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RE: Ohio's April 2023 Home Sales

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The number of homes sold throughout Ohio in April fell from the pace set during the month a year ago, while average prices continued to climb, according to Ohio REALTORS.

Homes sales in April 2023 reached 10,094, a 20.9% decline from the 12,763 sales recorded during the month a year ago. The average sales price across Ohio in April reached \$268,257, a 4% increase from the \$258,000 mark posted in April 2022.

"Activity in the Ohio housing marketplace is continuing to lag sales from a year ago, as we continue to confront tight inventory levels of homes listed for sale and a higher interest rate environment," said Ohio REALTORS President Ralph Mantica. "That said, the continued rise in average price is a strong indication that consumers understand that housing is a smart, long-term investment.

"Ohio's REALTORS are poised to help sellers and buyers navigate the challenges of today's real estate marketplace and achieve their unique housing goals."

Around the state, 15 of the 15 of the markets tracked experienced an increase in average price for the month compared to April 2022. Additionally, only one local market showed an increase in sales activity compared to a year ago.

Data provided to Ohio REALTORS by Multiple Listing Services includes residential closings for new and existing single-family homes and condominiums/co-ops.

Ohio REALTORS, with more than 36,000 members, is the largest professional trade association in Ohio. See below for a market-by-market analysis of sales activity throughout Ohio.

(NOTE: There might be a slight variance between the reported number of sales contained in this release and actual activity in the various markets due to Ohio REALTORS' early reporting requirement. Check with contacts in the particular market.)

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## **Ohio Local MLS Stats Report for April 2023**

MLS	<b>Number of Units Sold</b>				Doll	ar Volume	Average Sale Price				
	2022	2023	% Change		2022	2023	% Change		2022	2023	% Change
Ashland	41	21	-48.8%	\$	7,905,150 \$	3,818,300	-51.7%	\$	192,809 \$	181,824	-5.7%
Athens	91	75	-17.6%	\$	17,289,489 \$	16,312,100	-5.7%	\$	189,994 \$	217,495	14.5%
Cincinnati	2,204	1,590	-27.9%	\$	654,433,443 \$	506,055,268	-22.7%	\$	296,930 \$	318,274	7.2%
Columbus	2,772	2,175	-21.5%	\$	926,103,024 \$	741,048,600	-20.0%	\$	334,092 \$	340,712	2.0%
Dayton	1,312	1,095	-16.5%	\$	322,003,295 \$	277,080,782	-14.0%	\$	245,429 \$	253,042	3.1%
Firelands	246	191	-22.4%	\$	54,078,060 \$	47,419,701	-12.3%	\$	219,830 \$	248,271	12.9%
Greater Portsmouth	62	56	-9.7%	\$	8,081,440 \$	9,599,750	18.8%	\$	130,346 \$	171,424	31.5%
Knox	24	30	25.0%	\$	4,599,800 \$	9,072,700	97.2%	\$	191,658 \$	302,423	57.8%
Lancaster	15	9	-40.0%	\$	2,940,140 \$	2,262,360	-23.1%	\$	196,009 \$	251,373	28.2%
Mansfield	130	112	-13.8%	\$	21,899,962 \$	20,321,020	-7.2%	\$	168,461 \$	181,438	7.7%
MLS Now <sup>1</sup>	4,301	3,516	-18.3%	\$	953,258,022 \$	830,118,947	-12.9%	\$	221,636 \$	236,098	6.5%
NORIS <sup>2</sup>	862	735	-14.7%	\$	181,790,634 \$	143,511,659	-21.1%	\$	210,894 \$	195,254	-7.4%
Scioto Valley	111	70	-36.9%	\$	19,568,100 \$	14,314,900	-26.8%	\$	176,289 \$	204,499	16.0%
West Central <sup>3</sup>	220	150	-31.8%	\$	39,592,793 \$	25,722,348	-35.0%	\$	179,967 \$	171,482	-4.7%
WRIST <sup>4</sup>	504	365	-27.6%	\$	104,503,461 \$	81,254,145	-22.2%	\$	207,348 \$	222,614	7.4%
Statewide	12,763	10,094	-20.9%	\$	3,292,852,174 \$	2,707,782,180	-17.8%	\$	258,000 \$	268,257	4.0%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> MLS Now: Ashtabula, Belmont, Carroll, Columbiana, Coshocton, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Gernsey, Harrison, Holmes, Jefferson, Lake, Lorain, Mahoning, Medina, Muskingum, Portage, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Tuscarawas, Washington and Wayne Counties.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> NORIS (Northwest Ohio Regional Information System): Lucas, Fulton, Defiance, Williams, Henry, Wood, Putnam, Paulding, Hancock, and Wyandot Counties.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> West Central: Allen, Hardin and Van Wert Counties.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> WRIST (Western Regional Information Systems and Technology): Clark, Miami, Champaign, Logan, Shelby, Auglaize and Mercer Counties.

## **Ohio Local MLS Stats Report for January through April 2023**

Number of Units Sold					Dollar Volume				Average Sale Price				
MLS	2022	2023	% Change		2022	2023	% Change		2022	2023	% Change		
Ashland	146	90	-38.4%	\$	27,927,575 \$	16,939,050	-39.3%	\$	191,285	\$ 188,212	-1.6%		
Athens	233	217	-6.9%	\$	45,636,282 \$	41,462,620	-9.1%	\$	195,864	\$ 191,072	-2.4%		
Cincinnati	7,333	5,622	-23.3%	\$	2,101,350,423 \$	1,686,153,510	-19.8%	\$	286,561	\$ 299,921	4.7%		
Columbus	9,077	7,759	-14.5%	\$	2,839,385,447 \$	2,514,234,119	-11.5%	\$	312,811	\$ 324,041	3.6%		
Dayton	4,627	3,892	-15.9%	\$	1,054,599,074 \$	937,997,412	-11.1%	\$	227,923	\$ 241,007	5.7%		
Firelands	815	717	-12.0%	\$	168,079,173 \$	152,982,662	-9.0%	\$	206,232	\$ 213,365	3.5%		
Greater Porstmouth	216	190	-12.0%	\$	29,364,595 \$	29,793,018	1.5%	\$	135,947	\$ 156,805	15.3%		
Knox	118	113	-4.2%	\$	27,957,850 \$	26,216,873	-6.2%	\$	236,931	\$ 232,008	-2.1%		
Lancaster	51	43	-15.7%	\$	9,533,133 \$	10,134,740	6.3%	\$	186,924	\$ 235,692	26.1%		
Mansfield	493	414	-16.0%	\$	82,404,854 \$	69,803,983	-15.3%	\$	167,150	\$ 168,609	0.9%		
MLS Now <sup>1</sup>	14,877	12,603	-15.3%	\$	3,167,621,371 \$	2,768,674,450	-12.6%	\$	212,921	\$ 219,684	3.2%		
NORIS <sup>2</sup>	3,098	2,628	-15.2%	\$	601,740,035 \$	492,047,241	-18.2%	\$	194,235	\$ 187,233	-3.6%		
Scioto Valley	324	263	-18.8%	\$	56,534,015 \$	53,773,119	-4.9%	\$	174,488	\$ 204,461	17.2%		
West Central <sup>3</sup>	770	572	-25.7%	\$	124,728,292 \$	98,385,904	-21.1%	\$	161,985	\$ 172,003	6.2%		
WRIST <sup>4</sup>	1,684	1,386	-17.7%	\$	328,660,218 \$	283,973,915	-13.6%	\$	195,166	\$ 204,887	5.0%		
Statewide	43,483	36,202	-16.7%	\$	10,591,958,480 \$	9,124,170,946	-13.9%	\$	243,588	\$ 252,035	3.5%		

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