Monthly Indicators



May 2021

As the weather warms and pandemic restrictions ease across much of the country, the U.S. housing market shows little sign of cooling. Robust buyer demand, fueled by low mortgage rates, continues to outpace supply, which remains near historic lows. Nationwide, inventory remains much lower than it was at this time last year, and sales prices are surging as a result.

New Listings were up 34.9 percent to 286. Pending Sales decreased 33.1 percent to 115. Inventory shrank 30.6 percent to 624 units.

Prices moved higher as the Median Sales Price was up 23.4 percent to \$335,000. Days on Market decreased 35.0 percent to 78 days. Months Supply of Inventory was down 50.0 percent to 2.8 months.

With such limited supply of existing homes to purchase, all eyes are on home builders to provide a much-needed boost of inventory to the market to help meet buyer demand. However, increasing material and labor costs, along with supply chain challenges, have contributed to significantly higher construction costs, with builders passing these costs on to homebuyers. And while the warmer temperatures, rising sales prices, and the reopening of the economy may draw more sellers to the market, historically low levels of homes for sale are likely to continue for some time.

Activity Snapshot

+ 39.1% + 23.4% - 30.6%

One-Year Change in One-Year Change in One-Year Change in Closed Sales Median Sales Price Homes for Sale

Homes for Sale

Residential activity in Greene, Dutchess, Orange, Sullivan and Ulster counties composed of single-family properties, townhomes and condominiums combined. Percent changes are calculated using rounded figures.

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Activity Overview

Key metrics by report month and for year-to-date (YTD) starting from the first of the year.

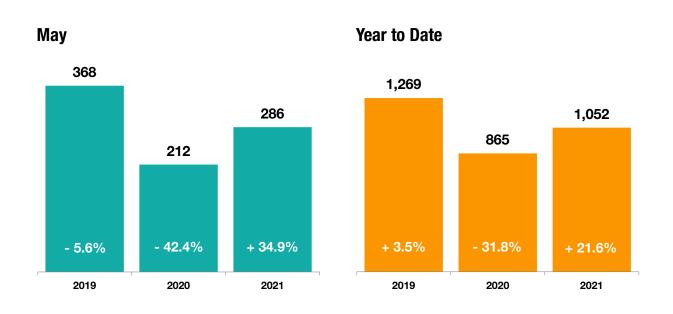


Key Metrics	Historical Sparkbars	5-2020	5-2021	Percent Change	YTD 2020	YTD 2021	Percent Change
New Listings	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	212	286	+ 34.9%	865	1,052	+ 21.6%
Pending Sales	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	172	115	- 33.1%	673	795	+ 18.1%
Closed Sales	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	110	153	+ 39.1%	647	900	+ 39.1%
Days on Market	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	120	78	- 35.0%	113	73	- 35.4%
Median Sales Price	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	\$271,500	\$335,000	+ 23.4%	\$253,500	\$335,000	+ 32.1%
Average Sales Price	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	\$324,345	\$394,960	+ 21.8%	\$302,582	\$409,629	+ 35.4%
Pct. of List Price Received	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	96.2%	99.3%	+ 3.2%	96.2%	98.8%	+ 2.7%
Housing Affordability Index	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	159	131	- 17.6%	170	131	- 22.9%
Inventory of Homes for Sale	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	899	624	- 30.6%			
Months Supply of Inventory	5-2018 5-2019 5-2020 5-2021	5.6	2.8	- 50.0%			

New Listings

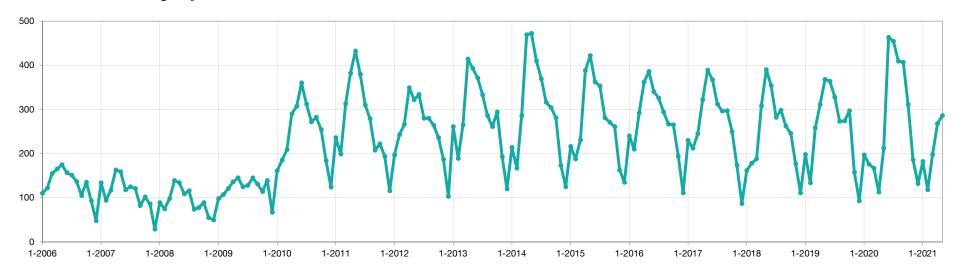
A count of the properties that have been newly listed on the market in a given month.





New Listings		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	463	364	+27.2%
July 2020	454	328	+38.4%
August 2020	409	273	+49.8%
September 2020	407	274	+48.5%
October 2020	311	297	+4.7%
November 2020	186	158	+17.7%
December 2020	132	93	+41.9%
January 2021	182	197	-7.6%
February 2021	118	176	-33.0%
March 2021	198	167	+18.6%
April 2021	268	113	+137.2%
May 2021	286	212	+34.9%
12-Month Avg	285	221	+29.0%

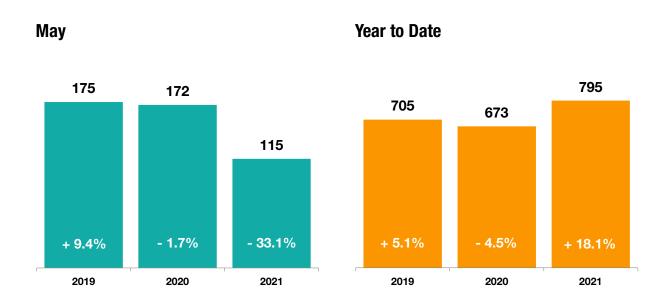
Historical New Listings by Month



Pending Sales

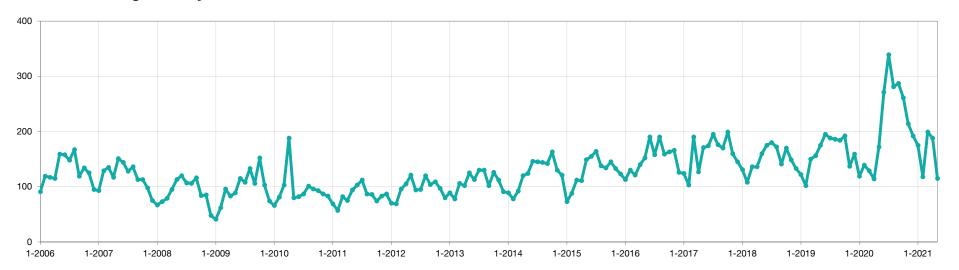
A count of the properties on which offers have been accepted in a given month.





Pending Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	271	195	+39.0%
July 2020	339	188	+80.3%
August 2020	281	186	+51.1%
September 2020	287	184	+56.0%
October 2020	261	192	+35.9%
November 2020	214	137	+56.2%
December 2020	192	159	+20.8%
January 2021	175	119	+47.1%
February 2021	118	139	-15.1%
March 2021	199	129	+54.3%
April 2021	188	114	+64.9%
May 2021	115	172	-33.1%
12-Month Avg	220	160	+37.5%

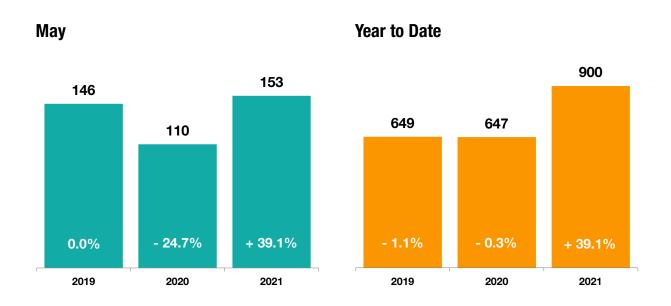
Historical Pending Sales by Month



Closed Sales

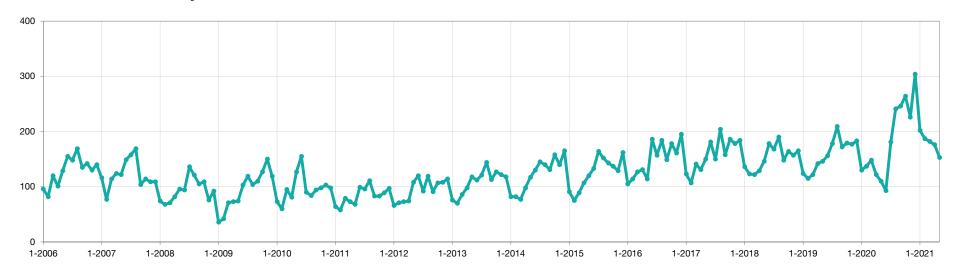
A count of the actual sales that closed in a given month.





Closed Sales		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	93	156	-40.4%
July 2020	181	178	+1.7%
August 2020	241	209	+15.3%
September 2020	246	172	+43.0%
October 2020	264	179	+47.5%
November 2020	226	177	+27.7%
December 2020	304	183	+66.1%
January 2021	202	130	+55.4%
February 2021	187	137	+36.5%
March 2021	182	148	+23.0%
April 2021	176	122	+44.3%
May 2021	153	110	+39.1%
12-Month Avg	205	158	+29.7%

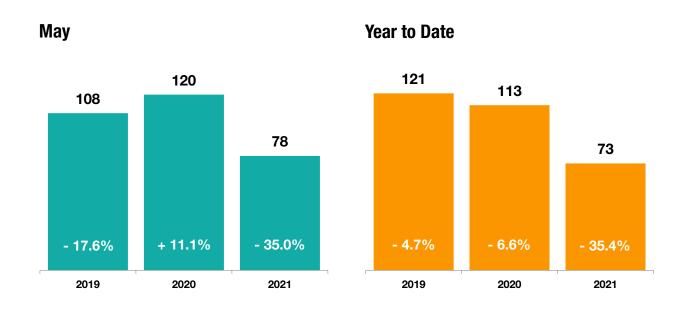
Historical Closed Sales by Month



Days on Market Until Sale

Average number of days between when a property is listed and when it is closed in a given month.

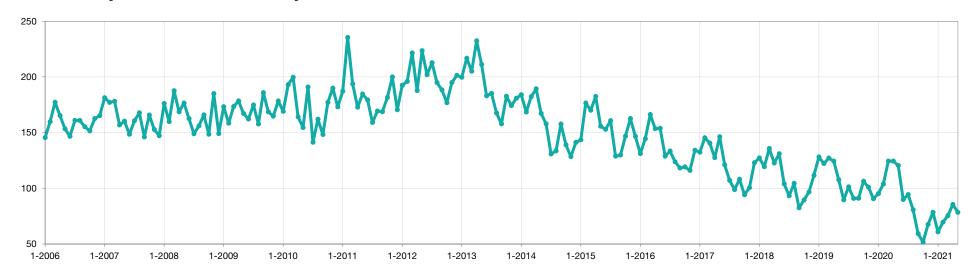




Days on Market		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	90	90	0.0%
July 2020	94	101	-6.9%
August 2020	81	91	-11.0%
September 2020	59	91	-35.2%
October 2020	52	106	-50.9%
November 2020	67	101	-33.7%
December 2020	78	91	-14.3%
January 2021	61	95	-35.8%
February 2021	69	104	-33.7%
March 2021	75	124	-39.5%
April 2021	85	124	-31.5%
May 2021	78	120	-35.0%
12-Month Avg*	73	102	-28.4%

^{*} Average Days on Market of all properties from June 2020 through May 2021. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

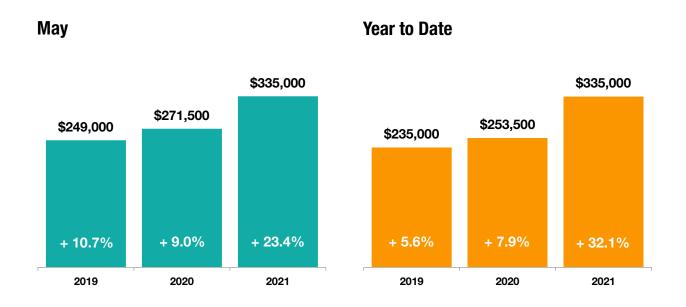
Historical Days on Market Until Sale by Month



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.

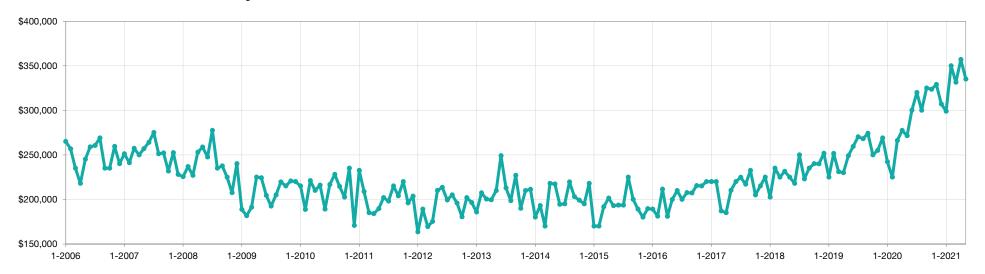




Median Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	\$300,000	\$259,461	+15.6%
July 2020	\$320,000	\$270,200	+18.4%
August 2020	\$300,000	\$268,000	+11.9%
September 2020	\$324,900	\$274,125	+18.5%
October 2020	\$323,500	\$250,000	+29.4%
November 2020	\$329,000	\$255,000	+29.0%
December 2020	\$307,000	\$269,000	+14.1%
January 2021	\$299,000	\$242,250	+23.4%
February 2021	\$350,000	\$225,000	+55.6%
March 2021	\$331,500	\$266,000	+24.6%
April 2021	\$356,950	\$277,450	+28.7%
May 2021	\$335,000	\$271,500	+23.4%
12-Month Med*	\$324,900	\$259,900	+25.0%

 $^{^{\}star}$ Median Sales Price of all properties from June 2020 through May 2021. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

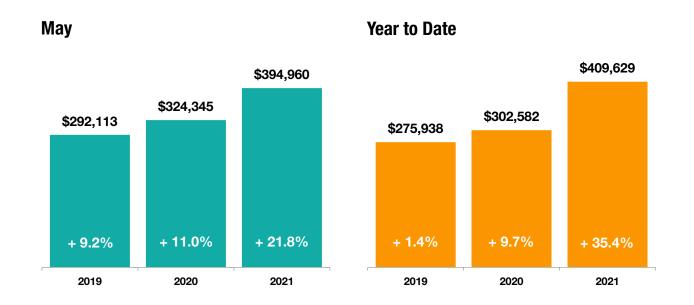
Historical Median Sales Price by Month



Average Sales Price

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

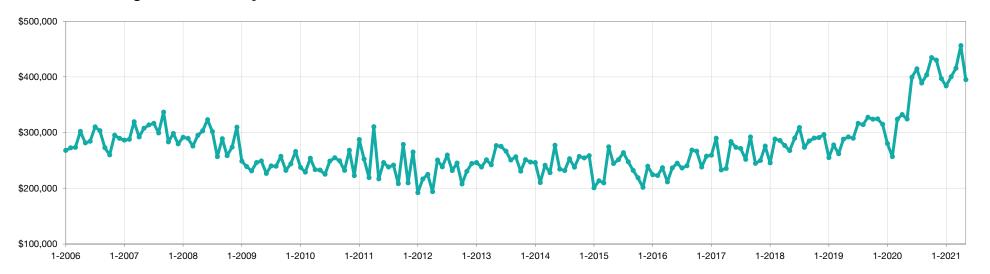




Avg. Sales Price		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	\$399,273	\$289,605	+37.9%
July 2020	\$414,329	\$316,493	+30.9%
August 2020	\$388,871	\$314,083	+23.8%
September 2020	\$403,379	\$327,449	+23.2%
October 2020	\$434,630	\$323,973	+34.2%
November 2020	\$429,939	\$324,490	+32.5%
December 2020	\$396,843	\$314,806	+26.1%
January 2021	\$383,617	\$280,356	+36.8%
February 2021	\$400,184	\$256,654	+55.9%
March 2021	\$415,400	\$324,054	+28.2%
April 2021	\$456,008	\$332,171	+37.3%
May 2021	\$394,960	\$324,345	+21.8%
12-Month Avg*	\$410,002	\$311,565	+31.6%

^{*} Avg. Sales Price of all properties from June 2020 through May 2021. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

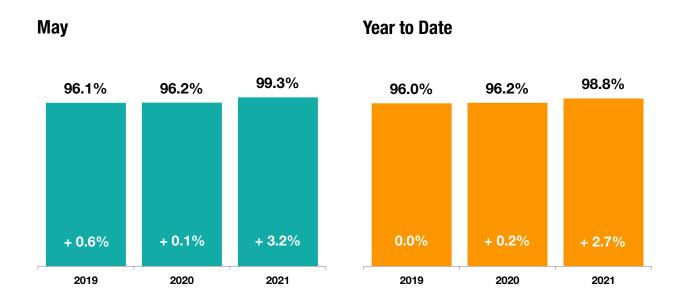
Historical Average Sales Price by Month



Percent of List Price Received



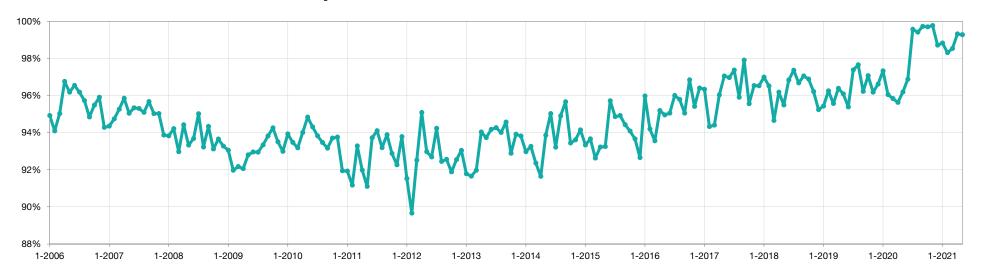
Percentage found when dividing a property's sales price by its most recent list price, then taking the average for all properties sold in a given month, not accounting for seller concessions.



% 95.4%	+1.6%
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^{*} Average Pct. of List Price Received for all properties from June 2020 through May 2021. This is not the average of the individual figures above.

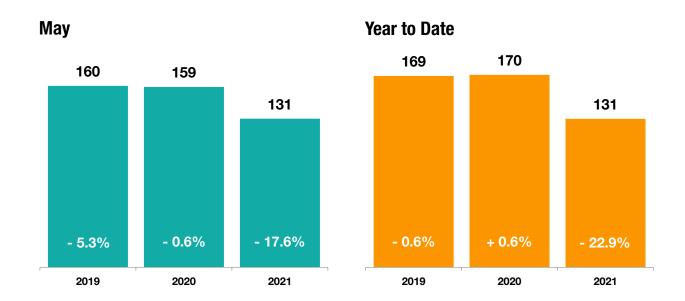
Historical Percent of List Price Received by Month



Housing Affordability Index

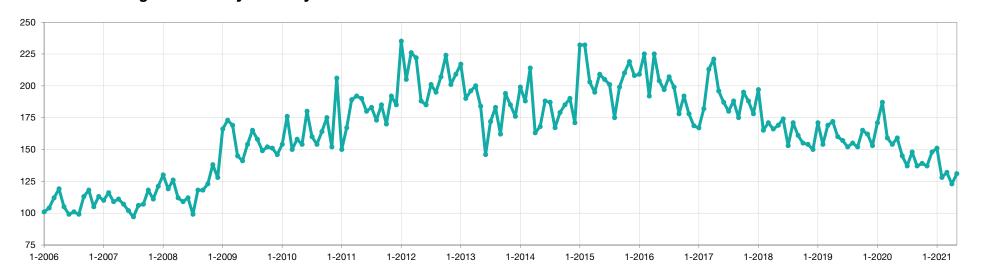


This index measures housing affordability for the region. For example, an index of 120 means the median household income is 120% of what is necessary to qualify for the median-priced home under prevailing interest rates. A higher number means greater affordability.



Affordability Index		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	145	157	-7.6%
July 2020	137	152	-9.9%
August 2020	148	155	-4.5%
September 2020	137	152	-9.9%
October 2020	139	165	-15.8%
November 2020	137	162	-15.4%
December 2020	148	153	-3.3%
January 2021	151	171	-11.7%
February 2021	128	187	-31.6%
March 2021	132	159	-17.0%
April 2021	123	154	-20.1%
May 2021	131	159	-17.6%
12-Month Avg	138	161	-14.0%

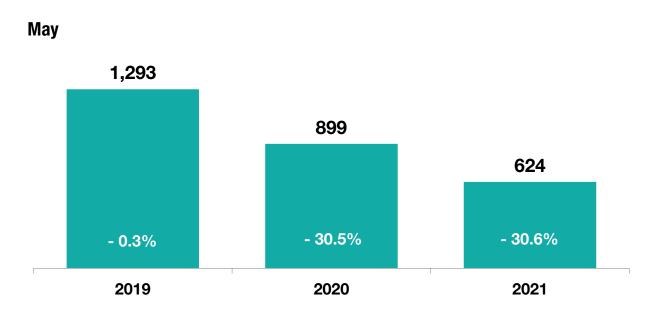
Historical Housing Affordability Index by Month



Inventory of Homes for Sale

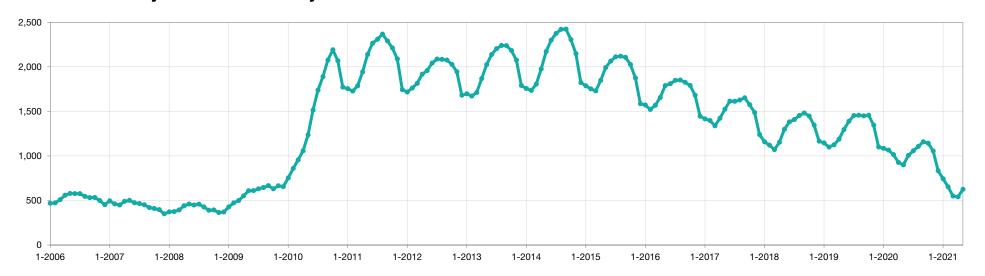
The number of properties available for sale in active status at the end of a given month.





	Prior Year	Percent Change
1,005	1,387	-27.5%
1,057	1,452	-27.2%
1,105	1,455	-24.1%
1,157	1,448	-20.1%
1,141	1,455	-21.6%
1,055	1,344	-21.5%
832	1,099	-24.3%
743	1,083	-31.4%
653	1,063	-38.6%
549	1,014	-45.9%
540	925	-41.6%
624	899	-30.6%
872	1,219	-28.5%
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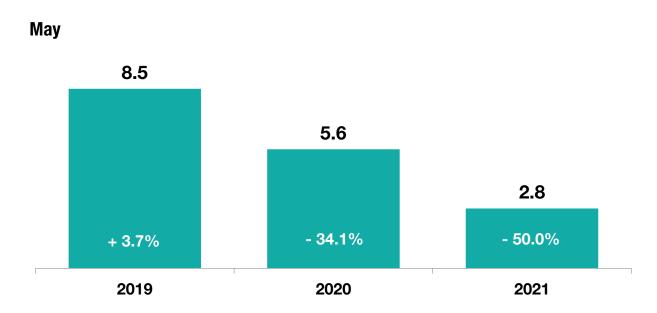
Historical Inventory of Homes for Sale by Month



Months Supply of Inventory







Months Supply		Prior Year	Percent Change
June 2020	6.1	9.0	-32.2%
July 2020	5.9	9.4	-37.2%
August 2020	5.9	9.4	-37.2%
September 2020	5.9	9.1	-35.2%
October 2020	5.7	9.0	-36.7%
November 2020	5.1	8.4	-39.3%
December 2020	4.0	6.8	-41.2%
January 2021	3.5	6.7	-47.8%
February 2021	3.1	6.4	-51.6%
March 2021	2.5	6.2	-59.7%
April 2021	2.4	5.8	-58.6%
May 2021	2.8	5.6	-50.0%
12-Month Avg	4.4	7.7	-42.9%

Historical Months Supply of Inventory by Month

