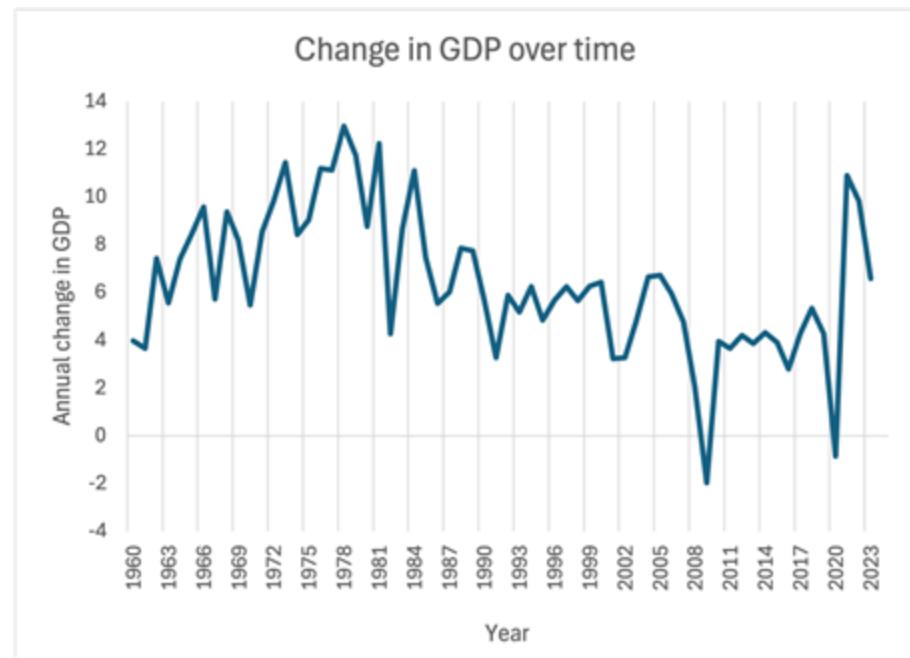
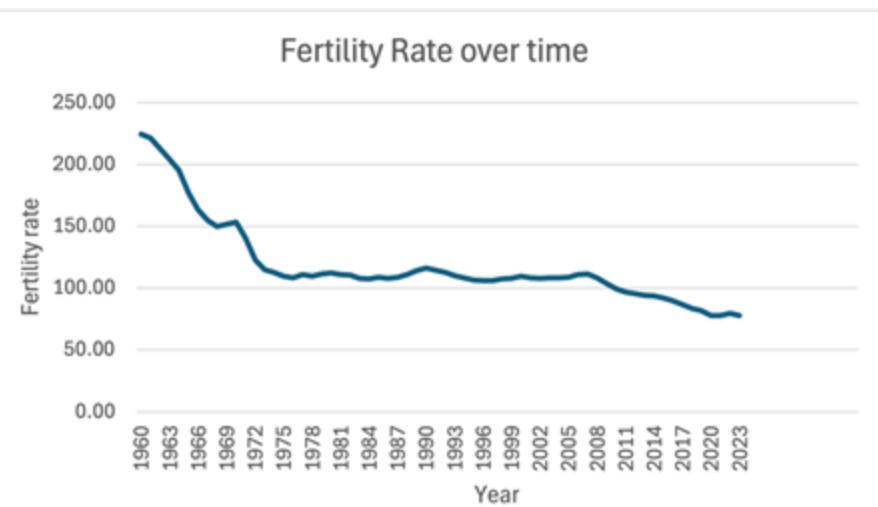


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Regression Results: Fertility rate vs. GDP

Every 1 % increase in GDP growth is associated with a 3 point increase in fertility rate ($p=0.041$)."

2009,
during
the great
recession

1963, during a
time of economic
growth (and the
baby boom)

