

**Table 946. New Unfurnished Apartments Completed and Rented in 3 Months by Region: 2000 to 2006**

[226.2 represents 226,200. Structures with five units or more, privately-financed, nonsubsidized, unfurnished rental apartments. Based on sample and subject to sampling variability; see source for details. For composition of regions, see map, inside front cover]

Year and rent	Number (1,000)					Percent rented in 3 months				
	U.S.	North-east	Mid-west	South	West	U.S.	North-east	Mid-west	South	West
2000 . . . . .	226.2	14.8	39.5	125.9	45.9	72	85	76	67	77
2004 . . . . .	153.8	13.1	31.7	72.7	36.3	62	75	59	60	65
2005 . . . . .	113.0	4.7	20.5	57.8	30.0	64	75	64	62	64
<b>2006, prel.</b> . . . . .	<b>117.2</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>69.9</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>56</b>
Less than \$750 . . . . .	20.0	0.7	6.3	12.1	0.9	73	93	75	76	61
\$750 to \$849 . . . . .	13.5	(Z)	1.3	10.2	1.9	62	7	66	66	72
\$850 to \$949 . . . . .	14.7	0.1	1.1	10.6	2.9	52	78	33	60	61
\$950 to \$1,049 . . . . .	11.6	0.2	0.8	8.8	1.8	50	83	37	51	58
\$1,050 to \$1,149 . . . . .	10.6	0.2	0.5	6.6	3.4	49	99	30	56	53
\$1,150 or more . . . . .	46.7	4.7	2.7	21.7	17.6	48	29	36	53	53
Median monthly asking rent (dollars) . .	\$1,039	( <sup>1</sup> )	\$752	\$973	( <sup>1</sup> )	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

X Not applicable. Z Fewer than 50 units or less than one-half of 1 percent. <sup>1</sup> Over \$1,150.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Housing Reports*, Series H130, *Market Absorption of Apartments*, and unpublished data. See Internet site: <<http://www.census.gov/prod/www/abs/apart.html>>.