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

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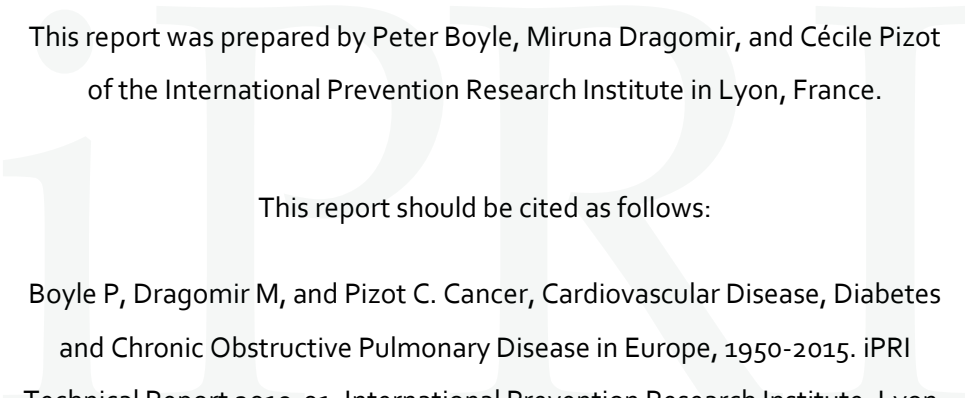
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In Austria, data on deaths are available from 1955 to 2015 in the WHO mortality database.

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 and cardiovascular disease has been observed since the mid-1950s. A slightly smaller decrease is observed for mortality from COPD. Mortality from diabetes remains difficult to interpret.

Lung and breast cancers are the commonest causes of cancer death. For colorectal and breast cancers: an increase in mortality rates is observed between 1955 and 1990, followed by a decrease between 1990 and 2015. For lung cancer, the same trend is observed in men (with the decrease starting earlier, in the 1980s); however, in women, lung cancer mortality continues to increase over the 1980-2015 period. On the other hand, remarkable declines in mortality from stomach cancer are observed in both genders over the period studied. Finally, mortality from haematological malignancies seems stable over the period.



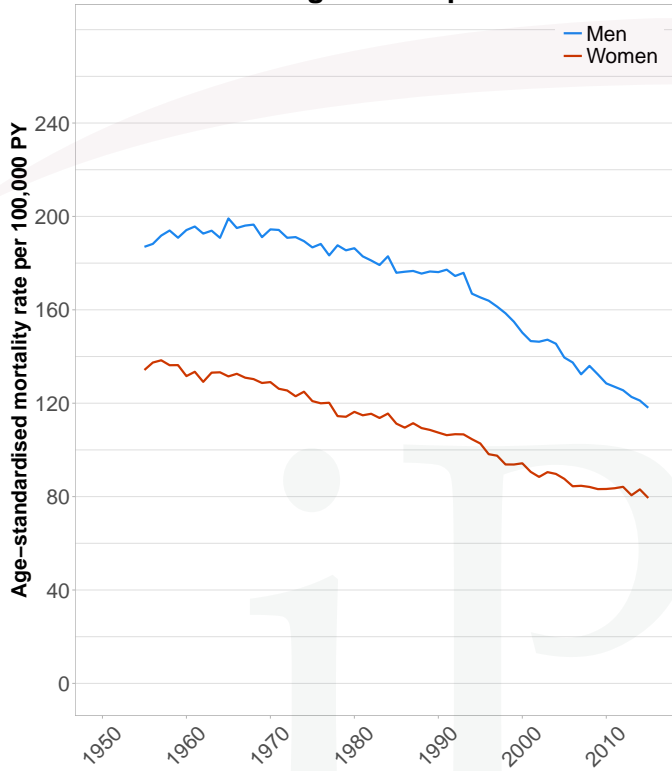
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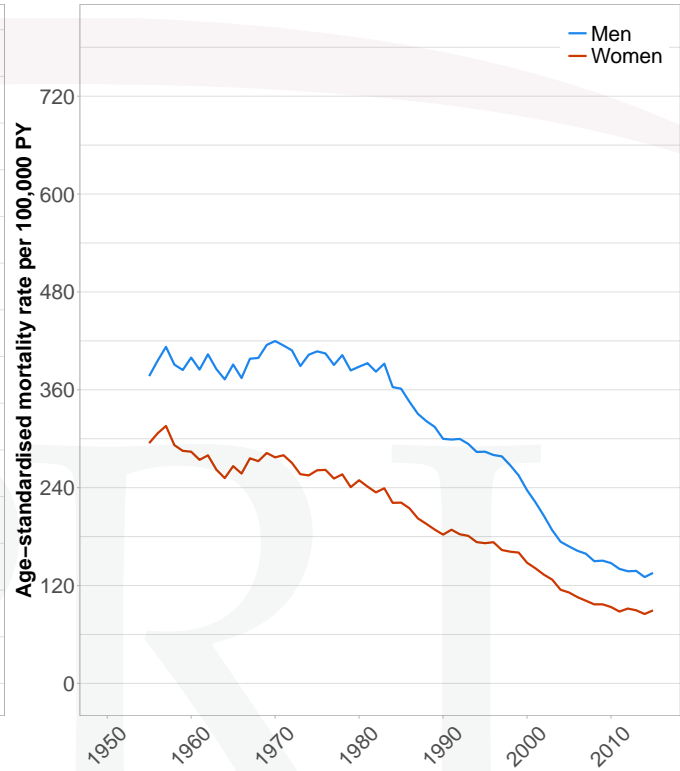
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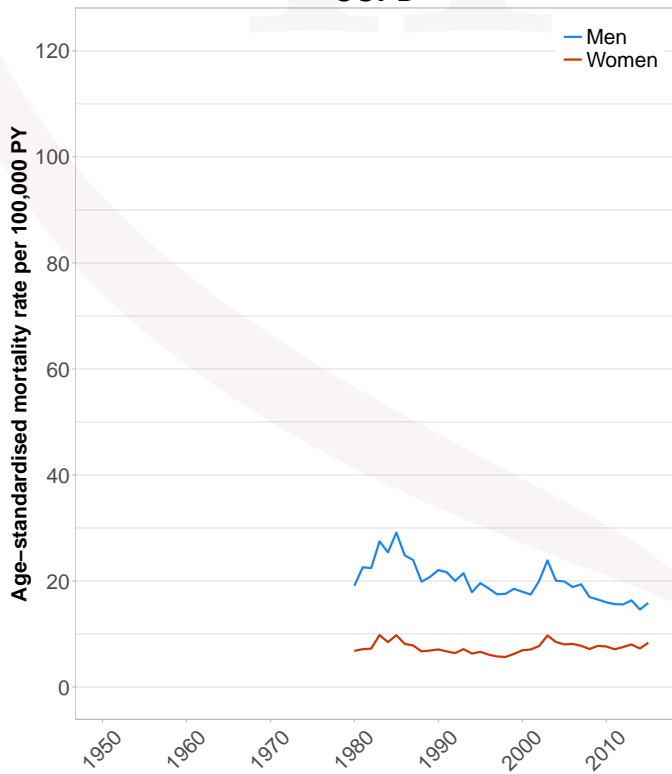
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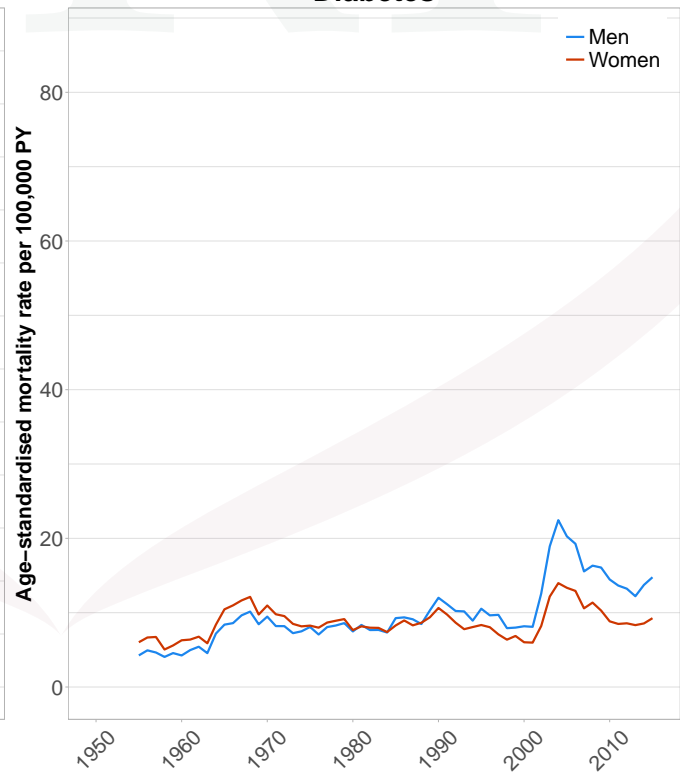
## Cardiovascular disease



## COPD



## Diabetes



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