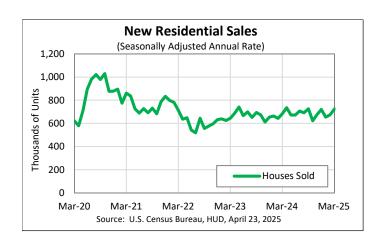
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MONTHLY NEW RESIDENTIAL SALES, MARCH 2025

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April 23, 2025 - The U.S. Census Bureau and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development jointly announced the following new residential sales statistics for March 2025:





New Home Sales

Sales of new single-family houses in March 2025 were at a seasonally-adjusted annual rate of 724,000, according to estimates released jointly today by the U.S. Census Bureau and the Department of Housing and Urban Development. This is 7.4 percent (± 20.5 percent)* above the February 2025 rate of 674,000, and is 6.0 percent (± 14.5 percent)* above the March 2024 rate of 683,000.

For Sale Inventory and Months' Supply

The seasonally-adjusted estimate of new houses for sale at the end of March 2025 was 503,000. This is 0.6 percent (± 1.3 percent)* above the February 2025 estimate of 500,000, and is 7.9 percent (± 5.3 percent) above the March 2024 estimate of 466,000.

This represents a supply of 8.3 months at the current sales rate. The months' supply is 6.7 percent (± 15.6 percent)* below the February 2025 estimate of 8.9 months, and is 1.2 percent (± 13.3 percent)* above the March 2024 estimate of 8.2 months.

Sales Price

The median sales price of new houses sold in March 2025 was \$403,600. This is 1.9 percent (± 6.1 percent)* below the February 2025 price of \$411,500, and is 7.5 percent (± 8.3 percent)* below the March 2024 price of \$436,400. The average sales price of new houses sold in March 2025 was \$497,700. This is 1.0 percent (± 7.6 percent)* above the February 2025 price of \$492,700, and is 4.7 percent (± 7.1 percent)* below the March 2024 price of \$522,500.

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The April report is scheduled for release on May 23, 2025. View the full schedule in the Economic Briefing Room: < www.census.gov/economic-indicators/>. The full text and tables for this release can be found at < www.census.gov/construction/nrs/>.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

These statistics are estimated from sample surveys. They are subject to sampling variability as well as nonsampling error including bias and variance from response, nonreporting, and undercoverage. Estimated average relative standard errors of the preliminary data are shown in the tables. Whenever a statement such as "2.5 percent (±3.2%) above" appears in the text, this indicates the range (-0.7 to +5.7 percent) in which the actual percent change is likely to have occurred. All ranges given for percent changes are 90-percent confidence intervals and account only for sampling variability. If a range does not contain zero, the change is statistically significant. If it does contain zero, the change is not statistically significant; that is, it is uncertain whether there was an increase or decrease. The same policies apply to the confidence intervals for percent changes shown in the tables. Changes in seasonally adjusted statistics often show irregular movement. It takes 3 months to establish a trend for new houses sold. Preliminary new home sales figures are subject to revision due to the survey methodology and definitions used. The survey is primarily based on a sample of houses selected from building permits. Since a "sale" is defined as a deposit taken or sales agreement signed, this can occur prior to a permit being issued. An estimate of these prior sales is included in the sales figure. On average, the preliminary seasonally adjusted estimate of total sales is revised about 3.2 percent. Changes in sales price data reflect changes in the distribution of houses by region, size, etc., as well as changes in the prices of houses with identical characteristics. Explanations of confidence intervals and sampling variability can be found on our website.

The Census Bureau has reviewed SOC monthly and quarterly tables to ensure appropriate access, use, and disclosure avoidance protection of the confidential source data (Disclosure Review Board (DRB) approval number: CBDRB-FY24-0281).

API

The Census Bureau's application programming interface lets developers create custom apps to reach new users and makes key demographic, socio-economic and housing statistics more accessible than ever before. www.census.gov/developers/

FRED Mobile App



Receive the latest updates on the nation's key economic indicators by downloading the FRED App < https://fred.stlouisfed.org/fred-mobile/ for both Apple and Android devices. FRED, the signature database of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, now incorporates the Census Bureau's 13 economic indicators.

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* The 90 percent confidence interval includes zero. In such cases, there is insufficient statistical evidence to conclude that the actual change is different from zero.

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New Privately-Owned Houses Sold and For Sale

(Thousands of Units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding.)

Table 1a - Seasonally adjusted

	Sold during period ¹ For sale at end of period								Median	Average			
Period	United	North-				United	North-				Months'	sales price	sales price
	States	east	Mid- west	South	West	States	east	Mid- west	South	West	supply ²	(\$)	(\$)
2024													
March	683	42	82	395	164	466	Χ	x x	Х	Χ	8.2	Х	Х
April	736	32	86	459	159	464	Х	x x	Х	Х	7.6	Х	Х
May	672	23	84	416	149	468	Х	x x	Х	Χ	8.4	Х	Х
June	672	30	78	411	153	468	Х	x x	Х	Χ	8.4	Х	Х
July	707	33	79	404	191	464	Χ	x x	Х	Χ	7.9	Х	Х
August	691	21	75	436	159	471	Χ	x x	Х	Χ	8.2	Х	Х
September	726	30	79	460	157	473	Х	X X	Х	Χ	7.8	Х	Х
October	623	41	75	361	146	480	Χ	x x	Х	Χ	9.2	Х	Х
November	676	27	87	435	127	487	Х	X X	Х	Χ	8.6	Х	Х
December (r)	720	34	82	438	166	489	Χ	x	Х	Х	8.2	Х	Х
2025													
January (r)	654	27	62	395	170	496	Х	X X	Х	Х	9.1	Х	Х
February (r)	674	36	67	425	146	500	Х	X X	Х	Χ	8.9	Х	Х
March (p)	724	28	69	483	144	503	Х	x	Х	Х	8.3	Х	х
Average RSE (%) ³	10	37	21	14	13	4	Χ	X	Х	Χ	12	Х	X
Percent Change ⁴												Not adjus	ted change
Mar. 2025 from Feb. 2025	7.4%	-22.2%	3.0%	13.6%	-1.4%	0.6%	X	x	X	X	-6.7%	-1.9%	1.0%
90 percent confidence interval ⁵	± 20.5	± 65.5	± 41.0	± 29.4	± 24.6	± 1.3	X	x	X	X	± 15.6	± 6.1	± 7.6
Mar. 2025 from Mar. 2024	6.0%	-33.3%	-15.9%	22.3%	-12.2%	7.9%	X	x	X	X	1.2%	-7.5%	-4.7%
90 percent confidence interval ⁵	± 14.5	± 49.2	± 24.6	± 21.6	± 17.6	± 5.3	X	<i>x</i>	Х	X	± 13.3	± 8.3	± 7.1

Table 1b - Not seasonally adjusted

Table 15 - Not Seasonally adjusted	Sold during period					For sa	le at end of		Median	Average			
Period	United	North-				United	North-				Months'	sales price	sales price
	States	east	Mid- west	South	West	States	east	Mid- west	South	West	supply	(\$)	(\$)
2023 Annual	666	33	68	412	153	450	31	44	268	107	х	428,600	514,000
2024 Annual (r)	686	34	80	413	158	491	28	47	300	116	Х	420,300	514,500
RSE (%)	3	13	14	4	8	5	17	14	8	6	Х	4	3
2024 Year to date	182	13	23	102	44	Х	Х	x	Х	Х	х	Х	Х
2025 Year to date	184	9	19	116	41	Х	Х	x	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
RSE (%)	4	20	15	5	8	X	X	X	Х	X	Х	Х	Х
Year to date percent change⁴	1.3%	-32.0%	-18.3%	12.9%	-6.0%	х	х	x	х	х	х	х	х
90 percent confidence interval ⁵	± 6.7	± 20.4	± 16.1	± 11.2	± 12.2	Х	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
2024													
March	65	4	8	38	15	455	24	42	279	109	7.0	436,400	522,500
April	65	3	8	40	14	458	24	42	283	109	7.0	415,300	500,600
May	61	2	8	37	14	466	26	41	290	110	7.6	414,300	499,300
June	58	2	6	35	14	468	25	41	293	108	8.1	414,000	495,500
July	61	3	8	34	16	467	26	40	295	106	7.7	429,000	513,200
August	56	2	6	35	13	474	27	42	297	108	8.5	405,800	475,600
September	58	2	6	37	12	474	27	44	293	110	8.2	421,100	505,800
October	46	3	5	27	11	491	27	48	304	113	10.6	426,300	521,900
November	46	2	5	30	9	493	27	47	304	115	10.7	397,600	483,000
December (r)	54	2	5	34	12	491	28	47	300	116	9.0	423,000	508,900
2025													
January (r)		2	6	33	15	497	30	47	302	118	8.9	431,400	511,200
February (r)	59	4	6	37	13	493	31	47	298	118	8.3	411,500	492,700
March (p)	69	3	7	46	13	493	30	49	295	118	7.1	403,600	497,700
Average RSE (%) ³	10	37	21	14	13	4	16	14	7	7	12	4	4

p Preliminary

Source: U.S. Census Bureau and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, New Residential Sales, April 23, 2025. Additional information on the survey methodology may be found at < www.census.gov/construction/soc/methodology.html>.

r Revised

X Not applicable

S Does not meet publication standards because tests for identifiable and stable seasonality do not meet reliability standards

 $^{^{\}rm 1}$ Seasonally-adjusted houses sold are published at annual rates

 $^{^{2}\,}$ Ratio of houses for sale to houses sold

 $^{^{\}rm 3}$ Average relative standard error for the latest 6-month period

⁴ Computed using unrounded data

 $^{^{\}rm 5}$ See the Explanatory Notes in the accompanying text for an explantion of 90 percent confidence intervals

New Privately-Owned Houses Sold, by Sales Price

(Thousands of Units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding.)

Table 2a - Number of Houses¹

		Price Ranges								
Period		Under	\$300,000	\$400,000	\$500,000	\$600,000	\$800,000	\$1,000,000		
	Total	\$300,000	to \$399,999	to \$499,999	to \$599,999	to \$799,999	to \$999,999	and over		
2023 Annual	666	92	192	134	97	84	33	35		
2024 Annual (r)	686	113	198	130	90	85	34	37		
RSE (%)	4	12	11	8	24	23	11	11		
2024										
March	65	9	18	12	10	8	4	4		
April	65	10	20	13	7	8	3	3		
May	61	10	20	11	9	7	3	3		
June	58	10	17	12	7	7	3	3		
July	61	10	17	11	10	7	3	3		
August	56	11	16	11	7	6	2	2		
September	58	11	15	10	8	7	3	3		
October	46	6	13	10	6	6	2	2		
November	46	10	13	8	6	5	1	2		
December (r)	54	10	15	10	7	7	3	2		
2025										
January (r)	56	9	15	12	8	7	3	3		
February (r)	59	9	19	10	8	7	3	3		
March (p)	69	12	23	13	8	7	2	4		
Average RSE (%) 2	10	21	16	18	30	31	31	30		

Table 2b - Percent Distribution

		Price Ranges								
Period		Under	\$300,000	\$400,000	\$500,000	\$600,000	\$800,000	\$1,000,000		
	Total	\$300,000	to \$399,999	to \$499,999	to \$599,999	to \$799,999	to \$999,999	and over		
2023 Annual	100	14	29	20	15	13	5	5		
2024 Annual (r)	100	16	29	19	13	12	5	5		
SE (%)	X	2	3	1	3	3	1	1		
2024										
March	100	15	28	18	15	13	6	6		
April	100	16	30	21	11	13	4	5		
May	100	16	33	18	14	11	5	4		
June	100	17	29	21	12	11	4	5		
July	100	16	27	18	17	12	5	4		
August	100	19	30	21	12	12	3	4		
September	100	20	26	18	14	13	5	5		
October	100	14	29	21	13	13	5	5		
November	100	21	29	17	13	11	3	5		
December (r)	100	18	27	19	13	13	5	4		
2025										
January (r)	100	16	27	21	14	12	5	6		
February (r)	100	16	32	17	14	12	4	5		
March (p)	100	17	33	19	12	10	3	6		
SE (%)	Χ	3	3	3	4	4	1	1		

p Preliminary r Revised

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A Represents an RSE or SE that is greater or equal to 100 percent or could not be computed

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 $^{^{1}\,\,\}text{Houses for which sales price was not reported have been distributed proportionally to those for which sales price was reported}$

 $^{^{\}rm 2}$ Average relative standard error for the latest 6-month period

New Houses Sold and For Sale by Stage of Construction and Median Number of Months on Sales Market

(Thousands of Units. Detail may not add to total because of rounding.)

Table 3a - Seasonally adjusted

		Sold duri	ng period ¹			Median			
Period			Under				Under		months for
	Total	Not started	construction	Completed	Total	Not started	construction	Completed	sale ²
2024									
March	683	91	258	334	466	91	286	89	Х
April	736	108	246	382	464	89	284	91	Х
May	672	86	243	343	468	92	282	94	Х
June	672	92	238	342	468	89	280	99	Х
July	707	104	258	345	464	93	268	103	Х
August	691	86	217	388	471	94	271	106	Х
September	726	106	243	377	473	95	271	107	Х
October	623	92	204	327	480	95	275	110	Х
November	676	64	214	398	487	97	276	114	Х
December (r)	720	91	235	394	489	98	279	112	Х
2025									
January (r)	654	74	249	331	496	100	281	115	x
February (r)	674	72	243	359	500	99	285	116	x x
March (p)	724	83	263	378	503	112	272	119	X
Average RSE (%) 3	10	11	11	11	4	9	5	7	X

Table 3b - Not seasonally adjusted

Table 3b - Not seasonally adjusted									
		Sold during period For sale at end of period							
Period			Under				Under		months for
	Total	Not started	construction	Completed	Total	Not started	construction	Completed	sale ²
2023 Annual	666	103	285	278	450	95	269	87	2.5
2024 Annual (r)	686	95	242	350	491	94	280	118	2.6
RSE (%)		14	8	6	5	9	5	8	8
2024									
March	65	9	24	32	455	92	276	87	2.8
		11	22	32	458	88	276	88	2.0
April							_		
May		8	23	30	466	96	281	89	2.4
June	58	7	21	29	468	89	284	94	2.1
July		9	23	28	467	92	275	99	2.2
August	56	7	18	31	474	94	276	104	2.2
September	58	8	20	30	474	92	276	106	2.5
October	46	6	15	25	491	97	282	112	2.4
November	46	4	13	29	493	94	280	119	2.4
December (r)	54	6	14	34	491	94	280	118	2.6
2025									
January (r)	56	7	21	28	497	102	278	117	2.8
February (r)	59	7	21	31	493	100	276	117	2.9
March (p)		8	25	36	493	112	263	118	3.1
Average RSE (%) ³	10	11	11	11	4	9	5	7	8

p Preliminary

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X Not applicable

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 $^{^{\}rm 2}\,$ Median number of months for sale since completion

 $^{^{\}rm 3}$ Average relative standard error for the latest 6-month period