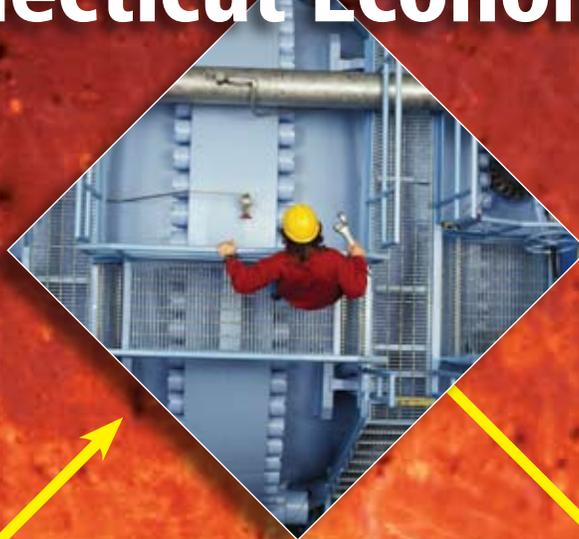


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## SMART ENERGY



Connecticut  
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The Northeast Utilities System

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# Connecticut's Smart Energy Future



Jeff Butler

When Connecticut Light & Power and Yankee Gas think "green," it's a state of mind.

Beyond the promotion of clean and renewable energy, our companies embrace innovation, entrepreneurship, and the smart use of resources and talent – the hallmarks of Connecticut's business climate.

Connecticut is indeed an ideal place for companies of the future. As illustrated by the chart on this page, Connecticut is known for its:

- **Economic Strength** – highly educated, innovative and productive workforce that enjoys unrivaled lifestyle amenities;
- **Workforce Productivity** – diversified industries, from financial services to life sciences and submarines; and
- **Global Location of Choice** – a magnet for foreign investment and trade.



A new high-performance electric sports car by Tesla Motors (USA)

As partners with the state of Connecticut, CL&P and Yankee Gas continue pursuing a range of forward-thinking investments in energy conservation incentives, infrastructure enhancements and technology that will help customers use energy more efficiently. And, we're taking the lead in preparing for the popularization of clean, electric- and natural gas-powered vehicles.

We're proud to promote Connecticut's pro-jobs economic environment because it's good for our customers and our future. We hope you'll review the information in this year's Economic Review and see in your future a new or expanded location in Connecticut.

Sincerely,

Rodney O. Powell  
President and Chief Operating Officer  
Yankee Gas

Jeffrey D. Butler  
President and Chief Operating Officer  
Connecticut Light & Power

## Connecticut National Rankings

Foreign Direct Investment	#1
Per Capita Income	#1
Communications Technology	#2
Research and Development	#2
Finance and Insurance Jobs	#3
Energy Efficiency	#3
Gross State Product per Capita	#3
College Graduates	#3
Biomedical Research	#3
Low Poverty Rate	#3
Worldwide Productivity	#5
Worker Productivity	#5
New Economy Industry	#6
Health Care	#6
Health of Population	#7
High Technology Presence	#7
Patents	#8
Low Crime Rate	#10

## Connecticut Quick Facts

Population	3,501,252
Land Area (sq. miles)	4,845
Per Capita Income	\$56,272
Employment	1,700,000
Manufacturing Employment	188,000
Per Capita Exports	\$4,394
Gross State Product per Capita	\$61,742
GSP Per Manufacturing Worker	\$301,166

Note: Ranks and Quick Facts are the most recent data as presented in the exhibits that follow.

To learn how CL&P and Yankee Gas can help your business move to or expand in Connecticut, or to request a presentation on the findings in this report, please contact our Economic and Community Development department at (800) 286-5000, ext. 701-5140. You can visit our Web sites at: [www.cl-p.com](http://www.cl-p.com) [www.yankeegas.com](http://www.yankeegas.com)



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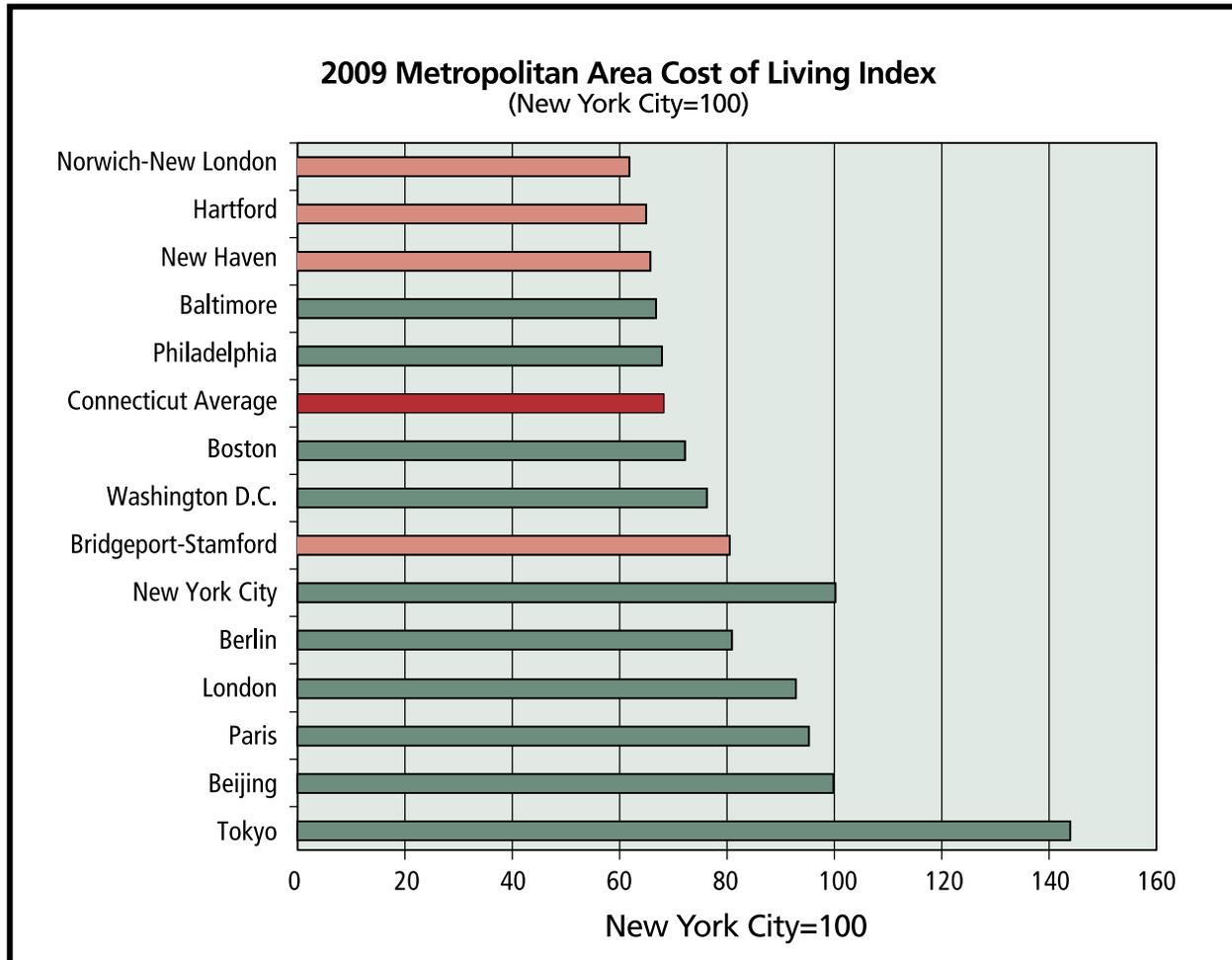
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# Section One: Economic Overview

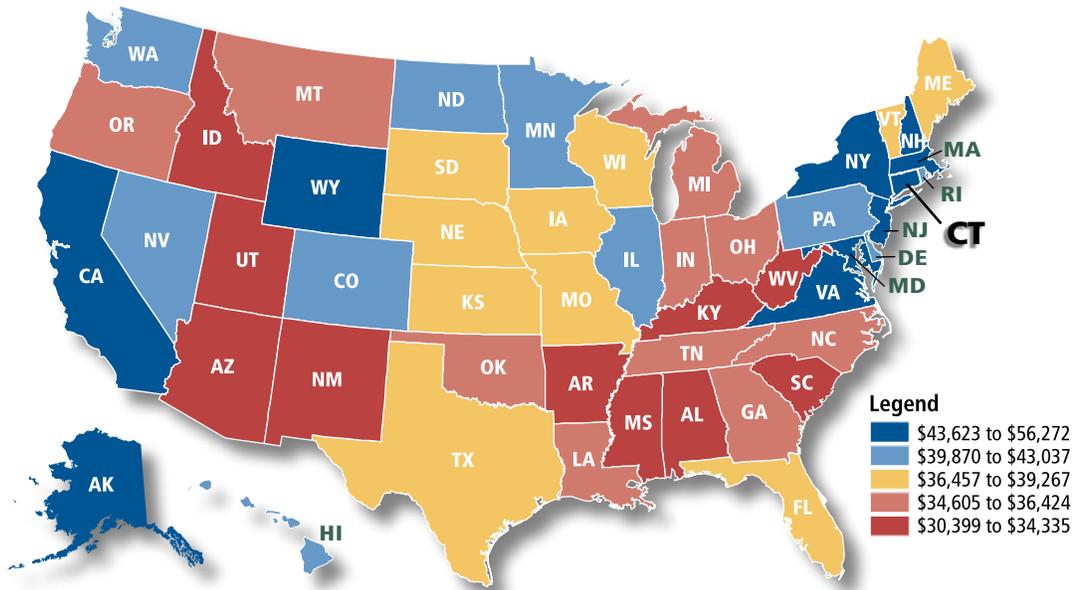
## Connecticut's Cost of Living is Competitive

- Connecticut's cost of living compares favorably to other major world business locations and to costs within the northeastern United States.
- Home prices, a key component of the cost of living index, are roughly one-third less in Connecticut than prices in the two closest major metropolitan areas, New York and Boston.



Sources: ACCRA and Mercer

# Connecticut Leads the Nation in per Capita Income



## Per Capita Income

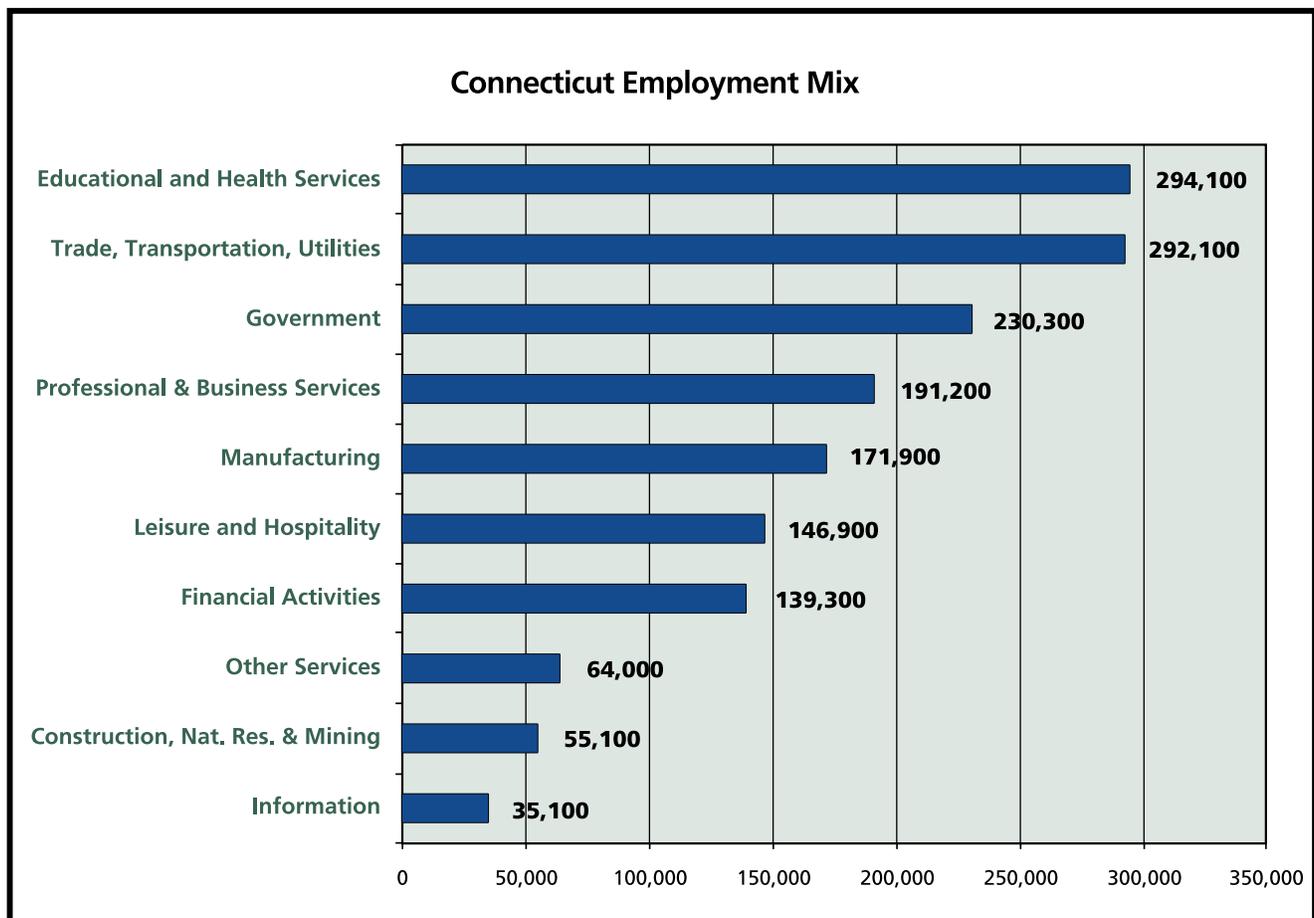
Rank	State	Per Capita Income
1	Connecticut	\$56,272
2	New Jersey	\$51,358
3	Massachusetts	\$51,254
4	New York	\$48,753
5	Wyoming	\$48,608
6	Maryland	\$48,378
7	Virginia	\$44,224
8	Alaska	\$44,039
9	California	\$43,641
10	New Hampshire	\$43,623
11	Minnesota	\$43,037
12	Colorado	\$42,985
13	Washington	\$42,857
14	Illinois	\$42,347
15	Hawaii	\$42,055
16	Rhode Island	\$41,368
17	Nevada	\$41,182
18	Delaware	\$40,519
19	Pennsylvania	\$40,140
20	North Dakota	\$39,870
21	Florida	\$39,267
22	Nebraska	\$39,150
23	Kansas	\$38,820
24	Vermont	\$38,686
25	South Dakota	\$38,661

Rank	State	Per Capita Income
26	Texas	\$37,774
27	Wisconsin	\$37,767
28	Iowa	\$37,402
29	Missouri	\$36,631
30	Maine	\$36,457
31	Louisiana	\$36,424
32	Oregon	\$36,297
33	Ohio	\$36,021
34	Oklahoma	\$35,985
35	North Carolina	\$35,344
36	Tennessee	\$34,976
37	Michigan	\$34,949
38	Georgia	\$34,893
39	Montana	\$34,644
40	Indiana	\$34,605
41	Arizona	\$34,335
42	Alabama	\$33,768
43	New Mexico	\$33,430
44	Idaho	\$33,074
45	South Carolina	\$32,666
46	Arkansas	\$32,397
47	Kentucky	\$32,076
48	Utah	\$31,944
49	West Virginia	\$31,641
50	Mississippi	\$30,399
	United States	\$40,208

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2008

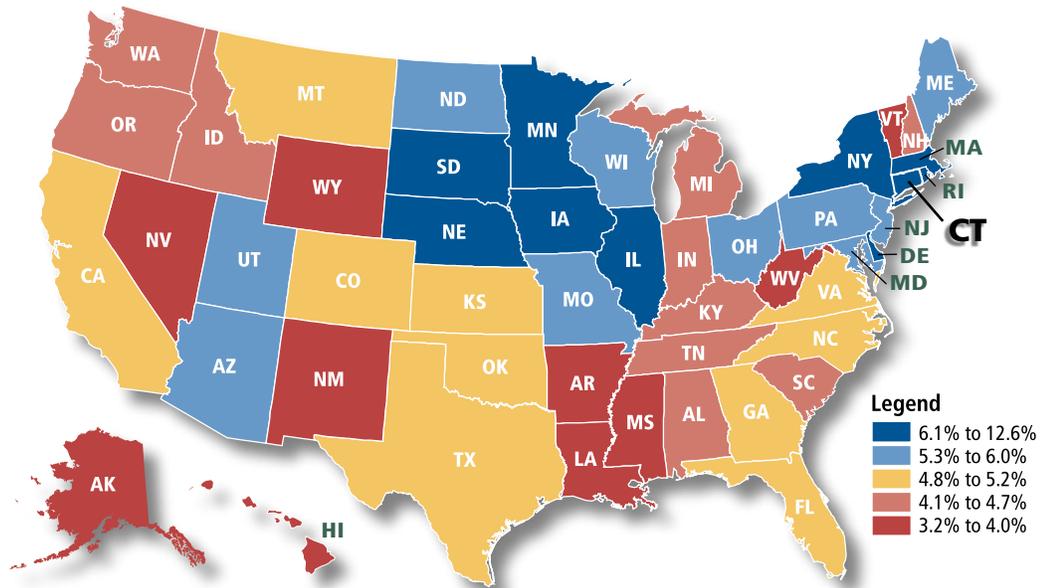
## Connecticut Employment by Industry

- Connecticut's diverse economy means the state is not dependent on a single industry.
- Connecticut is a national leader in finance, insurance, health care and precision manufacturing, such as aerospace, defense and medical devices.



Source: Connecticut Department of Labor  
Note: August 2009 data, preliminary and not seasonally adjusted

# Connecticut Is a Leader in Finance and Insurance



## Percent of Total Employment in the Finance and Insurance Industry

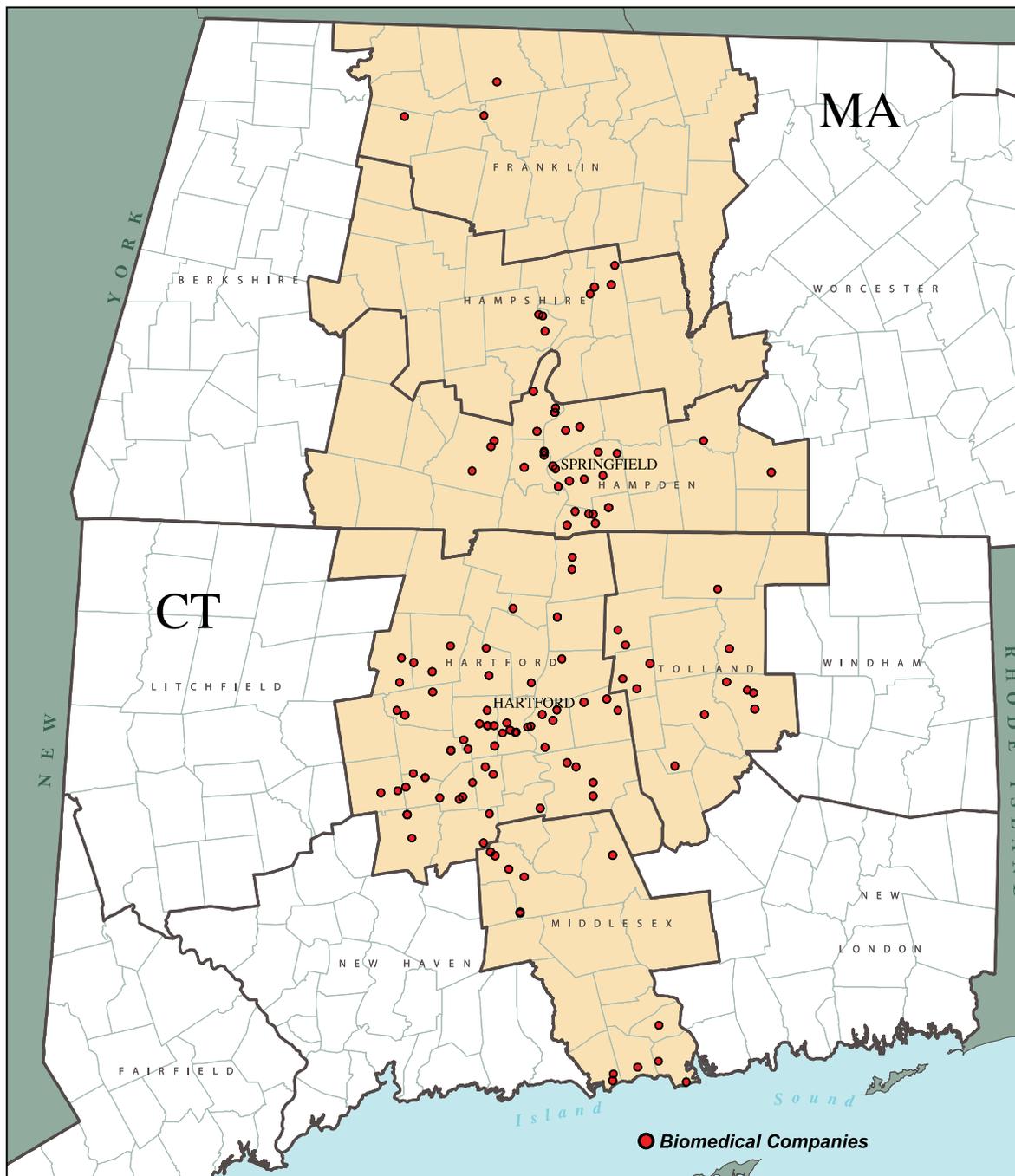
Rank	State	Percent
1	Delaware	12.6%
2	South Dakota	9.0%
3	Connecticut	8.3%
4	New York	7.7%
5	Nebraska	7.6%
6	Iowa	7.3%
7	Massachusetts	7.0%
8	Rhode Island	6.8%
9	Illinois	6.5%
10	Minnesota	6.1%
11	Arizona	6.1%
12	New Jersey	6.0%
13	Wisconsin	5.7%
14	Ohio	5.6%
15	Missouri	5.6%
16	Pennsylvania	5.5%
17	North Dakota	5.5%
18	Maryland	5.4%
19	Utah	5.4%
20	Maine	5.3%
21	Virginia	5.2%
22	North Carolina	5.2%
23	Kansas	5.2%
24	Texas	5.1%
25	California	5.1%

Rank	State	Percent
26	Colorado	5.1%
27	Florida	5.0%
28	Montana	4.9%
29	Oklahoma	4.9%
30	Georgia	4.8%
31	New Hampshire	4.8%
32	Washington	4.8%
33	Tennessee	4.7%
34	Michigan	4.6%
35	Oregon	4.5%
36	Kentucky	4.3%
37	Idaho	4.2%
38	Indiana	4.2%
39	Alabama	4.1%
40	South Carolina	4.1%
41	New Mexico	4.0%
42	Hawaii	4.0%
43	Louisiana	3.9%
44	Mississippi	3.7%
45	Arkansas	3.7%
46	Vermont	3.7%
47	West Virginia	3.6%
48	Nevada	3.5%
49	Alaska	3.2%
50	Wyoming	3.2%
	U.S. Average	5.4%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, County Business Patterns, 2007

## *The Biomedical Industry is Vibrant in Southern New England*

- There are more than 50 hospitals in Connecticut and western Massachusetts with several named among the nation's best.
- Biomedical research is vibrant and well funded.
- The I-91 corridor from northern Massachusetts to Long Island Sound has one of the highest concentrations of health care-related industry employment in the nation and is home to more than 300 medical devices companies.



Source: CERC DataFinder, 2009

# Connecticut Key Economic Indicators, 1998-2008

## ECONOMIC INDICATOR

	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	2000	1999	1998
Population (Thousands)	3,501	3,490	3,488	3,479	3,475	3,468	3,448	3,428	3,412	3,386	3,365
Civilian Labor Force (Thousands)	1,876	1,850	1,829	1,809	1,792	1,795	1,779	1,755	1,737	1,742	1,742
People Unemployed (Thousands)	107	85	81	88	88	98	78	55	39	47	57
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7%	4.6%	4.4%	4.9%	4.9%	5.5%	4.4%	3.1%	2.3%	2.7%	3.3%

## Employment

Non-agricultural (Thousands)	1,700	1,698	1,681	1,662	1,650	1,645	1,665	1,681	1,693	1,669	1,643
Manufacturing (Thousands)	188	191	194	195	197	200	211	227	236	240	248
Non-manufacturing (Thousands)	1,512	1,506	1,487	1,467	1,453	1,445	1,454	1,454	1,458	1,429	1,396

## Income (Current \$)

Personal (\$ Billions)	\$197.0	\$194.1	\$183.1	\$168.1	\$161.0	\$151.1	\$149.1	\$149.1	\$143.0	\$131.0	\$125.0
Per Capita	\$56,272	\$55,609	\$52,702	\$48,485	\$46,417	\$43,730	\$43,346	\$43,614	\$41,921	\$38,718	\$37,226

## Gross State Product

GSP, Current (\$ Billions)	\$216	\$212	\$202	\$190	\$182	\$170	\$166	\$165	\$160	\$150	\$145
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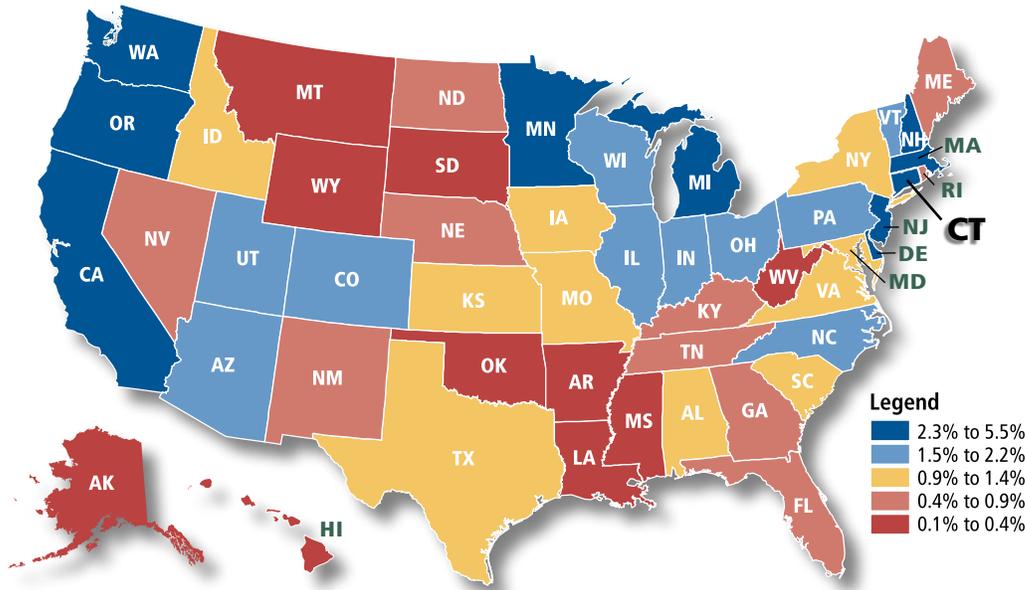
## New Housing Permits

Single-Family Structures	3,139	5,348	7,107	8,817	9,263	8,180	8,484	7,835	8,158	9,249	9,130
Multifamily Structures	2,081	2,398	2,129	3,068	2,574	2,255	1,247	1,455	1,218	1,388	2,733
All Structures	5,220	7,746	9,236	11,885	11,837	10,435	9,731	9,290	9,376	10,637	11,863

Sources: US Census Bureau, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Bureau of Economic Analysis, Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development

# Section Two: Business and Innovation

## Connecticut Is a Research and Development Hub



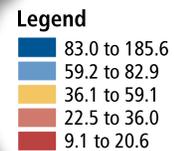
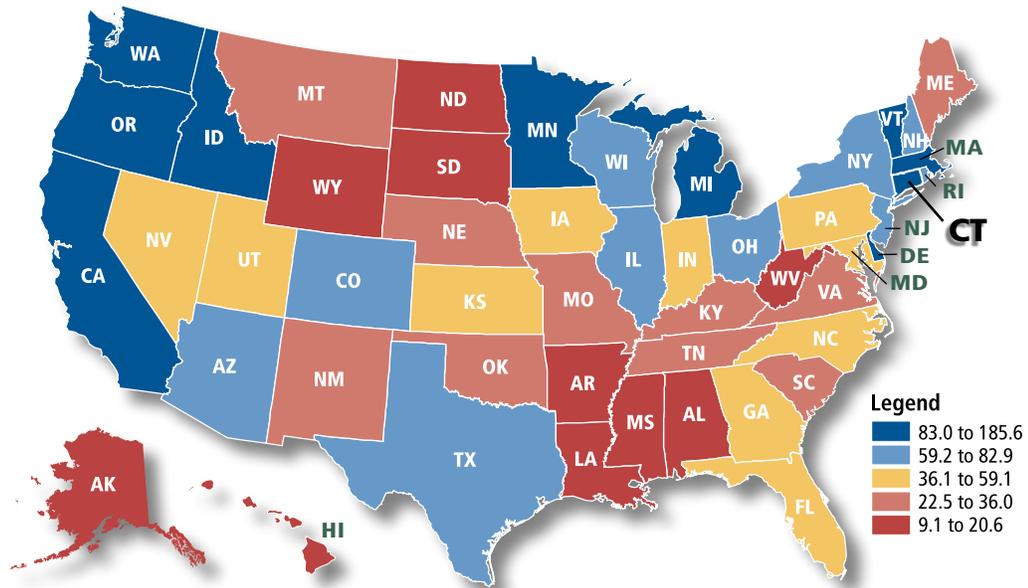
### Industrial R&D Share of Gross State Product

Rank	State	Share
1	Massachusetts	5.5%
2	Connecticut	4.4%
3	Michigan	4.1%
4	Washington	4.1%
5	New Jersey	3.9%
6	California	3.6%
7	New Hampshire	3.1%
8	Minnesota	2.6%
9	Delaware	2.4%
10	Oregon	2.3%
11	Colorado	2.2%
12	Indiana	2.0%
13	Pennsylvania	1.9%
14	Illinois	1.8%
15	North Carolina	1.7%
16	Vermont	1.7%
17	Utah	1.7%
18	Ohio	1.6%
19	Arizona	1.6%
20	Wisconsin	1.5%
21	Idaho	1.4%
22	Maryland	1.4%
23	Virginia	1.3%
24	Texas	1.2%
25	Missouri	1.2%

Rank	State	Share
26	Kansas	1.1%
27	Alabama	1.1%
28	New York	1.0%
29	South Carolina	0.9%
30	Iowa	0.9%
31	Rhode Island	0.9%
32	New Mexico	0.8%
33	Georgia	0.7%
34	Tennessee	0.7%
35	Florida	0.6%
36	Nebraska	0.6%
37	Kentucky	0.6%
38	Maine	0.6%
39	North Dakota	0.4%
40	Nevada	0.4%
41	West Virginia	0.4%
42	Montana	0.4%
43	Oklahoma	0.4%
44	South Dakota	0.4%
45	Arkansas	0.4%
46	Hawaii	0.4%
47	Mississippi	0.3%
48	Louisiana	0.2%
49	Alaska	0.1%
50	Wyoming	0.1%
	United States	2.0%

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, National Science Foundation, 2007

# Connecticut Is a National Leader in Patents



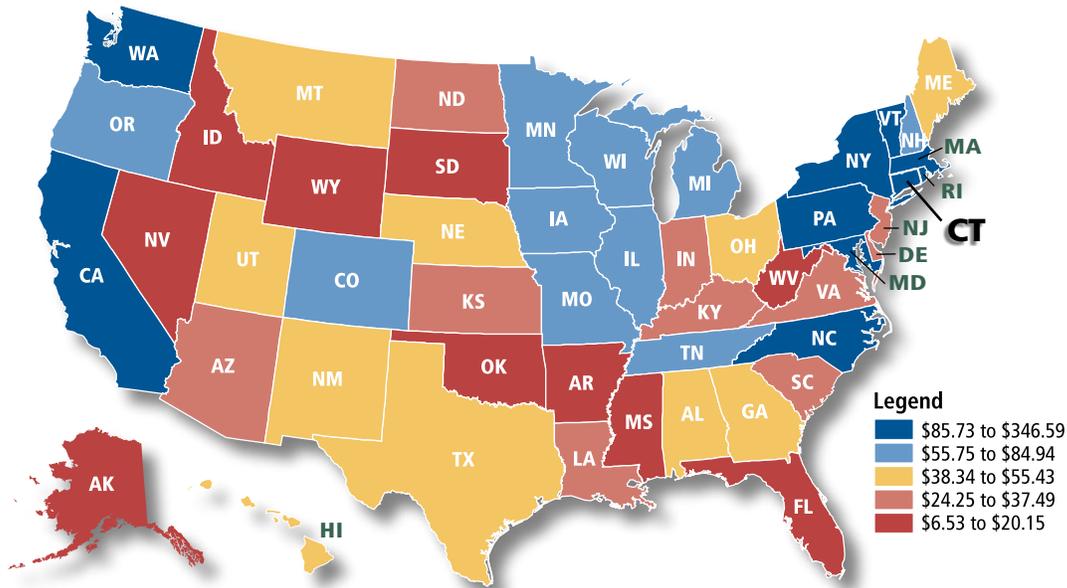
## Patents per 100,000 Workers

Rank	State	Patents
1	Idaho	185.6
2	Vermont	170.7
3	California	145.9
4	Washington	144.9
5	Oregon	127.3
6	Massachusetts	120.4
7	Minnesota	106.1
8	Connecticut	93.9
9	Michigan	86.5
10	Delaware	83.0
11	New Hampshire	82.9
12	New Jersey	81.5
13	Colorado	81.1
14	Arizona	71.7
15	Wisconsin	69.2
16	New York	68.4
17	Rhode Island	63.3
18	Illinois	60.6
19	Texas	59.5
20	Ohio	59.2
21	Utah	59.1
22	Maryland	55.7
23	North Carolina	53.1
24	Pennsylvania	50.0
25	Iowa	42.9

Rank	State	Patents
26	Indiana	40.8
27	Kansas	39.5
28	Georgia	39.0
29	Nevada	36.3
30	Florida	36.1
31	New Mexico	36.0
32	Virginia	32.1
33	Oklahoma	30.4
34	Tennessee	29.0
35	Missouri	28.7
36	South Carolina	27.7
37	Montana	25.9
38	Kentucky	25.8
39	Nebraska	23.1
40	Maine	22.5
41	North Dakota	20.6
42	Alabama	18.2
43	Louisiana	17.1
44	Hawaii	16.5
45	South Dakota	15.2
46	Wyoming	14.4
47	Arkansas	12.9
48	West Virginia	12.7
49	Mississippi	12.5
50	Alaska	9.1
	U.S. Total	68.0

Source: U.S. Patent Office, State Science and Technology Institute, 2008

# Connecticut Is a Center of Biomedical Research



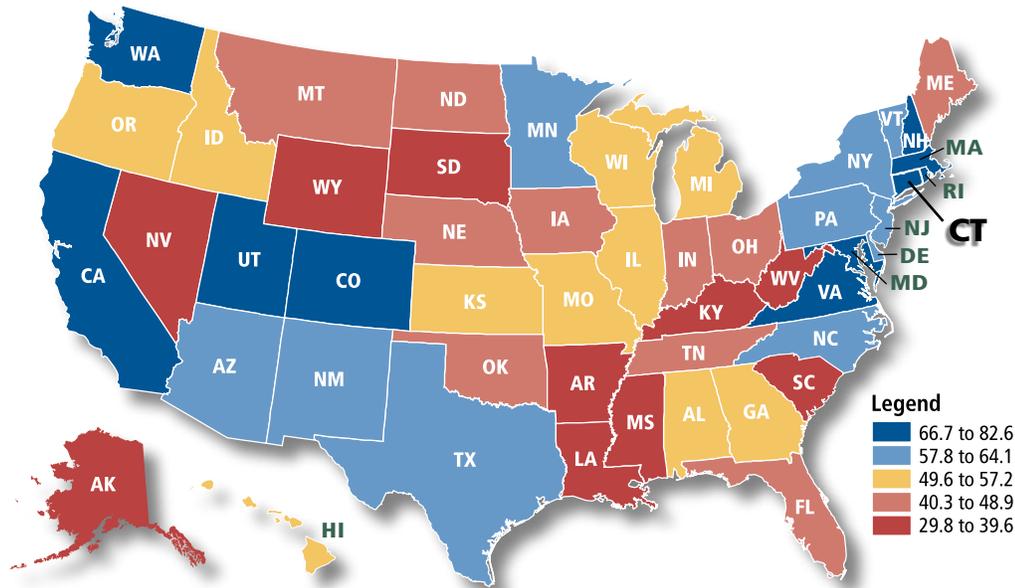
## National Institutes of Health per Capita Research Grants

Rank	State	Per Capita Grants
1	Massachusetts	\$346.59
2	Maryland	\$172.60
3	Connecticut	\$133.38
4	Rhode Island	\$132.01
5	Washington	\$116.26
6	Pennsylvania	\$108.78
7	Vermont	\$104.09
8	North Carolina	\$101.04
9	New York	\$96.27
10	California	\$85.73
11	Minnesota	\$84.94
12	Missouri	\$80.93
13	Oregon	\$71.32
14	Tennessee	\$69.03
15	New Hampshire	\$65.79
16	Iowa	\$65.69
17	Wisconsin	\$65.69
18	Colorado	\$65.31
19	Michigan	\$57.74
20	Illinois	\$55.75
21	Ohio	\$55.43
22	New Mexico	\$52.28
23	Alabama	\$49.95
24	Hawaii	\$49.58
25	Utah	\$49.46

Rank	State	Per Capita Grants
26	Maine	\$48.99
27	Nebraska	\$45.07
28	Texas	\$44.16
29	Georgia	\$39.63
30	Montana	\$38.34
31	Virginia	\$37.49
32	Kentucky	\$34.81
33	Delaware	\$34.01
34	Kansas	\$34.01
35	Indiana	\$31.69
36	Louisiana	\$29.78
37	South Carolina	\$29.60
38	New Jersey	\$27.72
39	North Dakota	\$24.90
40	Arizona	\$24.25
41	Arkansas	\$20.15
42	Florida	\$19.24
43	South Dakota	\$18.87
44	Oklahoma	\$18.68
45	Alaska	\$16.83
46	Wyoming	\$13.87
47	West Virginia	\$13.64
48	Mississippi	\$9.58
49	Nevada	\$7.67
50	Idaho	\$6.53
	U.S. Average	\$69.98

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health and U.S. Census, 2008

# Connecticut Is a High-Tech Leader



## Ranking of States According to High Technology

Rank	State	Average Score
1	Massachusetts	82.6
2	Maryland	80.0
3	Colorado	78.3
4	California	74.6
5	Washington	72.1
6	Virginia	70.3
7	Connecticut	70.2
8	Utah	69.2
9	New Hampshire	67.9
10	Rhode Island	66.7
11	Minnesota	64.1
12	New Jersey	63.4
13	Pennsylvania	63.2
14	Delaware	62.3
15	New York	62.2
16	New Mexico	61.9
17	Arizona	61.3
18	North Carolina	59.6
19	Vermont	58.8
20	Texas	57.8
21	Illinois	57.2
22	Wisconsin	57.1
23	Oregon	56.2
24	Kansas	54.2
25	Georgia	53.3

Rank	State	Average Score
26	Michigan	52.3
27	Idaho	51.4
28	Hawaii	51.2
29	Alabama	50.0
30	Missouri	49.6
31	North Dakota	48.9
32	Montana	48.2
33	Indiana	47.8
34	Nebraska	47.5
35	Iowa	45.9
36	Ohio	45.3
37	Florida	43.8
38	Oklahoma	41.9
39	Maine	41.8
40	Tennessee	40.3
41	South Dakota	39.6
42	South Carolina	39.1
43	Wyoming	38.4
44	Alaska	37.7
45	Nevada	37.0
46	Louisiana	35.6
47	Kentucky	34.7
48	Arkansas	33.0
49	West Virginia	30.5
50	Mississippi	29.8
	United States	53.7

Source: The Milken Institute, *State Technology and Science Index, 2008*  
 The Milken Institute's *State Technology and Science Index* is based on 77 indicators of technological development.

## Connecticut Is Home to High-Quality Companies

Twenty-seven Fortune 1000 companies call Connecticut home, while numerous others are located in the nearby New York and Boston metropolitan areas.

### Connecticut's Fortune 500 Companies

Connecticut Rank	Fortune 500 Rank	Company	Industry	Revenues (\$ millions)
1	5	General Electric	Diversified Financials	183,207
2	37	United Technologies	Aerospace and Defense	58,681
3	77	Aetna	Health Care: Insurance and Managed Care	30,951
4	147	Xerox	Computers, Office Equipment	17,608
5	249	Praxair	Chemicals	10,796
6	275	Terex	Construction and Farm Machinery	9,890
7	287	Hartford Financial Services	Insurance: Property and Casualty (stock)	9,219
8	370	Emcor Group	Engineering, Construction	6,785
9	395	Pitney Bowes	Computers, Office Equipment	6,262
10	424	Northeast Utilities	Utilities: Gas and Electric	5,800

Source: Money.cnn.com

### Major Connecticut Private Employers

Employers*	Industry	Connecticut Employees**
United Technologies Corp.	Building Systems & Aerospace	25,000
Hartford Financial Services Group	Insurance & Financial Services	12,000
Foxwoods Resort Casino	Tourism and Gaming	10,000
Mohegan Sun	Tourism and Gaming	10,000
Yale University	Education	9,000
Aetna	Insurance & Financial Services	9,000
General Dynamics Electric Boat	Submarine Construction	8,200
AT&T Connecticut	Telecommunications	6,800
Pfizer	Pharmaceuticals	6,500
General Electric Co.	Electronic Equipment & Supplies-Mfrs	6,000

Sources: Hartford Courant-Hartford Business Journal, July 2006, Careeronestop.org, Connecticut Department of Labor & Internet

\*Employer: Employers can include several operating division.

\*\*Note: Estimates are for private employers and exclude hospitals and organizations with employment in multiple locations such as supermarkets. Also, estimates can be affected by corporate-organizational changes.

## Connecticut Is a Leader in New Economy Industries

	Connecticut's Rank
<b>State New Economy Index <sup>1</sup></b>	<b>6</b>
Foreign Direct Investment	1
High-Wage Traded Services	2
Manufacturing Value-Added	2
Inventor Patents	2
Managerial, Technical and Professional Jobs	4
Workforce Education	4
Knowledge Worker Migration	5
Online Agriculture	5
Scientists and Engineers	6
IT Professionals	7
Fast Growing Firms and IPOs	7
Health IT	9
Broadband Telecommunications	9
Industry R&D	10
Alternative Energy Use	12
Patents	14
High-Tech Jobs	15
Venture Capital	18
Export Focus of Manufacturing and Services	20
Online Population & Internet Domain Names	21
Gazelle Jobs	23
Technology in Schools	25

	Connecticut's Rank
<b>Technology and Science Index <sup>2</sup></b>	<b>7</b>
Human Capital Investment	4
Research and Development	7
Technology and Science Work Force	9
Risk Capital and Entrepreneurial Infrastructure	11
Technology Concentration and Dynamism	14

	Metro Rank
<b>BizJournal Metro Ratings <sup>3</sup></b>	
Bridgeport-Stamford: Income Growth	3
Bridgeport-Stamford: Brainpower	4
Bridgeport-Stamford: Quality of Life	4
Stamford: Wealth	5
New Haven: Best Markets for Women in Business	10
Bridgeport-Stamford: Tech Centers	11
Hartford: Brainpower	16
Bridgeport-Stamford: Young Adults	20
Norwich: Quality of Life	22

Sources:  
<sup>1</sup> The Information Technology & Innovation Foundation  
<sup>2</sup> Milken Institute  
<sup>3</sup> BizJournal Special Reports

# Section Three: Education and Workforce

## Connecticut Excels at All Levels of Education

Education Metrics	Connecticut's Rank
Connecticut American College Testing scores are excellent	2nd
Teachers are professional so they are paid well	3rd
Fourth graders are proficient in reading	3rd
Connecticut has an extraordinary percentage of adults with advanced degrees	3rd
The percentage of adults with a bachelor's degree or higher [35%] is well above the national percentage [28%]	4th
Eight graders are proficient in reading	5th
Connecticut's pupil-teacher ratio is excellent (13.2 vs. 15.3 nationally)	11th
Fourth graders are proficient in mathematics	12th
The high school graduate rate [77.9%] is above the national average [69.3%]	14th
Eighth graders are proficient in mathematics	17th
<b><i>In Connecticut, 15% of adults have an advanced degree, 35% a bachelor's degree or higher, 43% an associate's degree or higher and 89% a high school diploma or higher.</i></b>	

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey and State Rankings 2009, CQ Press



**Advanced Degree 15% [10% U.S.]**



**Bachelor's Degree or Higher 35% [28% U.S.]**

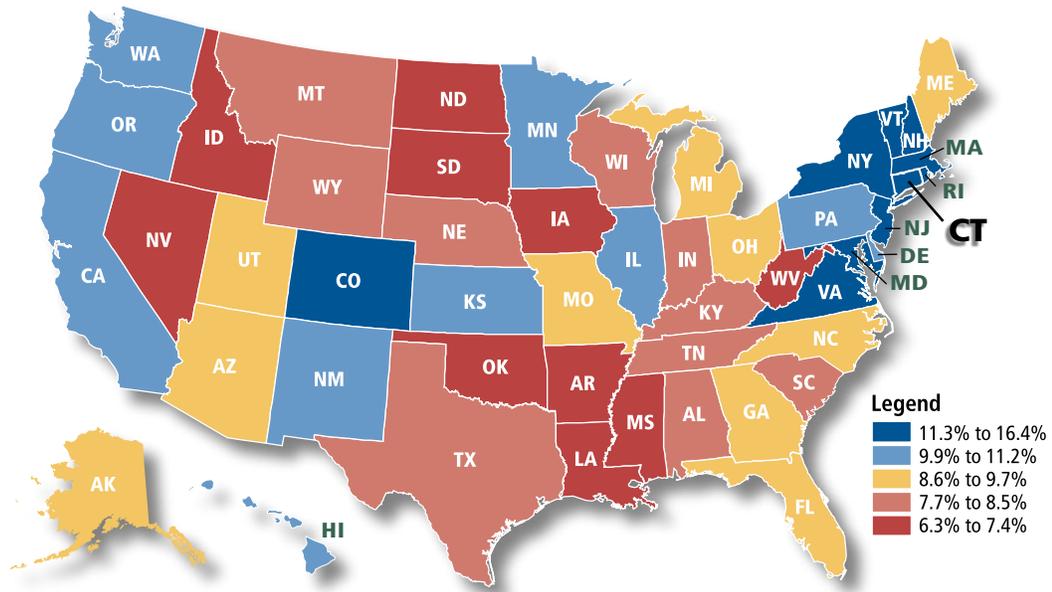


**College Degree 43% [35% U.S.]**



**High School Graduate or Higher 89% [85% U.S.]**

# Connecticut Has a Highly Educated Workforce



## Percent of Adult Population with Master's, Professional or Doctorate Degrees

Rank	State	Percent
1	Massachusetts	16.4%
2	Maryland	15.4%
3	Connecticut	15.2%
4	New York	13.8%
5	Virginia	13.8%
6	New Jersey	12.8%
7	Colorado	12.7%
8	Vermont	12.2%
9	New Hampshire	12.0%
10	Rhode Island	11.3%
11	Illinois	11.2%
12	Washington	10.9%
13	Delaware	10.8%
14	California	10.8%
15	New Mexico	10.7%
16	Oregon	10.1%
17	Kansas	10.1%
18	Minnesota	10.0%
19	Pennsylvania	10.0%
20	Hawaii	9.9%
21	Georgia	9.7%
22	Alaska	9.7%
23	Michigan	9.4%
24	Utah	9.4%
25	Arizona	9.2%

Rank	State	Percent
26	Missouri	9.1%
27	Florida	9.0%
28	Maine	8.9%
29	Ohio	8.7%
30	North Carolina	8.6%
31	Nebraska	8.6%
32	Wisconsin	8.6%
33	South Carolina	8.5%
34	Montana	8.4%
35	Texas	8.3%
36	Indiana	8.1%
37	Tennessee	8.0%
38	Kentucky	7.9%
39	Wyoming	7.9%
40	Alabama	7.7%
41	Idaho	7.4%
42	Iowa	7.3%
43	South Dakota	7.3%
44	Oklahoma	7.2%
45	Nevada	7.0%
46	Mississippi	6.8%
47	West Virginia	6.7%
48	North Dakota	6.6%
49	Louisiana	6.5%
50	Arkansas	6.3%
	U.S.	10.2%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey

# Connecticut Has Excellent Colleges and Universities

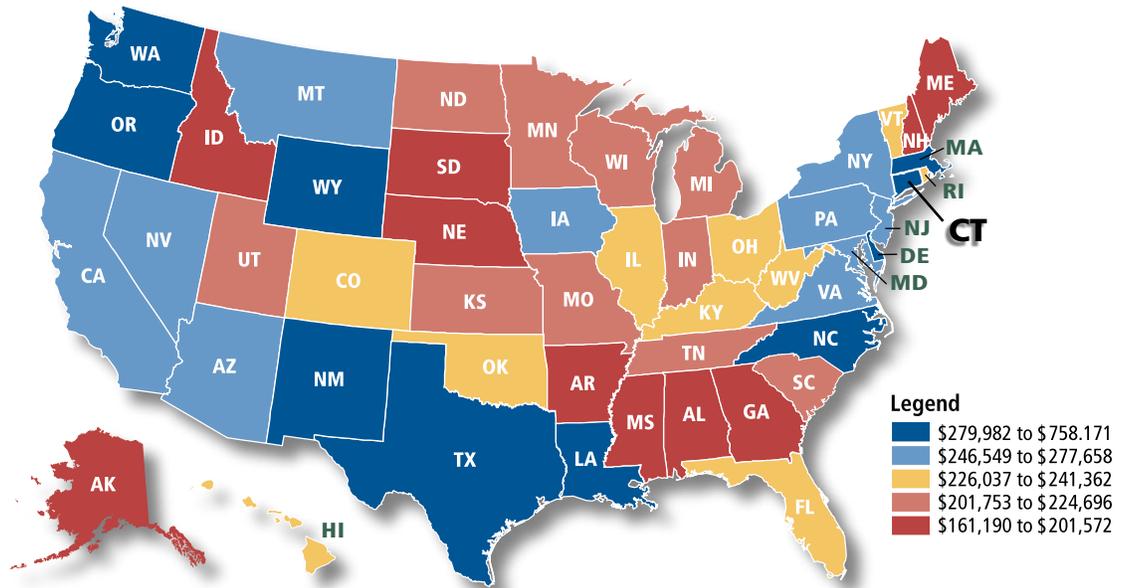
- Connecticut has 42 colleges and universities
- Enrollment exceeds 180,000 students with 7,000 foreign students enrolled
- Each year there are roughly 5,000 associate's degrees, 17,800 bachelor's degrees, 8,600 master's degrees and 1,800 doctorate-professional degrees awarded by Connecticut schools



School	Enrollment	School	Enrollment	School	Enrollment
University of Connecticut	28,700	Fairfield University	5,000	NW Connecticut Community College	1,700
Central Connecticut State University	12,100	University of New Haven	4,800	Charter Oak State College	1,600
Southern Connecticut State University	11,900	University of Bridgeport	4,800	Goodwin College	1,400
Yale University	11,500	Three Rivers Community College	4,100	Post University	1,300
Quinnipiac University	7,400	Tunxis Community College	3,800	Mitchell College	1,000
University of Hartford	7,400	Capital Community College	3,700	U.S. Coast Guard Academy	1,000
Naugatuck Valley Community College	6,700	Wesleyan University	3,100	Rensselaer at Hartford	700
Manchester Community College	6,500	Middlesex Community College	2,600	Briarwood College	600
Norwalk Community College	6,300	Trinity College	2,600	St. Vincent's College	400
Western Connecticut State University	6,200	Albertus Magnus College	2,100	Holy Apostles College and Seminary	300
Gateway Community College	6,000	Connecticut College	1,900	Paier College of Fine Arts	200
Sacred Heart University	5,800	Quinebaug Valley Community College	1,800	Hartford Seminary	200
Eastern Connecticut State University	5,100	Asnuntuck Community College	1,800	Lyme Academy College of Fine Arts	100
Housatonic Community College	5,100	Saint Joseph College	1,800	Clemens College	100
			<b>Total Enrollment</b>	<b>181,200</b>	

Source: New England Journal of Higher Education, 2009 Directory

# Connecticut Workers Add Significant Value



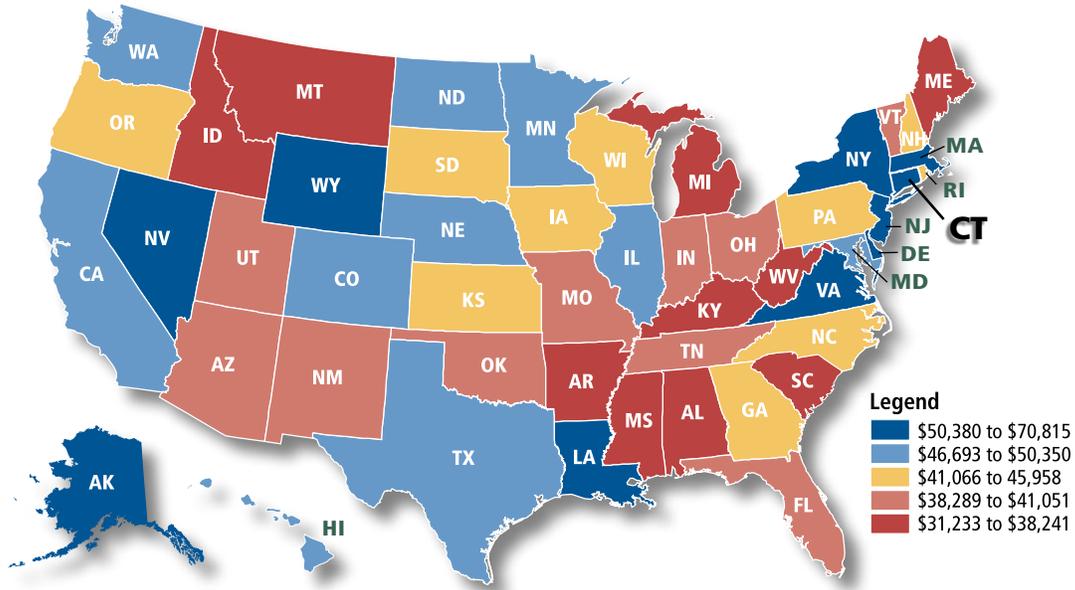
## Manufacturing Value Added per Production Worker

Rank	State	Value Added
1	Louisiana	\$758,171
2	Wyoming	\$437,608
3	New Mexico	\$394,961
4	Delaware	\$366,196
5	Texas	\$350,345
6	Oregon	\$316,541
7	Connecticut	\$301,166
8	Washington	\$295,480
9	Massachusetts	\$281,298
10	North Carolina	\$279,982
11	Montana	\$277,658
12	Maryland	\$277,021
13	New Jersey	\$271,832
14	Arizona	\$269,908
15	New York	\$268,923
16	California	\$268,749
17	Virginia	\$250,048
18	Nevada	\$249,267
19	Iowa	\$248,160
20	Pennsylvania	\$246,549
21	Illinois	\$241,362
22	Colorado	\$240,628
23	Oklahoma	\$239,884
24	Rhode Island	\$236,199
25	Kentucky	\$231,433

Rank	State	Value Added
26	West Virginia	\$231,295
27	Vermont	\$231,091
28	Hawaii	\$228,537
29	Florida	\$226,663
30	Ohio	\$226,037
31	Indiana	\$224,696
32	Minnesota	\$224,186
33	Tennessee	\$223,439
34	North Dakota	\$220,811
35	Utah	\$220,684
36	Missouri	\$210,313
37	Wisconsin	\$209,802
38	Michigan	\$209,639
39	Kansas	\$202,321
40	South Carolina	\$201,753
41	Nebraska	\$201,572
42	Georgia	\$196,978
43	New Hampshire	\$196,956
44	Alabama	\$195,581
45	Maine	\$192,689
46	Idaho	\$188,467
47	South Dakota	\$186,752
48	Alaska	\$181,384
49	Arkansas	\$179,922
50	Mississippi	\$161,190
	United States	\$251,179

Source: U.S. Annual Survey of Manufactures, 2006

# Connecticut Workers Are Highly Productive



## Per Capita Gross State Product

Rank	State	Per Capita GSP
1	Delaware	\$70,815
2	Alaska	\$69,813
3	Wyoming	\$66,289
4	Connecticut	\$61,742
5	New York	\$58,721
6	Massachusetts	\$56,170
7	New Jersey	\$54,699
8	Virginia	\$51,103
9	Nevada	\$50,471
10	Louisiana	\$50,380
11	Minnesota	\$50,350
12	Colorado	\$50,330
13	Texas	\$50,294
14	California	\$50,243
15	Hawaii	\$49,563
16	Washington	\$49,285
17	Illinois	\$49,118
18	North Dakota	\$48,650
19	Maryland	\$48,518
20	Nebraska	\$46,693
21	South Dakota	\$45,958
22	New Hampshire	\$45,603
23	Iowa	\$45,196
24	Rhode Island	\$45,075
25	Pennsylvania	\$44,448

Rank	State	Per Capita GSP
26	Kansas	\$43,799
27	North Carolina	\$43,393
28	Wisconsin	\$42,720
29	Oregon	\$42,631
30	Georgia	\$41,066
31	Ohio	\$41,051
32	Vermont	\$40,952
33	Florida	\$40,599
34	Tennessee	\$40,568
35	New Mexico	\$40,265
36	Missouri	\$40,225
37	Oklahoma	\$40,207
38	Utah	\$40,117
39	Indiana	\$39,967
40	Arizona	\$38,289
41	Michigan	\$38,241
42	Maine	\$37,760
43	Montana	\$37,099
44	Kentucky	\$36,643
45	Alabama	\$36,469
46	South Carolina	\$34,909
47	Idaho	\$34,615
48	Arkansas	\$34,437
49	West Virginia	\$33,978
50	Mississippi	\$31,233
	<b>U.S. Average</b>	<b>\$46,588</b>

Source: US Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Commerce - Bureau of Economic Analysis, 2008

# Connecticut's Competitiveness Is a Global Draw

## Connecticut – Fifth Highest GDP per Capita in the World

Country	GDP - per capita
Liechtenstein	\$118,000
Qatar	\$110,700
Luxembourg	\$81,000
Bermuda	\$69,900
<b>Connecticut*</b>	<b>\$61,742</b>
Norway	\$59,300
Kuwait	\$57,400
Singapore	\$51,500
<b>United States</b>	<b>\$46,600</b>
Ireland	\$45,300
Iceland	\$41,800
Switzerland	\$41,800
Netherlands	\$40,400
Austria	\$40,200
Canada	\$39,100
Australia	\$38,100
Sweden	\$38,100
Belgium	\$37,400
Denmark	\$37,100
Finland	\$36,900
United Kingdom	\$36,500
Germany	\$35,400
Spain	\$34,700
Japan	\$34,000
<b>European Union</b>	<b>\$33,700</b>
France	\$33,200
Greece	\$32,000
Italy	\$31,300
Taiwan	\$31,100
Israel	\$28,300
New Zealand	\$28,000
Korea, South	\$27,600
<b>World</b>	<b>\$10,400</b>
Brazil	\$10,200
China	\$6,000
India	\$2,900

## U.S. Foreign Subsidiaries in Connecticut

ABB	ING
ACE GROUP	NESTLÉ USA, INC.
AIR LIQUIDE	OLDCASTLE INC.
ALCATEL-LUCENT	PHILIPS
ALLIANZ	REED ELSEVIER
AREVA INC.	REXAM
ARKEMA INC.	ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND
BAE SYSTEMS, INC.	SANOFI-AVENTIS U.S.
BAYER	SIEMENS
BIC CORP.	SODEXO
BOEHRINGER INGELHEIM	SWISS RE AMERICA HOLDING CORP.
BRIDGESTONE AMERICAS	THE NIELSEN COMPANY (US), INC.
COVIDIEN	THOMSON REUTERS
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM/T-MOBILE	THULE, INC.
FUJI PHOTO FILM INC.	THYSSENKRUPP ELEVATOR CORP.
GKN AEROSPACE INC.	TYCO
GLAXOSMITHKLINE	UNILEVER
HONDA	XL CAPITAL GROUP
HSBC	ZURICH NORTH AMERICA

\*GDP per capita is equivalent to GSP per capita in this illustration Source: CIA, The World Factbook 2008  
CT Sources: U.S. Census; U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

Source: Organization for International Investment (Ofii.org)

# Section Four: International Business Hub

## Connecticut Has Excellent Access to World Markets

**C**onnecticut's strategic location between New York City and Boston provides excellent access to European and Canadian markets. Exports by Connecticut companies totaled \$15.4 billion in 2008, giving it a per capita ranking of 12<sup>th</sup> nationally on this key indicator. Roughly 54 percent of these exports went to Canada and Europe. Transportation equipment (aircraft) is the largest export at \$6.4 billion and supports roughly two of five transportation equipment manufacturing jobs in Connecticut.

**F**oreign-based corporations employ more than 100,000 people and invest \$13.4 billion in Connecticut. Connecticut has proven to be an attractive location for international employers, ranking 17<sup>th</sup> in the United States in the number of employees supported by U.S. subsidiaries. The relative portion of jobs in the state supplied by U.S. subsidiaries remains significant, providing the livelihood for more than 7 percent of Connecticut's private-sector workforce. Connecticut is tied for 1<sup>st</sup> in the country in the share of its workforce supported by U.S. subsidiaries.



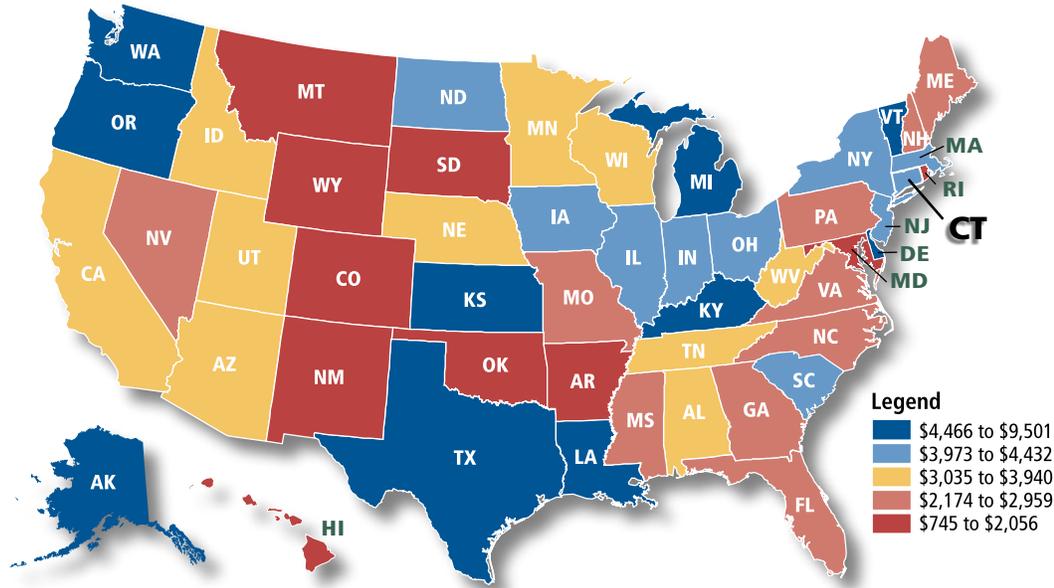
### Access to World Markets

**B**radley International Airport, Connecticut's largest airport located just north of the capital city of Hartford, was used by more than 6.1 million passengers in 2008. Bradley ranked 55<sup>th</sup> among U.S. airports in the number of passengers and 28<sup>th</sup> in tonnage of freight. Nonstop service from Bradley is provided to 32 destinations with over 202 daily flights, including service to Puerto Rico, Canada and Mexico. Connecting flights are readily available to Europe and worldwide locations for travelers who want the convenience of a user-friendly international airport.

**C**onnecticut also boasts five seaports in New London, New Haven, Bridgeport, Stamford and Norwalk that serve world markets. Together, these ports handled some 19.5 million short tons of freight in 2007.

Rail service is available across much of the state. About 50,000 carloads of freight with 3 to 4 million tons of cargo were carried by rail in Connecticut in 2008. Passenger rail service provides easy access to New York City and Boston. Train ridership was approximately 38 million passengers in 2008.

# Connecticut Is a Leading Exporter



## Per Capita Exports

Rank	State	Per Capita Exports
1	Louisiana	\$9,501
2	Washington	\$8,321
3	Texas	\$7,902
4	Vermont	\$5,951
5	Delaware	\$5,610
6	Alaska	\$5,161
7	Oregon	\$5,106
8	Michigan	\$4,512
9	Kentucky	\$4,479
10	Kansas	\$4,466
11	South Carolina	\$4,432
12	Connecticut	\$4,394
13	Massachusetts	\$4,366
14	North Dakota	\$4,322
15	New York	\$4,176
16	Illinois	\$4,161
17	Indiana	\$4,156
18	New Jersey	\$4,105
19	Iowa	\$4,038
20	Ohio	\$3,973
21	California	\$3,940
22	Utah	\$3,766
23	Tennessee	\$3,739
24	Minnesota	\$3,675
25	Wisconsin	\$3,655

Rank	State	Per Capita Exports
26	Alabama	\$3,406
27	Idaho	\$3,285
28	West Virginia	\$3,110
29	Arizona	\$3,044
30	Nebraska	\$3,035
31	Florida	\$2,959
32	New Hampshire	\$2,852
33	Georgia	\$2,841
34	Pennsylvania	\$2,783
35	North Carolina	\$2,721
36	Mississippi	\$2,492
37	Virginia	\$2,438
38	Nevada	\$2,354
39	Maine	\$2,291
40	Missouri	\$2,174
41	South Dakota	\$2,056
42	Wyoming	\$2,029
43	Arkansas	\$2,023
44	Maryland	\$2,021
45	Rhode Island	\$1,879
46	Colorado	\$1,561
47	Montana	\$1,442
48	New Mexico	\$1,402
49	Oklahoma	\$1,394
50	Hawaii	\$745
	U.S. Average	\$4,017

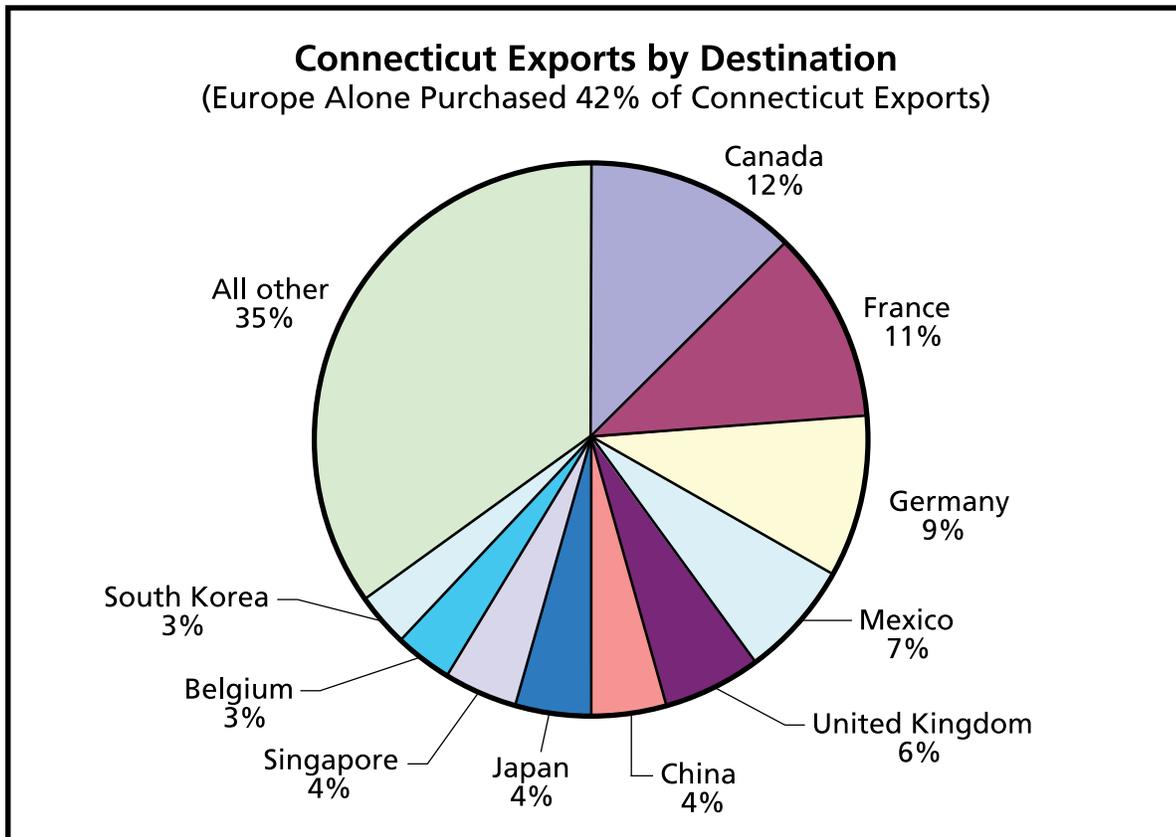
Source: Office of Trade and Industry Information (OTII), Manufacturing and Services, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 2008

# Destination of Connecticut Exports

## Canada and Europe Are Connecticut's Major Trading Partners

Connecticut Exports by Destination		
Rank	Destination	Exports \$ millions
1	Canada	\$1,912
2	France	\$1,733
3	Germany	\$1,454
4	Mexico	\$1,045
5	United Kingdom	\$874
6	China	\$676
7	Japan	\$671
8	Singapore	\$657
9	Belgium	\$523
10	South Korea	\$489
	All Other	\$5,346
<b>Connecticut World Total</b>		<b>\$15,380</b>

Source: Office of Trade and Industry Information (OTII), Manufacturing and Services, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 2008



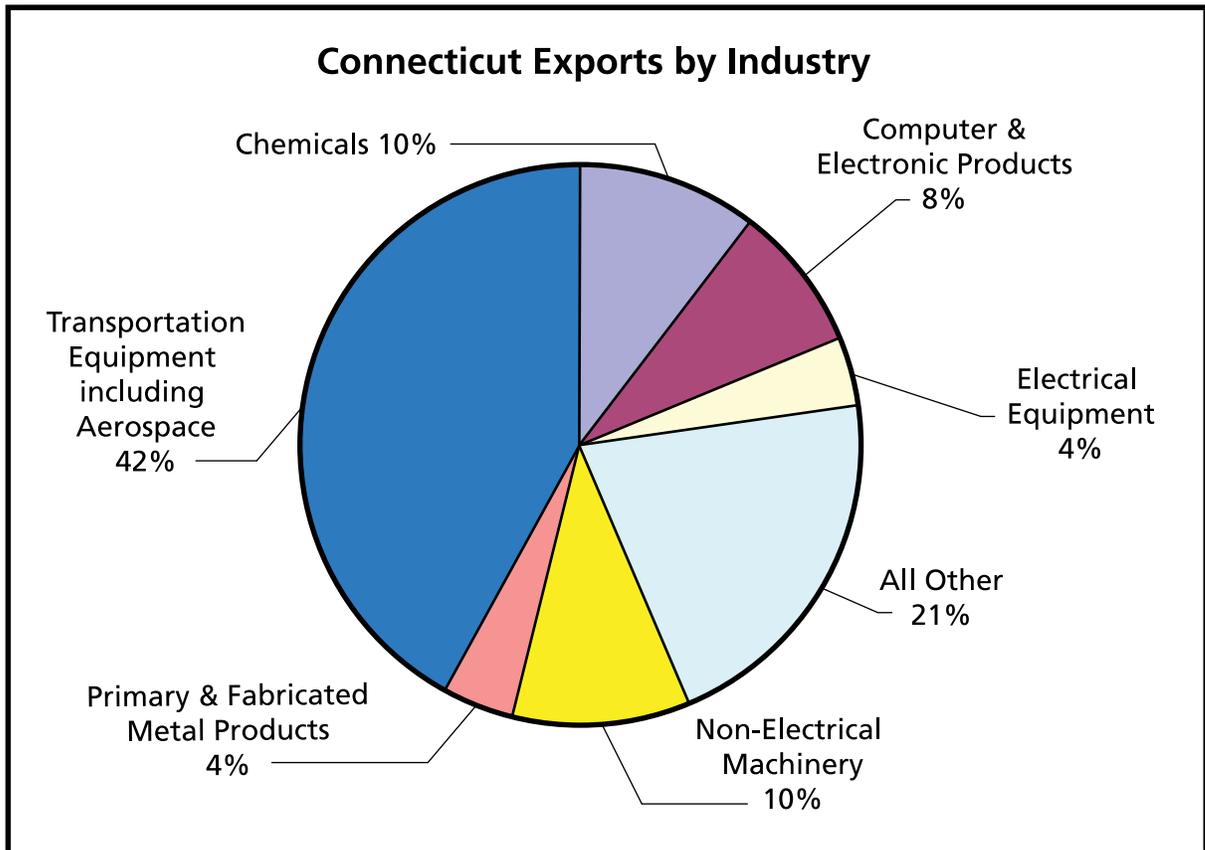
# Connecticut Manufacturing Exports

## Connecticut Exports Are Concentrated in Manufacturing, Particularly Transportation Equipment

**Connecticut Exports by Industry**

Rank	Industry	Exports \$ millions
1	Transportation Equipment including Aerospace	\$6,434
2	Chemicals	\$1,575
3	Non-Electrical Machinery	\$1,556
4	Computer And Electronic Products	\$1,302
5	Fabricated Metal Products	\$622
6	Electrical Equipment	\$603
	All Other	\$3,289
<b>Total All Industries</b>		<b>\$15,380</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Foreign Trade Division, WISER, 2008



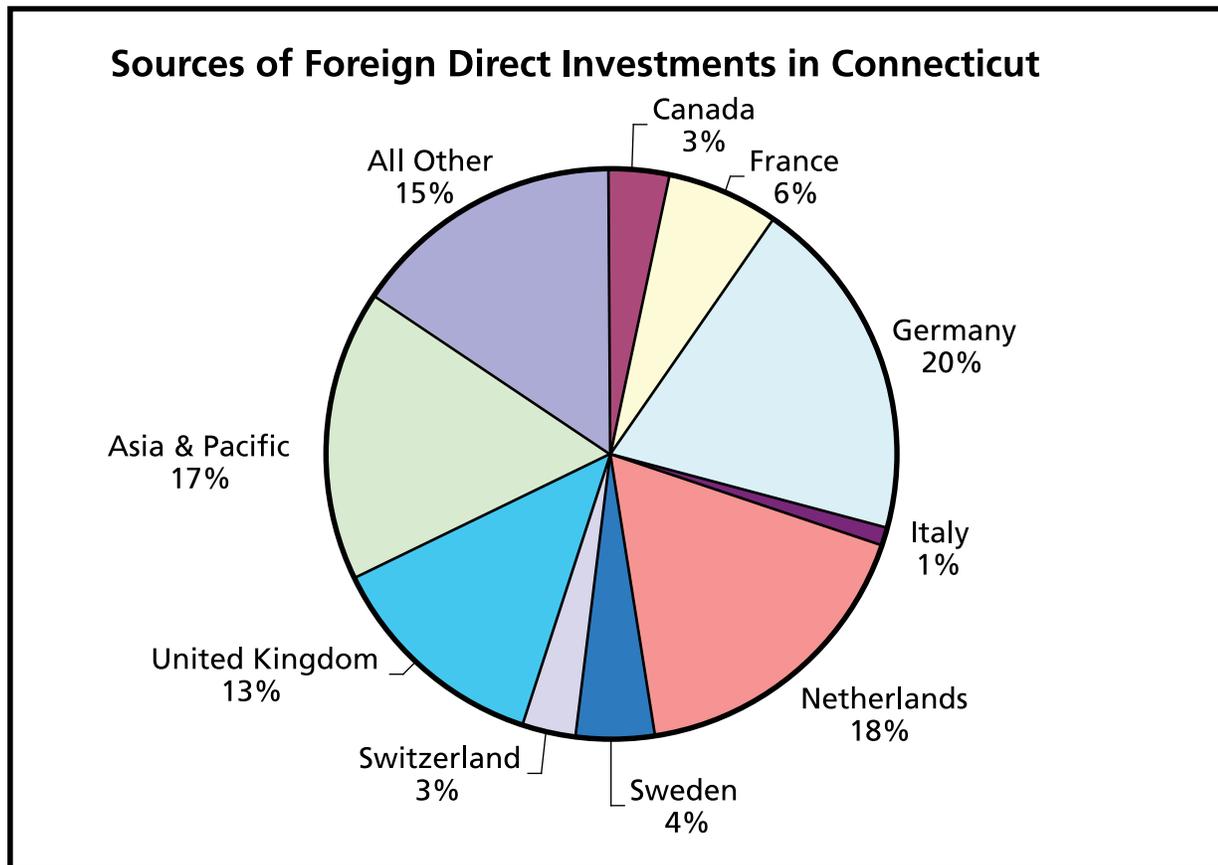
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# Foreign Direct Investments in Connecticut

## Foreign Direct Investments in Connecticut Are Concentrated in Manufacturing and Account for More Than 100,000 Jobs.

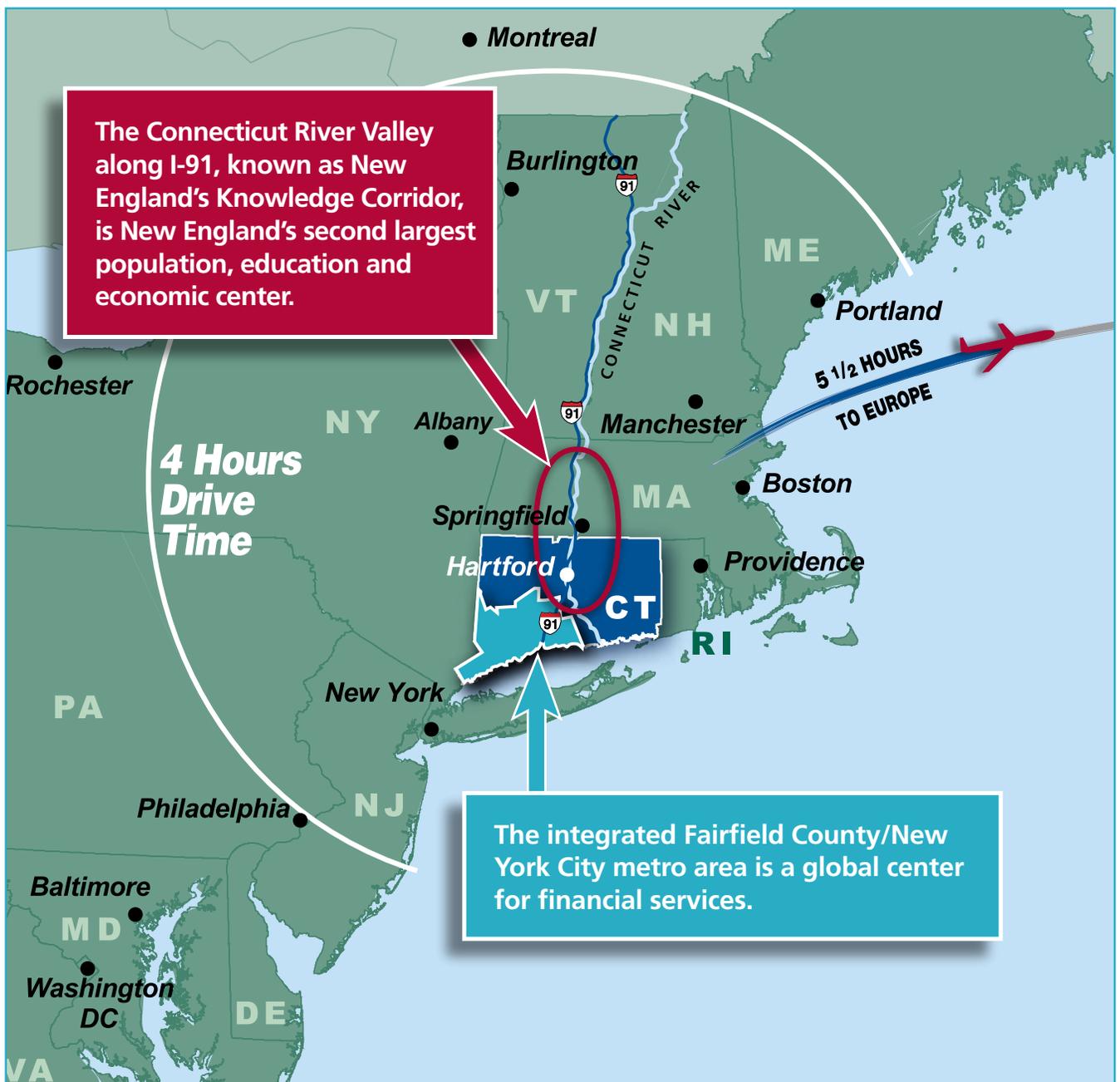
Foreign Direct Investments by Industry	Million \$	Employees 000's
Manufacturing	\$5,945	38.0
Retail Trade	\$1,988	22.1
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	\$1,741	0.2
Wholesale Trade	\$1,424	10.3
Finance (Except Depository Institutions) and Insurance	\$546	9.3
Information	\$322	2.2
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	\$146	3.4
Other Industries	\$1,314	19.4
<b>All Industries</b>	<b>\$13,427</b>	<b>104.9</b>

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, International Economic Accounts, 2006



## Section Five: Infrastructure, Energy and Utilities

### Connecticut Is Centrally Located between Boston and New York



### Located within a 200-Mile Radius of Hartford

- 40 million people, 13% of the U.S. population
- More than 11 million people with associate's degrees or higher
- 3.9 million people with graduate degrees, 18% of the U.S. total
- The average household income is over \$83,000, 20% above the national average
- 21 million jobs, 1.8 million establishments
- \$1.24 trillion of household expenditures
- Excellent highways, railroads, seaports and utility infrastructure
- Many of the nation's best universities and corporations

# *Connecticut Has Excellent Infrastructure*

## *Transportation*

Connecticut's transportation infrastructure includes world-class ports, airports and highways. Eighty-six percent of Connecticut roads are rated good compared to the national average of 83 percent. The average drive time to work is 24.6 minutes, which is less than the national average of 25.4 minutes.

## *Water*

Connecticut has 21 investor-owned water companies and numerous municipal systems which have plentiful supplies of excellent water. The state is a national leader in water quality management. Droughts and widespread floods are infrequent and minor compared with national averages. The state has nearly 4,000 lakes and ponds, nearly 10,000 miles of rivers and streams and more than 200 miles of coastline.

## *Energy and Natural Resources*

Connecticut produces electricity from nuclear, natural gas, coal and petroleum, as well as from renewable sources such as landfill gas, municipal solid waste and hydropower. Electric generation is deregulated.

Connecticut receives petroleum products at the coastal ports of New Haven, New London and Bridgeport and at terminals on the Connecticut River. Two of the nation's four Northeast Home Heating Oil Reserve sites are in New Haven. Connecticut receives natural gas by pipeline from production areas in the U.S. Gulf Coast region and Canada and from natural gas storage sites in the Appalachian Basin region. Natural gas and renewable energy sources are a growing part of the state's energy mix.

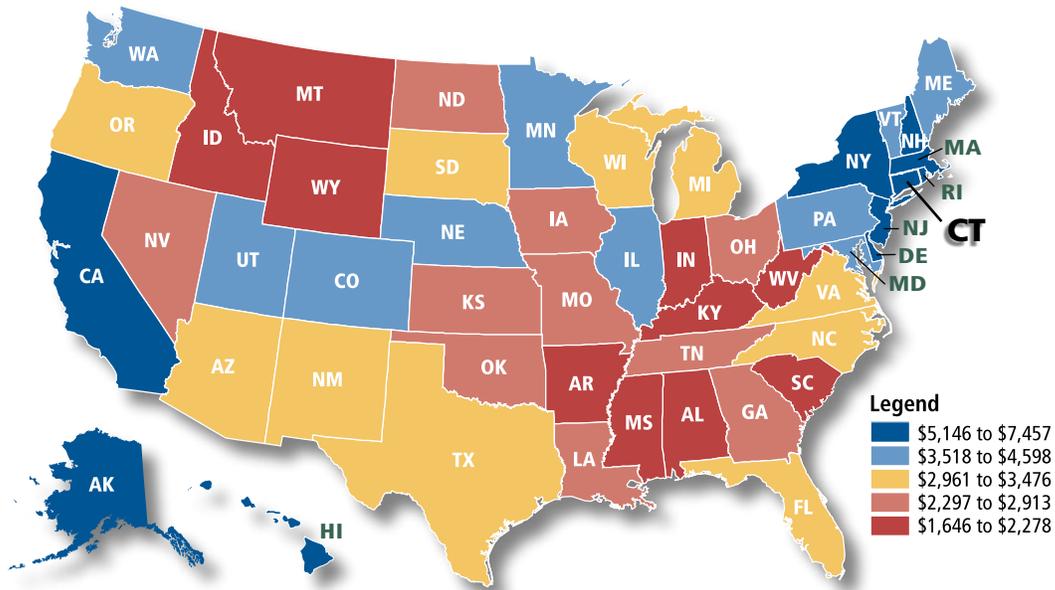


## *Electric Transmission and Service*

Northeast Utilities has enhanced the regional electric grid with a number of significant construction projects involving high-voltage transmission lines in Connecticut, Western Massachusetts and New Hampshire. These projects are designed to meet growing energy needs for many years while connecting customers to clean, competitively priced power. The projects improve reliability and reduce transmission congestion and related costs. NU's Bethel-Norwalk Project in Connecticut, completed in 2006, saved customers nearly \$150 million in its first year of service. The Middletown-Norwalk Project was completed in 2008. The New England East-West Solution comprises four related transmission projects developed by planners from NU, National Grid and ISO New England. It includes 345-kilovolt (kV) lines, upgrades to substations and improvements to the region's 115-kV electric system. In 2008, the Edison Electric Institute ranked NU's transmission build-out among the top five in the country. Connecticut is also a national leader in utility-funded energy conservation.



# Connecticut Companies Get More for Their Electricity Dollar



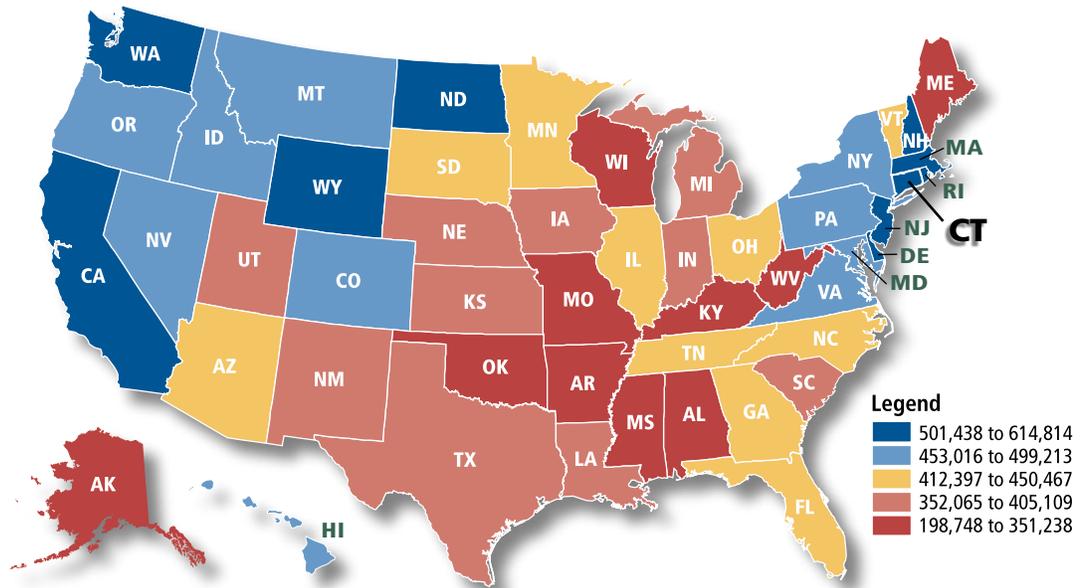
## Gross State Product per MWh

Rank	State	GSP Per MWh
1	New York	\$7,457
2	Alaska	\$7,095
3	California	\$6,819
4	Connecticut	\$6,219
5	Massachusetts	\$6,164
6	Hawaii	\$5,859
7	Rhode Island	\$5,828
8	New Jersey	\$5,630
9	Delaware	\$5,185
10	New Hampshire	\$5,146
11	Colorado	\$4,598
12	Illinois	\$4,227
13	Vermont	\$4,200
14	Maine	\$4,049
15	Maryland	\$4,044
16	Utah	\$3,800
17	Minnesota	\$3,700
18	Nevada	\$3,628
19	Washington	\$3,619
20	Pennsylvania	\$3,518
21	Michigan	\$3,476
22	Virginia	\$3,443
23	New Mexico	\$3,377
24	Texas	\$3,340
25	South Dakota	\$3,321

Rank	State	GSP Per MWh
26	Wisconsin	\$3,274
27	Oregon	\$3,250
28	Florida	\$3,210
29	Arizona	\$3,186
30	North Carolina	\$2,961
31	Kansas	\$2,913
32	Iowa	\$2,870
33	Ohio	\$2,859
34	Georgia	\$2,846
35	Nebraska	\$2,845
36	Missouri	\$2,678
37	Louisiana	\$2,607
38	Oklahoma	\$2,471
39	North Dakota	\$2,395
40	Tennessee	\$2,297
41	Indiana	\$2,278
42	Montana	\$2,206
43	Idaho	\$2,194
44	Wyoming	\$2,030
45	Arkansas	\$2,021
46	South Carolina	\$1,851
47	Mississippi	\$1,820
48	Alabama	\$1,792
49	West Virginia	\$1,693
50	Kentucky	\$1,646
	United States	\$3,655

Sources: U.S. Department of Energy, EIA and Department of Commerce, BEA, 2007 Data

# Connecticut Is a Leader in Communications Technologies



## High-Speed Lines (ADSL, Wireline, Fiber, Satellite, Fixed Wireless) per 1 Million People

Rank	State	High Speed Lines
1	New Jersey	614,814
2	Connecticut	571,881
3	Delaware	551,341
4	Wyoming	540,772
5	Massachusetts	522,137
6	New Hampshire	517,959
7	California	506,558
8	Washington	505,833
9	Rhode Island	502,221
10	North Dakota	501,438
11	Hawaii	499,213
12	Montana	492,894
13	Nevada	487,992
14	Maryland	486,145
15	Colorado	474,650
16	Virginia	461,378
17	New York	457,178
18	Pennsylvania	456,449
19	Idaho	453,204
20	Oregon	453,016
21	South Dakota	450,467
22	Tennessee	445,302
23	Florida	445,054
24	Ohio	441,090
25	Arizona	440,067

Rank	State	High Speed Lines
26	Illinois	429,244
27	North Carolina	415,610
28	Vermont	413,773
29	Georgia	412,637
30	Minnesota	412,397
31	Utah	405,109
32	South Carolina	397,142
33	Nebraska	393,724
34	Indiana	388,849
35	Michigan	384,364
36	Kansas	379,682
37	Texas	374,484
38	Iowa	363,380
39	New Mexico	362,718
40	Louisiana	352,065
41	Missouri	351,238
42	Wisconsin	343,271
43	Alabama	327,035
44	Maine	325,802
45	Kentucky	304,044
46	Oklahoma	295,746
47	Arkansas	270,398
48	Alaska	265,987
49	West Virginia	204,887
50	Mississippi	198,748
	United States	434,027

Source: Federal Communications Commission, High-Speed Services for Internet Access: Status as of June, 2008

# Section Six: Quality of Life

## Connecticut Offers an Exceptional Lifestyle

Connecticut residents enjoy a high standard of living that goes beyond having the highest per capita income in the nation.

The state has **excellent public and private elementary and high schools**. Connecticut is home to two nationally recognized research universities, Yale University and the University of Connecticut, as well as 40 other two- and four-year public and private colleges. Connecticut is one of the “smartest” states, ranking 4<sup>th</sup> in the nation in the percentage of people over age 25 with a masters, professional or doctorate degree.

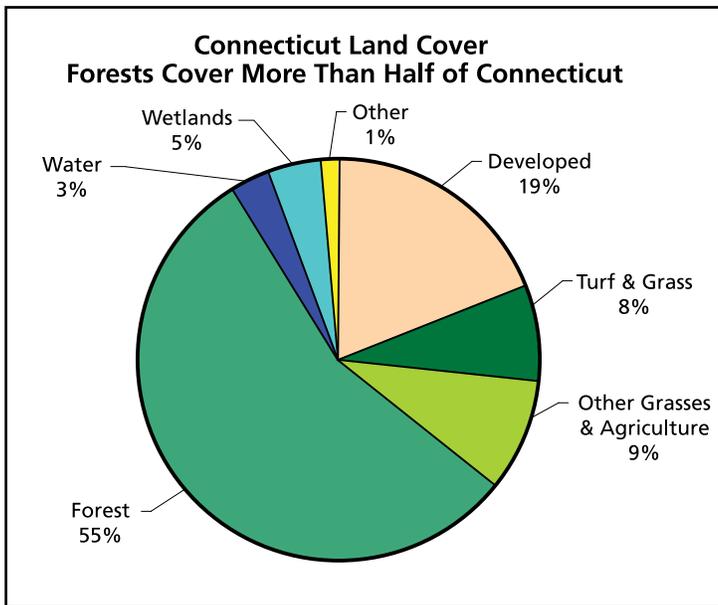
**Health care** in Connecticut is among the best in the country. The state consistently ranks high in public health policies and clinical care, which produces excellent health outcomes for state residents. The University of Connecticut School of Medicine and the Yale University School of Medicine are nationally recognized and create a constant influx of practitioners to the state. World-class programs at Connecticut hospitals mean residents don’t have to travel out of state to obtain even the most advanced treatments.

Connecticut’s **moderate climate** offers four seasons of outdoor recreation. Ninety-four state parks and recreation areas offer swimming, hiking, cross-country skiing and more, and the state’s many fresh- and saltwater resources, including Long Island Sound, make fishing, boating and other activities readily available. The state has more than 100 public golf courses.

Connecticut offers abundant **cultural and entertainment opportunities**, with numerous concert venues, theaters and museums, including two major casinos, Foxwoods and Mohegan Sun. The state has a new, 540,000 sq. ft. convention center in Hartford, several nationally recognized stage companies, a growing movie industry and a “Connecticut Wine Trail” with 19 wineries offering tours and tastings throughout the year.

State colleges have nationally ranked sports programs, particularly basketball, and the state has several minor league baseball and hockey teams.

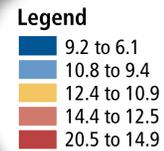
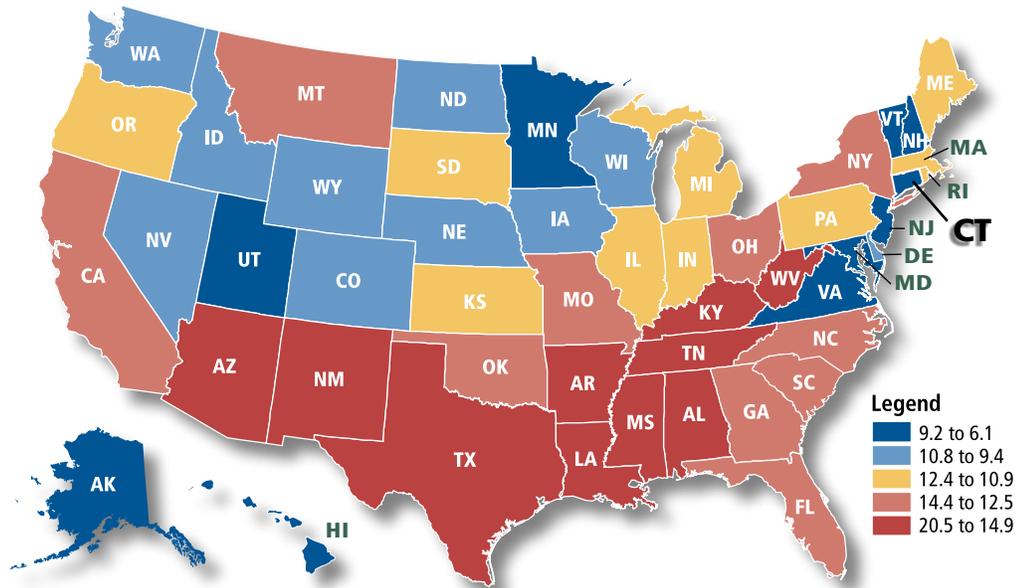
Connecticut remains more than 50 percent forest. Only 19 percent of Connecticut is developed.



Source: UConn CLEAR

	sq. miles	% of CT
Developed	942	19.0%
Turf & Grass	382	7.7%
Other Grasses & Agriculture	449	9.0%
Forest	2748	55.3%
Water	161	3.2%
Wetlands	218	4.4%
Other	69	1.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,969</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

# Connecticut's Poverty Rate Is Well Below the National Average



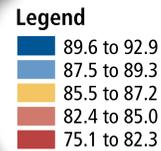
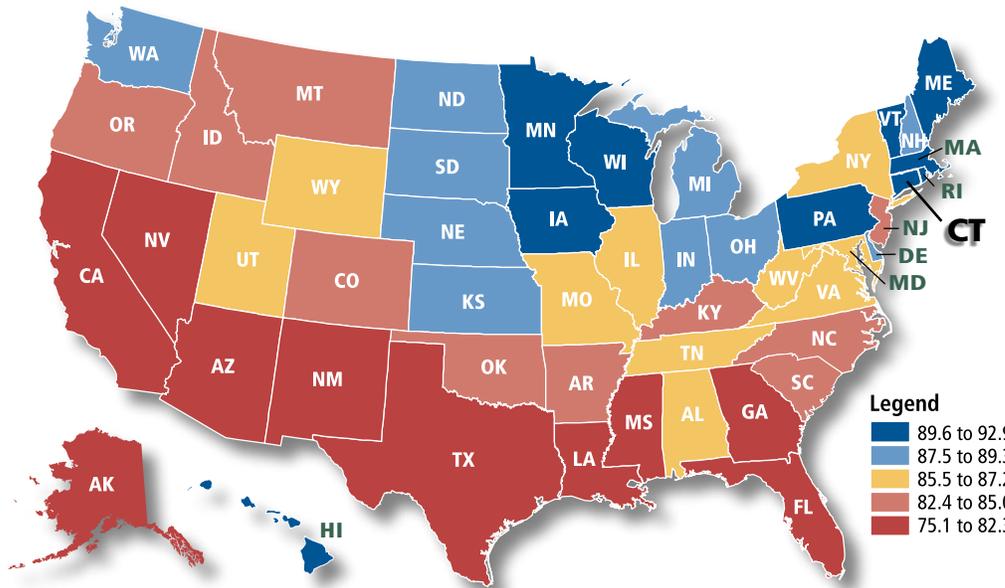
## Percent of Population in Poverty

Rank	State	% in Poverty
1	New Hampshire	6.1%
2	Alaska	8.2%
3	Connecticut	8.3%
4	Maryland	8.6%
5	Utah	8.8%
6	New Jersey	8.9%
7	Vermont	8.9%
8	Hawaii	8.9%
9	Minnesota	9.1%
10	Virginia	9.2%
11	Delaware	9.4%
12	Washington	9.5%
13	Iowa	9.6%
14	Nevada	10.0%
15	Nebraska	10.2%
16	Colorado	10.2%
17	Wyoming	10.3%
18	Wisconsin	10.3%
19	Idaho	10.6%
20	North Dakota	10.8%
21	Pennsylvania	10.9%
22	Rhode Island	10.9%
23	Maine	11.0%
24	Illinois	11.0%
25	South Dakota	11.1%

Rank	State	% in Poverty
26	Massachusetts	11.5%
27	Oregon	11.7%
28	Indiana	12.3%
29	Kansas	12.4%
30	Michigan	12.4%
31	Florida	12.4%
32	Missouri	12.5%
33	Ohio	12.9%
34	Montana	13.1%
35	South Carolina	13.1%
36	California	13.2%
37	Georgia	13.9%
38	Oklahoma	14.1%
39	New York	14.2%
40	North Carolina	14.4%
41	Alabama	14.4%
42	Tennessee	14.9%
43	West Virginia	14.9%
44	Arkansas	15.6%
45	Arizona	15.6%
46	Texas	16.3%
47	Kentucky	16.5%
48	New Mexico	16.7%
49	Louisiana	17.1%
50	Mississippi	20.5%
	United States	12.7%

Source: U.S. Census: 2007-2009 March CPS

# Connecticut Offers Excellent Access to Primary Health Care



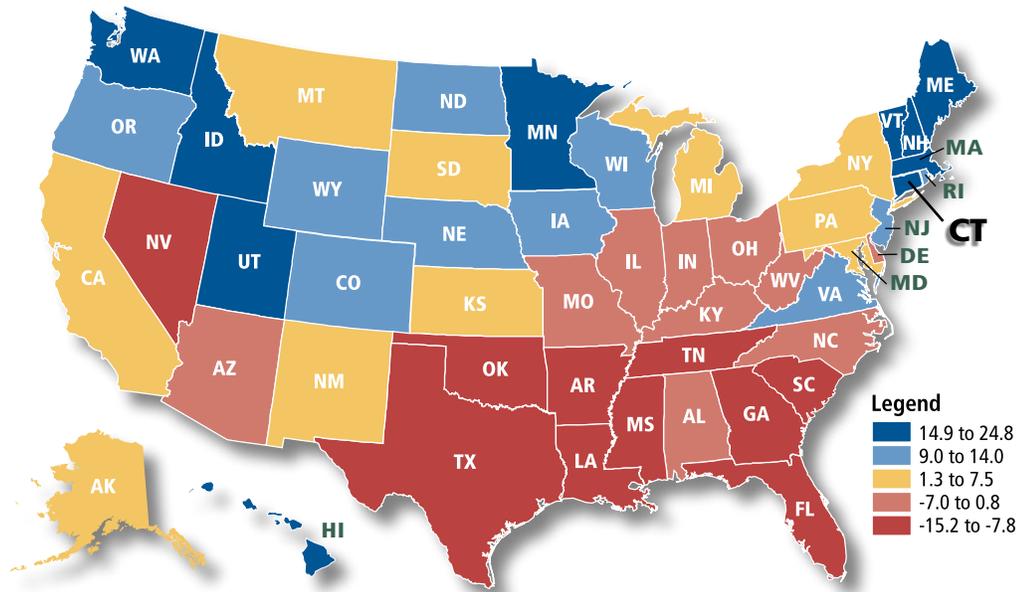
## Percent of Population with Access to Primary Health Care

Rank	State	% Access
1	Massachusetts	92.9%
2	Hawaii	91.9%
3	Minnesota	91.3%
4	Wisconsin	91.1%
5	Maine	90.5%
6	Connecticut	90.4%
7	Iowa	90.2%
8	Pennsylvania	90.2%
9	Vermont	89.8%
10	Rhode Island	89.6%
11	New Hampshire	89.3%
12	Ohio	88.9%
13	Michigan	88.7%
14	North Dakota	88.6%
15	Delaware	88.6%
16	South Dakota	88.5%
17	Washington	88.2%
18	Indiana	88.2%
19	Kansas	87.6%
20	Nebraska	87.5%
21	Missouri	87.2%
22	Alabama	87.0%
23	Maryland	86.8%
24	Illinois	86.6%
25	Virginia	86.5%

Rank	State	% Access
26	New York	86.2%
27	Wyoming	86.1%
28	West Virginia	85.8%
29	Tennessee	85.6%
30	Utah	85.5%
31	Idaho	85.0%
32	Kentucky	85.0%
33	New Jersey	84.9%
34	South Carolina	83.9%
35	Montana	83.7%
36	Colorado	83.5%
37	North Carolina	83.4%
38	Oklahoma	83.1%
39	Oregon	83.0%
40	Arkansas	82.4%
41	Georgia	82.3%
42	Alaska	81.8%
43	California	81.5%
44	Nevada	81.5%
45	Mississippi	80.9%
46	Arizona	80.4%
47	Louisiana	79.9%
48	Florida	79.5%
49	New Mexico	77.0%
50	Texas	75.1%
	United States	84.5%

Source: U.S. Census  
Comparison of Uninsured Rates Between States Using 3-year Averages: 2006-2008

# Connecticut People Are Healthy



## State Health Score

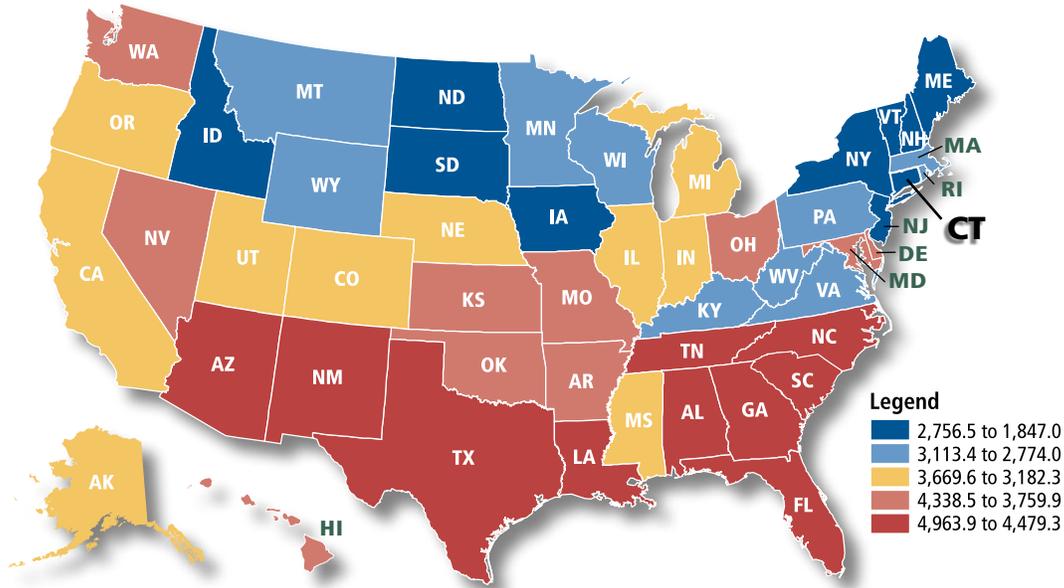
Rank	State	Score*
1	Vermont	24.8
2	Hawaii	21.6
3	New Hampshire	19.9
4	Minnesota	18.8
5	Utah	18.2
6	Massachusetts	17.7
7	Connecticut	17.5
8	Idaho	16.1
9	Maine	15.3
10	Washington	14.9
11	Rhode Island	14.0
12	North Dakota	12.5
13	Nebraska	12.0
14	Wyoming	11.8
15	Iowa	11.6
16	Oregon	11.3
17	Wisconsin	10.3
18	New Jersey	9.8
19	Colorado	9.7
20	Virginia	9.0
21	South Dakota	7.5
22	Kansas	6.7
23	Montana	6.5
24	California	5.3
25	New York	3.8

Rank	State	Score*
26	Maryland	3.4
27	Michigan	2.0
28	Pennsylvania	2.0
29	New Mexico	1.7
30	Alaska	1.3
31	Illinois	0.8
32	Ohio	0.7
33	Arizona	0.4
34	Indiana	-0.6
35	Delaware	-1.6
36	North Carolina	-3.2
37	Kentucky	-3.6
38	Missouri	-4.9
39	West Virginia	-5.0
40	Alabama	-7.0
41	Georgia	-7.8
42	Nevada	-7.9
43	Arkansas	-8.1
44	Oklahoma	-8.1
45	Florida	-8.9
46	Texas	-9.0
47	Tennessee	-9.7
48	South Carolina	-10.7
49	Mississippi	-15.0
50	Louisiana	-15.2
	United States	0.0

\*Scores presented in this table indicate the percentage a state is above or below the national norm. Eighteen components are in the index, including factors such as prevalence of smoking, infectious disease rates, immunization coverage and death rates.

Source: United Health Foundation, 2008

# Connecticut Is a Safe Place

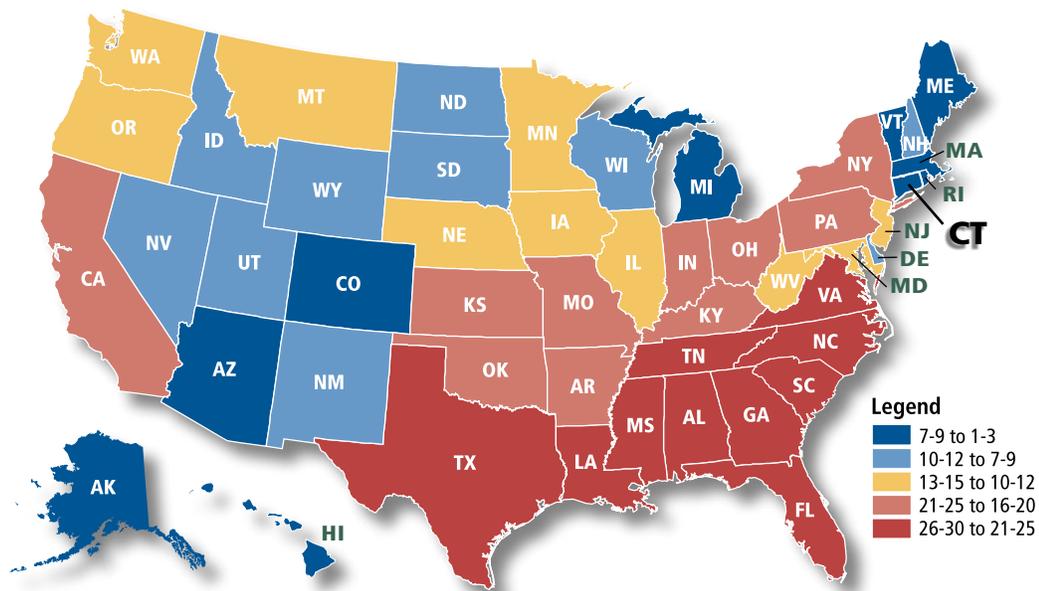


## Crimes per 100,000 Population

Rank	State	Crimes	Rank	State	Crimes
1	South Dakota	1,847	26	Illinois	3,458
2	North Dakota	2,061	27	Oregon	3,539
3	New Hampshire	2,249	28	Utah	3,579
4	Idaho	2,330	29	Alaska	3,584
5	New York	2,392	30	Indiana	3,670
6	Maine	2,570	31	Ohio	3,760
7	New Jersey	2,620	32	Kansas	3,788
8	Vermont	2,674	33	Hawaii	3,844
9	Iowa	2,705	34	Oklahoma	3,969
10	Connecticut	2,757	35	Washington	4,090
11	Virginia	2,774	36	Maryland	4,146
12	Pennsylvania	2,820	37	Missouri	4,168
13	West Virginia	2,842	38	Nevada	4,172
14	Massachusetts	2,849	39	Delaware	4,289
15	Montana	2,861	40	Arkansas	4,339
16	Kentucky	2,880	41	Louisiana	4,479
17	Wyoming	2,949	42	Texas	4,494
18	Wisconsin	3,030	43	Georgia	4,494
19	Rhode Island	3,090	44	North Carolina	4,511
20	Minnesota	3,113	45	Alabama	4,536
21	Nebraska	3,182	46	New Mexico	4,559
22	Colorado	3,192	47	Arizona	4,738
23	Mississippi	3,225	48	Tennessee	4,765
24	Michigan	3,436	49	Florida	4,830
25	California	3,444	50	South Carolina	4,964
				United States	3,667

Source: Federal Bureau of Investigation, "Crime in the United States 2008" (Uniform Crime Reports, September 2009) \*Includes murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft.

# Connecticut's Climate Is Temperate with Few Weather Disasters



## Billion Dollar Climate and Weather Disasters (Events and dollar impacts are frequently spread over a number of states)

Rank	State	Number of Events
1	Alaska	1-3
2	Hawaii	1-3
3	Michigan	4-6
4	Connecticut	4-6
5	Maine	4-6
6	Massachusetts	4-6
7	Rhode Island	4-6
8	Vermont	4-6
9	Arizona	7-9
10	Colorado	7-9
11	Nevada	7-9
12	New Mexico	7-9
13	Wisconsin	7-9
14	Wyoming	7-9
15	Idaho	7-9
16	New Hampshire	7-9
17	North Dakota	7-9
18	South Dakota	7-9
19	Utah	7-9
20	Delaware	10-12
21	Minnesota	10-12
22	Montana	10-12
23	New Jersey	10-12
24	Oregon	10-12
25	Washington	10-12

Rank	State	Number of Events
26	Illinois	13-15
27	Iowa	13-15
28	Maryland	13-15
29	Nebraska	13-15
30	West Virginia	13-15
31	California	16-20
32	Indiana	16-20
33	Kansas	16-20
34	Kentucky	16-20
35	Missouri	16-20
36	New York	16-20
37	Ohio	16-20
38	Pennsylvania	16-20
39	Arkansas	21-25
40	Oklahoma	21-25
41	Louisiana	21-25
42	South Carolina	21-25
43	Virginia	21-25
44	Alabama	26-30
45	Florida	26-30
46	Georgia	26-30
47	Mississippi	26-30
48	North Carolina	26-30
49	Tennessee	26-30
50	Texas	26-30

Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce, NOAA, National Climate Data Center, 1980-2007

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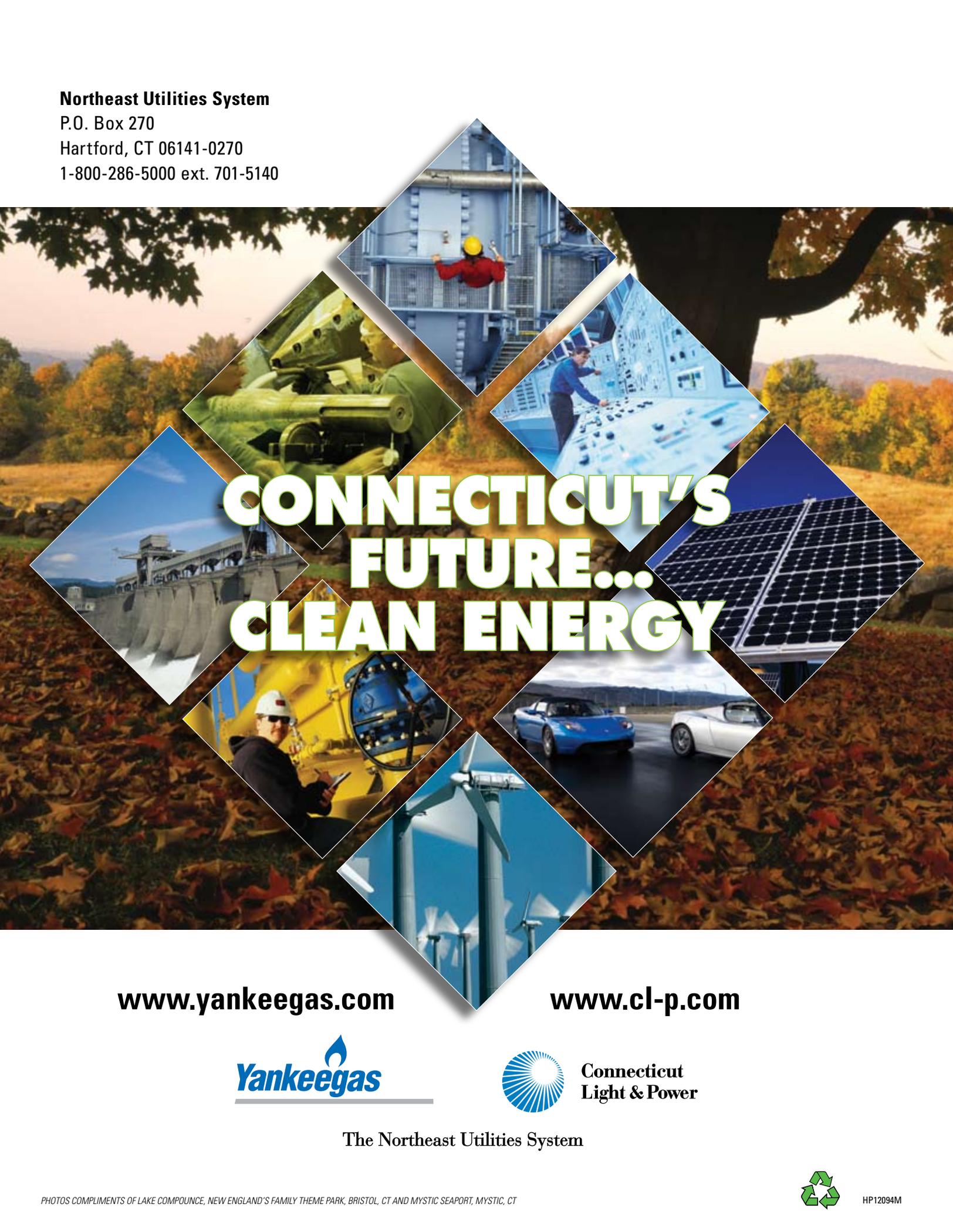


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