

Table 1. Historical Evidence of U.S. Home Price Booms and Busts, 1978 - 2004

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LEGEND: **BOOM** = Years where real home prices increased at least 30 percent from 3 years earlier

BUST = Years where nominal home prices declined from 5 years earlier.

(City must include at least one 5-year period where nominal price declined by more than 15 percent.)

Numbers in bold indicate maximum 3-year real price increase in a boom, or maximum nominal 5-year price decline in a bust; duplicate numbers in bold indicate the same maximum was reached in two separate years.

N/A = Missing price data

Source: FDIC FYI Revisited "U.S. Home Prices: Does Bust Always Follow Boom?" May 2, 2005. (Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight House Price Index, nominal and real using Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Price Index less shelter inflation index).