1. Affordability

Affordability has been declining since January as prices continue to outpace wage growth.



Affordability Definition: A value of 100 means that a family earning the median income has <u>exactly</u> enough income to qualify for a mortgage on a median-priced home. An index above 100 signifies that a family earning the median income has more than enough income.

Source: NAR



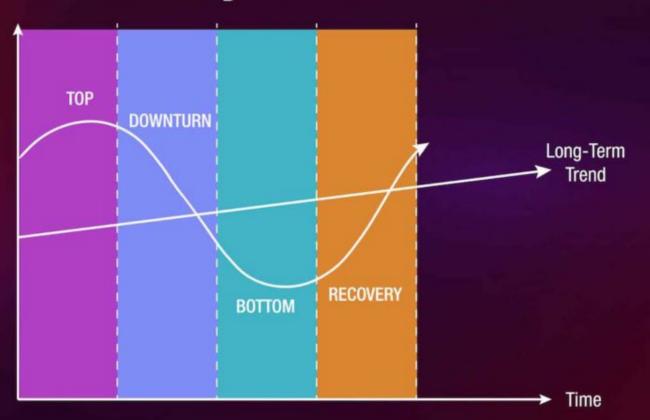
2016 Market Update

Gary Keller and Jay Papasan

Housing Market Cycles

DOWNTURN INDICATORS

DOM	1	
Inventory	- 1	
Price	-+	
Sales	1	
Construction	_	



The Numbers That Drive U.S. Real Estate

- Home Sales
- 2. Home Price
- 3. Months Supply of Inventory
- 4. Change in Inventory by State

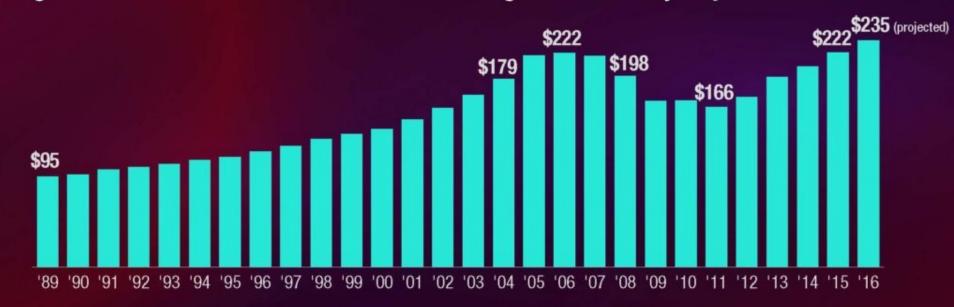
1. Home Sales

Nationally home sales are on pace for another post-crisis record. However, sales are slowing in some markets as affordability becomes a serious issue.



2. Home Price - Annual

Home prices continue to rise as mortgage rates remain low. Price gains have been in the sustainable range for the majority of 2016.



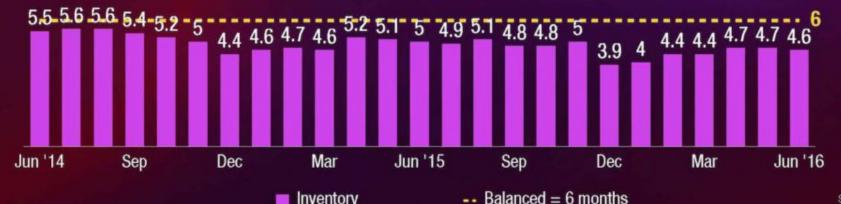
Annual Median Home Price (in Thousands)

Source: NAR



3. Months Supply of Inventory

We are now seeing many markets split by price point. Entry-level homes remain in a seller's market, but some luxury and move-up markets show signs of shifting.



Inventory

Buyer's Mkt Balanced Seller's Mkt

Source: NAR

4. Mortgage Rates - Monthly

Home sales benefited from near record-low interest rates so far in 2016, as lackluster economic growth has kept the Federal Reserve from making substantial changes to policy and pushed more money into treasuries.



The U.S. Economy

- 1. Gross Domestic Product
- 2. Unemployment
- 3. Inflation

1. Gross Domestic Product - Quarterly

Growth has been held back by low levels of investment in 2016, but consumer spending remains strong.



Real GDP Growth Rate, Quarterly, Seasonally Adjusted (Percentage)

2015

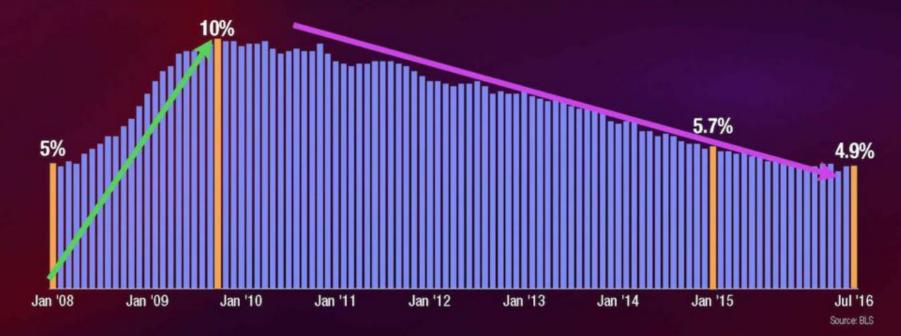
2016

Source: BEA

#KWMC

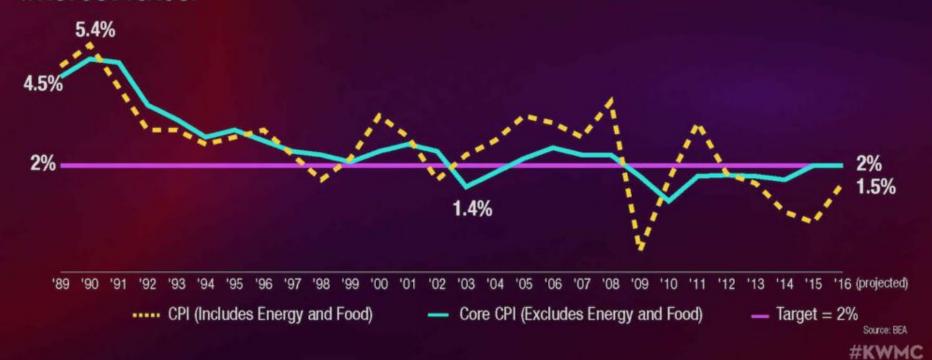
2. Unemployment - Monthly

Employment has been stable below 5% so far in 2016, as other statistics on unemployment continue to show progress.



3. Inflation - Annual

Persistent low levels of inflation will be another factor holding down interest rates.

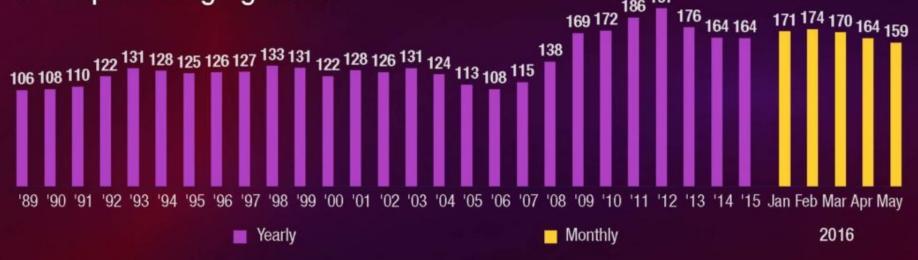


Special Topics

- 1. Affordability
- 2. New Home Construction
- 3. New Home Sales

1. Affordability

Affordability has been declining since January as prices continue to outpace wage growth.



Affordability Definition: A value of 100 means that a family earning the median income has <u>exactly</u> enough income to qualify for a mortgage on a median-priced home. An index above 100 signifies that a family earning the median income has more than enough income.

Source: NAR



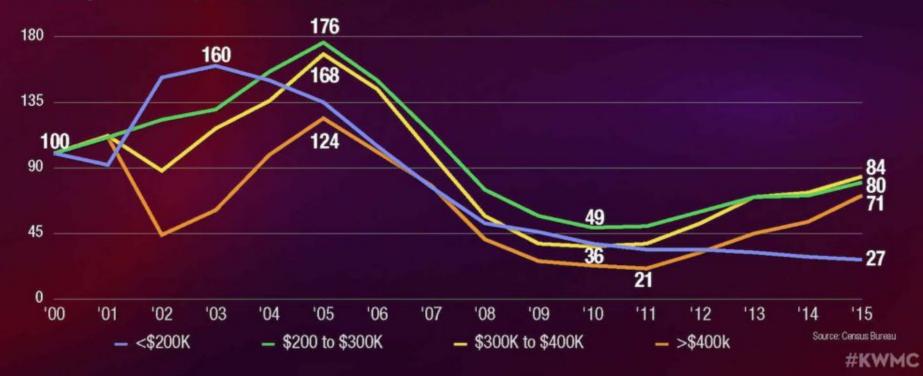
2. New Home Construction

Construction has been focused in higher price ranges, which may create issues down the line.



3. New Home Sales (compared to 2000)

The lack of construction in the entry-level price range has contributed to shortages, causing extremely low inventory levels of entry-level houses in many cities.



Industry Update

Restrictions on how real estate teams advertise are becoming more widespread.

- 1. A bill recently passed in South Carolina that outlaws the use of "realty" and "real estate" in team names.
- Nine other states already have regulations on team advertising.

Technology Trends



#KWMC

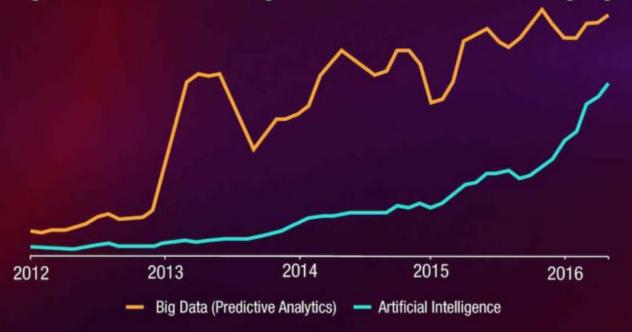
1. Predictive Analytics

Increased competition in the predictive analytics space will drive accuracy, leading to higher conversion rates.



2. Artificial Intelligence

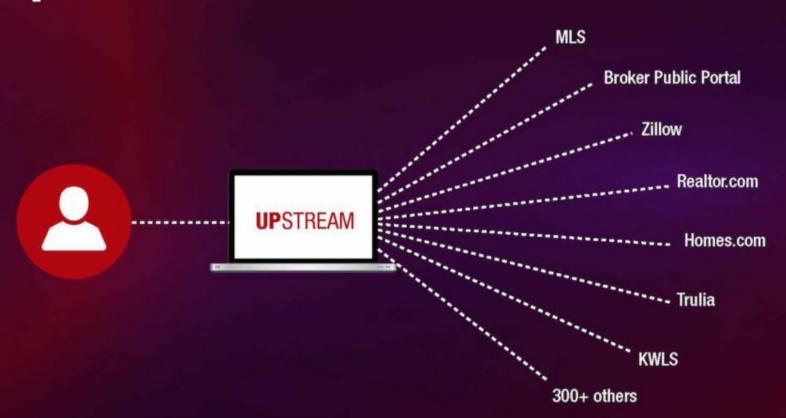
ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE - The theory and development of computer systems able to perform tasks that normally require human intelligence, such as visual perception, speech recognition, decision-making, and translation between languages.



Source: CB Insights



3. Upstream Model



4. Instantaneous Response Time

The industry is beginning to leverage technology to improve a longtime weakness: response time.





Source: Baylor University



5. Showing Innovations

Showings are going through a period of innovation where different providers are offering users unique tools to schedule and tour showings on demand with or without an agent.

1. AGENT-LESS SHOWINGS

2. SMART LOCKBOXES



3. ON-DEMAND

6. Transparent Offer Management

New competitors are entering the real estate market offering "transparent offer management" solutions that allow consumers to place offers on homes online with or without an agent. Some are even making these offers visible to the public.



List Price

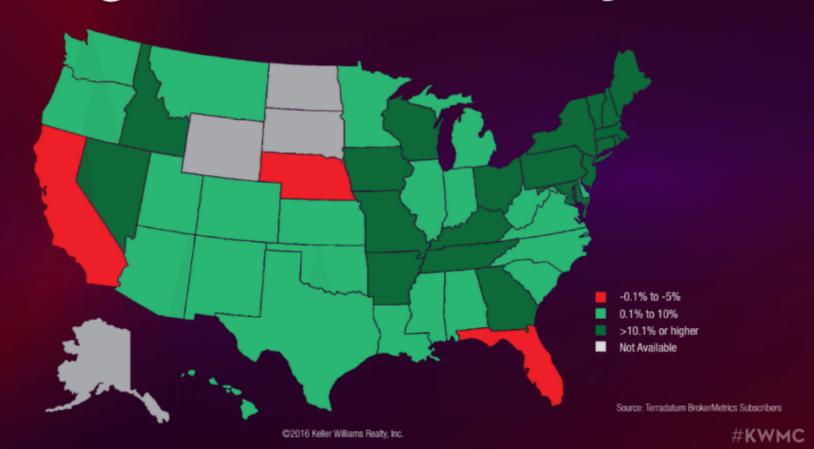
\$350,000

MAKE AN OFFER

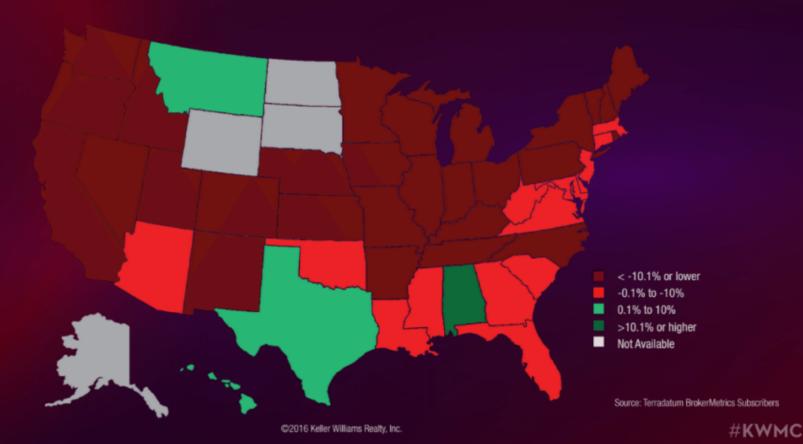
OFFER HISTORY

Date	Price	Status
8/5/16	\$325,000	Declined
8/1/16	\$318,000	Declined
7/25/16	\$312,000	Declined

2. Change in Home Sales by State



5. Change in Inventory by State



6. Change in DOM by State

