

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

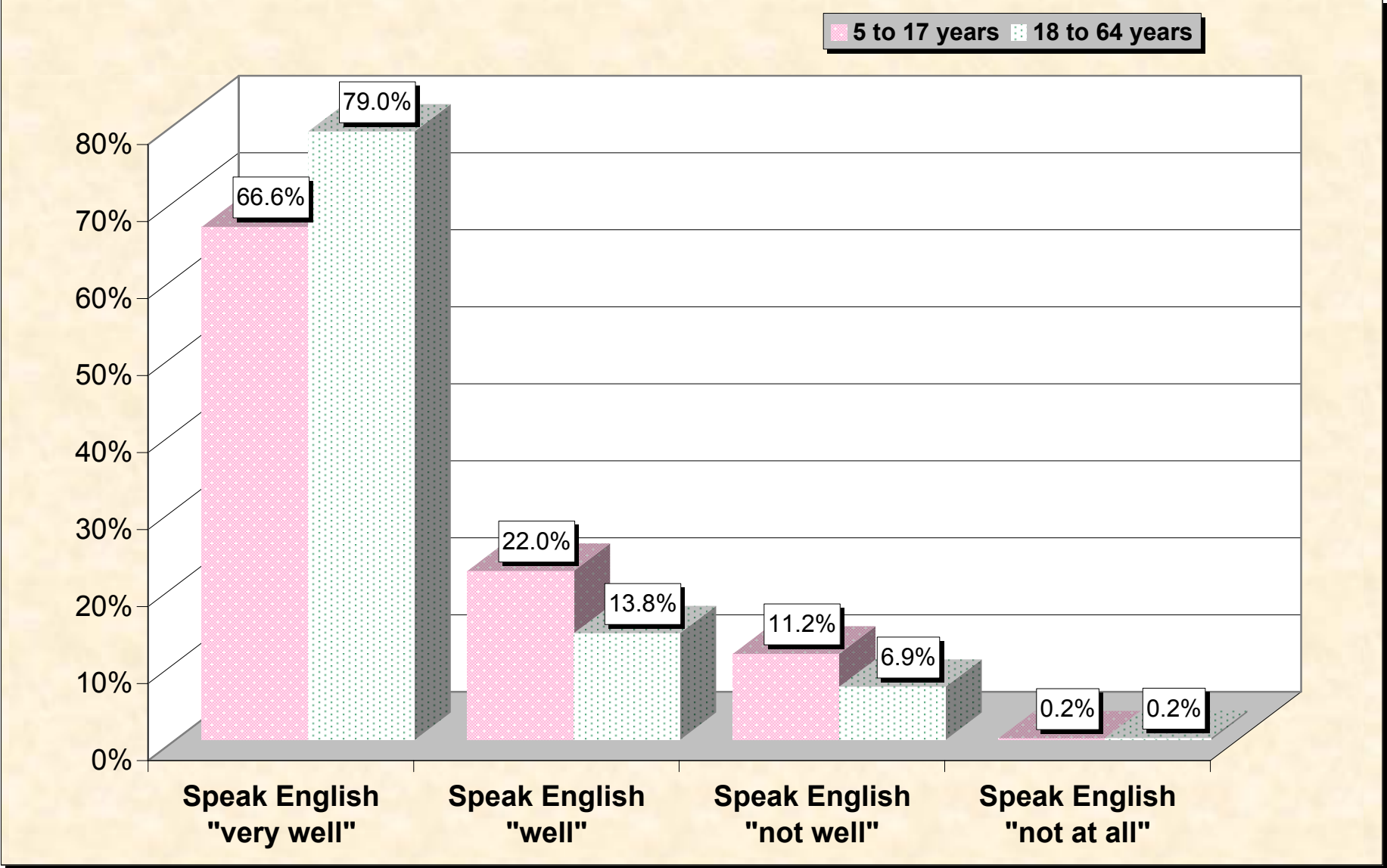
Vermont

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

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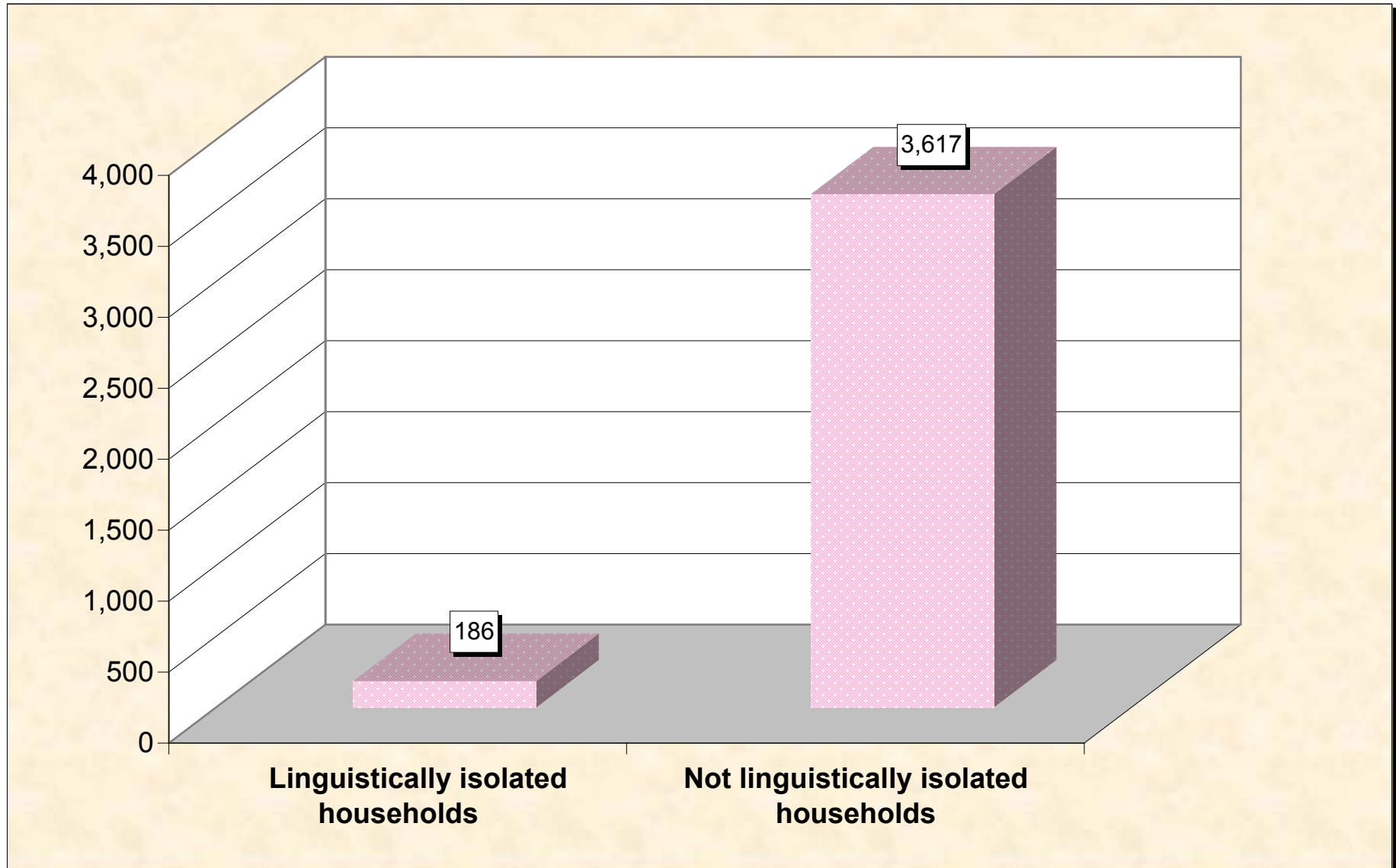
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Vermont



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 Vermont



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

	Vermont		
	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
574,842			
	113,594	383,953	77,295
Speak only English	108,499	361,224	71,044
Speak Spanish:	1,430	4,044	317
Speak English "very well"	953	3,195	236
Speak English "well"	314	560	51
Speak English "not well"	160	279	23
Speak English "not at all"	3	10	7
Speak other Indo-European languages:	2,949	15,735	5,650
Speak English "very well"	2,229	11,847	4,047
Speak English "well"	434	2,471	1,170
Speak English "not well"	276	1,318	416
Speak English "not at all"	10	99	17
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	581	2,318	116
Speak English "very well"	367	1,063	64
Speak English "well"	141	821	18
Speak English "not well"	73	374	16
Speak English "not at all"	0	60	18
Speak other languages:	135	632	168
Speak English "very well"	111	540	118
Speak English "well"	0	78	46
Speak English "not well"	24	7	4
Speak English "not at all"	0	7	0

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Vermont
Total:	240,744
English	218,480
Spanish:	3,803
Linguistically isolated	186
Not linguistically isolated	3,617
Other Indo-European languages:	16,449
Linguistically isolated	1,612
Not linguistically isolated	14,837
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	1,413
Linguistically isolated	333
Not linguistically isolated	1,080
Other languages:	599
Linguistically isolated	49
Not linguistically isolated	550

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