

# Retail Trade Area Psychographic Profile 

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## Income Range of Lifemode Summary Groups

Belton, Texas


## 0 \$20k <br> \$40k <br> \$60k <br> \$80k <br> \$100k <br> \$120k <br> \$140k <br> \$160k

-     -         - US Median Income \$51,000
+ L1 AFFLUENT ESTATES
Established wealth - educated, well-traveled married couples
+ L2 UPSCALE AVENUES
Prosperous, married couples
in higher density neighborhoods
+ L3 UPTOWN INDIVIDUALS
Younger, urban singles on the move
+ L4 FAMILY LANDSCAPES
Successful younger families in newer housing
+ L5 GENXURBAN
Gen $X$ in middle age; families with fewer kids and a mortgage
+ L6 COZY COUNTRY
Empty nesters in bucolic settings
+ L7 ETHNIC ENCLAVES
Established diversity - young, Hispanic homeowners with families
+ L8 MIDDLE GROUND
Lifestyles of thirtysomethings
+ L9 SENIOR STYLES
Senior lifestyles reveal the effects of saving for retirement
+ L10 RUSTIC OUTPOSTS
Country life with older families, older homes
+ L11 MIDTOWN SINGLES
Millennials on the move; single, diverse, and urban
+ L12 HOMETOWN
Growing up and staying close to home; single householders


## + L13 NEXT WAVE

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## Retail Trade Area •Lifemode Summary Groups Map

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## Retail Trade Area • Top Tapestry Segments

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|  | TAPESTRY SEGMENTATION | HOUSEHOLDS PERCENT | CUMULATIVE PERCENT | US HOUSEHOLDS PERCENT | CUMULATIVE PERCENT | INDEX |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Middleburg (4C) | 12.7\% | 12.7\% | 3.0\% | 3.0\% | 426 |
| 2 | Up and Coming Families (7A) | 11.1\% | 23.8\% | 2.6\% | 5.6\% | 426 |
| 3 | Comfortable Empty Nesters (5A) | 8.8\% | 32.6\% | 2.4\% | 8.0\% | 361 |
| 4 | Green Acres (6A) | 8.3\% | 40.9\% | 3.3\% | 11.3\% | 256 |
| 5 | Old and Newcomers (8F) | 8.0\% | 48.9\% | 2.3\% | 13.6\% | 348 |
|  | Subtotal | 48.9\% |  | 13.6\% |  |  |
| 6 | Southern Satellites (10A) | 6.7\% | 55.6\% | 3.2\% | 16.8\% | 211 |
| 7 | In Style (5B) | 6.4\% | 62.0\% | 2.2\% | 19.0\% | 285 |
| 8 | Hometown Heritage (8G) | 4.7\% | 66.7\% | 1.2\% | 20.2\% | 395 |
| 9 | Traditional Living (12B) | 4.2\% | 70.9\% | 1.9\% | 22.1\% | 224 |
| 10 | Young and Restless (11B) | 3.6\% | 74.5\% | 1.8\% | 23.9\% | 204 |
|  | Subtotal | 25.6\% |  | 10.3\% |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Bright Young Professionals (8C) | 3.6\% | 78.1\% | 2.3\% | 26.2\% | 157 |
| 12 | Metro Fusion (11C) | 3.3\% | 81.4\% | 1.4\% | 27.6\% | 237 |
| 13 | Exurbanites (1E) | 2.3\% | 83.7\% | 1.9\% | 29.5\% | 120 |
| 14 | Heartland Communities (6F) | 2.1\% | 85.8\% | 2.3\% | 31.8\% | 93 |
| 15 | Golden Years (9B) | 1.9\% | 87.7\% | 1.3\% | 33.1\% | 147 |
|  | Subtotal | 13.2\% |  | 9.2\% |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 16 | Rustbelt Traditions (5D) | 1.9\% | 89.6\% | 2.2\% | 35.3\% | 85 |
| 17 | Set to Impress (11D) | 1.8\% | 91.4\% | 1.4\% | 36.7\% | 131 |
| 18 | Savvy Suburbanites (1D) | 1.7\% | 93.1\% | 3.0\% | 39.7\% | 58 |
| 19 | Southwestern Families (7F) | 1.7\% | 94.8\% | 0.8\% | 40.5\% | 209 |
| 20 | Down the Road (10D) | 1.2\% | 96.0\% | 1.2\% | 41.7\% | 107 |
|  | Subtotal | 8.3\% |  | 8.6\% |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 96.1\% |  | 41.5\% |  | 231 |

# 4C LifeMode Group: Family Landscapes Middleburg 

US Households: 3,511,200<br>Average Household Size: 2.75

Median Age: 36.1
Median Household Income: \$59,800

## WHO ARE WE?

Middleburg neighborhoods transformed from the easy pace of country living to semirural subdivisions in the last decade, when the housing boom reached out. Residents are conservative, family-oriented consumers. Still more country than rock and roll, they are thrifty but willing to carry some debt and are already investing in their futures. They rely on their smartphones and mobile devices to stay in touch and pride themselves on their expertise. They prefer to buy American and travel in the US. This market is younger but growing in size and assets.

## OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Semirural locales within metropolitan areas.
- Neighborhoods changed rapidly in the previous decade with the addition of new single-family homes.
- Include a number of mobile homes (Index 150).
- Affordable housing, median value of \$175,000 (Index 84) with a low vacancy rate.
- Young couples, many with children; average household size is 2.75.


## SOCIOECONOMIC TRAITS

- Education: 65\% with a high school diploma or some college.
- Unemployment rate lower at 4.7\% (Index 86).
- Labor force participation typical of a younger population at 66.7\% (Index 107).
- Traditional values are the norm here-faith, country, and family.
- Prefer to buy American and for a good price.
- Comfortable with the latest in technology, for convenience (online banking or saving money on landlines) and entertainment.


## AGE BY SEX ${ }_{\text {(Esidida) }}$

Median Age: 36.1 US: 38.2

- Indicates US



## INCOME AND NET WORTH

Net worth measures total household assets (homes, vehicles, investments, etc.) less any debts, secured (e.g., mortgages) or unsecured (credit cards). Household income and net worth are estimated by Esri.

## Median Household Income

$\$ 59,800$
$\$ 56,100$
$0 \quad \$ 100 K$ \$200K \$300K \$400K \$500K \$600K+

## Median Net Worth



## RACE AND ETHNICITY (Esid data)

The Diversity Index summarizes racial and ethnic diversity. The index shows the likelihood that two persons, chosen at random from the same area, belong to different race or ethnic groups. The index ranges from 0 (no diversity) to 100 (complete diversity).
Diversity Index: 48.5 US: 64.0


## HOUSING

Median home value is displayed for markets that are primarily owner occupied; average rent is shown for renter-occupied markets. Tenure and home value are estimated by Esri. Housing type and average rent are from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.


Typical Housing:
Single Family
Median Value:
\$175,000
US Median: \$207,300

## AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD BUDGET INDEX

The index compares the average amount spent in this market's household budgets for housing, food, apparel, etc., to the average amount spent by all US households. An index of 100 is average. An index of 120 shows that average spending by consumers in this market is 20 percent above the national average. Consumer expenditures are estimated by Esri.



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## 4C LifeMode Group: Family Landscapes Middleburg

## Market Profile

- Residents are partial to domestic vehicles; they like to drive trucks, SUVs, or motorcycles.
- Entertainment is primarily family-oriented, TV and movie rentals or theme parks and family restaurants.
- Spending priorities also focus on family (children's toys and apparel) or home DIY projects.
- Sports include hunting, fishing, bowling, and baseball.
- TV and magazines provide entertainment and information.
- Media preferences include country and Christian channels.


## OCCUPATION BY EARNINGS

The five occupations with the highest number of workers in the market are displayed by median earnings. Data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.


# LifeMode Group: Ethnic Enclaves <br> Up and Coming Families 

US Households: 2,901,200
Average Household Size: 3.12

Median Age: 31.4
Median Household Income: \$72,000

## WHO ARE WE?

Up and Coming Families is a market in transition-residents are younger and more mobile and ethnically diverse than the previous generation. They are ambitious, working hard to get ahead, and willing to take some risks to achieve their goals. The recession has impacted their financial well-being, but they are optimistic. Their homes are new; their families are young. And this is one of the fastest-growing markets in the country.

## OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- New suburban periphery: new families in new housing subdivisions.
- Building began in the housing boom of the 2000s and continues in this fast-growing market.
- Single-family homes with a median value of \$194,400 and a lower vacancy rate.
- The price of affordable housing: longer commute times (Index 217).


## SOCIOECONOMIC TRAITS

- Education: 67\% have some college education or degree(s).
- Hard-working labor force with a participation rate of 71\% (Index 114) and low unemployment at 4.6\% (Index 84).
- Most households (61\%) have 2 or more workers.
- Careful shoppers, aware of prices, willing to shop around for the best deals and open to influence by others' opinions.
- Seek the latest and best in technology.
- Young families still feathering the nest and establishing their style.


# LifeMode Group: Ethnic Enclaves <br> Up and Coming Families 

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Median Age: 31.4 US: 38.2

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## INCOME AND NET WORTH

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## Median Household Income



## Median Net Worth



## RACE AND ETHNICITY (Esid data)

The Diversity Index summarizes racial and ethnic diversity. The index shows the likelihood that two persons, chosen at random from the same area, belong to different race or ethnic groups. The index ranges from 0 (no diversity) to 100 (complete diversity).
Diversity Index: 73.9 US: 64.0


## HOUSING

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Typical Housing:
Single Family
Median Value:
\$194,400


US Median: \$207,300

## AVERAGE HOUSEHOLD BUDGET INDEX

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## LifeMode Group: Ethnic Enclaves

Up and Coming Families

## Market Profile

- Rely on the Internet for entertainment, information, shopping, and banking.
- Prefer imported SUVs or compact cars, late models.
- Carry debt from credit card balances to student loans and mortgages, but also maintain retirement plans and make charitable contributions.
- Busy with work and family; use home and landscaping services to save time.
- Find leisure in family activities, movies at home, trips to theme parks or the zoo, and sports; from golfing, weight lifting, to taking a jog or run.


## OCCUPATION BY EARNINGS

The five occupations with the highest number of workers in the market are displayed by median earnings. Data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.


## 5A <br> LifeMode Group: GenXurban Comfortable Empty Nesters

## Median Age: 48.0

Median Household Income: \$75,00

## WHO ARE WE?

Residents in this large, growing segment are older, with nearly half of all householders aged 55 or older; many still live in the suburbs where they grew up. Most are professionals working in government, health care, or manufacturing. These Baby Boomers are earning a comfortable living and benefitting from years of prudent investing and saving. Their net worth is well above average (Index 314). Many are enjoying the transition from child rearing to retirement. They value their health and financial well-being.

## OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Married couples, some with children, but most without (Index 149).
- Average household size slightly higher at 2.52.
- Found throughout the suburbs and small towns of metropolitan areas, where most residents own and live in single-family detached homes (Index 142).
- Most homes built between 1950 and 1990 (Index 131).
- Households generally have one or two vehicles.


## SOCIOECONOMIC TRAITS

- Education: 36\% college graduates; nearly $68 \%$ with some college education.
- Low unemployment at 4\%; average labor force participation at 61\%.
- Most households income from wages or salaries, but a third also draw income from investments (Index 150) and retirement (Index 159).
- Comfortable Empty Nesters residents physically and financially active.
- Prefer eating at home instead of dining out.
- Home maintenance a priority among these homeowners.


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## INCOME AND NET WORTH

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## Median Household Income

$\$ 75,000$
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## Median Net Worth



## RACE AND ETHNICITY (Esid data)

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## HOUSING

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Typical Housing:
Single Family
Median Value:
\$203,400
US Median: \$207,300

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## LifeMode Group: GenXurban Comfortable Empty Nesters

## Market Profile

- Residents enjoy listening to sports radio or watching sports on television.
- Physically active, they play golf, ski, ride bicycles, and work out regularly.
- Spending a lot of time online isn't a priority, so most own older home computers.
- Financial portfolio includes stocks, certificates of deposit, mutual funds, and real estate.


## OCCUPATION BY EARNINGS

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## Workers (Age 16+)

# 6A LifeMode Group: Cozy Country Living Green Acres 

US Households: 3,923,400
Average Household Size: 2.70

Median Age: 43.9
Median Household Income: \$76,800

## WHO ARE WE?

The Green Acres lifestyle features country living and self-reliance. They are avid do-it-yourselfers, maintaining and remodeling their homes, with all the necessary power tools to accomplish the jobs. Gardening, especially growing vegetables, is also a priority, again with the right tools, tillers, tractors, and riding mowers. Outdoor living also features a variety of sports: hunting and fishing, motorcycling, hiking and camping, and even golf. Self-described conservatives, residents of Green Acres remain pessimistic about the near future yet are heavily invested in it.

## OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Rural enclaves in metropolitan areas, primarily (not exclusively) older homes with acreage; new housing growth in the past 15 years.
- Single-family, owner-occupied housing, with a median value of \$235,500.
- An older market, primarily married couples, most with no children.


## SOCIOECONOMIC TRAITS

- Education: More than $60 \%$ are college educated.
- Unemployment is low at 3.8\% (Index 70); labor force participation rate is high at 66.8\% (Index 107).
- Income is derived not only from wages and salaries but also from self-employment (more than $13 \%$ of households), investments (27\% of households), and increasingly, from retirement.
- They are cautious consumers with a focus on quality and durability.
- Comfortable with technology, more as a tool than a trend: banking or paying bills online is convenient; but the Internet is not viewed as entertainment.
- Economic outlook is professed as pessimistic, but consumers are comfortable with debt, primarily as home and auto loans, and investments.


## 6A LifeMode Group: Cozy Country Living Green Acres

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Median Age: 43.9 US: 38.2

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## INCOME AND NET WORTH

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## Median Household Income

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## 6A LifeMode Group: Cozy Country Living Green Acres

## Market Profile

- Purchasing choices reflect Green Acres' residents country life, including a variety of vehicles from trucks and SUVs to ATVs and motorcycles, preferably late model.
- Homeowners favor DIY home improvement projects and gardening.
- Media of choice are provided by satellite service, radio, and television, also with an emphasis on country and home and garden.
- Green Acres residents pursue physical fitness vigorously, from working out on home exercise equipment to playing a variety of sports.
- Residents are active in their communities and a variety of social organizations, from charitable to veterans' clubs.


## OCCUPATION BY EARNINGS

The five occupations with the highest number of workers in the market are displayed by median earnings. Data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.


## 8F LifeMode Group: Middle Ground Old and Newcomers

US Households: 2,859,200
Average Household Size: 2.12

Median Age: 39.4
Median Household Income: \$44,900

## WHO ARE WE?

This market features singles' lifestyles, on a budget. The focus is more on convenience than consumerism, economy over acquisition. Old and Newcomers is composed of neighborhoods in transition, populated by renters who are just beginning their careers or retiring. Some are still in college; some are taking adult education classes. They support charity causes and are environmentally conscious. Age is not always obvious from their choices.

## OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

- Metropolitan city dwellers.
- Predominantly single households (Index 148), with a mix of married couples (no children); average household size lower at 2.12.
- 55\% renter occupied; average rent, \$880, (Index 85).
- $45 \%$ of housing units are single-family dwellings; $45 \%$ are multiunit buildings in older neighborhoods, built before 1980.
- Average vacancy rate at $11 \%$.


## SOCIOECONOMIC TRAITS

- Unemployment is lower at $5.1 \%$ (Index 93), with an average labor force participation rate of $62.6 \%$, despite the increasing number of retired workers.
- $32 \%$ of households are currently receiving Social Security.
- 31\% have a college degree (Index 99), 33\% have some college education, $9 \%$ are still enrolled in college (Index 121).
- Consumers are price aware and coupon clippers, but open to impulse buys.
- They are attentive to environmental concerns.
- They are more comfortable with the latest technology than buying a car.


## 8F LifeMode Group: Middle Ground Old and Newcomers

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## Median Household Income



## Median Net Worth



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Diversity Index: 52.7 US: 64.0


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Typical Housing:
Single Family; Multi-Units

## Average Rent:

 \$880

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## 8F LifeMode Group: Middle Ground Old and Newcomers

## Market Profile

- Residents have a strong sense of community. They volunteer for charities, help fund raise, and recycle.
- They prefer cell phones to landlines.
- Entertainment features the Internet (employment searches, rating products, updating social media profiles), watching movies at home, listening to country music, and reading the paper.
- Vehicles are basically just a means of transportation.
- Food features convenience, frozen and fast food.
- They do banking as likely in person as online.


## OCCUPATION BY EARNINGS

The five occupations with the highest number of workers in the market are displayed by median earnings. Data from the Census Bureau's American Community Survey.


## About The Retail Coach.

The Retail Coach is a national retail recruitment and development firm that combines strategy, technology, and creative expertise to develop and deliver high-impact retail recruitment and development plans to local governments, chambers of commerce, economic development organizations and private developers.

Through its unique Retail $360^{\circledR}$ Process, The Retail Coach offers a dynamic system of products and services that better enable communities to maximize their retail development potential.

## Retail:360* Process

Providing more than simple data reports of psychographic and demographic trends, The Retail Coach goes well beyond other retail consulting and market research firms' offerings by combining current national and statewide demographics and trend data with real-world, "on-the-ground" information gathered through extensive visits to our clients' communities. Every community is different, and there is no "one size fits all" retail recruitment solution. Compiling the gathered data into client-tailored information packets that are uniquely designed for, and targeted to, specific retailers and restaurants who meet the community's needs help assure our clients that they are receiving the latest and best information for targeted retail recruitment efforts - all with personal service and coaching guidance that continues beyond the initial project scope and timeline.

Our Retail: $360^{\circledR}$ Process assures that communities get timely, accurate and relevant information.Translating that data into the information that retailers need and seek assures our clients even better possibilities for tremendous retail growth and success.


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