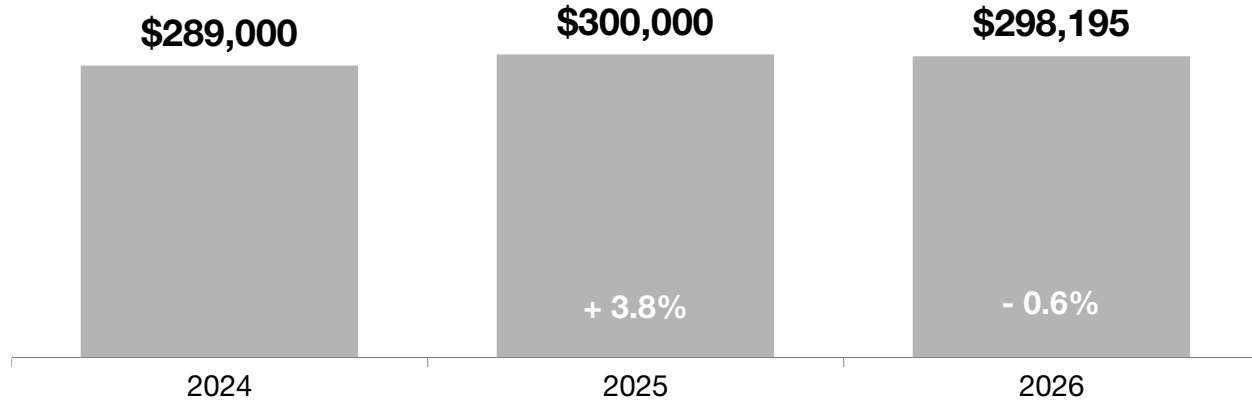
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# Median Sales Price

Median price point for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.

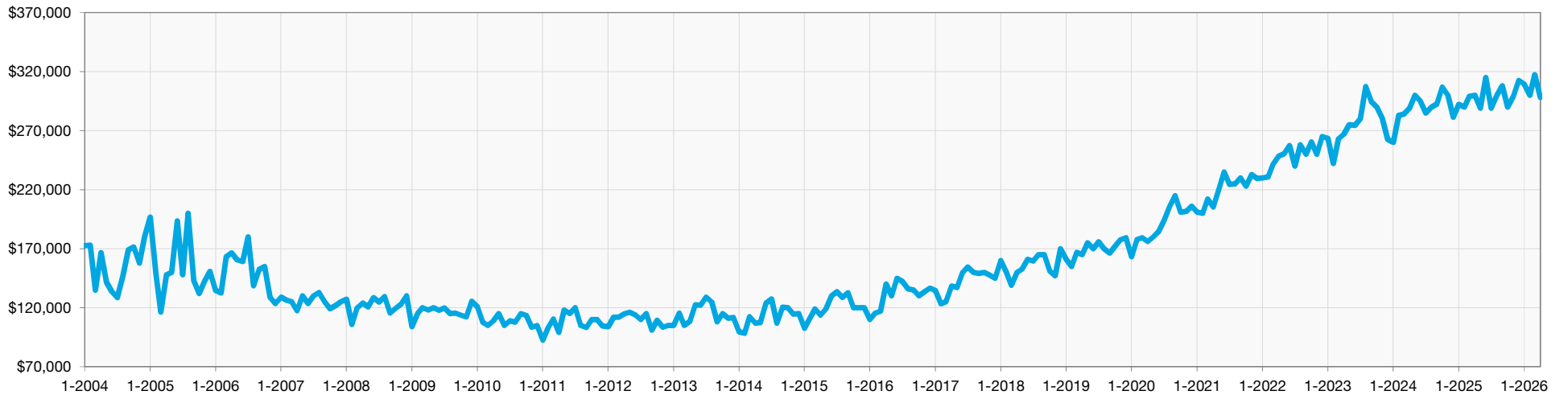


## April



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+ / -
May 2025	\$289,000	\$300,000	- 3.7%
June 2025	\$315,000	\$294,999	+ 6.8%
July 2025	\$289,038	\$285,000	+ 1.4%
August 2025	\$300,000	\$290,000	+ 3.4%
September 2025	\$308,000	\$292,500	+ 5.3%
October 2025	\$290,000	\$307,013	- 5.5%
November 2025	\$299,030	\$300,000	- 0.3%
December 2025	\$312,500	\$281,500	+ 11.0%
January 2026	\$309,500	\$292,250	+ 5.9%
February 2026	\$299,900	\$290,000	+ 3.4%
March 2026	\$317,500	\$299,000	+ 6.2%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>\$298,195</b>	<b>\$300,000</b>	<b>- 0.6%</b>
12-Month Avg	\$302,000	\$295,000	+ 2.4%

## Historical Median Sales Price



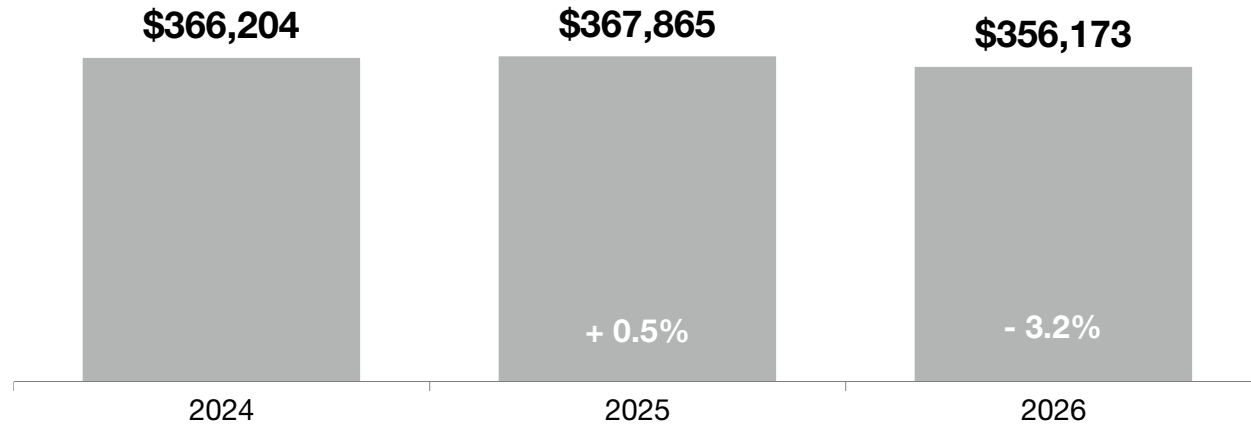
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# Average Sales Price

Average sales price for all closed sales, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.

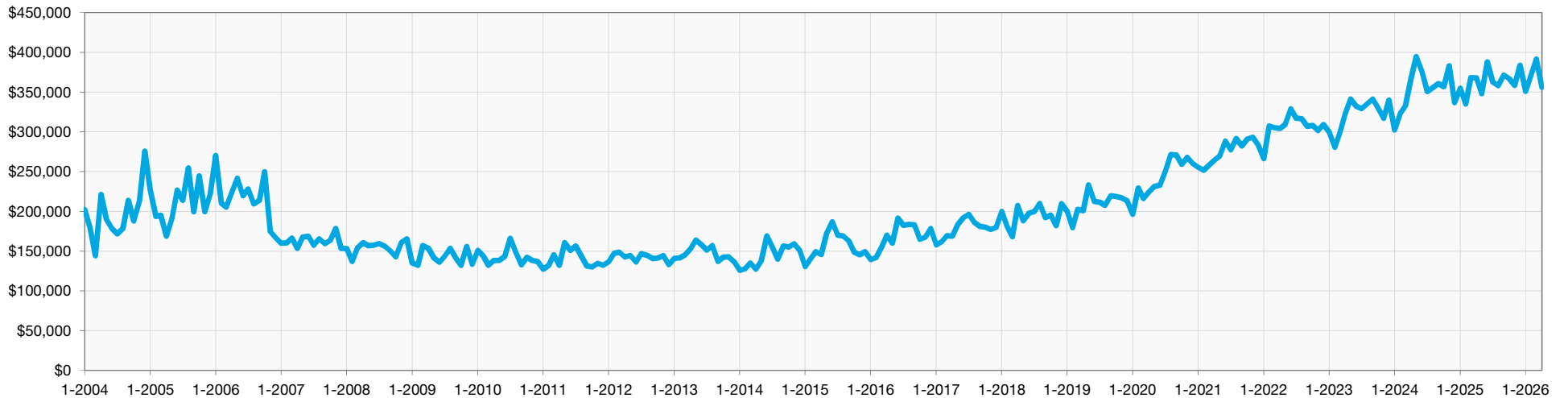


## April



Month	Current Activity	One Year Previous	+ / -
May 2025	\$348,235	\$394,648	- 11.8%
June 2025	\$387,835	\$375,883	+ 3.2%
July 2025	\$362,577	\$350,772	+ 3.4%
August 2025	\$358,056	\$355,489	+ 0.7%
September 2025	\$371,380	\$360,595	+ 3.0%
October 2025	\$366,787	\$356,846	+ 2.8%
November 2025	\$358,320	\$382,952	- 6.4%
December 2025	\$383,625	\$336,885	+ 13.9%
January 2026	\$350,901	\$354,899	- 1.1%
February 2026	\$372,601	\$335,189	+ 11.2%
March 2026	\$391,533	\$368,088	+ 6.4%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>\$356,173</b>	<b>\$367,865</b>	<b>- 3.2%</b>
12-Month Avg	\$367,570	\$362,518	+ 1.4%

## Historical Average Sales Price



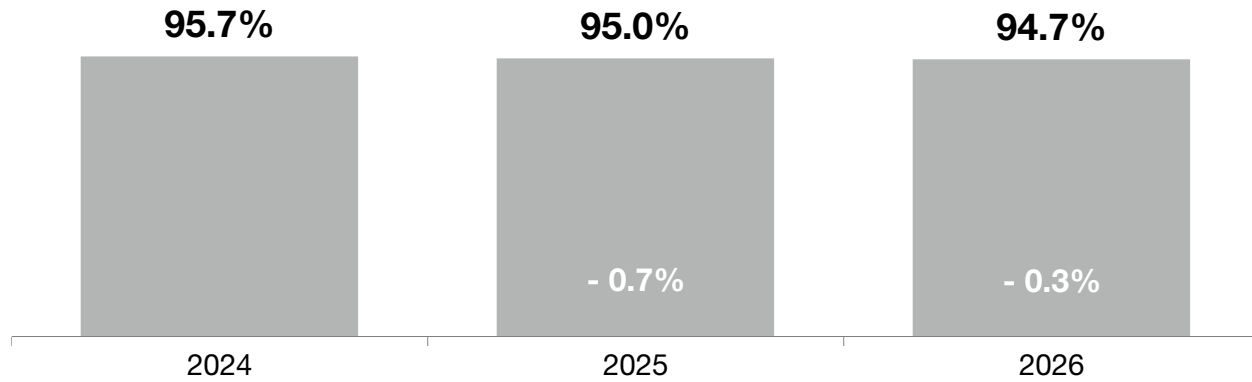
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# Percent of Original List Price Received

Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its original list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



## April



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May 2025	95.0%	96.2%	- 1.2%
June 2025	95.5%	96.4%	- 0.9%
July 2025	94.2%	95.2%	- 1.1%
August 2025	93.6%	95.2%	- 1.7%
September 2025	94.0%	94.8%	- 0.8%
October 2025	93.6%	95.1%	- 1.6%
November 2025	93.6%	93.6%	0.0%
December 2025	93.0%	94.1%	- 1.2%
January 2026	93.6%	93.7%	- 0.1%
February 2026	94.4%	94.6%	- 0.2%
March 2026	93.9%	94.9%	- 1.1%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>94.7%</b>	<b>95.0%</b>	<b>- 0.3%</b>
12-Month Avg	94.1%	95.0%	- 0.9%

## Historical Percent of Original List Price Received



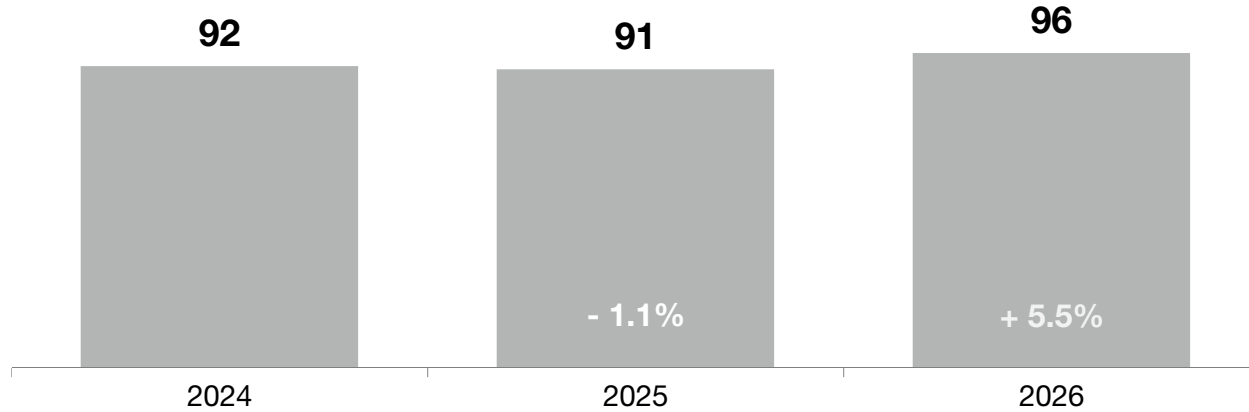
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# Housing Affordability Index

This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income was 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. **A higher number means greater affordability.**

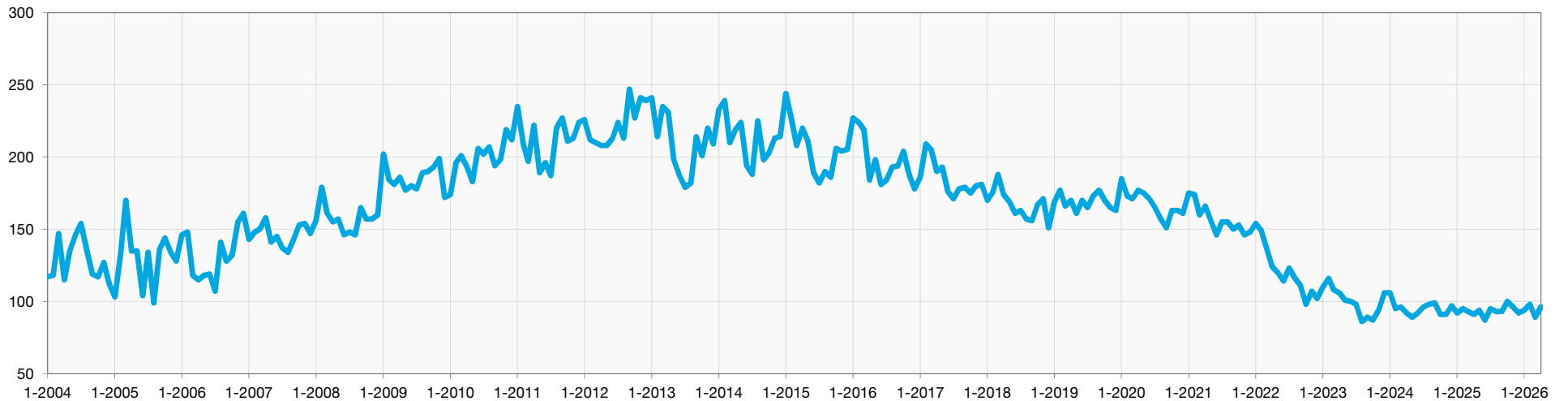


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May 2025	94	89	+ 5.6%
June 2025	87	92	- 5.4%
July 2025	95	96	- 1.0%
August 2025	93	98	- 5.1%
September 2025	93	99	- 6.1%
October 2025	100	91	+ 9.9%
November 2025	96	91	+ 5.5%
December 2025	92	97	- 5.2%
January 2026	94	92	+ 2.2%
February 2026	98	95	+ 3.2%
March 2026	89	93	- 4.3%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>+ 5.5%</b>
12-Month Avg	94	94	0.0%

## Historical Housing Affordability Index



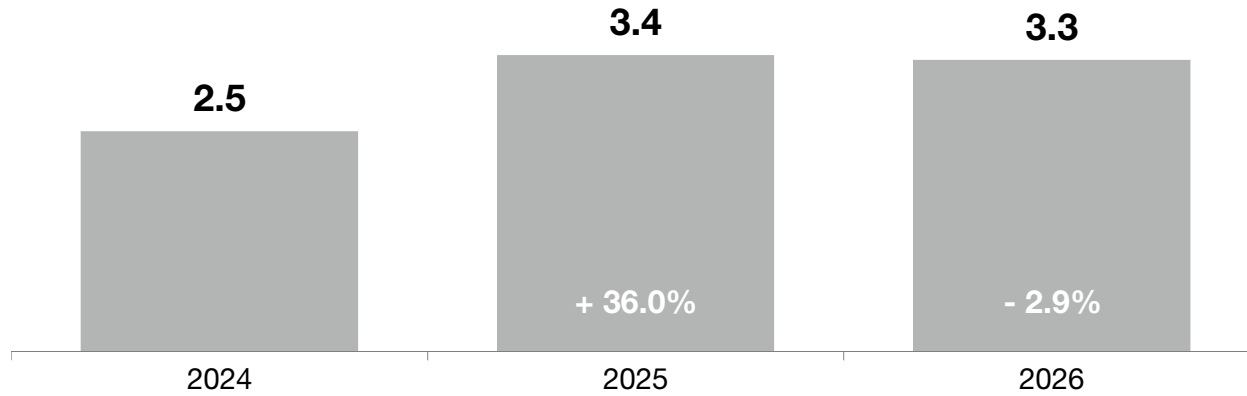
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# Months Supply of Homes for Sale

The months supply of homes for sale at the end of a given month, divided by the average monthly pending sales from the last 12 months.

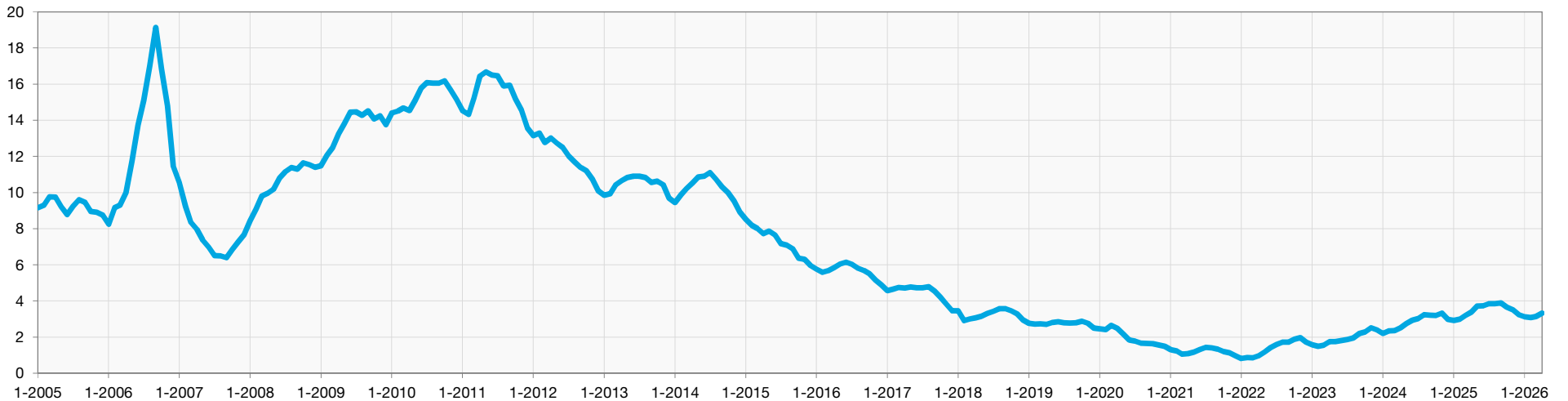


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May 2025	3.7	2.7	+ 37.0%
June 2025	3.7	2.9	+ 27.6%
July 2025	3.8	3.0	+ 26.7%
August 2025	3.8	3.2	+ 18.8%
September 2025	3.9	3.2	+ 21.9%
October 2025	3.7	3.2	+ 15.6%
November 2025	3.5	3.3	+ 6.1%
December 2025	3.2	3.0	+ 6.7%
January 2026	3.1	2.9	+ 6.9%
February 2026	3.1	3.0	+ 3.3%
March 2026	3.1	3.2	- 3.1%
<b>April 2026</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>- 2.9%</b>
12-Month Avg	3.5	3.1	+ 12.9%

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