CLARITAS CONSUMER PROFILES RELEASE NOTES

DATA VINTAGE

SEGMENTATION SYSTEMS

PRIZM® Premier, P\$YCLE® Premier, ConneXions®

UPDATE FREQUENCY

VARIABLES

5,001

To view the complete list of variables please visit: environicsanalytics.com/en-us/variables

WHAT IT IS

Claritas Consumer Profiles is a comprehensive set of profiles and behaviors comprised from various survey sources to provide you with a broad understanding about your consumers across many categories. Consumer Profiles is designed to help you reach consumers based on lifestyle, media exposure, product usage, consumption and purchasing behaviors through the lens of segmentation. By using Consumer Profiles to reach your ideal customers, you will experience a greater return on your marketing investment with targeted customer acquisition and retention, media strategy and channel management strategies.

WHAT'S NEW

The 2022 update of Consumer Profiles includes two new categories: Internet and Spanish Language Media. This vintage update also includes 233 new variables. For a complete overview of variable changes, please consult the <u>variables list</u>, which is available on our website. It is important

to note this year that there has been a change in the way in which Claritas is now receiving data from MRI. This change limits the ability to trend using previous versions of the MRI Profiles compared to the current vintage as there is a difference in how the data is delivered. Due to differences caused by this change in methodology, vintage over vintage comparisons are not advised.

HOUSEHOLD AND ADULT BASED PROFILES

It is important to note the distinction between household profiles appended with an (H), and adult profiles appended with an (A). The segmentation system base counts are always households when creating profiles, but some Consumer Profiles provide counts of adults. In this situation, percent penetration may be greater than 100 and should be interpreted as users per 100 households.

Household demographic profiles and present household level estimates by segments, for example "Current Year Households Income: \$50,000 - \$74,999", represents the number of households with a household income between \$50,000 and \$74,999.

PROFILE VARIABLES AND CATEGORIES

Consumer Profiles provides more than 5,000 profiles, across 32 categories. The profile categories are as follows:

PROFILE CATEGORIES IN CONSUMER PROFILES		
Basics	Hardware and Appliances	Retail Shopping
Alcohol	Home Improvements	Spanish Language Media - NEW
Apparel and Jewelry	Household Detailed Demographics	Sports and Leisure
Automotive	Summary Demographics	Telecommunications
Commuting and Transportation	Internet- NEW	Travel
Digital Video Displays	Items in the Home	TV - Daypart
Environment	Magazines and Newspapers	TV -Genre Type
Financial	Print Media Usage and Alternative Advertising	TV - Networks
Food and Beverages	Psychographics	TV - Sports and Special Events
Gas, Credit Cards and Chains	Radio	Voting
Health	Restaurants	

DATA SOURCES

Consumer Profiles are updated on an annual basis. The 2022 Consumer Profiles include the following data sources:

- 2021 MRI Profiles –data from 2018 to 2020.
- 2020 Nielsen TV profiles -data from August 2019 to July 2020
- 2021 Scarborough –data vintage 2020

HOW IT'S USED

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An automotive company looking to identify luxury car buyers can use Consumer Profiles to identify segments that are more likely to purchase luxury cars.



Retailers evaluating new trade areas for expansion can use Consumer Profiles to understand which segments tend to shop at their own stores versus those consumers who shop at competitor's stores.



Quick-Service Restaurants can create target groups based on which segments tend to dine most often at their franchises.

SAMPLE QUESTIONS IT CAN ANSWER

- Compared to the general population, which segments over-index for buying children's shoes?
- Which neighborhoods within my trade area spend on home remodeling?
- Where are other neighborhoods with a high presence of households in segments that shop at retailers, such as the GAP or GAP Kids?
- Which segments tend to have higher concentration of Hispanic households compared to the national average?
- Which leisure activities are favorites with my different target groups?
- How can I reach new customer prospects through television, radio or magazine advertising?

FOR DATA ONLY DELIVERIES

Data files are delivered in comma-separated values (.csv) format. For a detailed list of variables, consult the metadata file included with your data delivery.

Profile descriptions are presented in rows. Segment codes are presented in columns. Each segment code has a coefficient value assigned to each variable. You will need to use the segmentation distributions from the corresponding segmentation system to calculate counts or consumption values for each segment.

For more information, please review the "How to Use Coefficient Files.pdf" document included with your data delivery.