

THE FACE OF GLOBAL SEX 2005

The Challenges of Unprotected
Sex

I. THE FACE OF GLOBAL SEX - STATISTICAL METHODS

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF STATISTICAL METHODS

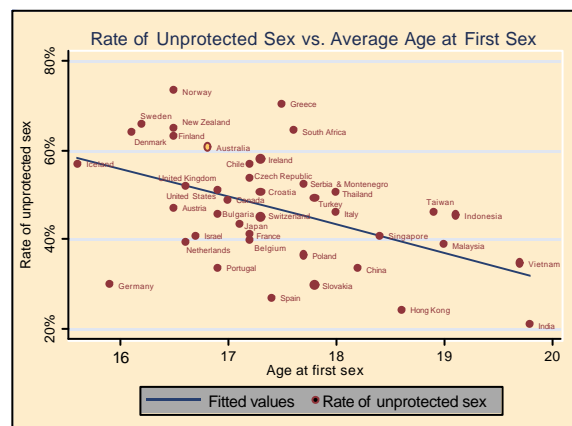
- 41 Countries surveyed in 2005.
- More than 317,000 respondents.
- Minimum 3.4% of deviance from the true proportion/mean (n = 1,000 respondents).
- Six variables studied:
 - rate of unprotected sex (dependent variable)
 - age at first sex
 - sex frequency
 - age when formal education received
 - number of sexual partners
 - condom as main contraceptive method

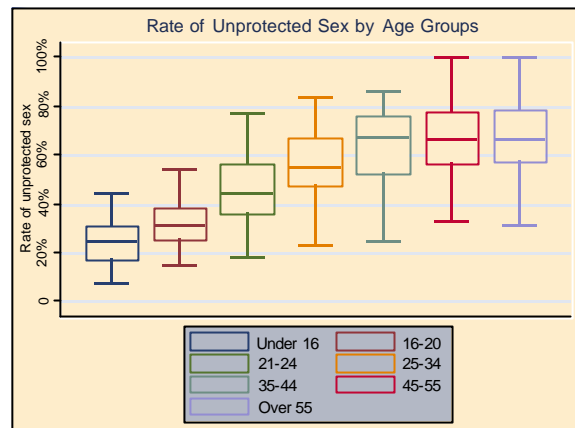
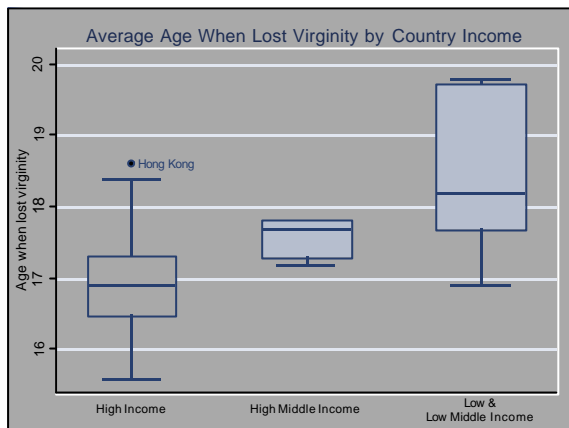
QUESTIONS ADDRESSED

- What are the key factors influencing rates of unprotected sex?
- What are the key differences in sexual behaviours between Eastern and Western Europe?
- What is the impact of condom use in the reduction of rates of unprotected sex?
- When should sex education start?

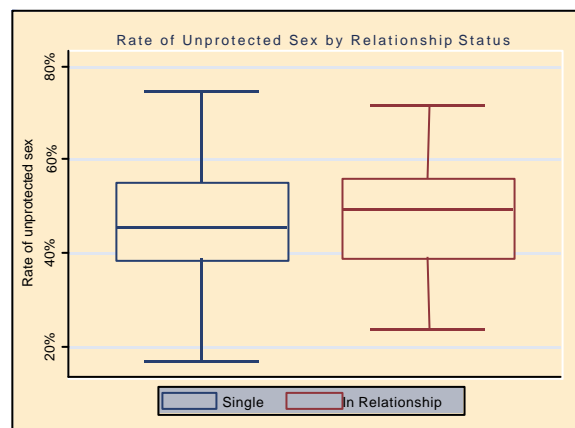
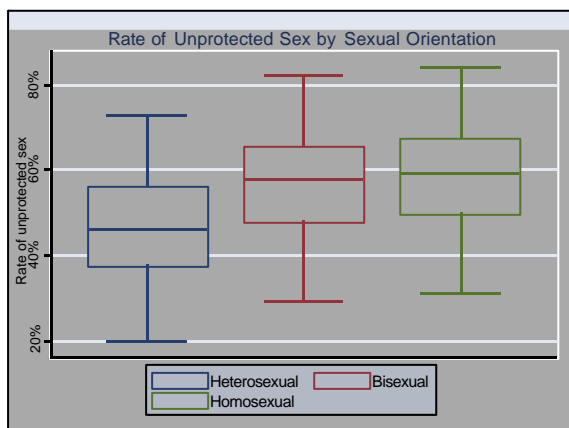
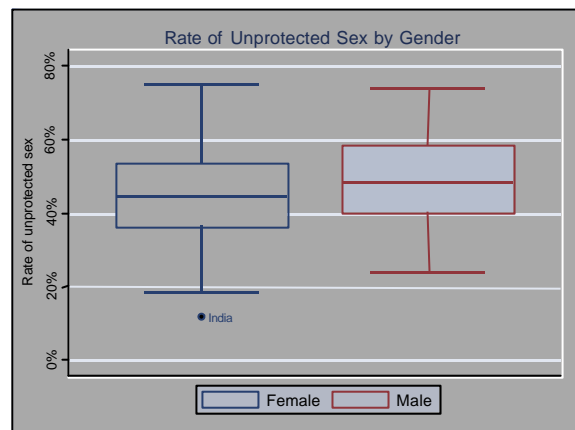
II. RESULTS FROM WORLWIDE REGRESSION MODEL:

AGE AT FIRST SEX AND AGE
GROUPS

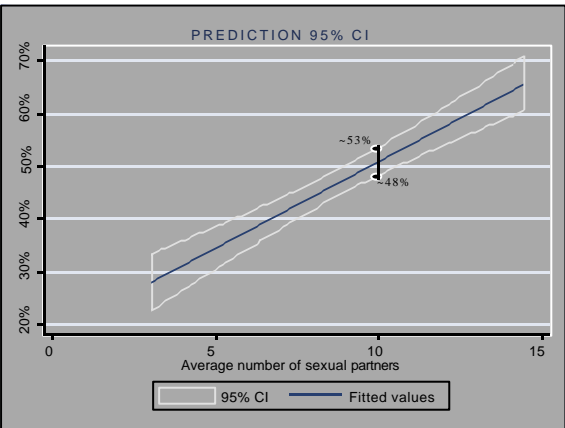
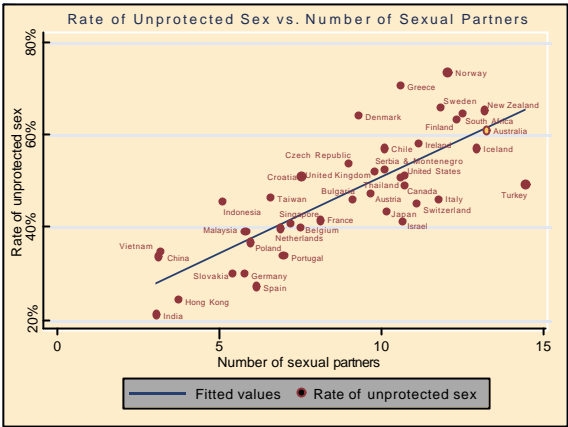




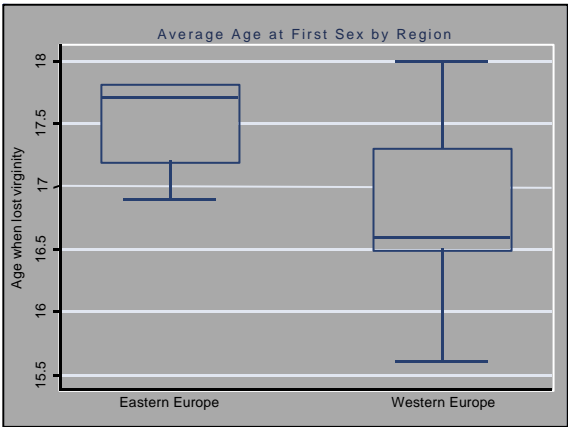
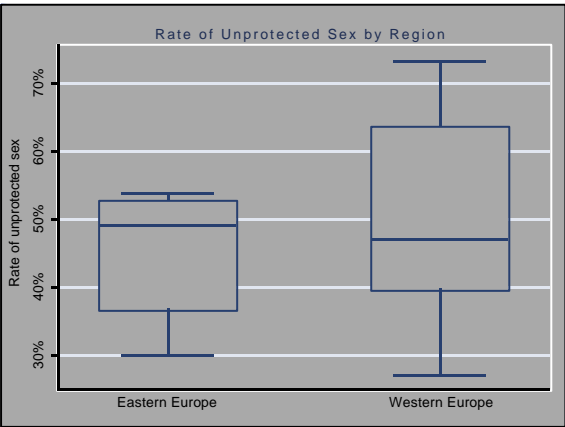
GENDER, SEX ORIENTATION AND RELATIONSHIP STATUS



NUMBER OF SEXUAL PARTNERS



III. DIFFERENCES BETWEEN EASTERN AND WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES



IV. FINAL COMMENTS AND CONCLUSIONS

- Gender, sex orientation, and relationship status do not have an effect on rates of unprotected sex.
- Number of sexual partners, age, and age at first sex have significant impacts.
- Focus on educational strategies that promote condom use and continuous sex education.

