

**Table 46b. Utah -- Ability to Speak English by Language Spoken at Home for the Population 18 Years and Over: 2000**

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Language spoken at home	Total	Speak English "very well"		Speak English "well"		Speak English "not well"		Speak English "not at all"	
	Number	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>Population 18 years and over</b>	1,516,340	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Speak only English	1,315,675	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Speak language other than English	200,660	113,140	56.4	40,220	20.0	33,045	16.5	14,255	7.1
<b>Spanish or Spanish Creole</b>	115,585	57,145	49.4	21,600	18.7	24,070	20.8	12,775	11.1
<b>Other Indo-European languages</b>	42,075	31,070	73.8	6,880	16.4	3,675	8.7	445	1.1
French (incl. Patois, Cajun)	6,240	5,050	80.9	720	11.5	460	7.4	10	0.2
French Creole	160	115	74.2	15	9.7	25	16.1	0	0.0
Italian	2,615	2,150	82.1	350	13.4	120	4.6	0	0.0
Portuguese or Portuguese Creole	4,970	3,740	75.2	770	15.5	410	8.2	55	1.1
German	10,500	8,355	79.5	1,430	13.6	665	6.3	55	0.5
Yiddish	50	45	91.8	4	8.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other West Germanic languages	2,315	1,875	81.2	345	14.9	80	3.5	10	0.4
Scandinavian languages	2,885	2,395	82.9	410	14.2	85	2.9	0	0.0
Greek	1,645	1,285	78.2	255	15.5	100	6.1	4	0.2
Russian	2,545	1,490	58.4	610	23.9	380	14.9	70	2.8
Polish	760	530	70.2	160	21.2	65	8.6	0	0.0
Serbo-Croatian	2,390	790	33.1	635	26.6	830	34.7	135	5.7
Other Slavic languages	840	700	83.3	100	11.9	30	3.6	10	1.2
Armenian	460	265	57.6	140	30.4	45	9.8	10	2.2
Persian	875	500	56.8	255	29.0	100	11.4	25	2.8
Gujarathi	95	40	40.0	50	50.0	10	10.0	0	0.0
Hindi	670	470	70.7	145	21.8	40	6.0	10	1.5
Urdu	500	350	70.0	75	15.0	65	13.0	10	2.0
Other Indic languages	595	340	57.1	170	28.6	75	12.6	10	1.7
Other Indo-European languages	965	590	61.1	250	25.9	95	9.8	30	3.1
<b>Asian and Pacific Island languages</b>	31,045	16,730	53.9	9,185	29.6	4,425	14.2	705	2.3
Chinese	6,150	2,850	46.3	2,050	33.3	995	16.2	255	4.2
Japanese	4,515	3,005	66.6	1,050	23.3	410	9.1	50	1.1
Korean	2,720	1,335	49.1	900	33.1	455	16.7	30	1.1
Mon-Khmer, Cambodian	1,075	520	48.2	330	30.6	205	19.0	25	2.3
Miao, Hmong	205	135	66.2	35	17.2	30	14.7	4	2.0
Thai	720	340	47.3	325	45.2	50	7.0	4	0.6
Laotian	1,620	635	39.3	645	39.9	315	19.5	20	1.2
Vietnamese	4,205	1,365	32.4	1,420	33.7	1,165	27.7	260	6.2
Other Asian languages	695	430	61.4	200	28.6	70	10.0	0	0.0
Tagalog	2,425	1,735	71.4	575	23.7	110	4.5	10	0.4
Other Pacific Island languages	6,710	4,380	65.3	1,660	24.7	620	9.2	50	0.8
<b>Other languages</b>	11,960	8,195	68.5	2,555	21.4	880	7.4	330	2.8
Navajo	7,085	4,620	65.2	1,725	24.4	515	7.3	225	3.2
Other Native North American languages	1,305	1,125	86.3	140	10.7	35	2.7	4	0.3
Hungarian	360	325	91.8	25	7.1	4	1.1	0	0.0
Arabic	1,430	945	65.9	290	20.2	180	12.5	20	1.4
Hebrew	220	175	79.6	35	15.9	10	4.6	0	0.0
African languages	965	545	56.5	270	28.0	100	10.4	50	5.2
Other and unspecified languages	595	455	76.5	70	11.8	35	5.9	35	5.9

(X) Not Applicable.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.