More markets see more homes for sale

In July, the inventory of homes for sale nationwide was down only 5.2 percent from a year ago, Realtor.com says. That's an improvement from January, when for-sale inventories were down 16 percent from the year before, according to Realtor.com. Inventory was up year over year in 25 markets in July, compared with just seven in April, Realtor.com says.