

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

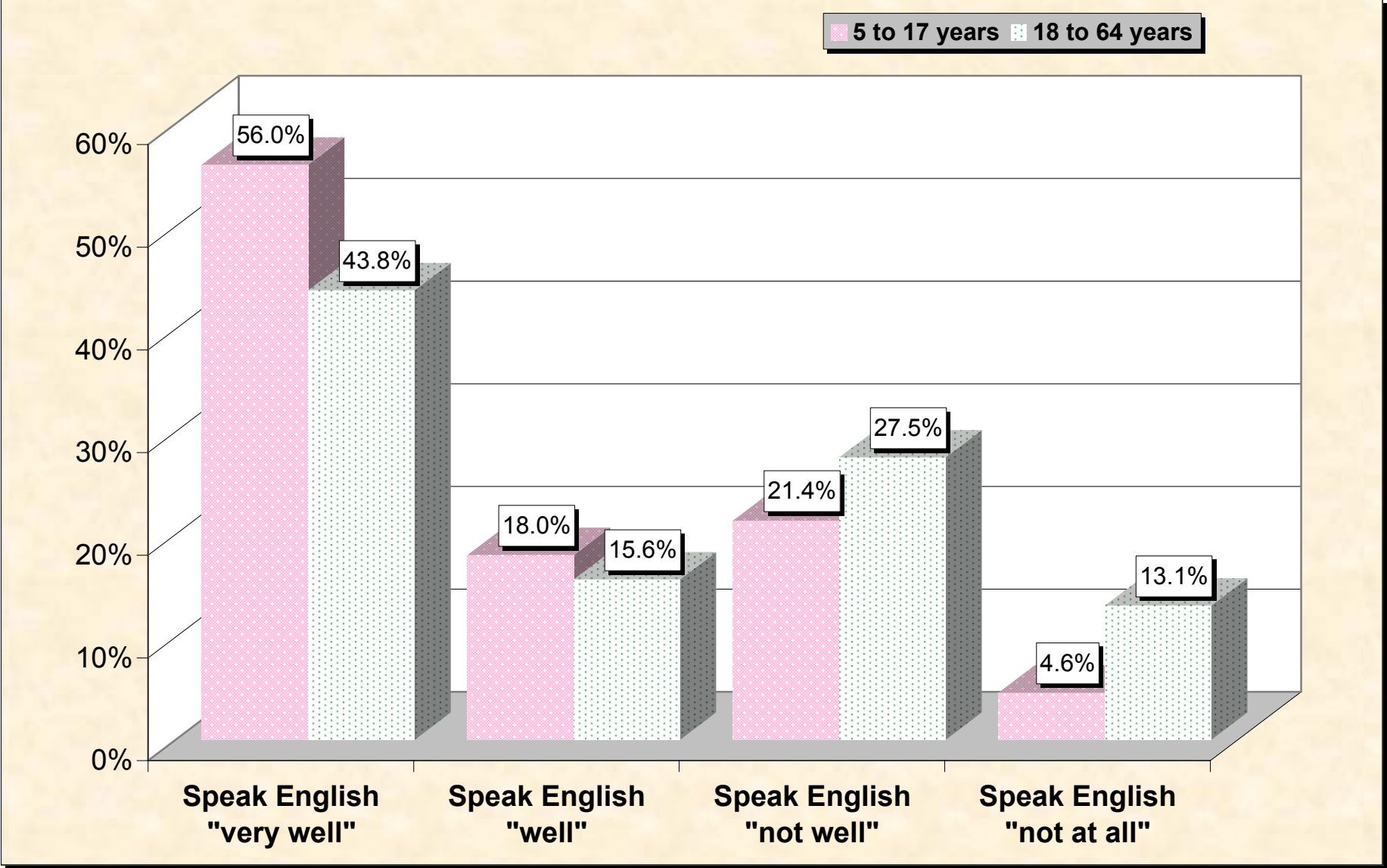
Van Zandt County, Texas

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

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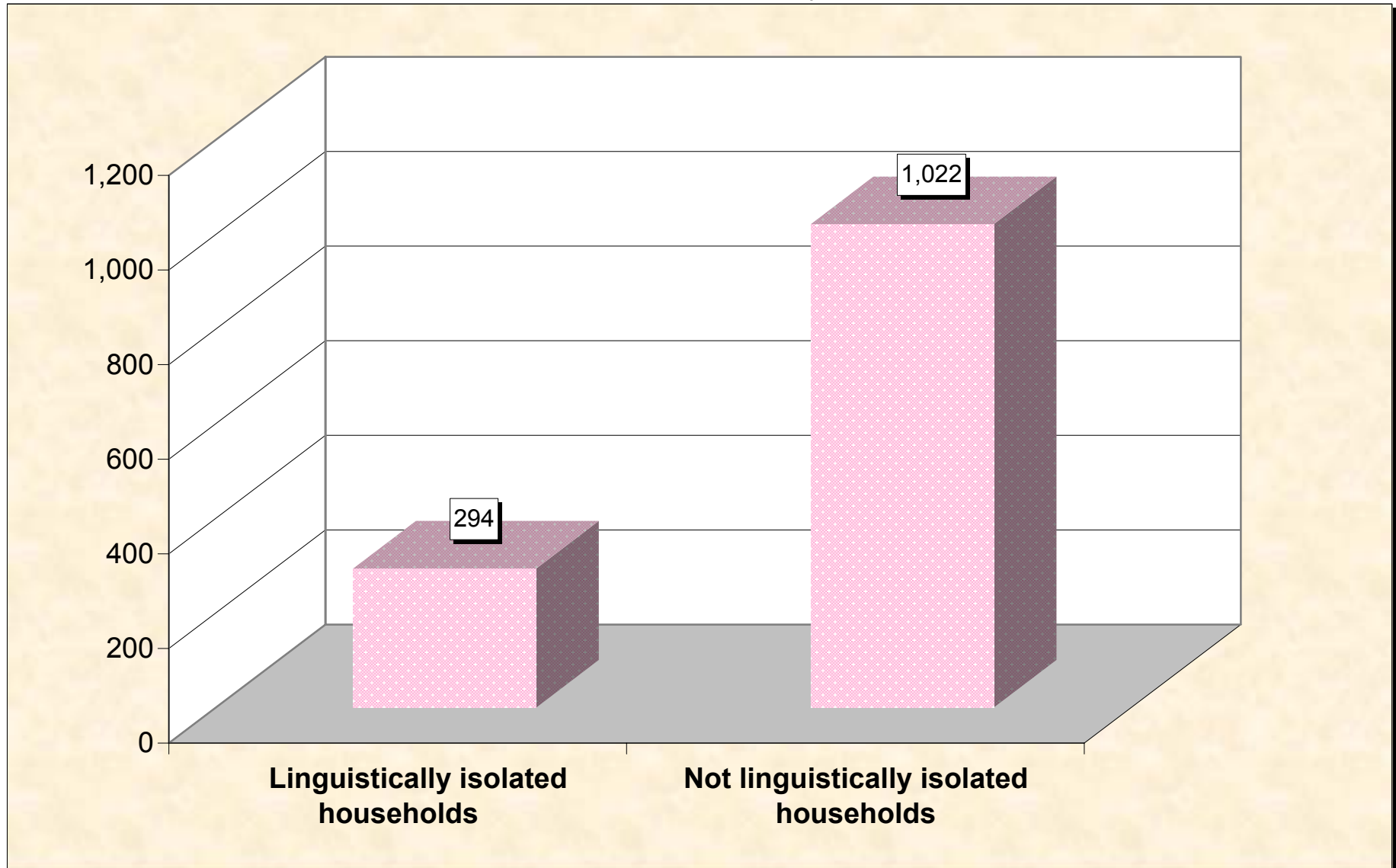
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Van Zandt County, Texas



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 Van Zandt 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

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	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
45,108			
	9,259	27,624	8,225
Speak only English	8,395	25,375	8,010
Speak Spanish:	805	2,003	149
Speak English "very well"	451	877	74
Speak English "well"	145	313	52
Speak English "not well"	172	551	9
Speak English "not at all"	37	262	14
Speak other Indo-European languages:	44	165	41
Speak English "very well"	42	135	30
Speak English "well"	2	18	9
Speak English "not well"	0	12	2
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	10	55	8
Speak English "very well"	0	15	0
Speak English "well"	6	17	4
Speak English "not well"	4	8	4
Speak English "not at all"	0	15	0
Speak other languages:	5	26	17
Speak English "very well"	5	26	17
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

	Van Zandt County, Texas
Total:	18,233
English	16,653
Spanish:	1,316
Linguistically isolated	294
Not linguistically isolated	1,022
Other Indo-European languages:	182
Linguistically isolated	10
Not linguistically isolated	172
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	35
Linguistically isolated	8
Not linguistically isolated	27
Other languages:	47
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	47

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