

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

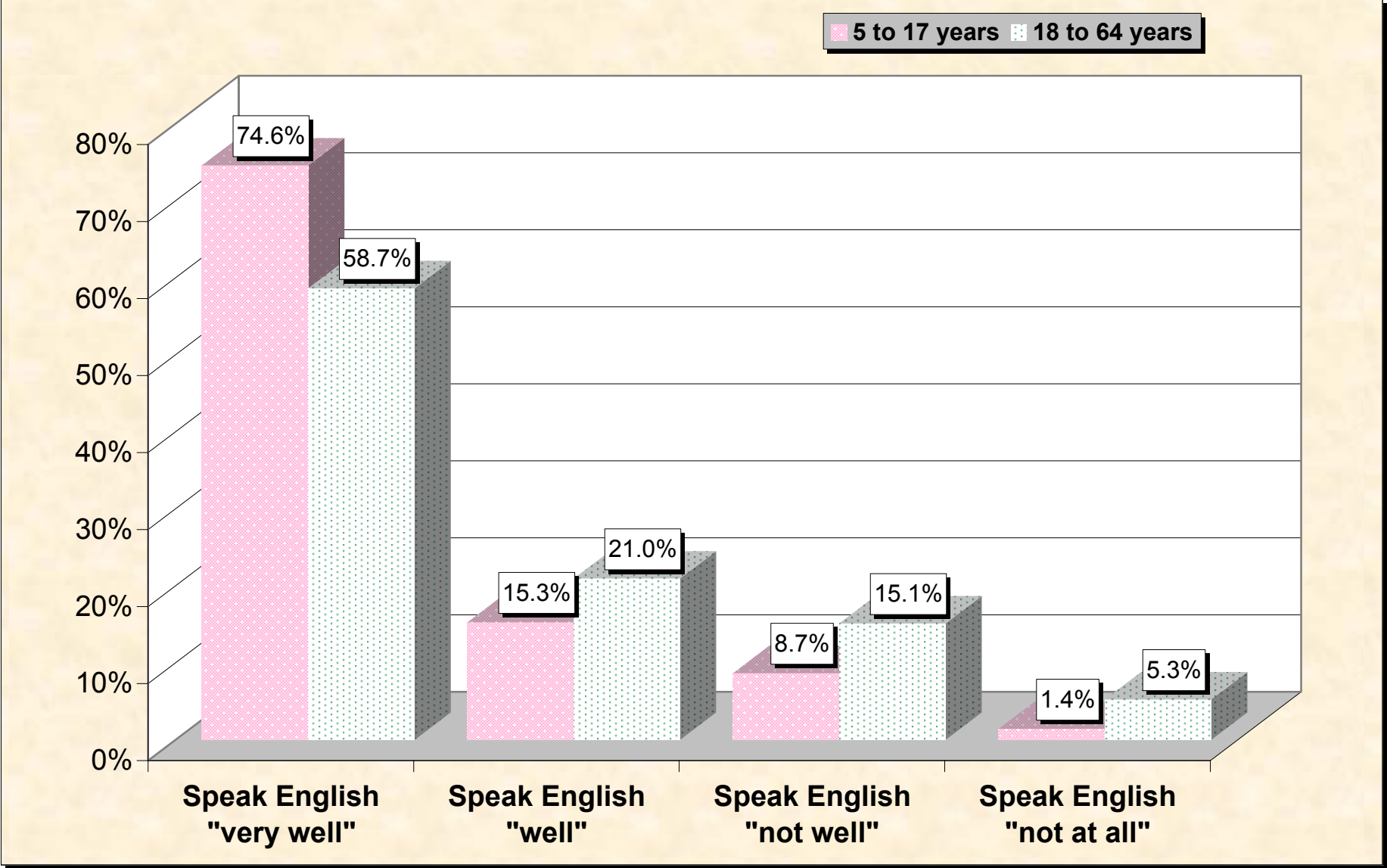
Broward County, Florida

Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data

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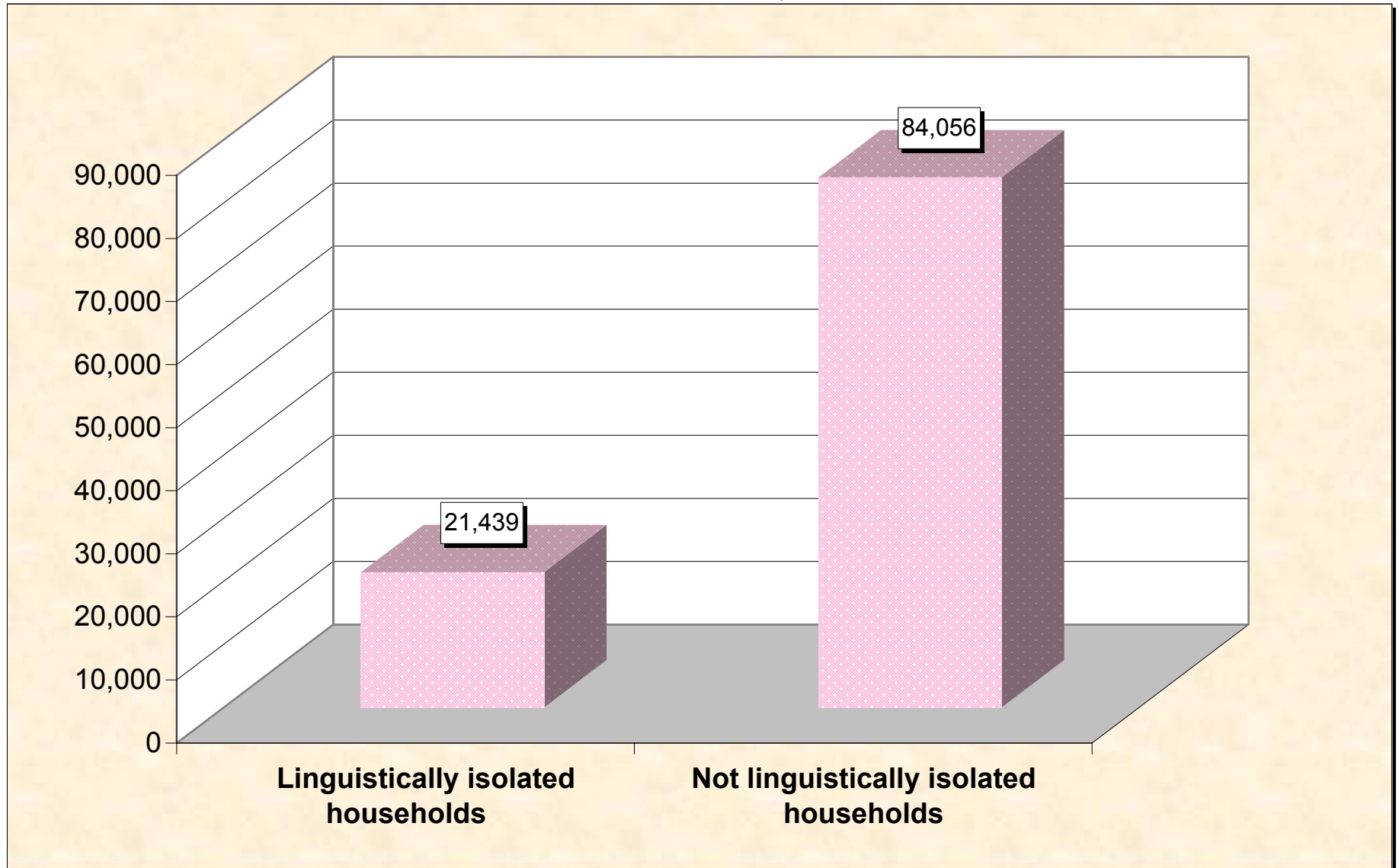
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Broward County, Florida



Source: Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data - P19. AGE BY LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME BY ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH FOR THE POPULATION 5 YEARS AND OVER [67] - Universe: Population 5 years and over

Chart 2 -- Linguistic Isolation of Spanish Language Households Broward County, Florida



Note: A **linguistically isolated Spanish language household** is one in which **no member** 14 years old and over (1) speaks only English or (2) speaks Spanish and speaks English "very well." In other words, all members 14 years old and over have at least some difficulty with English.

AGE BY LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME BY ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH FOR THE POPULATION 5 YEARS AND OVER

source data for Chart 1

Broward County, Florida

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
	1,520,842		
	279,285	981,148	260,409
Speak only English	198,834	677,752	206,455
Speak Spanish:	50,271	179,315	18,621
Speak English "very well"	37,505	105,173	6,171
Speak English "well"	7,680	37,584	4,605
Speak English "not well"	4,366	27,130	4,771
Speak English "not at all"	720	9,428	3,074
Speak other Indo-European languages:	25,664	100,582	31,171
Speak English "very well"	19,359	57,279	19,187
Speak English "well"	4,462	26,402	7,165
Speak English "not well"	1,614	14,511	3,635
Speak English "not at all"	229	2,390	1,184
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	2,731	14,459	1,340
Speak English "very well"	1,945	7,495	458
Speak English "well"	545	4,085	265
Speak English "not well"	229	2,458	402
Speak English "not at all"	12	421	215
Speak other languages:	1,785	9,040	2,822
Speak English "very well"	1,487	6,760	1,657
Speak English "well"	186	1,747	835
Speak English "not well"	90	435	312
Speak English "not at all"	22	98	18

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Broward County, Florida
Total:	654,787
English	457,150
Spanish:	105,495
Linguistically isolated	21,439
Not linguistically isolated	84,056
Other Indo-European languages:	76,686
Linguistically isolated	16,360
Not linguistically isolated	60,326
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	8,059
Linguistically isolated	2,155
Not linguistically isolated	5,904
Other languages:	7,397
Linguistically isolated	1,153
Not linguistically isolated	6,244

Note: A **linguistically isolated household** is one in which **no member** 14 years old and over (1) speaks only English or (2) speaks a non-English language and speaks English "very well." In other words, all members 14 years old and over have at least some difficulty with English.

Source: Data Set: Census 2000 Summary File 3 (SF 3) - Sample Data - P20. HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION [14] - Universe: Households