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I chose to view average annual payroll per employee for Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services in 2008. Compared to the majority of counties in the U.S., the northeastern section of the U.S. contains many counties that rank \$69,244 per year per employee on average.

Questions:

1. What are three counties that provide payrolls for professional services employees above \$69,244?
2. What is a possible reason why surrounding northeastern counties have low payrolls per employee for professional, scientific, and technical services?
3. Given that many counties have low payrolls, why does the state map show relatively high payrolls for professional services?
4. Based on the state level diagram, what category does most state payrolls fall into?

The attached map is of the northeastern region of the United States, by county and state level.