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## 4. Maine



Air traffic controllers work in the control tower at Portland International Jetport

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What else would you suspect in the state that is said to have originated the phrase “You can’t get there from here”? Roads and bridges are in terrible shape. [Maine](#)’s busiest airport serves only about 20 destinations, none of them international. About 2 million passengers used Portland International Jetport last year. That is about 2% of the traffic at Atlanta’s Hartsfield-Jackson International.

**2019 Infrastructure score:** 125 out of 350 points (Top States grade: F)

**US population within 500 miles:** 49,364,126

**Average commute to work:** 23.8 minutes

**Bridges in poor condition:** 13.1%

**Roads in unacceptable condition:** 13%

**20-year water-system needs:** \$1.35 billion

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