

# **English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population**

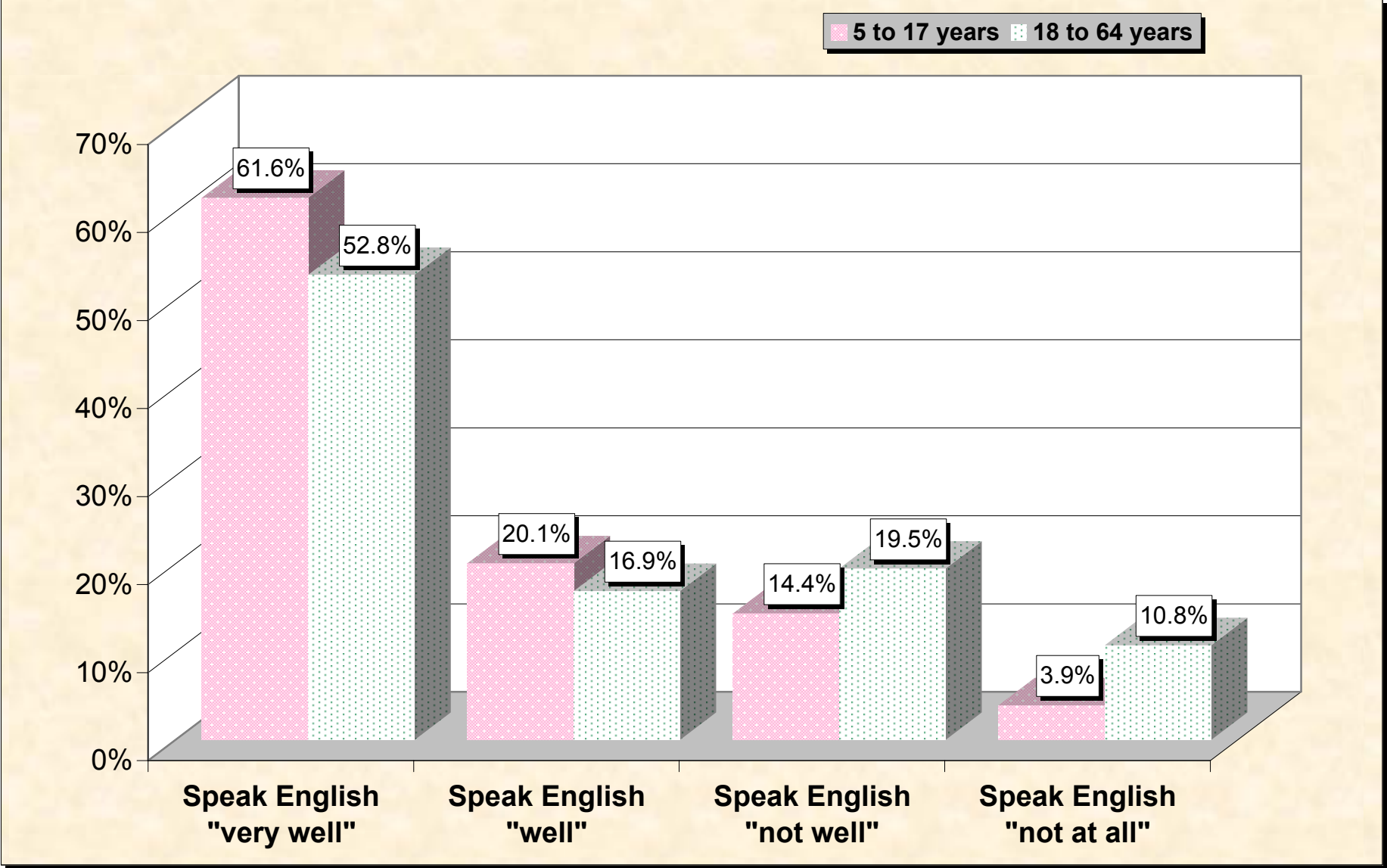
## **Denton County, Texas**

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

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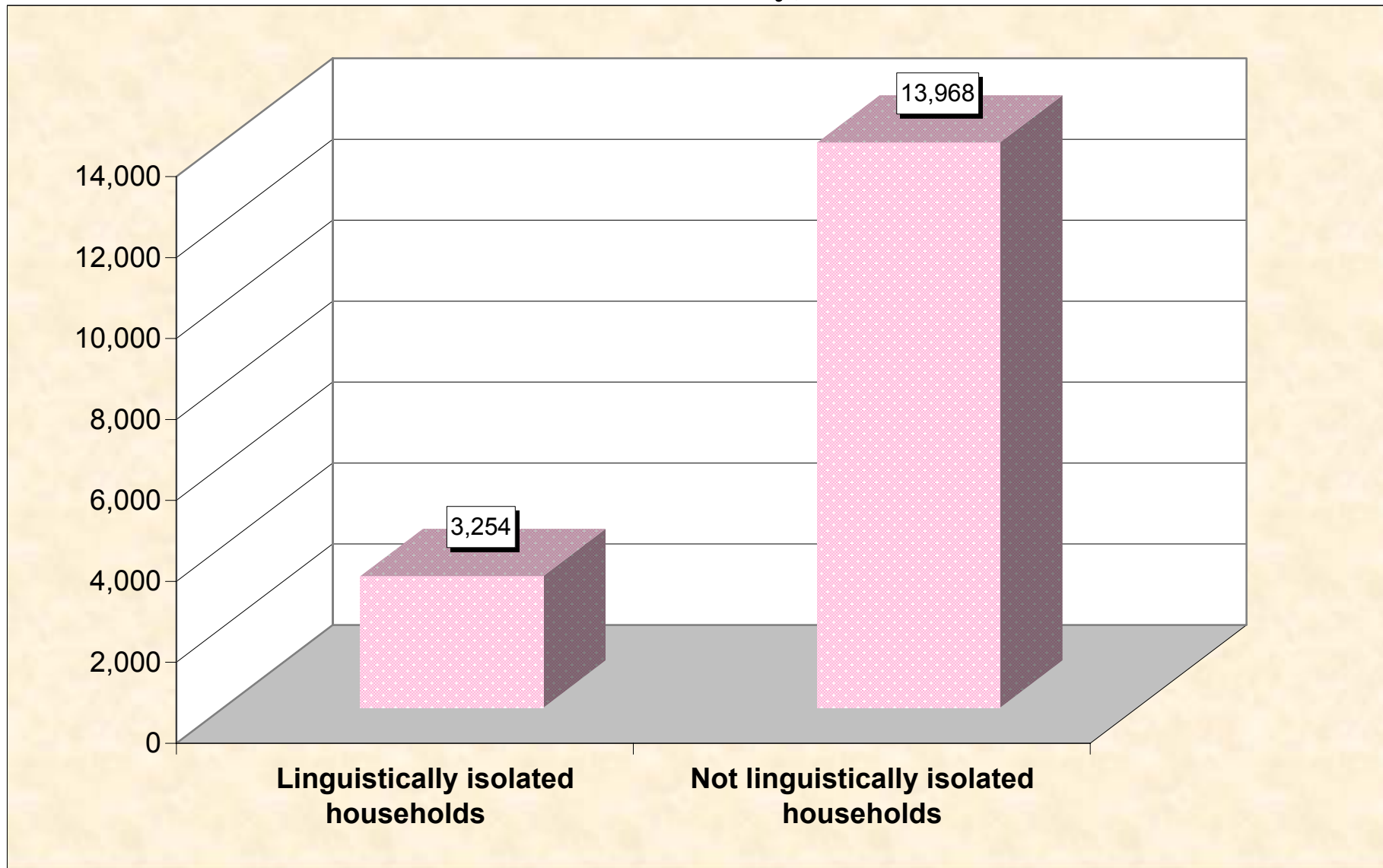
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# Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Denton County, Texas



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 Denton 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

Denton County, Texas

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
<b>397,853</b>			
	84,431	291,590	21,832
Speak only English	72,423	243,616	20,010
<b>Speak Spanish:</b>	8,499	30,732	869
<b>Speak English "very well"</b>	5,236	16,241	376
<b>Speak English "well"</b>	1,706	5,203	182
<b>Speak English "not well"</b>	1,222	5,983	197
<b>Speak English "not at all"</b>	335	3,305	114
Speak other Indo-European languages:	1,692	7,747	548
Speak English "very well"	1,373	6,033	298
Speak English "well"	226	1,174	66
Speak English "not well"	93	473	118
Speak English "not at all"	0	67	66
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	1,533	8,335	326
Speak English "very well"	1,074	3,952	51
Speak English "well"	354	2,806	68
Speak English "not well"	104	1,434	148
Speak English "not at all"	1	143	59
Speak other languages:	284	1,160	79
Speak English "very well"	185	896	39
Speak English "well"	66	185	25
Speak English "not well"	27	47	15
Speak English "not at all"	6	32	0

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## HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

**source data for Chart 2**

	<b>Denton County, Texas</b>
Total:	<b>159,062</b>
English	131,558
Spanish:	17,222
Linguistically isolated	3,254
Not linguistically isolated	13,968
Other Indo-European languages:	5,387
Linguistically isolated	362
Not linguistically isolated	5,025
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	4,188
Linguistically isolated	1,297
Not linguistically isolated	2,891
Other languages:	707
Linguistically isolated	55
Not linguistically isolated	652

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