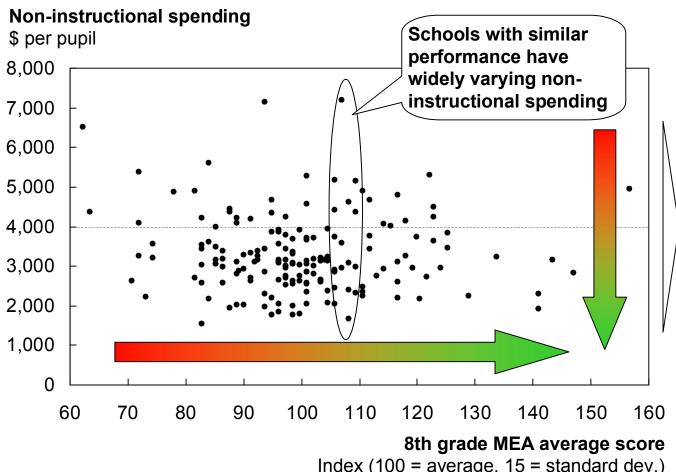
K-12 education STUDENT PERFORMANCE IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT IS UNRELATED TO PER-PUPIL NON-INSTRUCTIONAL SPENDING



- Lack of relationship holds true even after controlling for school size
- This suggests that reducing cost variability will not adversely affect instruction quality

Index (100 = average, 15 = standard dev.)

10 Source: State of Maine data