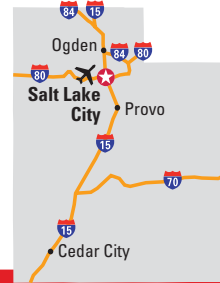




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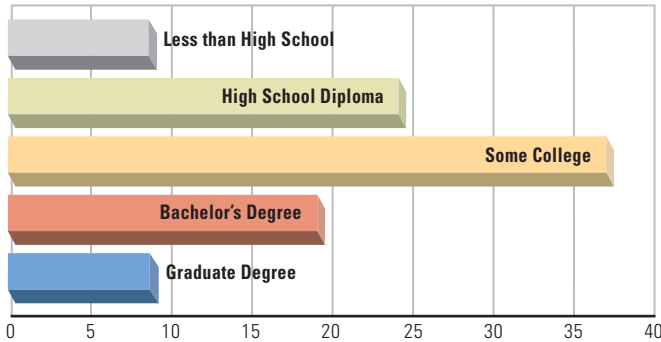
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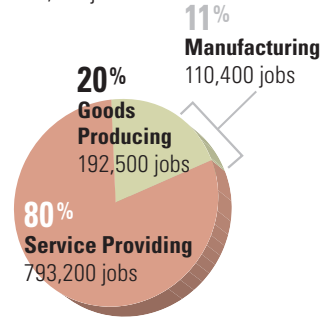
Population 2010: 2,813,814 **Population growth forecast 2010-2014:** 10.36% **Median household income:** \$59,698

Work Force Education by Percentage



Private Sector Employment

985,700 jobs



2010 New Economy Index Rankings

Overall: **12**

Immigration of Domestic and Foreign Knowledge Workers: **T25**
 Manufacturing Value-Added: **32**
 Export Focus of Manufacturing and Services: **6**
 Industry Investment in R&D: **23**

Median Hourly Wage for Production Occupations: **\$13.89**

Right-to-work state? **YES**

Legislative Update

- According to a summary by law firm Foxley Pignanelli, Utah accepted a \$13-million federal grant to extend Internet/communication services to rural Utah. The number 13 also applied to other measures with mixed

results: Charter schools were granted \$13 million for growth, and higher education received a 13-percent decrease in the base budget.