

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

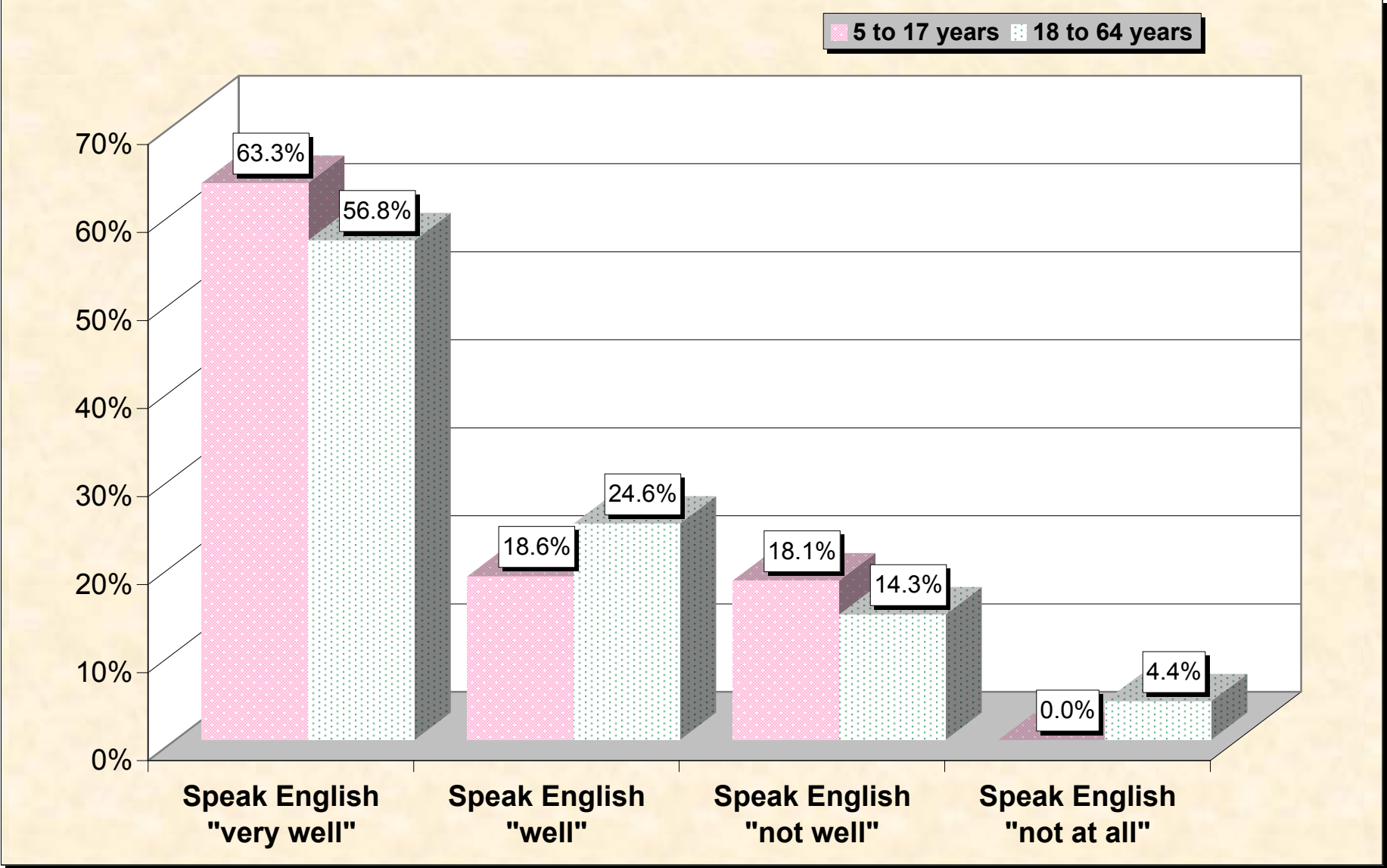
Columbia County, Florida

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

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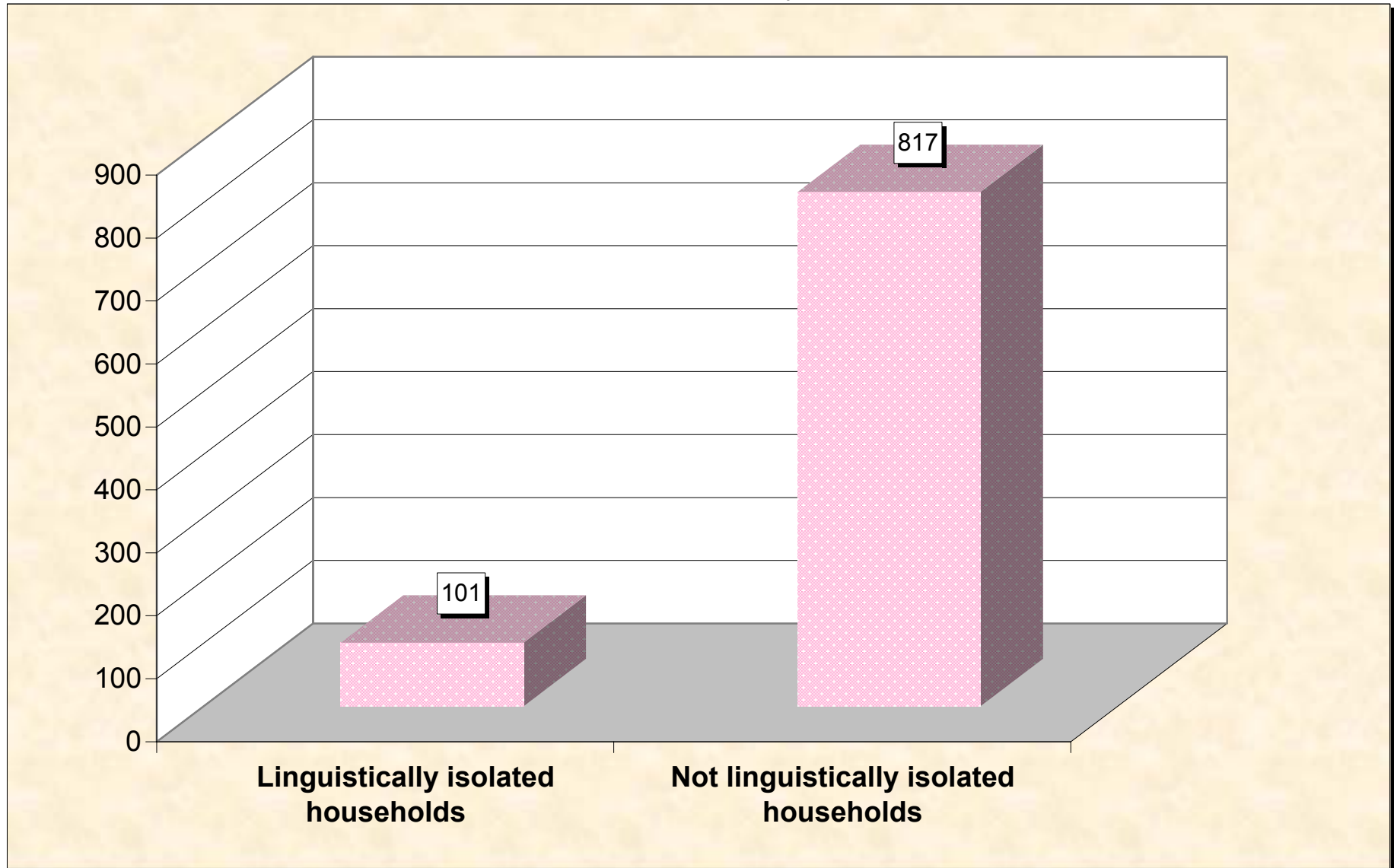
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Columbia County, Florida



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 Columbia 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

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	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
52,904			
	10,690	34,293	7,921
Speak only English	10,214	32,415	7,592
Speak Spanish:	414	1,094	132
Speak English "very well"	262	621	50
Speak English "well"	77	269	38
Speak English "not well"	75	156	37
Speak English "not at all"	0	48	7
Speak other Indo-European languages:	44	473	185
Speak English "very well"	37	384	117
Speak English "well"	7	41	57
Speak English "not well"	0	48	11
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	18	233	12
Speak English "very well"	18	135	0
Speak English "well"	0	78	12
Speak English "not well"	0	20	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak other languages:	0	78	0
Speak English "very well"	0	68	0
Speak English "well"	0	10	0
Speak English "not well"	0	0	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Columbia County, Florida
Total:	20,954
English	19,358
Spanish:	918
Linguistically isolated	101
Not linguistically isolated	817
Other Indo-European languages:	500
Linguistically isolated	19
Not linguistically isolated	481
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	143
Linguistically isolated	28
Not linguistically isolated	115
Other languages:	35
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	35

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