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CURRENT INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES

CURRENT INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES, BRANDENBURG, KENTUCKY

This is a 1971 supplement to "Industrial Resources, Brandenburg, Kentucky" which was published in 1970.

Population

	<u>1970</u>	<u>1960</u>
Brandenburg	1,637	1,542
Meade County	18,796	18,938
Labor Market Area	112,006	101,461
(Includes Meade, Breckinridge, and Hardin Counties.)		

General Employment Characteristics

<u>Industry</u>	<u>Employment 1969</u>	
	<u>Meade County</u>	<u>Labor Market Area</u>
TOTAL	3,000	24,800
Agricultural	500	3,400
Nonagricultural	2,500	21,400
Manufacturing	558	3,258
Trade and Services	338	5,104
Government	300	7,700
Other	1,304	5,338

Manufacturing Employment

<u>Type Industry</u>	<u>Meade County</u>			<u>Labor Market Area</u>		
	<u>1970</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>%Change</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>%Change</u>
TOTAL	605	568	+ 6.5	3,108	1,710	+ 81.8
Food & Kindred Products	21	12	+75.0	211	89	+ 37.1
Apparel, Textiles, Leather	0	0	-	423	311	+ 36.0
Lumber & Furniture	0	4	-	23	27	- 14.8
Printing, Publishing, Paper	4	0	-	89	49	+ 81.6
Chemicals, Petroleum, Coal, Rubber	574	546	+ 5.1	1,309	559	+ 34.2
Stone, Clay & Glass	6	6	-	204	432	- 52.8
Machinery & Metal Products	0	0	-	640	52	+130.8
Other	0	0	-	209	191	+ 10.0

There are presently 5 manufacturing firms in Meade County.
Firms, employment, and year started operations:

<u>Firms</u>	<u>Employment</u>	<u>Year Started Operations</u>
Alex Biddle	3	1960
Meade County Messenger	6	1892
Meade County Ready Mix, Inc.	6	1959
Midway Slaughter House, Inc.	12	1961
Olin Corporation	530	1952

Labor Supply

	<u>Meade County</u>			<u>Labor Market Area</u>		
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
Current	1,197	255	942	4,662	2,002	2,660
Potential additions next five years	2,195	1,124	1,071	12,624	6,499	6,125

Personal Income

Meade County, 1969: Total - \$51,754,000; Per Capita - \$2,700
1959: Total - \$26,665,000; Per Capita - \$1,515

Education

The Meade County School System includes 1 high school with Comprehensive rating, 1 middle grammar school, and 7 elementary schools.

Nearest Vocational School: Breckinridge County Extension Center -
Hardinsburg, 29 miles distant

Courses offered: General Clerical, Secretarial-Steno, Appliance Repair,
Auto Mechanics, Carpentry, Machine Shop, Welding

Power and Fuel

Electric Distributors

Source of Supply

Louisville Gas & Electric Company
Meade County RECC

Louisville Gas & Electric Company
Big Rivers RECC

Natural Gas Distributor

Specific Gravity

Btu Per Cu. Ft.

Louisville Gas & Electric Company

.6

1,000

BRANDENBURG INDUSTRIAL SITES

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For more detailed information concerning the following sites, contact Kenneth E. Curry of the Meade County Area Chamber of Commerce, Brandenburg, Kentucky, or the Kentucky Department of Commerce, Frankfort, Kentucky.

SITE #1: ACREAGE: 170 acres
LOCATION: Adjacent to Brandenburg city limits; the Ohio River forms the northern boundary.
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Lincoln Trail Road along southern boundary.
RAILROADS: Not rail served
WATER: Brandenburg Municipal Water Works
SIZE LINE: 6-inch line one-half mile
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SIZE MAIN: 4-inch main approximately 1 mile
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC
SEWERAGE: Brandenburg Municipal Water Works
OWNERSHIP: Private

SITE #2: ACREAGE: 530 acres
LOCATION: 2 miles east of Brandenburg; the Ohio River forms the northern boundary.
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Paved county road serves as access to Kentucky Route 933; approximately 800-foot frontage on Kentucky Route 933
RAILROADS: Louisville & Nashville Railroad approximately 500 feet from southeast corner of site
RAW WATER: Available from Ohio River
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC
SEWERAGE: Package plant necessary
OWNERSHIP: Private

SITE #3: ACREAGE: 500 acres
LOCATION: 3 1/2 miles east of Brandenburg
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Kentucky Route 933 divides site.
RAILROADS: Louisville & Nashville Railroad divides site.
RAW WATER: Available from the Ohio River and Doe Run Creek
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SIZE MAIN: 8-inch and 12-inch mains on site
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC or Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SEWERAGE: Package plant necessary
OWNERSHIP: Private

SITE #4: ACREAGE: 500 acres
LOCATION: 4 miles east of Brandenburg
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Kentucky Route 933 runs through site.
RAILROADS: Louisville & Nashville Railroad runs through site.
RAW WATER: Available from Ohio River
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SIZE MAIN: 8-inch and 12-inch mains on site
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC or Louisville Gas and Electric Company
SEWERAGE: Package plant necessary
OWNERSHIP: Private

SITE #7: ACREAGE: 37 acres
LOCATION: One-half mile south of Brandenburg
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: Fronts on Kentucky 1041
RAILROADS: Not rail served
WATER: Site will be served by a proposed water district.
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company; nearest main approximately 1 mile away
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC
SEWERAGE: Package plant necessary
OWNERSHIP: Midland Development Corporation

SITE #8: ACREAGE: 46.9 acres
LOCATION: North Ekron
ZONING: None
HIGHWAY ACCESS: One-half mile from Kentucky Route 144
RAILROADS: Louisville & Nashville Railroad is adjacent to western boundary.
RAW WATER: Raw water from four wells on site; 6-inch main provides raw water from pumping station at mouth of Doe Run Creek.
GAS: Louisville Gas and Electric Company; nearest main approximately 2 1/2 miles distant
ELECTRICITY: Meade County RECC
SEWERAGE: Package plant necessary
OWNERSHIP: Private



Hamilton Hill 795

NORMAL POOL ELEVATION 374

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Morvins Landing

INDIANA
KENTUCKY
OHIO RIVER

BRANDENBURG

SITE-1
170 Ac.

BRANDENBURG

SITE-7
37 Ac.

SITE-8
46.9 Ac.

Elkron



HARRISON CO
MEADE CO
Light
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HARRISON CO
MEADE CO

OHIO

RIVER

INDIANA
KENTUCKY

Tobacco
Landing

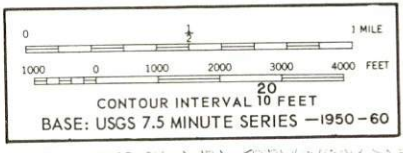
SITE-2
30 Ac.

SITE-3
500 Ac.

SITE-4
500 Ac.

Brandenburg Station

Doe Run
Mill



Water and Sewerage

Water: Daily treatment capacity - 400,000 gallons; average daily use - 170,000 gallons; maximum daily use - 250,000 gallons; storage capacity - 300,000 gallons; size distribution lines - 4, 6, and 8 inches.
(Meade County Water District was organized July 15, 1971.)

Sewerage: Type treatment - clarifier, digester, and chlorination; design capacity - 300,000 gallons per day; size of sewer mains - 8, 12, and 18 inches.

Local Government

Business license - \$15 annually

Property Tax Rates

Property tax rates per \$100 of assessed valuation, 1970:

	<u>Brandenburg</u>	<u>Meade County</u>
State	\$.015	\$.015
County	.146	.146
School	.568	.568
City	.360	
Total	\$1.089	\$.729

Police Protection: Number of law enforcement officers: 1 (city); 2 (county)*

Fire Protection: Number of volunteer firemen - 15; American Insurance Association fire rating, City of Brandenburg, Class-7.

Industrial Sites

Brandenburg now has 6 available industrial sites ranging in size from 37 to 530 acres.

*Meade County has 5 special deputies that have specified duties in the county.