



Lithuanian Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics

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Lithuanian population at the beginning of 2017 year



Total population - 2 849 317

1 312 030 (46.05 %) male

1 537 287 (53.95 %) female

Place of residence

Cities - 103



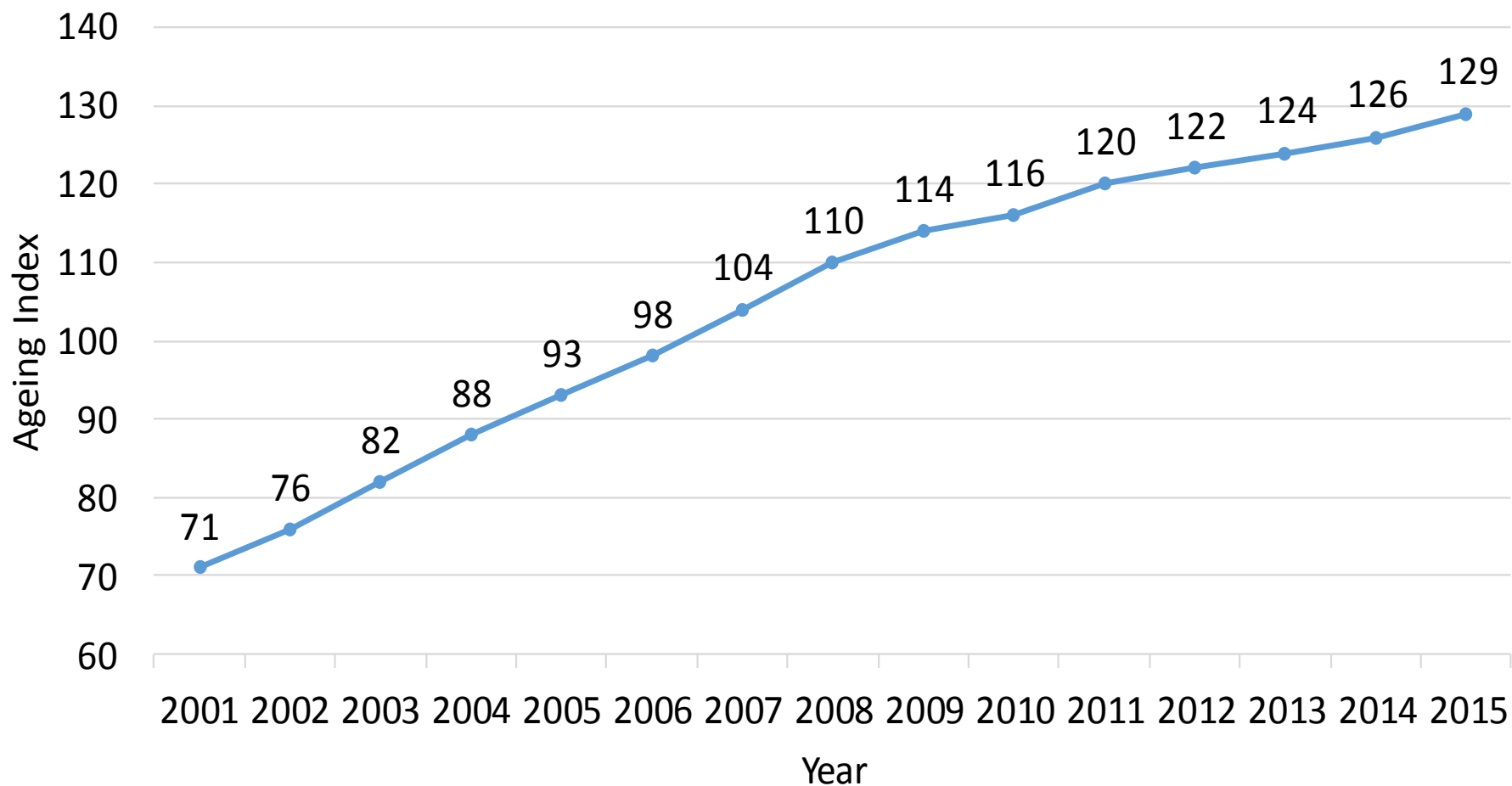
Citizens living in urban area (67.18 %)

Villages - 21 824

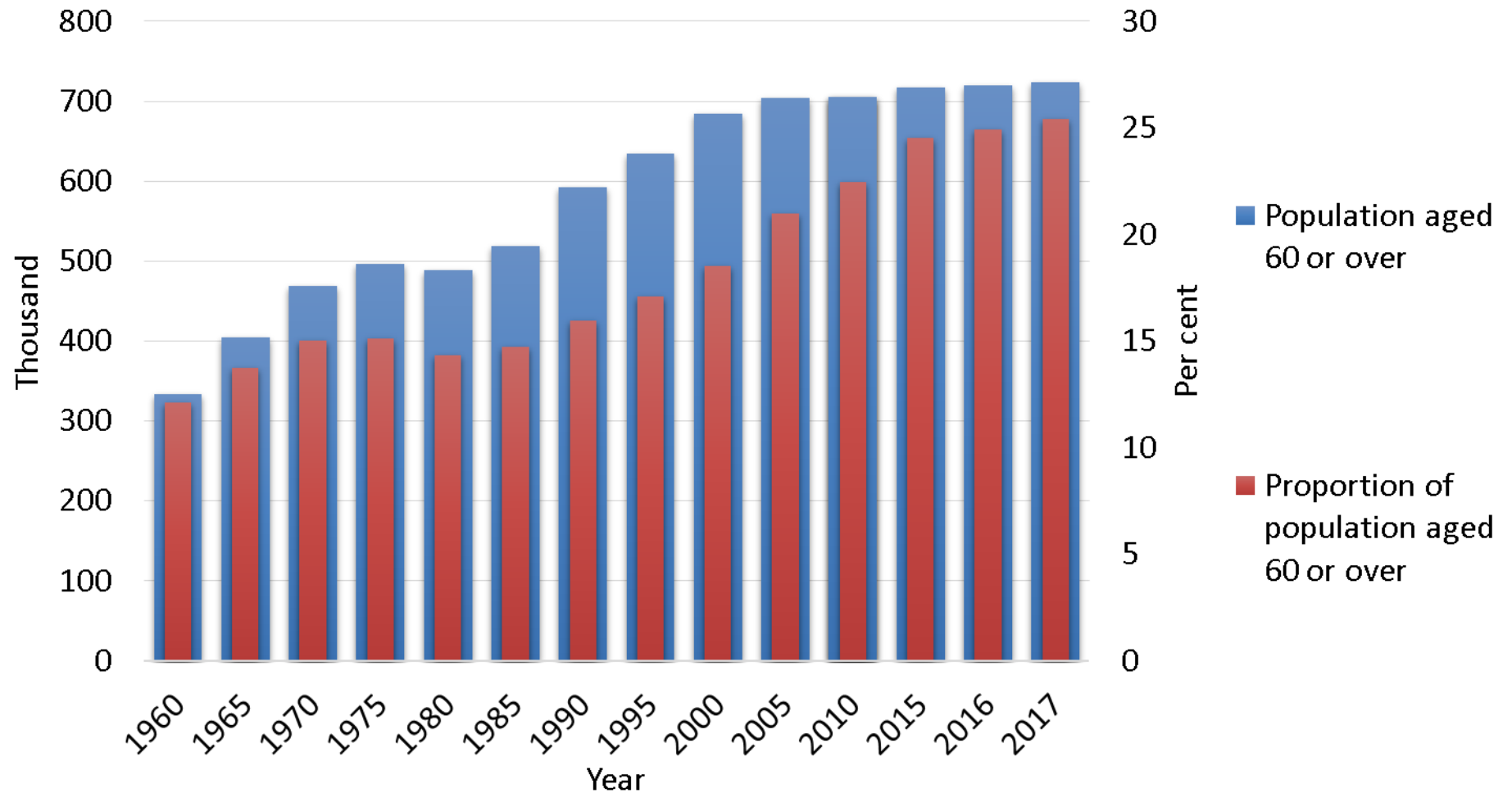


Citizens living in rural area (32.82%)

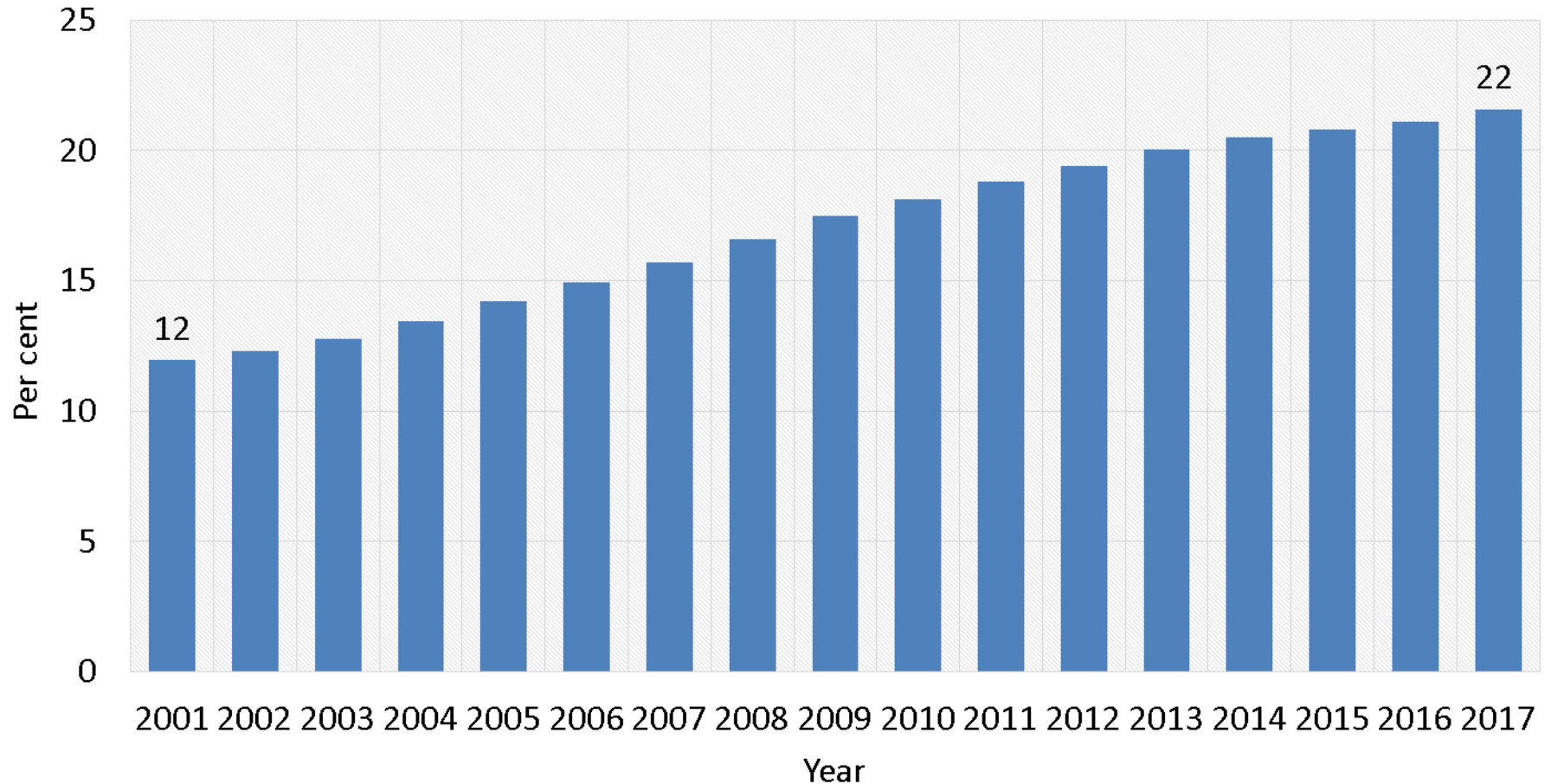
LITHUANIA: trend of index of ageing



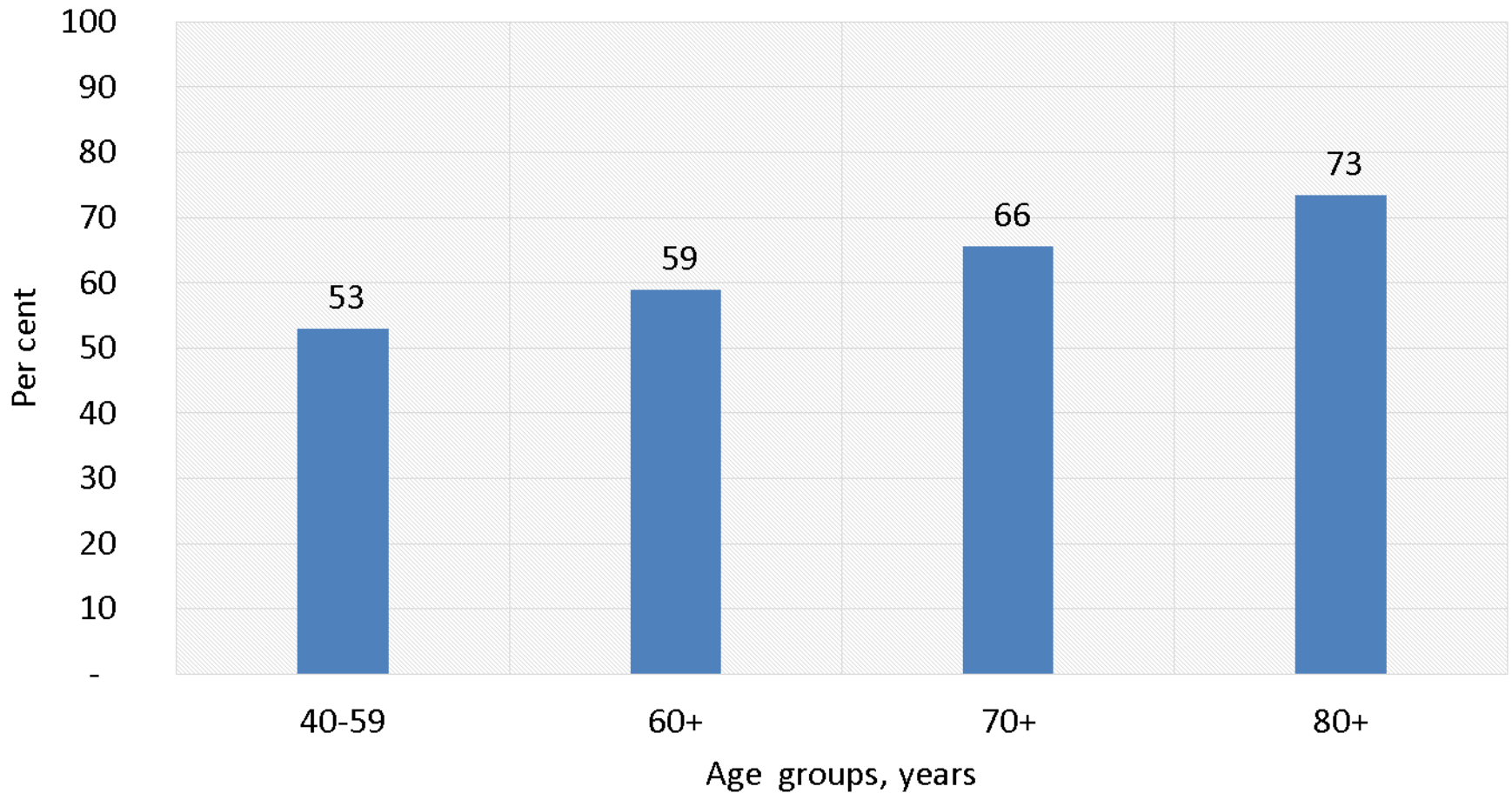
LITHUANIA: population aged 60 or over, 1960–2017



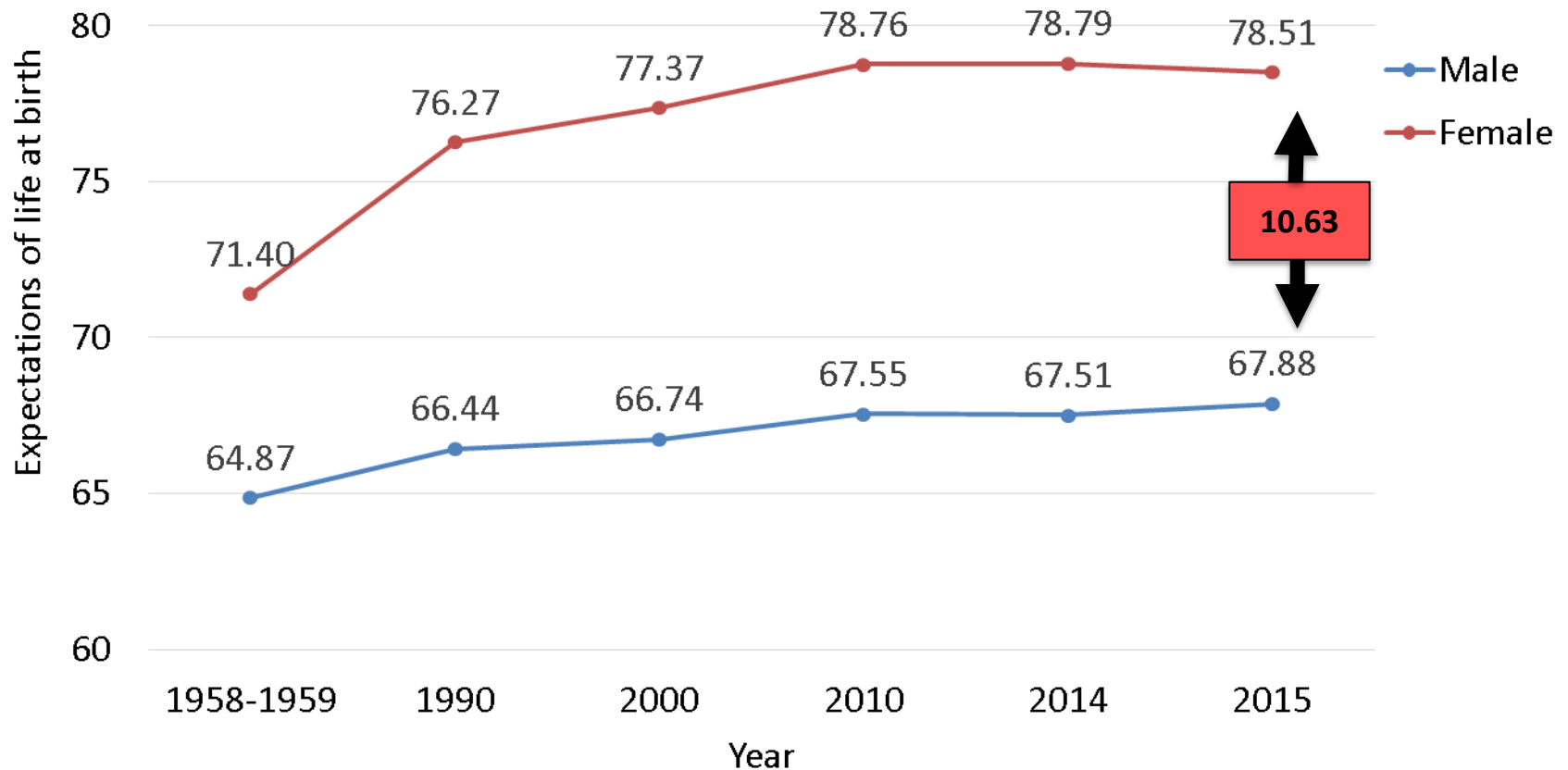
LITHUANIA: proportion of octogenarians among population aged 60 and older



LITHUANIA: proportion of women among persons in different age groups (2016)



LITHUANIA: expectation of life at birth (1958-2015)





The Lithuanian Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics

- ✓ LAGG was established in 1960
- ✓ It is a non-governmental non-profit organization
- ✓ The aims of LAGG range from improving geriatric service to educating both general society as well as medical professionals who deal with elderly on the issues related to providing high quality recommendations for the optimizing elderly care
- ✓ LAGG unites professionals such as physicians, researchers, teachers, social workers and so on working in the fields of gerontology and geriatric medicine



The LAGG has co-ordinated some projects aiming to improve elderly care in families:



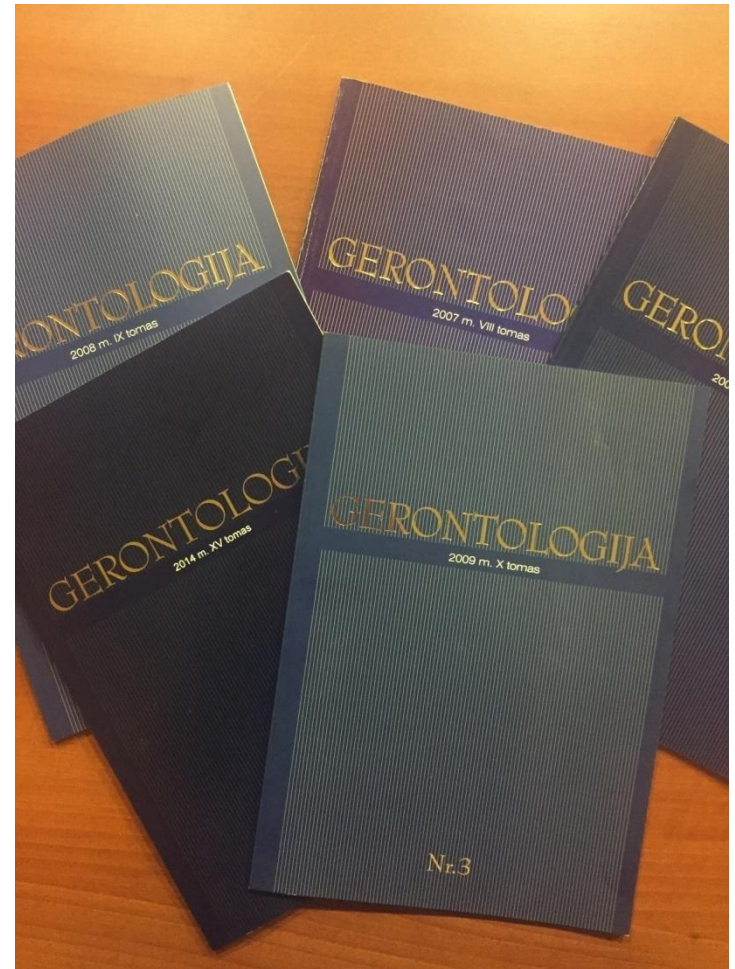
- ✓ Creation and introduction of new training workshop on home care for elderly
- ✓ Support for the elderly
- ✓ Assistance for caring family



The LAGG initiated the establishment of the University of the Third Age in Lithuania

Since 2000, LAGG is an official publisher of periodical peer reviewed journal “Gerontologija”

The original and review articles reflecting fundamental biological and patophysiological scientific studies of aging, peculiarities of the course of a disease in older age, up-to-date aspects of diagnostics, treatment, rehabilitation, nursing, deontology and psychology and social gerontology are published in this journal



Five poster-presentations at EUGMS Congress, October 2016



From idea to reality, from local to global



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Thank you for attention