

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

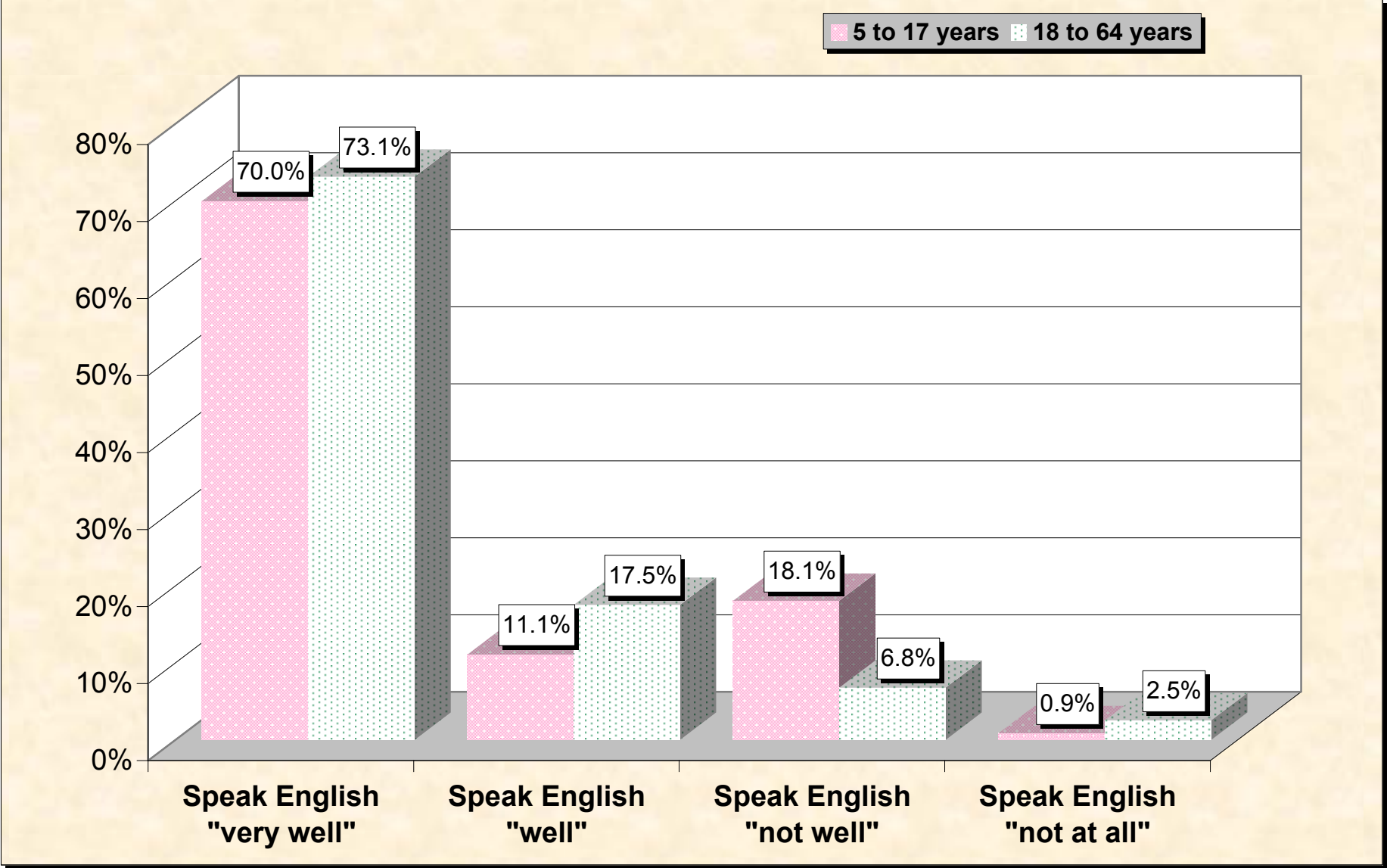
Sussex County, New Jersey

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

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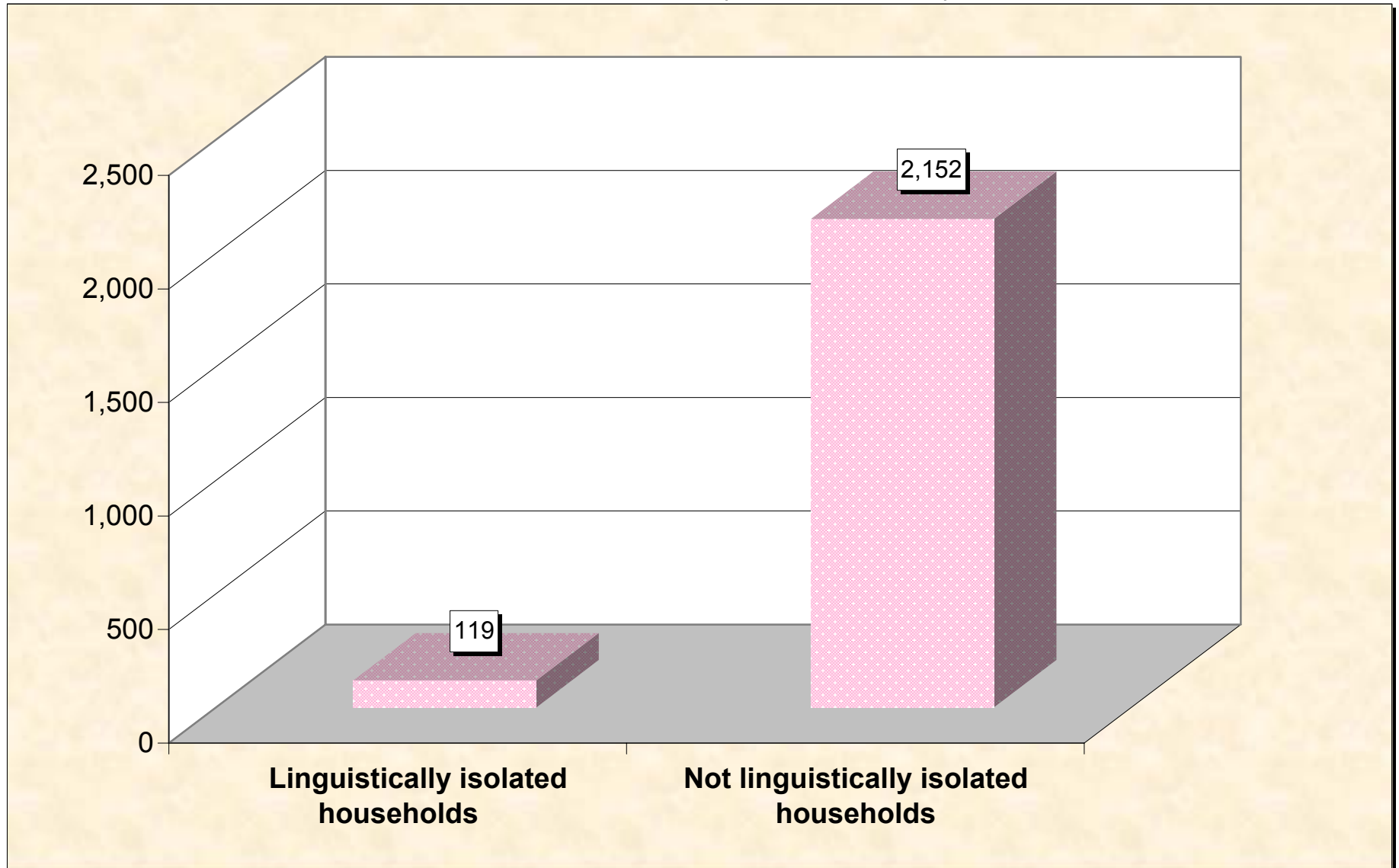
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Sussex County, New Jersey



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 Sussex 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

Sussex County, New Jersey

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
134,380			
	30,349	91,002	13,029
Speak only English	28,385	83,114	11,663
Speak Spanish:	919	2,873	157
Speak English "very well"	643	2,101	86
Speak English "well"	102	504	27
Speak English "not well"	166	195	28
Speak English "not at all"	8	73	16
Speak other Indo-European languages:	833	3,917	1,059
Speak English "very well"	698	2,920	676
Speak English "well"	77	726	272
Speak English "not well"	58	256	93
Speak English "not at all"	0	15	18
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	123	610	55
Speak English "very well"	105	354	8
Speak English "well"	18	115	24
Speak English "not well"	0	127	4
Speak English "not at all"	0	14	19
Speak other languages:	89	488	95
Speak English "very well"	72	379	51
Speak English "well"	17	96	36
Speak English "not well"	0	13	8
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

Sussex County, New Jersey	
Total:	50,789
English	44,134
Spanish:	2,271
Linguistically isolated	119
Not linguistically isolated	2,152
Other Indo-European languages:	3,672
Linguistically isolated	314
Not linguistically isolated	3,358
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	368
Linguistically isolated	64
Not linguistically isolated	304
Other languages:	344
Linguistically isolated	57
Not linguistically isolated	287

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