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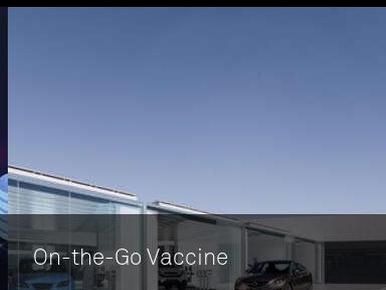
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**Briefing:** Diving into the way changes in the automotive and transportation industry will impact how people interact with architecture. This report explores trends in drive-thru retail, autonomous vehicles, urban transportation, delivery and logistics and more.

**Takeaway:** The safety protocols that are currently in place will undoubtedly leave a mark on consumers, even in a post-COVID world. As consumers adjust their lives to be more hygienic and healthy, governments re-think public health policies and brands adjust to shifted production processes and office cultures, the current pandemic has created a psychological shift when it comes to how we view our lifestyles. Changes to public and private infrastructures are therefore inevitable, even when life returns to "normal."

## Top Insights



### **Home-Inspired Auto** *Auto brands are working to supercharge comfort and experience in car design*

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### **Scenic Route** *Rather than focusing on efficiency, navigation apps and maps emphasize scenery*

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# Getting the Most out of Your Custom Report

**Purpose:** Trend Hunter's Custom Reports are designed to inspire innovation by exposing you to hand-selected content related to your brand, specific projects, future-scoping, adjacent categories and more.

As you go through the report, remember to ask yourself:

- 1 What could this insight or innovation mean for my brand specifically?
- 2 How might these insights make you think about the consumer differently?
- 3 How do these trends ladder up to Trend Hunter's Megatrends, or any other Megatrends I'm familiar with?



For more info on Trend Hunter's methodology, check out the Appendix section.

# Consumer Insights

## Overlooked Opportunities & Examples

Trend Hunter's Insights highlight the what and why of major industry shifts. They are split into two sections: the trend section, which identifies a new opportunity in a given industry, and the insight section, which explores the specific target consumer's motivations, attitudes, beliefs and ultimately tension behind that opportunity. They are built on a foundation of Trend Hunter's crowdsourced trend examples, clustered together by underlying patterns.

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## Next-Generation Connected eCockpits

Panasonic Automotive's Concept Uses SkipGen 3.0 Tech and More



## Party-Focused Electric Concepts

Cadillac's Electric Party Bus is the Epitome of Slick Design



## Futuristic Vehicle Cockpits

The Samsung Digital Cockpit 2020 Shows Off the Future at CES 2020



## Smart In-Car Information Systems

Mercedes Announced Its New MBUX Hyperscreen Launching in 2022

8.5  
Score



- Hybridization
- Experience
- Catalyzation

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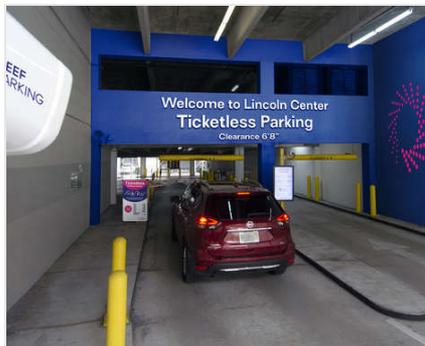
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## Multipurpose Parking Hubs

REEF Technology is Transforming Parking Spaces for the On-Demand Economy



## Parking Spot Rental Remotes

The Conceptual 'Parkey' Lets Drivers Find a Parking Spot Fast



## Automated Car-Parking Robots

This Stanley Robotics Robot will Streamline Airport Parking



## AI-Powered Parking Technology

The Effectiveness of Fetchi.ai is Being Tested in Munich, Germany

8.0  
Score



Simplicity  
 Artificial Intelligence

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# On-the-Go Vaccine

Concepts for vaccination centres are prioritizing efficiency and convenience

**Trend** - Designers and brands are working to expedite the COVID-19 vaccination delivery by proposing new formats. Concepts here range from drive-thru convenience to restaurants who are collaborating with health care officials to provide additional space.

**Insight** - The COVID-19 pandemic has vividly exposed to consumers the shortcomings of healthcare in their region, both in terms of resource availability and service delivery. Aware of the omnipresent importance of this industry, individuals are demanding better preparedness, as well as efficiency and convenience in everyday healthcare. This, in turn, will leave consumers feeling calmer, as well as better supported for the future.



## Mobile Retail Vaccination Clinics

The Giant Mobile Vaccination Clinic will Offer Flu Shots



## Drive-Through Vaccination Clinics

Architect NBBJ Boasts a Concept for Prefab Drive-Through Clinics



## Mobile Vaccination Centres

Waugh Thistleton Architects Boasts a Concept for the Immunization Phase



## Vaccination Center-Hosting Restaurants

Brewdog Wants to Speed Up Vaccination Delivery

6.1  
Score



Experience  
Catalyzation

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## Mood-Specific Navigation Apps

The Sproute App Seeks to Radically Rethink How We Travel



## Restaurant Road Trip Maps

Chili's Created Road Trip Routes with Attractions & Restaurant Stops



## Scenic Route Driving Apps

The Roads by Porsche App is Designed for Drivers Who Love the Experience



## Scenic Motorcycle Navigation Apps

Scenic Takes You on an Exciting Journey with Your Motorcycle

6.2 Score



- 🎯 Curation
- 📊 Experience
- ⚙️ Personalization

4 Featured, 36 Examples

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# Fine Drive-Thru

## Fine dining restaurants are opting-in for the drive-thru business model

**Trend** - Fine dining restaurants are continuing to adapt to the government-imposed restrictions due to the COVID-19 pandemic. While before, these businesses were often at-home meals and virtual dining, now they are boasting immersive drive-thru experiences.

**Insight** - Due to the outbreak of COVID-19, consumers are forced to continuously place limitations on their lifestyle—from work-related events to their entertainment choices. As time goes on, however, some become restless and even nostalgic about the activities that they enjoyed pre-pandemic. In light of this, individuals are looking to diversify their experiences and indulge in something that was available to them before, while maintaining rules of social and business conduct during COVID. This affords them peace of mind.



### Drive-In Tasting Menus

Fine Dining Restaurant Bulrush Adapts to the Climate of COVID-19



### High-End Burger Drive-Thrus

Canlis Bets on Take-Out, Drive-Thru, and Delivery During COVID-19



### Fine Dining Drive-Thru Restaurants

Resy is Hosting a Drive-Thru Dinner at the Hollywood Palladium



### Five-Course Drive-Thru Restaurants

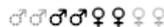
Atelier Restaurant Embraces the Drive-Thru Business Model

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Score

Popularity

Activity

Freshness



Experience

Nostalgia

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## Developing Nation Vehicle Designs

The Conceptual 'Project Outreach' Vehicle Supports Communities



## Futuristic Elevated Train Lines

AeroSlider Seeks to Revolutionize the Way People Travel



## Electric AI-Powered Tractors

The 'Ukko' Concept Tractor is Futuristic, Safe and Sculpted



## Electric Bus Deployments

Recently, the BYD Delivered a Fleet of Electric Busses to Barbados

5.7  
Score

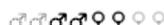
Popularity



Activity



Freshness



Experience

Catalyzation

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# Appendix

## Get More From Your Experience

Your Trend Hunter custom reports are tailored to you using the world's most advanced, most powerful trend platform. Your dedicated advisor can help you get the most of it. This appendix shows you a few of the options that you have at your disposal and how other top-tier innovators rely on our service in different ways that could help you be more successful with less effort.

# Your Contacts & Additional Services



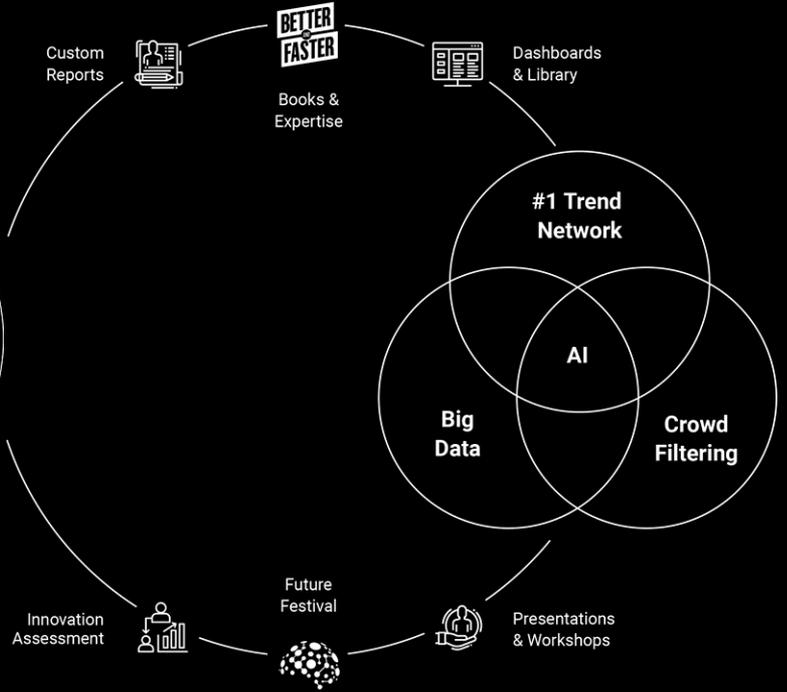
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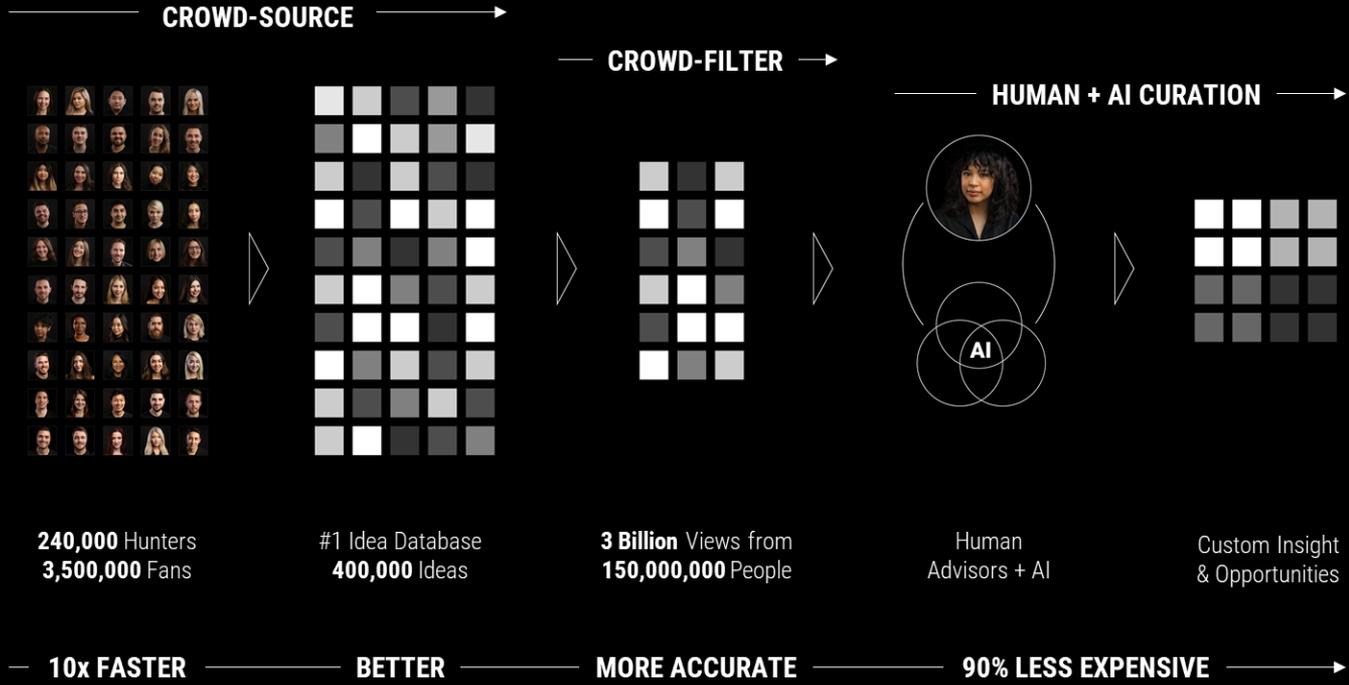
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Over the last 15 years, we built the largest trend platform, leveraging crowd-sourcing, crowd-filtering, AI and humans to cut through the noise and uncover opportunity **faster!**

Our Process



# Megatrend Matrix

 <p><b>Acceleration</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Perfecting One Thing</li> <li>2. Aspirational Icon</li> <li>3. Exaggerated Feature</li> <li>4. Reimagined Solution</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Prosumerism</b></p> <p>From user-generated content to maker culture, today's consumers are content creators and experts.</p>	 <p><b>Cyclicity</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Retro+ Nostalgia</li> <li>2. Generational</li> <li>3. Economic + Seasonal</li> <li>4. Repetitive Cycles</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Nostalgia</b></p> <p>Fond memories fuel a desire to bring the past into the present, especially with respect to one's formative years.</p>
 <p><b>Catalyzation</b></p> <p>Brands have taken a role of accelerating the personal development of consumers.</p>	 <p><b>AI</b></p> <p>We are entering a transformative new era, denoted by an exponential growth in data, robotics and intelligence.</p>	 <p><b>Naturalty</b></p> <p>The desire for sustainable products, including local, organic, recyclable and pronounceable ingredients.</p>	 <p><b>Youthfulness</b></p> <p>The world is becoming more playful, driven by generations not ready to grow up, including Boomers who desire a more active, enriched life.</p>
 <p><b>Reduction</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Specialization</li> <li>2. Fewer Layers + Efficiency</li> <li>3. Crowdsourcing</li> <li>4. Subscription</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Instant Entrepreneurship</b></p> <p>New services make it easier than ever to conceptualize, fund, launch and companies.</p>	 <p><b>Redirection</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Refocusing</li> <li>2. Reversing</li> <li>3. Surprising</li> <li>4. Gamifying</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Tribalism</b></p> <p>Allegiant groups are more readily formed around specific interests, causes and even brands.</p>
 <p><b>Curation</b></p> <p>Hyper-targeted offerings, services, subscriptions and recommendations to simplify lives with better things.</p>	 <p><b>Simplicity</b></p> <p>In a fast-paced, cluttered world, simplicity stands out, resulting in focused businesses &amp; clean design.</p>	 <p><b>Gamification</b></p> <p>The application of game dynamics to real-world problems results in a world that's more competitive and engaging.</p>	 <p><b>Experience</b></p> <p>In a world abundant with 'stuff', experience becomes a more important currency and life priority.</p>
 <p><b>Convergence</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Combining + Layering</li> <li>2. Adding Value</li> <li>3. Co-Branding + Aligning</li> <li>4. Physical + Digital</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Multisensation</b></p> <p>Tech, AR, VR and interactive experiences are raising our expectations in the realms of entertainment, retail and even food.</p>	 <p><b>Divergence</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Personalization, Customization</li> <li>2. Status + Belonging</li> <li>3. Style + Fashionizing</li> <li>4. Generational Rebellion</li> </ol>	 <p><b>Authenticity</b></p> <p>Social media and a resistance to traditional advertising have created a desire for authenticity and reality.</p>
 <p><b>Co-Creation</b></p> <p>Brands, products, services and consumers are increasingly co-creating an interdependent world.</p>	 <p><b>Hybridization</b></p> <p>Lines are blurring as business models, products and services merge to create unique concepts and experiences</p>	 <p><b>Personalization</b></p> <p>Small batch production technologies and more personalized media are creating an expectation for personalization.</p>	 <p><b>Many-to-Many</b></p> <p>A mass proliferation of sellers and media creators has shifted the world to a many-to-many economy.</p>

## Understanding Content Classification & Article Scoring

Below, you'll find an overview of the different types of content featured in our trend reports, as well as a breakdown of our scoring system that's used to evaluate the performance of the content in your report.

### Retro Electric

Manufacturers are updating vintage vehicles to have electric capabilities.

**Score:** 8.8

**Activity:** [Progress bar]

**Freshness:** [Progress bar]

**Popularity:** [Progress bar]

**Demographics:** [Progress bar]

**Clustered Lists:** [Progress bar]

**Top Lists:** [Progress bar]

**Image:**

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**Consumer Insights:**  
The what and why of major industry shifts. Consumer Insights are split into two sections: the trend section and the insight section.

### Expedition Camper Vehicles

The Expedition Camper (EC) has a dual-level, carbon-fiber body.

**Score:** 9.2

**Activity:** [Progress bar]

**Freshness:** [Progress bar]

**Popularity:** [Progress bar]

**Demographics:** [Progress bar]

**Clustered Lists:** [Progress bar]

**Top Lists:** [Progress bar]

**Image:**

**Specific Examples:**  
Carefully selected individual innovations to provide more in-depth analysis.

### Top Lists

Top Lists are collections of products, services or concepts curated according to a common theme. They provide additional content and potential new perspectives on the topic we've explored in your report. Our team and software have created tens of thousands of Top Lists, which you can track and filter at the bottom of each report page.

**Top 100 Travel Trends in 2019**

**Top 100 Food Trends in December**

**Top 30 Pet Innovations**

**Image:**

**Clustered Lists:**  
Collections of related examples to broaden your perspective and expose you to adjacent opportunities.

## 8.8 Score

**Popularity:** [Progress bar]

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**Popularity:** [Progress bar]

**Overall Score:** [Progress bar]

**Image:**

**Demographics:**  
The target audience. This value is determined by the researcher, not by site statistics.

**Freshness:**  
The relative newness of an article.

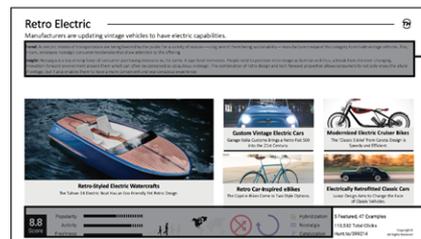
**Activity:**  
The amount of people interacting with an article, including scrolling through images and sharing on social media. Something, like a bacon cupcake, might not be Popular, but could score high on Activity if people share it a lot.

**Popularity:**  
Scoring of appeal based on how many people choose an article when given other options in the same category or cluster.

**Overall Score:**  
All scores translate into percentiles (8.8 = 88th percentile) and overall score is the average of Popularity, Activity and Freshness.

## How to Read This Page

Consumer Insights are high-level, over-arching patterns that often span different industries in scope. They focus on external and internal consumer factors that are motivating trends.



**Retro Electric**  
Manufacturers are updating vintage vehicles to have electric capabilities.

**Retro Hybrid Electric Watercrafts**  
The Lake Arrowhead Boat Club is offering the Arrow Range.

**Custom Storage Electric Cars**  
Storage from Lotus and other makers are 50% less than the average.

**Multi-functional Electric Scooter Bikes**  
The Lotus Laser Blade Scooter Storage is a smart and fun choice.

**Retro Car-inspired eBikes**  
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**Electrically Retrofitted Classic Cars**  
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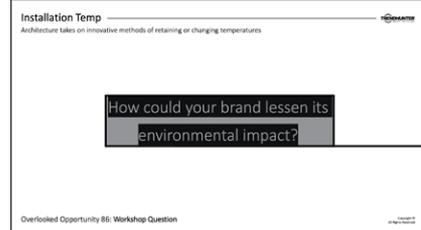
The demographics speak to the target audience, as informed by the researcher, not by the site statistics. The overall score is the average of the following: popularity, activity and freshness.

### Patterns & Megatrend:

Understand the Consumer Insight within the context of the 18 Megatrends that are shaping the world, plus the 6 Patterns of Opportunity that help short-cut your discovery of innovative ideas.

### Workshop Question:

These questions are intended to be thought-provokers to help you brainstorm (either individually or in groups) about the relevancy or actionability of these insights.



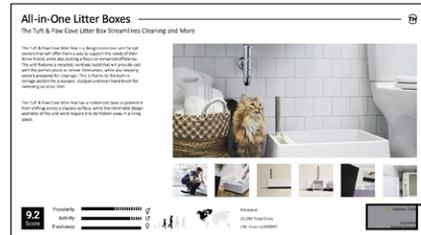
**Installation Temp**  
Architecture takes on innovative methods of retaining or changing temperatures.

How could your brand lessen its environmental impact?

Overlooked Opportunity 86: Workshop Question

### Advisor Picks:

These are specific Consumer Insights and examples chosen by your Advisor because of their relevance to your team. These are featured on the Report Summary page and tagged throughout the report with a yellow star.



**All-in-One Litter Boxes**  
The Turb & Paw-Cool Litter Box Combines Cleaning and Mats.

The Turb & Paw-Cool Litter Box is a dog-friendly and cat-friendly litter box that is designed to support the needs of pet owners who are looking for a litter box that is easy to clean and maintain. The Turb & Paw-Cool Litter Box is a multi-functional litter box that is designed to support the needs of pet owners who are looking for a litter box that is easy to clean and maintain. The Turb & Paw-Cool Litter Box is a multi-functional litter box that is designed to support the needs of pet owners who are looking for a litter box that is easy to clean and maintain.

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