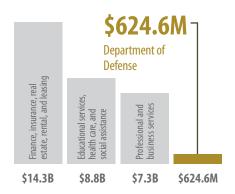


Department of Defense in Maine

Regional Environmental Coordination / Sustaining Readiness in Partnership with States

Maine

Signature Industries by Annual Contribution



Source: U.S. Department of Commerce's Bureau of Economic Analysis. 2020 GDP by State.

Did You Know?

Facts about Maine

- The 101st Air Refueling Wing's KC-135 Stratotanker at Bangor National Guard Base is capable of transporting litter and ambulator patients during medical evacuations.
- The 133rd Engineer Battalion is the oldest unit in the Maine Army National Guard with an unbroken line of service since 1760.
- The research submarine, USS Albacore, was built at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard with a revolutionary "tear drop" shaped hull and round crosssection to set the standard for all subsequent submarine hull designs worldwide.

Department of Defense Mission

The mission of the Department of Defense (DoD) is to provide the military forces needed to deter war and ensure our nation's security.

Sustainability and the DoD Mission

DoD facilities on land, on the water, and in the air protect our nation. The Regional Environmental Coordinator (REC) works cooperatively with state agencies and governments on environmental efforts to ensure continued use of necessary land, sea, and airspace – protecting the military's ability to maintain operations into the future and prepare U.S. service men and women to defend our country.

DoD and State Partnerships

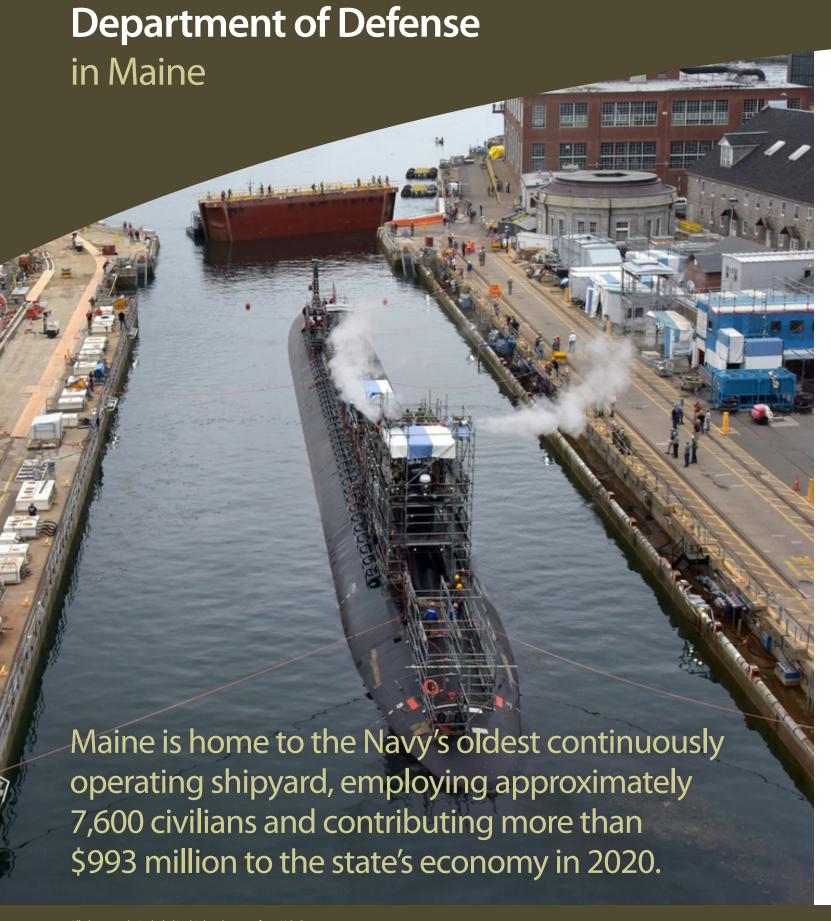
Through the REC program, DoD and military service representatives partner with state agencies and governments to strengthen environmental restoration and protection efforts and to promote long-term sustainability of the military mission. Program efforts include educating state agencies and officials about the military's operational and environmental needs, priorities, and concerns; communicating coordinated DoD positions on issues affecting military sustainment; and engaging in state legislative and rulemaking initiatives.







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1 Naval Communications and Telecommunications Area Master Station Atlantic Detachment Cutler

Naval Computer and Telecommunications Area Master Station Atlantic Detachment Cutler operates and maintains facilities and equipment to provide reliable command and control communications to operating units of the fleet in the Atlantic Ocean and Mediterranean Sea. Cutler's primary mission is to provide a Very Low Frequency broadcast link between high-level command authority ashore and U.S. and North Atlantic Treat Organization ships, planes, and submarines operating at sea in areas of broadcast coverage.



Portsmouth Naval Shipyard

Portsmouth Naval Shipyard overhauls, repairs, and modernizes the Navy's nuclear-powered submarine fleet. The shipyard provides a full spectrum of in-house support—from engineering services and production shops, to unique capabilities and facilities, to off-site support—all serving the multifaceted assortment of fleet requirements.



3 Bangor Air National Guard Base

Bangor Air National Guard Base deploys air refueling, airlift, aerospace expeditionary forces, and expeditionary combat support forces to military operations worldwide, and provides air refueling to U.S. Strategic Command to support Global Strike Operational Plan tasks.



National Guard and Reserve Components

The Guard and Reserve organize, train, and equip citizen soldiers and airmen for rapid mobilization in the state, nation, and around the world. While all Reserve components have a federal mission to augment active duty forces in times of crises, the Guard has the unique mission of serving the Governor during state emergencies. The Maine Army National Guard includes 48 units across 26 communities in Maine. Headquartered in Augusta, the Maine Air National Guard includes the 101st Air Refueling Wing, which provides 24-hour air and ground refueling for many aircraft whose destination takes them across the Atlantic.













Defense Spending by State

Fiscal Year 2020

