## TEXAS TITLE RATES

## HIGHLIGHTS


#### Abstract

All title insurance rates in Texas are promulgated and determined by the Texas Department of Insurance. Occasionally, the department issues a rate change after considering multiple factors such as real estate prices. As a result of these considerations, the department determined that there will be an overall rate decrease of $4.9 \%$ on promulgated title insurance rates in Texas. These changes will go into effect on September 1, 2019.




| Age of Existing Loan <br> Policy (in Years) | Current Reduction to <br> the Basic Premium | New Reduction to <br> the Basic Premium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0-2$ | $40 \%$ | $50 \%$ |
| 3 | $35 \%$ |  |
| 4 | $30 \%$ |  |
| 5 | $25 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| 6 | $20 \%$ |  |
| 7 | $15 \%$ |  |
| 8 | None |  |

As well as the rate decrease, there will be changes to recognize efficiencies in refinance transactions. Rate Rule R-8 simplifies the prior loan policy credit into two categories, 50\% and $25 \%$, and expands eligibility of prior loans to qualify for the credit from seven years to eight years.

Additionally, the minimum policy liability face amount will increase from $\$ 10,000$ to $\$ 25,000$ to better reflect the current real estate market.

## Premium Calculations

## POLICIES OF \$ 100,001-\$1,000,000

1. Subtract $\$ 100,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00527 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 832$ to result (2).

## Policies of \$1,000,001-\$5,000,000

1. Subtract $\$ 1,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00433 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 5,575$ to result (2).

## Policies of \$5,000,001-\$15,000000

1. Subtract $\$ 5,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00357 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 22,895$ to result (2).

## Policies of $\$ 15,000,001-\$ 25,000,000$

1. Subtract $\$ 15,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00254 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 58,595$ to result (2).

## Policies of \$25,000,001-\$50,000,000

1. Subtract $\$ 25,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00152 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 83,995$ to result (2).

## Policies of \$50,000,001-\$100,000,000

1. Subtract $\$ 50,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00138 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add $\$ 121,995$ to result (2).

## For policies greater than \$100,000,000

1. Subtract $\$ 100,000,000$ from policy amount.
2. Multiply result (1) by 0.00124 and round to nearest whole dollar.
3. Add \$190,995 to result (2).

| Insured Amount | Premium | Insured Amount | Premium | Insured Amount | Premium | Insured Amount | Premium | Insured Amount | Premium |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$25,000 | \$328 | \$250,000 | \$1,623 | \$475,000 | \$2,808 | \$700,000 | \$3,994 | \$925,000 | \$5,180 |
| \$30,000 | \$361 | \$255,000 | \$1,649 | \$480,000 | \$2,835 | \$705,000 | \$4,020 | \$930,000 | \$5,206 |
| \$35,000 | \$395 | \$260,000 | \$1,675 | \$485,000 | \$2,861 | \$710,000 | \$4,047 | \$935,000 | \$5,232 |
| \$40,000 | \$428 | \$265,000 | \$1,702 | \$490,000 | \$2,887 | \$715,000 | \$4,073 | \$940,000 | \$5,259 |
| \$45,000 | \$463 | \$270,000 | \$1,728 | \$495,000 | \$2,914 | \$720,000 | \$4,099 | \$945,000 | \$5,285 |
| \$50,000 | \$496 | \$275,000 | \$1,754 | \$500,000 | \$2,940 | \$725,000 | \$4,126 | \$950,000 | \$5,312 |
| \$55,000 | \$529 | \$280,000 | \$1,781 | \$505,000 | \$2,966 | \$730,000 | \$4,152 | \$955,000 | \$5,338 |
| \$60,000 | \$564 | \$285,000 | \$1,807 | \$510,000 | \$2,993 | \$735,000 | \$4,178 | \$960,000 | \$5,364 |
| \$65,000 | \$597 | \$290,000 | \$1,833 | \$515,000 | \$3,019 | \$740,000 | \$4,205 | \$965,000 | \$5,391 |
| \$70,000 | \$631 | \$295,000 | \$1,860 | \$520,000 | \$3,045 | \$745,000 | \$4,231 | \$970,000 | \$5,417 |
| \$75,000 | \$666 | \$300,000 | \$1,886 | \$525,000 | \$3,072 | \$750,000 | \$4,258 | \$975,000 | \$5,443 |
| \$80,000 | \$698 | \$305,000 | \$1,912 | \$530,000 | \$3,098 | \$755,000 | \$4,284 | \$980,000 | \$5,470 |
| \$85,000 | \$732 | \$310,000 | \$1,939 | \$535,000 | \$3,124 | \$760,000 | \$4,310 | \$985,000 | \$5,496 |
| \$90,000 | \$765 | \$315,000 | \$1,965 | \$540,000 | \$3,151 | \$765,000 | \$4,337 | \$990,000 | \$5,522 |
| \$95,000 | \$801 | \$320,000 | \$1,991 | \$545,000 | \$3,177 | \$770,000 | \$4,363 | \$995,000 | \$5,549 |
| \$100,000 | \$832 | \$325,000 | \$2,018 | \$550,000 | \$3,204 | \$775,000 | \$4,389 | \$1,000,000 | \$5,575 |
| \$105,000 | \$858 | \$330,000 | \$2,044 | \$555,000 | \$3,230 | \$780,000 | \$4,416 | \$2,000,000 | \$9,905 |
| \$110,000 | \$885 | \$335,000 | \$2,070 | \$560,000 | \$3,256 | \$785,000 | \$4,442 | \$3,000,000 | \$14,235 |
| \$115,000 | \$911 | \$340,000 | \$2,097 | \$565,000 | \$3,283 | \$790,000 | \$4,468 | \$4,000,000 | \$18,565 |
| \$120,000 | \$937 | \$345,000 | \$2,123 | \$570,000 | \$3,309 | \$795,000 | \$4,495 | \$5,000,000 | \$22,895 |
| \$125,000 | \$964 | \$350,000 | \$2,150 | \$575,000 | \$3,335 | \$800,000 | \$4,521 | \$6,000,000 | \$26,465 |
| \$130,000 | \$990 | \$355,000 | \$2,176 | \$580,000 | \$3,362 | \$805,000 | \$4,547 | \$7,000,000 | \$30,035 |
| \$135,000 | \$1,016 | \$360,000 | \$2,202 | \$585,000 | \$3,388 | \$810,000 | \$4,574 | \$8,000,000 | \$33,605 |
| \$140,000 | \$1,043 | \$365,000 | \$2,229 | \$590,000 | \$3,414 | \$815,000 | \$4,600 | \$9,000,000 | \$37,175 |
| \$145,000 | \$1,069 | \$370,000 | \$2,255 | \$595,000 | \$3,441 | \$820,000 | \$4,626 | \$10,000,000 | \$40,745 |
| \$150,000 | \$1,096 | \$375,000 | \$2,281 | \$600,000 | \$3,467 | \$825,000 | \$4,653 | \$15,000,000 | \$58,595 |
| \$155,000 | \$1,122 | \$380,000 | \$2,308 | \$605,000 | \$3,493 | \$830,000 | \$4,679 | \$25,000,000 | \$83,995 |
| \$160,000 | \$1,148 | \$385,000 | \$2,334 | \$610,000 | \$3,520 | \$835,000 | \$4,705 | \$30,000,000 | \$91,595 |
| \$165,000 | \$1,175 | \$390,000 | \$2,360 | \$615,000 | \$3,546 | \$840,000 | \$4,732 | \$35,000,000 | \$99,195 |
| \$170,000 | \$1,201 | \$395,000 | \$2,387 | \$620,000 | \$3,572 | \$845,000 | \$4,758 | \$40,000,000 | \$106,795 |
| \$175,000 | \$1,227 | \$400,000 | \$2,413 | \$625,000 | \$3,599 | \$850,000 | \$4,785 | \$45,000,000 | \$114,395 |
| \$180,000 | \$1,254 | \$405,000 | \$2,439 | \$630,000 | \$3,625 | \$855,000 | \$4,811 | \$50,000,000 | \$121,995 |
| \$185,000 | \$1,280 | \$410,000 | \$2,466 | \$635,000 | \$3,651 | \$860,000 | \$4,837 | \$60,000,000 | \$135,795 |
| \$190,000 | \$1,306 | \$415,000 | \$2,492 | \$640,000 | \$3,678 | \$865,000 | \$4,864 | \$70,000,000 | \$149,595 |
| \$195,000 | \$1,333 | \$420,000 | \$2,518 | \$645,000 | \$3,704 | \$870,000 | \$4,890 | \$80,000,000 | \$163,395 |
| \$200,000 | \$1,359 | \$425,000 | \$2,545 | \$650,000 | \$3,731 | \$875,000 | \$4,916 | \$90,000,000 | \$177,195 |
| \$205,000 | \$1,385 | \$430,000 | \$2,571 | \$655,000 | \$3,757 | \$880,000 | \$4,943 | \$100,000,000 | \$190,995 |
| \$210,000 | \$1,412 | \$435,000 | \$2,597 | \$660,000 | \$3,783 | \$885,000 | \$4,969 | \$110,000,000 | \$203,395 |
| \$215,000 | \$1,438 | \$440,000 | \$2,624 | \$665,000 | \$3,810 | \$890,000 | \$4,995 | \$120,000,000 | \$215,795 |
| \$220,000 | \$1,464 | \$445,000 | \$2,650 | \$670,000 | \$3,836 | \$895,000 | \$5,022 | \$130,000,000 | \$228,195 |
| \$225,000 | \$1,491 | \$450,000 | \$2,677 | \$675,000 | \$3,862 | \$900,000 | \$5,048 | \$140,000,000 | \$240,595 |
| \$230,000 | \$1,517 | \$455,000 | \$2,703 | \$680,000 | \$3,889 | \$905,000 | \$5,074 | \$150,000,000 | \$252,995 |
| \$235,000 | \$1,543 | \$460,000 | \$2,729 | \$685,000 | \$3,915 | \$910,000 | \$5,101 |  |  |
| \$240,000 | \$1,570 | \$465,000 | \$2,756 | \$690,000 | \$3,941 | \$915,000 | \$5,127 |  |  |
| \$245,000 | \$1,596 | \$470,000 | \$2,782 | \$695,000 | \$3,968 | \$920,000 | \$5,153 |  |  |

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