

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

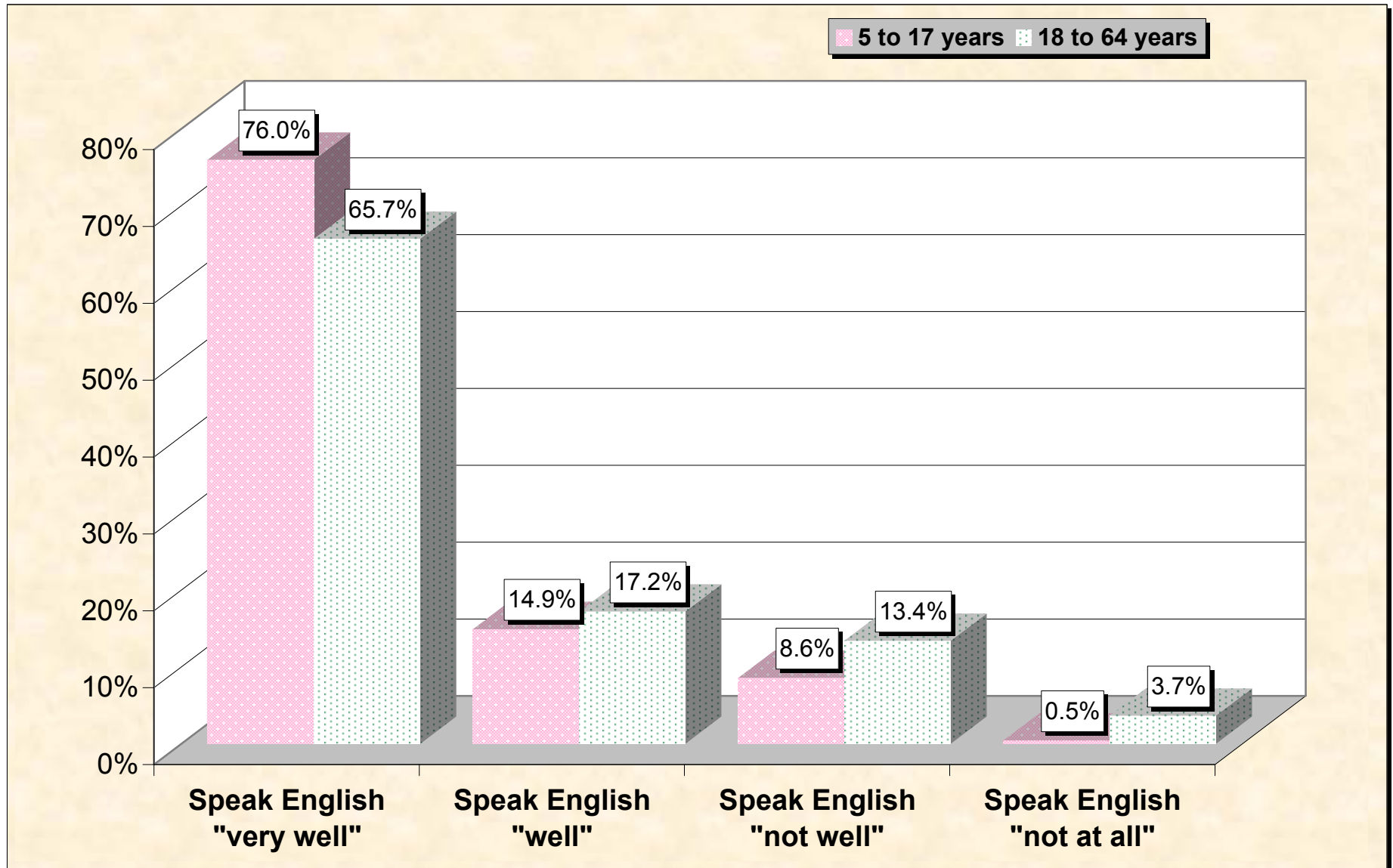
Wichita County, Texas

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

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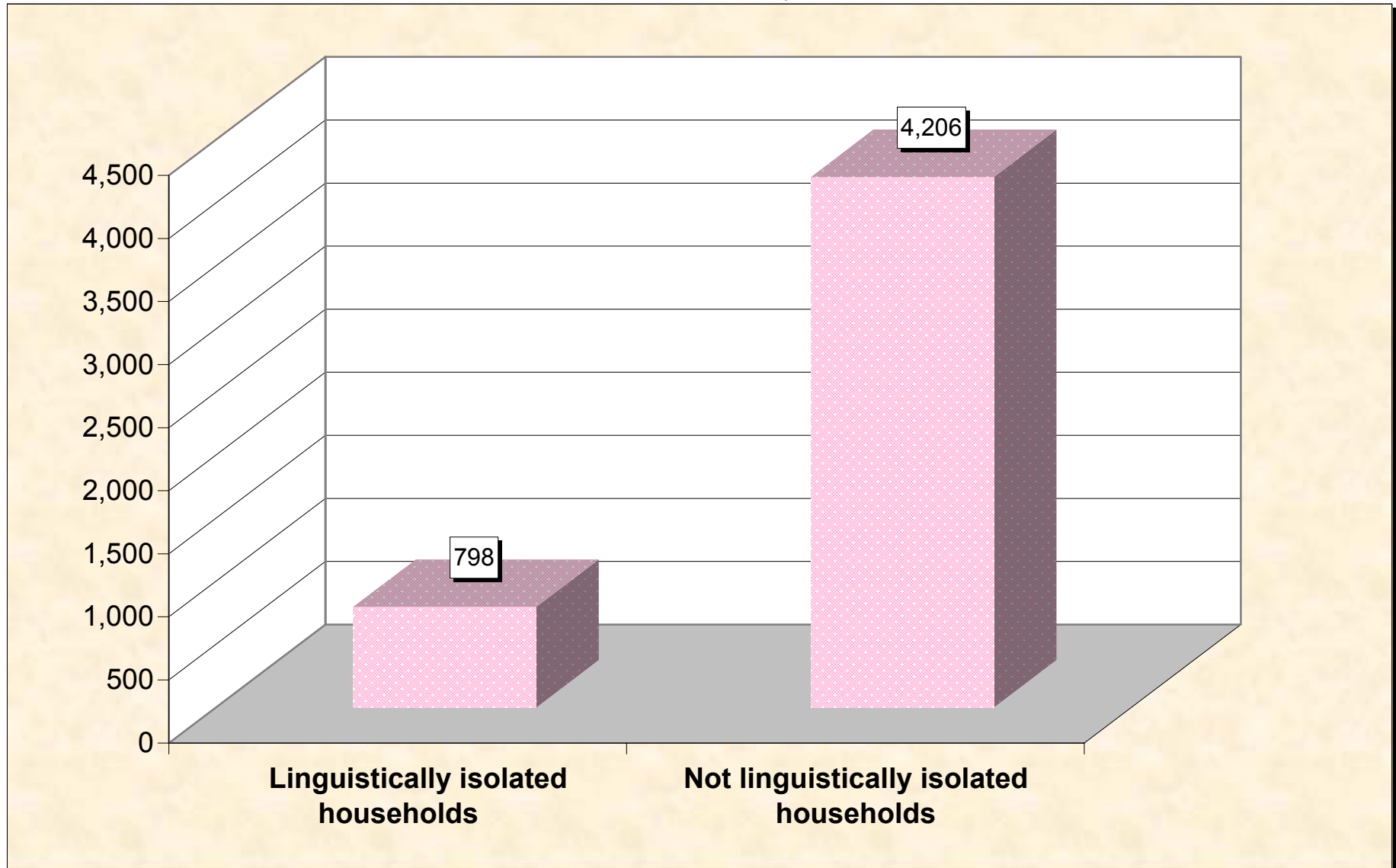
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**Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home
Wichita County, Texas**



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
Wichita 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

	Wichita County, Texas		
	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
122,607			
	23,830	82,012	16,765
Speak only English	21,133	70,675	15,748
Speak Spanish:	1,941	8,060	706
Speak English "very well"	1,475	5,296	386
Speak English "well"	290	1,388	210
Speak English "not well"	167	1,081	90
Speak English "not at all"	9	295	20
Speak other Indo-European languages:	341	1,527	206
Speak English "very well"	246	1,144	145
Speak English "well"	30	254	31
Speak English "not well"	65	113	23
Speak English "not at all"	0	16	7
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	384	1,650	101
Speak English "very well"	211	797	39
Speak English "well"	116	507	40
Speak English "not well"	57	293	6
Speak English "not at all"	0	53	16
Speak other languages:	31	100	4
Speak English "very well"	13	94	4
Speak English "well"	0	0	0
Speak English "not well"	18	6	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Wichita County, Texas
Total:	48,432
English	41,241
Spanish:	5,004
Linguistically isolated	798
Not linguistically isolated	4,206
Other Indo-European languages:	1,107
Linguistically isolated	109
Not linguistically isolated	998
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	973
Linguistically isolated	231
Not linguistically isolated	742
Other languages:	107
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	107

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