



Language Spoken at Home by Ability to Speak English for the Population 5 Years and Over  
New York City and Boroughs, 2007-2009 American Community Survey

	New York City		Bronx		Brooklyn		Manhattan		Queens		Staten Island	
	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error	Estimate	Margin of Error
	Mon-Khmer, Cambodian:	2,127	+/-767	1,095	+/-580	420	+/-306	96	+/-82	381	+/-386	135
Speak English "very well"	1,089	+/-509	556	+/-340	95	+/-99	96	+/-82	342	+/-370	0	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	1,038	+/-460	539	+/-317	325	+/-245	0	+/-158	39	+/-62	135	+/-158
Hmong:	20	+/-33	0	+/-158	20	+/-33	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Speak English "very well"	20	+/-33	0	+/-158	20	+/-33	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Thai:	4,173	+/-871	289	+/-209	427	+/-193	832	+/-340	2,625	+/-759	0	+/-158
Speak English "very well"	1,593	+/-422	86	+/-109	172	+/-107	453	+/-204	882	+/-317	0	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	2,580	+/-667	203	+/-179	255	+/-155	379	+/-202	1,743	+/-587	0	+/-158
Laotian:	316	+/-168	0	+/-158	81	+/-94	62	+/-78	173	+/-139	0	+/-158
Speak English "very well"	208	+/-115	0	+/-158	64	+/-69	62	+/-78	82	+/-81	0	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	108	+/-100	0	+/-158	17	+/-28	0	+/-158	91	+/-96	0	+/-158
Vietnamese:	9,764	+/-1,725	2,992	+/-1,087	2,775	+/-836	1,067	+/-479	2,388	+/-702	542	+/-442
Speak English "very well"	4,132	+/-886	1,095	+/-514	1,249	+/-503	629	+/-204	877	+/-369	282	+/-221
Speak English less than "very well"	5,632	+/-1,110	1,897	+/-746	1,526	+/-548	438	+/-351	1,511	+/-437	260	+/-233
Other Asian languages:	36,985	+/-3,178	1,601	+/-546	9,511	+/-1,543	4,578	+/-914	18,272	+/-2,441	3,023	+/-865
Speak English "very well"	19,289	+/-2,098	1,148	+/-402	3,507	+/-843	3,130	+/-623	9,943	+/-1,557	1,561	+/-492
Speak English less than "very well"	17,696	+/-2,026	453	+/-264	6,004	+/-1,118	1,448	+/-633	8,329	+/-1,568	1,462	+/-574
Tagalog:	49,357	+/-3,171	4,182	+/-894	4,973	+/-780	5,178	+/-825	30,640	+/-2,657	4,384	+/-1,084
Speak English "very well"	34,720	+/-2,448	3,012	+/-677	3,245	+/-618	3,896	+/-663	21,244	+/-2,052	3,323	+/-906
Speak English less than "very well"	14,637	+/-1,593	1,170	+/-440	1,728	+/-477	1,282	+/-432	9,396	+/-1,362	1,061	+/-462
Other Pacific Island languages:	6,086	+/-1,273	223	+/-282	727	+/-326	668	+/-278	4,234	+/-1,153	234	+/-236
Speak English "very well"	3,457	+/-802	187	+/-277	510	+/-261	418	+/-160	2,240	+/-796	102	+/-106
Speak English less than "very well"	2,629	+/-822	36	+/-56	217	+/-134	250	+/-182	1,994	+/-731	132	+/-132
Navajo:	17	+/-28	0	+/-158	17	+/-28	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Speak English "very well"	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Speak English less than "very well"	17	+/-28	0	+/-158	17	+/-28	0	+/-158	0	+/-158	0	+/-158
Other Native North American languages:	1,284	+/-503	242	+/-192	333	+/-199	175	+/-171	468	+/-415	66	+/-79
Speak English "very well"	1,107	+/-509	242	+/-192	295	+/-190	97	+/-112	453	+/-414	20	+/-32
Speak English less than "very well"	177	+/-160	0	+/-158	38	+/-60	78	+/-129	15	+/-24	46	+/-72
Hungarian:	8,951	+/-1,120	446	+/-252	3,419	+/-728	1,606	+/-451	3,304	+/-806	176	+/-109
Speak English "very well"	4,904	+/-805	220	+/-153	1,404	+/-397	1,081	+/-345	2,063	+/-588	136	+/-90
Speak English less than "very well"	4,047	+/-660	226	+/-169	2,015	+/-525	525	+/-207	1,241	+/-399	40	+/-45
Arabic:	52,904	+/-4,382	4,295	+/-1,444	24,500	+/-2,872	4,443	+/-1,245	14,115	+/-2,456	5,551	+/-1,305
Speak English "very well"	27,660	+/-2,826	1,659	+/-806	11,552	+/-1,877	2,718	+/-641	8,122	+/-1,810	3,609	+/-1,059
Speak English less than "very well"	25,244	+/-2,649	2,636	+/-912	12,948	+/-1,763	1,725	+/-925	5,993	+/-1,172	1,942	+/-617
Hebrew:	51,425	+/-4,328	1,601	+/-520	28,933	+/-2,838	9,961	+/-1,794	9,739	+/-1,661	1,191	+/-428
Speak English "very well"	38,253	+/-3,266	1,281	+/-395	19,405	+/-2,036	9,205	+/-1,611	7,369	+/-1,403	993	+/-369
Speak English less than "very well"	13,172	+/-1,967	320	+/-213	9,528	+/-1,749	756	+/-479	2,370	+/-553	198	+/-145
African languages:	65,007	+/-4,879	32,831	+/-3,490	12,501	+/-1,598	7,625	+/-1,606	9,496	+/-1,780	2,554	+/-816
Speak English "very well"	41,561	+/-3,618	20,373	+/-2,345	7,639	+/-1,196	4,446	+/-981	7,188	+/-1,384	1,915	+/-708
Speak English less than "very well"	23,446	+/-2,222	12,458	+/-1,818	4,862	+/-1,100	3,179	+/-1,076	2,308	+/-740	639	+/-279
Other and unspecified languages:	4,655	+/-869	724	+/-403	1,650	+/-496	1,143	+/-570	1,131	+/-566	7	+/-12
Speak English "very well"	2,396	+/-560	303	+/-216	565	+/-240	858	+/-469	663	+/-350	7	+/-12
Speak English less than "very well"	2,259	+/-583	421	+/-324	1,085	+/-353	285	+/-226	468	+/-273	0	+/-158

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007-2009 American Community Survey  
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