

Science and Engineering Profile: Maine

Characteristic	State	U.S.	Rank	Characteristic	State	U.S.	Rank
Doctoral scientists, 2001 ¹	2,120	542,940	42	Total R&D performance, 2000 (millions).....	\$319	\$244,855	45
Doctoral engineers, 2001 ¹	280	112,770	45	Industry R&D, 2000 (millions).....	\$201	\$187,544	41
S&E doctorates awarded, 2001 ¹	30	25,509	51	Academic R&D, 2001 (millions).....	\$68	\$32,716	49
of which, in life sciences.....	37%	26%		of which, in life sciences.....	38%	59%	
in engineering.....	20%	22%		in environmental sciences.....	30%	6%	
in physical sciences.....	20%	13%		in engineering.....	13%	15%	
S&E postdoctorates, 2001 ¹				Public higher education current-fund			
in doctorate-granting institutions.....	40	42,899	46	expenditures, 2000 (millions).....	\$508	\$152,068	43
S&E graduate students, 2001 ¹				Number of SBIR awards, 1999-2001.....	45	13,650	36
in doctorate-granting institutions.....	660	452,411	50	Utility patents issued to state residents, 2001.....	145	87,605	44
Population, 2002 (thousands).....	1,294	292,228	41	Gross state product, 2000 (billions).....	\$36	\$10,003	46
Civilian labor force, 2002 (thousands).....	686	146,712	41	of which, agriculture.....	2%	1%	
Personal income per capita, 2001.....	\$26,723	\$30,472	36	manufacturing, mining, construction.....	20%	22%	
Federal spending				transportation, communication, utilities.....	7%	8%	
Total expenditures, 2001 (millions).....	\$8,180	\$1,753,011	42	wholesale and retail trade.....	18%	16%	
R&D obligations, 2001 (millions).....	\$451	\$78,006	28	finance, insurance, real estate.....	19%	19%	
				services.....	21%	22%	
				government.....	14%	12%	

¹Data on graduate students, doctoral scientists, doctoral engineers, and postdoctorates include all graduate degree (except M.D.) candidates and recipients in S&E fields, including health. Data on S&E doctorates awarded do not include health fields.

NOTES: Rankings and totals are based on data for the 50 States, District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico. Reliability of the estimates of industry R&D and of doctoral scientists and engineers varies by State, because the sample allocation was not based on geography. The rankings do not take into account the margin of error of estimates from sample surveys.

Federal Obligations for Research and Development by Agency and Performer: Maine, Fiscal Year 2001

Agency	Performer							State rank, total
	Total	Federal intramural	All FFRDCs	Industrial firms	Universities & colleges	Other nonprofits	State & local government	
	[In thousands of dollars]							
Total, all agencies.....	450,735	9,433	0	345,460	28,716	62,256	4,870	28
Department of Agriculture.....	6,908	1,693	0	0	5,080	135	0	49
Department of Commerce.....	3,134	700	0	0	1,274	110	1,050	31
Department of Defense.....	352,910	5,016	0	338,705	6,683	2,506	0	21
Department of Energy.....	1,198	0	0	600	0	598	0	48
Dept. of Health & Human Services.....	67,646	0	0	5,889	2,741	56,108	2,908	37
Department of the Interior.....	2,712	2,024	0	17	603	0	68	38
Department of Transportation.....	1,915	0	0	50	1,021	0	844	41
Environmental Protection Agency.....	168	0	0	0	168	0	0	49
National Aeronautics and Space Admin....	1,820	0	0	0	788	1,032	0	48
National Science Foundation.....	12,324	0	0	199	10,358	1,767	0	44
State rank, total.....	28	49	na	20	50	15	30	na

KEY: FFRDC = federally funded research and development center; SBIR = small business innovation research; na = not applicable.

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