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Across the Ages

Flourishing couples and multi-generational families living a wide range of lifestyles in suburbia



1.46% 2.31% **1**





Who We Are

Head of household age

51-65

158 43.0%



Type of property



Single family

112 99.2%







Channel Preference

107







Key Features

- Affluent
- Rooted in the suburbs
- Multi-generational households
- Fitness club members
- Outdoor hobbies
- Charitable donor



\$125,000-\$149,999

214 21.4%

Homeowner

116 95.1%

Home ownership

Household size

5+ persons

210 30.5%

Technology Adoption





13-18

Age of children

208 29.3%







Journeymen















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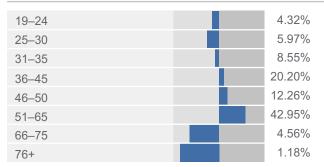
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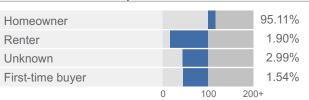
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Family structure



Home ownership



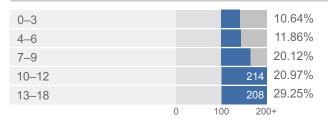
Head of household education

Less than high school		2.69%
High school diploma		14.21%
Some college		26.87%
Bachelor's degree		35.74%
Graduate's degree		20.50%

Estimated household income

Less than \$15,000		0.11%
\$15,000-\$24,999		0.32%
\$25,000-\$34,999		0.99%
\$35,000-\$49,999		1.03%
\$50,000-\$74,999		6.69%
\$75,000-\$99,999		11.45%
\$100,000-\$124,999		14.86%
\$125,000-\$149,999	214	21.40%
\$150,000-\$174,999	248	10.51%
\$175,000-\$199,999	264	12.07%
\$200,000-\$249,999	232	10.83%
\$250,000+		9.73%

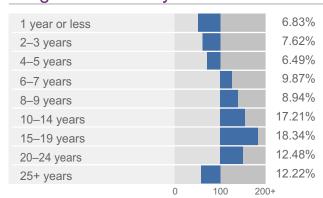
Age of children



Estimated current home value

Less than \$50,000		0.00%
\$50,000-\$74,999		0.01%
\$75,000-\$99,999		0.01%
\$100,000-\$149,999		0.09%
\$150,000-\$174,999		0.07%
\$175,000-\$199,999		0.09%
\$200,000-\$249,999		0.51%
\$250,000-\$299,999		1.75%
\$300,000-\$349,999		4.68%
\$350,000-\$399,999		8.19%
\$400,000-\$499,999		21.61%
\$500,000-\$749,999	258	41.64%
\$750,000+		21.36%

Length of residency







Charts provide details of the key variables used to build and describe the Mosaic groups and types.

For each group and type, the charts show the **Means** and **Index** for each variable.

Understanding Means and Index

Means show the percentage of this group or type with a particular characteristic.

For example, consider the Age composition of Group D:

Head of household age



This shows that:

2.65% of Group D are aged 19-24

2.36% of Group D are aged 25-30

4.65% of Group D are aged 31–35

40.67% of Group D are aged 36-45

20.16% of Group D are aged 46–50

17.58% of Group D are aged 51-65

8.46% of Group D are aged 66–75

3.46% of Group D are aged 76+

The **Index** provides further insight by comparing the characteristics of a Mosaic group/type with all households in the USA.

An Index of 100 is the average.

An **Index greater than 100** shows that this variable is over-represented when compared with the average.

An **Index less than 100** shows that this variable is under-represented when compared with the average.



The chart shows the Index value from 0 to 200. If the Index value is greater than 200, the bar is shown as 200 along with the exact Index.

Type Bo7: Across the Ages

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How to Market

As journeymen in terms of technology adoption, your best bet for engaging Across the Ages households lies in digital and streaming TV advertising. With much higher than average discretionary spends at their disposal and nearly 70 percent with children of all ages, these households are in the market for a wide array of products. Target Across the Ages with seasonal ads across all verticals, financial service options, and competitively-priced travel packages.

Overview



With double the national average of multigenerational families, Across the Ages is home to a mix of affluent older couples—over half are from the Baby Boom Generation—and families with young adults and aging seniors. Most live in suburban homes an easy drive away from the nation's big cities. Many households have multiple breadwinners. These college-educated workers hold a range of white-collar, sales and professional jobs. Fifty percent have lived at the same residence for more than a decade, long enough to raise children and see them return to the nest.

With households consisting of varied age groups, Across the Ages make for some unusual leisure patterns. Many of the older adults enjoy laid-back activities like cooking, reading books and going to plays and antique shows. The younger residents make Across the Ages a strong market for bars, comedy clubs and rock concerts. Together, both groups like to travel widely and keep fit by playing golf, mountain biking, running and aerobics.

As shoppers, the members of Across the Ages tend to have upscale tastes and shop at Nordstrom, Ann Taylor and Dillard's. However, like many in the current economy, they look to maximize their dollars and also shop at stores like Kohl's and T.J. Maxx. They also like shopping online for women's clothing, computer equipment and home decorating items. Many consumers describe themselves as early adopters who favor smartphones and big-screen TVs at home. And they like to fill their home offices with plenty of computer equipment for telecommuting and gaming. But they're also careful about spending and look for sales and coupon offerings. These households want to save and invest their money to build a nest egg for their retirement.

Across the Ages qualify as a mixed media market. They're fans of newspapers and magazines that cover entertainment, business and news. They like to watch a wide variety of TV programming, and tune in to both online and satellite radio stations more than average, with different age groups listening to golden oldies and easy listening music, or 8os rock. Mostly, though, Across the Ages are web-savvy. They go online to track job openings, visit magazines, and it's the first place to find information. They admit that they're transferring their allegiance from traditional media to the many offerings online.

To reach the diverse groups in this segment, marketers may need multiple messages. While the 50-something parents describe themselves as traditionalists with conservative political views, the younger adults in the household back more progressive social issues. This is a rare segment where members have above-average rates for both preferring conservative

clothes and seeking out cutting-edge technology. If there's one area where everyone shares similar views, it's their attachment to family. They link their status to the family's success, and messages that reflect the priority of the family would be well received here.