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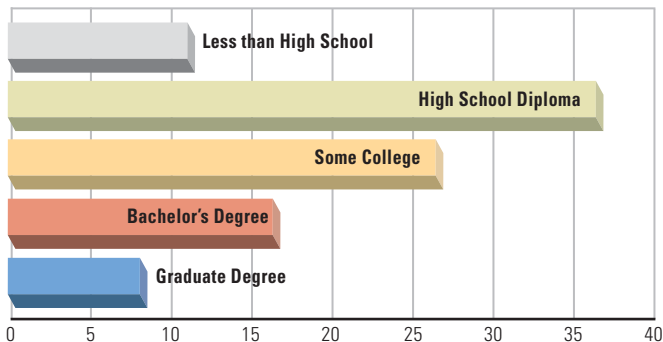
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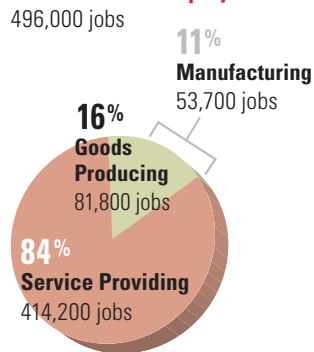
Governor: Paul LePage (R) **econdevmaine.com**

Population 2010: 1,318,166 **Population growth forecast 2010-2014:** -0.09% **Median household income:** \$49,163

Work Force Education by Percentage



Private Sector Employment



2010 New Economy Index Rankings

Overall Ranking: **28**
 Immigration of Domestic and Foreign Knowledge Workers: **T46**
 Manufacturing Value-Added: **29**
 Export Focus of Manufacturing and Services: **40**
 Industry Investment in R&D: **38**

Median Hourly Wage for Production Occupations: **\$15.18**
 Right-to-work state? **NO**

Legislative Update

- Bond issues were approved by voters in June 2010 relating to off-shore wind energy demonstration site and related manufacturing, water

quality, transportation improvements, R&D investments, food processing investments and the redevelopment of Brunswick Naval Air Station.