

# **English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population**

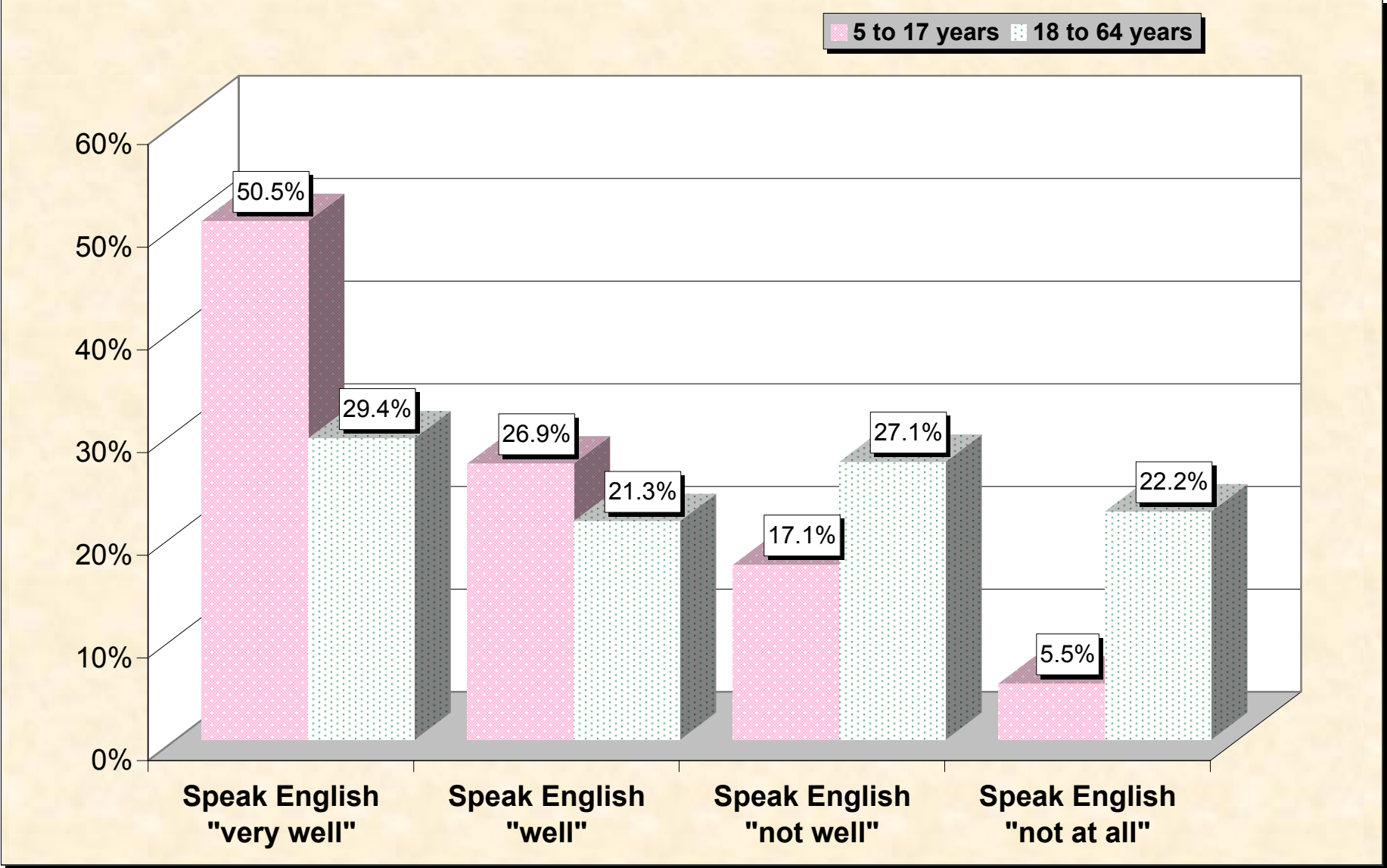
## **Surry County, North Carolina**

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

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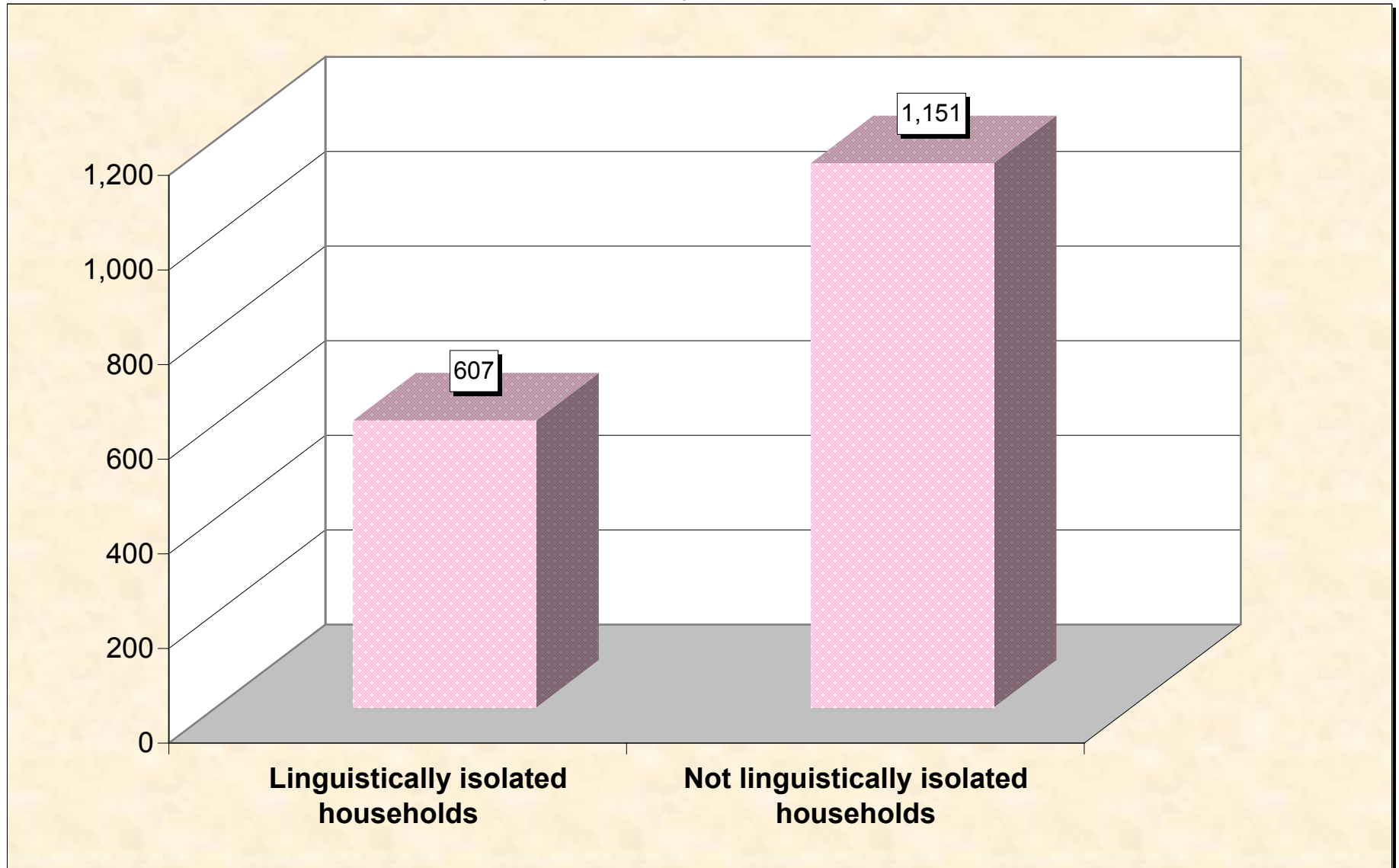
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# Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Surry County, North Carolina



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 Surry 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

Surry County, North Carolina

	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
<b>66,940</b>			
	12,509	43,442	10,989
Speak only English	10,854	39,848	10,824
<b>Speak Spanish:</b>	1,330	3,013	64
<b>Speak English "very well"</b>	672	885	37
<b>Speak English "well"</b>	358	642	8
<b>Speak English "not well"</b>	227	816	3
<b>Speak English "not at all"</b>	73	670	16
Speak other Indo-European languages:	87	308	84
Speak English "very well"	84	239	52
Speak English "well"	0	18	23
Speak English "not well"	3	42	9
Speak English "not at all"	0	9	0
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	229	211	6
Speak English "very well"	83	93	0
Speak English "well"	115	35	2
Speak English "not well"	31	76	4
Speak English "not at all"	0	7	0
Speak other languages:	9	62	11
Speak English "very well"	2	36	5
Speak English "well"	0	18	6
Speak English "not well"	7	8	0
Speak English "not at all"	0	0	0

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## HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

source data for Chart 2

<b>Surry County, North Carolina</b>	
Total:	<b>28,392</b>
English	26,155
<b>Spanish:</b>	1,758
<b>Linguistically isolated</b>	607
<b>Not linguistically isolated</b>	1,151
Other Indo-European languages:	348
Linguistically isolated	32
Not linguistically isolated	316
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	91
Linguistically isolated	13
Not linguistically isolated	78
Other languages:	40
Linguistically isolated	8
Not linguistically isolated	32

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