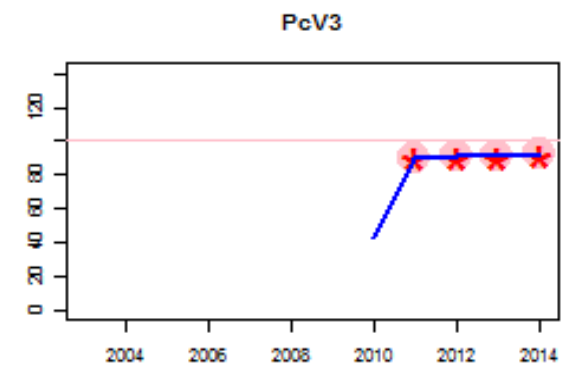
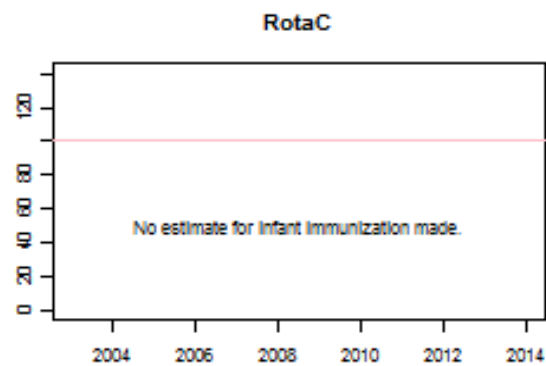
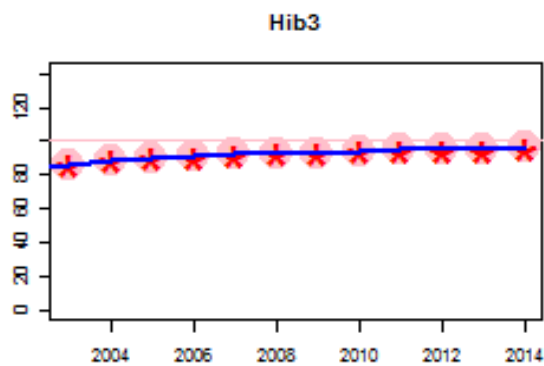
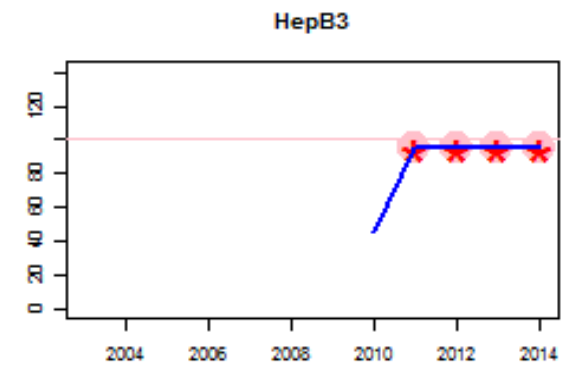
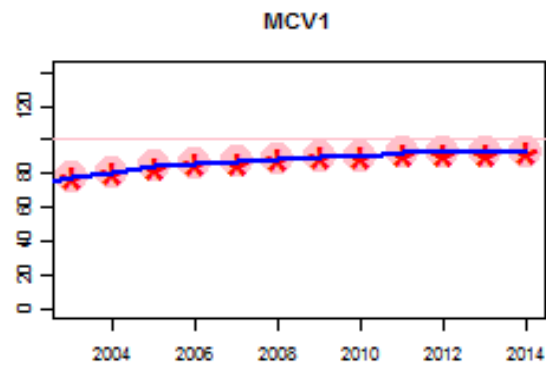
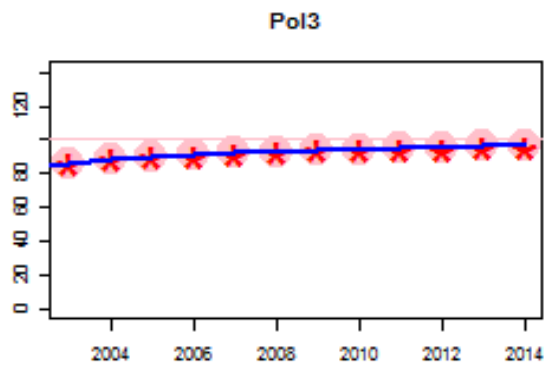
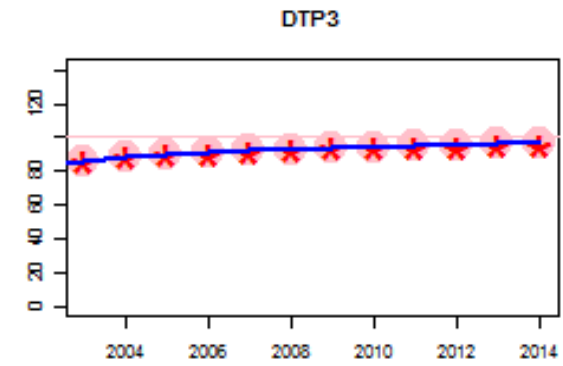
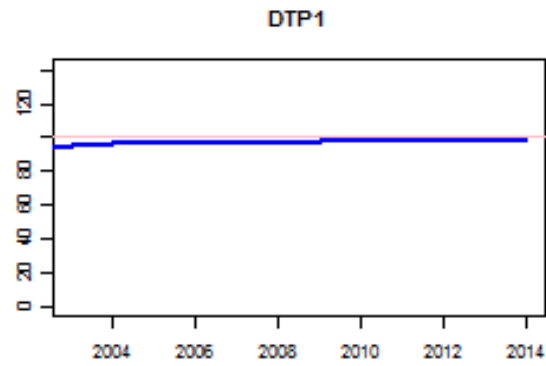
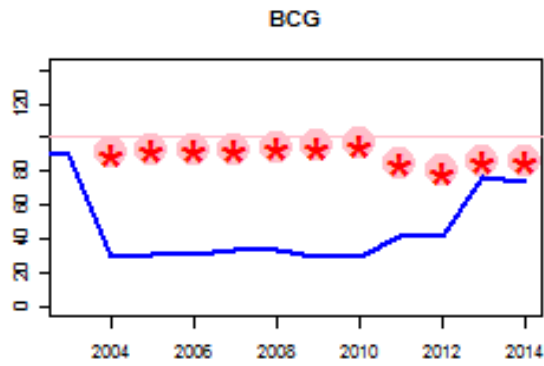
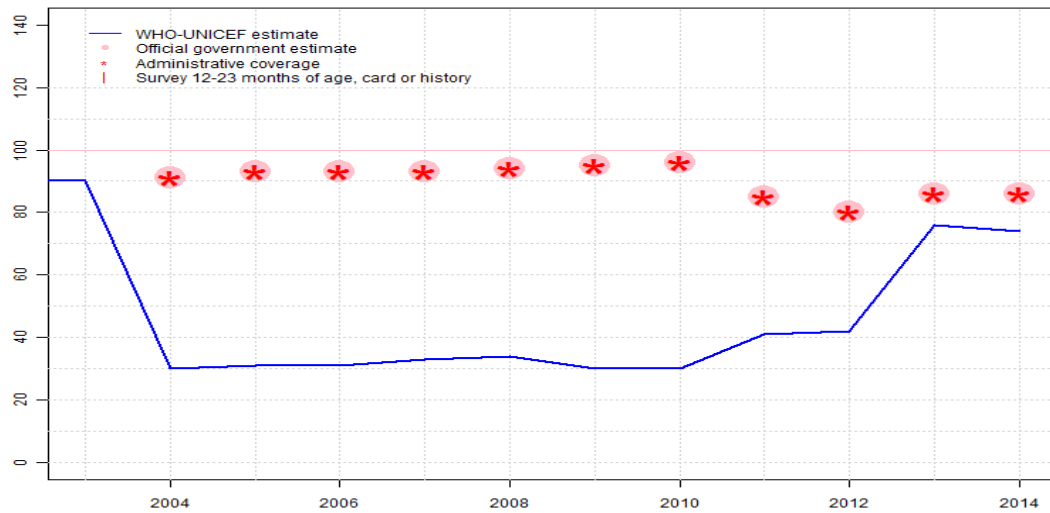


Ireland: WHO and UNICEF estimates of immunization coverage: 2014 revision



Ireland - BCG

IRL - BCG



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	90	30	31	31	33	34	30	30	41	42	76	74
Estimate GoC	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Official	NA	91	93	93	93	94	95	96	85	80	86	86
Administrative	NA	91	93	93	93	94	95	96	85	80	86	86
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
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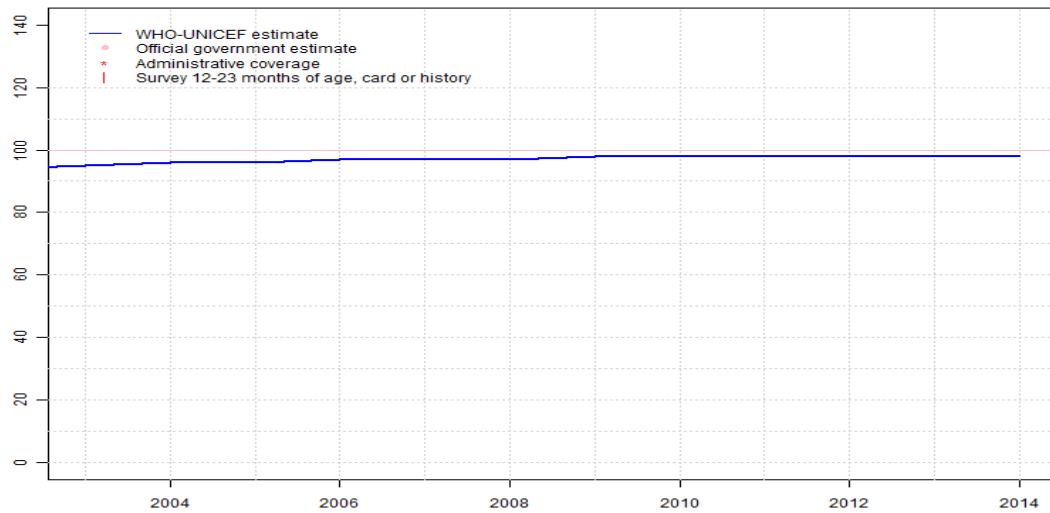
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Description:

- 2003: Reported data calibrated to 1997 levels. Reported coverage reflects performance in reporting areas. WHO and UNICEF estimate reflects coverage for the national target population. Estimate of 90 percent changed from previous revision value of 89 percent. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2004: Coverage of 91 percent reached in 33 percent of the population. BCG has been administered subnationally since 2004; currently available information indicates national recommendation prior to 2004. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2005: Ninety-three percent coverage reached in 34 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2006: Ninety-three percent coverage reached in 33 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2007: Ninety-three percent coverage reached in 36 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2008: Ninety-four percent coverage achieved in 36 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2009: Ninety-five percent coverage achieved in 32 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2010: Ninety-six percent coverage achieved in 31 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2011: Ninety-five percent coverage achieved in 48 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2012: Eighty percent coverage reached in 52 percent of the population. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2013: Eighty-six percent coverage achieved in 88 percent of the national target population. Estimate of 76 percent changed from previous revision value of 42 percent. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2014: Eighty-six percent coverage achieved in 86 percent of the national target population. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation>. Estimate challenged by: R-

Ireland - DTP1

IRL - DTP1



Description:

2003: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 86. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2004: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 89. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2005: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 90. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2006: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 91. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2007: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 92. GoC=No accepted empirical data
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 2011: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 95. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2012: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 95. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2013: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 96. GoC=No accepted empirical data
 2014: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 96. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation>
 GoC=No accepted empirical data

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	95	96	96	97	97	97	98	98	98	98	98	98
Estimate GoC	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

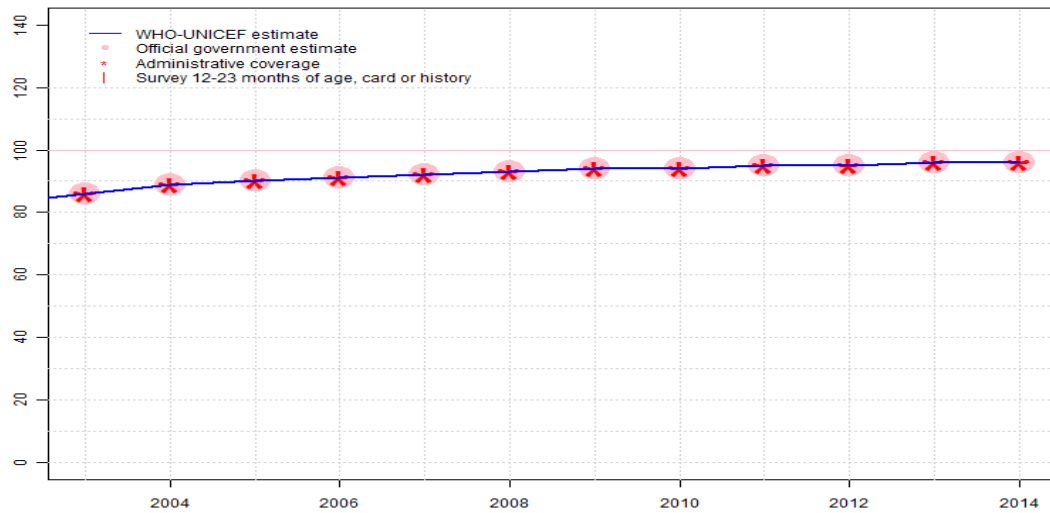
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Ireland - DTP3

IRL - DTP3



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Administrative	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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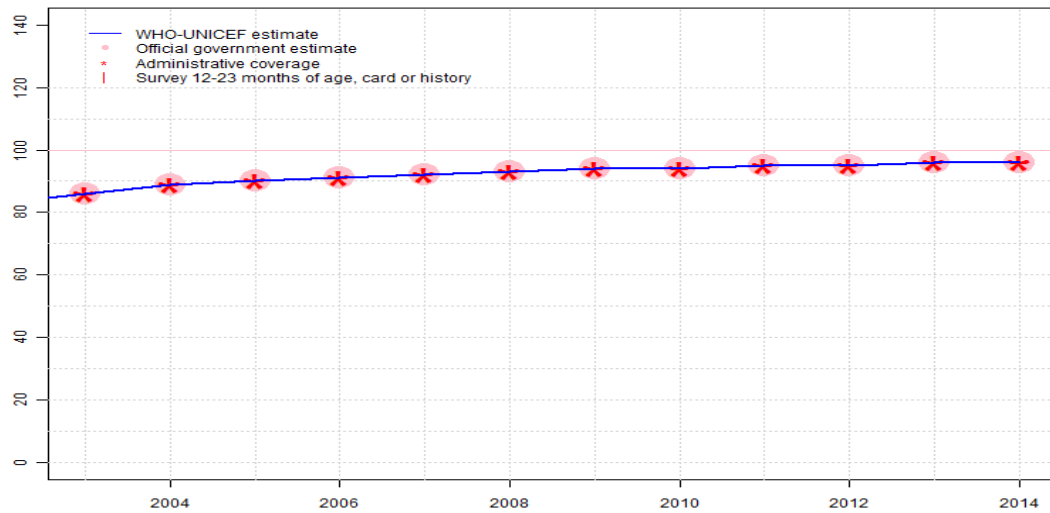
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Description:

- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
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- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
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- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+
- 2014: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation> GoC=R+

Ireland - Pol3

IRL - Pol3



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Administrative	86	89	90	91	92	93	94	94	95	95	96	96
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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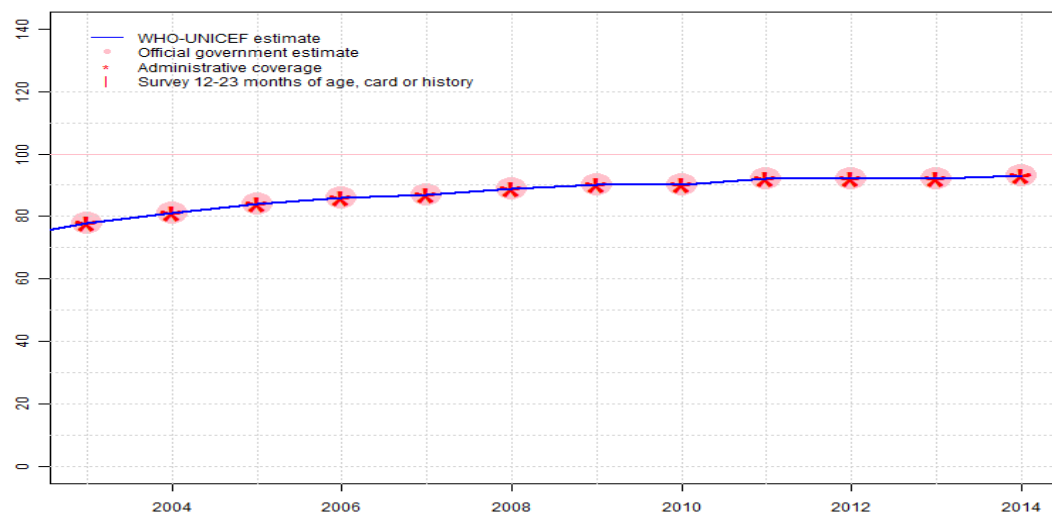
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Description:

- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
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- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+
- 2014: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation> GoC=R+

Ireland - MCV1

IRL - MCV1



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	78	81	84	86	87	89	90	90	92	92	92	93
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	78	81	84	86	87	89	90	90	92	92	92	93
Administrative	78	81	84	86	87	89	90	90	92	92	92	93
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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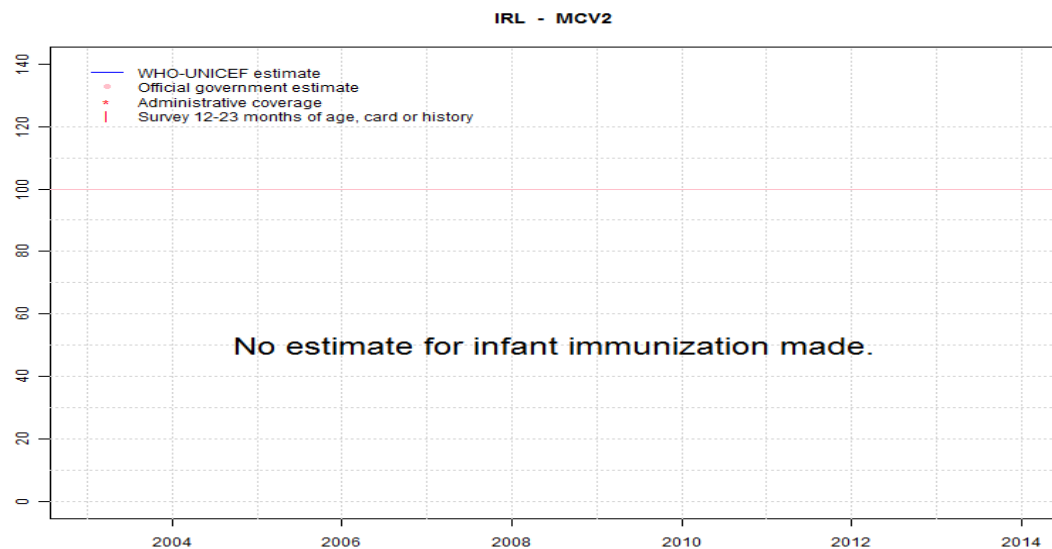
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Description:

- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
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- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate of 92 percent changed from previous revision value of 93 percent. GoC=R+
- 2014: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation> GoC=R+

Ireland - MCV2



The second dose of measles containing vaccine was introduced in 1982; data not reported

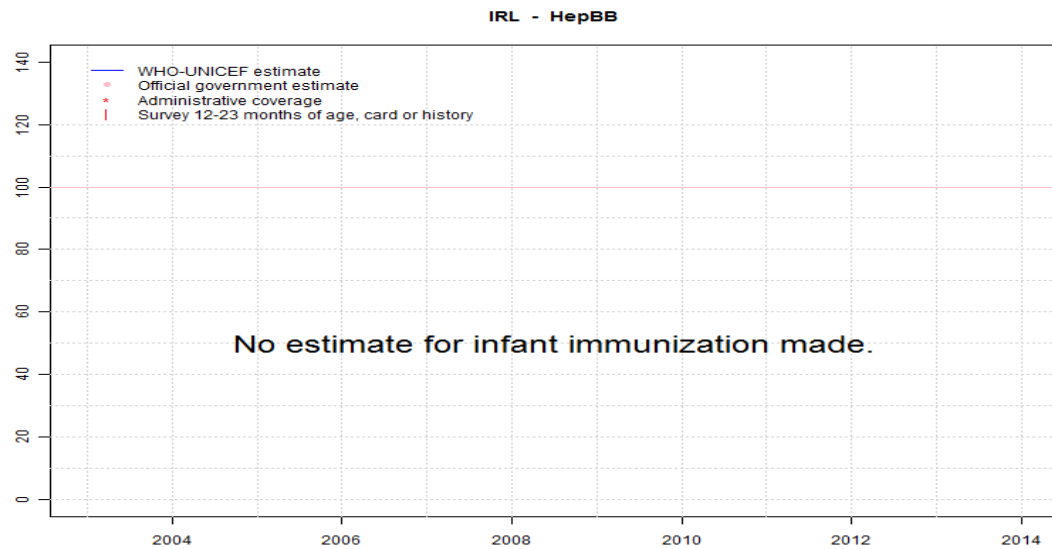
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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Ireland - HepBB



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

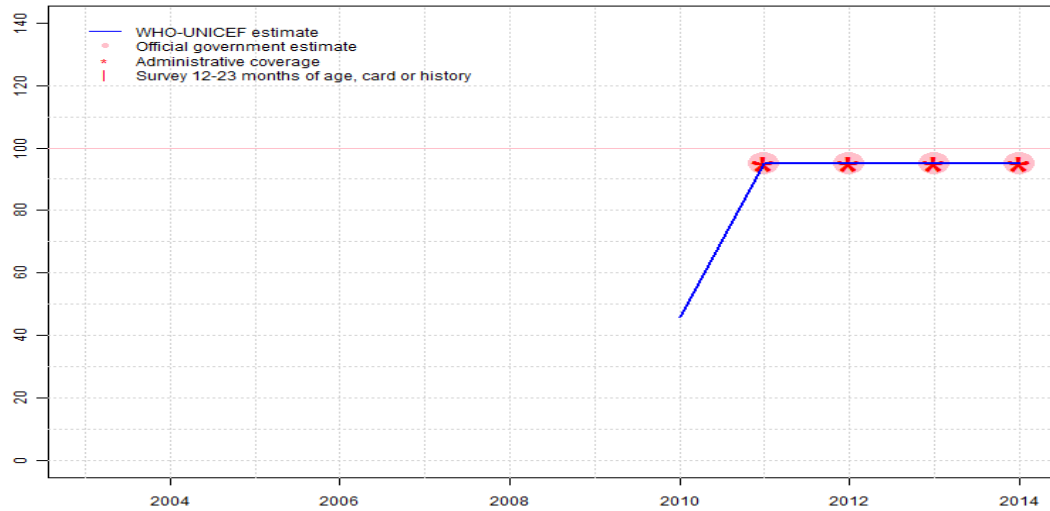
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- There are no directly supporting data; or data from at least one source; [R-], [D-], [S-]; challenge the estimate.

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Ireland - HepB3

IRL - HepB3



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	46	95	95	95	95
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	••	••	•	••	••
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	95	95	95	95
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	95	95	95	95
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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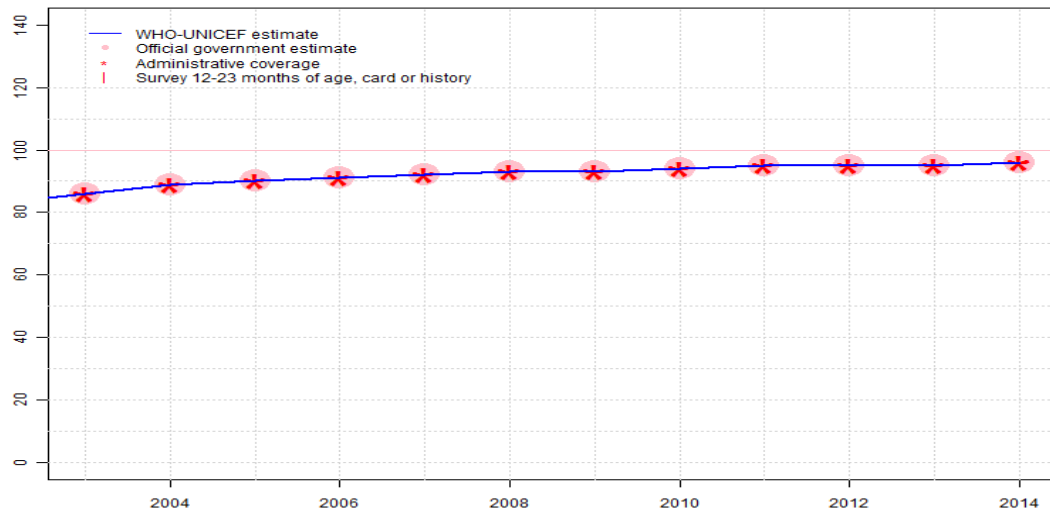
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Description:

- 2010: Coverage of 94 percent achieved in 49 percent of the population. HepB vaccine introduced during Q3 2008, reporting started during 2010. Vaccine presentation is DTP-Hib-HepB-IPV. GoC=D+
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+D+
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+
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Ireland - Hib3

IRL - Hib3



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	86	89	90	91	92	93	93	94	95	95	95	96
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●	●●	●●
Official	86	89	90	91	92	93	93	94	95	95	95	96
Administrative	86	89	90	91	92	93	93	94	95	95	95	96
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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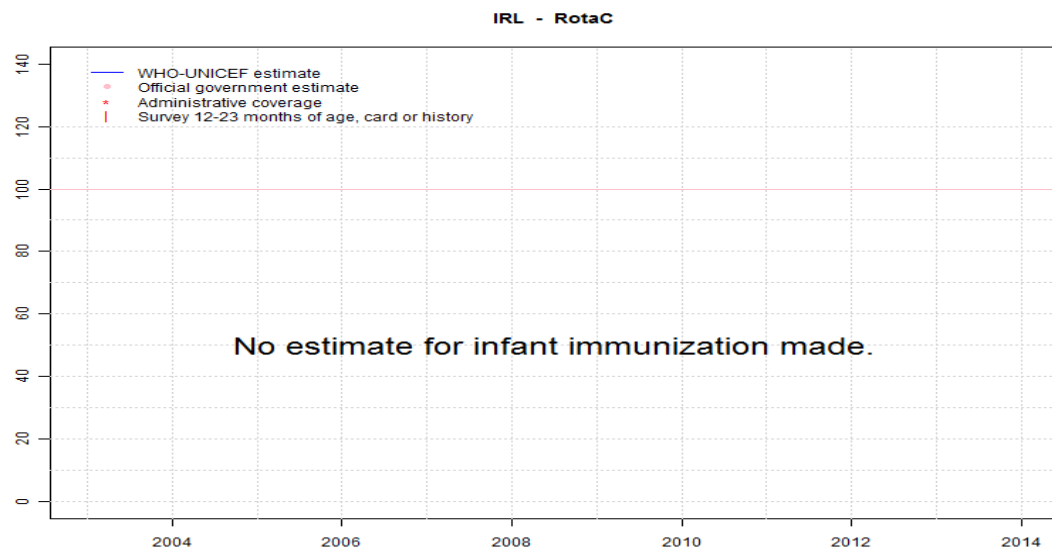
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Description:

- 2003: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2004: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2005: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2006: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2007: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2008: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2009: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate of 93 percent changed from previous revision value of 94 percent. GoC=R+ D+
- 2010: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+ D+
- 2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+
- 2014: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation> GoC=R+

Ireland - RotaC



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

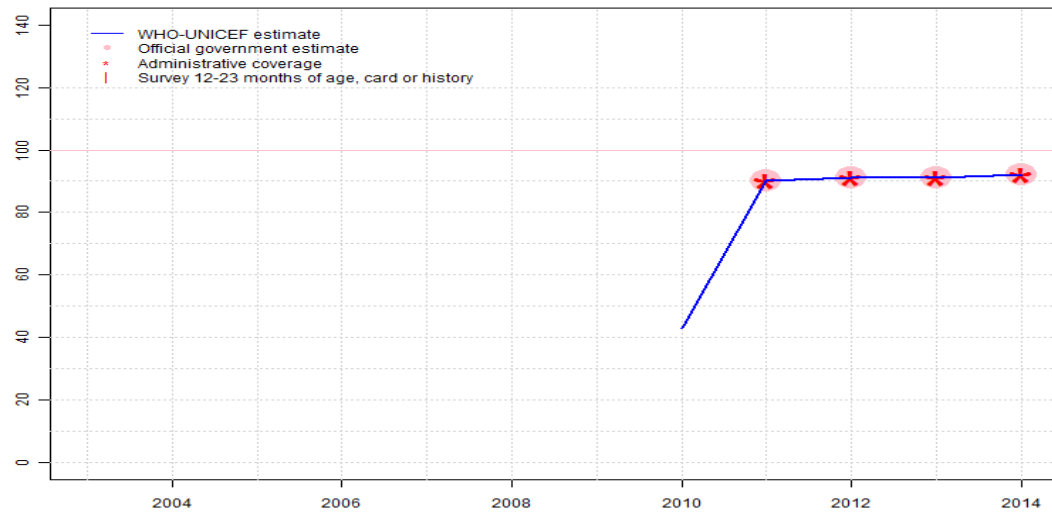
The WHO and UNICEF estimates of national immunization coverage (wuenic) are based on data and information that are of varying, and, in some instances, unknown quality. Beginning with the 2011 revision we describe the grade of confidence (GoC) we have in these estimates. As there is no underlying probability model upon which the estimates are based, we are unable to present classical measures of uncertainty, e.g., confidence intervals. Moreover, we have chosen not to make subjective estimates of plausibility/certainty ranges around the coverage. The GoC reflects the degree of empirical support upon which the estimates are based. It is not a judgment of the quality of data reported by national authorities.

- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2012 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
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Ireland - PcV3

IRL - PcV3



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Estimate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	43	90	91	91	92
Estimate GoC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	••	••	•	••	••
Official	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	90	91	91	92
Administrative	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	90	91	91	92
Survey	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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Description:

2010: Coverage of 88 percent achieved in 49 percent of the population. Pneumococcal conjugate vaccine introduced in 2008. Reporting started in 2010. GoC=D+

2011: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+

2012: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. Estimate challenged by: D-

2013: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. GoC=R+

2014: Estimate based on coverage reported by national government. No nationally representative household survey within the last 5 years. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high-quality survey to confirm reported levels of coverage. Immunization uptake statistics age 12 and 24 months are available at <http://www.hpsc.ie/A-Z/VaccinePreventable/Vaccination/ImmunisationUptakeStatistics/Immunisation>. GoC=R+

Further information and estimates for previous years are available at:

<http://www.data.unicef.org/child-health/immunization>

http://www.who.int/immunization/monitoring_surveillance/routine/coverage/en/index4.html