COVID-19: Period shock or new mortality regime?

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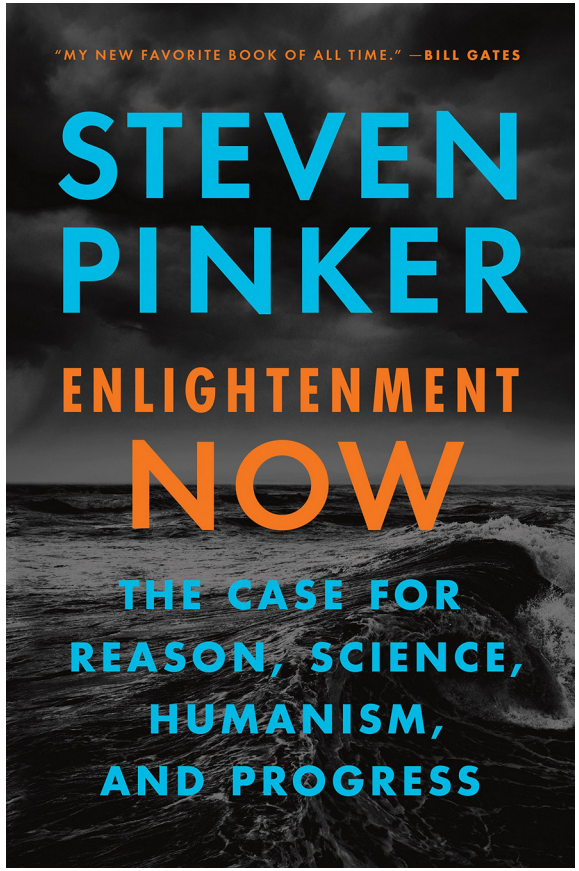

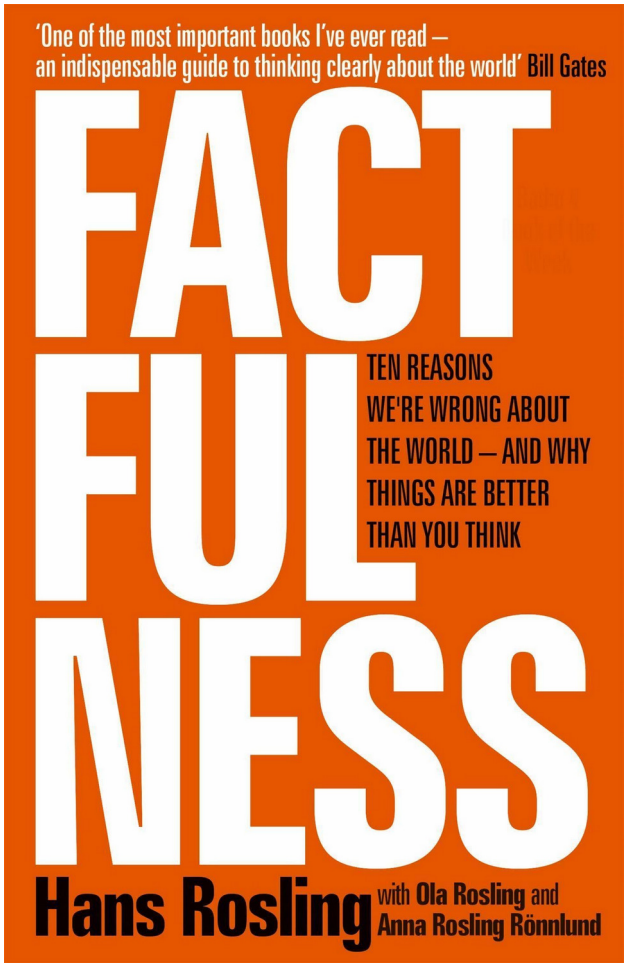

Max Rosling (1948-2017)

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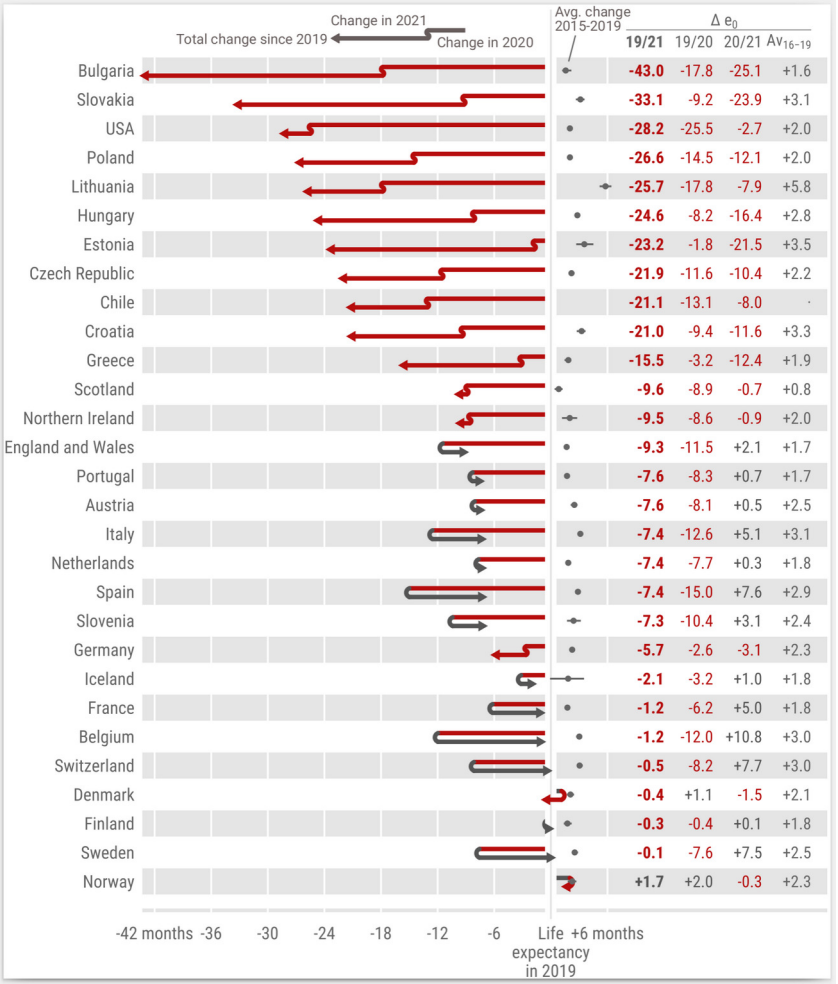

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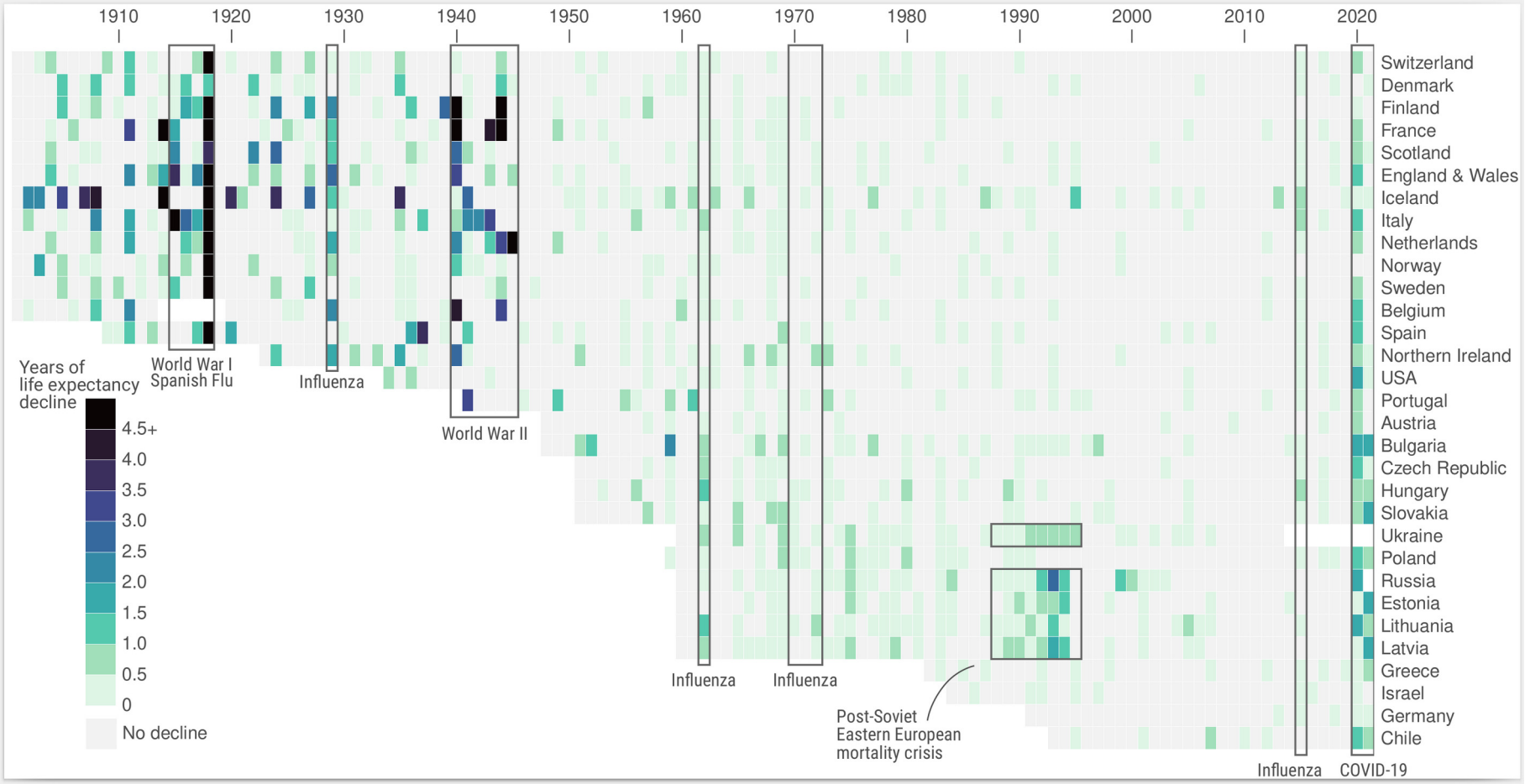

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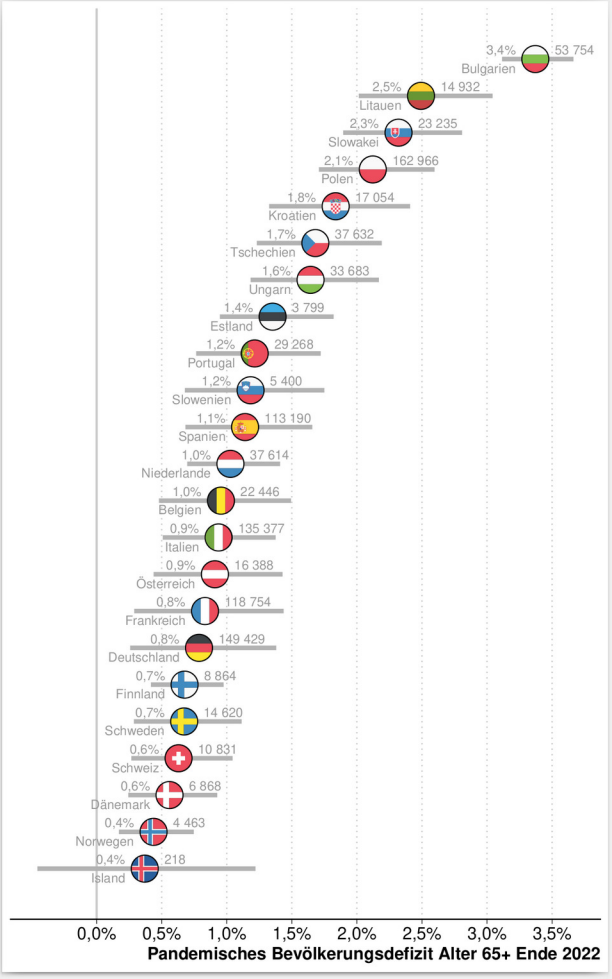

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Life expectancy deficits
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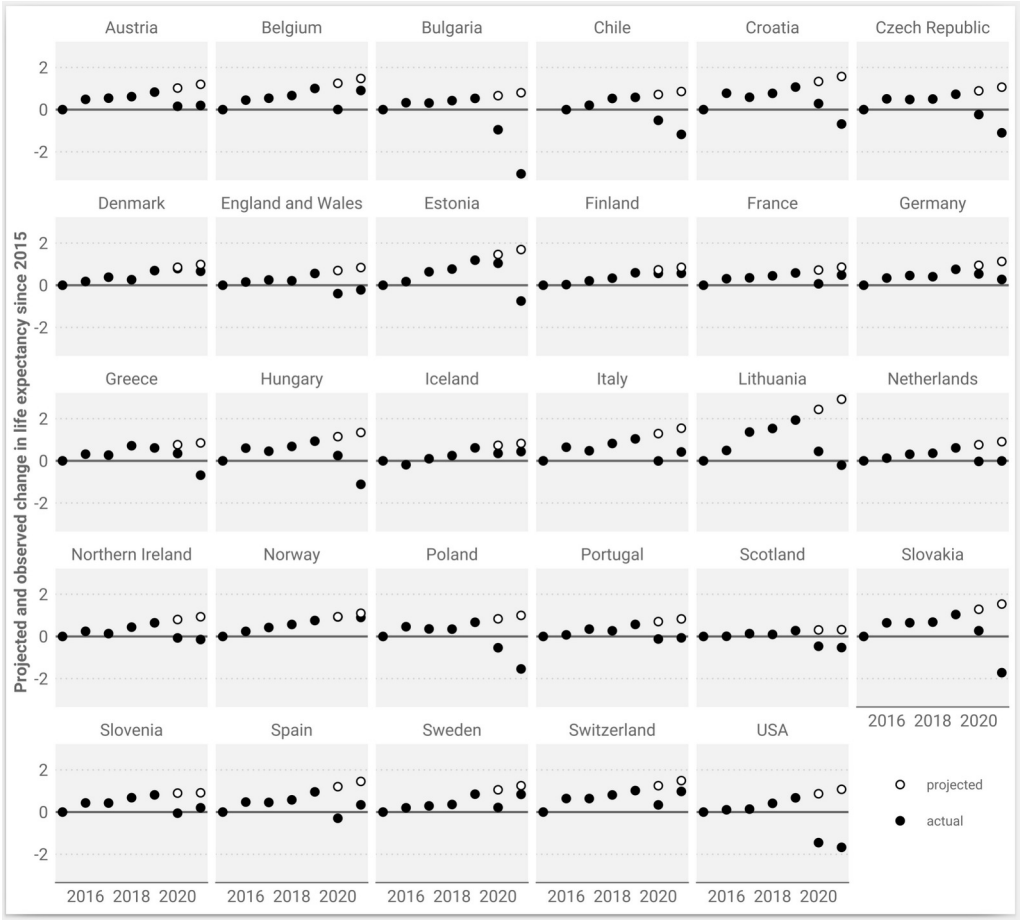

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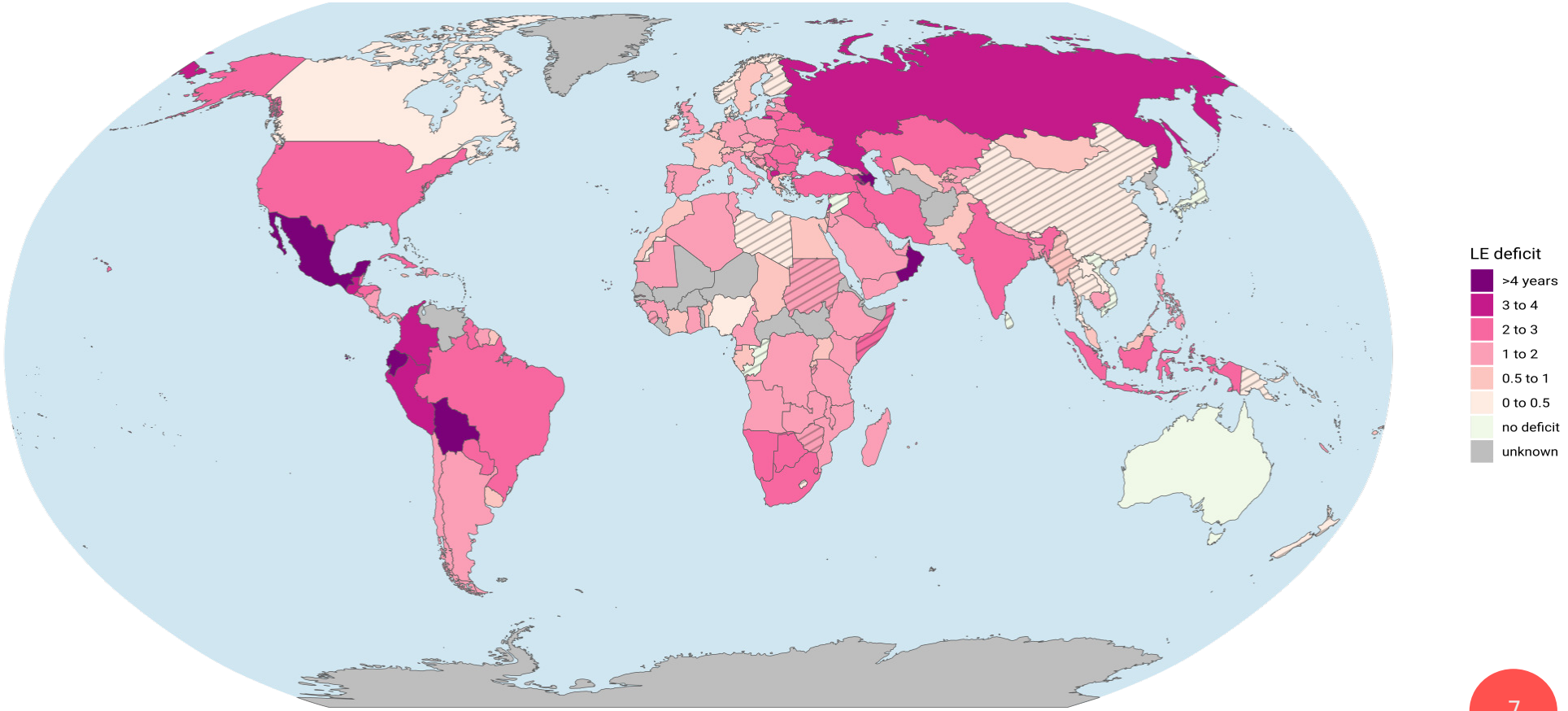
Life expectancy deficits 20/21

Derived from WPP2022 via Poisson-Lee-Carter counterfactual. Hatching indicates non-significant deficit.



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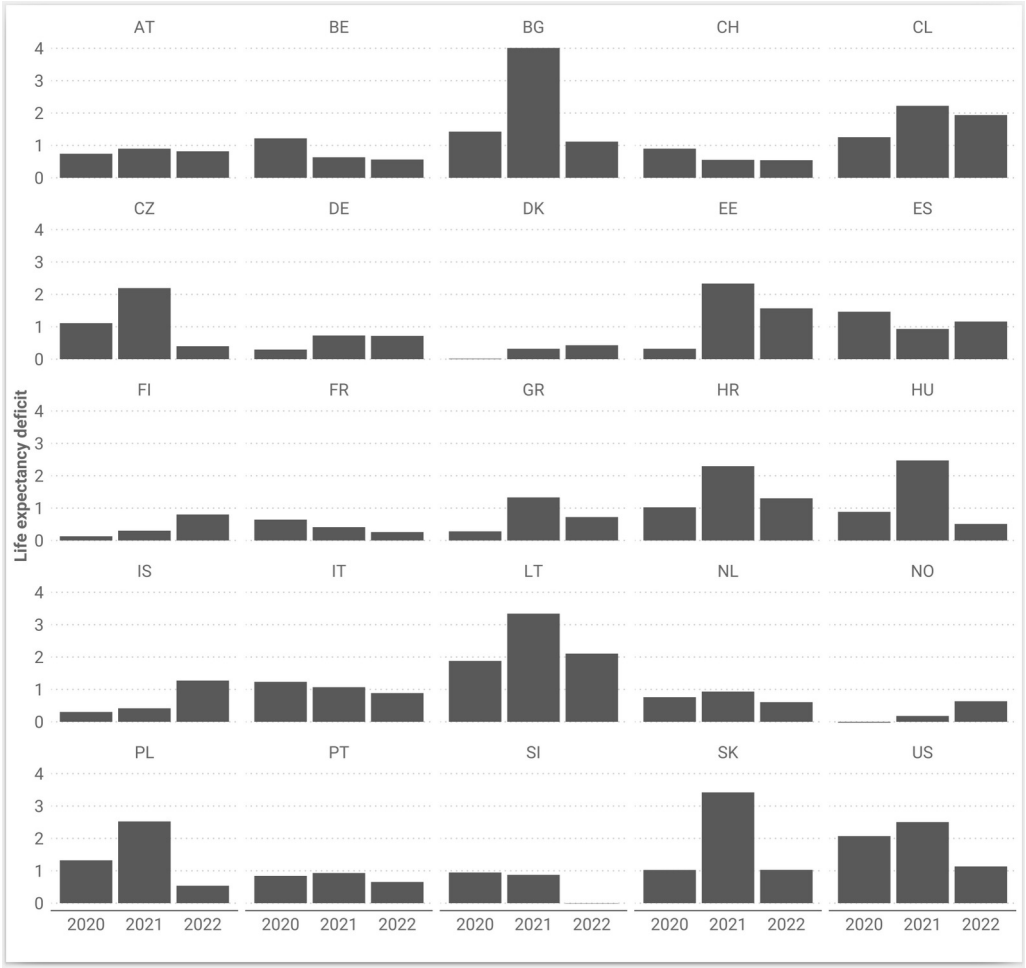

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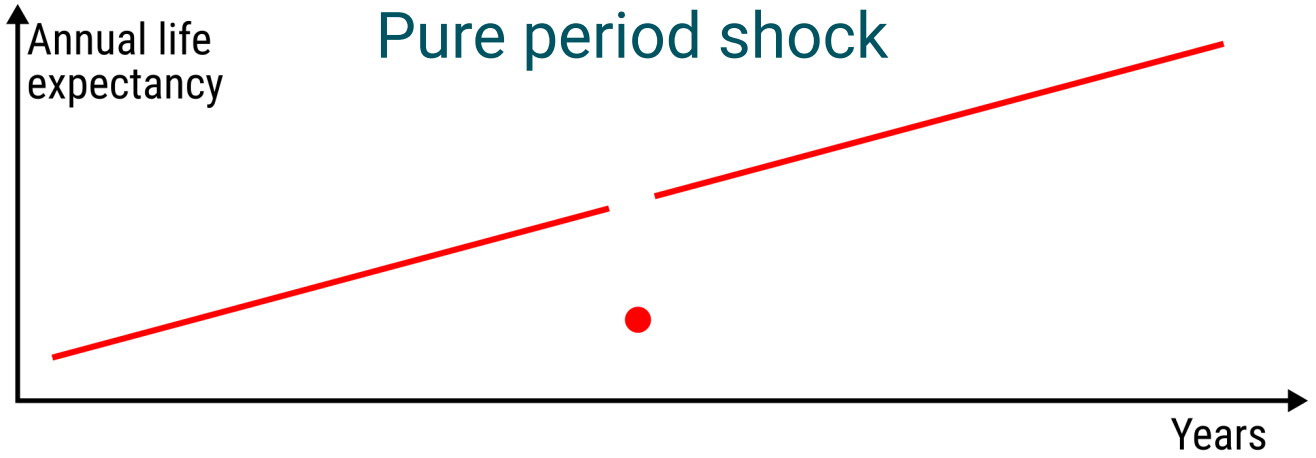

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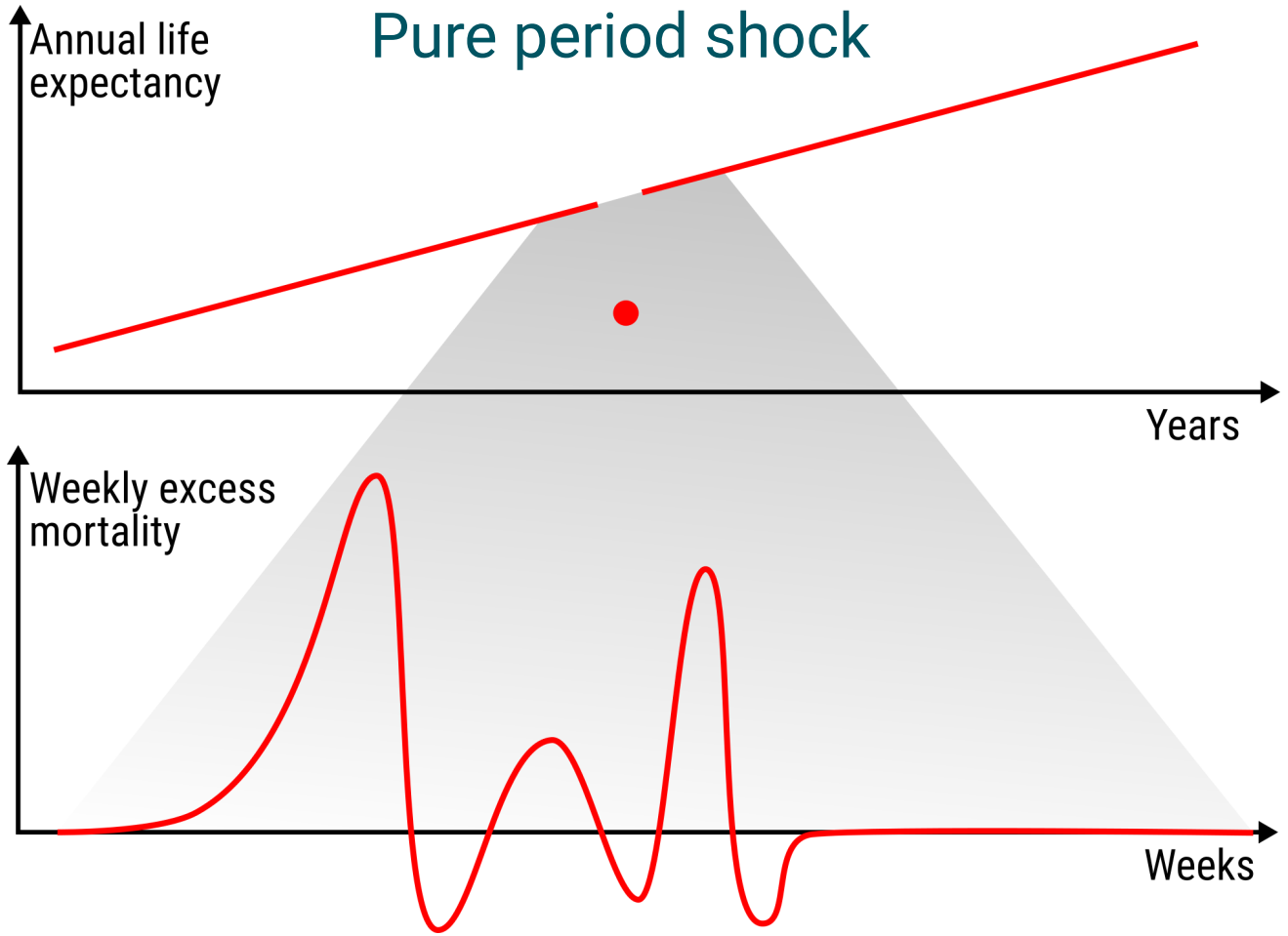

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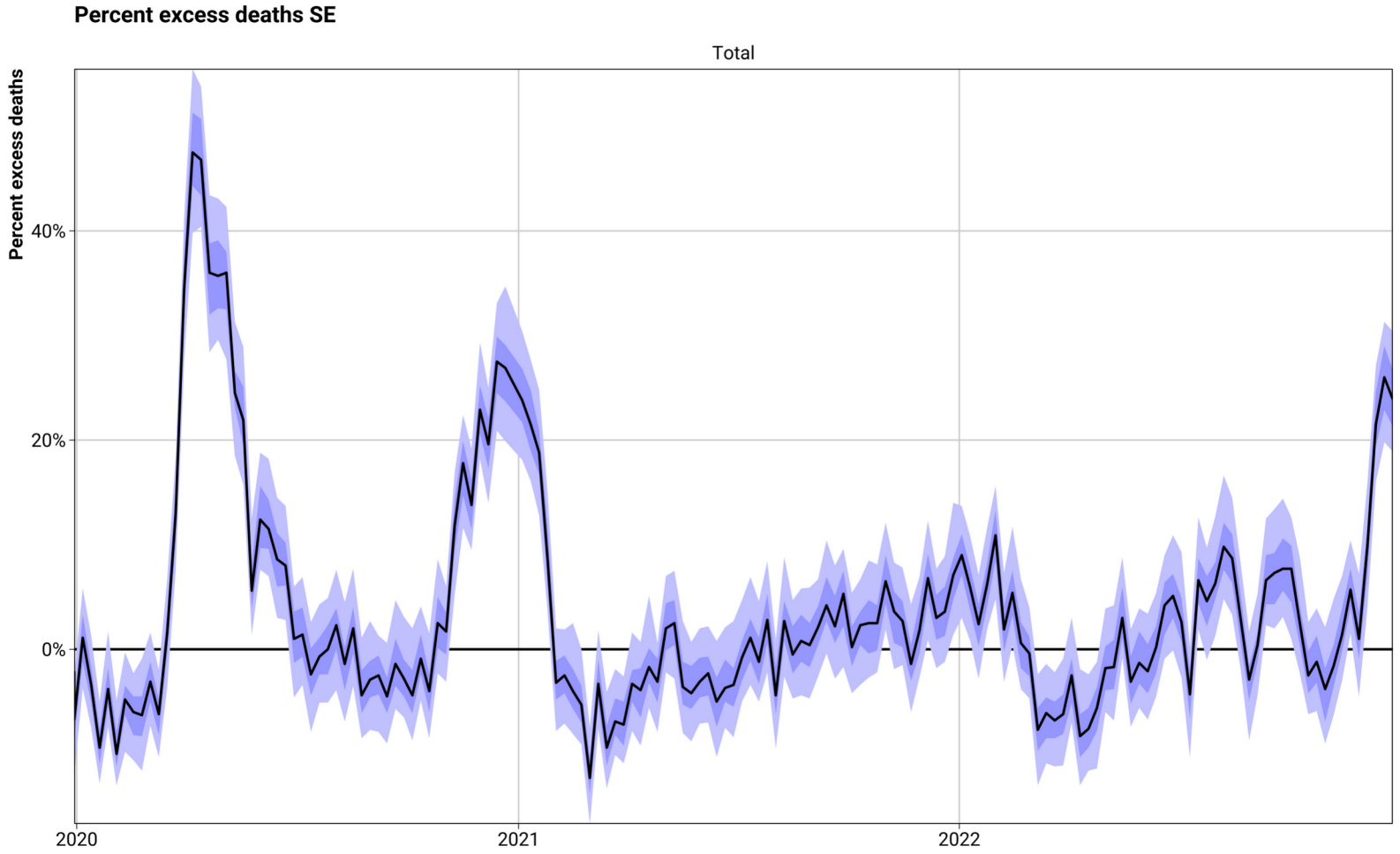

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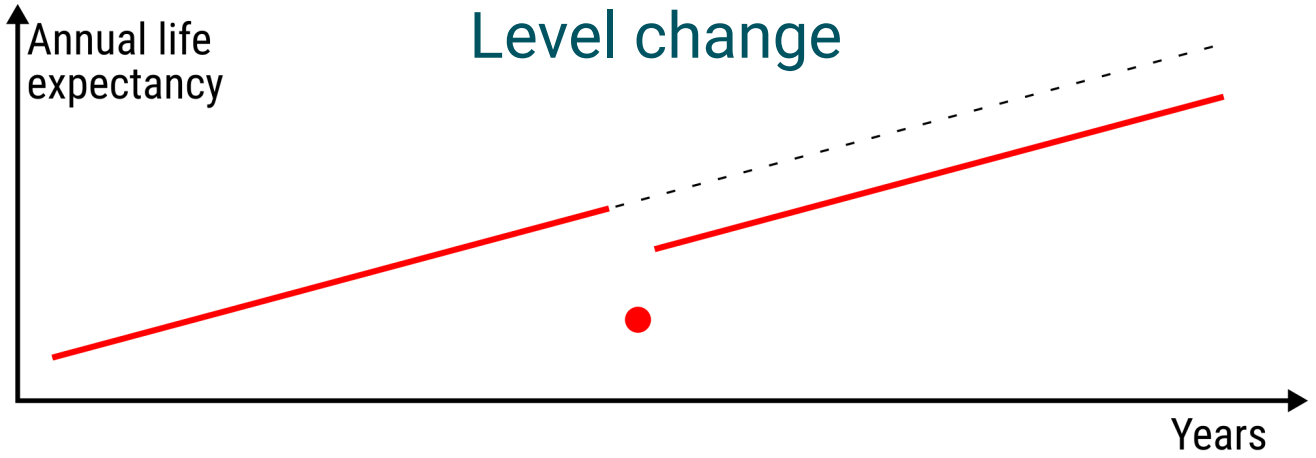

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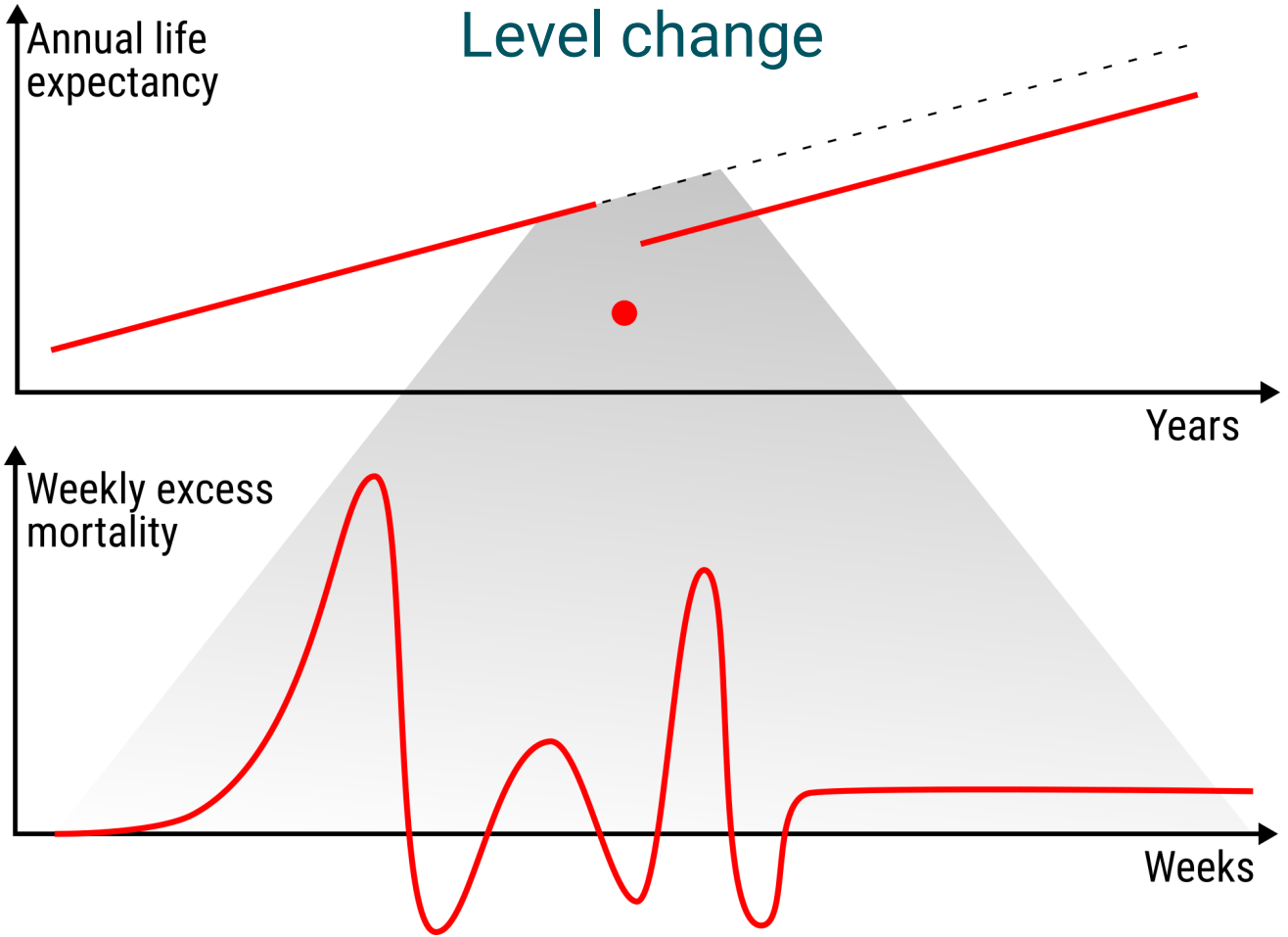

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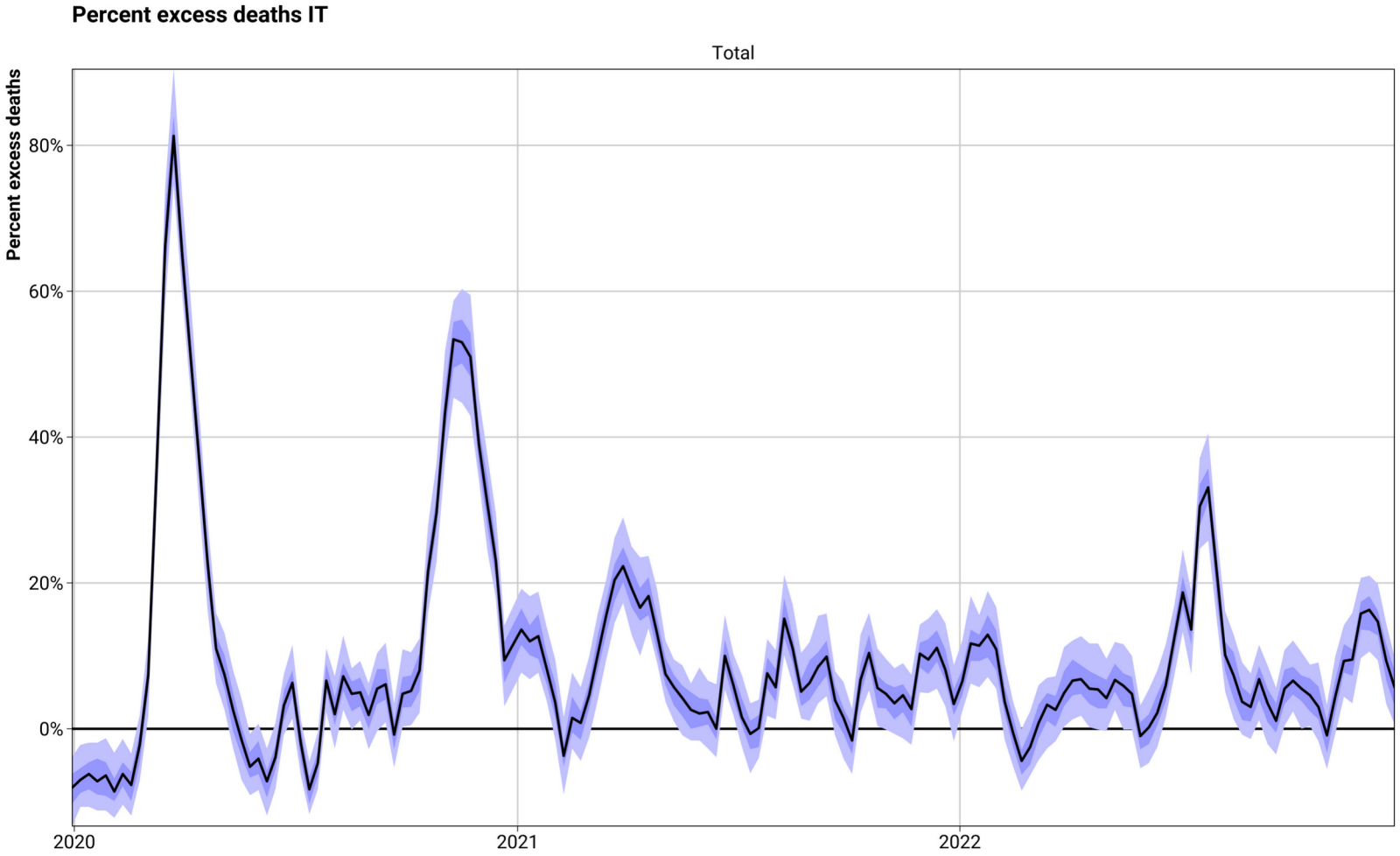

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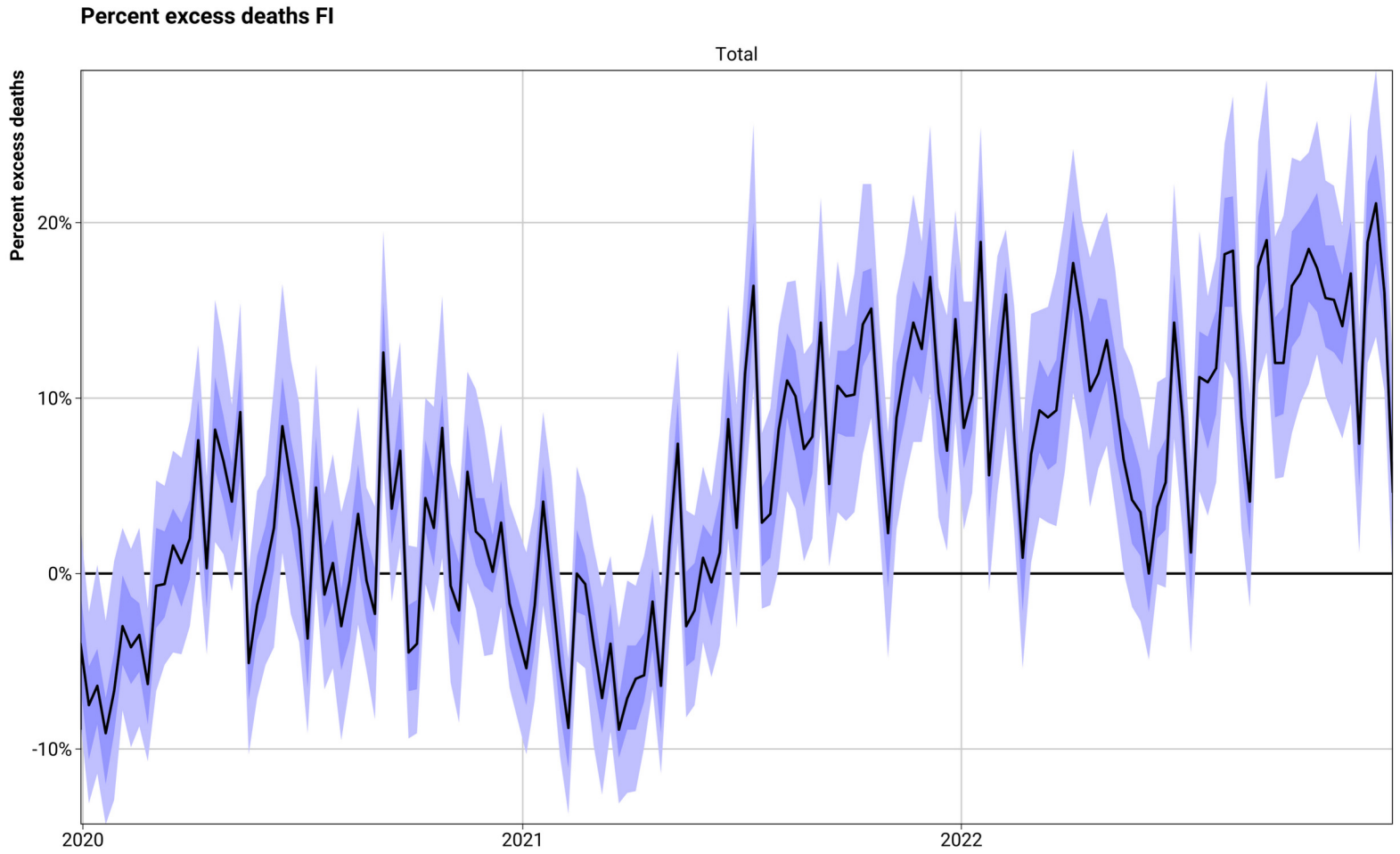

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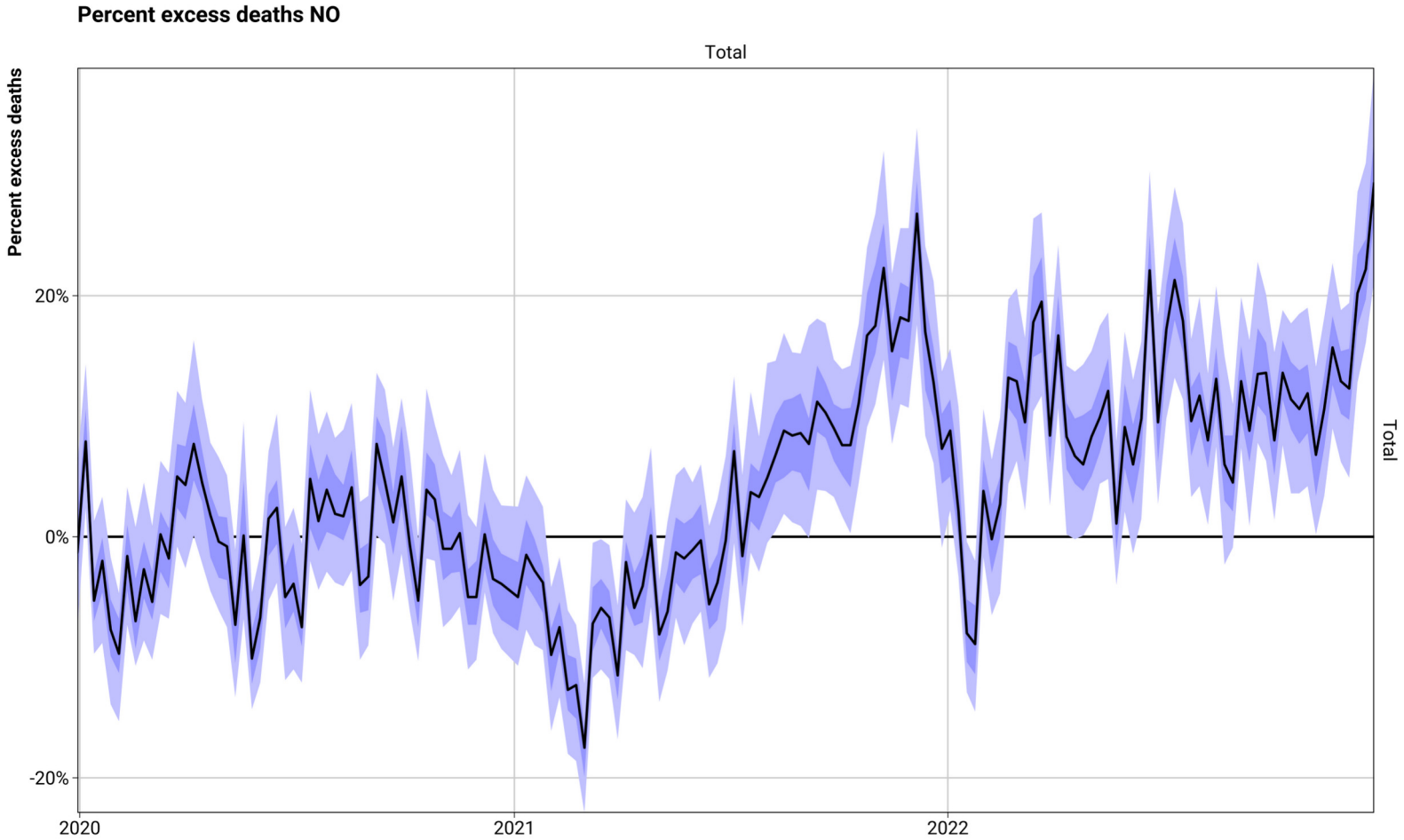

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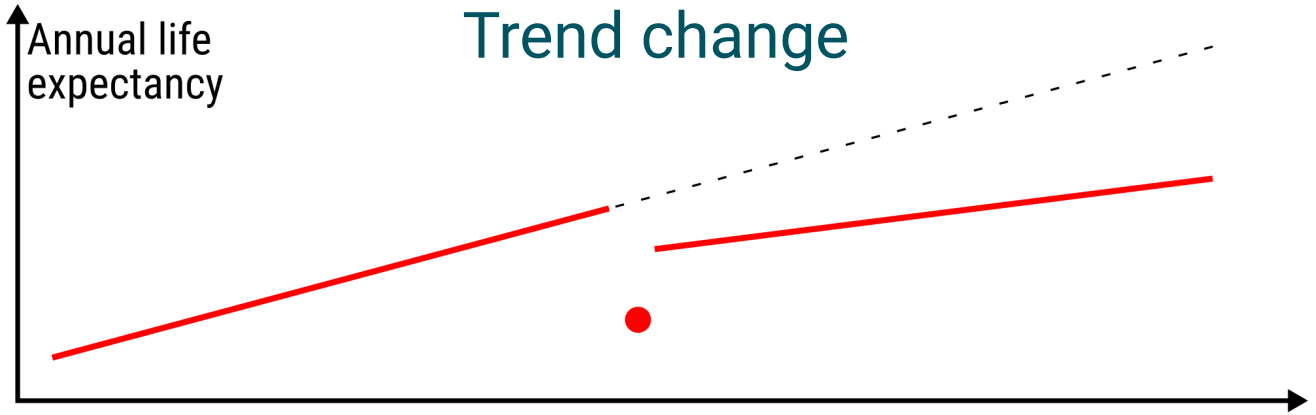

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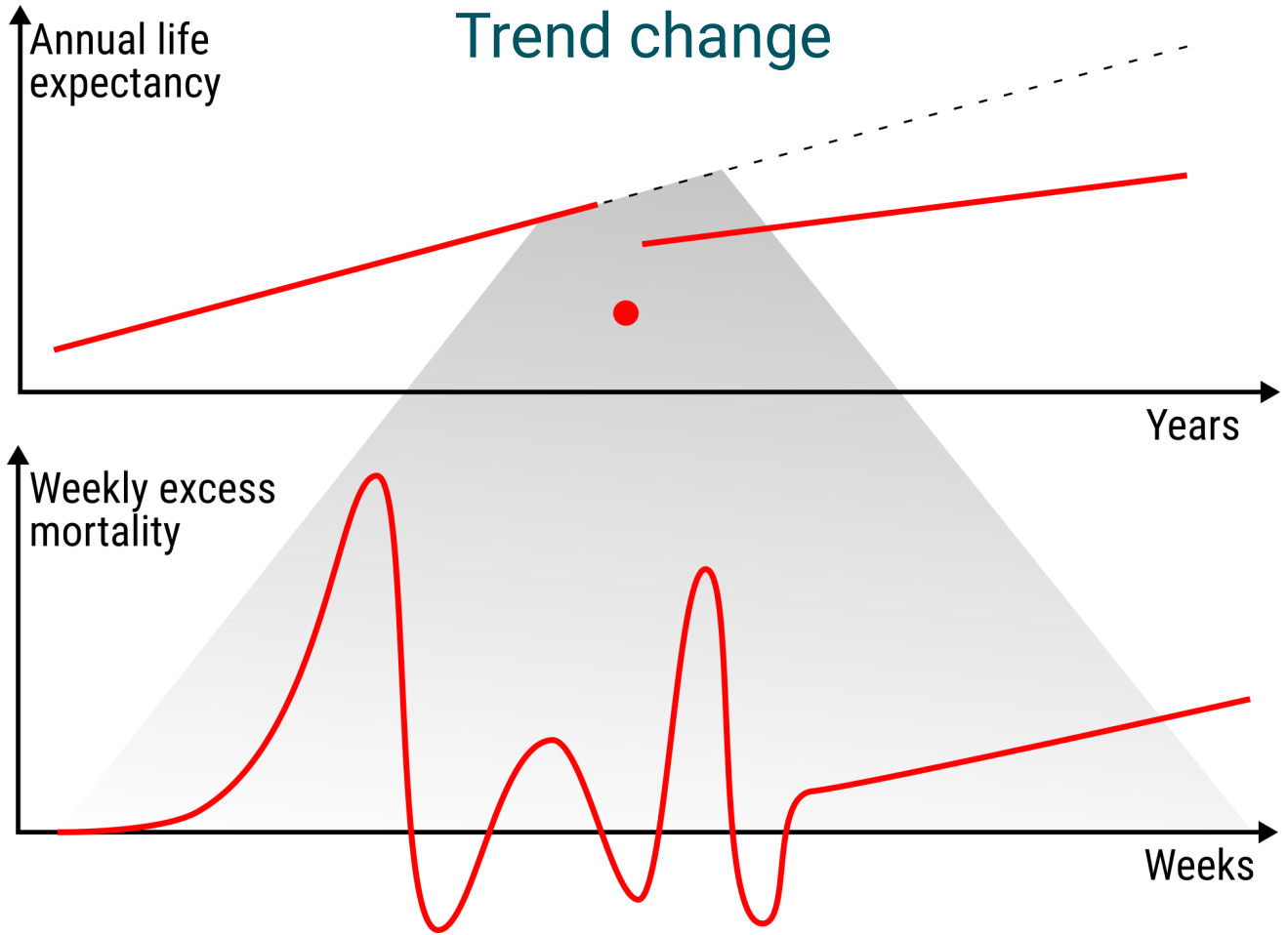

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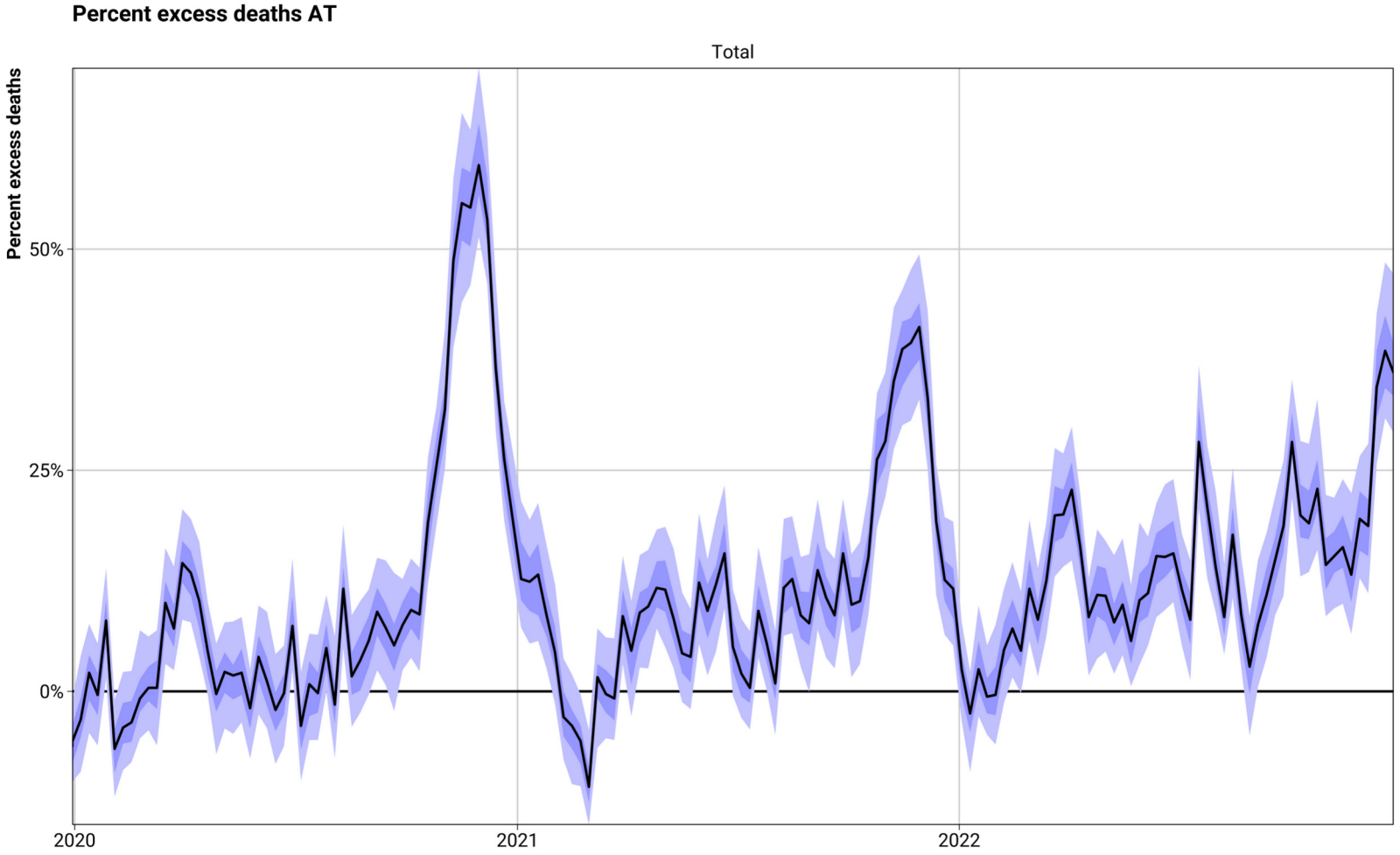

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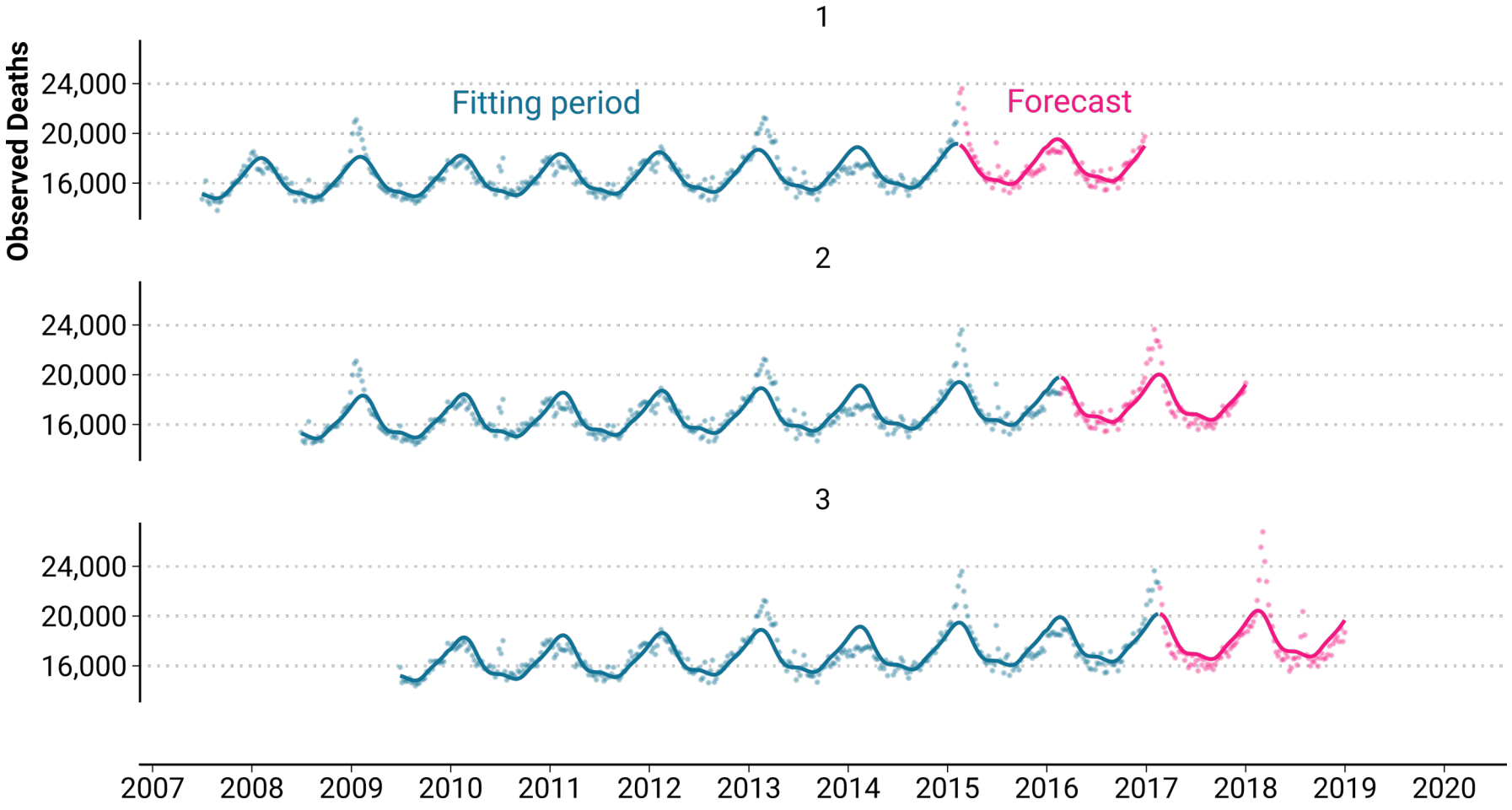

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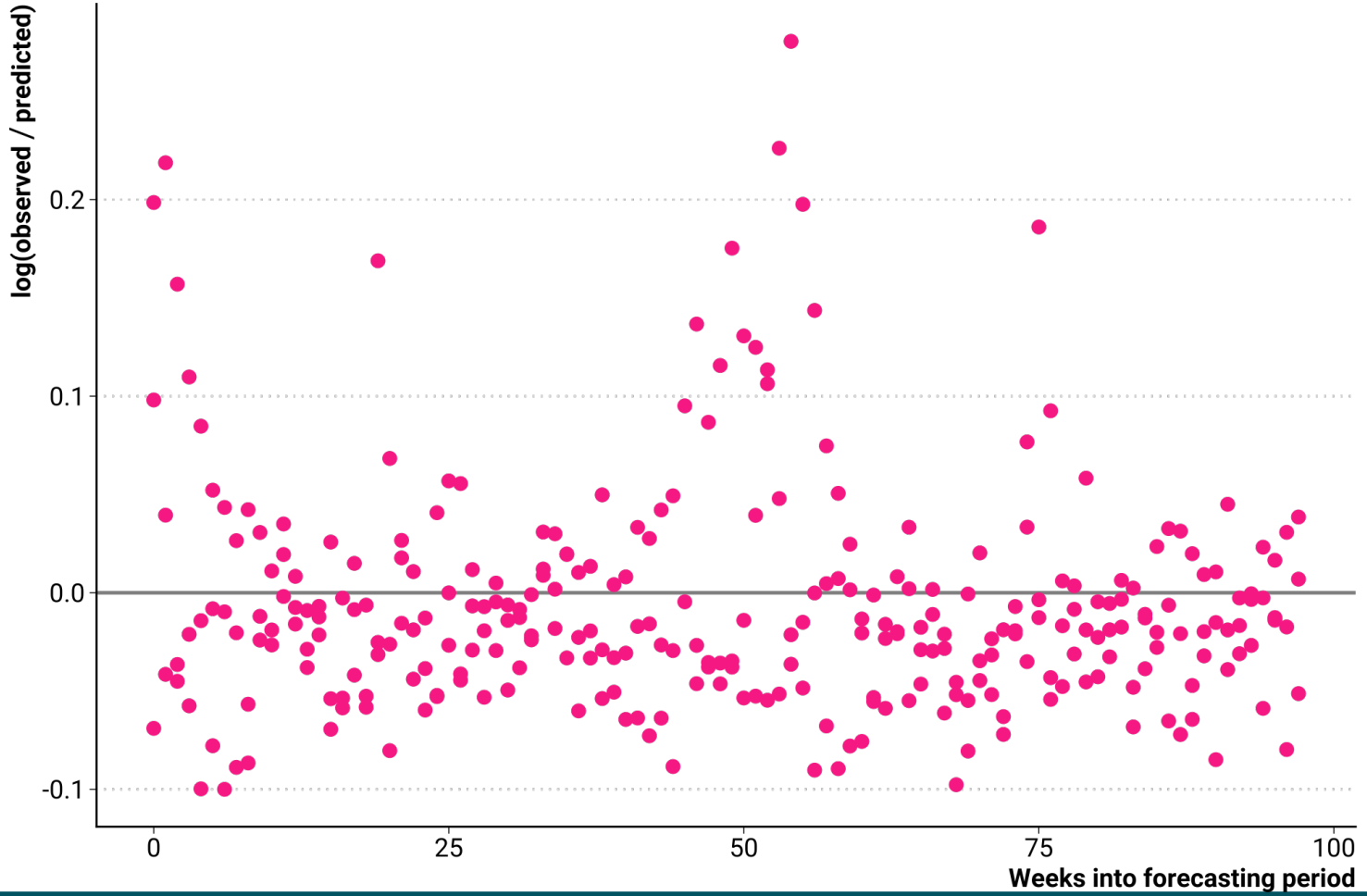

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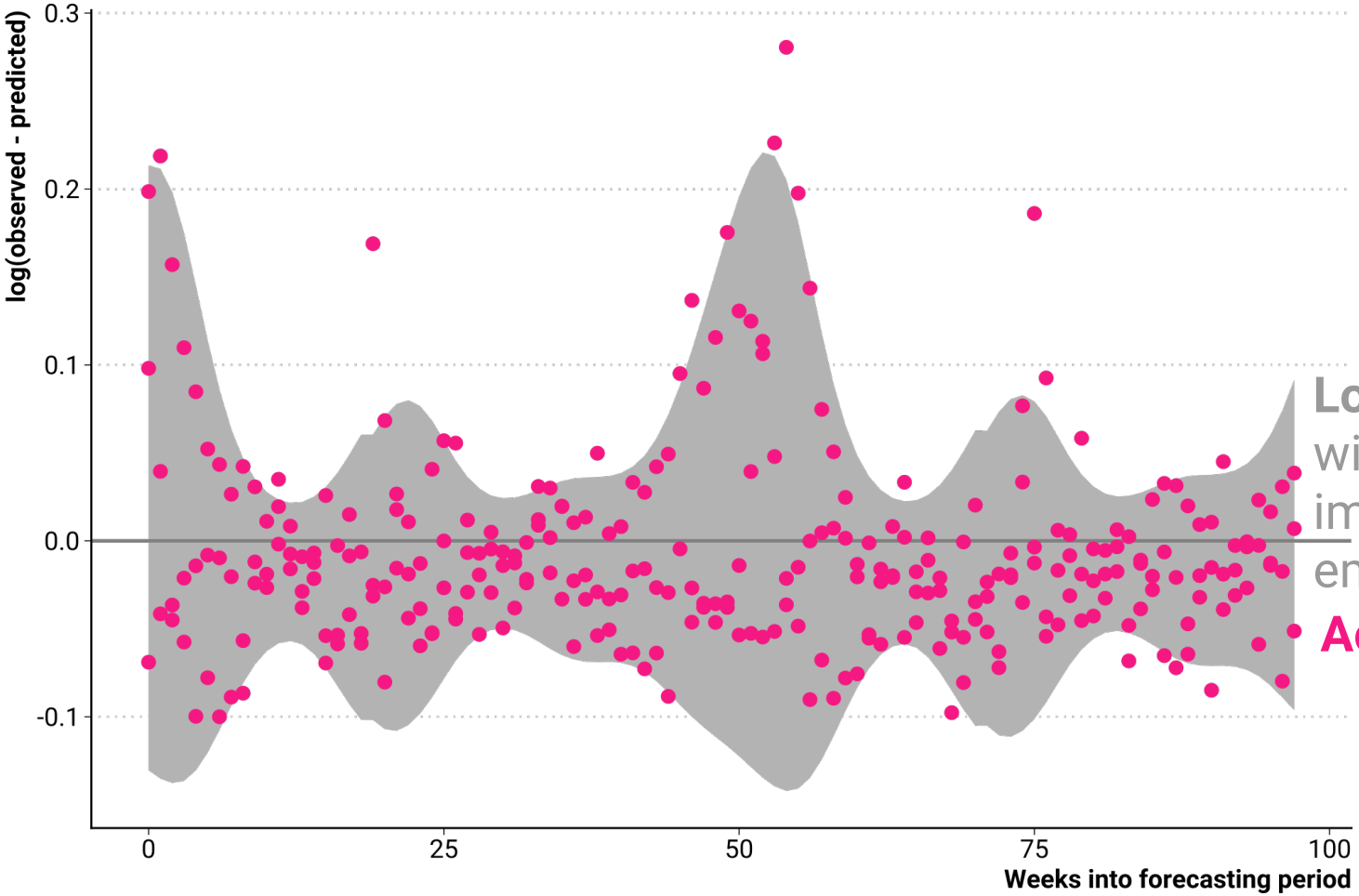

log (observed/predicted) ~ Skewed-Normal(μ_t, σ_t, v_t)

$\mu_t = b_{\mu 0}$

$\sigma_t = \exp(b_{\sigma 0} + b_{\sigma t} t + s_\sigma(t))$

$v_t = b_{v0} + s_v(t)$

Log prediction error region with **90% nominal coverage** implied by Skewed-Normal empirical prediction intervals

Actual coverage ~92%

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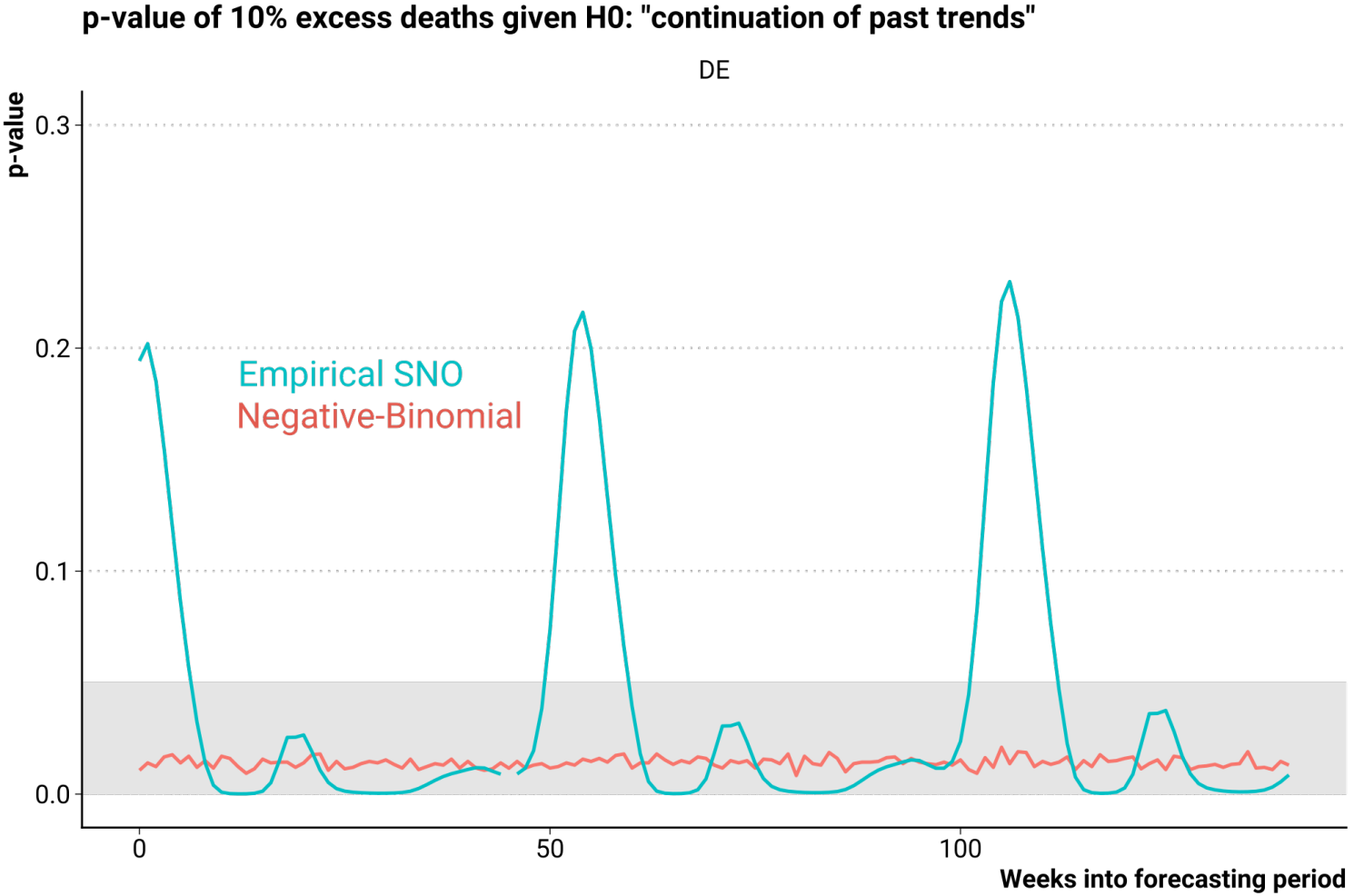

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