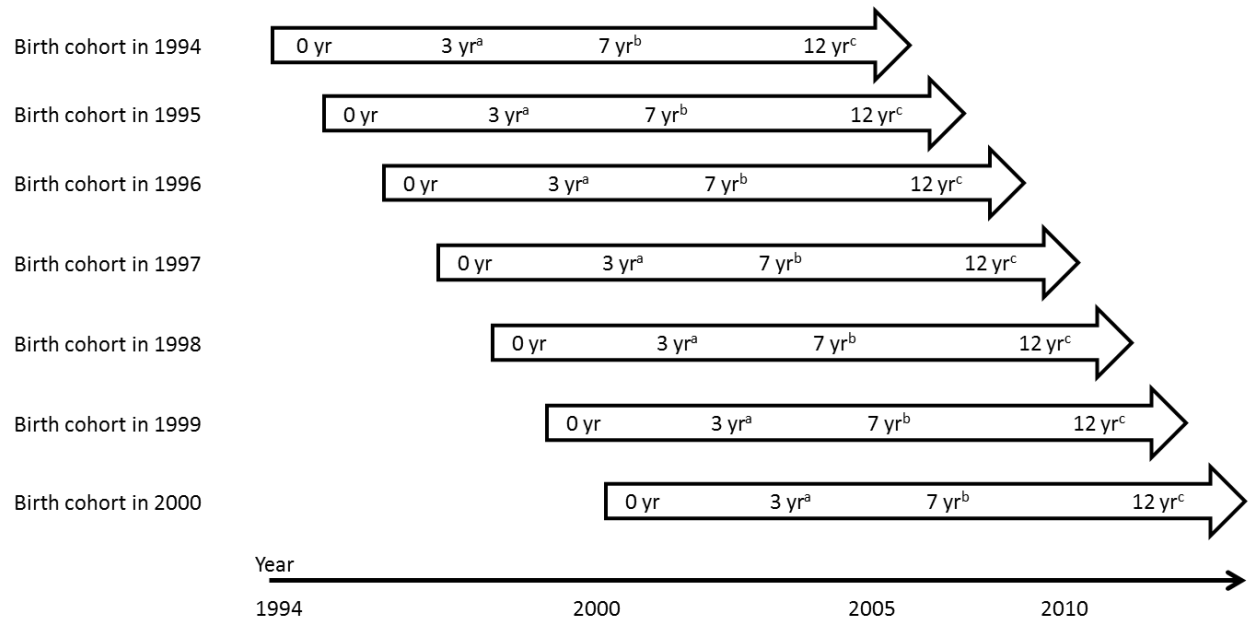


eFigure 1. Timeline of surveys from which variables were obtained



yr, years old.

All variables were aggregated to prefecture-level.

^a Decayed, missing, or filled primary teeth were obtained.

^b Proportion of children who receive school-based fluoride mouth-rinse programs, average number of times buying fluoride toothpaste, average annual income, average sugar consumption, and dentist density were obtained.

^c Decayed, missing, or filled permanent teeth were obtained.