

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

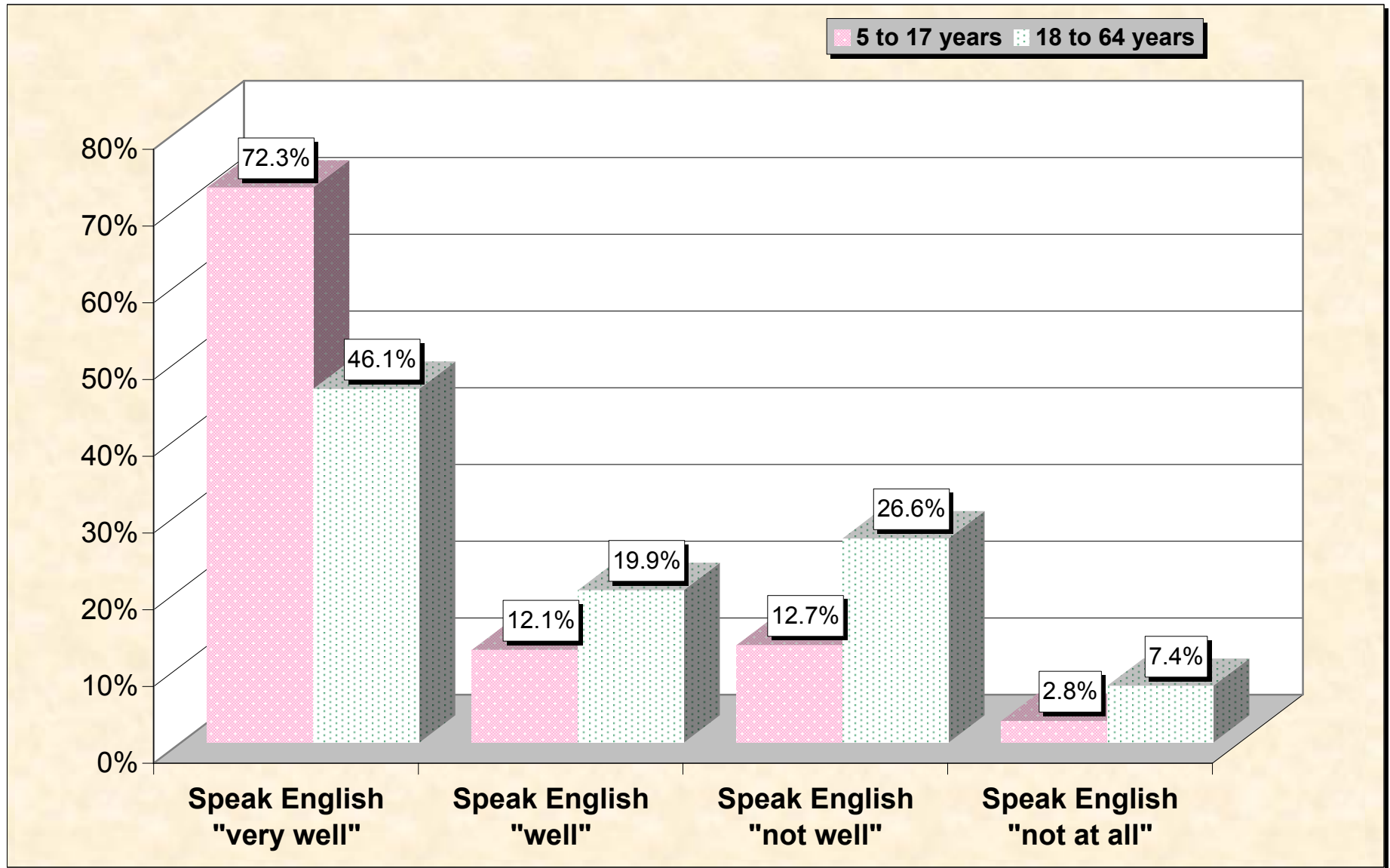
Austin County, Texas

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

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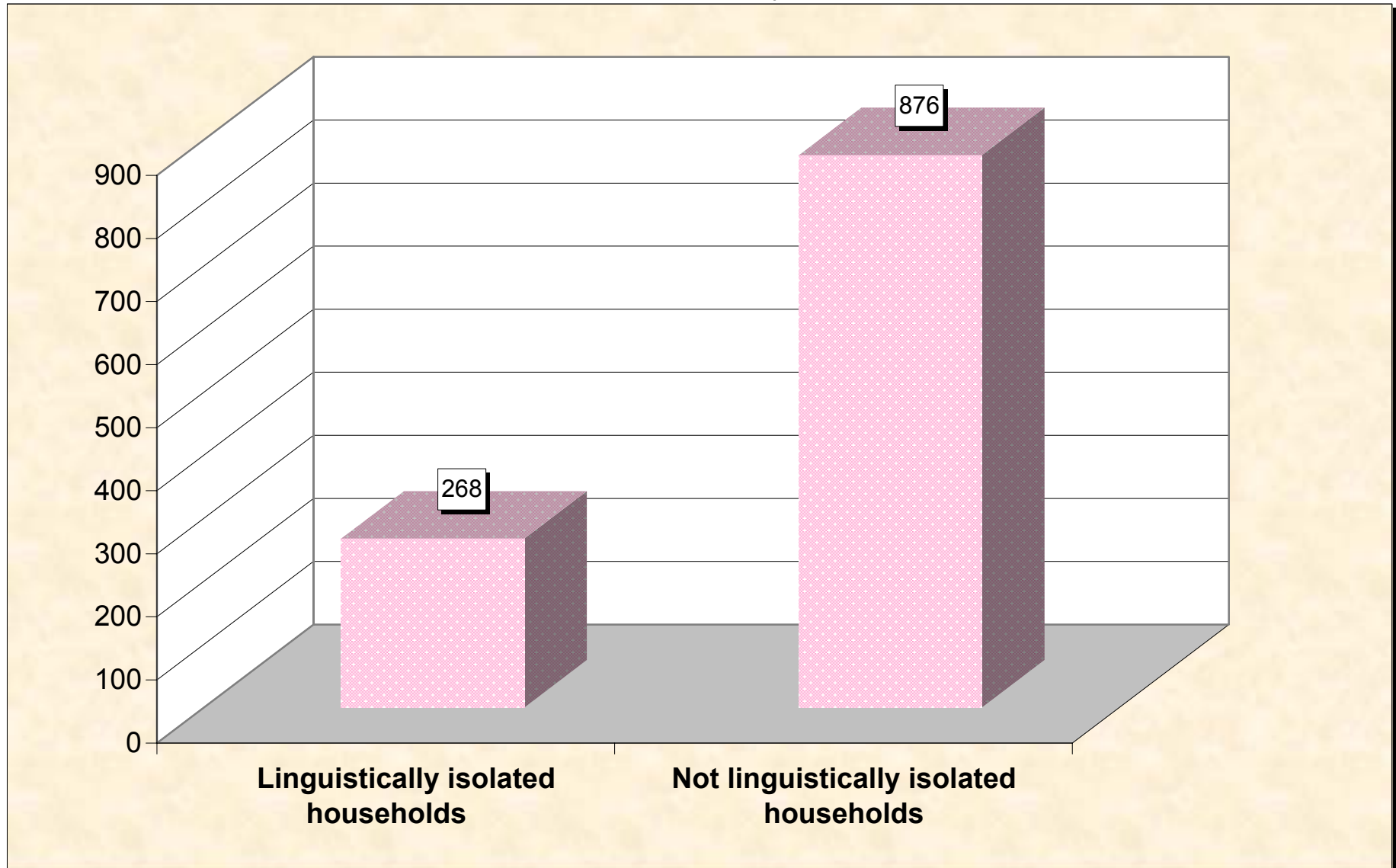
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**Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home
Austin County, Texas**



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
Austin County, Texas**



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

	Austin County, Texas		
	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
22,056			
	4,832	13,728	3,496
Speak only English	3,970	11,362	2,954
Speak Spanish:	810	2,052	105
Speak English "very well"	586	946	52
Speak English "well"	98	408	9
Speak English "not well"	103	546	27
Speak English "not at all"	23	152	17
Speak other Indo-European languages:	52	312	431
Speak English "very well"	50	212	324
Speak English "well"	0	79	102
Speak English "not well"	2	21	5
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	0	2	2
Speak English "very well"	0	2	0
Speak English "well"	0	0	2
Speak English "not well"	0	0	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak other languages:	0	0	4
Speak English "very well"	0	0	4
Speak English "well"	0	0	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

	Austin County, Texas
Total:	8,736
English	6,988
Spanish:	1,144
Linguistically isolated	268
Not linguistically isolated	876
Other Indo-European languages:	595
Linguistically isolated	74
Not linguistically isolated	521
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	5
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	5
Other languages:	4
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	4

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