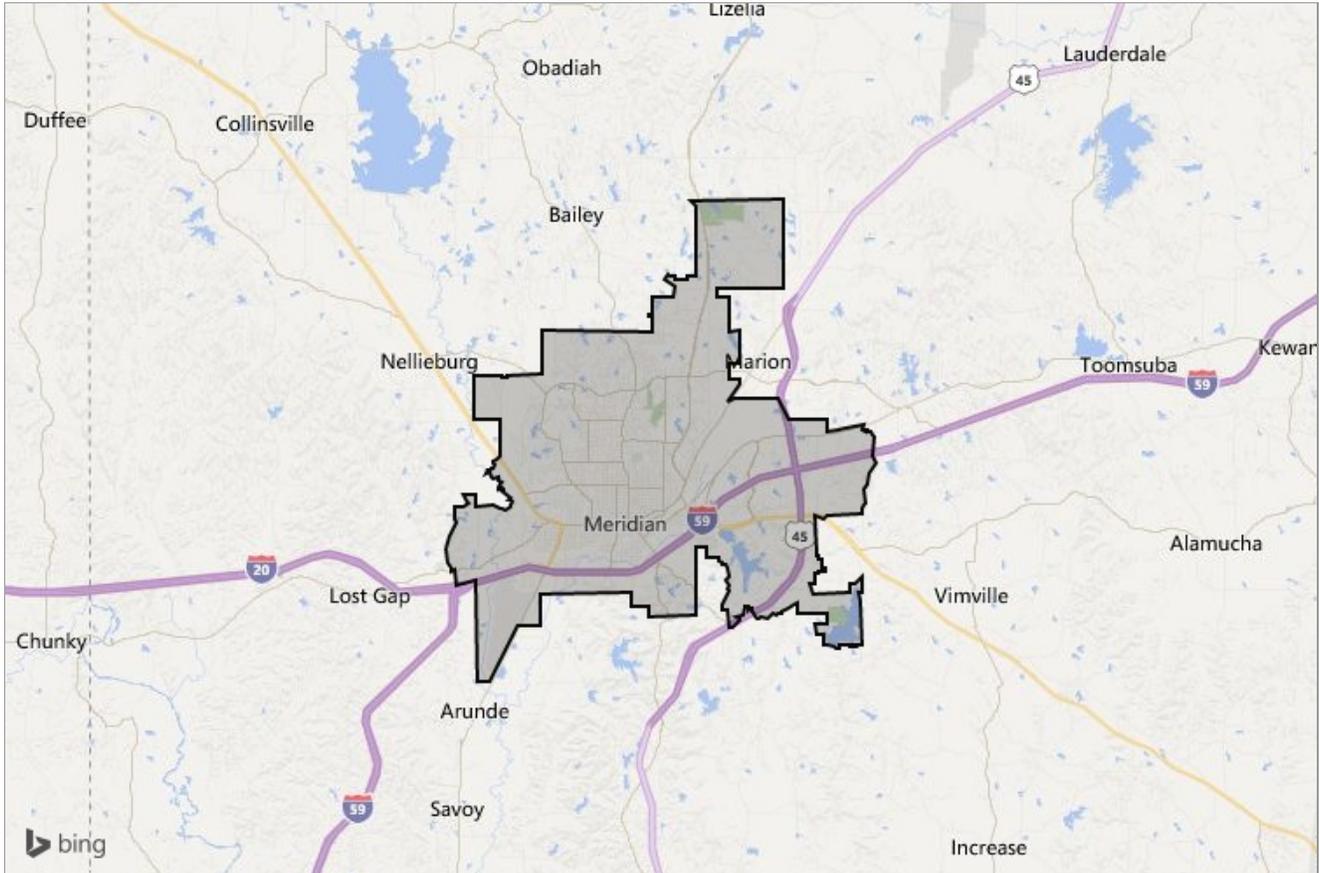


COMMERCIAL TRADE AREA REPORT

Meridian, Mississippi

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Criteria Used for Analysis

Income:
Median Household Income
\$29,712

Age:
Median Age
35.5

Population Stats:
Total Population
40,904

Segmentation:
1st Dominant Segment
Modest Income Homes

Consumer Segmentation

Life Mode

What are the people like that live in this area?

Hometown

Growing up and staying close to home; single householders

Urbanization

Where do people like this usually live?

Urban Periphery

City life for starting families with single-family homes

Top Tapestry Segments

| | Modest Income Homes | City Commons | Old and Newcomers | Family Foundations | In Style |
|--------------------------------|---|--|---|--|---|
| % of Households | 4,393 (26.7%) | 1,908 (11.6%) | 1,544 (9.4%) | 1,333 (8.1%) | 1,308 (8.0%) |
| % of Lauderdale County | 4,393 (14.0%) | 1,908 (6.1%) | 1,544 (4.9%) | 1,333 (4.3%) | 1,843 (5.9%) |
| Lifestyle Group | Hometown | Midtown Singles | Middle Ground | Hometown | GenXurban |
| Urbanization Group | Urban Periphery | Metro Cities | Metro Cities | Urban Periphery | Metro Cities |
| Residence Type | Single Family | Multi-Unit Rentals; Single Family | Multi-Units; Single Family | Single Family | Single Family |
| Household Type | Singles | Single Parents | Singles | Singles | Married Couples Without Kids |
| Average Household Size | 2.56 | 2.66 | 2.11 | 2.7 | 2.33 |
| Median Age | 36.1 | 27.6 | 38.5 | 38.8 | 41.1 |
| Diversity Index | 33.3 | 49.5 | 50.1 | 43 | 36.9 |
| Median Household Income | \$22,000 | \$17,000 | \$39,000 | \$40,000 | \$66,000 |
| Median Net Worth | \$13,000 | \$10,000 | \$23,000 | \$53,000 | \$128,000 |
| Median Home Value | – | – | – | \$112,000 | \$214,000 |
| Homeownership | 46.3 % | 24.1 % | 46.4 % | 67 % | 68.8 % |
| Average Monthly Rent | \$720 | \$650 | \$850 | – | – |
| Employment | Services or Administration | Services, Administration or Professional | Professional or Services | Services, Professional or Administration | Professional or Management |
| Education | High School Graduate | High School Graduate | College Degree | High School Graduate | College Degree |
| Preferred Activities | Shop at low-cost retailers, warehouse clubs. Play basketball. | Shop warehouse clubs/discount. Buy baby/children's products. | Buy frozen, convenience foods. Support environmental organizations. | Shop at T.J. Maxx, Sam's Club. Go online for games, entertainment. | Support arts, concerts, theaters, museums. Use coupons, mobile coupons. |
| Financial | Pay bills in person | Own private health care policy | Bank online or in person | Draw Social Security | Hold retirement savings, insurance policies |
| Media | Watch BET; listen to gospel, R&B radio | Listen to urban radio | Watch movies at home | Subscribe to premium cable TV | Carry, use smartphones |
| Vehicle | Take public transportation | Take public transportation | View car as transportation only | Drive 1-2 vehicles | Own late-model SUVs or trucks |

About this segment

Modest Income Homes

This is the
#1
dominant segment
for this area

In this area
26.7%
of households fall
into this segment

In the United States
1.4%
of households fall
into this segment

An overview of who makes up this segment across the United States

Who We Are

Families in this urban segment may be non-traditional; however, their religious faith and family values guide their modest lifestyles. Many residents are primary caregivers to their elderly family members. Jobs are not always easy to come by, but wages and salary income are still the main sources of income for most households. Reliance on Social Security and public assistance income is necessary to support single-parent and multi-generational families. High poverty rates in this market make it difficult to make ends meet. Nonetheless, rents are relatively low. Public transportation is available, and Medicaid can assist families in need.

Our Neighborhood

- Households are single person or single parent (usually female householders). Multigenerational families are also present.
- Homes are predominantly single family; values reflect the age of the housing, built more than 60 years ago.
- Over half of the homes are renter occupied; average rent is lower than the U.S. average.
- Most households have no vehicle or one car, with a high dependence on public transportation.

Socioeconomic Traits

- Almost a quarter of adults aged 25 or more have no high school diploma.
- Labor force participation is only 50%, with unemployment at more than double the U.S. rate.
- Income is less than half of the U.S. median income; one in three households are in poverty, dependent on Social Security, public assistance and Supplemental Security Income.
- Consumers in this market consider traditional gender roles and religious faith very important.
- This market lives for today, choosing to save only for a specific purpose.
- They favor TV as their media of choice and will purchase a product with a celebrity endorsement.

Market Profile

- To make ends meet, consumers shop at warehouse clubs and low-cost retailers.
- Unlikely to own a credit card, they pay their bills in person.
- This market supports multigenerational families; they are often primary caregivers for elderly family members. On average, Modest Income Homes residents have a higher reliance on Medicaid.
- For entertainment, they listen to gospel and R&B music and prefer to watch BET.
- The recreational activity of choice for residents is basketball.

The demographic segmentation shown here can help you understand the lifestyles and life stages of consumers in a market. Data provider Esri classifies U.S. residential neighborhoods into 67 unique market segments based on socioeconomic and demographic characteristics. Data Source: Esri 2014. Update Frequency: Annually.

About this segment City Commons

This is the
#2
dominant segment
for this area

In this area
11.6%
of households fall
into this segment

In the United States
0.9%
of households fall
into this segment

An overview of who makes up this segment across the United States

Who We Are

The City Commons segment is one of the youngest and largest markets, primarily comprising single-parent and single-person households living within large, metro cities. While more than a third have a college degree or spent some time in college, nearly a third have not finished high school, which has a profound effect on their economic circumstance. However, that has not dampened their aspiration to strive for the best for themselves and their children.

Our Neighborhood

- Single parents, primarily female, and singles head these young households.
- Average household size is slightly higher than the U.S. average at 2.66.
- City Commons are found in large metropolitan cities, where most residents rent apartments in midrise buildings.
- Neighborhoods are older, built before 1960, with high vacancy rates.
- Typical of the city, many households own either one vehicle or none, and use public transportation or taxis.

Socioeconomic Traits

- Although some have college degrees, nearly one in three have not graduated from high school.
- Unemployment is very high at 24%; labor force participation is low at 54%.
- Most households receive income from wages or salaries, but nearly one in four receive contributions from Social Security and public assistance.
- Consumers endeavor to keep up with the latest fashion trends.
- Most families prefer the convenience of fast-food restaurants to cooking at home.

Market Profile

- Baby and children's products, like food and clothing, are the primary purchases.
- They shop primarily at warehouse clubs like Sam's Club and discount department stores such as Kmart.
- While most residents obtain privately issued medical insurance plans, some are covered by Federal programs like Medicaid.
- They subscribe to cable TV; children-oriented programs are popular, as are game shows and home shopping channels.
- Magazines are extremely popular sources of news and the latest trends, including baby, bridal and parenthood types of magazines.
- They enjoy listening to urban radio.

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About this segment

Old and Newcomers

This is the
#3
dominant segment
for this area

In this area
9.4%
of households fall
into this segment

In the United States
2.3%
of households fall
into this segment

An overview of who makes up this segment across the United States

Who We Are

The Old and Newcomers 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 environmental causes and Starbucks. Age is not always obvious from their choices.

Our Neighborhood

- Metropolitan city dwellers.
- Predominantly single households, with a mix of married couples (no children); average household size lower at 2.11.
- 54% renter occupied; average rent, \$800.
- 45% of housing units are single-family dwellings; 44% are multi-unit buildings in older neighborhoods, built before 1980.
- Average vacancy rate at 11%.

Socioeconomic Traits

- Unemployment is lower at 7.8%, with an average labor force participation rate of 62.6%, despite the increasing number of retired workers.
- 30% of households are currently receiving Social Security.
- 28% have a college degree, 33% have some college education, 10% are still enrolled in college.
- 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.

Market Profile

- Residents are strong supporters of environmental organizations.
- They prefer cell phones to landlines.
- Entertainment features the Internet (dating sites and games), movies at home, country music and newspapers.
- Vehicles are basically just a means of transportation.
- Food features convenience, frozen and fast food.
- They do banking as likely in person as online.

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About this segment

Family Foundations

This is the
#4
dominant segment
for this area

In this area
8.1%
of households fall
into this segment

In the United States
1.1%
of households fall
into this segment

An overview of who makes up this segment across the United States

Who We Are

Family and faith are the cornerstones of life in the Family Foundations communities. Older children, still living at home, working toward financial independence, are common within these households. Neighborhoods are stable: little household growth has occurred for more than a decade. Many residents work in the health care industry or public administration across all levels of government. Style is important to these consumers, who spend on clothing for themselves and their children, as well as on smartphones.

Our Neighborhood

- Family Foundations residents are a mix of married couples, single parents, grandparents and children, young and adult.
- Average household size is slightly higher at 2.70.
- Neighborhoods are found in principal cities of major metropolitan areas throughout the South and West.
- Two-thirds are homeowners living in single family houses built before 1970.
- Nearly three-fourths of all households have one or two vehicles at their disposal; average commute time is slightly higher.

Socioeconomic Traits

- More than half have attended college or obtained a degree; one-third have only finished high school.
- Unemployment rate is high at 15%; labor force participation rate is slightly lower at 60% as workers begin to retire.
- Over one-third of households currently receive Social Security benefits; more than a quarter draw income from retirement accounts.
- A strong focus is on religion and character.
- Style and appearance is important.

Market Profile

- Baby and children's products are the primary purchases made by Family Foundations residents.
- They shop at discount stores, such as Marshalls and T.J. Maxx, and take advantage of savings at Sam's Club.
- Many have no financial investments or retirement savings.
- Magazines, particularly focusing on health and children, are popular.
- They enjoy listening to urban format radio.
- One of their favorite entertainment sources is television: subscribe to premium cable channels and own 3-4 TVs.
- They're connected, but use the Internet primarily for entertainment, chat rooms and online gaming.

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About this segment In Style

This is the
#5
dominant segment
for this area

In this area
8.0%
of households fall
into this segment

In the United States
2.3%
of households fall
into this segment

An overview of who makes up this segment across the United States

Who We Are

In Style denizens embrace an urbane lifestyle that includes support of the arts, travel and extensive reading. They are connected and make full use of the advantages of mobile devices. Professional couples or single households without children, they have the time to focus on their homes and their interests. The population is slightly older and already planning for their retirement.

Our Neighborhood

- City dwellers of large metropolitan areas.
- Married couples, primarily with no children or single households; average household size at 2.33.
- Home ownership average at 69%; more than half, 51%, mortgaged.
- Primarily single-family homes, in older neighborhoods (built before 1980), with a mix of town homes and smaller (5-19 units) apartment buildings.
- Median home value at \$213,500.
- Vacant housing units at 8.8%.

Socioeconomic Traits

- College educated: 46% are graduates; 75% with some college education.
- Low unemployment is at 5.6%; higher labor force participation rate is at 68% with proportionately more two-worker households.
- Median household income of \$65,600 reveals an affluent market with income supplemented by investments and a substantial net worth.
- Connected and knowledgeable, they carry smartphones and use many of the features.
- Attentive to price, they use coupons, especially mobile coupons.

Market Profile

- Partial to late model SUVs or trucks.
- Homes integral part of their style; invest in home remodeling/maintenance, DIY or contractors; housekeeping hired.
- Prefer organic foods, including growing their own vegetables.
- Financially active, from a variety of investments to home equity lines of credit.
- Meticulous planners, both well insured and well invested in retirement savings.
- Generous with support of various charities and causes.
- Actively support the arts, theater, concerts and museums.

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Meridian, Mississippi: Population Comparison

Total Population

This chart shows the total population in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



Population Density

This chart shows the number of people per square mile in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



Population Change Since 2000

This chart shows the percentage change in area's population from 2000 to 2014, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



Average Household Size

This chart shows the average household size in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



Population Living in Family Households

This chart shows the percentage of an area's population that lives in a household with one or more individuals related by birth, marriage or adoption, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

- 2014
- 2019 (Projected)



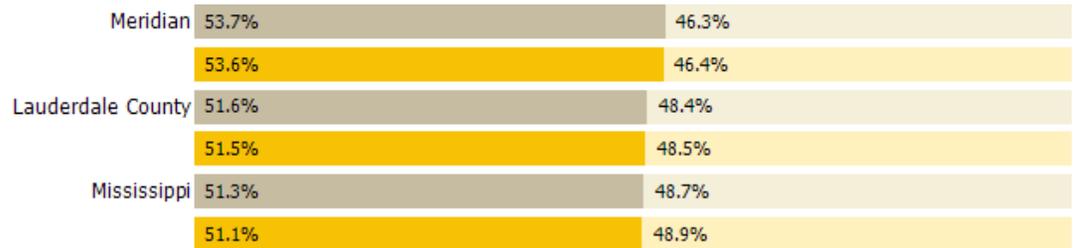
Female / Male Ratio

This chart shows the ratio of females to males in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

- Women 2014
- Men 2014
- Women 2019 (Projected)
- Men 2019 (Projected)



Meridian, Mississippi: Age Comparison

Median Age

This chart shows the median age in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



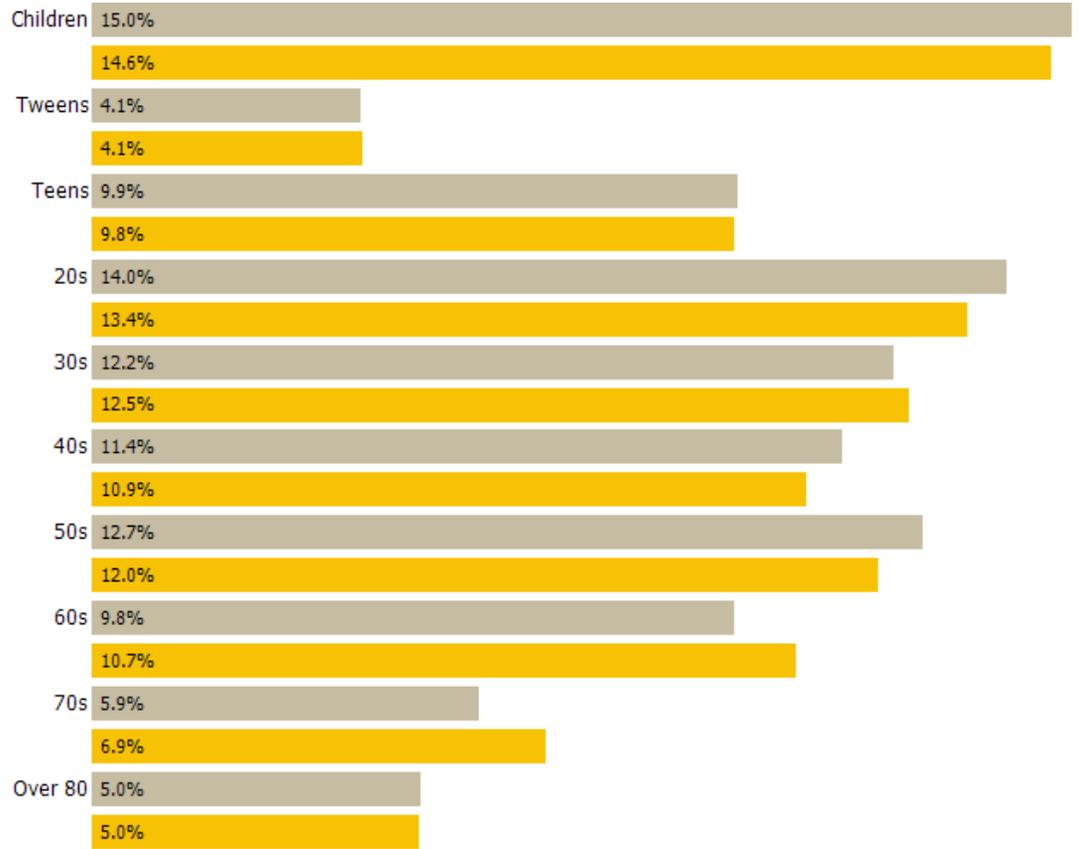
Population by Age

This chart breaks down the population of an area by age group.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

2014
2019 (Projected)



Meridian, Mississippi: Marital Status Comparison

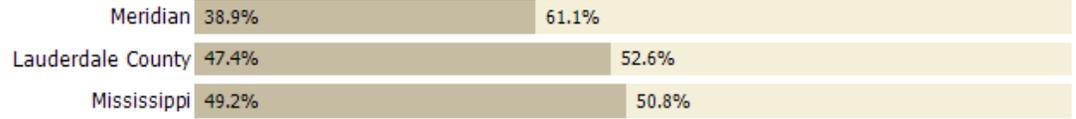
Married / Unmarried Adults Ratio

This chart shows the ratio of married to unmarried adults in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

Married
 Unmarried



Married

This chart shows the number of people in an area who are married, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Never Married

This chart shows the number of people in an area who have never been married, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Widowed

This chart shows the number of people in an area who are widowed, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Divorced

This chart shows the number of people in an area who are divorced, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Meridian, Mississippi: Economic Comparison

Average Household Income

This chart shows the average household income in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

■ 2014
■ 2019 (Projected)



Median Household Income

This chart shows the median household income in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

■ 2014
■ 2019 (Projected)



Per Capita Income

This chart shows per capita income in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

■ 2014
■ 2019 (Projected)



Average Disposable Income

This chart shows the average disposable income in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



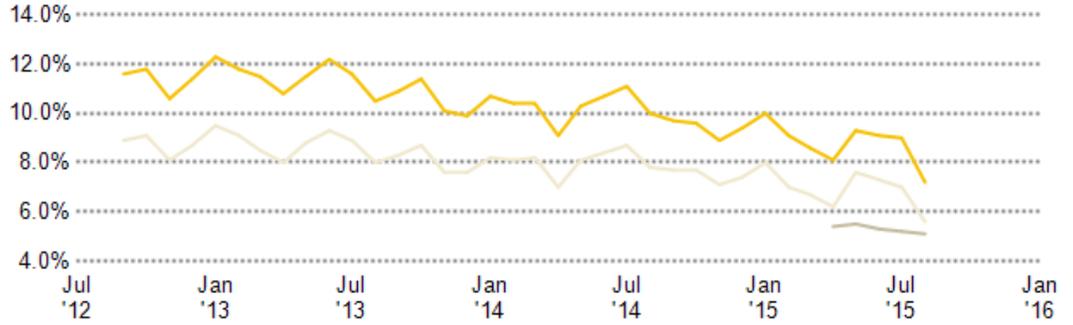
Unemployment Rate

This chart shows the unemployment trend in an area, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics via 3DL

Update Frequency: Monthly

- Meridian
- Lauderdale County
- United States

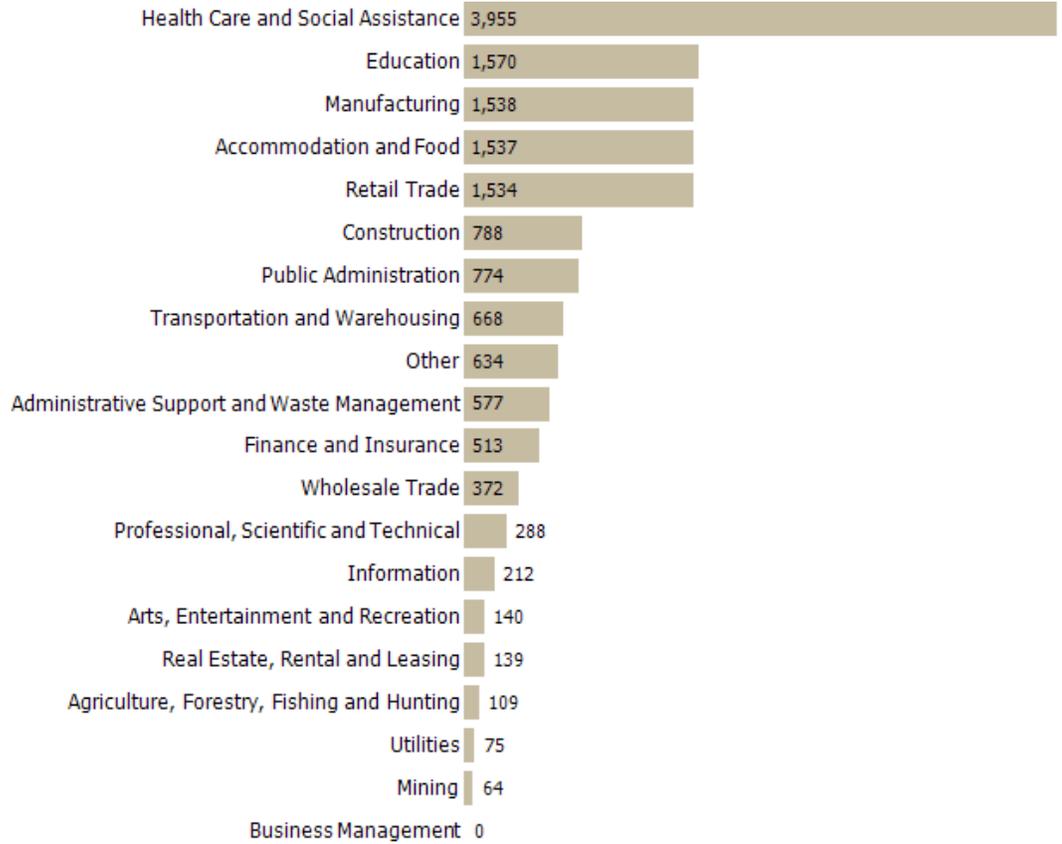


Employment Count by Industry

This chart shows industries in an area and the number of people employed in each category.

Data Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Meridian, Mississippi: Education Comparison

Less than 9th Grade

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area who have less than a ninth grade education, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



High School GED

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is passing a high school GED test, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



High School Graduate

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is high school, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Some College

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is some college, without receiving a degree, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Associate Degree

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is an associate degree, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Bachelor's Degree

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is a bachelor's degree, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Grad/Professional Degree

This chart shows the percentage of people in an area whose highest educational achievement is a graduate or professional degree, compared with other geographies.

Data Source: U.S. Census American Community Survey via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually



Meridian, Mississippi: Home Value Comparison

Median Estimated Home Value

This chart displays property estimates for an area and a subject property, where one has been selected. Estimated home values are generated by a valuation model and are not formal appraisals.

Data Source: Valuation calculations based on public records and MLS sources where licensed

Update Frequency: Monthly



12-Month Change in Median Estimated Home Value

This chart shows the 12-month change in the estimated value of all homes in this area, the county and the state. Estimated home values are generated by a valuation model and are not formal appraisals.

Data Source: Valuation calculations based on public records and MLS sources where licensed

Update Frequency: Monthly



Median Listing Price

This chart displays the median listing price for homes in this area, the county and the state.

Data Source: On- and off-market listings sources

Update Frequency: Monthly



12-Month Change in Median Listing Price

This chart displays the 12-month change in the median listing price of homes in this area, and compares it to the county and state.

Data Source: On- and off-market listings sources

Update Frequency: Monthly



Best Businesses

This chart shows the types of businesses that consumers are leaving an area to find. The business types represented by blue bars are relatively scarce in the area, so consumers go elsewhere to have their needs met. The orange business types are relatively plentiful in the area, meaning there are existing competitors for the dollars that consumers spend in these categories.

Data Source: Retail Marketplace via Esri, 2014

Update Frequency: Annually

