

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

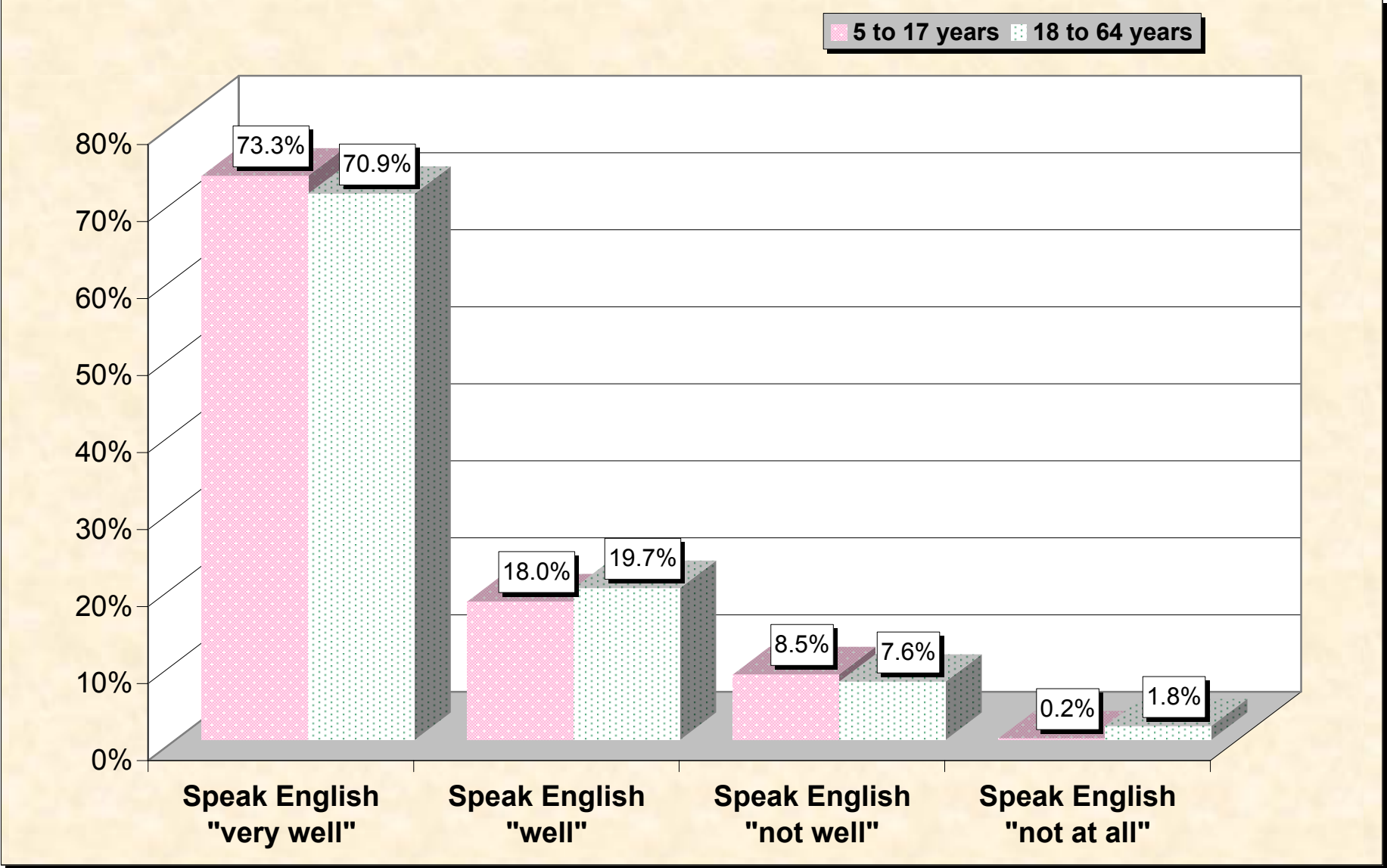
San Patricio County, Texas

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

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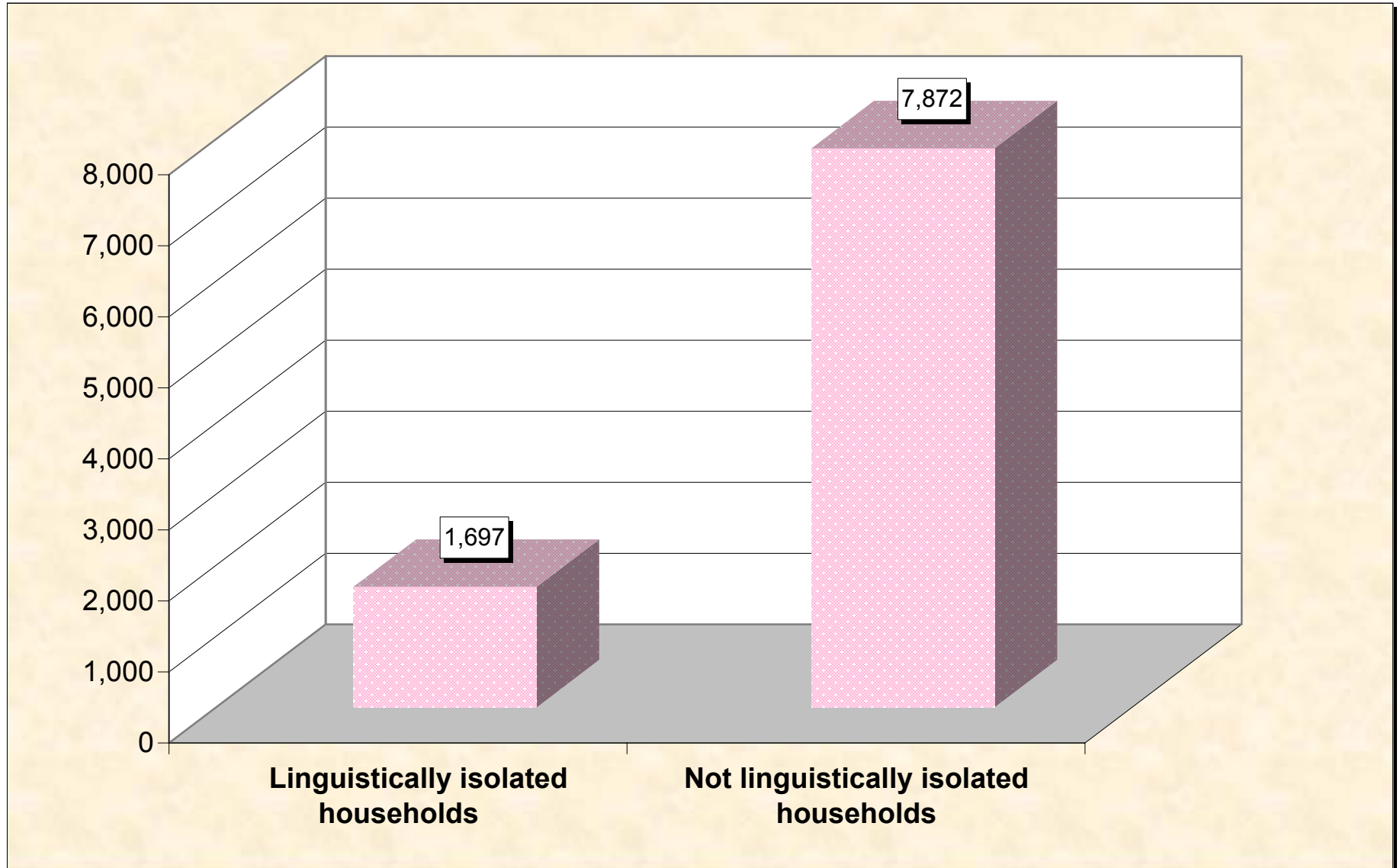
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home San Patricio County, Texas



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 San Patricio 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

San Patricio County, Texas

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
61,822			
	15,471	39,387	6,964
Speak only English	11,005	22,189	4,470
Speak Spanish:	4,363	16,577	2,380
Speak English "very well"	3,197	11,758	734
Speak English "well"	785	3,268	631
Speak English "not well"	372	1,255	681
Speak English "not at all"	9	296	334
Speak other Indo-European languages:	51	287	108
Speak English "very well"	37	227	79
Speak English "well"	9	26	28
Speak English "not well"	5	34	1
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	32	271	6
Speak English "very well"	18	198	0
Speak English "well"	14	61	0
Speak English "not well"	0	12	6
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak other languages:	20	63	0
Speak English "very well"	20	63	0
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

San Patricio County, Texas	
Total:	22,037
English	11,978
Spanish:	9,569
Linguistically isolated	1,697
Not linguistically isolated	7,872
Other Indo-European languages:	312
Linguistically isolated	15
Not linguistically isolated	297
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	145
Linguistically isolated	7
Not linguistically isolated	138
Other languages:	33
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	33

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