

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

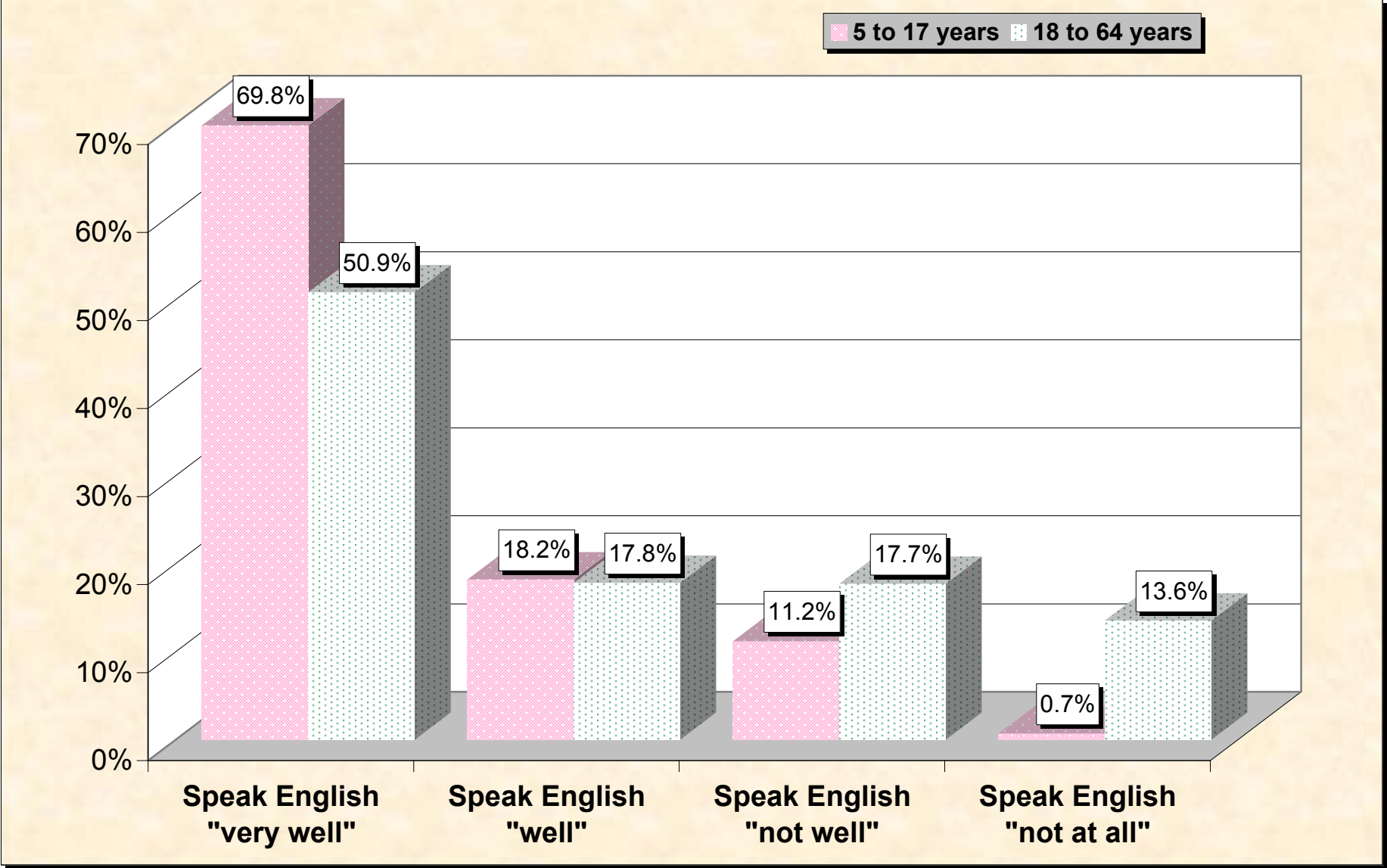
## **Parmer County, Texas**

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

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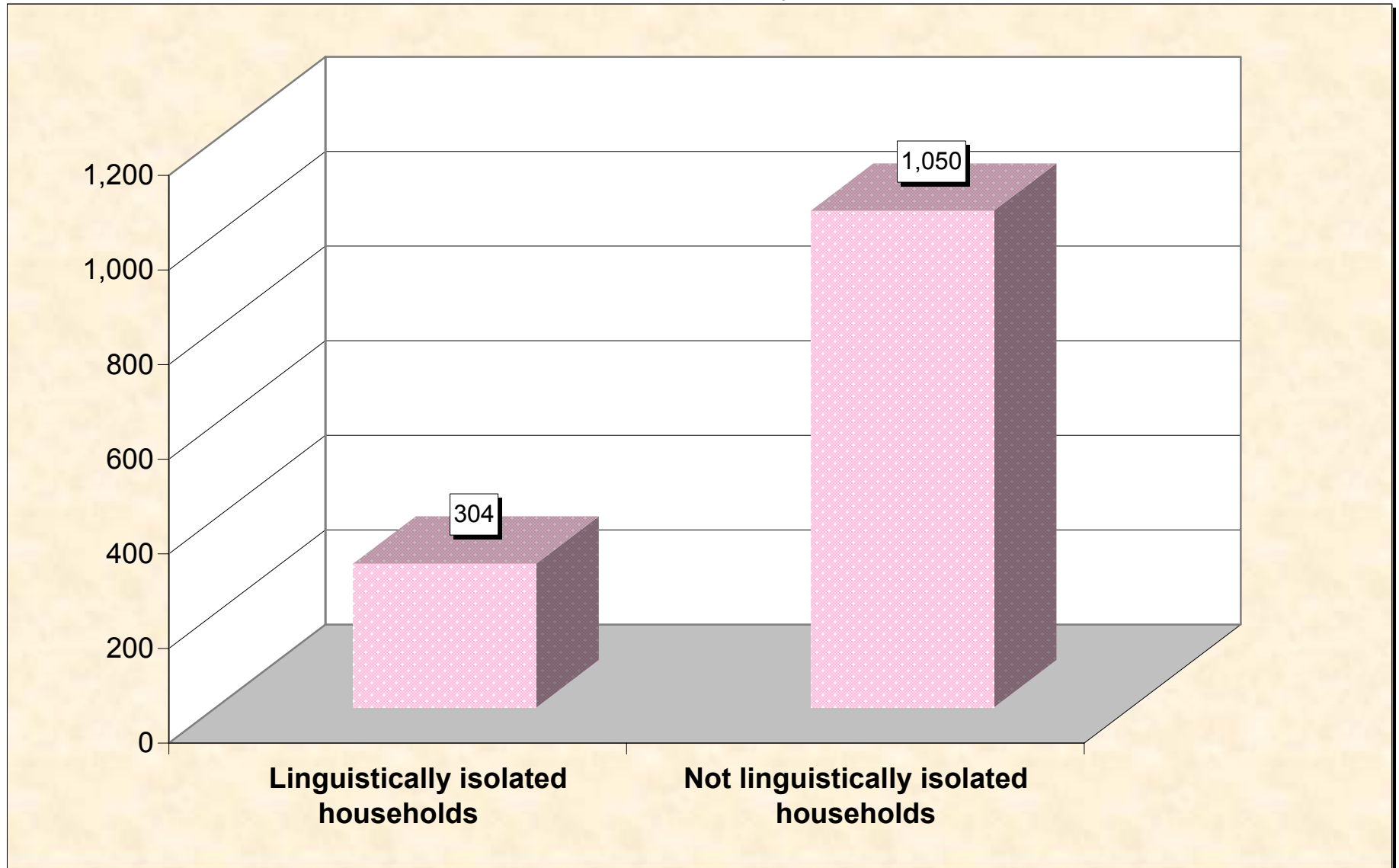
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# Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Parmer County, Texas



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 Parmer 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

Parmer County, Texas

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
<b>9,223</b>			
	2,515	5,433	1,275
Speak only English	1,263	2,832	1,059
<b>Speak Spanish:</b>	1,229	2,538	194
<b>Speak English "very well"</b>	858	1,291	56
<b>Speak English "well"</b>	224	453	24
<b>Speak English "not well"</b>	138	450	61
<b>Speak English "not at all"</b>	9	344	53
Speak other Indo-European languages:	23	53	13
Speak English "very well"	21	41	13
Speak English "well"	2	6	0
Speak English "not well"	0	6	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	0	10	0
Speak English "very well"	0	7	0
Speak English "well"	0	3	0
Speak English "not well"	0	0	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak other languages:	0	0	9
Speak English "very well"	0	0	0
Speak English "well"	0	0	0
Speak English "not well"	0	0	9
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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## HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

**source data for Chart 2**

	<b>Parmer County, Texas</b>
Total:	<b>3,307</b>
English	1,895
Spanish:	1,354
Linguistically isolated	304
Not linguistically isolated	1,050
Other Indo-European languages:	44
Linguistically isolated	2
Not linguistically isolated	42
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	10
Linguistically isolated	3
Not linguistically isolated	7
Other languages:	4
Linguistically isolated	4
Not linguistically isolated	0

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