

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

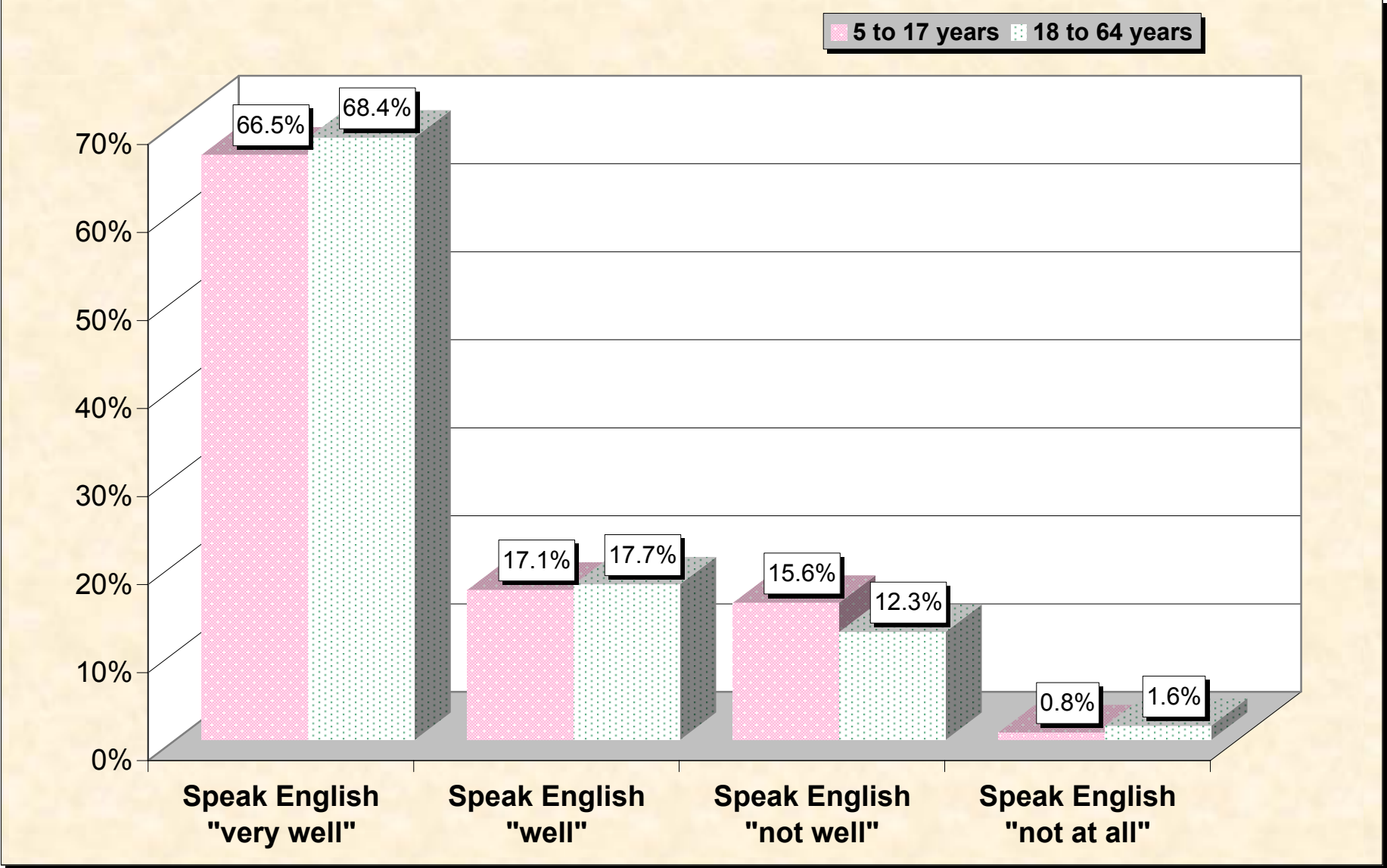
Burlington County, New Jersey

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

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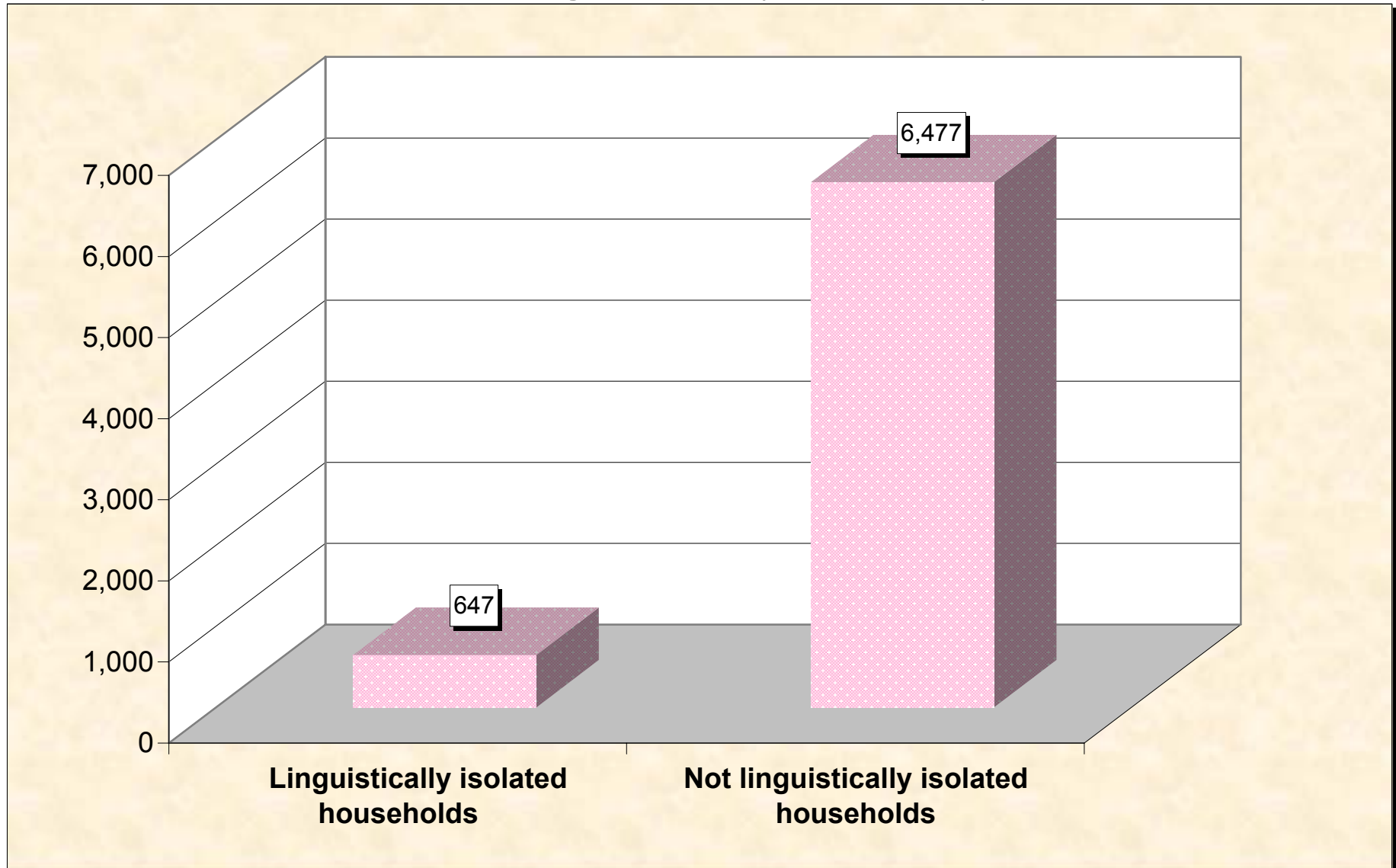
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Burlington County, New Jersey



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 Burlington County, New Jersey



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

Burlington County, New Jersey

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
396,629			
	79,538	263,849	53,242
Speak only English	73,058	234,574	47,984
Speak Spanish:	3,060	11,710	713
Speak English "very well"	2,035	8,014	368
Speak English "well"	522	2,070	225
Speak English "not well"	477	1,438	103
Speak English "not at all"	26	188	17
Speak other Indo-European languages:	2,222	10,973	3,496
Speak English "very well"	1,766	7,408	2,373
Speak English "well"	305	2,070	796
Speak English "not well"	151	1,283	236
Speak English "not at all"	0	212	91
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	964	5,208	749
Speak English "very well"	650	2,486	280
Speak English "well"	257	1,612	190
Speak English "not well"	44	968	180
Speak English "not at all"	13	142	99
Speak other languages:	234	1,384	300
Speak English "very well"	219	1,050	206
Speak English "well"	3	270	45
Speak English "not well"	4	64	42
Speak English "not at all"	8	0	7

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

Burlington County, New Jersey	
Total:	154,571
English	133,439
Spanish:	7,124
Linguistically isolated	647
Not linguistically isolated	6,477
Other Indo-European languages:	9,880
Linguistically isolated	1,279
Not linguistically isolated	8,601
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	3,179
Linguistically isolated	765
Not linguistically isolated	2,414
Other languages:	949
Linguistically isolated	92
Not linguistically isolated	857

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