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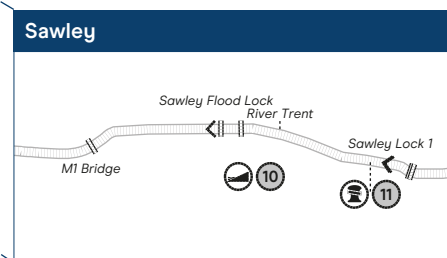
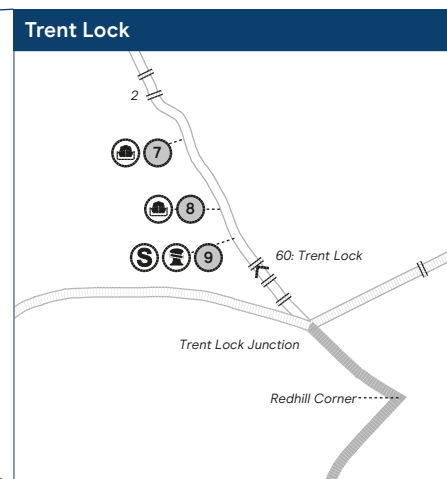
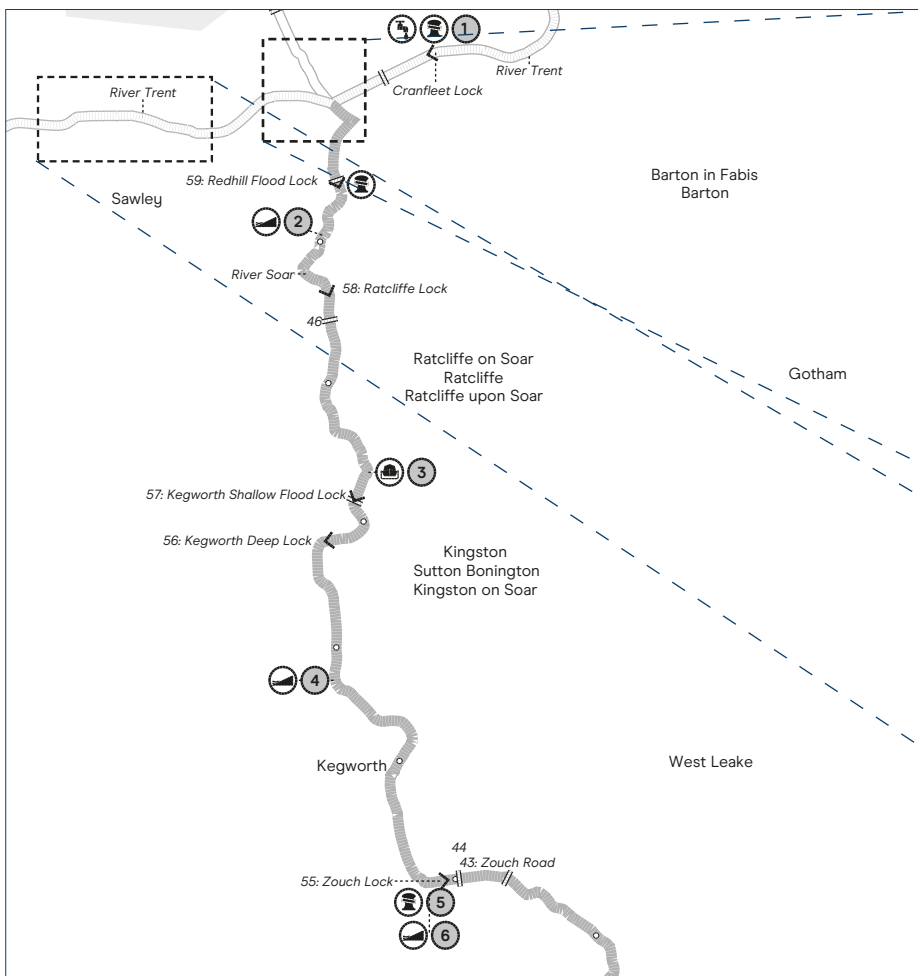
A note about the data

These guides list information we currently have on our facilities, dimensions and navigation guidance, based upon local knowledge and expertise. Whilst we anticipate that this data is reasonably accurate, we cannot guarantee its precision. Therefore, this data should only be used as a helpful guide and you should always use your own judgement taking into account local circumstances at any particular time. If you spot something wrong, please let us know canalrivertrust.org.uk/contact-us

Key to facilities

-  Winding hole (length specified)
-  Winding hole (full length)
-  Visitor mooring
-  Information and office
-  Dock and/or slipway
-  Slipway only
-  Services and facilities
-  Water point only

River Soar



Navigation notes

River Trent

Shardlow to tail of Meadow Lane Lock, Nottingham: Navigation should be possible for boats of up to 81ft length and 14ft 6in beam, but please consult the waterway office first.

Locks & bridges

Erewash Canal

Lock 60, Trent Lock: When leaving the canal, observe Trent Lock flood warning signs. This is a blind spot - sound horns, and check for craft coming downstream being carried by fast flowing river currents.

River Soar

Bridge 43, Zouch Road: Flood gates operated in flood conditions.

Lock 55, Zouch Lock; and **Lock 56, Kegworth Deep Lock:** Observe strong flow sign.

Lock 57, Kegworth Shallow Flood Lock: Observe strong flow sign. Only operational in changeable water levels.

Lock 58, Ratcliffe Lock: Observe strong flow sign.

Lock 59, Redhill Flood Lock: Only operates in variable water level conditions. Observe strong flow sign.

Upper Trent

M1 Bridge: Sawley weir nearby.

Sawley Flood Lock: Windlass required. Observe strong flow warning.

Sawley Lock 1; and **Sawley Lock 2:** Canal & River Trust key required. Observe strong flow warning. Tel: 0115 973 5234; tel: 07717 802 543.

Cranfleet Lock: No traffic when flood gates are closed. Tel: 0115 973 2490.

Services & facilities

Upper Trent

1 Cranfleet Cut: Water. Canal & River Trust key and windlass required. Card type: Ampy.

Erewash Canal

9 Trent Lock: Water, Elsan disposal, toilet. Windlass, handcuff and Canal & River Trust keys required. Card type: AMPY.

Maximum Dimensions

Length: 21.34m (70ft)
Beam: 4.37m (14ft 4")
Draught: 1.14m (3ft 9")
Headroom: 2.13m (7ft)

Visitor moorings

River Soar

- 5** **Zouch Lock:** Maximum 14 Days.

Erewash Canal

- 9** **Trent Lock:** Maximum 24 hours.
Total 58 metres.

Upper Trent

- 11** **Sawley Lock:** Maximum 24 hours.
Total 150 metres.

Slipways & docks

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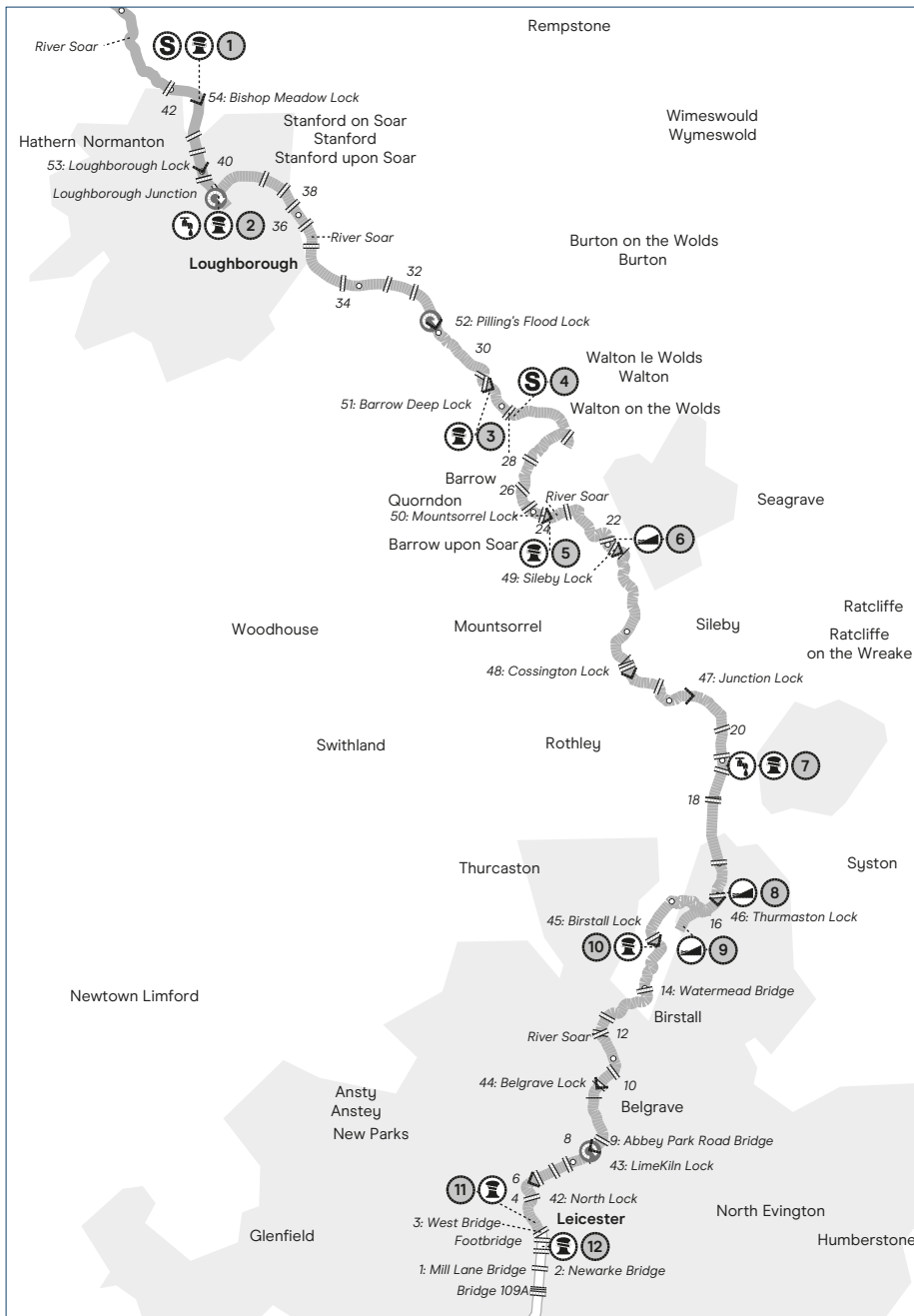
- 2** **Redhill Marina:** Slipway.
Tel: 01509 672770
- 3** **Kegworth Marina:** Slipway, wet-dock.
Tel: 01509 672300
- 4** **East Midlands BS:** Slipway.
Tel: 01509 672385
- 6** **Zouch Marina:** Slipway.
Tel: 01509 844415

Erewash Canal

- 7** **Mills Dock Yard:** Dry-dock. To book
tel: 0115 9732595.
- 8** **Trent Lock:** Dry-dock. To book
tel: 0115 9727936.

Upper Trent

- 10** **Sawley Marina:** Slipway.
Tel: 0115 9734278.



Locks & bridges

Grand Union Canal Leicester Line

Footbridge; and
Bridge 2, Newarke Bridge; and
Bridge 1, Mill Lane Bridge; and
Bridge 109A: this is a highly used
 bridge in the centre of Leicester.

River Soar

Bridge 3, West Bridge: This is a highly
 used bridge in the centre of Leicester.

Bridge 9, Abbey Park Road Bridge: Silting
 up under this bridge due to floodwater.

Lock 44, Belgrave Lock: Observe strong
 flows sign.

Bridge 14, Watermead Bridge: Outdoor
 pursuits centre take care of other
 water users.

Lock 45, Birstall Lock; and
Lock 46, Thurmaston Lock; and
Lock 47, Junction Lock; and
Lock 48, Cossington Lock; and
Lock 49, Sileby Lock; and
Lock 50, Mountsorrel Lock:
 Observe strong flows sign.

Lock 51, Barrow Deep Lock: Observe strong
 flows sign and flood warning lights.

Lock 52, Pilling's Flood Lock:
 Observe strong flows sign.

Lock 54, Bishop Meadow Lock: Observe
 strong flows sign and flood warning lights.

Services & facilities

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- 1 Bishops Meadow Lock:** Water, toilet.
Canal & River Trust key required.
- 2 Loughbrough Wharf:** Water. Canal &
River Trust key required.
- 4 Barrow Mill:** Water, Elsan disposal, toilet,
shower. Canal & River Trust key required.
Card type: Ampy.
- 7 Hope & Anchor:** Water. Canal & River
Trust key required.

Visitor moorings

River Soar

- 2 Loughbrough Wharf:**
Maximum 48 hours.
- 3 Above Barrow Deep Lock:**
Maximum 14 days. Total 97 metres.
Piled stretch beyond lock.
- 7 Hope & Anchor:** Maximum 14 Days.
Total 104 metres.
- 10 Birstall Lock:** Maximum 48 hours.
Total 20 metres.
- 11 Friars Mill, just north of Castle Gardens:**
Maximum 48 hours.
- 12 Castle Gardens:** Canal & River Trust key
required to gain access. Maximum 48
hours. Total 45 metres.

Slipways & docks

River Soar

- 6 Sileby Mill Boat Yard:** Slipway.
Tel: 01509 813583.
- 8 Nimbus Narrow Boats:** Slipway.
Tel: 0116 2693069.
- 9 Raynsway Marine:** Slipway.
Tel: 0116 2606166.