

West Tennessee Transportation Routes

The following map includes transportation routes West Tennessee. The interstate highways are displayed in blue, U.S. highways in red, and state primary highways in pink. Railroads are also shown on the map.

This map will be a useful reference to anyone interested in how connected West Tennessee is within itself and with other areas. This map could be useful to those curious about the primary routes of land transportation and commerce. For example, someone could use this map to show why businesses and industries may be located in certain places.

What can be seen in this map are the primary land transportation routes. Interstate 40 is the main route through West Tennessee. This connects Memphis and Jackson with other cities such as Nashville. Other routes connect West Tennessee with cities of neighboring states. Even though interstates and highways have taken over much of the commerce out of the railroads, the railroads still play an important role.

Source: Tennessee Department of Transportation, Planning Division 1992 and Rand McNally 1998

