

# QUARTERLY MARKET REPORT

# **THIRD QUARTER 2011**





## Manhattan Cooperatives and Condominiums

#### **Average and Median Sale Price**

Prices for Manhattan apartments rose slightly over the past year, reaching an average of \$1,437,302 in the third quarter. This was a 1% increase from the third quarter of 2010, although the median price fell 4% during this time to \$850,000. The number of reported apartment sales rose 1% from a year ago to 2,492.



#### **Cooperative Average Sale Price**

A 17% gain in threebedroom and larger apartments helped push the average price for all co-ops 2% higher from 2010's third quarter, to \$1,180,442. The average price did decline for both studio and onebedroom co-ops compared to a year ago.

	Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom	All
3rd Q 11	\$343,363	\$577,256	\$1,221,556	\$3,559,549	\$1,180,442
2nd Q 11	\$351,499	\$590,688	\$1,308,501	\$3,675,849	\$1,214,047
1st Q 11	\$331,846	\$582,669	\$1,210,817	\$3,157,789	\$1,070,229
4th Q 10	\$342,545	\$593,718	\$1,231,116	\$3,150,700	\$1,158,333
3rd Q 10	\$366,086	\$606,444	\$1,206,257	\$3,049,980	\$1,156,733

#### Condominium Average Sale Price

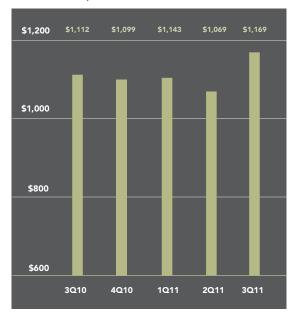
All sizes of condo apartments saw their average price rise over the past year, led by a 6% gain in studio apartments. The overall average condo price rose 2% during this time to \$1,756,744.

	Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom	All
3rd Q 11	\$525,014	\$837,707	\$1,652,607	\$3,844,301	\$1,756,744
2nd Q 11	\$493,992	\$796,378	\$1,652,085	\$3,724,128	\$1,670,908
1st Q 11	\$517,980	\$820,419	\$1,631,454	\$3,853,227	\$1,745,464
4th Q 10	\$495,002	\$844,964	\$1,637,638	\$4,567,750	\$1,751,219
3rd Q 10	\$495,876	\$809,514	\$1,596,021	\$3,835,376	\$1,724,180

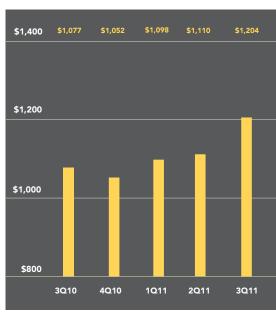
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# Average Price Per Square Foot

### **New Developments**

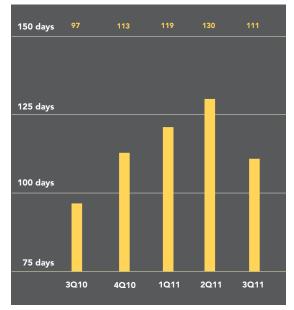


#### Lofts



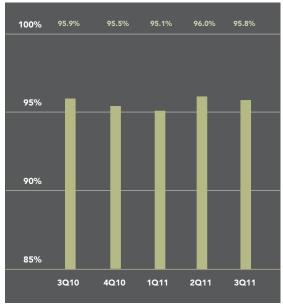
Apartments in new developments sold for an average of \$1,169 per square foot in the third quarter, a 5% gain from the third quarter of 2010. Lofts posted a 12% increase in their average price per square foot over the past year, rising from \$1,077 to \$1,204.

#### Time on the Market



Excludes new developments and units listed over one year.

### Asking Vs. Selling Price



Based on the last asking price. Excludes new developments.

Co-ops and condos sold during the third quarter spent an average of 111 days on the market, down from the previous quarter, but 14% longer than a year ago. Seller's received 95.8% of their final asking price, virtually unchanged from the third quarter of 2010.



# East Side

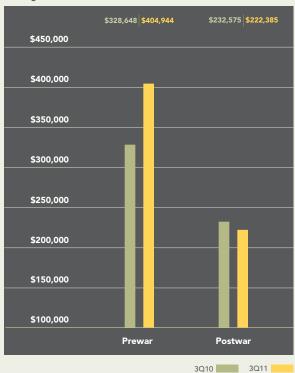
Generally 59th to 96th Street, Fifth Avenue to the East River

East Side pricing gains over the past year were led by three-bedroom and larger apartments, whose average price rose 29% to \$4,541,417. This figure was helped by 5 sales for over \$20 million, compared to just 1 a year ago. Prices also rose for one- and two-bedroom units, while falling for studios. The increased high-end activity in this area was concentrated in the prewar co-op market, whose average price per room rose 23% compared to 2010's comparable period.

		Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom
Calaa	3rd Q 10	7%	31%	37%	25%
	3rd Q 11	11%	32%	34%	23%
Average Price	3rd Q 10	\$375,666	\$658,875	\$1,449,023	\$3,514,627
	3rd Q 11	\$336,900	\$685,965	\$1,528,545	\$4,541,417
	% Change	-10%	4%	5%	29%

## Cooperative

#### **Average Price Per Room**



### Condominium

#### **Average Price Per Square Foot**



# West Side

Generally 59th to 110th Street, Hudson River to West of Fifth Avenue

A number of closings at The Laureate, a new development condominium, helped bring the average price for three-bedroom and larger condos on the West Side 13% higher over the past year. These closings also helped to bring the average condo price per square foot up 11% from 2010's third quarter, to \$1,390. Co-op prices on the West Side fell over the past year, with the average price per room down 2% for prewar and 5% for postwar co-ops.

		Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom
Calaa	3rd Q 10	9%	30%	36%	25%
	3rd Q 11	10%	33%	31%	26%
Average Price	3rd Q 10	\$399,072	\$697,290	\$1,523,268	\$3,353,242
	3rd Q 11	\$392,817	\$703,883	\$1,500,744	\$3,783,108
	% Change	-2%	1%	-1%	13%

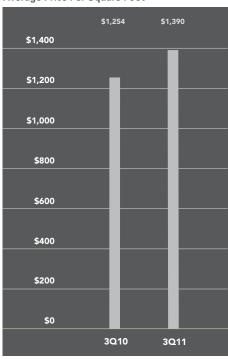
## Cooperative

#### **Average Price Per Room**



### Condominium

#### **Average Price Per Square Foot**





The average price per

room fell last year for

both prewar and postwar co-ops in the Midtown East market. Condo prices

were slightly lower, as their average price per square foot fell 1% to \$1,260.

# Midtown

Midtown East Generally 34th to 59th Street, Fifth Avenue to the East River

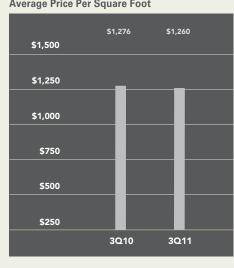
## Cooperative

#### Average Price Per Room

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### Condominium

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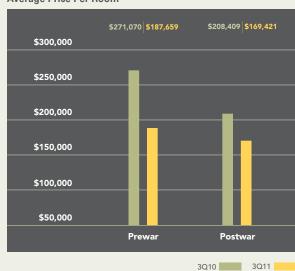


# Midtown West Generally 34th to 59th Street, Hudson River to West of Fifth Avenue

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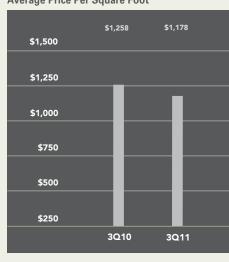
### Cooperative

#### Average Price Per Room



### Condominium

#### **Average Price Per Square Foot**



Although sharp declines were seen in the average price per room for prewar co-ops in the Midtown West market, this is a relatively small market and can see large fluctuations in data from quarter-to-quarter. The average condo price fell 6% over the past year to \$1,178 per square foot.

# Downtown

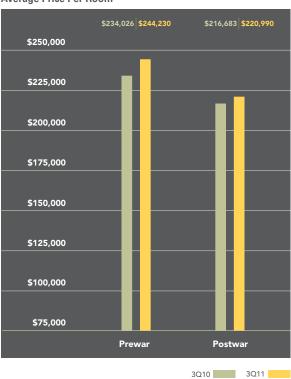
South of 34th Street

Downtown prices were mixed over the past year, with the average price up for studios and two-bedrooms but lower for one-bedroom and three-bedroom and larger apartments. The average co-op price per room rose 4% for prewar and 2% for postwar units. Condo prices averaged \$1,192 per square foot, 1% lower than a year ago.

		Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom
C-I	3rd Q 10	15%	45%	29%	11%
	3rd Q 11	15%	45%	28%	12%
Average	3rd Q 10	\$461,763	\$755,436	\$1,523,264	\$3,776,778
	3rd Q 11	\$468,337	\$738,586	\$1,562,515	\$3,047,527
	% Change	1%	-2%	3%	-19%

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#### **Average Price Per Square Foot**





# Northern Manhattan

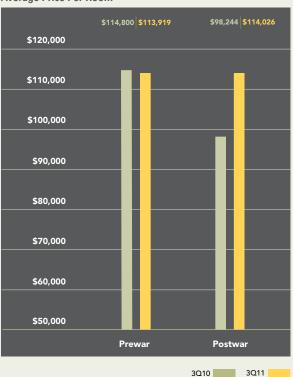
Generally North of 96th Street on the East Side, and 110th Street on the West Side

While the average price rose 11% over the past year for three-bedroom and larger units in Northern Manhattan, this was the only size category to see an increase in its average price. Co-op prices were mixed, as the average price per room fell slightly for prewar but rose for postwar apartments. At \$575, the average condo price per square foot in Northern Manhattan was 7% lower than a year ago.

		Studio	1-Bedroom	2-Bedroom	3+Bedroom
Percent of	3rd Q 10	9%	32%	46%	13%
Sales	3rd Q 11	8%	33%	43%	16%
Average Price	3rd Q 10	\$285,719	\$379,154	\$621,104	\$879,888
	3rd Q 11	\$259,098	\$370,032	\$572,936	\$974,909
	% Change	-9%	-2%	-8%	11%

### Cooperative

#### **Average Price Per Room**



### Condominium

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This report is based on 2,492 reported Manhattan apartment sales, 1% more than were reported during last year's comparable period.

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