

# English Language Proficiency of Spanish-Speaking Population

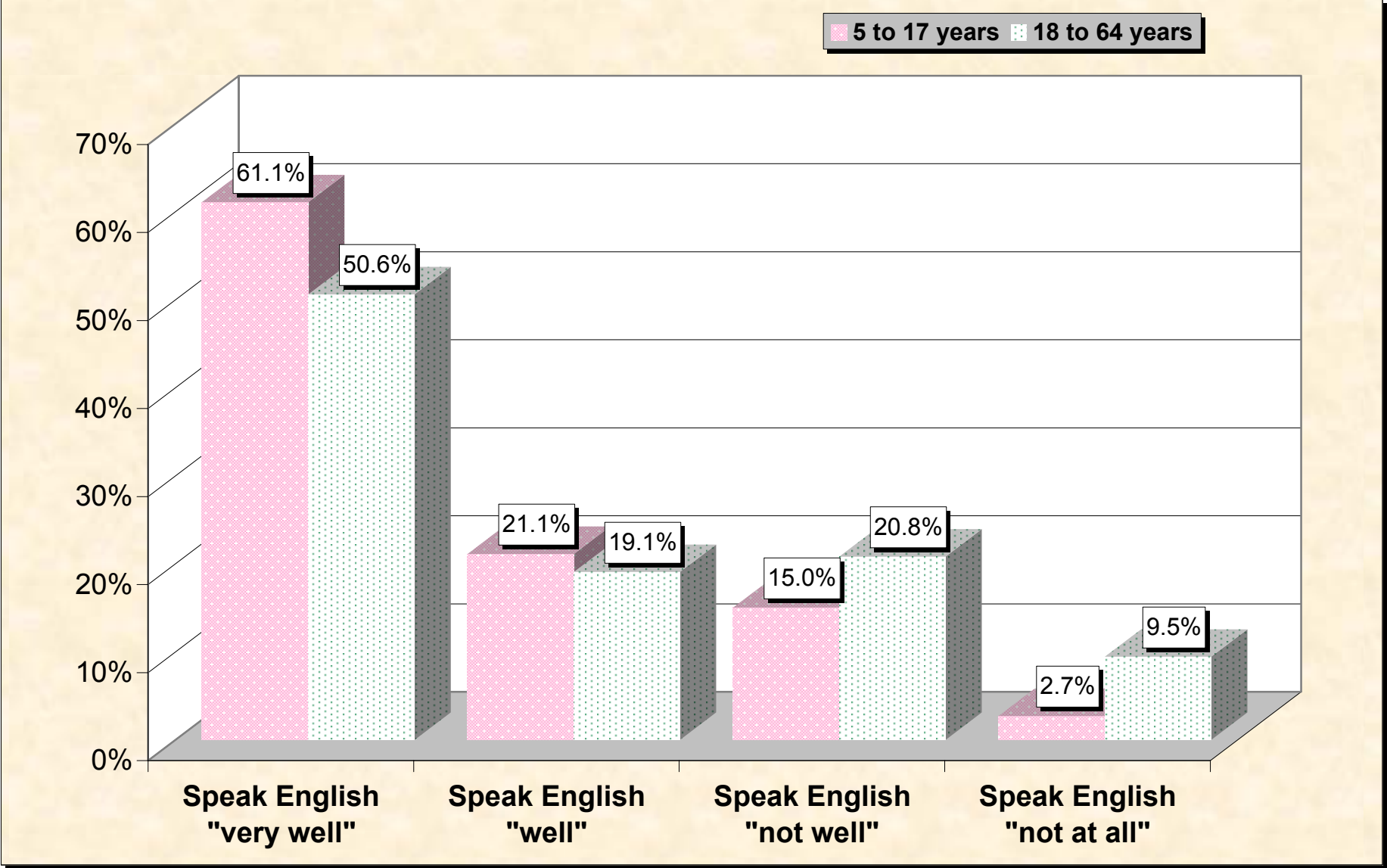
## Oklahoma

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

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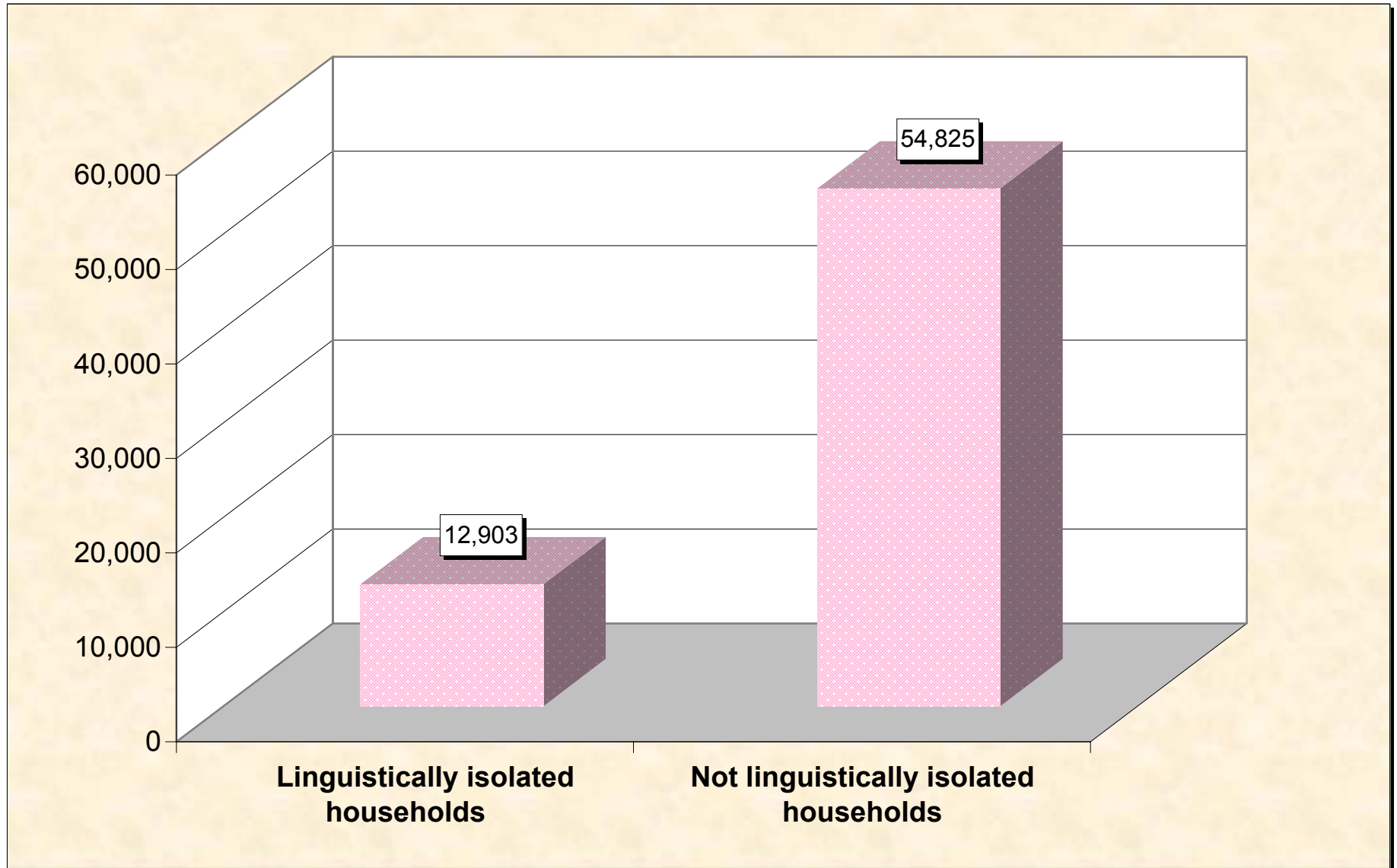
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# Chart 1 -- English Proficiency by Age for Persons who Speak Spanish at Home Oklahoma



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 Oklahoma



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

	Oklahoma		
	5 to 17 years:	18 to 64 years:	65 years and over:
Total:			
	<b>3,215,719</b>		
	655,329	2,104,690	455,700
Speak only English	604,832	1,932,827	439,528
<b>Speak Spanish:</b>	35,801	99,649	5,610
<b>Speak English "very well"</b>	21,875	50,457	3,448
<b>Speak English "well"</b>	7,567	19,012	953
<b>Speak English "not well"</b>	5,385	20,760	681
<b>Speak English "not at all"</b>	974	9,420	528
Speak other Indo-European languages:	5,531	26,540	4,821
Speak English "very well"	4,075	20,262	3,510
Speak English "well"	949	4,227	848
Speak English "not well"	464	1,861	351
Speak English "not at all"	43	190	112
Speak Asian and Pacific Island languages:	5,179	27,342	1,996
Speak English "very well"	3,347	12,177	668
Speak English "well"	1,219	9,427	410
Speak English "not well"	591	5,231	437
Speak English "not at all"	22	507	481
Speak other languages:	3,986	18,332	3,745
Speak English "very well"	3,133	14,112	2,478
Speak English "well"	512	3,071	942
Speak English "not well"	322	1,078	285
Speak English "not at all"	19	71	40

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## HOUSEHOLD LANGUAGE BY LINGUISTIC ISOLATION

**source data for Chart 2**

	<b>Oklahoma</b>
Total:	<b>1,343,506</b>
English	1,219,328
Spanish:	67,728
Linguistically isolated	12,903
Not linguistically isolated	54,825
Other Indo-European languages:	24,719
Linguistically isolated	2,030
Not linguistically isolated	22,689
Asian and Pacific Island languages:	16,055
Linguistically isolated	4,704
Not linguistically isolated	11,351
Other languages:	15,676
Linguistically isolated	1,393
Not linguistically isolated	14,283

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