

## The San Francisco <br> Apartment Building Market

Market Report for Residential
5+ Unit Buildings

San Francisco Apartment Building Sales
Top 7 Brokers, 5+ Unit Residential Sales*


[^0]COMPASS Compass figures include Paragon, Pacific Union, Alain Pinel and Hill numbers with merger of brokerages.

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## 5+ Unit Residential Building Markets

## 2019 Sales by San Francisco District

| San Francisco Realtor District | 5-8 Units: <br> Median <br> Sales Price | 9-15 Units: <br> Median Sales <br> Price | All 5+ Units: Average GRM/ Cap Rate* | All 5+ Units: <br> Average <br> \$/Sq. Ft. |
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| Pacific \& Presidio Heights, Cow Hollow \& Marina (District 7) | \$4.8 million | \$7.8 million | 17.7/4.0 | \$690/sq.ft. |
| North of Panhandle, Alamo Square, Hayes Valley, Lower Pacific Heights (D6) | \$3.33 million | \$6.5 million | 16.2/ 4.3 | \$543/sq.ft. |
| Lake Street, Richmond District, Lone Mountain, Jordan Park (District 1) | \$2.25 million | \$6.14 million | 17/ 3.8 | \$554/sq.ft. |
| Noe, Eureka \& Cole Valleys; Ashbury \& Corona Heights; Mission Dolores (D5) | \$2.9 million | \$3.9 million | 15.3/4.5 | \$566/sq.ft. |
| Russian, Nob \& Telegraph Hills; North Beach, Financial District (D8, North) | \$3.6 million | Too few sales for analysis | 16.3/4.4 | \$576/sq.ft. |
| Sunset, Parkside (District 2) | \$2.3 million | Too few sales for analysis | 15.6/ 4.4 | \$466/sq.ft. |
| Inner Mission, Bernal Heights (D9) | \$2.7 million | Too few sales for analysis | 15.2/ 4.5 | \$488/sq.ft. |
| Downtown, Tenderloin, Van Ness/ Civic Center (D8 South) | Too few sales for analysis | For 16-36 units \$7.35 million | 15.6/4.3 | \$542/sq.ft. |

* GRM = Gross Rent Multiple. Median price is that price at which half the sales occurred for more and half for less. Dollar per square foot is based upon the building's interior living space and does not include garages, storage, unfinished attics and basements; or rooms built without permit. Cap rate measures the \% return on investment - income less expenses - if the property was purchased all cash. These statistics are gross generalities for sales with wide disparities in size, quality, rent control factors, and values.

San Francisco 5+ Unit Apartment Building Sales


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## Multi-Unit Residential Property Sales, 5+ Units 2019 Sales by San Francisco District



Median Sales Price Trends since 2011
San Francisco 5-15 Unit Residential Apartment Buildings


San Francisco 5+ Unit Apartment Building Sales
Average Dollar per Square Foot Values


Because of the relatively small number of sales and the huge variety in buildings sold, average dollar per square foot is a very general statistic when applied to investment property sales. Data is from sources

COMPASS deemed reliable, but may contain errors and subject to revision. All numbers are approximate.

Average Gross Rent Multiples
San Francisco 5+ Unit Apartment Building Sales
Sales reported to MLS


GRM is calculated by dividing the sales price by the annual gross rents. It is a very general statistic and all numbers should be considered approximate. This data is from sources deemed reliable, but may contain errors and subject to revision. Outlier sales that would distort the statistic were deleted from the analysis when identified. Based on data provided by listing agents.

Average Cap Rates
San Francisco 5+ Unit Apartment Building Sales


Capitalization rate calculations - sales price divided by net income (excluding mortgage costs), or return on investment as if the property had been purchased all cash - are only as good as the income and expense data provided by listing agents, and should be considered general approximations. Data from sources deemed reliable, but may contain errors and is subject to revision. Outlier sales that would distort the statistic were

## Average Price per Unit

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## Average Price per Unit - Selected Submarkets

## 5+ Unit Apartment Building Sales in 2019



Neighborhood titles often stand for larger districts. Data from sources deemed reliable but may contain errors and subject to revision. Numbers should be considered very approximate since a very wide variety of

COMPASS buildings are in this mix.

Average Days on Market until Acceptance of Offer San Francisco Multi-Unit Residential Sales since 2010


## Annual Sales Volume

San Francisco 5+ Unit Residential Building Sales


Sales reported to MLS by $1 / 6 / 20$. These analyses were performed in good faith with data derived from sources deemed reliable, but may contain errors and are subject to revision. All numbers to be

COMPASS considered approximate.

San Francisco Apartment Building Market - 5+ Units
New Listings Coming on Market in Quarter
5+ unit buildings, MLS listing activity, per Broker Metrics


San Francisco Apartment Building Market - 5+ Units
Active Listings: Units Listed for Sale in Quarter
5+ unit buildings, MLS listing activity, per Broker Metrics


## San Francisco Apartment Building Market - 5+ Units

Listings Closing Sale in Quarter since 2015

Listings closing sale in 1 month generally reflect accepted-offer activity in the previous 2-3 months.


## San Francisco Residential Rents - Estimated

Weighted Average Asking Rent, Q1 Data Points, 1994 - Present


## Estimated Median List Apartment Rents

Bay Area Counties since 2011

Data per Zillow Research, 5+ unit buildings through November 2019


Per Zillow rental data by month: https://www.zillow.com/research/data/\#rental-data. Data from sources
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## San Francisco Median List Rents

by Unit Size (Bedroom Count) since 2012

Data per Zillow Research through August 2019


Per Zillow Research, median list rental data by month: https://www.zillow.com/research/data/\#rental-data . Data

## Median List Rent per Square Foot

Selected Bay Area Counties

2-Bedroom Apt.
1-Bedroom Apt.
Studio Apt.


From Zillow Research: https://www.zillow.com/research/data/\#rental-data. Data from sources deemed reliable, but may contain errors and is subject to revision. Unit size and quality may vary by

## Median List Rental Price per Square Foot

San Francisco, Santa Clara, Alameda Counties since 2010
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## San Francisco Employment Trends

Number of Employed Residents since 2000


Ebbs \& Flows in SF Housing Construction
New-Construction Housing Units Completed by Year

Per SF Planning Dept. Housing Inventory Report and other sources


## Median List Rent Trends

San Francisco since 2011


## Median List Rental Price per Square Foot

San Francisco Trends, October 2010 - March 2019

Data per Zillow Research,
5+ unit buildings

All things being equal, smaller apartments will rent for higher prices per square foot.

Rents at recently constructed apartment buildings are typically at the top end of rental $\$ / \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{ft}$. rates.

Longer-term trends are more meaningful than short-term fluctuations.


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## Percentage of Listings Sold in Quarter

San Francisco 5+ Unit Building Market Dynamics


## San Francisco New-Home Construction Pipeline

Unit Count Data per Socketsite 6/18/19 Analysis of Planning Dept. Q1 2019 Pipeline Report

## Net New Housing Units

Includes market-rate condos and rental units, as well as affordable (below-market-rate) and social project housing. Changes in economic/political conditions can quickly impact plans and construction.


## San Francisco Residential 5+ Unit Buildings

Sales by Era of Construction, 2016-2018

Approximately 78\% of San Francisco residential 5+ unit


## San Francisco Commercial Lease Rates

Class A Commercial Asking Rent


Note that the quantity of sales in any given local submarket is usually relatively small and/or the number of sales that report the necessary financial information can be limited. Buildings of different ages, qualities and sizes selling in different periods can cause these average and median figures to fluctuate significantly. Furthermore, the reliability of some of these calculations depends upon the quality of the income and expense figures provided by the listing agents, and sometimes instead of actual numbers, much less meaningful projected or scheduled figures are used. Therefore, the above statistics should be considered very general indicators, and how they apply to any particular property without a specific comparative market analysis is unknown. If you would like such a specific analysis, please contact me.

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