



### **European mortality bulletin, week 10, 2016:**

The pooled analysis shows a pattern suggesting excess all-cause mortality among the 15-64 years age group. This pattern appeared at the end of 2015, and seems to be at the same level as observed in the 2012/13 Winter season and slightly lower than the 2014/15 Winter season. Mortality among the elderly is within the expected levels for the season.

Data from 18 countries or regions\* were received, of these 17\*\* were included in the pooled analyses.

Excess mortality levels in most recent weeks may be difficult to interpret because adjustment for delayed registrations may be imprecise. Further, results of pooled analyses may vary depending on which countries were included in the weekly analyses.

Pooled analyses are adjusted for variation between the included countries and for differences in the local delay in reporting.

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

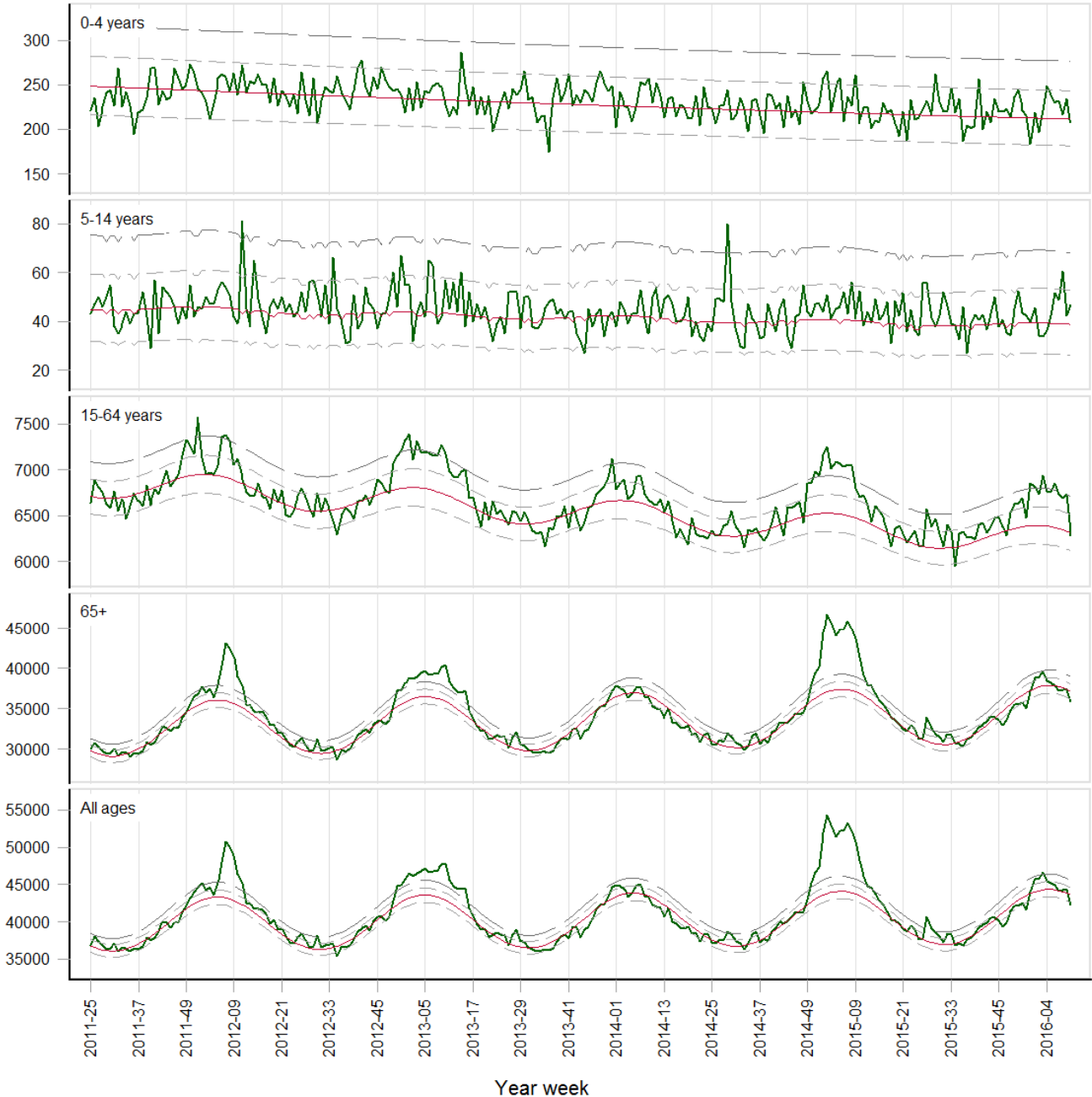
\* Belgium, Denmark, England (UK), Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, the Netherlands, Northern Ireland (UK), Norway, Portugal, Scotland (UK), Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, and Wales (UK).

\*\* Not included in the pooled analyses: Northern Ireland (UK).



### Pooled number of deaths

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— Stratified baseline                      — Delay-adjusted number of deaths  
- - - Normal range (+- 2 z-scores)                      — Substantial increase (4 z-scores)

#### Participating countries:

Belgium, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, UK (England), UK (Scotland), UK (Wales)

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