

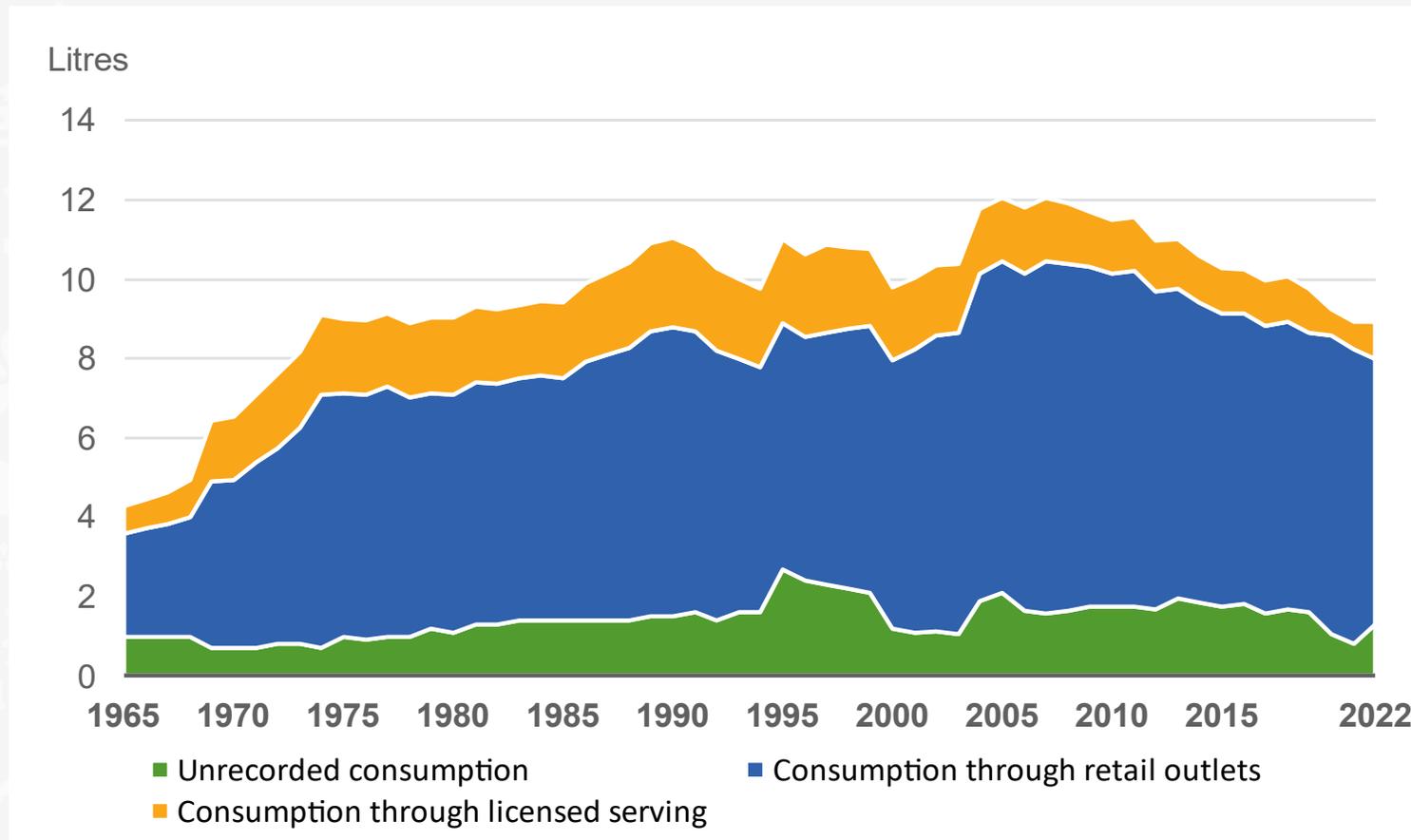


# Statistical yearbook of alcohol and drug statistics 2023

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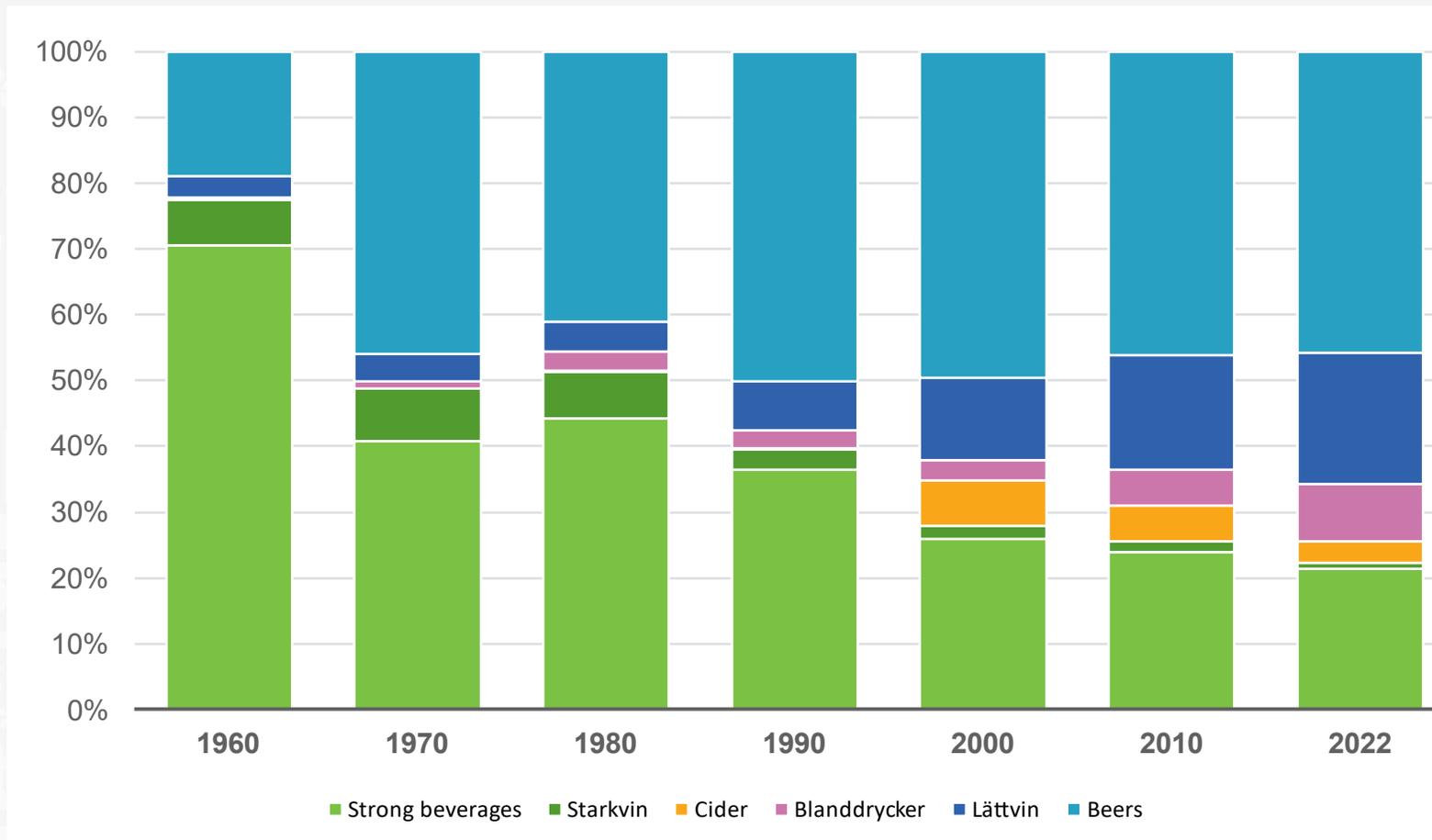
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# Total consumption of alcoholic beverages; 100% alcohol per capita aged 15 and over, 1965–2022



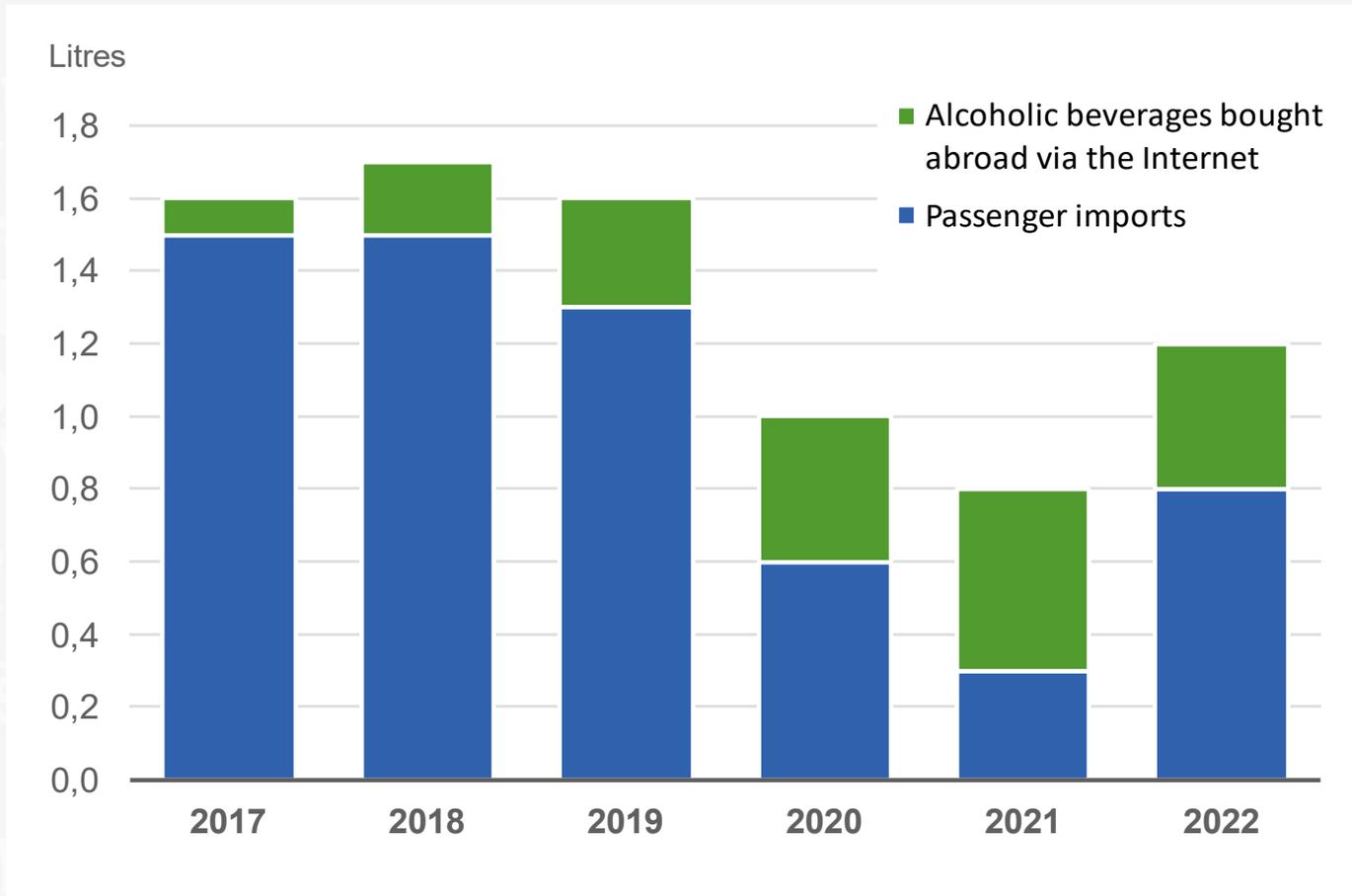
Sources: Alcoholic beverage consumption. OSF. THL; Valvira.

# Recorded consumption of alcoholic beverages by type of beverage, 100% alcohol, 1960–2022



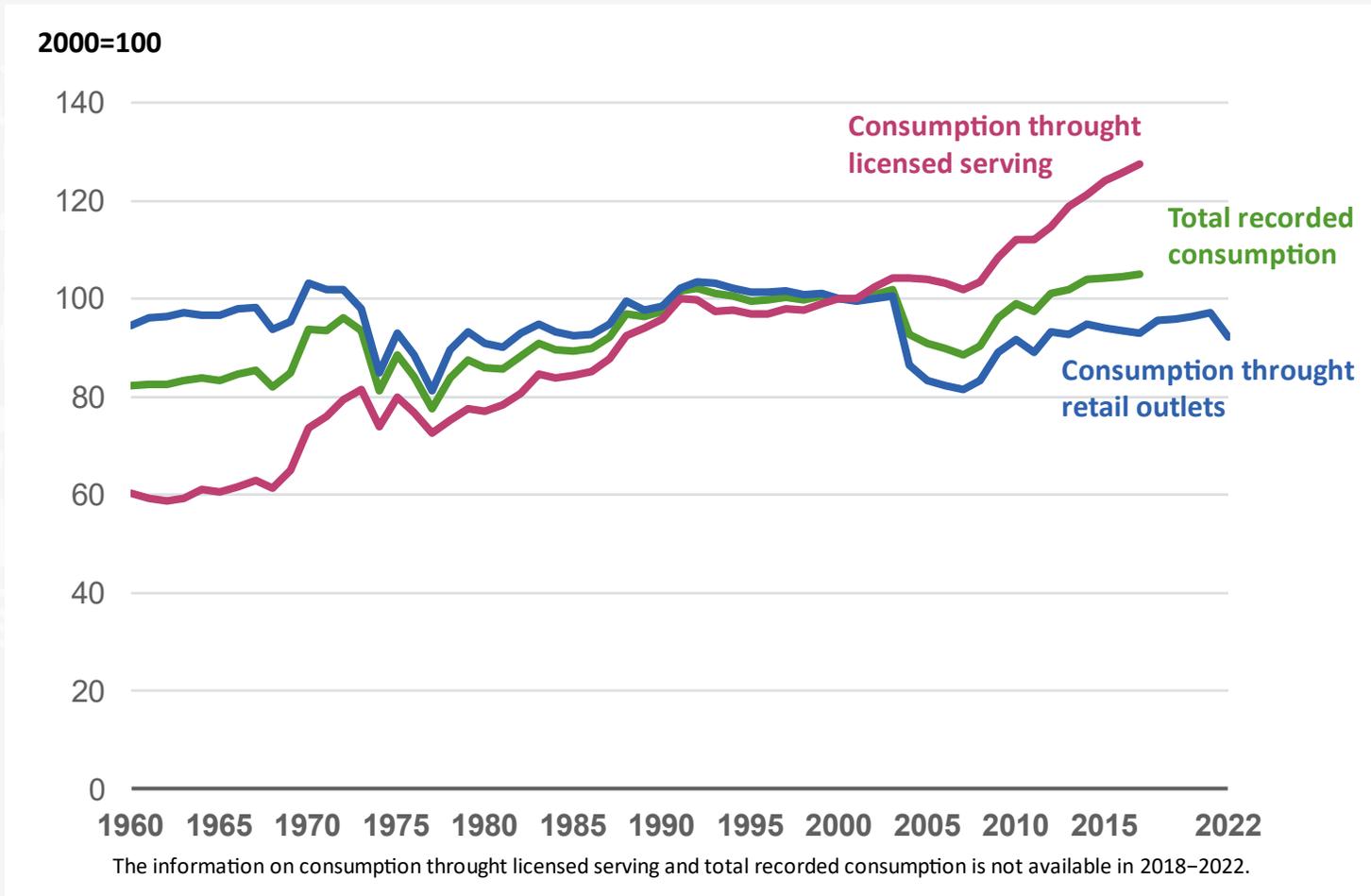
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# Unrecorded consumption of alcoholic beverages, 100% alcohol per capita aged 15 and over, 2017–2022, litres



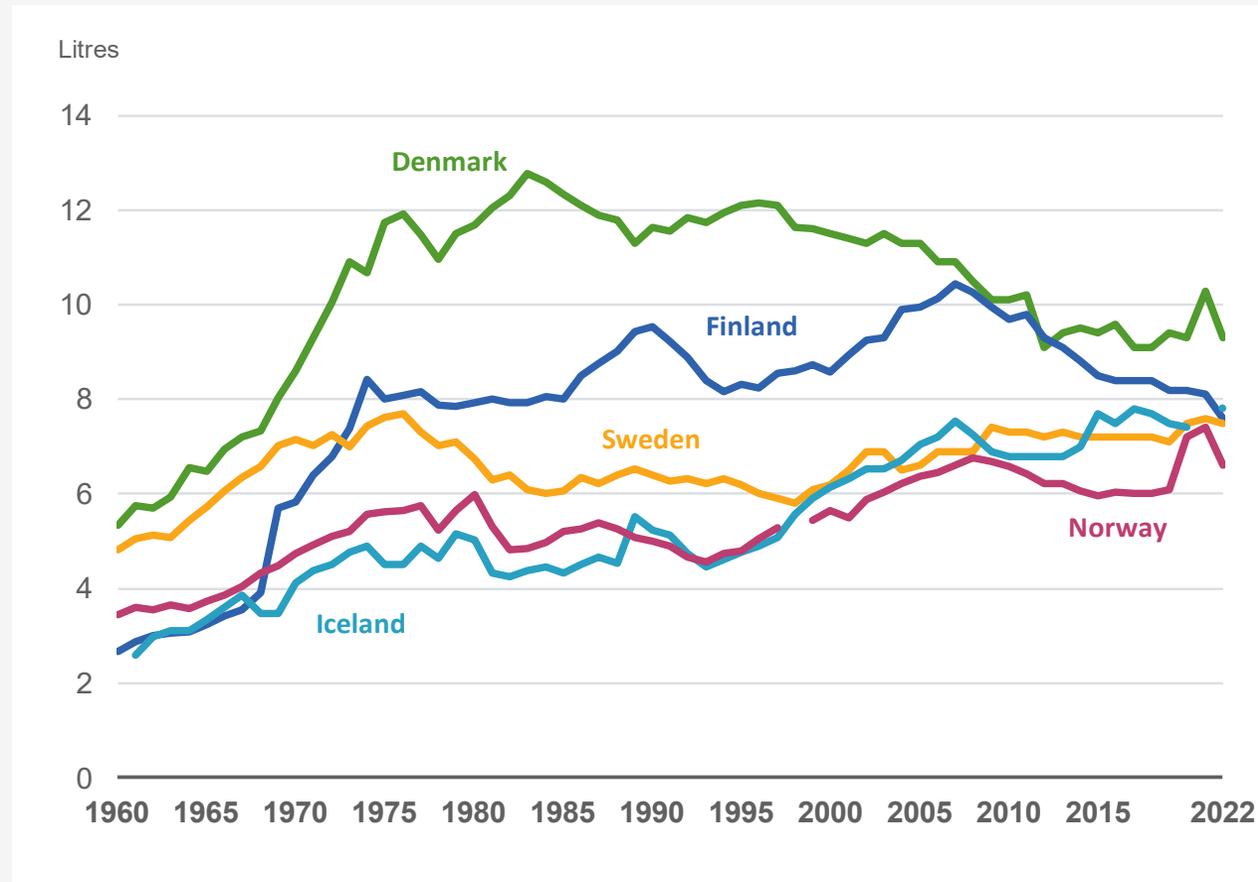
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# Real price indices for the consumption of alcoholic beverages, 1960–2022, 2000=100



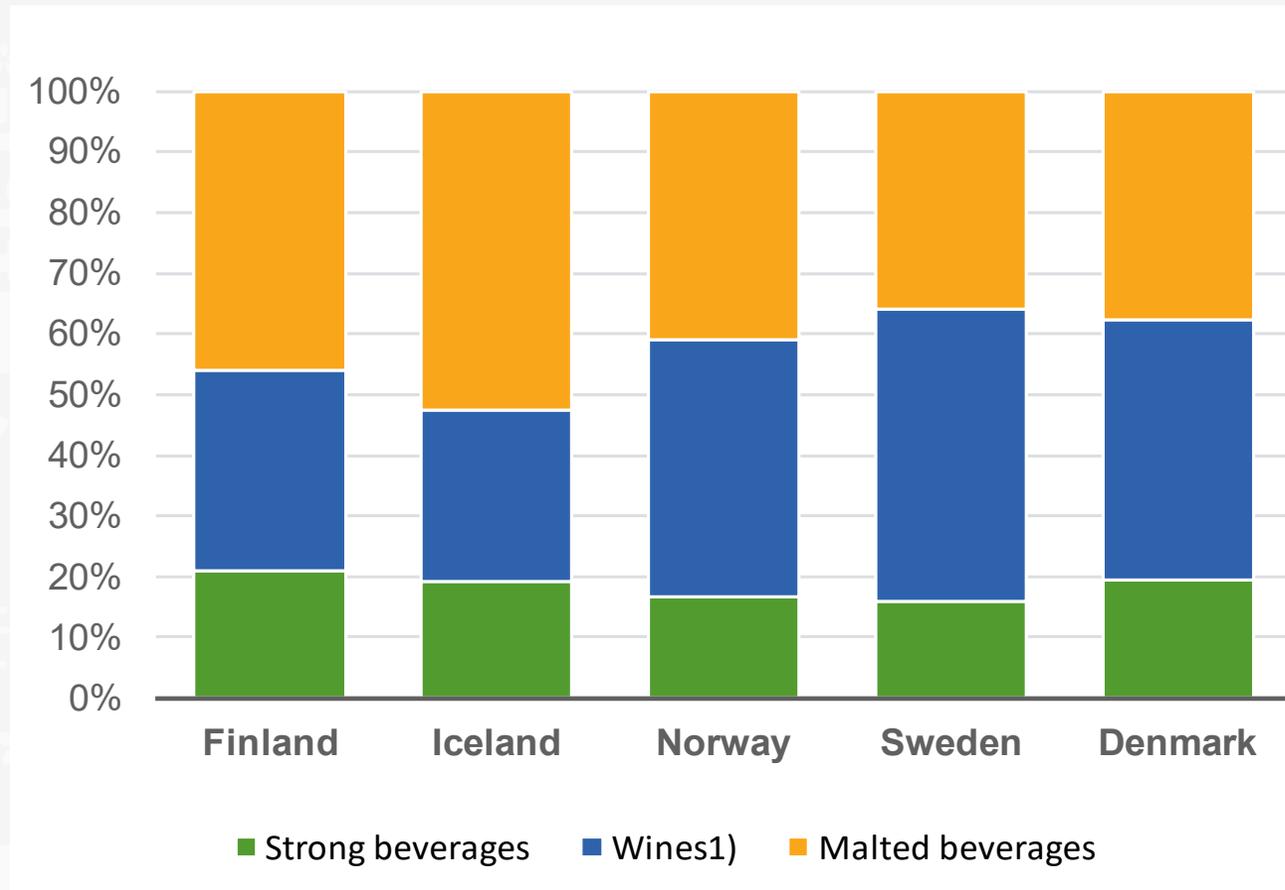
Source: Alcoholic beverage price index. OSF. THL.

# Recorded consumption of alcoholic beverages in the Nordic countries, 100 % alcohol per capita aged 15 and over, 1960–2022



Sources: THL; Centralförbundet för alkohol- och narkotikaupplysning, (CAN); Norwegian Institute of Public Health, Statistics Denmark; Statistics Iceland.

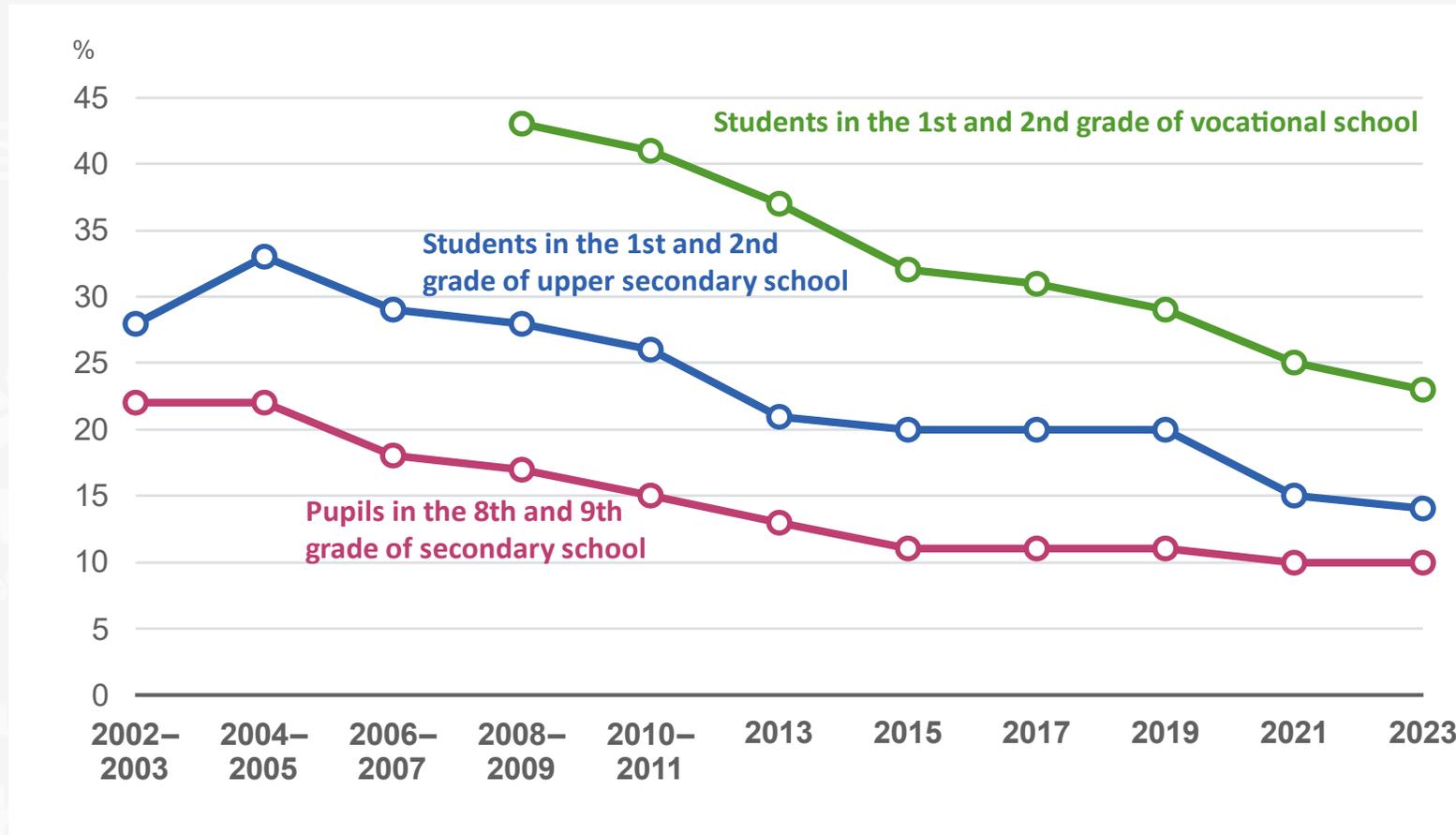
# Recorded consumption of alcoholic beverages, 100% alcohol, in the Nordic countries per population aged 15 years or older 2022



1) The category wine includes cider and 'ready-to-drink' beverages (such as long drinks)

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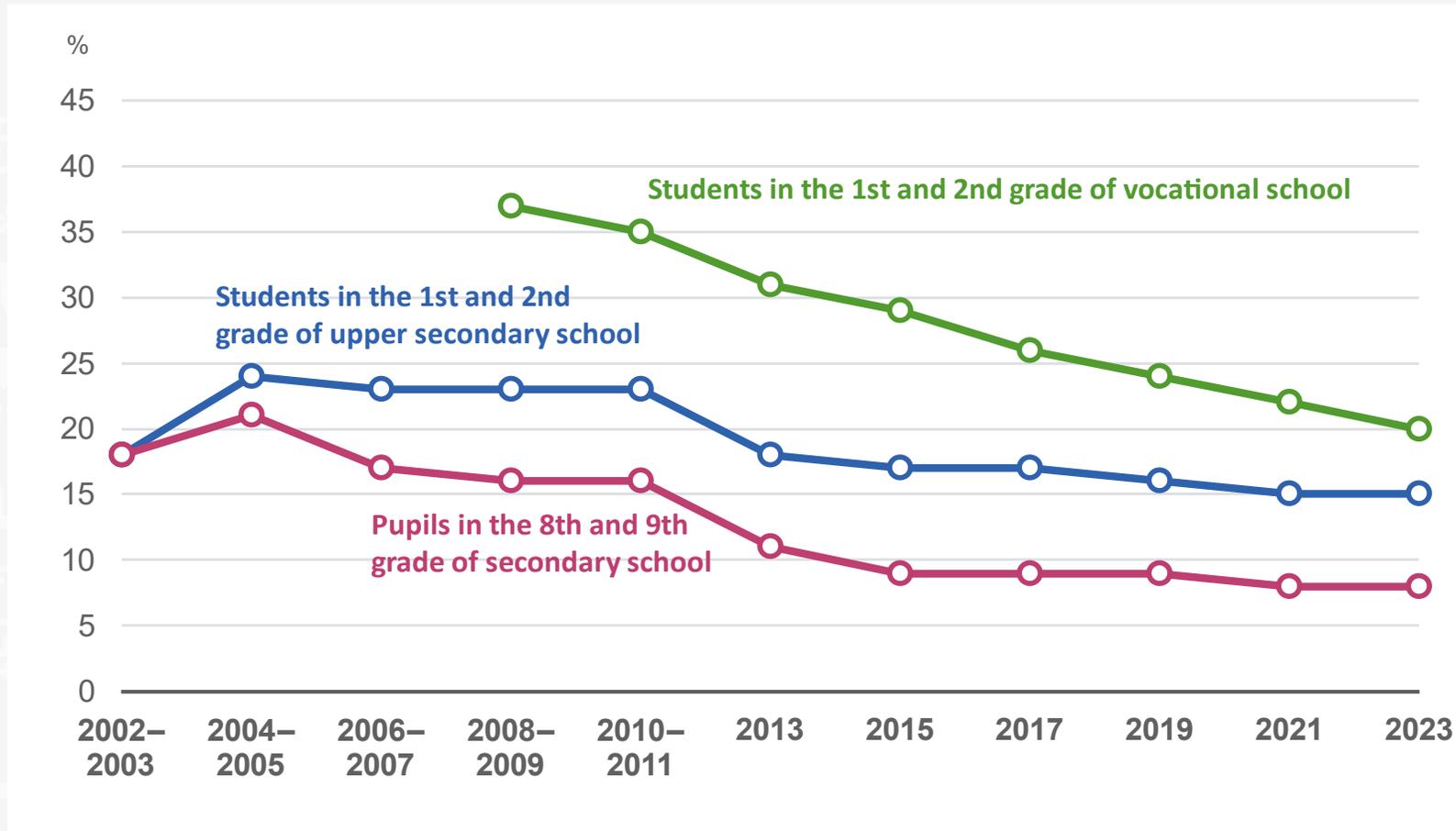
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\* People who binge-drink at least once a month are defined as those who drink enough alcohol to become very drunk either 1–2 times a month or more often.

Source: The School Health Promotion Study, THL.

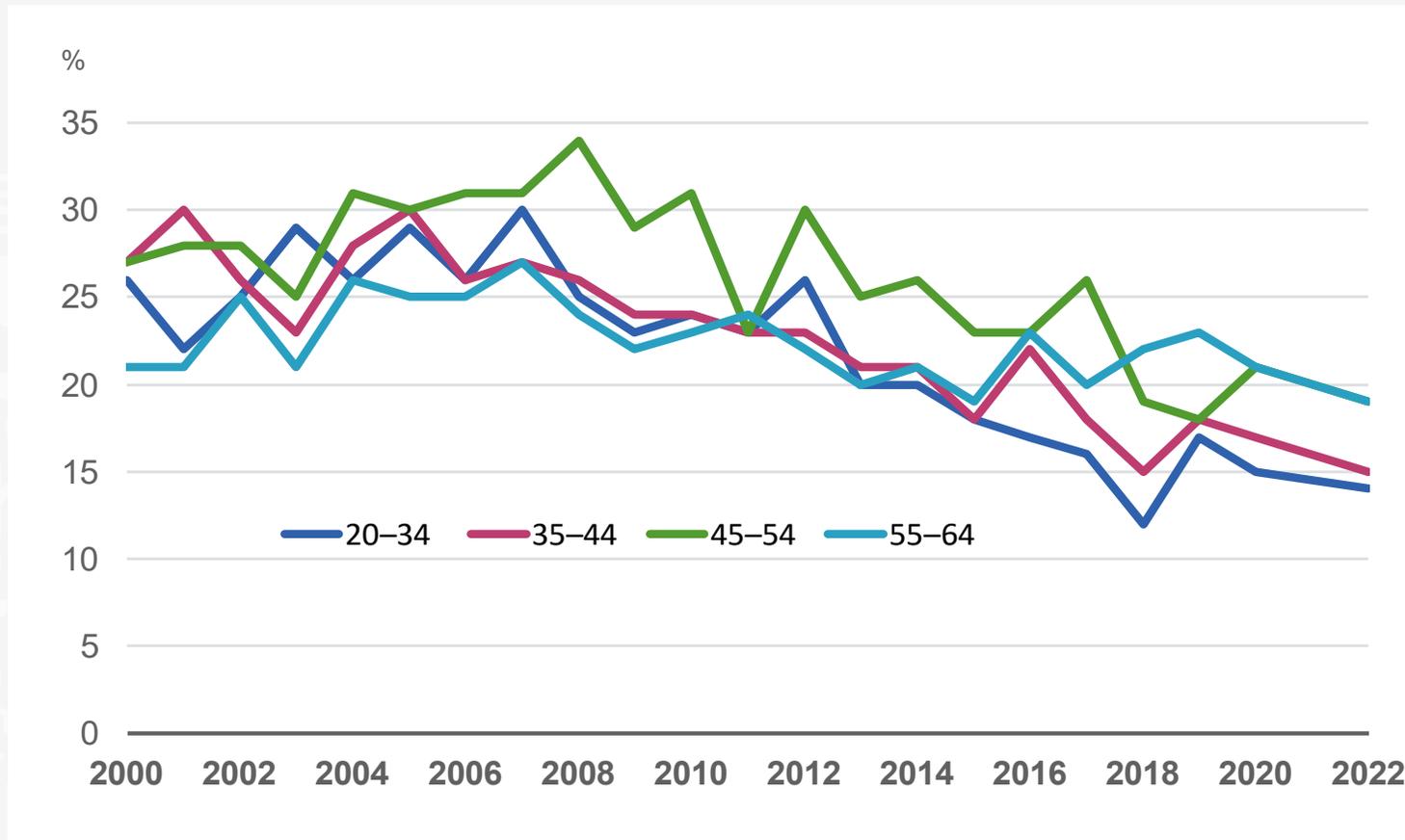
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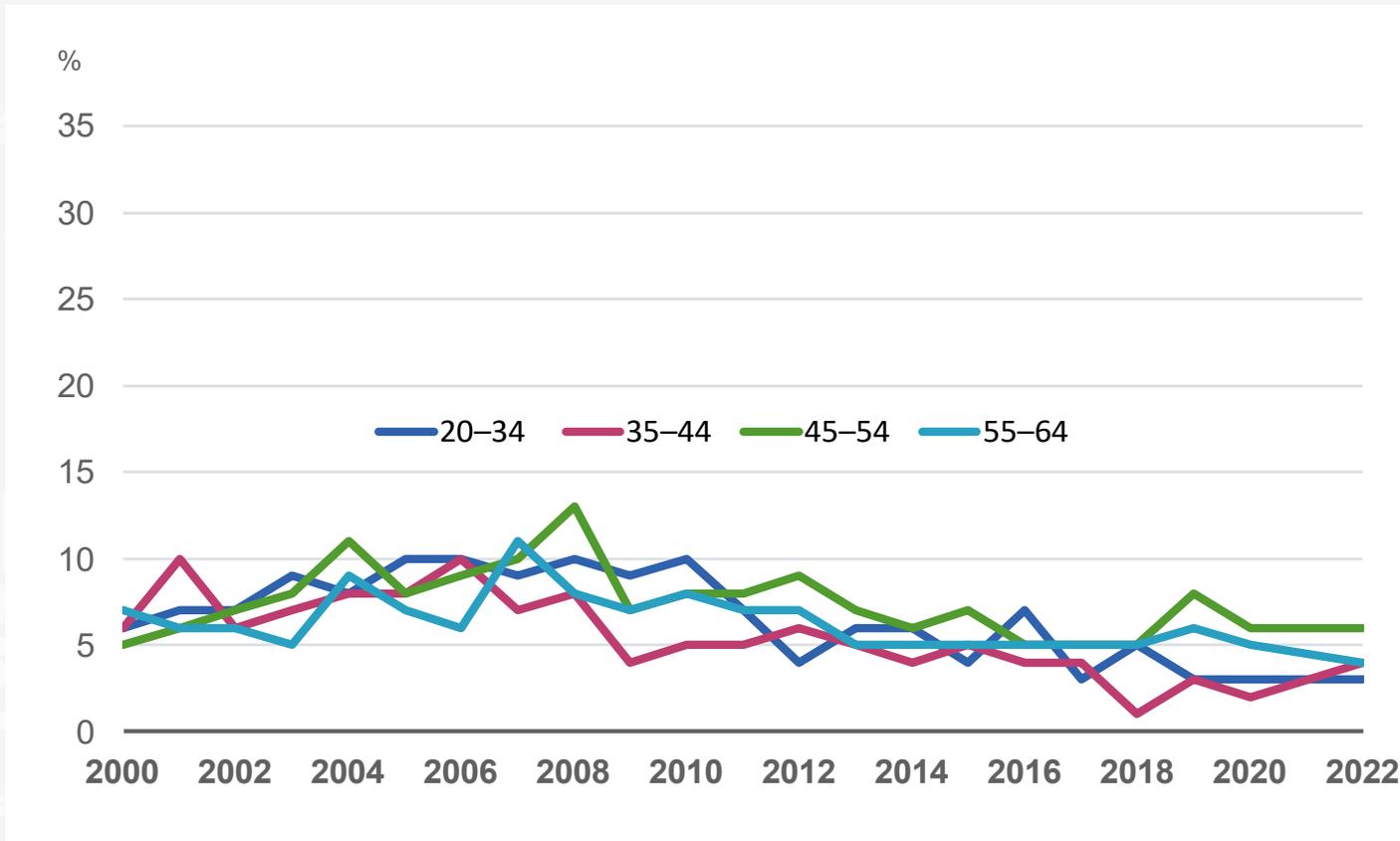
# Percentage of 20–64-year-olds men who engaged in binge drinking\* at least once a week, 2000–2022



\* Those who drink at least six units of alcohol at one sitting at least once a week.

Sources: Health Behaviour and Health among the Finnish Adult Population -survey (AVTK) 2000–2011, THL. Regional Health and Well-being Study (ATH) 2012–2017 ,THL. FinSote from 2018 onwards, THL.

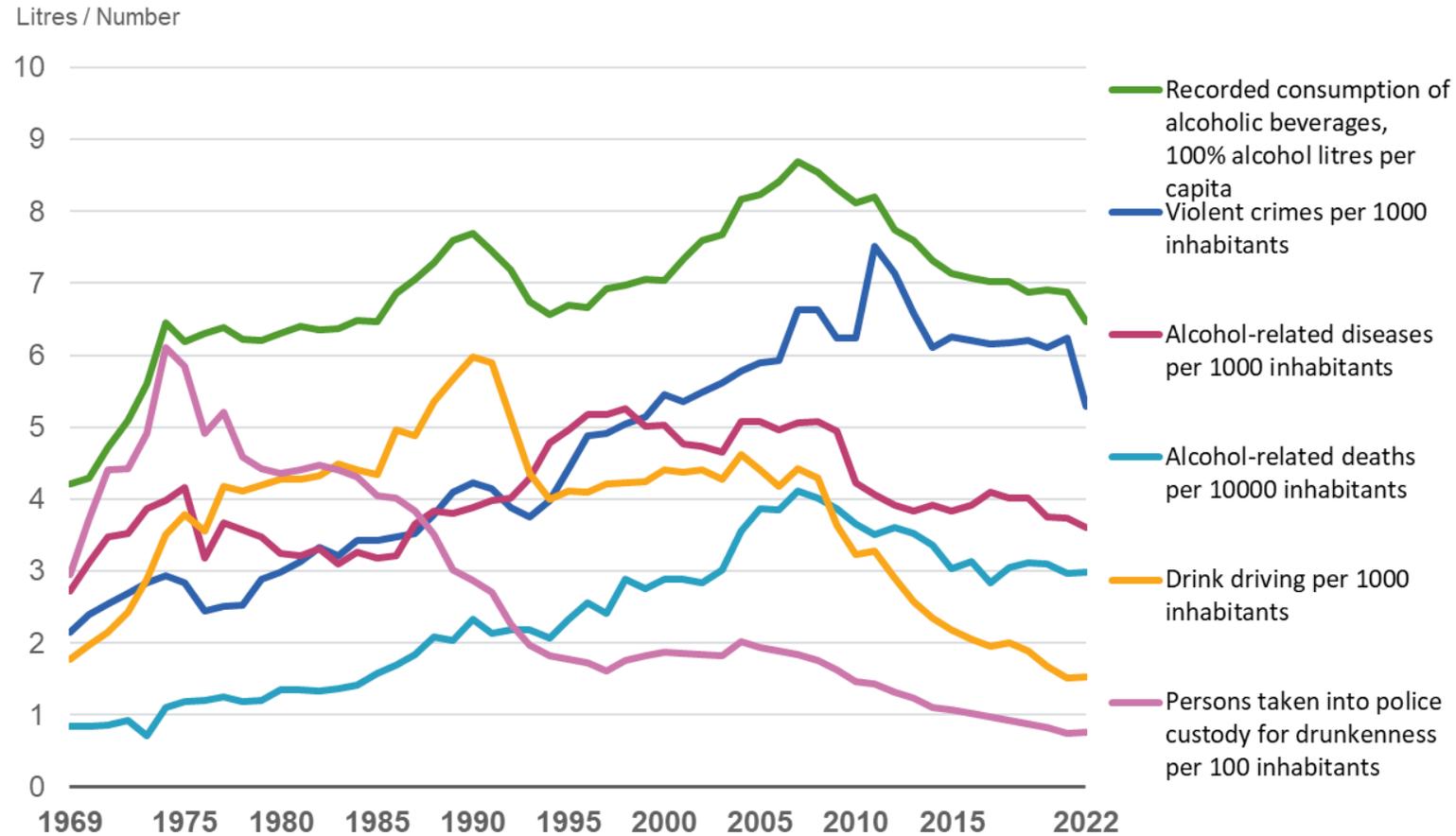
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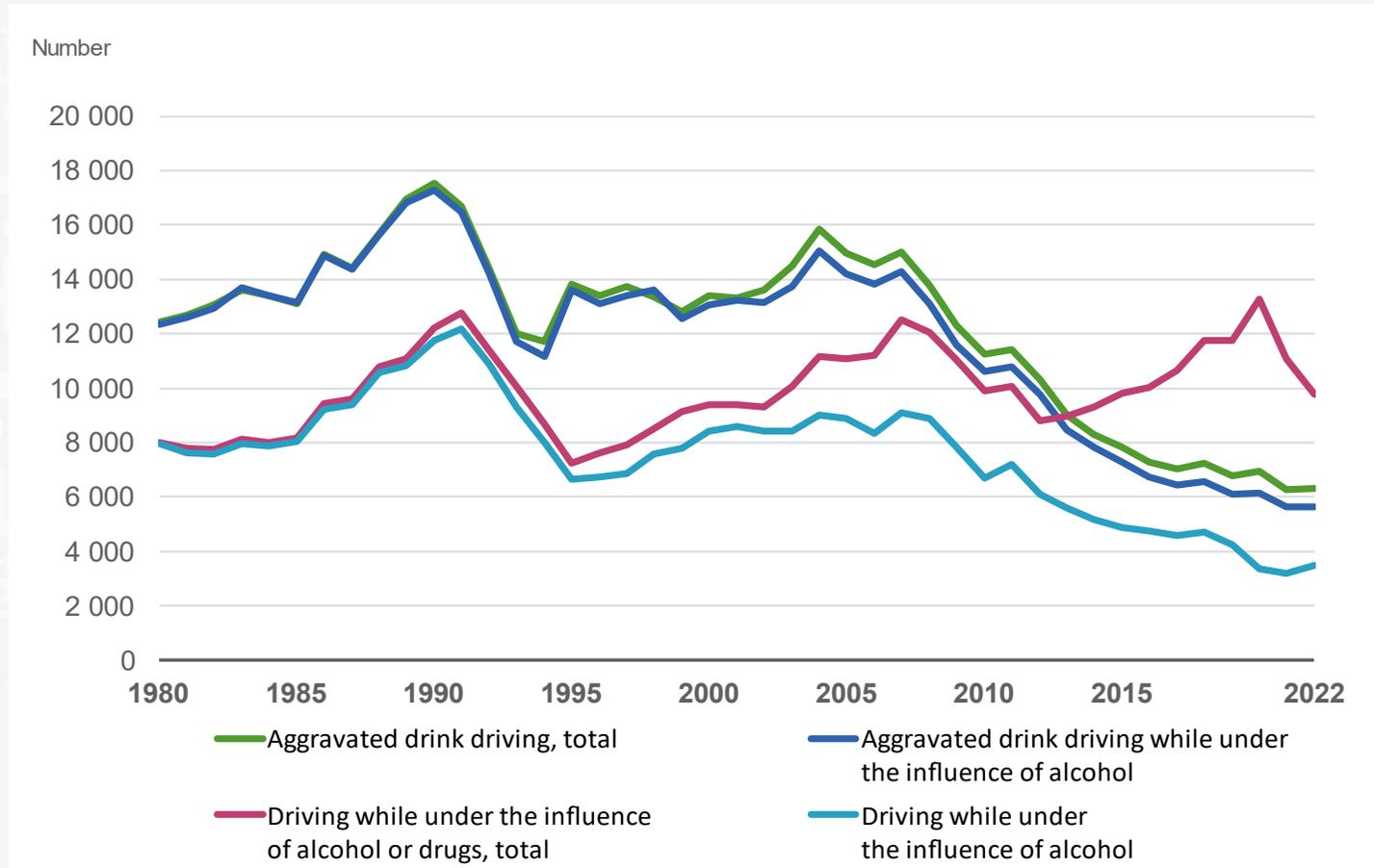
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# Recorded consumption of alcoholic beverages and alcohol-related harms, 1969–2022



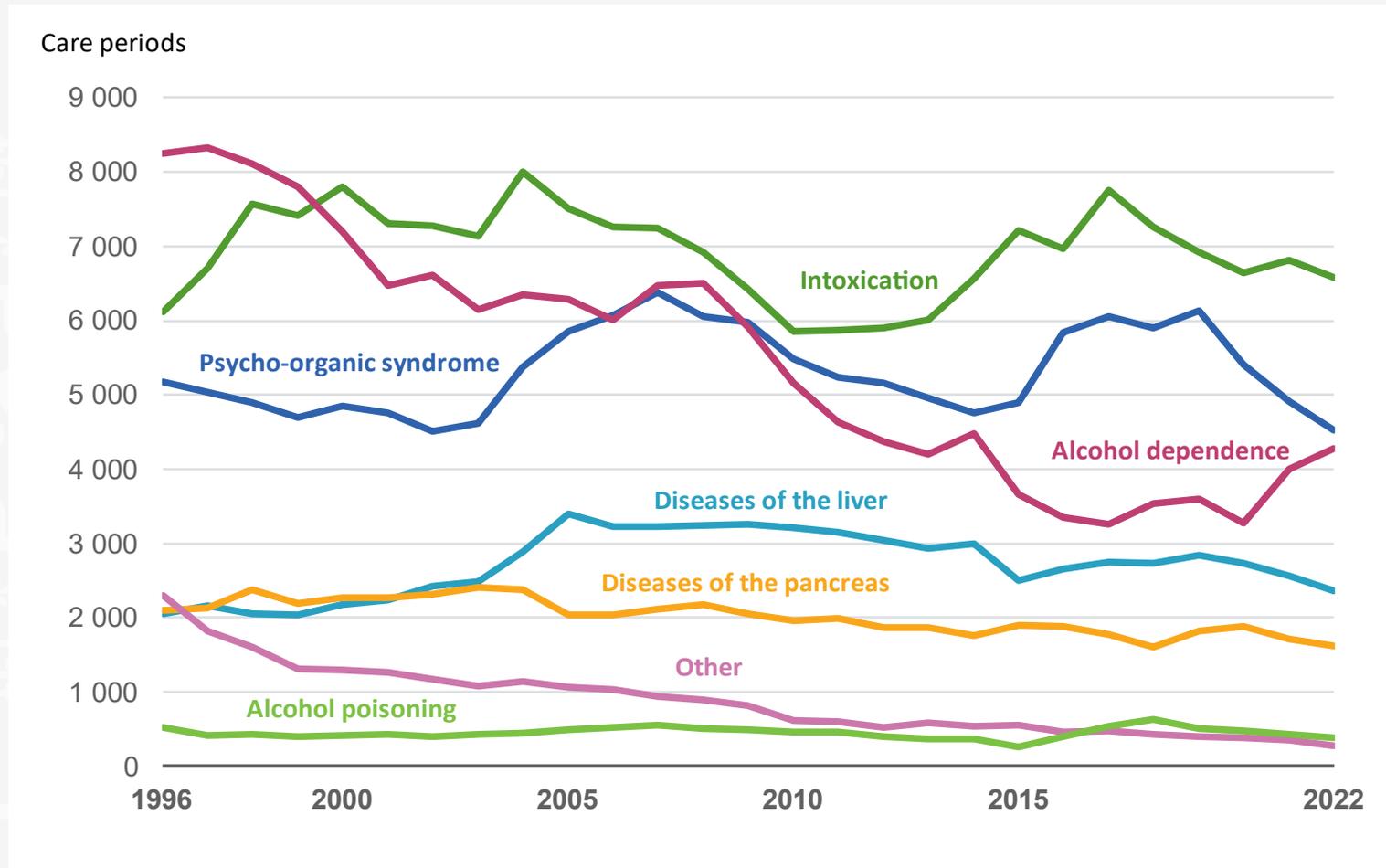
Sources: Alcoholic beverage consumption. OSF. THL; Valvira; Primary health care. OSF. THL; Specialised health care. OSF. THL; Causes of death OSF. Statistics Finland; Statistics on offences and coercive measures. OSF. Statistics Finland.

# Drink driving and aggravated drink driving offences recorded by the police, 1980–2022



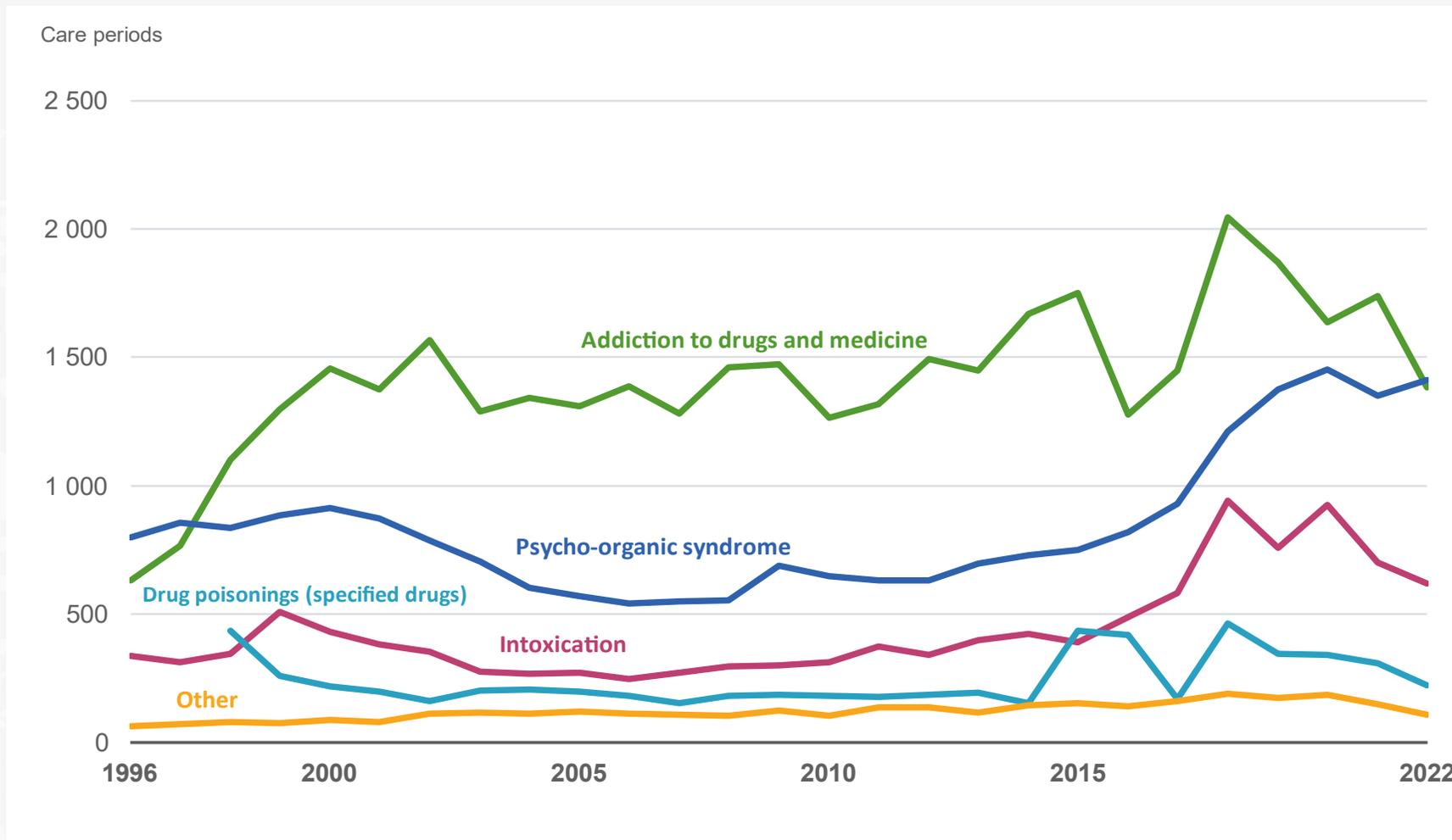
Sources: Statistics on offences and coercive measures. OSF. Statistics Finland; THL.

# Alcohol-related diseases, periods of care in inpatient care, 1996–2022, primary diagnosis



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# Drug-related diseases, periods of care in inpatient care, 1996–2022, primary diagnosis



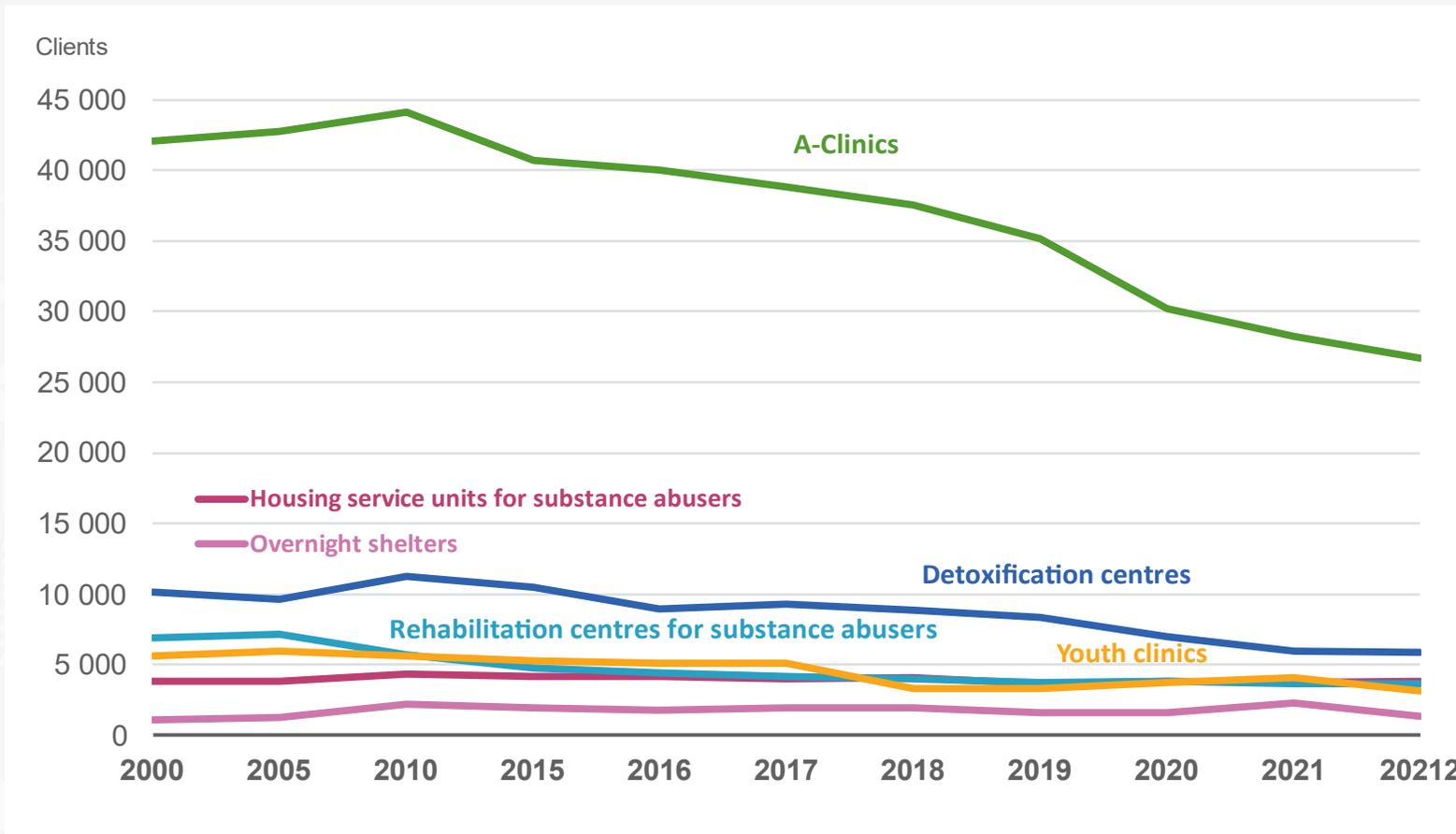
Sources: Primary health care. OSF. THL ; Specialised health care. OSF. THL.

# Alcohol- and drug-related diseases, periods of care in inpatient care by age group, 2021, percentages

Age group	Alcohol	Drugs	Soporifics and sedatives	Medicine poisoning	Total
-14	1,6	2,0	1,6	11,2	2,9
15-19	2,0	7,1	5,7	18,5	4,8
20-24	2,7	16,7	15,8	14,5	6,0
25-44	23,7	62,3	44,8	27,1	28,8
45-64	47,8	10,3	17,1	18,4	39,2
65-	22,2	1,4	15,0	10,2	18,1
	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
<b>N</b>	<b>20 121</b>	<b>3 122</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>3 592</b>	<b>27 221</b>
Men	77,6 %	70,7 %	60,4 %	66,0 %	70,8 %

Sources: Primary health care. OSF. THL; Specialised health care. OSF. THL.

# Specialised services for substance abusers (services funded by municipalities), 2010–2022, clients during year



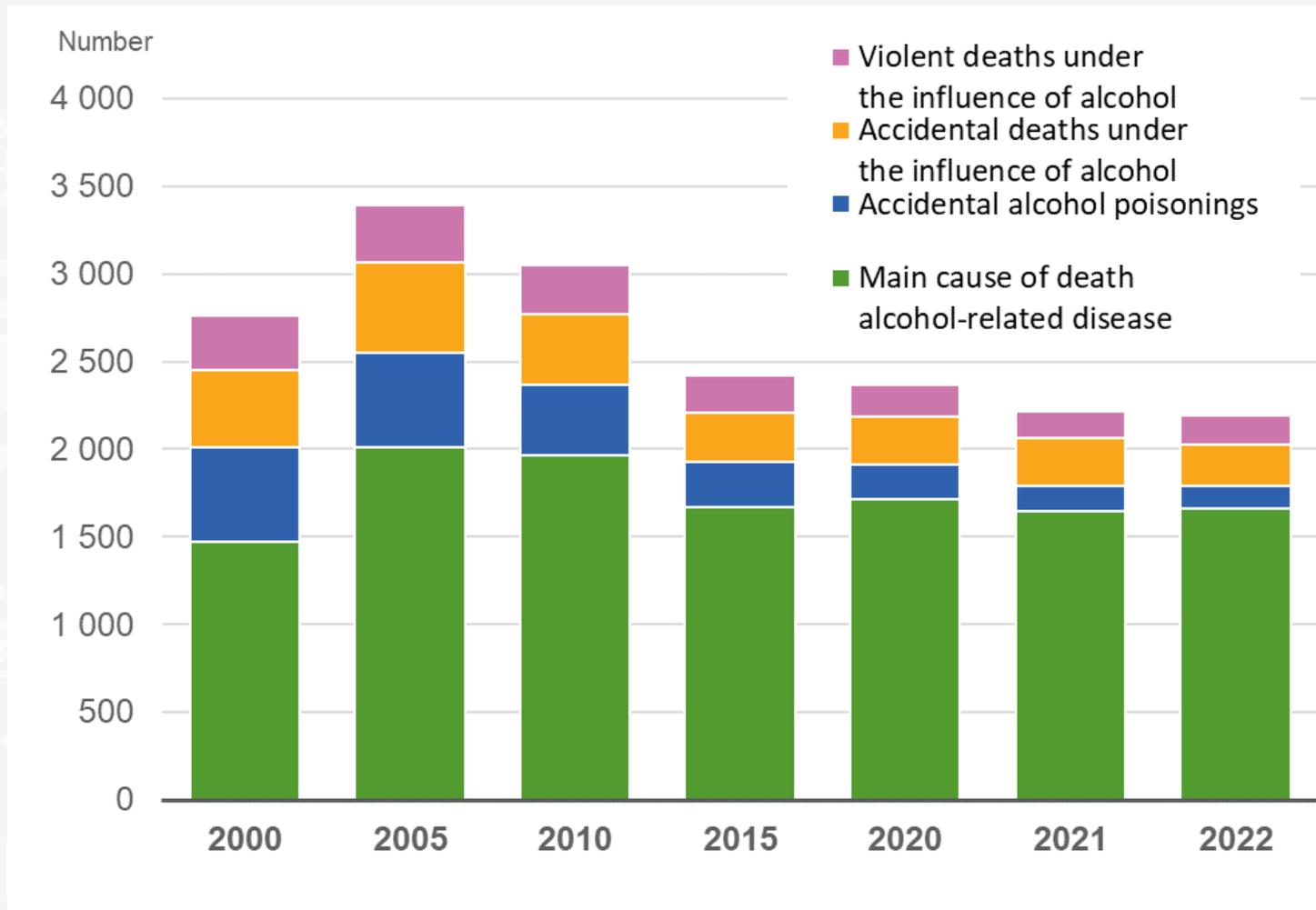
Source: Up to 2014 Finances and activities of municipalities and joint municipal boards. OSF. Statistics Finland and from 2015 onwards Statistics on the activities of social services. THL. Functional data of health information service points. THL

# Clients in institutions that provide care for substance abusers by age group, 2022

Age group	Number	%
-19	97	1,8
20-24	479	9,0
25-29	618	11,6
30-34	638	12,0
35-44	1 373	25,7
45-54	1 025	19,2
55-64	736	13,8
65-	371	7,0
Total	5 337	100
Men	3 952	74,0
Women	1 385	26,0

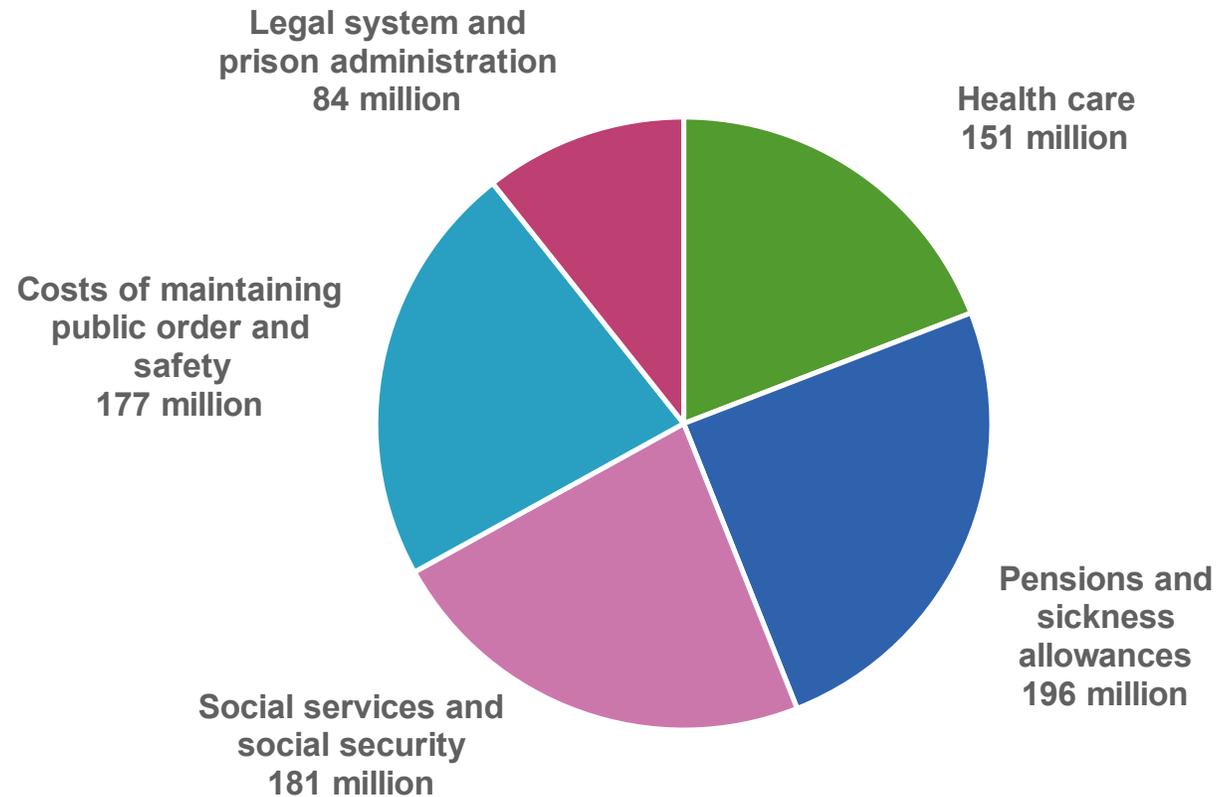
Source: Institutional care and housing services in social care. OSF. THL.

# Alcohol-related deaths, 2000–2022



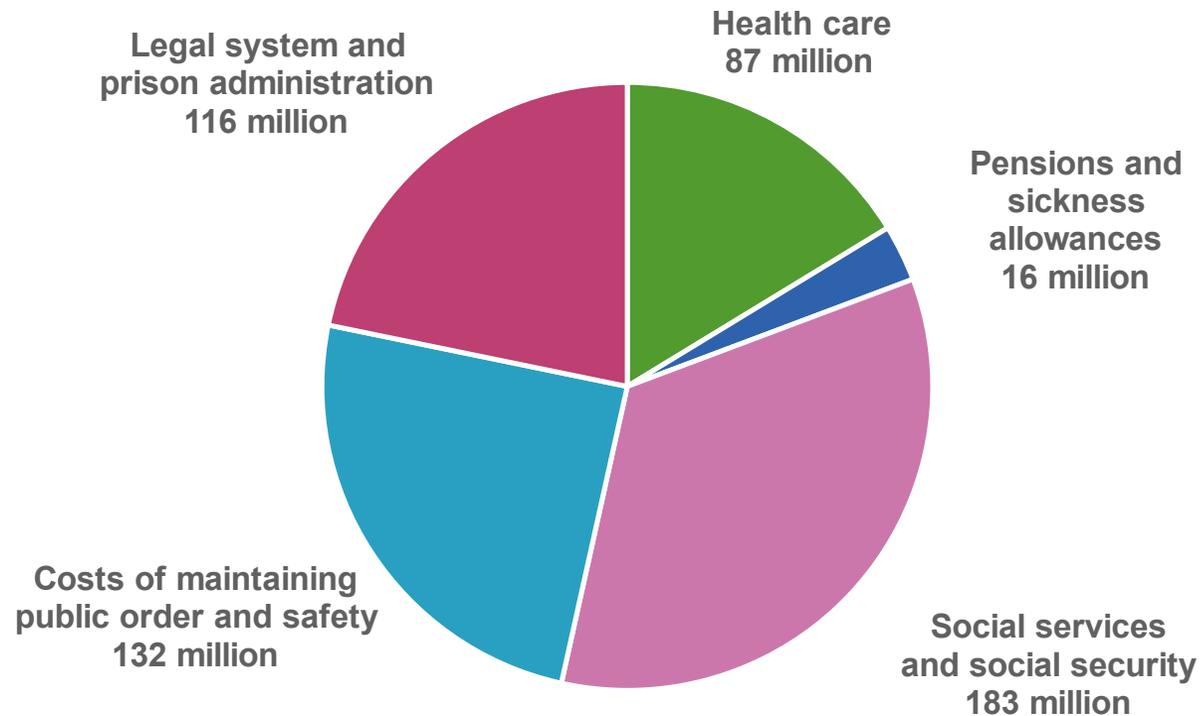
Sources: Causes of death. OSF. Statistics Finland; THL.

# The costs of harms caused by alcohol abuse per main categories, 2020, EUR



The figures are averages of costs.  
Source: Costs of alcohol and drug harm, THL.

# The costs of harms caused by drug abuse per main categories, 2020, EUR



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# Further information

- Statistical yearbook of alcohol and drug statistics 2023. Official Statistics of Finland. OSF.
  - Online version (free): <https://thl.fi/en/web/thlfi-en/statistics-and-data/statistics-by-topic/statistical-publications/yearbook-of-alcohol-and-drug-statistics>
- Statistics Finland: [https://www.stat.fi/index\\_en.html](https://www.stat.fi/index_en.html)
- National Supervisory Authority for Welfare and Health (Valvira): <https://www.valvira.fi/web/en>