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Cancer, Cardiovascular Disease, Diabetes and Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease in Europe, 1950-2015

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In Albania, data on deaths are available from 1987 to 2010 in the WHO mortality database.

Of the four major causes of death considered, Cardiovascular Disease (CVD) is the most important, followed by all malignant neoplasms and Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD). Mortality rates from cancer, cardiovascular disease and COPD are higher in men than in women. A decrease in mortality from all forms of cancer, cardiovascular disease and COPD has been observed since the mid-1980s. Mortality from diabetes remains difficult to interpret.

Lung and breast cancers are the commonest causes of cancer death. For lung cancer, stomach cancer and haematological malignancies, the mortality trends are similar to all cancer mortality and seem to decrease between 1987 and 2010. An increase in mortality from breast cancer can be observed, while mortality from colorectal cancer seems stable over the period studied.



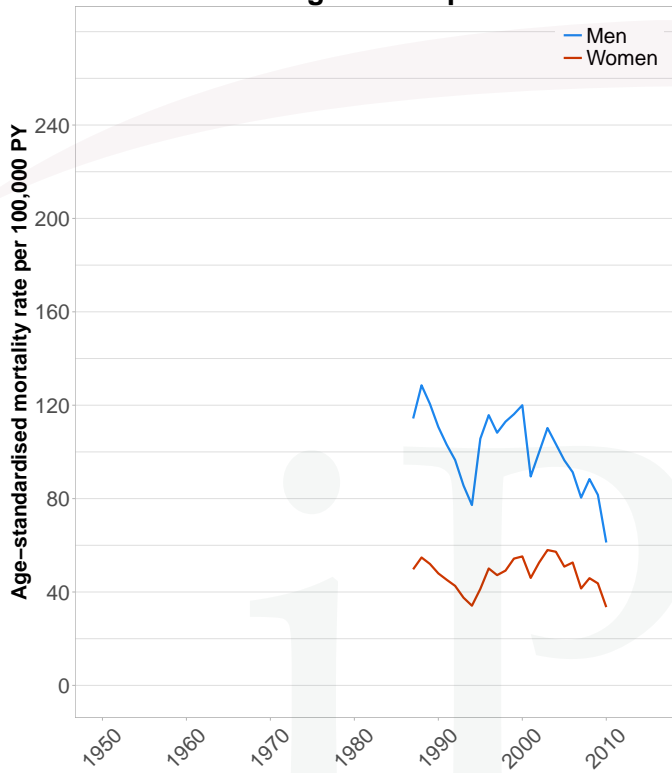
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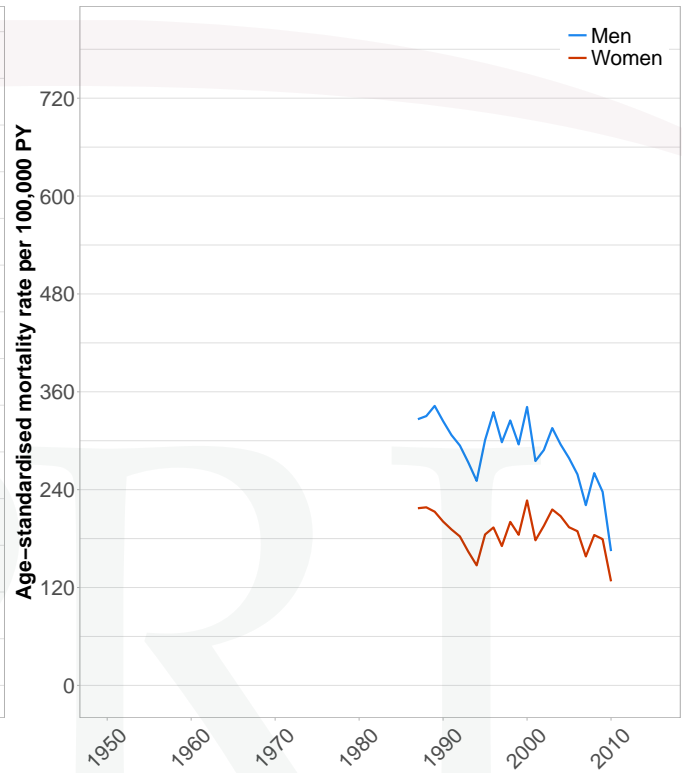
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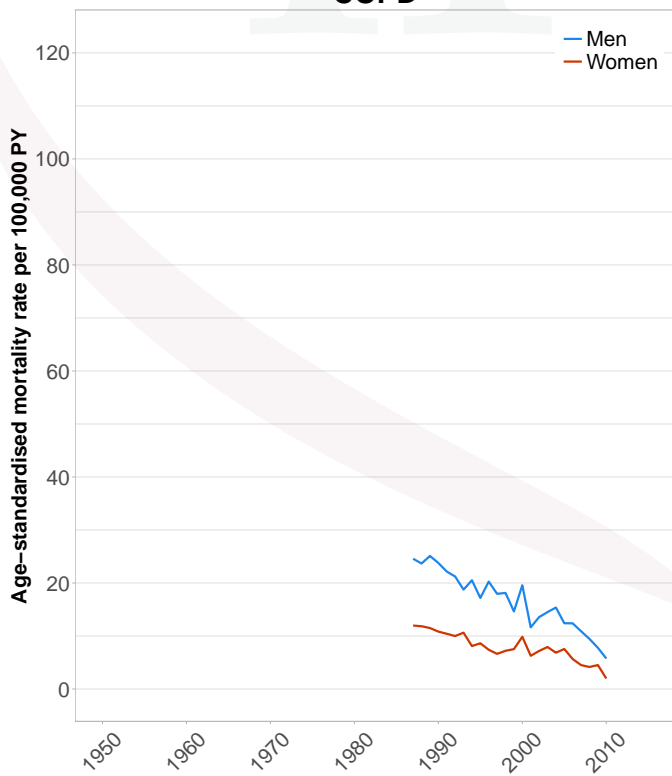
All malignant neoplasms



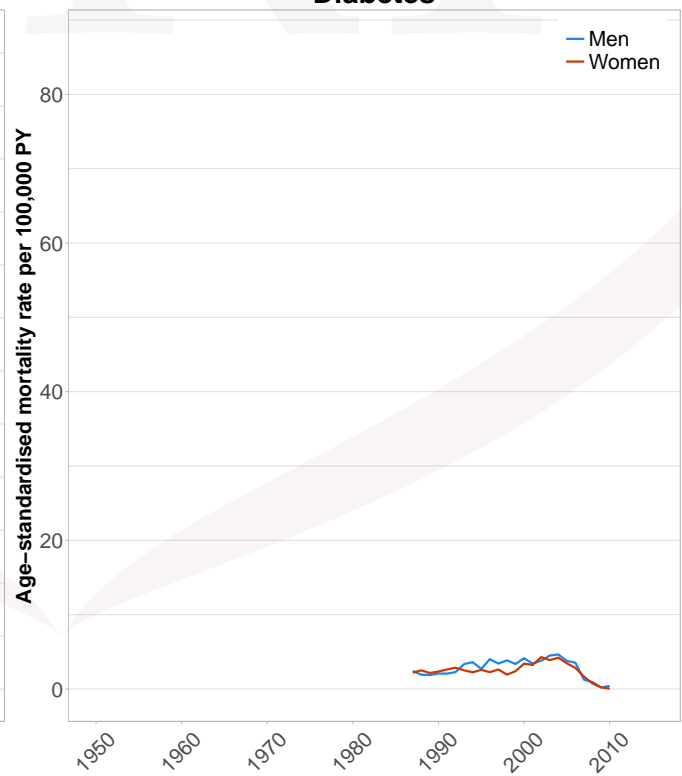
Cardiovascular disease



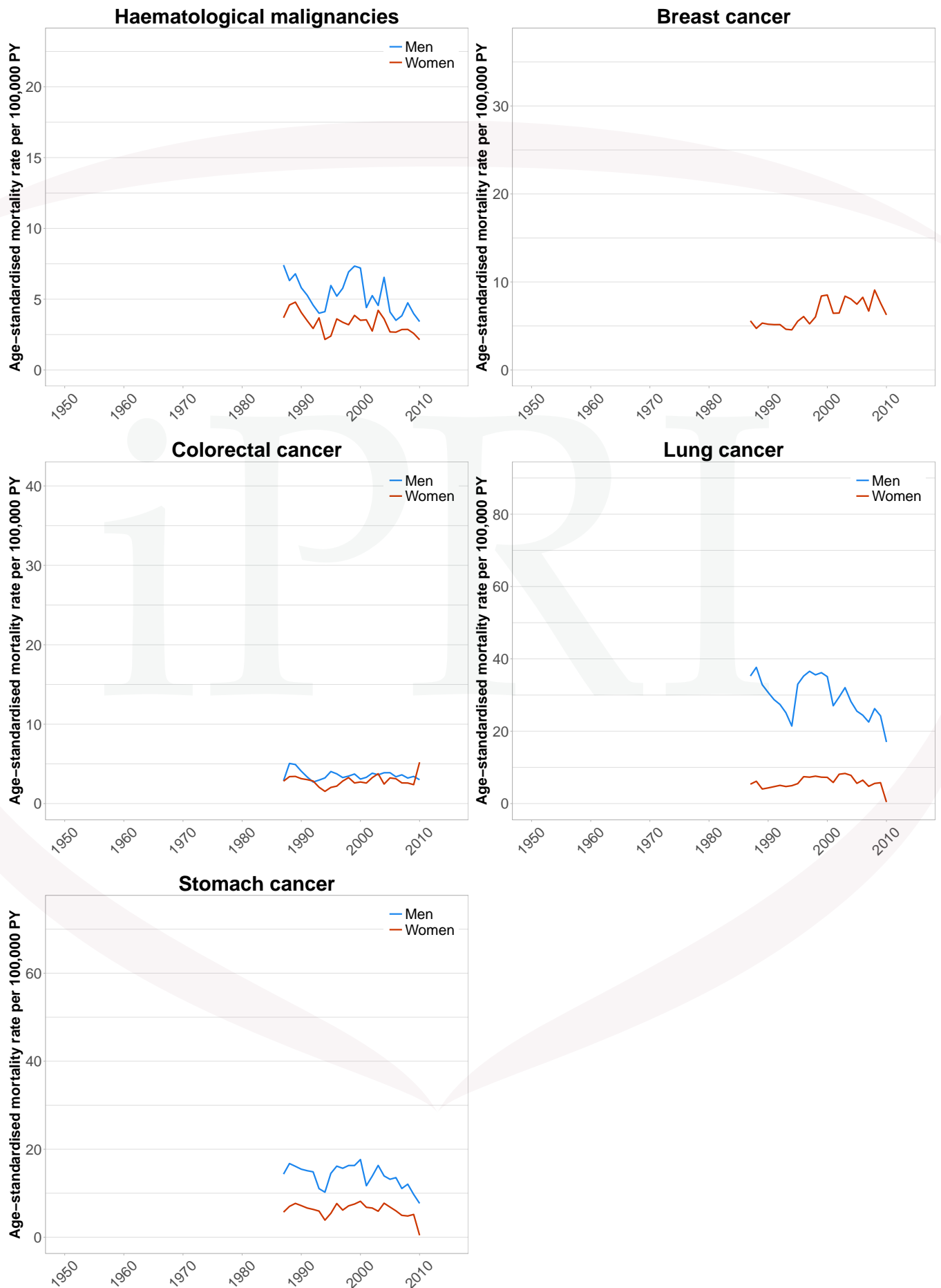
COPD



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