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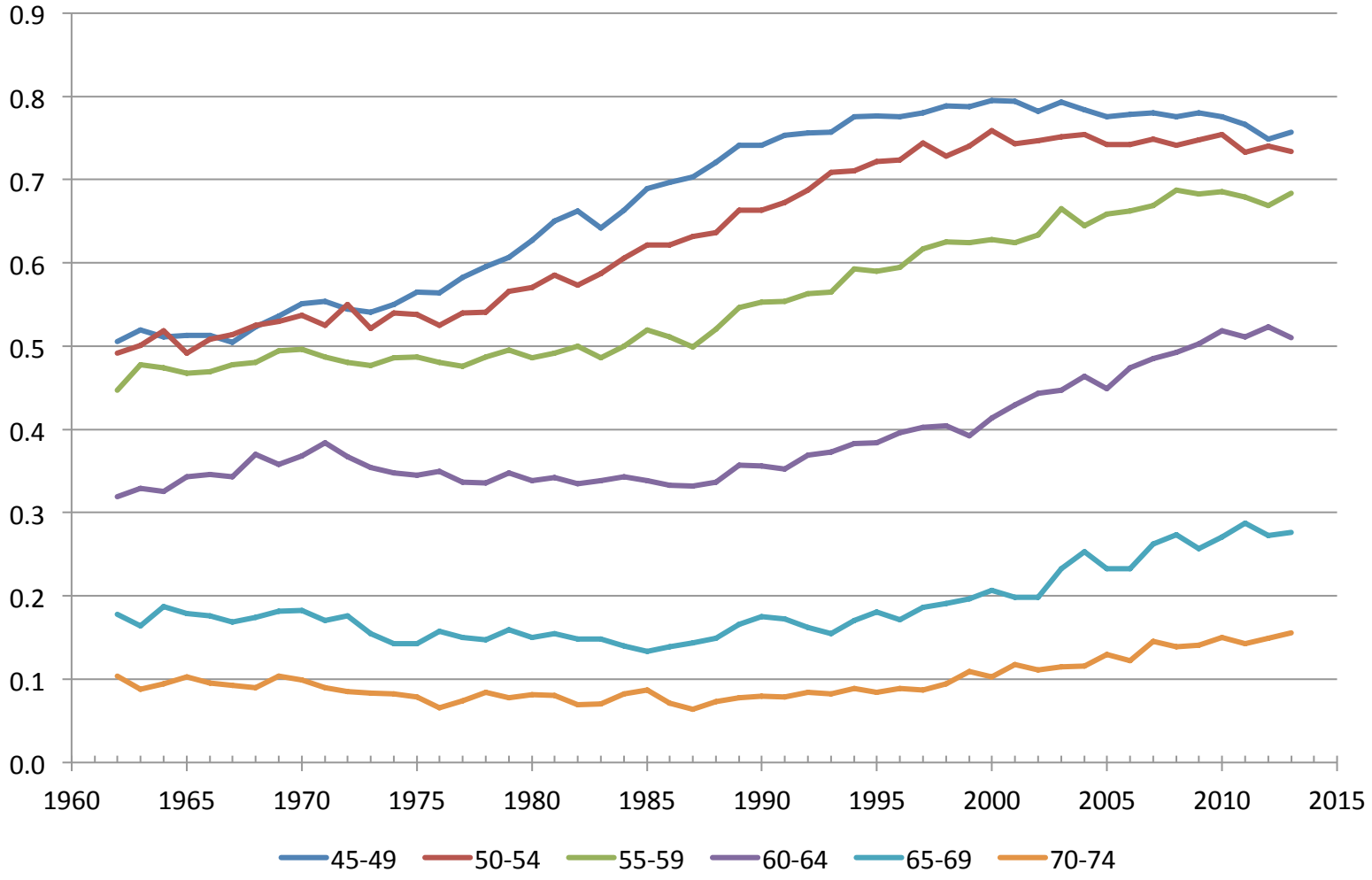

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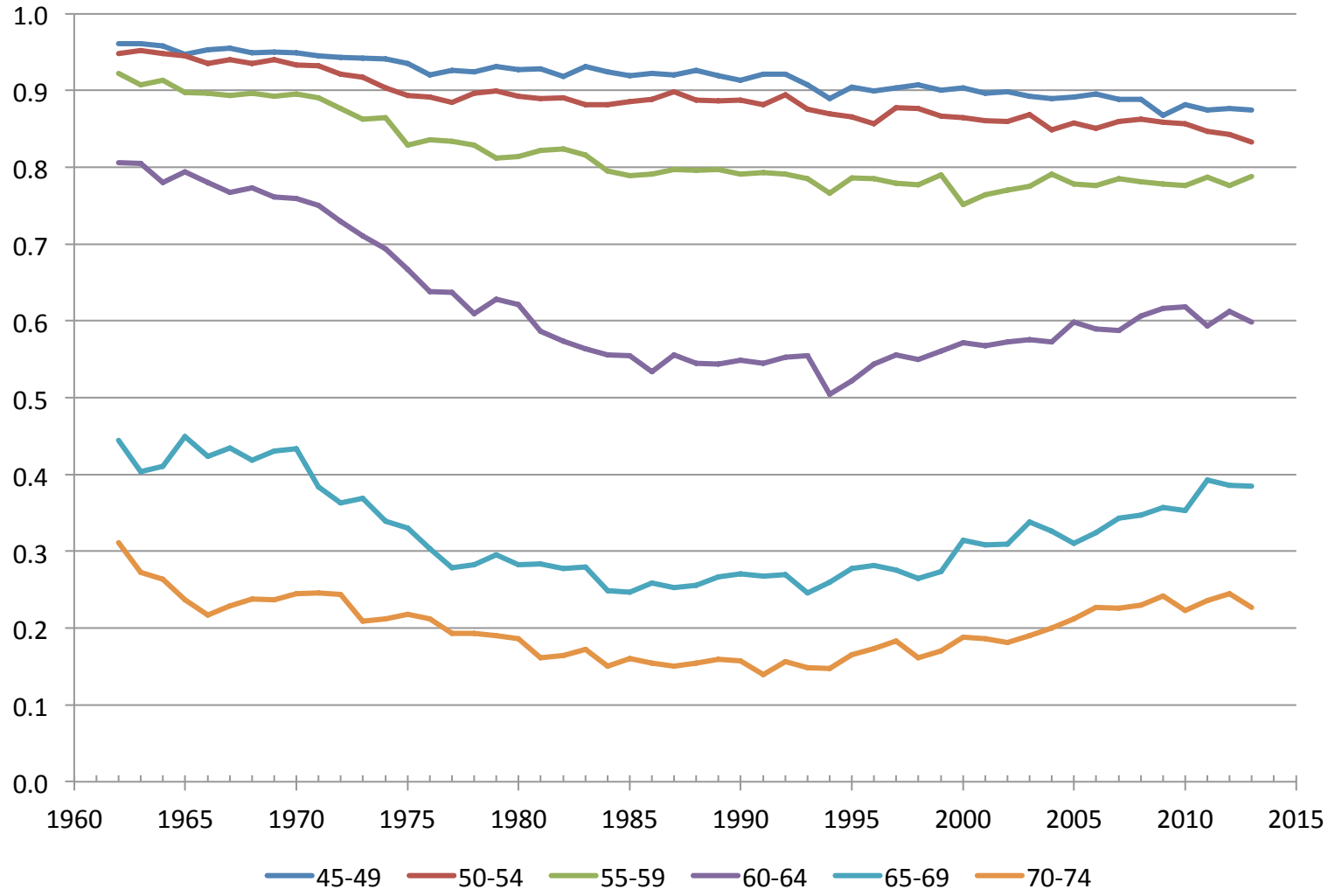

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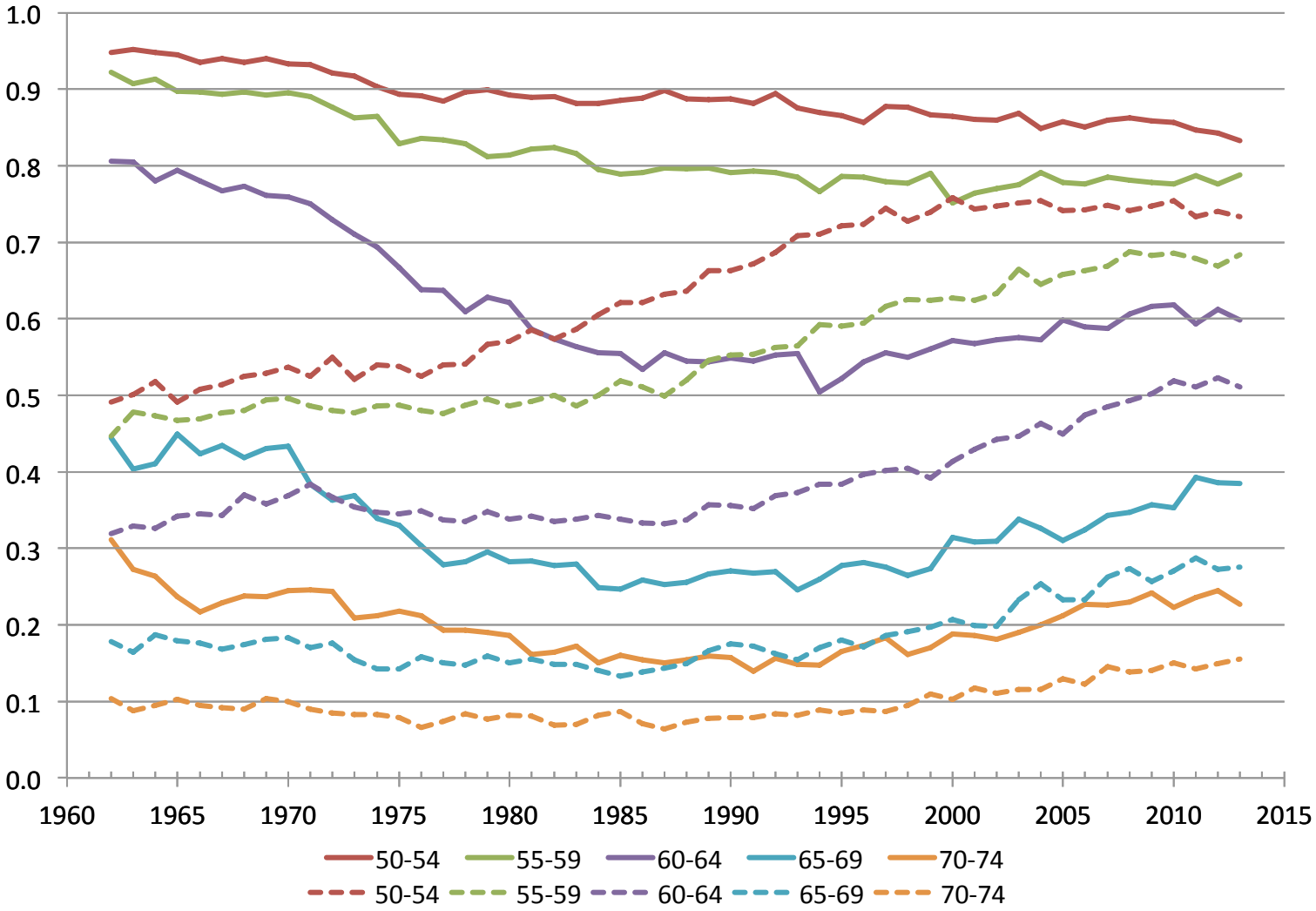

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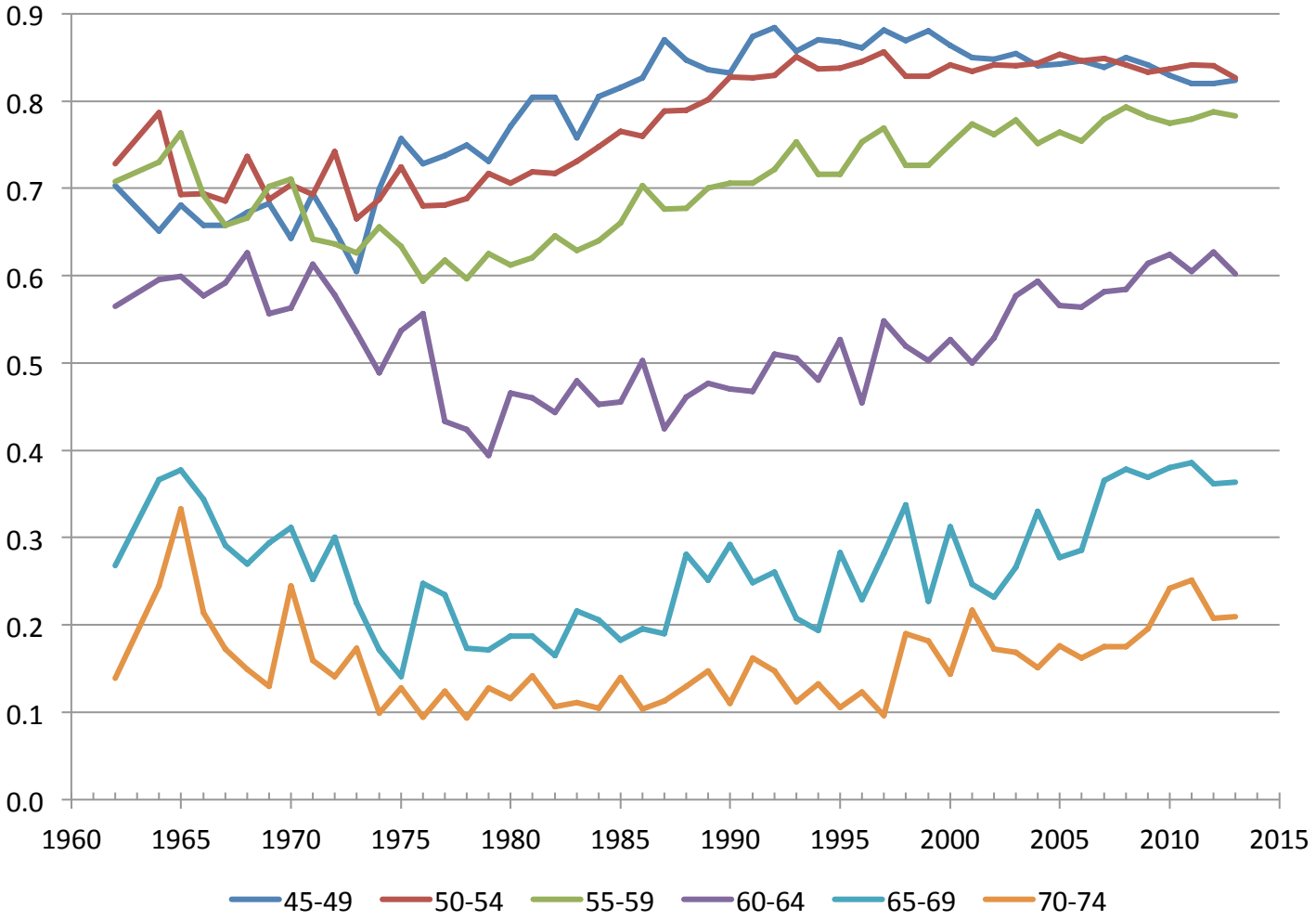

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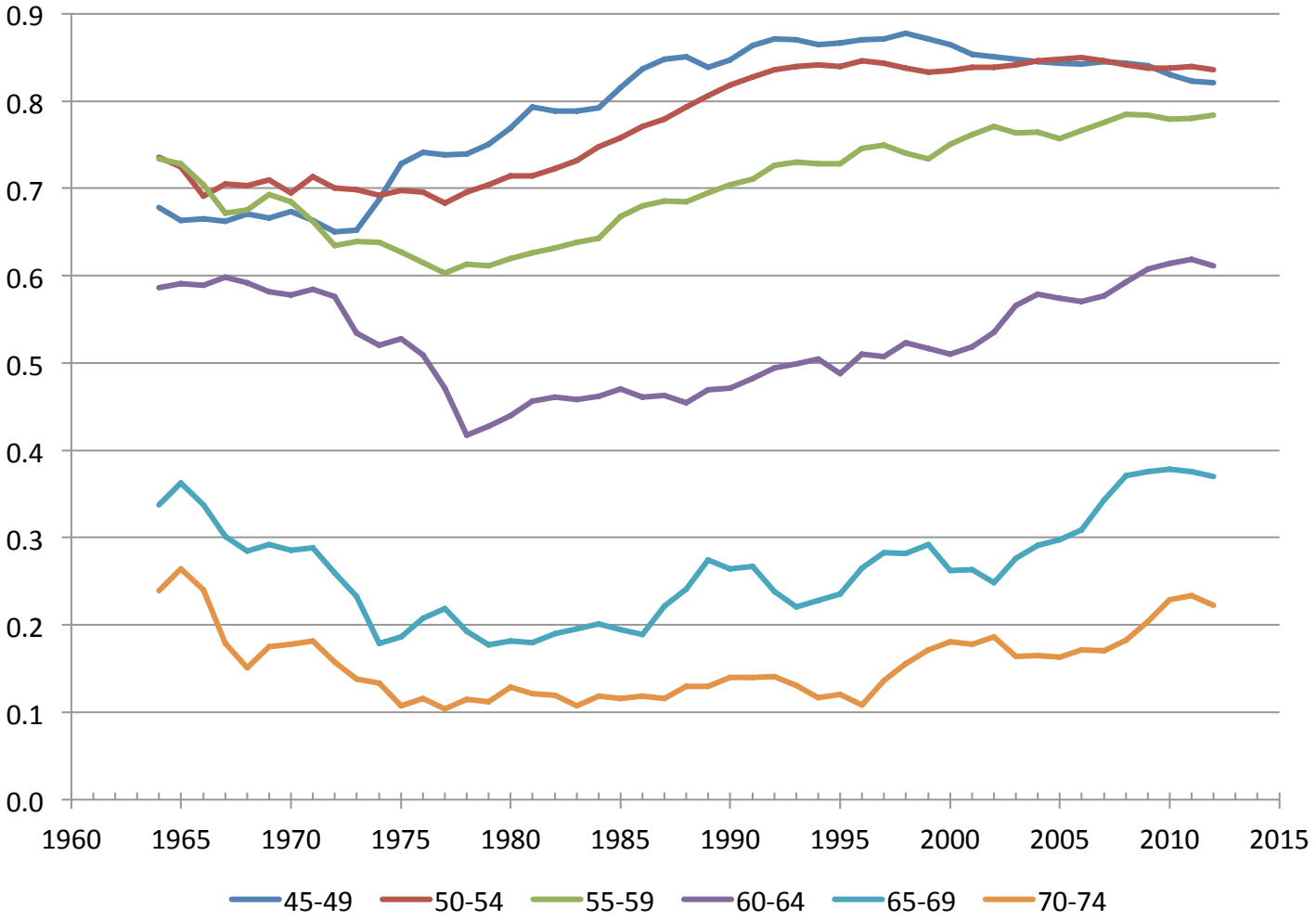

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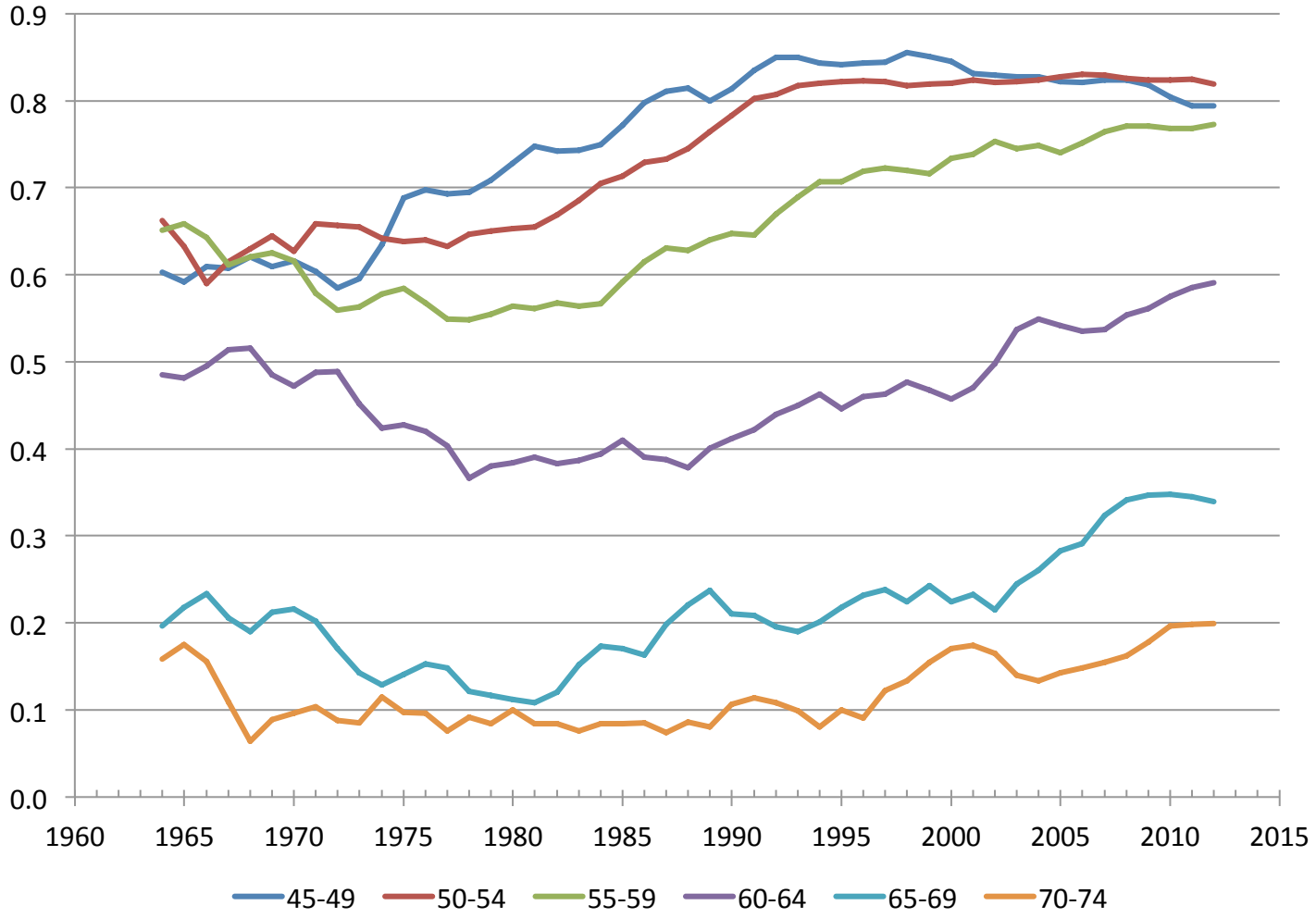

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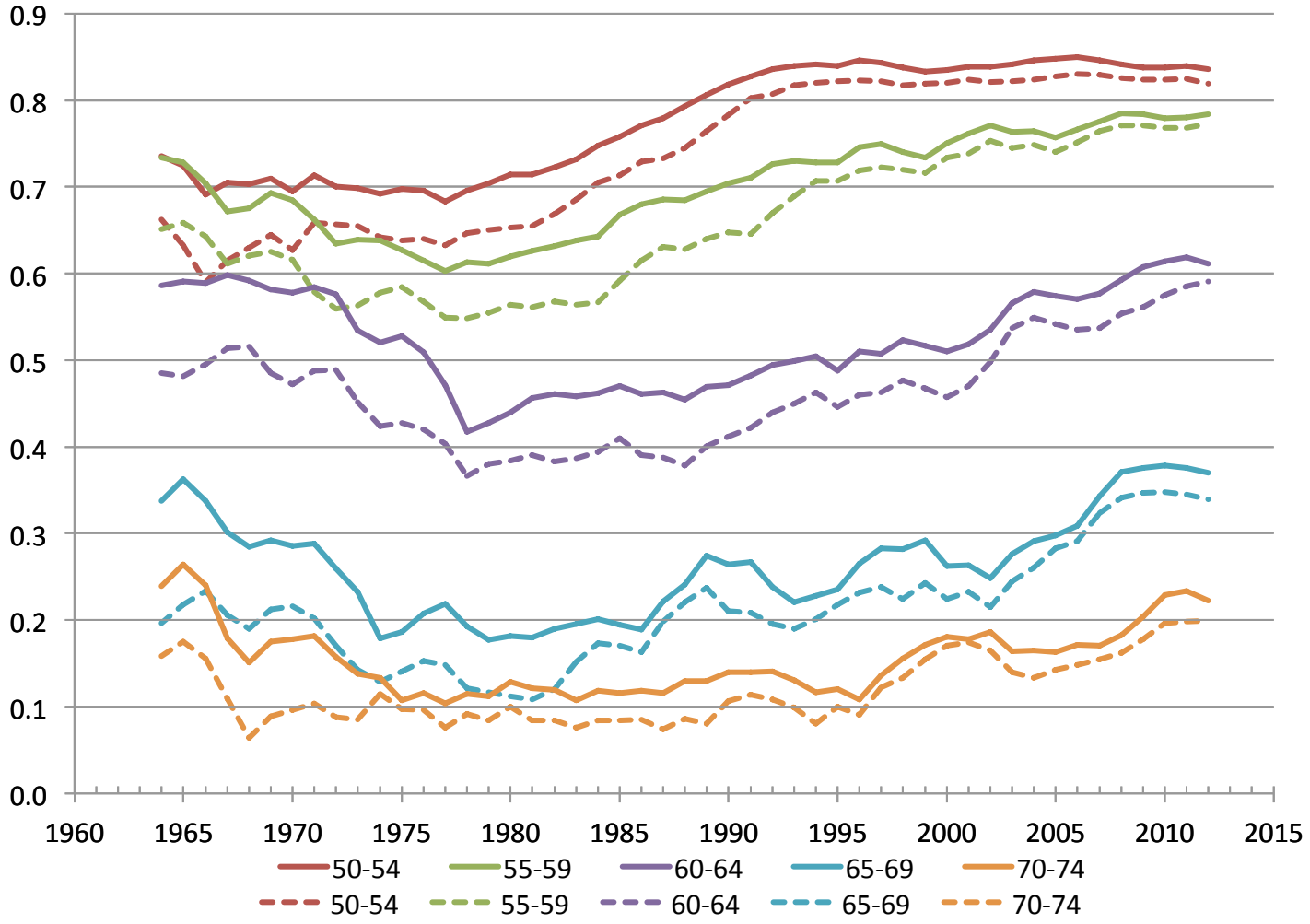

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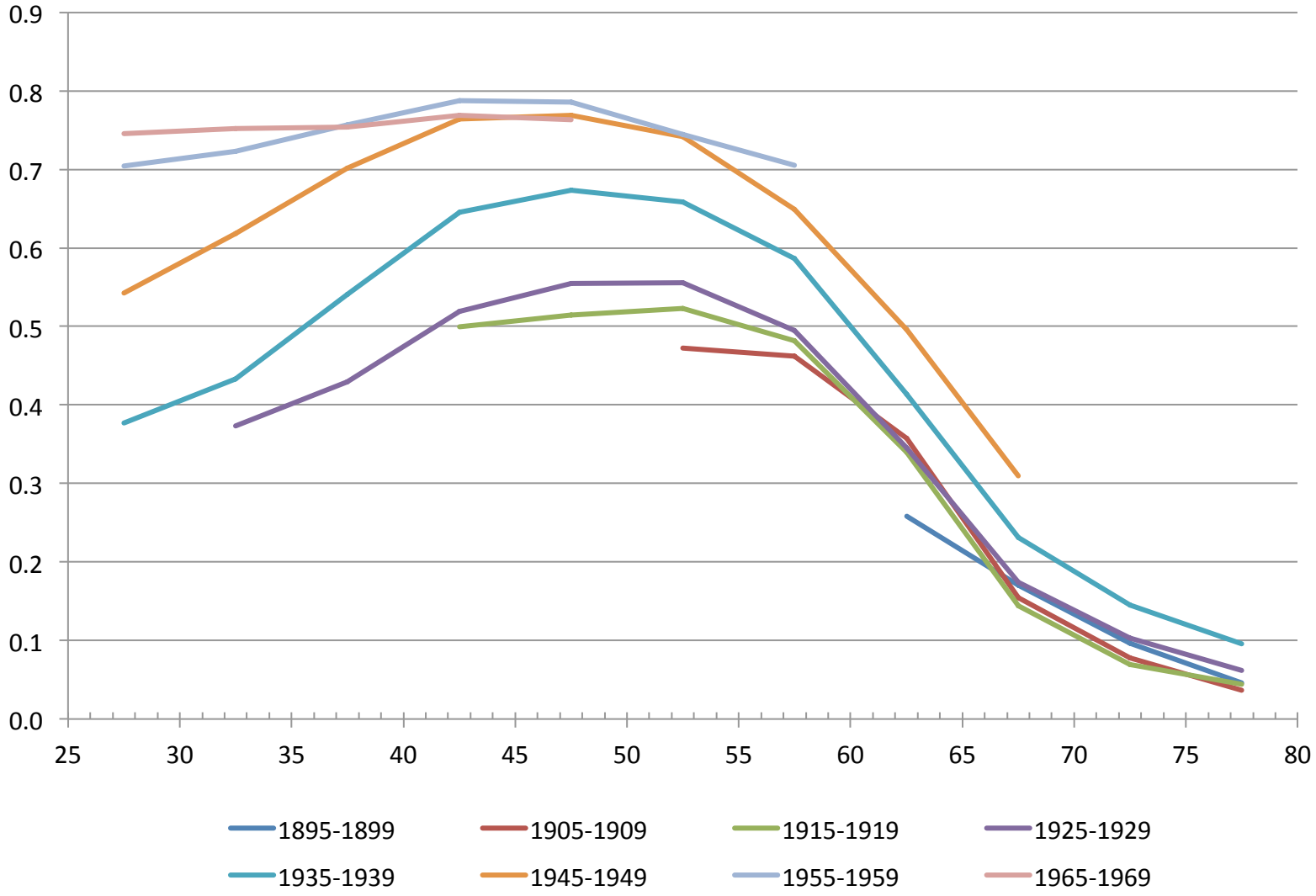

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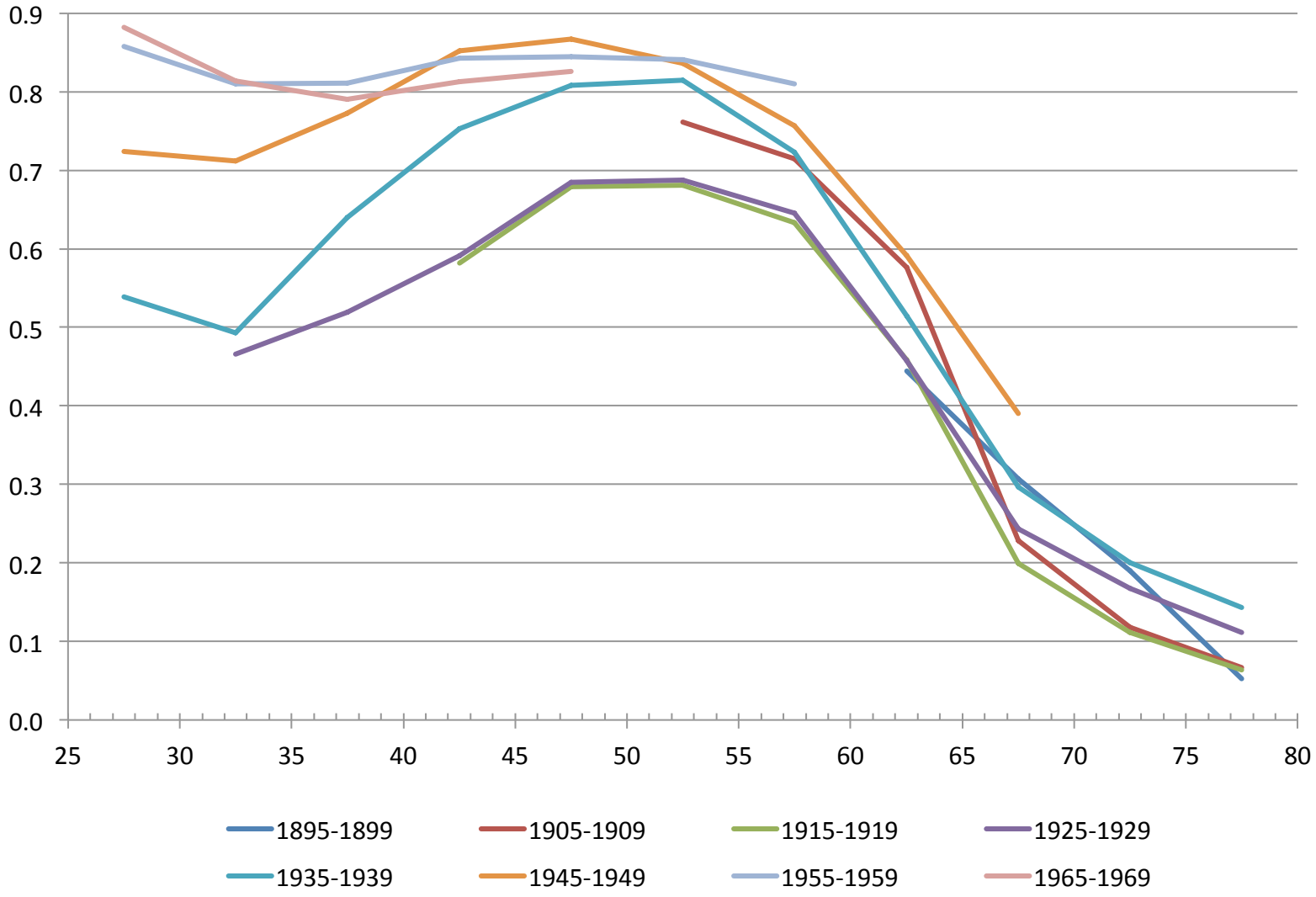

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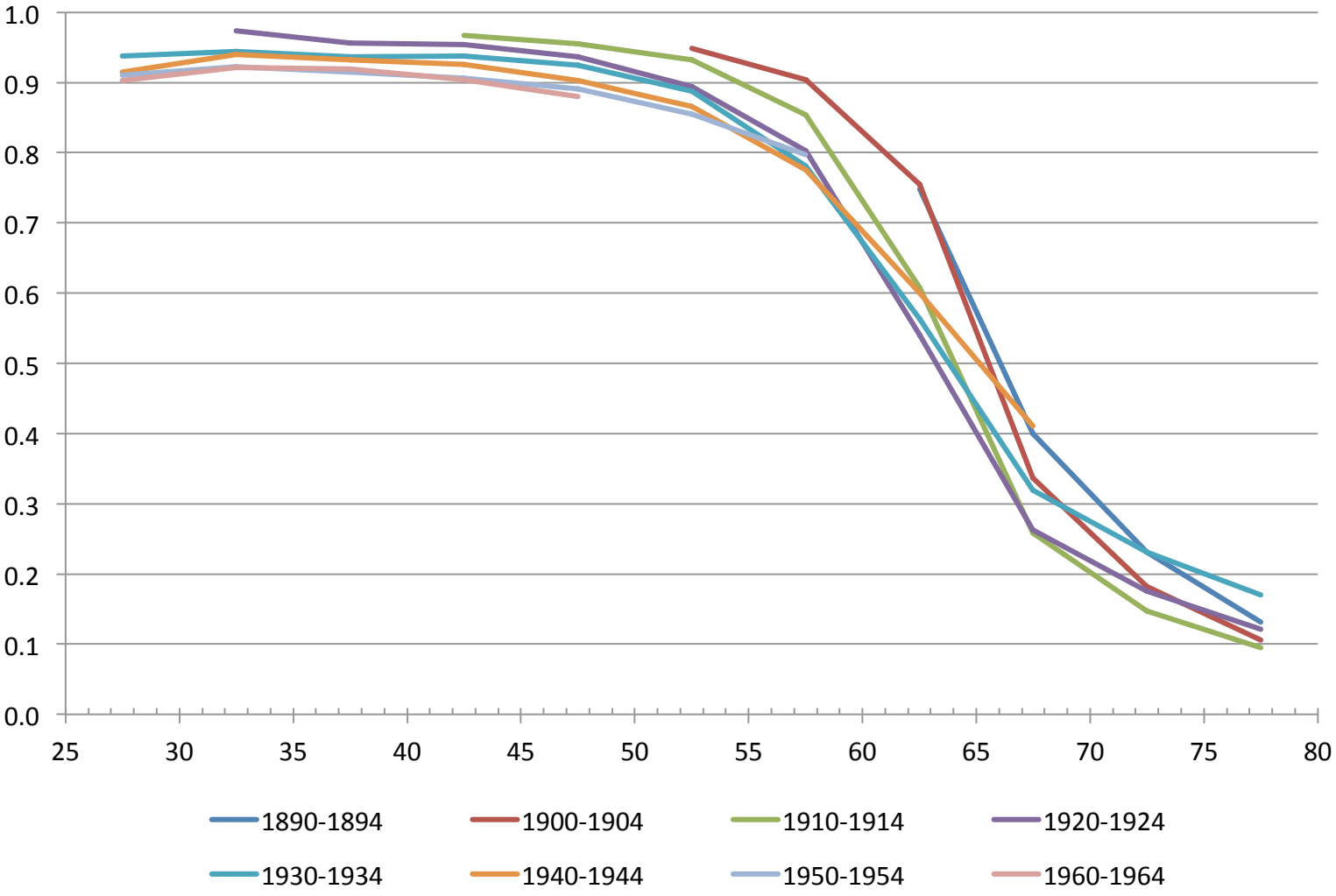

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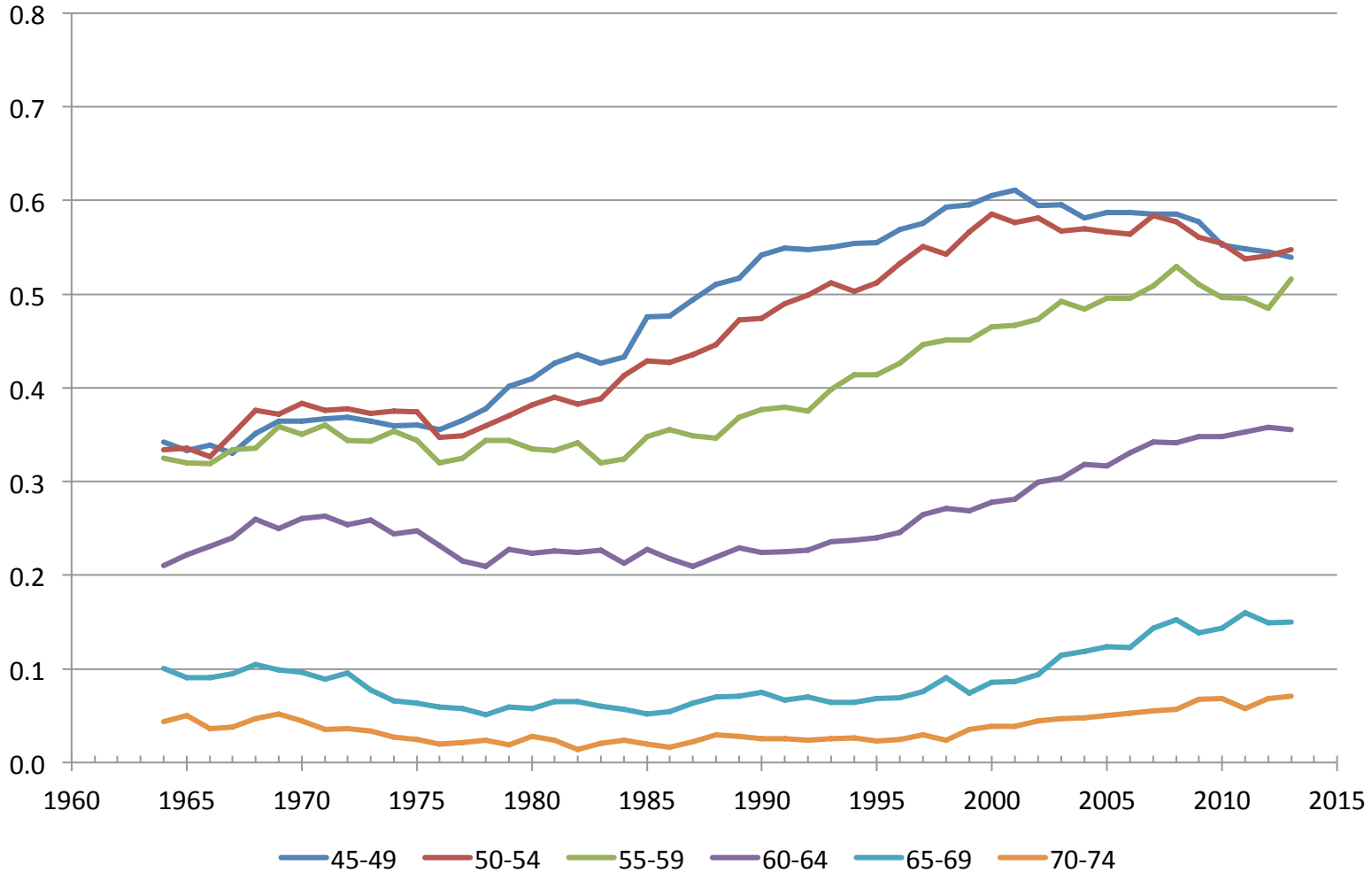

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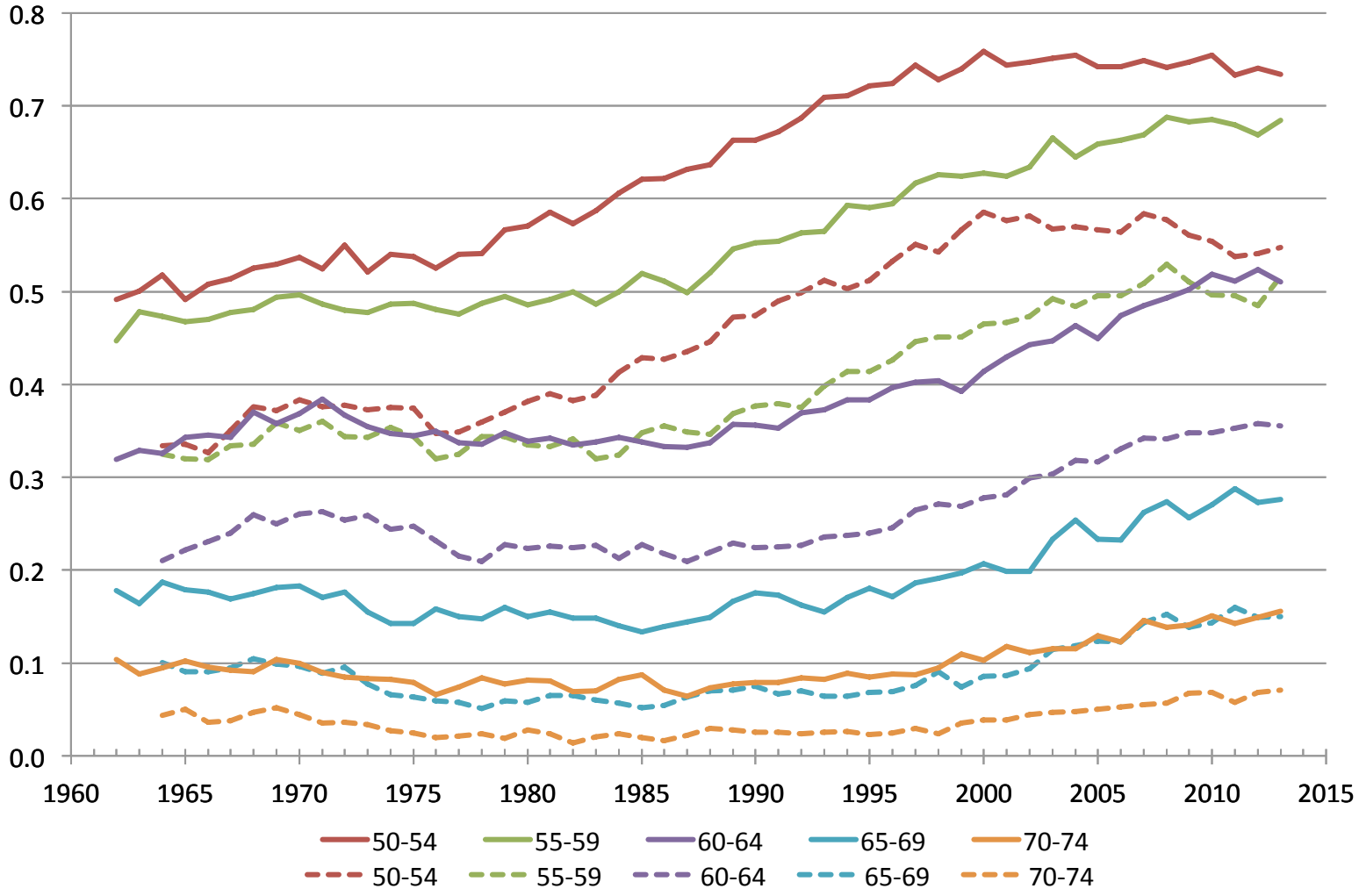

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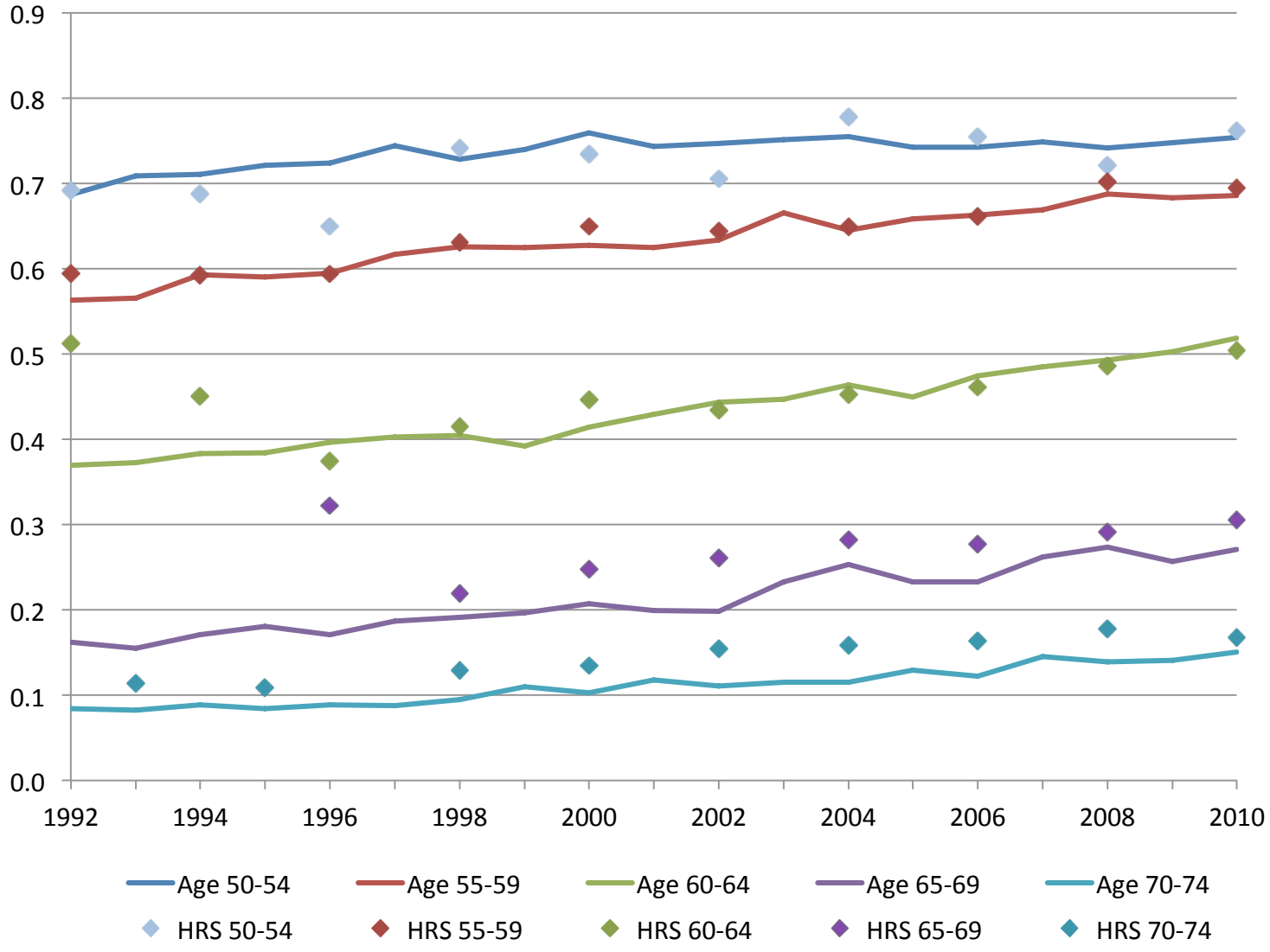

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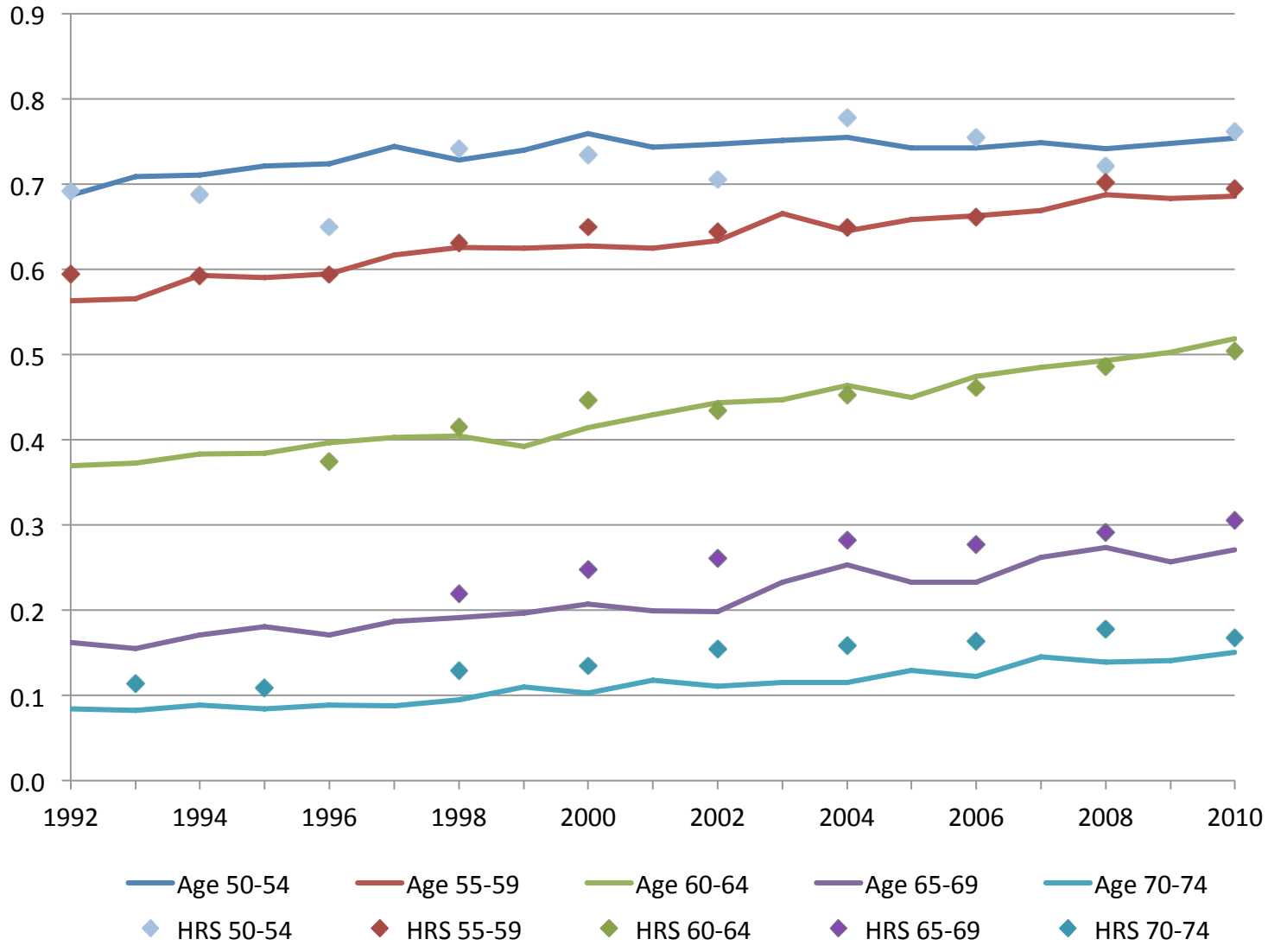

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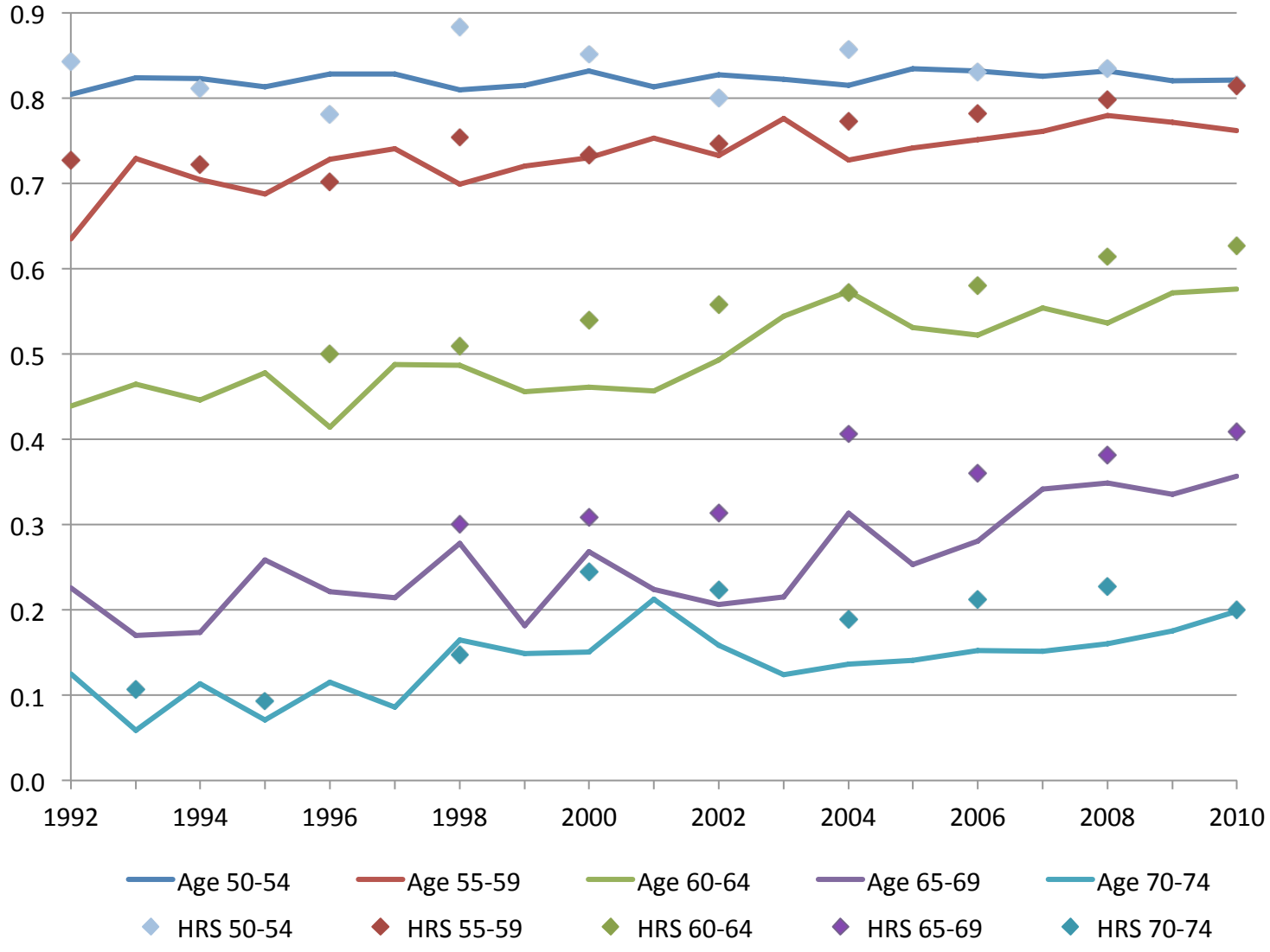

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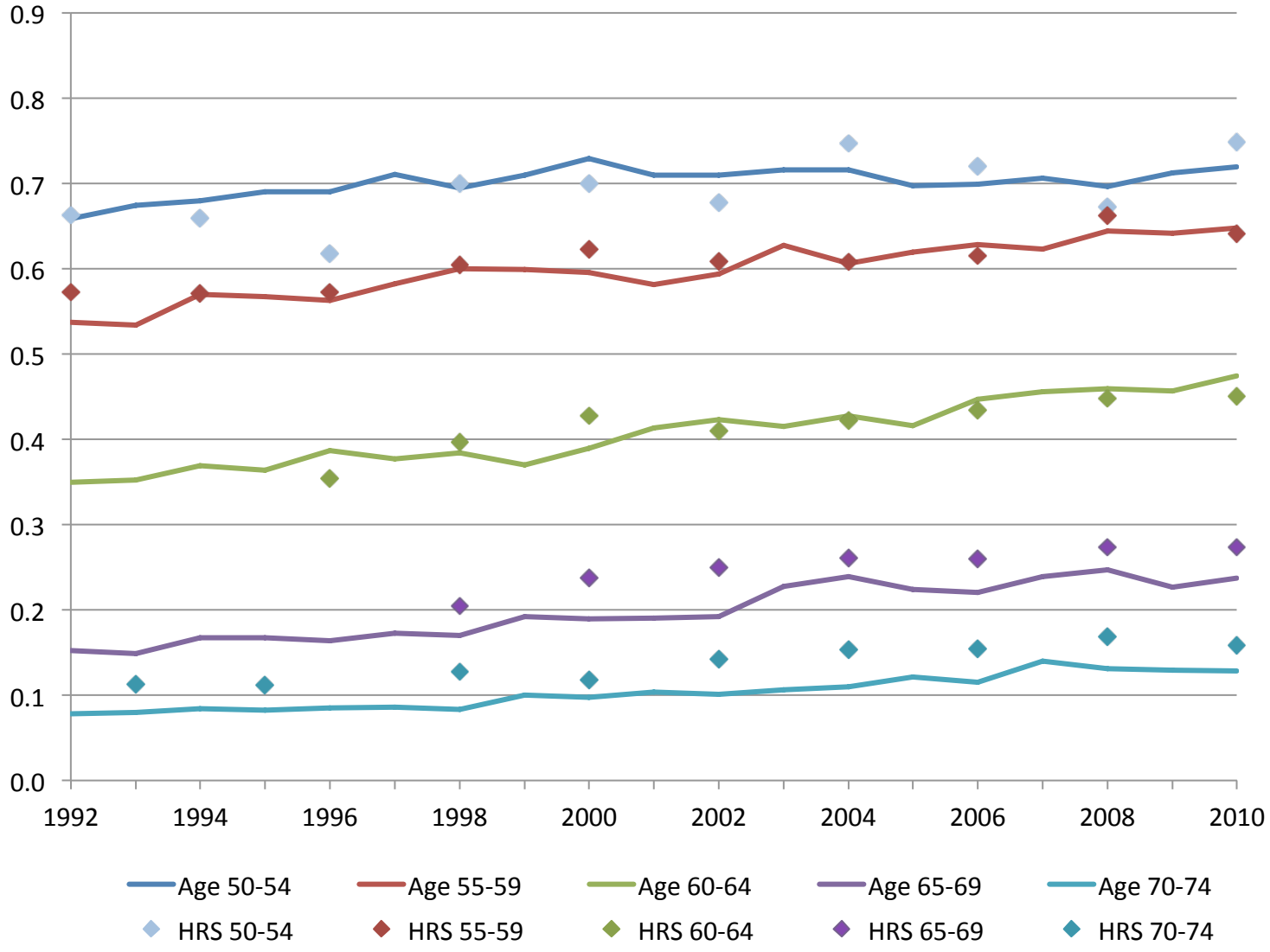


Female Labor Force Participation Rates: Changes from 1988 to 2013 (25 years)

Age	Educational Group	Labor Force Participation Rate in		Change from 1988 to 2013 in Percentage Points
		1988	2013	
60-64	All	0.34	0.51	17 %age points
	College graduate	0.45	0.61	16 %age points
65-69	All	0.15	0.28	13 %age points
	College graduate	0.24	0.37	13 %age points
70-74	All	0.07	0.16	9 %age points
	College graduate	0.13	0.21	8 %age points

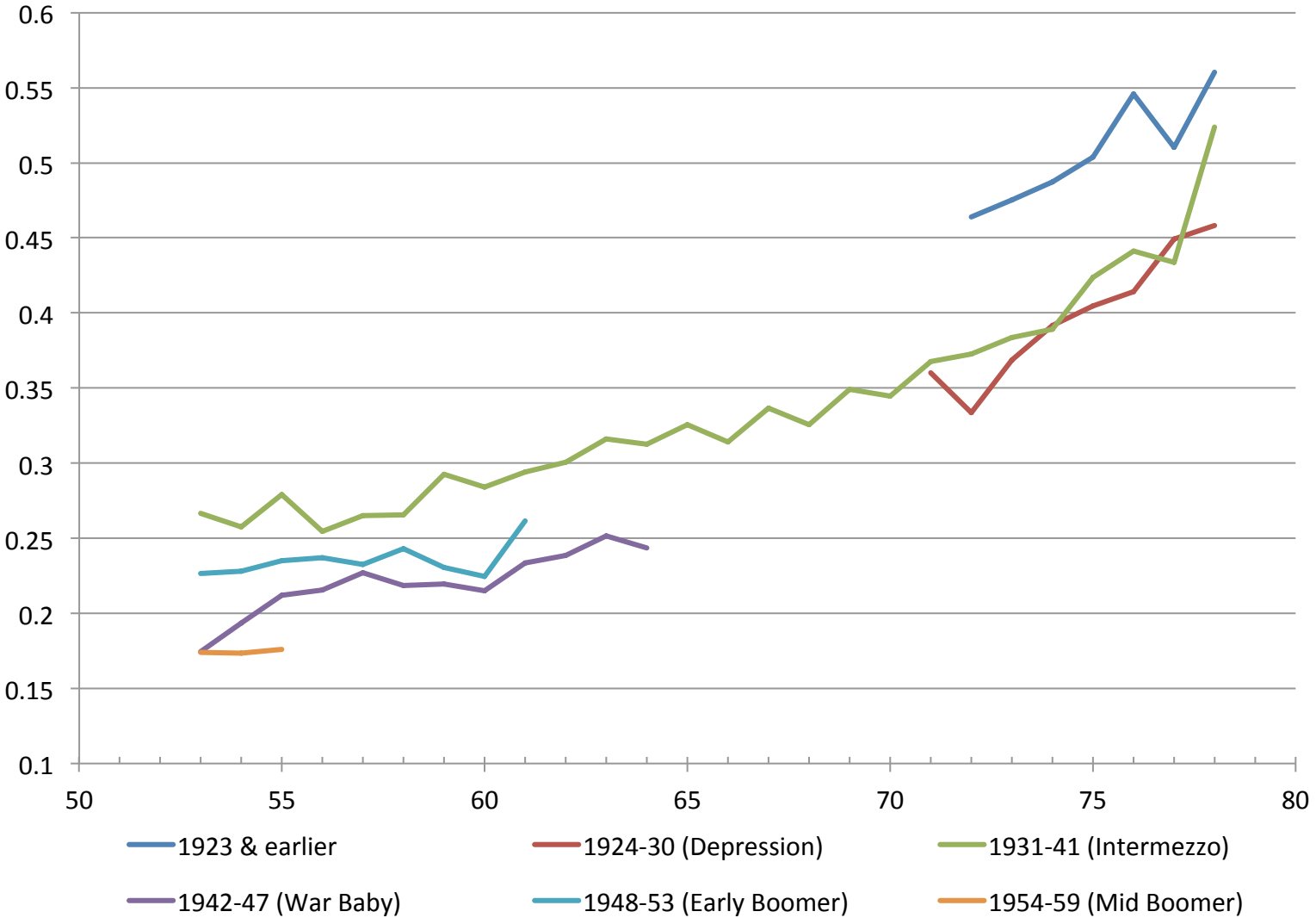
Male Labor Force Participation Rates: Changes from 1988 to 2013 (25 years)

Age	Educational Group	Labor Force Participation Rate in		Change from 1988 to 2013 in Percentage Points
		1988	2013	
60-64	All	0.54	0.60	6 %age points
	College graduate	0.67	0.72	5 %age points
65-69	All	0.26	0.38	12 %age points
	College graduate	0.40	0.50	10 %age points
70-74	All	0.15	0.23	8 %age points
	College graduate	0.30	0.30	0 %age points

Why Are Women Working Longer?

- Family: Marriage, Divorce, Widowhood, Kids, Grandkids
- Human Capital: Occupations, Education, Health
- Financial Resources: Savings, Pensions, Insurance, Financial Literacy
- Retirement Institutions and Policy: End of Mandatory Retirement, Changes in SS Earnings Test, Age of Full Retirement Benefits

Fraction Divorced or Widowed (among the Ever-Married): HRS by Cohort and Age (3-year centered moving average)



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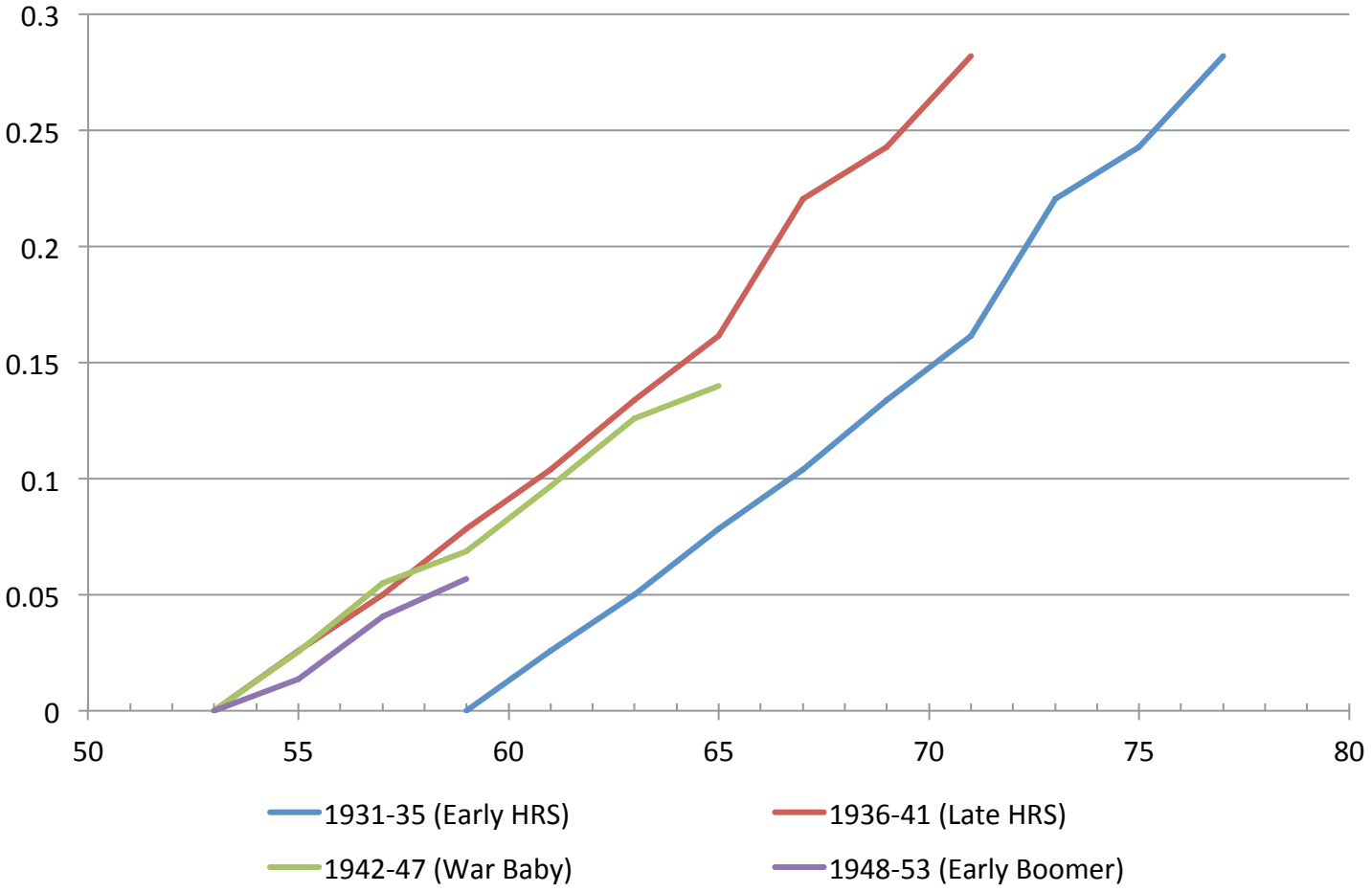

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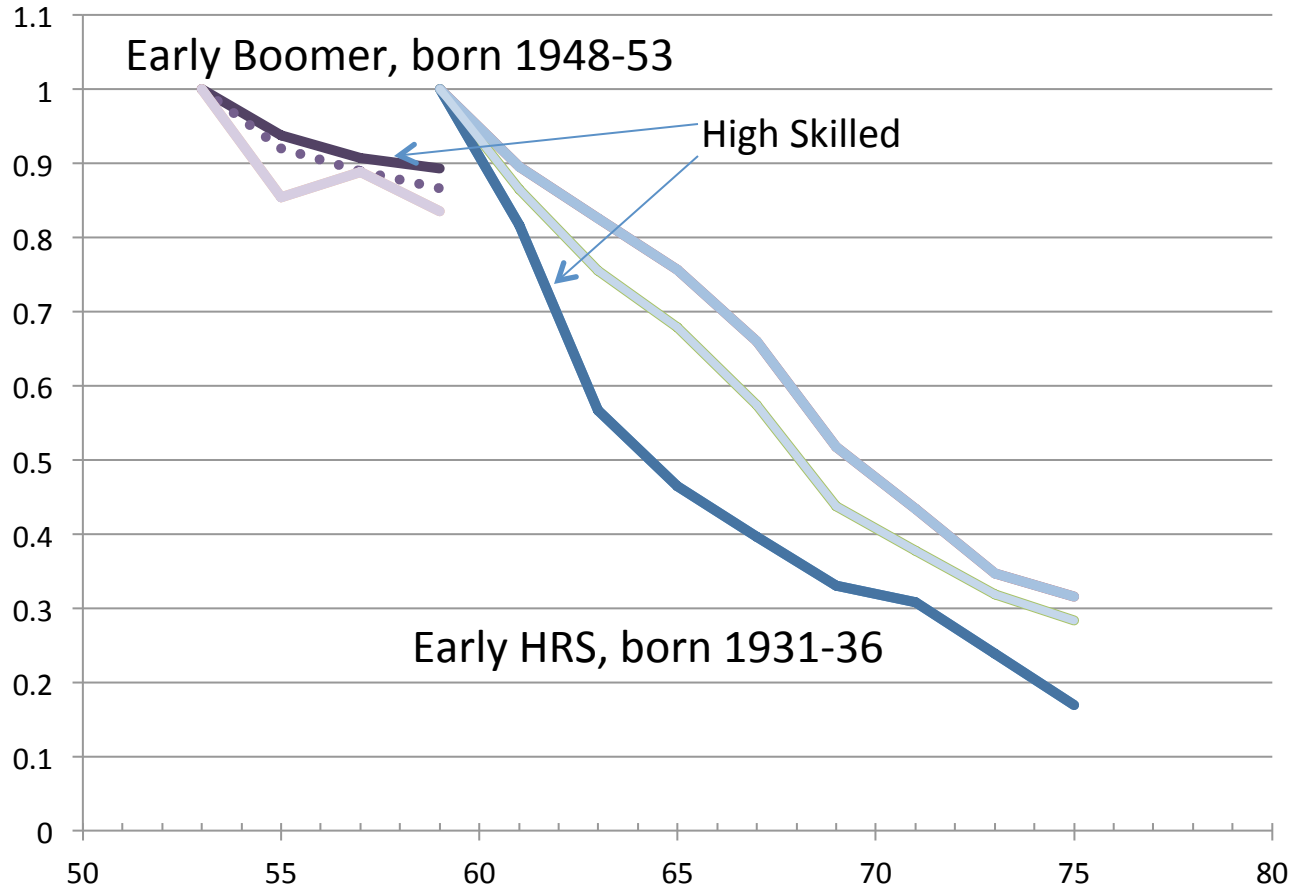

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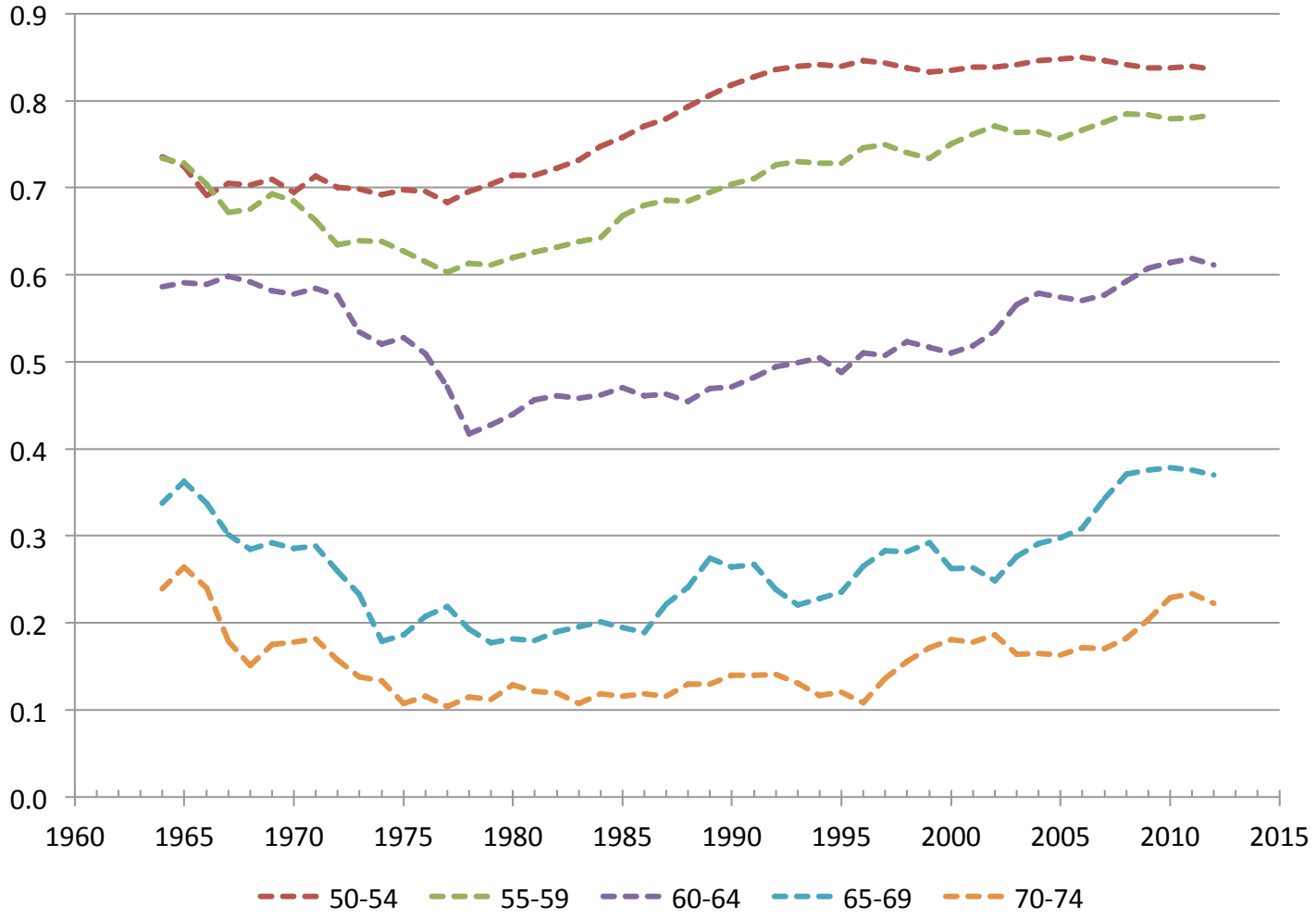

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