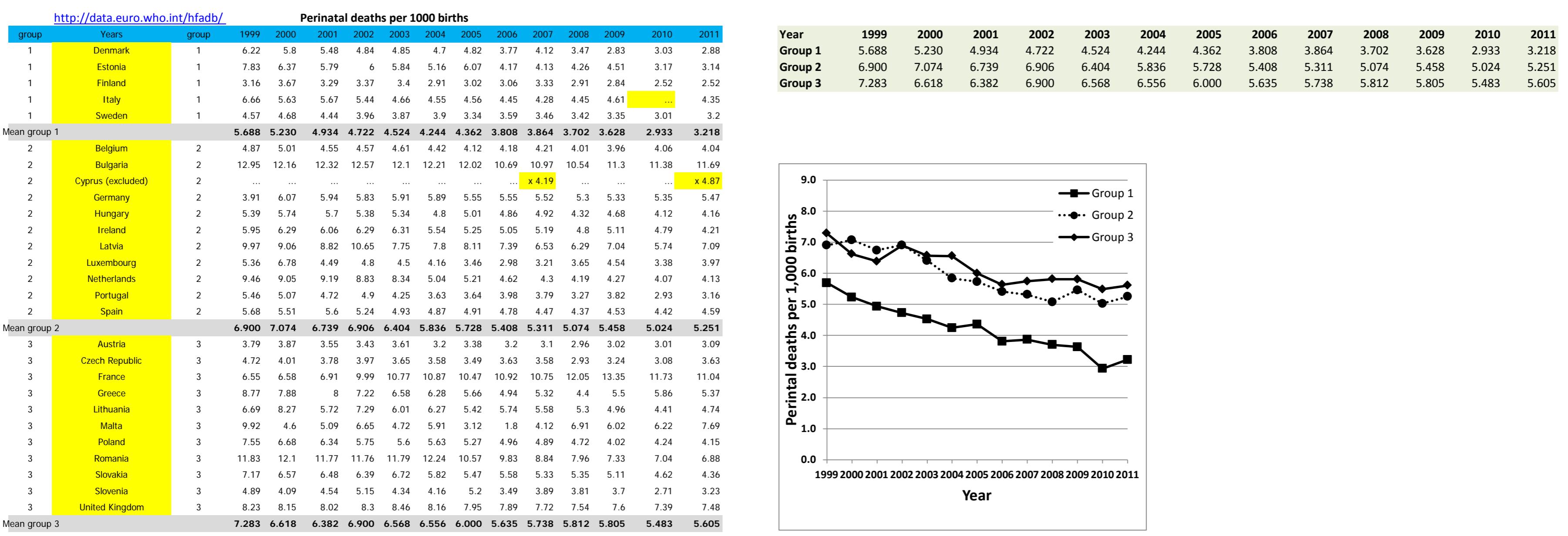


**S1 File. Data used for Fig 3.**



**DATA FROM: Bio Intelligence Service. Study on the potential for reducing mercury pollution from dental amalgam and batteries, Final report prepared for the European Commission – DG ENV. Paris: Bio Intelligence Service, 2012.**

Table 4-k Projected demand for mercury in dental amalgam

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Table 2: Assumptions on future dental amalgam demand in the baseline scenario

Group	Share of dental amalgam in 2010 (in % restorations)	Expected share of dental amalgam in 2025 (in % restorations)	Dental Hg use in 2010 (t)	Projected dental Hg use in 2025 (t)	Comments
<b>Group 1</b> DK, EE, SE, IT, FI	0-5%	0%	0.3-0.4	0	This group includes countries where amalgam use is very limited and is expected to cease in the mid-term due to policy measures in place (e.g. SE) or other factors.
<b>Group 2</b> BG, BE, CY, DE, HU, IE, LU, NL, PT, ES, LV	6-35%	5 to 15%	9 - 12	3-8	In these countries, demand for dental amalgam is expected to continue to decrease until it reaches a relatively low share of restorations.
<b>Group 3</b> AT, CZ, FR, GR, LT, MT, PL, RO, SK, SI, UK	>35%	20-30%	46 - 78	23-35	This group includes countries where dental amalgam is still widely used, as well as less wealthy countries where a large proportion of the population may not be able to bear the additional cost of Hg-free restorations. In addition, due to the currently high use of dental amalgam in these countries, there would also be a high proportion of dentists unwilling to change their current practices.
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