

**Table 1.17-- LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME AND ABILITY TO SPEAK ENGLISH,
HAWAII COUNTY: 1990**

Subject	Number
Persons 5 years and over	111,018
Speak a language other than English	19,679
Do not speak English "very well"	8,530
Speak Spanish	1,296
Do not speak English "very well"	301
Speak Asian or Pacific Island language	16,485
Do not speak English "very well"	7,829

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing, STF 3A, 1990 CPH-L-81 (1992), table 1.