

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

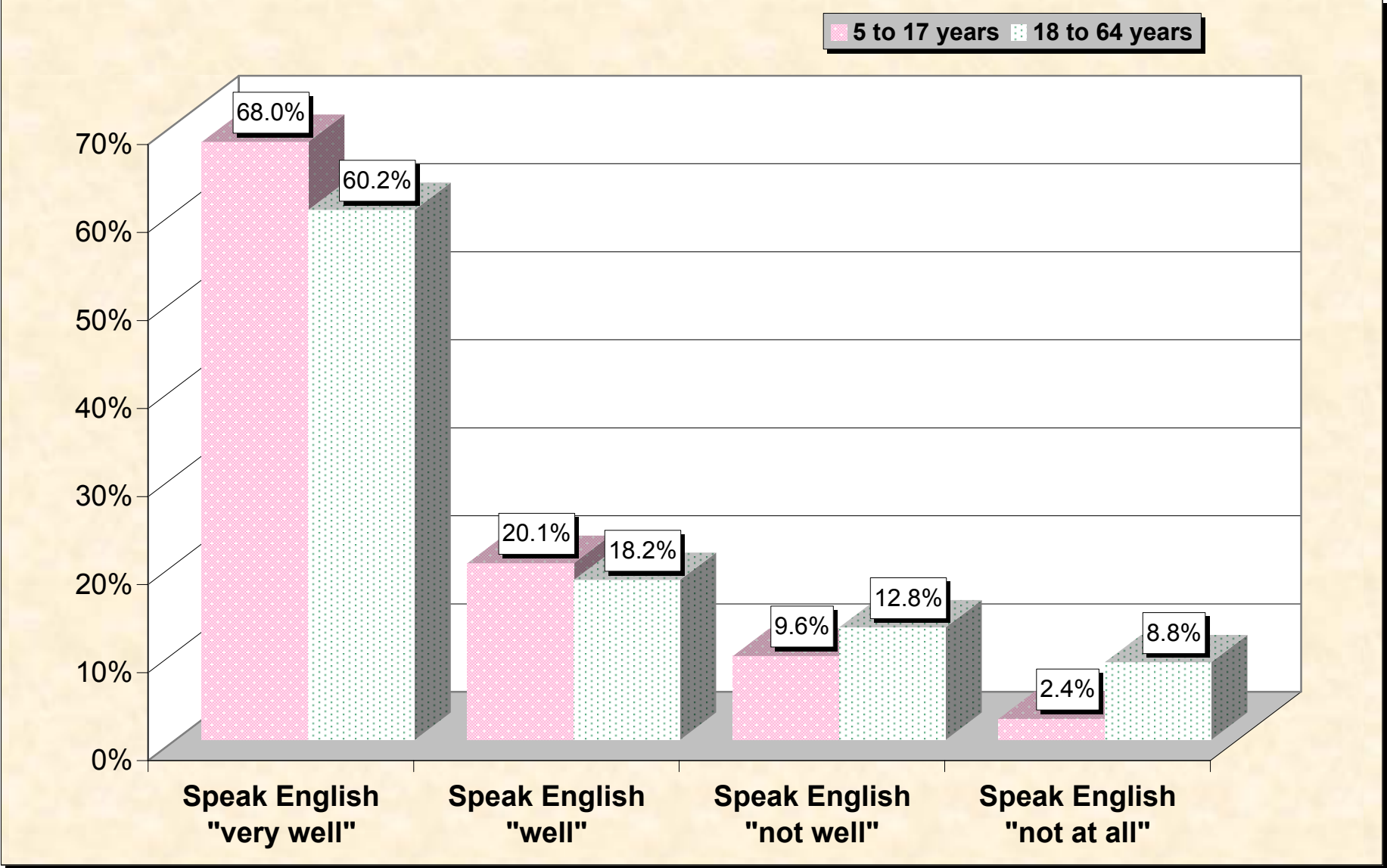
Pinal County, Arizona

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

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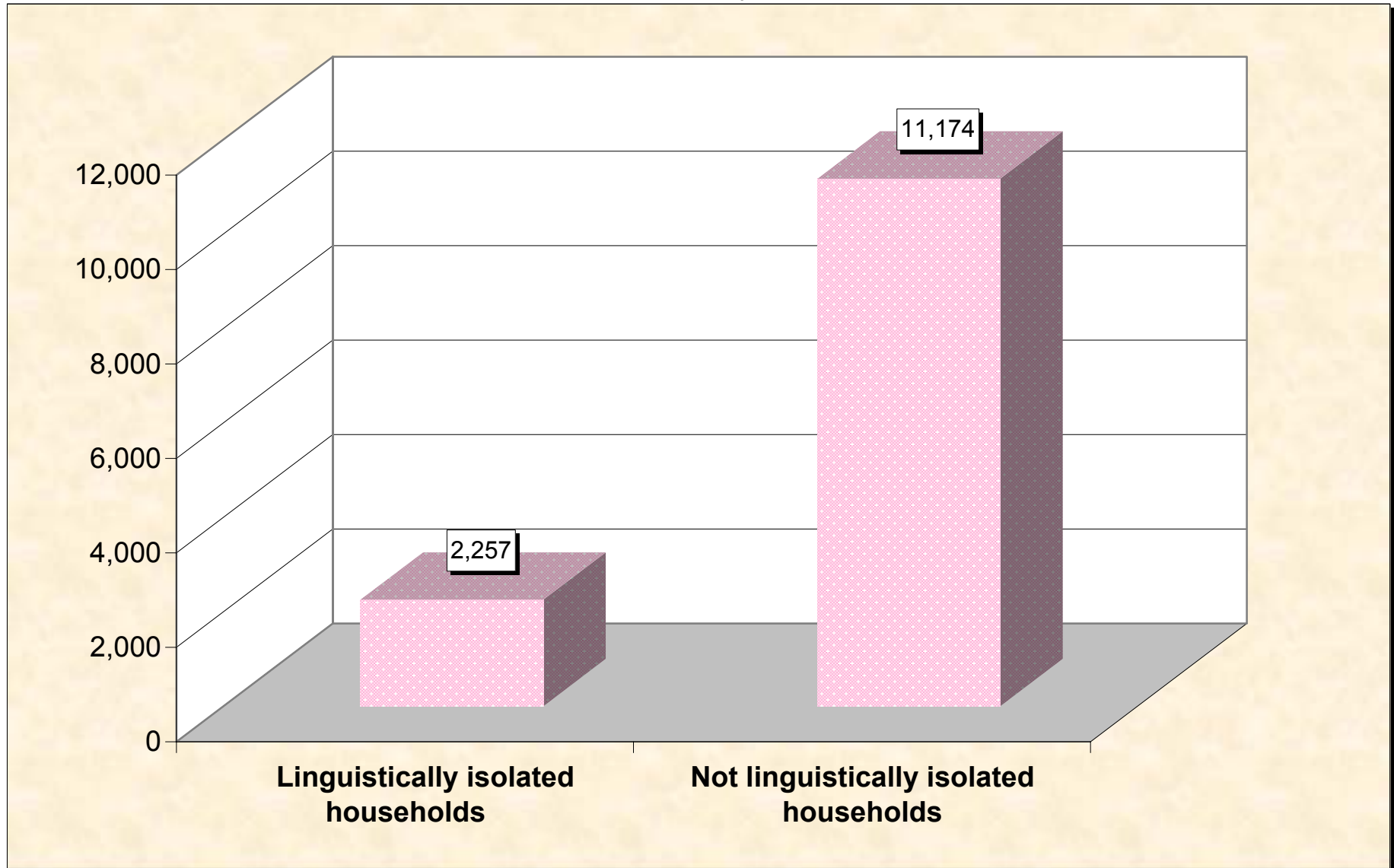
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Pinal County, Arizona



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 Pinal County, Arizona



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

Pinal County, Arizona

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
167,639			
	32,909	105,489	29,241
Speak only English	25,065	75,259	25,096
Speak Spanish:	7,305	25,999	3,191
Speak English "very well"	4,964	15,655	1,668
Speak English "well"	1,468	4,726	856
Speak English "not well"	698	3,325	467
Speak English "not at all"	175	2,293	200
Speak other Indo-European languages:	126	1,203	511
Speak English "very well"	114	994	431
Speak English "well"	12	138	53
Speak English "not well"	0	58	27
Speak English "not at all"	0	13	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	80	632	38
Speak English "very well"	46	320	15
Speak English "well"	15	210	17
Speak English "not well"	19	102	6
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak other languages:	333	2,396	405
Speak English "very well"	154	1,759	290
Speak English "well"	143	493	87
Speak English "not well"	36	95	18
Speak English "not at all"	0	49	10

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

	Pinal County, Arizona
Total:	61,413
English	44,887
Spanish:	13,431
Linguistically isolated	2,257
Not linguistically isolated	11,174
Other Indo-European languages:	1,230
Linguistically isolated	67
Not linguistically isolated	1,163
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	317
Linguistically isolated	92
Not linguistically isolated	225
Other languages:	1,548
Linguistically isolated	105
Not linguistically isolated	1,443

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