

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

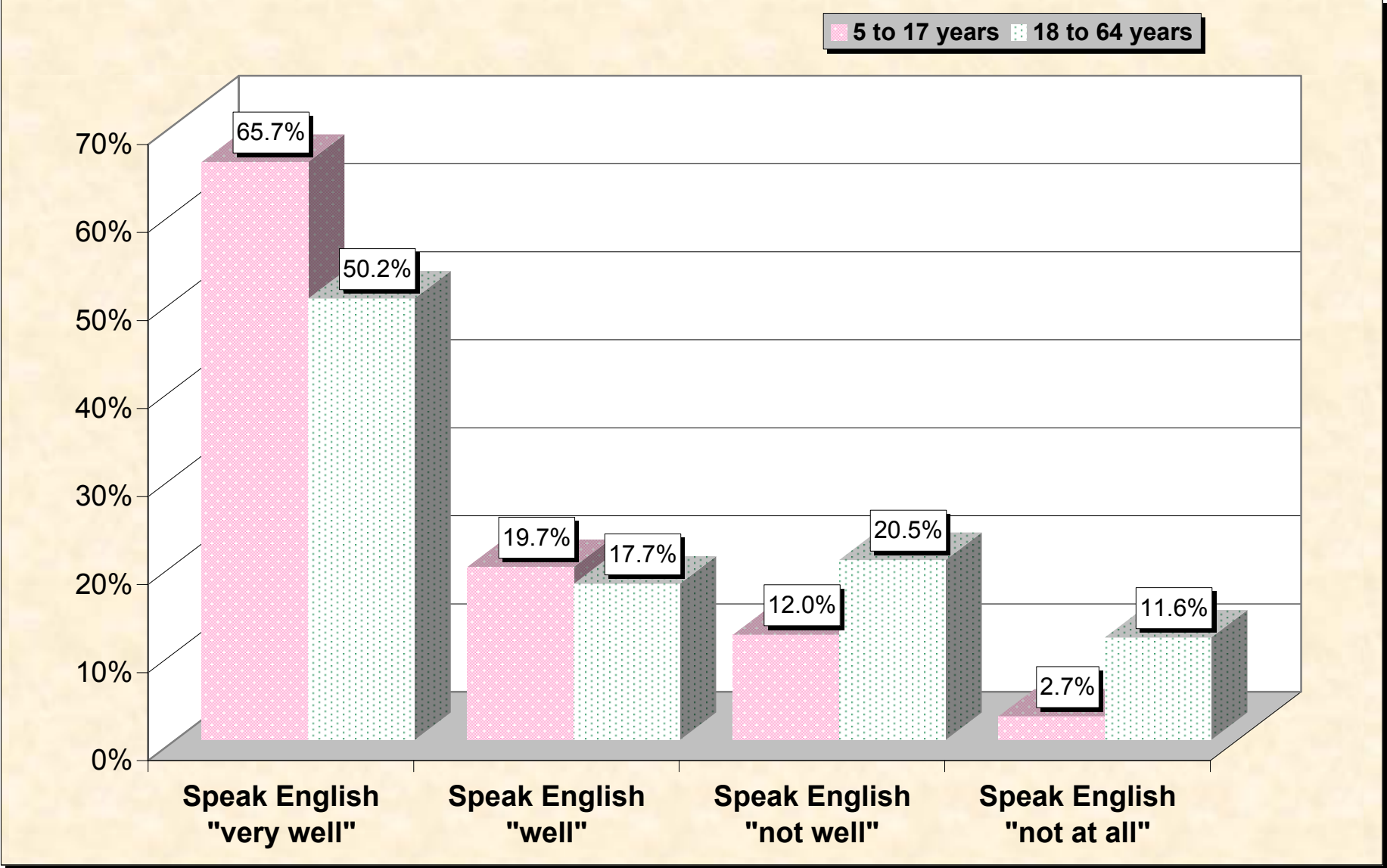
Idaho

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

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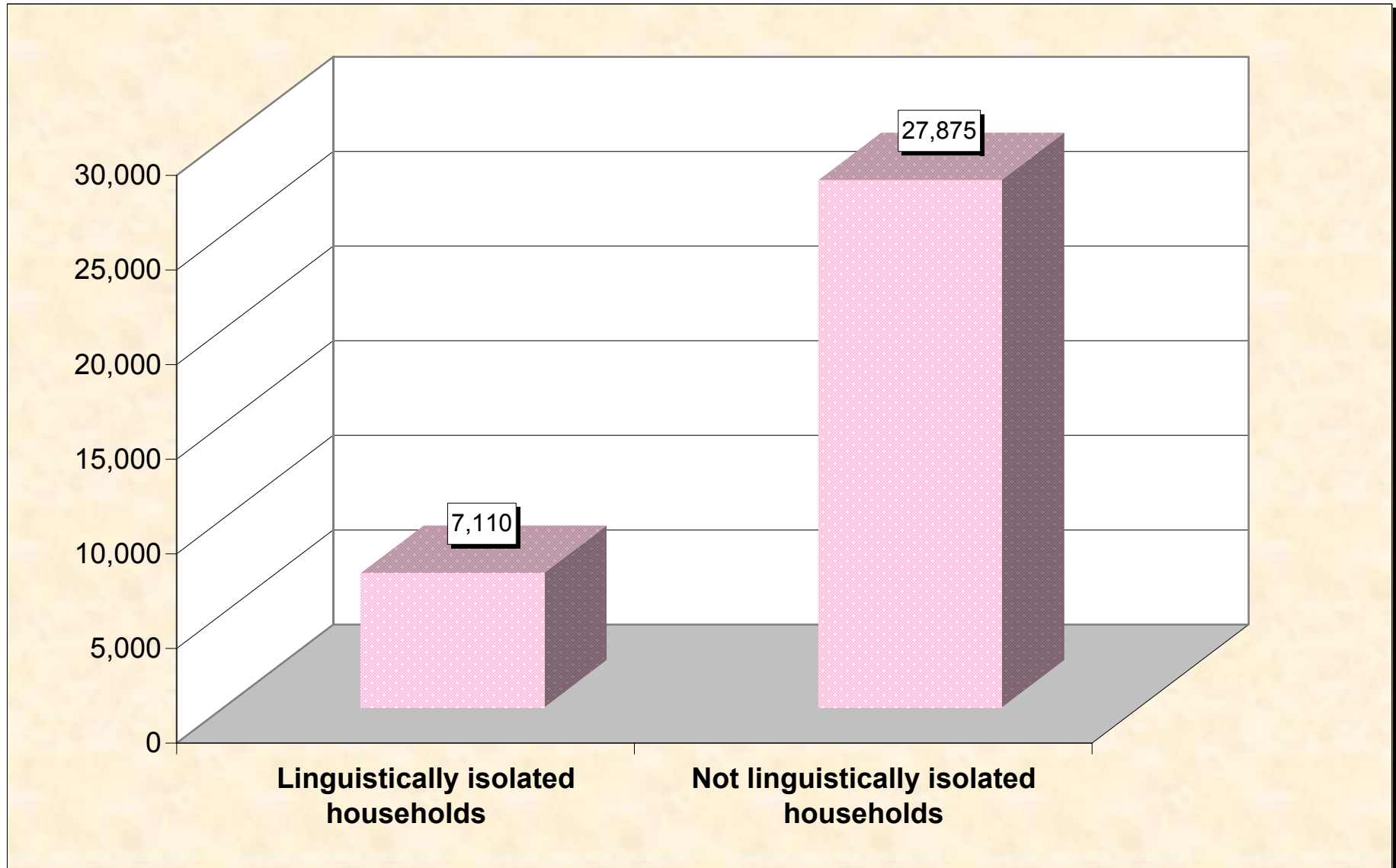
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Idaho



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 Idaho



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

	Idaho		
	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
	1,196,793		
	270,971	779,877	145,945
Speak only English	244,389	701,545	138,980
Speak Spanish:	21,553	55,823	2,865
Speak English "very well"	14,155	28,002	1,625
Speak English "well"	4,239	9,904	523
Speak English "not well"	2,580	11,416	390
Speak English "not at all"	579	6,501	327
Speak other Indo-European languages:	3,221	13,448	2,791
Speak English "very well"	2,326	9,892	1,781
Speak English "well"	575	2,002	590
Speak English "not well"	295	1,435	292
Speak English "not at all"	25	119	128
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	1,157	6,399	549
Speak English "very well"	818	3,450	284
Speak English "well"	252	1,825	158
Speak English "not well"	87	945	72
Speak English "not at all"	0	179	35
Speak other languages:	651	2,662	760
Speak English "very well"	471	1,979	557
Speak English "well"	128	531	147
Speak English "not well"	43	134	44
Speak English "not at all"	9	18	12

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Idaho
Total:	470,133
English	415,491
Spanish:	34,985
Linguistically isolated	7,110
Not linguistically isolated	27,875
Other Indo-European languages:	12,667
Linguistically isolated	1,183
Not linguistically isolated	11,484
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	4,657
Linguistically isolated	786
Not linguistically isolated	3,871
Other languages:	2,333
Linguistically isolated	183
Not linguistically isolated	2,150

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