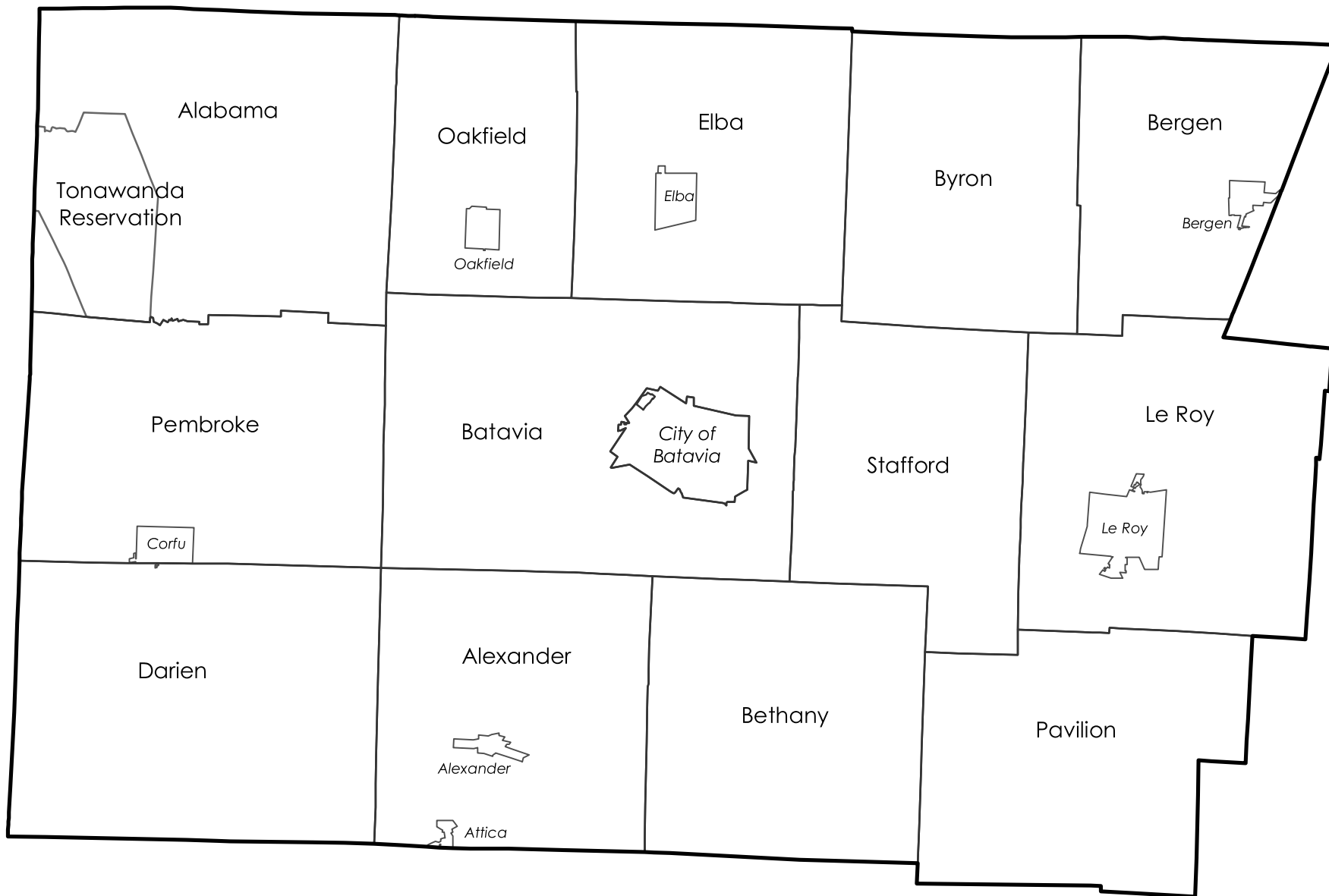


GENESEE COUNTY



V. Genesee County Trends

Genesee County is made up of 13 towns, 6 villages, the City of Batavia, and the Tonawanda Reservation. From 1960 to 1970 the population increased by 4,728, but has increased at a much slower rate since then. From 1990 to 2000 the population increased by only 310 people. This declining rate of increase has caused the county projection as a whole to begin showing a loss in population by 2010. As a percentage, the total loss through 2040 is projected to be 2.7 % with no decade having a loss of more than 1.0% from the previous decade.

It is projected that the towns that will have the greatest increase in population will be Bergen, Byron, and LeRoy. These three towns, located in the northeast corner of Genesee County, have adequate land still available for residential development and will likely see some migration from Monroe County. The numbers are not drastic, but the population has historically been stable and will likely continue to be so in the future.

With a current population of over 16,000 people, the City of Batavia is the center of Genesee County. Although the historical trend has shown the decreasing population rate to be declining, the projection still has the city losing population in the future. The City of Batavia has decreased in population by almost 2,000 people since 1960 and is projected to lose 1,200 more by the year 2040. This may seem high, but the average decennial percent change is only a 2.0% decrease. A good number of city residents are projected to migrate into the Town of Batavia, which has a slight projected increase in population after losing 140 people between 1990 and 2000. The remaining towns and villages within Genesee County are projected to remain relatively stable, increasing or decreasing at an average rate around 1.0%.

Historical and Projected Population for Genesee County
1960 - 2040

Population & Projections	Historical					Projected			
	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	2020	2030	2040
Genesee County	53,994	58,722	59,400	60,060	60,370	60,237	59,772	59,274	58,753
<i>Corfu (V all)</i>	616	722	689	755	795	796	792	788	784
Town of Alabama	1,931	1,872	1,926	1,998	1,881	1,854	1,834	1,814	1,795
Town of Alexander	1,652	1,875	1,868	1,778	1,852	1,845	1,828	1,812	1,795
Alexander (V)	335	474	483	445	481	484	484	484	483
Attica (V part)	0	2	16	10	118	121	123	123	125
City of Batavia	18,210	17,338	16,703	16,310	16,256	16,005	15,675	15,336	15,001
Town of Batavia	4,325	5,440	5,565	6,055	5,915	5,954	5,970	5,954	5,921
Town of Bergen	1,032	1,263	1,592	1,691	1,942	1,997	2,010	2,025	2,036
Bergen (V)	964	1,018	976	1,103	1,240	1,275	1,286	1,299	1,309
Town of Bethany	1,569	1,978	1,876	1,808	1,760	1,737	1,728	1,727	1,728
Town of Byron	1,589	2,020	2,242	2,345	2,493	2,550	2,560	2,570	2,574
Town of Darien	2,357	2,745	2,950	2,979	3,048	3,059	3,048	3,036	3,022
Corfu (V part)	0	0	0	0	13	13	13	13	14
Town of Elba	1,521	1,560	1,737	1,704	1,743	1,739	1,725	1,712	1,698
Elba (V)	739	752	750	703	696	687	677	666	657
Town of Leroy	2,117	2,873	3,119	3,202	3,328	3,381	3,405	3,419	3,426
Leroy (V)	4,662	5,118	4,900	4,974	4,462	4,411	4,362	4,324	4,290
Town of Oakfield	1,318	1,400	1,422	1,494	1,398	1,391	1,378	1,366	1,352
Oakfield (V)	2,070	1,964	1,791	1,818	1,805	1,770	1,733	1,699	1,668
Town of Pavilion	1,721	2,122	2,375	2,327	2,467	2,484	2,484	2,481	2,475
Town of Pembroke	2,835	3,237	3,457	3,477	3,748	3,759	3,745	3,729	3,710
Corfu (V part)	616	722	689	755	782	783	779	775	770
Town of Stafford	2,005	2,461	2,508	2,593	2,409	2,390	2,381	2,376	2,382
Tonawanda Indian Res	426	488	455	491	533	548	544	534	522

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Source: 1960 - 2000 US Census Bureau

Historical and Projected Net Change for Genesee County

Decennial Changes	1960-70 Net	1970-80 Net	1980-90 Net	1990-00 Net	2000-10 Net	2010-20 Net	2020-30 Net	2030-40 Net
Genesee County	4,728	678	660	310	-133	-465	-498	-521
<i>Corfu (V all)</i>	106	-33	66	40	1	-4	-4	-4
Town of Alabama	-59	54	72	-117	-27	-20	-20	-19
Town of Alexander	223	-7	-90	74	-7	-17	-16	-17
Alexander (V)	139	9	-38	36	3	0	0	-1
Attica (V part)	2	14	-6	108	3	2	0	2
City of Batavia	-872	-635	-393	-54	-251	-330	-339	-335
Town of Batavia	1,115	125	490	-140	39	16	-16	-33
Town of Bergen	231	329	99	251	55	13	15	11
Bergen (V)	54	-42	127	137	35	11	13	10
Town of Bethany	409	-102	-68	-48	-23	-9	-1	1
Town of Byron	431	222	103	148	57	10	10	4
Town of Darien	388	205	29	69	11	-11	-12	-14
Corfu (V part)	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	1
Town of Elba	39	177	-33	39	-4	-14	-13	-14
Elba (V)	13	-2	-47	-7	-9	-10	-11	-9
Town of Leroy	756	246	83	126	53	24	14	7
Leroy (V)	456	-218	74	-512	-51	-49	-38	-34
Town of Oakfield	82	22	72	-96	-7	-13	-12	-14
Oakfield (V)	-106	-173	27	-13	-35	-37	-34	-31
Town of Pavilion	401	253	-48	140	17	0	-3	-6
Town of Pembroke	402	220	20	271	11	-14	-16	-19
Corfu (V Part)	106	-33	66	27	1	-4	-4	-5
Town of Stafford	456	47	85	-184	-19	-9	-5	6
Tonawanda Indian Res	62	-33	36	42	15	-4	-10	-12

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Historical and Projected Percent Change for Genesee County

Decennial Changes	1960-70 Percent	1970-80 Percent	1980-90 Percent	1990-00 Percent	2000-10 Percent	2010-20 Percent	2020-30 Percent	2030-40 Percent
Genesee County	8.8%	1.2%	1.1%	0.5%	-0.2%	-0.8%	-0.8%	-0.9%
Corfu (V all)	17.2%	-4.6%	9.6%	5.3%	0.1%	-0.5%	-0.5%	-0.5%
Town of Alabama	-3.1%	2.9%	3.7%	-5.9%	-1.4%	-1.1%	-1.1%	-1.0%
Town of Alexander	13.5%	-0.4%	-4.8%	4.2%	-0.4%	-0.9%	-0.9%	-0.9%
Alexander (V)	41.5%	1.9%	-7.9%	8.1%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	-0.2%
Attica (V part)	0.0%	700.0%	-37.5%	1080.0%	2.5%	1.7%	0.0%	1.6%
City of Batavia	-4.8%	-3.7%	-2.4%	-0.3%	-1.5%	-2.1%	-2.2%	-2.2%
Town of Batavia	25.8%	2.3%	8.8%	-2.3%	0.7%	0.3%	-0.3%	-0.6%
Town of Bergen	22.4%	26.0%	6.2%	14.8%	2.8%	0.7%	0.7%	0.5%
Bergen (V)	5.6%	-4.1%	13.0%	12.4%	2.8%	0.9%	1.0%	0.8%
Town of Bethany	26.1%	-5.2%	-3.6%	-2.7%	-1.3%	-0.5%	-0.1%	0.1%
Town of Byron	27.1%	11.0%	4.6%	6.3%	2.3%	0.4%	0.4%	0.2%
Town of Darien	16.5%	7.5%	1.0%	2.3%	0.4%	-0.4%	-0.4%	-0.5%
Corfu (V part)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.7%
Town of Elba	2.6%	11.3%	-1.9%	2.3%	-0.2%	-0.8%	-0.8%	-0.8%
Elba (V)	1.8%	-0.3%	-6.3%	-1.0%	-1.3%	-1.5%	-1.6%	-1.4%
Town of Leroy	35.7%	8.6%	2.7%	3.9%	1.6%	0.7%	0.4%	0.2%
Leroy (V)	9.8%	-4.3%	1.5%	-10.3%	-1.1%	-1.1%	-0.9%	-0.8%
Town of Oakfield	6.2%	1.6%	5.1%	-6.4%	-0.5%	-0.9%	-0.9%	-1.0%
Oakfield (V)	-5.1%	-8.8%	1.5%	-0.7%	-1.9%	-2.1%	-2.0%	-1.8%
Town of Pavilion	23.3%	11.9%	-2.0%	6.0%	0.7%	0.0%	-0.1%	-0.2%
Town of Pembroke	14.2%	6.8%	0.6%	7.8%	0.3%	-0.4%	-0.4%	-0.5%
Corfu (V Part)	17.2%	-4.6%	9.6%	3.6%	0.1%	-0.5%	-0.5%	-0.6%
Town of Stafford	22.7%	1.9%	3.4%	-7.1%	-0.8%	-0.4%	-0.2%	0.3%
Tonawanda Indian Res	14.6%	-6.8%	7.9%	8.6%	2.8%	-0.7%	-1.8%	-2.2%

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Towns of Genesee County Trend from 1960-2040

