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KANSAS HOUSING MARKETS FORECAST

CRAWFORD COUNTY

HOUSING OUTLOOK

In the midst of a pandemic and its consequent economic turmoil, it may seem that Kansas housing markets are defying gravity. The tightest inventories in history have led to bidding wars, rapidly rising home prices, ... and buyer fatigue. Will the market continue a meteoric rise? Or come crashing back to earth?

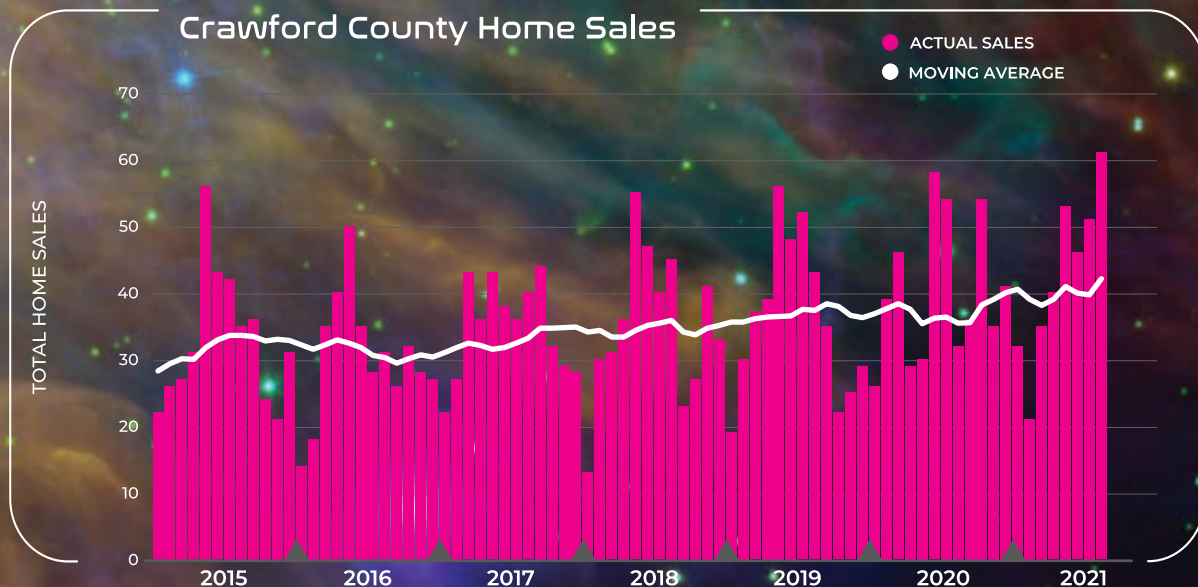
As we navigate into the uncharted void, this year's Crawford County Housing Outlook is here to give you the guidance you need to explore a housing market that is *Out of this World!*

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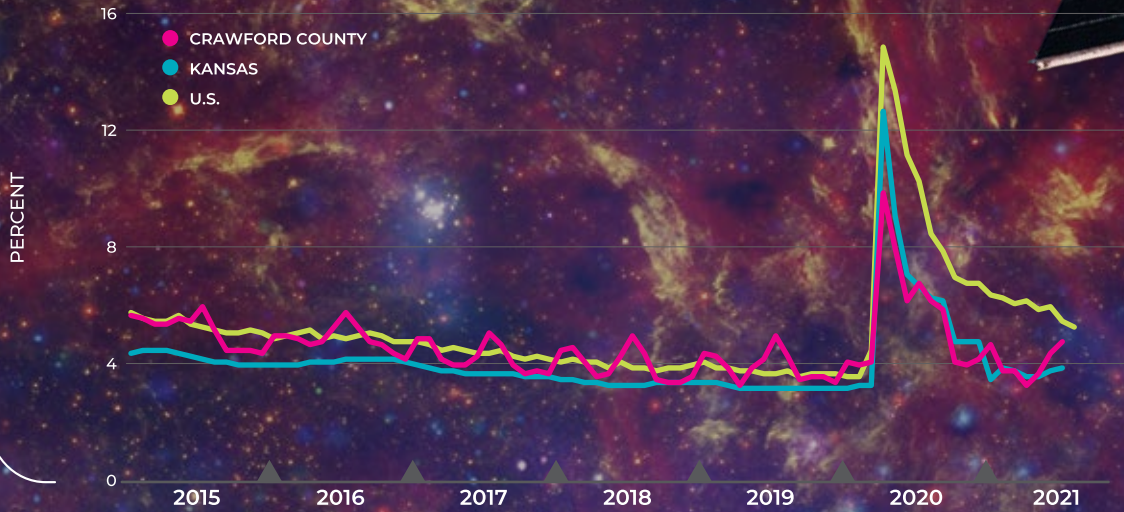
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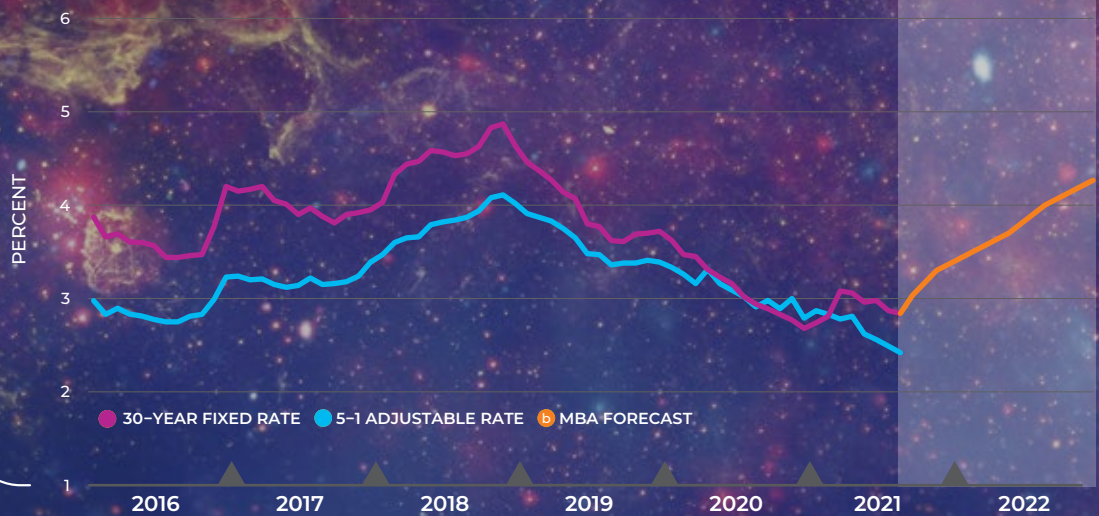


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ECONOMIC OVERVIEW

Unemployment Rate ^a

Mortgage Rates



Sources: Freddie Mac, Mortgage Bankers Association, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

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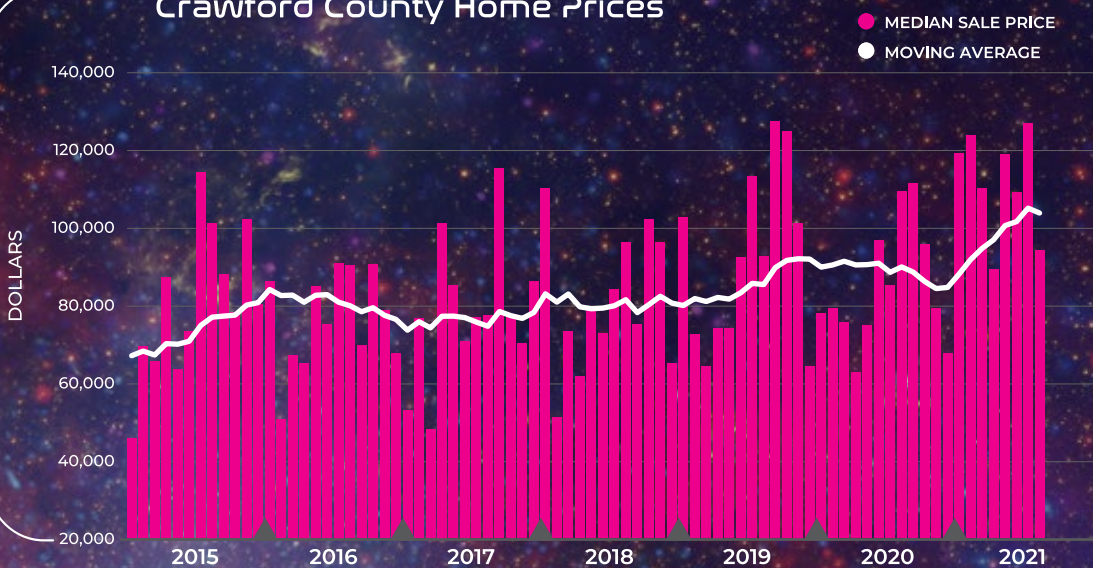
- a) Kansas and U.S. unemployment rate figures are seasonally adjusted
b) Mortgage Bankers Association August 2021 forecast of the 30-year conventional mortgage rate

● The Hubble Space Telescope, the Spitzer Space Telescope, and the Chandra X-ray Observatory have produced a matched trio of images of the central region of our Milky Way galaxy. Each image shows the telescope's different wavelength view of the galactic center region, illustrating the unique science each observatory conducts. In this spectacular image, observations using infrared light and X-ray light see through the obscuring dust and reveal the intense activity near the galactic core.

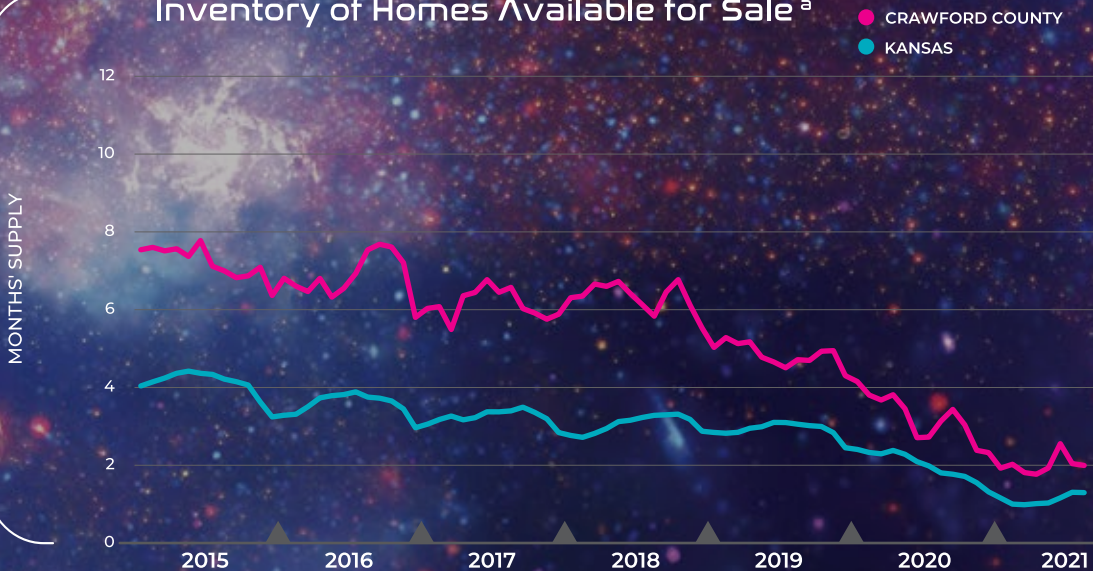
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CRAWFORD COUNTY HOUSING STATISTICS

Crawford County Home Prices



Inventory of Homes Available for Sale ^a



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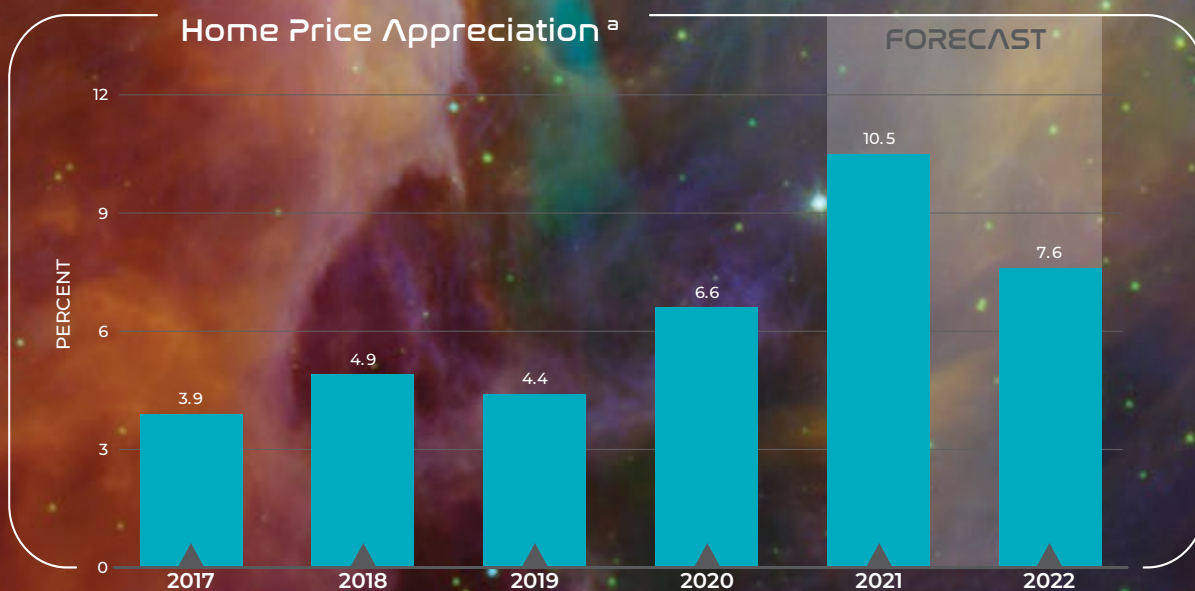
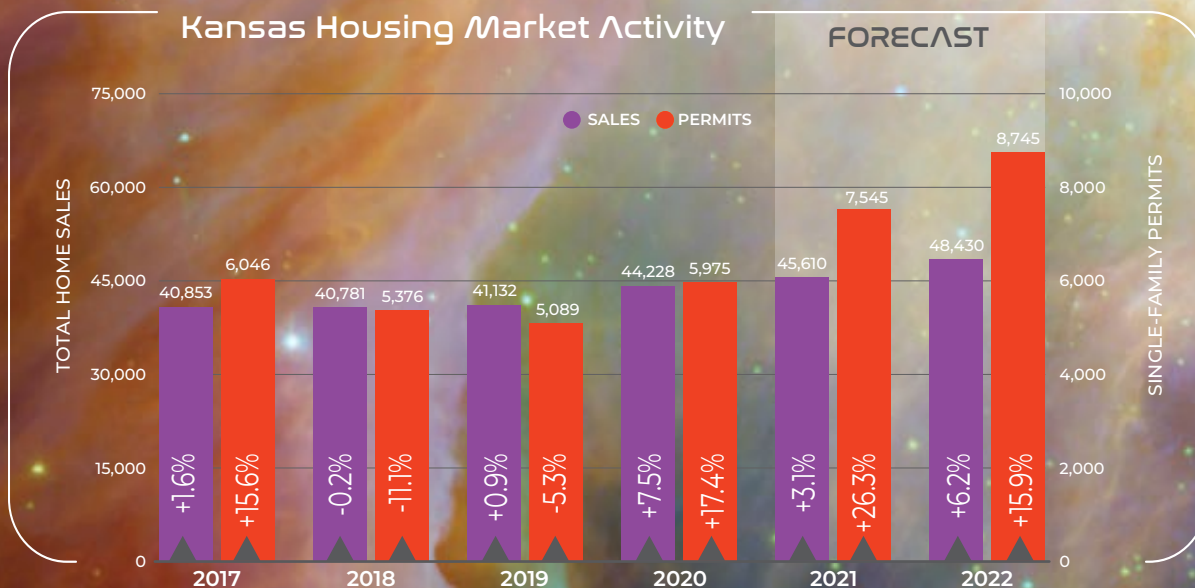
Notes:

a) Active listings divided by the 12-month trailing moving average of sales

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KANSAS STATEWIDE HOUSING FORECAST



Sources: Federal Housing Finance Agency, Participating REALTOR® multiple listing services across Kansas, U.S. Bureau of the Census, WSU Center for Real Estate

Notes:

a) Year-over-year percentage change in the Federal Housing Finance Agency all-transactions housing price index for Kansas, as measured using 4th quarter values