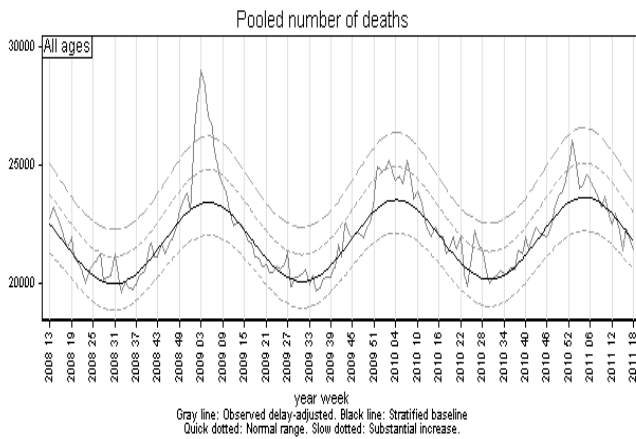
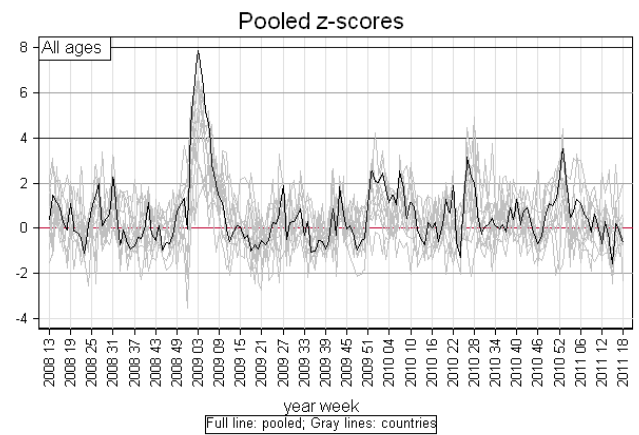


European mortality bulletin Week 18 2011: Mortality has since the middle of January been within the normal range for all countries.

Over the last month, all-cause number of deaths, corrected for delay in local reporting of deaths, has been below 2 z-scores. Since March has number of death tender to be below the expected number, especially around Easter, with great variations between countries (spread in z-scores). This might, at least for some part, be due to insufficient adjustment for delay in reporting.

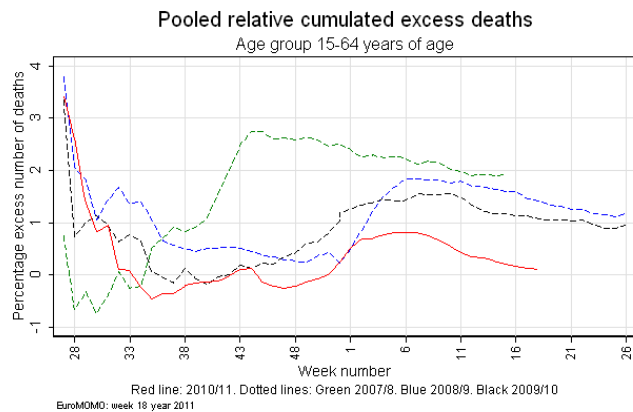


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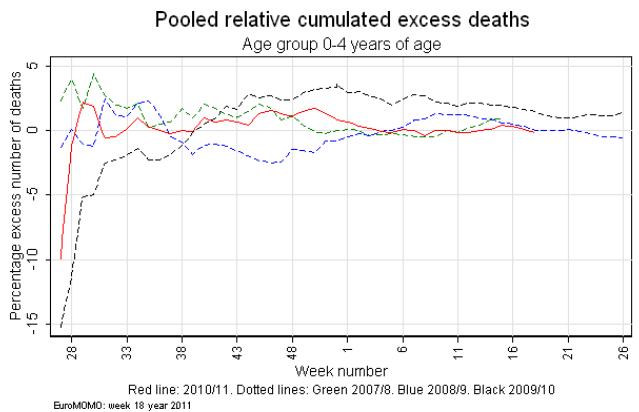


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Cumulated excess deaths for this season compared to previous seasons are within the same range. Among adults (15 to 64 years of age) a lower number of excess deaths compared to previous seasons, after a slight catch-up through December, seem to have stabilised. However, the relative low number of excess deaths among children (below 5 years of age) compared to previous seasons may have decreased, but is still around the expected number of deaths.



EuroMOMO: week 18 year 2011



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The analyses, based on eleven countries, were adjusted for differences in local delay of reporting and heterogeneities in pattern and variation between the included countries.

Further details are available on <http://www.euromomo.eu/results/pooled.html>