

Table 1 Woman years of observation, number of breast cancer deaths, and average rates per 100 000 women in screened and non-screened areas

	Screened areas			Non-screened areas		
	1982-91	1992-96	1997-2006	1982-91	1992-96	1997-2006
Number of woman years						
35-54 years	1 174 997	640 700	1 338 266	5 509 889	3 005 488	6 233 027
55-74 years	1 218 157	492 081	957 797	3 925 135	2 002 687	4 471 369
75-84 years	478 800	223 441	370 101	1 142 623	625 693	1 312 095
Number of breast cancer deaths						
35-54 years	457	257	390	1961	1055	1657
55-74 years	1478	658	980	4281	2326	4739
75-84 years	937	429	722	2003	1152	2352
Average number of breast cancer deaths per 100 000 women						
35-54 years	39	40	29	36	35	27
55-74 years	121	134	102	109	116	106
75-84 years	196	192	195	175	184	179