

# Monthly Market Detail - August 2018

## Single Family Homes

### Pinellas County



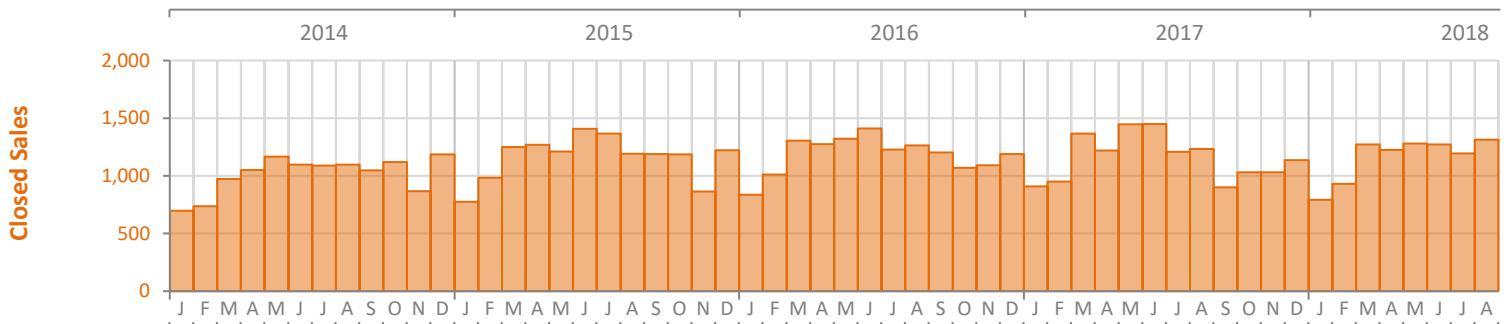
Summary Statistics	August 2018	August 2017	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Closed Sales	1,315	1,233	6.7%
Paid in Cash	362	343	5.5%
Median Sale Price	\$255,000	\$237,000	7.6%
Average Sale Price	\$319,287	\$298,701	6.9%
Dollar Volume	\$419.9 Million	\$368.3 Million	14.0%
Median Percent of Original List Price Received	95.6%	96.4%	-0.8%
Median Time to Contract	28 Days	24 Days	16.7%
Median Time to Sale	65 Days	63 Days	3.2%
New Pending Sales	1,182	1,274	-7.2%
New Listings	1,458	1,401	4.1%
Pending Inventory	1,317	1,570	-16.1%
Inventory (Active Listings)	3,170	3,022	4.9%
Months Supply of Inventory	2.8	2.5	12.0%

## Closed Sales

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Month	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>9,281</b>	<b>-5.1%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>1,315</b>	<b>6.7%</b>
July 2018	1,195	-1.1%
June 2018	1,272	-12.3%
May 2018	1,279	-11.7%
April 2018	1,224	0.3%
March 2018	1,273	-6.8%
February 2018	930	-2.0%
January 2018	793	-12.8%
December 2017	1,137	-4.3%
November 2017	1,031	-5.7%
October 2017	1,030	-3.7%
September 2017	899	-25.3%
August 2017	1,233	-2.4%

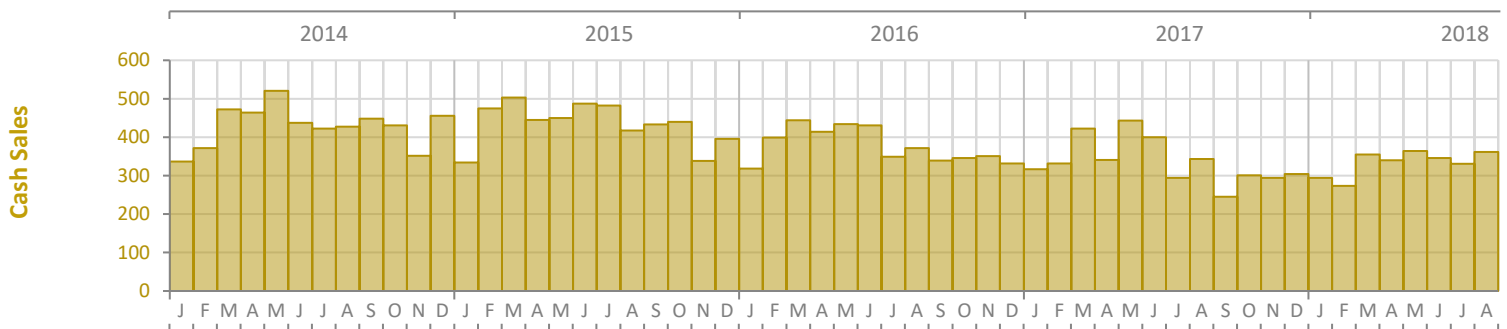


## Cash Sales

The number of Closed Sales during the month in which buyers exclusively paid in cash

**Economists' note:** Cash Sales can be a useful indicator of the extent to which investors are participating in the market. Why? Investors are far more likely to have the funds to purchase a home available up front, whereas the typical homebuyer requires a mortgage or some other form of financing. There are, of course, many possible exceptions, so this statistic should be interpreted with care.

Month	Cash Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>2,665</b>	<b>-7.8%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>5.5%</b>
July 2018	331	12.6%
June 2018	346	-13.5%
May 2018	364	-17.8%
April 2018	340	-0.3%
March 2018	355	-15.9%
February 2018	273	-17.8%
January 2018	294	-7.3%
December 2017	304	-8.4%
November 2017	294	-16.2%
October 2017	301	-13.0%
September 2017	245	-27.7%
August 2017	343	-7.8%

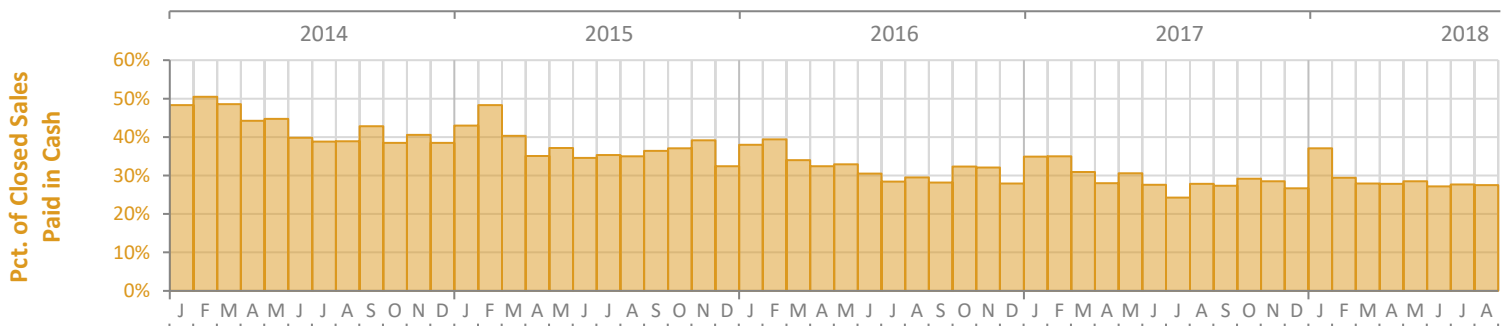


## Cash Sales as a Percentage of Closed Sales

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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>28.7%</b>	<b>-3.0%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>27.5%</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>
July 2018	27.7%	14.0%
June 2018	27.2%	-1.4%
May 2018	28.5%	-6.9%
April 2018	27.8%	-0.7%
March 2018	27.9%	-9.7%
February 2018	29.4%	-16.0%
January 2018	37.1%	6.3%
December 2017	26.7%	-4.3%
November 2017	28.5%	-11.2%
October 2017	29.2%	-9.6%
September 2017	27.3%	-3.2%
August 2017	27.8%	-5.8%

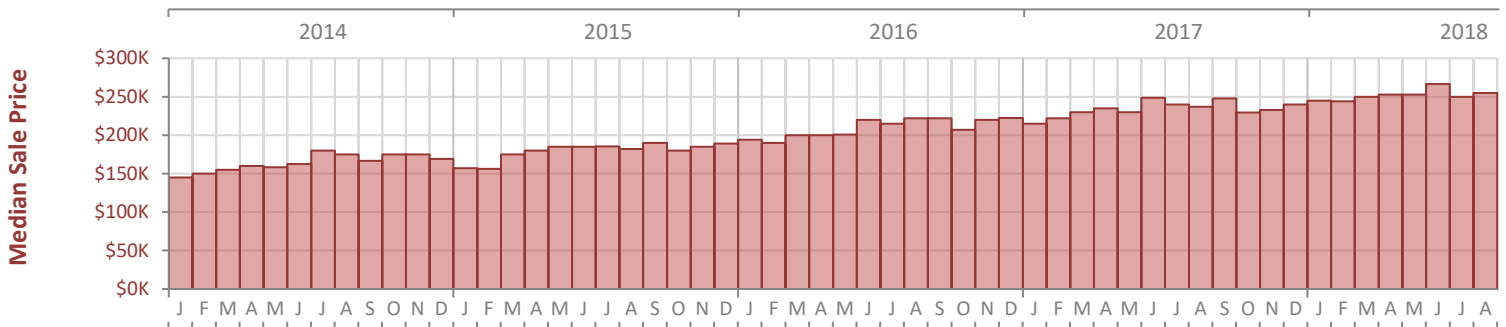


## Median Sale Price

The median sale price reported for the month (i.e. 50% of sales were above and 50% of sales were below)

**Economists' note:** Median Sale Price is our preferred summary statistic for price activity because, unlike Average Sale Price, Median Sale Price is not sensitive to high sale prices for small numbers of homes that may not be characteristic of the market area. Keep in mind that median price trends over time are not always solely caused by changes in the general value of local real estate. Median sale price only reflects the values of the homes that *sold* each month, and the mix of the types of homes that sell can change over time.

Month	Median Sale Price	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>\$253,000</b>	<b>8.1%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>\$255,000</b>	<b>7.6%</b>
July 2018	\$250,000	4.2%
June 2018	\$266,375	7.2%
May 2018	\$253,000	10.0%
April 2018	\$252,750	7.6%
March 2018	\$250,000	8.7%
February 2018	\$244,250	10.0%
January 2018	\$245,000	14.0%
December 2017	\$239,900	7.9%
November 2017	\$233,000	6.0%
October 2017	\$229,450	10.8%
September 2017	\$248,000	11.7%
August 2017	\$237,000	6.7%

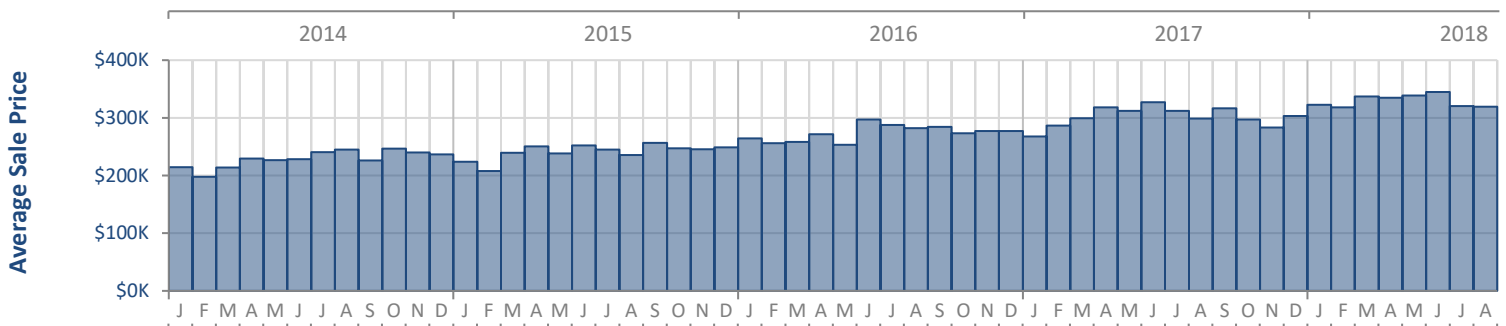


## Average Sale Price

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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>\$330,330</b>	<b>8.3%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>\$319,287</b>	<b>6.9%</b>
July 2018	\$320,584	2.7%
June 2018	\$344,571	5.4%
May 2018	\$338,828	8.5%
April 2018	\$334,814	5.1%
March 2018	\$337,348	12.7%
February 2018	\$318,139	11.1%
January 2018	\$322,894	20.6%
December 2017	\$303,016	9.4%
November 2017	\$283,204	2.2%
October 2017	\$297,387	8.8%
September 2017	\$316,533	11.2%
August 2017	\$298,701	5.8%

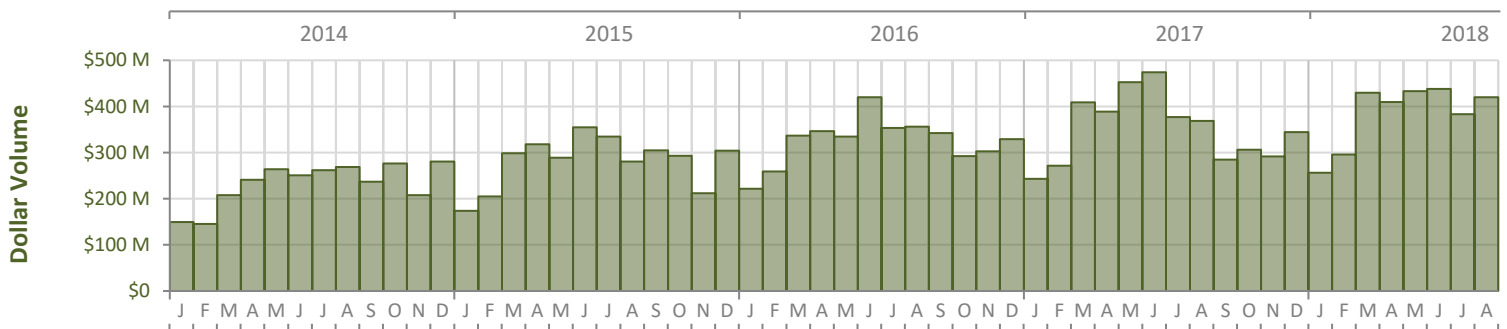


## Dollar Volume

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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>\$3.1 Billion</b>	<b>2.7%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>\$419.9 Million</b>	<b>14.0%</b>
July 2018	\$383.1 Million	1.6%
June 2018	\$438.3 Million	-7.6%
May 2018	\$433.4 Million	-4.2%
April 2018	\$409.8 Million	5.5%
March 2018	\$429.4 Million	5.0%
February 2018	\$295.9 Million	8.9%
January 2018	\$256.1 Million	5.2%
December 2017	\$344.5 Million	4.7%
November 2017	\$292.0 Million	-3.6%
October 2017	\$306.3 Million	4.7%
September 2017	\$284.6 Million	-16.9%
August 2017	\$368.3 Million	3.3%

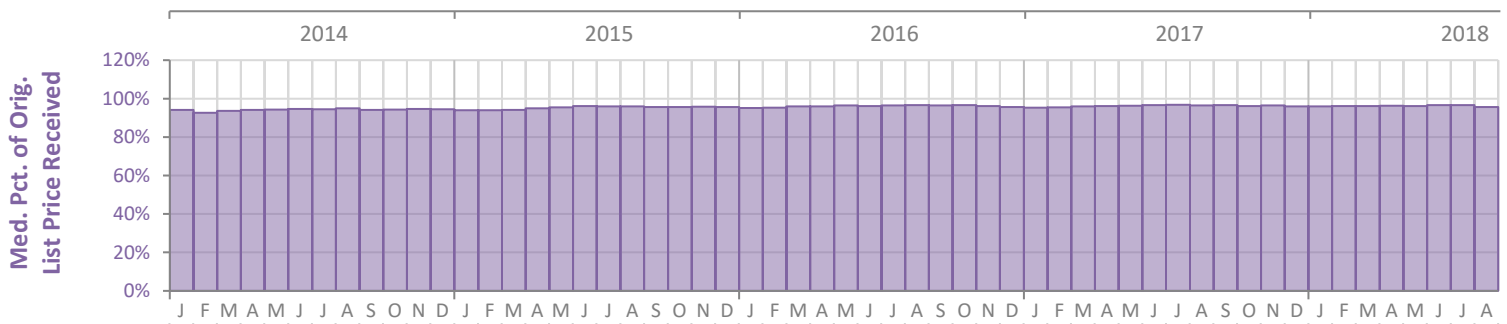


## Median Percent of Original List Price Received

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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>96.3%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>95.6%</b>	<b>-0.8%</b>
July 2018	96.7%	-0.1%
June 2018	96.7%	0.1%
May 2018	96.2%	-0.1%
April 2018	96.3%	0.2%
March 2018	96.2%	0.3%
February 2018	96.1%	0.6%
January 2018	96.0%	0.7%
December 2017	96.0%	0.4%
November 2017	96.5%	0.3%
October 2017	96.2%	-0.5%
September 2017	96.6%	0.1%
August 2017	96.4%	-0.3%

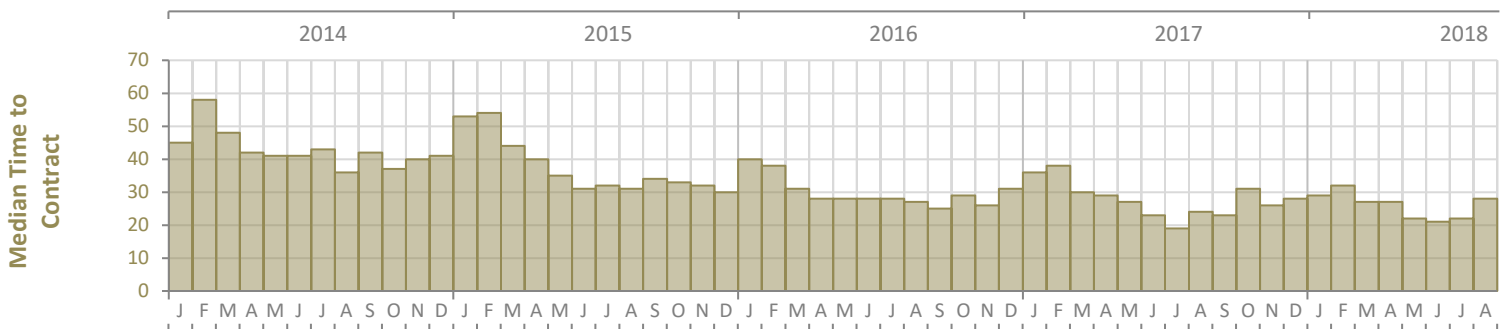


## Median Time to Contract

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

**Economists' note:** Like Time to Sale, Time to Contract is a measure of the length of the home selling process calculated for sales which closed during the month. The difference is that Time to Contract measures the number of days between the initial listing of a property and the signing of the contract which eventually led to the closing of the sale. When the gap between Median Time to Contract and Median Time to Sale grows, it is usually a sign of longer closing times and/or declining numbers of cash sales.

Month	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>25 Days</b>	<b>-7.4%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>28 Days</b>	<b>16.7%</b>
July 2018	22 Days	15.8%
June 2018	21 Days	-8.7%
May 2018	22 Days	-18.5%
April 2018	27 Days	-6.9%
March 2018	27 Days	-10.0%
February 2018	32 Days	-15.8%
January 2018	29 Days	-19.4%
December 2017	28 Days	-9.7%
November 2017	26 Days	0.0%
October 2017	31 Days	6.9%
September 2017	23 Days	-8.0%
August 2017	24 Days	-11.1%

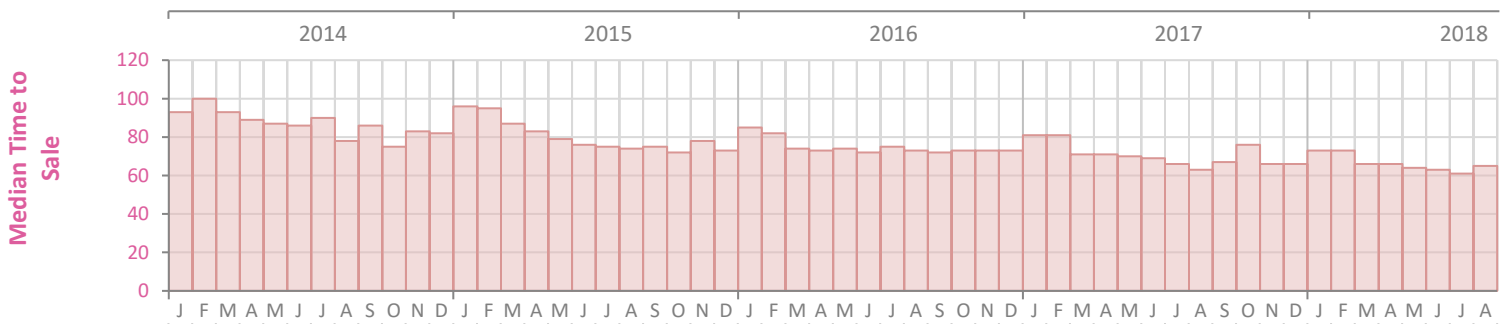


## Median Time to Sale

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

**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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>66 Days</b>	<b>-5.7%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>65 Days</b>	<b>3.2%</b>
July 2018	61 Days	-7.6%
June 2018	63 Days	-8.7%
May 2018	64 Days	-8.6%
April 2018	66 Days	-7.0%
March 2018	66 Days	-7.0%
February 2018	73 Days	-9.9%
January 2018	73 Days	-9.9%
December 2017	66 Days	-9.6%
November 2017	66 Days	-9.6%
October 2017	76 Days	4.1%
September 2017	67 Days	-6.9%
August 2017	63 Days	-13.7%

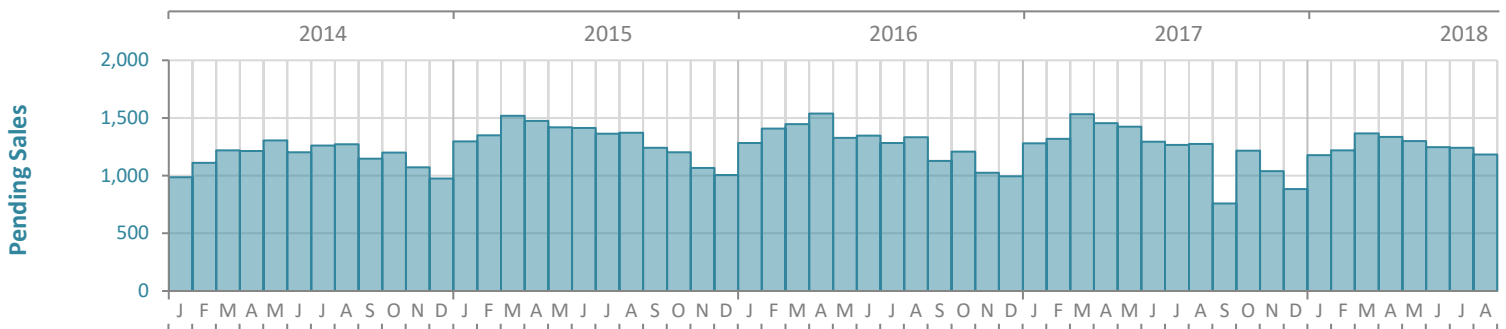


## New Pending Sales

The number of listed properties that went under contract during the month

**Economists' note:** Because of the typical length of time it takes for a sale to close, economists consider Pending Sales to be a decent indicator of potential future Closed Sales. It is important to bear in mind, however, that not all Pending Sales will be closed successfully. So, the effectiveness of Pending Sales as a future indicator of Closed Sales is susceptible to changes in market conditions such as the availability of financing for homebuyers and the inventory of distressed properties for sale.

Month	New Pending Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>10,067</b>	<b>-7.2%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>1,182</b>	<b>-7.2%</b>
July 2018	1,241	-2.1%
June 2018	1,247	-3.7%
May 2018	1,299	-8.9%
April 2018	1,335	-8.2%
March 2018	1,366	-10.9%
February 2018	1,220	-7.5%
January 2018	1,177	-8.0%
December 2017	885	-11.0%
November 2017	1,038	1.3%
October 2017	1,216	0.6%
September 2017	760	-32.7%
August 2017	1,274	-4.4%

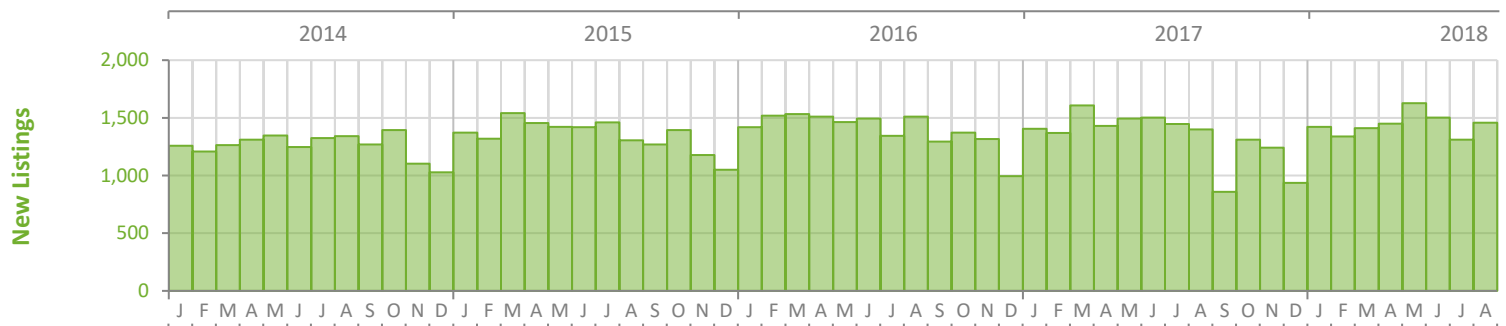


## New Listings

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
<b>Year-to-Date</b>	<b>11,519</b>	<b>-1.2%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>1,458</b>	<b>4.1%</b>
July 2018	1,312	-9.4%
June 2018	1,501	0.0%
May 2018	1,626	8.8%
April 2018	1,449	1.4%
March 2018	1,411	-12.2%
February 2018	1,339	-2.3%
January 2018	1,423	1.3%
December 2017	935	-6.0%
November 2017	1,241	-5.8%
October 2017	1,312	-4.4%
September 2017	858	-33.6%
August 2017	1,401	-7.3%

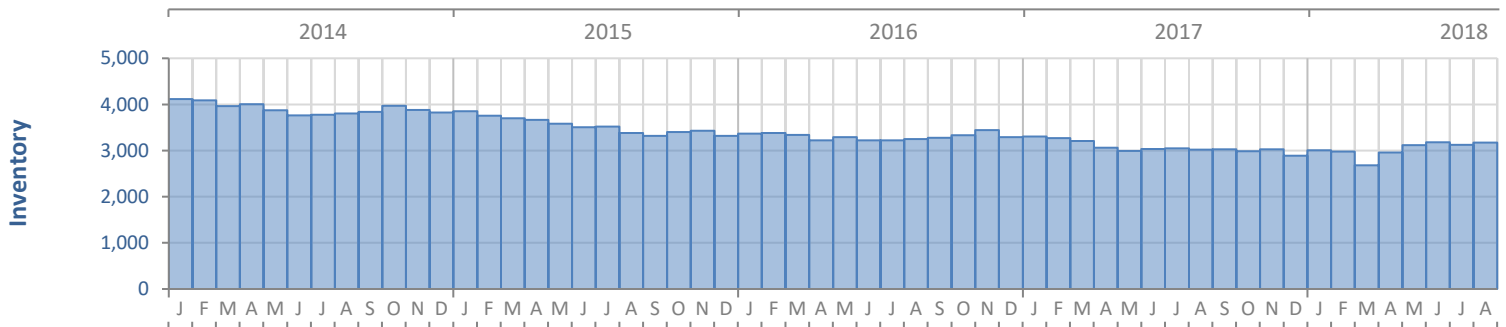


## Inventory (Active Listings)

The number of property listings active at the end of the month

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Month	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
<b>YTD (Monthly Avg)</b>	<b>3,026</b>	<b>-3.0%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>3,170</b>	<b>4.9%</b>
July 2018	3,122	2.4%
June 2018	3,183	4.9%
May 2018	3,117	4.0%
April 2018	2,955	-3.5%
March 2018	2,683	-16.3%
February 2018	2,976	-9.0%
January 2018	3,004	-9.1%
December 2017	2,890	-12.1%
November 2017	3,025	-12.2%
October 2017	2,985	-10.5%
September 2017	3,027	-7.6%
August 2017	3,022	-6.9%

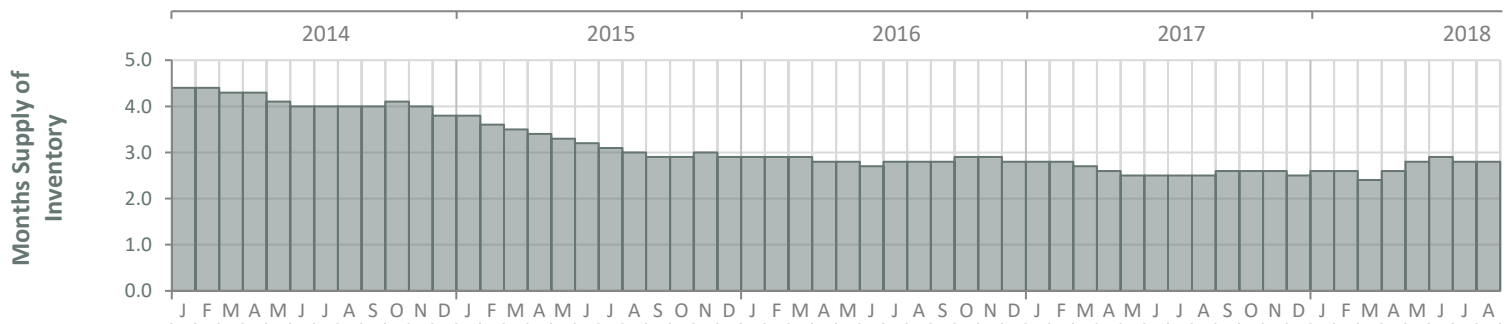


## Months Supply of Inventory

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
<b>YTD (Monthly Avg)</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>3.8%</b>
<b>August 2018</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>12.0%</b>
July 2018	2.8	12.0%
June 2018	2.9	16.0%
May 2018	2.8	12.0%
April 2018	2.6	0.0%
March 2018	2.4	-11.1%
February 2018	2.6	-7.1%
January 2018	2.6	-7.1%
December 2017	2.5	-10.7%
November 2017	2.6	-10.3%
October 2017	2.6	-10.3%
September 2017	2.6	-7.1%
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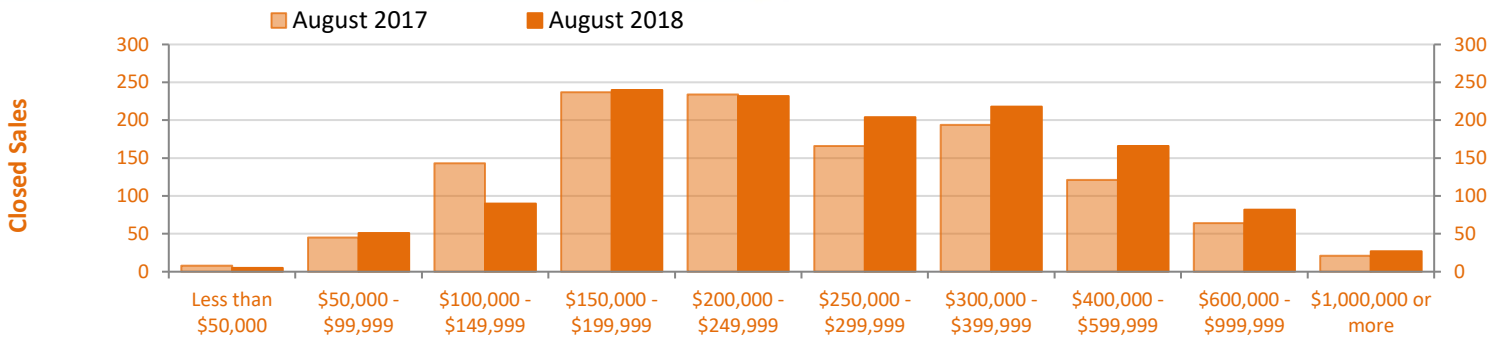


## Closed Sales by Sale Price

The number of sales transactions which closed during the month

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Sale Price	Closed Sales	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	5	-37.5%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	51	13.3%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	90	-37.1%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	240	1.3%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	232	-0.9%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	204	22.9%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	218	12.4%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	166	37.2%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	82	28.1%
\$1,000,000 or more	27	28.6%

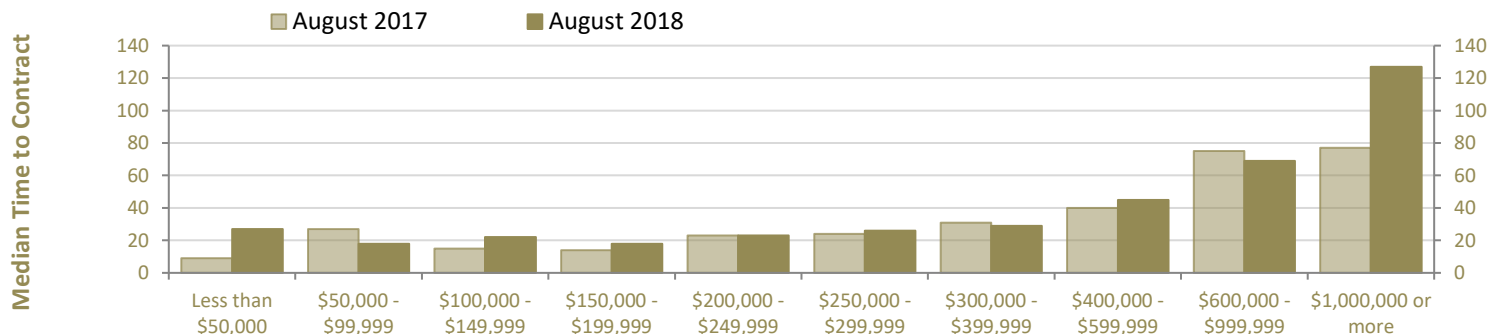


## Median Time to Contract by Sale Price

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

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Sale Price	Median Time to Contract	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	27 Days	200.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	18 Days	-33.3%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	22 Days	46.7%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	18 Days	28.6%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	23 Days	0.0%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	26 Days	8.3%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	29 Days	-6.5%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	45 Days	12.5%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	69 Days	-8.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	127 Days	64.9%



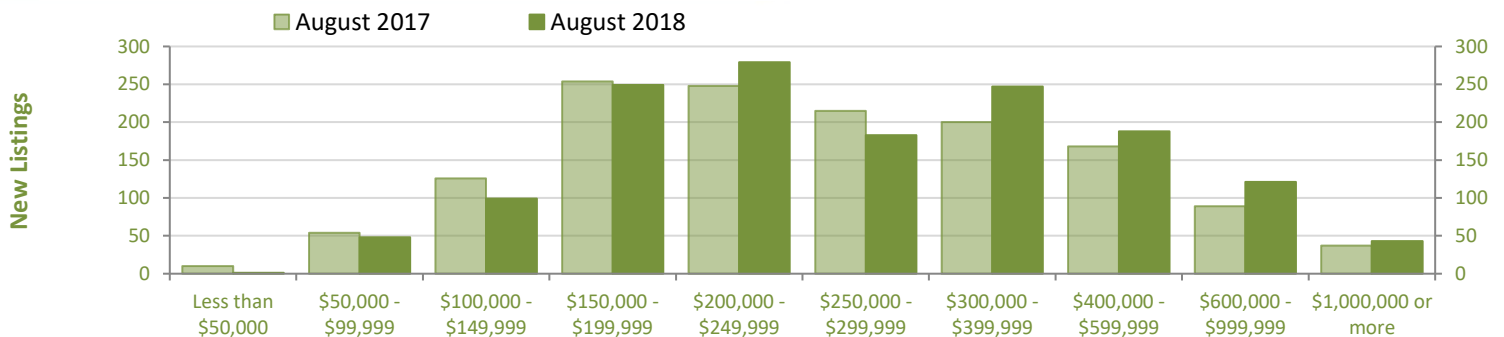


## New Listings by Initial Listing Price

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	1	-90.0%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	48	-11.1%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	99	-21.4%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	249	-2.0%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	279	12.5%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	183	-14.9%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	247	23.5%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	188	11.9%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	121	36.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	43	16.2%

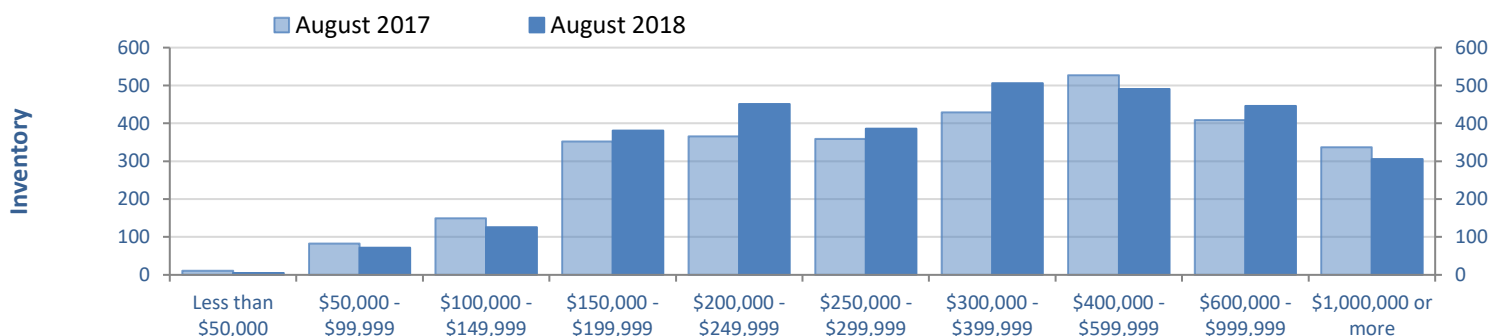


## Inventory by Current Listing Price

The number of property listings active at the end of the month

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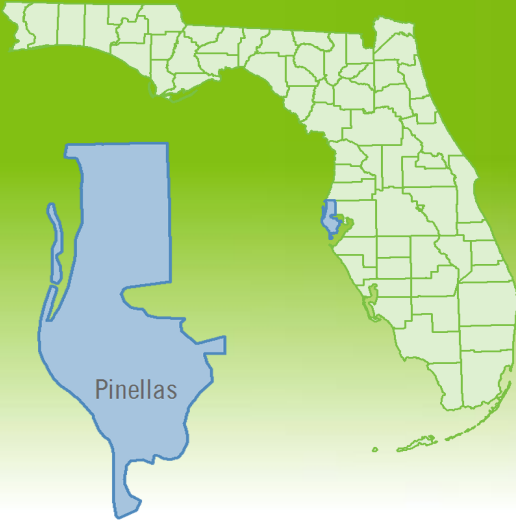
Current Listing Price	Inventory	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Less than \$50,000	5	-54.5%
\$50,000 - \$99,999	72	-13.3%
\$100,000 - \$149,999	126	-15.4%
\$150,000 - \$199,999	381	8.2%
\$200,000 - \$249,999	451	23.2%
\$250,000 - \$299,999	386	7.5%
\$300,000 - \$399,999	506	17.9%
\$400,000 - \$599,999	491	-6.8%
\$600,000 - \$999,999	446	9.0%
\$1,000,000 or more	306	-9.2%



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		August 2018	August 2017	Percent Change Year-over-Year
Traditional	Closed Sales	1,272	1,176	8.2%
	Median Sale Price	\$259,000	\$240,000	7.9%
Foreclosure/REO	Closed Sales	35	42	-16.7%
	Median Sale Price	\$145,000	\$164,550	-11.9%
Short Sale	Closed Sales	8	15	-46.7%
	Median Sale Price	\$135,500	\$157,000	-13.7%

