

Snapshot of Ghent Town, Columbia County, New York

Status on April 1st>>>	1990 Census	2000 Census	% change
Total population	4,812	5,276	9.64%
Median family income	36,827	52,096	41.46%
Families below poverty level	38	32	-15.79%
% Unemployed	2.00	1.75	-12.50%
Total households			
	1,865	2,020	8.31%
Single parent households	165	192	16.36%
Grandparents as caregivers	(Not Available in 1990)	35	
Language spoken at home			
· English only	4,314	4,720	9.41%
· Other than English	158	259	63.92%
· Spanish	30	32	6.67%
Ethnic groups represented (persons indicating one race only)			
· White	4,718	5,114	8.39%
· African American	53	58	9.43%
· Hispanic	47	71	51.06%
· Asian	15	10	-33.33%
Seasonal homes			
	130	224	72.31%
Different residence 5 yrs. prior (persons 5 yrs. & older)			
	1,360	1,719	26.40%
Age (see full report for more specific breakdown of ages)			
· Under 5	345	297	-13.91%
· 5-24 years	1,244	1,282	3.05%
· 25-44 years	1,477	1,428	-3.32%
· 45-59 years	754	1,131	50.00%
· 65 and older	780	906	16.15%

The full report is available at:

<http://factfinder.census.gov/>

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