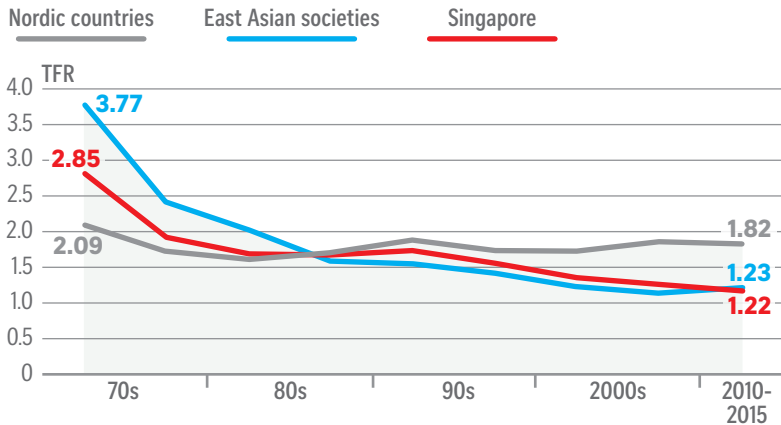


Trends in total fertility rates (TFR) of selected developed societies



NOTE: "Nordic countries" – Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden.
"East Asian societies" – Hong Kong, Japan, Republic of Korea and Taiwan.
Each data point is a five-year average of the countries' TFRs, except 2010-2015 which is a six-year average

Average age at first marriage for women (2014/2015)



Average age at first birth for mothers (2014/2015)



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