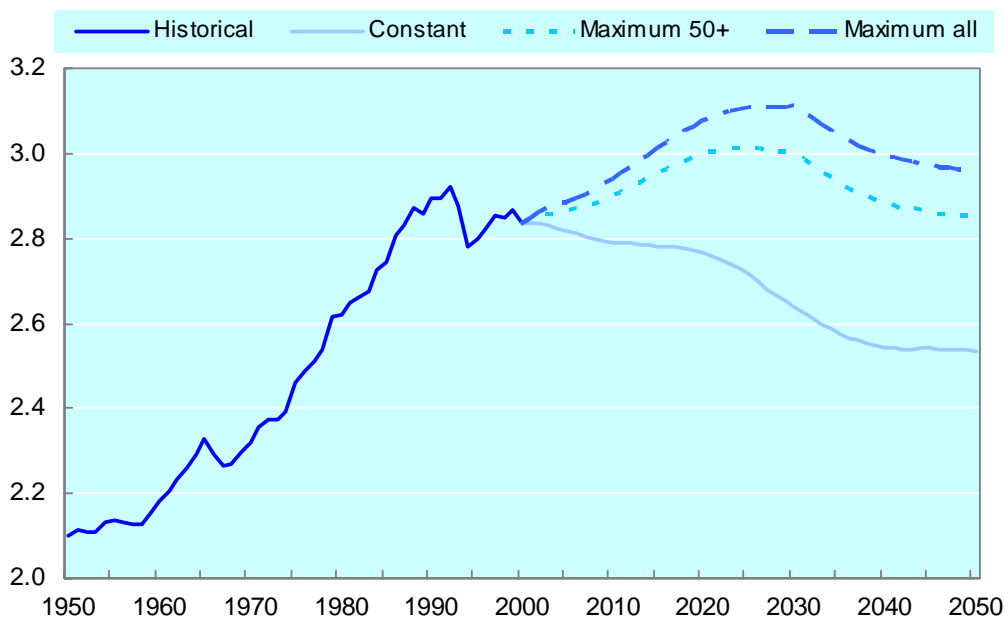


Figure 1. If nothing is done, the Danish Labour force will fall sharply

Projection of the Danish labour force under different scenarios (millions)^a

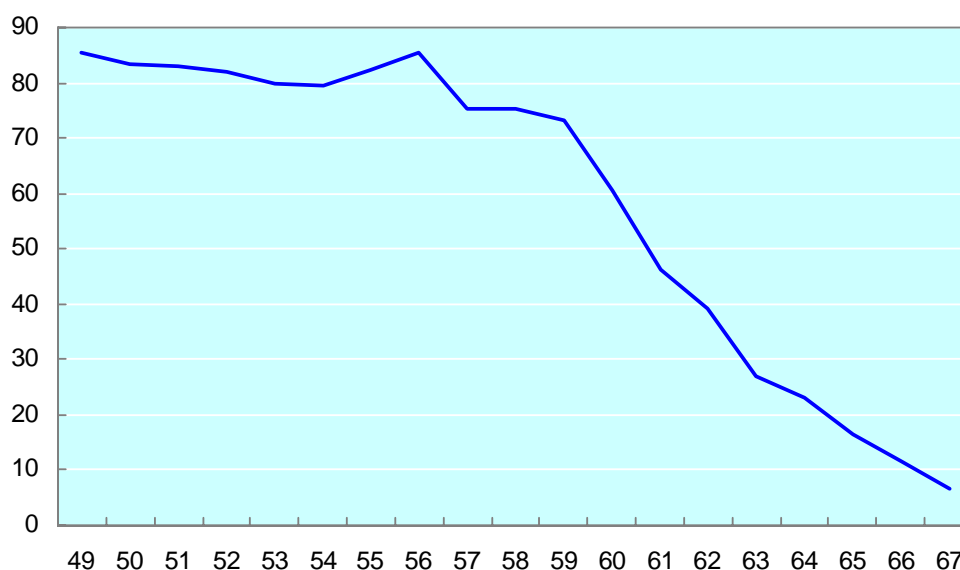


a) The constant scenario assumes that current participation rates by five-year age group and gender remain constant over the period 2000 to 2050. The maximum scenario applies the maximum participation rates (for workers aged 50 and over for "Maximum 50+" and for all workers for "Maximum") in the OECD area (except Iceland and Mexico) by five-year age group and gender from 2030 through to 2050, with a gradual adjustment over the period 2000-30 to reach these maximum rates.

Source: OECD (2005), *Ageing and Employment Policies: Denmark*, Paris.

Figure 2. Danes leave employment well before pension age

Employment rates by single year of age in Denmark, 2004 (%)



Source: OECD (2005), *Ageing and Employment Policies: Denmark*, Paris.