

Boone County

County Seat: Madison

July 1, 2008 Estimate

24,977

Market Proximity	Miles
Charleston WV	31
Cincinnati OH	211
Cleveland OH	282
Columbus OH	186
Charlotte NC	280
Washington DC	393

Income		
Total Personal Income (2006)*	\$591,048	
PerCapita Personal Income (2006)	\$23,495	
Household Income (2000)	Number	Percentage
Less than \$10,000	1,880	8%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,219	5%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,914	8%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,417	6%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,505	6%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,514	6%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	515	2%
\$100,000 to \$149,000	186	1%
\$150,000 or more	106	0%
Median Household Income (1999)	\$25,669	
<i>* thousands of dollars</i>		

Housing (2000 Census)	
Total Housing Units	11,575
Occupied Housing Units	10,291
Owner Occupied	8,122
Renter Occupied	2,169
Total Vacant Units	1,284
For Sale Only	303
For Rent	194
Median Value	\$63,700
Median Rent Asked	\$268

Labor Force							
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Civilian Labor Force	9,750	9,440	9,340	9,380	9,470	9,480	9,400
Employment	9,010	8,860	8,880	8,960	9,060	9,050	9,040
Unemployment	740	590	460	420	420	420	360
Unemployment Rate	7.6	6.2	4.9	4.5	4.4	4.5	3.8

Demographics (2000 Census)	
Total Population 2000	25,535
Total Population 1990	25,870
Total Population 1980	30,447
Total Population 1970	25,118
Sex and Age	
Male	12,471
Female	13,064
Ages 14 and below	4,844
Ages 15 to 19	1,673
Ages 20 to 24	1,694
Ages 25 to 34	3,267
Ages 35 to 44	3,888
Ages 45 to 54	4,206
Ages 55 to 64	2,499
Ages 65 and older	3,464
Median Age	38.8
Race	
White	25,160
Black or African American	167
American Indian and Alaska Native	31
Asian	18
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific	4
Some other race	17
Two or more races	138
Households	
Total Households	10,291
Family Households	7,464
Non-Family Households	2,827
Persons 65 and Over, Living Alone	1,128
Average Household Size	2.47

Utilities					
Electricity:	Private:	1	Municipal:	0	
Water:	Private:	1	Municipal:	0	PSD: 2
Sewer:	Private:	0	Municipal:	0	PSD: 2
Combined Water & Sewer:	Private:	0	Municipal:	0	PSD: 0
Combined Electricity & Water:	Private:	0			
Water Associations & Authorities:		0			
Natural Gas:	5	Telephone Service:	1	Cellular:	Telegraph:

Industrial Sites and Buildings	Number:	Total Available:	Largest available:	
Industrial Sites	0	Acres: 0	Site (acres):	0
Industrial Parks	0	Acres: 0	Parcel (acres):	0
Industrial Buildings	0	SF: 0	Bld (SF):	0

Employment and Wages	2008			2007		
	Emp.	Total Wages	Ann. Wage	Emp	Total Wages	Ann. Wage
<i>Annual Averages</i>						
Total, All Industries	8,743	434,221,686	49,665	8,340	386,300,994	46,319
Total, Private Sector	7,107	379,989,548	53,467	6,668	334,704,757	50,196
Natural Resources & Mining	3,984	289,685,737	72,712	3,767	260,692,942	69,204
Construction	195	6,773,467	34,736	118	3,029,032	25,670
Manufacturing	57	1,676,112	29,405	58	1,823,700	31,443
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	1,138	31,032,465	27,269	1,174	30,808,426	26,242
Wholesale Trade	106	4,678,319	44,135	100	4,380,112	43,801
Retail Trade	796	16,851,161	21,170	802	16,187,482	20,184
Information	31	2,097,960	67,676	35	1,991,098	56,889
Financial Activities	143	3,805,474	26,612	143	3,729,820	26,083
Professional & Business Services	435	23,739,955	54,575	288	13,380,800	46,461
Education & Health Services	490	9,645,471	19,685	467	8,573,365	18,358
Leisure & Hospitality	338	4,456,876	13,186	338	4,079,642	12,070
Government	1,636	54,232,138	33,149	1,671	51,596,237	30,877
Federal Government	84	4,256,607	50,674	87	3,906,475	44,902
State Government	248	7,400,444	29,841	248	6,895,598	27,805
Local Government	1,303	42,575,087	32,675	1,336	40,794,164	30,535

Worker Commuting Patterns - 2000	
Resides in County/ Works in County	4,650
Resides in County/ Works in another WV County	3,744
Resides in County/Works in another State	117
Resides in County/Works in another Country	0
Resides in another WV Co/Works in County	3,590
Resides in another State/Works in County	43
Net Commutation (in minus out)	-228

Top 10 Employers	
Elk Run Coal Company, Inc. (Black Castle Mining)	
Boone County Board of Education	
Independence Coal Company, Inc.	
Eastern Associated Coal Corporation	
Hobet Mining, Inc.	
Panther Branch Coal Company (Long Branch Mining)	
Spartan Mining Company	
Pine Ridge Coal Company	
Massey Coal Services	
Mountain Edge Mining, Inc.	
<i>March 2009</i>	

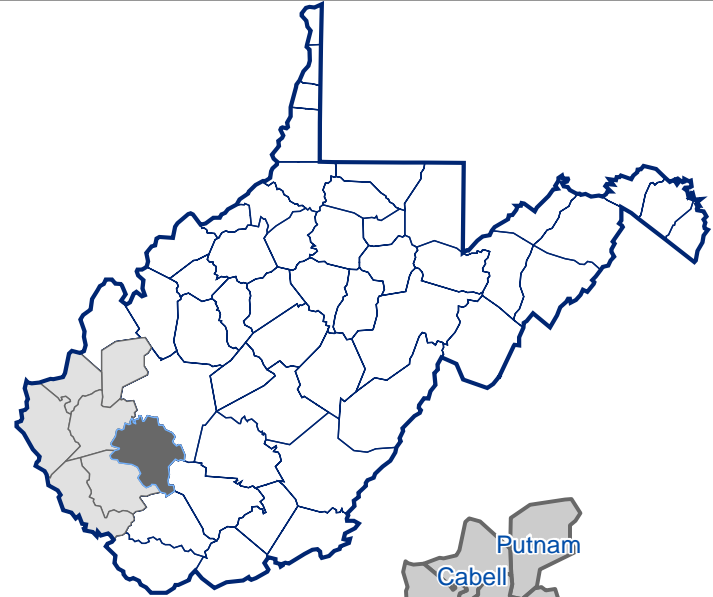
Financial Institutions	
Banks: including branches	6
Savings and Loans: including branches	0

Transportation					
Highway Service					
Interstates:	0				
US Routes:	119				
WV Routes:	3, 17, 85				
Motor Freight Carriers					
0					
Railroads					
	Daily/Other	Seasonal	As needed	Bus Service:	
Freight Carrier:	1	0	0	Local Public Transit:	1
Passenger Carrier:	0	0	0	Interstate:	0
Nearest Navigable River					
Kanawha (27 mi)					
Airports					
	General Aviation		Yeager Airport, Charleston, WV (36 mi)		
	Commercial Service		Yeager Airport, Charleston, WV (36 mi)		
	International		Columbus International Airport (240 mi)		

Public Schools	# Schools	Exemplary Schools	WESTEST % of Students at the Proficient Level		Colleges (within 50 miles)	Type	Ownership	Enrollment	City	County	Educational Attainment (2000 Census)			
Elementary	10	1	2008		So WV Comm & Tech College - Boone/Lincoln	2 yr.	Public	NA	Danville	Boone		#	%	
Middle or Jr. High	2	0	Math	Reading	Marshall University Grad College	NA	Public	NA	S. Charleston	Kanawha	Total population 25 yrs old & over:	17,282	100.0	
High Schools	3	0	Grade 3	76	81	So WV Comm & Tech College	2 yr.	Public	2,426	Logan	Logan	Less than High School	6,213	36.0
Vocational Schools	1	0	Grade 4	75	79	University of Charleston	4 yr.	Private	1,096	Charleston	Kanawha	HS graduate (includes equiv)	7,102	41.1
Other	0	0	Grade 5	82	82	WV State College	4 yr.	Public	4,794	Institute	Kanawha	Some College No Degree	2,098	12.1
2008 Public High School Graduates		274	Grade 6	75	79		-	-	-	-	-	Associate Degree	631	3.7
% 12th graders enrolled in advanced placement courses	County	State	Grade 7	78	84							Bachelor's Degree	839	4.9
Average ACT Score	20.4	20.4	Grade 8	67	76							Advanced Degree	399	2.3
Average SAT Math Score	595.0	511.0	Grade 10	63	68									
Average SAT Verbal Score	548.0	523.0												

Quality of Life

Law Enforcement		Recreational/Leisure Facilities	
Sheriff's Department	Madison	State Forests	0
State Police Detachments	Madison and Whitesville	State Parks	0
Total Sworn Police Officers (all jurisdictions)	39	Wildlife Management Areas	1
Fire Protection		Public Hiking Trails	8.9
Number of Fire Departments*	8	Public Fishing and Boating Lakes	0
Emergency Medical Services*		Recreational Rivers (boating/rafting)	2
Number of Emergency Medical Services Responders	4	Museums/Art Galleries	1
Number of EMTs and Paramedics (inc. fire departments)	56	Golf Courses	Private: 1 Public: 0
<i>*Note: Some fire departments also provide emergency medical services</i>			
Health Care		National Forests	0
Hospitals	1 # Beds: 38	National Park and Recreation Areas	0
Licensed Nursing Homes	1 # Beds: 90	Major Private Areas (List):	
Doctors	14	Amphitheaters/Performing Arts Centers	0
Dentists	7	Civic/Convention Centers	1
Child Care		Pro/Semi-pro Sports teams	0
Licensed Day Care Centers	6	Regional Shopping Centers/Malls/Outlets within 25 miles	3
Libraries	4 Total Volumes: 36,279	Major Private Recreation/Resort Areas	0
Climate		Long-Term Precipitation (inches):	
Temperature (Degrees F) Mean Annual Average:	54	Heating Degree Days:	4,876
January Averages: Low: 21 High: 42		Cooling Degree Days:	1,004
July Averages: Low: 63 High: 86		Jan: 3.03 Annual: 45.8	
		July: 5.29	
		Mean Annual Snowfall Range (inches):	25 - 35



Taxes	Property Tax Levy Rates per \$100 Assessed Value (Assessment Ratio = 60% of Fair Market Value)						Municipal Business & Occupation Tax Rates per \$1 Gross Sales						
	State, County & School Board		Municipal Levy		Total Levy		Retail	Wholesale	Manuf.	Rentals	Services	Contracting	Amusements
	Class II	Class III & IV	Class II	Class IV	Class II	Class IV							
Danville	128.86	257.72	34.66	69.32	163.52	327.04	0.13	0.06	0.22	0.28	0.28	0.55	0.17
Madison	128.86	257.72	37.50	75.00	166.36	332.72	0.27	0.13	0.30	0.57	0.57	1.10	0.35
Sylvester	128.86	257.72	23.44	46.88	152.30	304.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Whitesville	128.86	257.72	25.00	50.00	153.86	307.72	0.30	0.09	0.18	0.60	0.60	1.20	0.30

Boone County is included in Workforce Investment Area 2