

English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

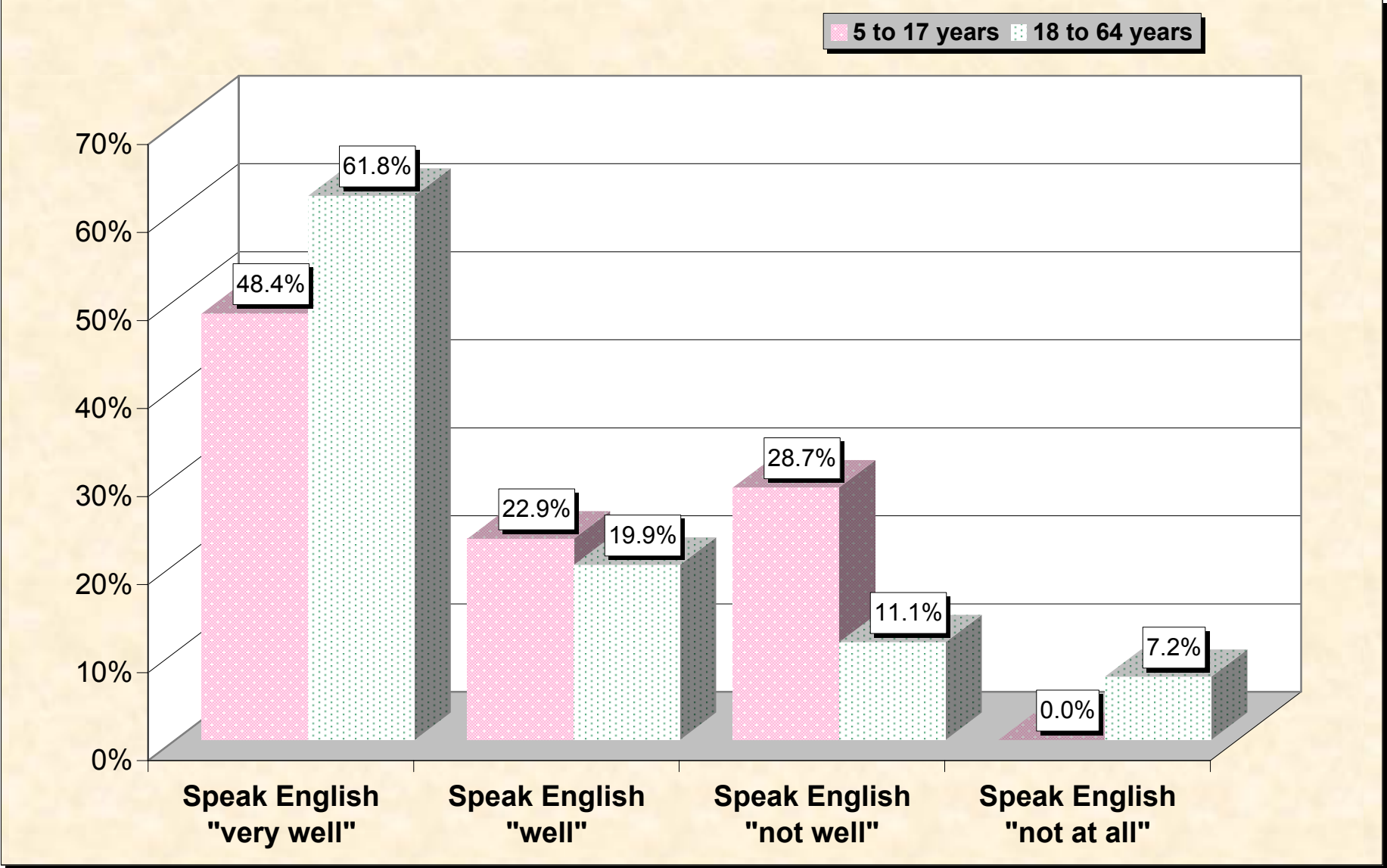
Halifax County, North Carolina

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

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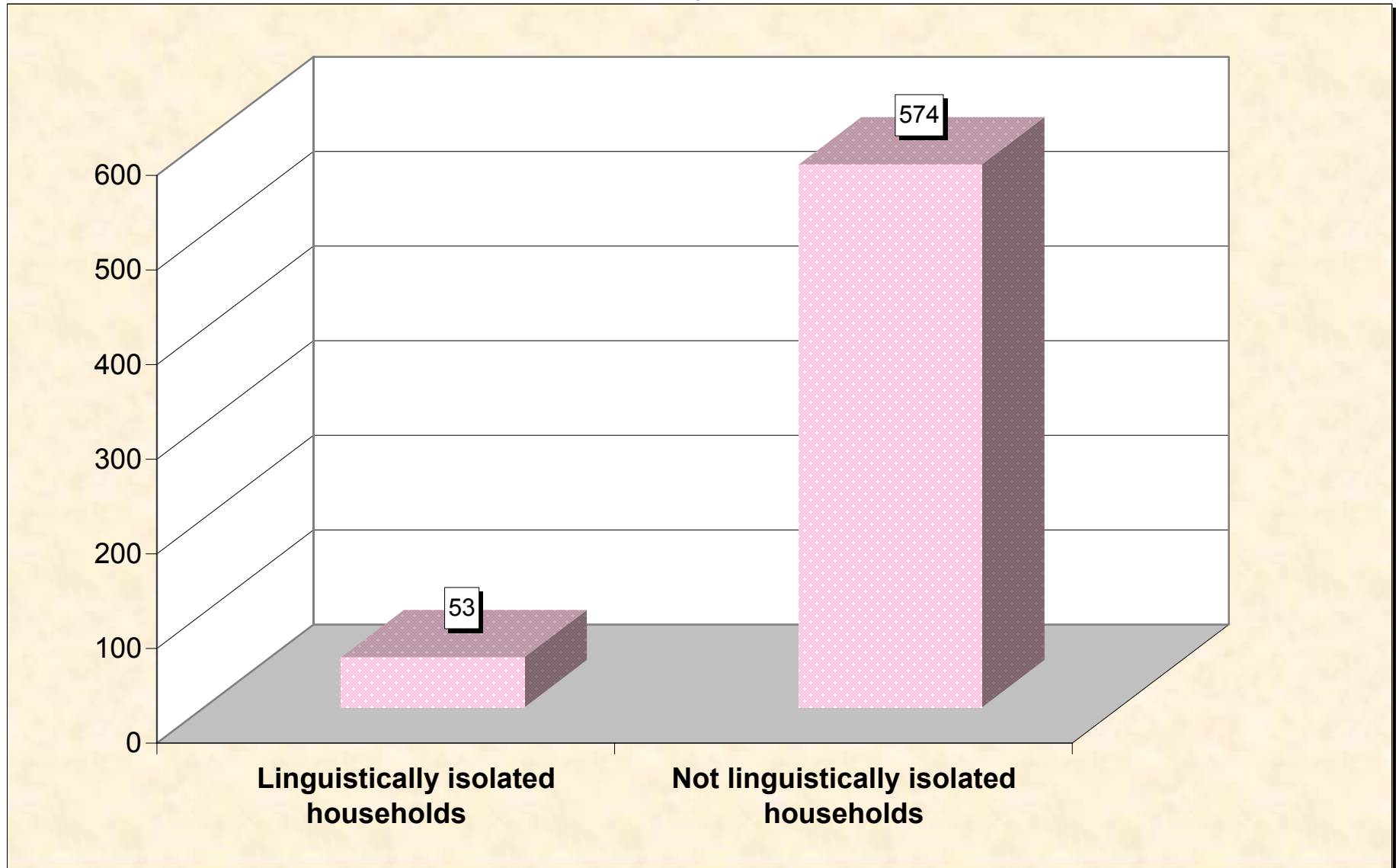
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Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Halifax County, North Carolina



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 Halifax County, North Carolina



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

Halifax County, North Carolina

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
53,830			
	11,490	33,772	8,568
Speak only English	11,115	32,752	8,478
Speak Spanish:	258	558	37
Speak English "very well"	125	345	16
Speak English "well"	59	111	14
Speak English "not well"	74	62	7
Speak English "not at all"	0	40	0
Speak other Indo-European languages:	38	225	39
Speak English "very well"	23	177	31
Speak English "well"	11	27	1
Speak English "not well"	4	21	7
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	66	176	0
Speak English "very well"	27	60	0
Speak English "well"	31	17	0
Speak English "not well"	8	95	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	4	0
Speak other languages:	13	61	14
Speak English "very well"	13	49	0
Speak English "well"	0	12	0
Speak English "not well"	0	0	14
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

Halifax County, North Carolina	
Total:	22,134
English	21,169
Spanish:	627
Linguistically isolated	53
Not linguistically isolated	574
Other Indo-European languages:	214
Linguistically isolated	2
Not linguistically isolated	212
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	90
Linguistically isolated	32
Not linguistically isolated	58
Other languages:	34
Linguistically isolated	0
Not linguistically isolated	34

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