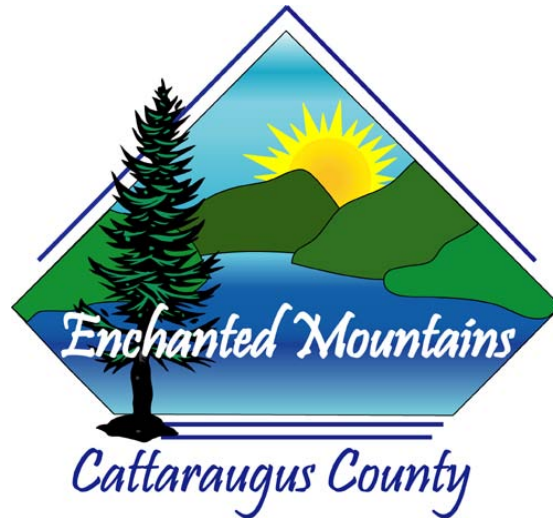


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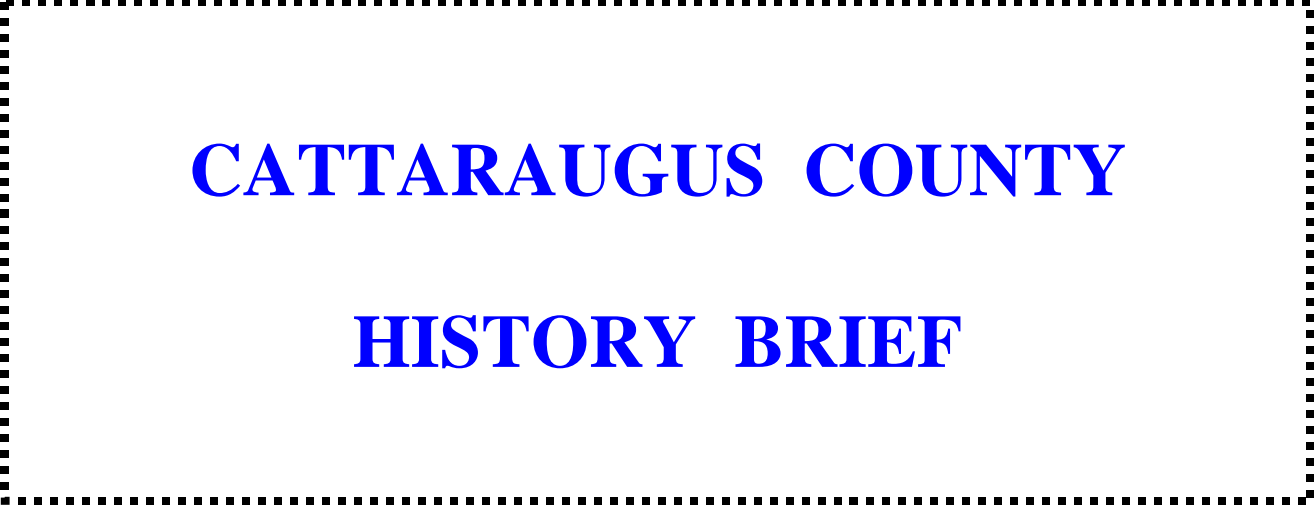
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
HISTORY BRIEF

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

Cattaraugus County, was formed in 1808 from Genesee County and named "Town of Olean". Under the act of its formation, Cattaraugus County was provisionally annexed to Niagara County until there were 500 taxable residents qualified to vote for members of the NY Assembly. In 1812, for judicial purposes and convenience of the inhabitants, the eastern portion of the County was annexed to Allegany County. Acquiring in 1817 the required number of taxable inhabitants qualified to vote, Cattaraugus County was chartered as it is today. The first court house and jail were built in Ellicottville in 1817-18, with the courts and county business being conducted there until 1868 when the County seat was moved to Little Valley. The original court house, designated by state and federal agencies as an historical site, has been restored following a 1969 fire, and is now used for Town and Village of Ellicottville offices.

Located in Western New York's scenic uplands, Cattaraugus County is a panorama of thriving communities, rolling farmlands, forests and picturesque waterways. Its wooded hilltops overlook valleys sculptured by glaciers of the Ice Age.

The Allegheny River flows through the southern towns, two cities and the Seneca Nation of Indians Reservation. This river offers recreation to thousands of fishermen, campers, boaters, and others along its banks and tributaries. Cattaraugus Creek forms a major portion of the northern boundary of Cattaraugus County. This Creek runs through the spectacular "forever wild" Zoar Valley. The scenery of the valley's gorge creates a narrow steep-walled canyon, while the valley offers a preserve for picnicking, sightseeing, hiking, fishing, and "white water" rafting.

Both Rock City Park in the Town of Olean, and Little Rock City within the Town of Little Valley, provide majestic geological formations offering a prehistoric experience which attracts geologists, naturalists, rock hounds, and the curious.

Golden sunshine and sparkling waters offer endless opportunities for boating, fishing, and camping such as can be experienced at Onoville Marina, Rainbow Lake, Lime Lake, and Harwood Lake.

During the winter, the hillsides are alive with skiers and snowmobilers at Holiday Valley ("The Aspen of the East"), Holimont, and Allegany State Park.

Scattered throughout the County's 1336 square miles of land, are thirteen villages, thirty-two townships, and 2 cities.

MOUND BUILDERS

The Iroquois Six Nations ceded more than 850,000 acres to the Holland Land Company in 1797. Before the Indians, mound builders occupied much of the County. Remnants of their ancient fortifications and mounds of primitive tools and other artifacts are found along many of the streams near Randolph, Olean, and in the Conewango Valley. Although they did not leave any written records, these people gave future inhabitants an indication of their culture from the fact that copper from the Lake Superior Region and mica from North Carolina have been discovered in some of the mounds.

INDIANS

Three Indian reservations, or a portion thereof, are located within, or adjacent to Cattaraugus County. The Seneca Nation is one of six tribes of the Iroquois who occupy lands in New York State, which were set aside by the Treaty of Canandaigua in 1794. The Seneca, known as the "Keeper of the Western Door" hold title to those reservations. One of these, the Allegany Reservation, (30467 acres) , is one mile wide (one half mile on each side of the Allegheny River) , from Vandalia, New York to the Pennsylvania border (40 miles along) , thus assuring the Indians fishing and water rights. This Reservation includes 90% of the City of Salamanca. The Oil Springs Reservation, (245 acres) , portions of which are located in Cattaraugus (Town of Ischua) and Allegany County, surround the fabulous Seneca Oil Spring near Cuba, New York. The first crude oil in the United States was found on this reservation in 1627 by a Franciscan monk. The Cattaraugus Reservation, (26880 acres), has its beginning near Gowanda, and is located along Cattaraugus Creek, covers portions of Cattaraugus, Chautauqua and Erie County.

A multi-million dollar project, Kinzua Dam, constructed in the mid 1960's across the Allegheny River above Warren, Pennsylvania, resulted in some of the Allegany Reservation being covered by the Reservoir, and inundating some of the Seneca land in Cattaraugus County. Since part of the Reservoir is controlled by the Seneca Nation of Indians, Seneca conservation laws are enforced on their part. Measures were taken to reimburse the Indians for the loss of their homes and property. Did you know that country/western singer Johnny Cash is an honorary member of the "Turtle Clan" of the Seneca Nation of Indians? Mr. Cash's song "Bitter Tears" tells of the loss of Seneca lands due to the Kinzua Dam construction.

Some of the outstanding Indian leaders who lived in this area were Chief Blacksnake and Chief Cornplanter. De-a-wa-ni-os, or "The Nephew", war chief of the Senecas, was better known among the whites by the name given him by President Washington, Governor Blacksnake. He fought on the side of the British during the early part of the Revolutionary war. The last 2 to 3 years of the War he stood on the side of the American cause, and received a silver medal from Washington. Chief Cornplanter, born near Olean, was the first to request the presence of Quaker instructors among his people. Cornplanter was granted lands in Pennsylvania in recognition of services rendered by exerting his influence to prevent the tribes from engaging with Western Indians in hostilities against the United States. General Washington presented him a military uniform.

*Seneca– Indian name for "Place of Stone" or Great Hill"

**Allegany – New York's spelling from Indian word meaning "Beautiful Water". In Cattaraugus County, Allegany is a township, a village, a state park, and numerous streets. Only the river and the Allegheny Reservoir are spelled with an "h" in New York. In Pennsylvania, the name is always spelled "Allegheny."

***Olean – Two popular versions exist for O-Lee-Ann, as it is pronounced. The more logical is that it comes from the Latin word, *oleum*, meaning oil land. More picturesque is the story of an early pioneer woman named Ann, who kept an inn for woodcutters at the river's edge. Her inn and clothing always smelled of oil from the river, and she became known as Oily Ann.

AMISH

When visiting the Conewango-Leon-Randolph area of Cattaraugus County, if you hear the click of steel-shod hooves on pavement, followed by a horse-drawn buggy driven by men wearing large-brimmed black hats, boots and overalls made by their wives, you are entering Amish Country. The women all dress alike in either blue or black dresses and bonnets.

The Amish, who moved here from Ohio and Pennsylvania, first settled in Cattaraugus County in 1949. Speaking German-Dutch, these unique people believe that owning and using modern tools and appliances is a sin. That's why, when driving through Amish country, it is easy to recognize their homes -they're the ones with the traditional dark curtains at the windows and no electric lines. Running water, telephone and bathroom facilities are never found in an Amish home.

Most of the Amish are farmers. However, there is an increase in the number of specialty skills, shops and home crafts that are sold not only to the Amish, but to the general public as well. Some have sawmills, harness repairing, shoe repairing blacksmith shops, and carpentering. No business is conducted by the Amish community on Sundays, and cameras are never allowed.

OIL INDUSTRY

The first crude oil in the United States was found on a Seneca Nation of Indian's owned plot at Seneca Oil Spring, near Cuba Lake, in 1627 by a Franciscan monk. The County's first oil well was drilled near Limestone, in what is now Allegany State Park, in 1865. As many as 5,100 producing wells were counted in the County. Most of these no longer produce, but one of them, located on the Four Mile Road, near Allegany, was drilled in 1877, and is still active and is ranked among the oldest in this area. Oil refining was the industry mainly responsible for the development of Olean as a city. Today, working oil wells may be seen along many highways in the Olean-Allegany-Knapp Creek Area.

TRANSPORTATION

Covered wagons brought most of the early settlers to the County from the New England States, while others arrived from eastern New York State, either overland or by way of the Allegheny River "highway".

Construction of the Genesee Canal, built to provide transportation from Rochester to Olean, was halted in 1842 by the "Stop Law", for 10 years. The completion of the Canal to Olean in 1856, seemed to be the very important link in transporting passengers and commerce from New York City up the Hudson River to Albany and the Erie Canal, to Rochester and the Genesee Valley Canal, to Olean and the Allegheny River, then down the Ohio and Mississippi to the Gulf. In 1856, Legislation was passed to extend the Canal to Mill Grove in Portville. Never realizing a "tith of the expectations which had been based upon its construction, and possibly never reimbursed by the State for the outlay necessary to keep it in repair", the Canal was closed in 1878. The Erie Canal greatly reduced immigrant travel on the Allegheny.

RAILROADS

For transportation purposes, Salamanca's location was crucial in that it was located on the north/south and east/west crossroads and had ready access to a number of natural resources such as oil, coal and lumber.

Much of the land in the Allegheny Valley needed by the railroads was reservation land. The railroads began early to deal with the Seneca to allow railroad rights-of-way through the Valley. The earliest lease between the Seneca and the railroads was in the 1830's. These leases were essentially perpetual leases that would only be broken by the abandonment of the rail line. These railroad leases contrasted with the other indian reservation leases in that non railroad leases were for a definite period of time.

From the time that the railroads began to lay track through the Valley, the Senecas worked for the railroads. In a survey of those who had worked on the railroads, it was found that someone in nearly every family on the Allegany Reservation had worked for one or more railroads for some period of time. The Seneca presence on railroad crews was certainly felt, and many men still reminisce about working on "Indian" crews where by far the majority of the men were Seneca.

Railroads coming into the County opened the area to commerce and industries. One enterprise of internal improvement which brought the dawn of prosperity to the County was the Erie Railway (first known as New York and Erie Railroad and later changed to New York, Lake Erie, and Western Railroad) .The route which was laid out for the New York and Erie led from Pierrepont (on the Hudson) to Dunkirk, New York (on Lake Erie) .This route (446 miles) involved a gigantic undertaking through wild and wooded lands and entered the County from Cuba, passed through Olean to the Allegheny River, following the River through Indian Reservation to West Salamanca, thence headed north through Little Valley onto Dayton and Dunkirk. Initial estimates to build the line were six million dollars, but final costs were over twenty million dollars. The New York and Erie was not the first railroad, nor the last, but its opening in 1851 was a historic occasion for this line was the first long distance railroad trip in the United States.

The Atlantic and Great Western Railway, completed in 1861, joined the Erie at West Salamanca and continued onto Randolph, through Jamestown to Corry, Pennsylvania. The Buffalo, Bradford and Pittsburgh Railroad opened in 1866 and tracked from Buffalo, through Ashford, Ellicottville, Great Valley, Carrollton on to Bradford and Pittsburgh. Running from Buffalo, to Machias, to Olean, the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad, (1867) was of great importance in the transportation of oil from the oil districts. The Rochester and State Line (aka Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh) ran from Rochester south to Wellsville, through Ellicottville and Great Valley, to Salamanca onto Carrollton to the coal fields of northwest Pennsylvania. At the opening of the Rochester and State Line (1878) there was two locomotives, the "Rochester" and the "Salamanca". Several other railroads helped to build up the County, among them being: the Buffalo and Jamestown Railroad (1875 aka Buffalo and Southwestern), and the Olean, Bradford and Warren Railroad (1878).

STREET CAR/TROLLEY

A rail line virtually forgotten by many in the area is the streetcar which opened tracks as Olean Street Railway Company and in 1880 ran, using a horse-drawn trolley, from the City of Olean up Mt. Herman to Flat Iron Rock (a geological formation resembling a flat iron) .In 1891, the track was extended down West State Street to 14th Street. In 1893, electric cars replaced the horse-drawn cars. In 1894, the line was extended west to Allegany.

The Olean, Rock City and Bradford Street Railway (1901) built from Bradford to Lewis Run, merged with the Olean Street Railway Company in 1906 forming the Western New York and Pennsylvania Traction Company. The Traction Company built a line from Allegany to Salamanca in 1907 and from Salamanca to Little Valley in 1908.

The streetcar, with the same gauge track as the railroad, was able to interchange with the Buffalo, Rochester and Pennsylvania, the Shawmut, the Erie, and the Pennsylvania Railroads. This allowed the streetcars to be used to distribute materials and supplies brought in by train all along the streetcar lines.

Freight delivery was an important part of the streetcar line business and service often included not only delivery to the door, but often included carrying the freight into the buildings (i.e. workers hauling meat off the streetcar into the meat market where they hung it on meat hooks). Through this system, freight could be easily and cheaply delivered to any point on the line.

ROADS

The earliest evidence of the existence of a traveled way, other than Indian trails, is shown on a State map of 1802, and started at Cattaraugus Creek in the extreme northwest corner of the County, thence across what is now Perrysburg and Dayton to Conewango Creek. It is believe that this "bridle path" had been cut by the surveyors of the Holland Land Company in 1798.

The first road connecting Cattaraugus County with the outside world opened in 1810, from Canandaigua to Olean. In the same year, a road from Buffalo to Springville, Franklinville to Olean Point (City) was opened which was the forerunner of Route 16. A road from Cerestown, Pennsylvania to Hamilton (Olean) thence to Chautauqua Lake was authorized in 1813, and became the forerunner of the present Route 17.

The "Old Chautauqua Road", opened by the Holland Land Company for the purpose of connecting the opposite portions of their purchase, entered the County's northeast corner, thence passed southwesterly through the Towns of Farmersville, Franklinville, Ellicottville, Mansfield, Little Valley, Napoli, and Conewango to Jamestown. This was a route of travel for emigrants with destinations in northern Ohio.

Those who were moving from older parts of New York and New England to seek homes on the fertile lands of Ohio and other western states, made passage from Hamilton (Olean) to their various points of destination by way of the "Emigrant Highway", the Allegheny River. Using flatboats and other kinds of primitive river craft, this "Highway" offered the easiest, cheapest, and, in every sense, the most eligibile route to their destination. It is said that in 1818 more than three thousand emigrants came to Olean Point and there embarked upon this "Highway".

Plank roads never found much favor among the people of Cattaraugus County, but the experiment of constructing them was tried. The Ellicottville and Great Valley Plank Road opened in 1853 and abandoned in 1864. The Olean and Portville Plank Road was built in 1865 and abandoned in 1866.

INDUSTRIES

Lumbering was the earliest and for many years the most important industry. Pittsburg furnished an excellent market, via rafting down the Allegheny River (as early as 1807), for lumber from the vast pine forests of the Allegheny and Conewango Valleys. Settlement increased in the 1850's and 1860's, demand for lumber to build homes, stores, and furniture grew. The development of rail travel (1851) provided access to more areas of timber, and provided transportation for further development. Locomotives were also developed especially for logging operations, allowing harvesting to take place on much steeper slopes and eliminating the necessity of using water to transport logs to the sawmills.

The manufacture of lack salts and potash from trees was also a source of income in the early days. Tanning was a major source of income for Olean, as well as for Limestone, Randolph, and Gowanda, and became an important and profitable industry. Furniture making still flourishes in the County, especially in the Salamanca and Little Valley area.

The event of the railroad was the main reason for increased agricultural activity. Until that time, (1851) , farming was generally carried out on a subsistence basis, as there was no convenient means of transporting surplus products to available markets. Cattle production changed from primarily beef cattle to dairy, dairy products being marketed (i.e. butter and cheese) .By 1893 there were 39 plants receiving milk and cream in from the County's farmers.

The oil industry also deserves special mention. Oil was first drilled in the Limestone area in 1865. With the oil boom lasting about two decades and gas being produced in Chipmunk and Humphrey until the turn of the century, products were piped either to storage tanks or directly to the eastern seaboard by a maze of pipelines. Olean became one of the greatest oil centers both for storage and refining "black gold" and gave employment to a growing labor force.

To summarize, Olean became an oil refinery center, Salamanca a railroad hero and Allegany outstanding for fresh vegetables. Gowanda became the site of America's largest glue factory, and Franklinville and Little Valley each specialized in cutlery.

According to 1937 statistics, there were 183 manufacturing plants in Cattaraugus County employing a total of 4,932 people. Of the 183 factories, about 125 employed less than 10 persons each. In 1913, Olean alone had over 90 manufacturing plants employing over 3,500 people.

Due to various circumstances, industries declined in the County after World War II. A number of the larger employers have departed from this area, including Socony Vacuum Oil Co., Olean and Thatcher Glass Companies, and Daystrom Furniture Company. A number of firms have expressed their faith and confidence in Olean and its area, and today, the major employers in the County, aside from the County itself, include Dresser-Rand, Dexter Hysol, Alcas Cultery, American Olean tile, Conap, Signore, and Bush Industries, providing employment for many. In addition, increasing emphasis is being placed on resort and recreational development.

" ALLEGANY CITY"

Cattaraugus County has two cities, Salamanca and Olean, and 32 towns and 14 villages. Included in its history was a "dream city" to be called Allegany City, a vision of Nicholas Devereux of Utica, New York. He had purchased extensive land holdings from the Holland Land Company, and an area near the present St. Bonaventure University was selected as the site upon which to build the "dream city", but his dream was never realized, as the following paragraphs explain.

Besides having an institution of higher learning, Allegany City was to be the hub connecting East, West and the South. All great transportation lines were either to terminate at or pass through this proposed metropolis: A.) The Genesee Valley Canal was to touch the Allegheny River at Allegany City. B.) The route of the Erie Railway, according to the original survey was to pass through the heart of Allegany City. C.) Being located at the head of navigation on the Allegheny River, it held an enviable position as far as transportation was concerned: (1.) Products could be shipped down the Allegheny westward to the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers, and (2.) Items coming East could continue on by boat to Rochester, Albany and New York City, or if faster transportation was needed, materials could be transshipped from boat to train and arrive in the metropolis next day by the Erie and Pennsylvania lines.

Nicholas Devereux and his Allegany City Company were so confident of success that a map was drawn as surveyed by Major T.S. Brown in 1842.

The proposed city has been surveyed and was completed on paper, when work on the Erie Railroad was interrupted for a short time. A new survey was made and the rail roadbed was re-located about half a mile north of the "paper city". Because of this change, plus the decision to have the Genesee Valley Canal terminate at Millgrove, the Allegany City project was abandoned.

The vision of a utopian city that was to be the hub of communication, transportation, and industry for the East was never realized, and St. Bonaventure University remains as the sole part of Mr. Devereux's dream come true.

RELIGION

A common saying in vogue during the early days of Cattaraugus County was: "The Sabbath does not extend beyond the Genesee River". This condition seemed to prevail even though the Holland Land Company was willing to donate land for church use, and several large proprietors were also willing to financially assist various denominations in the construction of houses of worship. A practice in vogue in some areas was the building of a "union church", which was placed at the disposal of various religious denominations.

Without doubt, the first opportunity for Christian prayers and public worship in the County was provided by French Franciscan missionary priests. As New Englanders traveled West or settled in the County, ministers of various denominations followed.

The arrival of many Irish immigrants was due in great measure to their being employed in the construction of the Erie Railroad. The Frenchman, Nicholas Devereux, land agent and later owner, also invited some of his countrymen to settle in the County. He made great efforts to provide Franciscan priests to minister to the scattered Catholic population. In 1855, four Franciscan priests and a lay brother arrived in Ellicottville and laid the foundations for a reli-

gious center and university. A few years later, four more friars came to Allegany, and St. Bonaventure University opened its doors in 1858 as a seminary to train young men for the priesthood, and as a college for various professions. In addition to teaching, the Franciscan friars also established parishes or ministered to Catholics in Ellicottville, Allegany, Humphrey, Carrollton, Randolph, and South Valley. Father Pamphilus da Magliano was the first president of the growing university, and saw the enrollment grow from 15 to 60 in four years.

The number of Catholics grew to impressive proportions so that by 1875 the Catholic Church was the largest single denomination in the County. At the time of the County's sesquicentennial in 1958, this area was a flourishing section of the Buffalo Diocese, with some 30 parishes or missions and about 5,000 Catholic families.

Father Pamphilus was also instrumental in founding the Sisters of St. Francis in Allegany in 1859. More than 1,000 nuns have dedicated their lives to education, hospital and social work in over 100 foundations throughout the East. In Cattaraugus County, they conducted several parochial schools -Archbishop Walsh High School in Olean, as well as St. Francis Hospital and St. Joseph's Manor, a diocesan institution for the aged.

EDUCATION

One of the earliest schools built in the County was erected by the Society of Friends at Quaker Bridge, (Red House) near the Pennsylvania border in 1789. It is believed that the first school in Cattaraugus County was opened in an abandoned log cabin on Ischua Creek between Franklinville and Cadiz, in 1809. Although as early as 1795, \$50,000 was set aside each year for encouraging elementary education in each township, there is no record of any of it being used in Cattaraugus County until the year 1819. The Holland Land Company also made free grants of land parcels for school sites.

In addition to the common schools, several special schools were established in various communities. The more notable of these were: Chamberlain Institute, Eclectic Medical college, and Randolph Home for the Homeless Children, all in the Town of Randolph; Ten Broeck Academy in Franklinville; St. Bonaventure College and Seminary (which is now a University) , and St. Elizabeth Academy in Allegany; the Quaker Indian School in Red House; and the Ellicottville Female Seminary.

In more recent years, education in Cattaraugus County has seen great changes in regulations and policies of the State Education Department. Education is now planned and directed by the University of the State of New York, as The Board of Regents. The commissioner, the Regents, and their associates supervise education from kindergarten through college, in public and private schools, as well as in trade and correspondence schools. There is no longer County unit of education. Cattaraugus County has three supervisory districts each having a district superintendent, and a cooperative board of education. The cooperative board of education is made up of five members elected from the local board of education on a rotation basis. The board hires a district superintendent, and also hires cooperative teachers who serve two or more schools, usually in special subjects (i.e. music, art, speech, guidance, driving education) .There are 13 central schools districts in Cattaraugus County, two free school and two city school systems. Olean and Salamanca each have their own superintendent and board of education.

In addition to public schools, there are numerous parochial schools in the County, a Catholic high school (Arch Bishop Walsh in Clean) and a teacher's training college at St. Elizabeth Motherhouse (Allegheny), where Franciscan sisters are educated for teaching.

Higher education services are offered by the Board of Cooperative Education Vocational/Technical Centers, Olean Business Institute, Jamestown Community College (Cattaraugus Campus at Olean) and St. Bonaventure University.

THEATERS, CULTURAL, RECREATION

Amateur performances were frequently staged under the auspices of some religious or education group such as St. Bonaventure University. Professional performances took place in the opera houses found in many Villages and Towns where the arrival of traveling groups, minstrels and actors brought delight to all. In recent years, Olean has been fortunate in having its own civic music association, bringing in extraordinary musical talent, while other organizations sponsor dramatic and other cultural events, some of which have been presented under the auspices of the New York State Council of the Arts.

Cattaraugus County is indeed fortunate in having a number of conveniently located recreation areas and facilities. Visitors are free from city pressures and can roam among the hills, meadows, lakes, rocks, woods, and streams. whatever the season, the County is "Naturally Yours to Enjoy" and offers something for everyone, such as:

Allegheny State Park - Created in 1921, the Park is the largest in the State's system and covers over 65,000 acres of forests. It has two lakes, beaches, ski slopes, play areas, camping areas, hiking/biking trails, ski slope attracting more than 1,000,000 visitors annually.

Allegheny River - The Allegheny (variously spelled Allegany, Alleghany) River served as a means of communication, rafting, transportation, including passenger service for settlers who wished to go down the Ohio on their way West. This picturesque River flows through the southern towns and two cities, through part of the Seneca Indian Reservation and offers recreation to thousands of fishermen, campers, boaters.

Rock City - A majestic geological spectacle (south of Olean) attracts geologists, naturalists, rock hounds, and the curious. Its altitude is 2,300 feet above sea level.

Onoville Marina - Located on the 12,000 acre Allegheny Reservoir, this County operated marina has long been noted as the region's finest yet most affordable water resort/camping areas.

Zoar Valley - Along the County's northern border, the state maintains the spectacular "forever wild" Zoar Valley as a preserve for picnicking, sight-seeing, hiking. Fishing and "white water" rafting are offered in Cattaraugus Creek that flows through the 200 foot high gorges of untamed beauty.

Holiday Valley & Holimont - In winter, these two major ski areas bring the County's hillsides alive with skiers.

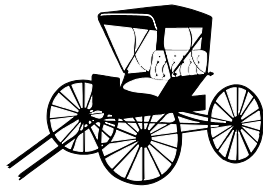
Trails – Many miles of Biking, Hiking, Horseback Riding, Snowmobiling Trails angle their way throughout the County's scenic landscape.

Lime Lake - An ideal summer recreational area located in the Town of Machias. In this area, rain falling on one side of a certain roof will flow into the St. Lawrence River, while rain falling on the other side of the roof will flow down the Allegheny, Ohio and Mississippi Rivers.

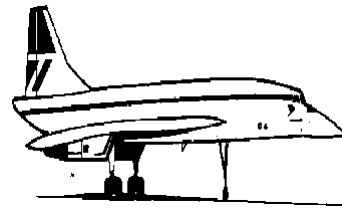
POPULATION

According to the 2000 Census of Population, in Cattaraugus County there were 83,955 persons and 32,023 households. The median family income is \$39,318, while the per capita income is \$15,959.. The unemployment rate is 6.3%, with 13.7% of the County's population below the poverty level. Of the total number of 39,839 housing units, 32,023 are occupied, 4,867 are seasonal residences, and 7,816 are vacant.

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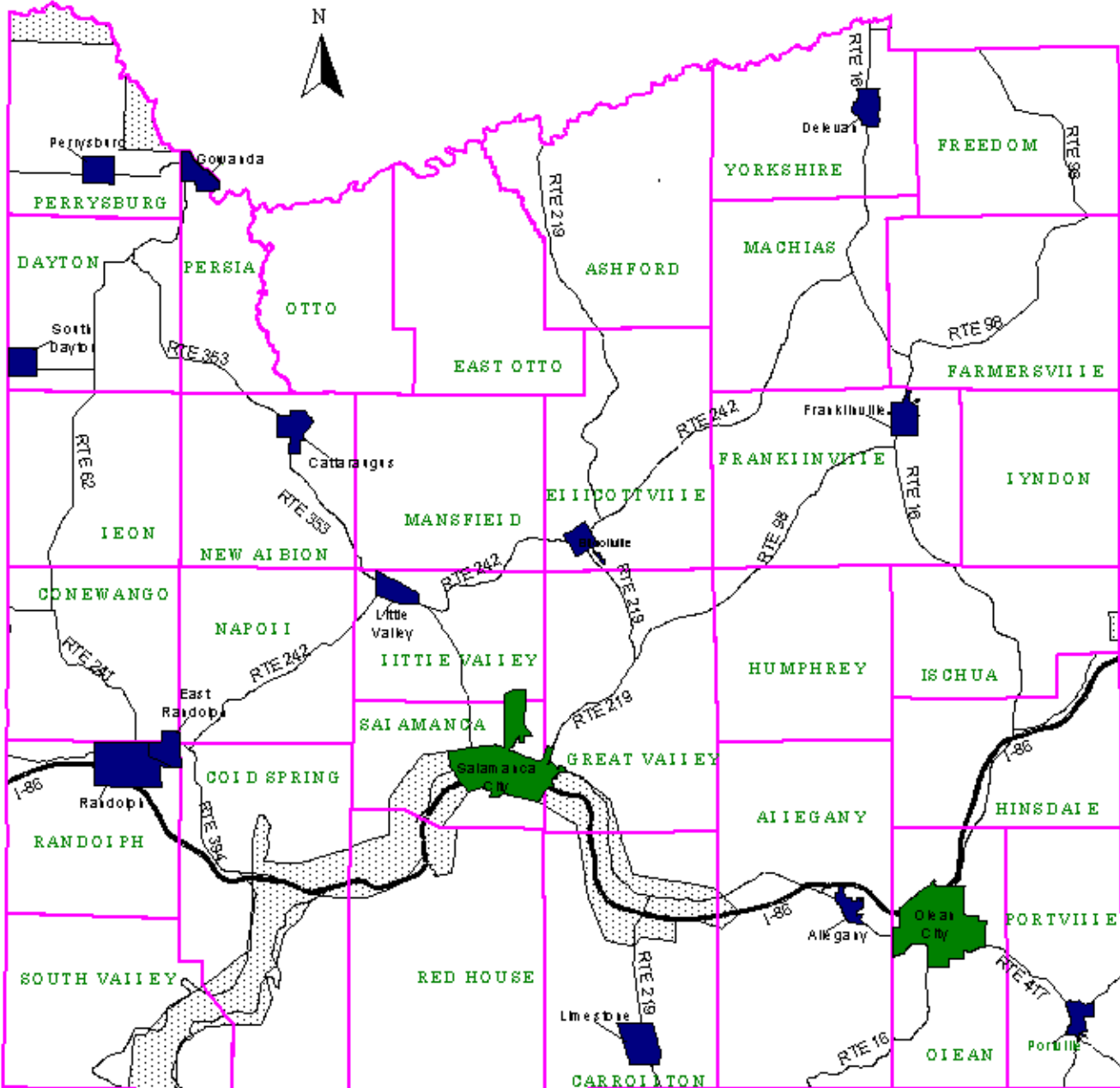
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

DEMOGRAPHIC OVERVIEW

Population Count

1960	80,187
1970	81,666
1980	85,697
1990	84,234
2000	83,955
2010	83,674*
2020	82,815*
2030	80,886*

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
MUNICIPAL MAP
(2 Cities
32 Towns
13 Villages)**



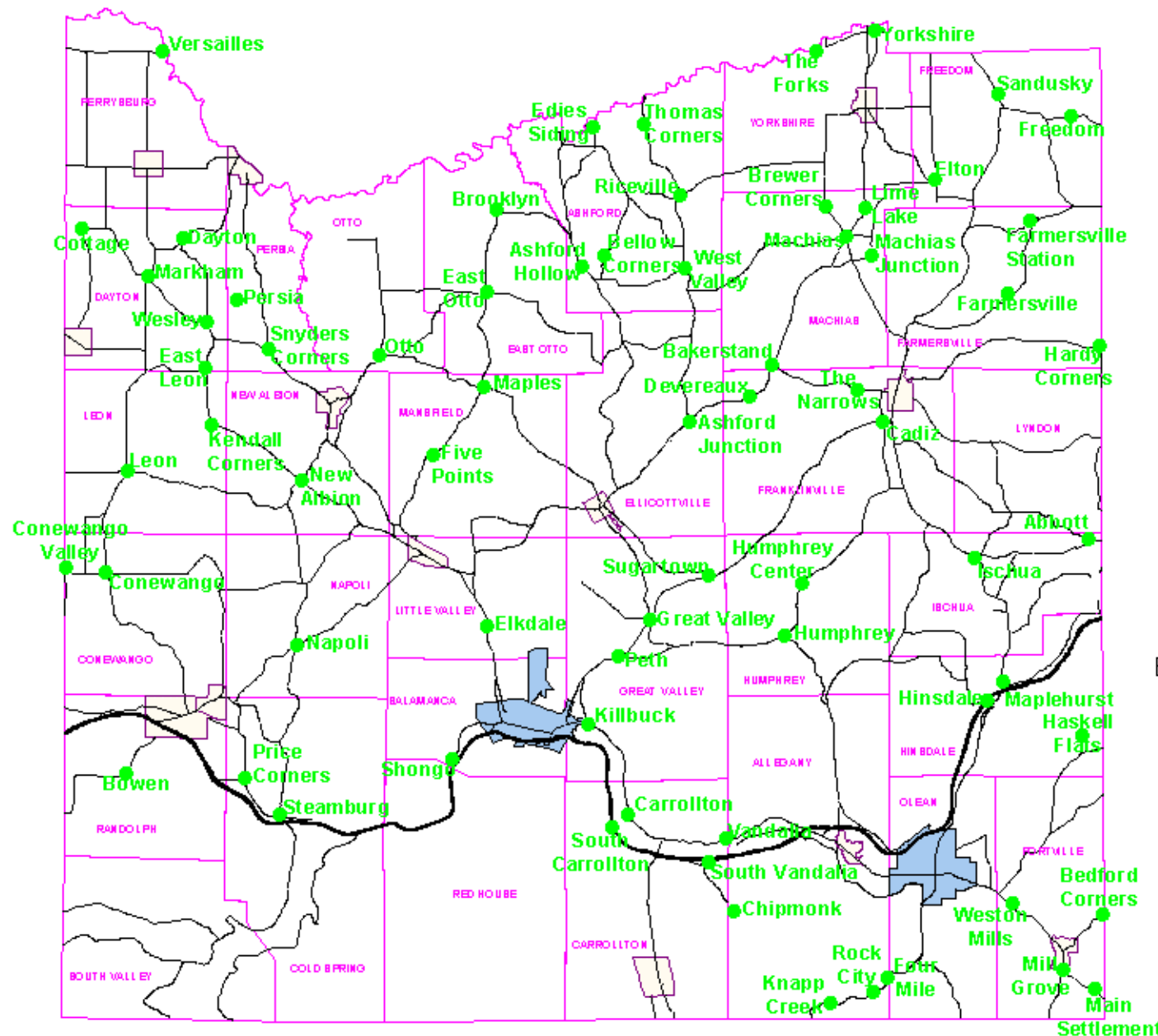
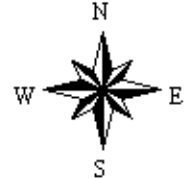
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY HAMLETS



- Roads
- County
 - State
 - Four Lane
 - U.S.
 - Cities
 - Villages
 - Town Boundary

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY DEMOGRAPHIC SNAPSHOT

1970	Amount
Total Population	81,666
No. of Households	20,938
Median Family Income	\$8,506
Total No. of Housing Units	28,601
Occupied - 24,878	
Seasonal - 1,741	
Vacant - 1,981	
Per Capita Income	\$2,608
Unemployment Rate	5.9%
Percent of Population below poverty level	12.4%

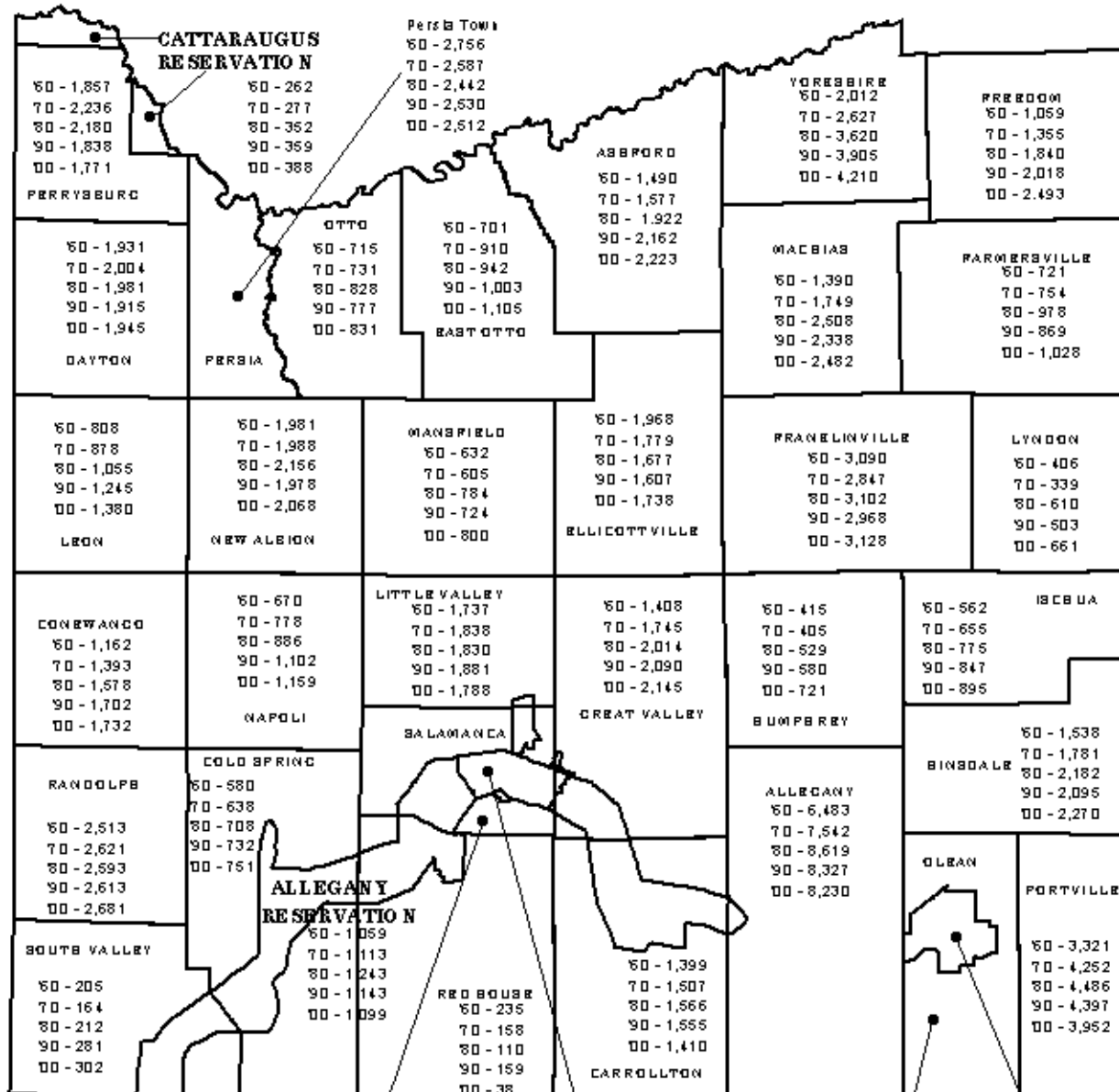
1980	Amount
Total Population	85,697
No. of Households	29,306
Median Family Income	\$16,891
Total No. of Housing Units	34,891
Occupied - 28,988	
Seasonal - 3,085	
Vacant - 2,778	
Per Capita Income	\$5,612
Unemployment Rate	8.6%
Percent of Population below poverty level	13.5%

1990	Amount
Total of Population	82,234
No. of Households	30,410
Median Family Income	\$28,178
Total No. of Housing Units	36,839
Occupied - 30,456	
Seasonal - 3,972	
Vacant - 2,411	
Per Capita Income	\$10,595
Unemployment Rate	9.5%
Percent of Population below poverty level	16.0%

2000	Amount
Total of Population	83,955
No. of Households	32,023
Median Family Income	
Total No. of Housing Units	39,839
Occupied - 32,023	
Seasonal - 4,867	
Vacant - 2,949	
Per Capita Income	\$15,959
Unemployment Rate	6.3%
Percent of Population below poverty level	13.7%

Source: Census of Population/Housing

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY Population by Municipality 1960 - 2000



Note: Village figures are included in Town figures

OK SPRINGS RESERVATION
60 - 0
70 - 5
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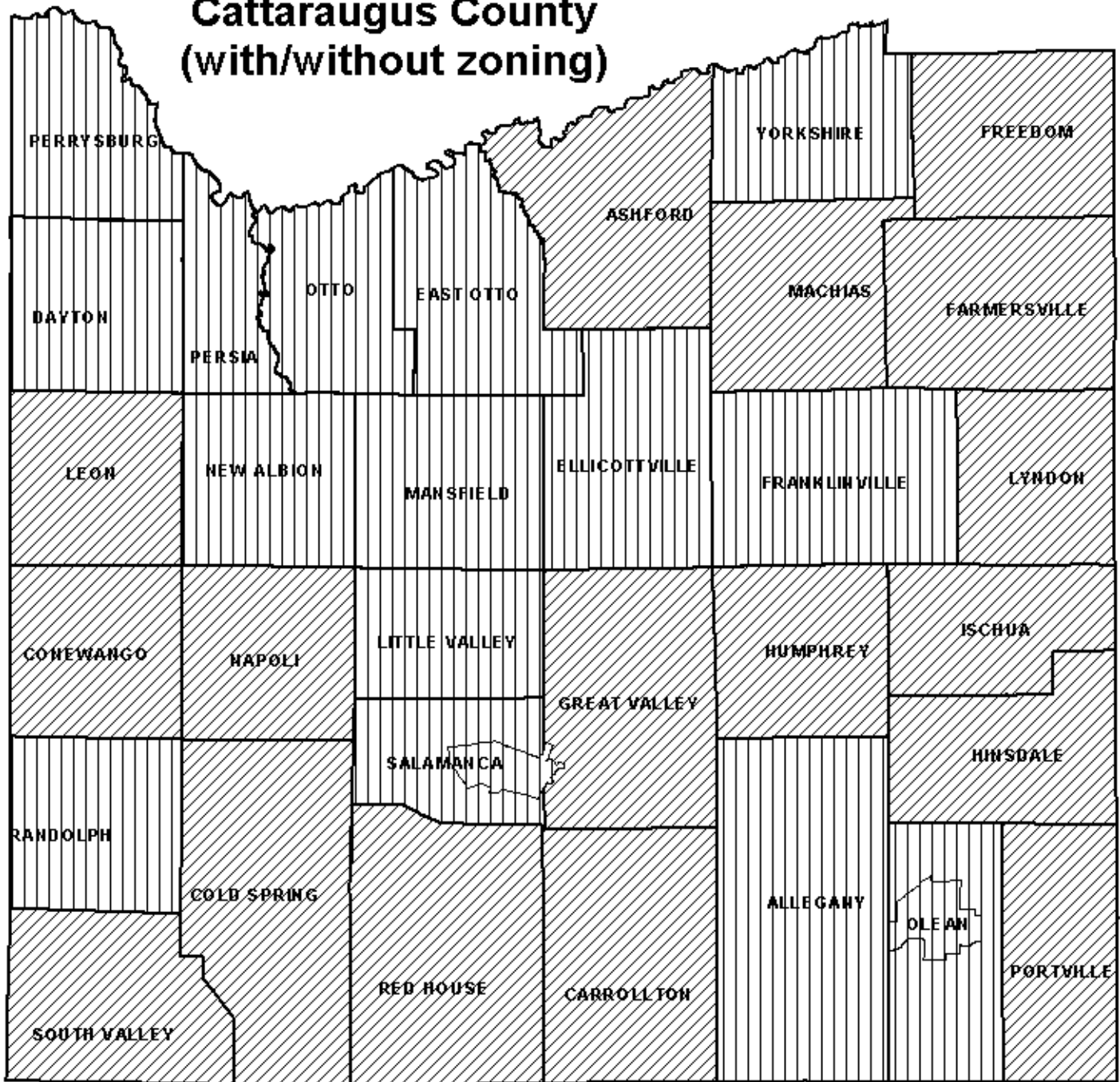



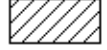
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Source: Census of Population

Cattaraugus County (with/without zoning)



-  With Zoning
-  Without Zoning



Note: Villages not included due to size of said municipality. Contact appropriate municipal official to determine if zoned or not zoned.

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY ACREAGE BY MUNICIPALITY

Town	Total Town/Vill. Acreage	Total Road Acreage	Total Water Acreage	Reserv. (includes roads & water on res.)
Allegany - T	45,734.57	1,134.02	413.81	285.68
Allegany - V	434.72	60.55	8.79	
Ashford	32,727.88	702.09	291.21	
Carrollton	33,134.60	522.18	459.07	6,585.19
Limestone	1,000.96	56.69	38.56	
Coldspring	41,306.71	659.16	1955.11	7,922.29
Conewango	22,929.05	425.13	362.25	
E. Randolph	172.29	10.53	1.51	
Dayton	22,569.84	388.60	200.88	
S. Dayton	636.62	43.38	3.48	
East Otto	26,657.42	398.63	305.07	
Ellicottville - T	28,300.55	546.94	217.89	
Ellicottville - V	528.94	45.91	11.84	
Farmersville	30,773.11	487.46	217.58	
Franklinville - T	32,570.17	514.93	275.59	
Franklinville - V	689.99	57.29	11.15	
Freedom	26,042.42	440.62	231.42	
Great Valley	34,124.69	550.69	352.53	2,167.71
Hinsdale	24,869.22	1,017.79	170.23	
Humphrey	23,335.11	344.59	87.04	
Ischua	20,976.13	388.82	117.66	247.47
Leon	23,061.92	421.38	127.59	
Little Valley - T	18,319.65	213.15	76.69	
Little Valley - V	636.88	50.54	9.26	
Lyndon	21,279.37	358.56	82.96	
Machias	26,308.42	13.69	300.89	
Mansfield	25,375.39	457.83	94.64	
Napoli	23,403.44	412.95	164.31	
New Albion	22,455.75	424.66	103.76	
Cattaraugus	715.95	58.24	6.28	
Olean - City	3,947.29	610.23	164.96	
Olean - Town	18,955.64	483.36	102.14	
Otto	20,566.50	301.05	516.91	
Perrysburg - T	21,455.57	206.17	158.65	3,817.52
Perrysburg - V	635.04	23.77	1.08	
Persia	12,818.62	171.94	144.41	
Gowanda	649.68	67.96	24.15	
Portville - T	22,571.91	364.42	312.37	
Portville - V	542.18	35.68	13.13	
Randolph	20,531.74	714.51	140.99	
E.Randolph - V	499.43	17.97	5.03	
Randolph - V	2,115.45	179.32	26.24	
Red House	40,393.12	398.01	441.97	4,351.99
Salamanca - City	4,076.94	395.74	103.44	3,091.14
Salamanca - Town	13,960.10	136.61	140.37	2,748.46
South Valley	27,390.75	330.63	2,520.63	3,645.50
Yorkshire	23,039.45	446.28	227.36	
Delevan	631.44	38.09	13.58	
TOTAL ACRES	845,221.17	16,090.65	11,742.88	34,862.95

NOTE: TOWN TOTALS DO NOT INCLUDE VILLAGE OR CITY ACREAGES

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY ACREAGES
(By Cities, Towns, Villages, and Reservations)

Cities	8,024
Towns	827,939
Villages	<u>9,890</u>
Total	845,853

RESERVATION ACREAGE WITHIN MUNICIPALITY

Allegany (T)	286	Perryburg (T)	3,818
Carrollton (T)	6,585	Red House (T)	4,352
Coldspring (T)	7,922	Salamanca (C)	3,091
Great Valley (T)	2,168	Salamanca (T)	2,748
Ischua (T)	247	South Valley (T)	3,646

ALLEGANY STATE PARK ACREAGE WITHIN MUNICIPALITY

<u>TOWN</u>	<u>ACREAGE</u>
Carrollton	10,901.96
Coldspring	12,159.00
Great Valley	476.38
Red House	36,041.13
Salamanca	1,676.41
South Valley	2,461.03

Source: Cattaraugus County Real Property Tax Service Maps /
Cattaraugus County Real Property Tax Rolls

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY ACREAGE BREAKDOWN

SENECA NATION OF INDIAN RESERVATIONS

<u>Reservation</u>		<u>Total Acreage</u>
Allegany		30,984
Cattaraugus		22,518
	Cattaraugus County	3,750
	Chautauqua County	1,745
	Erie County	16,518
Oil Springs		640
	Cattaraugus County	245
	Allegany County	395



Source: Seneca Nation of Indians

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**POPULATION DENSITY
OF
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
1970 – 2000**

	2000 Population	1990 vs 2000
United States	281,421,906	13.1%+
New York State	18,976,457	5.5%+
Cattaraugus County	83,955	0.3%-

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
HISTORICAL POPULATION FIGURES**

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>POPULATION</u>
1900	65,643
1910	65,919
1920	71,323
1930	72,398
1940	72,652
1950	77,901
1960	80,187
1970	81,666
1980	85,697
1990	84,234
2000	83,955

Source: Cattaraugus County Museum/Census of Population

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**COMPARISON OF 1970 - 2000 POPULATION
BY TOWNS**

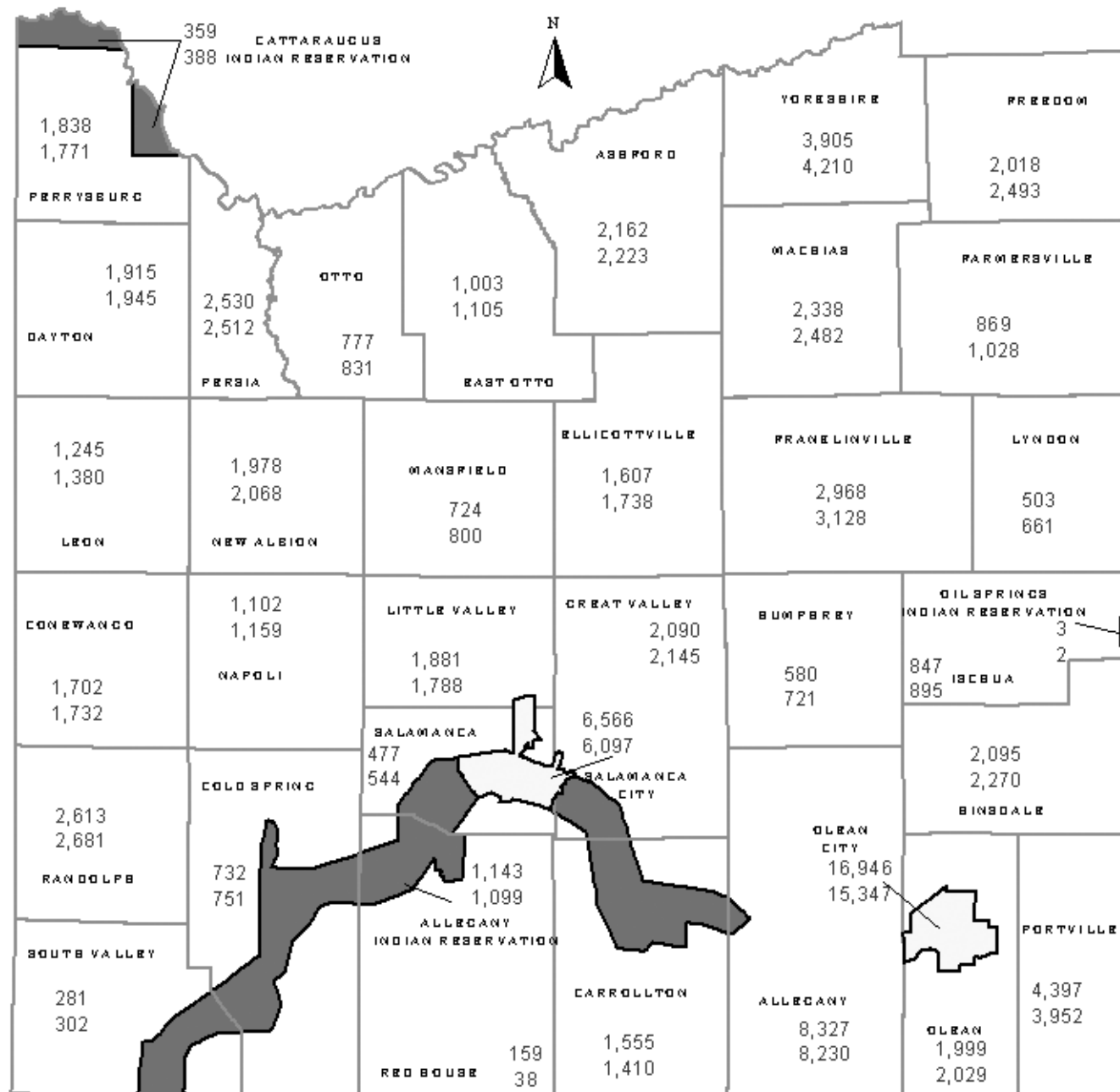
MUNICIPALITY	1970	1980	1990	2000
Allegany	7,542	8,619	8,327	8,230
Ashford	1,577	1,922	2,162	2,223
Carrollton	1,507	1,566	1,555	1,410
Coldspring	638	708	732	751
Conewango	1,393	1,578	1,702	1,732
Dayton	2,044	1,981	1,915	1,945
East Otto	910	942	1,003	1,105
Ellicottville	1,779	1,677	1,607	1,738
Farmersville	754	978	869	1,028
Franklinville	2,847	3,102	2,968	3,128
Freedom	1,355	1,840	2,018	2,493
Great Valley	1,745	2,014	2,090	2,145
Hinsdale	1,781	2,182	2,095	2,270
Humphrey	405	529	580	721
Ischua	655	775	847	895
Leon	878	1,055	1,245	1,380
Little Valley	1,838	1,830	1,881	1,788
Lyndon	339	610	503	661
Machias	1,749	2,058	2,338	2,482
Mansfield	605	784	724	800
Napoli	778	886	1,102	1,159
New Albion	1,988	2,156	1,978	2,068
Olean	2,211	2,130	1,999	2,029
Otto	731	828	777	831
Perrysburg	2,236	2,180	1,838	1,771
Persia	2,587	2,442	2,530	2,512
Portville	4,252	4,486	4,397	3,952
Randolph	2,621	2,593	2,613	2,681
Red House	150	110	159	38
Salamanca	571	608	477	544
South Valley	164	212	281	302
Yorkshire	2,627	3,620	3,905	4,210
City of Olean	19,169	18,207	16,946	15,347
City of Salamanca	7,877	6,890	6,566	6,097

Note: Village Data included in Town Data




Source: 1970,1980,1990,2000 Census of Population

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY POPULATION 1990 VS 2000

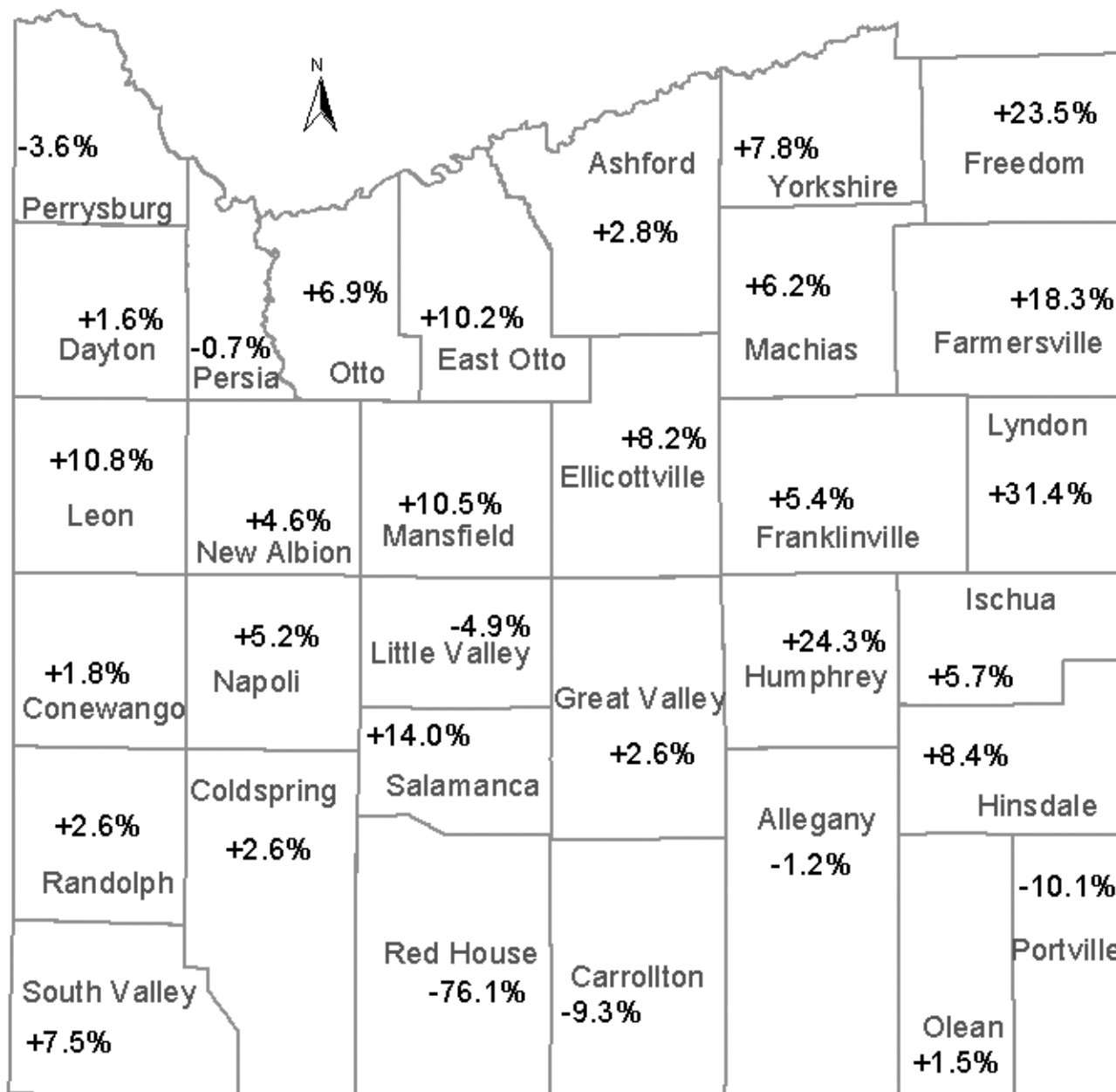
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Note: Top figure represents 1990 Census Count, while bottom figure represents 2000 Census Count.

Note: Village figure included in Town figure.

Note: Cattaraugus County as a whole
1990 84,234 2000 83,955

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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
POPULATION % Change
1990 vs 2000
(Towns Only)**

 **Town Boundary**

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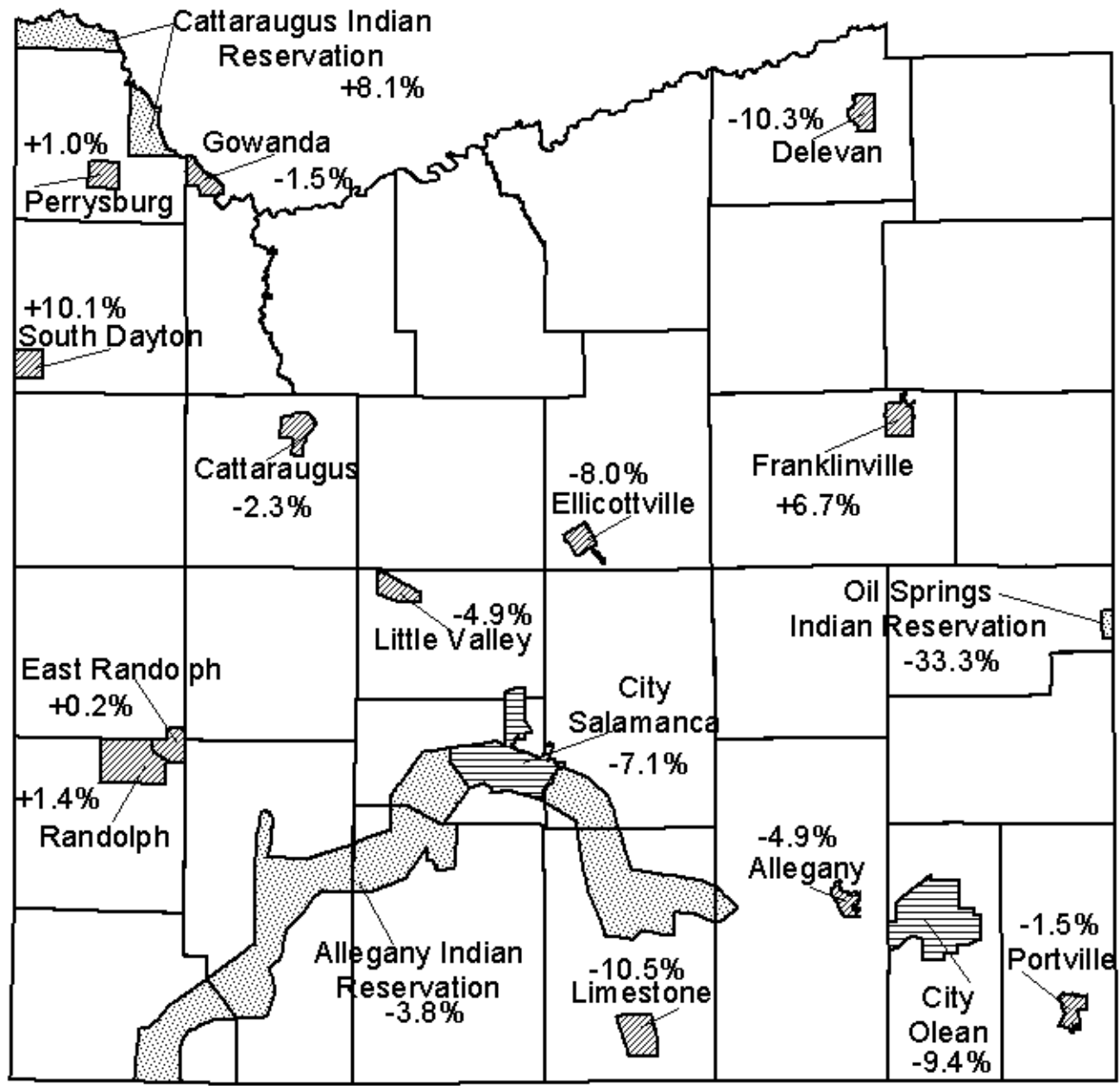
Note: Cattaraugus County as a whole - 0.3%

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**COMPARISON OF 1970 - 2000 POPULATION
By Villages**

MUNICIPALITY	1970	1980	1990	2000
Allegany	2,052	2,078	1,980	1,883
Cattaraugus	1,200	1,200	1,100	1,075
Delevan	994	1,113	1,214	1,089
East Randolph (pt Conewango)	259	248	236	161
East Randolph (pt Randolph)	379	407	393	469
Ellicottville	955	713	472	513
Franklinville	1,948	1,887	1,739	1,855
Gowanda	2,098	1,864	2,016	1,986
Limestone	535	465	459	411
Little Valley	1,340	1,203	1,188	1,130
Perrysburg	433	405	404	408
Portville	1,304	1,136	1,040	1,024
Randolph	1,498	1,390	1,298	1,316
South Dayton	688	661	601	662

Source: Census of Population
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
POPULATION % Change
1990 vs 2000 Census
(Villages, Cities,
Reservations)**



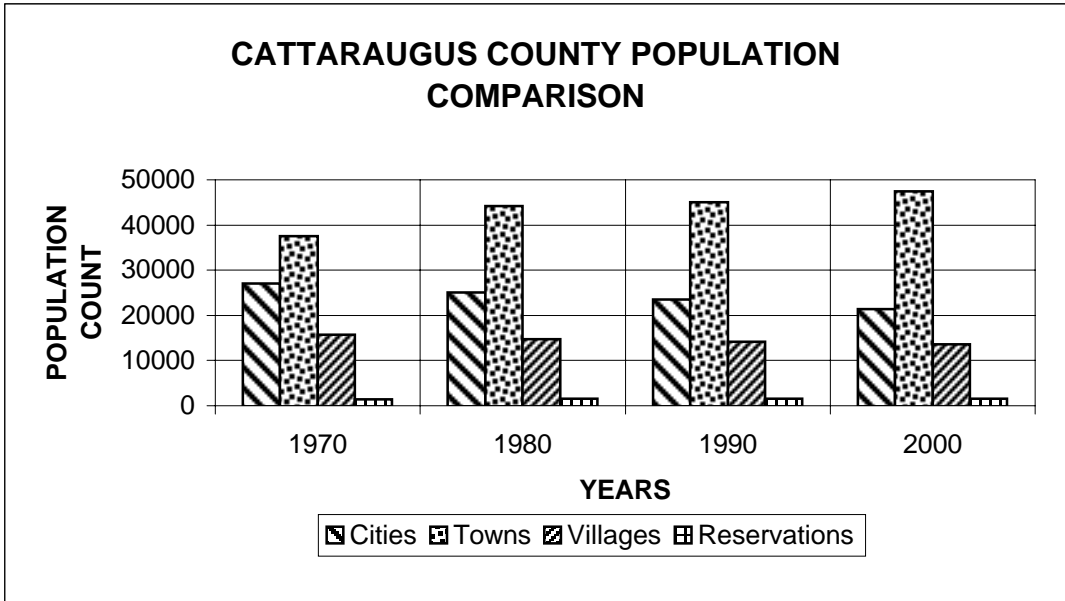
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POPULATION LIVING IN CITIES, VILLAGES, TOWNS OR ON RESERVATIONS (Comparison of 1970, 1980,1990 and 2000 Population Counts)				
Year	1970	1980	1990	2000
Cities	27046	25097	23512	21444
Towns	37546	44222	45039	47489
Villages	15679	14779	14178	13533
Reservations	1395	1599	1505	1489
TOTAL	81666	85697	84234	83955



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Source: Census of Population - 1970, 1980,
1990 and 2000

POPULATION BY RACE

Cattaraugus County

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
White	83,094	81,091	79,444
Black or African American	615	757	890
American Indian/Eskimo/Aleut.	1,649	1,866	2,181
Asian/Pacific	208	327	402
Other	131	193	1,038
Note: Hispanic Origin (of any race)	336	534	791

ANCESTRY

(% of Population)

	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
United States/American	2	5
English	14	12
French	3	3
Irish	16	16
Italian	6	7
Polish	7	8
Scottish	2	2
German	30	27
Canadian	0.7	0.7
Russian	0.2	0.4
Other	19.1	18.9

Source: 1990/2000 Census of Population

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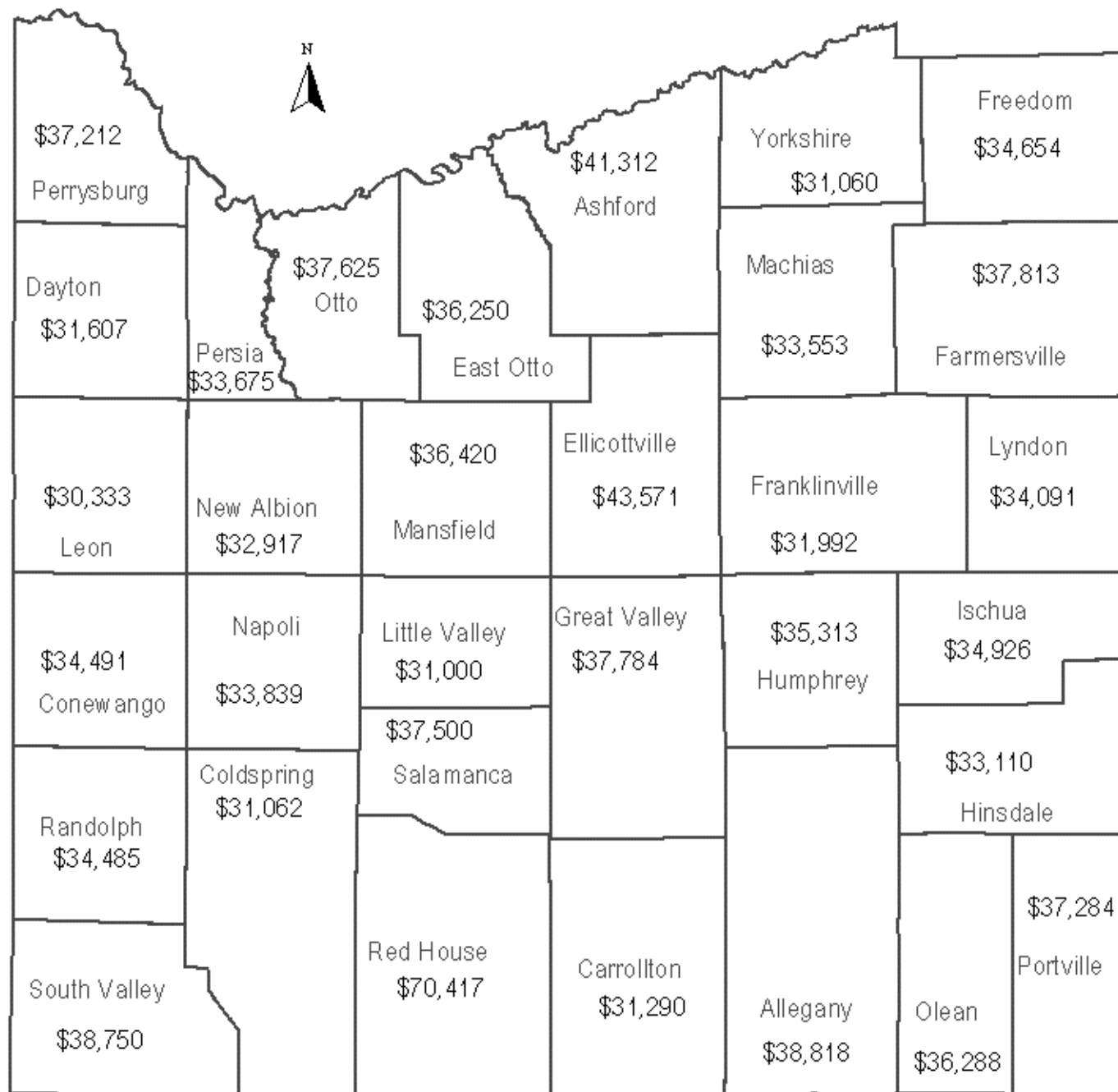
WEALTH/INCOME IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

2000 Median Household Income

United States	\$49,600
New York State	\$43,847
Cattaraugus County	\$33,404

2000 Per Capita Income

United States	\$21,690
New York State	\$24,335
Cattaraugus County	\$15,959



**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
2000 MEDIAN INCOME
PER HOUSEHOLD
(Towns)**

□ Town Boundary

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Note: Median = Midway point
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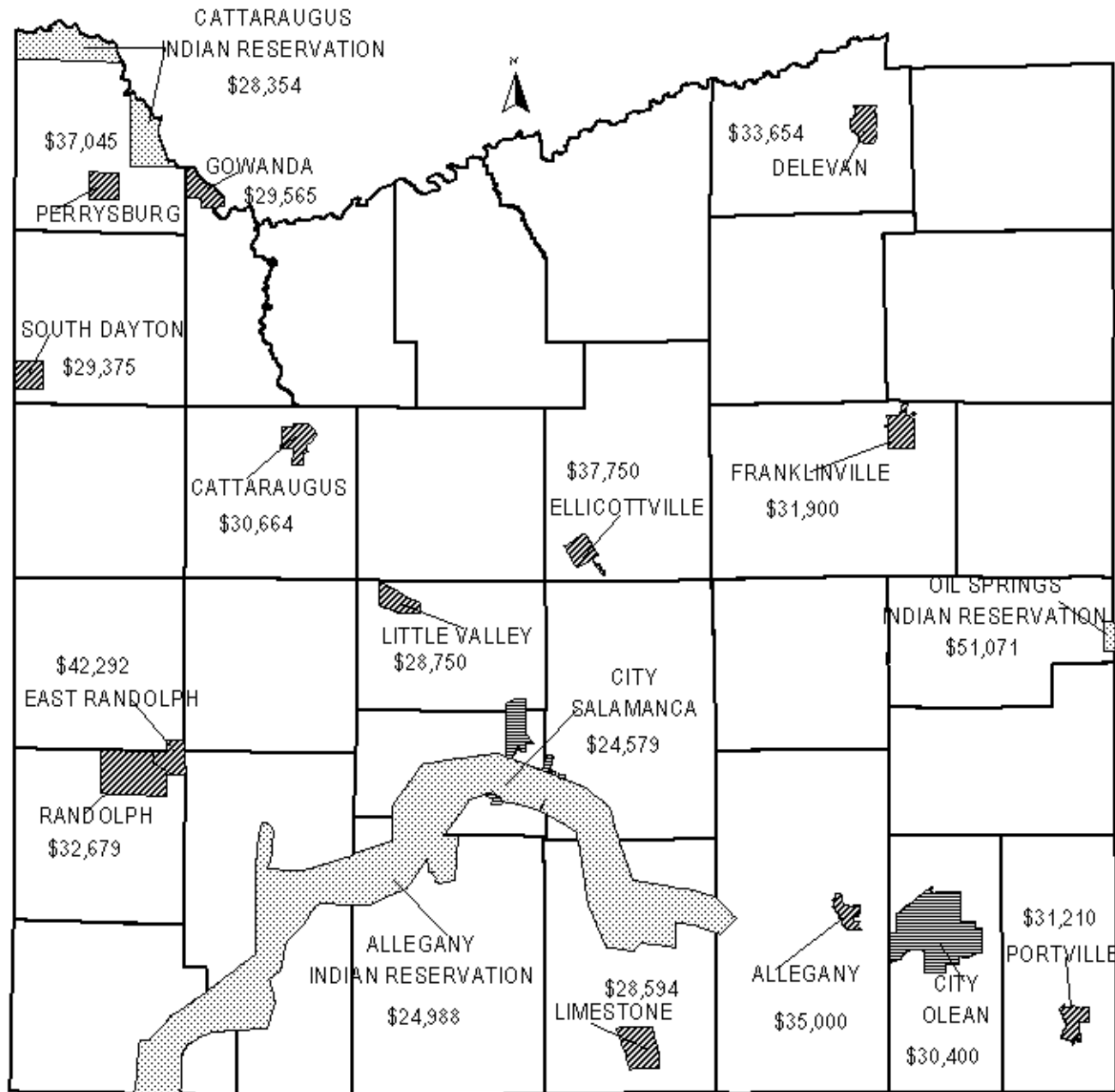
**MEDIAN INCOME PER HOUSEHOLD
(TOWNS/CITIES OF CATTARAUGUS COUNTY)
1990 VS 2000**

MUNICIPALITY	1990	2000
Allegany	\$ 26,916.00	\$ 38,818.00
Ashford	\$ 30,726.00	\$ 41,312.00
Carrollton	\$ 25,500.00	\$ 31,290.00
Coldspring	\$ 26,705.00	\$ 31,062.00
Conewango	\$ 21,818.00	\$ 34,491.00
Dayton	\$ 25,000.00	\$ 31,607.00
East Otto	\$ 24,097.00	\$ 36,250.00
Ellicottville	\$ 26,642.00	\$ 43,571.00
Farmersville	\$ 23,438.00	\$ 37,813.00
Franklinville	\$ 22,480.00	\$ 31,992.00
Freedom	\$ 25,917.00	\$ 34,654.00
Great Valley	\$ 24,461.00	\$ 37,784.00
Hinsdale	\$ 25,069.00	\$ 33,110.00
Humphrey	\$ 17,679.00	\$ 35,313.00
Ischua	\$ 23,017.00	\$ 34,926.00
Leon	\$ 21,333.00	\$ 30,333.00
Little Valley	\$ 24,431.00	\$ 31,000.00
Lyndon	\$ 28,375.00	\$ 34,091.00
Machias	\$ 24,063.00	\$ 33,553.00
Mansfield	\$ 28,417.00	\$ 36,420.00
Napoli	\$ 22,768.00	\$ 33,839.00
New Albion	\$ 23,721.00	\$ 32,917.00
Olean City	\$ 21,339.00	\$ 30,400.00
Olean Town	\$ 24,844.00	\$ 36,288.00
Otto	\$ 24,408.00	\$ 37,625.00
Perrysburg	\$ 28,819.00	\$ 37,212.00
Persia	\$ 23,875.00	\$ 33,675.00
Portville	\$ 27,230.00	\$ 37,284.00
Randolph	\$ 25,141.00	\$ 34,485.00
Red House	\$ 18,958.00	\$ 70,417.00
Salamanca City	\$ 18,885.00	\$ 24,579.00
Salamanca Town	\$ 21,250.00	\$ 37,500.00
South Valley	\$ 19,063.00	\$ 38,750.00
Yorkshire	\$ 23,212.00	\$ 31,060.00
Allegany Reservation	\$ 18,359.00	\$ 24,988.00
Cattaraugus Reservation	\$ 16,250.00	\$ 28,354.00
Oil Spring Reservation	\$ 11,250.00	\$ 51,071.00

Median = Midway point or middle figure

Source: 1990 and 2000 Census of Population

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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
2000 MEDIAN INCOME
PER HOUSEHOLD
(Cities, Reservations,
Villages)**

- Indian Reservation
- Cities
- Villages
- Town Boundary

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Source: 2000 Census of Population and Housing

**MEDIAN INCOME PER HOUSEHOLD
(VILLAGES OF CATTARAUGUS COUNTY)
1990 VS 2000**

MUNICIPALITY	1990	2000
Allegany	\$ 25,625.00	\$ 35,000.00
Cattaraugus	\$ 22,798.00	\$ 30,664.00
Delevan	\$ 26,176.00	\$ 33,654.00
East Randolph	\$ 24,986.00	\$ 42,292.00
Ellicottville	\$ 26,420.00	\$ 37,750.00
Franklinville	\$ 20,506.00	\$ 31,900.00
Gowanda (Catt. Co.)	\$ 23,447.00	\$ 29,565.00
Limestone	\$ 23,542.00	\$ 28,594.00
Little Valley	\$ 22,550.00	\$ 28,750.00
Perrysburg	\$ 26,563.00	\$ 37,045.00
Portville	\$ 25,417.00	\$ 31,210.00
Randolph	\$ 22,365.00	\$ 32,679.00
South Dayton	\$ 23,125.00	\$ 29,375.00

Median = Midway point or middle figure



Source: 1990 and 2000 Census of Population

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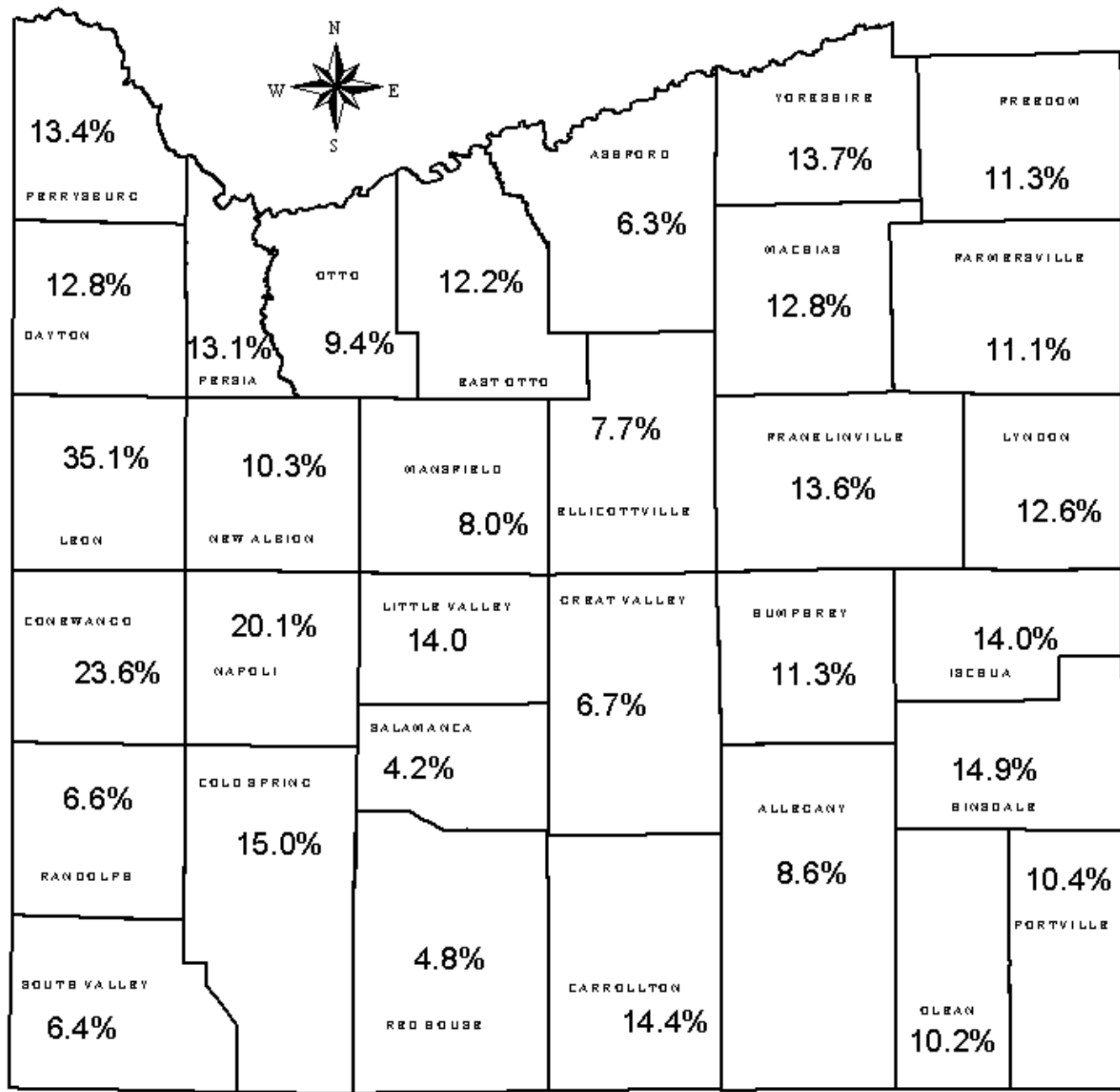
**POVERTY LEVELS
IN
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY**

Persons Below Poverty

United States	12.5%
New York State	13.5%
Cattaraugus County	13.7%

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME					
	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
New York State	\$ 29,266.00	\$ 30,538.00	\$ 32,261.00	\$ 33,901.00	\$ 34,689.00
Allegany County	\$ 16,150.00	\$ 16,531.00	\$ 17,354.00	\$ 17,775.00	\$ 18,596.00
Cattaraugus County*	\$ 17,451.00	\$ 18,286.00	\$ 18,851.00	\$ 19,620.00	\$ 20,200.00
Chautauqua County	\$ 18,621.00	\$ 19,317.00	\$ 20,380.00	\$ 20,877.00	\$ 21,208.00
Wyoming County	\$ 16,623.00	\$ 17,046.00	\$ 18,012.00	\$ 18,807.00	\$ 19,308.00
*Rank in State	53rd	54th	54th	54th	54th

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME		
	Cattaraugus	New York
Year	County	State
1990	\$ 14,361.00	\$ 23,315.00
1991	\$ 14,736.00	\$ 23,942.00
1992	\$ 15,559.00	\$ 25,199.00
1993	\$ 15,656.00	\$ 25,589.00
1994	\$ 16,087.00	\$ 26,359.00
1995	\$ 16,792.00	\$ 27,721.00
1996	\$ 17,451.00	\$ 29,266.00
1997	\$ 18,286.00	\$ 30,538.00
1998	\$ 18,851.00	\$ 32,261.00
1999	\$ 19,620.00	\$ 33,901.00
2000	\$ 20,200.00	\$ 34,689.00



CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
% of Persons in
Poverty
Year 2000
(Towns)

□ Town Boundary

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Note: Cattaraugus County as a whole - 13.7%

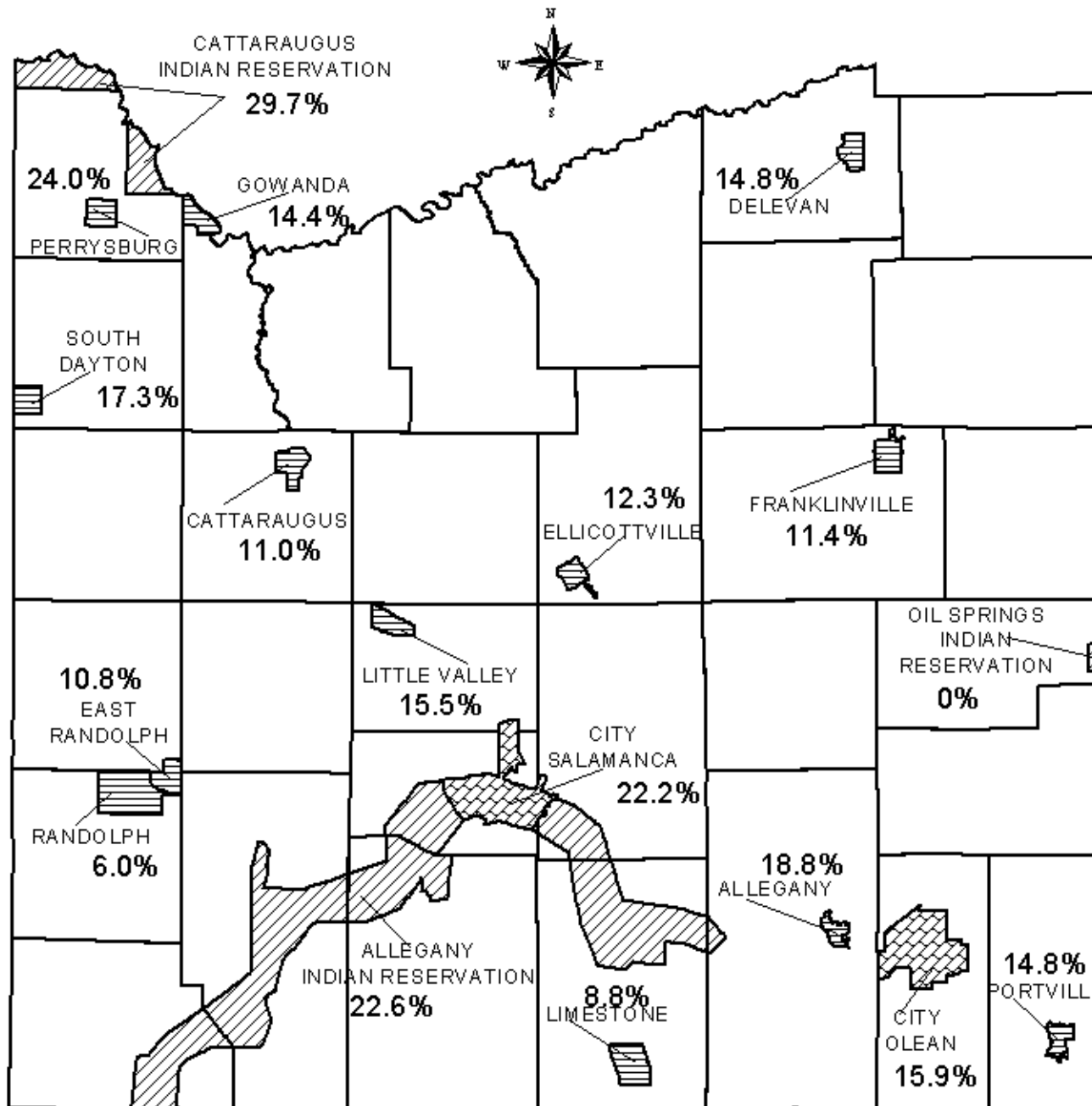
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
Cattaraugus County by Municipality Percent of Persons in Poverty

Municipality	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>% of change</u>
Allegany	11.8	8.6	-3.2
Ashford	8.5	6.3	-2.2
Carrollton	10.5	14.4	+3.9
Coldspring	9.5	15.0	+5.5
Conewango	29.0	23.6	-5.5
Dayton	12.3	12.8	+ .5
East Otto	9.2	12.2	+3.0
Ellicottville	8.6	7.7	- .9
Farmersville	14.9	11.1	-3.8
Franklinville	14.9	13.6	-1.3
Freedom	10.2	11.3	+1.1
Great Valley	8.1	6.7	-1.4
Hinsdale	12.0	14.9	+2.9
Humphrey	29.4	11.3	-18.1
Ischua	8.7	14.0	+5.3
Leon	35.2	35.1	- .1
Little Valley	10.4	14.0	+3.6
Lyndon	11.3	12.6	+1.3
Machias	15.5	12.8	-2.7
Mansfield	13.3	8.0	-5.3
Napoli	21.2	20.1	-1.1
New Albion	12.1	10.3	-1.8
Olean	9.5	10.2	+ .7
Otto	16.5	9.4	-7.1
Perrysburg	9.9	13.4	+3.5
Persia	8.7	13.1	+4.4
Portville	10.9	10.4	- .5
Randolph	7.0	6.6	- .4
Red House	19.0	4.8	-14.2
Salamanca	19.1	4.2	-14.9
South Valley	22.5	6.4	-16.1
Yorkshire	11.8	13.7	+1.9

Source: Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
% of Persons in Poverty
Year 2000
(Cities, Villages, Reservations)

-  Cities
-  Villages
-  Town Boundary
-  Indian Reservation

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Note: Cattaraugus County as a whole - 13.7%

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**Percent of Persons in Poverty
in Cattaraugus County Villages/City/Reservations**

Municipality	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>% of Change</u>
Allegany Reservation	17.5	22.6	+ 5.1
Allegany Village	18.8	18.8	0
Cattaraugus Reservation	28.2	29.7	+ 1.5
Cattaraugus Village	15.2	11.0	- 4.2
Delevan Village	18.2	14.8	- 3.4
East Randolph Village	6.5	10.8	+ 4.3
Ellicottville Village	5.6	12.3	+ 6.7
Franklinville Village	15.7	11.4	- 4.3
Gowanda Village	8.0	14.4	+ 6.4
Little Valley Village	11.3	15.5	+ 4.2
Oil Springs Reservation	75.0	0	
Olean City	16.8	15.9	- .9
Perrysburg Village	30.2	24.0	- 6.2
Portville Village	10.9	14.8	- 6.1
Randolph Village	8.2	6.0	- 2.2
Salamanca City	18.3	22.2	+ 3.9
South Dayton Village	12.0	17.3	+ 5.3

Source: Census of Population

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**AGE GROUPS
IN
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY**

2000 Census of Population

Persons Under 5 years of age	5,205
Persons Under 18 years of age	21,996
Persons 65 years and older	12,257

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
POPULATION BY AGE AND GENDER
1980 - 1990 - 2000**

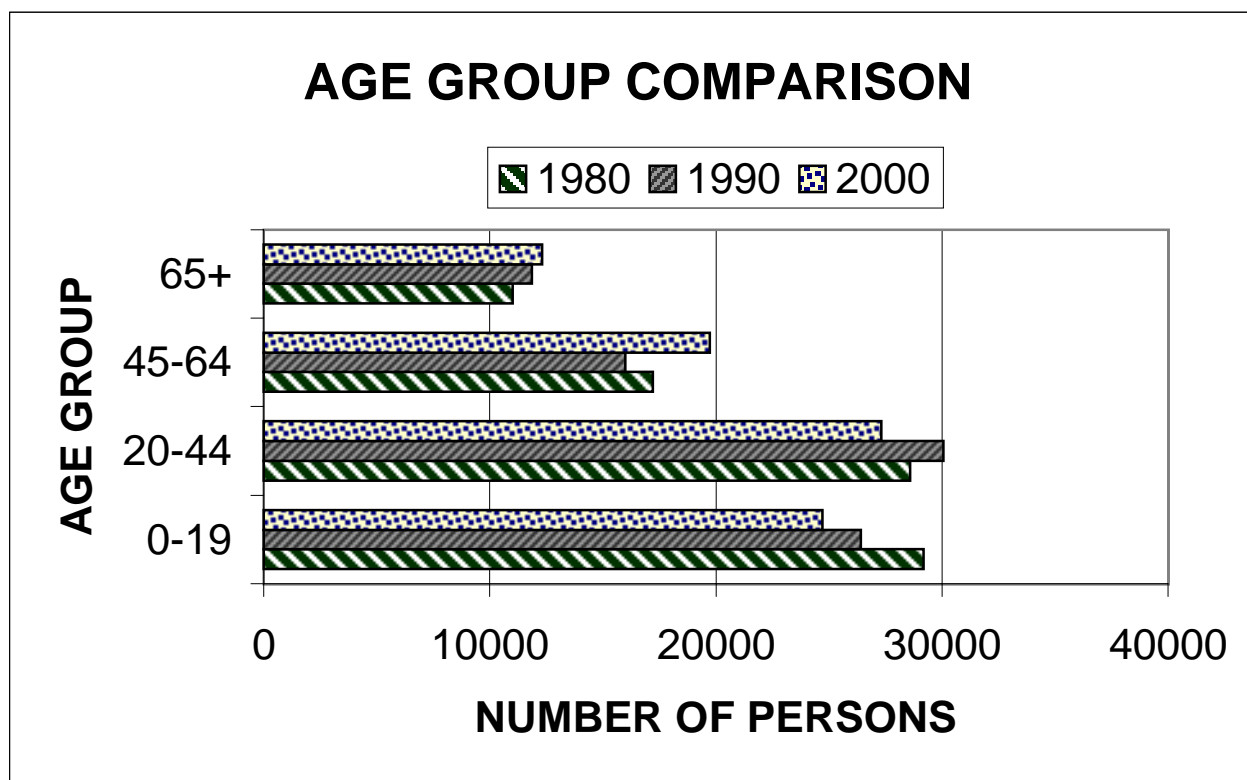
AGE	TOTAL			MALE			FEMALE		
	2000	1990	1980	2000	1990	1980	2000	1990	1980
0-4	5,181	6,332	6,386	2,639	3,273	3,305	2,542	3,059	3,081
5-19	19,516	20,052	22,774	10,035	10,327	11,633	9,481	9,725	11,141
20-34	14,509	18,119	19,942	7,168	8,823	9,771	7,341	9,296	10,171
35-44	12,779	11,925	8,619	6,342	5,927	4,198	6,437	5,998	4,421
45-64	19,693	15,976	17,192	9,840	7,662	8,204	9,853	8,314	8,988
65+	12,277	11,830	10,784	5,083	4,813	4,384	7,194	7,017	6,400
85+ *	1,494	1,284	1,045	389	350	300	1,105	934	745
TOTAL	83,955	84,234	85,697	41,107	40,825	41,495	42,848	43,409	44,202

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**Figure included in 65+ figure*

Source: 1980, 1990 and 2000 Census of Population
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PERSONS IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY BY AGE GROUP			
AGE GROUP	1980	1990	2000
0-19	29160	26384	24697
20-44	28561	30044	27288
45-64	17192	15976	19693
65+	10984	11830	12277
Total	85897	84234	83955



CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
PERSONS BY AGE GROUP - 1980 - 1990 - 2000
(TOWNS)

MUNICIPALITIES	0 - 19			20 - 44			45 - 64			65+		
	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000
Allegheny (T)	3,081	2,731	2,466	3,269	3,244	2,933	1,457	1,344	1,780	812	1,008	1,057
Ashford (T)	729	725	633	656	783	726	338	447	603	199	207	261
Carrollton (T)	588	491	402	523	546	462	308	350	363	147	168	183
Coldspring (T)	245	253	220	232	251	226	139	141	195	92	87	110
Conewango (T)	705	736	745	503	569	506	248	251	342	122	146	139
Dayton (T)	691	610	610	639	667	626	406	378	451	245	260	258
East Otto (T)	344	326	333	302	365	391	185	189	267	111	123	114
Ellicottville (T)	555	421	411	568	565	509	364	350	518	190	271	300
Farmersville (T)	371	285	303	317	306	356	181	185	257	109	93	112
Franklinville (T)	1,041	955	964	975	997	979	620	559	731	466	457	454
Freedom (T)	731	704	811	652	772	871	323	363	574	134	179	237
Great Valley (T)	725	658	580	658	723	670	424	439	584	207	272	311
Hinsdale (T)	810	678	662	814	766	723	395	455	588	163	196	297
Humphrey (T)	192	206	222	196	191	245	102	118	174	39	65	80
Ischua (T)	278	277	251	276	297	285	151	179	244	70	94	115
Leon (T)	492	578	636	336	400	402	150	184	233	77	83	109
Little Valley (T)	588	552	477	594	698	625	378	365	49	270	266	277
Lyndon (T)	235	165	199	207	176	227	113	117	167	55	45	68
Machias (T)	631	692	707	669	788	772	427	488	602	331	370	401
Mansfield (T)	297	231	236	282	269	259	138	138	219	67	86	86
Napoli (T)	322	391	412	287	389	348	189	216	275	88	106	124
New Albion (T)	734	622	638	716	682	635	438	389	503	268	285	292
Olean (T)	713	520	528	657	694	644	507	480	546	253	305	311
Otto (T)	281	257	230	293	280	266	165	150	232	89	90	103
Perrysburg (T)	681	460	440	790	685	571	477	446	471	232	247	289
Persia (T)	723	715	676	764	869	765	566	460	508	389	486	563
Portville (T)	1,645	1,424	1,146	1,559	1,587	1,212	894	887	985	388	499	609
Randolph (T)	895	841	841	803	841	797	514	498	642	381	433	401
Red House (T)	30	36	13	44	89	9	20	24	10	16	10	6
Salamanca (T)	209	157	139	190	173	170	145	101	149	64	46	86
South Valley (T)	78	90	66	69	91	86	35	62	105	30	38	45
Yorkshire (T)	1,309	1,280	1,266	1,311	1,437	1,456	633	775	968	367	413	520

Village Figures included in Town Figures

Source: Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
PERSONS BY AGE GROUP - 1980 - 1990 - 2000
(VILLAGES)

MUNICIPALITIES	0 - 19			20 - 44			45 - 64			65+		
	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000
Allegany (V)	637	475	439	735	813	647	440	365	464	266	327	333
Limestone (V)	160	133	112	156	163	138	92	104	100	58	59	61
East Randolph (V)	267	247	257	193	193	167	116	107	132	79	82	74
South Dayton (V)	242	179	237	198	214	209	126	122	139	95	86	90
Ellicottville (V)	221	107	72	248	191	134	147	112	165	97	103	101
Franklinville (V)	629	562	617	568	567	591	383	307	362	307	303	285
Little Valley (V)	378	357	317	381	467	433	243	192	209	201	172	171
Cattaraugus (V)	394	360	332	381	369	323	247	202	249	178	169	171
Perrysburg (V)	145	103	89	143	170	142	91	86	120	26	45	57
Gowanda (V) (PT)	526	558	532	563	689	602	446	348	370	329	421	482
Portville (V)	430	345	337	366	328	297	231	213	205	109	154	185
Randolph (V)	444	369	371	416	418	397	278	241	314	260	270	234
Delevan (V)	409	430	341	404	424	359	188	212	260	112	148	131

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
PERSONS BY AGE GROUP - 1980 - 1990 - 2000
(CITIES)

MUNICIPALITIES	0 - 19			20 - 44			45 - 64			65+		
	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000
Olean (C)	5,484	4,905	4,120	5,865	6,089	5,054	3,927	3,165	3,429	2,931	2,987	2,744
Salamanca (C)	2,093	1,866	1,799	2,046	2,252	1,979	1,533	1,203	1,260	1,218	1,245	1,059

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
PERSONS BY AGE GROUP - 1980 - 1990 - 2000
(INDIAN RESERVATIONS)

MUNICIPALITIES	0 - 19			20 - 44			45 - 64			65+		
	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000	1980	1990	2000
Allegany Reservation	462	378	360	389	391	353	247	230	235	145	144	151
Cattaraugus Reservation	172	170	154	107	121	149	55	49	74	18	19	11
Oil Spring Reservation	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY TOWN
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL		UNDER 5 YEARS	5 TO 9 YEARS	10 TO 14 YEARS	15 TO 19 YEARS	20 TO 24 YEARS	25 TO 34 YEARS
	MALE	FEMALE						
Allegany (T)	3,885	4,345	323	431	515	1,197	1,339	603
Ashford (T)	1,102	1,121	130	167	195	141	88	273
Carrollton (T)	716	694	78	92	100	132	74	164
Coldspring (T)	385	366	46	60	56	58	30	78
Conewango (T)	898	834	190	222	180	153	64	208
Dayton (T)	964	981	113	168	186	143	85	233
East Otto (T)	571	534	71	86	81	95	52	129
Ellicottville (T)	856	882	91	93	118	109	68	161
Farmersville (T)	515	513	75	80	84	64	31	142
Franklinville (T)	1,521	1,607	195	236	283	250	156	353
Freedom (T)	1,267	1,226	168	205	221	217	124	298
GreatValley (T)	1,122	1,023	119	133	160	168	94	215
Hinsdale (T)	1,115	1,155	124	167	206	165	99	251
Humphrey (T)	374	347	36	50	66	70	39	85
Ischua (T)	478	417	36	57	82	76	43	91
Leon (T)	677	703	141	167	170	158	83	131
Little Valley (T)	934	854	107	96	144	130	104	220
Lyndon (T)	333	328	39	43	60	57	25	65
Machias (T)	1,240	1,242	141	160	202	204	112	270
Mansfield (T)	416	384	45	65	72	54	37	88
Napoli (T)	597	562	94	99	122	97	43	124
New Albion (T)	1,037	1,031	139	150	182	167	88	229
Olean (T)	1,012	1,017	107	133	146	142	94	215
Otto (T)	414	417	42	50	68	70	32	92
Perrysburg (T)	886	885	94	91	131	124	76	210
Persia (T)	1,179	1,333	161	162	181	172	112	261
Portville (T)	1,913	2,039	207	277	329	333	169	410
Randolph (T)	1,313	1,368	157	160	238	286	124	285
Red House (T)	17	21	1	0	5	7	0	1
Salamanca (T)	283	261	21	24	51	43	25	46
South Valley (T)	168	134	17	12	21	16	9	34
Yorkshire (T)	2,124	2,086	286	300	339	341	235	529

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY TOWN
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION

MUNICIPALITY	35 TO 44 YEARS	45 TO 54 YEARS	55 TO 59 YEARS	60 TO 64 YEARS	65 TO 74 YEARS	75 TO 84 YEARS	85 YEARS AND OVER
Allegany (T)	991	1,090	403	287	524	382	145
Ashford (T)	365	357	146	100	153	81	27
Carrollton (T)	224	192	77	94	122	60	1
Coldspring (T)	118	119	42	34	66	36	8
Conewango (T)	234	196	86	60	71	54	14
Dayton (T)	308	254	105	92	137	79	42
East Otto (T)	210	167	51	49	73	36	5
Ellicottville (T)	280	316	105	97	186	93	21
Farmersville (T)	183	142	67	48	73	31	8
Franklinville (T)	470	442	159	130	222	184	48
Freedom (T)	449	352	127	95	151	70	16
GreatValley (T)	361	333	120	131	186	99	26
Hinsdale (T)	373	339	129	120	192	87	18
Humphrey (T)	121	93	48	33	45	31	4
Ischua (T)	151	133	53	58	67	38	10
Leon (T)	188	146	45	42	64	32	13
Little Valley (T)	301	240	97	72	135	116	26
Lyndon (T)	137	85	45	37	48	17	3
Machias (T)	390	339	137	126	203	120	78
Mansfield (T)	134	126	57	36	54	25	7
Napoli (T)	181	167	62	46	79	34	11
New Albion (T)	318	296	122	85	166	106	20
Olean (T)	335	356	98	92	191	90	30
Otto (T)	142	129	53	50	60	37	6
Perrysburg (T)	285	277	109	85	169	94	26
Persia (T)	392	294	99	115	219	215	129
Portville (T)	633	600	204	181	356	193	60
Randolph (T)	388	363	155	124	217	138	46
Red House (T)	8	6	2	2	3	3	0
Salamanca (T)	99	89	26	34	51	30	5
South Valley (T)	43	55	25	25	25	16	4
Yorkshire (T)	692	571	230	167	290	183	47

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY VILLAGE-YEAR 2000

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL		UNDER	5 TO 9	10 TO 14	15 TO 19	20 TO 24	25 TO 34
	MALE	FEMALE	5 YEARS	YEARS	YEARS	YEARS	YEARS	YEARS
Allegany (V)	857	1,026	74	106	125	134	266	131
Limestone (V)	198	213	26	32	28	26	19	56
East Randolph (V)	323	307	31	37	78	111	23	60
South Dayton (V)	308	354	47	73	71	46	33	89
Ellicottville (V)	233	239	11	19	14	28	26	45
Franklinville (V)	889	966	120	154	177	166	109	208
Little Valley (V)	594	536	79	57	105	76	75	160
Cattaraugus (V)	537	538	72	83	84	93	46	119
Perrysburg (V)	200	208	21	13	31	24	23	43
Gowanda (V) (PT)	913	1,073	126	129	144	133	91	210
Portville (V)	455	570	58	80	100	99	40	104
Randolph (V)	606	710	87	83	90	111	61	160
Delevan (V)	556	533	84	83	74	100	78	132

MUNICIPALITY	35 TO 44 YEARS	45 TO 54 YEARS	55 TO 59 YEARS	60 TO 64 YEARS	65 TO 74 YEARS	75 TO 84 YEARS	85 YEARS AND OVER
Allegany (V)	250	286	92	86	135	139	59
Limestone (V)	63	51	20	29	37	24	0
East Randolph (V)	84	75	28	29	43	25	6
South Dayton (V)	87	81	37	21	35	27	15
Ellicottville (V)	63	108	29	28	55	36	10
Franklinville (V)	274	224	75	63	120	131	34
Little Valley (V)	198	123	49	37	72	82	17
Cattaraugus (V)	158	157	52	40	91	67	13
Perrysburg (V)	76	76	28	16	23	30	4
Gowanda (V) (PT)	301	222	73	75	180	178	124
Portville (V)	153	116	39	50	88	70	27
Randolph (V)	176	179	77	58	110	89	35
Delevan (V)	147	145	68	47	61	53	17

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY CITY
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION**

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL		UNDER 5 YEARS	5 TO 9 YEARS	10 TO 14 YEARS	15 TO 19 YEARS	20 TO 24 YEARS	25 TO 34 YEARS
	MALE	FEMALE						
Olean (C)	7,186	8,161	988	1,006	1,159	967	884	2,018
Salamanca (C)	2,864	3,233	470	436	449	444	336	735

MUNICIPALITY	35 TO 44 YEARS	45 TO 54 YEARS	55 TO 59 YEARS	60 TO 64 YEARS	65 TO 74 YEARS	75 TO 84 YEARS	85 YEARS AND OVER
Olean (C)	2,152	2,174	681	574	1,256	1,055	433
Salamanca (C)	908	767	266	227	497	413	149

MUNICIPALITY	18 YEARS AND OVER			65 YEARS AND OVER	
	MALE	FEMALE		MALE	FEMALE
Olean (C)	5,290	6,275		997	1,747
Salamanca (C)	2,065	2,384		397	662

Source: Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY INDIAN RESERVATION
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION

MUNICIPALITY	TOTAL		UNDER 5 YEARS	5 TO 9 YEARS	10 TO 14 YEARS	15 TO 19 YEARS	20 TO 24 YEARS	25 TO 34 YEARS
	MALE	FEMALE						
Allegany	558	541	85	89	96	90	54	151
Cattaraugus	185	203	44	32	34	44	28	55
Oil Springs	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

MUNICIPALITY	35 TO 44 YEARS	45 TO 54 YEARS	55 TO 59 YEARS	60 TO 64 YEARS	65 TO 74 YEARS	75 TO 84 YEARS	85 YEARS AND OVER
Allegany	148	126	52	57	93	50	8
Cattaraugus	66	48	19	7	8	3	0
Oil Springs	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

MUNICIPALITY	18 YEARS AND OVER		65 YEARS AND OVER
	MALE	FEMALE	
Allegany	375	395	62
Cattaraugus	107	141	4
Oil Springs	1	1	0

Source: Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY TOWN
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION

MUNICIPALITY	18 YEARS AND OVER		65 YEARS AND OVER	
	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
Allegany (T)	3,074	3,542	407	644
Ashford (T)	808	820	127	134
Carrollton (T)	505	539	79	104
Coldspring (T)	275	273	56	54
Conewango (T)	511	527	63	76
Dayton (T)	665	718	111	147
East Otto (T)	418	386	49	65
Ellicottville (T)	662	690	134	166
Farmersville (T)	377	366	60	52
Franklinville (T)	1,066	1,170	188	266
Freedom (T)	896	862	118	119
GreatValley (T)	819	790	152	159
Hinsdale (T)	818	847	134	163
Humphrey (T)	273	249	43	37
Ischua (T)	352	317	55	60
Leon (T)	384	412	45	64
Little Valley (T)	704	659	112	165
Lyndon (T)	251	227	38	30
Machias (T)	895	953	162	239
Mansfield (T)	294	283	43	43
Napoli (T)	411	374	67	57
New Albion (T)	732	749	132	160
Olean (T)	764	773	137	174
Otto (T)	317	306	53	50
Perrysburg (T)	684	692	136	153
Persia (T)	862	1,026	195	368
Portville (T)	1,378	1,536	266	343
Randolph (T)	909	1,013	167	234
Red House (T)	12	16	2	4
Salamanca (T)	212	211	39	47
South Valley (T)	132	108	27	18
Yorkshire (T)	1,498	1,567	226	294

Source: Census of Population
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SEX AND AGE CHARACTERISTICS BY VILLAGE
2000 CENSUS OF POPULATION**

MUNICIPALITY	18 YEARS AND OVER			65 YEARS AND OVER	
	MALE	FEMALE		MALE	FEMALE
Allegany (V)	657	839		89	244
Limestone (V)	139	171		17	44
East Randolph (V)	180	212		32	42
South Dayton (V)	206	233		31	46
Ellicottville (V)	205	206		44	57
Franklinville (V)	592	693		108	177
Little Valley (V)	438	409		55	116
Cattaraugus (V)	369	405		73	98
Perrysburg (V)	157	168		22	35
Gowanda (V) (PT)	664	829		156	326
Portville (V)	319	401		67	118
Randolph (V)	450	539		85	149
Delevan (V)	379	404		60	71



Source: Census of Population
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SELECTED ADULT GROUPINGS BY AGE**

GROUPS	1980 TOTAL NUMBER	1990 TOTAL NUMBER	2000 TOTAL NUMBER
Adults 20-44 years old	28,561	30,044	27,288
Adults 45-64 years old	16,941	18,820	15,889
Adults 60 years and older	14,868	15,799	19,693
Adults 65-74 years old	6,303	6,811	6,452
Adults 75-84 years old	3,436	3,735	4,331
Adults 85 years and older	1,045	1,284	1,494

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
OTHER SELECTED GROUPINGS BY AGE**

GROUPS	1980 TOTAL NUMBER	1990 TOTAL NUMBER	2000 TOTAL NUMBER
Residents 35 years and older	36,595	39,731	44,749
Residents in Nursing Homes	476	612	787
Residents 15-24 years old	15,920	12,917	12,041
Students residing in college dorms	1,818	1,736	1,556
Median Age	29.8	N/A	37.4

Source: Census of Population
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EMPLOYMENT IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

1992	9.8%
1993	8.6%
1994	8.5%
1995	7.8%
1996	6.8%
1997	7.2%
1998	7.3%
1999	7.1%
2000	6.3%
2001	6.6%

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES

2002	United States	New York State	Cattaraugus
January	5.6	5.8	8.5
February	5.5	5.9	8.5
March	5.7	5.9	7.9
April	6.0	6.1	7.1
May	5.8	6.2	6.5
June	5.9	6.1	6.0

2001	UNITED STATES	NEW YORK STATE	CATTARAUGUS
January	4.2	4.2	7.6
February	4.2	4.2	7.6
March	4.3	4.0	6.4
April	4.5	4.3	6.0
May	4.4	4.3	6.3
June	4.5	4.2	6.3
July	4.5	4.4	6.3
August	4.9	4.7	5.7
September	4.9	4.9	6.5
October	5.4	5.0	6.2
November	5.7	5.4	7.1
December	5.8	5.8	7.5

2000	UNITED STATES	NEW YORK STATE	CATTARAUGUS
January	4.0	4.9	8.3
February	4.1	5.3	8.1
March	4.1	5.0	6.8
April	3.9	4.6	6.3
May	4.1	4.6	5.7
June	4.0	4.5	5.7
July	4.0	4.2	5.2
August	4.1	4.5	5.2
September	3.9	4.6	5.8
October	3.8	4.4	5.7
November	4.0	4.6	6.3
December	4.0	4.5	6.4

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SOURCE: NYS Department of Labor
U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

**UNEMPLOYMENT BY MUNICIPALITY
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY 1990 VS 2000**

MUNICIPALITY	1990 (%)	2000 (%)
Allegany - Town	4.75	8.0
Allegany - Village	3.65	3.6
Ashford - Town	7.05	3.9
Carrollton - Town	7.14	4.5
Limestone - Village	7.24	4.7
Coldspring - Town	8.76	6.0
Conewango - Town	5.38	2.9
East Randolph - Village	7.14	2.5
Dayton - Town	6.60	5.0
South Dayton - Village	5.90	5.3
East Otto - Town	9.26	2.5
Ellicottville - Town	6.47	2.2
Ellicottville - Village	7.17	1.5
Farmersville - Town	11.35	5.8
Franklinville - Town	11.26	5.6
Franklinville - Village	8.82	6.6
Freedom - Town	7.64	9.1
Great Valley - Town	7.79	6.1
Hinsdale - Town	7.26	4.4
Humphrey - Town	7.33	4.2
Ischua - Town	12.14	3.2
Leon - Town	4.57	4.5
Little Valley - Town	7.03	5.1
Little Valley - Village	9.43	5.6
Lyndon - Town	5.91	4.3
Machias - Town	9.60	4.2
Mansfield - Town	4.86	4.1
Napoli - Town	8.14	4.4
New Albion - Town	6.91	3.5
Cattaraugus - Village	5.08	4.0
Olean - Town	5.89	3.3
Olean - City	8.17	3.5
Otto - Town	8.41	4.8
Perrysburg - Town	7.57	3.7
Perrysburg - Village	9.50	3.4
Persia - Town	5.56	4.1
Gowanda - Village	5.20	4.5
Portville - Town	7.28	3.3
Portville - Village	7.31	3.3
Randolph - Town	4.42	2.9
Randolph - Village	4.66	2.9
Red House - Town	0.00	0.0
Salamanca - Town	6.78	3.8
Salamanca - City	10.40	5.5
South Valley - Town	9.09	2.8
Yorkshire - Town	7.35	3.7
Delevan - Village	7.82	4.5
Allegany Indian Reservation	12.64	5.5
Cattaraugus Indian Reservation (part)	17.89	9.5
Oil Springs Indian Reservation	0.00	0.0

NOTE: Village Figures Included In Town Figures

Source: Census of Population and Housing, NYS Data Center

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
TOTAL FULL TIME & PART TIME EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY
(number of jobs)

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Total	40747	41235	42103	42085	42533
BY TYPE					
Wage & Salary	33438	33682	33342	33955	34277
Proprietor	7309	7553	7687	7854	8256
Farm Proprietor	1141	1150	1171	1199	1161
Nonfarm Proprietor	6168	6403	6516	6655	7095
BY INDUSTRY					
Farm	1514	1483	1498	1528	1500
Nonfarm	39233	39752	39531	40281	41033
PRIVATE					
Ag, services, forestry, fishing & other	387	(D)	343	384	(D)
Mining	313	292	277	309	301
Construction	1387	(D)	1396	1391	(D)
Manufacturing	7029	7106	6922	6756	6551
Transportation & public utilities	2241	2217	2173	2190	2104
Wholesale trade	1234	1214	1181	1178	1193
Retail trade	7454	7766	7526	7608	7877
Finance, insurance & real estate	1722	1779	1384	1561	1898
Services	10322	10573	10184	10180	11076
GOVERNMENT & GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES					
Federal, civilian	232	233	251	238	300
Military	180	177	196	188	172
State and Local	7184	7400	7240	7383	7586
State	1460	1473	1530	1495	1472
Local	5724	5927	5720	5888	6114

(D) Not shown to avoid disclosure of confidential information, but the estimates for this item are included in the totals.

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Source: U.S. Dept. of Commerce

**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY VS NEW YORK STATE
AVERAGE WAGE PER JOB**

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
New York State	\$36,363.00	\$38,017.00	\$39,794.00	\$41,608.00	\$44,755.00
Cattaraugus County*	\$22,704.00	\$23,408.00	\$24,333.00	\$24,671.00	\$25,138.00
Rank in State	44th	43rd	45th	50th	53rd

Note: 62 counties in State

**PRIVATE SECTOR AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE
Cattaraugus County 1989-1999**

Year	Cattaraugus County	New York State
1989	\$ 329.93	\$ 520.86
1990	\$ 348.79	\$ 549.94
1991	\$ 362.68	\$ 572.75
1992	\$ 385.85	\$ 623.20
1993	\$ 391.27	\$ 630.27
1994	\$ 399.60	\$ 637.55
1995	\$ 416.58	\$ 666.64
1996	\$ 426.15	\$ 706.05
1997	\$ 441.36	\$ 744.15
1998	\$ 458.25	\$ 791.24
1999	\$ 457.93	\$ 820.02

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce

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CLASS OF WORKERS		
	1990	2000
Private Wage and Salary Workers	26565	28290
Government Workers	6301	6531
Self-employed	2763	2758
Unpaid Family Workers	338	251

LABOR FORCE STATUS OF EMPLOYMENT (population 16 and over)		
	1990	2000
Employed		
Male	19396	19650
Female	16571	18180
Unemployed		
Male	1867	1873
Female	1087	1142
Armed Forces		
	55	23

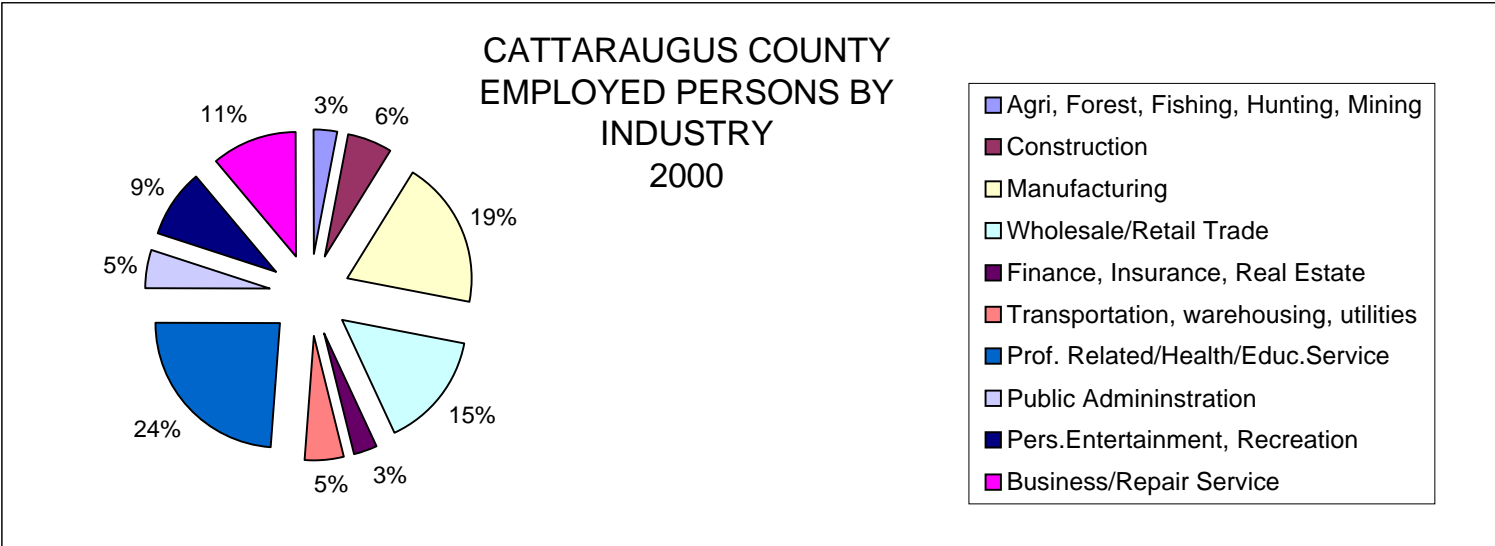
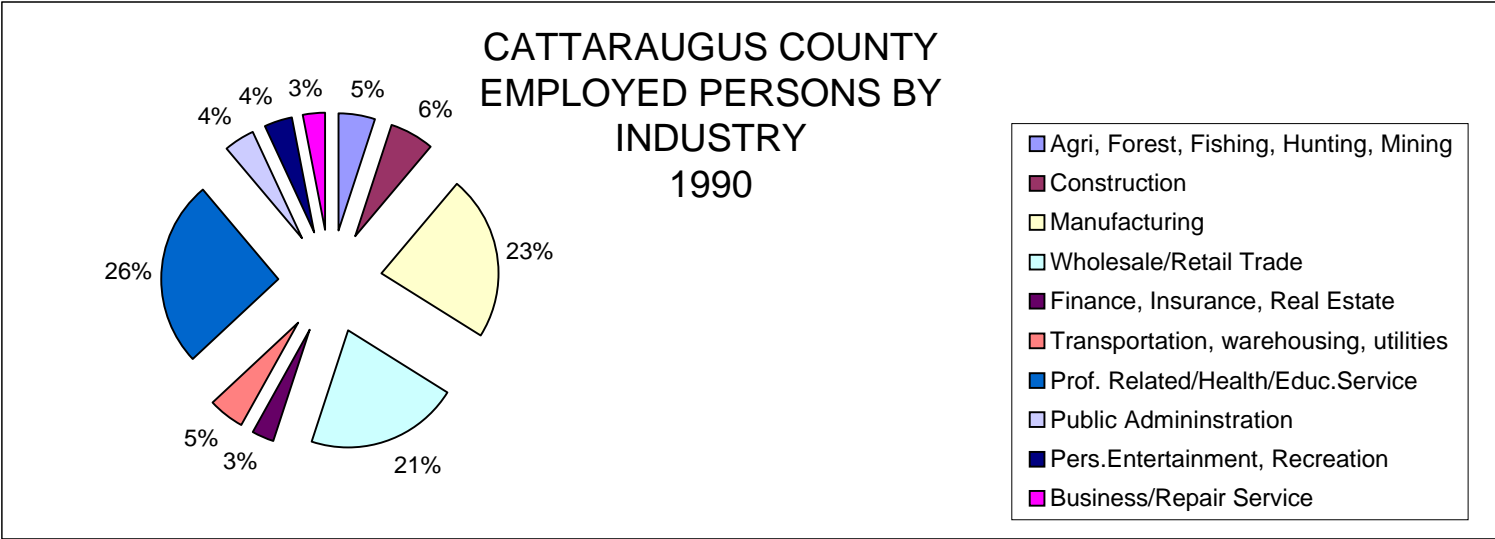
INDUSTRY (Employed Persons)		
	1990	2000
Agricultural, forestry, fishing, hunting, mining	1682	1105
Construction	2137	2163
Manufacturing	8295	7228
Wholesale trade	1036	1147
Retail Trade	6528	4659
Transportation, warehousing, utilities	761	1830
Information	na	616
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental, leasing	1212	1196
Professional, scientific, management, administrative, waste management	1843	1647
Educational, health, social services	7598	9201
Arts, entertainment, recreation, food services, accommodation	450	3520
Other services (except public administration)	1721	1723
Public Administration	1498	1795

na = information not available

Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics

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PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS FOR CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

<u>EMPLOYER</u>	<u>TYPE OF ACTIVITY</u>	<u>APPROXIMATE # OF EMPLOYEES (1)</u>
Western New York Developmental Center	Services	2600
Dresser Rand	Engines, Compressors, Gas Turbines	1100
County of Cattaraugus	Government Services	966
Olean General Hospital	Medical Facility	963
Cattaraugus-Allegany BOCES	Education Services	800
Alcas Corp.	Household & Professional Cutlery	732
West Valley Nuclear Services	Services	727
Seneca Nation of Indians	Government Services	594
St. Bonaventure University	Education	590
The Rehabilitation Center	Education Services	489
Dal Tile International	Ceramic Mosaic Floor & Wall Tile	310
Olean Advanced Products (AVX)	Ceramic Capacitors	310
Olean High School	Education	300
Dexter Electronic Materials	Epoxy Resins/Industrial Plastics	290
Salamanca Central School District	Education	280
Cooper Power Systems Group	Surge Arrestors, Fuse Cutouts	267
Olean Wholesale Grocery Co-op	Co-op	259
Tri-County Memorial Hospital	Medical Facility	230
Bush Industries	Computer Furniture/Housewares	230
SubCon Industries	Handicap Workshop	210
Fitzpatrick & Weller	Furniture, Dimension Lumber	201
Olean Medical Group	Medical Facility	200
Signore Division AVM Company	Office Furniture	200
Portville Central School	Education	200
Allegany State Park	Recreation	175
Stroehmann Bakeries	Bread, Rolls, Cakes	160
Philadelphia Furniture Manufacturing, Inc.	Wooden Household Furniture	153
TODCO	Panel Manufacturing	150
Highland Injection Molding	Plastic Injection Molder	145
Holiday Valley Resort	Resort	140 (2)
Waters of Salamanca	Nursing Home	140
Gowanda Electronics	Inductor Coils, Molded Chokes	139
Jamestown Community College	Education	131
McHone Industries	Metal Fabrication/Tubing	115
Olean Times Herald	Newspaper Publishing	102
Fibercel Corp.	Packaging Materials	78
Cherry Creek Woodcrafters	Furniture	77
Cytec	Polyurethane, Epoxy Resin Systems	75
Alcoa Closure Systems	Copying Equipment	70
Luminite Products Corp.	Printing Cylinders for Wallpaper Mfg.	69

(1) Certain employment figures have been rounded

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(2) Holiday Valley resort employment rises to 715 seasonally

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Sources: Olean Area Chamber of Commerce, Southern Tier West and certain employers listed above

PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS FOR CATTARAUGUS COUNTY-continued

<u>EMPLOYER</u>	<u>TYPE OF ACTIVITY</u>	<u>APPROXIMATE # OF EMPLOYEES (1)</u>
A.D. Bedell	Wholesale Distributor	65
Setterstix Corp.	Paper Stick Mfg.	63
Stride Tool	Specialty Hand Tools	50
Pepsi Cola Distributors	Pepsi Products	50
Larimer & Norton	White Ash Wood Products	50

(1) Certain employment figures have been rounded

(2) Holiday Valley resort employment rises to 715 seasonally

Sources: Olean Area Chamber of Commerce, Southern Tier West and certain employers listed above

Commuting to Work		
	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Workers 16 years and over	35291	36941
Car, truck or van-drove alone	24934	28305
Car, truck or van-carpoled	5350	4660
Public transportation (including taxi)	537	256
Walked	2753	2085
Other means	231	365
Worked at home	1486	1270
Average travel time to work (minutes)	18	22

Source: 1990 & 2000 Census of Population
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HOUSEHOLD/HOUSING UNITS IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

Year 2000

Total Housing Units	39,839
Homeownership	74.4%
Total Occupied Housing Units	32,023
Total Vacant Housing Units	7,816
For Sale	7.9%
For Rent	12.8%
Persons Per Household	2.52

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

Housing Units

1980 - 1990 - 2000

MUNICIPALITY	2000	1990	1980
Allegany Town	2,862	2,591	2,385
Allegany Village	833	788	743
Ashford Town	1,023	915	757
Carrollton Town	639	671	601
Limestone Village	188	189	176
Coldspring Town	371	353	401
Conewango Town	602	577	534
East Randolph Village	213	90	84
Dayton Town	836	762	736
South Dayton Village	268	245	241
East Otto Town	545	533	476
Ellicottville Town	2,097	1,786	1,219
Ellicottville Village	565	472	449
Farmersville Town	656	487	444
Franklinville Town	1,569	1,460	1,418
Franklinville Village	756	756	779
Freedom Town	1,033	753	667
Great Valley Town	1,196	1,010	836
Hinsdale Town	1,134	937	913
Humphrey Town	457	327	317
Ischua Town	496	394	348
Leon Town	464	425	353
Little Valley Town	845	827	767
Little Valley Village	513	481	491
Lyndon Town	639	410	368
Machias Town	1354	1,215	1,107
Mansfield Town	540	461	394
Napoli Town	541	486	367
New Albion Town	1,005	924	911
Cattaraugus Village	485	478	485
Olean City	7,121	7,351	7,529
Olean Town	891	860	784
Otto Town	412	342	341
Perrysburg Town	752	657	697
Perrysburg Village	162	143	158
Persia Town	1,071	1,077	1,060
Gowanda Village	835	862	839
Portville Town	1,693	1,662	1,635
Portville Village	454	377	413
Randolph Town	1,122	1,036	958
Randolph Village	590	553	535
East Randolph Village	see above	127	126
Red House Town	25	32	356
Salamanca City	2,749	2,834	2,771
Salamanca Town	238	208	223
South Valley Town	320	275	225
Yorkshire Town	1,938	1,626	1,392
Delevan Village	470	459	416
Allegany Indian Reservation	459	462	459
Cattaraugus Indian Reservation (part)	136	110	94
Oil Springs Indian Reservation	8	3	8
TOTALS	39,839	36,839	34,851

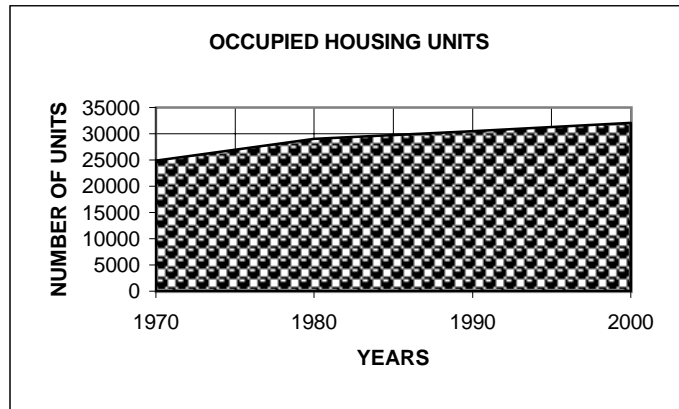
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Source: 1980, 1990 and 2000 Census of Housing

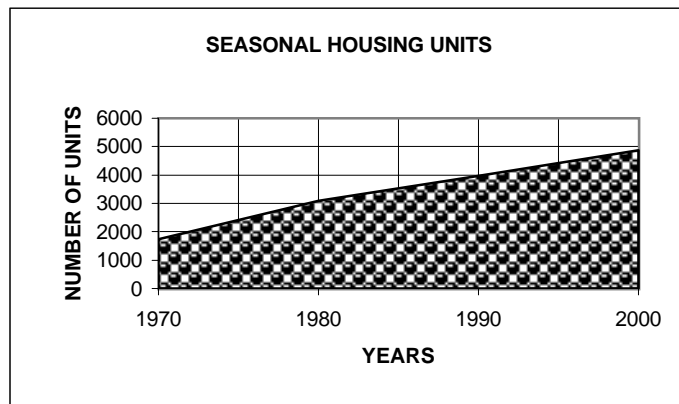
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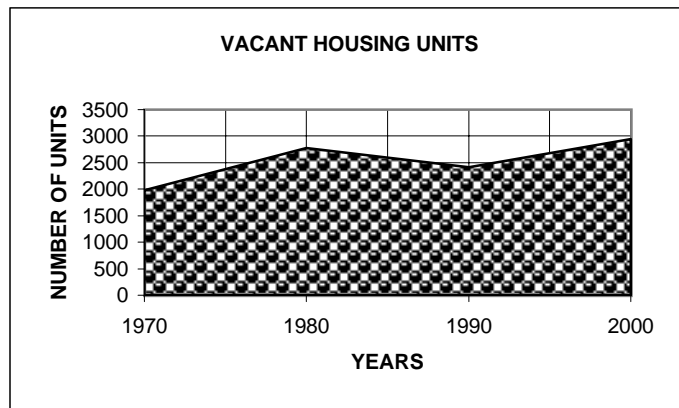
HOUSING UNITS 1970 THRU 2000



1970
Occupied 24878
Seasonal 1742
Vacant 1981



1980
Occupied 28988
Seasonal 3085
Vacant 2778

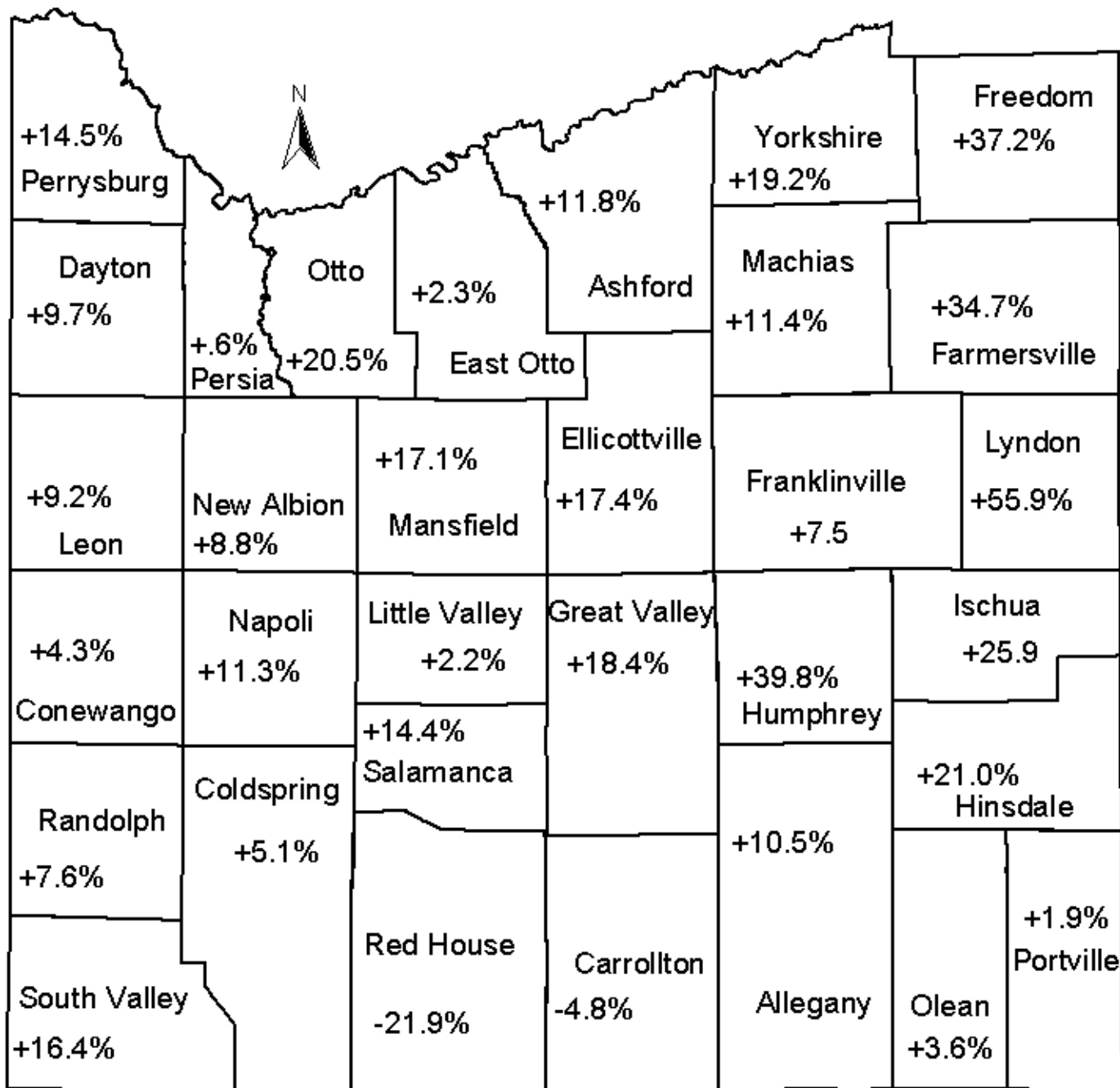


1990
Occupied 30456
Seasonal 3972
Vacant 2411

2000
Occupied 32023
Seasonal 4867
Vacant 2949

Source: Census of Population and Housing

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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
HOUSING UNITS
% INCREASE
1990 vs 2000
(Towns)**

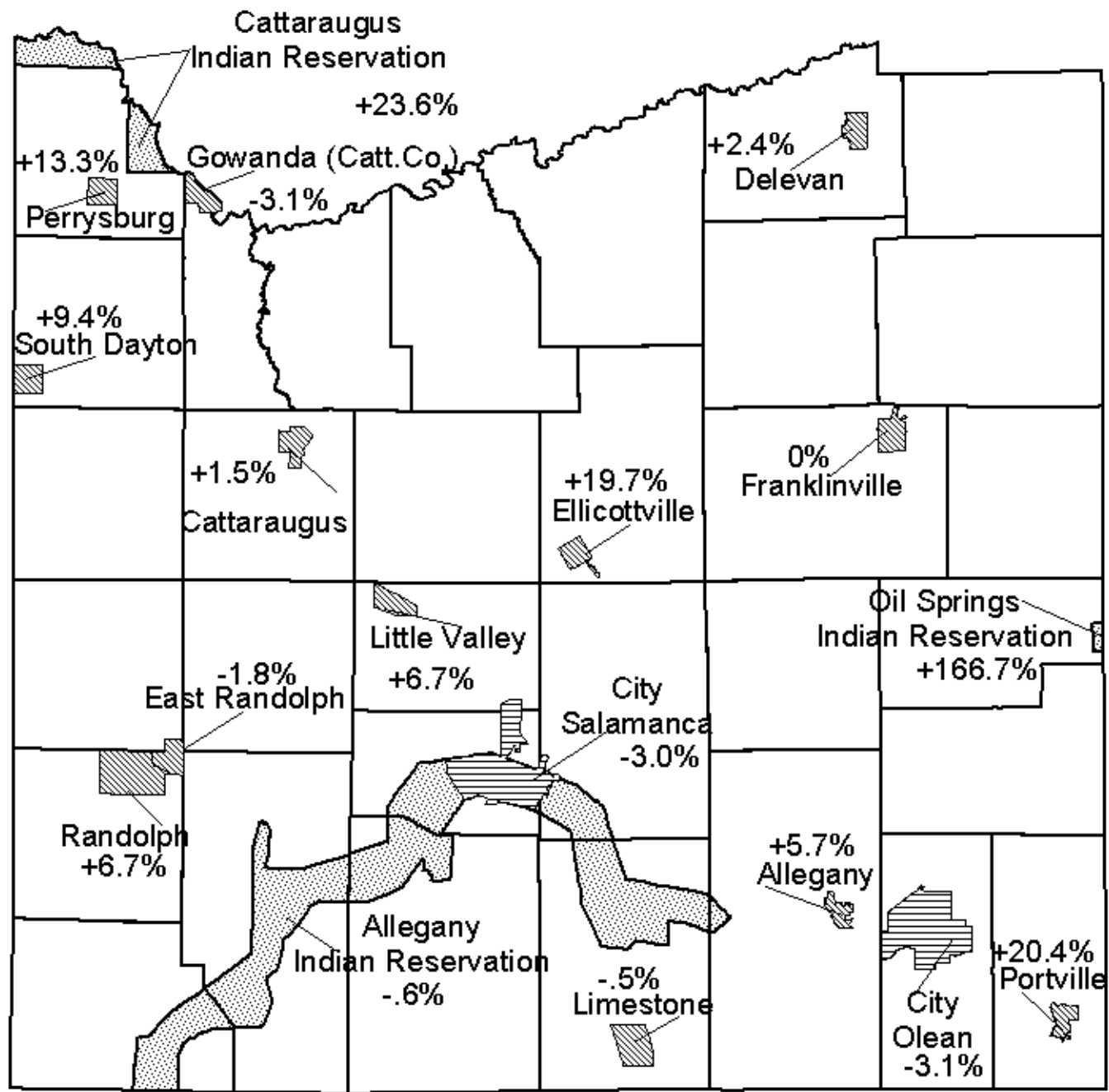
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Note: Cattaraugus County as a whole +8.1%

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Source: 1990 and 2000 Census of Population and Housing



**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
HOUSING UNITS
% INCREASE
1990 vs 2000 Census
(Villages, Cities,
Reservations)**

-  Cities
-  Villages
-  Town Boundary
-  Indian Reservation



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Source: 1990 & 2000 Census of Population & Housing

2000 HOUSING STATUS
Cattaraugus County

MUNICIPALITY	2000 TOTAL OWNER/RENTER OCCUPIED	VACANCY STATUS*						2000 TOTAL HOUSING UNITS
		FOR RENT	FOR SALE ONLY	RENTED/SOLD NOT OCCUPIED	OCCASIONAL USE	MIGRANT WORKER	OTHER VACANT	
Allegany Reservation	410	6	3	2	7	0	31	459
Allegany (T)	2,599	51	50	21	67	0	74	2,862
<i>Allegany (V)</i>	753							833
Ashford (T)	857	8	10	5	123	3	17	1,023
Carrollton (T)	553	4	9	5	49	0	19	639
<i>Limestone (V)</i>	170							188
Cattaraugus Reservation	127	3	1	1	0	0	4	136
Coldspring (T)	278	3	12	2	71	0	5	371
Conewango (T)	509	9	8	5	64	0	7	602
<i>East Randolph (V)**</i>	198							213
Dayton (T)	749	9	18	6	33	0	21	836
<i>South Dayton (V)</i>	248							268
East Otto (T)	412	4	5	5	108	0	11	545
Ellicottville (T)	770	51	25	6	1,217	0	28	2,097
<i>Ellicottville (V)</i>	242							565
Farmersville (T)	389	4	6	1	229	1	26	656
Franklinville (T)	1,205	33	21	12	259	1	38	1,569
<i>Franklinville (V)</i>	696							756
Freedom (T)	871	5	15	6	101	0	35	1,033
Great Valley (T)	843	83	18	13	208	0	31	1,196
Hinsdale (T)	861	48	28	8	117	0	72	1,134
Humphrey (T)	263	6	11	4	153	0	20	457
Ischua (T)	345	1	2	6	124	0	18	496
Leon (T)	378	4	6	3	54	0	19	464
Little Valley (T)	688	15	24	9	95	0	14	845
<i>Little Valley (V)</i>	427							513
Lyndon (T)	250	3	4	5	322	0	55	639
Machias (T)	906	26	24	7	357	0	34	1,354
Mansfield (T)	305	2	10	3	217	0	3	540
Napoli (T)	376	4	5	4	144	0	8	541

*Village figure included in town figure.

Source: Census of Housing

2000 HOUSING STATUS

Cattaraugus County

MUNICIPALITY	2000 TOTAL OWNER/RENTER OCCUPIED	VACANCY STATUS*						2000 TOTAL HOUSING UNITS
		FOR RENT	FOR SALE ONLY	RENTED/SOLD NOT OCCUPIED	OCCASIONAL USE	MIGRANT WORKER	OTHER VACANT	
New Albion (T)	808	14	26	6	134	0	17	1,005
<i>Cattaraugus (V)</i>	<i>437</i>							<i>485</i>
Oil Spring Reservation	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	8
Olean (C)	6,446	319	112	66	31	0	147	7,121
Olean (T)	827	13	16	6	10	0	19	891
Otto (T)	310	4	10	3	80	0	5	412
Perrysburg (T)	685	14	9	9	18	0	17	752
<i>Perrysburg (V)</i>	<i>146</i>							<i>162</i>
Persia (T)	961	41	21	4	18	0	26	1,071
<i>Gowanda (V) (PT) ***</i>	<i>753</i>							<i>835</i>
Portville (T)	1,545	25	30	16	41	0	36	1,693
<i>Portville (V)</i>	<i>416</i>							<i>454</i>
Randolph (T)	1,007	17	12	10	57	0	19	1,122
<i>Randolph (V)</i>	<i>550</i>							<i>590</i>
Red House (T)	14	0	0	0	6	0	5	25
Salamanca (C)	2,469	110	36	20	23	0	91	2,749
Salamanca (T)	210	1	2	2	18	0	5	238
South Valley (T)	126	0	2	2	184	0	6	320
Yorkshire (T)	1,670	64	24	10	122	0	48	1,938
<i>Delevan (V)</i>	<i>436</i>							<i>470</i>
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY	32,023	622	300	154	748	0	442	39,839

*Village figure included in town figure.

**Figure is for both Towns of Conewango and Randolph portions of Village of East Randolph

***Figures not available for Vacancy status classification, but village vacancy rate is 3.1%

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY					Estimated*** Housing Units December, 2001
Municipality	housing units*		septic system application log**		
	1990	2000	2000	2001	
Allegany	2591	2862	10	16	2888
Ashford	915	1023	15	16	1054
Carrollton	671	639	4	5	648
Coldspring	353	371	6	2	379
Conewango	577	602	3	3	608
Dayton	762	836	1	8	845
East Otto	533	545	7	1	553
Ellicottville	1786	2097	9	8	2114
Farmersville	487	656	19	12	687
Franklinville	1460	1569	12	8	1589
Freedom	753	1033	21	21	1075
Great Valley	1010	1196	11	11	1218
Hinsdale	937	1134	7	7	1148
Humphrey	327	457	8	5	470
Ischua	394	496	9	3	508
Leon	425	464	2	3	469
Little Valley	827	845	5	1	851
Lyndon	410	639	7	8	654
Machias	1215	1354	10	11	1375
Mansfield	461	540	7	10	557
Napoli	486	541	2	11	554
New Albion	924	1005	1	4	1010
Olean	860	891	3	10	904
Otto	342	412	4	3	419
Perrysburg	657	752	2	3	757
Persia	1077	1071	1	1	1073
Portville	1662	1693	2	9	1704
Randolph	1036	1122	5	5	1132
Red House	32	25	0	0	25
Salamanca	208	238	3	2	243
South Valley	275	320	5	5	330
Yorkshire	1626	1938	14	14	1966
Totals	26079	29366	215	226	29807

*list does not include City of Salamanca or Olean-area serviced by municipal sewer/water system

**Per Cattaraugus County Health Department

***Arrived at by adding number (4/2000 Census Figure) of 2000 housing units to septic system applications for 2000 and 2001.

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**MEDIAN SALE PRICE
OF EXISTING SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES**

1990	\$ 42,100.00
1990	\$ 44,520.00
1992	\$ 47,690.00
1993	\$ 46,880.00
1994	\$ 54,100.00
1995	\$ 57,446.00
1996	\$ 59,234.00
1997	\$ 66,162.00
1998	\$ 59,568.00
1999	\$ 58,690.00
2000	\$ 67,326.00

**NUMBER OF SALES
OF EXISTING SINGLE-FAMILY HOMES**

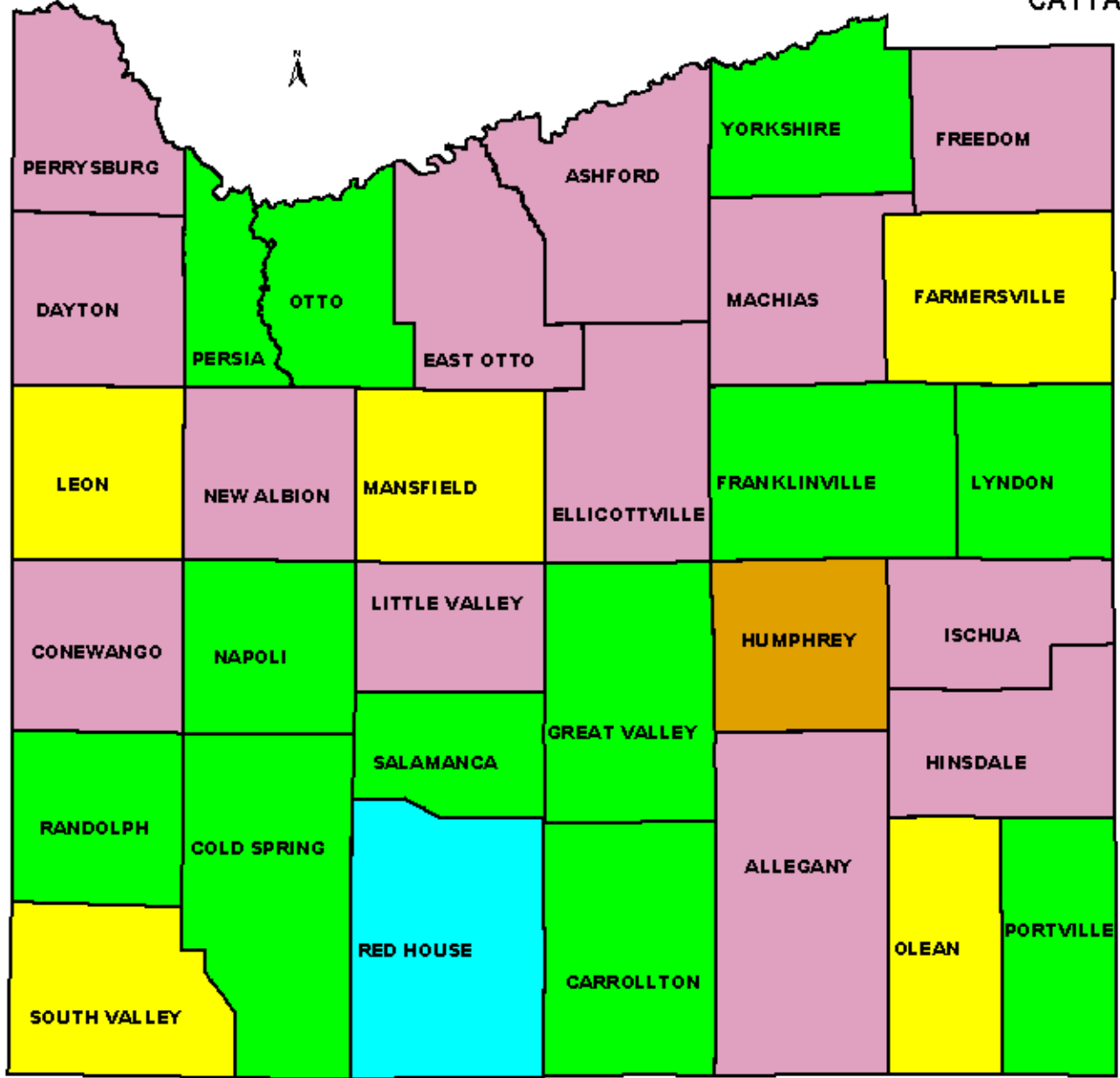
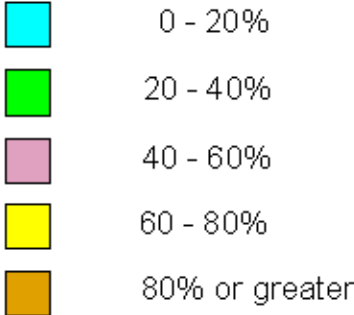
1990	NA
1991	48
1992	229
1993	61
1994	276
1995	380
1996	320
1997	260
1998	282
1999	267
2000	307

Source: NYS Statistical Yearbook/Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES

**MEDIAN VALUE INCREASE
1990 - 2000
(Owner Occupied Units)**

**PERCENT OF INCREASE
IN HOUSING UNIT
MEDIAN VALUE**



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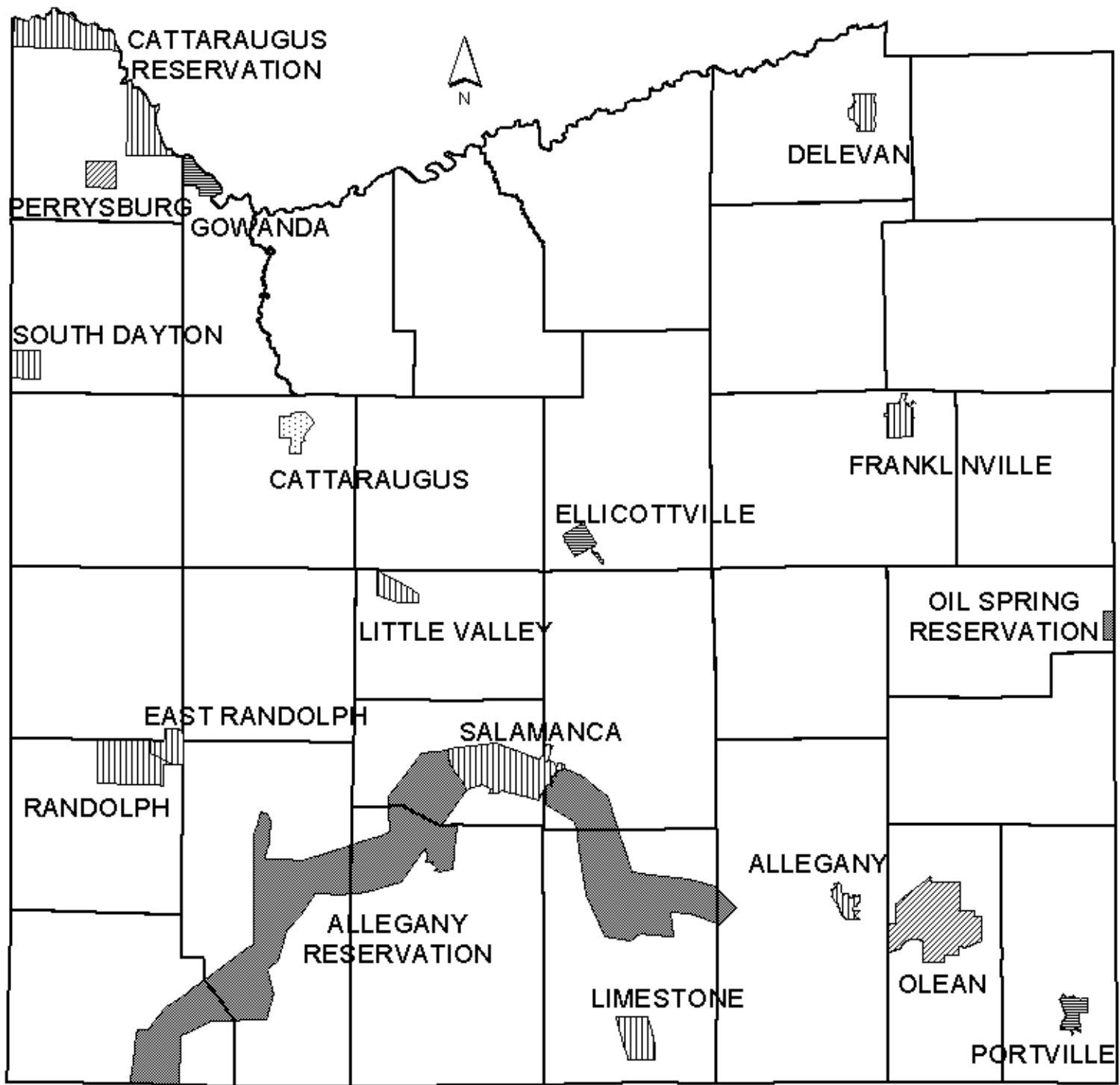
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Source: 1990 & 2000 Census of Population and Housing

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES
MEDIAN VALUE
OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS

MUNICIPALITY	MEDIAN VALUE 1990	MEDIAN VALUE 2000	% CHANGE 1990-2000
Allegany	\$ 58,000.00	\$ 82,700.00	42.59%
Ashford	\$ 49,000.00	\$ 69,900.00	42.65%
Carrollton	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 47,600.00	40.00%
Coldspring	\$ 38,400.00	\$ 49,300.00	28.39%
Conewango	\$ 34,900.00	\$ 51,500.00	47.56%
Dayton	\$ 35,100.00	\$ 51,400.00	46.44%
East Otto	\$ 42,900.00	\$ 66,300.00	54.55%
Ellicottville	\$ 74,900.00	\$ 111,200.00	48.46%
Farmersville	\$ 36,200.00	\$ 62,700.00	73.20%
Franklinville	\$ 36,100.00	\$ 49,600.00	37.40%
Freedom	\$ 48,000.00	\$ 72,700.00	51.46%
Great Valley	\$ 52,000.00	\$ 69,500.00	33.65%
Hinsdale	\$ 41,000.00	\$ 60,700.00	48.05%
Humphrey	\$ 33,600.00	\$ 63,100.00	87.80%
Ischua	\$ 37,500.00	\$ 55,000.00	46.67%
Leon	\$ 33,600.00	\$ 54,500.00	62.20%
Little Valley	\$ 38,400.00	\$ 54,000.00	40.63%
Lyndon	\$ 35,400.00	\$ 47,100.00	33.05%
Machias	\$ 46,600.00	\$ 69,300.00	48.71%
Mansfield	\$ 44,400.00	\$ 77,200.00	73.87%
Napoli	\$ 39,400.00	\$ 51,700.00	31.22%
New Albion	\$ 35,200.00	\$ 55,600.00	57.95%
Olean City	\$ 41,600.00	\$ 58,900.00	41.59%
Olean Town	\$ 45,100.00	\$ 74,300.00	64.75%
Otto	\$ 36,800.00	\$ 48,100.00	30.71%
Perrysburg	\$ 46,400.00	\$ 67,000.00	44.40%
Persia	\$ 45,100.00	\$ 55,600.00	23.28%
Portville	\$ 47,900.00	\$ 65,300.00	36.33%
Randolph	\$ 39,300.00	\$ 54,100.00	37.66%
Red House	\$ 75,000.00	\$ 75,000.00	0.00%
Salamanca City	\$ 30,300.00	\$ 41,800.00	37.95%
Salamanca Town	\$ 40,600.00	\$ 54,400.00	33.99%
South Valley	\$ 41,700.00	\$ 75,000.00	79.86%
Yorkshire	\$ 53,700.00	\$ 72,800.00	35.57%
Allegany Reservation	\$ 38,400.00	\$ 43,200.00	12.50%
Cattaraugus Reservation	\$ 44,200.00	\$ 59,200.00	33.94%
Oil Springs Reservation	-	\$ 33,800.00	0.00%
Cattaraugus County	\$ 42,100.00	\$ 60,800.00	44.40%






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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
VILLAGES/CITIES/
RESERVATION**

Median Value Increases
1990-2000
(Owner Occupied Units)

PERCENT OF INCREASE
IN HOUSING UNIT
MEDIAN VALUE

-  0 - 20%
-  20 - 30%
-  30 - 40%
-  40 - 50%
-  50% or greater

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY MUNICIPALITIES
MEDIAN VALUE
OWNER OCCUPIED UNITS

MUNICIPALITY	MEDIAN VALUE 1990	MEDIAN VALUE 2000	% CHANGE 1990-2000
Allegany Village	\$ 54,600.00	\$ 79,100.00	30.97%
Limestone Village	\$ 32,100.00	\$ 44,100.00	37.38%
East Randolph Village	\$ 43,000.00	\$ 56,500.00	31.40%
South Dayton Village	\$ 34,300.00	\$ 45,400.00	32.36%
Ellicottville Village	\$ 78,900.00	\$ 102,400.00	29.78%
Franklinville Village	\$ 35,600.00	\$ 46,900.00	31.74%
Little Valley Village	\$ 37,000.00	\$ 48,300.00	30.54%
Cattaraugus Village	\$ 34,600.00	\$ 53,800.00	55.49%
Perrysburg Village	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 59,400.00	48.50%
Gowanda Village	\$ 44,900.00	\$ 54,800.00	22.05%
Portville Village	\$ 47,300.00	\$ 58,500.00	23.68%
Randolph Village	\$ 38,500.00	\$ 53,600.00	39.22%
Delevan Village	\$ 52,200.00	\$ 70,600.00	35.25%
City of Olean	\$ 41,600.00	\$ 58,900.00	41.59%
City of Salamanca	\$ 30,300.00	\$ 41,800.00	37.95%
Allegany Reservation	\$ 38,400.00	\$ 43,200.00	12.50%
Cattaraugus Reservation	\$ 44,200.00	\$ 59,200.00	33.94%
Oil Springs Reservation	-	\$ 33,800.00	0.00%
Cattaraugus County	\$ 42,100.00	\$ 60,800.00	44.40%



Source: Census of Population
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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - YEAR 2000
(TOWNS)

MUNICIPALITY	FAMILY	NON-FAMILY	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS	MARRIED	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS UNDER 18 YEARS	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS 65 YRS & OVER
Allegany (T)	1,766	833	2,599	1,434	876	702
Ashford (T)	634	223	857	529	313	190
Carrollton (T)	553	384	169	313	195	143
Coldspring (T)	278	206	72	165	107	76
Conewango (T)	509	403	106	331	238	100
Dayton (T)	749	524	225	390	279	193
East Otto (T)	412	285	412	240	155	80
Ellicottville (T)	770	462	308	389	196	224
Farmersville (T)	282	107	389	236	141	90
Franklinville (T)	848	357	1,205	638	445	338
Freedom (T)	680	191	871	553	382	168
GreatValley (T)	597	246	843	496	275	226
Hinsdale (T)	626	235	861	502	319	200
Humphrey (T)	187	76	263	149	106	63
Ischua (T)	246	99	345	206	117	84
Leon (T)	290	88	378	251	177	80
Little Valley (T)	462	226	688	349	228	214
Lyndon (T)	187	63	250	150	89	51
Machias (T)	654	252	906	522	333	230
Mansfield (T)	235	70	305	196	104	62
Napoli (T)	293	83	376	256	148	85
New Albion (T)	548	260	808	431	294	215
Olean (T)	565	262	827	467	266	226
Otto (T)	243	67	310	201	112	66
Perrysburg (T)	488	197	685	384	220	202
Persia (T)	603	358	961	444	318	290
Portville (T)	1,122	423	1,545	888	565	446
Randolph (T)	703	304	1,007	560	355	301
Red House (T)	10	4	14	10	6	5
Salamanca (T)	160	50	210	137	259	296
South Valley (T)	90	36	126	74	29	32
Yorkshire (T)	1,123	547	1,670	893	603	395

NOTES:

- 1) Village figures included in town figures.
- 2) Family = two or more persons, including the householder, who are related by birth, marriage, or adoption and who live together as one household.
- 3) Married = family in which the householder and his/her spouse are enumerated as members of the same household.
- 4) Nonfamily = living alone or only with persons one is not related to.

Source: Census of Population
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - YEAR 2000**

(VILLAGES)

MUNICIPALITY	FAMILY	NON-FAMILY	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS	MARRIED	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS UNDER 18 YEARS	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS 65 YRS & OVER
Allegany (V)	445	308	753	359	211	207
Limestone (V)	110	60	170	86	57	48
East Randolph (V)	154	44	198	117	77	52
South Dayton (V)	164	84	248	109	101	58
Ellicottville (V)	130	112	242	105	33	74
Franklinville (V)	505	191	696	359	287	207
Little Valley (V)	266	161	427	187	147	134
Cattaraugus (V)	282	155	437	215	154	124
Perrysburg (V)	96	40	146	68	47	41
Gowanda (V) (PT)	452	301	753	317	250	231
Portville (V)	271	145	416	202	155	144
Randolph (V)	343	207	550	261	171	177
Delevan (V)	280	156	436	220	155	100

(CITIES)

MUNICIPALITY	FAMILY	NON-FAMILY	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS	MARRIED	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS UNDER 18 YEARS	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS 65 YRS & OVER
Olean	3,806	2,640	6,446	2,706	2,029	1,801
Salamanca	1,574	895	2,469	1,041	835	739

(INDIAN RESERVATIONS)

MUNICIPALITY	FAMILY	NON-FAMILY	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS	MARRIED	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS UNDER 18 YEARS	HOUSEHOLDS INDIVIDUALS 65 YRS & OVER
Allegany	280	130	410	167	154	115
Cattaraugus	95	32	127	41	70	10
Oil Springs	1	0	1	0	1	0

NOTES:

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CATTARAUGUS COUNTY HOUSEHOLDS AND FAMILIES

	2000	1990	1980
Number of Families	21,662	21,657	21,851
Persons Per Family	3.05	3.18	3.34
Number of Households	32,023	30,456	29,239
Persons Per Household	2.52	2.65	2.82
Number of 1 Person Households	8,591	7,543	6,615
Number of 2 Person Households	10,884	9,528	8,851
Number of 3 Person Households	5,053	5,023	4,781
Number of 4 Person Households	4,291	4,742	4,598
Number of 5 Person Households	2,083	2,380	2,578
Number of 6+ Person Households	1,121	1,240	1,883



HOUSEHOLD INCOME TYPES Number of Households

Type	1990	2000
Wage or salary	22378	24524
Social Security	9567	10054
Supplemental Security	n/a	1791
Public Assistance	2404	1090
Retirement	5452	6532

Source: Census of Population and Housing Characteristics
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
RATE OF NET MIGRATION OF
HOUSEHOLD POPULATION**

YEARS	PERCENT
1990-1995	-0.81
1991-1996	-0.89
1992-1997	-1.84
1993-1998	-1.99
1994-1999	-2.20
AVERAGE RATE	-1.55

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EDUCATION IN CATTARAUGUS COUNTY

Year 2000

High School Graduates	38,710
College Graduates (25 years and older)	6,634

EDUCATION ATTAINMENT				
Cattaraugus County				
Category	1970	1980	1990	2000
Persons 25 and over	43607	48963	51927	54154
Elementary: 0-8	10958	8264	4828	3112
High School: 9-11	9829	8993	8389	7078
High School Graduate	14711	19735	20917	22317
College: 1-3 years	4911	6740	11159	13593
College: 4 years or more	3198	5231	6634	8054
Percent High School Graduates	52.3%	64.8%	74.5%	81.2%
Percent Bachelor's or higher degree	N/A	10.7%	13.4%	14.9%



CATTARAUGUS COUNTY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT		
Category	1990	2000
3 years & older enrolled in school	23035	22211
Nursery School/Preschool*		1154
Kindergarten*	1613*	1202
Elementary School (1-8)**		10227
High School (9-12)**	15841**	5300
College or Graduate School	5581	4328

*Nursery School and Kindergarten Enrollment combined in 1990

**Elementary School and High School Enrollment combined in 1990

Source: Census of Population
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ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2002 Rankings of 97 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Dropout %</u>
23	West Valley	520	1.8
25	Allegany/Limestone	1548	1.6
28	Ellicottville	742	1.3
29	Portville	1239	2.1
48	Olean	2667	3.0
56	Randolph	1057	3.6
69	Yorkshire/Pioneer	3251	4.3
83	Hinsdale	532	1.3
84	Franklinville	996	2.9
89	Gowanda	999	3.8
91	Cattaraugus/Little Valley	1233	2.9
92	Salamanca	1528	4.3

BUSINESS FIRST graded 97 school districts in eight counties using 3 years of test data from the State Education Department

PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

2002 Rankings of 111 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>
22	Allegany/Limestone
35	West Valley
38	Portville
39	Olean
45	Randolph
47	Ellicottville
85	Gowanda
86	Franklinville
92	Hinsdale
95	Cattaraugus/Little Valley
101	Salamanca

Source: *Business First*

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TOP PUBLIC MIDDLE SCHOOLS

2002 Ranking of 101 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>
11	West Valley
24	Portville
29	Allegany/Limestone
35	Ellicottville
76	Olean
81	Yorkshire/Pioneer
82	Randolph
89	Salamanca
95	Hinsdale

Top Public Elementary Schools

2002 Rankings of 101 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>
38	Ellicottville
55	Portville
76	West Valley
81	Boardmanville
95	Allegany/Limestone

Private High School

2002 Rankings of 18 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>
14	Archbishop Walsh

Private Elementary Schools

2002 Rankings of 102 School Districts

<u>Ranking</u>	<u>School District</u>
54	St. Joseph-Gowanda

Source: Business First
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HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

1989/1990 THROUGH 2000/2001
(Cattaraugus County)

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>PUBLIC</u>	<u>NON-PUBLIC</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1989/90	1129	48	1177
1990/91	1058	40	1098
1991/92	1078	48	1126
1992/93	1060	54	1114
1993/94	1022	38	1060
1994/95	1066	30	1096
1995/96	986	50	1036
1996/97	1032	34	1066
1997/98	1083	39	1122
1998/99	1123	35	1158
1999/2000	1124	35	1159
2000/2001	1108	42	1150

NYS Statistical Yearbook/individual schools

COLLEGE OR GRADUATE SCHOOL*

Cattaraugus County

<u>Year</u>	<u>Enrollment</u>	<u>Graduates</u>	<u>Dropouts</u>
1995/96	3702	886	739
1996/97	3689	885	659
1997/98	3893	834	803
1998/99	4110	891	766
1999/2000	4193	1022	857
2000/2001	4031	971	649

Figures from Colleges/Universities
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HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUT RATE*
 (1985-86 THROUGH 1999-2000
 Cattaraugus County

Year	%
1985/86	3.8
1986/87	3.7
1987/88	3.2
1988/89	3.6
1989/90	4.1
1990/91	4.4
1991/92	4.2
1992/93	3.0
1993/94	2.7
1994/95	2.0
1995/96	2.4
1996/97	2.6
1997/98	2.1
1998/99	2.0
1999/00	2.1



*Percent of public high school students in grades 9 -12 who leave school prior to graduation for any reason except death and do not enter another school or high school equivalency preparation program.

Source: Census of Population

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**CRIME
IN
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY**

CATTARAUGUS COUNTY REPORTED CRIMES / ARRESTS

TYPE	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Negligent* Manslaughter	0	0	2	1	4	2	2	4	3	3	5	5
Murder*	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	2	1	3	1	1
Rape*	12	20	20	10	21	16	24	16	15	10	16	20
Robbery*	13	10	14	15	28	27	24	15	8	8	15	9
Aggravated* Assault	145	242	287	265	227	234	202	198	130	155	162	160
Burglary*	556	560	579	667	681	631	530	530	566	307	348	315
Larceny*	1,766	1,740	1,624	1,678	1,609	1,676	1,537	1457	1,324	1,184	1,297	1,330
Motor Vehicle Theft*	85	66	59	58	52	91	63	82	52	49	42	62
Drug**	41	47	46	34	60	83	83	86	81	94	92	72
DWI**	530	513	423	404	368	421	395	376	405	366	349	340

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*Reported Crimes

**Arrests

Source: NYS Division of Criminal Justice
NYS Statistical Year Book

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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
CRIMINAL JUSTICE INDICATORS
1990 - 2000**



ADULT ARRESTS

	1990	2000	% Change
Total Arrests	1,736	1,783	2.7
Total Felony	325	345	6.2
Violent	77	88	14.3
Drug	19	38	100.0
Other	229	219	-4.4
Total Misdemeanor	1,411	1,438	1.9
Drug	22	54	145.5
DWI	530	349	-34.2
Other	859	1,035	20.5

FELONY PROSECUTIONS

	1990	2000	% Change
% Prosecuted in the Upper Courts	52.3%	50.9%	
Total Indictments/SCIs	206	236	14.6
Violent	44	30	-31.8
Drug	20	66	230.0
Other	142	140	-1.4

CONVICTIONS

	1990	2000	% Change
Total Convictions	934	1,054	12.8
Conviction Rate (% of Disposed)	76.6%	71.4%	
Felony	121	169	39.7
Misdemeanor	522	488	-4.6
Lesser	291	386	32.6

SENTENCES

	1990	2000	% Change
Total Incarcerations	170	295	73.5
Incarceration Rate (% of Convictions)	18.2%	28.0%	
Prison	26	72	176.9
Jail	120	168	40.0
Jail and Probation	24	55	129.2
Probation	158	166	5.1
Fine	479	457	-4.6
Other	127	136	7.1

Source: NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services
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**CATTARAUGUS COUNTY
SHERIFF DEPARTMENT
2001 Activities**

DISCIPLINE

School Resource Officer

1090 children counseling sessions
227 parent conseling sessions
702 classroom lectures
5 felony arrests
29 misdemeanor arrests
12 violations issued

K-9 Program*

120 response calls

Pistol Permits**

4224 transactions

County Jail

4224 inmates

Patrol Division

16231 response calls
2330 traffic tickets
1021 arrests
743 motor vehicles accidents investigated
481 bugler alarm response calls
127 DWI arrests

Detective Division

456 felony complaints
\$75000 stolen property recovered

Drug Task Force

334 drug related investigations
213 arrests

Domestic Violence

297 domestic incidents
24 arrests

*includes four dogs and two handles.

**processing new applications to adding and removing guns from permits, to issuing photo identification.

Source: Cattaraugus County Sheriff Department Annual Report

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Sheriff Dept. 2001 Activities - cont'd.

Juvenile

107 arrests

Welfare Fraud

24 arrests

Department of Aging

48 program presentation

120 elderly complaints investigated

4 arrests fir elderly abuse

CATTFIT

69 fires investigated

Communications

12651 emergency calls



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