## European mortality bulletin, week 15, 2016:

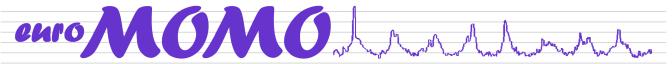
This week's pooled country analysis shows an all-cause mortality at the expected level in all age groups. The pattern of an excess in all-cause mortality among the 15-64 years age group observed in previous weeks has now ceased.

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

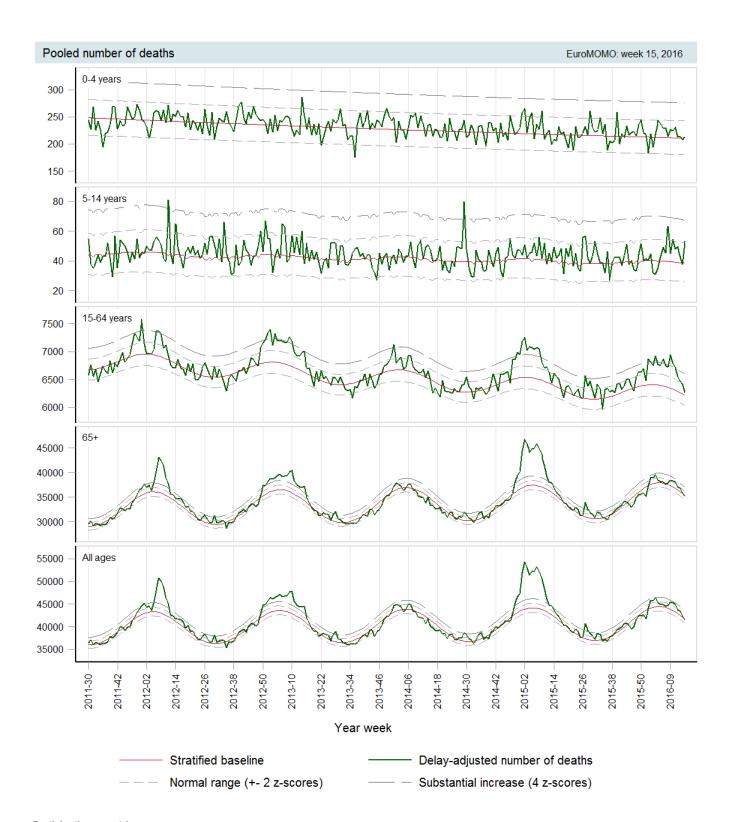
Excess mortality levels in most recent weeks may be difficult to interpret because adjustment for delayed registrations may be imprecise. Further, results of pooled analyses may vary depending on which countries were included in the weekly analyses. Pooled analyses are adjusted for variation between the included countries and for differences in the local delay in reporting. Further details are available on http://www.euromomo.eu

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

<sup>\*\*</sup> Not included in the pooled analyses: Northern Ireland (UK).



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