

COMPANY: COMPUSERVE INCORPORATED

5000 Arlington Centre Blvd.
Columbus, Ohio
43220

CORPORATE INFORMATION:

CompuServe was established in 1971 and operates a network service as well as business, executive and consumer information services.

Related companies:
H.R. Block (parent company)

VIDEOTEX SERVICE: CompuServe Information Service (CIS)

MARKET INFORMATION:

Number of Users:	120,000	
Type of users:	residential and business	
Market projection:	not available	
Initial System:	Columbus, Ohio	
Market Area:	North America	
User charges:	9 a.m. to 6 p.m.	\$12.50/hr
	other hours plus	\$ 6.00/hr
	weekends & holidays	

TECHNICAL ENVIRONMENT:

Terminals supported:	ASCII
Network:	Telephone. Available through TYMNET, TELENET, DATAFAC and CompuServe's own network
Central Computer:	DEC FDP 10s,11s & 20 Vision 50
Videotex Software:	VIDTEX (tm). Can be used with any communicating software.
Page Capacity	unlimited
Graphics:	ASCII - type

MAJOR DATABASES & SERVICES:

Databases available:
Over 245 databases including Official Airlines Guide (OAG), Commodore Business Machines, Grolier Electronic Publishing's Academic American Encyclopedia, AP Viewdata news, NOAA weather, Electronic Gourmet (tm), and games.

Interactive Services:
CB service, network games, electronic mail, Special Interest Groups (SIG), the Electronic Mall (tm).