

National Foreclosure Report

JANUARY 2015

12.7%

In January, the foreclosure inventory was down 2.7 percent from December 2014, representing 39 months of consecutive year-over-year declines.

"Job growth and home-value appreciation have worked to push the serious delinquency rate to the lowest since mid-2008 and foreclosures down by one-third from a year ago. With economic growth in 2015 expected to be better than last year, further declines in both delinquencies and foreclosures are projected for this year."

Frank Nothaft, chief economist at CoreLogic



National Overview through January 2015

- ▶ There Were 43,000 Completed Foreclosures Nationally, Down From 55,000 in January 2014
- ► Seriously Delinquent Rate Is at 4.0 Percent Lowest Level Since June 2008
- ▶ Approximately 549,000 homes in the United States were in some stage of foreclosure compared to 822,000 in January 2014

Completed Foreclosures





43K

22.5% 14.7%

in January 2015

Decline Year Over Year

Compared to December 2014

A CoreLogic analysis shows 43,000 foreclosures were completed in January 2015, a 22.5 percent year-over-year decline from 55,000* in January 2014. By comparison, before the decline in the housing market in 2007, completed foreclosures averaged 21,000 per month nationwide between 2000 and 2006. On a month-over-month* basis, completed foreclosures were up by 14.7 percent. Completed foreclosures are an indication of the total number of homes actually lost to foreclosure.

^{*} January 2014 data was revised. Revisions with public records are standard and to ensure accuracy, CoreLogic incorporates newly released data to provide updated results.

National Foreclosure Inventory





THE CURRENT
FORECLOSURE RATE
OF 1.4 PERCENT IS THE
LOWEST INVENTORY
LEVEL SINCE MARCH 2008.

33.2%

1.4%

Compared to January 2014

Of All Homes with a Mortgage

Approximately 549,000 homes in the United States were in some stage of foreclosure as of January 2015, compared to 822,000 in January* 2014, a decrease of 33.2 percent. This was the 39th consecutive month with a year-over-year decline. As of January 2015, the foreclosure inventory represented 1.4 percent of all homes with a mortgage, compared to 2.0 percent in January 2014.

"The foreclosure inventory continues to shrink with declines in all 50 states over the past 12 months. Florida, one of the hardest hit states during the foreclosure crisis, experienced a decline of almost 50 percent year over year which is outstanding news."

Anand Nallathambi, president and CEO of CoreLogic



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Time Series - National Overview

	FEB- 14	MAR- 14	APR- 14	MAY- 14	JUN- 14	JUL- 14	AUG- 14	SEP- 14	ост- 14	NOV- 14	DEC- 14	JAN- 15
Serious Delinquency*	1,897	1,826	1,776	1,733	1,707	1,677	1,658	1,634	1,587	1,585	1,561	1,538
-MOM % Chg in #	-6.0%	-3.7%	-2.7%	-2.4%	-1.5%	-1.8%	-1.1%	-1.5%	-2.9%	-0.1%	-1.5%	-1.5%
-YOY % Chg in #	-25.6%	-25.9%	-25.1%	-25.2%	-25.9%	-25.8%	-24.0%	-24.0%	-24.7%	-24.0%	-24.1%	-23.8%
Foreclosure Inventory*	761	729	694	675	663	647	626	618	586	569	564	549
-MOM % Chg in #	-7.4%	-4.2%	-4.8%	-2.8%	-1.7%	-2.4%	-3.2%	-1.3%	-5.1%	-3.1%	-0.8%	-2.7%
-YOY % Chg in #	-35.3%	-37.4%	-36.4%	-37.1%	-36.0%	-36.2%	-35.8%	-34.9%	-34.9%	-37.4%	-35.1%	-33.2%
Completed Foreclosures*	46	48	49	50	49	47	42	63	44	34	37	43
-MOM % Chg in #	-17.0%	4.2%	2.7%	1.1%	-1.5%	-3.4%	-10.6%	49.4%	-29.6%	-23.8%	10.5%	14.7%
-YOY % Chg in #	-12.3%	-11.6%	-14.8%	-6.4%	-11.1%	-18.4%	-28.4%	-8.1%	-21.1%	-27.4%	-18.8%	-22.5%
-12-Month Sum*	655	649	640	637	631	620	603	598	586	573	564	552



THE NUMBER
OF MORTGAGES
IN SERIOUS
DELINQUENCY IS
AT 4.0 PERCENT IN
JANUARY 2015

THE FORECLOSURE INVENTORY RECORDED 39 STRAIGHT MONTHS OF DECLINES

^{*}Thousands of Units

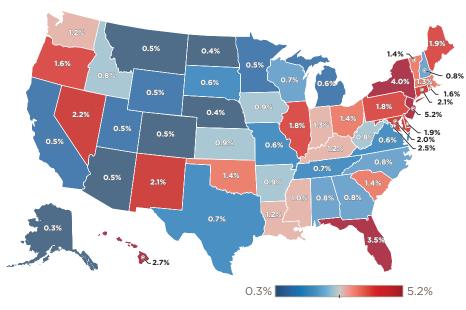
Foreclosure Inventory by State

36

states have an inventory of foreclosed homes lower than the national rate

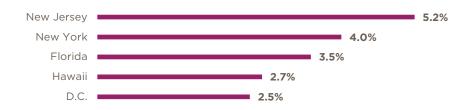
Twenty-four states

Show declines of more than 30 percent in year-over-year foreclosure inventory, with Florida (-49.0%) and Maine (-49.5%) experiencing the greatest year-over-year declines



As of January 2015 Source: CoreLogic Market Trends

Four states and the District of Columbia with the highest foreclosure inventory as a percentage of mortgaged homes

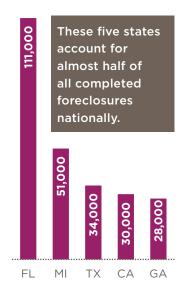


Five states with the lowest foreclosure inventory as a percentage of mortgaged homes

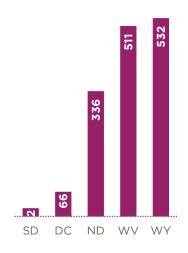




State Highlights

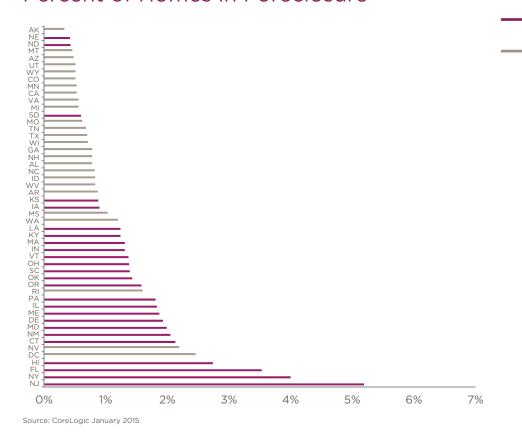


Five states with the highest number of completed foreclosures during past 12 months



Four states and the District of Columbia, with the lowest number of completed foreclosures during past 12 months

Percent of Homes in Foreclosure



All states posted a year-over-year, double-digit decline in foreclosures; with the exception of Wyoming, which experienced a 0.2 percent decrease; The District of Columbia, which experienced a 22.1 percent increase; and Massachusetts which experienced a 4.4 percent decrease.

Judicial

Non-Judicial

State Foreclosure Data

Judicial States

National

Foreclosure Inventory: 1.4%

Foreclosure Inventory Pct. Point Change from -0.6% a Year Ago:

Completed Foreclosures (12 months ending January 2015):

552,048

Serious Delinquency: 4.0%

Decline in

Seriously Delinquent

Mortgages: -23.8% YOY

JUDICIAL STATES	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY PCT. POINT CHANGE FROM A YEAR AGO	COMPLETED FORECLOSURES (12 MONTHS ENDING JAN 2015)	SERIOUS DELINQUENCY RATE
Florida	3.5%	-2.9%	111,321	7.7%
Ohio	1.4%	-0.6%	27,891	4.4%
Pennsylvania	1.8%	-0.6%	19,099	4.9%
Illinois	1.8%	-1.1%	16,848	5.0%
Indiana	1.3%	-0.6%	14,870	4.1%
Oklahoma	1.4%	-0.5%	9,656	3.9%
Maryland	2.0%	-1.0%	8,971	5.7%
New York	4.0%	-0.8%	8,234	7.2%
New Jersey	5.2%	-1.1%	8,216	8.9%
South Carolina	1.4%	-0.6%	7,298	4.0%
Louisiana	1.2%	-0.4%	6,608	4.7%
Connecticut	2.1%	-1.2%	5,731	5.4%
lowa	0.9%	-0.5%	4,865	2.6%
Oregon	1.6%	-0.8%	4,797	3.6%
Kentucky	1.2%	-0.4%	3,582	3.8%
Massachusetts	1.3%	0.0%	3,339	4.1%
Kansas	0.9%	-0.2%	3,194	3.2%
New Mexico	2.1%	-0.4%	1,616	4.3%
Delaware	1.9%	-0.6%	1,549	5.1%
Nebraska	0.4%	-0.2%	1,435	2.0%
Hawaii	2.7%	-0.6%	927	4.5%
Maine	1.9%	-1.6%	859	5.5%
North Dakota	0.4%	-0.1%	336	1.0%
South Dakota	0.6%	-0.1%	•	1.8%
Vermont	1.4%	-0.6%	•	3.2%

Source: CoreLogic January 2015



State Foreclosure Data

Non-Judicial States

NON-JUDICIAL STATES	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY PCT. POINT CHANGE FROM A YEAR AGO	COMPLETED FORECLOSURES (12 MONTHS ENDING JAN 2015)	SERIOUS DELINQUENCY RATE
Michigan	0.6%	-0.3%	50,670	3.0%
Texas	0.7%	-0.2%	33,588	3.0%
California	0.5%	-0.2%	29,720	2.0%
Georgia	0.8%	-0.4%	28,410	3.9%
North Carolina	0.8%	-0.3%	20,065	3.4%
Tennessee	0.7%	-0.2%	14,389	3.9%
Washington	1.2%	-0.6%	13,420	3.2%
Arizona	0.5%	-0.2%	13,299	2.0%
Missouri	0.6%	-0.1%	11,786	3.0%
Virginia	0.6%	-0.2%	10,959	2.6%
Alabama	0.8%	-0.4%	8,718	4.5%
Nevada	2.2%	-0.8%	8,602	5.3%
Wisconsin	0.7%	-0.3%	6,419	2.5%
Minnesota	0.5%	-0.1%	6,065	2.2%
Colorado	0.5%	-0.2%	5,893	1.7%
Arkansas	0.9%	-0.5%	4,518	4.4%
Idaho	0.8%	-0.6%	3,636	2.5%
Utah	0.5%	-0.4%	3,525	2.2%
New Hampshire	0.8%	-0.1%	1,680	2.9%
Rhode Island	1.6%	-0.5%	1,531	5.5%
Mississippi	1.0%	-0.3%	1,060	5.6%
Alaska	0.3%	-0.1%	889	1.4%
Montana	0.5%	-0.2%	832	1.7%
Wyoming	0.5%	0.0%	532	1.8%
West Virginia	0.8%	-0.1%	511	3.3%
District of Columbia	2.5%	0.5%	66	4.4%

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Metropolitan Area Highlights

Foreclosure Data for the Largest Core Based Statistical Areas (CBSAs)

METROPOLITAN AREA	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY	FORECLOSURE INVENTORY PCT. POINT CHANGE FROM A YEAR AGO	COMPLETED FORECLOSURES (12 MONTHS ENDING JAN 2015)	SERIOUS DELINQUENCY RATE
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	4.5%	-3.0%	17,235	8.7%
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	0.8%	-0.4%	15,286	3.8%
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	3.2%	-3.3%	15,053	7.4%
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL	2.1%	-1.2%	8,530	5.7%
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	0.4%	-0.2%	7,832	1.8%
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	0.7%	-0.2%	7,590	2.9%
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	0.8%	-0.2%	6,323	3.1%
St. Louis, MO-IL	0.7%	-0.2%	5,813	3.3%
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX	0.7%	-0.2%	5,447	3.0%
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	0.9%	-0.5%	5,185	3.5%
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	0.5%	-0.1%	4,961	2.1%
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	2.1%	-1.0%	4,947	5.9%
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA	0.6%	-0.2%	4,822	2.3%
New York-Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ	4.1%	-0.9%	4,366	7.2%
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI	0.4%	-0.3%	4,068	2.2%

Source: CoreLogic January 2015



National Foreclosure Report Methodology

The data in this report represents foreclosure activity reported through January 2015.

This report separates state data into judicial versus non-judicial foreclosure state categories. In judicial foreclosure states, lenders must provide evidence to the courts of delinquency in order to move a borrower into foreclosure. In non-judicial foreclosure states, lenders can issue notices of default directly to the borrower without court intervention. This is an important distinction since judicial states, as a rule, have longer foreclosure timelines, thus affecting foreclosure statistics.

A completed foreclosure occurs when a property is auctioned and results in the purchase of the home at auction by either a third party, such as an investor, or by the lender. If the home is purchased by the lender, it is moved into the lender's real estate owned (REO) inventory. In "foreclosure by advertisement" states, a redemption period begins after the auction and runs for a statutory period, e.g., six months. During that period, the borrower may regain the foreclosed home by paying all amounts due as calculated under the statute. For purposes of this Foreclosure Report, because so few homes are actually redeemed following an auction, it is assumed that the foreclosure process ends in "foreclosure by advertisement" states at the completion of the auction.

The foreclosure inventory represents the number and share of mortgaged homes that have been placed into the process of foreclosure by the mortgage servicer. Mortgage servicers start the foreclosure process when the mortgage reaches a specific level of serious delinquency as dictated by the investor for the mortgage loan. Once a foreclosure is "started," and absent the borrower paying all amounts necessary to halt the foreclosure, the home remains in foreclosure until the completed foreclosure results in the sale to a third party at auction or the home enters the lender's REO inventory. The data in this report accounts for only first liens against a property and does not include secondary liens. The foreclosure inventory is measured only against homes that have an outstanding mortgage. Homes with no mortgage liens can never be in foreclosure and are, therefore, excluded from the analysis. Approximately one-third of homes nationally are owned outright and do not have a mortgage. CoreLogic has approximately 85 percent coverage of U.S. foreclosure data.

SOURCE: CORELOGIC

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