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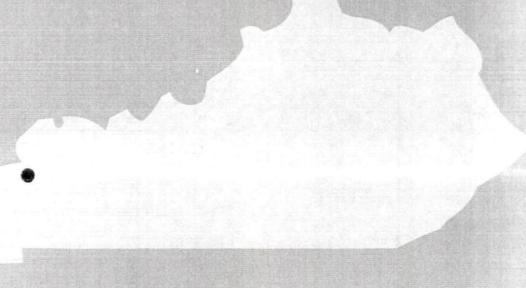
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A comprehensive report on Marion, Ky.

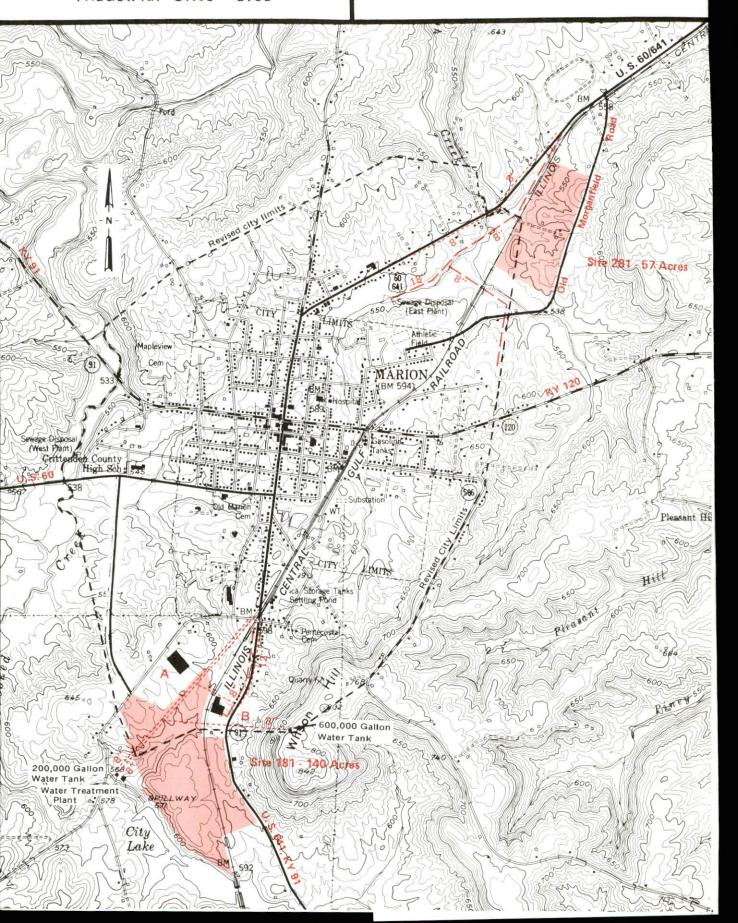


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MARION, KENTUCKY

Industrial Sites - 1981

For more information contact the Department of Economic Development, Office of Business Development, Industrial Development Division, Capital Plaza Tower, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 (502-564-7140).



Site 181 - 140 Acres

LOCATION: Partially within southern city limits

ZONING: None

HIGHWAY ACCESS: U. S. 641 adjacent to eastern boundary; paved

road adjacent to northwest boundary

RAILROAD: Illinois Central Gulf Railroad passes through eastern

portion of site

WATER: Marion Water Service

SIZE Line: Three 8-inch lines pass through the site; 12-inch line

extends onto northern portion of site GAS: Natural gas service presently not available ELECTRICITY: Kentucky Utilities Company

SEWERAGE: Marion Sewer Service

Size Line: 8-inch line approximately 500 feet from northeast

boundary; 15-inch line approximately 200 feet north

OWNERSHIP: Private

Site 281 - 57 Acres

LOCATION: Partially within northeast city limits

ZONING: None

HIGHWAY ACCESS: U. S. 641, U. S. 60 approximately 500 feet west

across Illinois Central Gulf Railroad via unpaved access road;

Old Morganfield Road adjacent to eastern boundary

RAILROAD: Illinois Central Gulf Railroad adjacent to western

boundary

WATER: Marion Water Service

Size Line: 8-inch line approximately 500 feet west across Illinois

Central Gulf Railroad

GAS: Natural gas service presently not available ELECTRICITY: Kentucky Utilities Company

SEWERAGE: Marion Sewer Service

Size Line: 8-inch line along west side of Illinois Central Gulf Railroad; 8-inch line along approximately 300 feet south

OWNERSHIP: Private

UTILITIES ----- Water Line - Sewer Line

Existing Industries

Potter & Brumfield

Moore Business Forms Inc.

SCALE: 1 inch = 2000 feet CONTOUR INTERVAL: 10 feet BASE: USGS 7.5 minute series - 1954

A COMPREHENSIVE REPORT ON MARION, KENTUCKY

Prepared by
The Kentucky Department of Commerce
Division of Research and Planning
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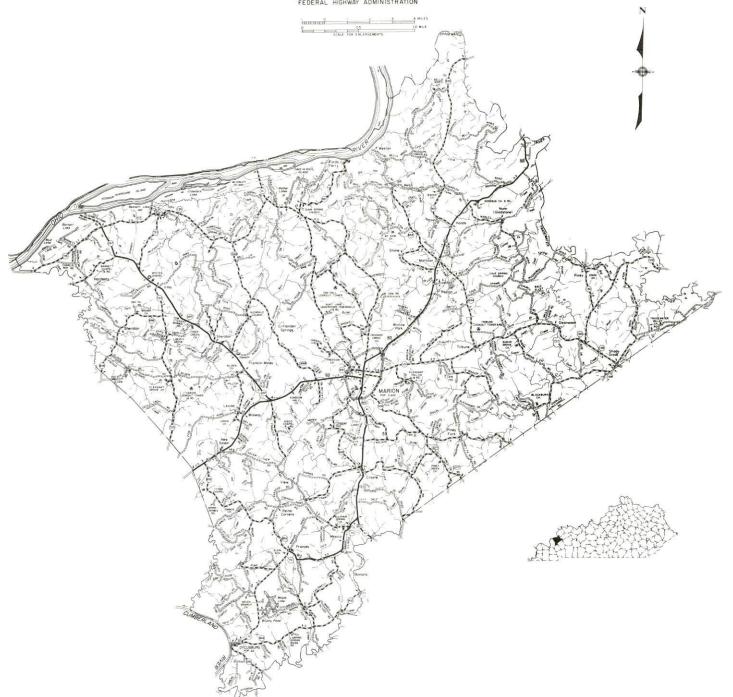
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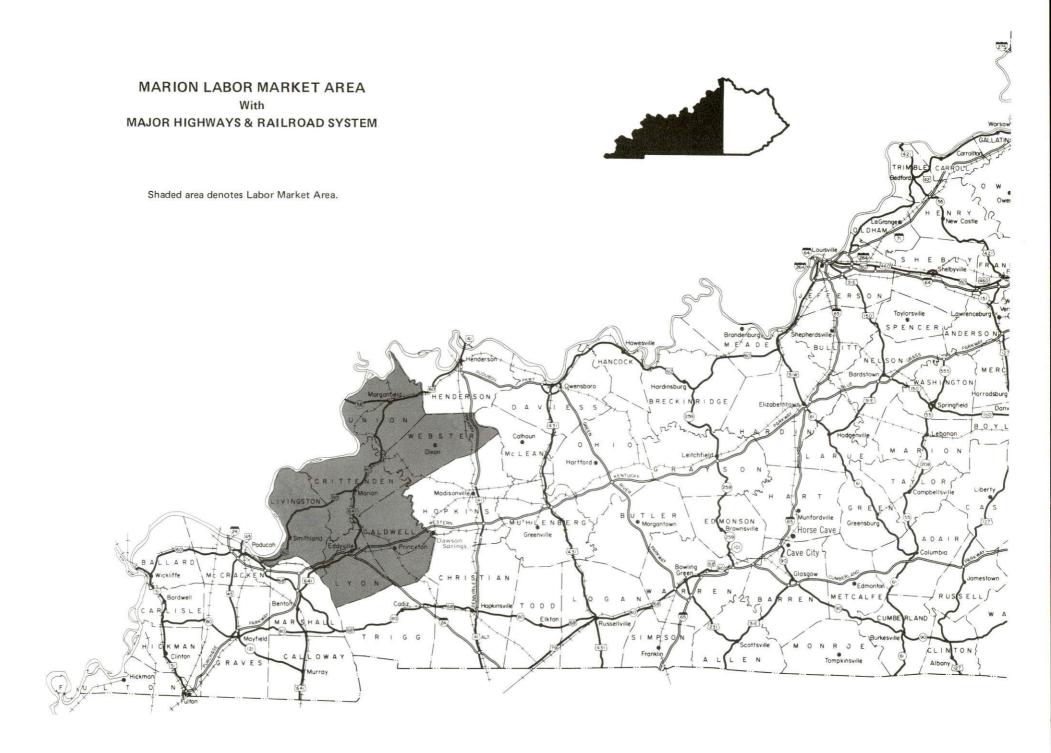
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GENERAL HIGHWAY MAP

CRITTENDEN COUNTY

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BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS
DIVISION OF PROJECT DEVELOPMENT
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION





MARION - A RESOURCE PROFILE

Marion, the county seat of Crittenden County, is located in Kentucky's Pennyroyal Region. In 1980, Crittenden County had a population of 9,207 with 3,392 persons residing in Marion. Situated in western Kentucky, Marion is within 300 miles of Cincinnati, Ohio; Knoxville and Nashville, Tennessee; St. Louis, Missouri; and Louisville, Kentucky.

The Economic Framework

Total employment in Crittenden County in 1980 averaged 3,792 with 3,444 employed in nonagricultural jobs. Manufacturing provided 583 jobs, wholesale and retail trade provided 445 jobs, government provided 300 jobs and 240 persons were employed in service occupations. Manufacturing employment was greatest in the electrical machinery, printing and publishing, and lumber and wood products industries.

Per capita income in the county in 1979 was \$6,448 or \$604 below the state average. Between 1975 and 1979 per capita income increased by 62.5 percent.

Marion is the hub of a labor market area which includes Crittenden County and its five adjoining counties. Area employment in 1980 averaged 32,132 with 29,993 employed in nonagricultural jobs. Manufacturing provided 3,233 jobs, wholesale and retail trade provided 3,265 jobs, government provided 2,645 jobs, and 2,830 were employed in service occupations.

Resources for Growth

- 1. There is a current estimated labor supply of 3,707 men and 3,395 women available for industrial jobs in the labor market area. In addition, 2,633 young men and 2,434 young women will become 18 years of age before 1986 and potentially available for work.
- 2. The Illinois Central Gulf Railroad serves Marion with branch line service. Major highways serving Marion are U.S. 60 and 641. Interstate 24 is only 21 miles south of the city. Five common carriers serve Marion and three public riverports are located within 55 miles.
- 3. Electric power is provided by the Kentucky Utilities Company and Henderson-Union RECC. Natural gas service is provided by Western Kentucky Gas Company. There are six distributors of propane and eight distributors of distillate fuel oil within 30 miles.
- 4. The Crittenden County school system serves over 1,600 students. There are seven colleges and universities within 70 miles of Marion.

THE LABOR MARKET AREA

The Marion Labor Market Area includes Cittenden County and the adjoining Kentucky counties of Caldwell, Livingston, Lyon, Union and Webster.

POPULATION						
Area	1980	1970	Percent Nonwhite			
Marion Labor Market Area Crittenden County Caldwell County Livingston County Lyon County Union County Webster County	3,392 71,042 9,207 13,473 9,219 6,490 17,821 14,832	3,008 63,994 8,493 13,179 7,596 5,562 15,882 13,282	2.3 N/A 1.0 6.4 0.4 5.4 18.9 6.1			

Note: The 1980 counts of population by race are provisional.
Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, March 1981, as published in Special Report No. 8, State Data Center, Urban Studies Center, University of Louisville, March 1981.

LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS OF RESIDENTS, 1980

		32:113, 1700
	Crittenden County	Labor Market Area
Civilian Labor Force	4,236	34,847
Employment	3,792	32,132
Agricultural Nonagricultural	348 3,444	2,139 29,993
Unemployment	444	2,715
Rate of Unemployment (%)	10.5	7.8

Source: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, <u>Kentucky Labor Force</u> Estimates, Annual Averages, 1980.

ESTIMATED MALE LABOR SUPPLY MARION LABOR MARKET AREA

		(Future		
		Not in		Under-	Reaching 18 years
Area	Total	Labor Force	Unemployed	employed	of age before 1986
Labor Market					
Area*	3,707	690	1,751	1,266	2,623
Crittenden	750	277	322	151	330
Caldwell	879	332	365	182	526
Livingston	536	0	340	196	345
Lyon	241	0	160	81	187
Union	666	0	249	417	701
Webster	635	81	315	239	534

^{*}Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Underemployed - persons employed but working only 14 to 26 weeks per year; Not in Labor Force - represents the number of persons who would enter the labor force if suitable employment were available (based on the assumption that persons in Kentucky would like to participate in the labor force in the same proportion that they do nationally).

ESTIMATED FEMALE LABOR SUPPLY MARION LABOR MARKET AREA

			Current		Future
Area	Total	Not in Labor Force	Unemployed	Under- employed	Reaching 18 years of age before 1986
Labor Market					
Area*	3,395	1,069	964	1,362	2,434
Crittenden	597	308	122	167	314
Caldwell	1,037	458	279	300	497
Livingston	280	0	129	151	269
Lyon	200	0	123	77	162
Union	560	0	137	423	679
Webster	721	303	174	244	513

^{*}Additional workers may be drawn from other nearby counties.

Note: Unemployed - persons unemployed and actively seeking work; Underemployed - persons employed but working only 14 to 26 weeks per year; Not in Labor Force - represents the number of persons who would enter the labor force if suitable employment were available (based on the assumption that persons in Kentucky would like to participate in the labor force in the same proportion that they do nationally).

MARION MANUFACTURING FIRMS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND EMPLOYMENT

Firm (Establishment data)	Draduct	Tatal		yment	
Firm (Establishment date)	Product	Total	Male	Female	
Circle-O Farm Center (1973) Crittenden Press, Inc. (1876)	Liquid fertilizer Newspaper, offset printing, letter-	5	4	1	
Kentucky Stone Company	press printing	9	5	4	
(1946)	Agricultural lime, crushed stone, asphalt	20	20	_	
Marion Machine Works, Inc.					
(1936)	Precision machine work, universal ramps, steel fabrication and				
H	erection	12	9	3	
Moore Business Forms, Inc. (1950)	Specialized business	130	70	5 0	
Ohio River Concrete	forms	130	72	58	
Corporation (1973)	Ready-mixed concrete	5	4	1	
Potter and Brumfield (1959)	Electro-magnetic relays	501	139	362	
Turner and Conyer Lumber	relays	701	137	702	
Company, Inc. (1958)	Lumber, clay pipe spacers, pallets, boxes, furniture				
0 80 80 90 90	stock	46	43	3	
Wes-Ken-Wood, Inc. (1978)	Lumber, cross ties	13	12	1	

Source: Kentucky Department of Commerce, Division of Research and Planning.

LABOR ORGANIZATIONS IN MANUFACTURING FIRMS

At present, there are no labor unions representing manufacturing workers in Marion.

INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

Types of Services	Location	Mileage from Marion
Tool & Die, Machine & Pattern Shops	Marion, Kentucky	
Metal Service Centers	Owensboro, Kentucky	83
Heat Treating	Evansville, Indiana	61
Metal Finishers	Morganfield, Kentucky	31
Electric Motor Repair	Madisonville, Kentucky Paducah, Kentucky	39 45

Source: Kentucky Directory of Selected Industrial Services, 1979.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES BY INDUSTRY, BY PLACE OF WORK, 1980

	Crittenden County	Caldwell County	Livingston County
All Industries	\$ 189.10	\$ 197.29	\$ 242.85
Mining & Quarrying	209.52	389.46	*
Contract Construction	206.68	159.18	392.02
Manufacturing	251.77	226.22	152.57
Transportation, Communications			
& Public Utilities	253.70	285.10	242.11
Wholesale & Retail Trade	135.16	153.07	128.98
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	216.17	224.08	182.16
Services	131.57	156.73	148.10
State/Local Government	172.14	202.46	179.57
Other	*	181.30	*
	Lyon County	Union County	Webster County
All Industries	\$ 208.90	\$ 332.30	\$ 314.02
Mining & Quarrying	0	513.34	534.43
Contract Construction	329.23	279.61	450.74
Manufacturing	*	192.71	209.45
Transportation, Communications			
& Public Utilities	291.01	323.78	*
Wholesale & Retail Trade	122.88	170.02	166.63
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	168.23	239.19	208.74
Services	107.81	175.57	139.57
State/Local Government	227.96	218.05	186.61
Other	*	244.18	172.19

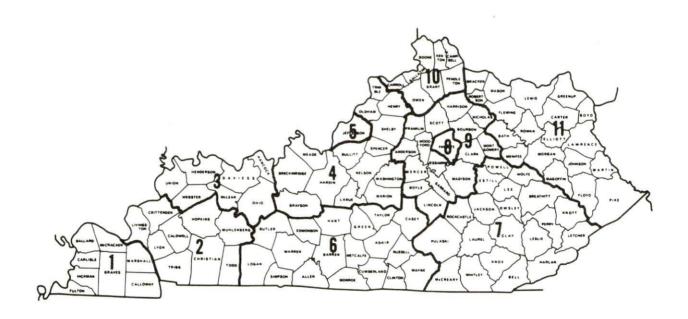
^{*}Not disclosed.

Note: Excludes domestic workers, railway workers, certain nonprofit corporations, majority of federal government workers, and self-employed workers.

Source: Kentucky Department for Human Resources, Average Weekly Wages of Workers Covered by Kentucky Unemployment Insurance Law, 1980.

Occupational wage rates for specific industries are usually not available to most government agencies, and wage data furnished to state employment agencies by individual industrial employers is protected from disclosure by federal law. The most reliable up-to-date wage information can be obtained by direct contact with local employers.

Associated Industries of Kentucky, a voluntary organization of Kentucky businesses, regularly collects occupational wage rates and fringe benefits data from participating member firms. Data is compiled for over 127 clearly defined office, production, and service occupations. Tabulations are published for eleven regions of Kentucky, as shown on the map below. It should be noted that the data may be weighted by the preponderance of firms in the larger cities and may be somewhat higher than the rates paid in the smaller communities. Data from these tabulations are available, upon request, from the Kentucky Department of Commerce, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.



Associated Industries of Kentucky Area Wage Surveys

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

Area		1979		1975	Percent Change
Crittenden County	\$	6,448	\$	3,968	62.5
Labor Market Area Range	\$6,07	5 - 8,238	\$3,96	58 - 5,004	N/A
Kentucky		7,052		4,882	44.4
U.S.		8,637		5,861	47.4

Sources: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, April 1981. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, August 1981.

TRANSPORTATION

Rail

Line serving Marion - Illinois Central Gulf Railroad

Services - Branch line; a turn-around train from Princeton to Clay or Henderson (four days per week), stops at Marion as needed; team track space for 10-12 cars; passing track. Piggyback facilities are located at Princeton, 22 miles south of Marion.

For details on routing, schedules, rates, and services, contact:

Manager of Industrial Development Illinois Central Gulf Railroad Company Pet Plaza, 400 South Fourth Street St. Louis, Missouri 63102 (314) 241-9400

Highways

Major highways serving Marion are U.S. 60 and U.S. 641. Both highways are rated "AAA" (80,000-pound gross vehicle load). Other highways serving Marion are Kentucky Highways 91 and 120. Access to the interstate highway system is 21 miles south of Marion near Eddyville where U.S. 641 intersects with I-24.

Truck Service

Company

A & H Truck Line, Inc.*

McLean Trucking Company*

Overnite Transportation Company**

Smith's Transfer Corporation*

Transcon Lines*

Other Freight Services

Purolator Courier Corporation*** United Parcel Service****

Home Office

1111 East Louisiana Street Evansville, Indiana 47714

P. O. Box 213

Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27102

1000 Semmes Avenue

Richmond, Virginia 23209

P. O. Box 1000

Staunton, Virginia 24401 101 Continental Boulevard El Segundo, California 90009

Nearest Shipping Center or Home Office

Paducah, 45 miles southwest Madisonville, 39 miles east

^{*} Interstate service only.

^{**} Interstate and intrastate service.

^{***} For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements

must be made with the Paducah office of the Purolator Courier Corporation.

**** For regular scheduled pickups or for occasional pickups, arrangements must be made with the Louisville office of United Parcel Service.

HIGHWAY MILES AND TRUCK TRANSIT TIME IN DAYS FROM MARION, KENTUCKY, TO SELECTED MARKET CENTERS

City	Highway Miles	Delivery Time TL	City	Highway Miles	Delivery Time TL
Atlanta, Ga.	364	1	Los Angeles, Ca.	2,026	6-8
Baltimore, Md.	777	2	Louisville, Ky.	179	1
Birmingham, Ala.	318	1	Nashville, Tenn.	122	1
Chicago, Ill.	403	1	New Orleans, La.	644	2
Cincinnati, Ohio	280	1	New York, N.Y.	927	2-3
Cleveland, Ohio	527	2	Pittsburgh, Pa.	567	2
Detroit, Mich.	519	2-3	St. Louis, Mo.	212	1
Knoxville, Tenn.	299	1	- mark 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1		•

Note: Mileage computations are via the best interstate or primary highways, not necessarily the most direct route of travel.

Sources: Rand McNally Road Atlas, 1979. Official Kentucky Mileage Map, 1979. Delivery time - Overnite Transportation Company, 1100 Commerce Road, Richmond, Virginia 23209.

Air

Nearest Local

Sturgis Airport

Location: 19 miles north of Marion

Runways: 3 paved

Length: 5,000 feet each

Traffic

Control: Wind sock and tetrahedron

Lighting: MIRL, VASI (18-36) sunset to sunrise, beacon,

tetrahedron

Services: 100 octane; charter; Gruman dealership;

flight training; tie-down; hangars; auto rental

Air Freight

Service: Chartered air freight services must be arranged

Nearest Scheduled Commercial Airline Service*

Evansville Dress Regional Airport

Location: 4 miles north of Evansville, Indiana;

65 miles northeast of Marion

Runways: 3 paved

Length: 8,021 feet; 5,088 feet; 2,968 feet

Traffic

Control: Tower

Lighting: Beacon, runway

Services: Delta, Eastern, and USAir airlines; Britt Airways

commuter air carrier; 100 LL and jet-A fuel; major repairs, major Avionics repairs; hangars and tie-downs; charter service; flight instructions;

plane rental; car rental; courtesy car; taxi; weather information; hotel; restaurant

Air Freight

Service: Air freight terminal

^{*}Commuter air carrier service is provided by Air Illinois and Allegheny at Barkley Field which is located 8 miles west of Paducah, Kentucky, and 53 miles southwest of Marion.

Bus - Southern Greyhound Bus Lines

Taxi - One company, daytime service

Rental Services - Auto, truck and trailer rental service is available 39 miles away at Henderson.

Water

Marion is located approximately 10 miles from the Ohio River which forms the northwestern boundary of Crittenden County. A 9-foot navigation channel is maintained for the entire length of the Ohio River. River traffic flow is in excess of 151,000,000 tons annually.

Three public riverports are located within a 55-mile radius of Marion. The Lyon County-Lake Barkley Riverport is located near Eddyville, 24 miles south of Marion; the Paducah-McCracken County Riverport is located approximately 45 miles southwest of Marion; and the Henderson County Riverport is located approximately 54 miles northeast of Marion.

POWER AND FUEL

Electricity

Company serving Marion and parts of Crittenden County - Kentucky Utilities
Company
Source of power - Kentucky Utilities Company
Total generating capacity - 2,883,767 KW
For industrial rates contact:

Industrial Development Department Kentucky Utilities Company One Quality Street Lexington, Kentucky 40507 (606) 255-1461

Company serving major portion of Crittenden County - Henderson-Union Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation
Source of power - Big Rivers Electric Corporation
Total generating capacity - 911,300 KW
For industrial rates contact:

Henderson-Union RECC P. O. Box 18 Henderson, Kentucky 42420 (502) 826-3991 or 800-242-7069 (toll-free)

Natural Gas

Company serving Marion - Western Kentucky Gas Company
Source of supply - Texas Gas Transmission Corporation
Size of transmission mains - 28-inch (supplier); 4-inch (distributor)
Distribution mains - 2 and 4 inches
Distribution pressure - Intermediate (10 psi-40 psi)
Btu content - 1,000 per cubic foot
Specific gravity - 0.60
For rates and supplies contact:

Western Kentucky Gas Company 311 West Seventh Street Owensboro, Kentucky 42301 (502) 685-8000

Other Fuels

Propane (Within 30 miles)

Fortner LP Gas Company Cadiz Road Princeton, Kentucky 42445

Larry Osting and Sons
Gulf Distributor
Garrett Avenue
Princeton, Kentucky 42445

Pargas of Sturgis South Main Street Sturgis, Kentucky 42457 Southern States Cooperative 205 East Railroad Clay, Kentucky 42404

Texgas Corporation Highway 60 Salem, Kentucky 42078

Union Propane Gas Company U.S. 60 West Morganfield, Kentucky 42437

(Contd.)

Fuel oils

Distillate fuel oil - (Within 30 miles)

Beaver Brothers Texaco (Bulk plant) 301 South Main Street Marion, Kentucky 42064

Thomas Towery Distributor (Gulf bulk plant) East Depot Street Marion, Kentucky 42064

Ashland Petroleum Company Fredonia, Kentucky 42411

Hays Oil Company (Southern States Cooperative) Highway 109 Sturgis, Kentucky 42457 Hart Gas and Oil Company, Inc. North Broadway Providence, Kentucky 42450

Michael-Whitfield Oil Company West Main Street Providence, Kentucky 42450

Morgan Gas and Oil, Inc. (Sunoco) 409 North Court Street Morganfield, Kentucky 42437

Shelton Foeman (Gulf) U.S. Highway 60 Morganfield, Kentucky 42437

Residual fuel oil - Arrangements must be made with the refinery.

Low sulphur content coal - Available in Kentucky.

WATER AND SEWERAGE

Water

Company serving Marion - City of Marion Water and Sewer Department*
108 East Bellville Street
Marion, Kentucky 42064

(502) 965-5313

Source - Two impoundments

Treatment plant capacity - 800,000 gallons per day**

Average daily consumption - 371,000 gallons**

Peak daily consumption - 407,000 gallons**

Type treatment - Coagulation, sedimentation, fluoridation, chlorination, rapid sand filtration

Storage capacity - 600,000 gallons**

Size lines - 2-, 6- and 8-inch mains; 12-inch high-pressure main

Average pressure - 67 psi

Average temperature - 65 degrees F.

MONTHLY WATER RATES

First	2,000 gallons	\$ 5.83 (Minimum)
Next	3,000 gallons	1.94 per M gallons
Next	10,000 gallons	1.55 per M gallons
Next	10,000 gallons	1.28 per M gallons
Next	25,000 gallons	0.98 per M gallons
All over	50,000 gallons	0.78 per M gallons

Tap-on charge:

	Inside City	Outside City
5/8 x 3/4-inch	\$200	\$300
3/4-inch	200	300
1-inch	200	300
2-inch meter and larger	200 plus cost	300 plus cost

^{*} The Marion Water and Sewer Department has completed the extension of an 8-inch sewer line and a 6-inch water line to an area on Chapel Hill Road. The extension will provide services to a 44-unit apartment complex and the Crittenden County Elementary School, both under construction.

^{**} Kentucky Department for Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Raw Water

Surface water sources - Ohio and Tradewater Rivers; Crooked, Goefield, Hurricane, and Ganey Creeks

Average discharge - Ohio River at Evansville, Indiana - 133,300 cfs (34 years, USGS, unadjusted); Tradewater River at Olney, Kentucky - 334 cfs (40 years, USGS)

Expected ground water yield - 500 to 1,000 gpm along Ohio River; 50 to 200 gpm along Tradewater River, west central and south central portions of Crittenden County; 5 to 50 gpm in central and western portion of county; 5 gpm or less along southeastern border of county and a small portion on the northwestern border of county.

Sewerage

Company serving Marion - City of Marion Water and Sewer Department 108 East Bellville Street Marion, Kentucky 42064 (502) 965-5313

Design capacity - 500,000 gallons per day
Average daily flow - 300,000 gallons
Treatment - Primary and secondary
Type treatment - Aeration, chlorination, drying beds, clarification
Treated effluent discharged into - Rush Creek
Size of sanitary mains - 6 inches to 18 inches
Size of storm mains - 15 inches to 48 inches
Rates - 90 percent of water rates

First	2,000	gallons	\$ 5.25 (Minimum)
Next	3,000	gallons	1.75 per M gallons
Next	10,000	gallons	1.40 per M gallons
Next	10,000	gallons	1.15 per M gallons
Next	25,000	gallons	0.88 per M gallons
All over	50,000	gallons	0.70 per M gallons

Tap-on charge: \$200

CLIMATE

Crittenden County Temperature Normal (30-year record) 56.0 degrees Average annual 1980 55.4 degrees Record highest, July 1954 (40-year record) 105.0 degrees Record lowest, February 1951 (40-year record) -23.0 degrees Normal heating degree days (30-year record) 4,629 (Heating degree day totals are the sums of negative departures of average daily temperatures from 65 degrees F.) Precipitation Normal (30-year record) 41.88 inches Mean annual snowfall (40-year record) 14.30 inches Total precipitation 1980 35.76 inches Mean number days precipitation (.01 inch or more) (40-year record) 115 Mean number days thunderstorms (40-year record) 45 Prevailing Winds (14-year record) South-southwest

Relative Humidity (19-year record)

Midnight 78 percent 6 a.m. 81 percent Noon 59 percent 6 p.m. 62 percent

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Environmental Science Services Administration, Climatological Data, 1980. Station of record: Evansville, Indiana.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

City

Structure - Mayor - 4-year term; 6 council members - 2-year terms; city administrator

Budget 1981 - General Fund

\$ 484,123

Water and Sewer Fund

517,490

Fees and licenses - Special license fee for certain occupations, trades and professions; 3/4 of 1 percent occupation license tax on all salaries, wages and commissions earned within the city and 3/4 of 1 percent of net profits of businesses earned within the city. Manufacturers are exempted from the net profits tax and pay an annual license tax of \$100 for 1 to 49 employees, \$200 for 50 to 99 employees and \$300 for 100 or more employees.

County

Structure - County Judge/Executive - 4-year term; 6 magistrates - 4-year terms Budget 1980-81 - General Fund \$223,536; Road Fund \$338,069

Assessed Value of Property

Classes of Property	<u> Marion (1980)</u>	Crittenden County (1981)
Real Estate	\$31,797,589	\$100,659,559
Tangibles	9,935,803	26,466,346

Property Taxes

All property in Kentucky is assessed at 100 percent of fair cash value.

Land and buildings are taxed by the state and may be taxed by local jurisdictions. The state rate is \$0.241 per \$100 of assessed valuation.

Manufacturing machinery, raw materials inventories, pollution control equipment, and goods in the process of manufacture are not subject to local taxation. The state rate is \$0.15 per \$100.

Other tangible personal property owned by manufacturers (automobiles, trucks, finished goods, office furniture, office equipment) is taxed by the state at \$0.45 per \$100 and may be taxed by local jurisdictions.

Property stored in public warehouses in a transit status is not subject to local taxation. The state rate is only \$0.015 per \$100.

Intangible personal property located in Kentucky (money in hand, shares of stock, notes, bonds, accounts receivable, and other credits) is taxed by the state at \$0.25 per \$100, and is not subject to local taxation.

Private leaseholds in industrial facilities owned by cities or counties and financed by industrial revenue bonds are subject to a state tax of \$0.015 per \$100 of value (essentially the lessee's equity, adjusted for appreciation or depreciation). Local taxation is not permitted.

Combined State and Local Rates Per \$100 Valuation, 1980* (100% assessment)

2		Inside City of Marion	Outside _City
1.	Land and buildings Mfg. machinery, raw materials, goods in process, pollution	\$ 0.799	\$ 0.545
3.	control equipment Finished goods, office equipment, vehicles,	0.150	0.150
4.	other tangibles Intangibles (accounts receivable, notes,	1.008	0.754
5.	bonds, etc.) Leaseholds in industrial revenue	0.250	0.250
	bond financed plants	0.015	0.015

^{*}Kentucky Department of Commerce.

Utilities Gross Receipts Tax for Schools

A 3 percent tax is levied on utilities receipts for schools in Crittenden County. Tax is paid by all consumers of utilities as an add-on to the utilities bills. Exempted are receipts from utilities services that are resold and the receipts from the sale of energy or energy producing fuels that exceed 3 percent of the cost of production in manufacturing, processing, mining or refining.

Planning and Zoning

There isn't an active planning and zoning commission in Marion nor Crittenden County at the present time.

Mandatory state codes enforced - Kentucky Plumbing Code, National Electric Code, Kentucky Boiler Regulations and Standards, Kentucky Building Code (modeled after BOCA code and applying to buildings with an occupancy of 100 or more persons)

Safety

Police	Marion	Crittenden County
Total staff	6	3
Radio-patrol cars	2	2
<u>Fire</u>		
American Insurance Association Fire		
Rating	7	10
Volunteers	24	52

Rescue Service

Crittenden County DES Rescue Squad and Fire Department:

Number of volunteers - 60 (includes 4 emergency medical technicians and 2 instructors)

Equipment - One 750 gpm pumper, one 1,000 gallon tanker; 2 ambulances (fully equipped), 1 emergency van; Jaws of Life; 1 pickup truck, 2 jeeps; 3 boats and motors; emergency lighting (3 generators, flood lights, extension lines); 3 compressors; 3 water pumps; 1 master fallout detector; radio equipment, including CB, short wave, police and marine band, scanners

Refuse Collection and Disposal

There is no refuse collection service in Marion nor Crittenden County. Businesses, industries and residents may use the sanitary landfill operated by the city. Fees for use of the landfill are based on volume.

EDUCATION

Public Schools

	Crittenden County*
Total Enrollment (Spring, 1981) Elementary Middle School High School	1,689 892 273 524
Student-Teacher Ratio Elementary Middle School High School	19-1 21-1 16-1 17-1
Percent High School Graduates to College	21.1
Expenditures Per Pupil (1979-80)	\$1,278.32
Bonded Indebtedness (June 30, 1980)	\$3,288,000

^{*}The new Crittenden County Elementary School opened for the 1981-82 year. The \$3.5 million structure houses 700 students in grades K-6.

Area Colleges and Universities

Name	Location (Miles distant)	Enrollment (Fall, 1980)	Highest Degree Conferred
Madisonville Community			
College	Madisonville, Kentucky (39)	845	Associate
Paducah Community College	Paducah, Kentucky (45)	1,850	Associate
Hopkinsville Community			
College	Hopkinsville, Kentucky (51)	1,089	Associate
Henderson Community			
College	Henderson, Kentucky (54)	811	Associate
Indiana State University (Evansville			
campus)	Evansville, Indiana (61)	3,251	Academic and Professional
University of Evansville	Evansville, Indiana (61)	7,212	Academic and Professional
Murray State University	Murray, Kentucky (69)	8,064	Masters, Specialist/ Doctorate*

^{*}Joint doctoral degree programs are offered in cooperation with the University of Kentucky, Lexington.

Vocational Schools

Both the state vocational-technical schools and the area vocational education centers are operated by the Kentucky Department of Education. The state vocational-technical schools enroll persons full time who are at least 16 years of age and not in school. These students attend classes for six hours each day. The area vocational education centers are designed to accommodate high school students who are at least 15 years of age. These students attend vocational school for three hours each day. The state vocational-technical schools and the area education centers offer evening courses to enable working adults to upgrade current job skills.

Nearest State School

Madisonville State Vocational-

Technical School

Madisonville

39

Location
Miles Distant
Curriculum

Consumer and Home Economics
Consumer and Family Life Skills

Health and Personal Services Occupations

Licensed Practical Nursing

Medical Laboratory Technician - C

Medical Secretary

Nurse's Aide/Orderly

Radiologic Technology

Respiratory Therapy

Surgical Technologist

Industrial Education

Auto Body Repair

Auto Mechanics

Carpentry

Diesel Mechanics

Drafting

Electronics

Industrial Electricity

Machine Shop

Mine Equipment Maintenance and Operations

Welding

Learning Resource Center

(Contd.)

Nearest Area Education Center

Caldwell County Area Vocational

Education Center

Princeton Miles Distant

Location

Curriculum

22

Agribusiness Young Farmer

Consumer and Home Economics

Food Service

Health and Personal Services Occupations

Health Careers Industrial Education

Air Conditioning and Refrigeration

Auto Mechanics

Carpentry

Industrial Electricity

Welding

Arrangements can be made to provide training in the specific production skills required by an industrial plant. Instruction may be conducted either in the vocational school or in the industrial plant, depending upon the desired arrangement and the availability of special equipment.

HEALTH

Local Medical Personnel

Physicians - 5 Dentists - 3

Hospitals

General Hospital	Location	<u>Beds</u>
Crittenden County Hospital*	Marion	37

General hospital facilities - Laboratory, X-ray, emergency room, delivery room, nursery, operation suite, inhalation therapy, cardiac care

Medical staff - 8 physicians, 13 registered nurses, 11 licensed practical nurses; consulting staff - 1 radiologist, 1 pathologist, 1 dietitian

Ambulance Service

Name - Crittenden County Ambulance Service Staff - 7 emergency medical technicians Service - 24-hours daily Equipment - 2 fully-equipped ambulances

Public Health

Facility - Crittenden County Health Center
Staff - Full-time: 1 registered nurse, 1 clerk
Part-time: 1 clerk, 1 health environmentalist, 1 administrator,
1 outreach worker, 1 janitor

^{*}The Crittenden County Hospital has filed a request with the Kentucky Health Systems Agency West to allow the hospital to expand from 37 to 65 beds. Estimated cost of the proposed expansion is \$2 million.

OTHER LOCAL FACILITIES

Communications

Telephone - South Central Bell Telephone Company Services - Standard

Telegraph - Western Union

Services - Toll-free number for telegrams, mailgrams or international messages (1-800-325-5100)

Postal - U.S. Post Office

Class - First

Mail received - Once daily

Mail dispatched - Once daily

Newspapers - Crittenden Press

Weekly and circulation - 4,600

Other papers

received from - Louisville and Paducah, Kentucky; Evansville, Indiana

Radio - WMJL

Stations received from - Western Kentucky and Louisville, Kentucky; Tennessee; Missouri; and Indiana

Television -

Reception from - Paducah, Kentucky; Nashville, Tennessee;

Harrisburg, Illinois; St. Louis, Missouri; Evansville, Indiana

Kentucky Educational

Television - Madisonville transmitter, Channel 35

Murray-Mayfield transmitter, Channel 21

Library Services

Public library - Crittenden County Public Library

Size collection - 24,000 volumes

Circulation, 1979-80 - 40,961 (including bookmobile)

Services - Records, bookmobile, movie projector, slide and film strip projector, microfiche, microfilm reader, overhead projector, record player, talking books, story hour, copy machine, genealogy files, newspapers, Interlibrary Loan and a meeting room

Religious Institutions

Number of churches - Approximately 60 (Crittenden County)

Denominations - Assembly of God

Baptist Catholic Christian

Church of Christ Church of God Jehovah's Witnesses Mennonite (Amish)

Methodist Pentecostal Presbyterian

Nearest Synagogues - Paducah, 45 miles southwest Henderson, 54 miles northeast Congregations - Paducah, Temple Israel (reform) Henderson, Adath Israel (reform)

Financial Institutions

Banks	Assets	<u>Deposits</u>	Statement Date
Farmers Bank and Trust Company* The Peoples Bank	\$ 24,870,354.24 21,132,431.94	\$ 21,615,599.91 18,873,011.86	12/31/80 12/31/80
Savings and Loan Associations	Assets	Savings <u>Accounts</u>	Statement Date
First Federal Savings and Loan Association**	\$ 58,046,930.75	\$ 53,778,979.54	12/31/80

Hotels and Motels

Total number - 5 Total rooms - 53

^{*} The Farmers Bank and Trust Company will remodel and expand its main office branch. Plans provide for an enlarged lobby area and additional bookkeeping space.

^{**} Branch of Madisonville Office.

Clubs and Organizations

American Legion

American Legion Auxiliary

Boy Scouts

Crittenden County Chamber of Commerce

Crittenden County Historic Society

Eagles

Eastern Star

Federation of Women's Club

4-H

Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA)

Future Farmers of America (FFA)

Future Homemakers of America (FHA)

Girl Scouts

Gun Club

Homemakers

Jaycees

Lions Club

Little League Baseball/Football

Masonic Lodge

Ministerial Association

Peewee League

Pony League

Rotary

Town and Country Riding Club

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

Woodmen of the World

RECREATION

Local

Public recreational facilities at Marion include two parks, two playgrounds, four tennis courts, five baseball/softball diamonds, two football fields, a fairground with an exhibition building, a livestock showbarn and a horseshow ring.

The Marion/Crittenden Park has been completed. The 33-acre park features three lighted baseball/softball diamonds, two tennis courts, a shuffleboard court, a shelterhouse, restrooms, a concession stand, picnic areas with grills and ample parking.

The Veterans Memorial Park provides excellent and well-maintained playground equipment and facilities for children age 12 and under-

A feasibility study for a proposed municipal swimming pool is under way.

Of special interest to residents and visitors to Marion is the Bob Wheeler Museum. The privately-owned museum contains the largest collection of hand tools and home utensils in Western Kentucky. In addition to memorabilia, a 186-year old loom is on display. In perfect working order, the loom is used in conjunction with the Crittenden County School System to teach students the art of weaving.

Private facilities include a country club with a golf course, a swimming pool and clubhouse, and a drive-in movie theatre.

Area (Within 60 miles)

Marion is located near two of the largest inland lakes in America - Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley - which offer over 3,300 miles of shoreline. This lakeland area offers numerous recreational facilities for water sports, fishing, boating, camping, and hunting.

Embraced by probably the most beautiful wooded area in Western Kentucky is the Pennyrile Forest State Resort Park at Dawson Springs, 34 miles south of Marion. The lodge and cottages nestled within the trees provide excellent accommodations. Other facilities and activities include a dining room, a gift shop, rowboats and pedal boat rental, a 9-hole golf course, hiking trails, horse-back riding, picnicking, playgrounds, shuffleboard, swimming at the lodge pool and off a sand beach, and two tennis courts. Lake Beshear, only four miles from the lodge, sports good fishing.

Kentucky Dam Village State Resort, located 41 miles south of Marion at Gilbertsville, is one of the largest and most popular vacation resorts in Kentucky. A modern lodge with 72 rooms, six different cottage types, and a 225-site campground make up the accommodations. A recently completed convention center has a theater-seating capacity of 750 persons and a seating capacity of 500 for dinner. For smaller groups, the convention center can be partitioned. There is also a dining room overlooking the 160,000-acre Kentucky Lake, a coffee shop, a snack bar, two gift shops, a meeting room, an activities center, and a recreation room. Recreational activities to choose from include boating and fishing at the largest docking facility in the Kentucky parks system, golf at the 18-hole Village Green Course, hiking, horseback riding, picnicking, swimming at the lodge pool or off the sand beach, and tennis.

Lake Barkley State Resort Park, 42 miles south of Marion at Cadiz, is located on the scenic Little River embayment of the 58,000-acre Lake Barkley. The magnificent lodge includes 120 rooms, four suites, nine cottages, a dining room, a coffee shop, a gift shop, two meeting rooms, and a recreation room. An activities center with a capacity for 400 and a 80-site campground are located near the lodge. A lodge pool, a beach and a bathhouse, an 18-hole golf course, tennis courts, a riding stable, a trapshooting range, a basketball court, hiking trails, playgrounds, and a picnic area comprise the recreational facilities. The marina near the lodge has everything for the "boat lover": covered and open slips, launching ramp, and rentals for fishing boats, skiing boats, and pleasure ride pontoons.

Charm and serenity exemplify Kenlake State Resort Park which is located on the 160,000-acre Kentucky Lake, 55 miles south of Marion. The park offers hotel and cottage accommodations and an efficient camping site. Other facilities include a 9-hole golf course, pool and lake swimming, horseback riding, hiking trails, fishing, boating, picnicking, playgrounds, shuffleboard, planned recreation, and one of the finest tennis complexes in the area.

Land Between the Lakes National Recreation Area is a beautiful 170,000-acre woodland that has been developed by TVA into a major area for outdoor recreation, conservation, and environmental learning. It is a peninsula 5 to 10 miles wide and stretching for 40 miles north to south between Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley. There are facilities for fishing, boating, hiking, swimming, hunting, and camping.

John James Audubon State Park, about 55 miles north of Marion near Henderson, contains 692 wooded acres where the famed naturalist studied and painted from nature. Five air conditioned cottages are available April 1 through October 31 and year-round camping is offered. Activities offered include boating and swimming on the 28-acre recreation lake, hiking, and golfing on the 9-hole golf course. The Audubon Memorial and Nature Museum is located in the park and features priceless original Audubon prints. The Audubon Trail, located within the park, offers 9- and 3-mile marked trails starting from the Museum.

Thoroughbred horse racing is available at Ellis Park, north of Henderson, and harness racing is held at the Midwest Harness Raceway near Henderson.



Development

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