

## Most important housing market developments

- In both the city, region and province of Utrecht housing prices saw the greatest increase compared to the rest of the Netherlands.
- Affordability improves slightly. On a quarterly basis, net housing costs decrease by 5.9%.
- The increase in the number of home sales continues. Year-on-year development in number of annual sales: 15%.
- Apartment sales are up by 30% year-on-year
- 10% of the housing stock in the municipality Amsterdam was sold last year

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#### CALCASA WOX 2025 Q1 Calcasa House Price Index (WOX) (1995Q1=100)\* 528 Calcasa WOX Top 15 Cities Index (1995Q1=100) 603 Price change WOX price change (year-on-year) 11.4% WOX price change (quarter-on-quarter) 1.4% WOX price change corrected for inflation (year-on-year) 7.8% House price forecast Yearly price change 2025 Q2 9.0% 1.1% Quarterly price change 2025 Q2 Housing affordability Affordability index 22.1% 2.5% Yearly change in housing affordability Quarterly change in housing affordability 5.9% Transactions Number of transactions on a yearly basis (x 1,000) 254 Yearly change in the number of transactions 15.1% 3.5% Quarterly change in the number of transactions

#### Table 1

Calcasa key numbers Q1 2025 Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

\*Housing stock January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025, municipal classification 2024

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# Average house price increases to €516,000

- The WOX (1995 = 100) currently stands at 528 points.
- Average house price: €516,000.
  - » Q-O-Q price development: 1.4%.
  - » Y-O-Y price development: 11.4%.
- Average price of a single-family house: €547,000.
  - » Q-O-Q price development of single-family houses: 1.7%.
  - » Y-O-Y price development of single-family houses: 11.7%.
- Average price for apartments: €436,000.
  - » Q-O-Q price development of apartments: 0.7%.
  - » Y-O-Y price development of apartments: 10.3%.

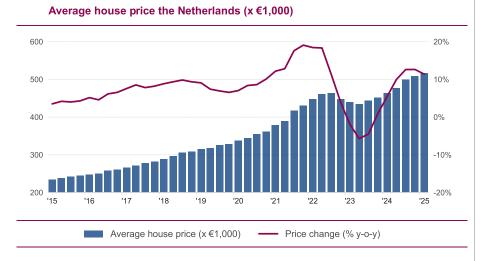


Figure 1

Average house price (x  $\in$ 1,000) and yearly price change per quarter in the Netherlands. Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

#### Price change per quarter (in %)



#### Figure 2

Q-O-Q price change per housing type in the Netherlands. Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

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# Houses less than €150,000 show highest value increase

- Over the past year, the value has risen the steepest in the price range less than €150,000; the value for these homes increased by 16.5%.
- Most homes fall within the price range of €350,000 to €500,000. The value of these homes increased by 11.2% in the past year.

Price class	price development y-o-y
Less than 150,000	16.5%
150,000 to 250,000	13.2%
250,000 to 350,000	12.7%
350,000 to 500,000	11.2%
More than 500,000	10.2%
All residential properties	11.4%

## Largest increase in value for terraced/corner houses

- The average value of corner/row houses has increased by 12.3% on an annual basis. Corner/terraced houses built between 1945 and 1979 have increased the most in value with a price development of 12.6%.
- Apartments built before 1944 increased the least in value over the past year (8.4%).

Price development y-o-y	Construction year				
Housing type	<1944	1945-1979	1980-2000	>2000	Total
Semi-detached	9.8%	11.3%	10.9%	10.4%	10.7%
Terraced/corner house	11.8%	12.6%	12.3%	12.2%	12.3%
Apartment	8.4%	11.5%	9.6%	12.3%	10.3%
Total	9.7%	11.9%	11.1%	11.9%	11.4%

# Forecast house price development in Q2 2025

Forecasting house price developments Q-O-Q (Q2 2025 - Q1 2025):

- All homes: +1.1%
- All single-family homes: +0.9%
- All apartments: +1.7%

Forecasting house price developments Y-O-Y (Q2 2025 - Q2 2024):

- All homes: +9.0%.
- All single-family homes: +9.3%
- All apartments: 8.2%

#### Table 2

Price developments by price range in the Netherlands Source: Calcasa

#### Table 3

Price developments by year of construction and housing type in the Netherlands Source: Calcasa



# House prices are rising fastest in Utrecht

- Average house prices increased the most in the province of Utrecht, with an annual increase of 14.4% in value.
- The smallest price increase for houses took place in the provinces of Zeeland (9.2%) and Noord-Holland (8.6%).

Quarter 1 2025	Average price single-family houses	Average price apartments	Price change all properties ( y-o-y)
Drenthe	427,000	359,000	12.0%
Flevoland	462,000	438,000	12.1%
Fryslân	392,000	302,000	11.1%
Gelderland	551,000	381,000	13.4%
Groningen	407,000	339,000	13.8%
Limburg	407,000	310,000	10.5%
Noord-Brabant	553,000	400,000	11.7%
Noord-Holland	674,000	576,000	8.6%
Overijssel	476,000	334,000	11.9%
Utrecht	757,000	504,000	14.4%
Zeeland	375,000	358,000	9.2%
Zuid-Holland	593,000	408,000	11.2%
the Netherlands	547,000	436,000	11.4%

#### Table 4

Average price and Y-O-Y price development per province in the Netherlands Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

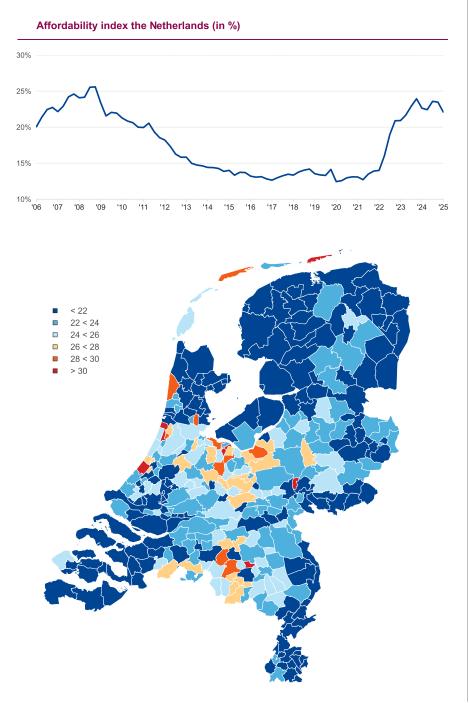
# House prices of apartements are increasing the most in the region Arnhem/Nijmegen

- The largest annual price increase of 14.5% is observed for houses in the NUTS III region of Utrecht. The average house price in this region is €612,000.
- Second-largest annual price increase is seen in the NUTS III region Oost-Groningen with a price increase of 14.3%.
- The NUTS III regions with the lowest price increase are Kop van Noord-Holland (8.7%) and Groot-Amsterdam (7.4%).
- Of all NUTS III regions, the average price of apartments rose the most in the Arnhem/Nijmegen region with 16.9% on annual basis.
- In 31 of the 40 NUTS III regions the annual increase for houses prices is more than 10%.



# Affordability remains relatively stable

- In the fourth quarter, an average of 22.1% of the net monthly income was spent on net housing costs.
- The development of affordability:
  - Q-O-Q change in net housing costs: -2.5%.
  - Y-O-Y change in net housing costs: -5.9%.



### Figure 3

Housing affordability index\* (in % of household income) in the Netherlands. Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

#### Figure 4

Affordability index per municipality (in %). Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

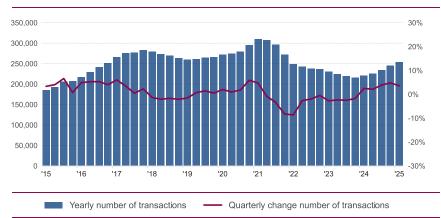
\*The index measures the affordability of Dutch owner-occupied houses. It is calculated taking into account net housing costs, current average mortgage costs (current interest rate, maintenance costs, local taxes and fiscal treatment.



# Number of sales

The annual number of transactions has increased. 254.000 residential properties were sold during the past year.

- Y-O-Y development, number of annual sales: 15.1%.
- Q-O-Q development, number of annual sales: 3.5%.



#### Yearly number of transactions and changes

# Number of sales by housing type

- Transactions of terraced houses increased with 7.7% in the first quarter of 2025.
- Apartment sales increased this quarter with 30.2% year-on-year.

## Transaction development (Y-O-Y)

Transactions per housing type	2024Q1	2024Q2	2024Q3	2024Q4	2025Q1
Detached	-6.5%	0.0%	8.3%	14.4%	14.7%
Semi-detached	-4.5%	-2.3%	2.6%	6.7%	6.8%
Corner house	-5.3%	-5.0%	1.4%	4.8%	5.7%
Terraced house	-8.1%	-6.8%	-1.4%	5.3%	7.7%
Apartment	2.1%	11.6%	18.7%	29.9%	30.2%
Total	-4.1%	0.3%	6.8%	13.9%	15.1%

## Figure 5

Number of annual sales\* and Y-O-Y change in number of sales in the Netherlands. Source: CBS, Kadaster, adaptation by Calcasa

\* Calcasa shows the number of housing sales on an annual basis for a reliable picture of the long term trend (corrected for seasonal effects).

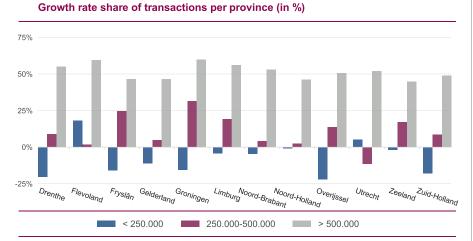
## Table 5

Y-O-Y transaction development by period and property type Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa



## Sales in price classes per province

- The sales of homes in the price range more than €500,000 increased by 50% on average in the past year.
- In the province of Groningen the segment of homes in the highest price range saw the largest increase (59.9%). In Zeeland this segment saw the smallest increase (44.9%)
- On average the segment of houses priced in the range €250,000 €500,000 observed an increase of 7.3%. Only in the province of Utrecht the number of transactions in this segment fell by 11% respectively.



# 33% of housing sales €500,000 or more

- The percentage of transactions in the price class less than €250,000 decreased in five years time from 42.2% to 12.5%.
- The price segment €350,000 to €500,000 increased in five years time from 18.3% to 32.5%.
- 33.1% of housing sales were within the price class of €500,000 or more. Five years ago this was 12.1%.

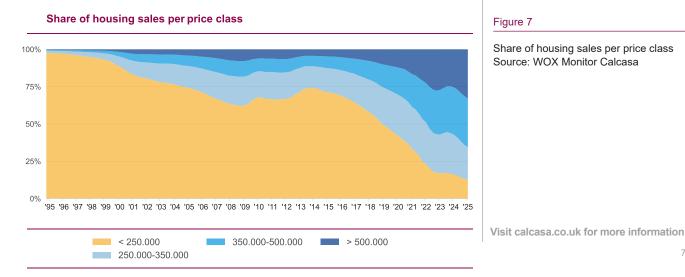


Figure 6

Growth (%) of share of housing sales per price class per province in Q12025 compared to Q1 2024.

Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

#### Figure 7

Share of housing sales per price class Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa



# Highest market liquidity in region Groot-Amsterdam

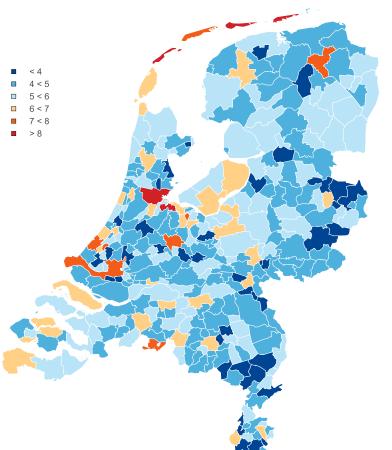
- In the NUTS III region Groot-Amsterdam 7.4% of the housing supply was sold during the past year. The regions Haarlem and Den Haag follow with 6.3% and 6.3% respectively.
- The NUTS III region North-Limburg has the lowest market liquidity: 4.4%.

NUTS III region	Percentage of housing supply sold last year	NUTS III region	Percentage of housing supply sold last year
Groot-Amsterdam	7.4%	Noord-Limburg	4.4%
Agglomeratie Haarlem	6.3%	Achterhoek	4.5%
Agglomeratie 's-Gravenhage	6.3%	Midden-Limburg	4.5%
Zeeuwsch-Vlaanderen	6.0%	Delfzijl en omgeving	4.6%
Overig Groningen	6.0%	Twente	4.7%
Het Gooi en Vechtstreek	5.8%	IJmond	4.7%
Zaanstreek	5.7%	Delft en Westland	4.7%
Groot-Rijnmond	5.7%	Oost-Zuid-Holland	4.8%
Overig Zeeland	5.6%	Zuidwest-Friesland	4.8%
Noord-Friesland	5.5%	Zuidwest-Gelderland	4.9%

#### Table 6

Top 10 NUTS III regions with highest and lowest percentage of housing supply sold last year

Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa



#### Figure 8

Market liquidity: sold homes as percentage of total number of owner occupied housing stock for the past year per municipality Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa

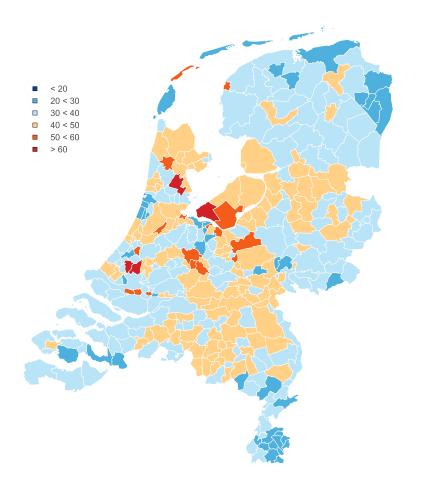


# In Amsterdam 10% of the housing stock is sold last year

- The relationship between the supply of owner-occupied housing and total owner-occupied housing stock is also a component of market liquidity. The percentage of the total owner-occupied housing stock that sold last year is 5.4% for the Netherlands. o The percentage of family homes sold previous year: 5.3%.
  The percentage of apartments sold previous vear: 5.8%.
- The share of owner occupied housing stock which was sold last year was highest in the municipalities of Vlieland and Amsterdam with respectively 13.9% and 9.9%.
- In the municipality of Tubbergen only 3.1% of the existing stock of owneroccupied homes has changed owners.

# **Energy labels in the Netherlands**

- 39.5% of the total housing stock has an energy label A.
- In the municipality of Almere 70% of all houses have energy label A, the highest percentage of all municipalities.
- The municipality of Westerwolde has the smallest percentage of homes with an energy label A (20.7%).



#### Figure 9

Percentage of properties with energy label A per municipality Source: WOX Monitor Calcasa



# Mortgage approvals

Approximately 401,000 mortgages were approved last year.

- Y-O-Y development, number of annual mortgages: 22.1%.
- Q-O-Q development, number of annual mortgages: 5.1%.

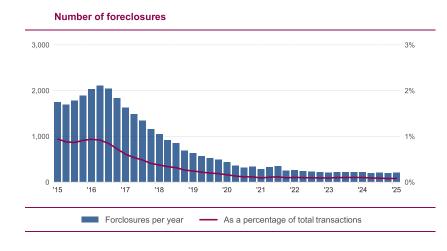


#### Yearly number of mortgages and changes

# Number of foreclosures

- Over the last four quarters, 212 foreclosures have been registered.
- o Y-O-Y development amount of annual foreclosures: -4.9%. o Q-O-Q development amount of annual foreclosures: 8.7%.
- The share of foreclosure sales versus total sales is 0.1%.

Note that many foreclosed properties will be sold via the public market and not via auction. The reason is that proceeds of a sale of a home through a forced auction can be less compared to a sale via the public market.



#### Figure 10

Yearly number of mortgages and changes on a quarterly basis Source: CBS, Kadaster, and adaptation by

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#### Figure 11

Number of yearly foreclosures and amount of foreclosures as a percentage of the total number of transactions in the Netherlands. Source: CBS, Kadaster, and adaptation by Calcasa



# Average price newly built homes decreases

- In the fourth quarter of 2024 the total amount of sales for newly built homes was 8,600. This is an increase of 38.1% year-on-year.
- During the fourth quarter of 2024 the average price for newly built houses was €499,000. This is the same value a year ago.



## Average price and number of newly built houses

#### Figure 12

Average sales price for newly built houses per quarter in the Netherlands compared to the quarterly amount of newly built houses sold.

Source: CBS, NEPROM



# **Appendices**

Municipality	Highest property values (x 1,000)	Municipality	Lowest property values (x 1,000)
Bloemendaal	1,264	Pekela	286
Blaricum	1,223	Heerlen	293
Laren (NH.)	1,168	Kerkrade	296
Wassenaar	1,022	Brunssum	298
Heemstede	949	Terneuzen	300
Rozendaal	886	Eemsdelta	304
De Bilt	821	Oldambt	308
Gooise Meren	821	Veendam	319
Zeist	768	Den Helder	326
Wijdemeren	758	Leeuwarden	328

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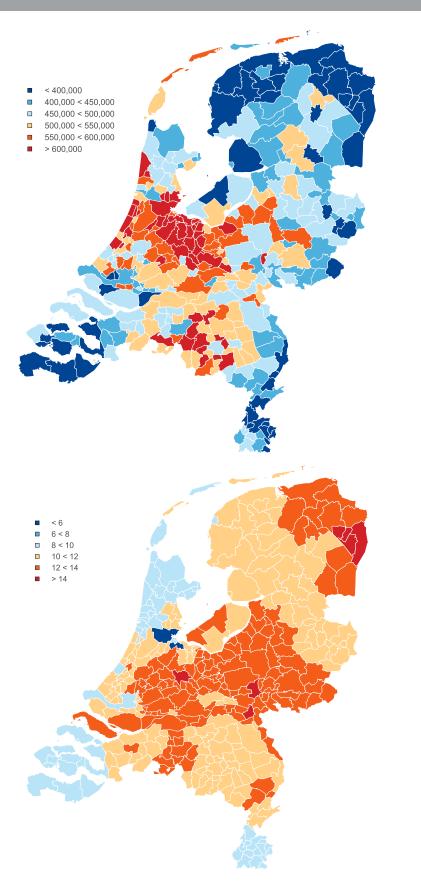
Top 10 highest and lowest property values, per municipality containing over 5,000 owner-occupied dwellings (x €1,000). Source: Calcasa

Municipality	Highest annual price developement	Municipality	Lowest annual price developement
Utrecht	16.4%	Amsterdam	5.4%
Arnhem	14.9%	Den Helder	8.4%
Nijmegen	14.7%	Hoorn	8.5%
Pekela	14.7%	Enkhuizen	8.7%
Veendam	14.5%	Terneuzen	8.8%
Westerwolde	14.3%	Texel	8.8%
Stadskanaal	14.3%	Schagen	8.9%
Rheden	14.0%	Hollands Kroon	8.9%
Renkum	14.0%	Rotterdam	8.9%
Oldambt	13.9%	Medemblik	8.9%

#### Table 8

Top 10 highest and lowest price developments, per municipality with over 5,000 owner-occupied dwellings (in %). Source: Calcasa





#### Figure 13

Average house price per municipality (EUR). Source: Calcasa

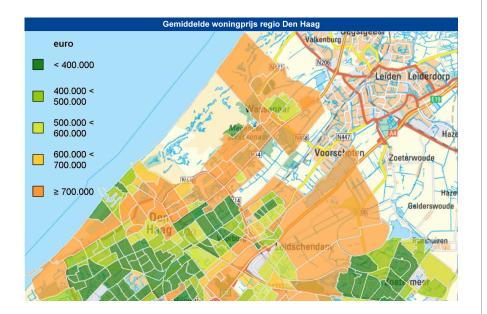
#### Figure 14

Y-O-Y price change per municipality (%). Source: Calcasa



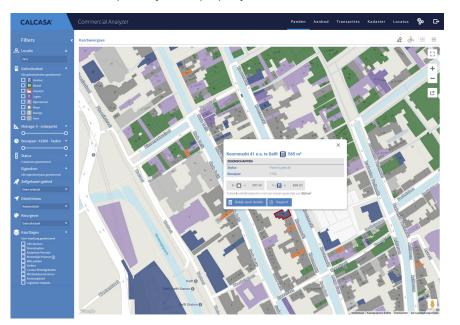
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