

## **Supplementary Materials**

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**Table S1. The data source of the analysis of esophageal cancer**

	<b>Incidence</b>	<b>Mortality</b>
Australia	CI5 (1993-2012)	WHO (1979-2015)
Austria	CI5 (1998-2012)	WHO (1980-2016)
Bahrain	CI5 (1998-2012)	WHO (1997-2014)
Belarus	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1981-2001)
Belgium	n/a	WHO(1979-2015)
Brazil	CI5 (1993-2012) <sup>1</sup>	WHO (1979-2015)
Bulgaria	CI5 (1998-2012)	WHO (1980-2014)
Canada	CI5 (1983-2012) <sup>2</sup>	WHO (1979-2013)
Chile	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>3</sup>	WHO (1980-2015)
China	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>4</sup>	n/a
Colombia	CI5 (1983-2012) <sup>5</sup>	WHO (1984-2015)
Costa Rica	CI5 (1982-2011)	WHO (1980-2014)
Croatia	CI5 (1988-2012)	WHO (1985-2016)
Cyprus	CI5 (1998-2012)	WHO (2004-2016)
Czech Republic	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1986-2016)
Denmark	NORDCAN (1943-2016)	NORDCAN (1951-2016)
Ecuador	CI5 (1985-2012) <sup>6</sup>	WHO (1979-2015)
Estonia	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1981-2015)
Faroe Islands	NORDCAN (1960-2015)	NORDCAN (1983-2013)
Finland	NORDCAN (1953-2016)	NORDCAN (1953-2016)
France	CI5 (1998-2011) <sup>7</sup>	WHO (1979-2014)
Germany	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>8</sup>	WHO (1990-2015)

Greenland	NORDCAN (1968-2016)	NORDCAN (1983-2016)
Hong Kong	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1979-2015)
Iceland	NORDCAN (1955-2016)	NORDCAN (1955-2016)
India	CI5(1983-2012) <sup>9</sup>	n/a
Ireland	CI5 (1994-2012)	WHO (1979-2014)
Israel	CI5 (1963-2012)	WHO (1979-2015)
Italy	CI5 (1998-2010) <sup>10</sup>	WHO (1979-2015)
Japan	CI5 (1998-2010) <sup>11</sup>	WHO (1979-2015)
Korea	CI5 (1999-2012) <sup>12</sup>	WHO (1985-2015) <sup>13</sup>
Kuwait	CI5 (1998-2012)	WHO (1979-2014)
Latvia	n/a	WHO (1980-2015)
Lithuania	CI5 (1988-2012)	WHO (1981-2016)
Malta	CI5 (1993-2012)	WHO(1979-2015)
Netherlands	CI5 (1989-2012)	WHO (1979-2016)
New Zealand	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1979-2013)
Norway	NORDCAN (1953-2016)	NORDCAN (1953-2016)
Philippines	CI5 (1983-2012) <sup>14</sup>	WHO (1992-2011)
Poland	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>15</sup>	WHO (1980-2015)
Portugal	n/a	WHO (1980-2014)
Russian Federation	n/a	WHO (1980-1998)
Singapore	n/a	WHO (1979-2015)
Slovakia	CI5 (1971-2010)	WHO (1992-2014)
Slovenia	CI5 (1983-2012)	WHO (1985-2015)
Spain	CI5 (1993-2010) <sup>16</sup>	WHO (1980-2015)

Sweden	NORDCAN (1960-2016)	NORDCAN (1960-2016)
Switzerland	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>17</sup>	WHO (1995-2015)
Thailand	CI5 (1993-2012) <sup>18</sup>	WHO (1979-2016)
Turkey	CI5 (1998-2012) <sup>19</sup>	WHO (2009-2015)
Uganda	CI5 (1993-2012) <sup>20</sup>	n/a
United Kingdom	CI5 (1995-2012) <sup>21</sup>	WHO (1979-2015)
USA	SEER(1975-2017) <sup>22</sup>	SEER(1970-2017) <sup>22</sup>
USA Black	SEER(1975-2017) <sup>22</sup>	n/a
USA White	SEER(1975-2017) <sup>22</sup>	n/a

n/a” not available; CI5: Cancer Incidence in Five Continents V; NORDCAN: Nordic Cancer Registries’ SEER: USA: National Institutes of Health (NIH); WHO: World Health Organization

1. Brazil, Goiania
2. Canada (excl. Nunavut, Quebec and Yukon)
3. Chile, Valdivia
4. China (5 registries)
5. Colombia, Cali
6. Ecuador, Quito
7. France (9 registries)
8. Germany (2 registries)
9. India, Chennai
10. Italy (8 registries)
11. Japan (4 registries)

12. Korea (5 registries)
13. Republic of Korea
14. Philippines, Manila
15. Poland, Kielce
16. Spain (9 registries)
17. Switzerland (6 registries)
18. Thailand (4 registries)
19. Turkey (2 registries)
20. Uganda, Kampala
21. UK, England
22. USA, ( 9 registries)

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- c. SEER: <http://seer.cancer.gov/data/seerstat/>
- d. WHO: <http://apps.who.int/healthinfo/statistics/mortality/whodpms/>

**Table S2. The data source of the analysis of esophageal cancer**

Risk factors	Measurement	Year
Smoking <sup>a</sup>	Current smoking of any tobacco product (age-standardized rate)	2010
Alcohol <sup>b</sup>	Total per capita consumption	2010
Physical inactivity <sup>c</sup>	Prevalence of insufficient physical activity (age-standardized rate)	2016*
Obesity <sup>d</sup>	Prevalence of obesity (age-standardized rate)	2010
Diabetes <sup>e</sup>	Raised fasting blood glucose ( $\geq 7.0$ mmol/L or on medication, age-standardized rate)	2010
High cholesterol <sup>f</sup>	Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 6.2$ mmol/L, age-standardized)	2008*

\* Data are only available for this year.

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- c. <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A893?lang=en>
- d. <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.BMIOBESITYA?lang=en>
- e. <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.NCDRGLUCA?lang=en>
- f. <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A887?lang=en>

**Table S3. The incidence and mortality of esophageal cancer by region**

Incidence							Mortality					
Both sexes			Males		Females		Both sexes		Males		Females	
Region	New cases	ASR	New cases	ASR	New cases	ASR	Deaths	ASR	Deaths	ASR	Deaths	ASR
Eastern Africa	17 792	8.3	9 657	9.7	8 135	7.1	17 564	8.2	9 574	9.7	7 990	7.0
Middle Africa	1 564	1.9	855	2.1	709	1.7	1 450	1.8	772	2.0	678	1.7
Northern Africa	3 093	1.5	1 627	1.7	1 466	1.4	2 900	1.5	1 509	1.6	1 391	1.3
Southern Africa	3 913	7.4	2 331	11.1	1 582	5.0	3 793	7.2	2 297	11.0	1 496	4.8
Western Africa	2 132	1.2	1 358	1.6	774	0.8	1 996	1.2	1 292	1.6	704	0.8
Caribbean	1 882	3.3	1 488	5.6	394	1.2	1 645	2.8	1 315	4.9	330	1.0
Central America	1 756	1.0	1 289	1.6	467	0.5	1 661	0.9	1 257	1.5	404	0.4
South America	17 337	3.3	12 673	5.5	4 664	1.5	14 588	2.8	10 935	4.7	3 653	1.2
North America	22 689	3.3	18 052	5.6	4 637	1.2	18 222	2.5	14 564	4.3	3 658	0.9
Eastern Asia	335 080	12.2	237 160	17.9	97 920	6.8	300 878	10.7	212 430	15.8	88 448	5.9
South-Eastern Asia	12 864	1.9	10 418	3.3	2 446	0.7	11 857	1.8	9 614	3.1	2 243	0.6
South-Central Asia	92 741	5.3	58 395	6.7	34 346	3.8	81 432	4.6	53 404	6.2	28 028	3.1
Western Asia	3 912	1.7	2 055	1.9	1 857	1.5	3 578	1.5	1 924	1.8	1 654	1.3
Central and Eastern Europe	15 616	3.0	12 723	5.9	2 893	0.8	14 140	2.7	11 631	5.3	2 509	0.7
Western Europe	17 980	4.2	13 732	6.8	4 248	1.7	14 423	3.1	11 177	5.2	3 246	1.2
Southern Europe	6 449	1.9	5 153	3.3	1 296	0.6	5 644	1.5	4 545	2.8	1 099	0.5
Northern Europe	12 919	5.5	9 059	8.5	3 860	2.7	10 854	4.3	7 579	6.7	3 275	2.1
Australia and New Zealand	2 048	3.5	1 492	5.5	556	1.6	1 708	2.7	1 201	4.2	507	1.3
Melanesia	238	3.4	155	4.9	83	2.2	227	3.3	147	4.8	80	2.1
Polynesia	17	2.5	17	5.0	NA	NA	13	1.9	13	3.9	NA	NA
Micronesia	12	2.2	10	3.8	2	0.8	12	2.2	10	3.8	2	0.8
World	572 034	6.3	399 699	9.3	172 335	3.5	508 585	5.5	357 190	8.3	151 395	3.0

ASR, age-standardized rate; NA, not available.

**Table S4. The incidence of esophageal cancer by histological subtype**

Country	Male						Female					
	AC		SCC		AC:SCC (ASR)	AC		SCC		AC:SCC (ASR)		
	ASR	N	ASR	N		ASR	N	ASR	N		ASR	N
Afghanistan	1.1	79	8.6	670	0.124	0.5	36	6.3	527	0.071		
Albania	0.4	12	1.2	33	0.308	0.0	2	0.2	6	0.200		
Algeria	0.3	54	0.6	118	0.500	0.1	20	0.6	129	0.154		
Angola	0.2	10	3.4	203	0.051	0.1	5	1.6	119	0.061		
Argentina	1.8	477	3.7	1028	0.476	0.4	169	1.5	625	0.235		
Armenia	0.6	11	1.2	24	0.467	0.1	2	0.5	15	0.200		
Australia	3.5	790	1.9	439	1.789	0.5	132	1.0	316	0.455		
Austria	1.8	155	2.7	223	0.667	0.3	33	0.7	69	0.400		
Azerbaijan	2.1	99	4.8	218	0.452	0.7	39	3.8	238	0.179		
Bahamas	0.8	2	2.8	7	0.286	0.1	0	0.3	1	0.250		
Bahrain	0.9	3	0.4	2	2.143	0.3	1	0.9	3	0.300		
Bangladesh	2.0	1426	16.7	12057	0.121	0.7	472	10.0	6951	0.067		
Barbados	0.5	2	1.5	4	0.320	0.1	1	0.3	1	0.400		
Belarus	0.9	64	7.0	459	0.136	0.1	13	0.3	32	0.333		
Belgium	3.4	390	3.7	398	0.897	0.7	103	1.6	206	0.429		
Belize	0.4	1	1.2	2	0.281	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.250		
Benin	0.5	6	6.5	184	0.077	0.0	0	4.6	148	0.000		
Bhutan	0.8	3	6.6	23	0.121	0.4	1	5.7	17	0.067		
Bolivia	0.5	26	1.8	85	0.300	0.2	8	0.5	28	0.333		
Bosnia Herzegovina	0.9	32	3.1	92	0.308	0.1	6	0.6	21	0.200		
Botswana	0.6	4	11.2	69	0.056	0.2	2	3.4	30	0.050		
Brazil	1.5	1675	5.9	6981	0.247	0.4	611	1.4	2138	0.286		
Brunei	0.0	0	3.2	5	0.000	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.091		

Bulgaria	1.0	63	2.2	142	0.429	0.1	15	0.4	29	0.333	
Burkina Faso	0.1	4	1.4	60	0.050	0.0	2	0.9	52	0.034	
Burundi	0.8	17	14.0	342	0.056	0.3	7	5.7	154	0.051	
Cambodia	0.2	10	4.4	213	0.051	0.1	3	0.9	62	0.083	
Cameroon	0.1	3	1.0	68	0.071	0.0	2	1.4	93	0.025	
Canada	3.7	1344	1.8	691	2.000	0.5	216	0.8	368	0.571	
Central African Republic	0.1	1	1.9	23	0.074	0.1	1	2.3	33	0.059	
Chad	0.1	4	2.2	65	0.050	0.1	3	1.7	56	0.071	
Chile	0.5	62	2.6	350	0.171	0.3	54	1.6	318	0.200	
China	0.9	9488	18.8	204602	0.046	0.4	3737	7.8	89532	0.048	
Colombia	0.9	247	1.6	407	0.579	0.1	52	0.7	216	0.222	
Comoros	0.5	1	8.1	18	0.059	0.3	1	6.8	15	0.045	
Congo, Democratic	0.1	22	1.9	415	0.059	0.1	16	1.7	352	0.045	
Congo, Republic of	0.0	0	0.5	7	0.071	0.0	0	0.9	13	0.000	
Costa Rica	0.8	26	1.2	41	0.667	0.2	7	0.5	23	0.500	
Cote d Ivoire	0.0	2	0.5	32	0.067	0.0	2	1.1	53	0.040	
Croatia	0.7	26	3.5	135	0.200	0.1	10	0.7	36	0.200	
Cuba	2.1	215	7.4	744	0.283	0.3	34	0.9	117	0.308	
Cyprus	1.0	8	0.7	7	1.333	0.3	3	0.4	4	0.667	
Czech Republic	2.5	235	3.8	357	0.647	0.4	50	0.8	100	0.429	
Denmark	4.6	286	3.6	206	1.292	0.9	63	1.6	115	0.533	
Djibouti	0.2	1	2.7	9	0.056	0.2	1	4.2	14	0.053	
Dominican Republic	0.7	35	2.3	114	0.308	0.3	14	0.8	45	0.333	
Ecuador	0.4	38	1.5	128	0.273	0.2	21	0.3	32	0.667	
Egypt	0.3	106	1.3	474	0.217	0.2	86	0.9	368	0.250	
El Salvador	0.4	16	1.4	47	0.313	0.1	8	0.6	30	0.200	
Equatorial Guinea	0.1	0	2.2	8	0.048	0.0	0	1.5	4	0.000	

Eritrea	0.2	2	3.1	42	0.053	0.2	3	4.3	61	0.044	
Estonia	0.5	6	5.3	55	0.100	0.1	1	0.6	14	0.200	
Eswatini	0.3	1	4.6	14	0.055	0.0	0	1.1	5	0.034	
Ethiopia	0.1	26	2.1	581	0.053	0.2	47	3.6	1098	0.045	
Fiji	0.4	2	2.8	12	0.154	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Finland	1.8	105	1.8	108	1.000	0.3	28	0.8	67	0.375	
France (metropolitan)	1.7	1152	4.8	3032	0.364	0.3	285	1.3	943	0.214	
France, Guadeloupe	1.4	5	4.8	18	0.289	0.2	2	0.6	3	0.286	
France, La Reunion	0.4	3	8.3	51	0.051	0.0	0	1.3	9	0.000	
France, Martinique	0.9	4	3.2	13	0.286	0.1	1	0.5	3	0.250	
France, New Caledonia	0.7	1	4.7	9	0.149	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
French Guyana	1.4	1	4.8	6	0.292	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
French Polynesia	0.9	2	6.0	11	0.146	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Gabon	0.1	2	3.5	24	0.034	0.1	1	1.6	11	0.067	
Gaza Strip and West Bank	0.3	3	0.6	8	0.429	0.1	1	0.5	6	0.154	
Georgia	0.5	17	1.3	37	0.400	0.1	3	0.4	18	0.125	
Germany	2.1	1952	4.5	3992	0.468	0.4	457	1.3	1435	0.273	
Ghana	0.1	9	3.3	215	0.044	0.1	5	0.9	77	0.059	
Greece	0.5	53	1.4	156	0.333	0.1	14	0.2	42	0.500	
Guam	0.5	1	3.2	3	0.160	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Guatemala	0.4	22	1.2	71	0.313	0.2	12	0.6	41	0.333	
Guinea	0.1	1	0.7	22	0.125	0.0	0	0.1	4	0.000	
Guinea-Bissau	0.0	0	3.0	10	0.000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Guyana	0.3	1	0.8	3	0.316	0.1	0	0.4	2	0.250	
Haiti	0.5	19	1.9	71	0.278	0.5	24	1.8	77	0.300	
Honduras	0.4	11	1.1	38	0.333	0.2	8	0.8	28	0.250	
Hungary	1.5	118	6.6	510	0.232	0.2	31	0.9	87	0.286	

Iceland	4.1	12	2.8	9	1.444	0.5	2	0.6	3	0.750	
India	0.4	2726	5.1	31164	0.082	0.1	864	2.8	17642	0.038	
Indonesia	0.1	39	0.7	836	0.071	0.0	14	0.2	265	0.052	
Iran, Islamic Republic of	0.7	233	5.9	2249	0.110	0.6	196	4.6	1694	0.125	
Iraq	0.5	50	0.4	39	1.286	0.2	22	0.6	61	0.333	
Ireland	4.9	197	2.6	103	1.862	1.0	50	2.1	107	0.455	
Israel	0.5	28	1.0	61	0.500	0.1	10	0.6	45	0.200	
Italy	0.7	476	1.6	1082	0.400	0.1	114	0.5	455	0.250	
Jamaica	0.8	15	2.5	46	0.310	0.3	5	0.8	17	0.333	
Japan	0.3	632	9.0	15609	0.038	0.1	202	1.8	3576	0.063	
Jordan	0.4	11	0.9	27	0.400	0.1	6	0.6	17	0.125	
Kazakhstan	1.2	96	10.2	799	0.121	0.4	51	5.5	669	0.081	
Kenya	1.2	118	20.3	2266	0.057	0.7	86	15.1	1910	0.049	
Korea, South	0.3	53	7.7	1128	0.044	0.1	14	1.0	245	0.056	
Korea, Republic of	0.2	92	5.0	2260	0.035	0.0	27	0.4	214	0.127	
Kuwait	0.6	7	1.2	15	0.500	0.2	1	1.1	10	0.200	
Kyrgyzstan	0.5	10	4.6	84	0.115	0.2	5	2.6	72	0.063	
Lao PDR	0.5	11	7.7	179	0.063	0.0	0	0.7	17	0.000	
Latvia	1.0	17	7.2	108	0.145	0.1	3	0.5	14	0.222	
Lebanon	0.3	10	0.6	22	0.455	0.1	3	0.5	18	0.143	
Lesotho	0.5	3	8.6	47	0.056	0.1	1	2.1	18	0.047	
Liberia	0.0	1	0.5	5	0.091	0.0	0	0.5	7	0.000	
Libya	0.5	10	1.0	21	0.455	0.0	1	0.2	5	0.143	
Lithuania	1.2	28	7.1	154	0.175	0.2	6	0.5	21	0.333	
Luxembourg	3.2	17	2.7	14	1.172	0.5	3	0.9	5	0.545	
Macedonia	0.6	8	1.7	28	0.333	0.1	2	0.2	5	0.500	
Madagascar	0.5	29	8.6	564	0.057	0.3	21	6.4	471	0.047	

Malawi	1.1	46	21.0	915	0.053	0.7	38	15.5	845	0.045	
Malaysia	0.8	121	1.1	177	0.667	0.3	42	0.5	82	0.500	
Mali	0.1	4	1.9	90	0.071	0.1	5	1.7	91	0.050	
Malta	2.2	11	1.2	6	1.769	0.1	1	0.5	4	0.167	
Mauritania	0.1	1	1.1	14	0.091	0.0	0	1.1	16	0.000	
Mauritius	0.3	3	4.4	39	0.071	0.1	1	1.4	17	0.048	
Mexico	0.4	219	1.1	719	0.333	0.1	66	0.3	221	0.250	
Mongolia	1.1	10	20.9	193	0.050	0.9	10	15.1	184	0.058	
Montenegro	0.6	4	2.4	12	0.273	0.1	1	0.3	2	0.286	
Morocco	0.5	79	0.9	179	0.500	0.2	28	0.8	170	0.200	
Mozambique	0.3	22	6.5	437	0.051	0.3	27	6.5	570	0.045	
Myanmar	0.5	111	10.3	2592	0.046	0.1	33	2.7	747	0.051	
Namibia	0.1	1	2.4	14	0.045	0.0	0	0.9	7	0.000	
Nepal	0.2	25	1.8	206	0.125	0.2	23	2.3	311	0.067	
New Zealand	4.2	191	1.6	72	2.667	0.6	34	1.3	74	0.500	
Nicaragua	0.2	6	0.8	19	0.286	0.0	0	0.2	8	0.000	
Niger	0.3	5	2.8	123	0.091	0.0	0	0.2	9	0.000	
Nigeria	0.0	19	0.9	370	0.051	0.0	9	0.4	171	0.053	
Norway	3.3	169	2.1	108	1.533	0.4	30	0.8	43	0.571	
Oman	0.3	6	0.7	11	0.500	0.2	4	1.4	11	0.160	
Pakistan	0.7	497	5.8	4216	0.114	0.3	202	4.1	3038	0.073	
Panama	0.6	13	1.7	39	0.333	0.1	3	0.4	12	0.400	
Papua New Guinea	0.7	16	5.1	114	0.143	0.4	12	2.3	64	0.188	
Paraguay	1.5	48	5.4	163	0.286	0.3	10	0.9	33	0.300	
Peru	0.5	73	1.3	229	0.357	0.1	33	0.7	110	0.200	
Philippines	0.7	253	1.5	566	0.500	0.1	62	0.4	178	0.250	
Poland	0.6	182	3.8	1215	0.147	0.1	49	0.8	357	0.143	

Portugal	1.5	147	5.4	491	0.277	0.1	16	0.3	52	0.250	
Puerto Rico	1.1	31	2.8	81	0.375	0.3	11	0.5	24	0.600	
Qatar	0.4	3	0.9	5	0.400	0.3	0	2.2	4	0.154	
Republic of Moldova	0.8	21	3.3	87	0.259	0.2	7	0.2	13	1.000	
Romania	0.7	112	3.1	487	0.229	0.1	37	0.5	96	0.250	
Russian Federation	0.8	777	5.5	5508	0.143	0.1	261	0.8	1424	0.143	
Rwanda	0.2	6	3.3	120	0.057	0.1	4	2.6	88	0.048	
Saudi Arabia	0.4	52	0.9	112	0.438	0.1	12	1.0	86	0.143	
Senegal	0.1	4	1.6	56	0.091	0.0	0	1.0	48	0.000	
Serbia	0.7	49	4.0	278	0.176	0.1	12	0.8	65	0.143	
Sierra Leone	0.1	2	0.8	18	0.083	0.0	0	0.9	18	0.000	
Singapore	0.4	24	3.6	183	0.120	0.1	6	0.7	55	0.200	
Slovakia	1.0	39	6.7	284	0.143	0.2	7	0.5	32	0.286	
Slovenia	0.9	17	3.7	77	0.233	0.1	4	0.7	19	0.200	
Solomon Islands	0.0	0	0.7	1	0.000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Somalia	0.4	13	7.4	256	0.057	0.3	10	7.0	245	0.043	
South African Republic	0.8	155	10.6	2023	0.078	0.5	155	4.9	1364	0.113	
South Sudan	0.5	16	8.9	292	0.055	0.3	10	5.8	205	0.043	
Spain	1.2	580	3.0	1329	0.419	0.2	114	0.5	288	0.400	
Sri Lanka	0.6	83	5.4	688	0.120	0.3	45	4.0	625	0.078	
Sudan	1.4	162	3.1	359	0.450	0.6	81	4.4	530	0.146	
Suriname	0.3	1	0.8	2	0.333	NA	NA	NA	NA	0.200	
Sweden	2.3	249	1.6	177	1.400	0.4	45	0.6	81	0.571	
Switzerland	2.5	222	3.2	267	0.788	0.4	49	1.2	117	0.357	
Syrian Arab Republic	0.3	18	0.7	41	0.444	0.1	6	0.6	39	0.143	
Tajikistan	1.4	37	11.8	309	0.120	0.6	18	8.6	255	0.070	
Tanzania	0.6	76	10.8	1396	0.057	0.3	47	6.4	997	0.052	

Thailand	0.4	185	5.5	2836	0.073	0.1	49	0.8	493	0.125	
The Gambia	0.1	0	0.5	4	0.100	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
The Netherlands	7.7	1373	3.0	540	2.536	1.2	251	1.4	292	0.800	
Timor-Leste	0.0	0	0.9	3	0.042	0.0	0	0.3	1	0.125	
Togo	0.2	4	3.1	60	0.053	0.1	2	1.5	37	0.053	
Trinidad and Tobago	0.5	4	1.7	16	0.294	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
Tunisia	0.3	20	0.6	43	0.500	0.1	7	0.5	41	0.250	
Turkey	0.5	201	1.4	583	0.355	0.1	49	1.2	637	0.071	
Turkmenistan	1.2	22	10.0	191	0.122	0.5	13	7.2	182	0.072	
Uganda	0.9	63	17.0	1219	0.056	0.3	22	4.9	445	0.051	
Ukraine	1.1	347	5.5	1716	0.200	0.2	90	0.3	163	0.667	
United Arab Emirates	0.4	8	1.1	19	0.417	0.2	1	1.0	9	0.182	
United Kingdom	7.5	5146	2.6	1786	2.880	1.4	1291	2.1	1865	0.700	
United States of America	3.7	10722	1.9	5289	2.000	0.4	1561	0.8	2492	0.571	
Uruguay	1.7	44	5.2	135	0.318	0.4	20	1.5	59	0.286	
Uzbekistan	0.5	54	4.1	448	0.125	0.2	29	3.0	408	0.064	
Venezuela	0.8	106	2.3	357	0.333	0.1	28	0.5	97	0.250	
Yemen	1.6	96	3.4	208	0.467	0.9	64	5.9	417	0.158	
Zambia	0.4	13	7.5	235	0.058	0.1	6	3.3	135	0.042	
Zimbabwe	2.9	92	10.1	314	0.289	1.4	62	10.7	452	0.127	

AC adenocarcinoma; SCC, squamous cell carcinoma; N, number of cases; NA, not applicable; ASR, age-standardised rate.

**Table S5.** The trend analysis of esophageal cancer by country

**a. Incidence trend in individuals aged 0-85+ years**

Region	Male: AAPC (95% CI), p	Female: AAPC (95% CI), p
<b><i>Asia</i></b>		
Bahrain	<b>-15.52*(-26.15 to -3.36), p=0.020</b>	NA
Mainland China	<b>-2.97*(-3.80 to -2.13), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-6.84*(-7.79 to -5.88), p&lt;0.001</b>
Hong Kong, China	<b>-4.12*(-4.98 to -3.26), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-7.34*(-10.25 to -4.34), p=0.001</b>
India	<b>-5.00*(-8.18 to -1.70), p=0.008</b>	-2.56 (-5.15 to 0.12), p=0.058
Israel	-2.65 (-5.39 to 0.16), p=0.061	-0.97 (-5.63 to 3.91), p=0.652
Japan	<b>1.17*(0.41 to 1.94), p=0.007</b>	<b>2.18*(0.58 to 3.80), p=0.014</b>
South Korea	<b>-1.46*(-2.64 to -0.25), p=0.018</b>	-0.27 (-3.31 to 2.87), p=0.845
Kuwait	7.45 (-4.15 to 20.46), p=0.185	-1.37 (-14.71 to 14.05), p=0.832
Philippines	-4.35 (-8.83 to 0.36), p=0.065	<b>-7.20*(-12.21 to -1.90), p=0.015</b>
Thailand	<b>2.17*(0.74 to 3.62), p=0.008</b>	1.80 (-7.89 to 4.70), p=0.532
<b><i>Oceania</i></b>		
Australia	0.54 (-0.17 to 1.26), p=0.119	-1.23 (-2.63 to 0.20), p=0.082
New Zealand	-0.46 (-2.42 to 1.53), p=0.603	-0.54 (-4.05 to 3.10), p=0.736
<b><i>Northern America</i></b>		
Canada	<b>1.51*(0.54 to 2.49), p=0.007</b>	-0.21 (-1.88 to 1.49), p=0.782
United States	<b>-0.97*(-1.60 to -0.33), p=0.008</b>	-0.53 (-2.54 to 1.51), p=0.561
<b><i>Southern America</i></b>		
Brazil	<b>-5.94*(-10.44 to -1.21), p=0.021</b>	-8.78*(-14.32 to -2.89), p=0.010
Chile	-1.72 (-6.94 to 3.80), p=0.534	-7.77 (-16.01 to 1.27), p=0.081
Colombia	<b>-9.14*(-12.96 to -5.16), p=0.001</b>	1.12 (-11.23 to 15.2), p=0.848
Costa Rica	-2.30 (-5.36 to 0.86), p=0.131	-0.27 (-7.34 to 7.33), p=0.934
Ecuador	-4.69 (-15.02 to 6.89), p=0.362	0.73 (-8.11 to 10.43), p=0.859

### **Northern Europe**

Denmark	1.15 (-2.19 to 4.60), p=0.506	1.31 (-0.90 to 3.55), p=0.210
Estonia	2.06 (-2.01 to 6.30), p=0.281	4.19 (-3.11 to 12.04), p=0.229
Faroe Islands	17.36 (-1.97 to 40.49), p=0.074	NA
Finland	1.37 (-0.16 to 2.93), p=0.073	1.04 (-3.40 to 5.69), p=0.609
Greenland	-0.05 (-18.94 to 23.26), p=0.996	-2.16(-15.46 to 13.23), p=0.739
Iceland	-5.07 (-10.52 to 0.73), p=0.078	2.16 (-11.73 to 18.23), p=0.745
Ireland	-0.85 (-2.70 to 1.04), p=0.329	-1.23 (-2.71 to 0.28), p=0.097
Lithuania	1.23 (-1.13 to 3.63), p=0.266	4.39 (-0.39 to 9.39), p=0.067
Norway	<b>3.10*(1.23 to 5.00), p=0.005</b>	1.80 (-0.22 to 3.86), p=0.074
Sweden	0.83 (-1.22 to 2.92), p=0.381	-0.07 (-2.56 to 2.49), p=0.950
United Kingdom	<b>0.85*(0.44 to 1.26), p=0.001</b>	-0.19 (-0.69 to 0.31), p=0.401

### **Western Europe**

Austria	-1.27 (-2.55 to 0.03), p=0.055	2.18 (-1.86 to 6.39), p=0.252
Belarus	1.09*(0.00 to 2.20), p=0.050	1.27 (-4.61 to 7.51), p=0.640
France	<b>-2.57*(-3.68 to -1.44), p=0.001</b>	0.96 (-2.19 to 4.20), p=0.508
Germany	0.76 (-1.40 to 2.97), p=0.443	2.49 (-1.19 to 6.30), p=0.159
Netherlands	<b>2.11*(1.25 to 2.98), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>1.88*(0.51 to 3.27), p=0.013</b>
Switzerland	-2.26*(-4.03 to -0.47), p=0.020	2.14 (-1.61 to 6.03), p=0.228

### **Southern Europe**

Bulgaria	2.17 (-0.24 to 4.64), p=0.072	1.01 (-2.79 to 4.97), p=0.562
Croatia	-2.14 (-4.32 to 0.09), p=0.057	1.21 (-5.81 to 8.76), p=0.709
Cyprus	2.81 (-12.83 to 21.25), p=0.709	NA
Italy	<b>-3.02*(-5.77 to -0.20), p=0.036</b>	-1.21 (-3.96 to 1.63), p=0.352
Malta	1.96 (-7.48 to 12.36), p=0.657	-0.54 (-23.51 to 29.32), p=0.968
Slovenia	<b>-3.53*(-6.38 to -0.58), p=0.025</b>	-0.75 (-6.98 to 5.89), p=0.795
Spain	<b>-2.16*(-3.46 to -0.85), p=0.005</b>	<b>3.41*(0.90 to 5.99), p=0.014</b>

Turkey	-3.96 (-7.83 to 0.08), p=0.054	-1.54 (-4.88 to 1.91), p=0.329
<b><i>Eastern Europe</i></b>		
Czech Republic	1.27 (-0.25 to 2.81), p=0.091	<b>4.66*(0.47 to 9.03), p=0.033</b>
Poland	0.33 (-4.01 to 4.87), p=0.868	2.40 (-12.89 to 20.37), p=0.744
Slovakia	-0.55 (-2.43 to 1.36), p=0.568	-0.48 (-5.41 to 4.70), p=0.831
<b><i>Africa</i></b>		
Uganda	4.36 (-0.27 to 9.20), p=0.062	0.02 (-7.28 to 7.90), p=0.995

AAPC, annual percentage change; CI, confidence interval; NA, not applicable; \* p values less than 0.05.

### b. Mortality trend in individuals aged 0-85+ years

Region	Male: AAPC (95% CI), p	Female: AAPC (95% CI), p
<b><i>Asia</i></b>		
Bahrain	-13.68(-26.96 to 2.02), p=0.077	-6.13(-16.32 to 5.31), p=0.240
Hong Kong, China	<b>-4.91*(-5.73 to -4.08), p&lt;0.001</b>	-5.86*(-8.79 to -2.84), p=0.002
Israel	-2.02 (-4.53 to 0.55), p=0.107	-0.94 (-4.08 to 2.30), p=0.517
Japan	<b>-2.60*(-2.98 to -2.21), p&lt;0.001</b>	NA
South Korea	-4.21*(-5.19 to -3.22), p<0.001	-3.36 (-7.96 to 1.47), p=0.145
Kuwait	-3.98 (-15.43 to 9.02), p=0.482	-7.88 (-23.12 to 10.38), p=0.326
Philippines	1.96 (-0.54 to 4.51), p=0.109	-2.20 (-6.20 to 1.98), p=0.256
Singapore	-2.66 (-6.52 to 1.36), p=0.163	-0.86 (-4.21 to 2.60), p=0.576
Thailand	<b>5.24*(4.76 to 5.72), p&lt;0.001</b>	NA
<b><i>Oceania</i></b>		

Australia	-1.49*(-2.25 to -0.72), p=0.002	-2.00 (-3.99 to 0.03), p=0.053
New Zealand	-0.41 (-2.57 to 1.79), p=0.674	-1.01 (-3.43 to 1.46), p=0.370
<b><i>Northern America</i></b>		
Canada	-0.40 (-1.29 to 0.50), p=0.335	-0.07 (-1.55 to 1.44), p=0.917
United States	<b>-1.14*(-1.45 to -0.83), p&lt;0.001</b>	-1.21*(-2.36 to -0.04), p=0.044
<b><i>Southern America</i></b>		
Brazil	<b>-1.41*(-1.75 to -1.06), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-2.14*(-2.58 to -1.70), p&lt;0.001</b>
Chile	<b>-5.05*(-5.89 to -4.21), p&lt;0.001</b>	-2.84*(-4.35 to -1.30), p=0.003
Colombia	<b>-3.88*(-5.67 to -2.06), p&lt;0.001</b>	-4.87*(-7.12 to -2.57), p=0.001
Costa Rica	-3.34 (-7.27 to 0.76), p=0.096	-0.79 (-6.87 to 5.68), p=0.780
Ecuador	-0.87 (-5.47 to 3.96), p=0.684	-2.75 (-6.51 to 1.17), p=0.142
<b><i>Northern Europe</i></b>		
Denmark	-0.14 (-2.33 to 2.09), p=0.885	-0.50 (-4.30 to 3.44), p=0.772
Estonia	0.91 (-3.72 to 5.77), p=0.668	8.59 (-1.01 to 19.11), p=0.074
Faroe Islands	3.84 (-9.88 to 19.64), p=0.557	NA
Finland	0.80 (-1.87 to 3.55), p=0.513	-1.25 (-4.63 to 2.25), p=0.429
Greenland	-4.15(-13.40 to 6.09), p=0.364	-1.46(-13.72 to 12.55), p=0.805
Iceland	-2.50 (-8.69 to 4.11), p=0.399	2.58 (-8.74 to 15.30), p=0.629
Ireland	-0.06 (-1.94 to 1.86), p=0.947	-1.85 (-3.80 to 0.14), p=0.064
Latvia	2.33*(0.45 to 4.25), p=0.021	0.42 (-3.85 to 4.88), p=0.830
Lithuania	0.01 (-1.79 to 1.84), p=0.995	0.67 (-4.52 to 6.14), p=0.778
Norway	0.33 (-1.63 to 2.33), p=0.712	4.47 (-3.85 to 13.51), p=0.302
Sweden	0.79 (-0.45 to 2.04), p=0.18	-0.51 (-3.46 to 2.54), p=0.708
United Kingdom	<b>-0.99*(-1.38 to -0.60), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-1.73*(-2.24 to -1.23), p&lt;0.001</b>
<b><i>Western Europe</i></b>		
Austria	-1.60*(-2.73 to -0.47), p=0.012	3.67*(0.76 to 6.67), p=0.019
Belgium	0.01 (-1.07 to 1.10), p=0.983	0.63 (-0.79 to 2.07), p=0.340

France	<b>-3.32*(-3.71 to -2.93), p&lt;0.001</b>	0.07 (-1.72 to 1.89), p=0.928
Germany	0.25 (-0.43 to 0.94), p=0.425	0.00 (-0.98 to 0.99), p=1.000
Netherlands	-0.14 (-0.64 to 0.37), p=0.542	-0.26 (-0.83 to 0.31), p=0.316
Switzerland	-1.05*(-1.79 to -0.31), p=0.011	-1.37 (-3.52 to 0.82), p=0.185
<b><i>Southern Europe</i></b>		
Bulgaria	-0.97*(-1.85 to -0.08), p=0.037	0.25 (-4.32 to 5.04), p=0.904
Croatia	-2.78*(-5.01 to -0.50), p=0.023	-3.32 (-8.83 to 2.52), p=0.221
Cyprus	-4.17 (-13.84 to 6.59), p=0.383	NA
Italy	-1.84*(-2.63 to -1.05), p=0.001	-0.33 (-3.88 to 3.36), p=0.860
Malta	6.71 (-9.80 to 26.23), p=0.399	-1.63 (-12.58 to 10.69), p=0.756
Portugal	1.12*(0.24 to 2.01), p=0.018	-2.89 (-6.24 to 0.57), p=0.089
Slovenia	-2.50 (-5.66 to 0.75), p=0.113	-1.37 (-5.78 to 3.24), p=0.506
Spain	-1.93*(-2.74 to -1.10), p=0.001	-0.19 (-3.74 to 3.50), p=0.909
<b><i>Eastern Europe</i></b>		
Slovakia	-2.09*(-3.75 to -0.40), p=0.022	-2.83 (-8.56 to 3.26), p=0.307
Czech Republic	0.18 (-1.71 to 2.11), p=0.851	2.04 (-1.39 to 5.59), p=0.210
Poland	-2.17*(-3.23 to -1.11), p=0.002	-0.08 (-1.96 to 1.83), p=0.924
Russian Federation	-0.97*(-1.45 to -0.48), p=0.002	-1.14*(-2.25 to -0.02), p=0.046
Belarus	-0.28(-1.66 to 1.13), p=0.661	-2.42(-7.59 to 3.03), p=0.329

AAPC, annual percentage change; CI, confidence interval; NA, not applicable; \* p values less than 0.05.

**c. Incidence trend in individuals aged  $\geq 50$  years**

Region	Male: AAPC (95% CI), p	Female: AAPC (95% CI), p
<b><i>Asia</i></b>		
Bahrain	-1.60 (-19.77 to 20.69), p=0.877	NA
Mainland China	<b>-2.92*(-3.80 to -2.02), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-6.87*(-7.97 to -5.76), p&lt;0.001</b>
Hong Kong, China	<b>-4.12*(-5.22 to -3.00), p&lt;0.001</b>	<b>-7.84*(-10.67 to -4.92), p&lt;0.001</b>
India	-4.51*(-7.31 to -1.63), p=0.007	-1.87 (-4.17 to 0.49), p=0.105
Israel	-2.76 (-5.49 to 0.04), p=0.053	-1.07 (-4.08 to 2.02), p=0.443
Japan	1.35*(0.55 to 2.16), p=0.005	2.47*(1.02 to 3.93), p=0.004
South Korea	-1.56*(-2.47 to -0.63), p=0.001	0.05 (-3.29 to 3.49), p=0.976
Kuwait	6.90 (-8.66 to 25.11), p=0.357	-1.69 (-14.64 to 13.22), p=0.788
Philippines	-3.30 (-7.35 to 0.92), p=0.108	-9.25*(-14.33 to -3.87), p=0.005
Thailand	0.98 (-0.75 to 2.74), p=0.228	-2.27 (-7.40 to 3.15), p=0.356
<b><i>Oceania</i></b>		
Australia	0.53(-0.02 to 1.10), p=0.058	-1.16 (-2.41 to 0.11), p=0.069
New Zealand	-0.39 (-2.19 to 1.44), p=0.633	-1.43 (-5.23 to 2.53), p=0.425
<b><i>Northern America</i></b>		
Canada	1.57*(0.54 to 2.60), p=0.008	0.19 (-1.39 to 1.81), p=0.786
United States	-0.86*(-1.66 to -0.06), p=0.039	-0.42 (-2.25 to 1.44), p=0.613
<b><i>Southern America</i></b>		
Brazil	-6.05*(-10.66 to -1.20), p=0.021	-6.78 (-16.06 to 3.52), p=0.189
Chile	-3.40 (-10.62 to 4.40), p=0.382	-7.44 (-15.90 to 1.86), p=0.100
Colombia	-8.69*(-12.23 to -5.01), p=0.001	-0.92 (-13.95 to 14.09), p=0.884
Costa Rica	-1.78 (-5.22 to 1.78), p=0.278	-0.89 (-7.99 to 6.75), p=0.787
Ecuador	0.34 (-19.61 to 25.23), p=0.976	-2.69 (-12.36 to 8.05), p=0.565
<b><i>Northern Europe</i></b>		
Denmark	1.84 (-1.86 to 5.68), p=0.334	1.78 (-0.39 to 4.01), p=0.096

Estonia	2.28 (-1.49 to 6.19), p=0.204	4.92 (-4.61 to 15.40), p=0.278
Faroe Islands	19.22*(1.17 to 40.49), p=0.039	NA
Finland	1.28 (-0.04 to 2.61), p=0.055	0.54 (-4.06 to 5.37), p=0.797
Greenland	-0.16 (-19.03 to 23.1), p=0.986	-2.26(-15.26 to 12.73), p=0.722
Iceland	-4.75 (-10.71 to 1.61), p=0.120	3.56 (-9.21 to 18.12), p=0.557
Ireland	-0.91 (-2.42 to 0.62), p=0.206	-1.03 (-2.98 to 0.96), p=0.265
Lithuania	1.22 (-1.23 to 3.72), p=0.287	1.70 (-3.22 to 6.87), p=0.456
Norway	<b>2.77*(0.86 to 4.73), p=0.010</b>	1.80 (-0.18 to 3.82), p=0.070
Sweden	0.85 (-1.59 to 3.35), p=0.449	0.64 (-2.12 to 3.48), p=0.610
United Kingdom	<b>0.96*(0.60 to 1.33), p&lt;0.001</b>	-0.11 (-0.62 to 0.40), p=0.634
<b><i>Western Europe</i></b>		
Austria	-0.97 (-2.66 to 0.74), p=0.225	1.48 (-1.54 to 4.58), p=0.295
Belarus	1.06 (-0.12 to 2.25), p=0.071	0.46 (-5.44 to 6.74), p=0.865
France	-2.12*(-3.50 to -0.72), p=0.008	1.48 (-1.26 to 4.29), p=0.250
Germany	0.94 (-1.21 to 3.13), p=0.347	2.40 (-0.58 to 5.46), p=0.101
Netherlands	2.29*(1.30 to 3.30), p=0.001	2.22*(0.94 to 3.51), p=0.004
Switzerland	-2.13 (-4.42 to 0.21), p=0.069	2.28 (-1.65 to 6.35), p=0.221
<b><i>Southern Europe</i></b>		
Bulgaria	2.26 (-0.22 to 4.81), p=0.069	1.50 (-2.80 to 5.99), p=0.451
Croatia	-2.09*(-4.06 to -0.08), p=0.044	6.25 (-8.34 to 23.15), p=0.421
Cyprus	2.39 (-14.97 to 23.29), p=0.777	NA
Italy	-3.33*(-4.90 to -1.74), p=0.001	-1.01 (-3.86 to 1.93), p=0.447
Malta	1.93 (-8.23 to 13.21), p=0.686	NA
Slovenia	-3.25*(-6.28 to -0.12), p=0.044	-0.28 (-5.33 to 5.05), p=0.905
Spain	-1.70*(-2.70 to -0.69), p=0.005	4.14*(0.47 to 7.93), p=0.031
Turkey	-2.78*(-5.13 to -0.38), p=0.029	-0.75 (-4.80 to 3.47), p=0.688
<b><i>Eastern Europe</i></b>		

Czech Republic	1.80*(0.37 to 3.24), p=0.020	4.90*(2.44 to 7.42), p=0.002
Poland	1.32 (-3.74 to 6.65), p=0.571	0.96 (-12.81 to 16.9), p=0.885
Slovakia	0.36 (-1.19 to 1.93), p=0.652	0.47 (-4.39 to 5.58), p=0.831
<b>Africa</b>		
Uganda	<b>4.57*(0.09 to 9.25), p=0.047</b>	-0.51 (-8.28 to 7.92), p=0.888

AAPC, annual percentage change; CI, confidence interval; NA, not applicable; \* p values less than 0.05.

#### d. Incidence trend in individuals aged < 50 years

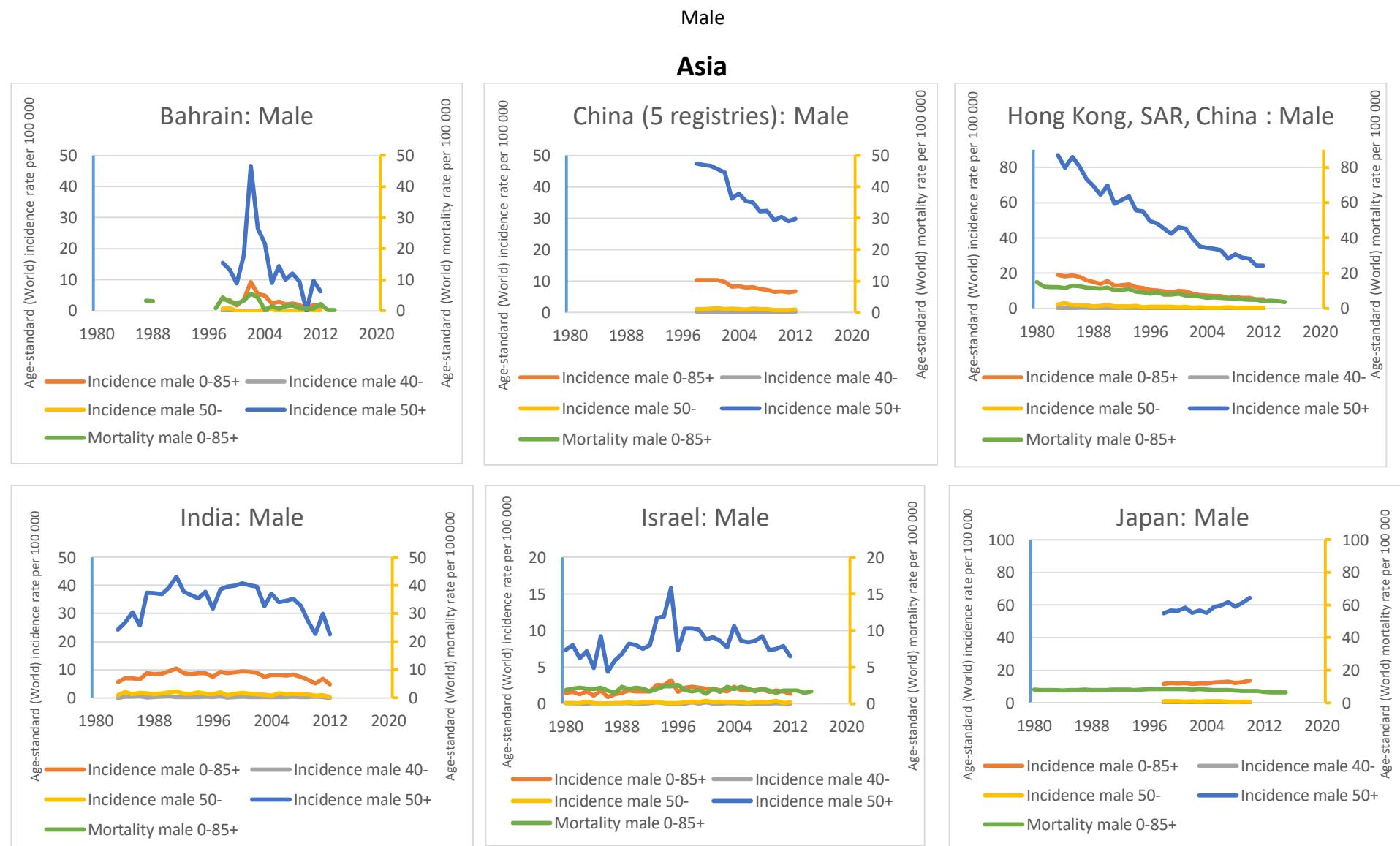
Region	Male: AAPC (95% CI), p	Female: AAPC (95% CI), p
<b>Asia</b>		
Bahrain	NA	NA
Mainland China	-3.60*(-6.53 to -0.58), p=0.026	-7.67*(-13.26 to -1.73), p=0.018
Hong Kong, China	-3.77 (-8.60 to 1.32), p=0.124	<b>-5.86*(-5.86 to -5.86), p&lt;0.001</b>
India	-11.07 (-26.08 to 6.98), p=0.213	-5.36 (-11.34 to 1.02), p=0.087
Israel	0.42 (-9.67 to 11.64), p=0.929	NA
Japan	-2.66 (-7.64 to 2.60), p=0.271	4.27 (-2.92 to 11.98), p=0.214
South Korea	2.24 (-2.71 to 7.43), p=0.334	NA
Kuwait	NA	NA
Philippines	-12.28 (-27.23 to 5.74), p=0.145	NA
Thailand	12.01*(5.57 to 18.84), p=0.002	NA
<b>Oceania</b>		

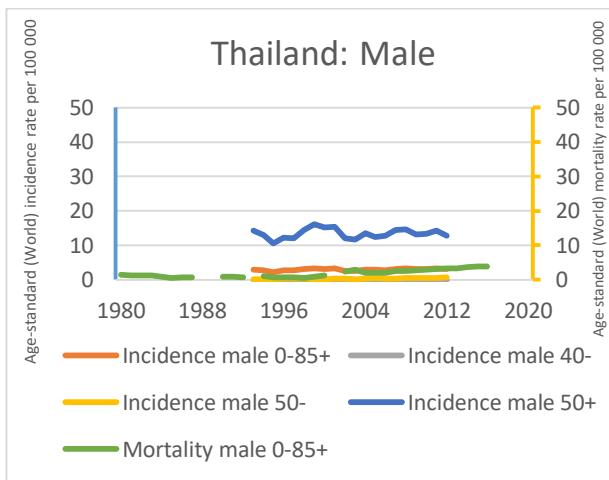
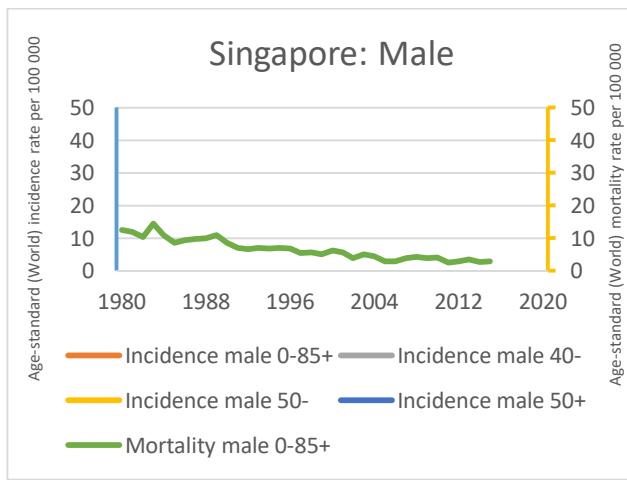
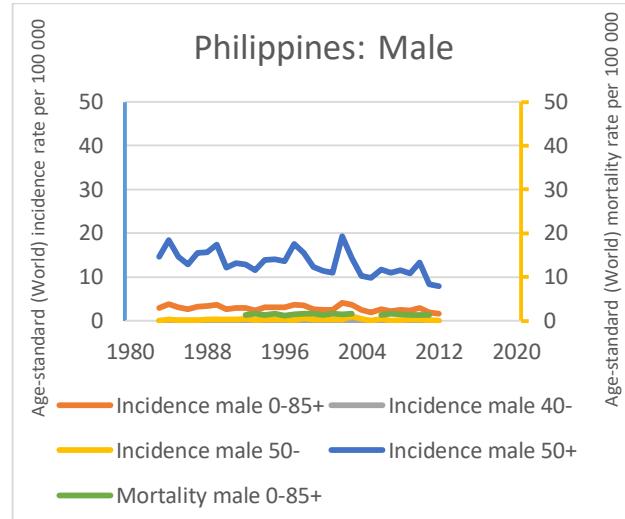
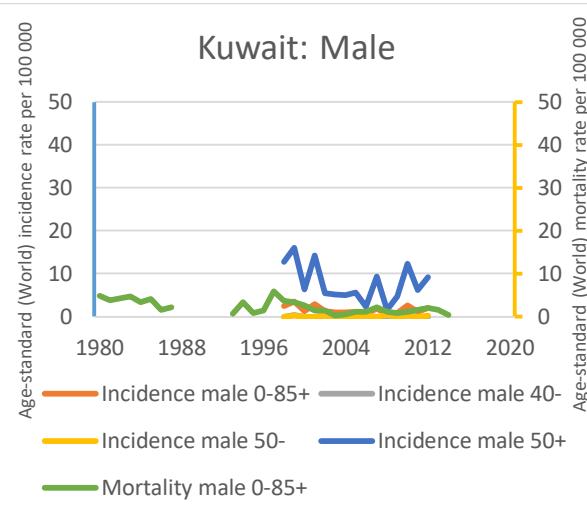
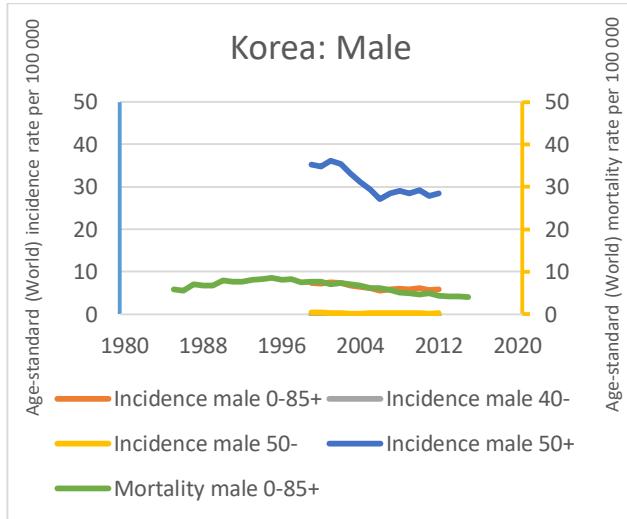
Australia	-0.10 (-3.71 to 3.65), p=0.953	0.42 (-5.33 to 6.52), p=0.873
New Zealand	-0.28 (-11.79 to 12.73), p=0.959	8.40 (-2.85 to 20.95), p=0.128
<b><i>Northern America</i></b>		
Canada	2.26 (-0.92 to 5.55), p=0.142	0.00 (0.00 to 0.00), p=0.235
United States	-0.41 (-3.24 to 2.51), p=0.754	0.00 (0.00 to 0.00), p=0.235
<b><i>Southern America</i></b>		
Brazil	-5.91 (-13.44 to 2.29), p=0.131	NA
Chile	NA	NA
Colombia	-12.29 (-23.97 to 1.19), p=0.067	NA
Costa Rica	-0.34 (-13.70 to 15.08), p=0.958	NA
Ecuador	NA	NA
<b><i>Northern Europe</i></b>		
Denmark	-9.79 (-19.09 to 0.58), p=0.061	-3.85 (-13.80 to 7.26), p=0.432
Estonia	-3.05 (-12.83 to 7.83), p=0.521	NA
Faroe Islands	NA	NA
Finland	-2.07 (-10.55 to 7.22), p=0.609	-0.84 (-8.31 to 7.25), p=0.811
Greenland	NA	NA
Iceland	NA	NA
Ireland	1.47 (-6.59 to 10.23), p=0.695	-3.79 (-15.56 to 9.63), p=0.514
Lithuania	0.96 (-1.81 to 3.81), p=0.451	NA
Norway	6.79*(0.10 to 13.93), p=0.047	NA
Sweden	-3.84 (-12.95 to 6.22), p=0.391	2.12 (-3.49 to 8.06), p=0.416
United Kingdom	-0.57 (-2.82 to 1.75), p=0.585	-5.50*(-8.70 to -2.18), p=0.005
<b><i>Western Europe</i></b>		
Austria	-2.57 (-11.36 to 7.09), p=0.543	NA
Belarus	0.62 (-2.39 to 3.72), p=0.650	NA
France	-6.40*(-9.15 to -3.56), p=0.001	-7.00 (-16.07 to 3.06), p=0.142

Germany	-1.54 (-8.48 to 5.94), p=0.639	1.59 (-10.95 to 15.89), p=0.789
Netherlands	0.22 (-3.16 to 3.71), p=0.888	-2.26 (-10.25 to 6.45), p=0.554
Switzerland	-5.78 (-15.52 to 5.09), p=0.244	NA
<b><i>Southern Europe</i></b>		
Bulgaria	2.88 (-2.66 to 8.74), p=0.270	NA
Croatia	-0.22 (-4.53 to 4.29), p=0.911	NA
Cyprus	NA	NA
Italy	-5.29 (-12.49 to 2.50), p=0.152	-2.08 (-10.37 to 6.99), p=0.599
Malta	NA	NA
Slovenia	-3.53 (-15.77 to 10.49), p=0.558	NA
Spain	-6.56*(-10.13 to -2.86), p=0.004	-1.25 (-10.46 to 8.90), p=0.774
Turkey	-7.21*(-13.70 to -0.24), p=0.044	-4.68 (-12.29 to 3.59), p=0.220
<b><i>Eastern Europe</i></b>		
Czech Republic	-3.22 (-8.71 to 2.59), p=0.231	NA
Poland	-6.66 (-22.21 to 12.02), p=0.409	NA
Slovakia	-7.45*(-12.02 to -2.63), p=0.008	2.30 (-8.67 to 14.58), p=0.656
<b><i>Africa</i></b>		
Uganda	2.92 (-3.34 to 9.585), p=0.321	8.99(-0.75 to 19.68), p=0.067

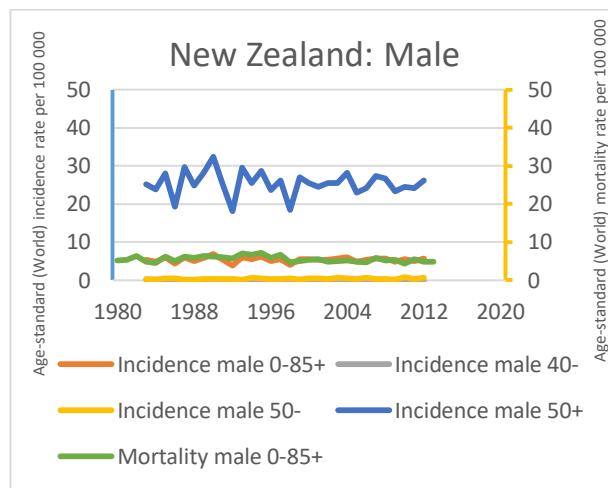
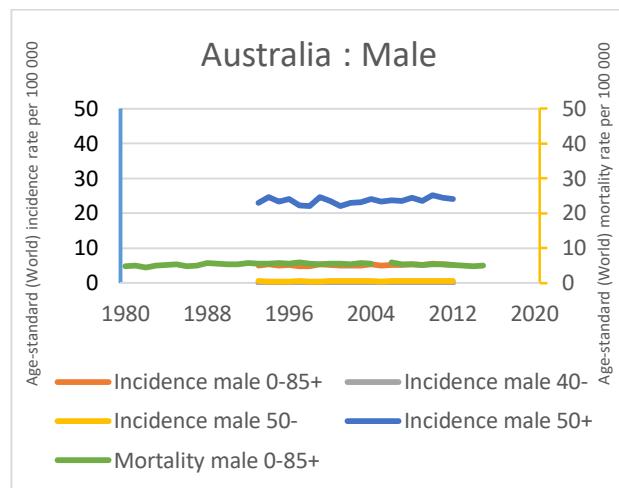
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**Figure S1. The incidence and mortality trends of esophageal cancer**

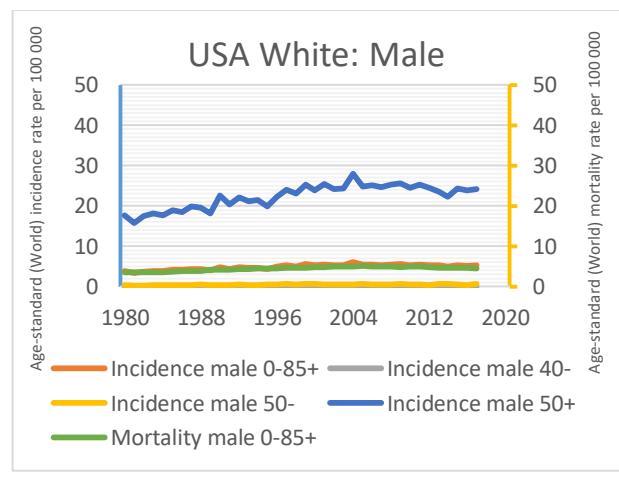
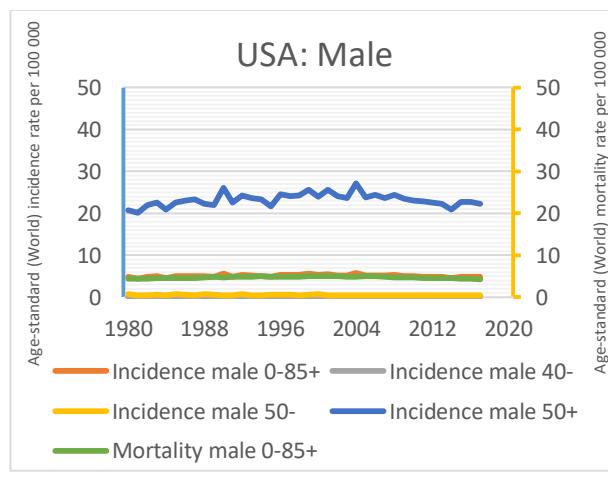
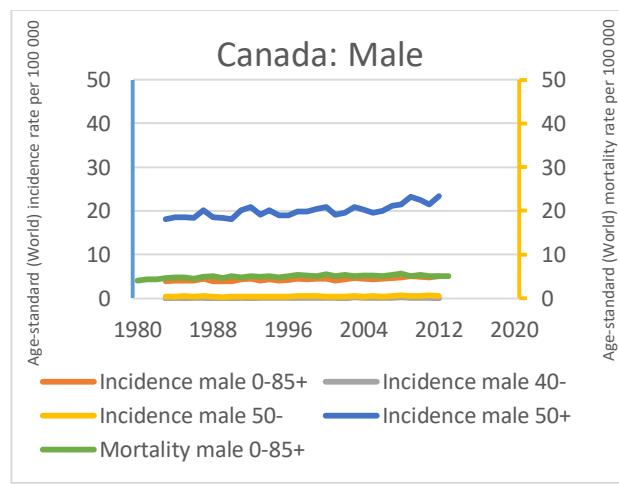


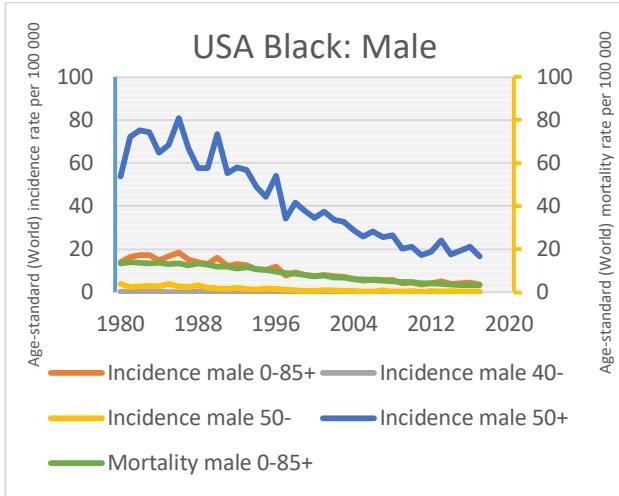


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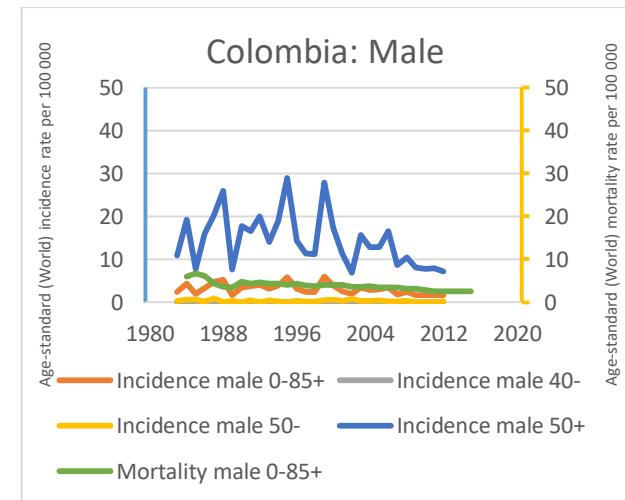
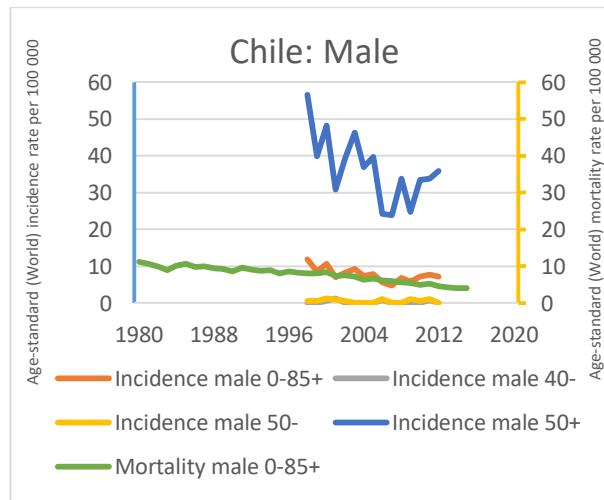
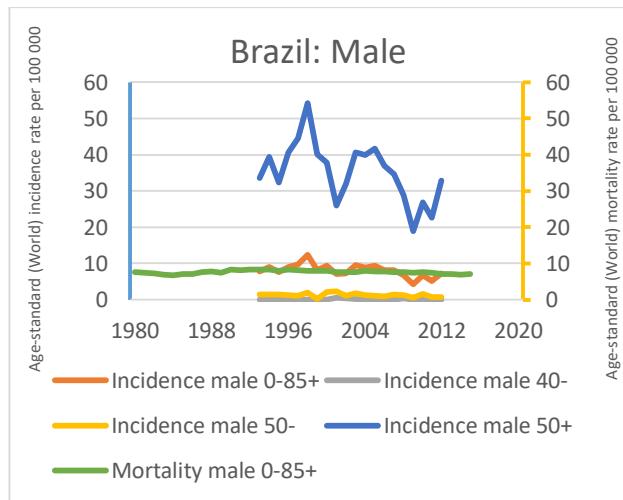


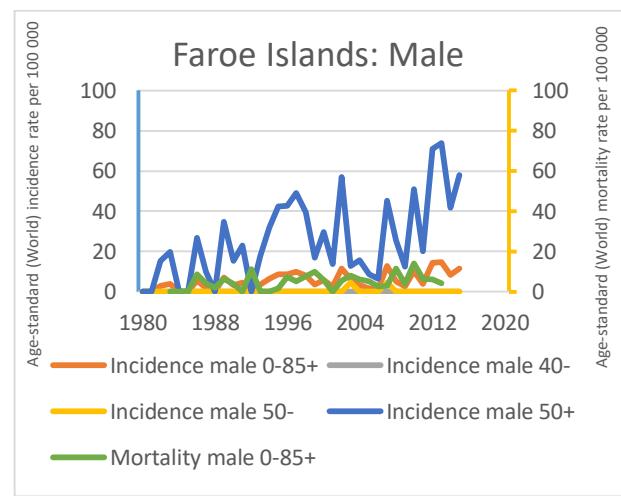
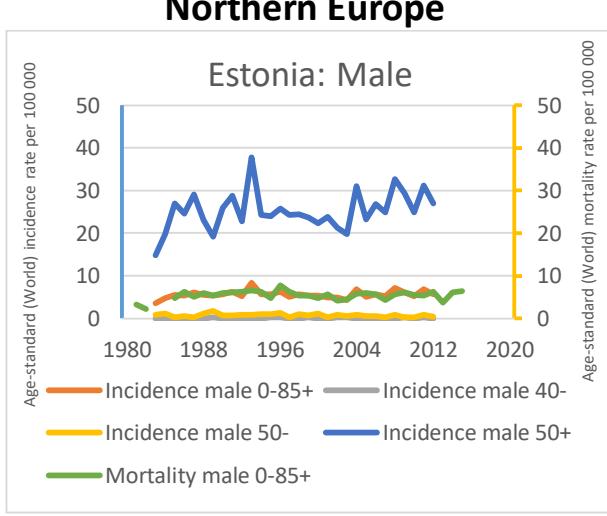
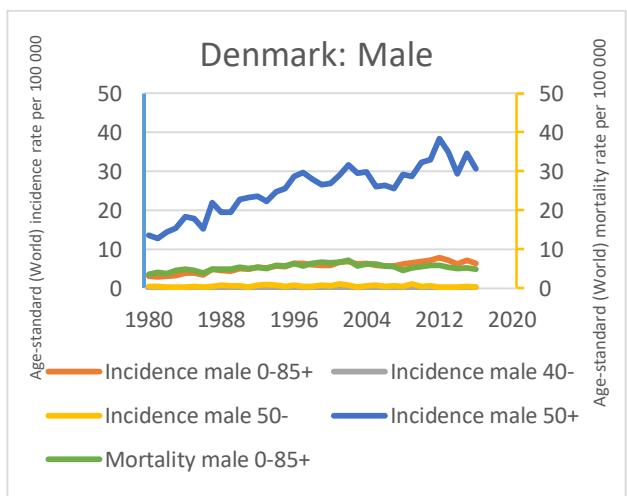
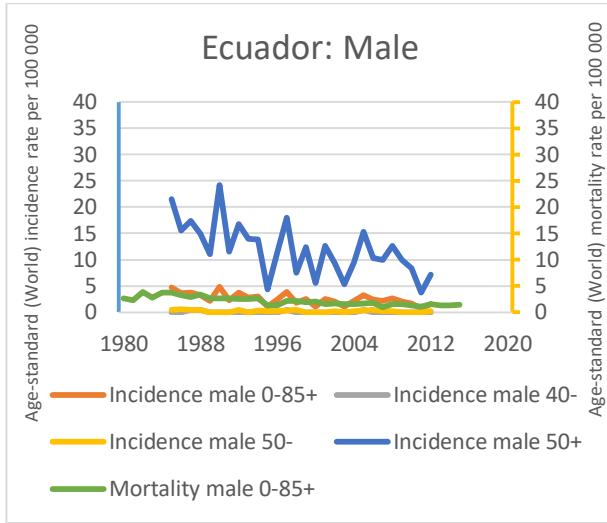
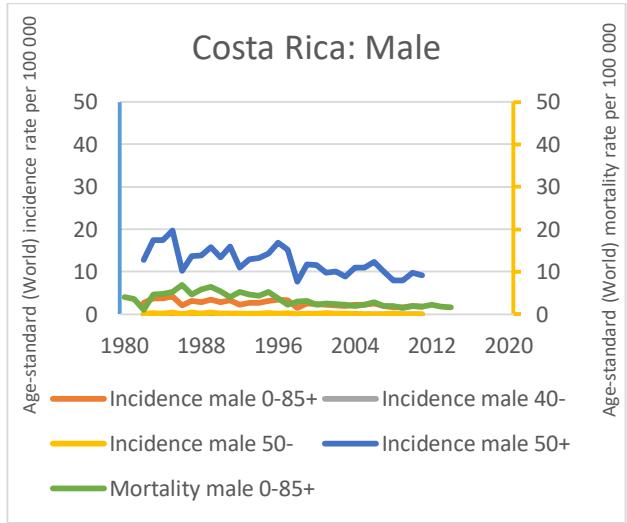
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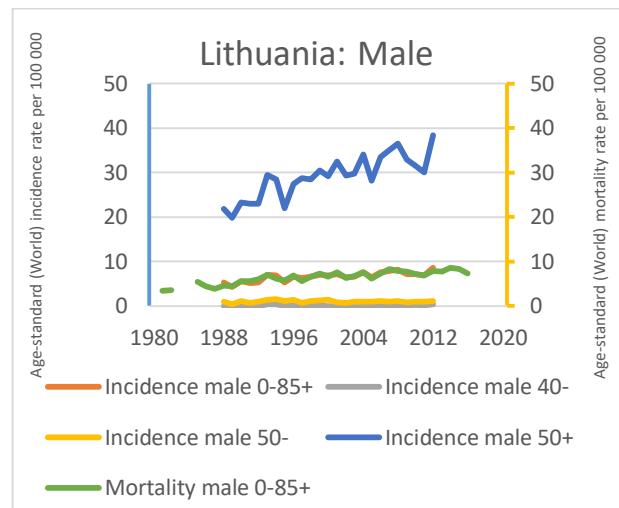
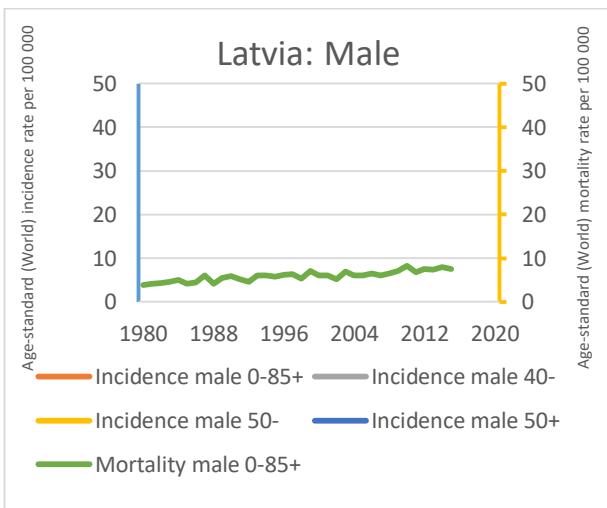
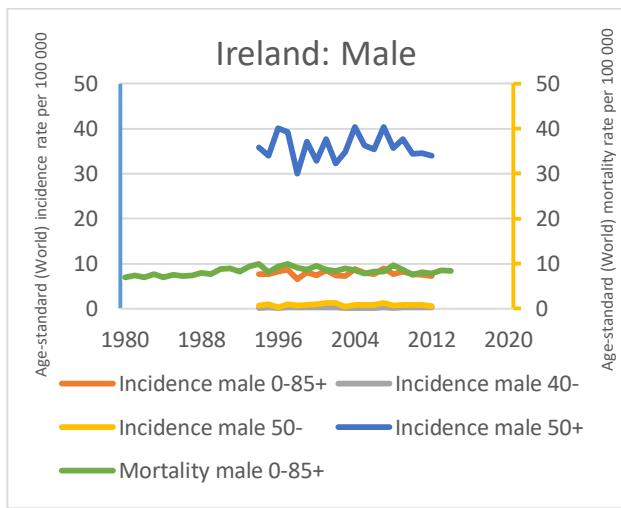
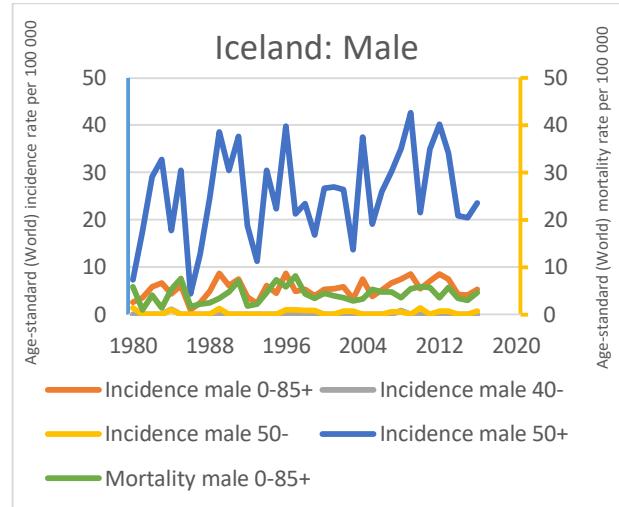
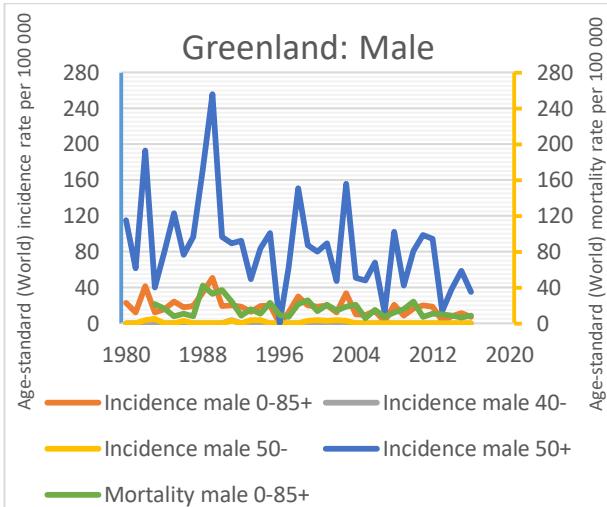
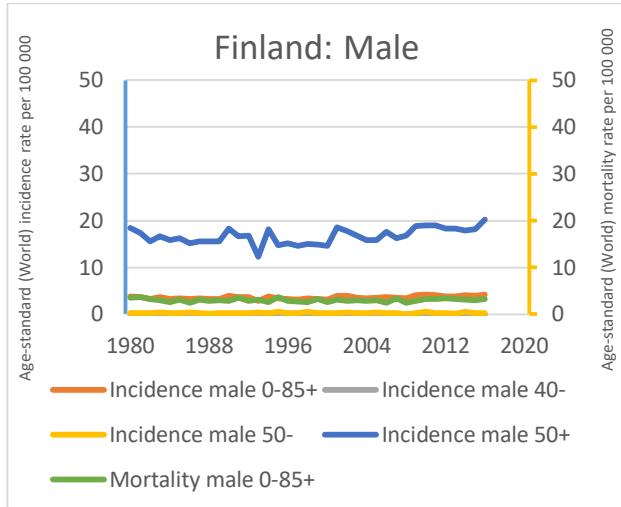


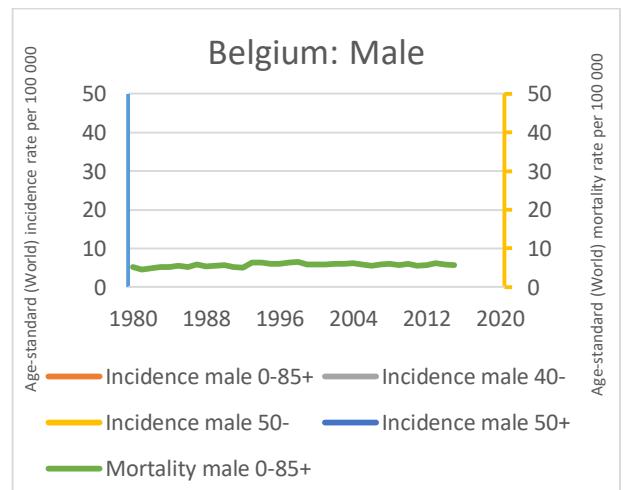
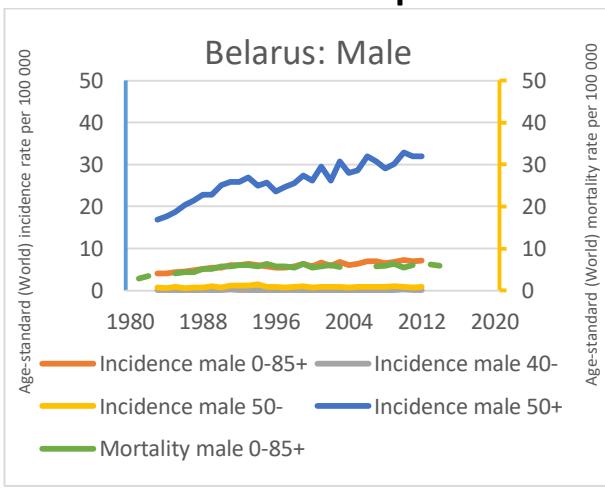
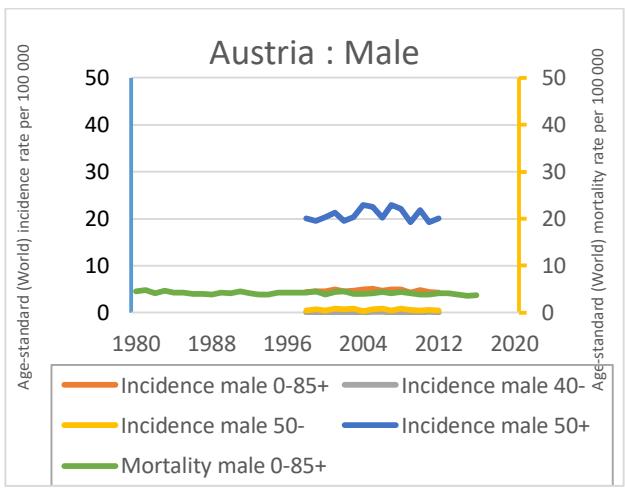
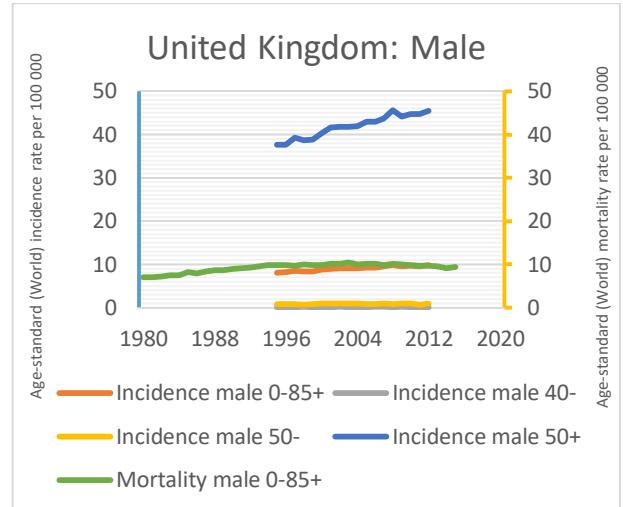
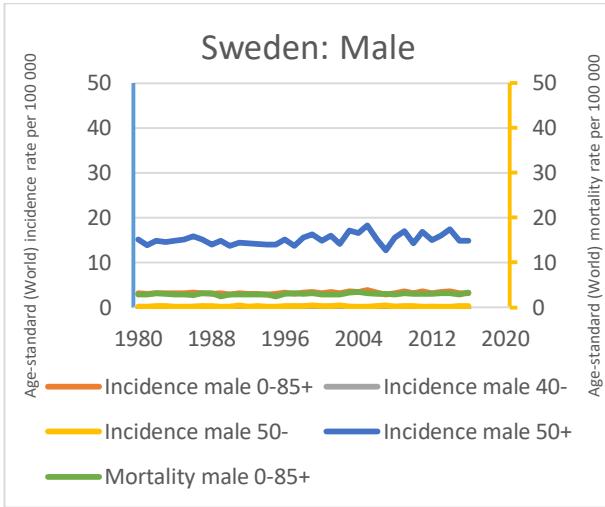
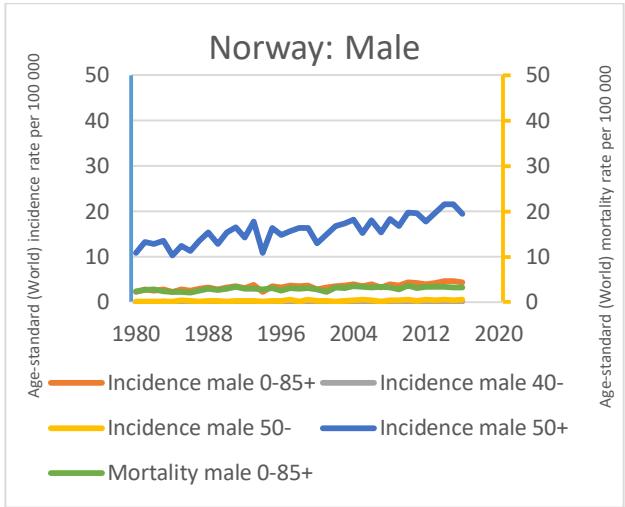


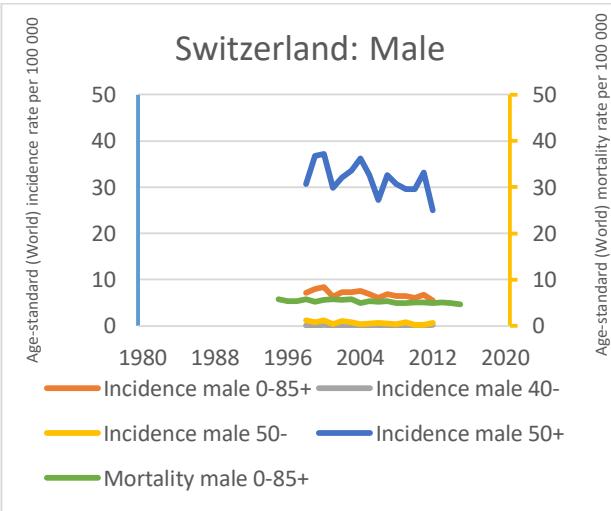
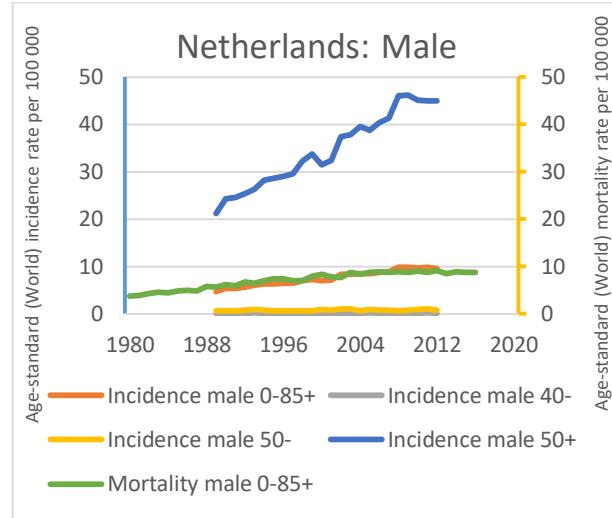
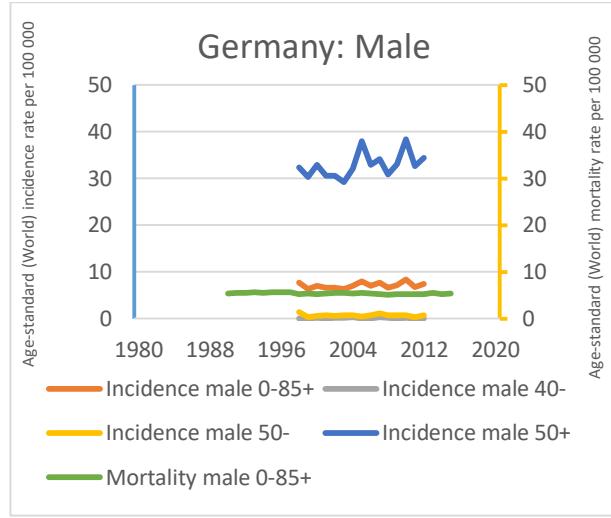
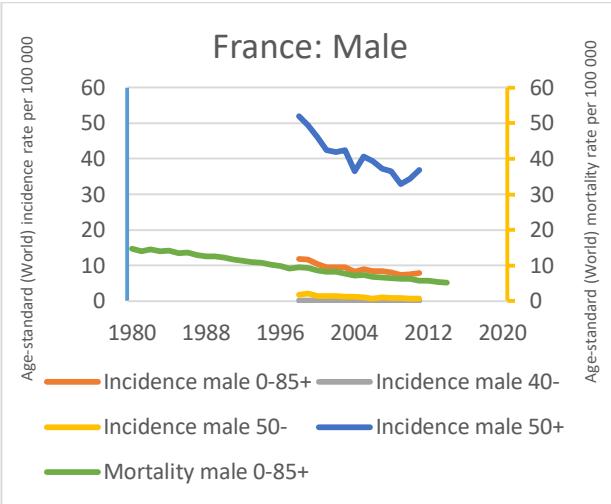
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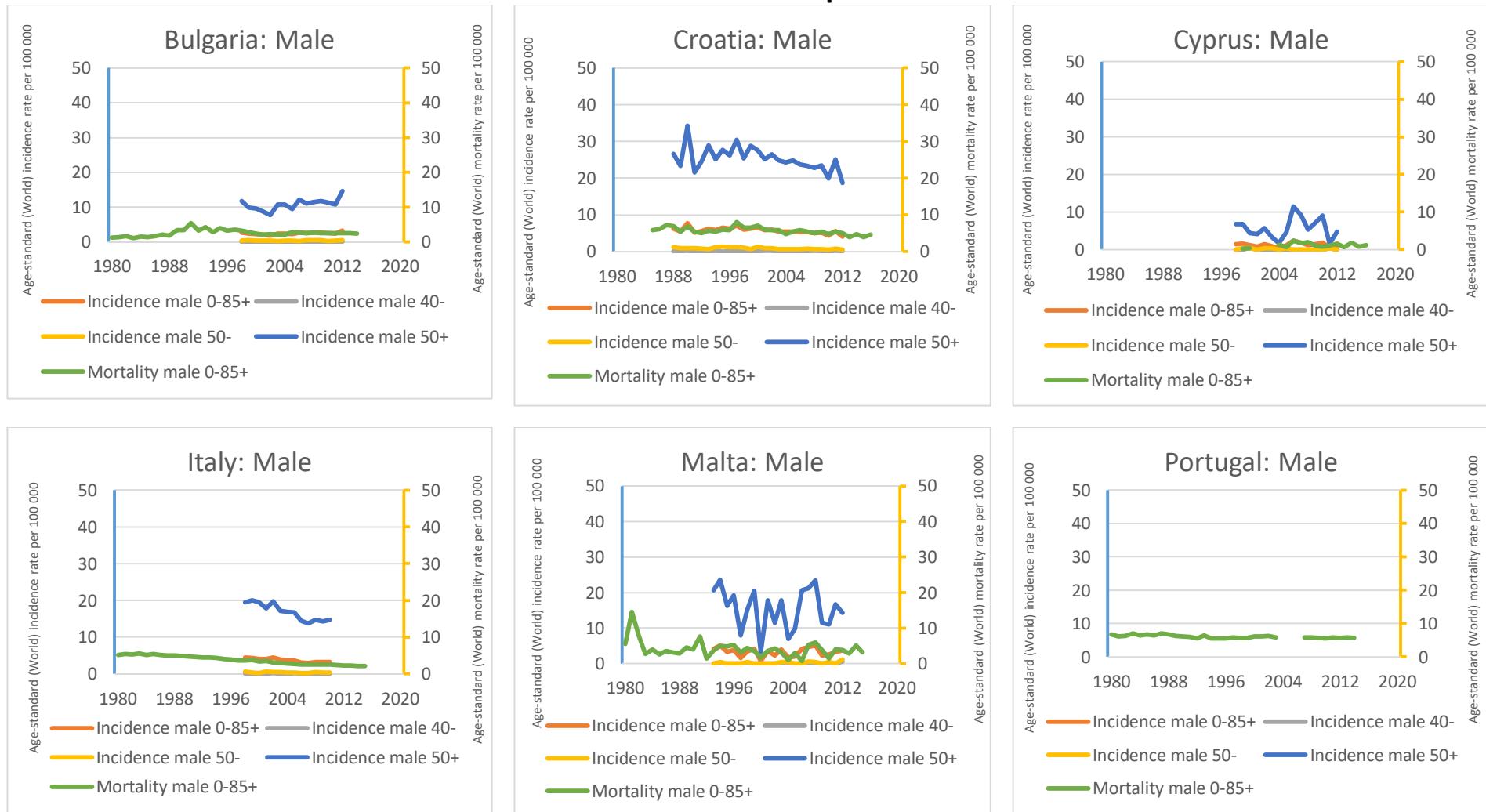


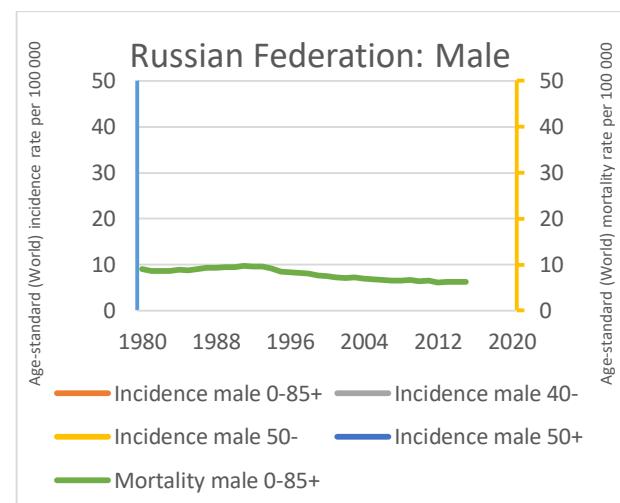
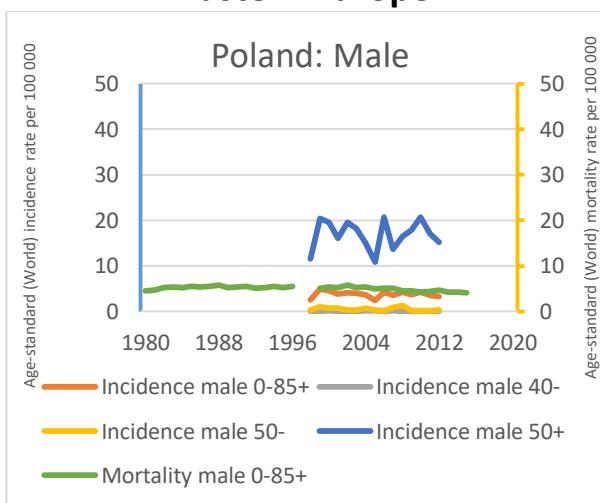
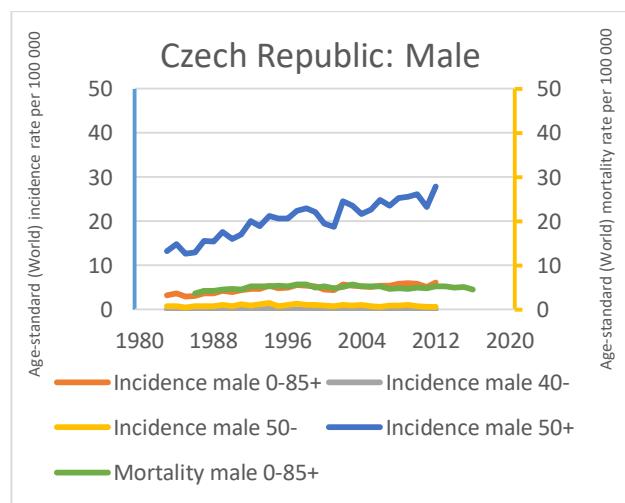
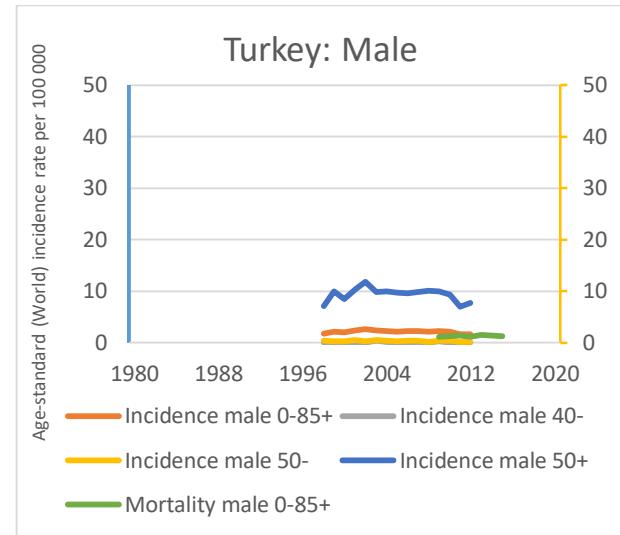
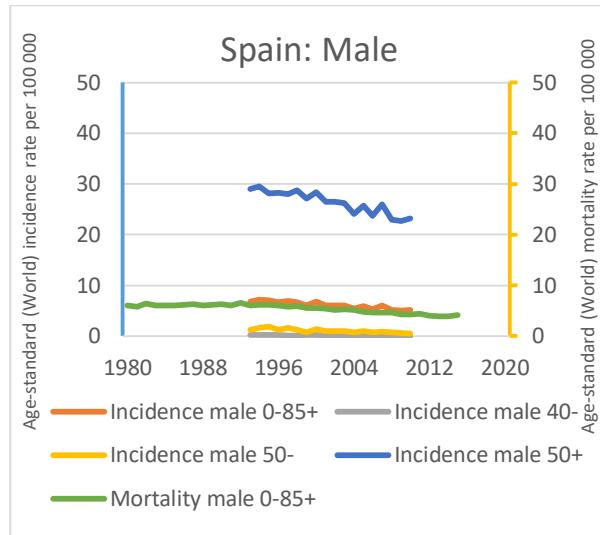
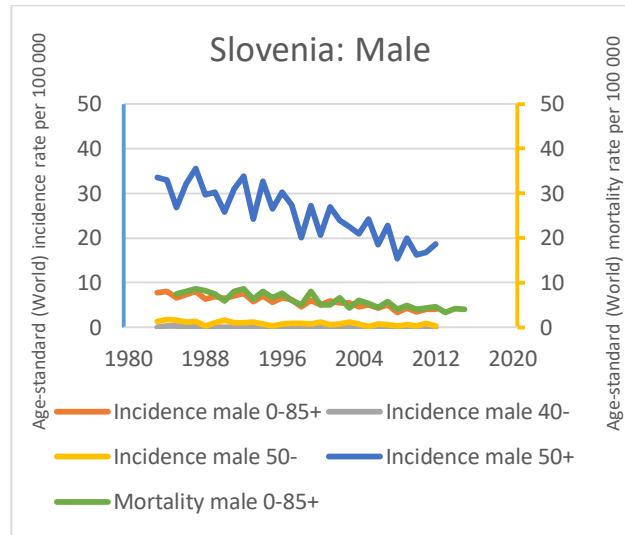


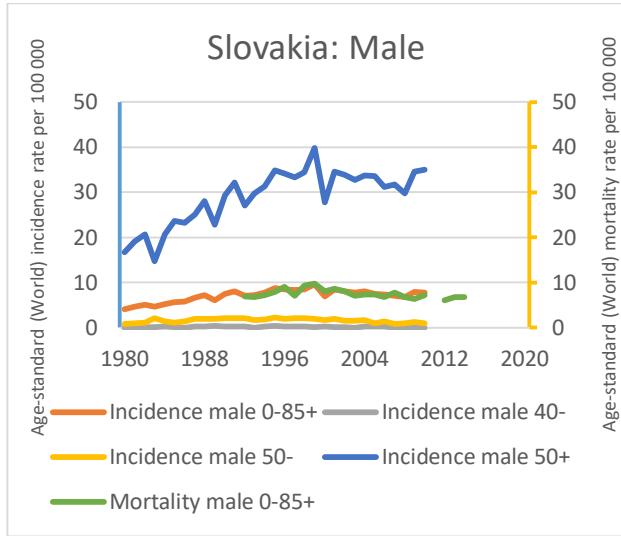




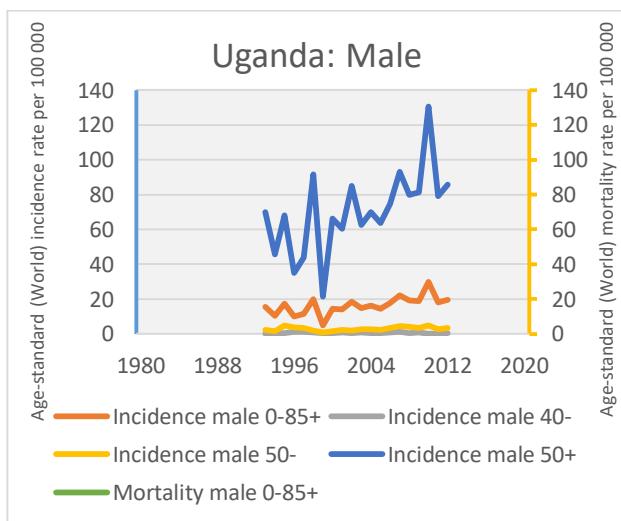
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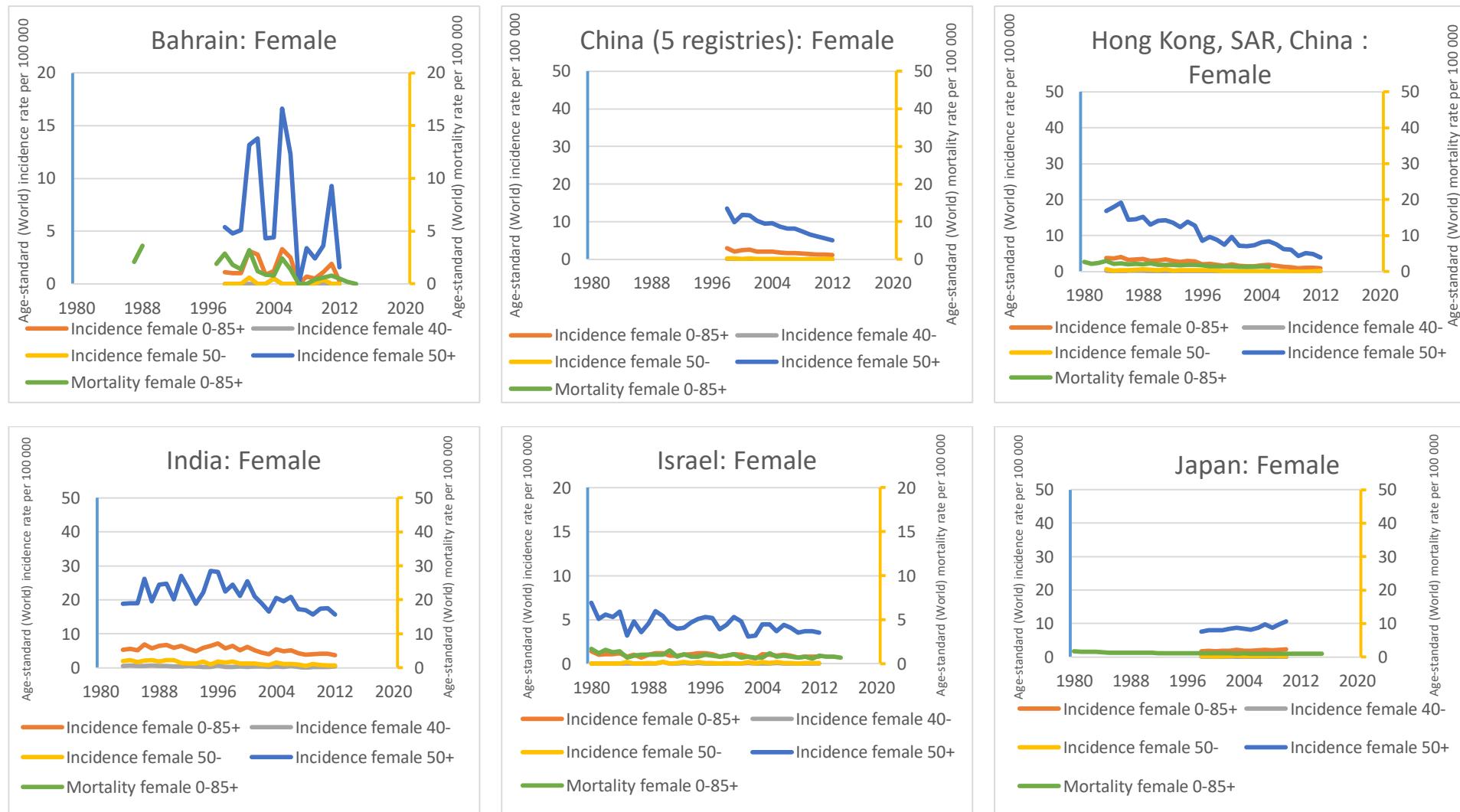


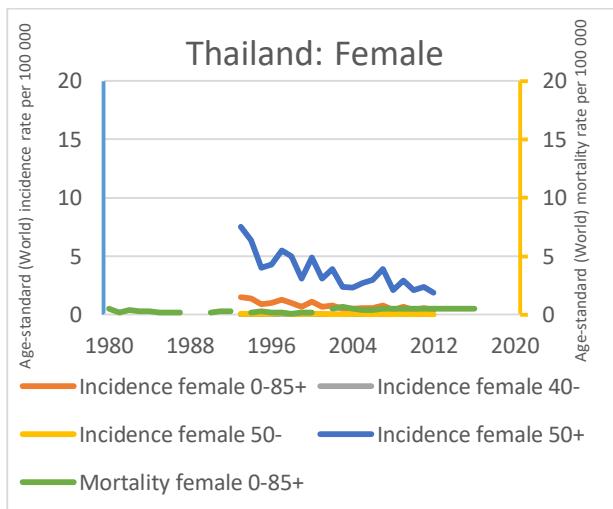
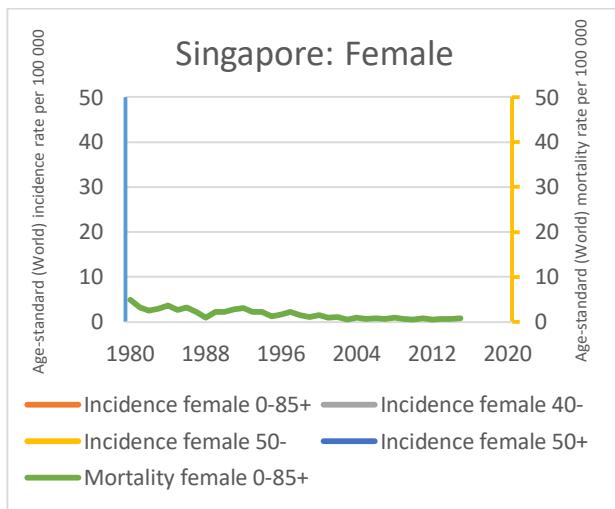
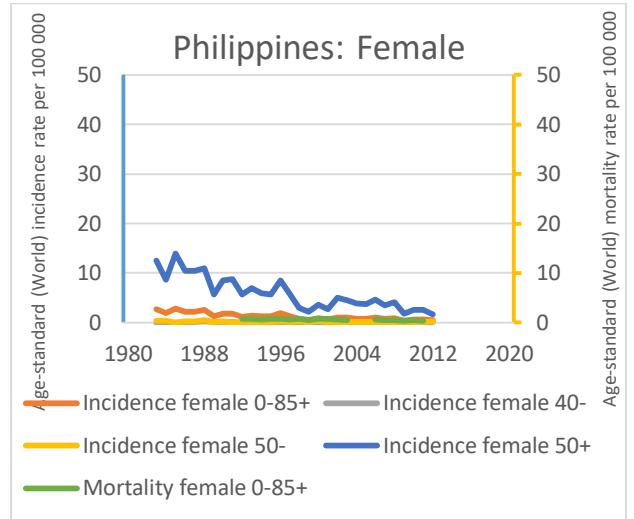
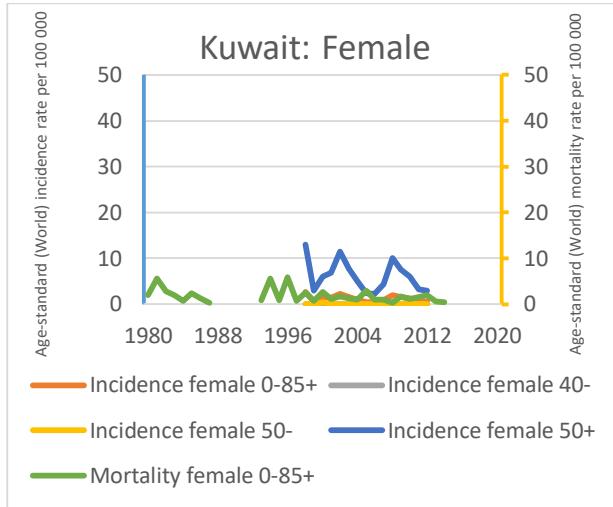
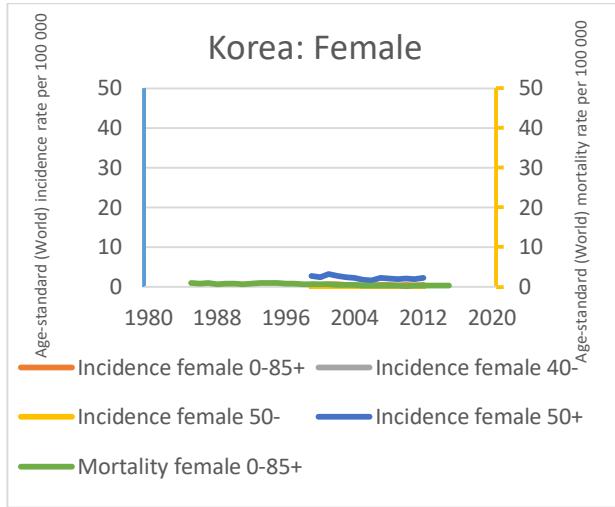
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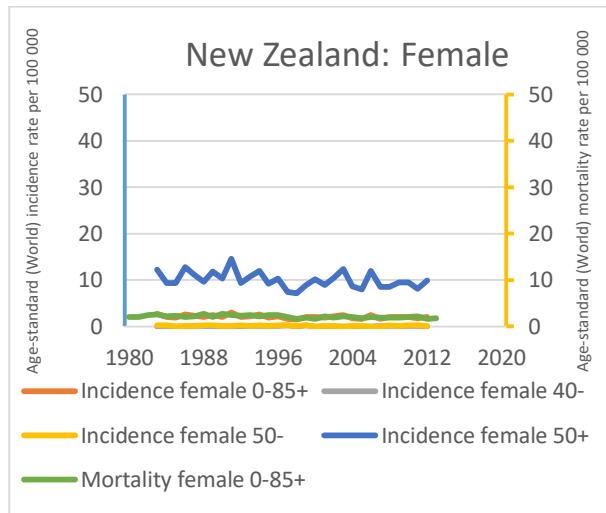
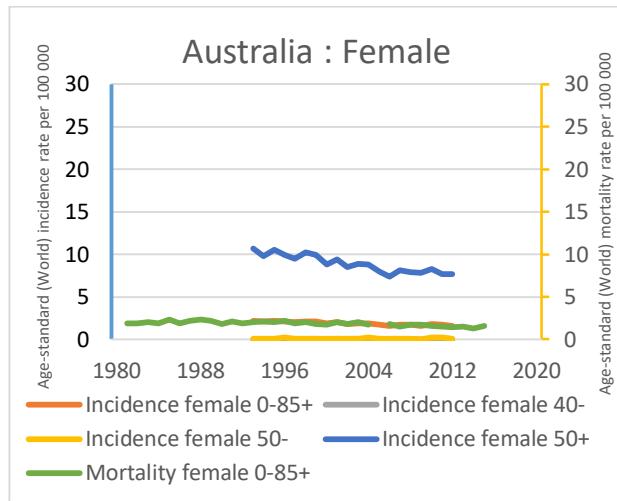
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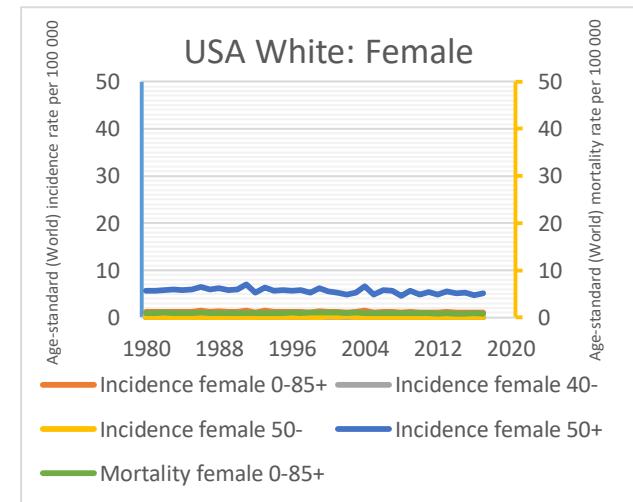
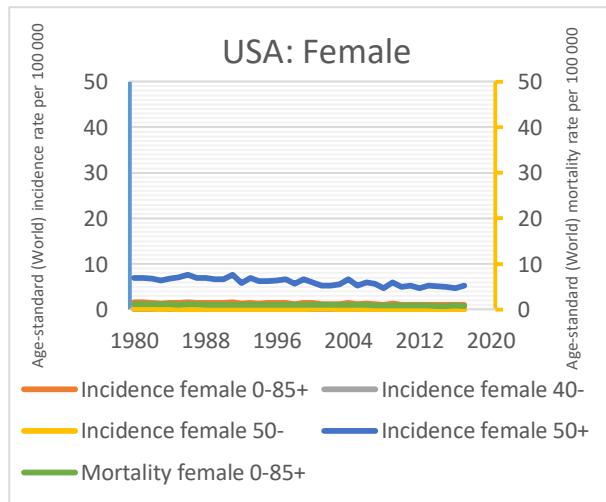
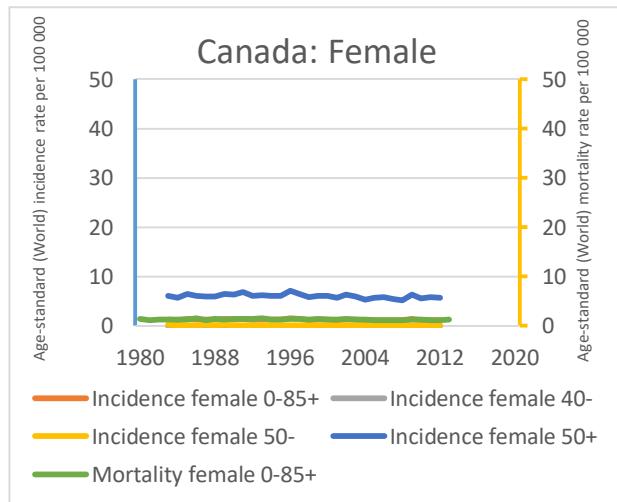


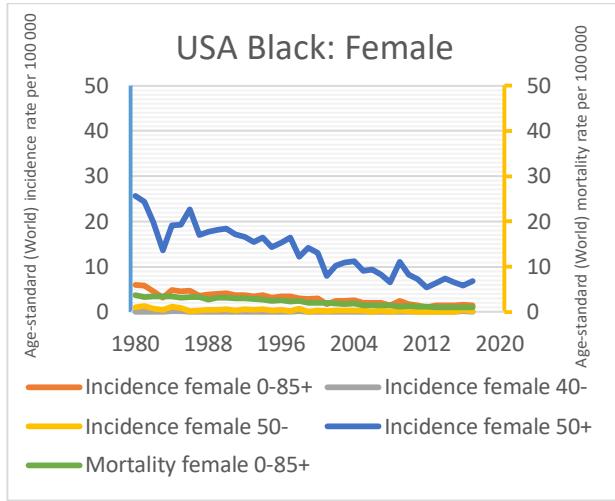


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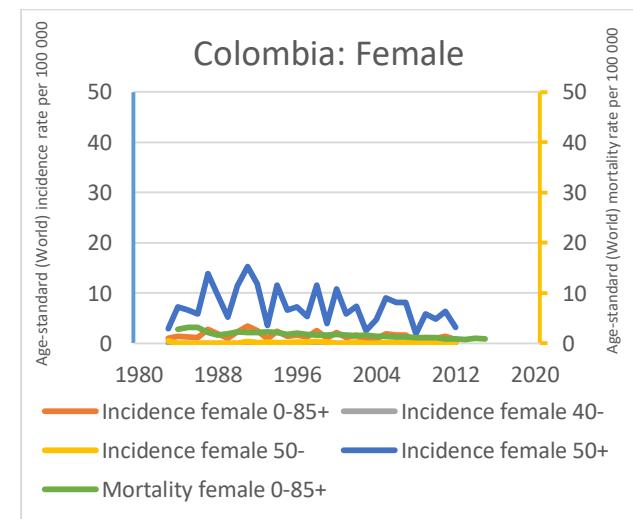
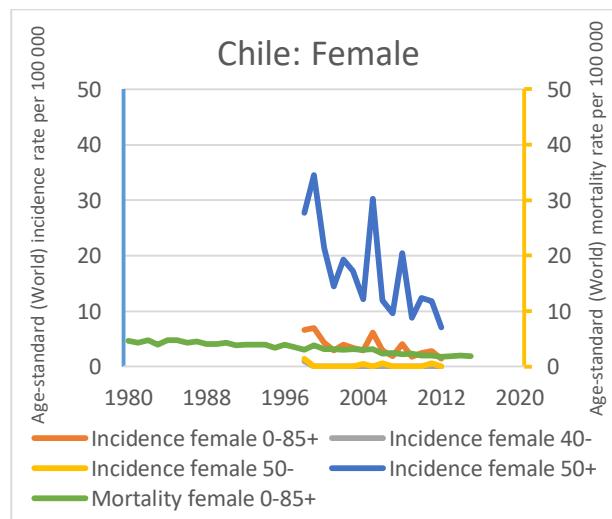
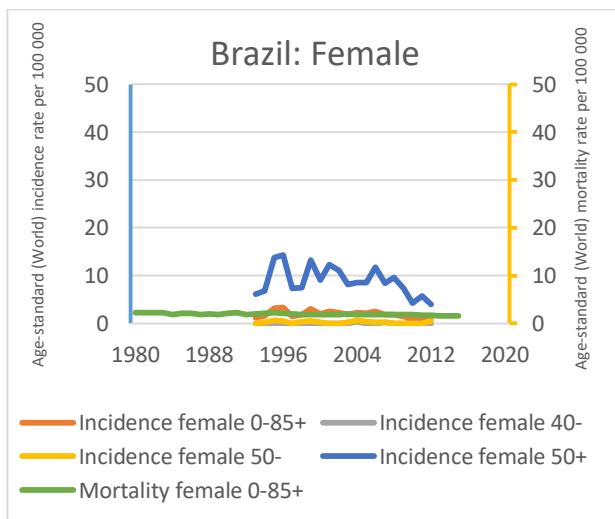


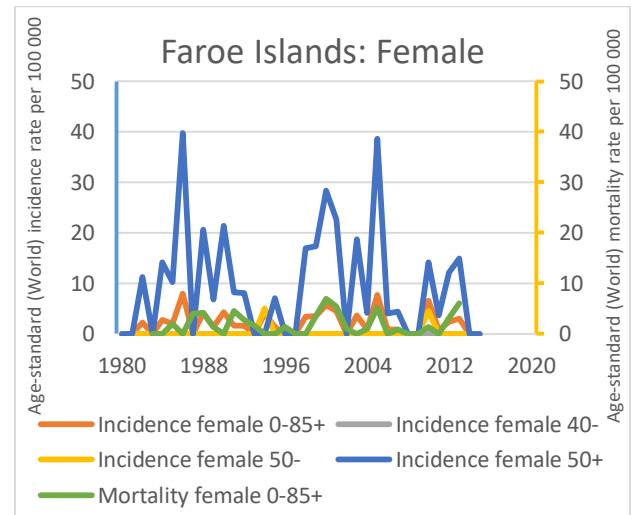
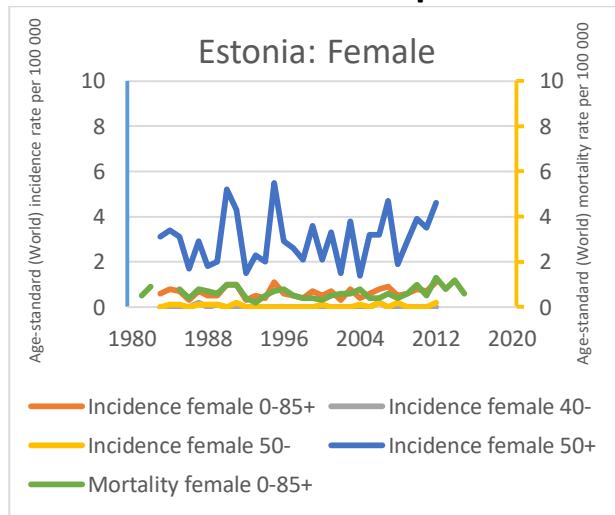
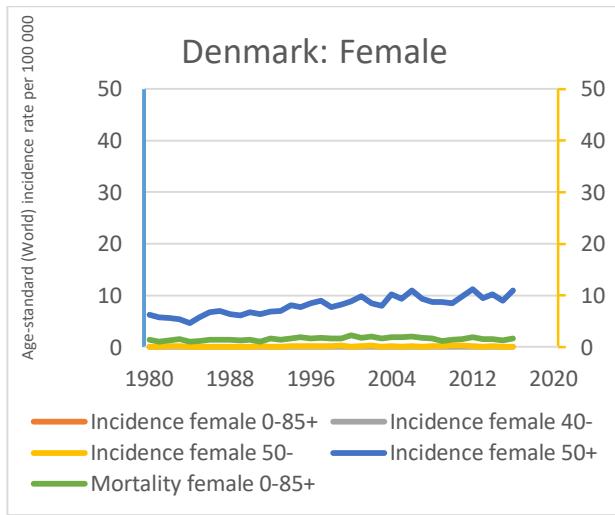
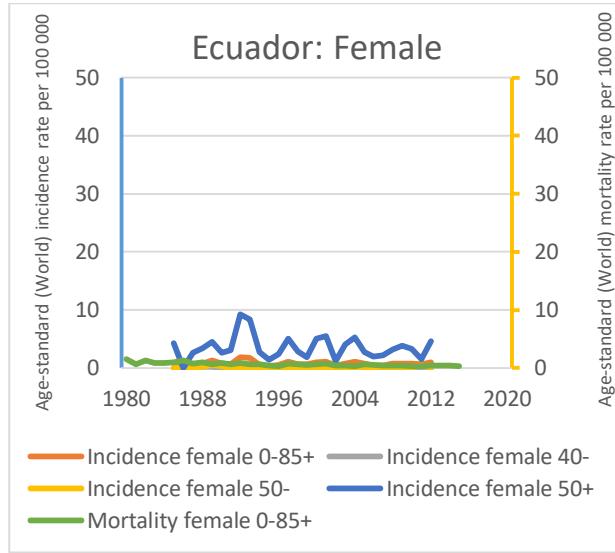
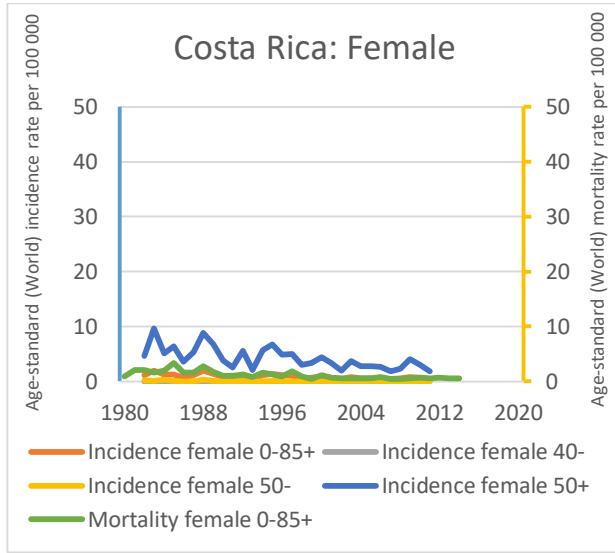
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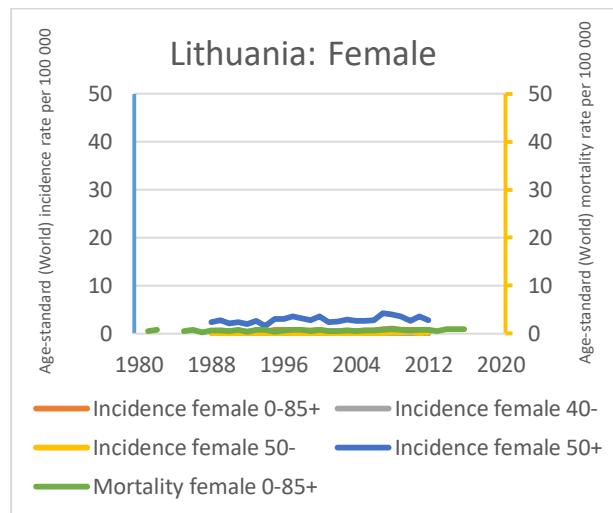
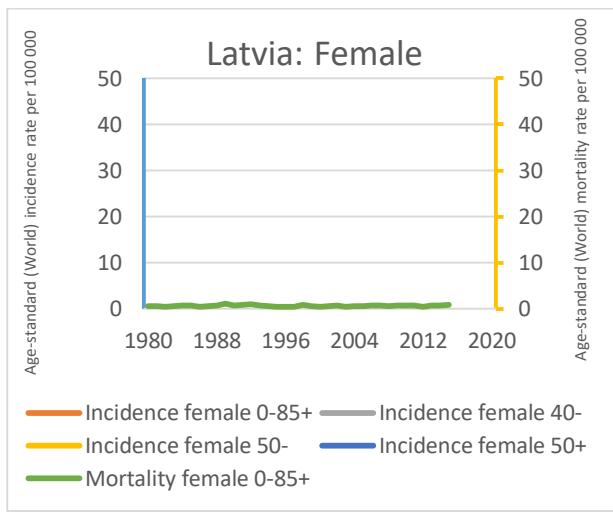
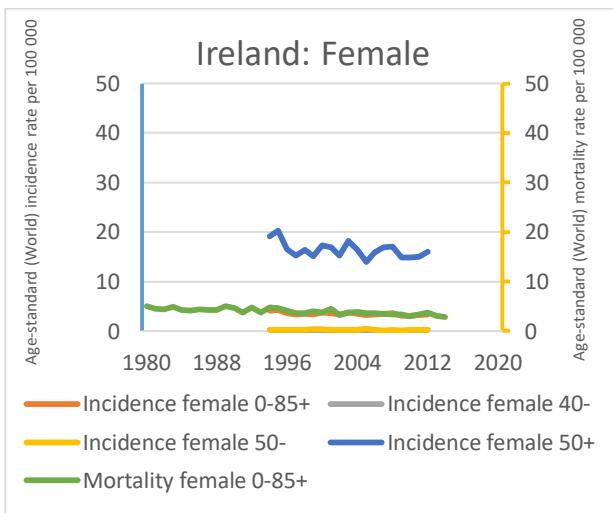
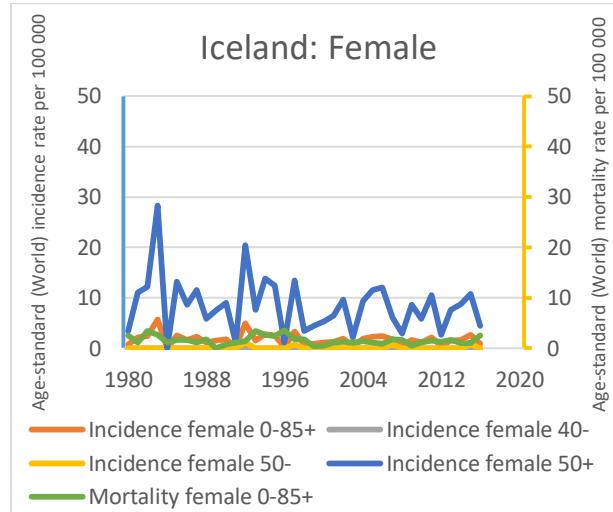
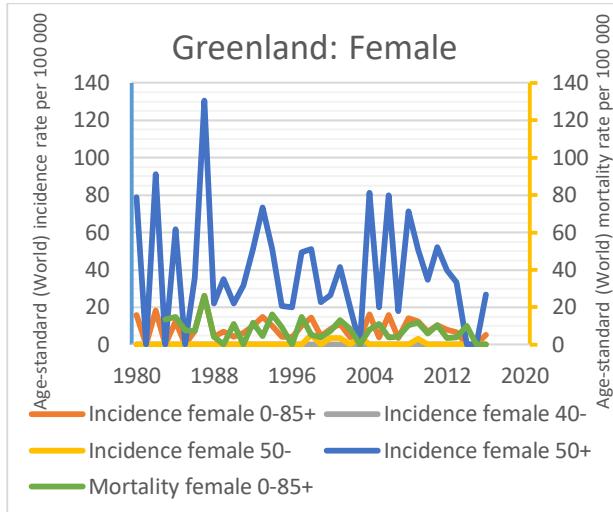
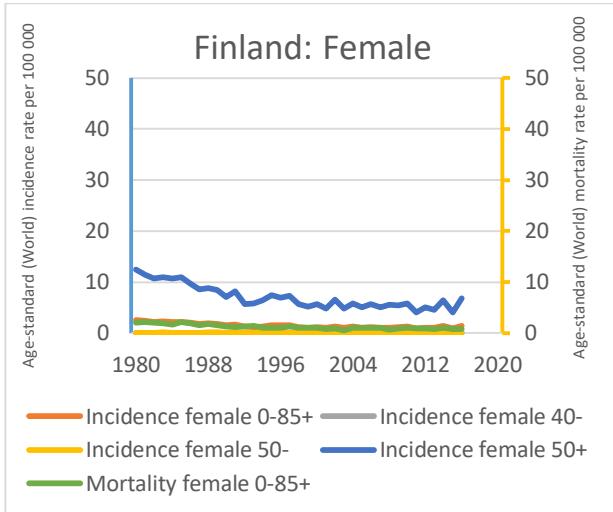


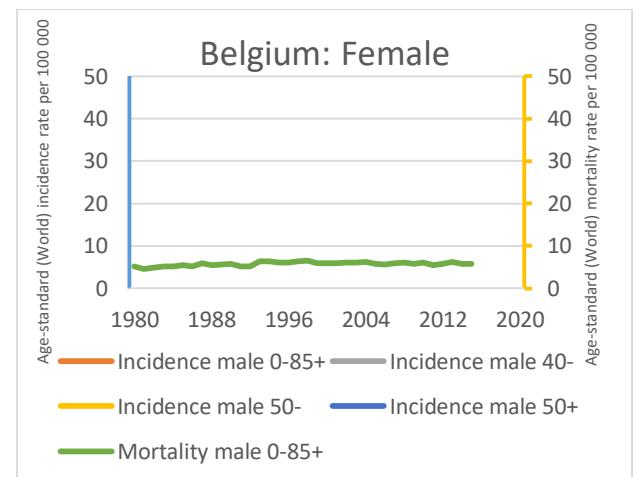
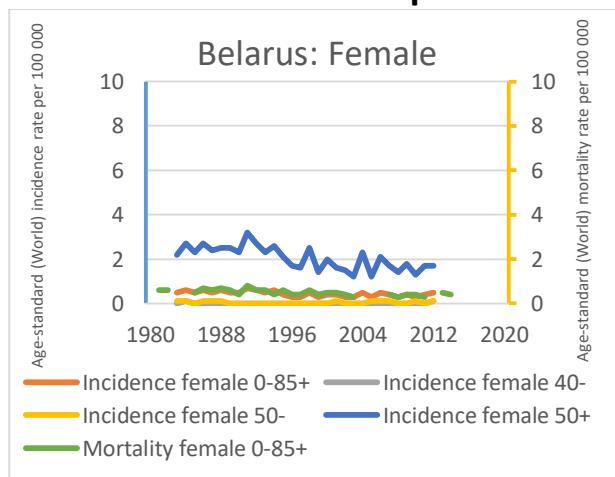
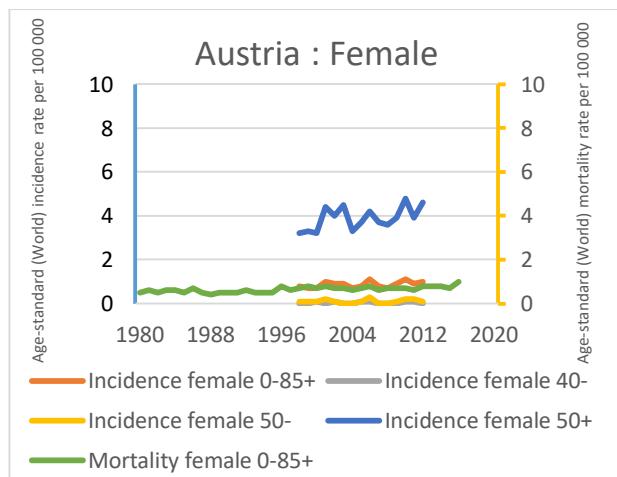
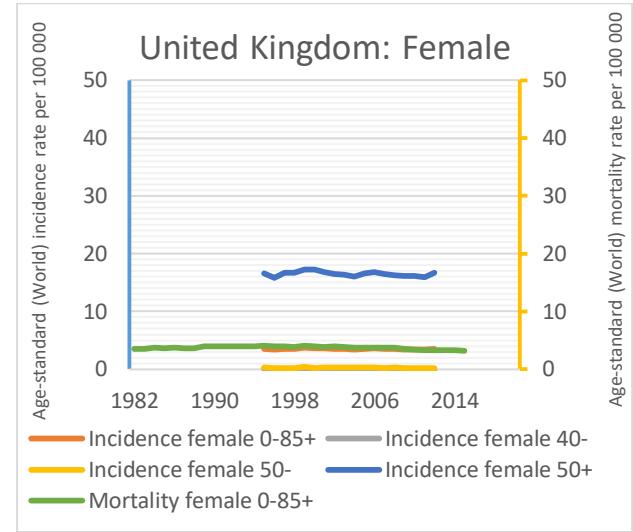
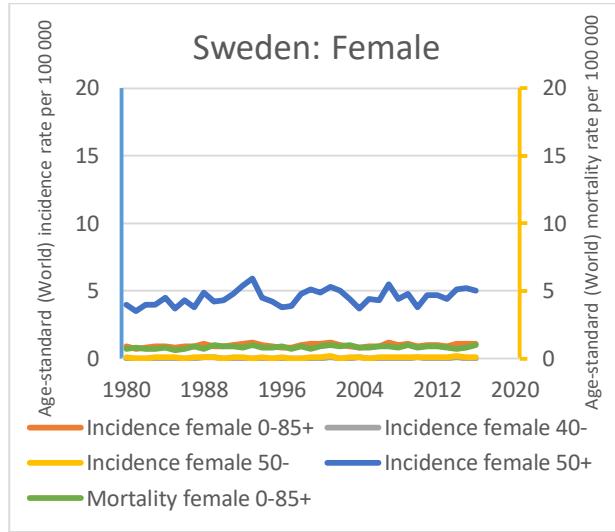
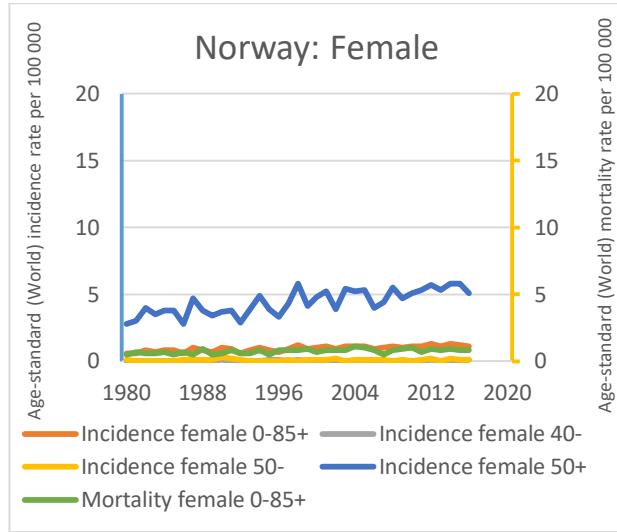


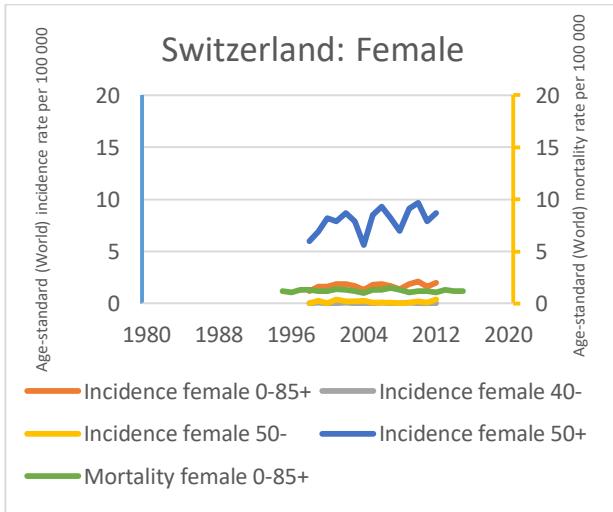
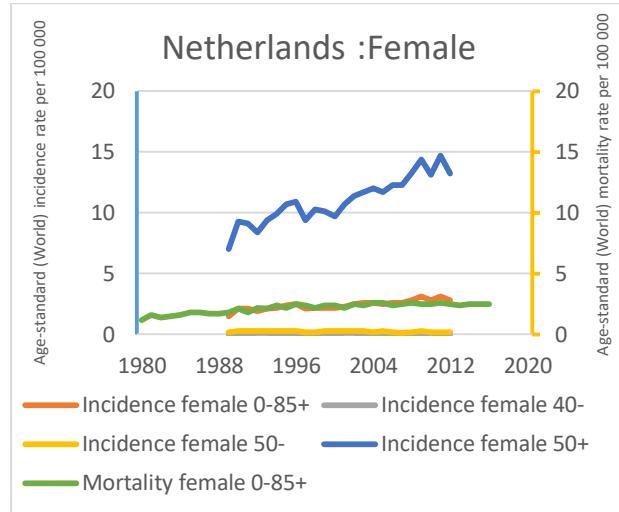
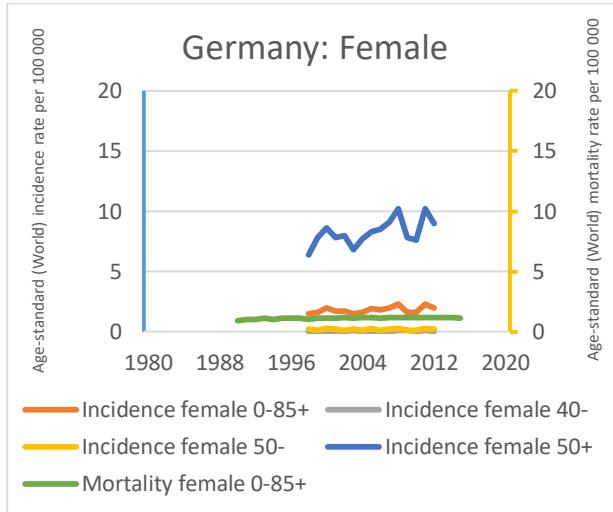
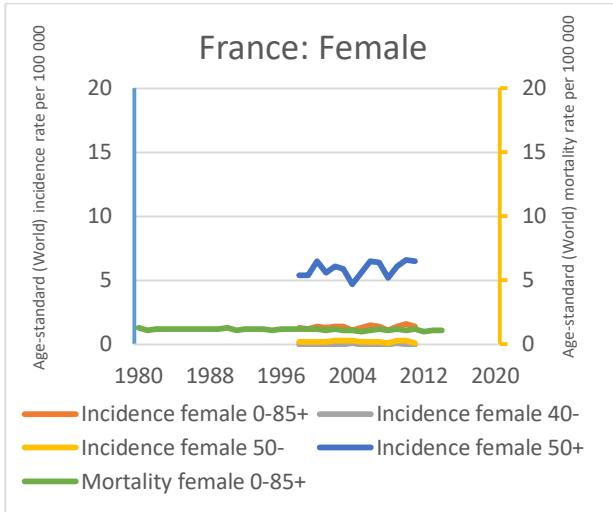
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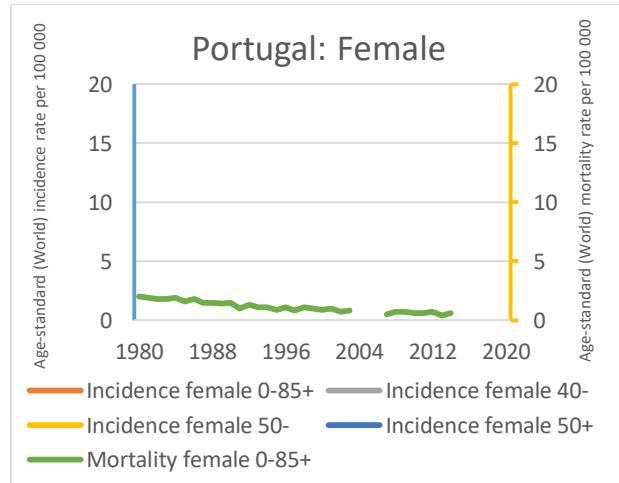
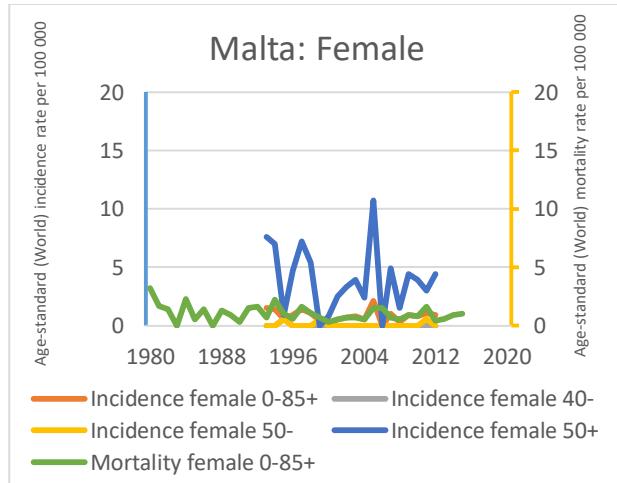
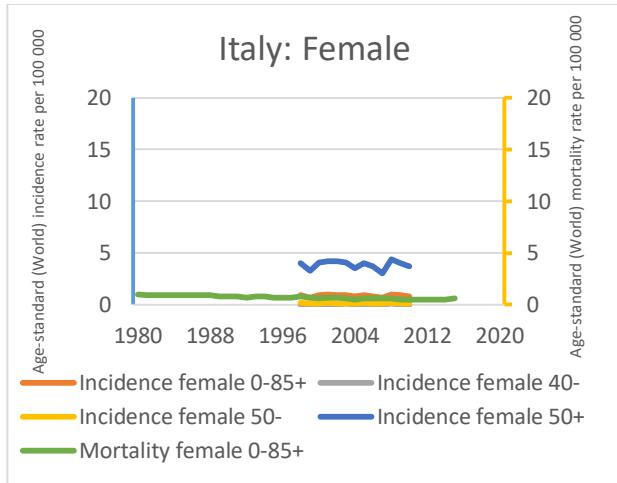
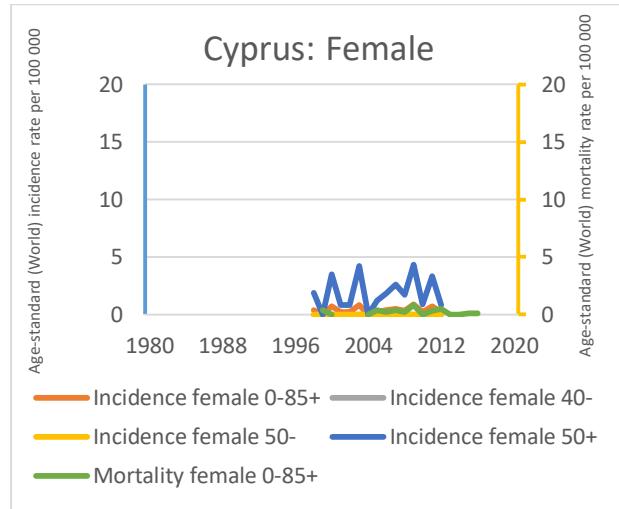
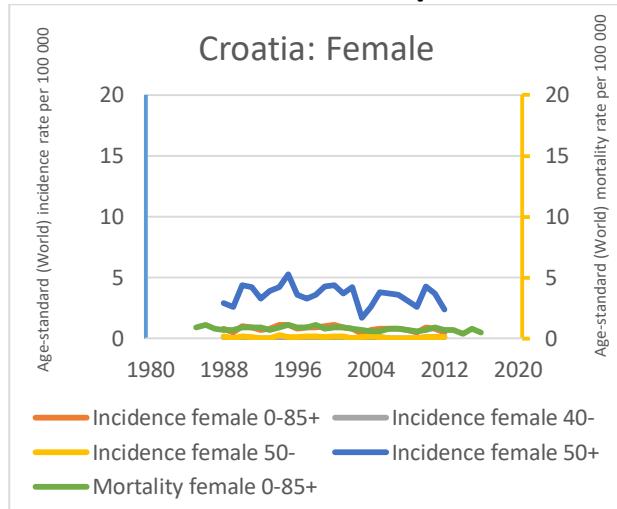
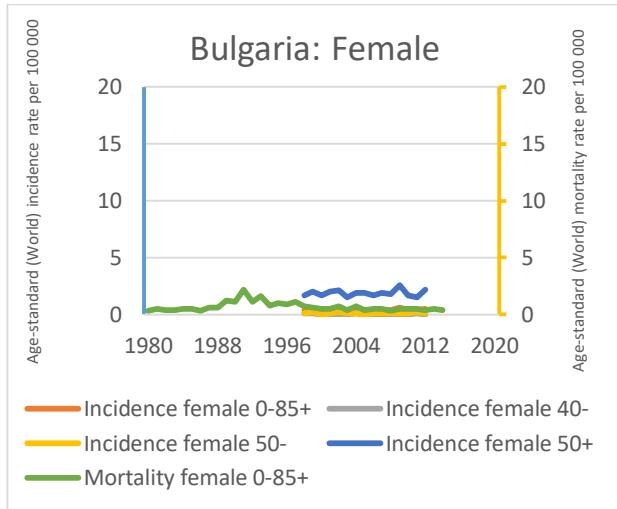


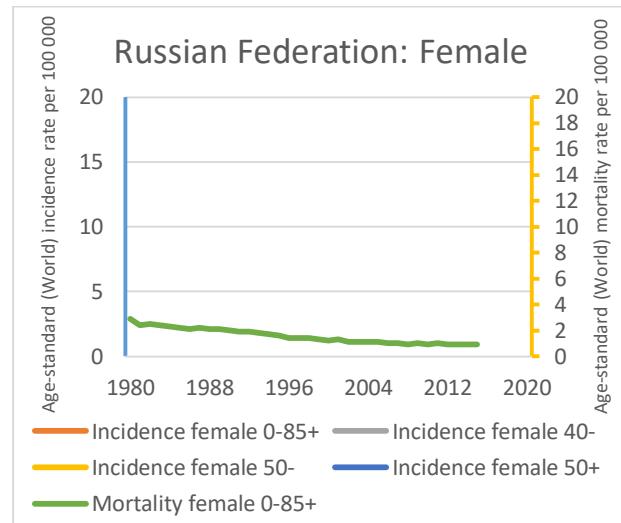
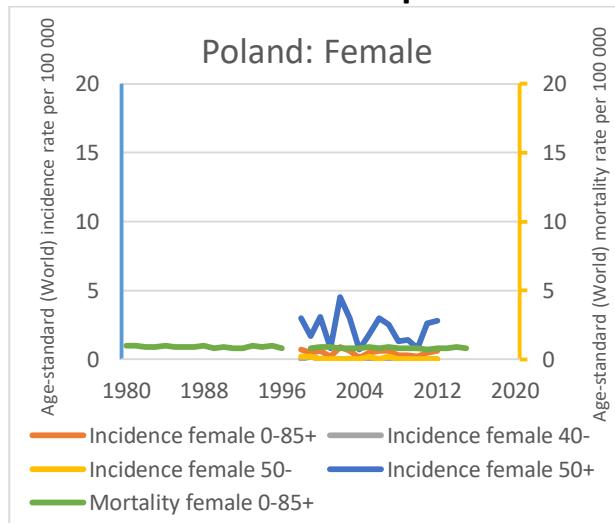
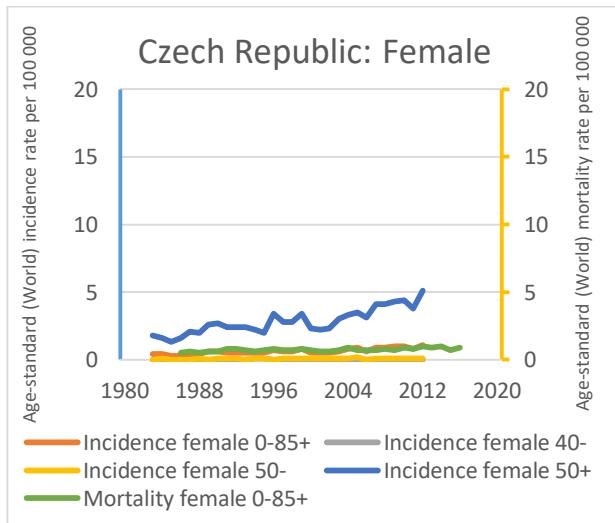
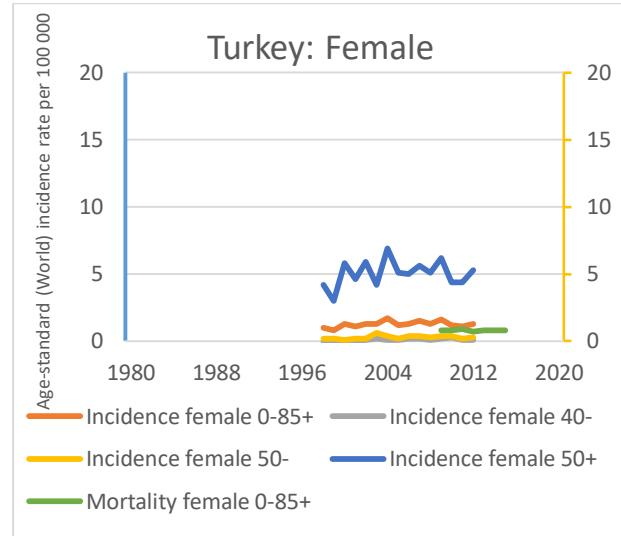
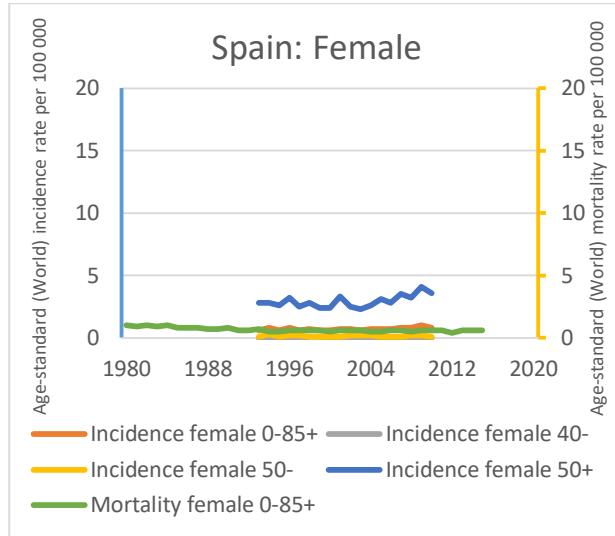
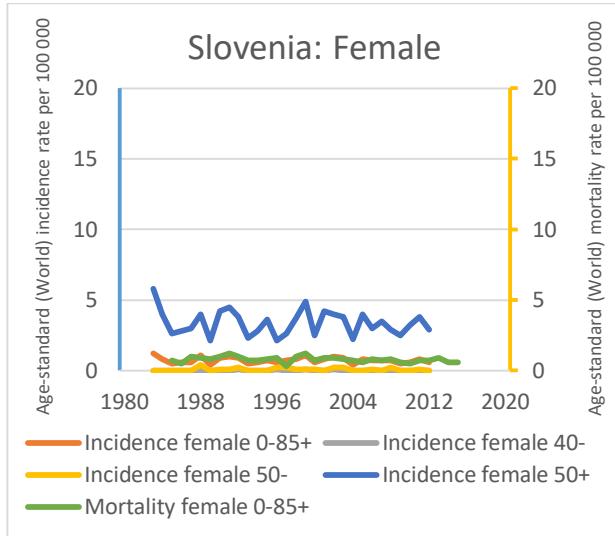




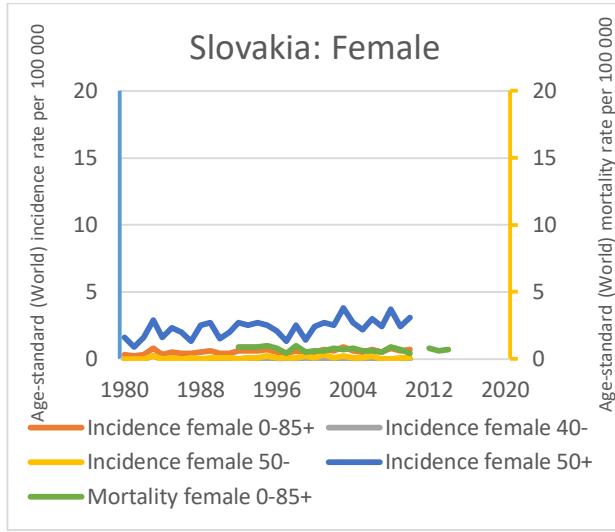


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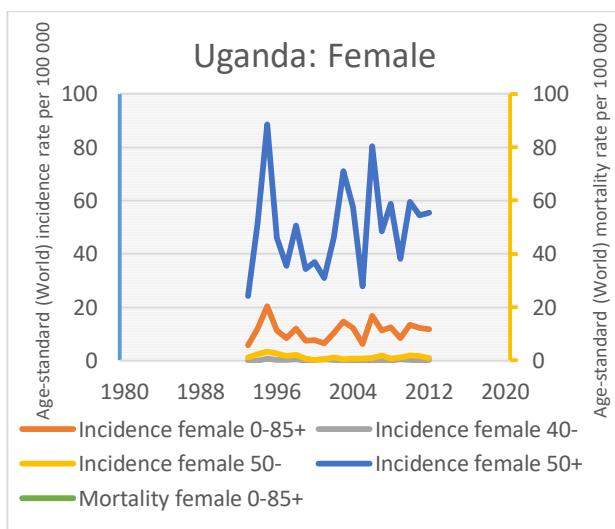




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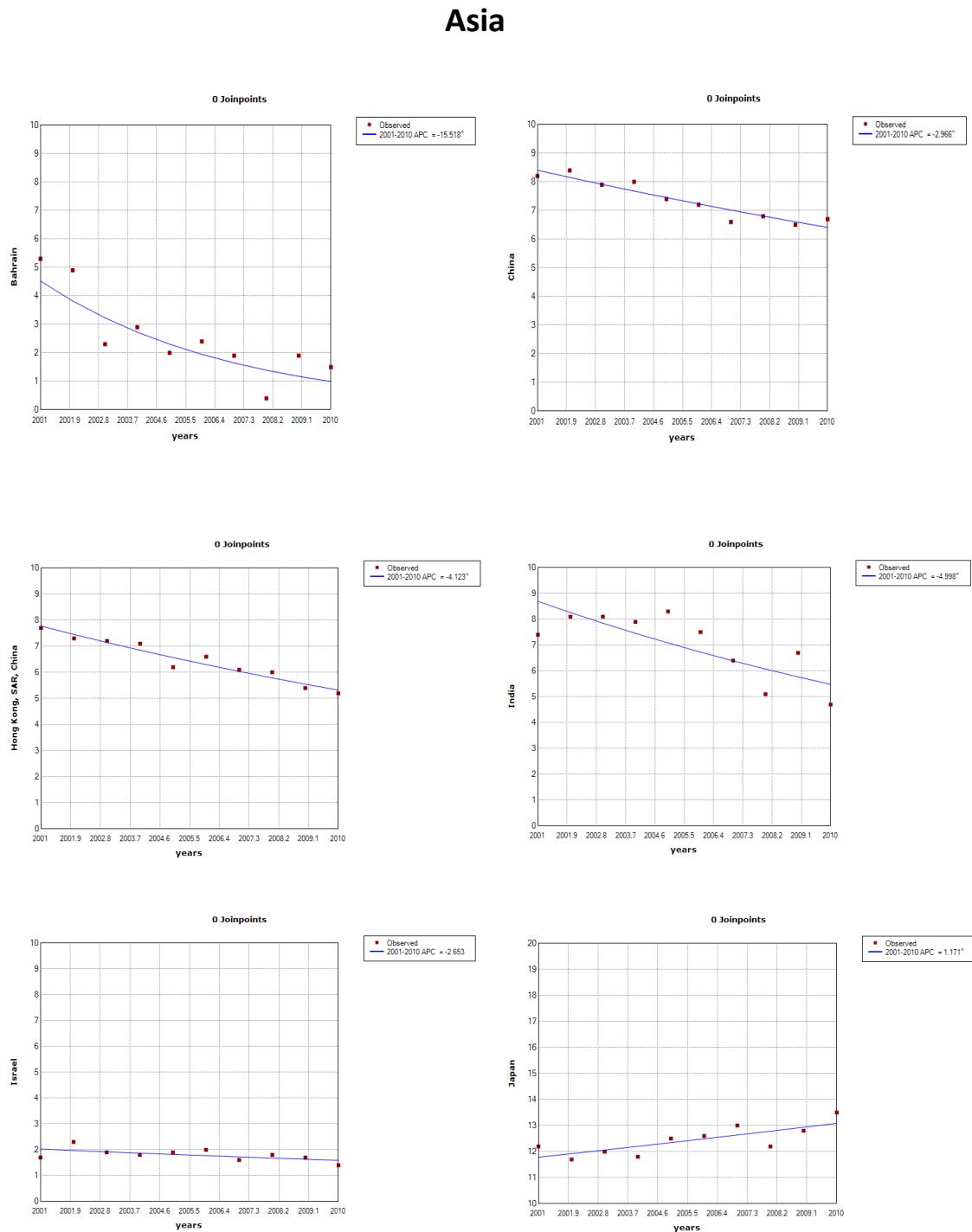


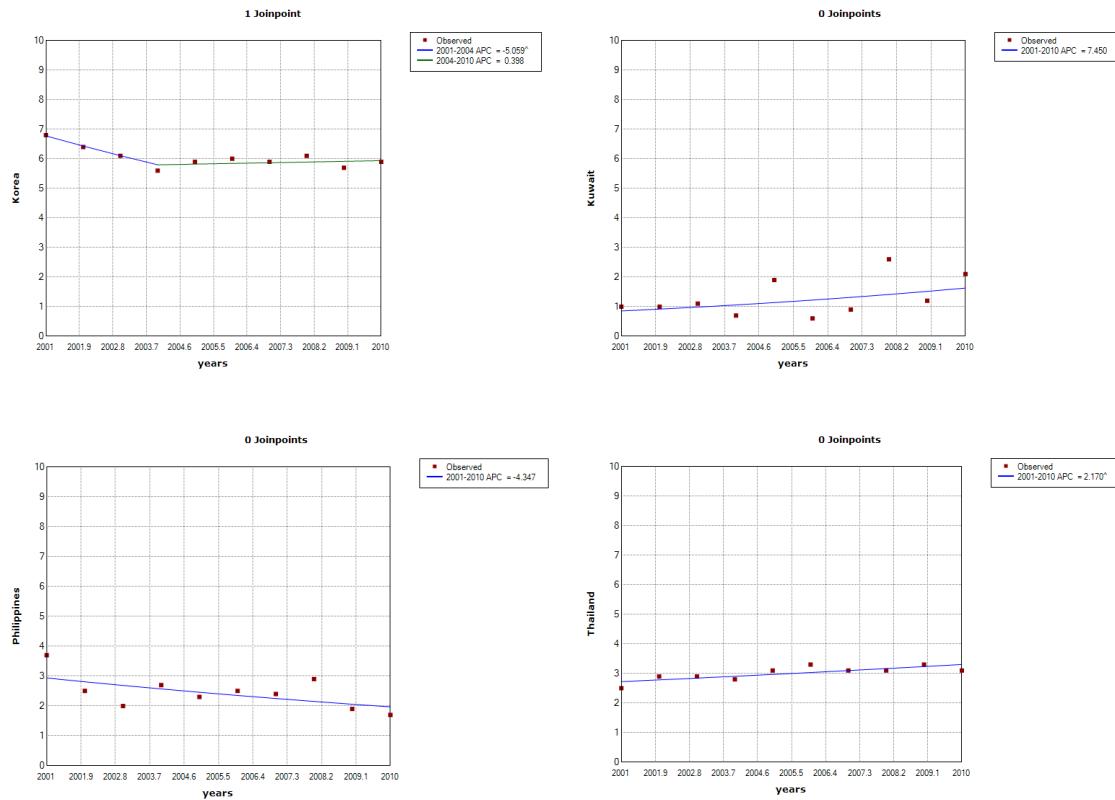
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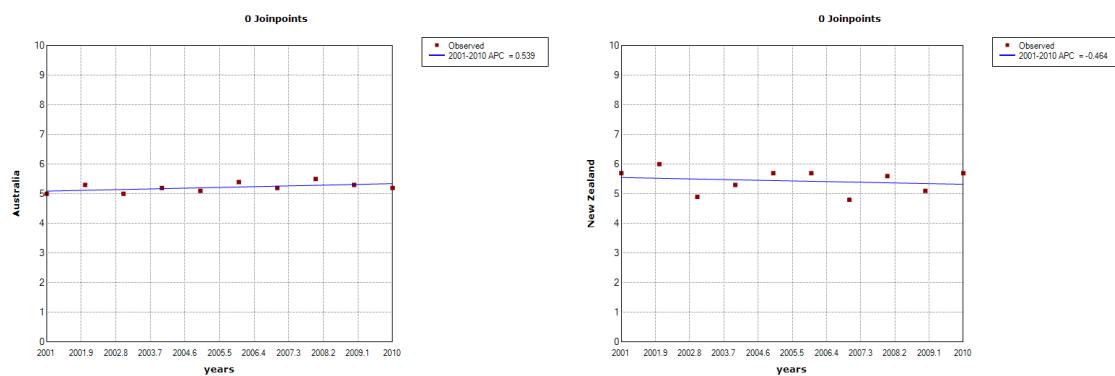
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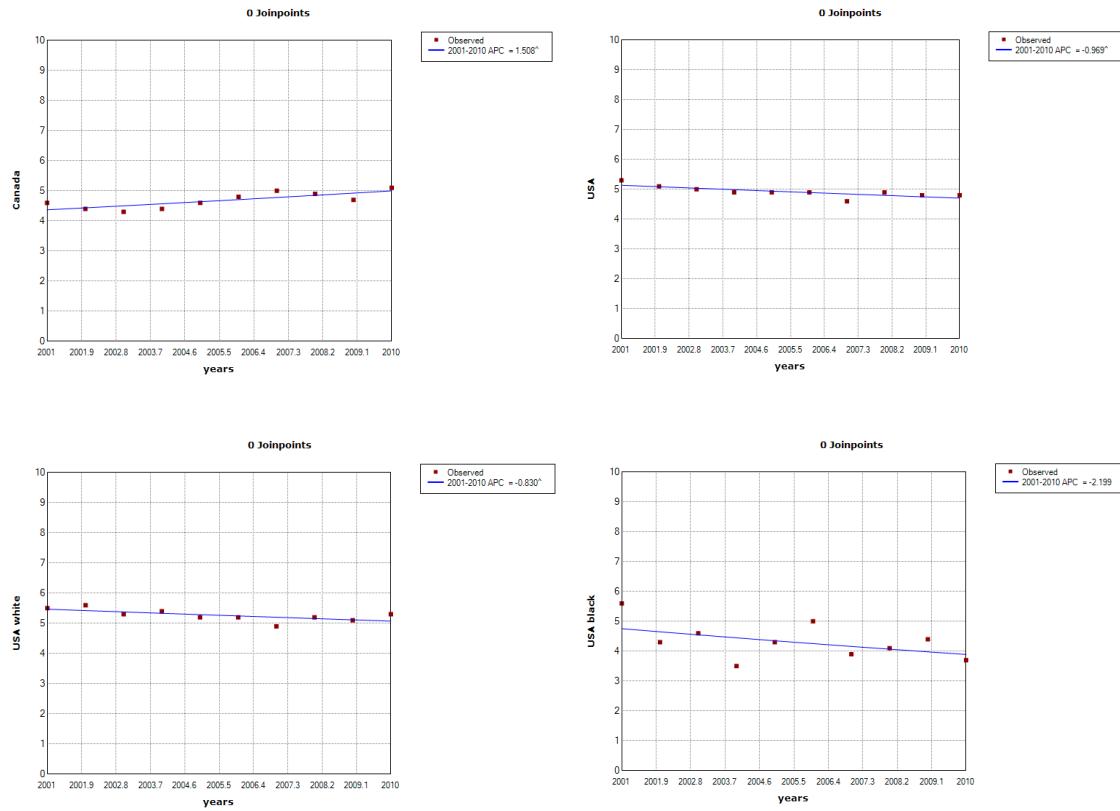




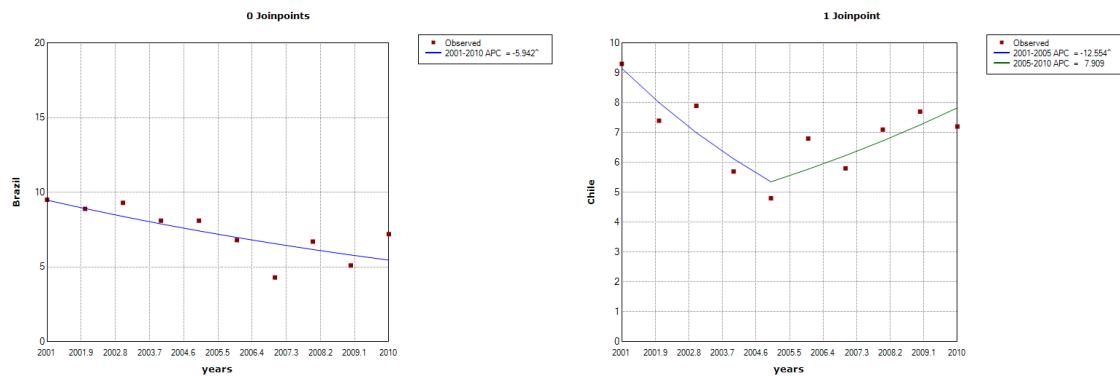
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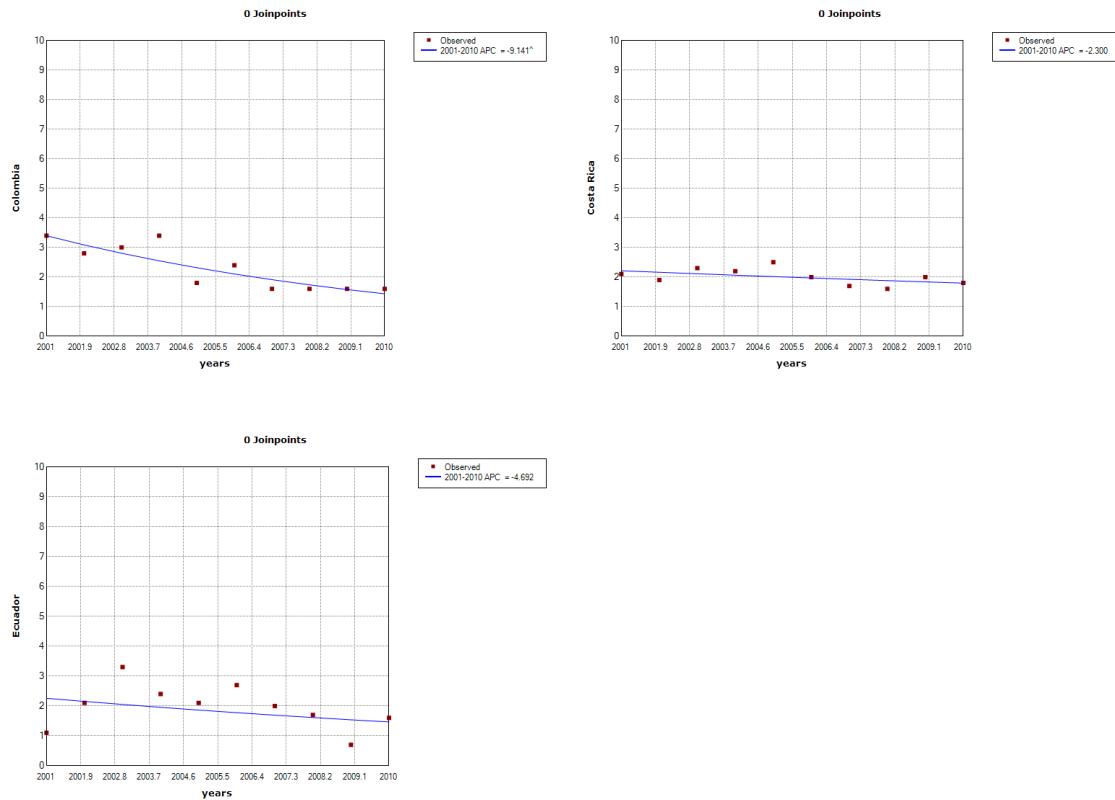


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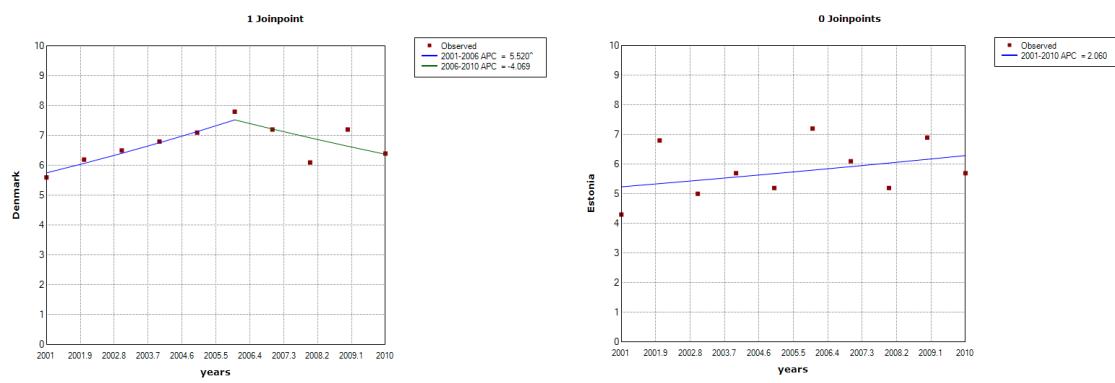


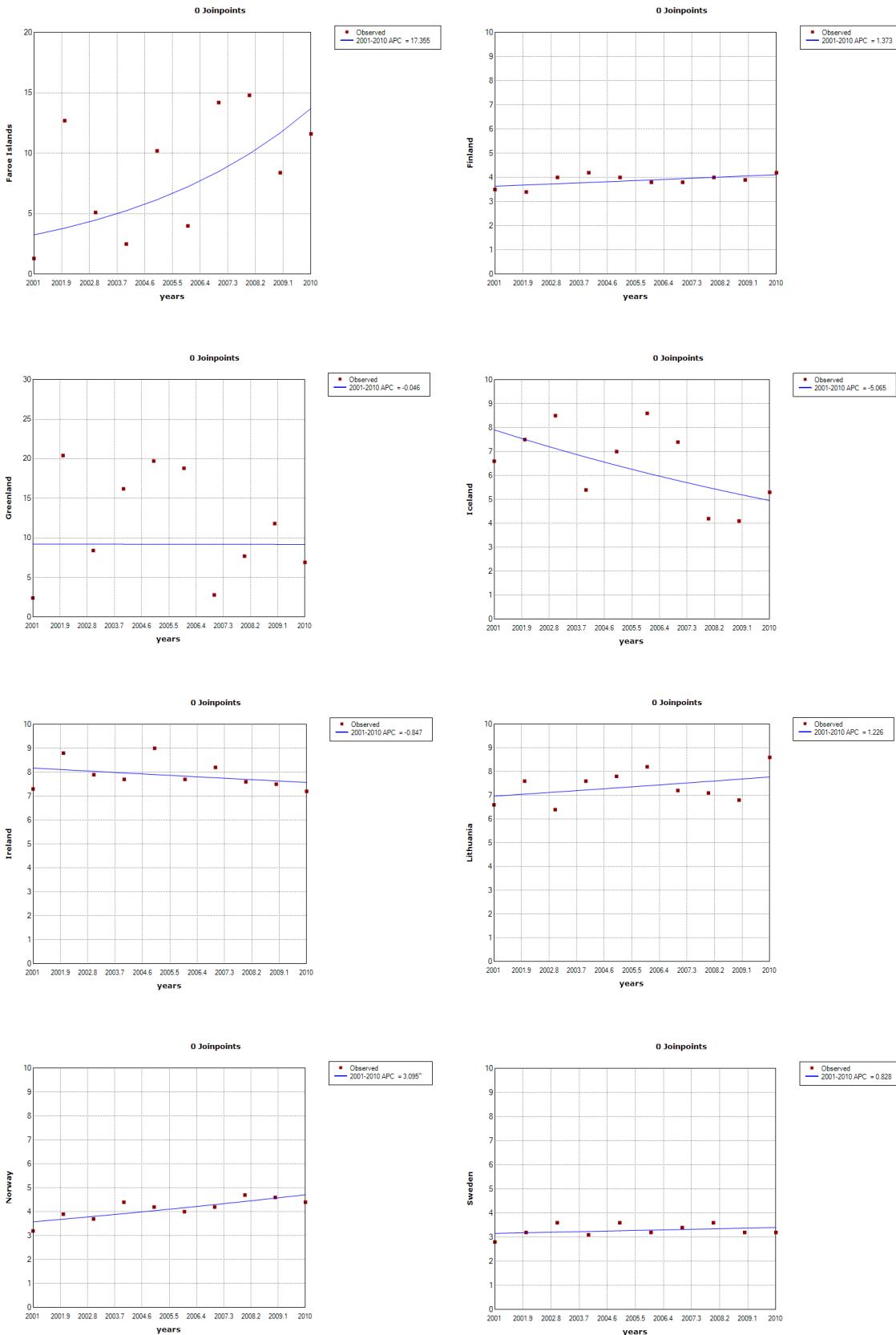
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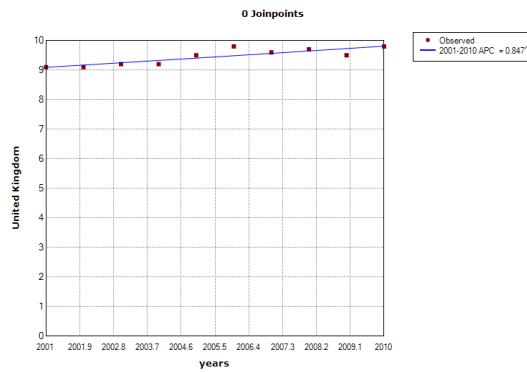




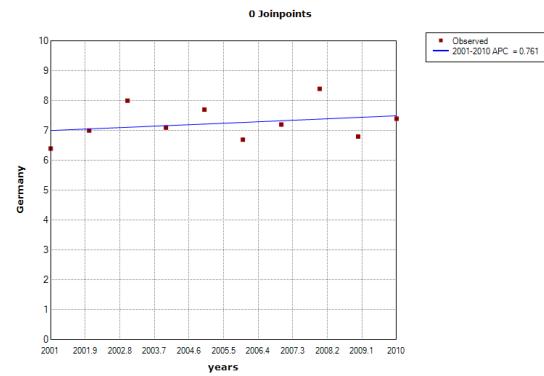
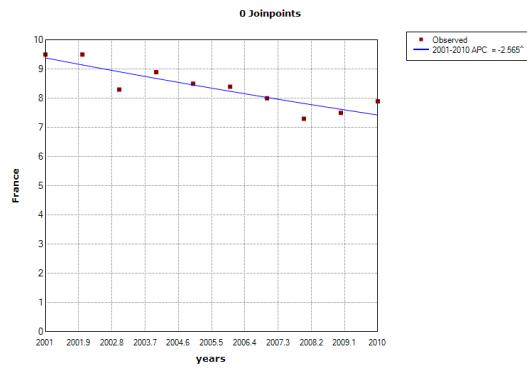
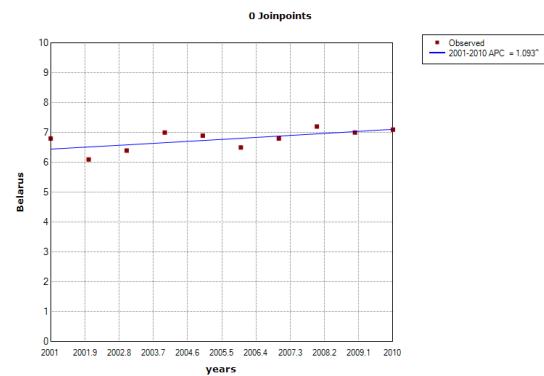
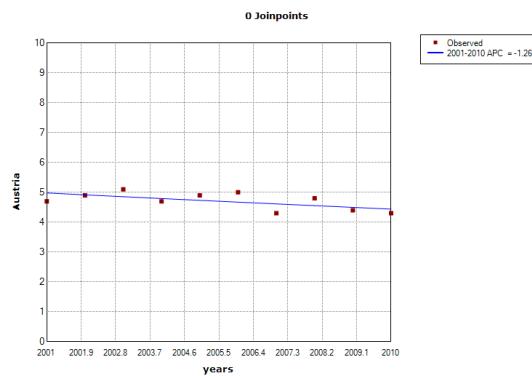
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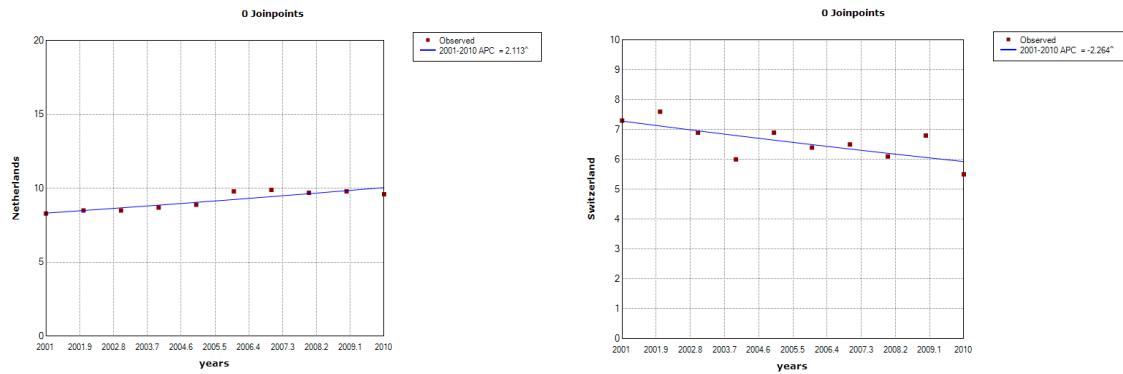




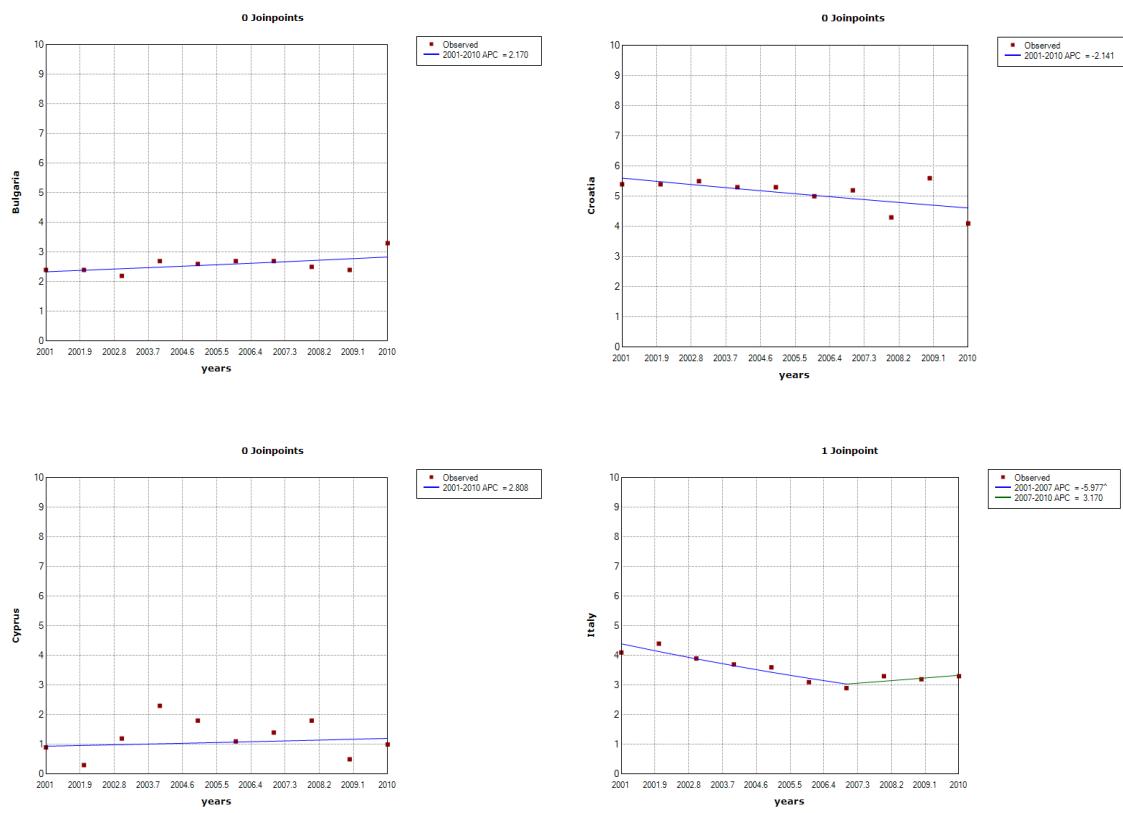


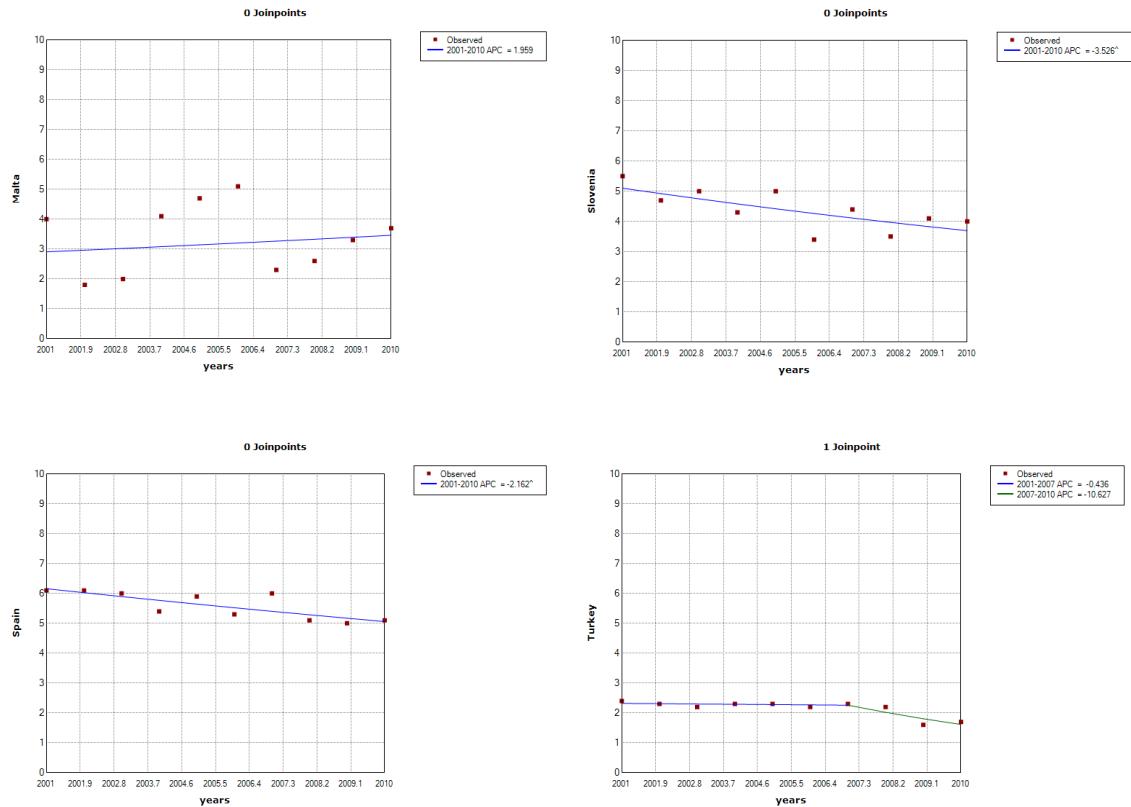
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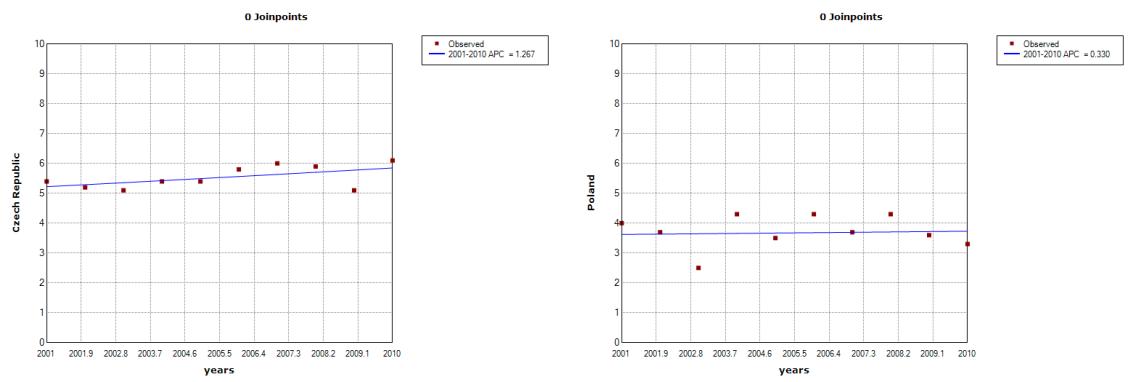


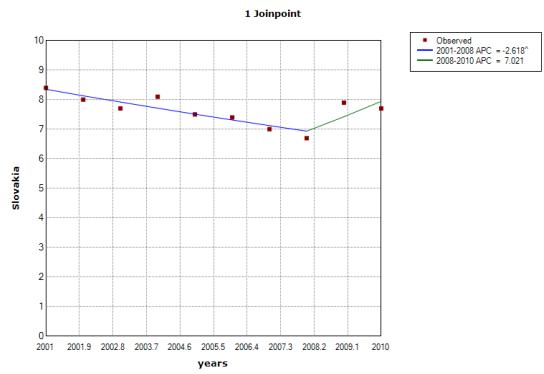
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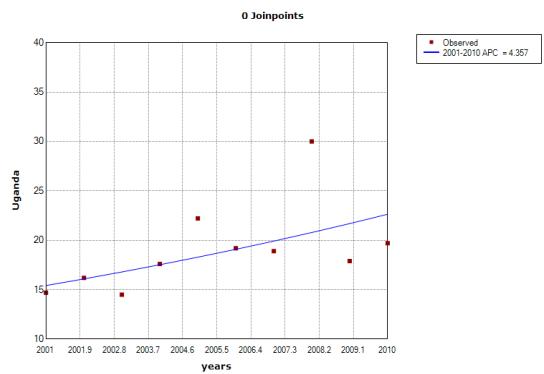


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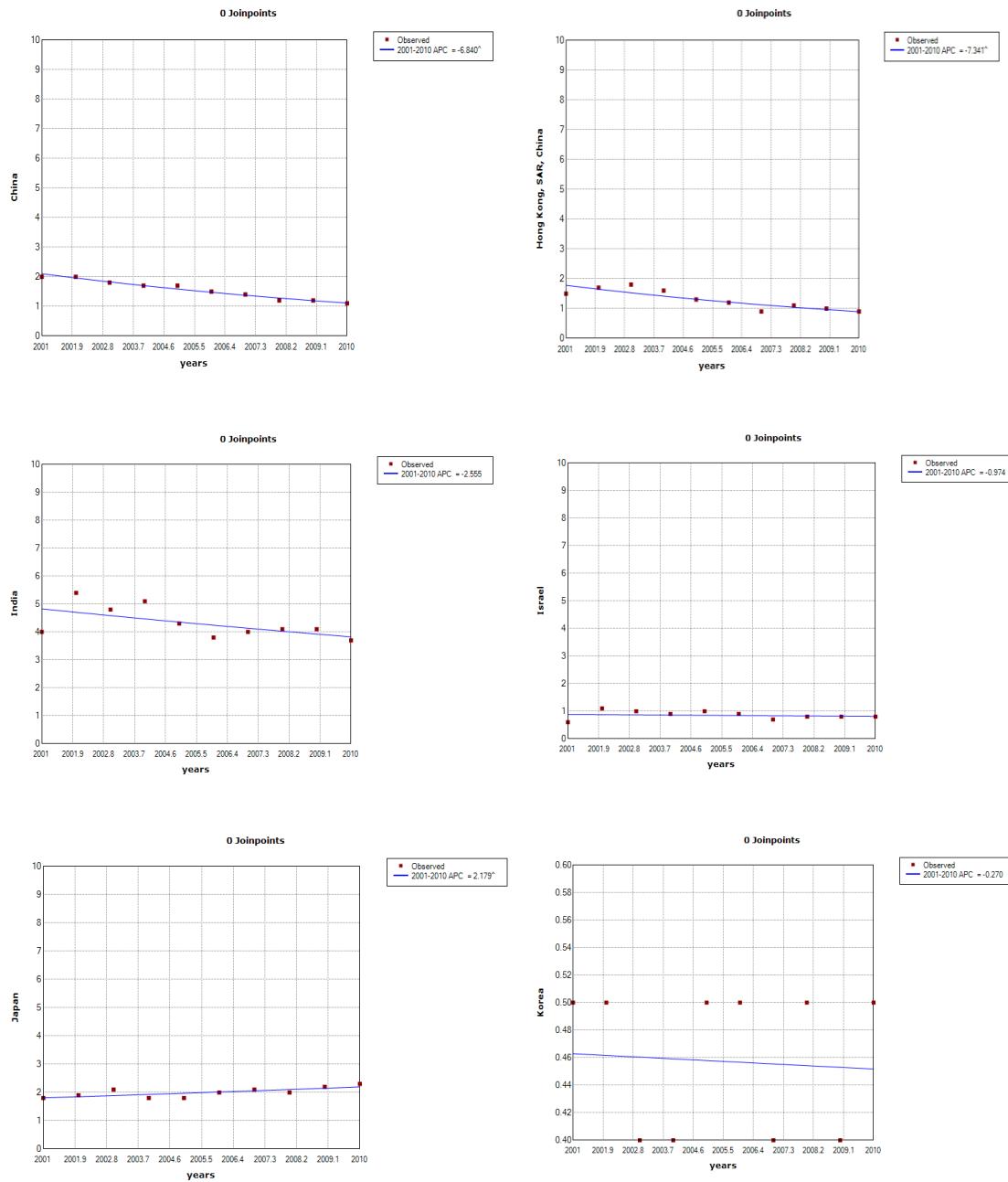


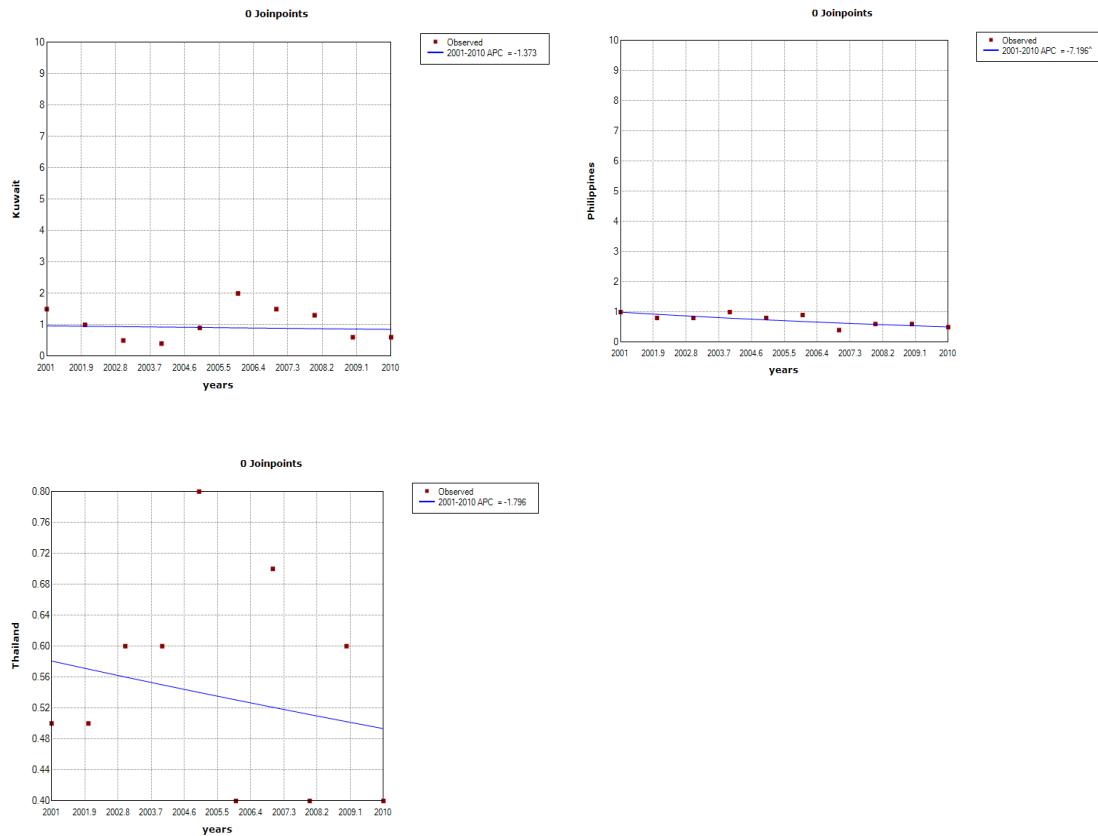
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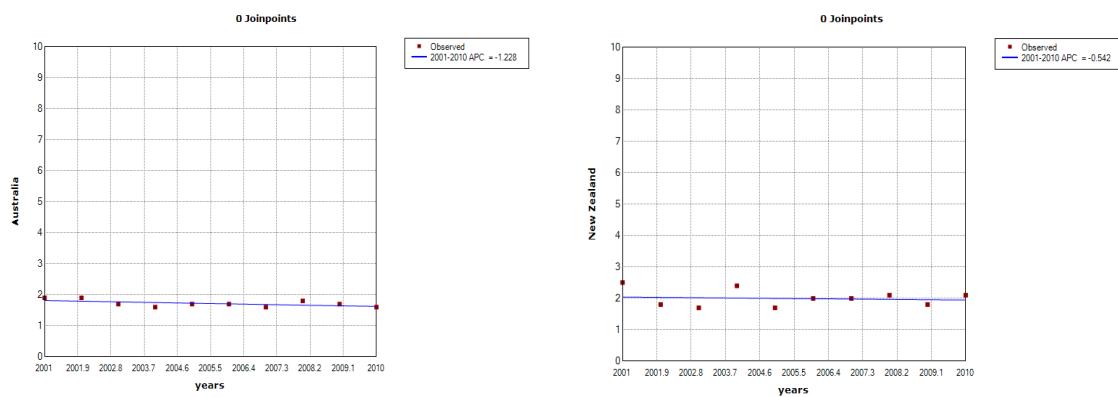
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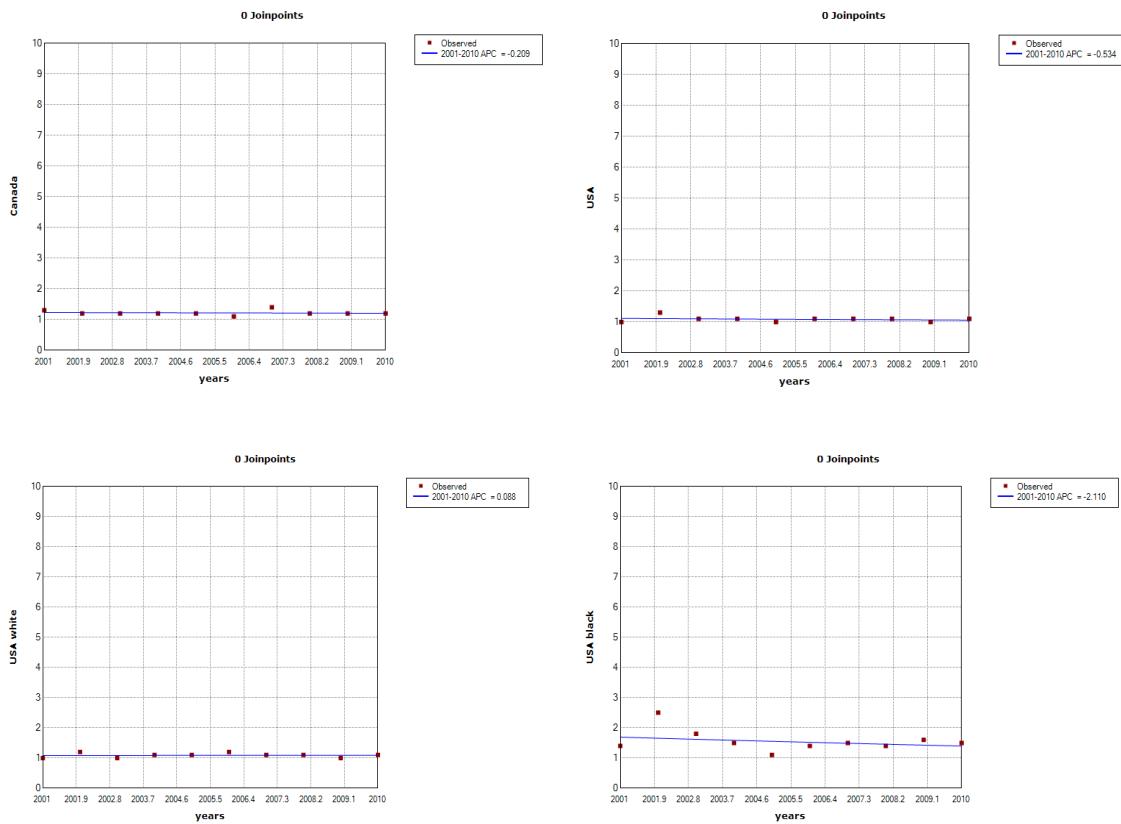




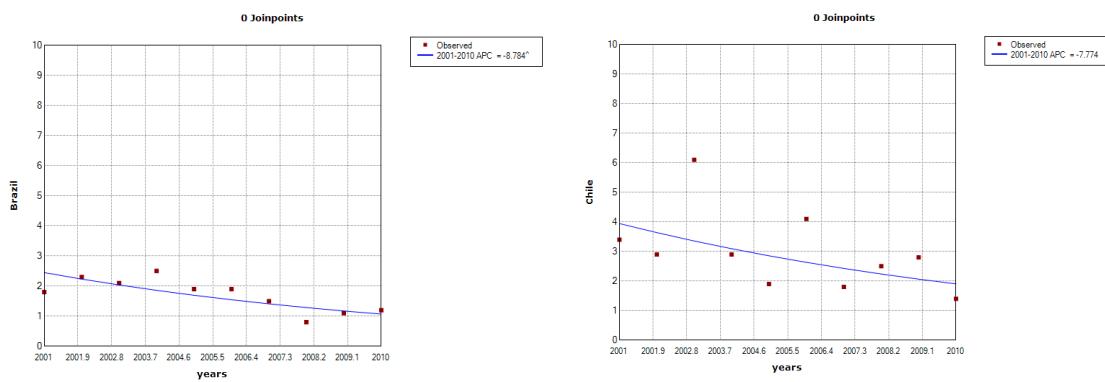
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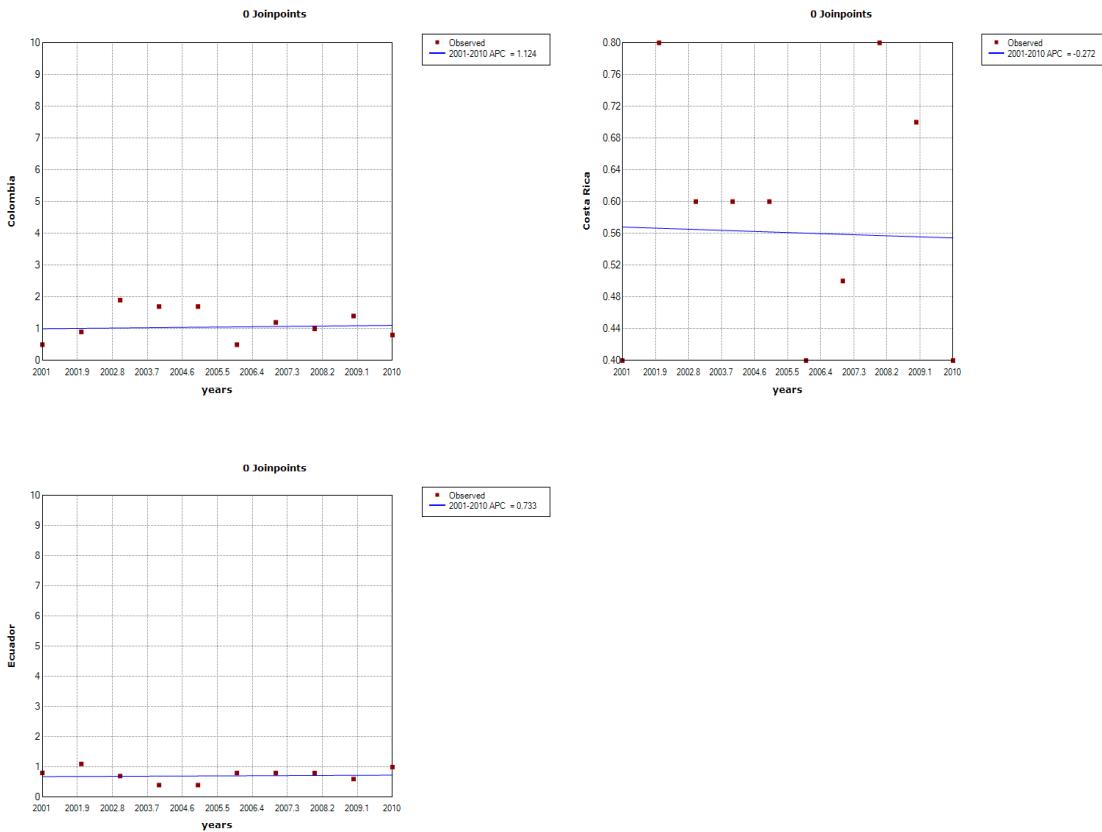


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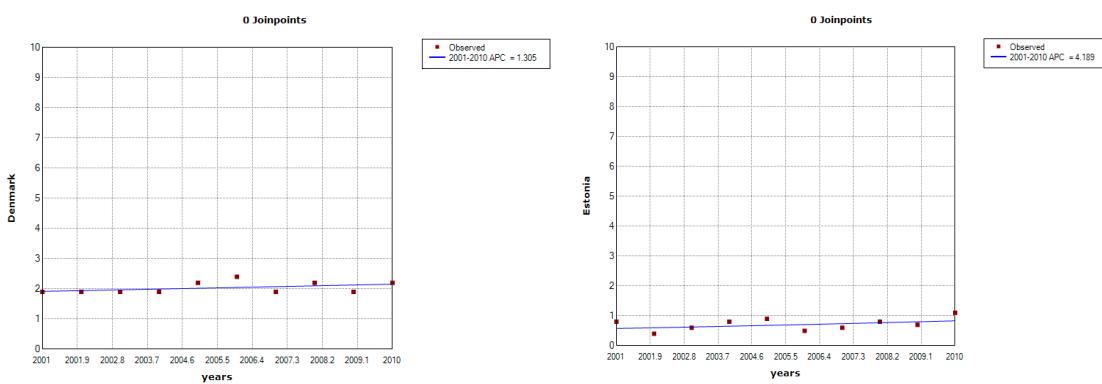


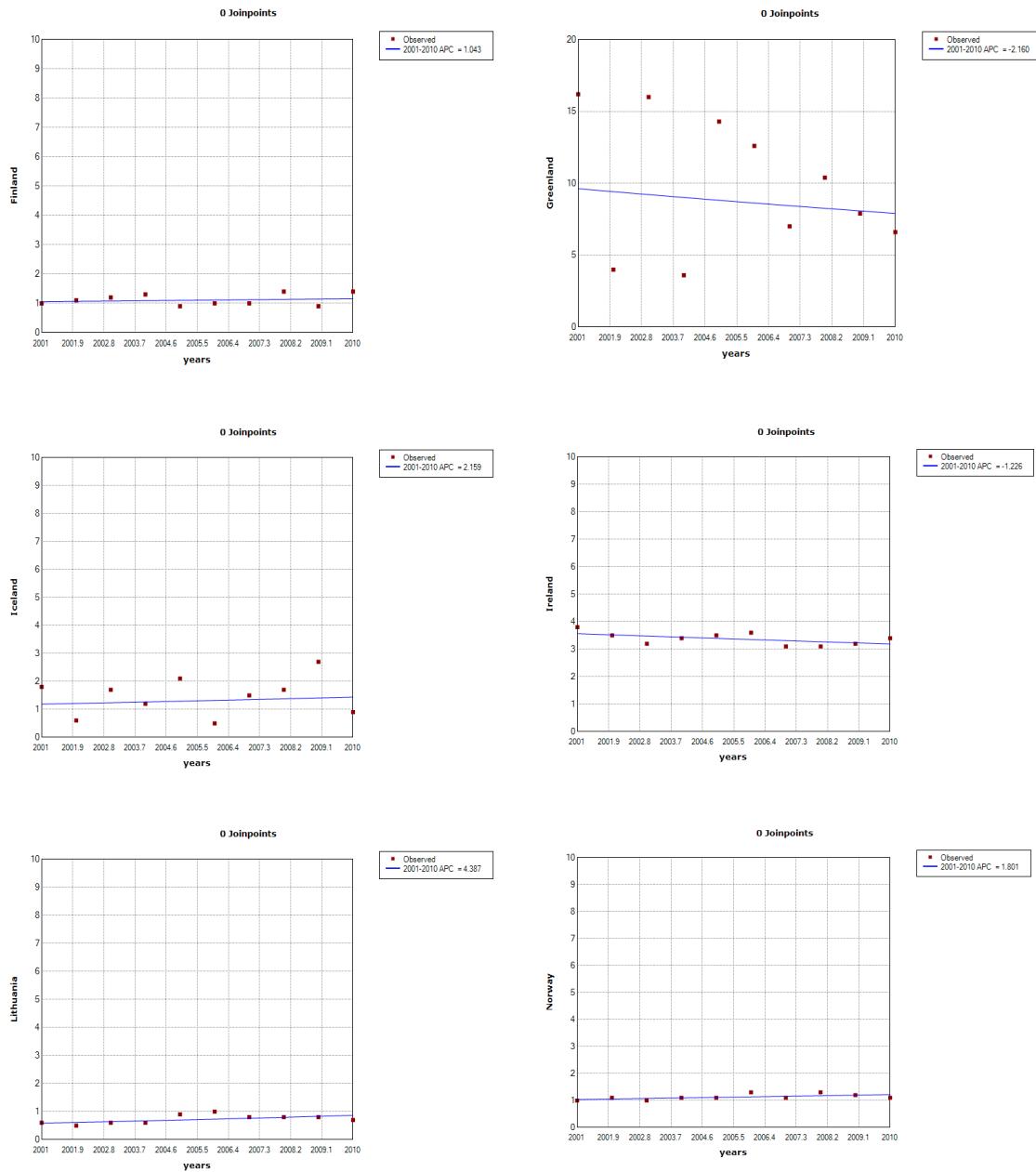
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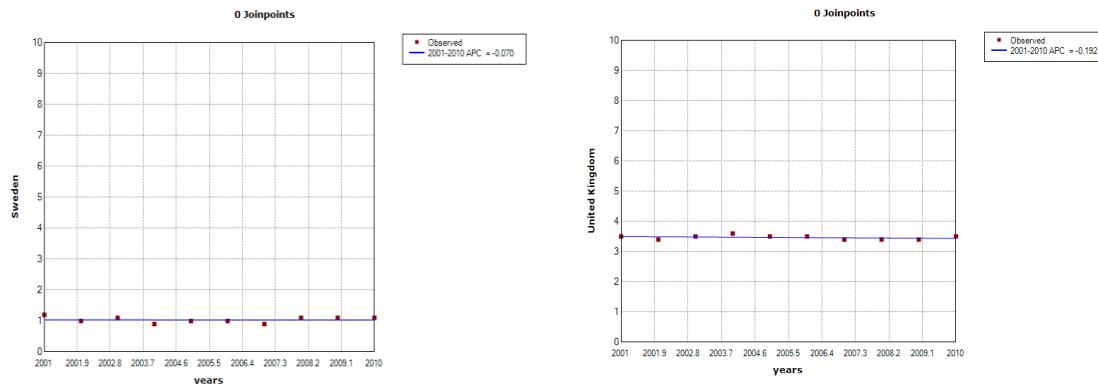




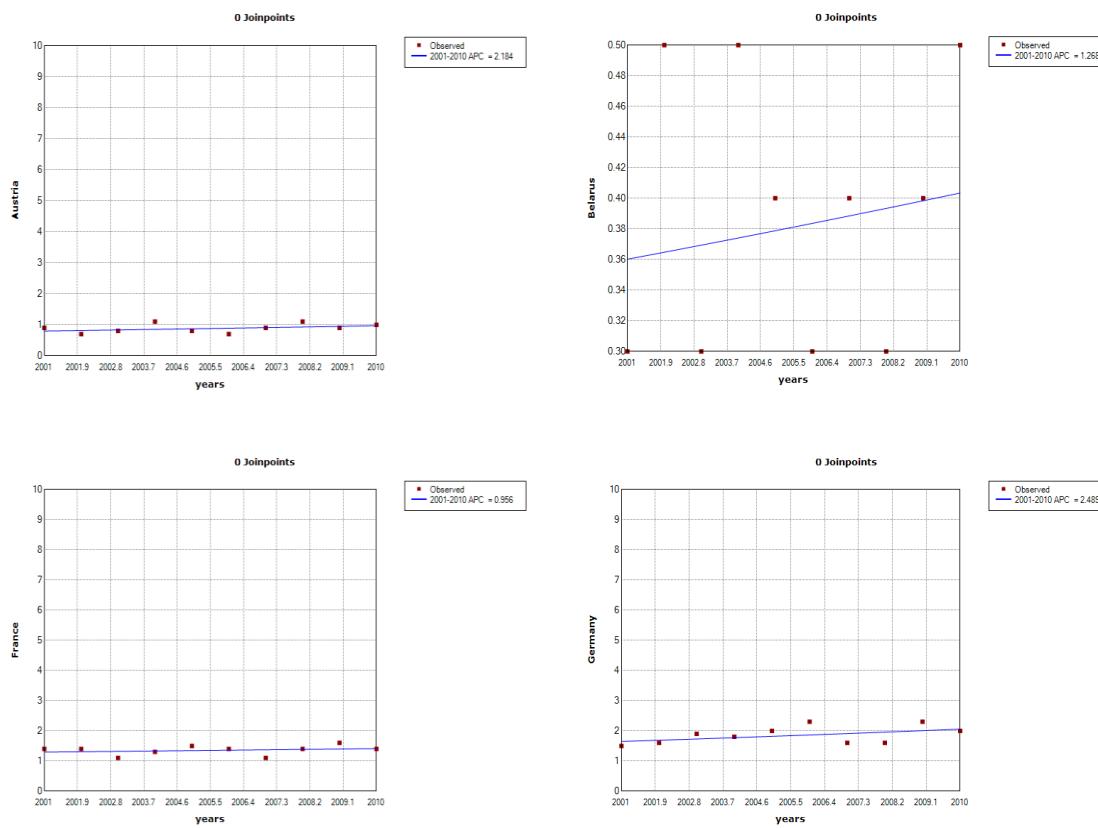
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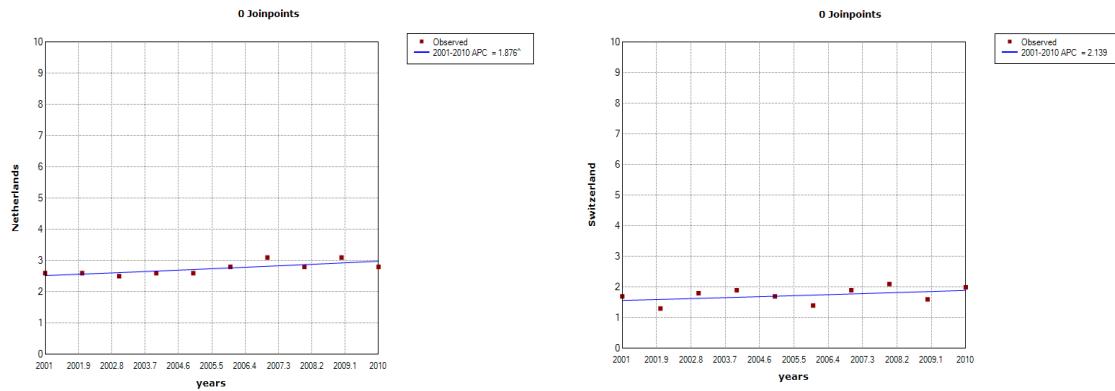




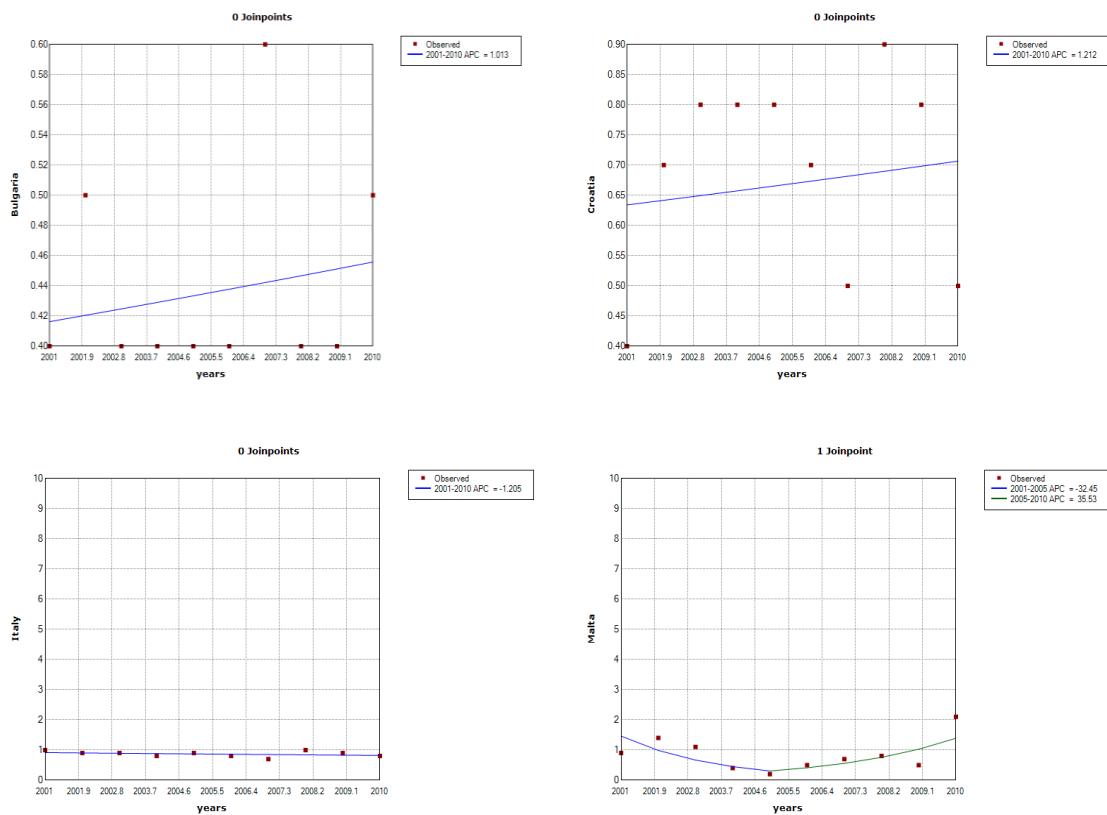


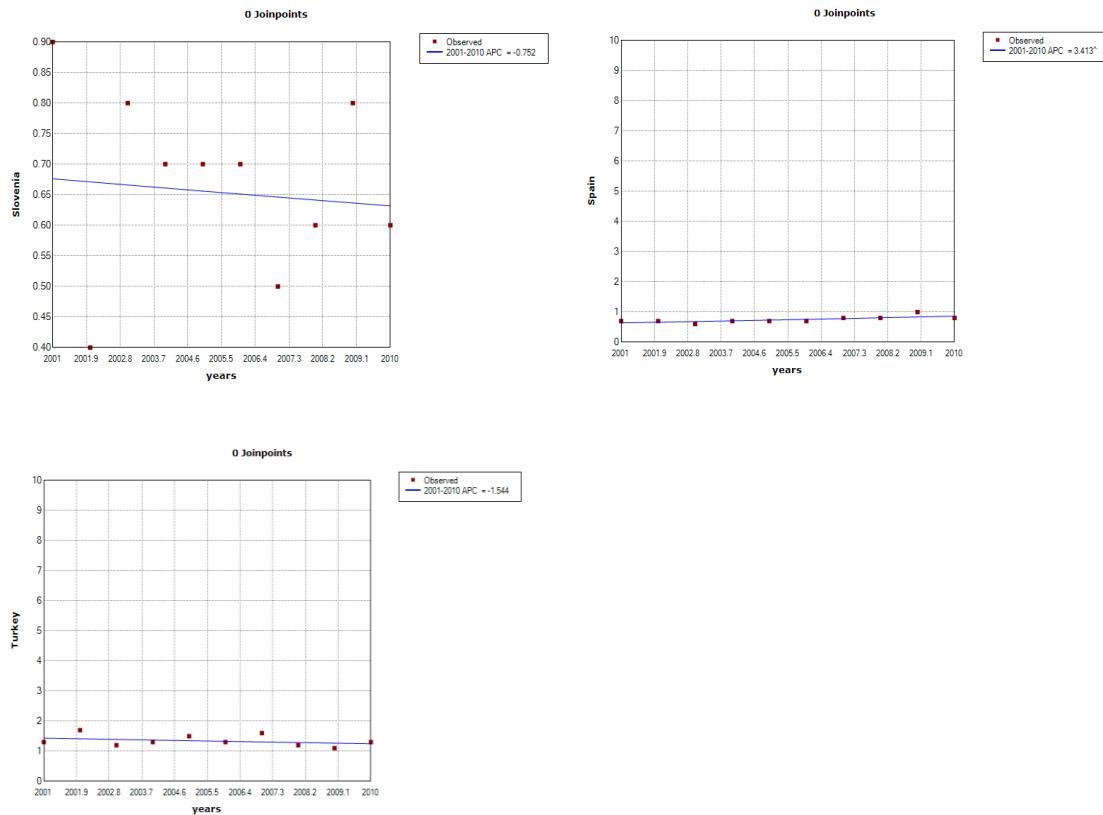
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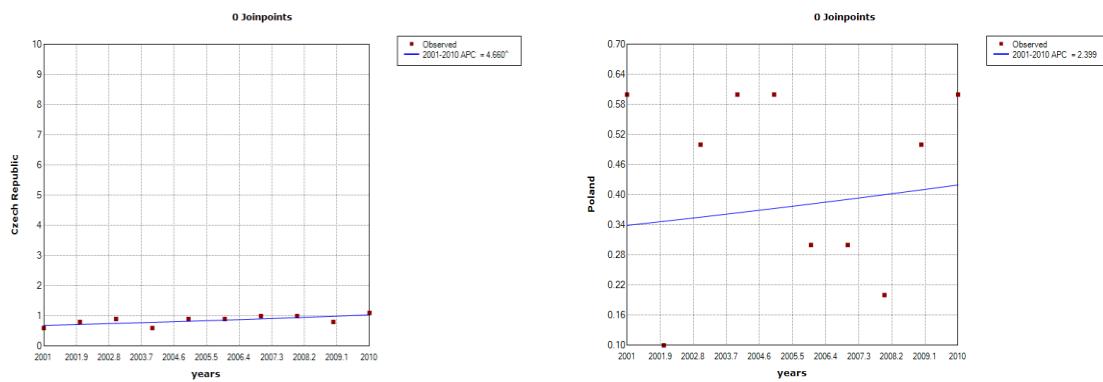


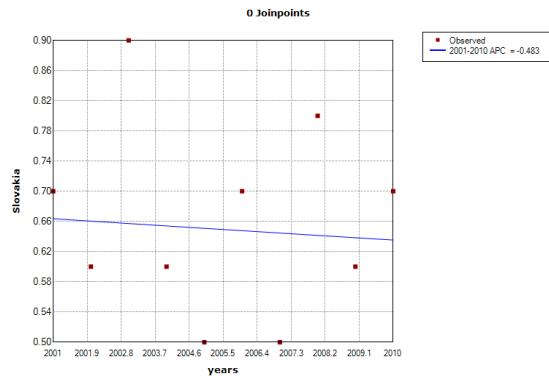
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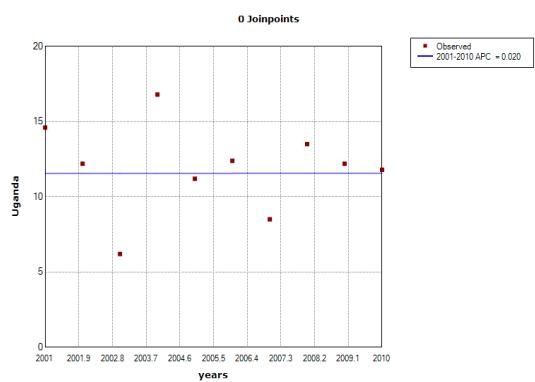


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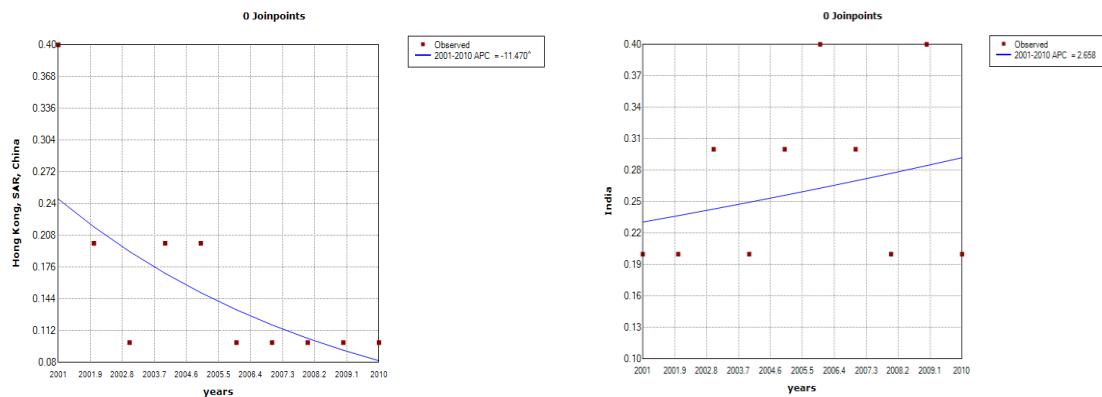


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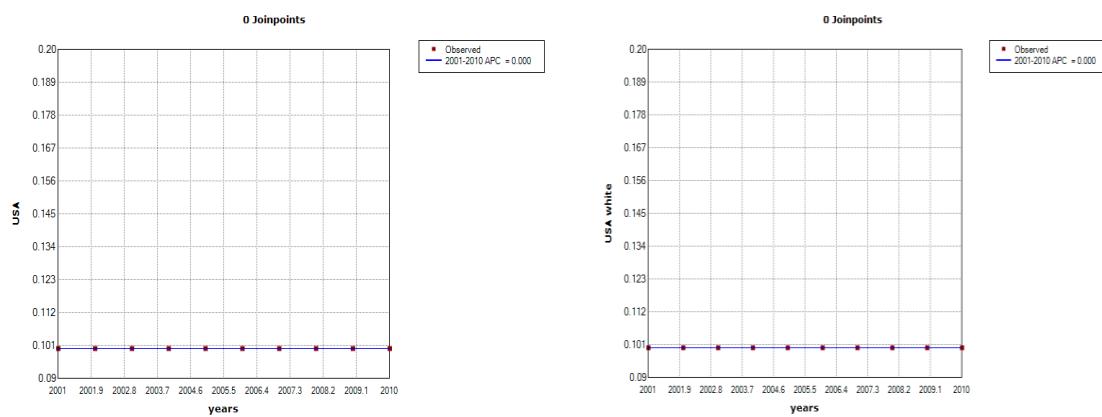


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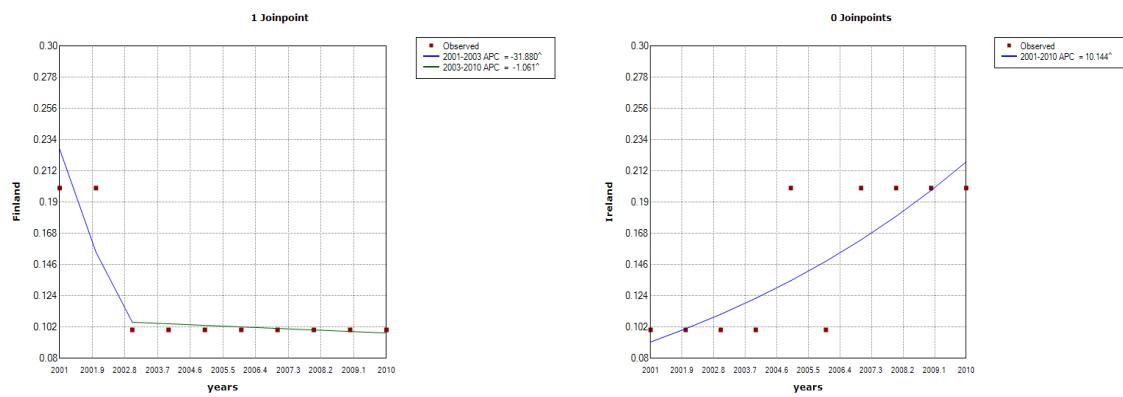
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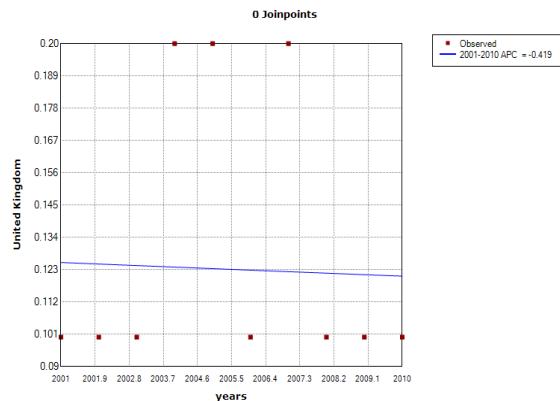


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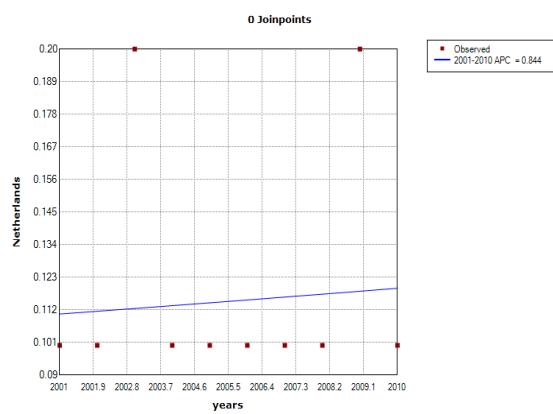
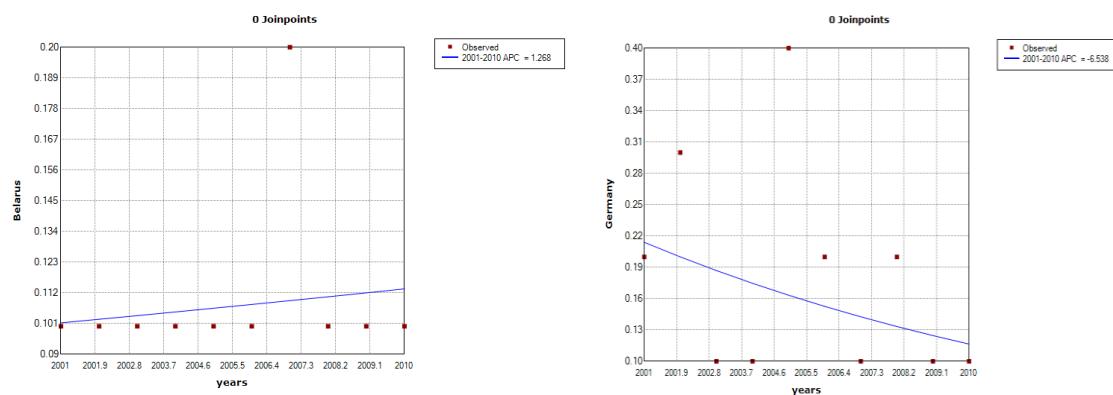


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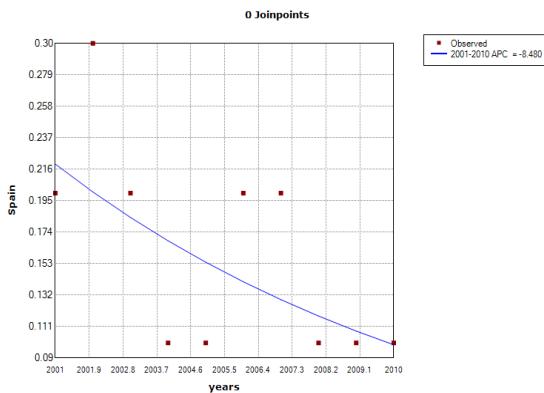




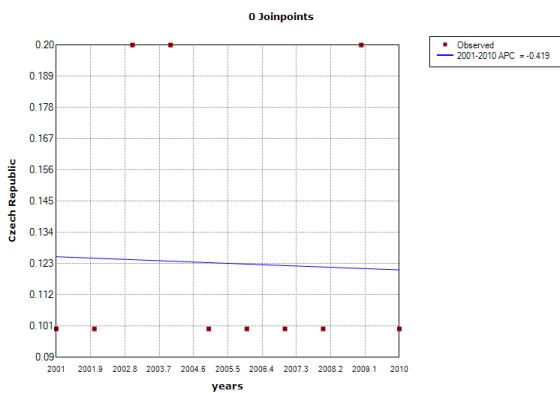
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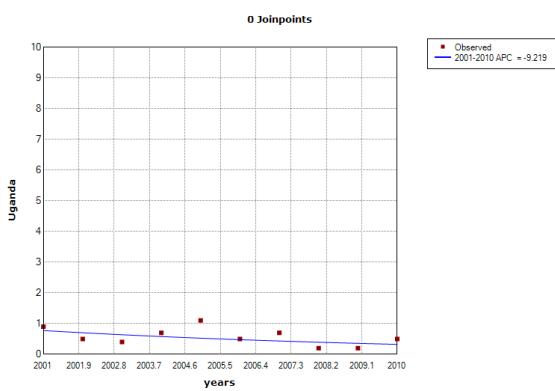
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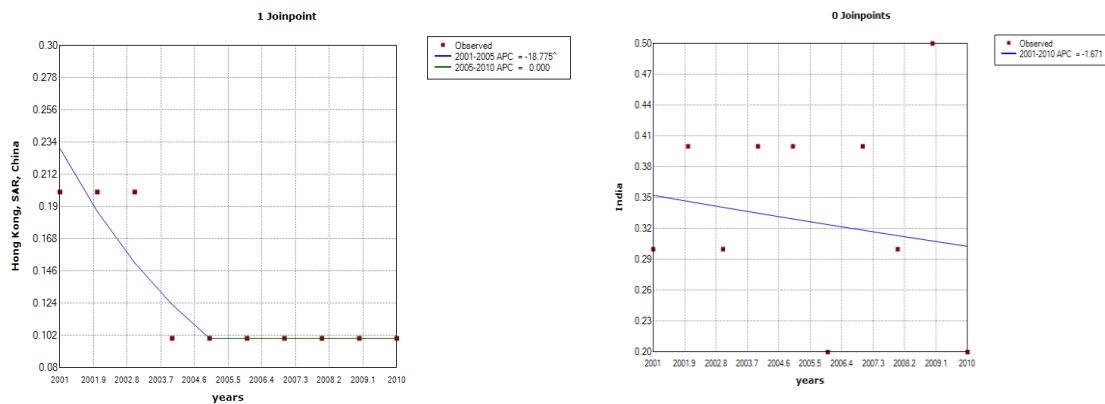
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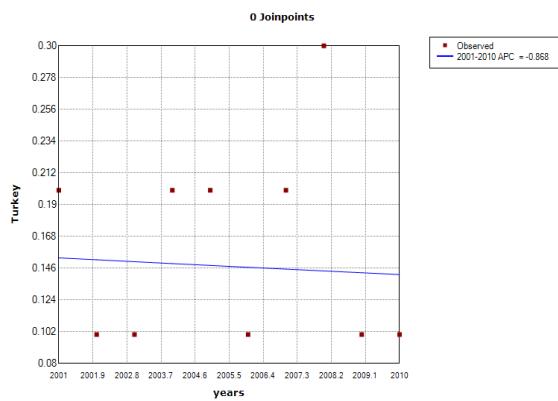


d.) Incidence female aged below 40 years old

## Asia

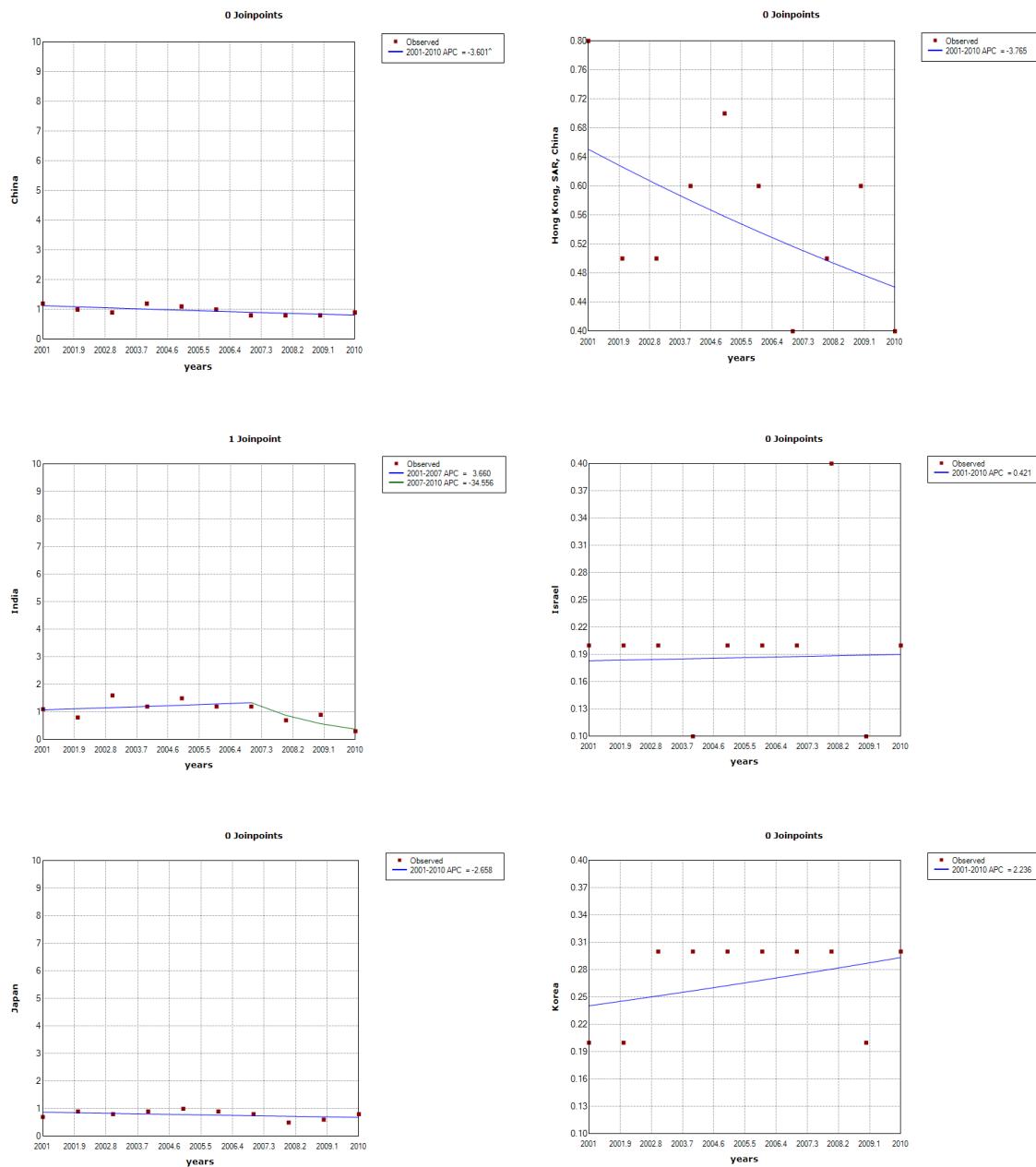


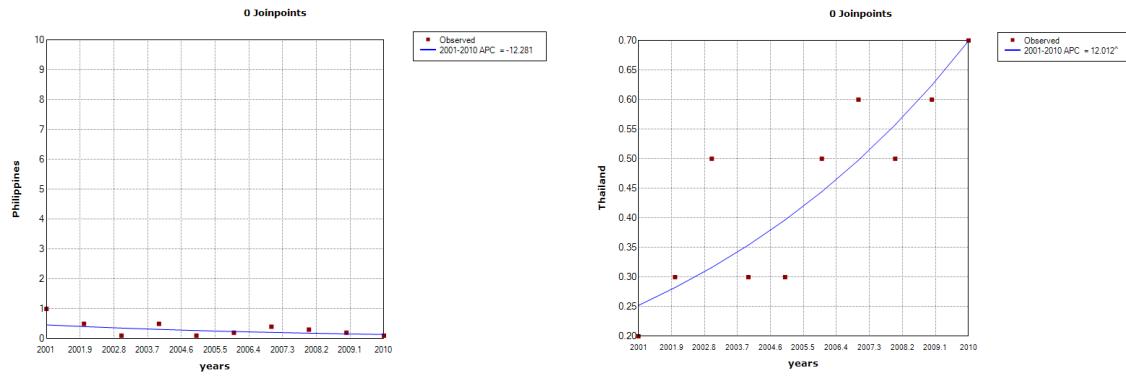
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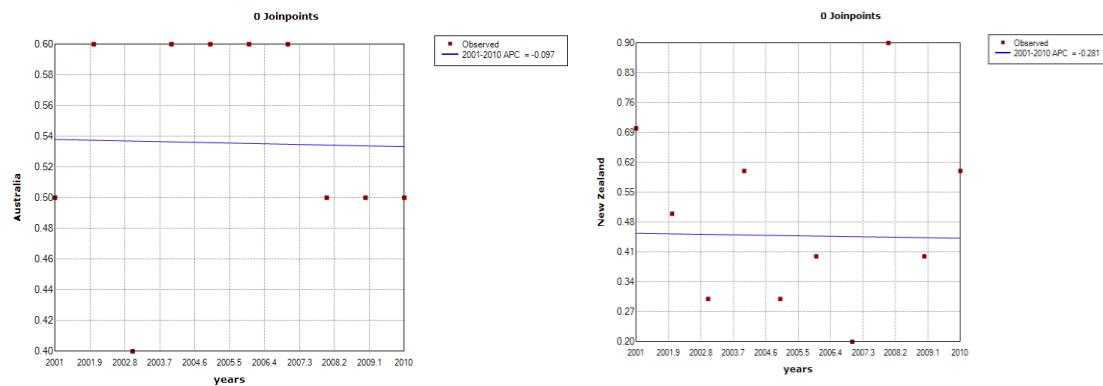
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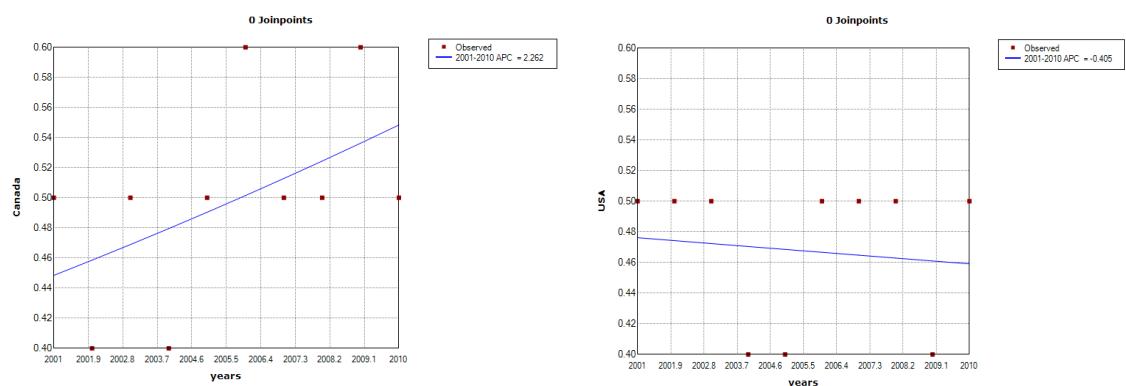


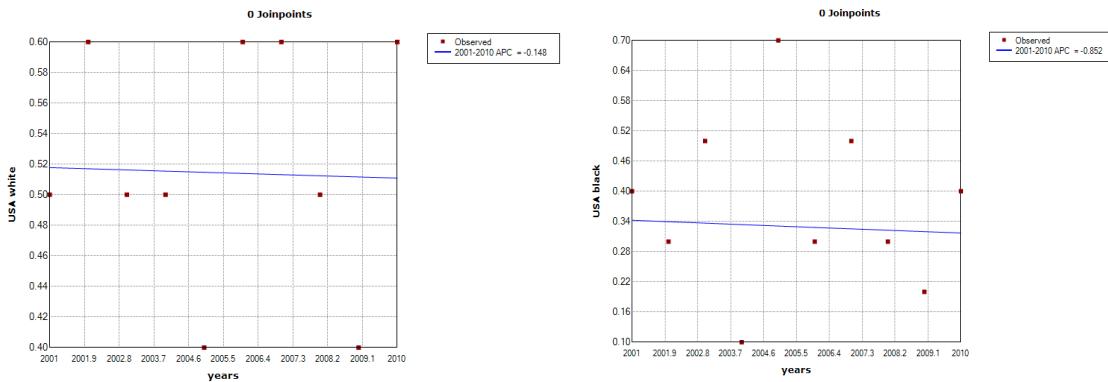


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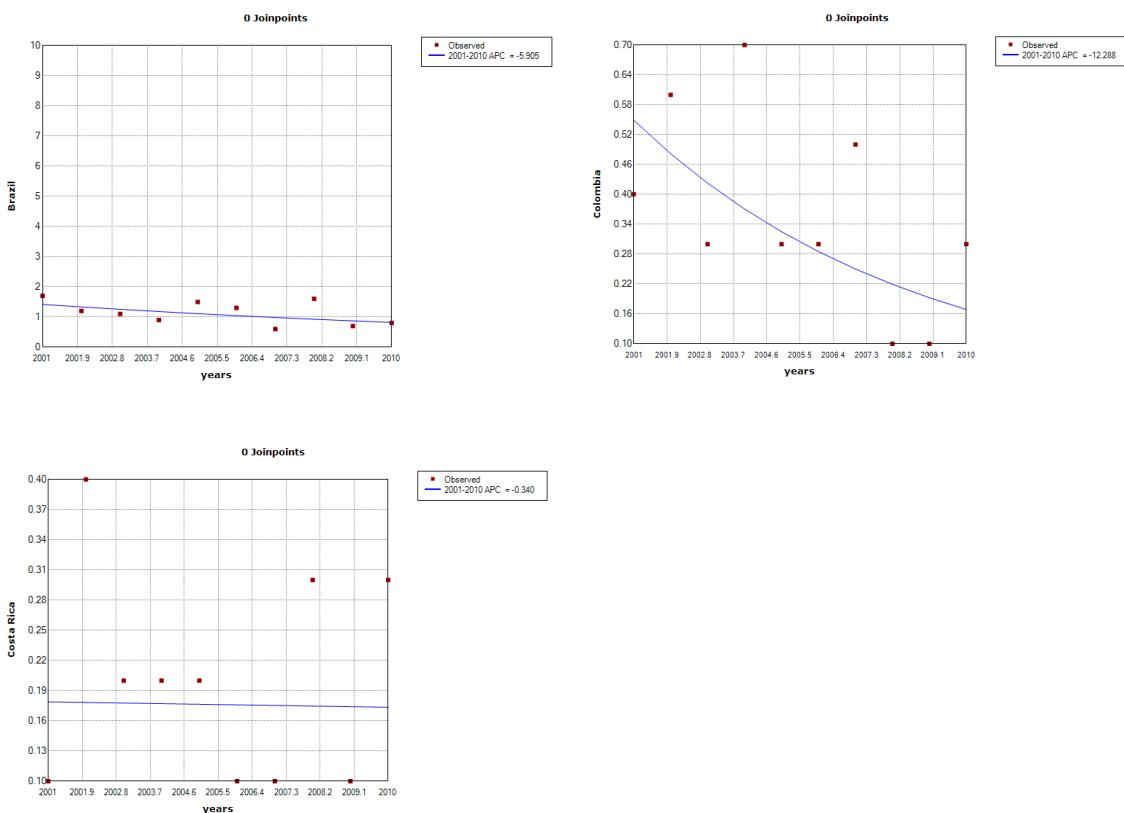


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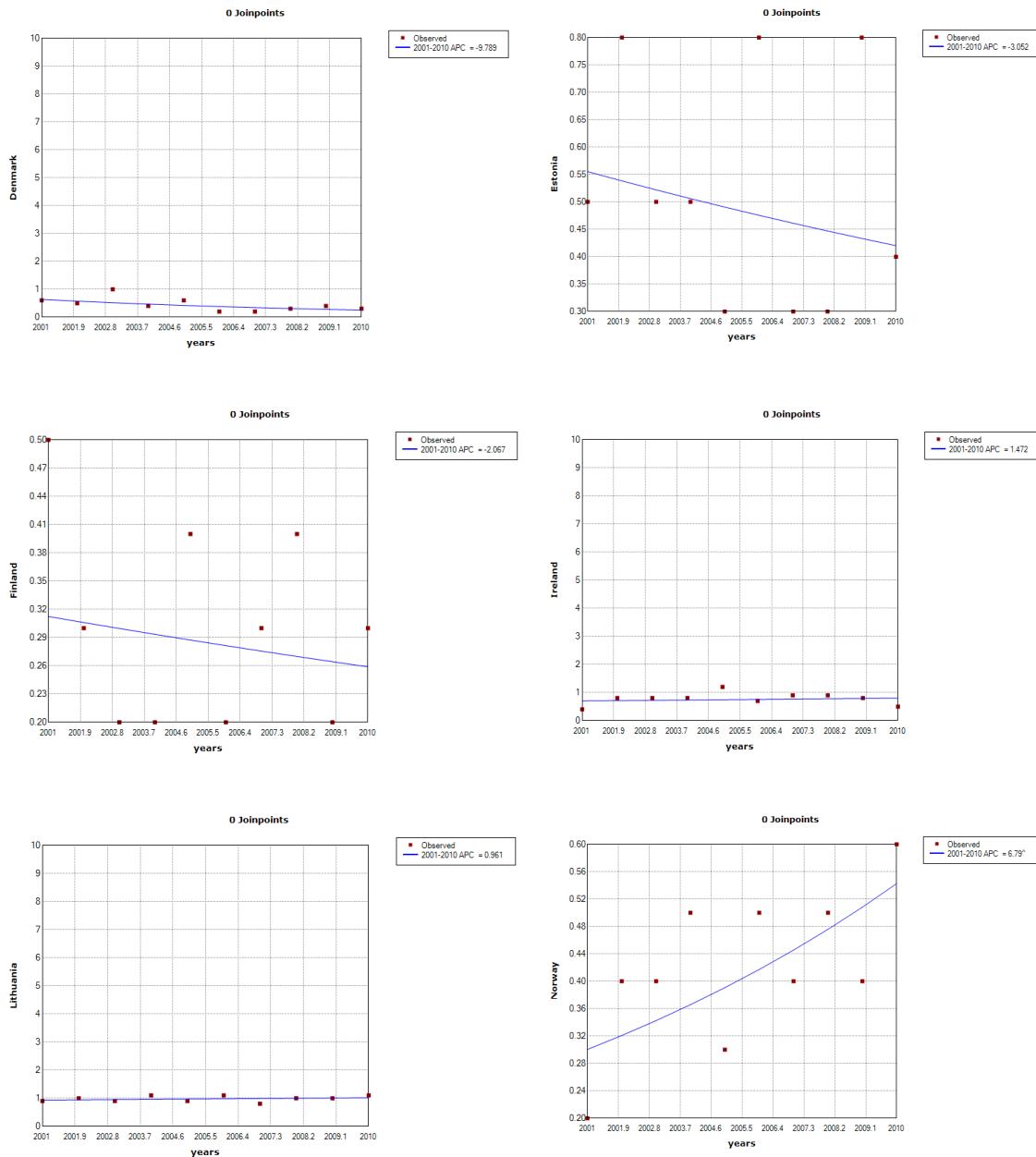


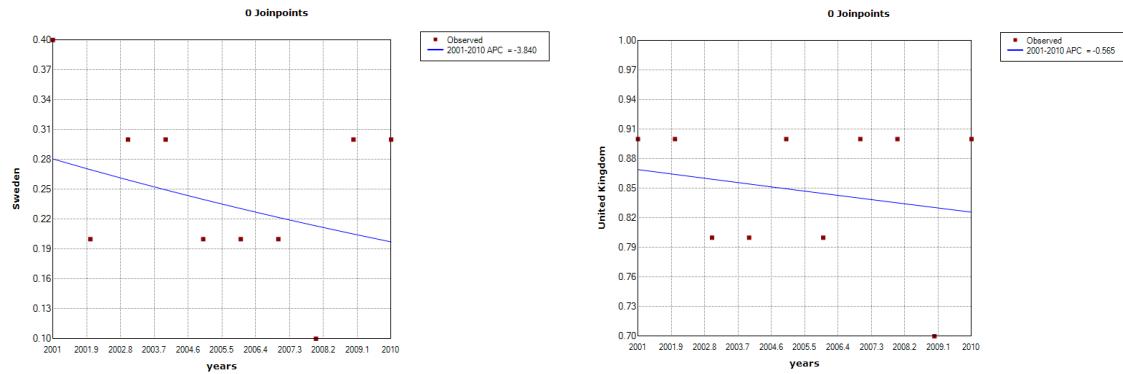


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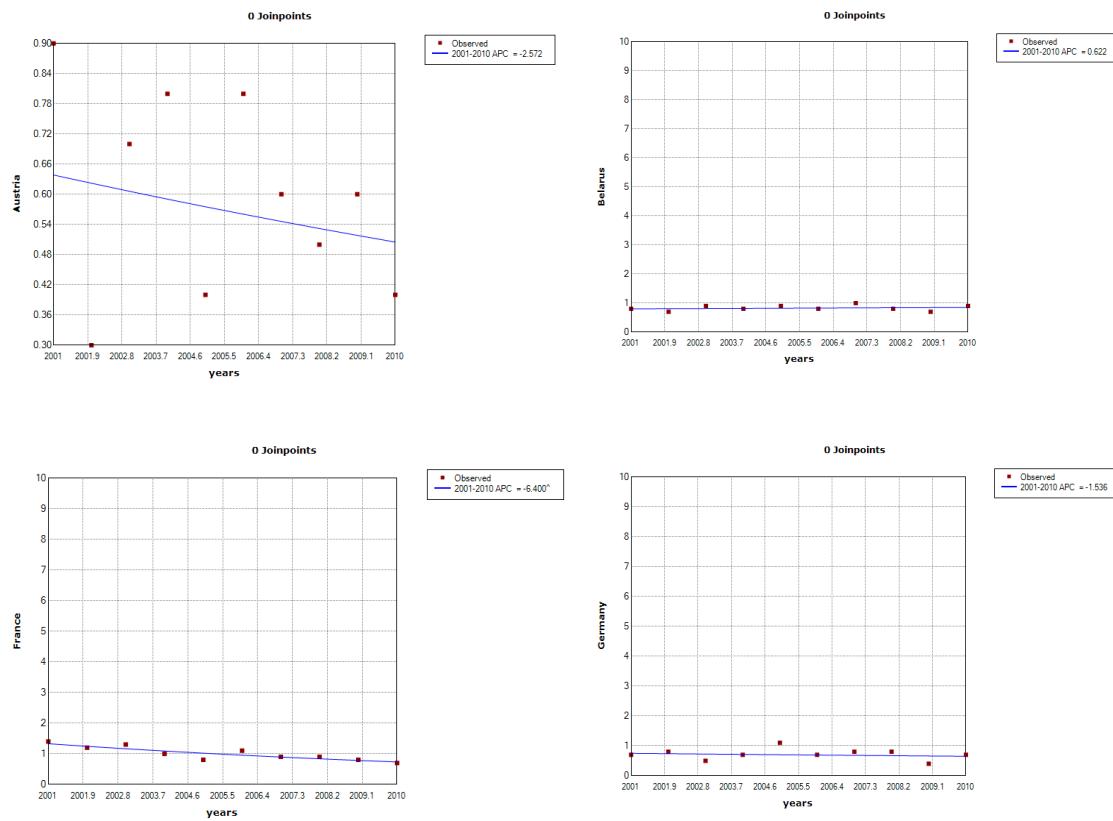


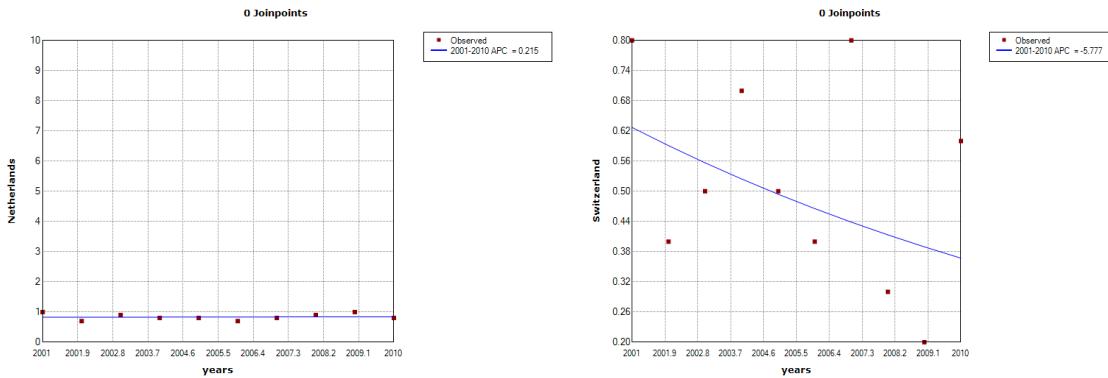
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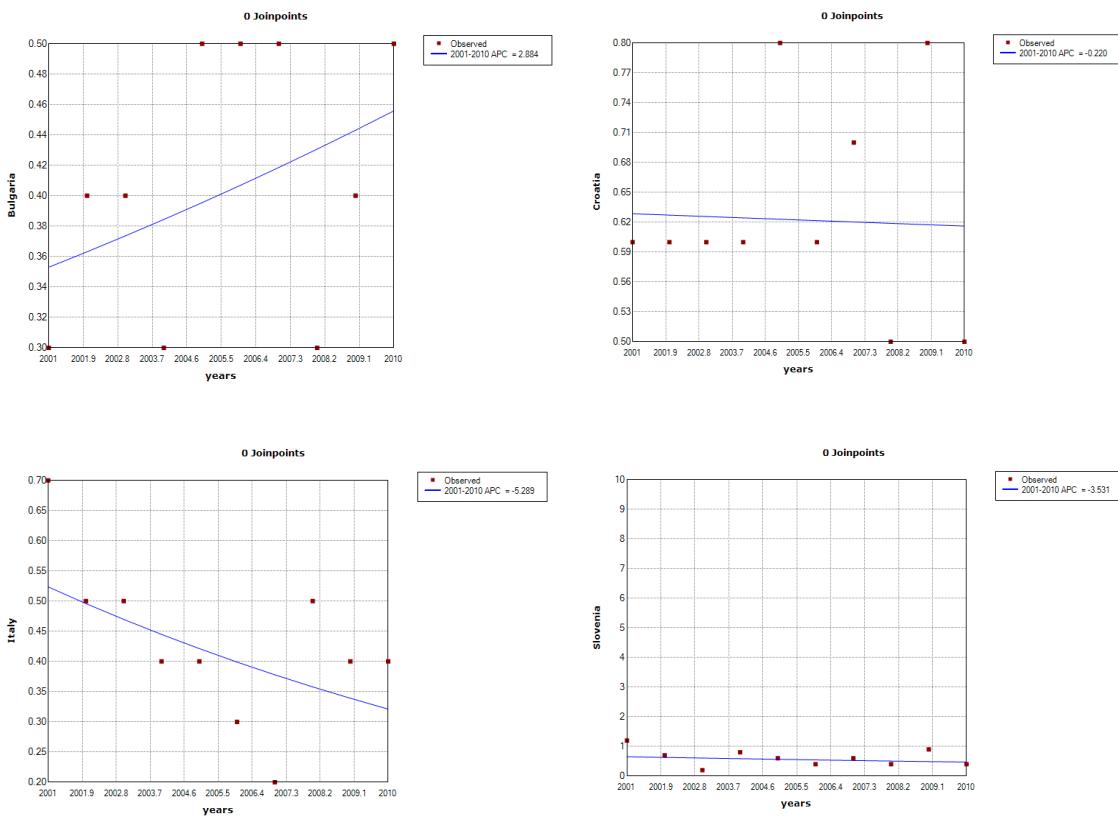


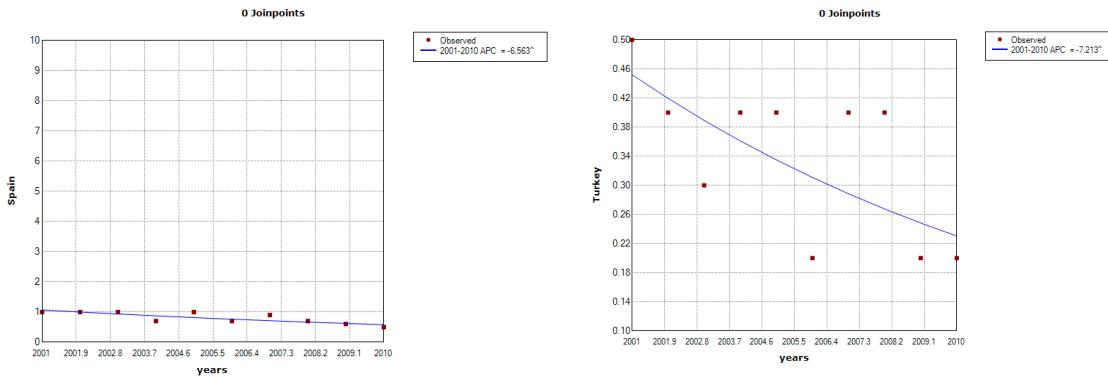
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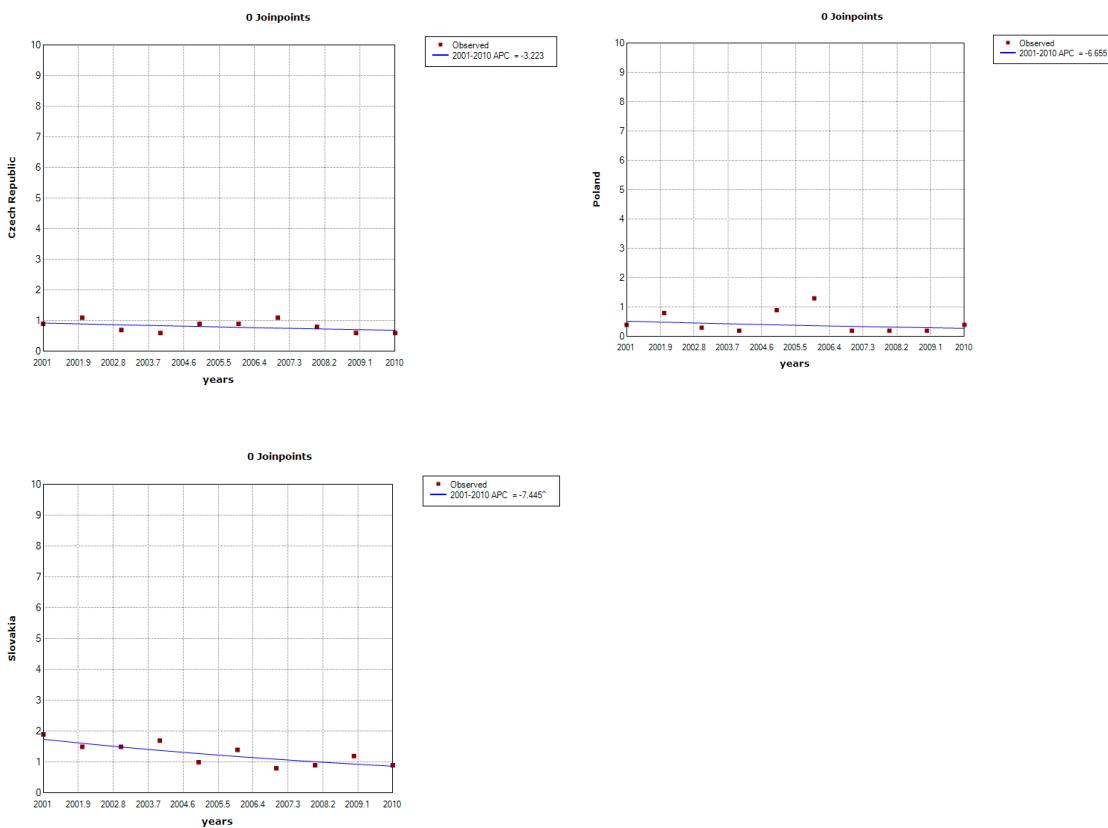


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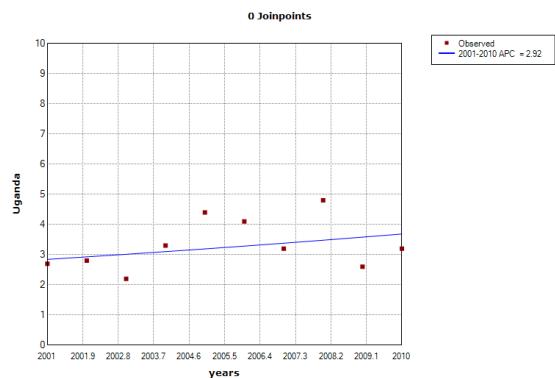




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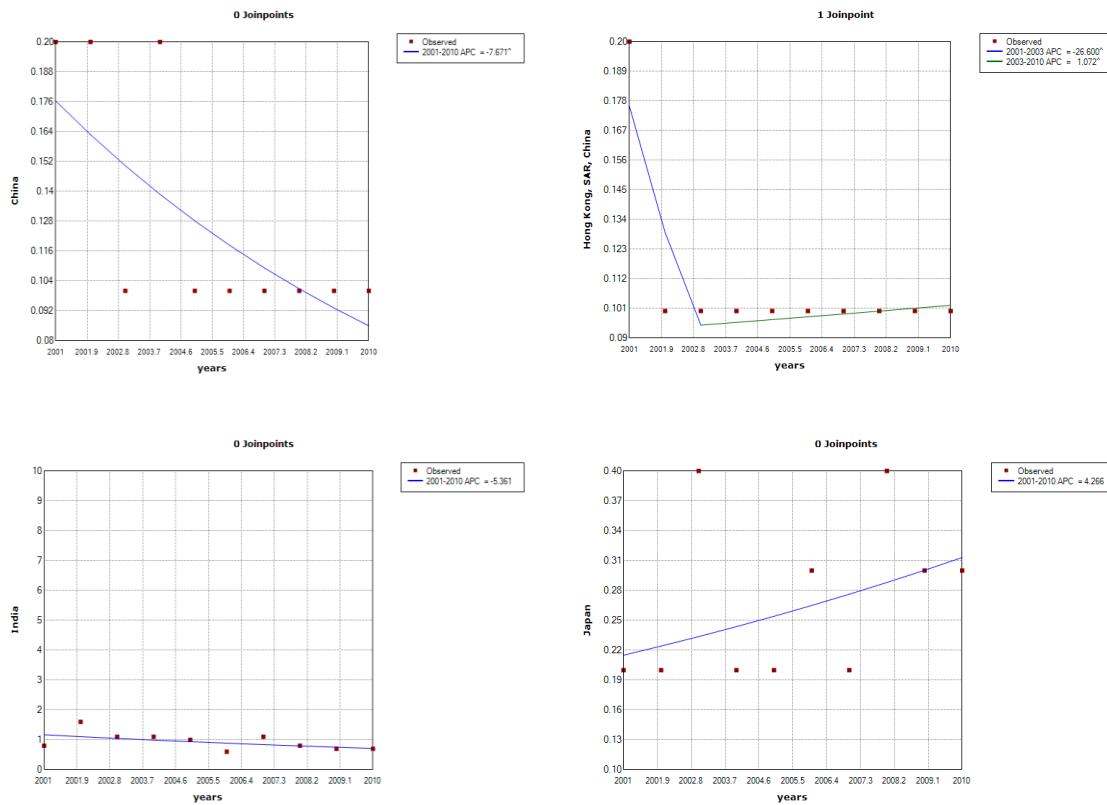


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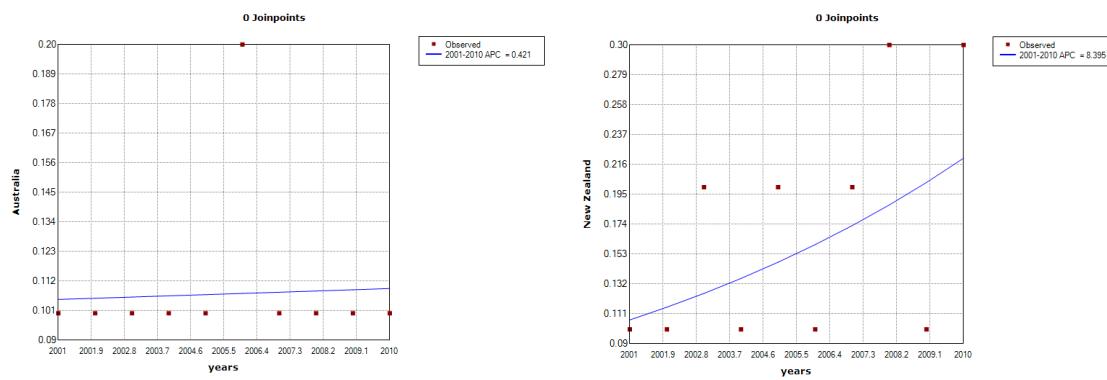


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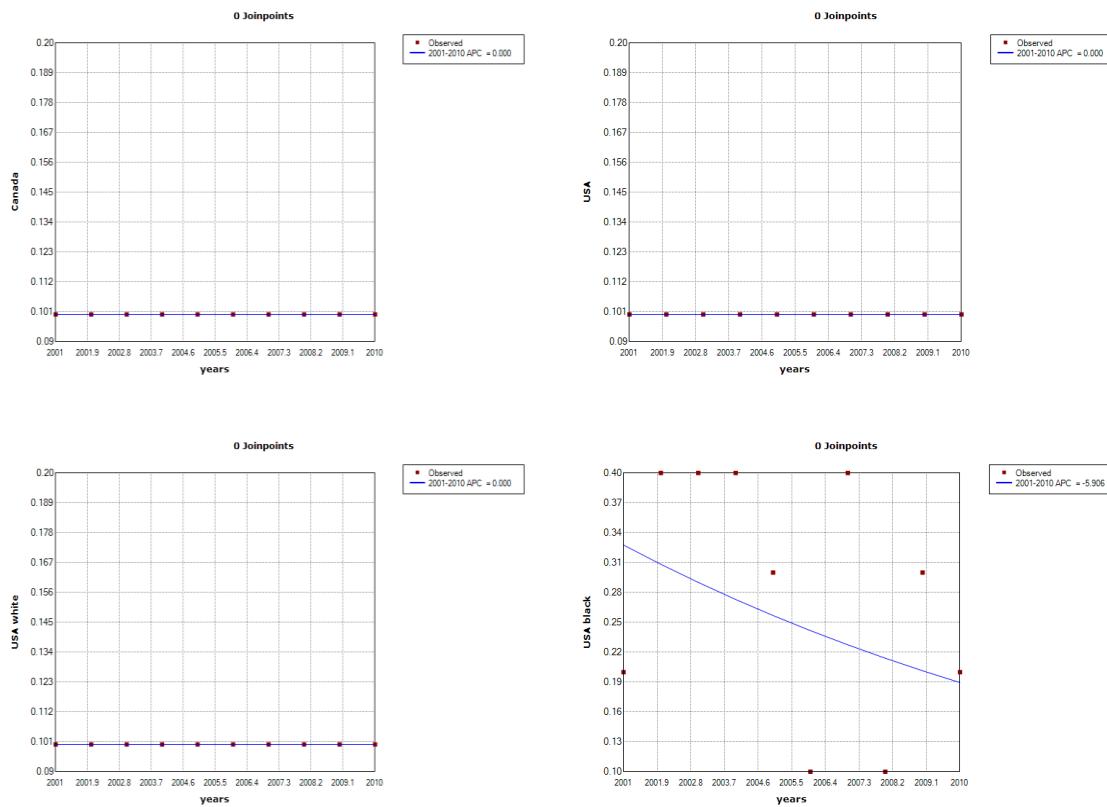
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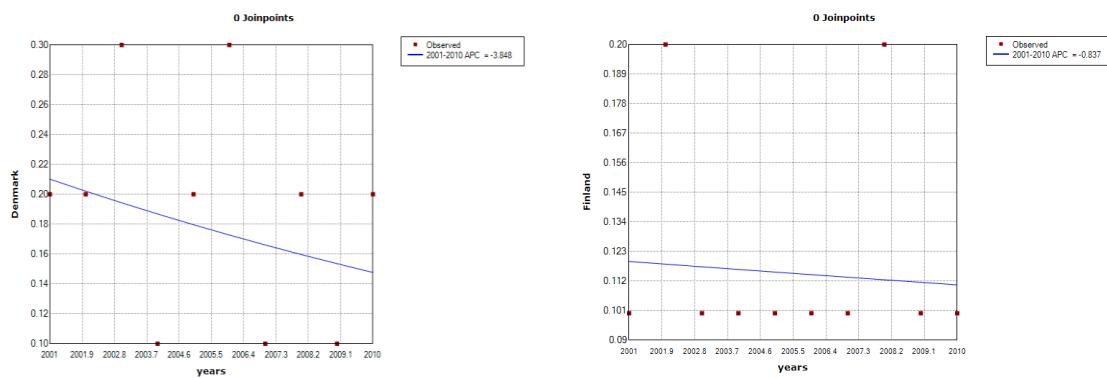
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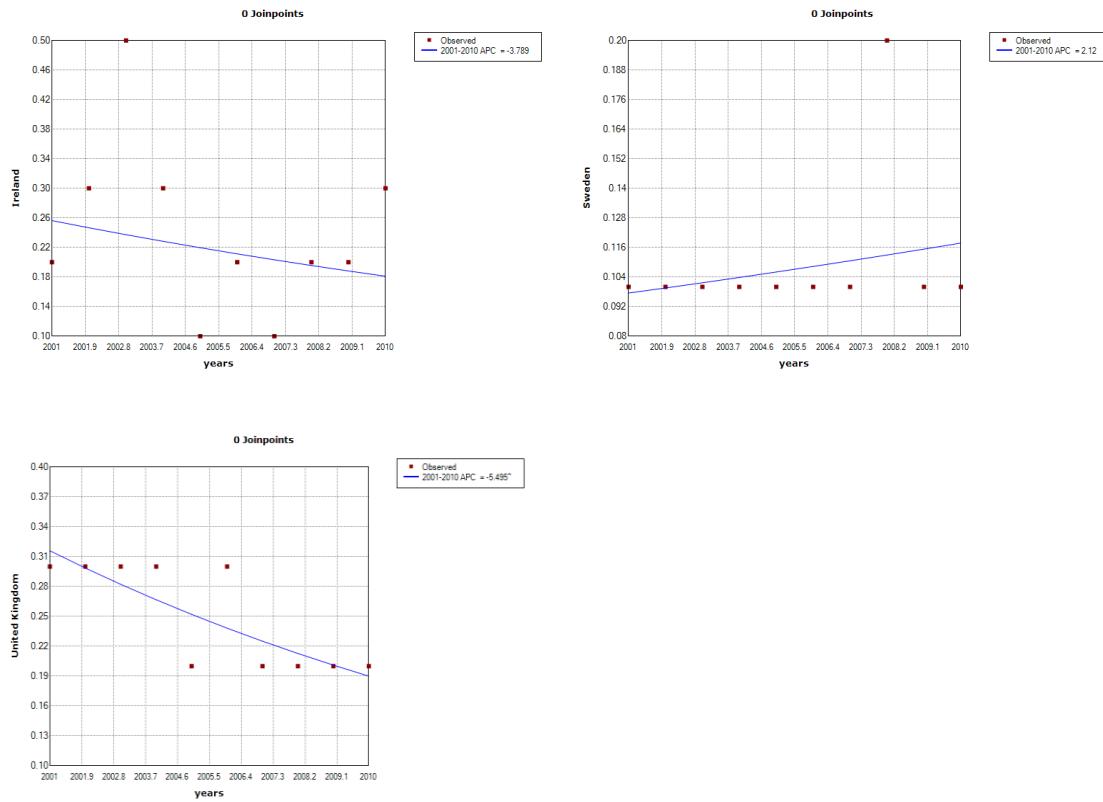


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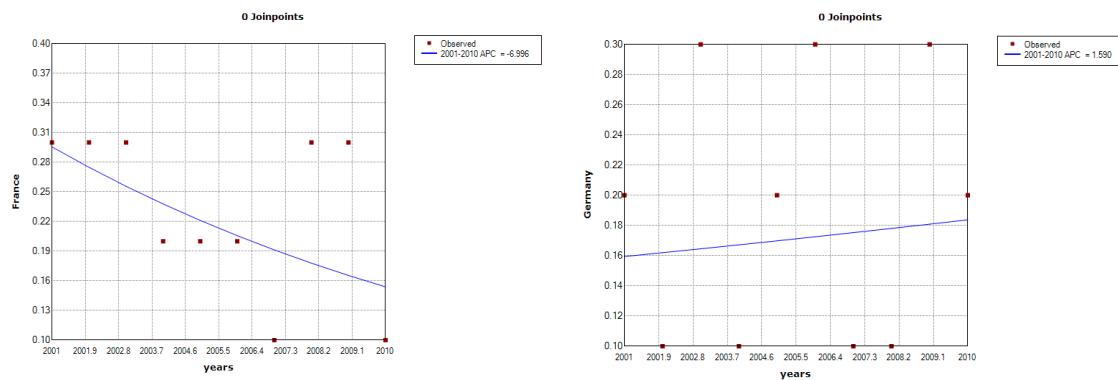


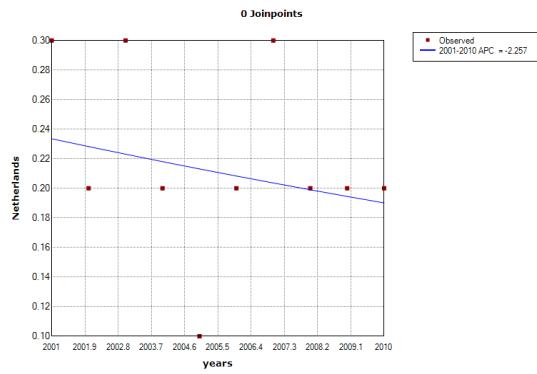
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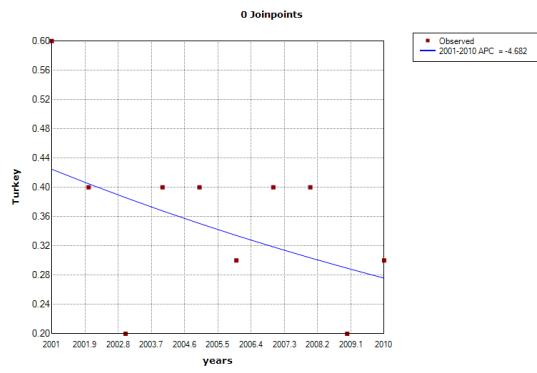
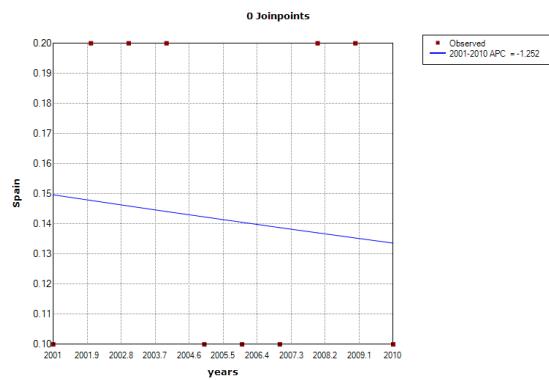
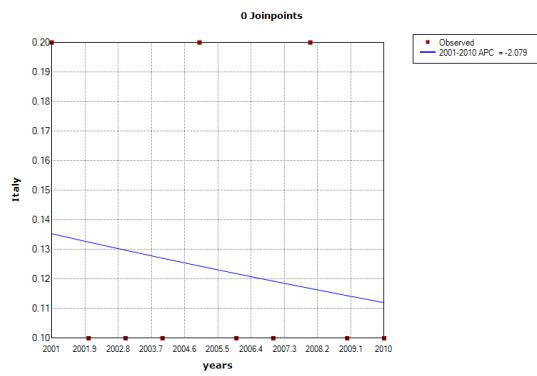


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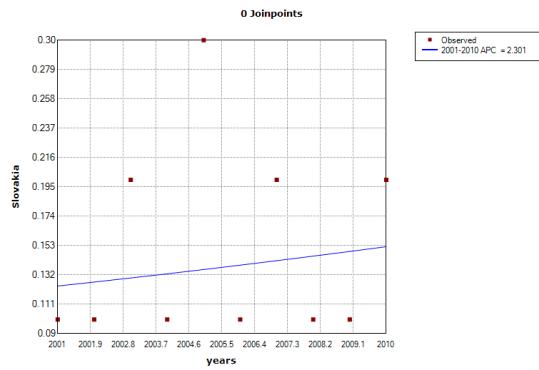




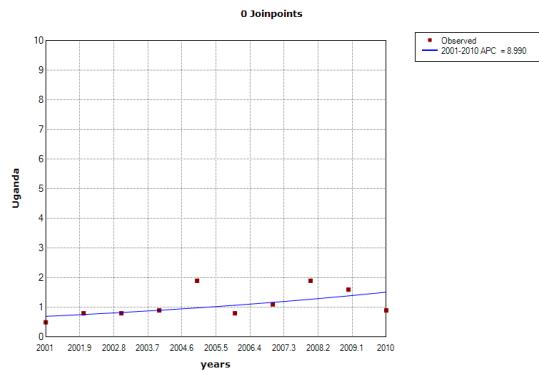
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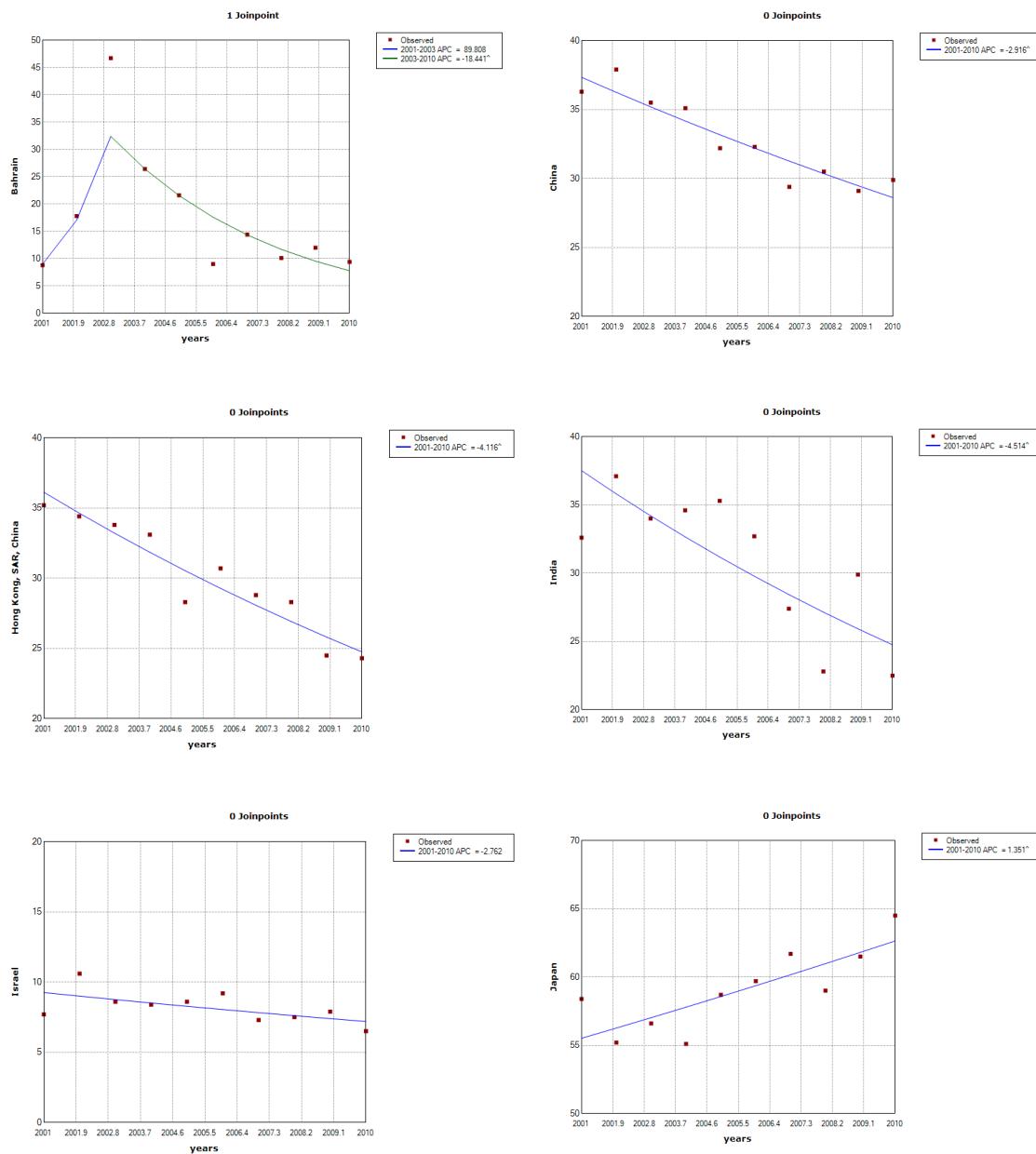


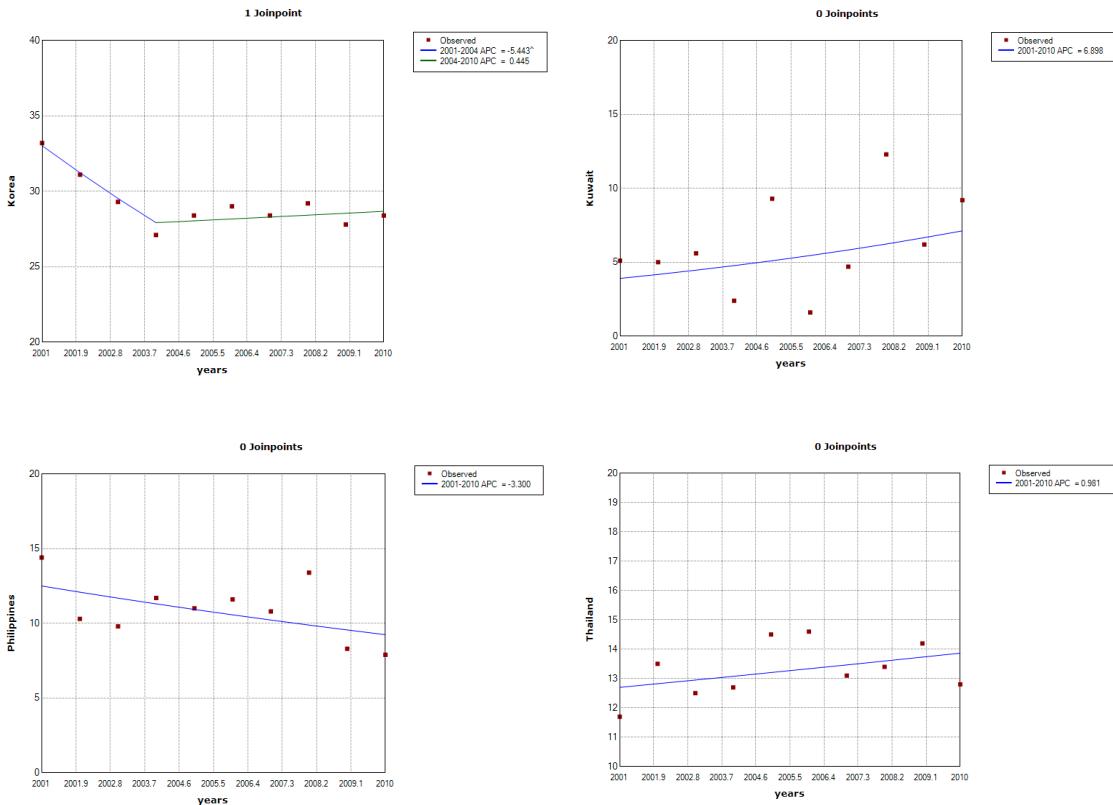
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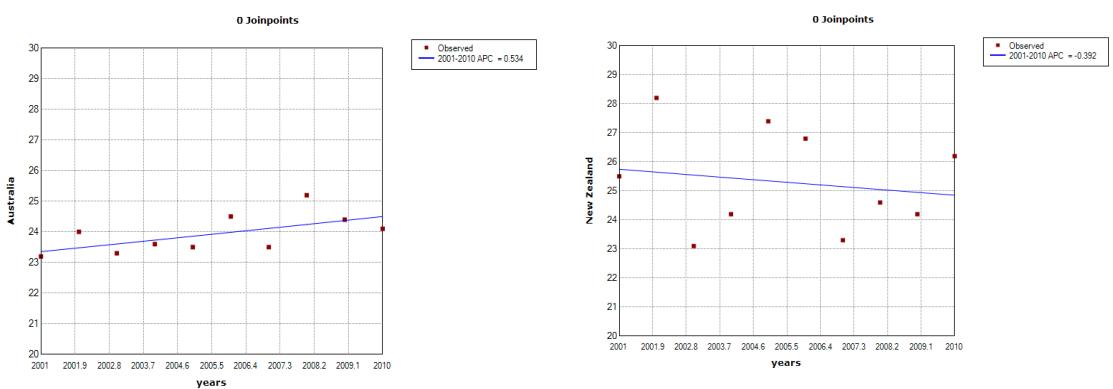
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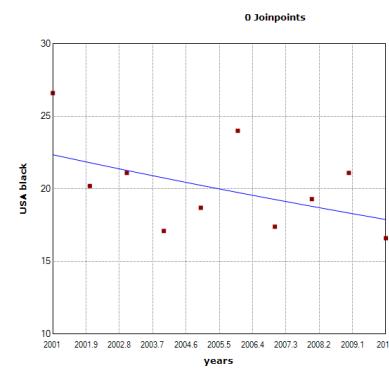
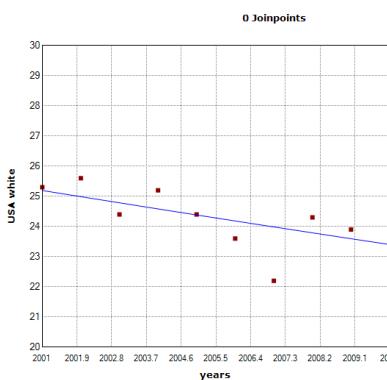
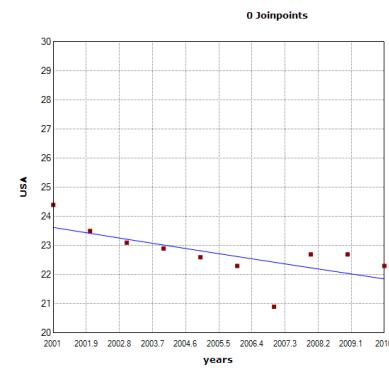
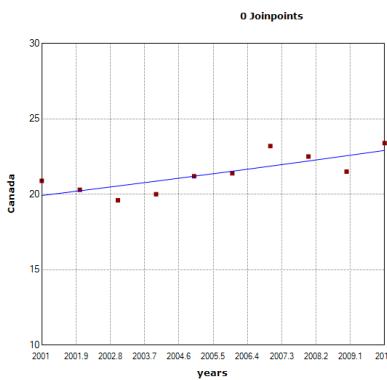




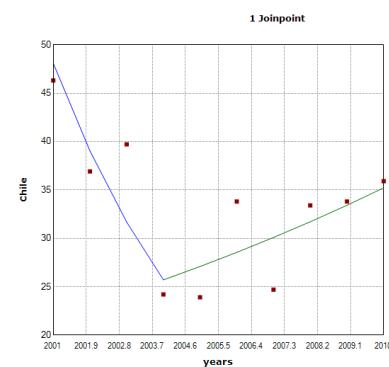
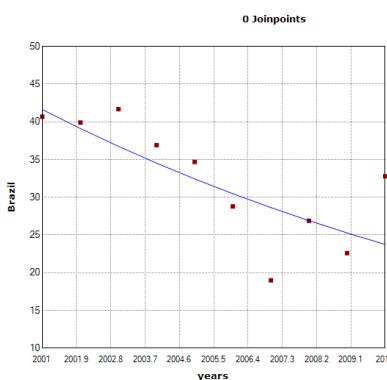
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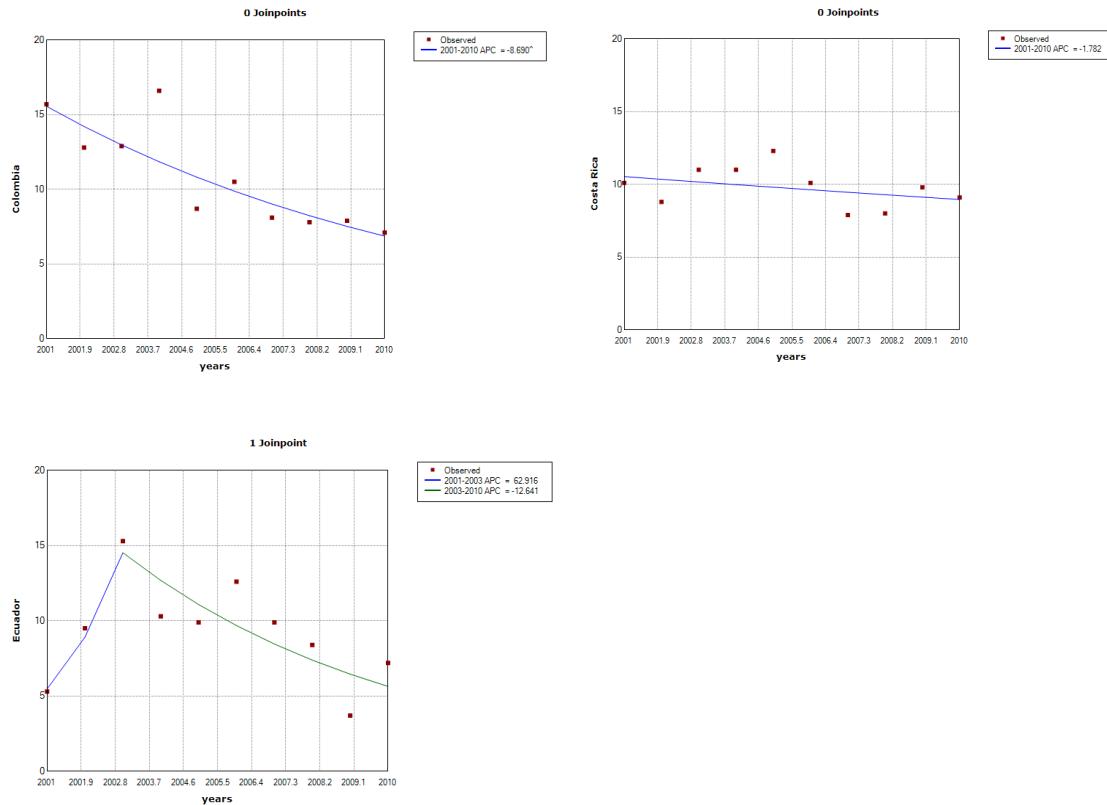


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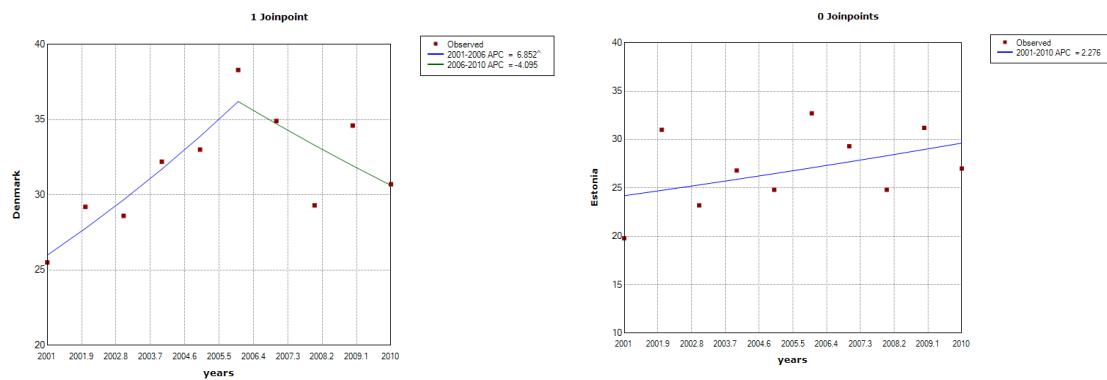


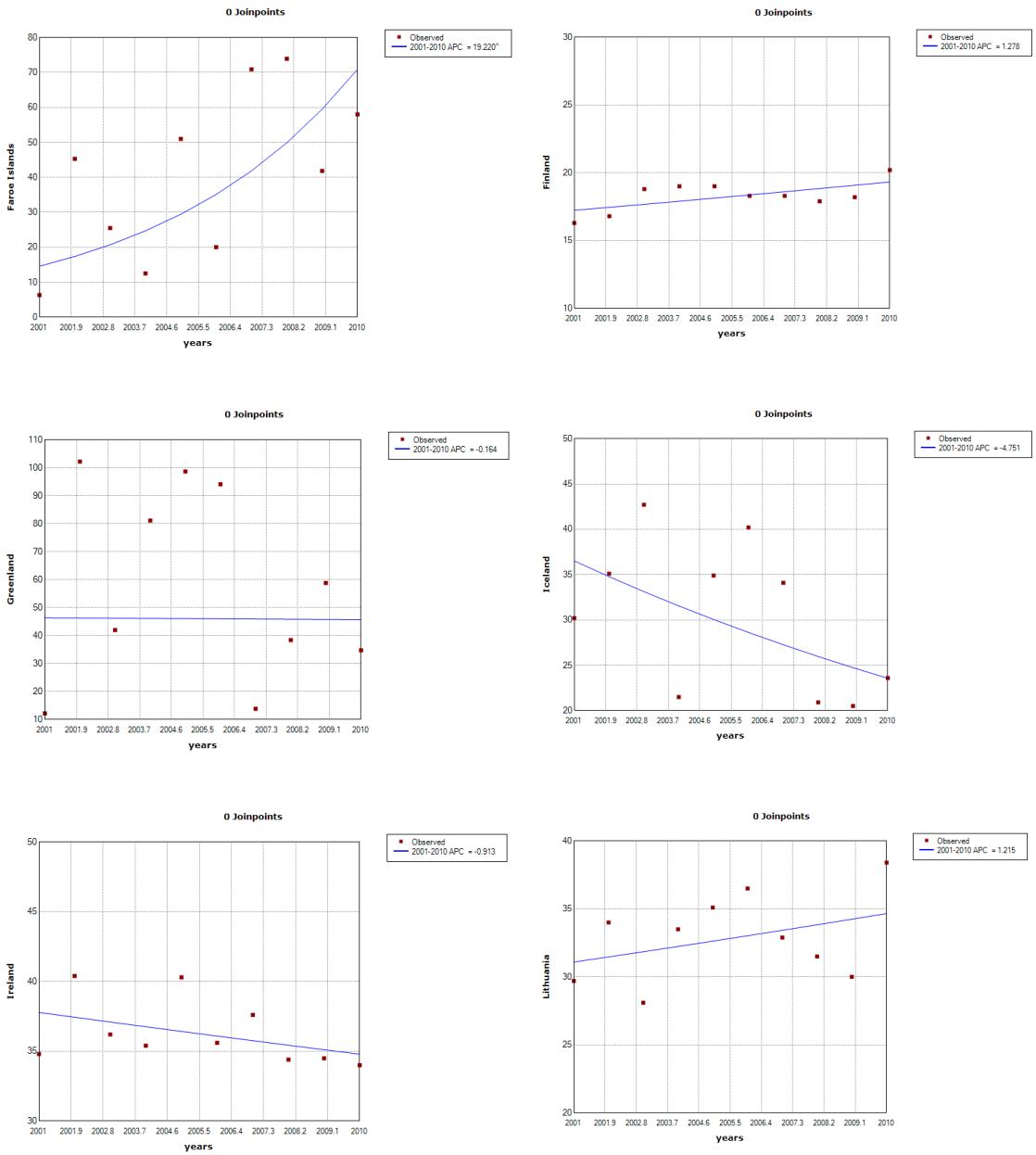
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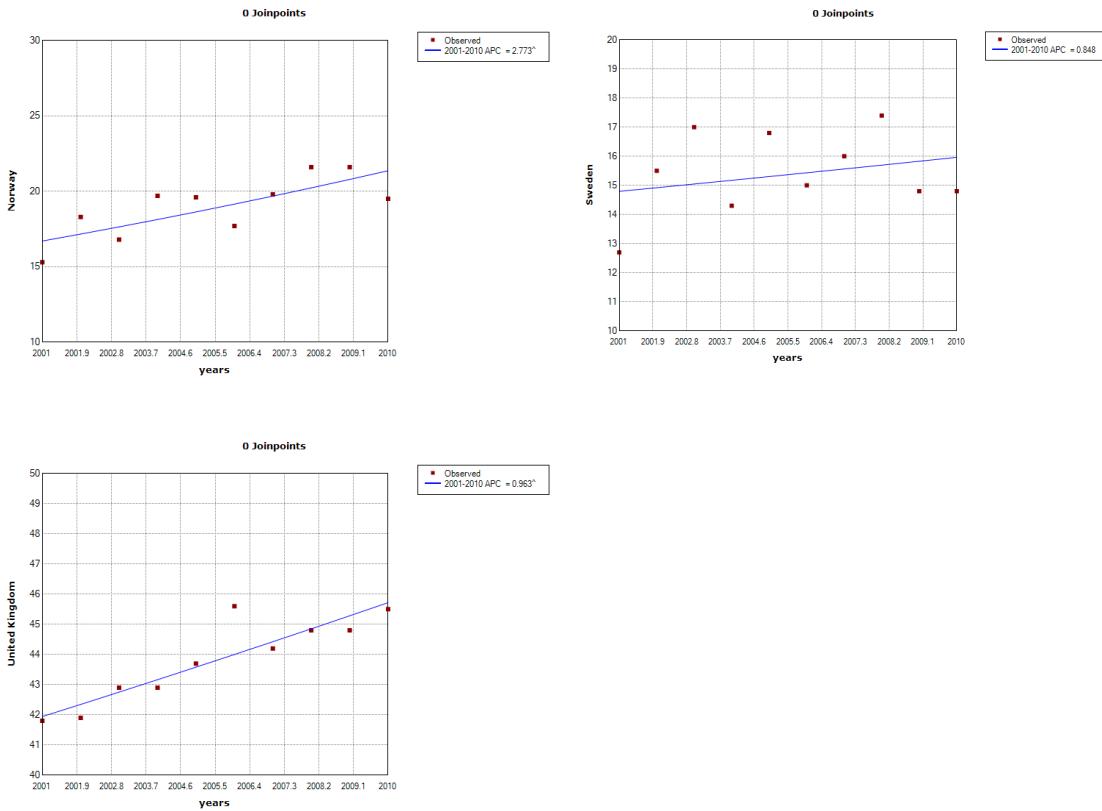




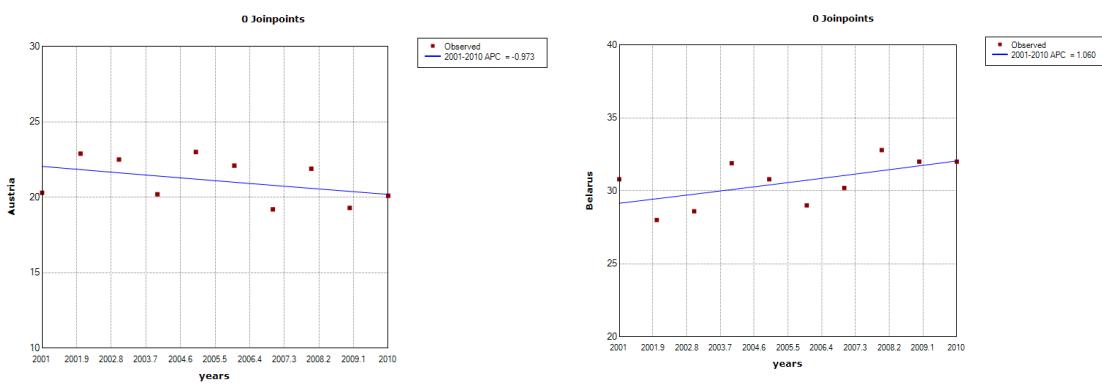
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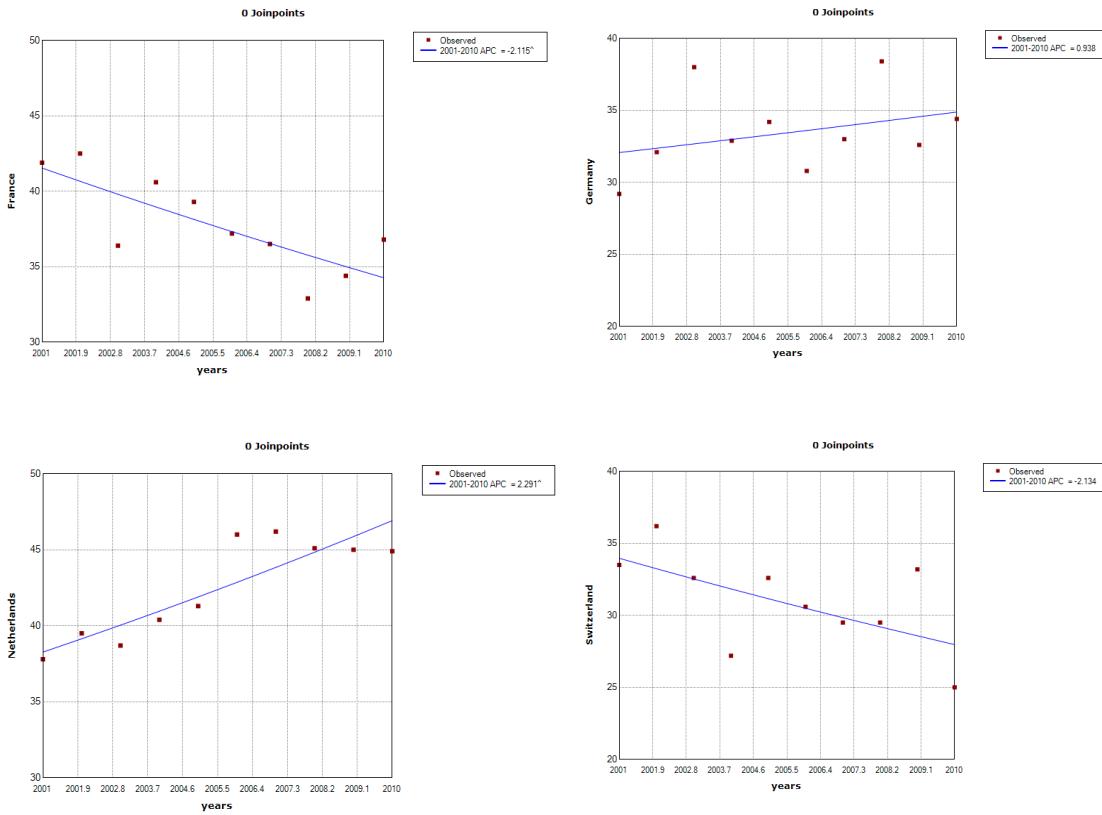




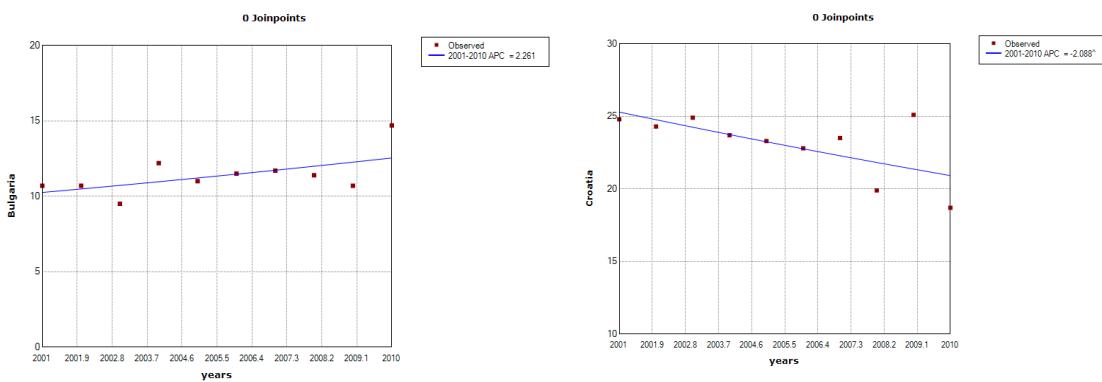


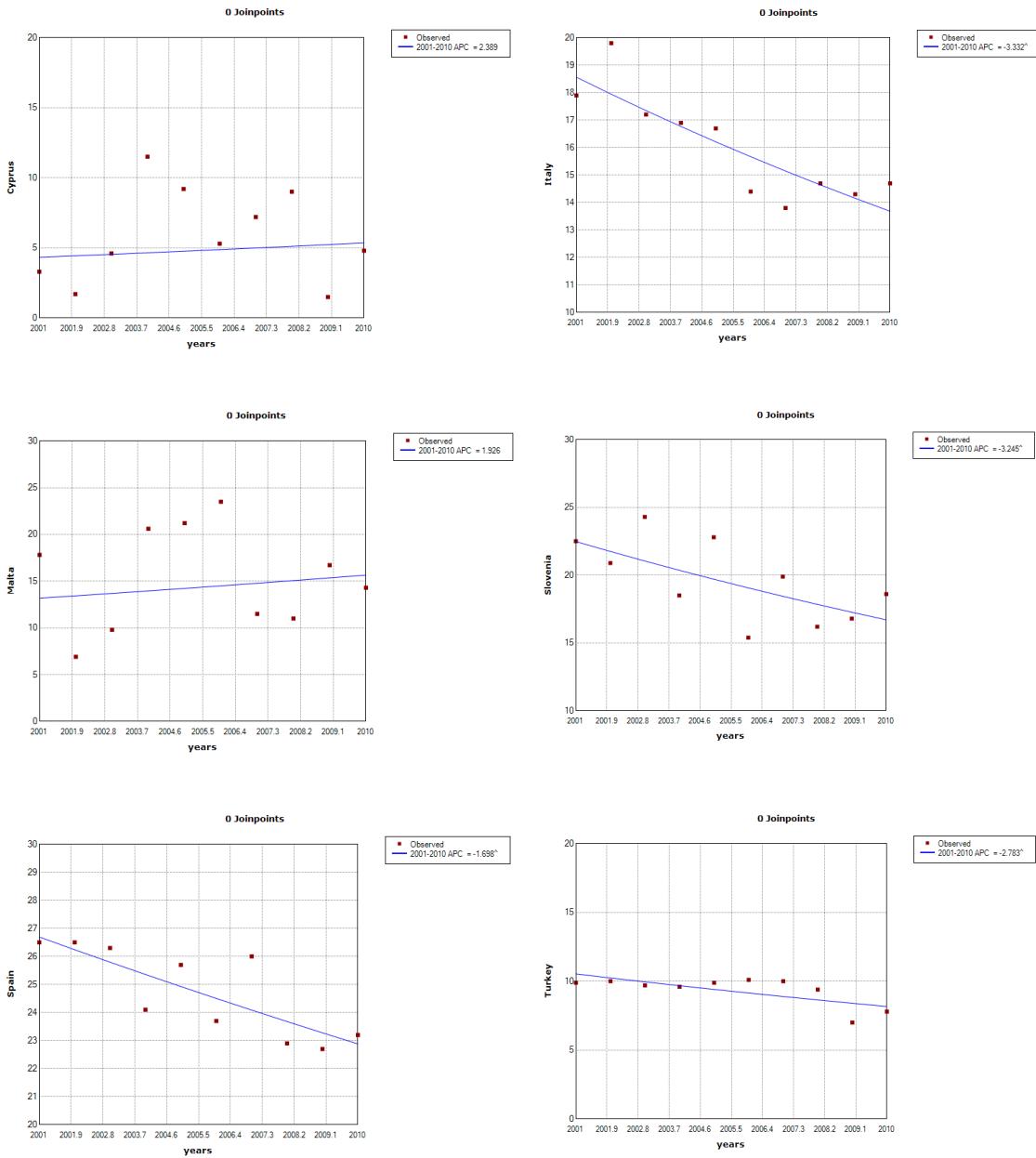
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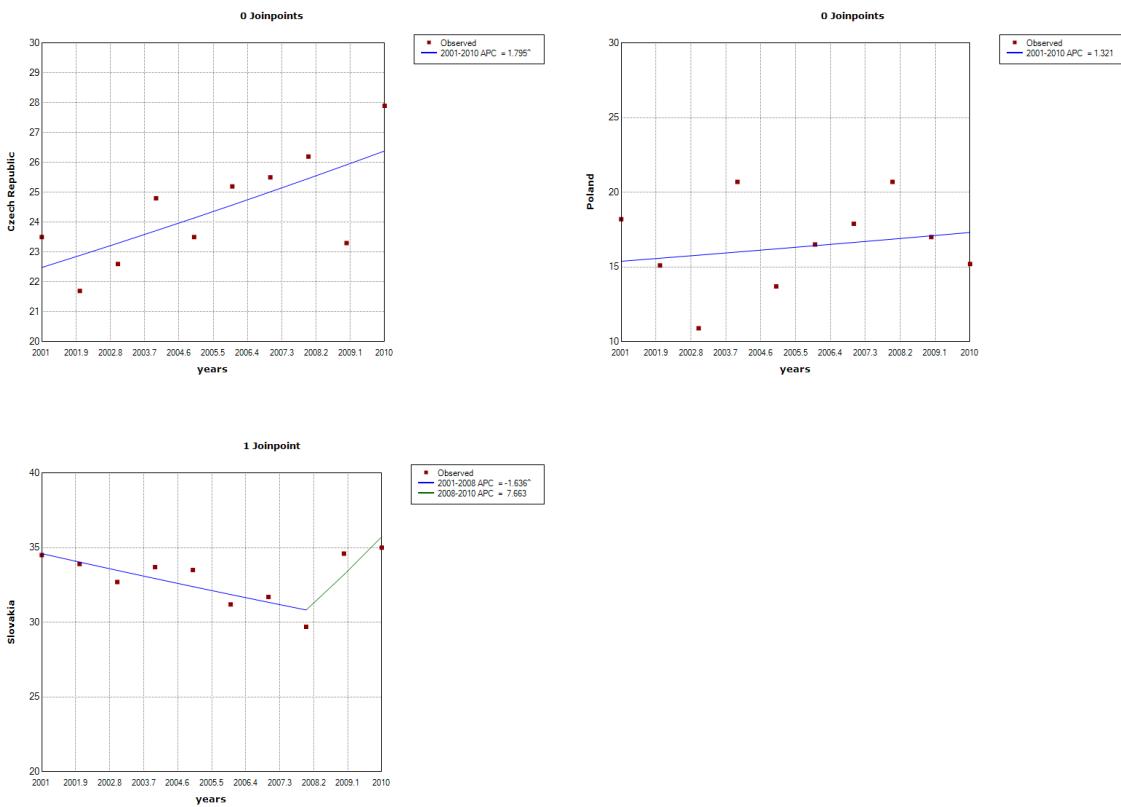


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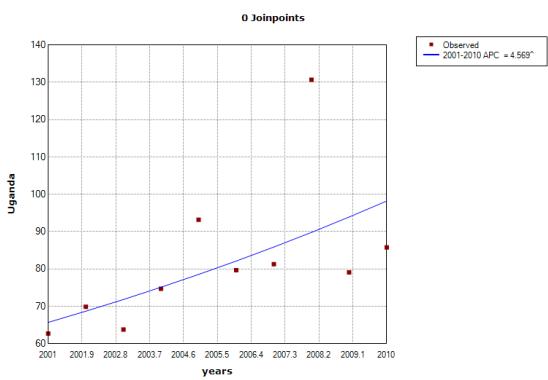




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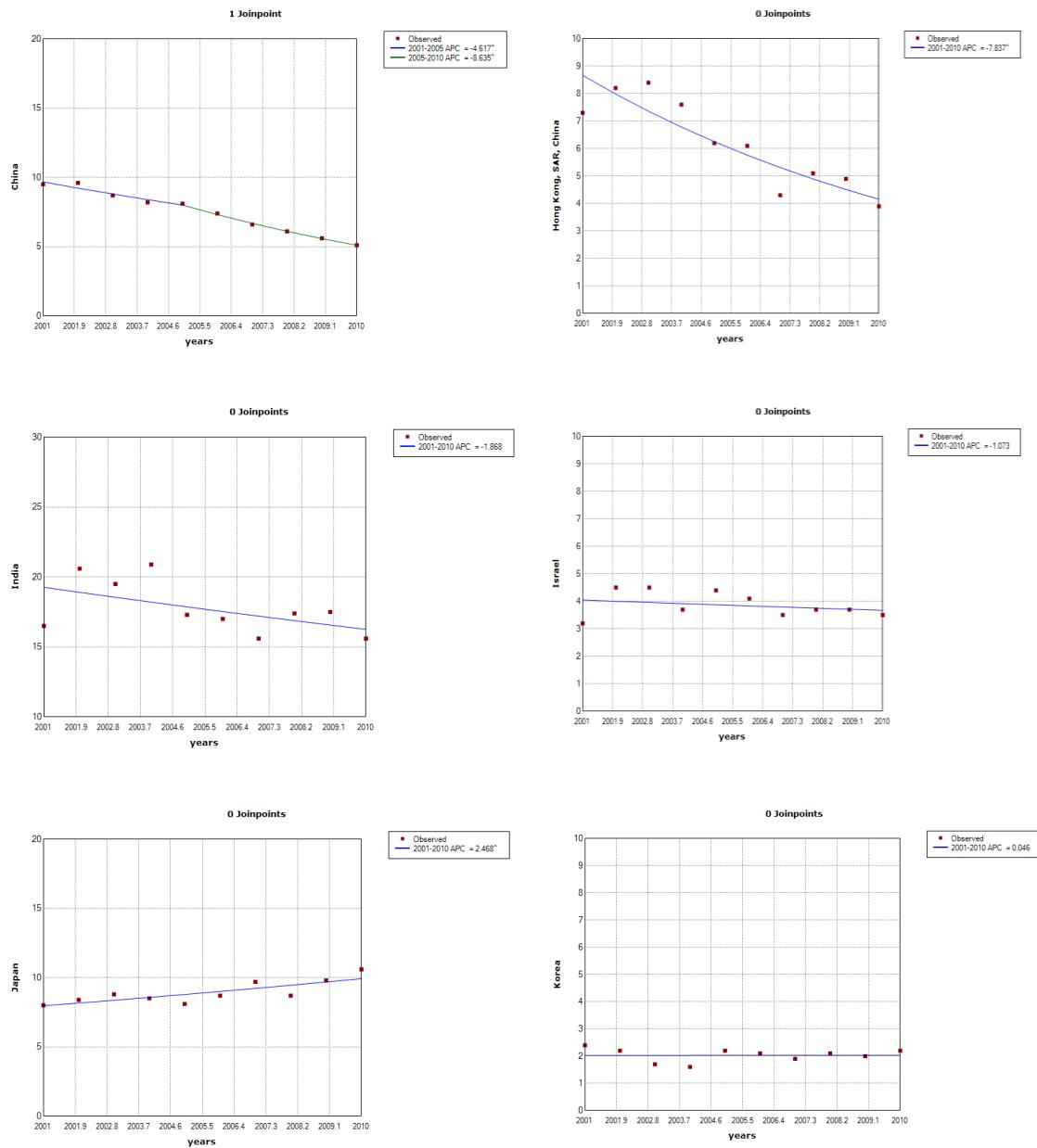


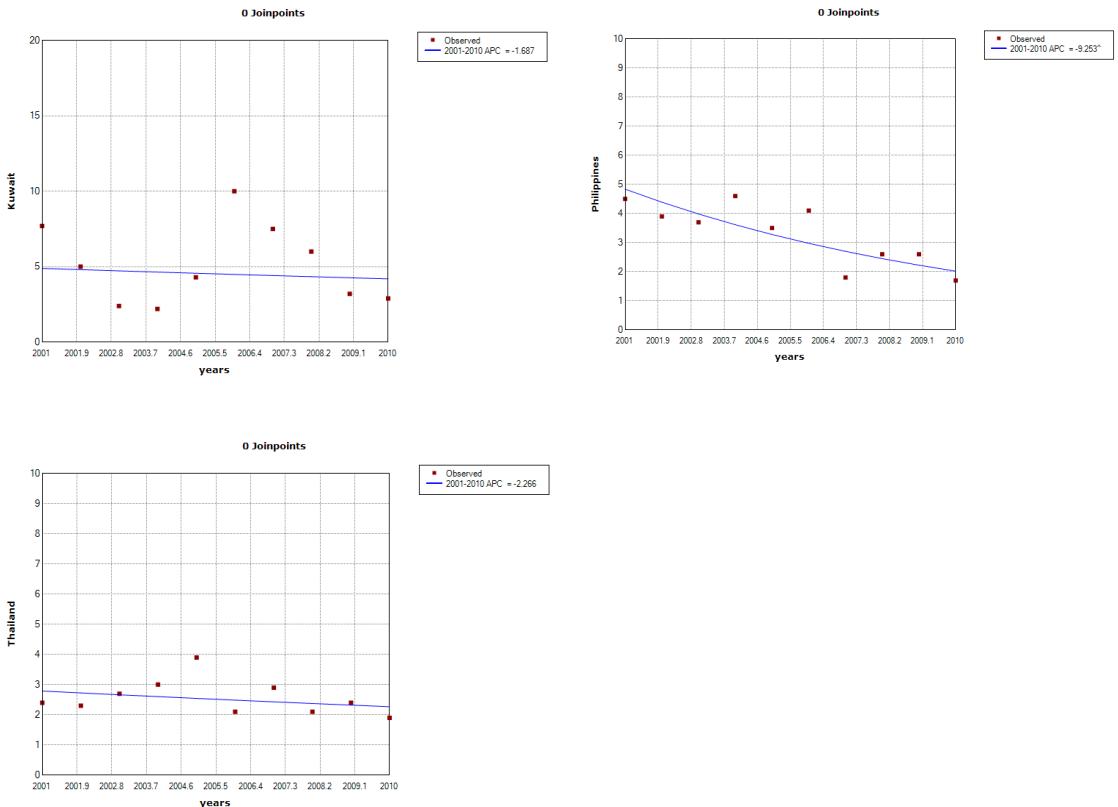
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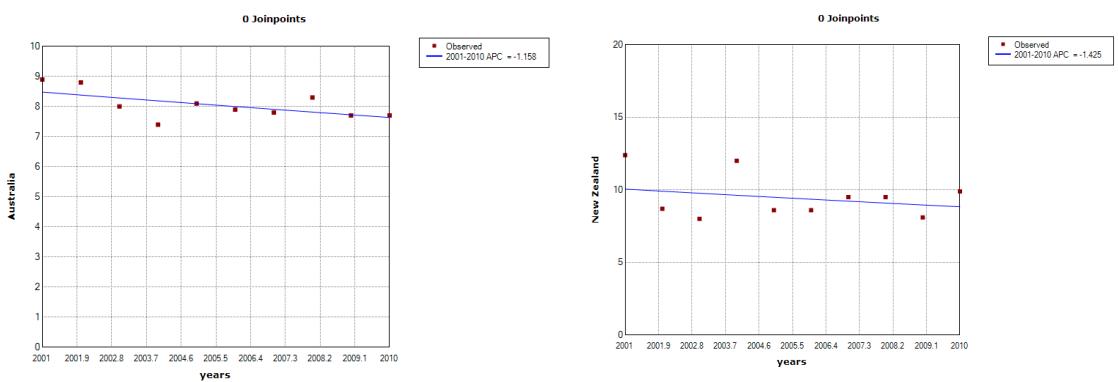
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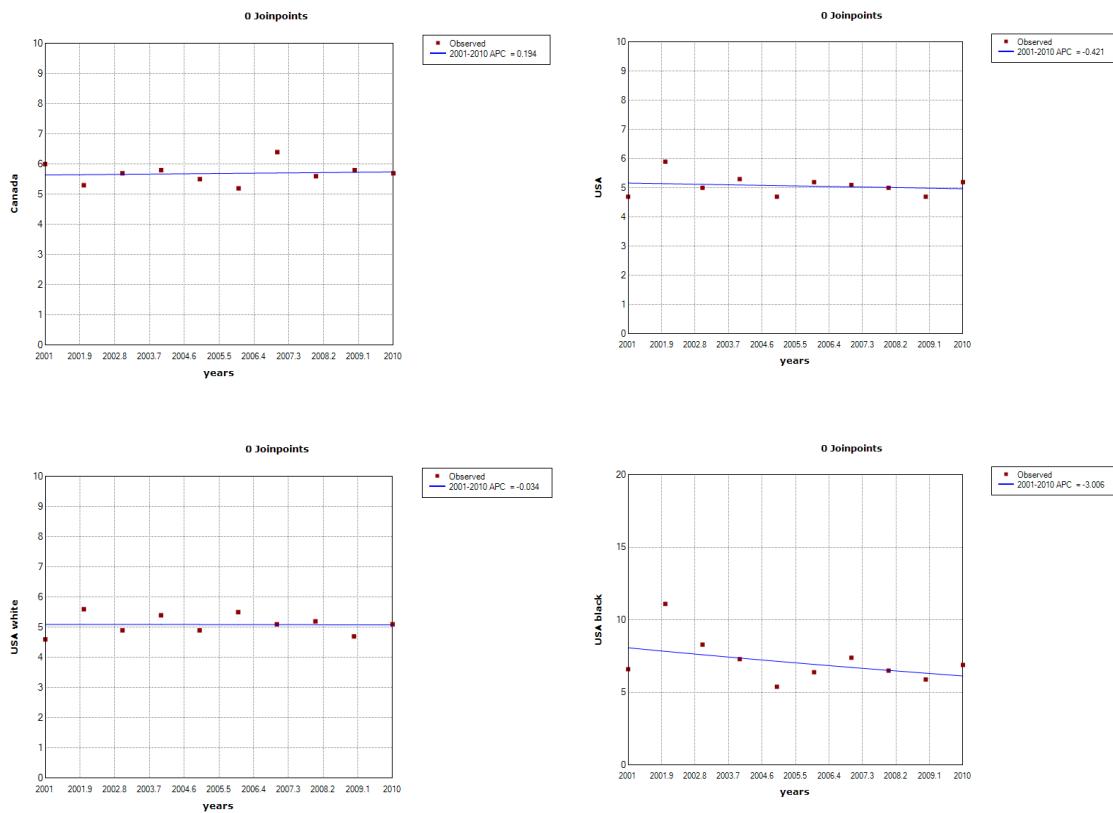




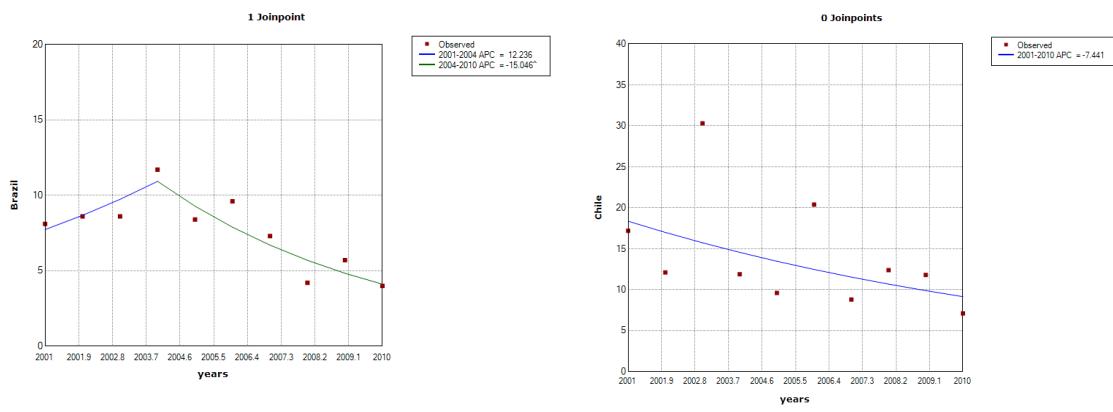
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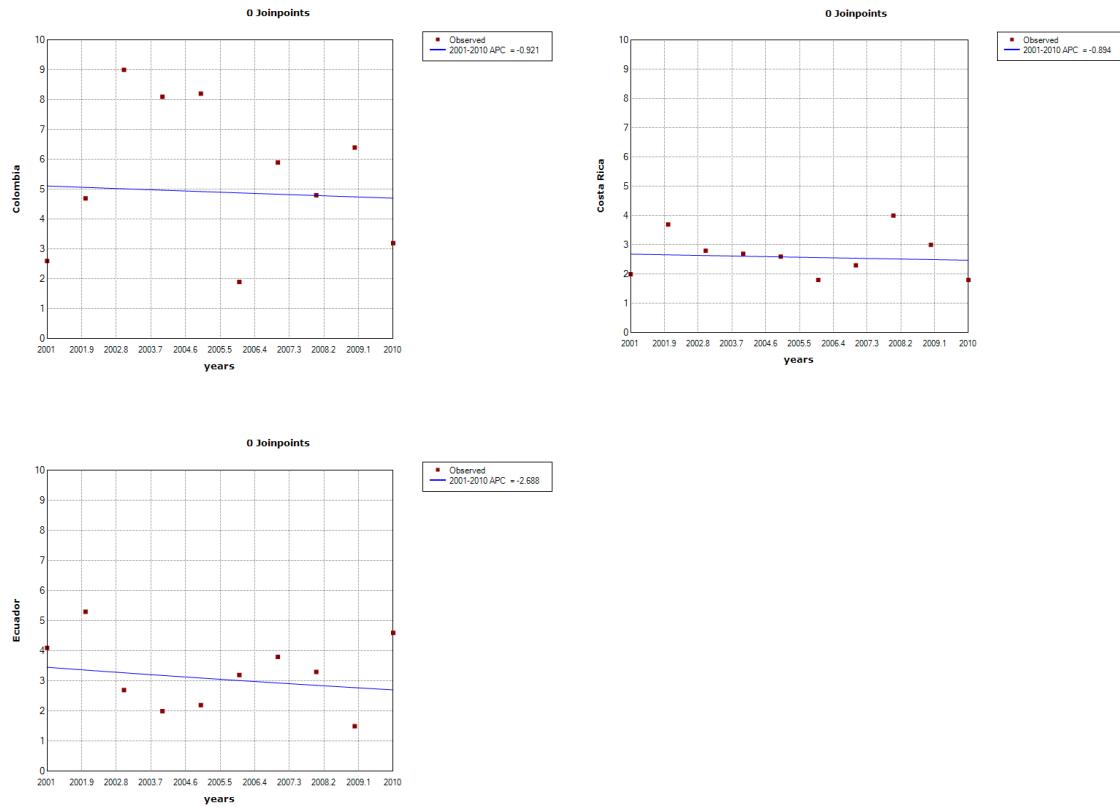


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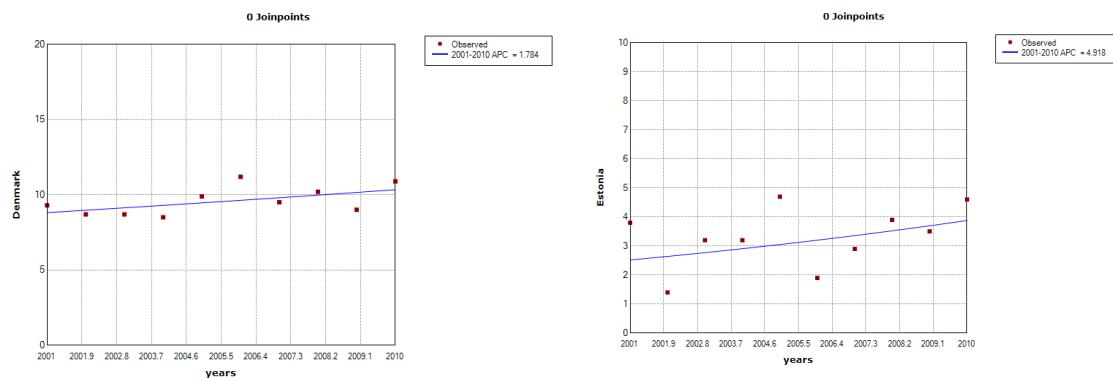


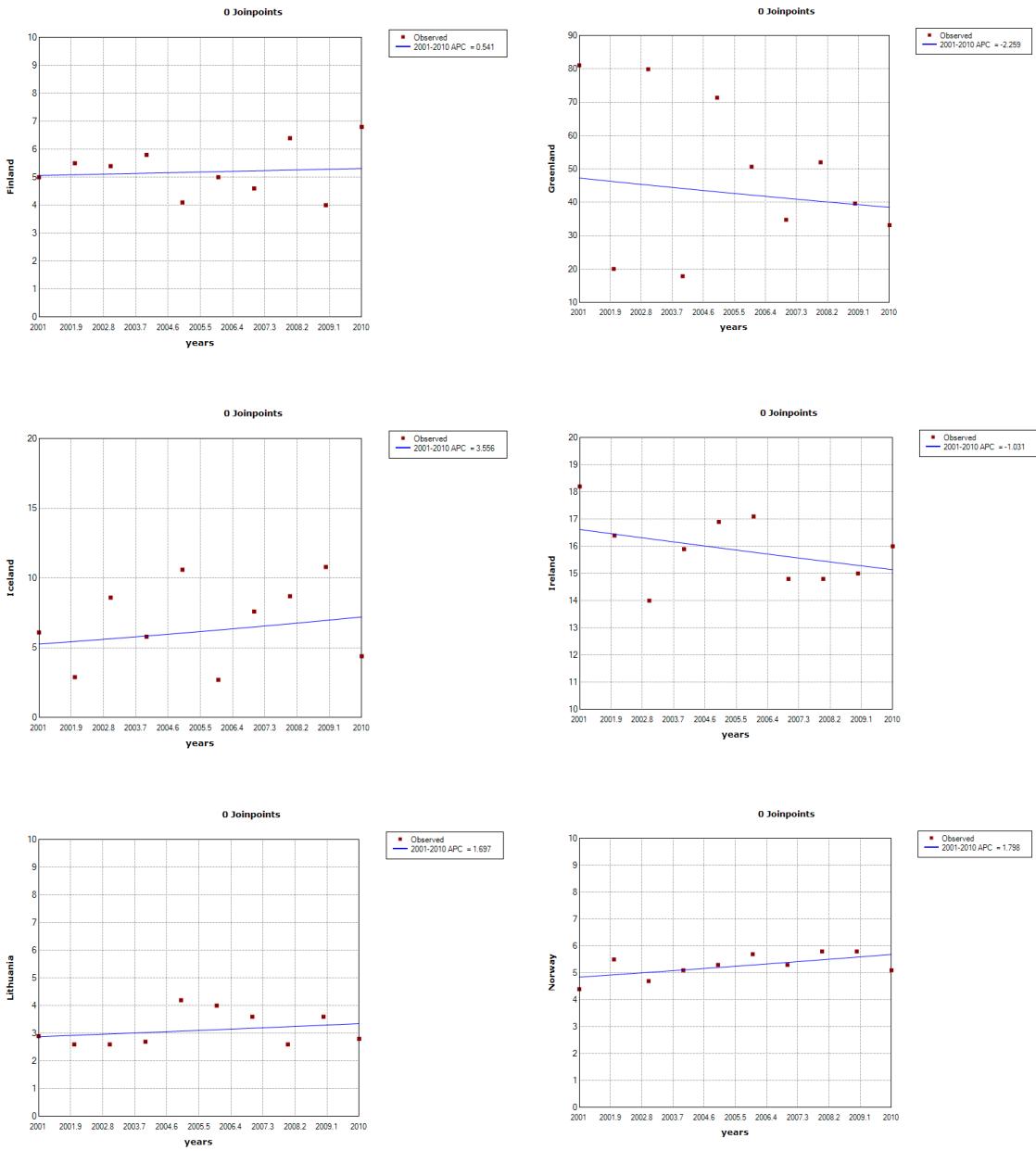
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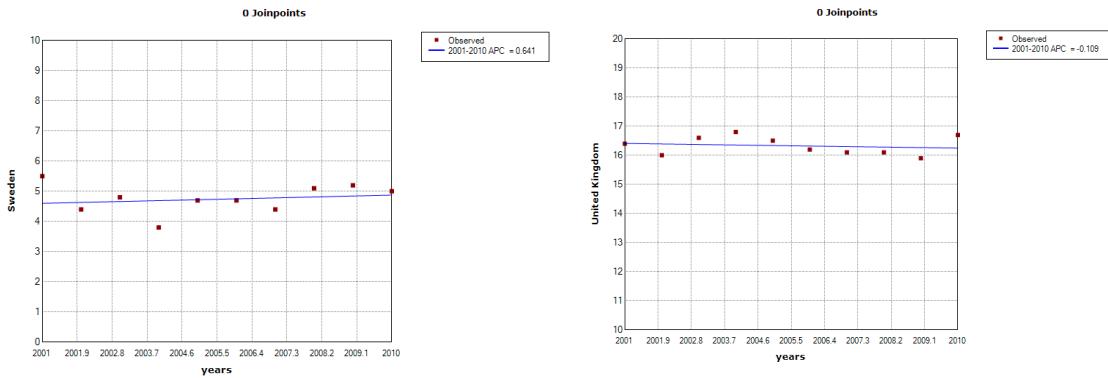




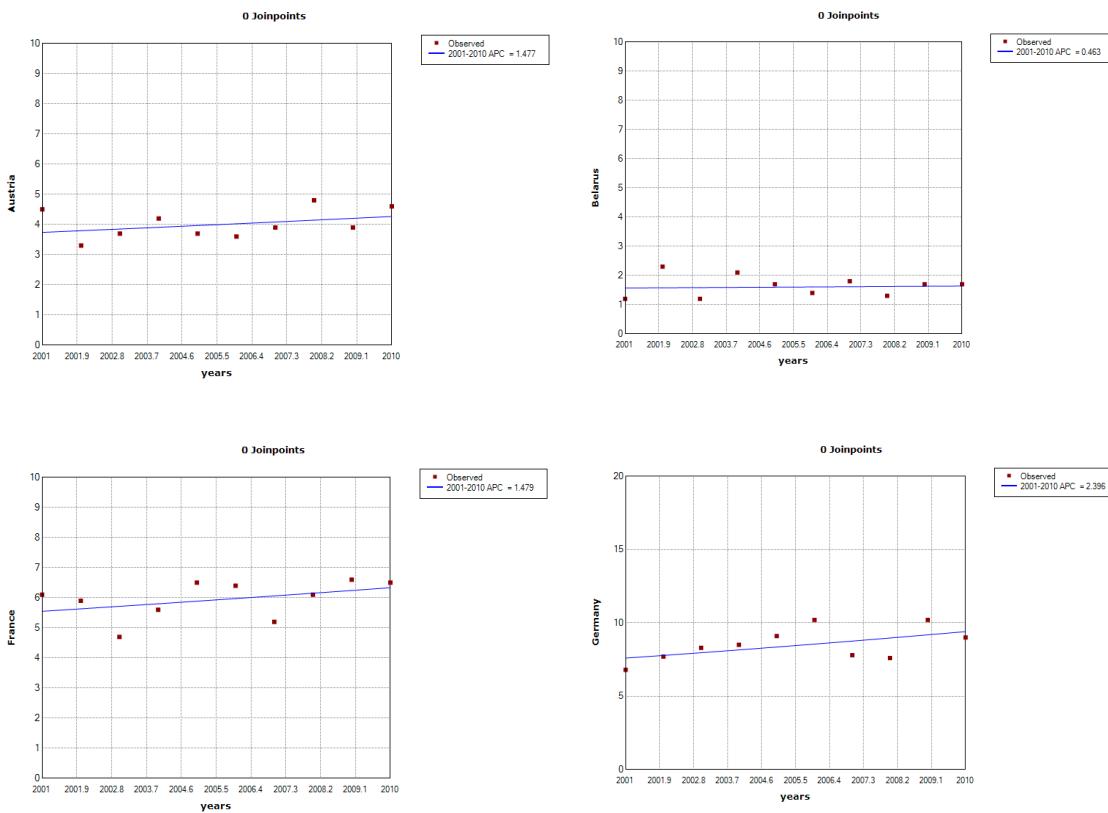
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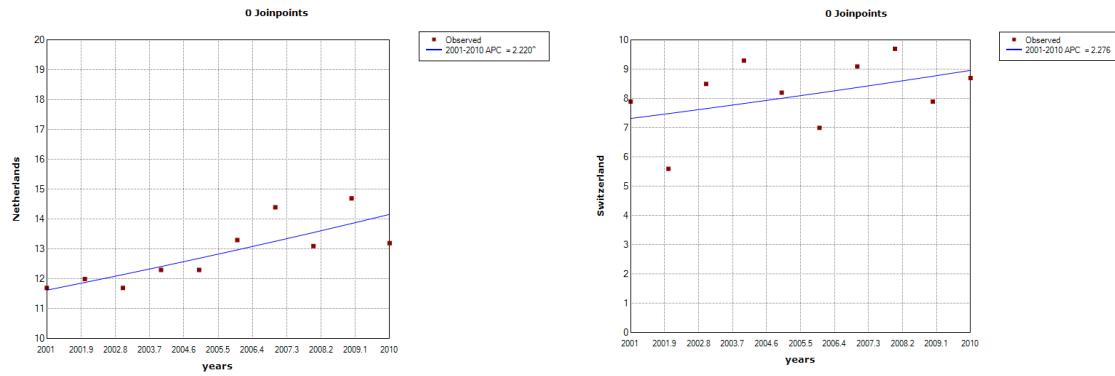




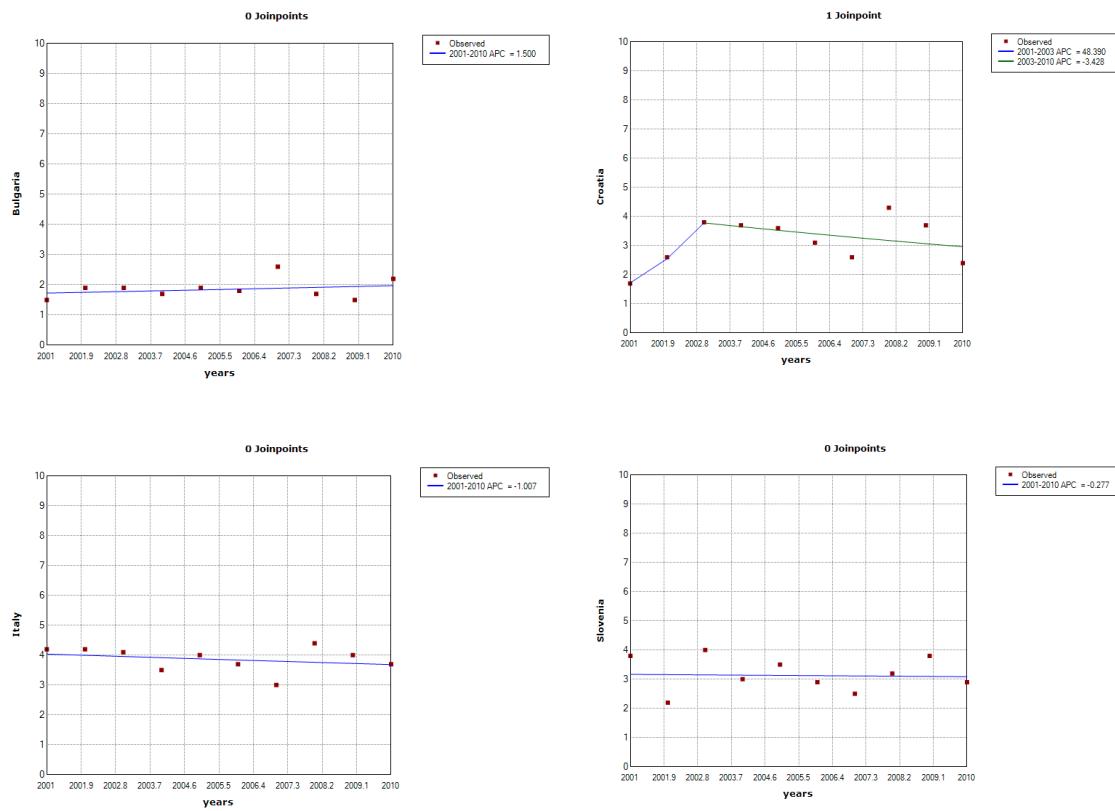


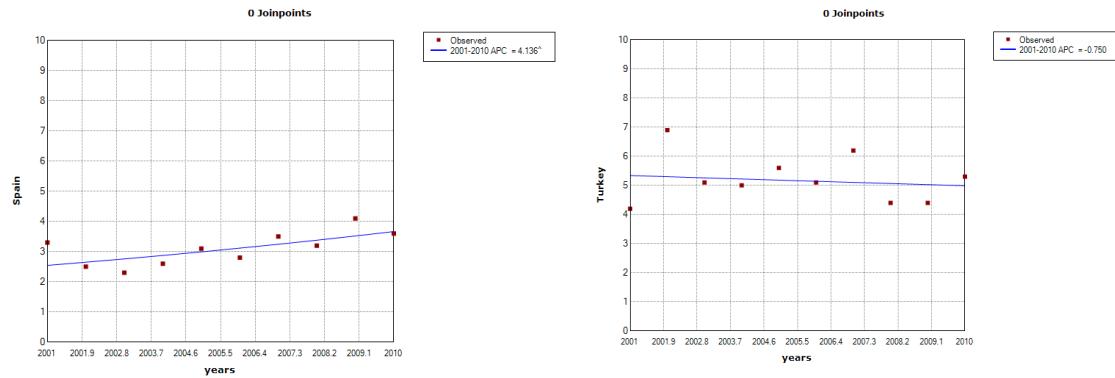
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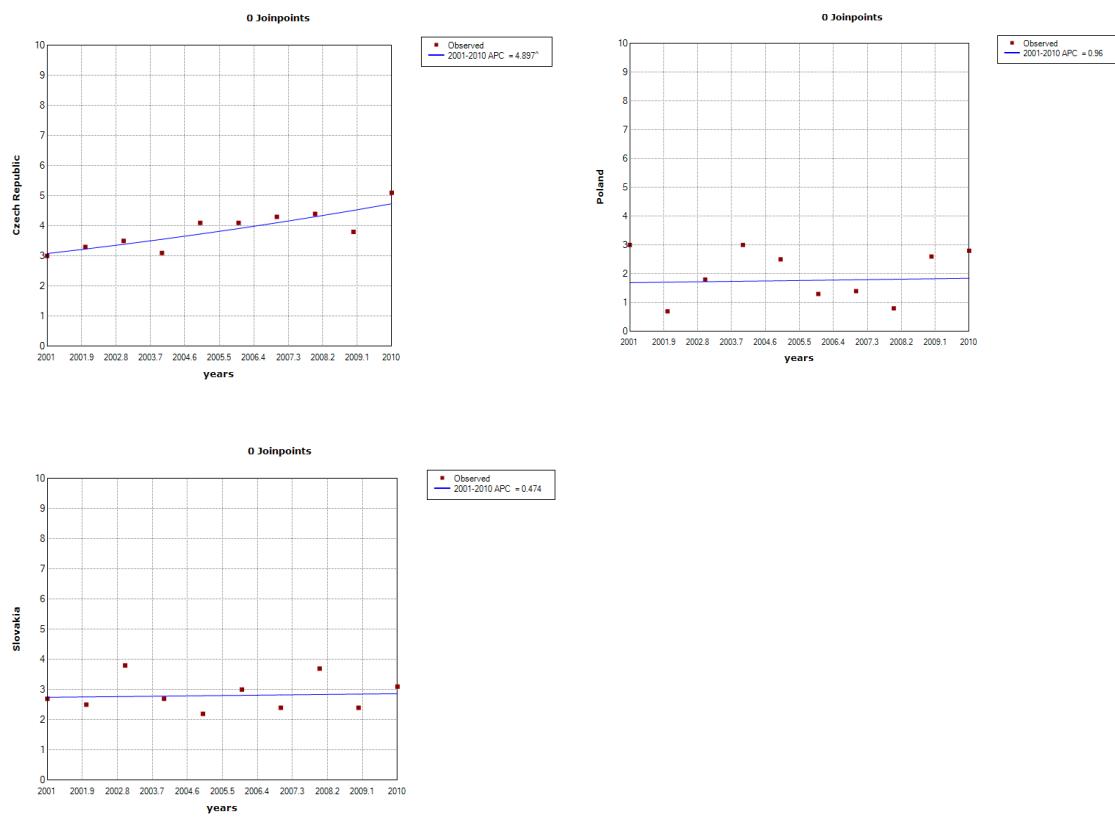


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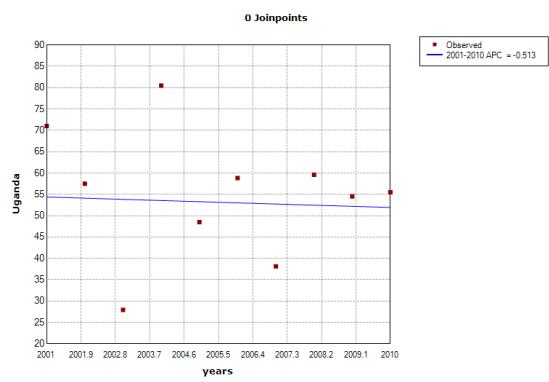




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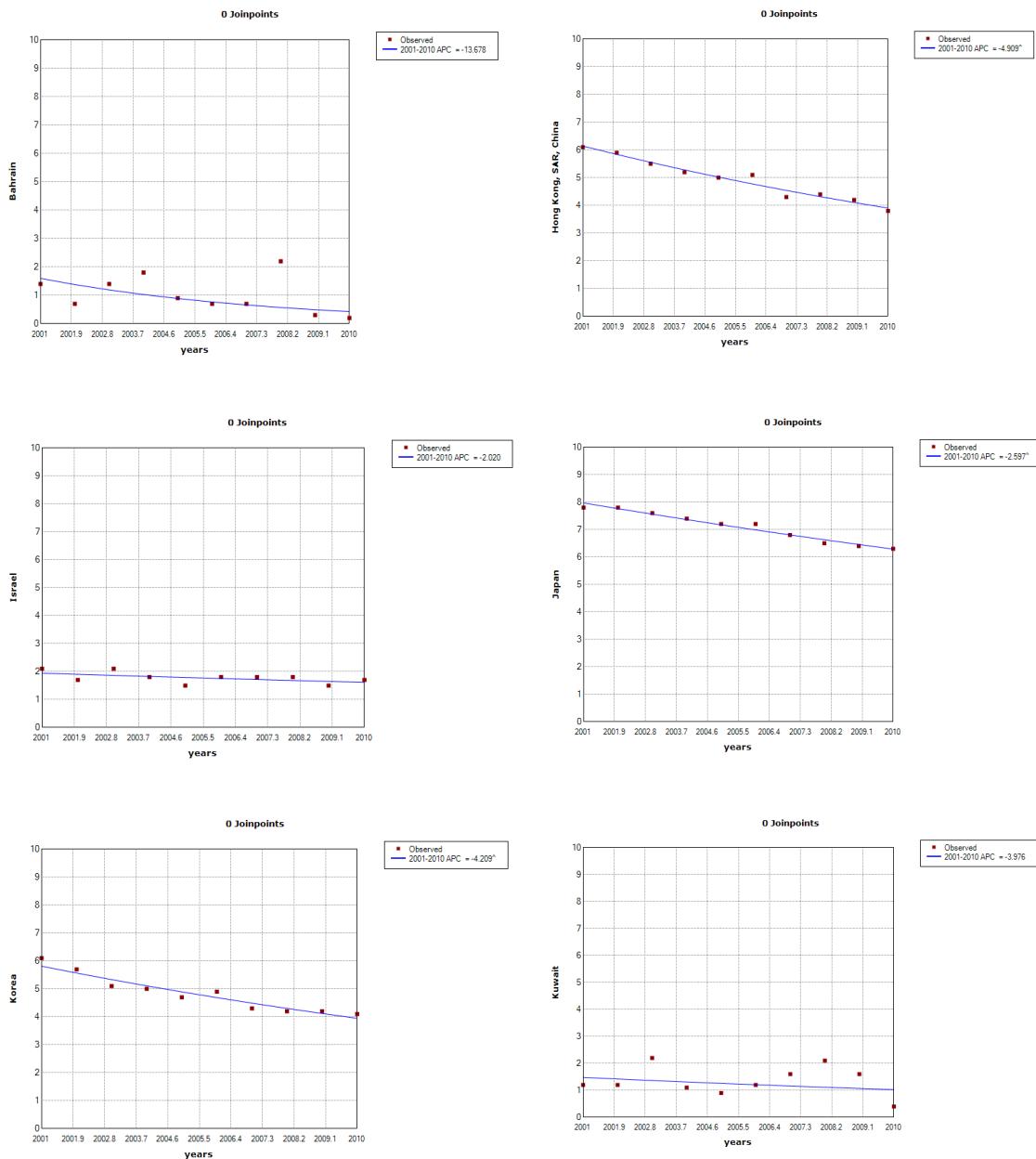


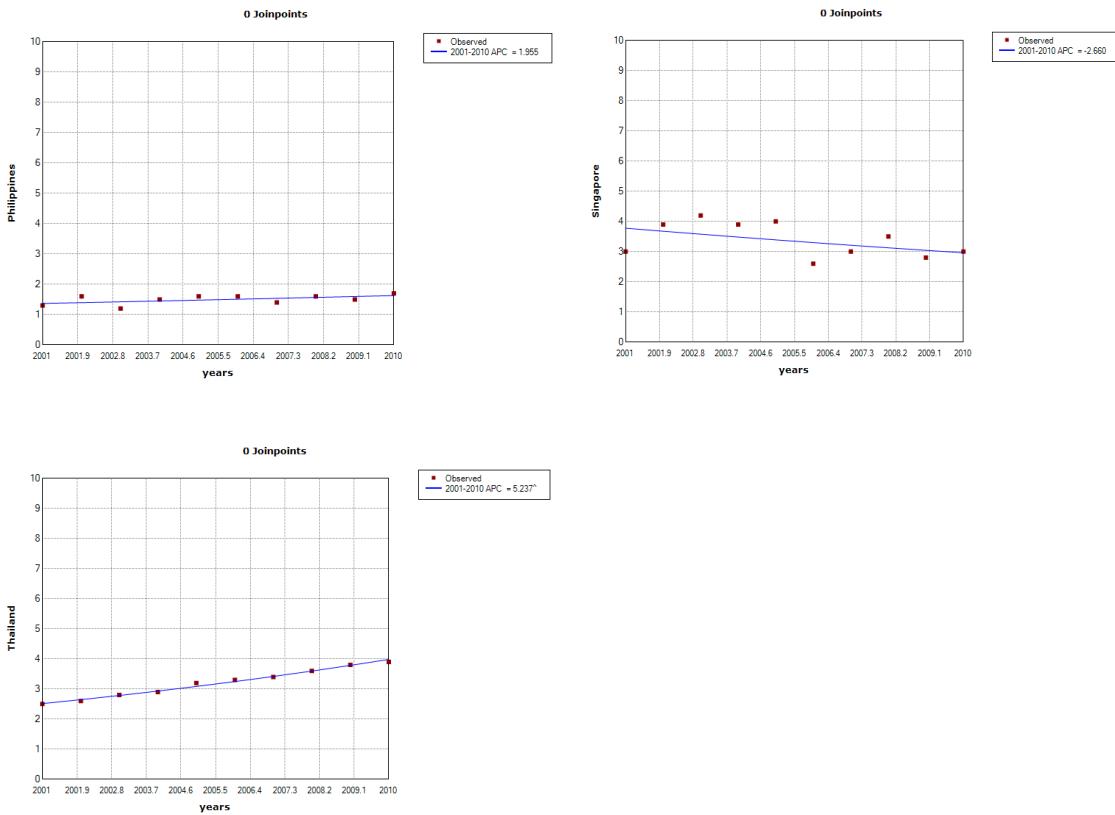
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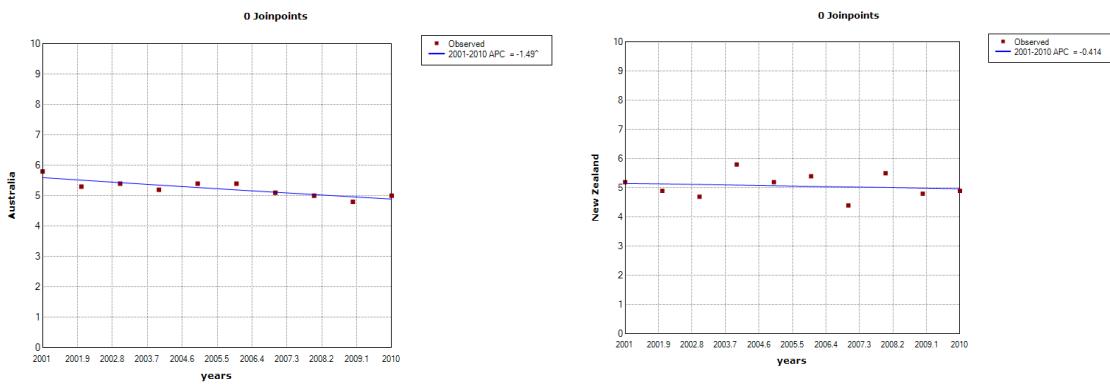
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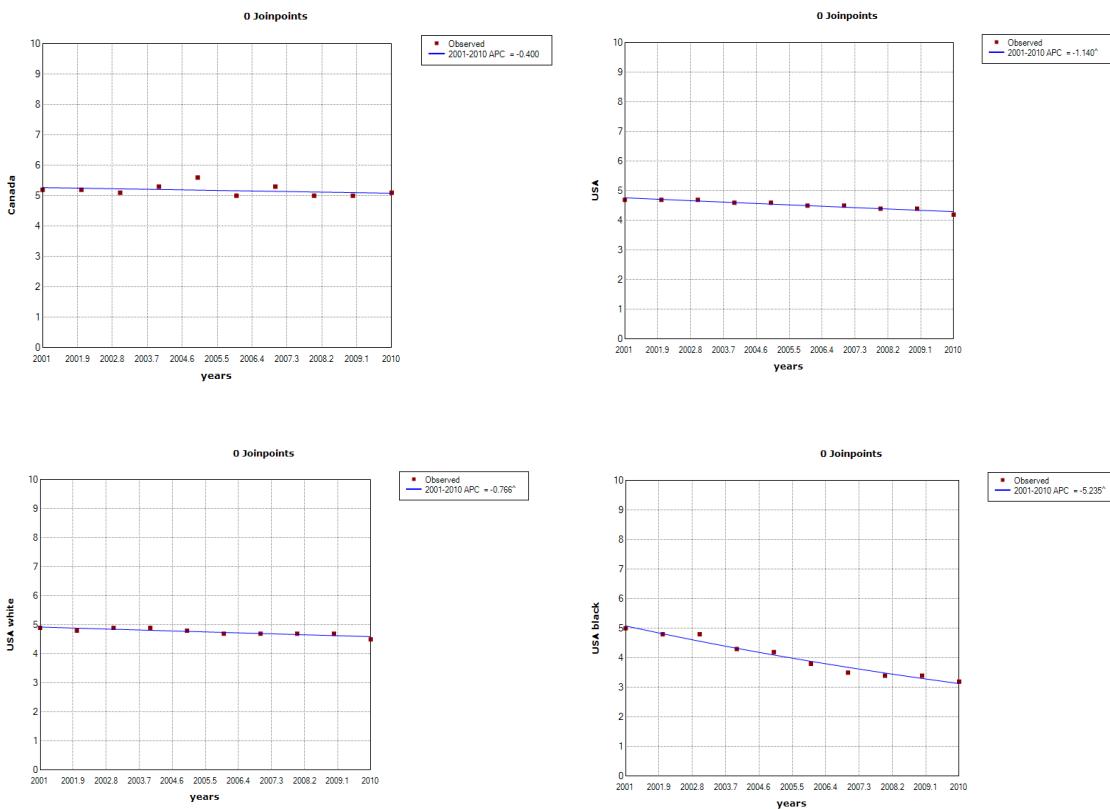




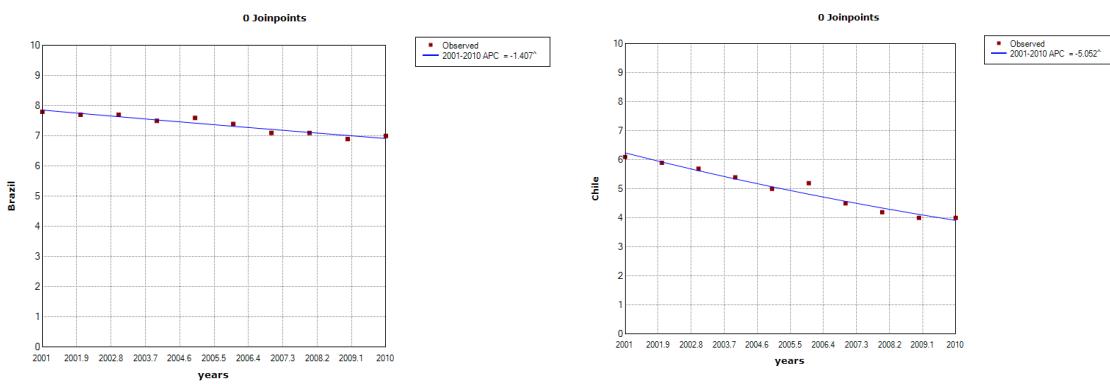
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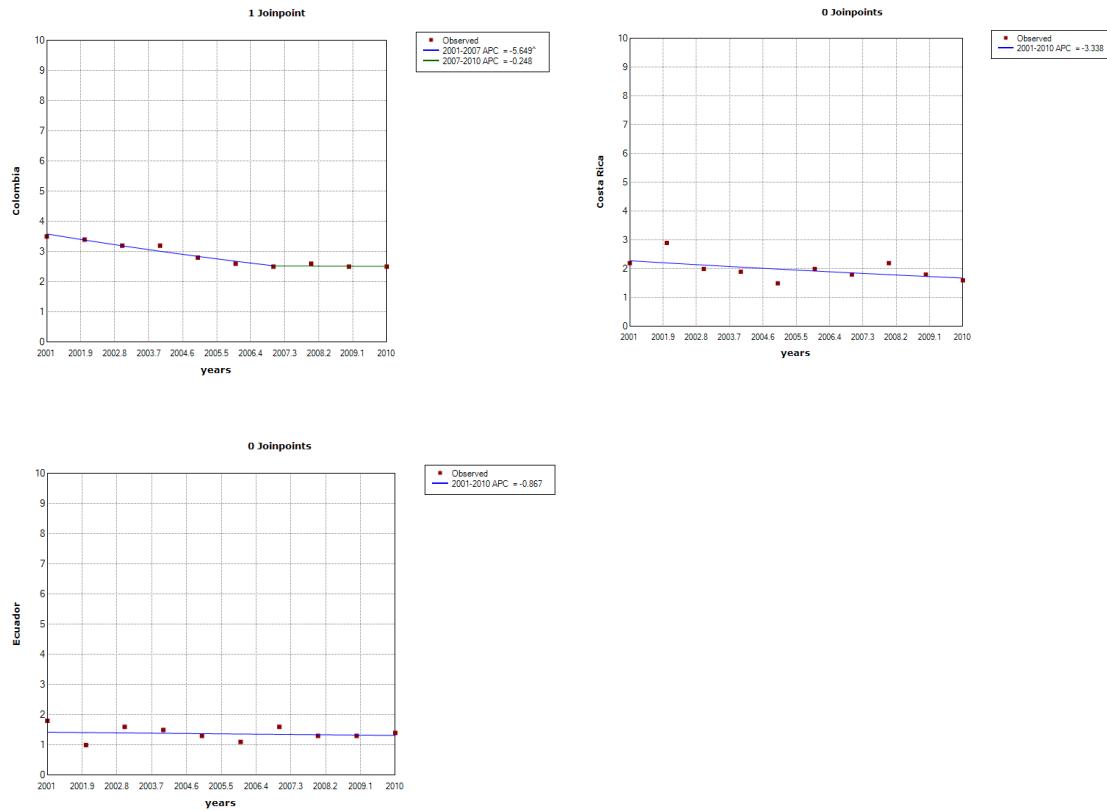


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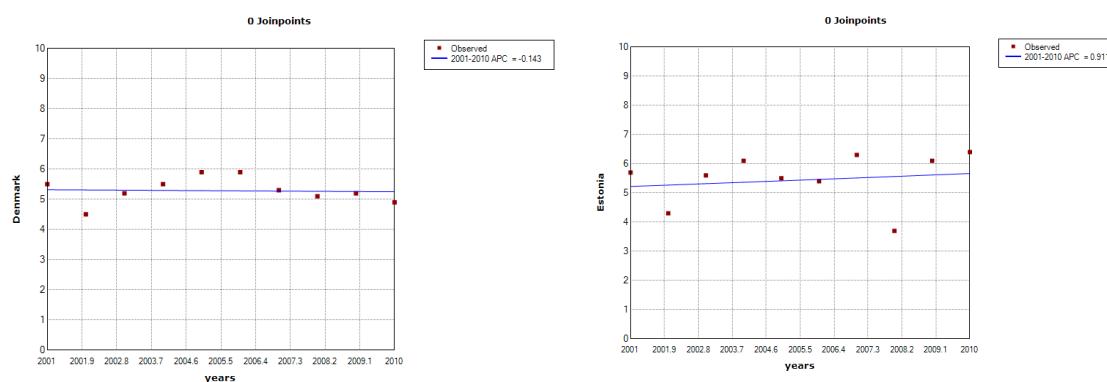


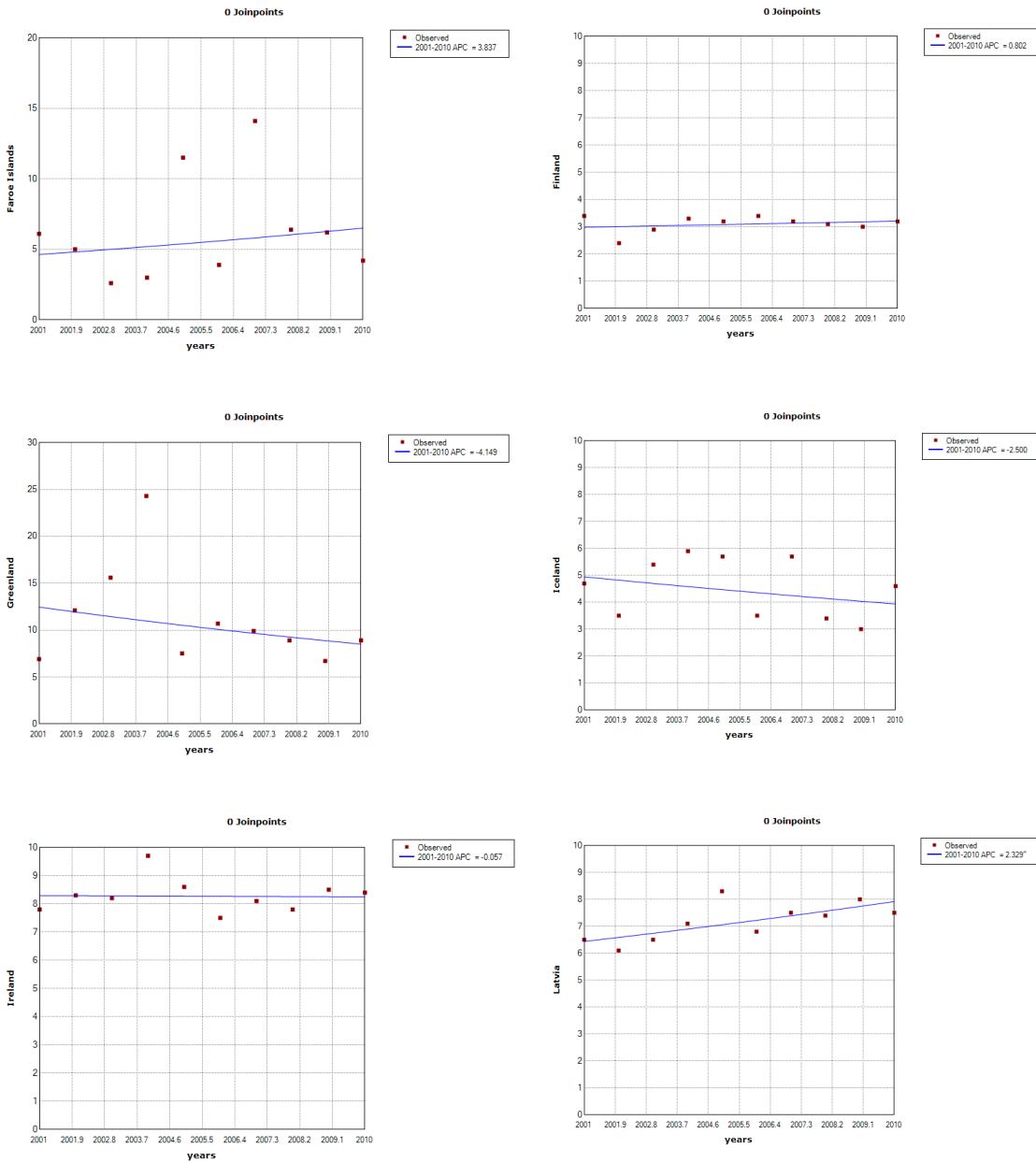
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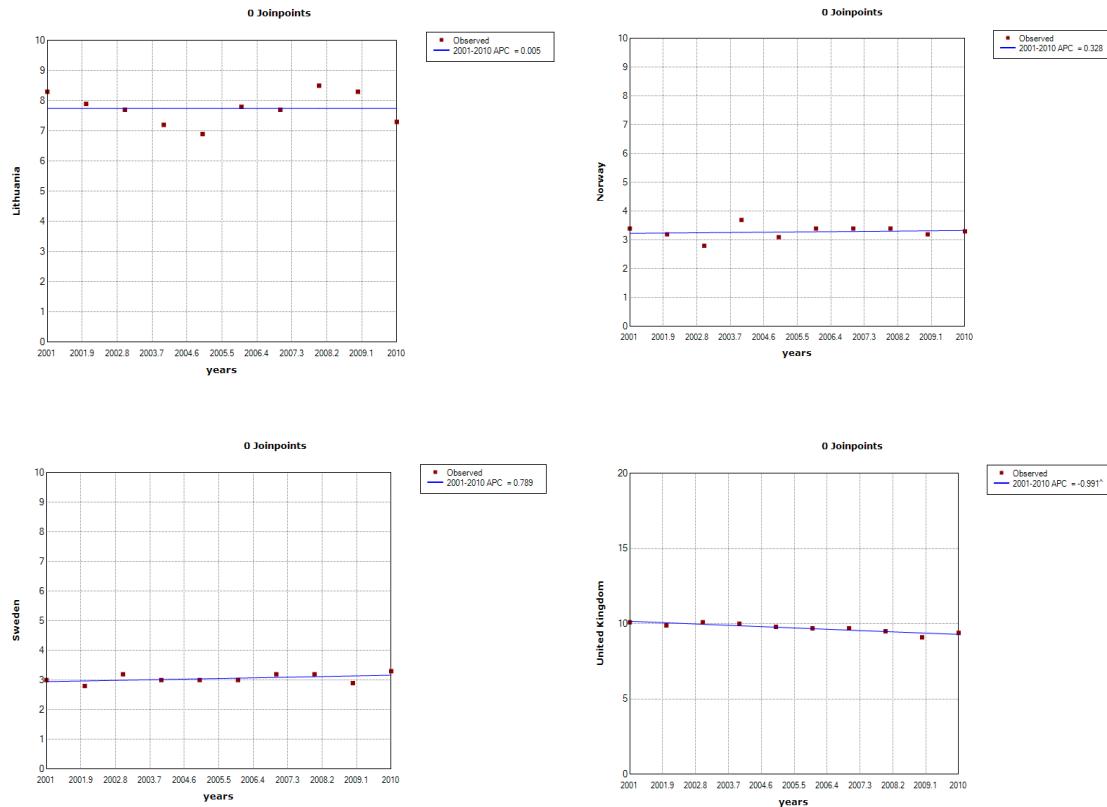




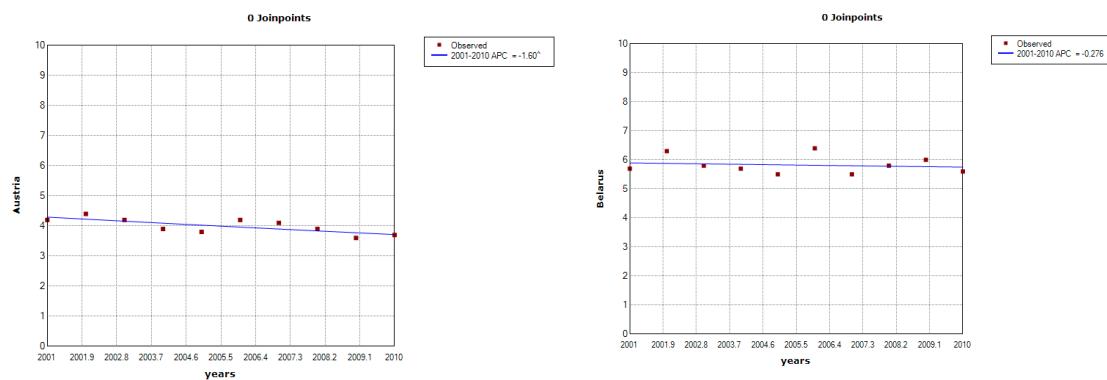
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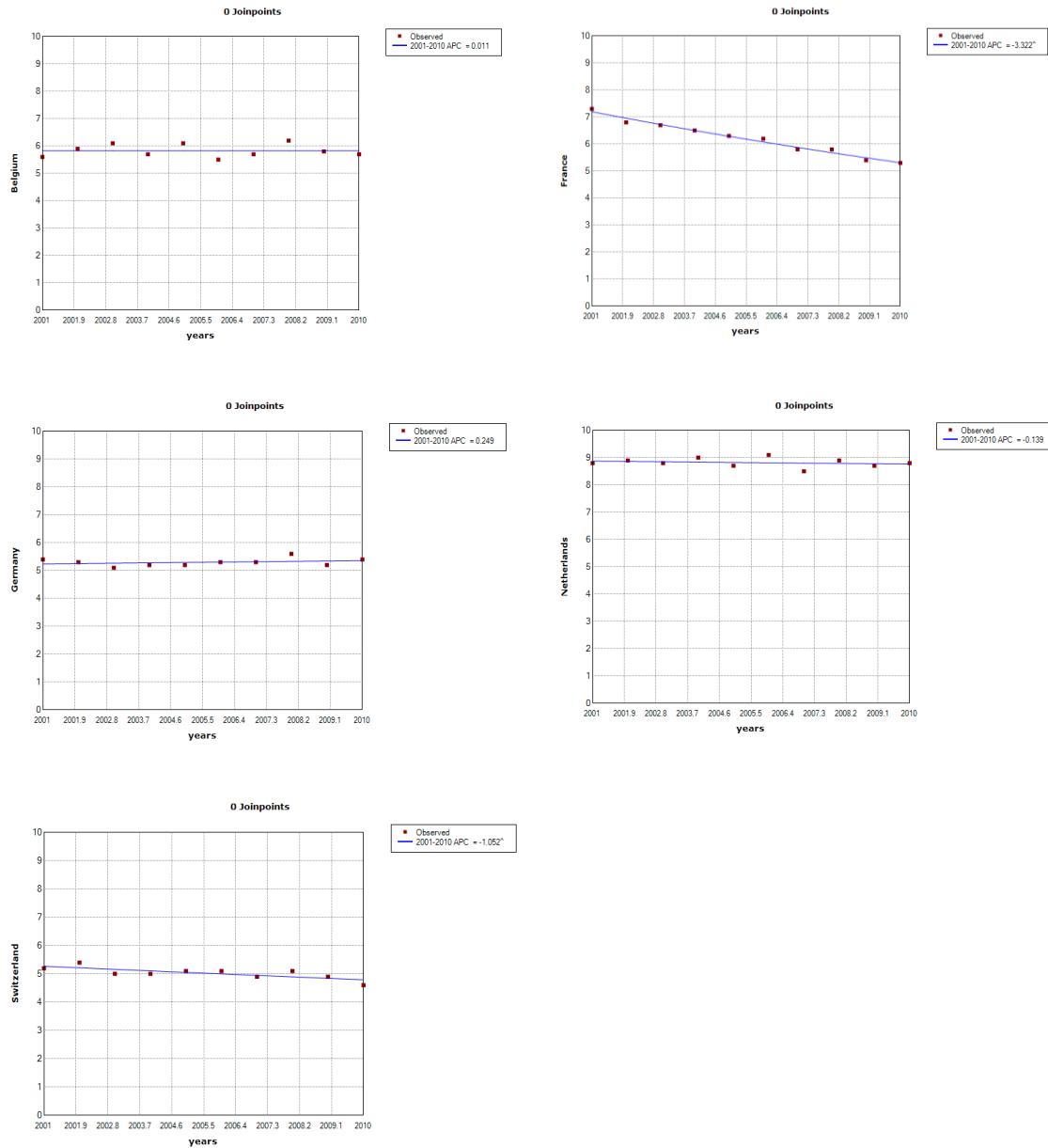




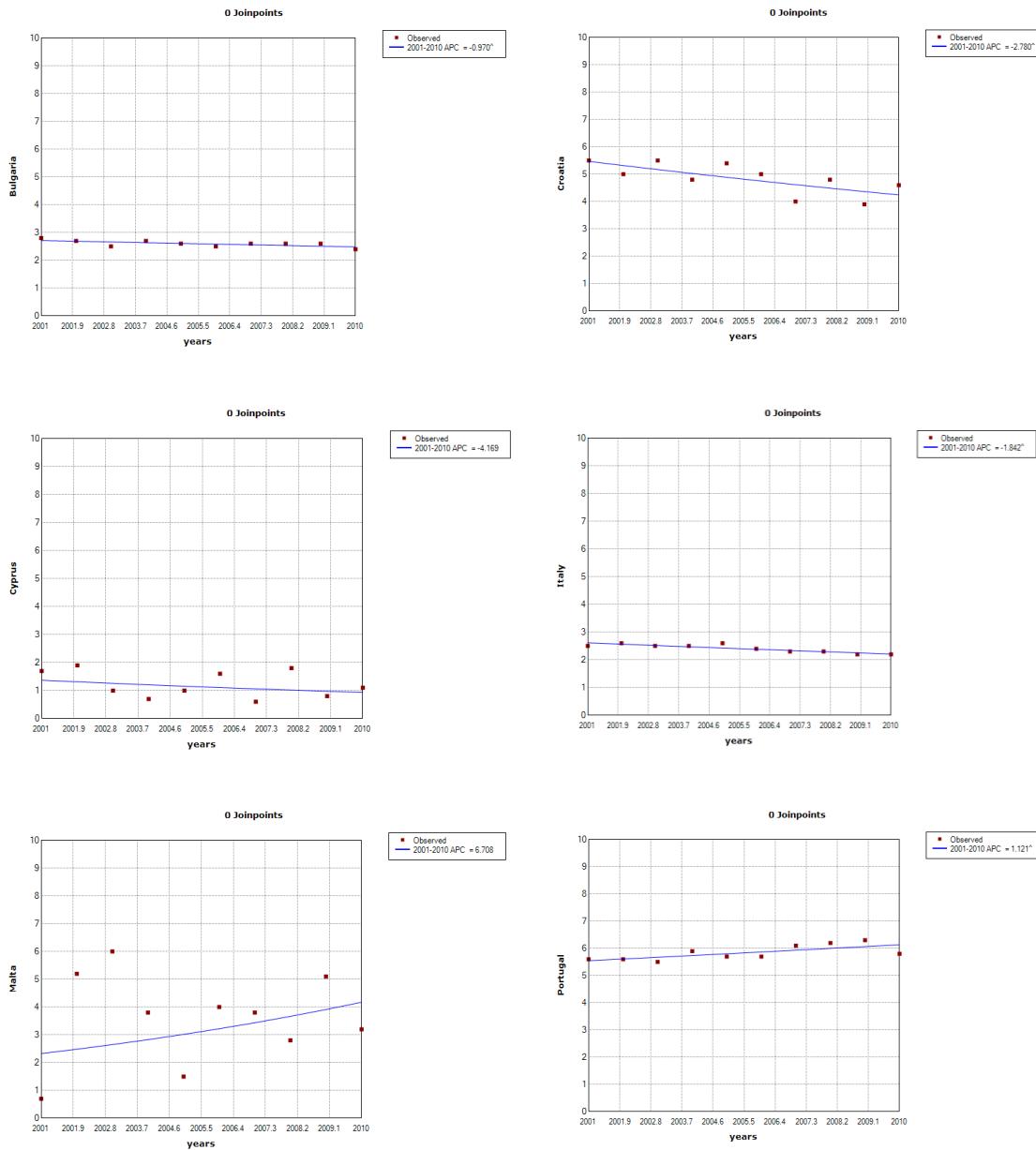


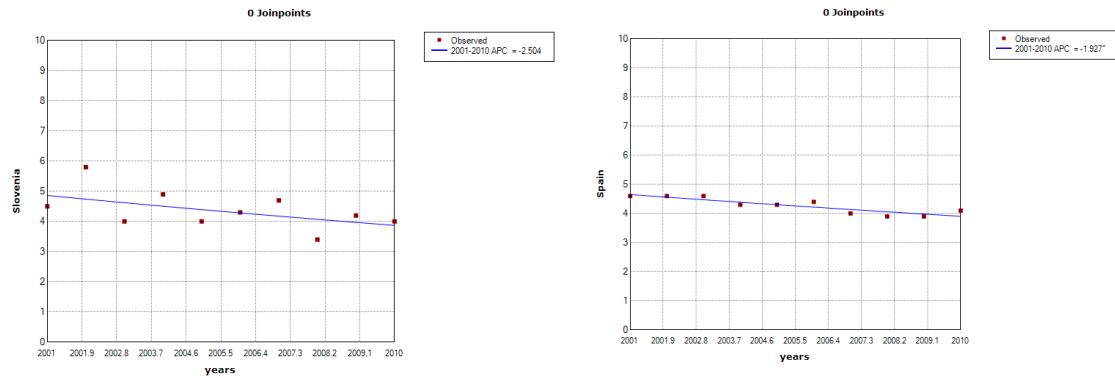
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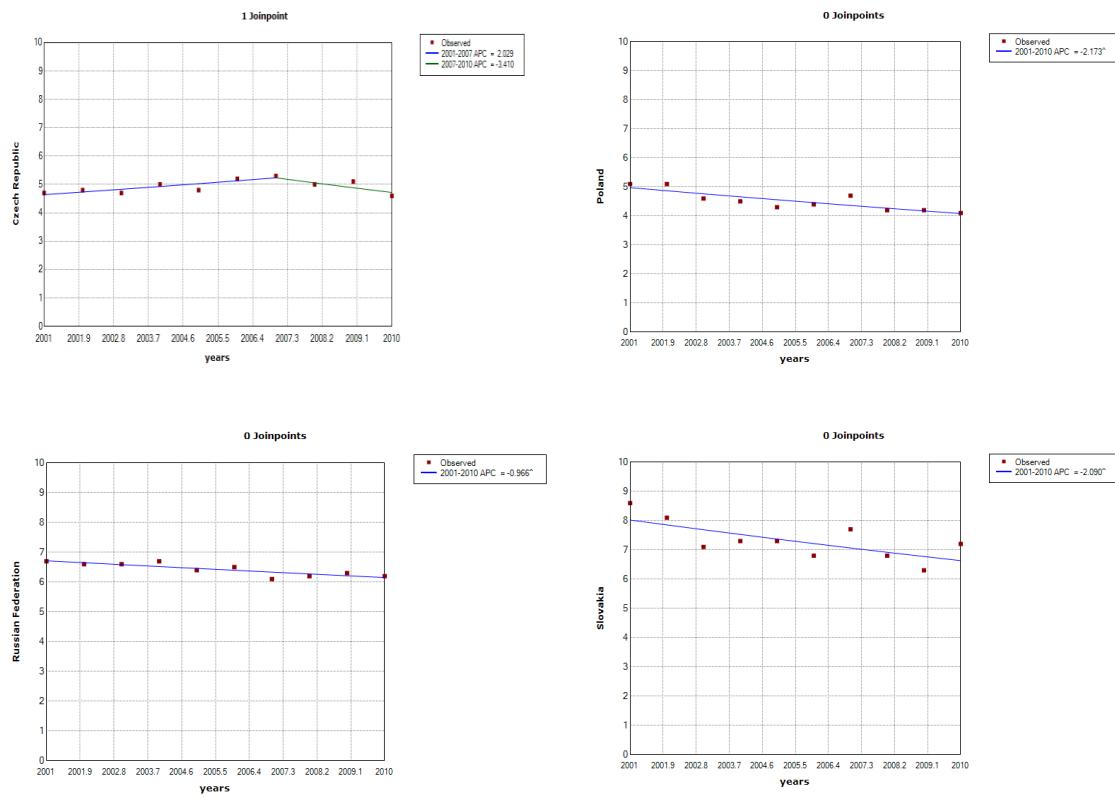


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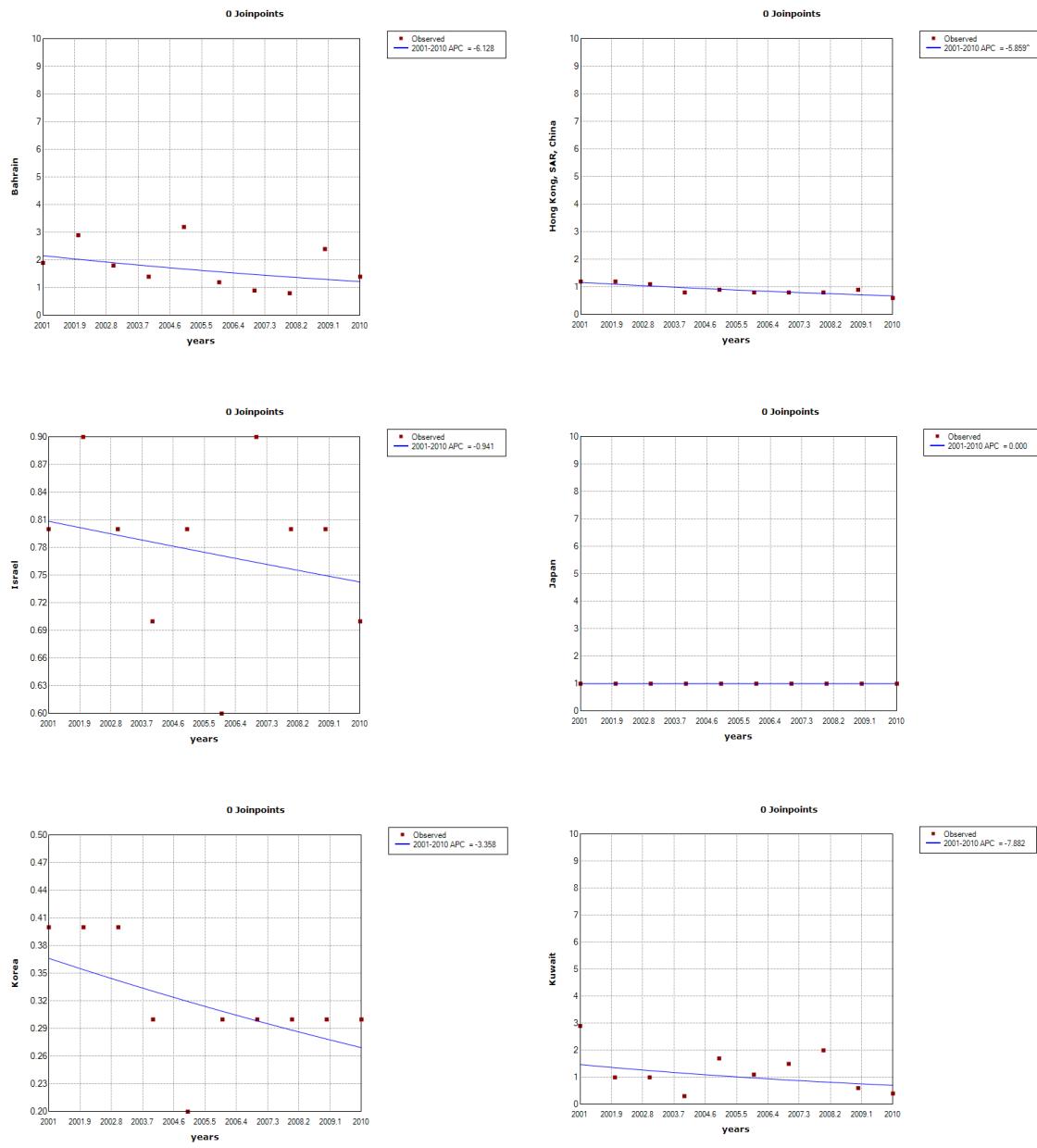


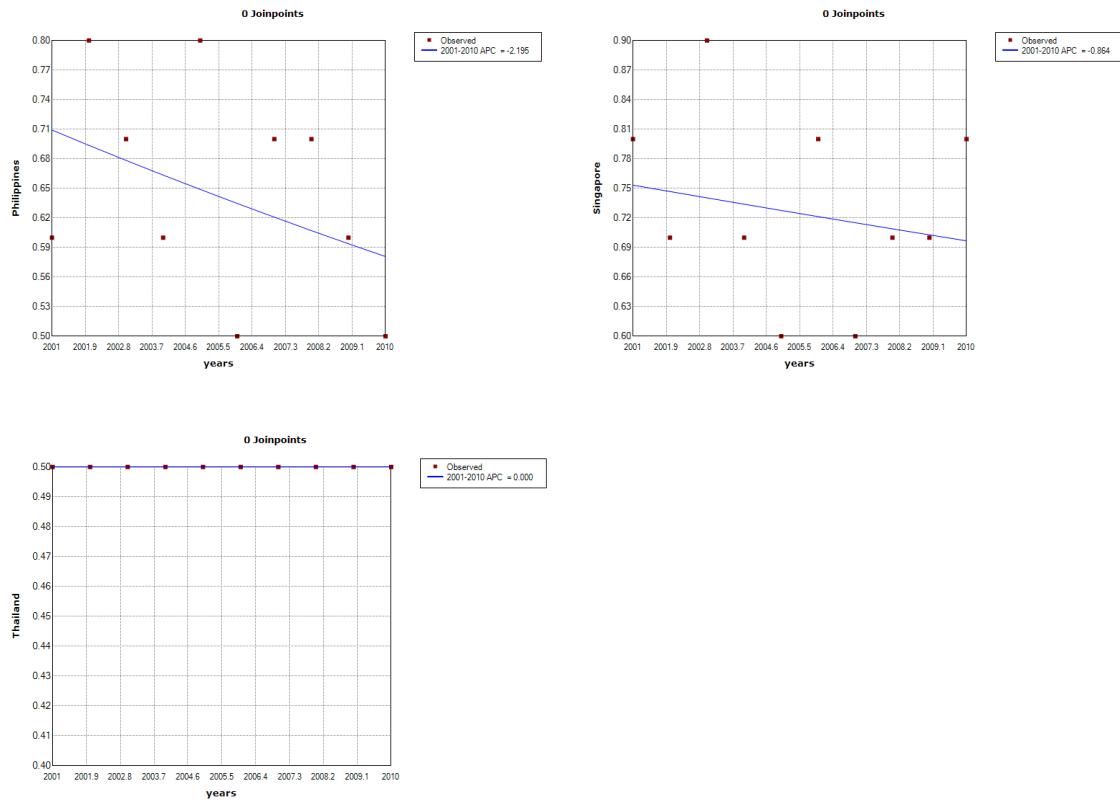
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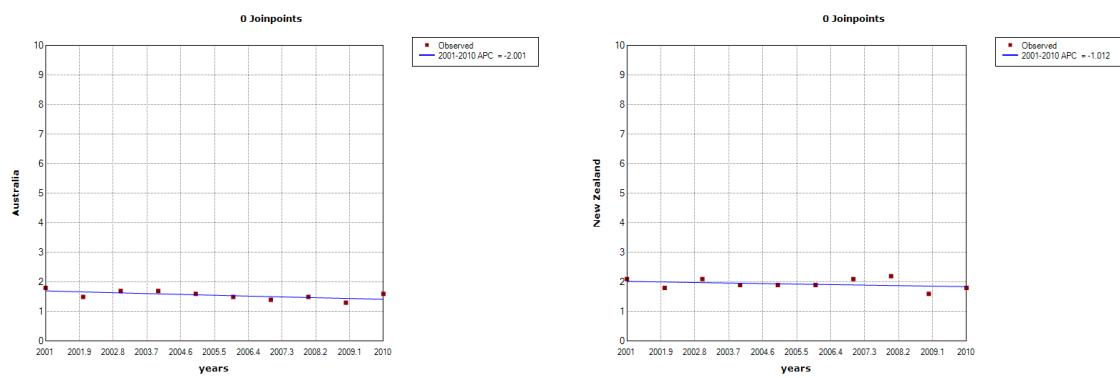
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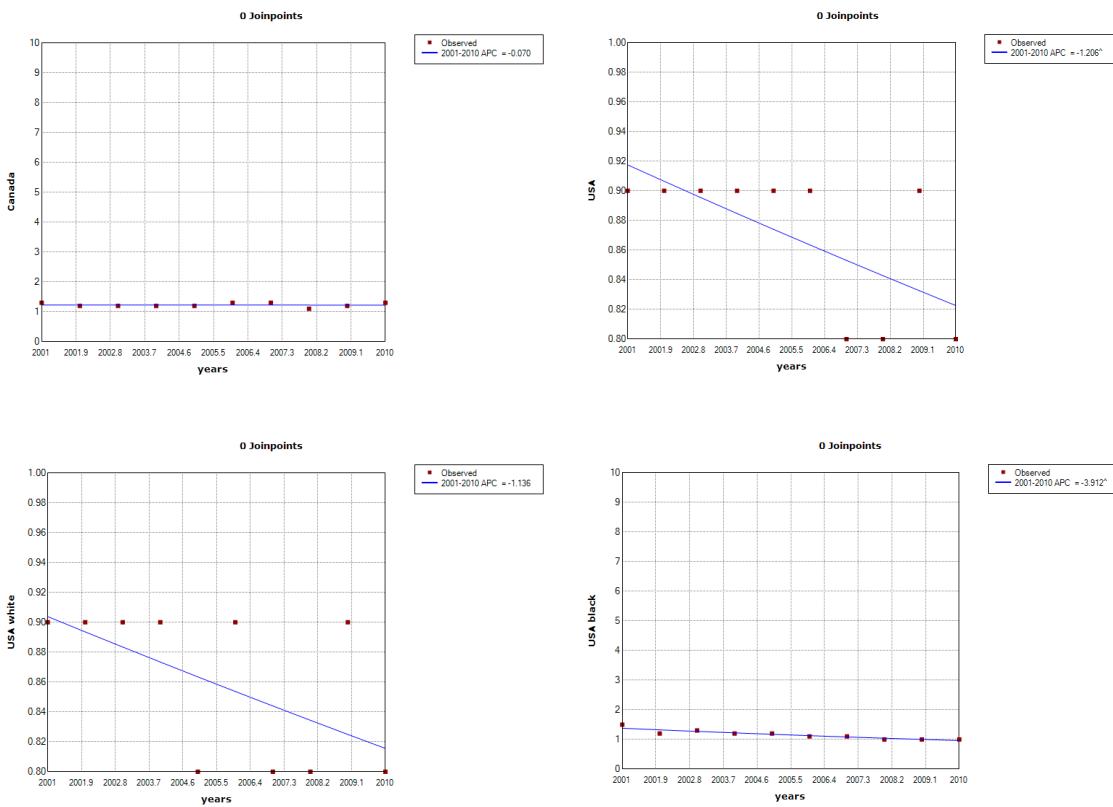




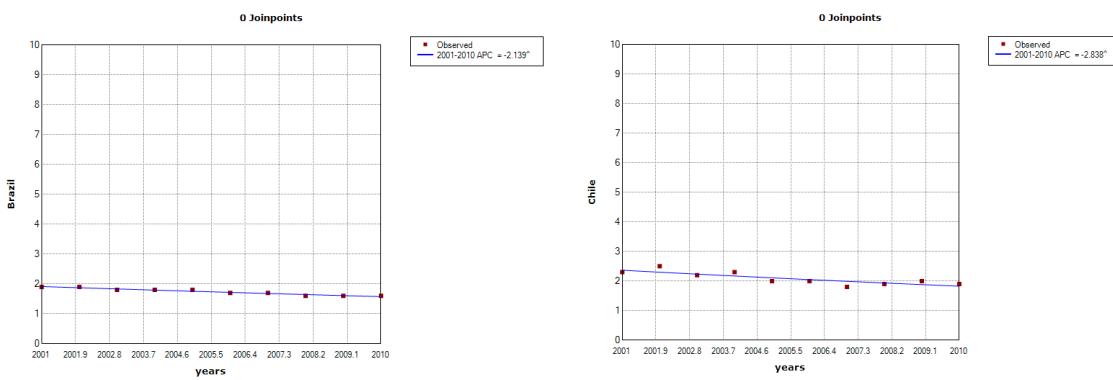
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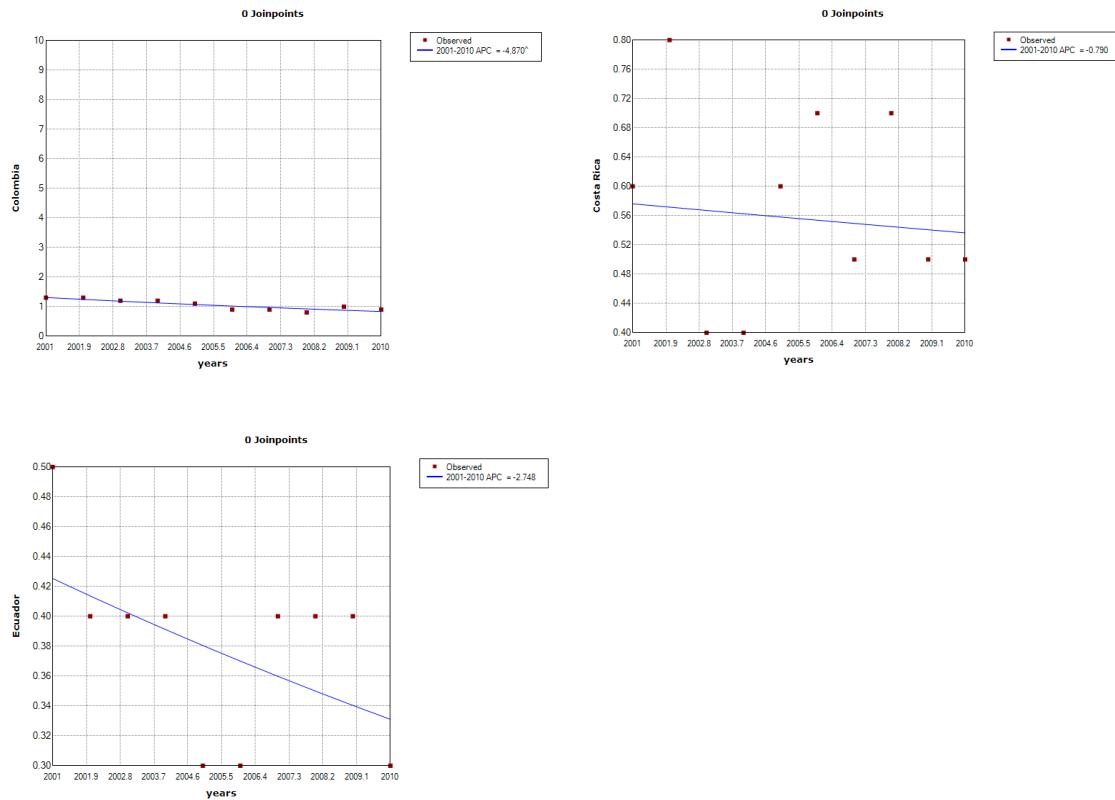


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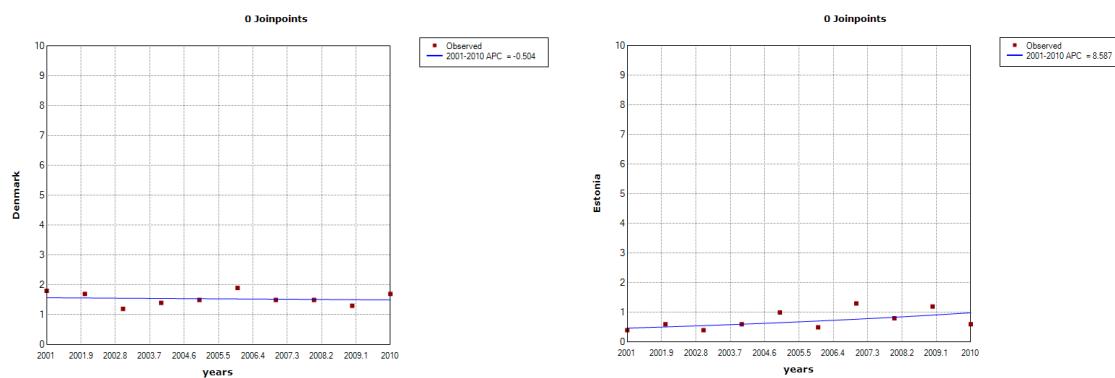


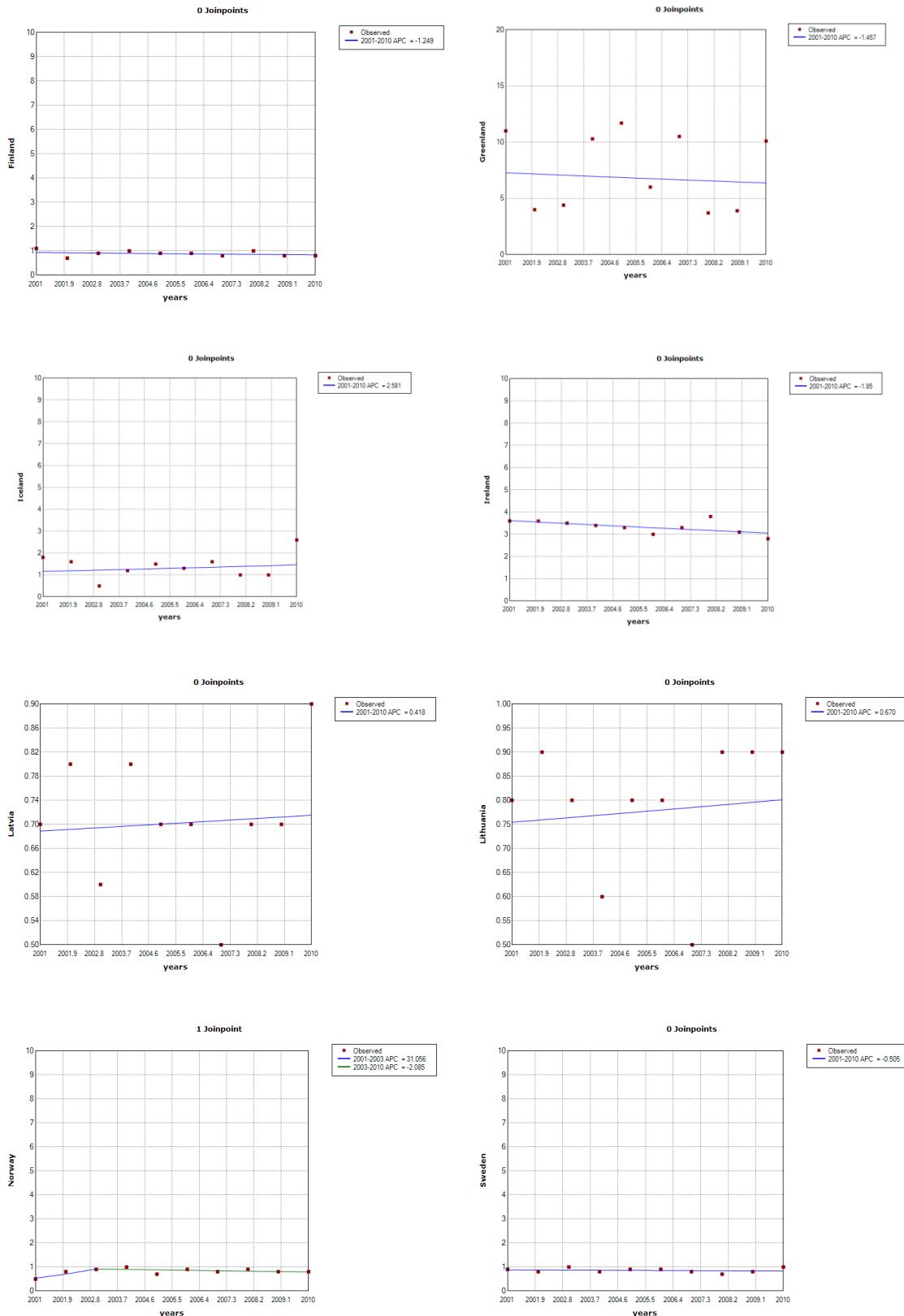
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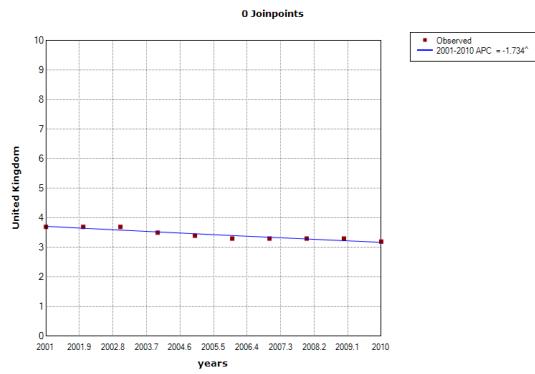




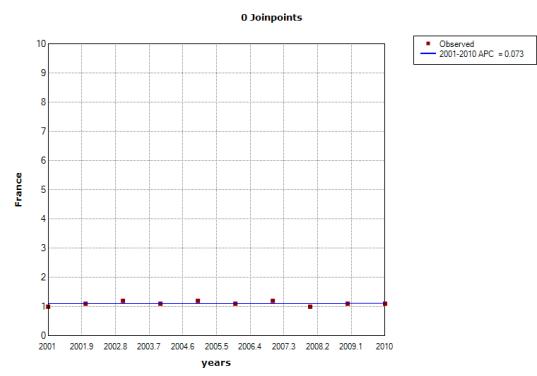
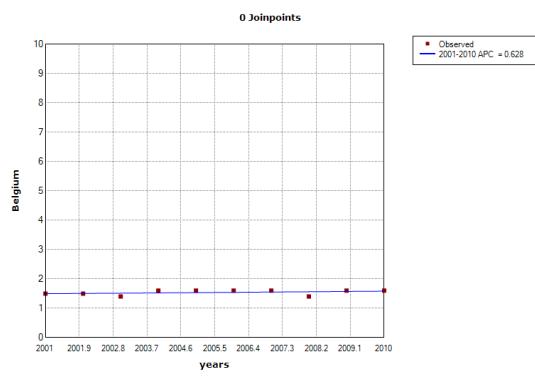
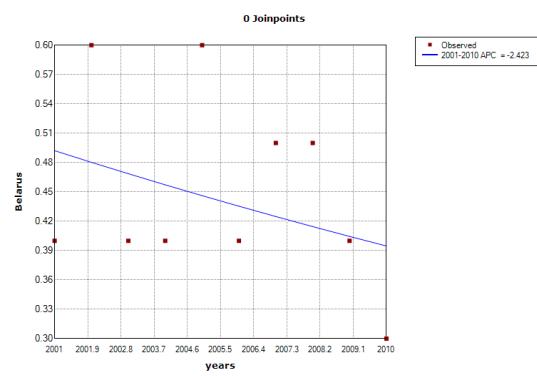
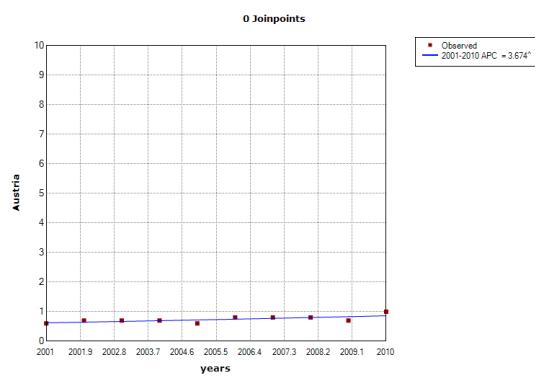
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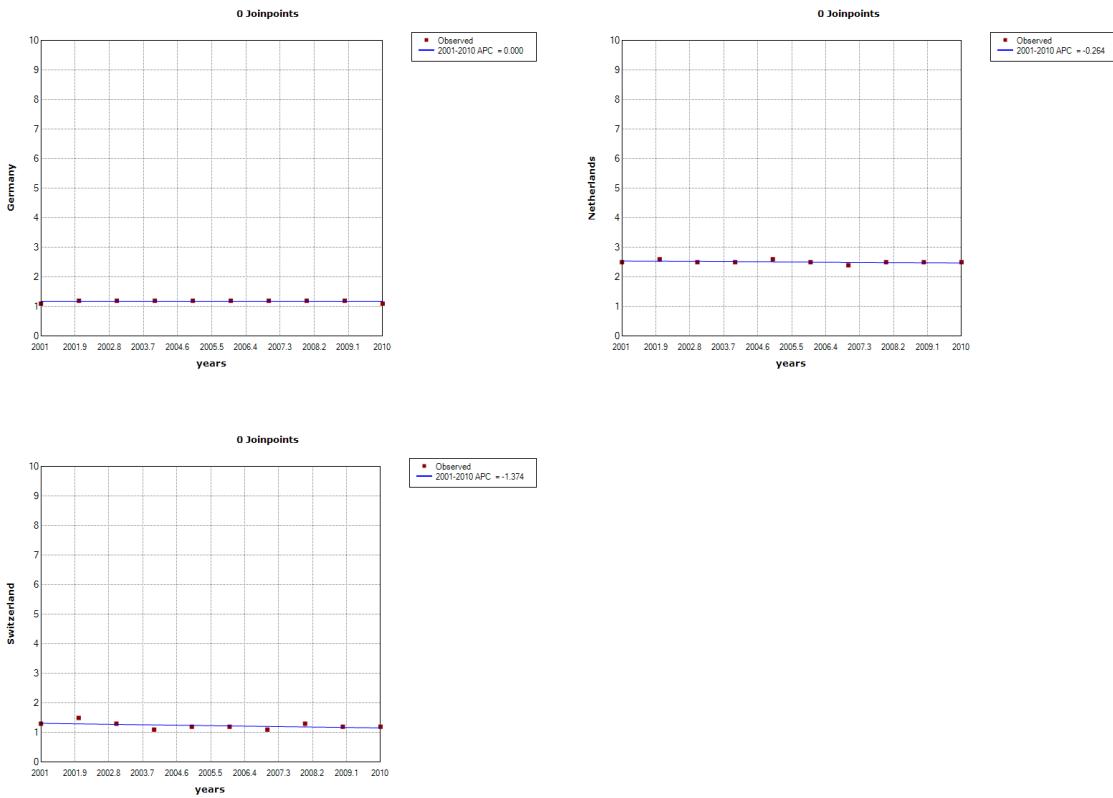




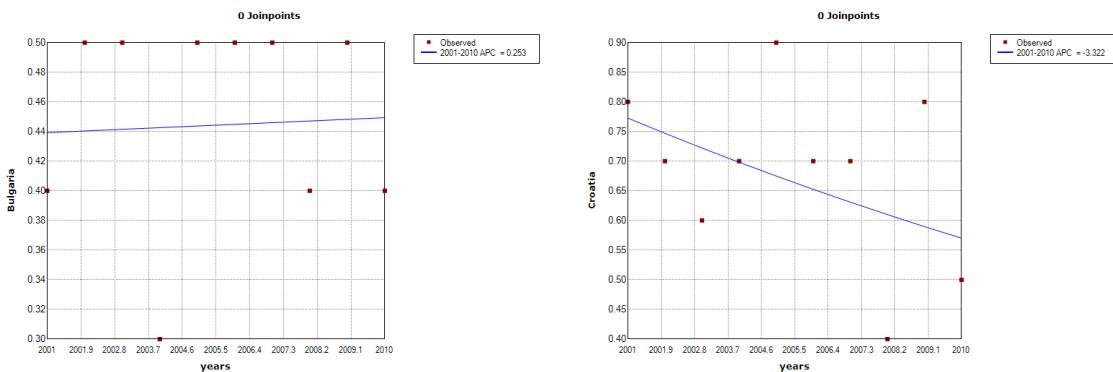


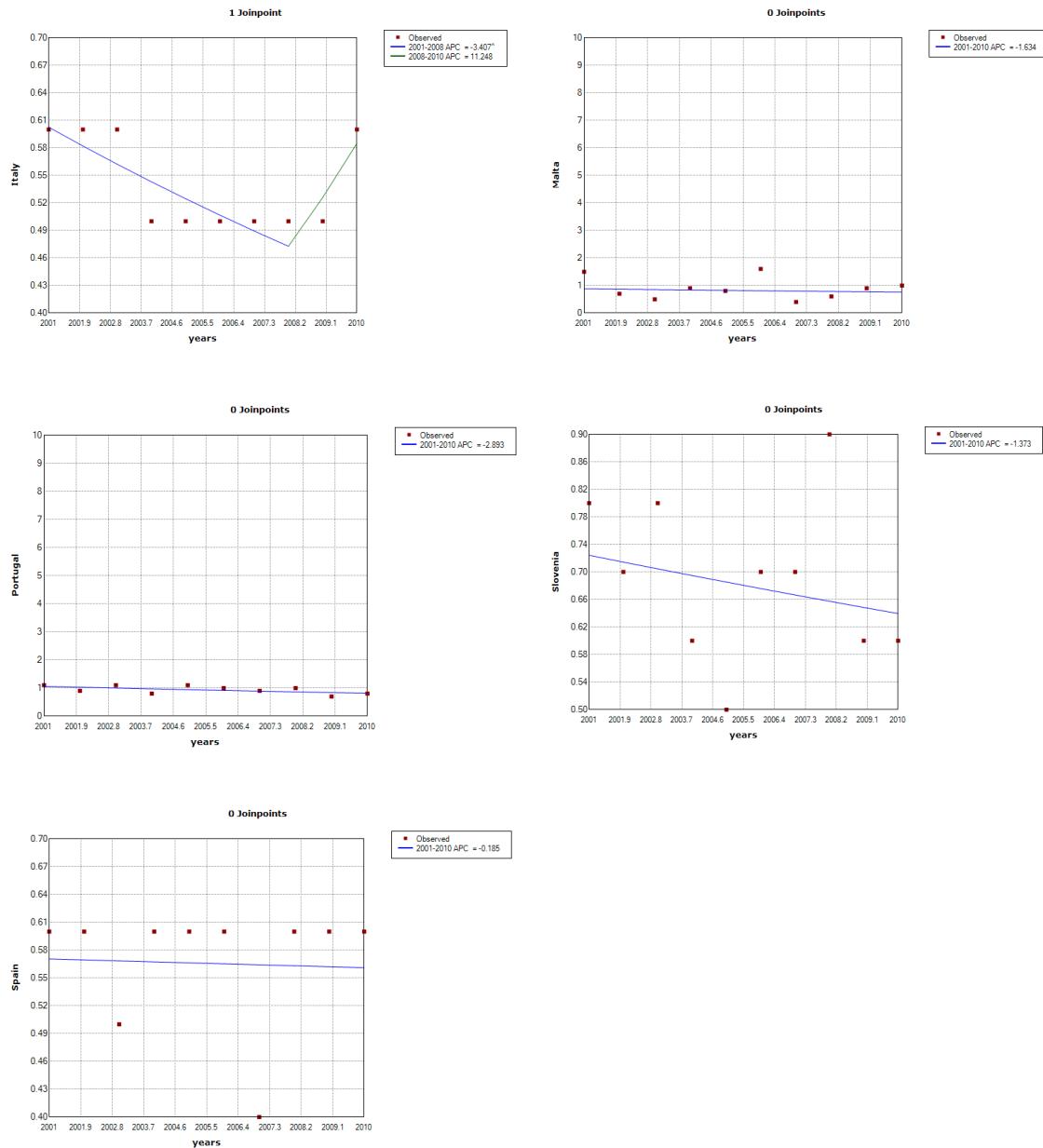
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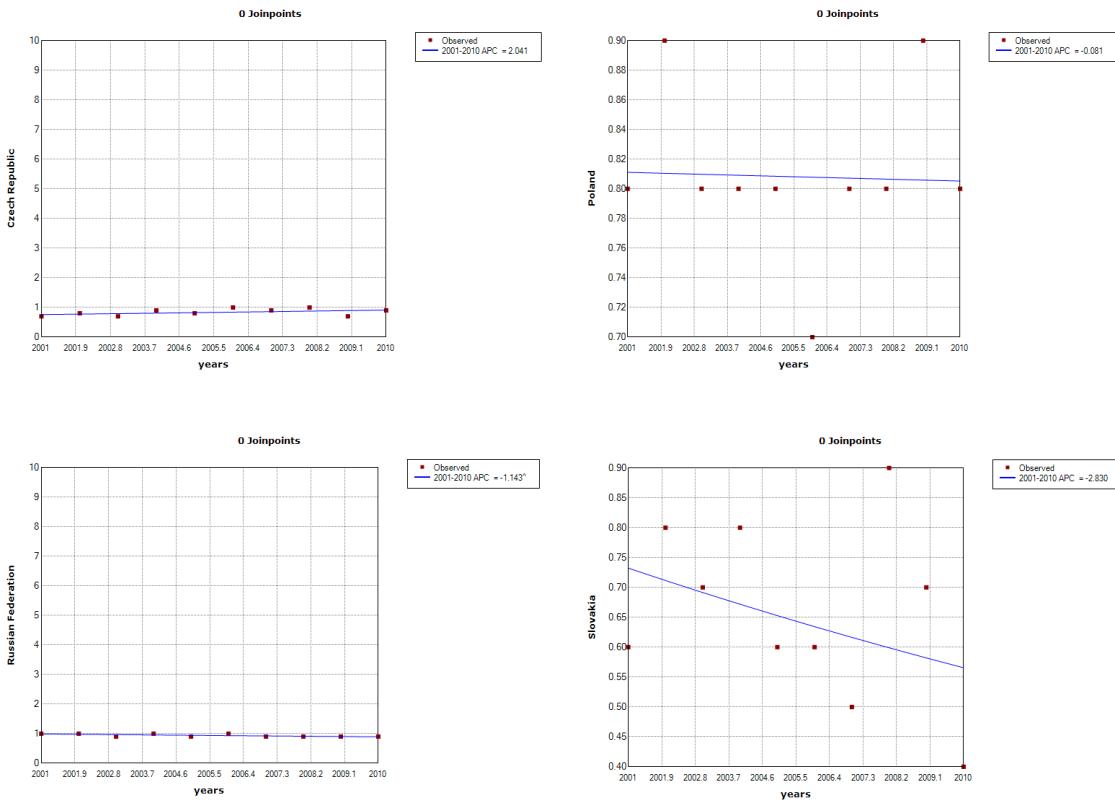


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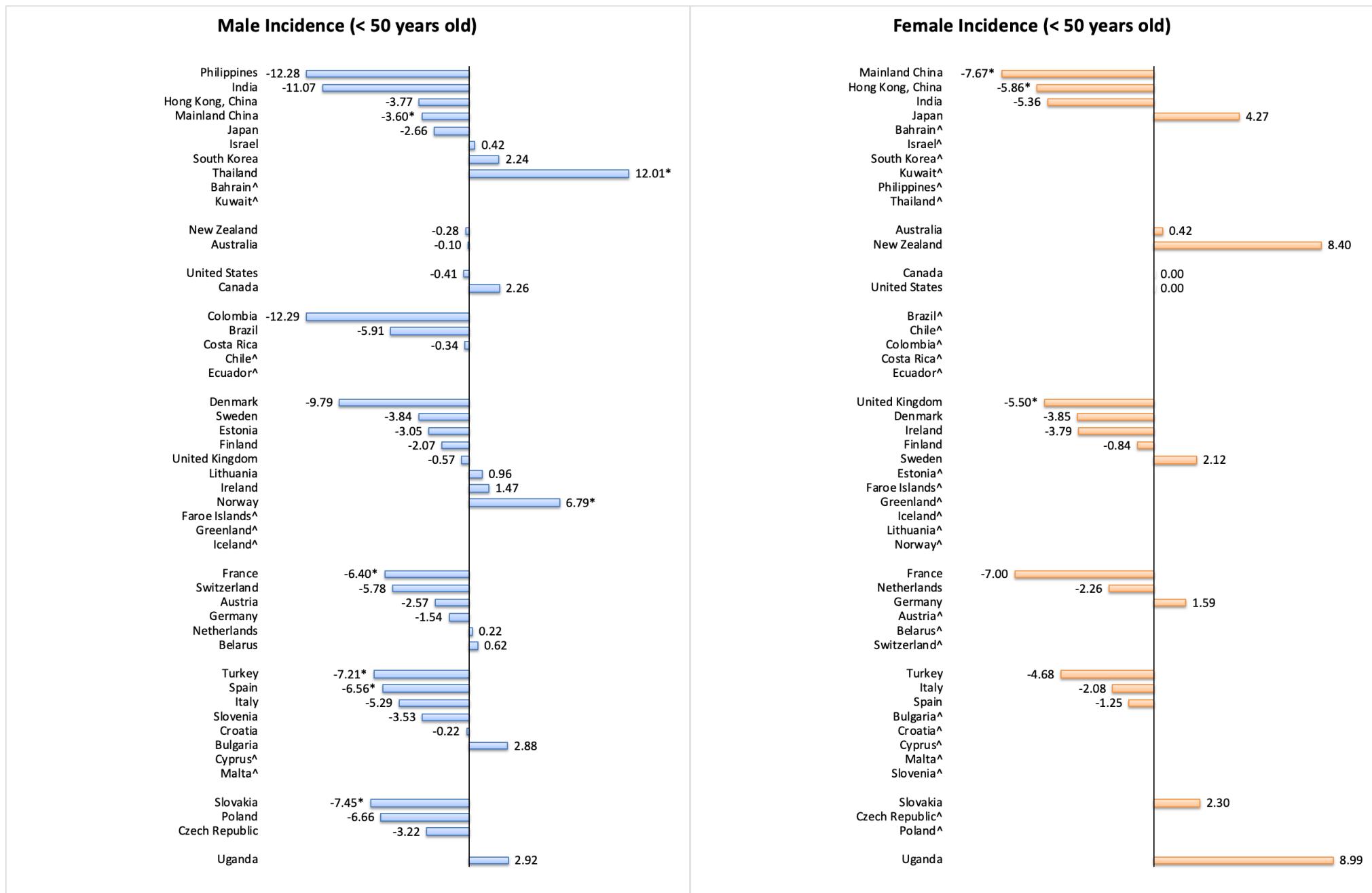




## Eastern Europe



**Figure S3. The AAPC of the incidence of esophageal cancer in individuals aged < 50 years**



AAPC, annual percentage change; \*p values less than 0.05; ^AAPC for these countries could not be generated as zero or missing values were identified in any year of trend analysis; The 95% confidence intervals and p values for the tests of AAPC were presented in Table S5.