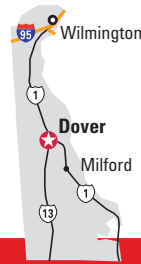




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Population 2010: 889,818 **Population growth forecast 2010-2014:** 5.36% **Median household income:** \$63,316

2010 New Economy Index Rankings

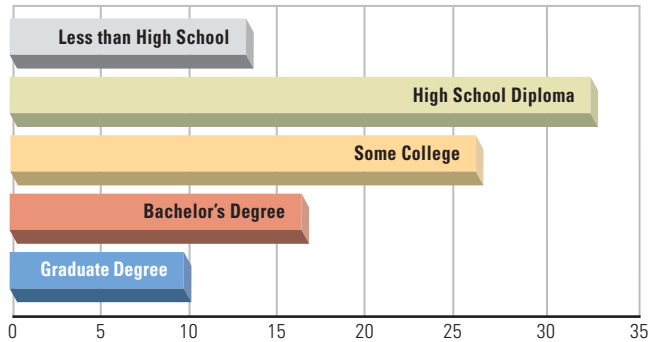
Overall: **6**

Immigration of Domestic and Foreign Knowledge Workers: **T34**
Manufacturing Value-Added: **5**
Export Focus of Manufacturing and Services: **2**
Industry Investment in R&D: **1**

Median Hourly Wage for Production Occupations: **\$13.24**

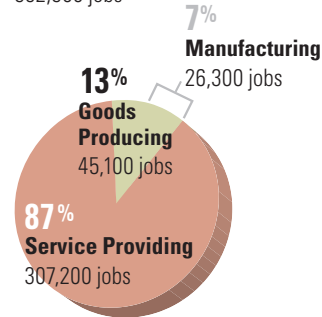
Right-to-work state? **NO**

Work Force Education by Percentage



Private Sector Employment

352,300 jobs



Legislative Update

- The state's Renewable Portfolio Standard was expanded so that 25 percent of Delaware's electricity must come from renewable energy sources by the year 2025. This includes solar energy targets and provides incentives for local labor and manufacture of renewable energy systems.
- Delaware's Green Energy Fund was updated to address a backlog of projects awaiting incentive funds.
- The state's net metering law was strengthened by increasing the amount of energy customers can sell back to their electric supply grid to 110 percent of their aggregate consumption to the grid. Customers such as a business campus or agricultural operations can aggregate several meters for multiple locations to determine how much power can be sold back through one meter.