

Figure 1: Evolution of life expectancy in Japan, Hong Kong, Macau, South Korea, and China

Table 1: UN and CIA longevity estimates

| | UN 2005-10 | UN 2010-15 | CIA factbook 2010 |
|---------------|------------|------------|-------------------|
| China | 72.97 | 73.97 | 74.51 |
| Hong Kong | 82.21 | 82.79 | 81.96 |
| Macau | 80.71 | 81.43 | 84.38 |
| Taiwan | n.a. | n.a. | 78.15 |
| South Korea | 79.36 | 80.03 | 78.81 |
| Japan | 82.65 | 83.69 | 82.17 |
| United States | 79.19 | 79.92 | 78.24 |

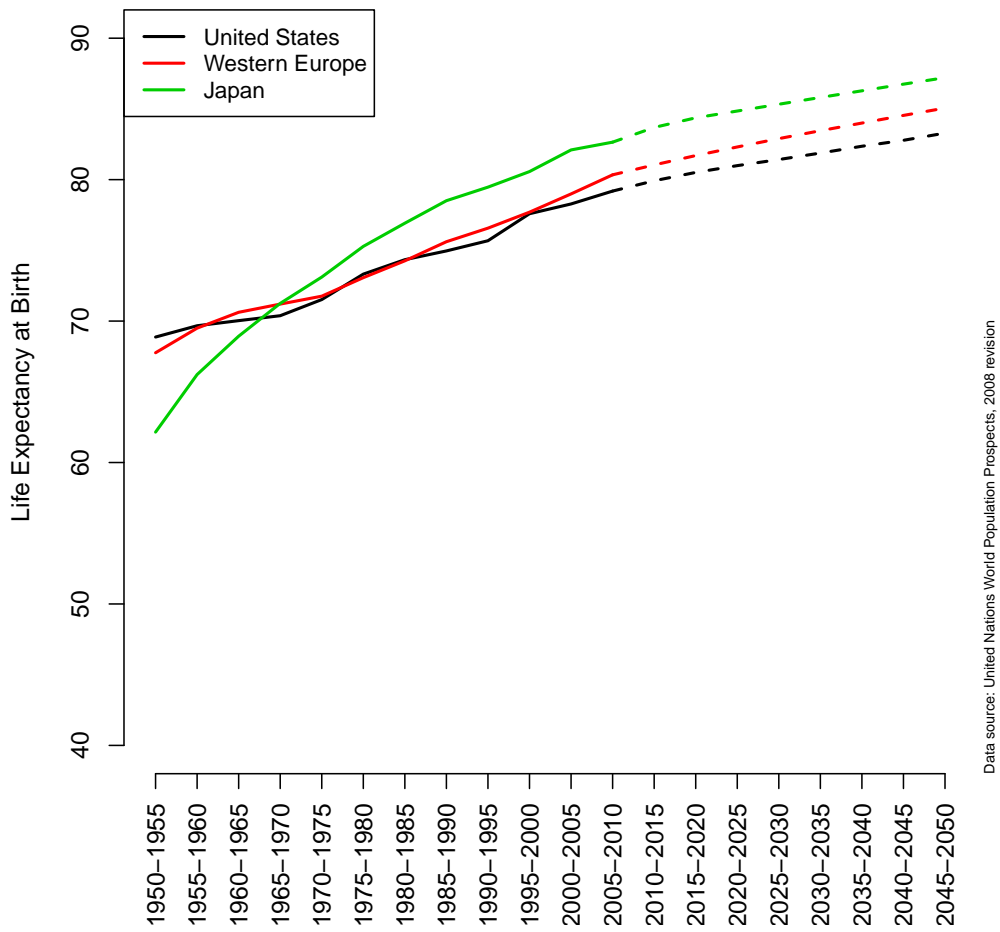


Figure 2: Evolution of life expectancy in United States, Western Europa, and Japan

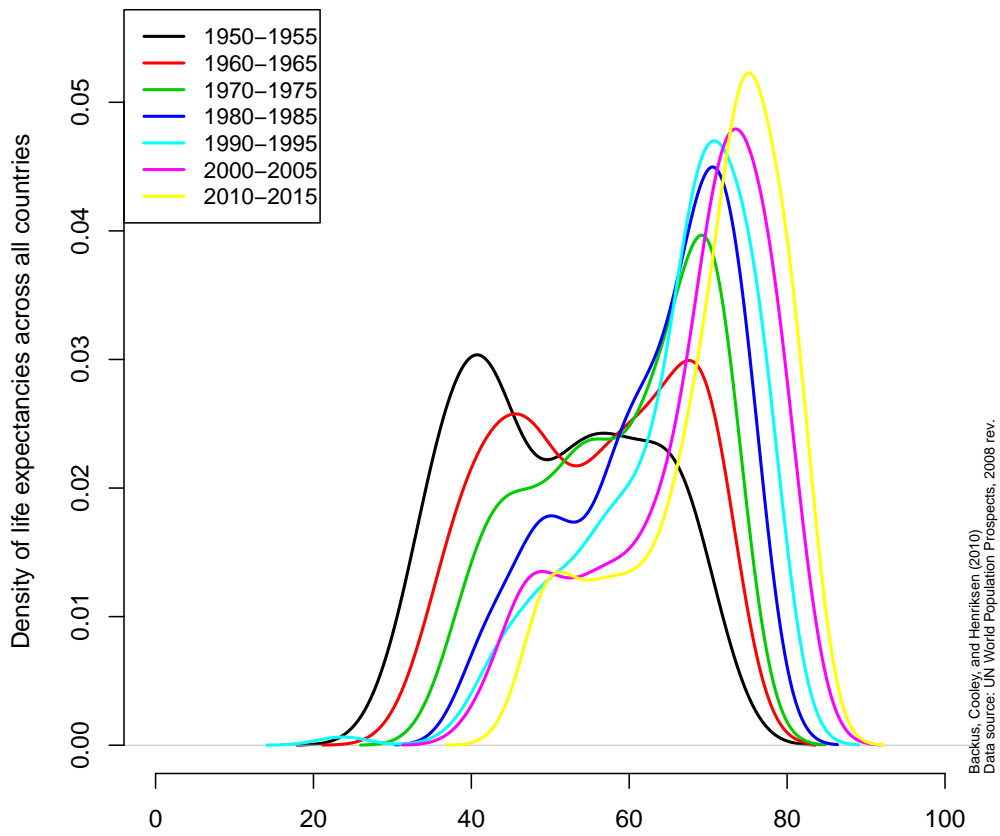


Figure 3: Distributions of life expectancy across countries

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