# **Weekly Market Activity Report**

A RESEARCH TOOL REFLECTING RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE ACTIVITY WITHIN THE 77 OFFICIALLY DEFINED CHICAGO COMMUNITY AREAS PROVIDED BY THE CHICAGO ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS®



### For Week Ending November 22, 2014

Data current as of December 1, 2014

Amidst frantic shopping for all the things between turkey and toys, the economy has made a surprising statement, offering big gains over the last six months not seen since mid-2003. As we head into the final stretch of the fourth quarter, mortgage rates remain fairly stable, with the 30-year fixed rate mortgage still hovering below 4 percent.

#### SINGLE-FAMILY DETACHED

For the week ending November 22:

- New Listings increased 14.8% to 311
- Under Contract Sales increased 35.2% to 238
- Inventory decreased 6.2% to 4,254

For the month of October:

- Median Sales Price increased 9.1% to \$180,000
- Market Time decreased 2.1% to 95
- Pct of List Price Rec'd decreased 1.1% to 93.5%
- Months Supply decreased 3.7% to 5.2

#### SINGLE-FAMILY ATTACHED

For the week ending November 22:

- New Listings increased 7.6% to 324
- Under Contract Sales increased 19.9% to 289
- Inventory increased 6.4% to 5,330

For the month of October:

- Median Sales Price increased 12.3% to \$292,000
- Market Time remained flat at 75
- Pct of List Price Rec'd decreased 0.8% to 95.2%
- Months Supply increased 10.3% to 4.3

### **Quick Facts**

+ 14.8% +	7.6%	+ 35.2%	+ 19.9%	- 6.2%	+ 6.4%
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	Year-Over-Year Change New Listings		′ear Change contract		Year Change <b>for Sale</b>

#### Metrics by Week

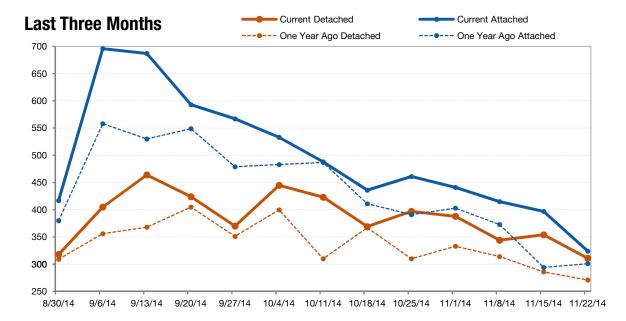
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# **New Listings**

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

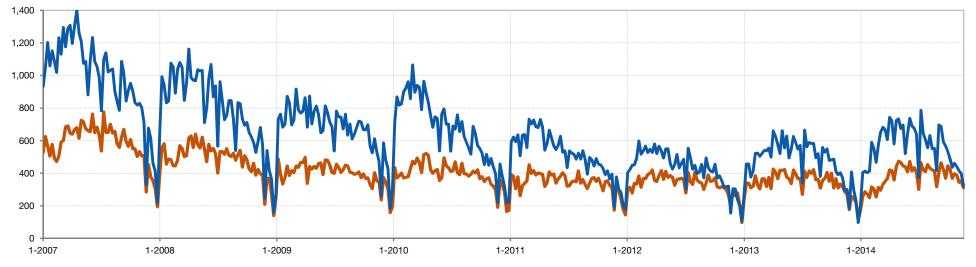




Data for the Week Ending	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
8/30/2014	318	+ 2.9%	417	+ 9.7%
9/6/2014	405	+ 13.8%	696	+ 24.7%
9/13/2014	464	+ 26.1%	687	+ 29.6%
9/20/2014	424	+ 4.7%	593	+ 8.0%
9/27/2014	370	+ 5.4%	567	+ 18.4%
10/4/2014	445	+ 11.3%	533	+ 10.4%
10/11/2014	423	+ 36.5%	488	+ 0.2%
10/18/2014	369	+ 0.5%	436	+ 6.1%
10/25/2014	397	+ 28.1%	461	+ 17.9%
11/1/2014	388	+ 16.5%	441	+ 9.4%
11/8/2014	344	+ 9.6%	415	+ 11.3%
11/15/2014	354	+ 23.8%	397	+ 35.0%
11/22/2014	311	+ 14.8%	324	+ 7.6%
3-Month Avg.	386	+ 14.4%	497	+ 14.5%

### **Historical New Listing Activity**

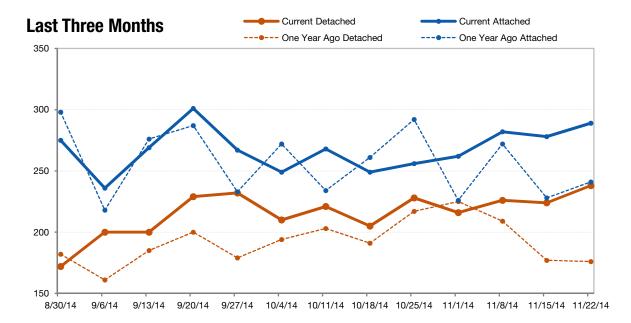




## **Under Contract**

A count of the properties in either a contingent or pending status in a given month.

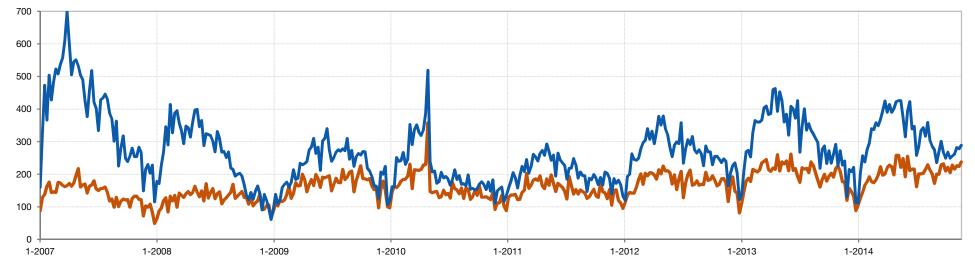




Data for the Week Ending	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
8/30/2014	172	- 5.5%	275	- 7.7%
9/6/2014	200	+ 24.2%	236	+ 8.3%
9/13/2014	200	+ 8.1%	269	- 2.5%
9/20/2014	229	+ 14.5%	301	+ 4.9%
9/27/2014	232	+ 29.6%	267	+ 14.6%
10/4/2014	210	+ 8.2%	249	- 8.5%
10/11/2014	221	+ 8.9%	268	+ 14.5%
10/18/2014	205	+ 7.3%	249	- 4.6%
10/25/2014	228	+ 5.1%	256	- 12.3%
11/1/2014	216	- 4.0%	262	+ 15.9%
11/8/2014	226	+ 8.1%	282	+ 3.7%
11/15/2014	224	+ 26.6%	278	+ 21.9%
11/22/2014	238	+ 35.2%	289	+ 19.9%
3-Month Avg.	215	+ 12.1%	268	+ 4.3%

#### **Historical Under Contract**

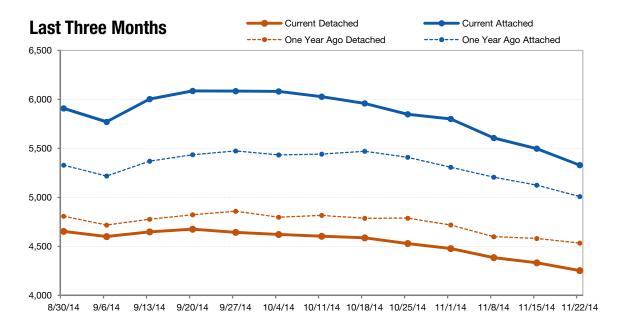
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# **Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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

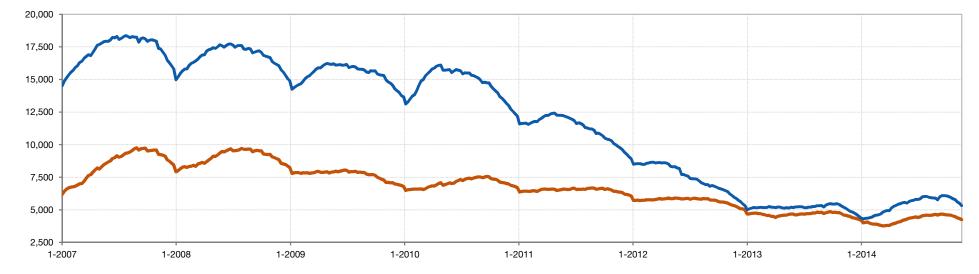




Data for the Week Ending	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
8/30/2014	4,654	- 3.2%	5,909	+ 10.9%
9/6/2014	4,601	- 2.5%	5,771	+ 10.6%
9/13/2014	4,649	- 2.7%	6,004	+ 11.8%
9/20/2014	4,676	- 3.0%	6,087	+ 12.0%
9/27/2014	4,644	- 4.4%	6,085	+ 11.2%
10/4/2014	4,622	- 3.7%	6,082	+ 11.9%
10/11/2014	4,604	- 4.4%	6,028	+ 10.8%
10/18/2014	4,588	- 4.2%	5,960	+ 8.9%
10/25/2014	4,530	- 5.4%	5,849	+ 8.1%
11/1/2014	4,478	- 5.1%	5,801	+ 9.3%
11/8/2014	4,386	- 4.6%	5,607	+ 7.7%
11/15/2014	4,333	- 5.4%	5,498	+ 7.3%
11/22/2014	4,254	- 6.2%	5,330	+ 6.4%
3-Month Avg.	4,540	- 4.2%	5,847	+ 9.8%

#### **Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale**

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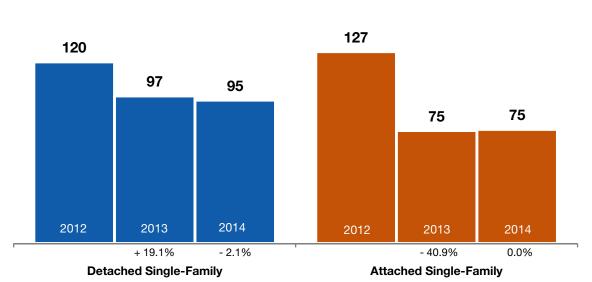


### **Market Time**

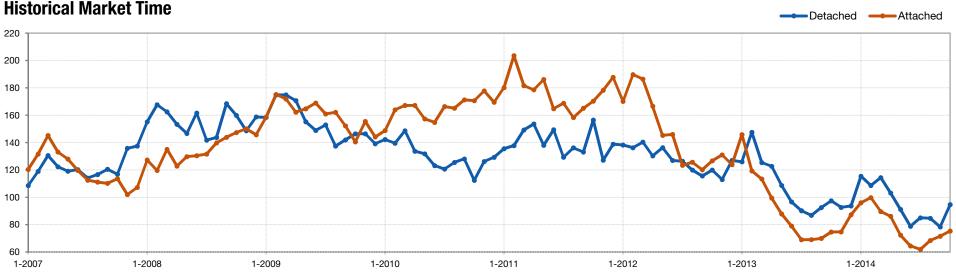
Average number of days between when a property is listed and when an offer is accepted in a given month.







Data for the month of	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2013	93	- 17.7%	75	- 42.7%
Dec-2013	94	- 26.0%	87	- 29.8%
Jan-2014	115	- 8.7%	96	- 34.2%
Feb-2014	109	- 26.4%	100	- 16.0%
Mar-2014	114	- 8.8%	90	- 20.4%
Apr-2014	103	- 16.3%	86	- 13.1%
May-2014	91	- 16.5%	72	- 18.2%
Jun-2014	79	- 18.6%	64	- 19.0%
Jul-2014	85	- 5.6%	62	- 10.1%
Aug-2014	85	- 2.3%	68	- 1.4%
Sep-2014	78	- 15.2%	72	+ 2.9%
Oct-2014	95	- 2.1%	75	0.0%
Average	93	- 14.0%	76	- 17.4%



### **Historical Market Time**

### **Median Sales Price**

Point at which half of the sales sold for more and half sold for less, not accounting for seller concessions, in a given month.



#### **October** Data for the Single-Family Year-Over-Year Single-Family Year-Over-Year month of ... Detached Change Attached Change Nov-2013 \$150,000 - 4.9% \$255,000 + 23.5% Dec-2013 \$160,000 + 15.4% \$270,000 + 14.9% \$292,000 Jan-2014 \$148,000 + 18.4% \$253,500 + 26.8% \$260,000 Feb-2014 \$140,000 + 12.7% \$217,950 + 9.5% Mar-2014 \$155,000 + 7.1% \$285,000 + 22.8% \$210,000 \$180,000 Apr-2014 \$162,750 \$295,000 + 7.9% + 3.1% \$165,000 May-2014 \$182,500 + 12.0%\$310,000 + 12.8%\$138,500 Jun-2014 \$210,000 + 11.1%\$310,000 + 8.8% Jul-2014 \$205,500 + 8.2% \$307,500 + 9.2% Aug-2014 \$210,000 + 20.1% \$308,500 + 9.2% Sep-2014 \$194,999 + 11.4% \$278,750 + 2.3% 2012 2013 2014 2012 2013 2014 Oct-2014 \$180,000 + 9.1% \$292,000 + 12.3% + 23.8% + 19.1%+9.1%+ 12.3%Median \$175,000 + 9.4% \$290,000 + 11.5% **Detached Single-Family Attached Single-Family**

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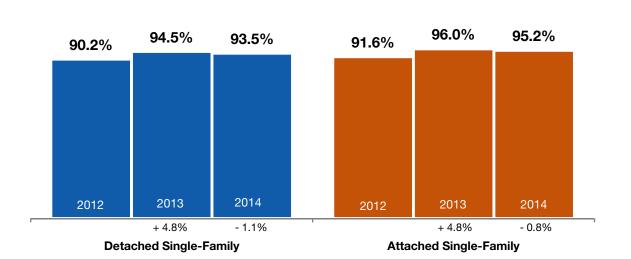
**Historical Median Sales Price** 

## **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.

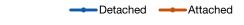


#### **October**



Data for the month of	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2013	93.6%	+ 2.0%	95.4%	+ 4.5%
Dec-2013	93.7%	+ 5.5%	95.5%	+ 3.8%
Jan-2014	92.2%	+ 1.5%	95.0%	+ 3.0%
Feb-2014	92.7%	+ 5.5%	94.1%	+ 1.0%
Mar-2014	91.1%	- 1.4%	95.3%	+ 1.2%
Apr-2014	93.3%	- 1.1%	96.0%	+ 0.5%
May-2014	94.6%	- 1.4%	96.5%	+ 0.1%
Jun-2014	94.7%	+ 0.1%	96.2%	+ 0.1%
Jul-2014	96.4%	+ 1.0%	96.8%	- 0.2%
Aug-2014	94.5%	- 1.9%	96.1%	- 0.5%
Sep-2014	94.3%	- 0.5%	95.3%	- 0.5%
Oct-2014	93.5%	- 1.1%	<b>95.2</b> %	- 0.8%
Average	93.9%	+ 0.4%	95.8%	+ 0.7%

#### **Historical Percent of Original List Price Received**

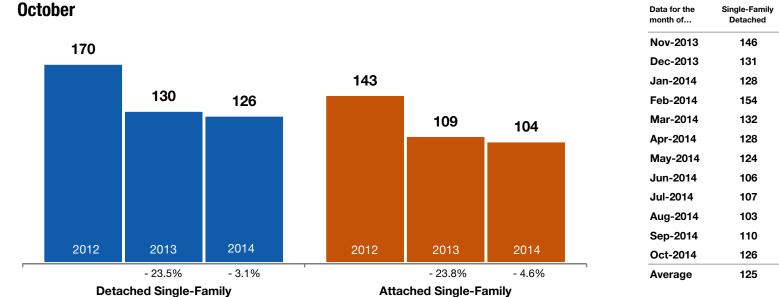




# **Housing Affordability Index**

This index measures housing affordability for the region. 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.





Data for the month of	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Year Change
Nov-2013	146	- 2.0%	119	- 13.1%
Dec-2013	131	- 16.6%	101	- 16.5%
Jan-2014	128	- 33.7%	103	- 29.0%
Feb-2014	154	- 14.4%	111	- 19.6%
Mar-2014	132	- 12.6%	106	- 13.8%
Apr-2014	128	- 13.5%	102	- 15.0%
May-2014	124	+ 1.6%	102	- 13.6%
Jun-2014	106	- 5.4%	101	- 1.9%
Jul-2014	107	- 5.3%	100	- 5.7%
Aug-2014	103	- 12.7%	97	- 6.7%
Sep-2014	110	- 12.0%	104	- 4.6%
Oct-2014	126	- 3.1%	104	- 4.6%
Average	125	- 10.8%	104	- 12.0%

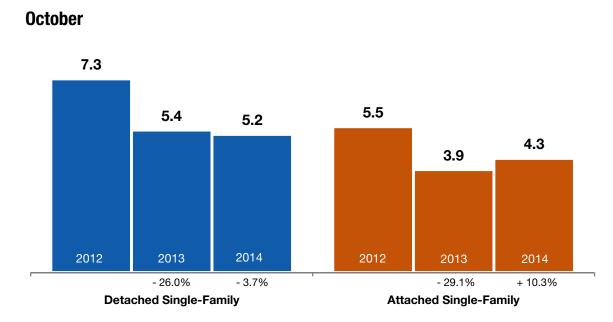
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#### **Historical Housing Affordability Index**

### **Months Supply of Inventory**

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





Data for the month of	Single-Family Detached	Year-Over-Year Change	Single-Family Attached	Year-Over-Yea Change
Nov-2013	5.1	- 25.0%	3.5	- 30.0%
Dec-2013	4.7	- 23.0%	3.1	- 27.9%
Jan-2014	4.6	- 24.6%	3.2	- 25.6%
Feb-2014	4.5	- 22.4%	3.5	- 18.6%
Mar-2014	4.5	- 18.2%	3.7	- 11.9%
Apr-2014	4.9	- 12.5%	4.0	0.0%
May-2014	5.2	- 8.8%	4.2	+ 2.4%
Jun-2014	5.2	- 8.8%	4.4	+ 12.8%
Jul-2014	5.5	- 3.5%	4.6	+ 17.9%
Aug-2014	5.6	0.0%	4.4	+ 12.8%
Sep-2014	5.4	- 3.6%	4.6	+ 15.0%
Oct-2014	5.2	- 3.7%	4.3	+ 10.3%
Average	5.0	- 13.2%	4.0	- 4.6%

### Historical Months Supply of Inventory

