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**Manhattan Residential Sales Market Report** 



# Overview

### **Closed Sales**

2,797

# -7% YEAR OVER YEAR -15% QUARTER OVER QUARTER

Closed sales declined by 7% annually. Resale co-ops enjoyed a slight increase in sales.

Resale condo and new development sales fell by double digits year-over-year.

## Days on Market

108

#### +5% YEAR OVER YEAR +10% QUARTER OVER QUAR-

Days on market increased by 5% annually to 108 days. Rising inventory and low market confidence continues to extend the amount of time buyers are taking before purchasing.

#### **Median Price**

\$1.075M

# -2% YEAR OVER YEAR -2% QUARTER OVER QUARTER

Median price declined 2% year-over-year and has now declined for four consecutive quarters. At \$1.075M, median price fell to 10% below the peak hit in Second Quarter 2017.

### **Contracts Signed**

2,309

#### -12% YEAR OVER YEAR +2% QUARTER OVER QUARTER

Contract activity fell by an even greater percentage versus closed sales, down a significant 12% annually. Buyer hesitancy continues to mute contract activity.

### Inventory

6,993

# +10% YEAR OVER YEAR -4% QUARTER OVER QUARTER

Inventory increased 10% year-over-year to just under 7,000 active listings. Fourth quarter inventory was last this high in 2011, and is 66% higher than its trough hit at the end of 2013.

### Average PPSF

\$1,813

#### +3% YEAR OVER YEAR +8% QUARTER OVER QUARTER

Average price per square foot rose 3% annually due to a limited number of sales in prime buildings near Central Park. If these sales were excluded, average price per square foot would have dropped.



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# Sales

- Marketwide sales fell by 7% annually to 2,797 closings, but was the most
  moderate year-over-year decline of 2018. This was the lowest fourth
  quarter total since 2011, and the first time since then that fourth quarter
  closings failed to reach 3,000 transactions, and the first time since 2009
  that closings have fallen year-over-year for four consecutive quarters.
- Sales volume dipped 5% annually to \$5.63 billion. This drop was less than
  that for the number of closings because of an increase in sales over \$5M.
- Contracts signed fell 12% annually as some buyers continued to hesitate.
   Only 2,309 contracts were signed this fall, the slowest fourth quarter since 2011. Several factors delayed buyers' decision making, including midterm elections and concerns over growing financial market risk.

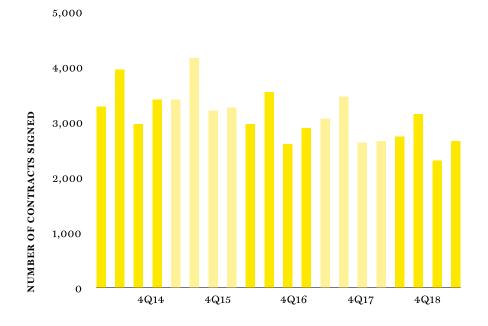
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NUMBER OF CLOSED SALES	1,000							30	DAYS ON MARKET
NUMI	0		4Q14	4Q15	4Q16	4Q17	4Q18	О	DAYS

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
CLOSED SALES	2,797	3,017	-7%	3,279	-15%
SALES VOLUME	\$5.63B	\$5.94B	-5%	\$6.25B	-10%
CONTRACTS SIGNED	2,309	2,621	-12%	2,271	2%
DAYS ON MARKET	108	103	5%	98	10%

 Marketing times lengthened compared to last year. Apartments that closed in Fourth Quarter 2018 spent an average of 108 days on the market, the highest end-of-year reading since 2012.

### Contracts Signed - CONTRACTS SIGNED



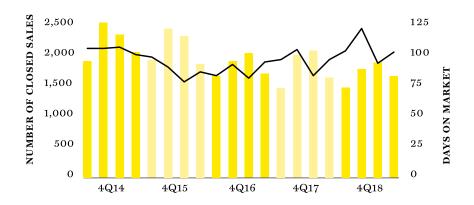


## Resale Co-op Sales

CLOSED SALES - AVERAGE DAYS ON MARKET

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
SALES	1,623	1,612	1%	1,855	-13%
MARKET SHARE	58%	53%	5%	57%	-1%
DAYS ON MARKET	101	96	6%	92	10%

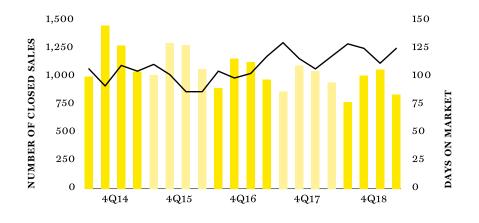
Resale co-ops were the only product type with more sales than last year, up less than 1% annually to 1,623 closings. This was the second quarter in 2018 that sales were higher than 2017, thus making resale co-ops the best performing product type of 2018. At 58% of all sales, resale co-op market share of fall sales hit a 10-year high.



#### Resale Condo Sales

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
SALES	824	928	-11%	1,046	-21%
MARKET SHARE	29%	31%	-1%	32%	2%
DAYS ON MARKET	124	116	7%	110	12%

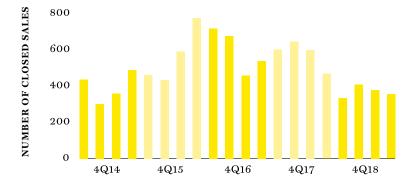
Resale condo sales stepped back after last quarter's annual improvement, declining 11% year-over-year to 824 sales. Closings below \$2M fell by a greater percentage than above that threshold, while one bright spot was a 20% increase in sales over \$5M. With this double-digit decline, market share of sales fell 1%.



## New Development Sales

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
SALES	351	477	-26%	374	-6%
MARKET SHARE	13%	16%	-3%	16%	-3%

New development sales and market share fell for a fifth consecutive quarter, down 26% annually to 351 sales. As has been the case in 2018, sales fell amid coincident drops in contracts activity at properties with immediate occupancy and the diminishing pipeline of contracts signed from earlier years waiting to close. This quarter's decline was actually less significant than previous quarters thanks to the start of closings at several developments including 520 Park, 220 Central Park South, and The Lindley.



Note: New developments are excluded because many available, unsold units are held off the market for long periods of time.



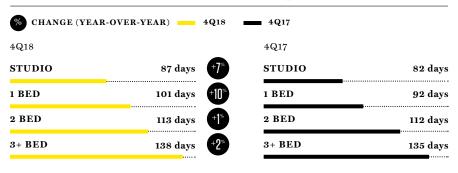
# Sales

### Days on Market by Price Range

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JNDER \$500K	90 days	-5*	UNDER \$500K	95 day
500K TO \$1M	93 days	+6*	\$500K TO \$1M	88 day
1M TO \$2M	99 days	+6%	\$1M TO \$2M	93 day
2M TO \$3M	103 days	+5%	\$2M TO \$3M	98 da
3M TO \$5M	106 days	+5%	\$3M TO \$5M	101 day
5M+	108 days	+5%	\$5M+	 103 dav

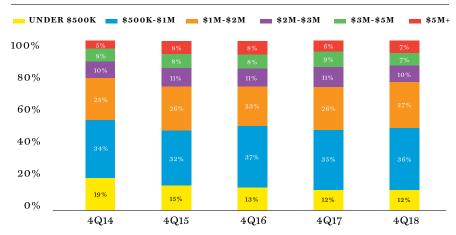
Days on market increased linearly with apartment prices. Year-over-year, days on market declined for apartments under \$500K, but rose for all other price ranges. An increase in the quality of low-end inventory reduced marketing times under \$500K. Days on market increased in all price ranges above \$500K with rising inventory between \$1M and \$3M and continued luxury headwinds.

## Days on Market by Bedroom Type



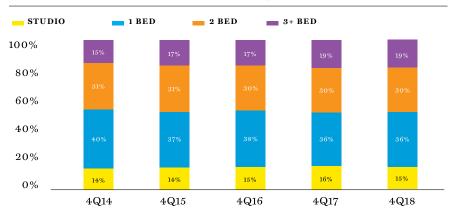
Days on market by bedroom type lengthened with apartment size as well. Marketing times lengthened for all bedroom types versus last year, but grew most for studio and one bedrooms where inventory has expanded most this year.

### Market Share by Price Range



The market share of apartments by price range was relatively steady versus last year. Shifts included a 1% increase in market share over \$5M and a 2% increase for apartments priced between \$500K and \$1M that accompanied rising inventory in that price range.

## Market Share by Bedroom Type

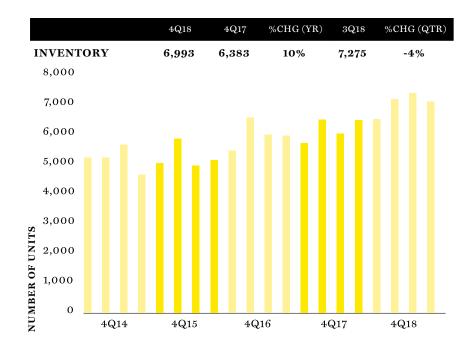


Market share by bedroom type was essentially unchanged versus last year. Smaller studio and one bedrooms claimed 51% of sales. Two and three+ bedrooms registered a lesser 49% market share.

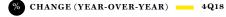


# Inventory

- Marketwide listed inventory rose 10% versus last year to nearly 7,000 active listings. Although fourth quarter inventory hasn't been this high since 2011, this quarter's figure was still 31% lower than the fourth quarter peak reached in 2008.
- Despite the double-digit year-over-year increase, inventory still noted its expected seasonal downtick from its summer high, withdrawing 4% versus last quarter.
- Inventory grew in every submarket year-over-year, rising by double-digits on the East Side and the West Side. North and south of Central Park, supply expanded by lesser amounts.
- Inventory expanded across the board by bedroom type, but not by price range. Year-over-year, supply for price ranges below \$3M increased, especially within the sub-\$1M price ranges. On the other hand, inventory over \$3M shrank for a second consecutive quarter for the second time since 2010.
- By bedroom type, as mirrored by annual changes in inventory by price range, lower-priced, smaller apartments saw the bulk of this quarter's increase in inventory, with studio and one bedroom supply rising 16% annually. Two and three+ bedrooms saw 8% and 3% more listings, respectively.



### Market Share

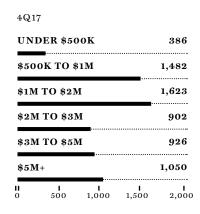




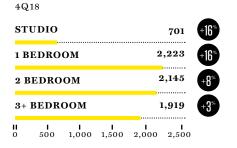
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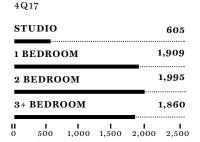
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#### BY BEDROOM TYPE







## Resale Co-op Inventory

NUMBER OF UNITS — % SHARE

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
INVENTORY	3,297	2,824	17%	3,447	-4%
MARKET SHARE	47%	44%	3%	47%	0%

Resale co-op inventory increased more than any other product type, up 17% year-over-year to nearly 3,300 active listings, equivalent to 47% of Manhattan listings. This quarter was the sixth consecutive quarter with an annual increase in listings, a streak not seen in over ten years. Resale co-op inventory has now grown by double-digits for five consecutive quarters, and was last higher in 2012.

## Resale Condo Inventory

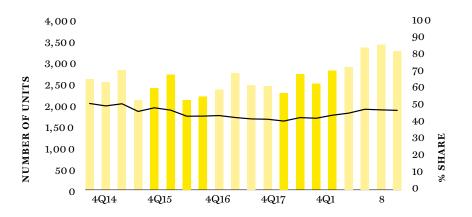
	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
INVENTORY	2,643	2,485	6%	2,849	-7%
MARKET SHARE	38%	39%	-1%	39%	-1%

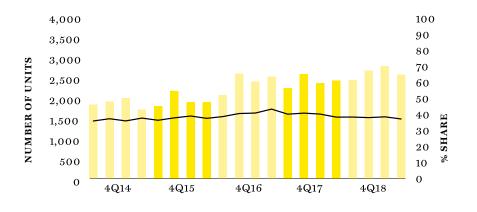
Resale condo inventory increased by less than resale co-ops, rising 6% year-over-year to 2,643 available apartments in Fourth Quarter 2018. Active resale condo listing growth was most pronounced among legacy properties built prior to 2000, within which listings grew by 23% year-over-year. Resale condo's market share of active listings declined 1% versus last quarter and last year.

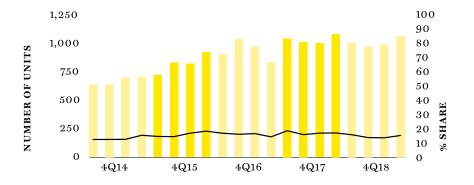
## New Development Inventory

	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
INVENTORY	1,053	1,074	-2%	979	8%
MARKET SHARE	15%	17%	-2%	13%	2%
NEW UNIT LAUNCHES	523	652	-19%	134	290%

Despite 523 new units coming to market within eight buildings during Fourth Quarter 2018, new development listings actually declined 2% annually to 1,056 active residences, and have now contracted year-over-year for four consecutive quarters. Despite this trend, the number of active sponsor listings is still 82% higher than the trough reached in Fourth Quarter 2012.









# **Prices**

- Median price and average price each changed 2% year-over-year, but shifted in
  opposite directions. Median price fell 2% annually to \$1.075M while average price
  rose 2% to \$2.012M. Despite these conflicting indicators this quarter, median price
  and average price figures are 10% and 7% lower than their respective 2017 peaks.
- Mirroring absolute price statistics, median price per square foot fell 4% year-overyear while the average price per square foot ticked up 3% versus the same period last year.
- Marketwide, median price statistics weakened as new development closings
  diminished, resale co-ops expanded their majority of sales, and the market share
  of sales under \$1M grew for a fourth consecutive quarter. Average price figures
  increased solely as a result of sponsor closings at 220 Central Park South and 520
  Park. In fact, were these handful of closings omitted, average price and average price
  per square foot would have declined.
- Resale co-op median and average price rose 2% year-over-year to \$810K and \$1.281M, respectively. Price figures responded to fewer sales in lower-cost neighborhoods as well as buyers returning to the resale co-op market in search of value.

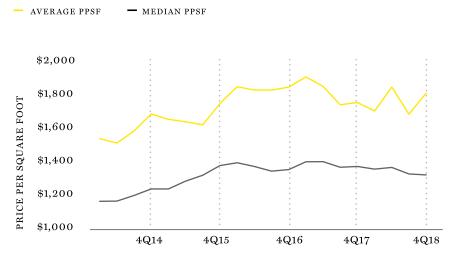
## Median and Average Price



4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
\$1.075M	\$1.100M	-2%	\$1.100M	-2%
\$2.012M	\$1.968M	2%	\$1.907M	6%
\$1,289	\$1,344	-4%	\$1,296	-1%
\$1,813	\$1,754	3%	\$1,679	8%
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- Resale condo price figures shifted by no more than 2% up or down versus lastyear.
   Median and average price per square foot figures declined 2% year-over-year as a greater number of resale condo sales occurred within historically lessexpensive and older condominiums versus the same time last year.
- The new development market displayed mixed price trends this quarter. Median
  price fell with fewer high-priced tower closings, yet median price persquare foot
  rose as the share of lower-priced conversion sales contracted. Average price figures
  increased as sales at view-oriented properties like 520 Park, 220 Central Park South,
  and 70 Vestry grew in number.

### Price Per Square Foot

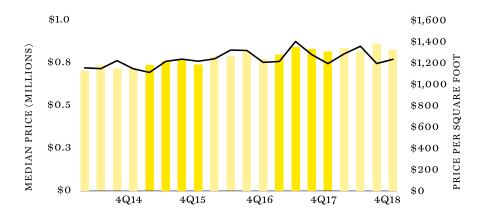


MEDIAN PRICE — AVERAGE PPSF



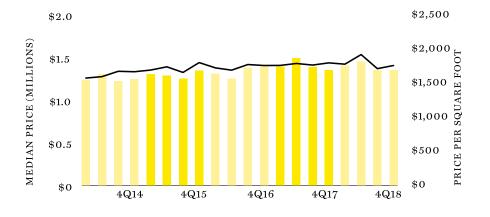
## Resale Co-op Prices

PRICES	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
MEDIAN PRICE	\$810K	\$797K	2%	\$845K	-4%
AVERAGE PRICE	\$1.281M	\$1.260M	2%	\$1.334M	-4%
MEDIAN PPSF	\$1,016	\$1,028	-1%	\$1,050	-3%
AVERAGE PPSF	\$1,207	\$1,163	4%	\$1,168	3%
MEDIAN PRICE BY B	EDROOM				
STUDIO	\$450K	\$475K	-5%	\$465K	-3%
1 BEDROOM	\$700K	\$718K	-3%	\$721K	-3%
2 BEDROOM	\$1.225M	\$1.265M	-3%	\$1.305M	-6%
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.475M	\$2.500M	-1%	\$2.450M	1%



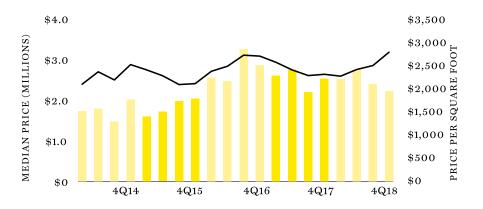
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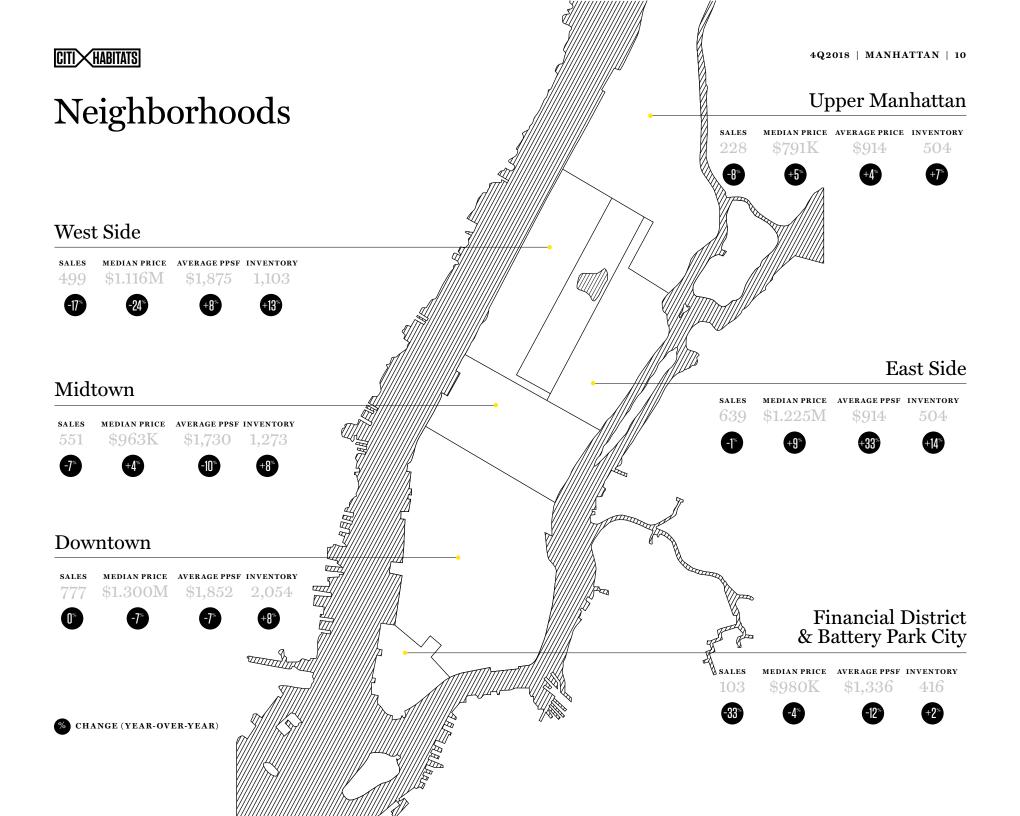
4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
\$1.350M	\$1.350M	0%	\$1.350M	0%
\$2.137M	\$2.095M	2%	\$2.125M	1%
\$1,423	\$1,448	-2%	\$1,415	1%
\$1,749	\$1,790	-2%	\$1,705	3%
EDROOM				
\$634K	\$726K	-13%	\$645K	-2%
\$1.035M	\$990K	5%	\$995K	4%
\$1.801M	\$1.875M	-4%	\$1.950M	-8%
\$3.837M	\$3.495M	10%	\$3.237M	19%
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## New Development Prices

PRICES	4Q18	4Q17	%CHG (YR)	3Q18	%CHG (QTR)
MEDIAN PRICE	\$2.302M	\$2.625M	-12%	\$2.476M	-7%
AVERAGE PRICE	\$5.098M	\$4.115M	24%	\$4.180M	22%
MEDIAN PPSF	\$1,939	\$1,831	6%	\$2,041	-5%
AVERAGE PPSF	\$2,879	\$2,384	21%	\$2,580	12%
MEDIAN PRICE BY I	BEDROOM				
STUDIO	\$962K	\$717K	34%	\$901K	7%
1 BEDROOM	\$1.389M	\$1.331M	4%	\$1.515M	-8%
2 BEDROOM	\$2.533M	\$2.551M	-1%	\$2.600M	-3%
3+ BEDROOM	\$7.908M	\$5.704M	39%	\$5.956M	33%







# East Side

- The East Side experienced stable activity year-over-year as sales declined less than 1% year-over-year. With closings declining by deeper percentages in most other submarkets year-over-year, East Side market share increased 2%.
- East Side inventory grew 14% annually, more than any other neighborhood.
- Average price per square foot was 33% higher year-over-year, largely due to closings at 520 Park. Median price, which is less skewed by high-priced transactions, rose 9%.
- Resale co-op average and median price statistics rose over 20% annually as \$3M plus sales nearly doubled versus a year ago.
- New development price statistics changed dramatically due to closings at 520 Park plus fewer sales at lower-priced conversion developments.

Sales

639

-1% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

116

+11% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

23%

+2% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$1.2M

+9% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

1,641

+14% YEAR OVER YEAR

Average PPSF

\$2,065

+33% YEAR OVER YEAR



East Side Price	s by Property Type	% CHANGE (YEAR-OVE	R-YEAR)		
RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17
\$1.042M +23	\$845K	\$1.600M <sup>+12</sup>	\$1.423M	\$6.350M	\$2.460M
MEDIAN PRICE					
\$1.738M •2	\$1.405M	\$2.020M -14°	\$2.361M	\$14.818M <b>32</b>	\$3.076M
AVERAGE PRICE					
\$1,000	\$963	\$1,399	\$1,458	\$2,577	\$1,696
MEDIAN PPSF					
\$1,315	\$1,230	\$1,593	\$1,744	\$4,333	\$1,940
AVERAGE PPSF					

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%	CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)
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RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18				4Q18	
STUDIO	\$405K <b>-6</b> *	STUDIO	\$658K <b>+15</b> *	STUDIO	N/A
1 BEDROOM	\$660K <b>-2</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$889K <b>-3</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$1.385M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.250M	2 BEDROOM	\$1.807M <b>-4</b> *	2 BEDROOM	\$2.657M
3+ BEDROOM	\$3.230M +7*	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.230M -4 <sup>8</sup>	3+ BEDROOM	\$9.150M
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$429K	STUDIO	\$570K	STUDIO	\$841K
1 BEDROOM	\$675K	1 BEDROOM	\$918K	1 BEDROOM	\$1.420M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.345M	2 BEDROOM	\$1.875M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.576M
3+ BEDROOM	\$3.045M	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.350M	3+ BEDROOM	\$4.662M



# West Side

- West Side sales fell by the second greatest amount of any submarket, down 17% annually. A major drop in new development closings was largely to blame for lower sales.
- With the steep decline in sponsor sales, West Side median price declined more than any other area, falling 24%. Despite this drop in the median price statistic, a handful of sales at 220 Central Park South drove an 8% increase in the West Side average price per square foot.
- Median price declined for both resale co-op and resale condos versus last year. For each, the number of sales over \$3M dropped by more than 10%.
- Like the East Side, West Side new development price statistics were skewed by sales beginning at one particular development: 220 Central Park South. Nearly all price figures rose over 30% year-over-year.

Sales

499

-17% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

104

+1% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

18%

-2% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$1.1M

-24% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

1,103

+13% YEAR OVER YEAR

Average PPSF

\$1,875

+8% YEAR OVER YEAR



West Side Price	ees by Property Type	% CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)					
RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT			
4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17		
\$980K -13°	\$1.125M	\$1.325M 5	\$1.400M	\$5.897M +0	\$2.842M		
MEDIAN PRICE							
\$1.359M -19	\$1.680M	\$2.197M	\$2.412M	\$6.867M +83	\$3.761M		
AVERAGE PRICE							
\$1,083	\$1,149	\$1,466	\$1,482	\$2,376	\$1,825		
MEDIAN PPSF							
\$1,287	\$1,244	\$1,966	\$2,029	\$3,316	\$1,885		
AVERAGE PPSF							

# West Side Median Price by Bedroom Change (Year-Over-Year)

RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q18		4Q18	
STUDIO	\$473K <b>-1</b> %	STUDIO	\$675K <b>-13</b> *	STUDIO	\$651K N/A
1 BEDROOM	\$735K <b>+3</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$1.077M +3 <sup>%</sup>	1 BEDROOM	\$1.440M <b>-3</b> %
2 BEDROOM	\$1.400M <b>-9</b> *	2 BEDROOM	\$2.312M <b>+23</b> *	2 BEDROOM	\$13.186M +38
3+ BEDROOM	\$1.925M -18*	3+ BEDROOM	\$2.925M <b>-22</b> *	3+ BEDROOM	\$6.976M +62
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$477K	STUDIO	\$775K	STUDIO	\$792K
1 BEDROOM	\$720K	1 BEDROOM	\$1.050M	1 BEDROOM	\$1.481M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.545M	2 BEDROOM	\$1.875M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.708M
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.350M	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.759M	3+ BEDROOM	\$4.319M



# Midtown

- Midtown sales fell 7% year-over-year due to with sales dropping among all product types.
- Resale co-op overall price statistics fell across the board. An improved market share of sales in lower-priced Murray Hill and Hell's Kitchen caused the declines.
- Resale condo average price increased the most in Manhattan, up 38% due to four times the number of sales over \$10M with Central Park and/or East River views versus last year.
- Overall new development price statistics declined significantly. Median and average price each fell over 30% as sales shifted away from higher-priced tower closings at 252 East 57th Street and 432 Park to less expensive developments like The Lindley.

Sales

551

-7% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

118

+11% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

20%

0% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$962K

+4% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

1,273

+8% YEAR OVER YEAR

Average PPSF

\$1,730

-10% YEAR OVER YEAR



#### Midtown Prices by Property Type RESALE CO-OP RESALE CONDO NEW DEVELOPMENT 4Q18 4Q17 4Q18 4Q17 4Q18 4Q17 \$670K \$1.091M **3** \$2.265M \$1.236M \$610K \$1.437M MEDIAN PRICE \$880K \$2.148M \$1.554M \$2.494M **\$5.238M** \$788K AVERAGE PRICE \$958 \$1,409 **1** \$1,417 \$1,875 **\$2,038** \$922 MEDIAN PPSF \$992 **1** \$1,672 \$3,138 \$1,925 \$2,333 AVERAGE PPSF

% CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)

Midtown Median Price by Bedroom	%	CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)
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RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q18		4Q18	
STUDIO	\$397K <b>-{}</b> *	STUDIO	\$600K -8°	STUDIO	\$978K <b>-3</b> 4
1 BEDROOM	\$674K <b>-3</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$1.040M +6 <sup>%</sup>	1 BEDROOM	\$1.405M +10
2 BEDROOM	\$1.086M -12°	2 BEDROOM	\$1.675M <b>-8</b> %	2 BEDROOM	\$2.392M +4
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.070M <b>-24</b> °	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.700M +8 <sup>%</sup>	3+ BEDROOM	\$14.087M +15
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$410K	STUDIO	\$650K	STUDIO	\$1.455M
1 BEDROOM	\$692K	1 BEDROOM	\$985K	1 BEDROOM	\$1.277M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.230M	2 BEDROOM	\$1.815M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.265M
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.725M	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.412M	3+ BEDROOM	\$5.755M



# Downtown

- Downtown sales were flat versus last year. Sales wise, Downtown performed better than any other submarket in 2018.
- Resale co-op price statistics declined by single-digits as buyers sought out slightly smaller residences versus last year.
- Resale condo median price figures rose while average price statistics declined. An improved number of sales over \$2M lifted median price statistics, but a decline in \$10M+ sales put downward pressure on average price and price per square foot.
- New development price statistics shifted more than resale price figures. Median price fell 31% as sales shifted to lowerpriced developments in less-prime areas. Average price fell 15% annually as sales over \$5M declined. Price per square foot figures fell by more moderate single-digit percentages.

Sales

777

0% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

103

+7% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

28%

+2% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$1.3M

-7% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

2,054

+8% YEAR OVER YEAR

Average PPSF

\$1,852

-7% YEAR OVER YEAR



# Downtown Prices by Property Type Type CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)

RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17
\$853K -3°	\$877K	\$2.045M +5°	\$1.950M	\$3.100M 3	\$4.500M
MEDIAN PRICE					
\$1.264M •	į	\$2.683M -4°	\$2.785M	\$4.738M •5	1
AVERAGE PRICE					······································
\$1,210	\$1,226	\$1,660	\$1,658	\$2,016	\$2,091
MEDIAN PPSF					
\$1,278	\$1,290	\$1,846	\$1,996	\$2,437	\$2,648

AVERAGE PPSF

## Downtown Median Price by Bedroom 🚳 CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)

RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q18		4Q18	
STUDIO	\$542K <b>-8</b> *	STUDIO	\$697K <b>-25</b> *	STUDIO	\$1.010M <b>-</b> ]
1 BEDROOM	\$815K <b>-5</b> *	1 BEDROOM	\$1.188M <b>-10</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$1.495M +1
2 BEDROOM	\$1.345M <b>0</b> *	2 BEDROOM	\$2.500M <b>+2</b> %	2 BEDROOM	\$2.677M +1
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.568M	3+ BEDROOM	\$5.000M +2 *	3+ BEDROOM	\$7.381M +
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$590K	STUDIO	\$925K	STUDIO	\$1.142M
1 BEDROOM	\$857K	1 BEDROOM	\$1.315M	1 BEDROOM	\$1.301M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.343M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.460M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.392M
3+ BEDROOM	\$2.597M	3+ BEDROOM	\$4.123M	3+ BEDROOM	\$7.025M



# Financial District & Battery Park City

- With a 33% drop in sales this quarter, closings in the Financial District & Battery Park City declined by over 30%+ each quarters of 2018.
- I nventory in this submarket increased by the smallest percentage of any submarket, up a minimal 2% year-over-year.
- Resale condo listings caused the increase, as resale co-op and new development listings declined by 20%+ year-over-year.
- Median price and average price per square foot figures dropped across the submarket due to a significant year-overyear drop in new development sales.
- Resale condo price figures mostly declined. This quarter saw sales shift to the lower-cost southern part of Battery Park City and within older Financial District properties. A deeper average price per square foot drop was avoided, however, due to a simultaneous uptick in sales over \$2,000 per square foot.
- The limited number of closings this year has affected new development figures in 2018. Similar to last quarter, price figures contracted by double-digits due to fewer sales at new construction properties.

Sales

103

-33% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

115

-10% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

4%

-1% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$980K

-4% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

416

+2% YEAR OVER YEAR

Average PPSF

\$1,336

-12% YEAR OVER YEAR



# Financial District & Battery Park City Prices by Property Type Change (Year-Over-Year)

RESALE CO-OP	•		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17
\$775K	+7%	\$725K	\$930K	401011	\$1.700M <b>2</b> 5	\$2.262M
MEDIAN PRICE						
\$921K	+6%	\$866K	\$1.326M	\$1.383M	\$1.949M	\$2.315M
AVERAGE PRICE						
\$973	-15%	\$1,149	- /	\$1,230	\$1,569	\$1,737
MEDIAN PPSF						
\$981	-20*	\$1,231	\$1,319	\$1,322	\$1,659	\$1,894

AVERAGE PPSF

## Financial District & Battery Park City Median Price by Bedroom Change (Year-Over-Year)

RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q18		4Q18	
STUDIO	\$625K <b>+15</b> *	STUDIO	\$650K <b>-10</b> *	STUDIO	N/A
1 BEDROOM	\$670K <b>-7</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$880K +1 <b>4</b> *	1 BEDROOM	\$1.278M +
2 BEDROOM	\$1.225M -15*	2 BEDROOM	\$1.495M	2 BEDROOM	\$2.253M
3+ BEDROOM	\$880K WA	3+ BEDROOM	\$4.037M +39°	3+ BEDROOM	\$2.775M
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$545K	STUDIO	\$725K	STUDIO	\$701K
1 BEDROOM	\$722K	1 BEDROOM	\$775K	1 BEDROOM	\$1.2025M
2 BEDROOM	\$1.446M	2 BEDROOM	\$1.510M	2 BEDROOM	\$3.525M
3+ BEDROOM	N/A	3+ BEDROOM	\$2.897M	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.750M



# Upper Manhattan

- Upper Manhattan sales fell 8% year-over-year, and have now declined for two full years, the most prolonged contraction of sales anywhere in Manhattan. Contrary to the submarket trend, however, East Harlem and Washington Heights saw sales improve.
- Inventory in Upper Manhattan rose 7% annually. Resales grew moderately while new development inventory jumped with the launch of The Rennie and The Amman.
- Median price and average price per square foot both increased with an increase in new development sales and an increase in the market share of sales over \$500K.
- Resale co-op price figures declined across the board as sales in Morningside Heights and southern parts of Harlem lost market share compared to last year.
- Resale condo median price and price per square foot rose as buyers sought out larger residences, which also pushed the market share of sales over \$1M up 10%. Average price per square foot declined as buyers chose more space over prime locations.

Sales

228

-8% YEAR OVER YEAR

Days on Market

89

-8% YEAR OVER YEAR

Market Share of Sales

8%

0% YEAR OVER YEAR

Median Price

\$629K

+3% YEAR OVER YEAR

Inventory

504

+7% YEAR OVER YEAR

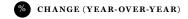
Average PPSF

\$914

+4% YEAR OVER YEAR



# Upper Manhattan Prices by Property Type



RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO	RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENTS	
4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	4Q18	4Q17	
\$567K	7000-	\$964K +	Ψ02011	\$613K <sup>+22</sup>	\$502K	
MEDIAN PRICE						
\$608K -		\$978K +9	, 10 -	\$1.167M <b>3</b> 2	T	
AVERAGE PRICE						
\$688	\$712	\$1,016	\$951	\$908	\$838	
MEDIAN PPSF						
\$702	\$782	\$960	\$979	\$1,248	\$967	

AVERAGE PPSF

# Upper Manhattan Median Price by Bedroom © CHANGE (YEAR-OVER-YEAR)

RESALE CO-OP		RESALE CONDO		NEW DEVELOPMENT	
4Q18		4Q18		4Q18	
STUDIO	\$525K +68*	STUDIO	\$435K <b>-4</b> *	STUDIO	\$510K <b>+40</b> *
1 BEDROOM	\$400K <b>-10</b> *	1 BEDROOM	\$680K <b>+25</b> %	1 BEDROOM	\$587K +14 <sup>%</sup>
2 BEDROOM	\$590K -12*	2 BEDROOM	\$1.067M +8*	2 BEDROOM	\$955K +75*
3+ BEDROOM	\$713K <b>-9</b> %	3+ BEDROOM	\$1.160M +1%	3+ BEDROOM	\$6.151M +101°
4Q17		4Q17		4Q17	
STUDIO	\$312K	STUDIO	\$455K	STUDIO	\$363K
1 BEDROOM	\$445K	1 BEDROOM	\$545K	1 BEDROOM	\$514K
2 BEDROOM	\$670K	2 BEDROOM	\$987K	2 BEDROOM	\$547K
3+ BEDROOM	\$780K	3+ BEDROOM	\$1.151M	3+ BEDROOM	\$3.062M



# Methodology

The data in this report comes from The Corcoran Report, Manhattan's very first market study of residential sale trends. The goal of the report is to make this important information available in a straightforward and easy-to-understand way.

#### METRICS

**PREVIOUS QUARTER** statistics for sales and prices are revised in the subsequent report once data are available for the full quarter period.

**CLOSED AND CONTRACTS SIGNED** figures for the current quarter are based on reported transactions at the time the report is prepared and projected through the end of the quarter taking into account typical seasonality.

DAYS ON MARKET averages how long a unit takes to sell and is calculated from subtracting list date from contract date. Units on the market longer than three years and shorter than one day are considered outliers and removed from the data to prevent significant skewing. New developments are excluded because many available, unsold units are held off the market for long periods of time.

**AVERAGE PRICE PER SQUARE FOOT** is the average price divided by the average square footage. In prior Corcoran Reports this was calculated as an average of all prices per square foot, which gives a number less skewed by high price sales and more similar to a median price per square foot. The two metrics are now separated to give more insight to market dynamics.

MEDIAN PRICE AND PRICE PER SQUARE FOOT are the middle or midpoint price where half of sales fall below and half fall above this number.

**INVENTORY** is a count of all currently listed units and is measured two weeks before the end of the quarter. It does not include unsold yet unlisted units in new developments ("shadow" inventory).

#### SOURCE

Figures in this report are based on publicly reported closed sales information via the Automated City Register Information System (ACRIS) and PropertyShark, an independent research firm, as well as from Corcoran's proprietary listings database.

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