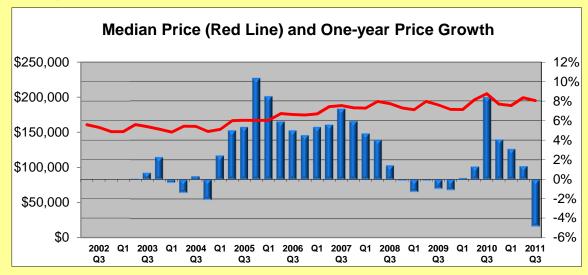
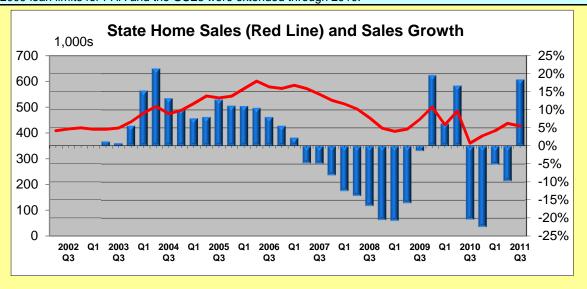
Austin-Round Rock Area Local Market Report, Third Quarter 2011



Today's Market...



	Austin	U.S.	Local Trend
Price Activity			
Current Median Home Price (2011 Q3)	\$195,200	\$169,267	Year-over-year price growth swung
1-year (4-quarter) Appreciation (2011 Q3)	-4.8%	-4.3%	negative this quarter after growing last
3-year (12-quarter) Appreciation (2011 Q3)	2.3%	-16.0%	quarter
3-year (12-quarter) Housing Equity Gain*	\$4,300	-\$32,233	This area has held onto positive equity growth despite the national market decline
7-year (28 quarters) Housing Equity Gain*	\$36,600	-\$29,733	
9-year (36 quarters) Housing Equity Gain*	\$38,200	\$2,267	
*Note: Equity gain reflects price appreciation only			
Conforming Loan Limit**	\$417,000	\$729,250	Most huwara in this market have access
FHA Loan Limit	\$288,750	\$417,000	Most buyers in this market have acces to government-backed financing
Local Median to Conforming Limit Ratio	47%	not comparable	
**Note: the 2009 loan limits for FHA and the GSEs were extended through 2010.			

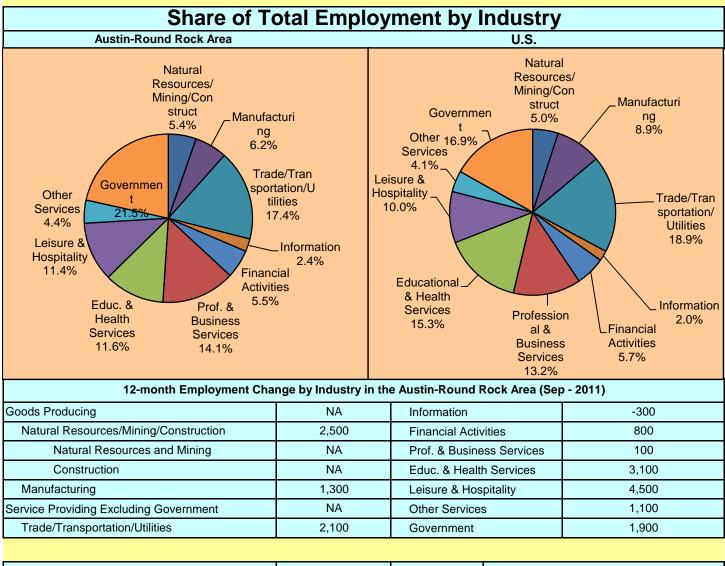


Home Sales	Texas	U.S.	
State Existing Home Sales (2011 Q3 vs 2010 Q3)	18.4%	17.0%	The sales level is much higher than a year ago and growing.



Drivers of Local Supply and Demand...

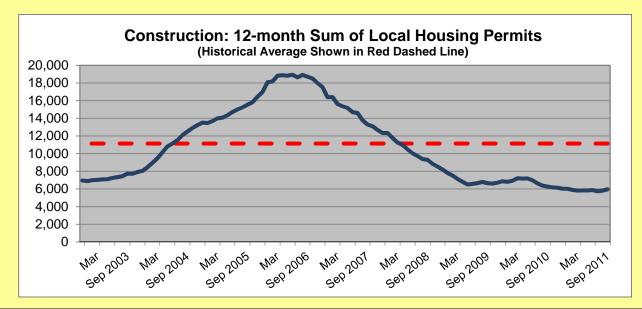
Local Economic Outlook	Austin	U.S.	
12-month Job Change (Sep)	17,100	Not Comparable	Employment has held up and is on an
12-month Job Change (Aug)	14,000	Not Comparable	upward trend
36-month Job Change (Sep)	7,500	Not Comparable	Unemployment has risen since the same period last year, but Austin's labor
Current Unemployment Rate (Sep)	7.4%	9.1%	market has been more resilient than the national average
Year-ago Unemployment Rate	7.0%	9.6%	Local employment growth is strong
1-year (12 month) Job Growth Rate	2.2%	0.8%	compared to other markets



State Economic Activity Index	Texas	U.S.	
12-month change (2011 - Sep)	3.2%	2.8%	The economy of Texas has outpaced the rest of the nation and improved
36-month change (2011 - Sep)	-4.3%	-2.6%	modestly from last month's 2.96% change



New Housing Construction				
Local Fundamentals	Austin	U.S.		
12-month Sum of 1-unit Building Permits through Sep 2011	5,965	not comparable	The current level of construction is 46.4% below the long-term average	
8-year average for 12-month Sum of 1-Unit Building Permits	11,138	not comparable	Reduced construction will limit new supply to the market, allowing demand to catch up with the inventory more quickly	
Single-Family Housing Permits (Sep 2011) 12-month sum vs. a year ago	-4.8%	-10.3%	Construction is down from last year, but appears to have bottomed.	



While new construction is the traditional driver of supply in real estate, foreclosures now have a strong impact on inventories, particularly at the local level. Rising inventories, through construction or foreclosure, place downward pressure on the median home prices.

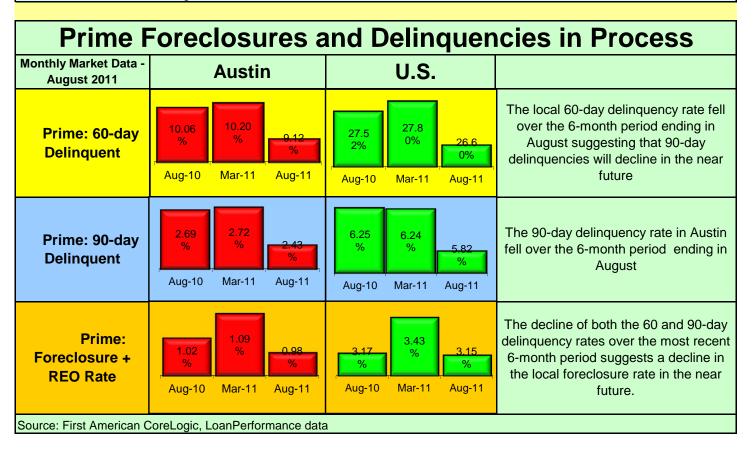




Foreclosures by Type Monthly Market Data -U.S. **Austin** August 2011 4.9 4.1 3.5% 3.1% Suprime mortgages make up a larger Market Share: % % than average share of the Austin Prime (blue), Alt-A market, while prime foreclosures are in (green), and Subprime 93.4 90.9 decline (red) The local prime rate fell modestly from 1.09 March of last year PRIME: 3.43 0.98 3.15 % Foreclosure + REO Compared to the national average, Rate Mar-11 Aug-11 Mar-11 Aug-11 today's local prime rate is low The subprime foreclosure rate jumped compared to March of last year SUBPRIME: 18.8 10.16 9.13 8% Foreclosure + REO 5% Rate Locally, today's foreclosure rate is low Mar-11 Aug-11 Mar-11 Aug-11 relative to the national average The local alt-A rate eased slightly ALT-A: 15.2 4.68 relative to March of last vear % 1% Foreclosure + REO Rate The August rate for Austin is low Mar-11 Aug-11 Mar-11 Aug-11 compared to the national average

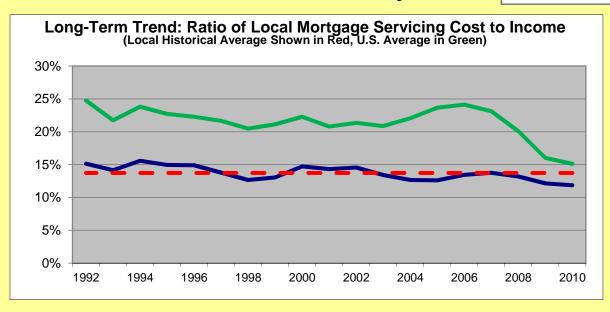
The "foreclosure + REO rate" is the number of mortgages, by metro area, that are either in the foreclosure process or have completed the foreclosure process and are owned by banks divided by the total number of mortgages for that area.

Source: First American CoreLogic, LoanPerformance data

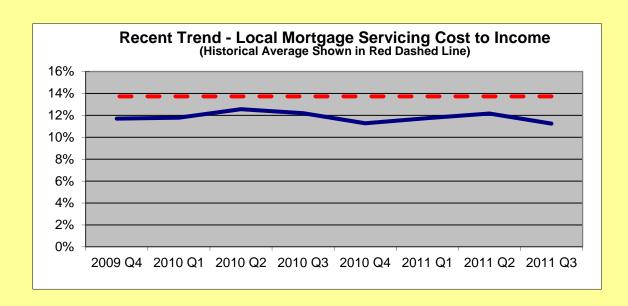


Affordability



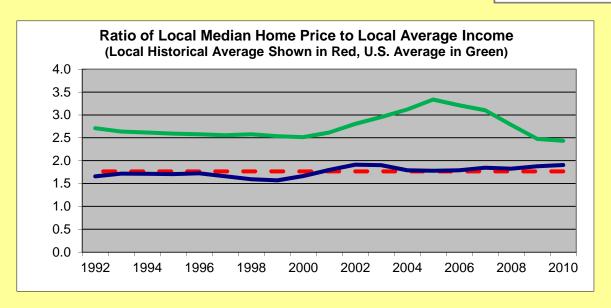


Monthly Mortgage Payment to Income	Austin	U.S.	
Ratio for 2010	11.9%	15.1%	Historically strong and an improvement
Ratio for 2011 Q3	11.2%	13.9%	over the second quarter of 2011
Historical Average	13.7%	22.0%	More affordable than most markets

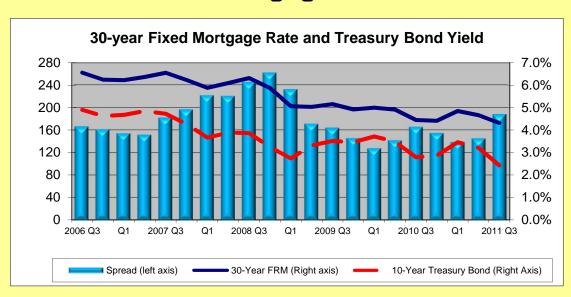


Median Home Price to Income	Austin	U.S.	
Ratio for 2010	1.9	2.4	The price-to-income ratio eased, but
Ratio for 2011 Q3	1.9	2.3	could be better
Historical Average	1.8	2.7	Affordable compared to most markets





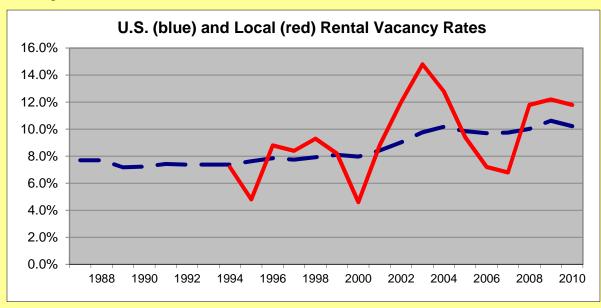
The Mortgage Market



After a soft second quarter, the economy was shocked by three events that came together nearly within the same weak; a deadlock in Congress and near miss on the budget extension, renewed concerns about the Greek debt crisis impacting the US, and a sharp, downward revision to 1st and 2nd quarter GDP estimates. The result was a 15% or more correction in the equity indexes, which sent investors into US Treasuries seeking a risk free asset. The yield on the 10-year Treasury reached near record lows and the 30-year FRM followed suit, slipping under 4% multiple times. However, the gap between the 10-year Treasury and the 30-year fixed opened up as the risk to MBS investors of increased refinancing rose, creating resistance for falling mortgage rates. Fuel prices eased in the 3rd quarter and are likely to do so through the fall. At the same time there is little core inflation pressure, which combined with the Federal Reserve's "operation twist" that is intended to flatten the yield curve putting downward pressure on long-term rates, should sustain a near-record low mortgage rate environment through the fall.



A Closer Look...Local Rental Vacancy Rates



Rental Vacancy Rate	Texas	U.S.	
Ratio for 2010	11.8%	10.2%	Texas's rental vacancy rate fell in
Ratio for 2011 Q3	6.1%	9.8%	recent years, but was above the
Historical Average	9.3%	8.6%	national average in 2010.

Instead of falling after the end of the housing market boom, the national rental vacancy rate peaked at 11.1% in the 3rd quarter of 2010. Job losses, stagnant incomes, and credit issues forced some families to double-up and many young adults to move back in with their parents. The stabilization of the national economy in 2010 and subsequent three quarters of job creation has helped to improve the rental market pushing the rental vacancy rate down to 9.8% in the 3rd quarter of 2011. In addition, many would-be buyers have been forced to rent due to a sharp increase in credit and downpayment requirements in recent years. Rent growth was strong in the first 3 quarter of 2011 and is expected to grow with increases of 3.2% and 3.5% in 2012 and 2013, respectively. Locally, there was a decline in the rental vacancy rate for Texas from its recent peak of 14.8% in 2003 to 11.8% in 2010.

Geographic Coverage for this Report

The Austin area referred to in this report covers the geographic area of the Austin-Round Rock metro area as officially defined by the Office of Management and Budget of the U.S. Government. The official coverage area includes the following counties:

Bastrop County, Caldwell County, Hays County, Travis County, and Williamson County

More information on the OMB's geographic definitions can be found at http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/inforeg_statpolicy/