

Women & Retirement

Living longer and financially stronger

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Women have made strides but still face unique planning challenges



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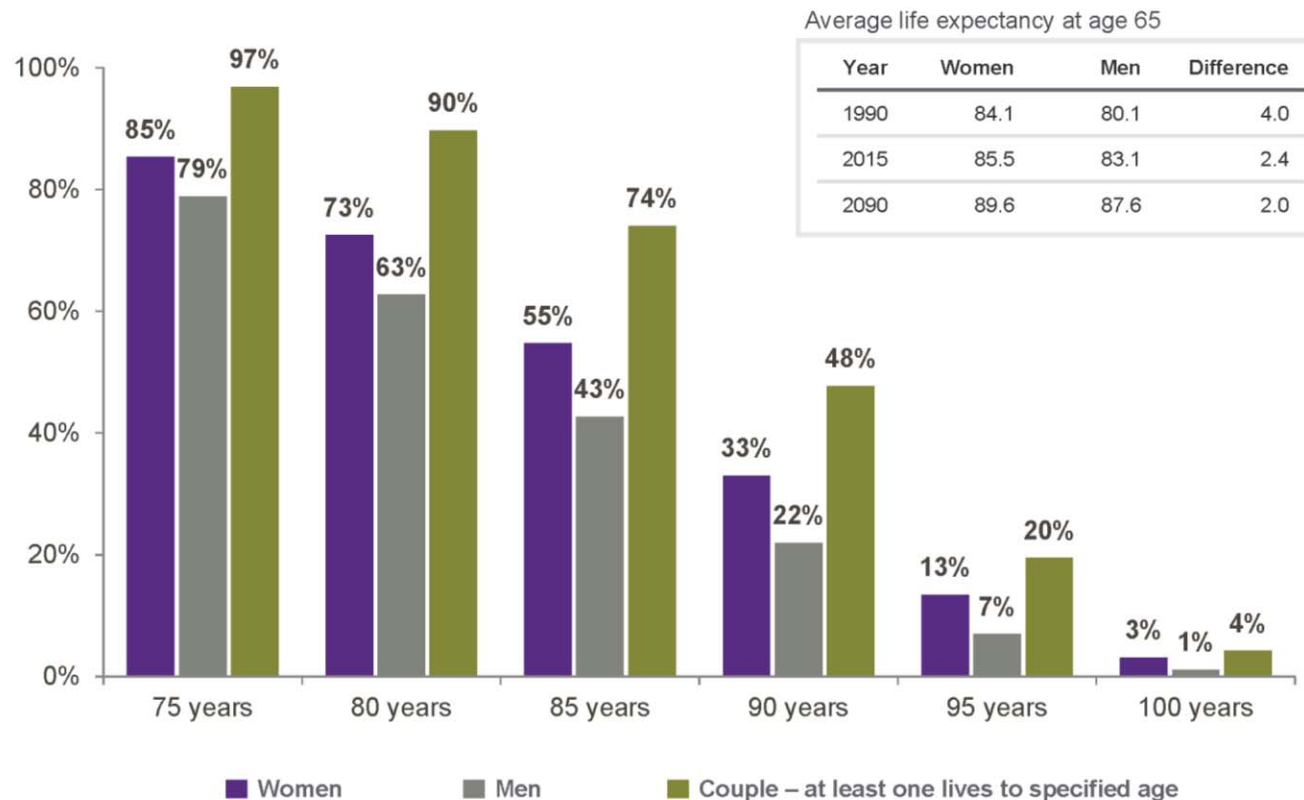
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If you're 65 today, the probability of living to a specific age or beyond



PLAN FOR LONGEVITY

Average life expectancy continues to increase and is a mid-point not an end-point. You may need to plan on the probability of living much longer – perhaps 30+ years in retirement – and invest a portion of your portfolio for growth to maintain your purchasing power over time.

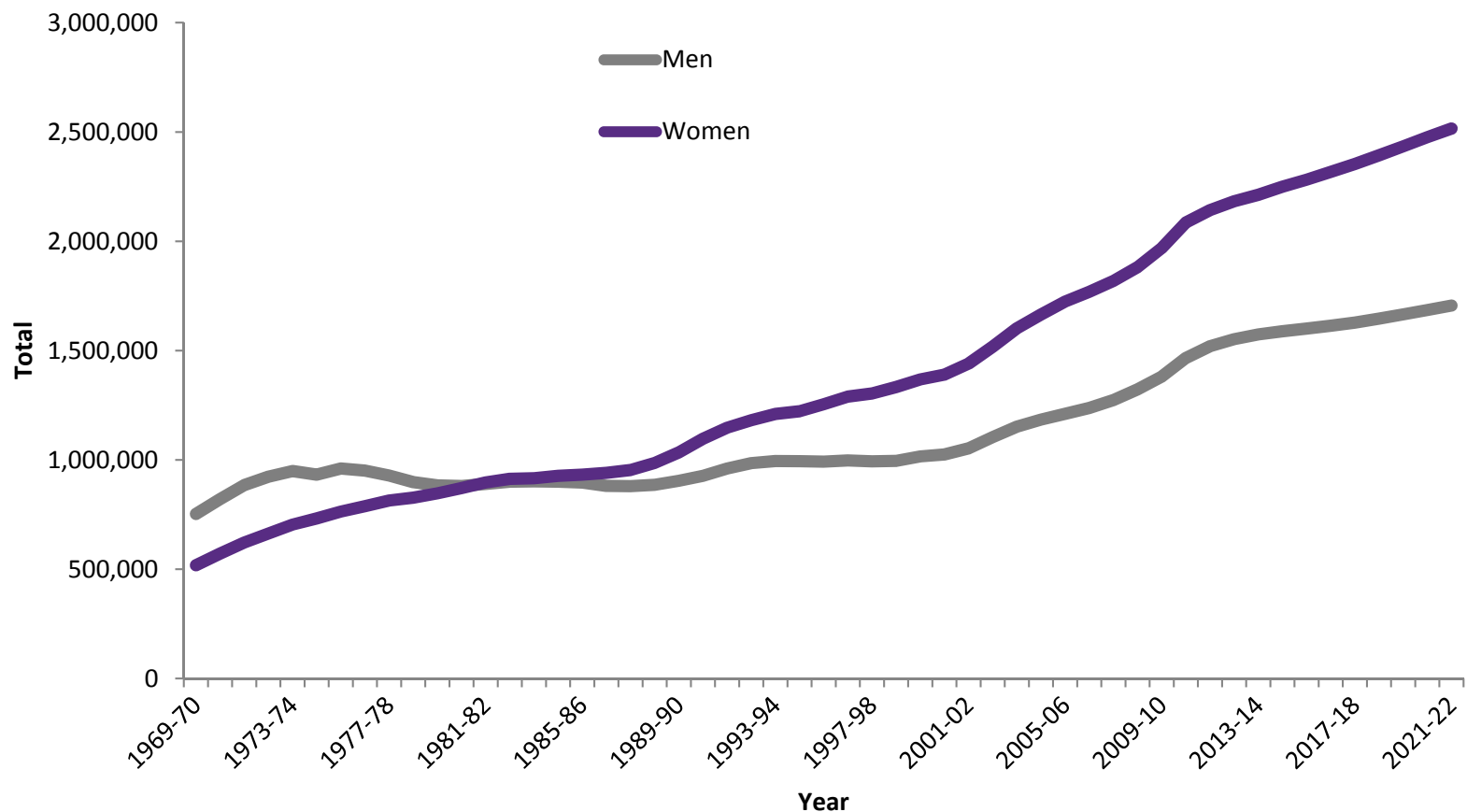
Chart: Social Security Administration, Period Life Table, 2013 (published in 2016), J.P. Morgan Asset Management.

Table: Social Security Administration 2016 OASDI Trustees Report.

Probability at least one member of a same-sex female couple lives to age 90 is 55% and a same-sex male couple is 39%.

Women are becoming more educated

Young women have outpaced young men in postsecondary enrollment and educational attainment since the early 1980's



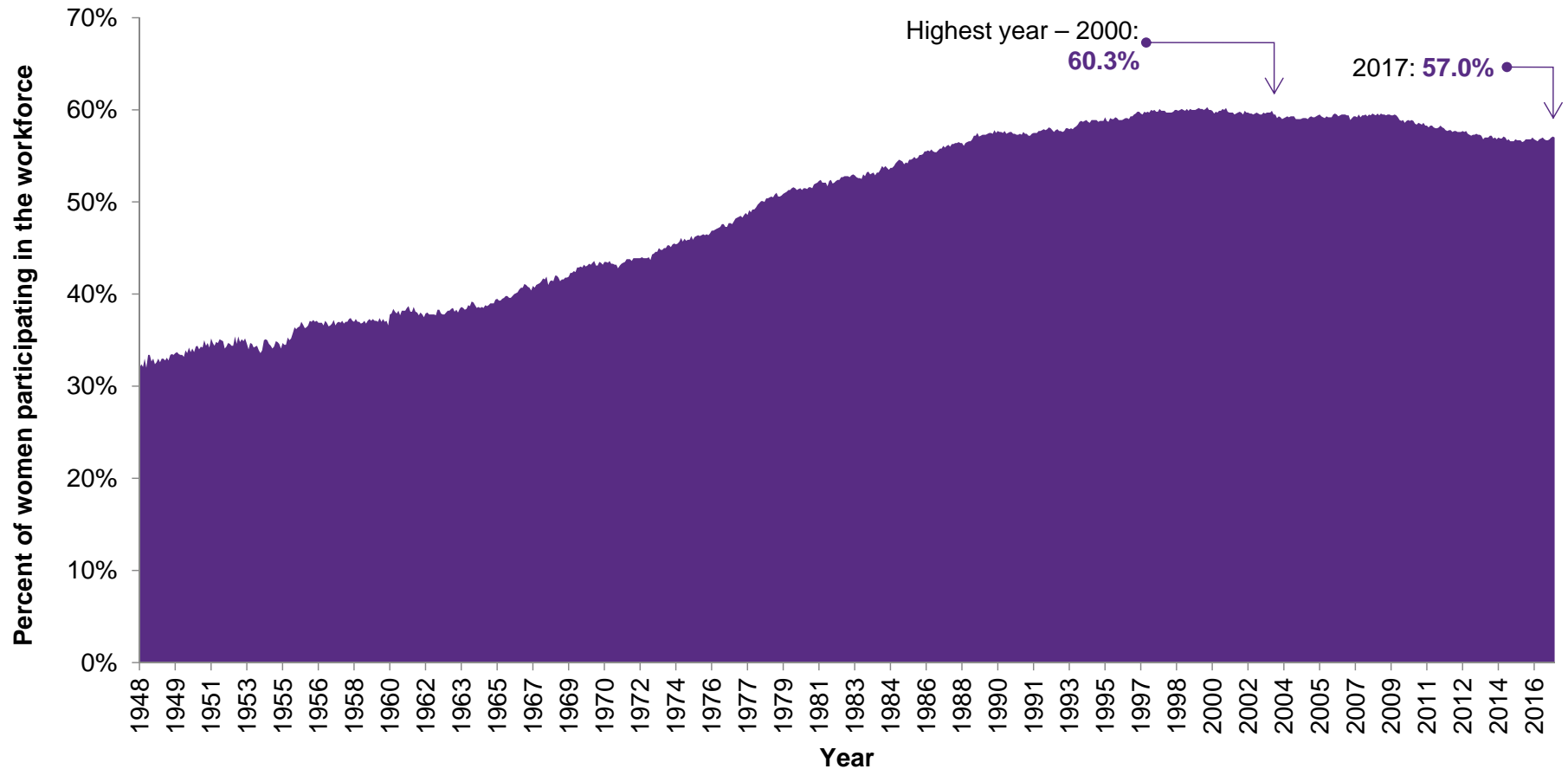
U.S. Department of Education https://nces.ed.gov/programs/digest/d16/tables/dt16_322.20.asp?current=yes

2011-22 are projected; table prepared June 2012

Includes Ph.D., Ed.D., and comparable degrees at the doctoral level. Includes most degrees formerly classified as first-professional, such as M.D., D.D.S., and law degrees.

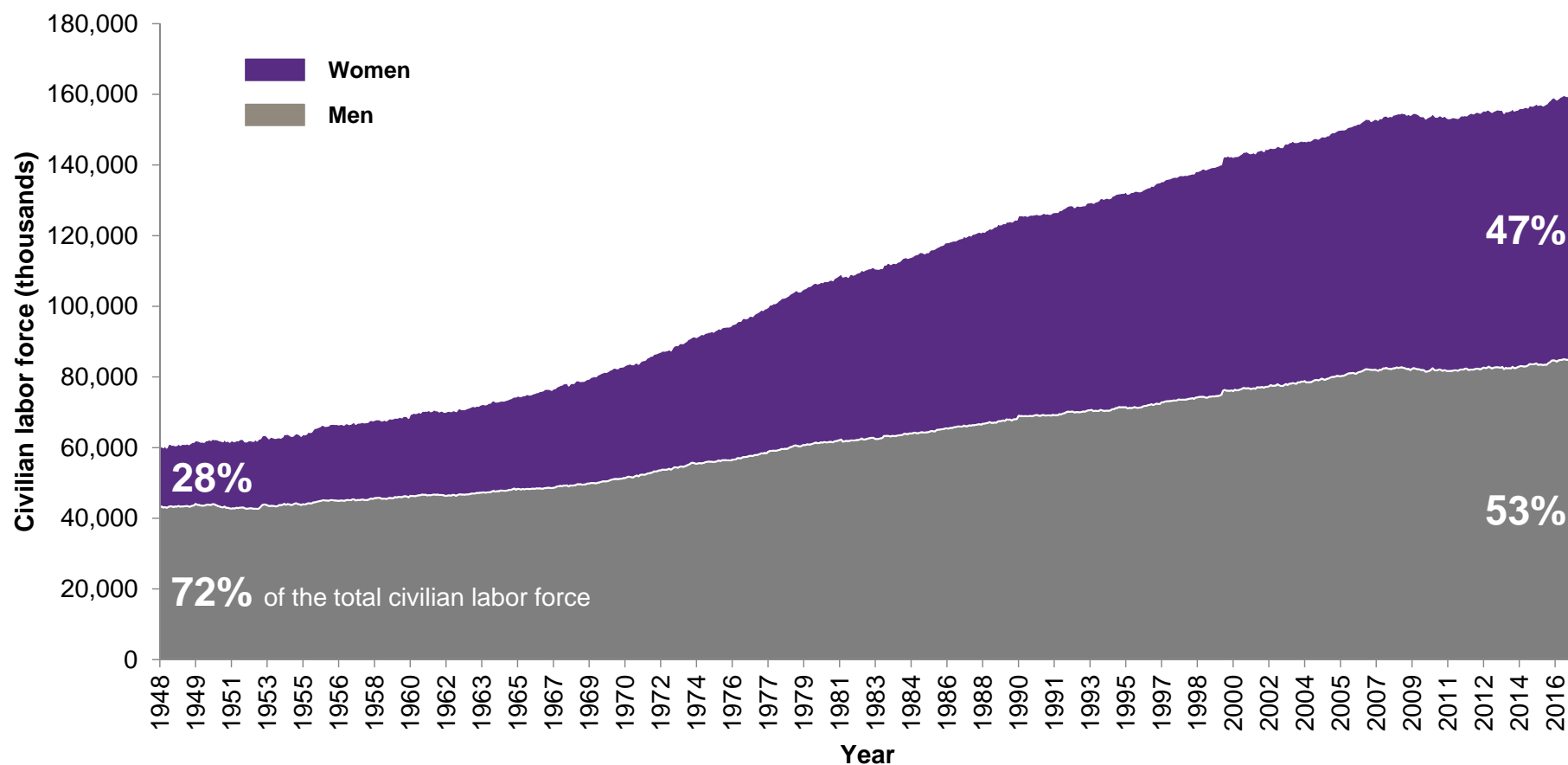
More than half of all women participate in the workforce

Women's participation in the civilian workforce



And they're making up an increasing proportion of the labor force

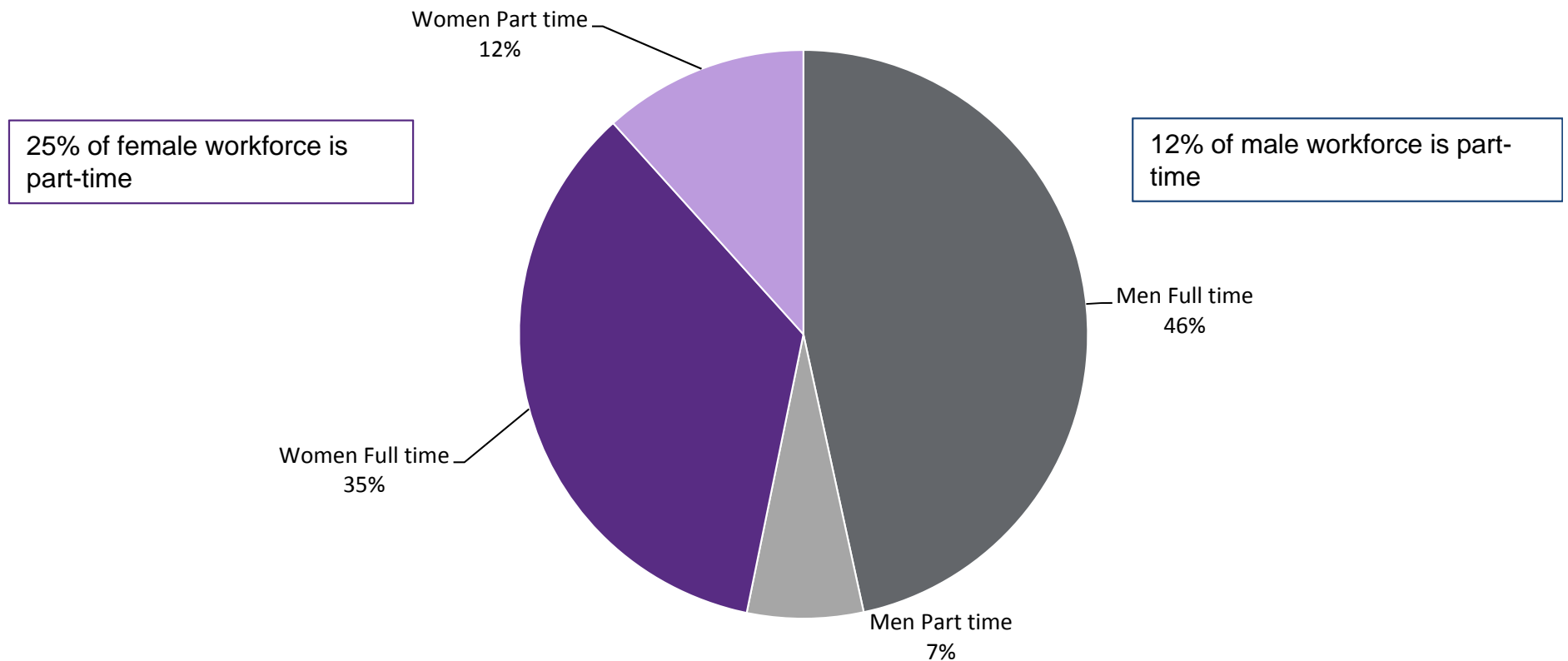
Total civilian labor force for men and women



But more women work part-time than men

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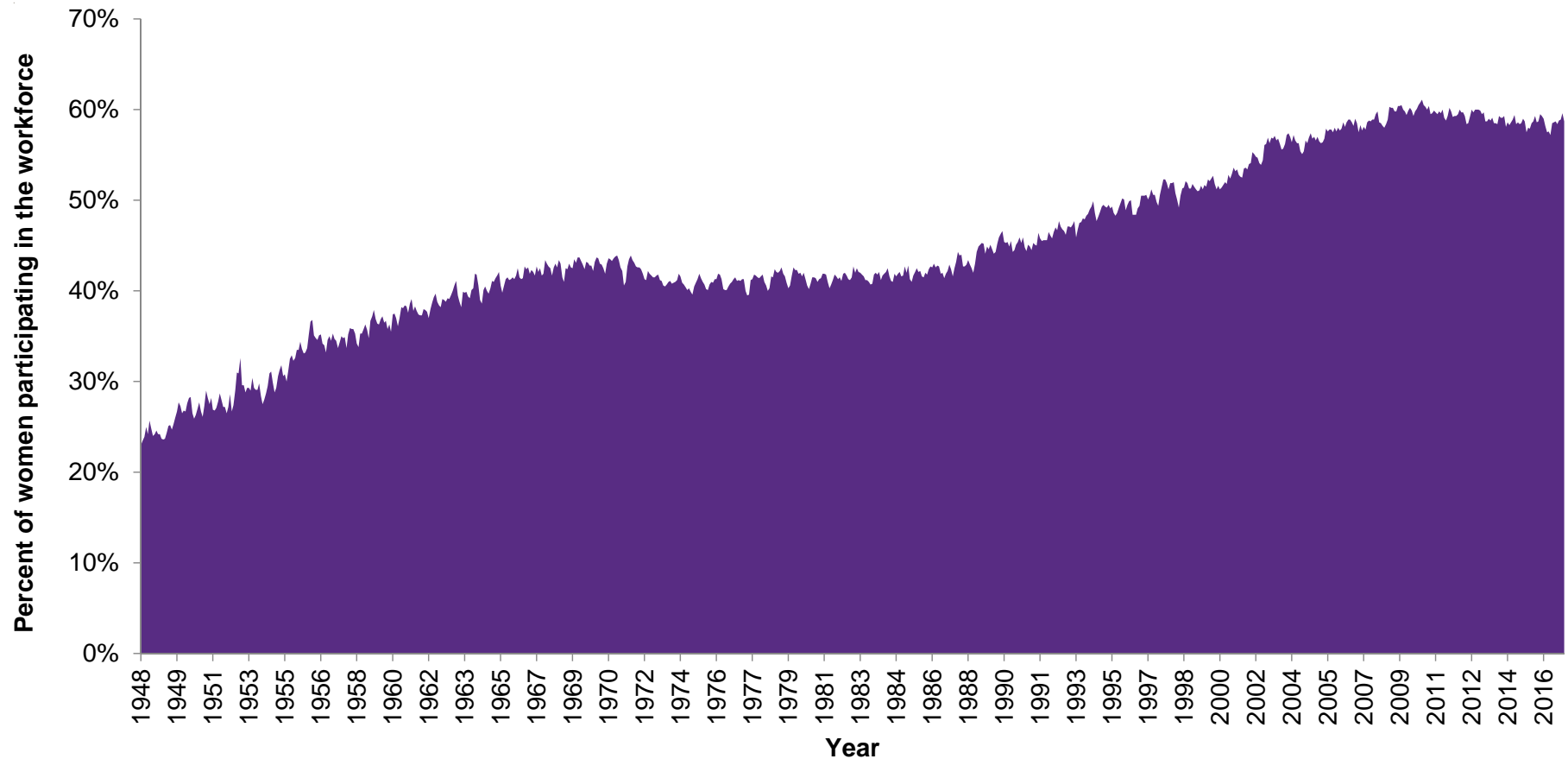
Total workforce



*Employed and unemployed full- and part-time workers
U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Civilian Labor Force Statistics from Current Population Survey, February 8, 2017
Total men employed: 80,569
Total women employed: 70,868

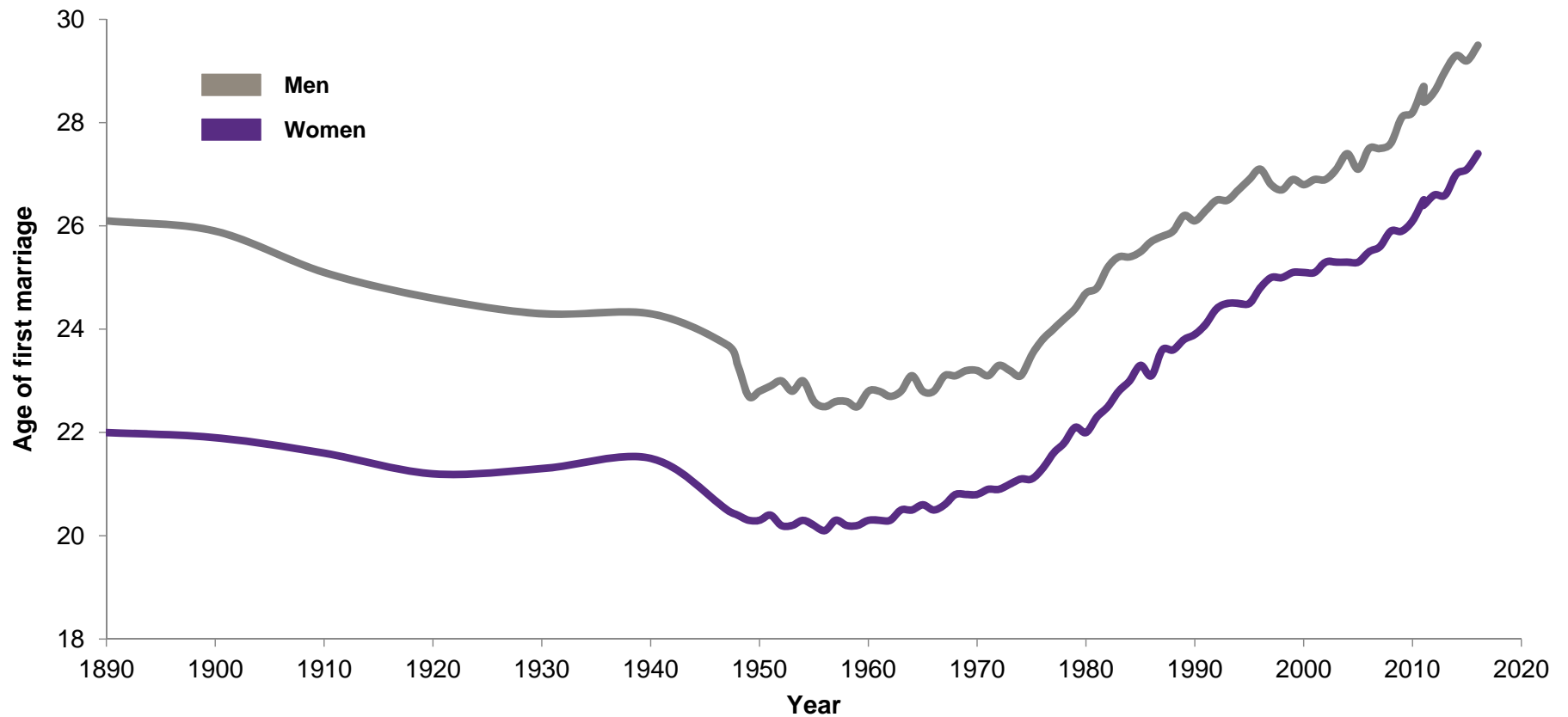
...and more older women are working than ever before

Women age 50-64 participation in the civilian workforce



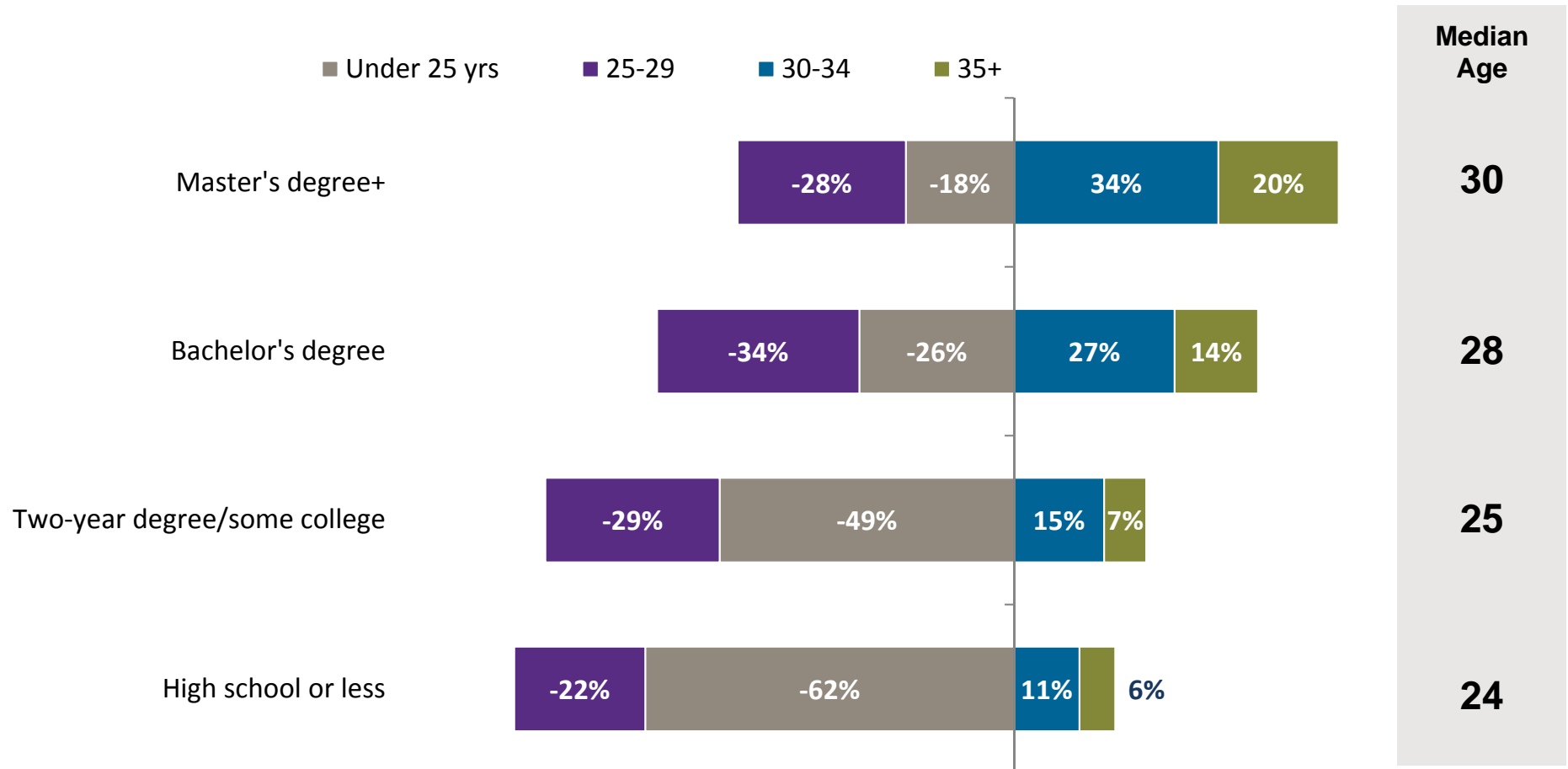
Women are delaying marriage

Median age at first marriage in the United States



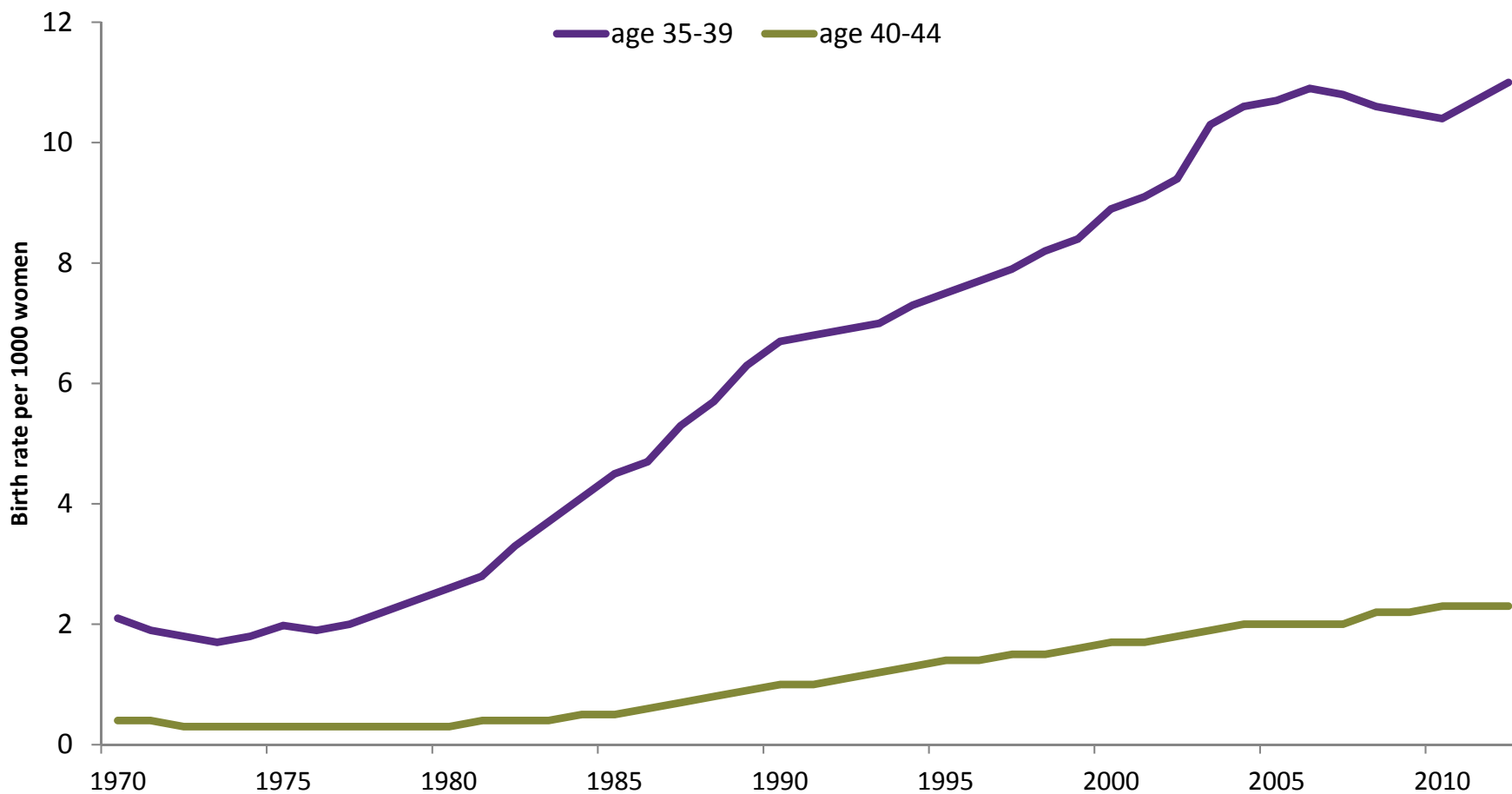
Highly educated women likely to start a family in late 20's and 30's

Age at birth of first child, by educational attainment



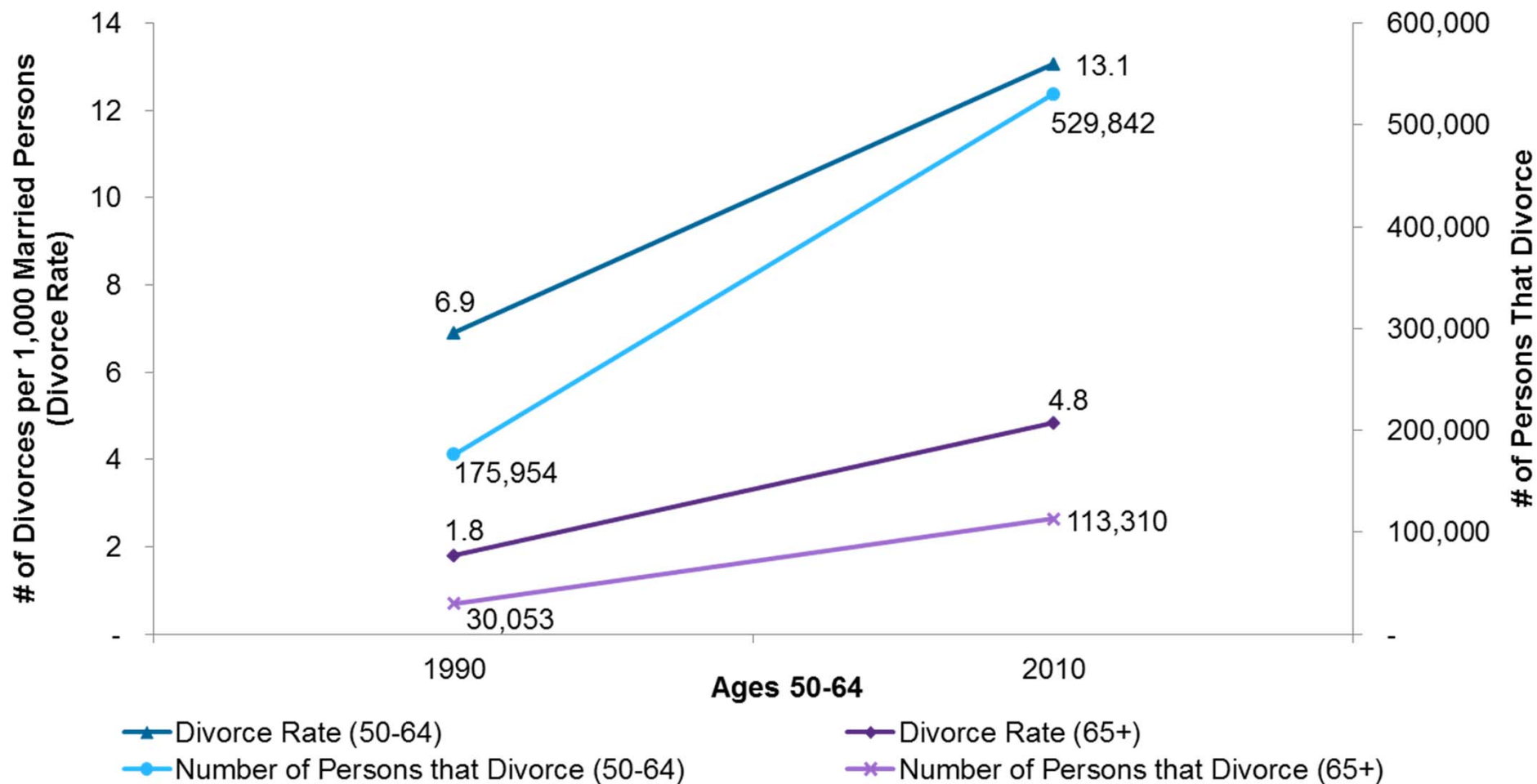
More women over 35 are becoming first-time moms than ever before

Births to first time mothers by age, per 1000 women



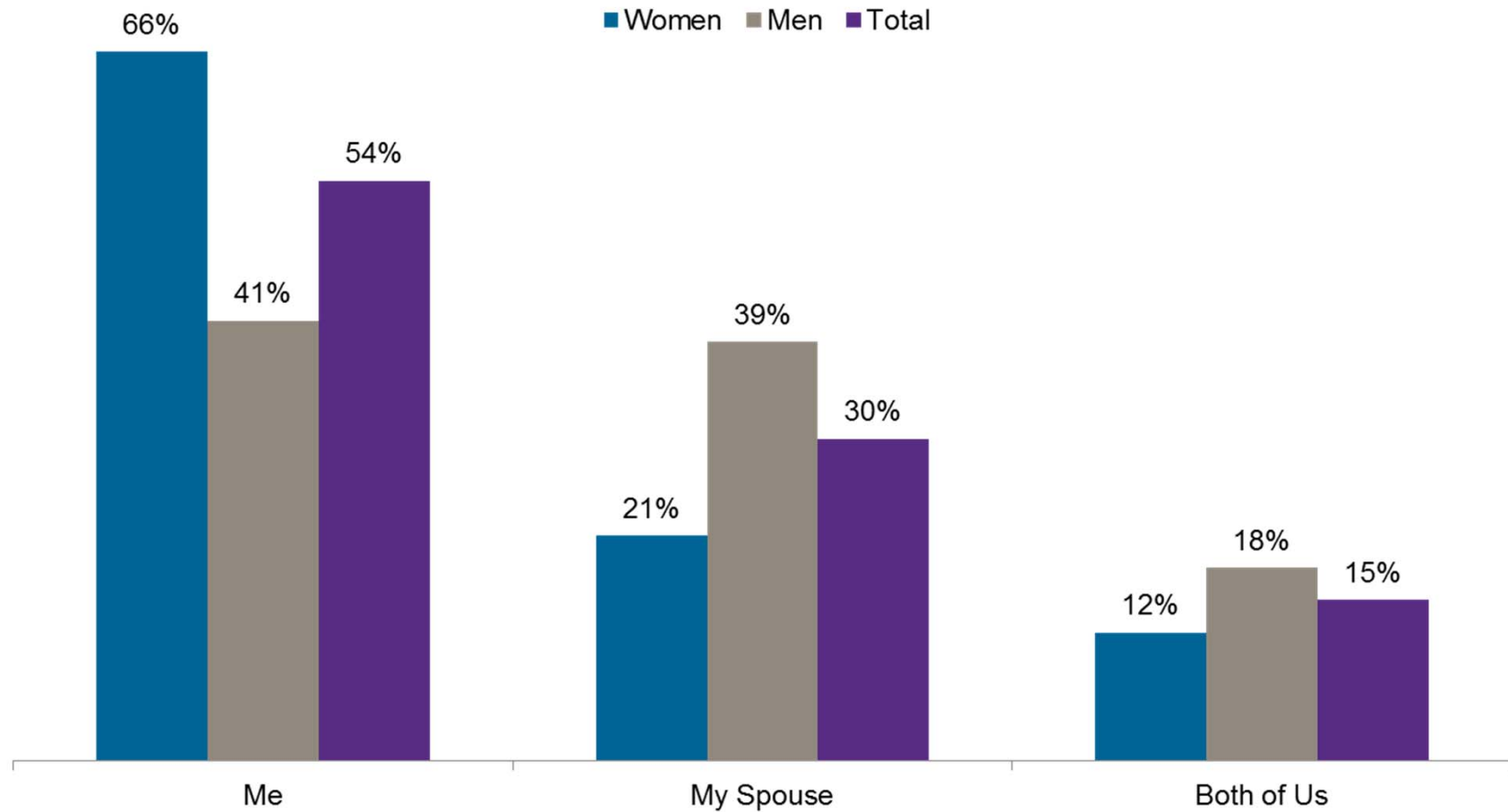
The gray divorce revolution

Divorce rates for older couples have doubled from 1990 – 2010



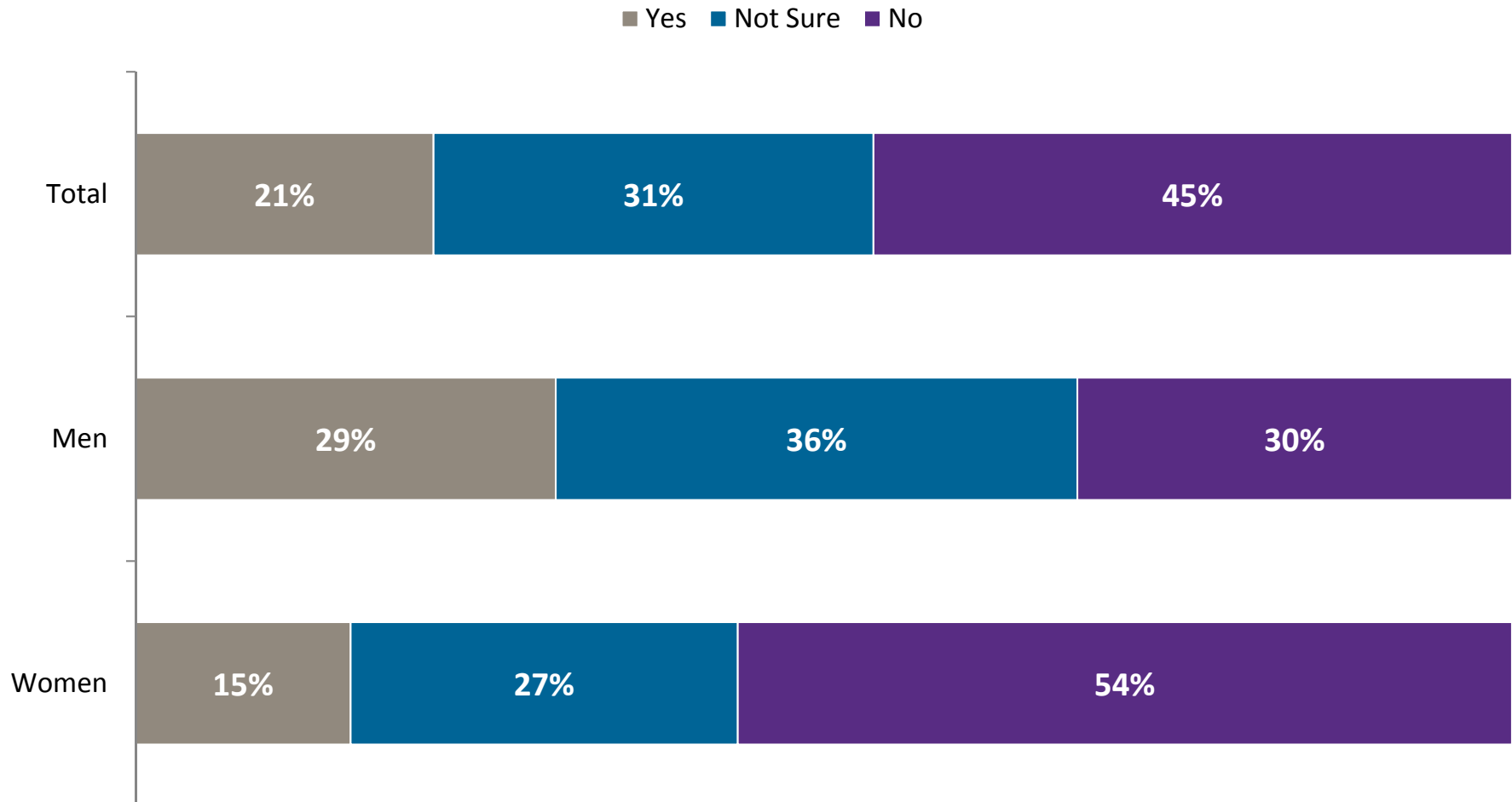
Women are initiating 2/3rds of divorces

Who initiated the divorce?



Women less likely to get remarried than men

Percent men and women who would get remarried after divorce



"Four in ten couples are saying 'I do,' again," Pew Research Center, November 14, 2015.

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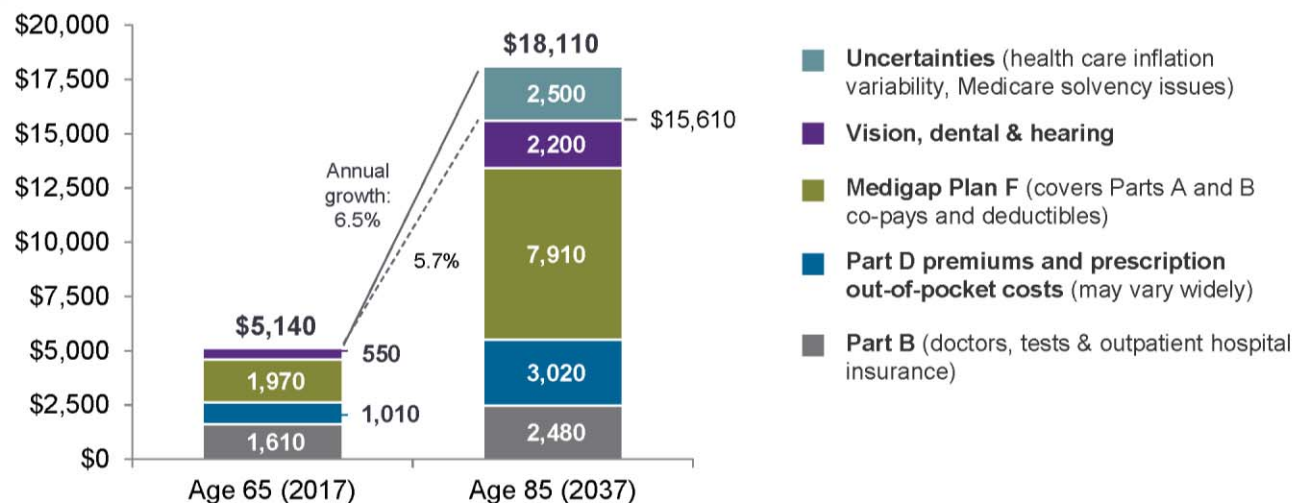
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Traditional Medicare estimated median health care costs per person



A GROWING CONCERN

Given variation in health care cost inflation from year to year, it may be prudent to assume an annual health care inflation rate of 6.5%, which may require growth as well as current income from your portfolio in retirement.

Additional premium per person for Modified Adjusted Gross Incomes (MAGI) of:

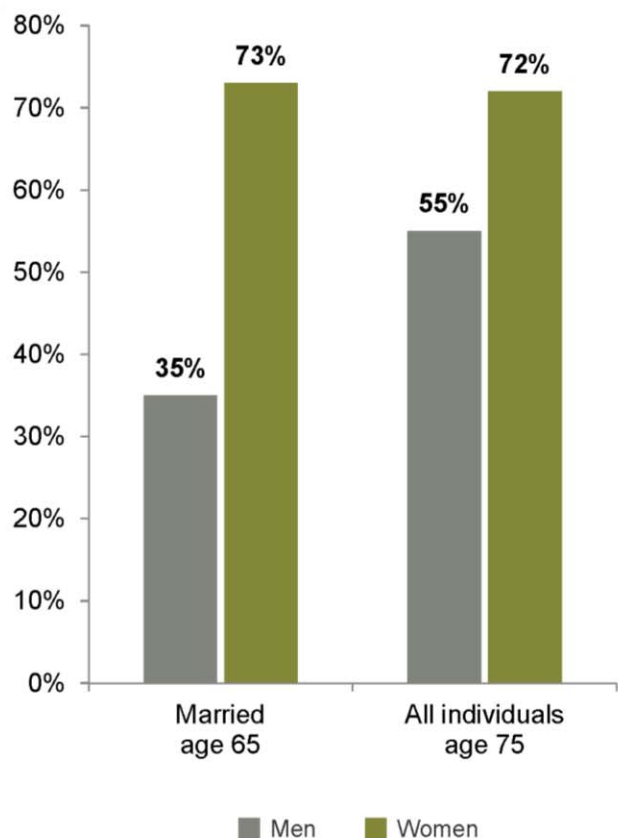
FILING SINGLE	MARRIED FILING JOINTLY	ADDITIONAL PREMIUM		TOTAL MEDIAN COSTS	
		2017	2018*	2017	2018*
\$85,001 – \$107,000	\$170,001 – \$214,000	\$802	\$722	\$5,942	\$5,798
107,001 – 133,500	214,001 – 267,000	802	1,820	5,942	6,896
133,501 – 160,000	267,001 – 320,000	2,017	2,928	7,157	8,004
160,001 – 214,000	320,001 – 428,000	3,234	4,018	8,374	9,094
>214,000	>428,000	4,450	4,018	9,590	9,094

Notes: Age 85 estimated total median cost in 2017 is \$7,195. Medigap premiums usually increase due to age, in addition to annual inflation, except for most policies in the following states: AR, CT, MA, ME, MN, NY, VT WA, AZ, FL, ID and MO. Analysis includes Medigap Plan F (the most comprehensive plan).

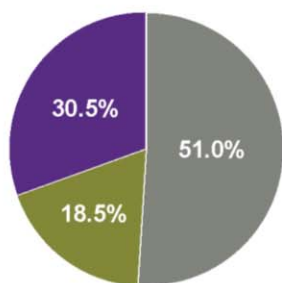
Parts B and D additional premiums are calculated from federal tax returns two years prior; individuals may file for an exception on form SSA-44 if they reduce or stop work. For the definition of MAGI, please see *Guide to Retirement* slide 36. *Additional premium includes a projection of 2018 costs for a 65-year-old beneficiary in 2018 (\$5,076), plus the surcharge percentage specified in the Medicare Access and CHIP Reauthorization Act of 2015 (MACRA / “doc fix bill”).

Source: Employee Benefit Research Institute (EBRI) data as of December 31, 2016; SelectQuote data as of January 16, 2017; Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services website, January 25, 2017; 2016 Medicare Trustees Report, June 22, 2016; J.P. Morgan analysis.

Likelihood of needing long-term care (LTC)

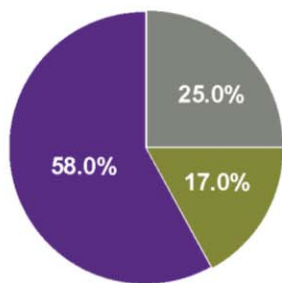


2012 new LTC claims by type



Average age of first claim: 79

All LTC claims by type



LONG-TERM VISION

Many individuals will need long-term care, which often starts with home care and progresses to a nursing home.

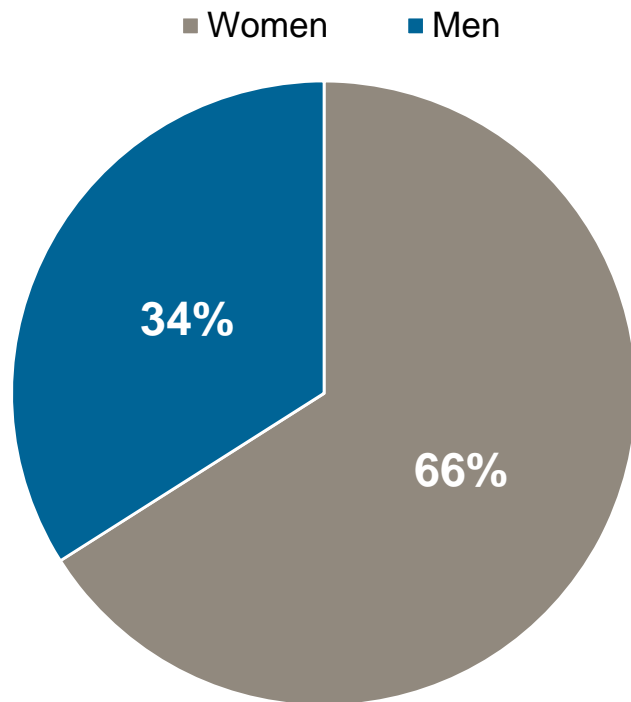
- There is a 1 in 3 chance that a long-term care need will last less than 6 months, but there is a 1 in 10 chance it will last 5 or more years.

Note: Annualized historical inflation for nursing home (private room): 3.5%; assisted living (one-bedroom): 2.2%; home health aide: 1.3%. 5- year CAGR represents the compound annual growth rate based on Genworth Cost of Care Survey. Genworth 2016 Cost of Care Survey, conducted by CareScout®, April 2016. © 2016 Genworth Financial, Inc. All rights reserved. Methodology document: https://www.genworth.com/dam/Americas/US/PDFs/Consumer/corporate/48590_050516.pdf

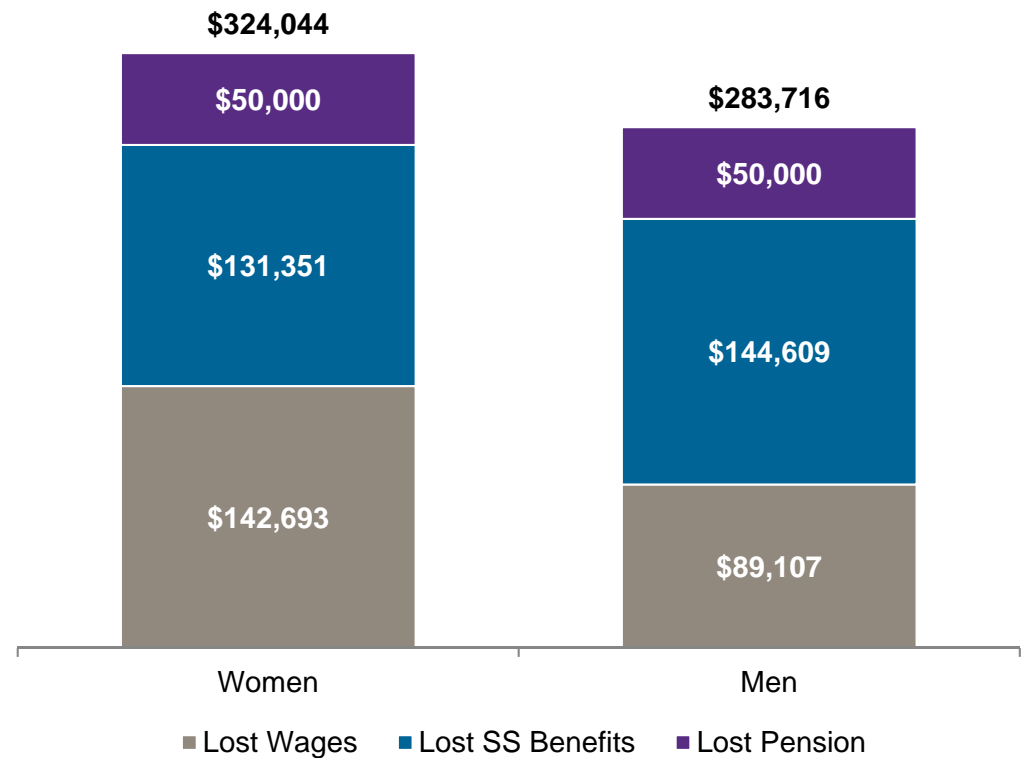
Source: American Association for Long-Term Care Insurance 2014 Sourcebook. www.aaltci.org.

The cost of care giving

Care giving population

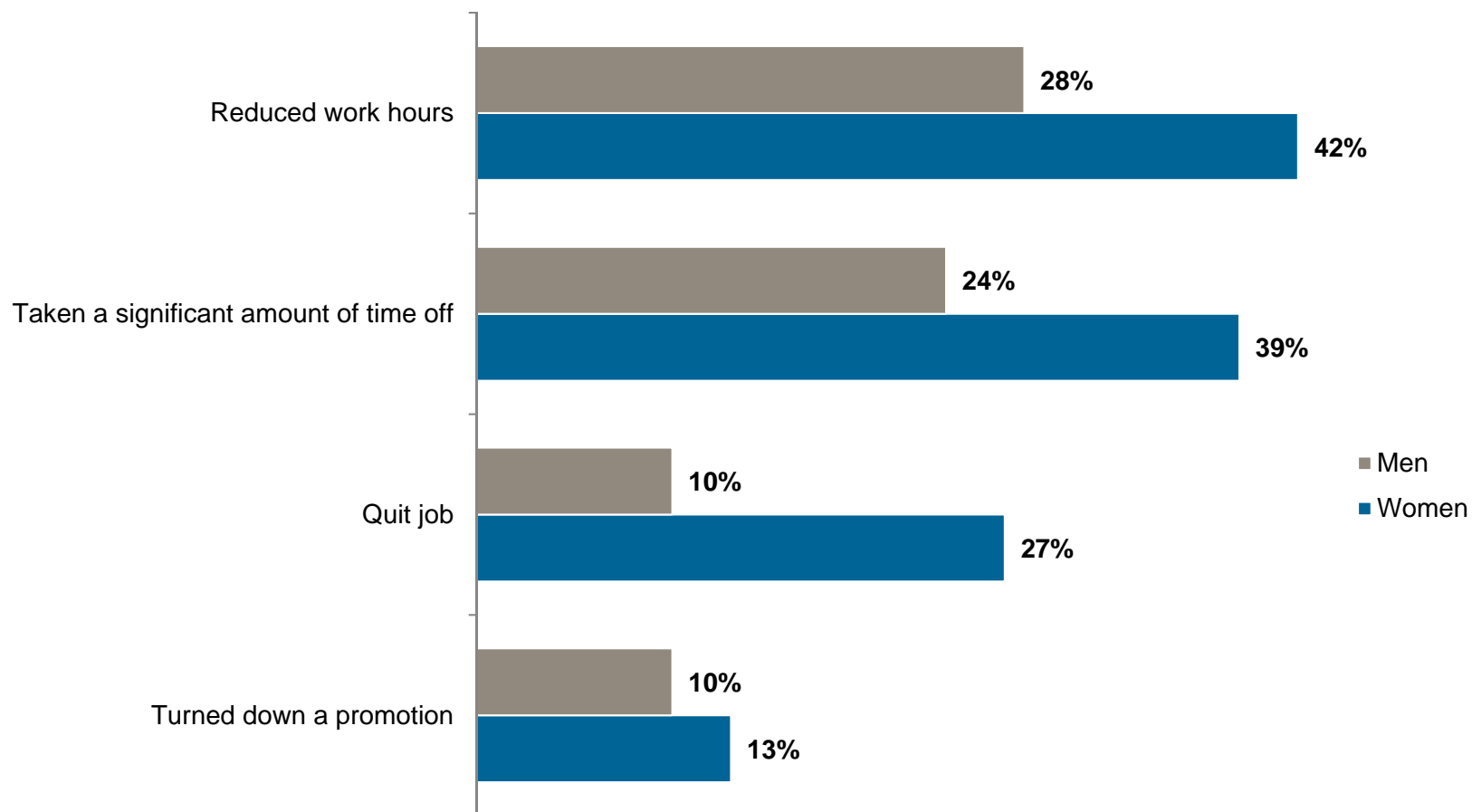


Impact of parental care giving on lost wages and Social Security



Care giving continues to be predominantly the role of women

Percent of men and women saying they have experienced the following in order to care for a child or family member



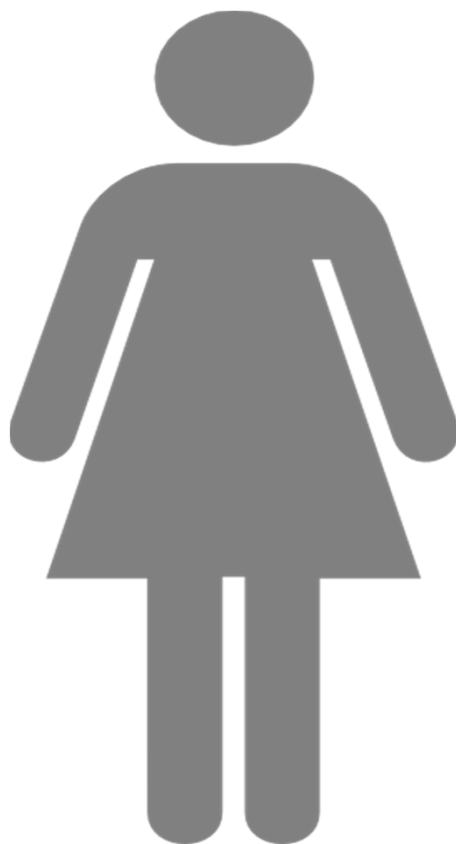
The “typical” caregiver

A typical caregiver is a 49-year old woman earning almost \$55,000 and spends 20 hours p/week caring for a loved one.

49 year old woman caring for a 69-year old female with a long-term physical condition

Full-time worker with average household income of \$54,700

The care recipient lives with the caregiver or very close by.



Usually spends about 20 hours a week or less providing care (unpaid)

Helps with about 2 activities of daily living (ADLs)* as well as running errands and managing finances for the care recipient

Usually married or living with a partner and in good health.

“Caregiving in the United States 2015,” AARP and National Alliance for Caregiving

*Activities of daily living (ADLs) are activities individuals tend to do every day without assistance and include: eating, bathing, dressing, toileting, continence and transferring (walking).

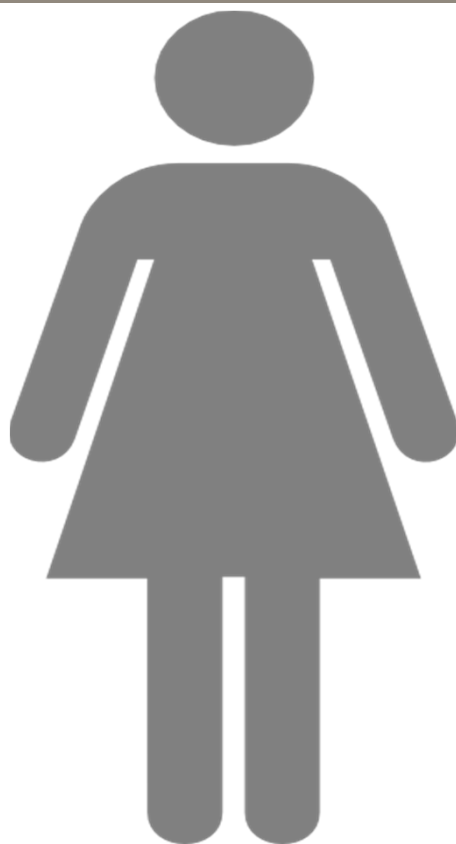
The “higher-hour” caregiver

A higher-hour caregiver is a 52-year old woman earning about \$45,000 and spends over 60 hours week caring for a loved one.

52 year old woman caring for a 68-year old female with a long-term physical condition

May not work but if so, she works 33.5 hours a week; average household income of \$45,700

The care recipient lives with the caregiver in her household.



Spends over 62 hours per week caring for loved one (unpaid)

Helps with about 2-3 activities of daily living (ADLs)* as well as running errands and managing finances, nursing tasks and advocating for the recipient

Likely to be married or living with a partner

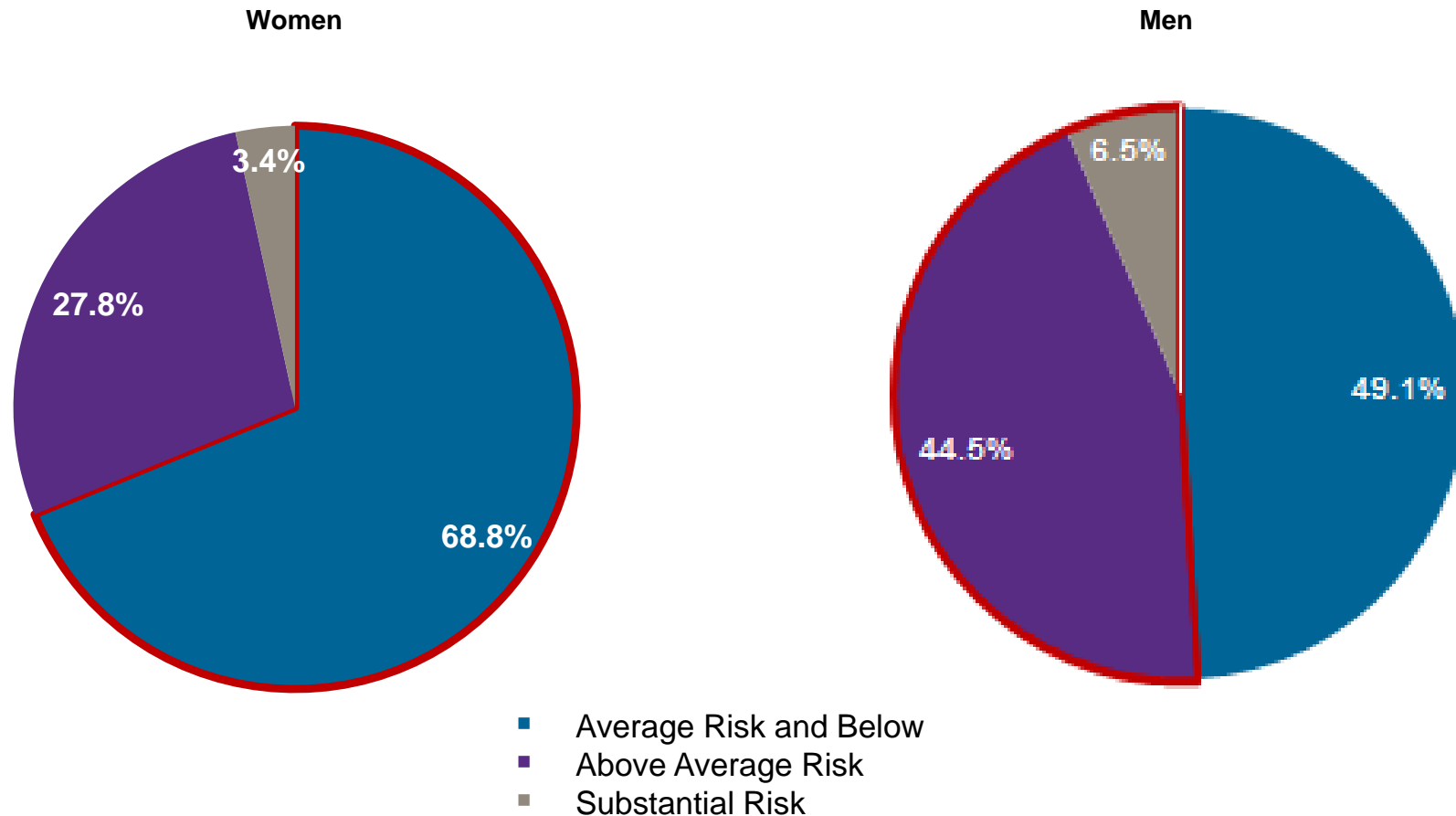
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Yet women are more conservative investors

Almost 69% of women take average or below risk, while over half of men take average or above average risk when investing.

Willingness to take investment risk



Source: "Gender Differences in Investment Behavior," Iowa State University and The Ohio State University, funded by the FINRA Investor Education Foundation, 2006
Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Average risk and below contains Average risk, Below average risk, and No Risk responses.

Key takeaways

The more things change....

- **Women are living longer & are more educated than ever**
- **Women make up almost half of the workforce**
- **Family is still important, but more women are pushing off marriage and family until later years, along with divorce!**

The more they stay the same...

- **Health care costs may be significant in retirement, and more women may require long term care**
- **Women are more likely to leave work to care for family**
- **Women tend to be more risk averse in investing and less comfortable with financial concepts**



Women require comprehensive financial advice that is tailored to their unique needs.

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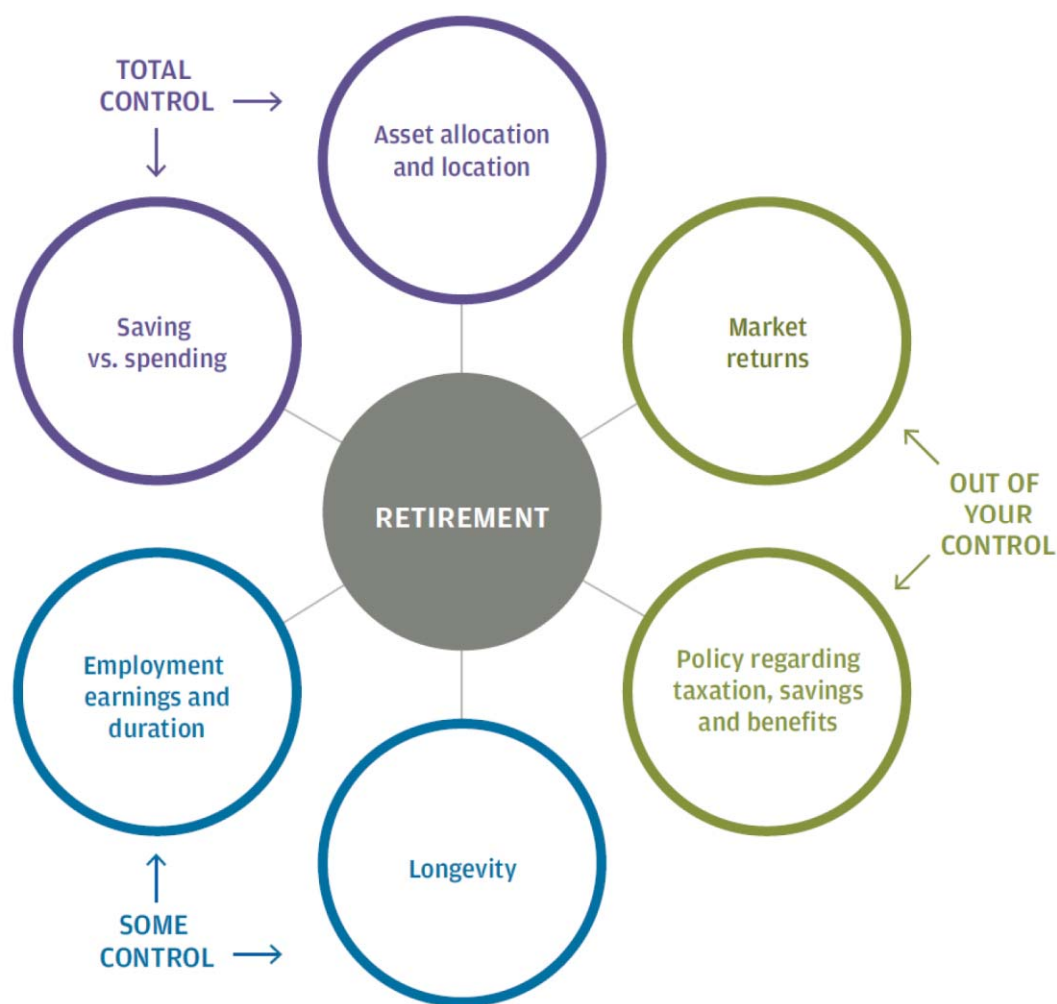
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Retirement checklist

- ☒ **Focus on what you can control**
- ☒ **Expect great things in retirement—but plan for them**
- ☒ **Maximize your Social Security benefit**
- ☒ **Understand and participate in the market**
- ☒ **Ignore the headlines and stay invested**



A SOUND RETIREMENT PLAN

Make the most of the things that you can control but be sure to evaluate factors that are somewhat or completely out of your control within your comprehensive retirement plan.

Lower forward-looking returns may require higher savings going forward

Values assume you would like to maintain an equivalent lifestyle in retirement

	\$50,000	\$75,000	\$100,000	\$150,000	\$200,000	\$250,000	\$300,000
Current age	Checkpoint (x current household income)						
25	-	-	0.2	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.4
30	-	0.5	0.8	1.3	1.8	2.1	2.2
35	0.3	1.2	1.5	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.2
40	0.8	1.9	2.3	3.1	3.7	4.1	4.3
45	1.5	2.8	3.3	4.2	4.9	5.4	5.7
50	2.4	3.9	4.5	5.6	6.4	7.0	7.3
55	3.4	5.2	5.9	7.2	8.2	9.0	9.3
60	4.5	6.8	7.5	9.1	10.4	11.2	11.7
65	6.1	8.8	9.8	11.7	13.3	14.3	14.8

How to use:

- Household income is assumed to be gross income (before tax and savings).
- Go to the intersection of your current age and your closest current household income.
- Multiply your salary by the checkpoint shown. This is the amount you should have saved today, assuming you continue contributions of 10% going forward.
- Example: For a 40-year-old with a household income of \$100,000: $\$100,000 \times 2.3 = \$230,000$.

MODEL ASSUMPTIONS

Assumed annual gross savings rate: **10%***

Pre-retirement investment return: **6.0%**

Post-retirement investment return: **5.0%**

Inflation rate: **2.25%**

Retirement age –
 • Primary earner: **65**
 • Spouse: **62**

Years in retirement: **30**

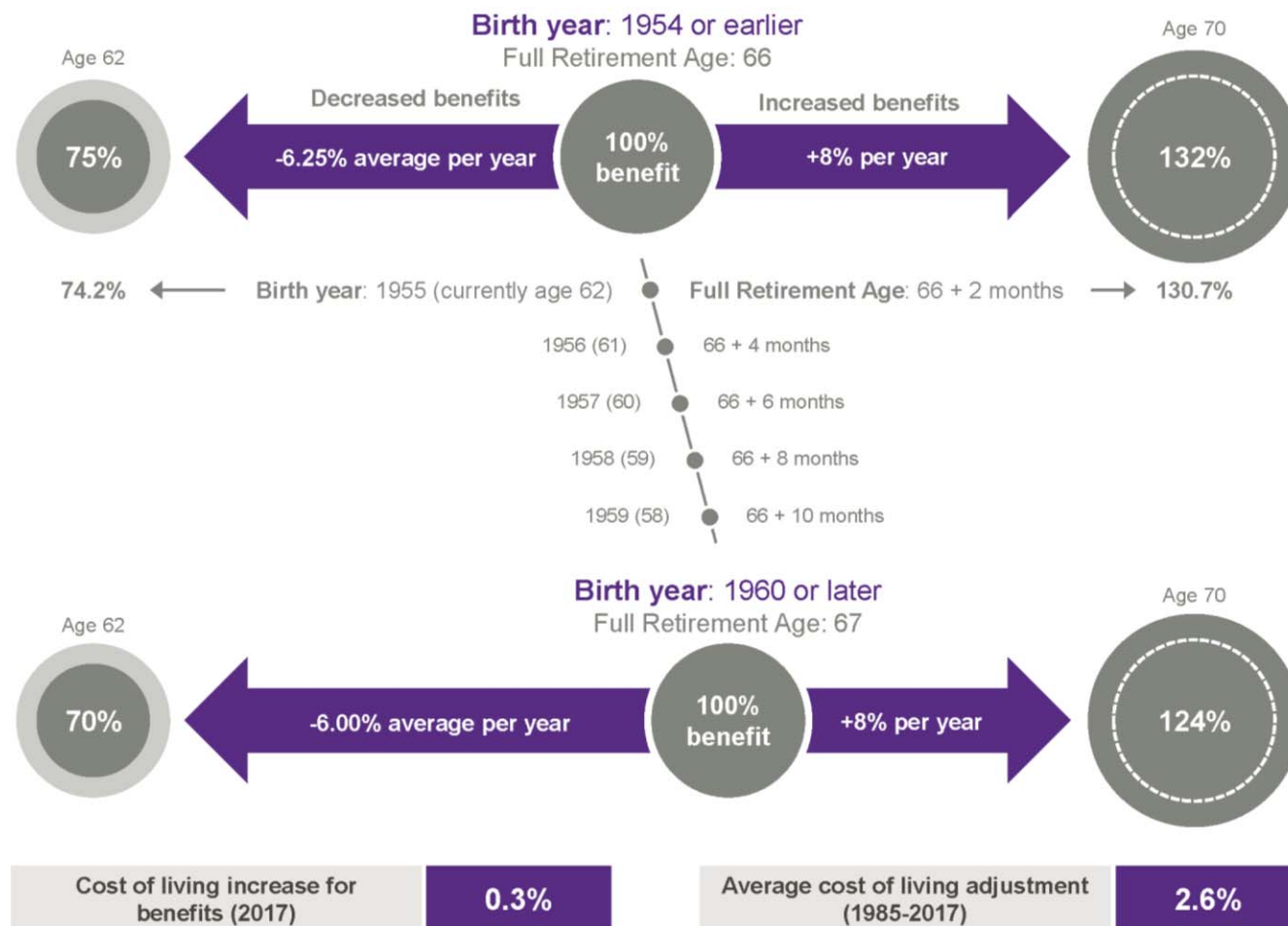
*10% is approximately twice the U.S. average annual savings rate

This chart is for illustrative purposes only and must not be relied upon to make investment decisions. J.P. Morgan's model is based on J.P. Morgan Asset Management's (JPMAM) proprietary long-term capital market assumptions (10-15 years) and an 80% confidence level. Household income replacement rates are derived from an inflation-adjusted analysis of: Consumer Expenditure Survey (BLS) data (2011-2014); Social Security benefits using modified scaled earnings in 2017 for a single wage earner at age 65 and a spousal benefit at age 62 reduced by Medicare Part B premiums. For more details, see slide 14 of the *Guide to Retirement*.

Consult with a financial advisor for a more personalized assessment. Allocations, assumptions and expected returns are not meant to represent JPMAM performance. Given the complex risk/reward tradeoffs involved, we advise clients to rely on judgment as well as quantitative optimization approaches in setting strategic allocations. References to future returns for either asset allocation strategies or asset classes are not promises or even estimates of actual returns a client portfolio may achieve.

Benefits differ by birth year and claim age

Full Retirement Age = 100% benefit



UNDERSTAND THE TRADEOFFS

Deciding when to claim benefits will have a permanent impact on the benefit you receive. Claiming before your full retirement age can significantly reduce your benefit, while delaying increases it.

In 2017, full retirement age begins to transition from 66 to 67 by adding two months each year for the next six years. This makes claiming early even more of a benefit reduction.

For illustrative purposes only. For those born in 1956 or earlier, there is a 7.3% compound growth rate for each year of waiting to take benefits; 7.4% for those born in 1957 or after. The Social Security Amendments Act of 1983 increased FRA from 65 to 67 over a 40-year period. The first phase of transition increased FRA from 65 to 66 for individuals turning 62 between 2000 and 2005. After an 11-year hiatus, the transition from 66 to 67 (2017-2022) will complete the move.

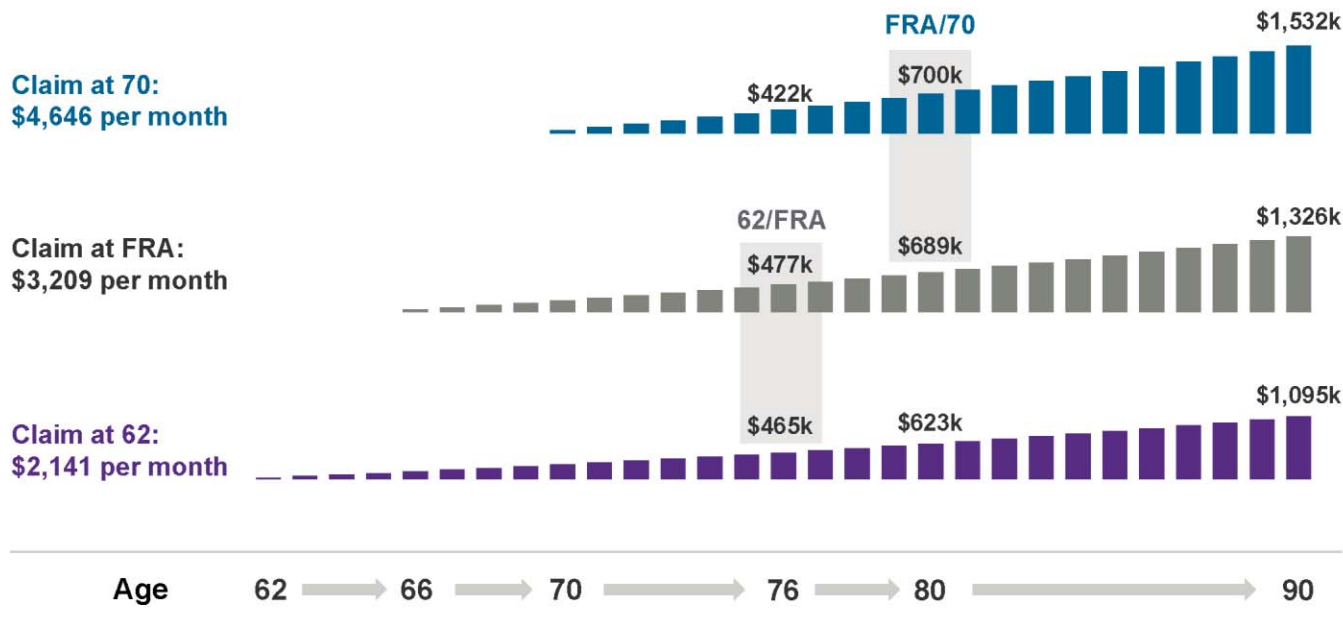
Source: Social Security Administration, J.P. Morgan Asset Management

Maximizing Social Security benefits

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Cumulative individual benefit by claim age

Full Retirement Age (FRA) = Age 66 & 2 months



PLANNING OPPORTUNITY

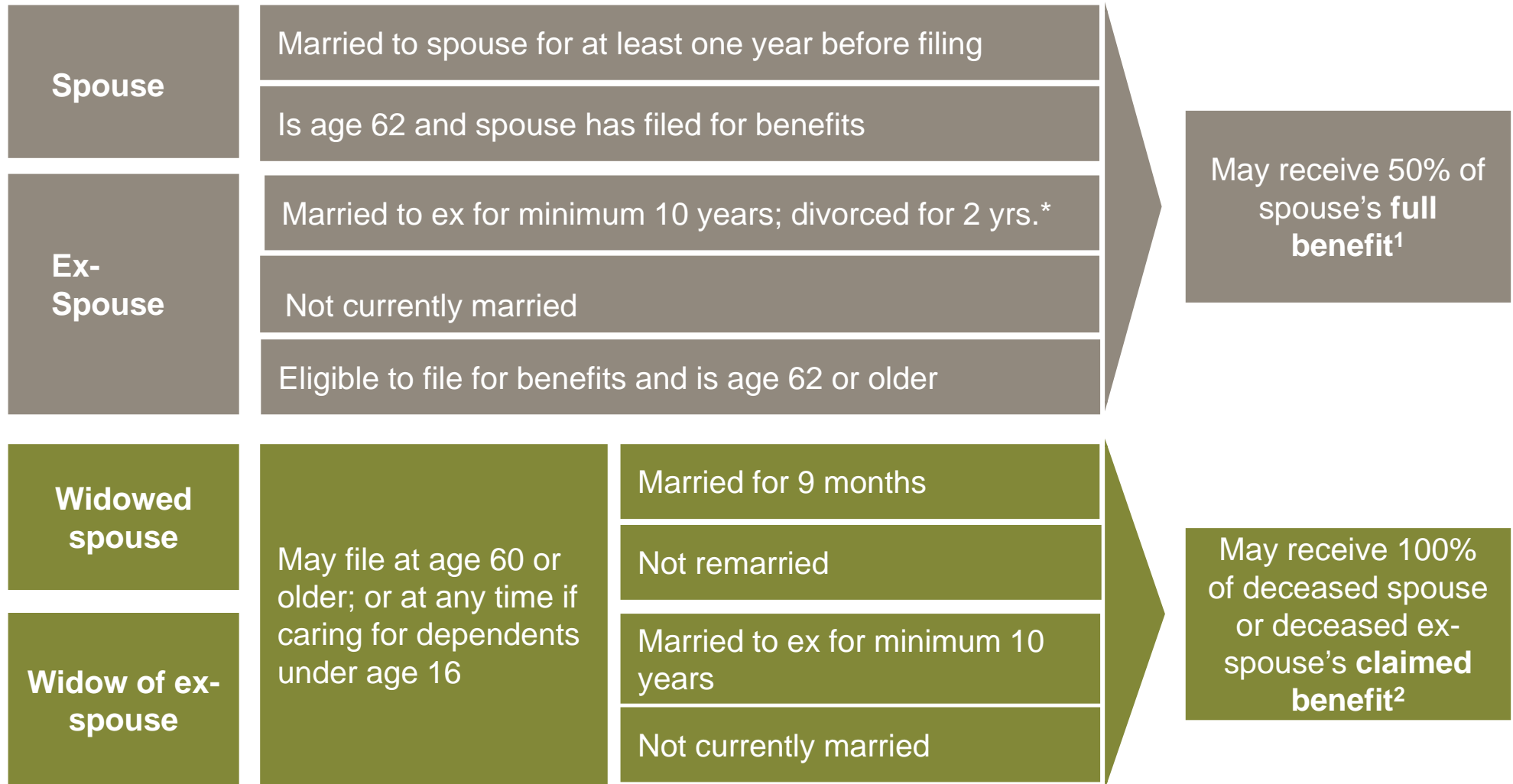
Delaying benefits means increased Social Security income later in life, but your portfolio may need to bridge the gap and provide income until delayed benefits are received.

	Age	62	66	70	76	80	90
At age 62, probability of living to at least age:		100%	94%	87%	73%	60%	21%
		100%	97%	92%	81%	71%	32%
		100%	99%	99%	95%	88%	47%

Source: Social Security Administration, J.P. Morgan Asset Management.

*Couple assumes at least one lives to the specified age or beyond. Breakeven assumes the same individual, born in 1955, earns the maximum wage base, retires at the end of age 61, and claims at 62 & 1 month, 66 & 2 months and 70, respectively. Benefits are assumed to increase each year based on the Social Security Administration 2016 Trustee's Report "intermediate" estimates (annual benefit increase of 2.9% in 2018 and 2.6% thereafter). Monthly amounts without the cost of living adjustments (not shown on the chart) are: \$2,141 at age 62; \$2,888 at age 66; and \$3,773 at age 70. Exact breakeven ages are 76 & 2 months and 80 & 5 months.

Benefit requirements for married, divorced or widowed spouses



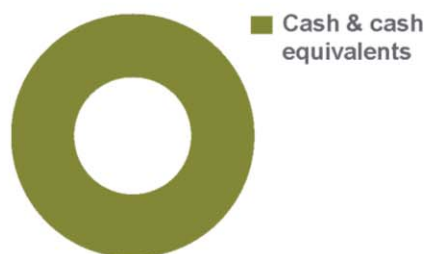
¹Spousal benefit may be reduced if spouse filing for spousal benefit is younger than FRA; Spouse receives larger of own benefit or spousal benefit

²Survivor benefit may be reduced if spouse filing for widow benefit is younger than FRA

*If divorced for less than 2 years, ex-spouse must be age 62 and have filed.

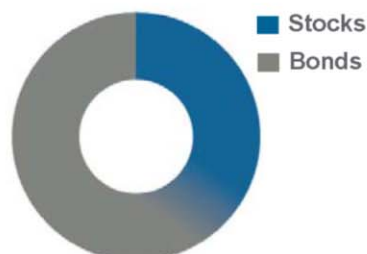
Short-term goals

Includes emergency reserve fund of total spending needs for 3-6 months



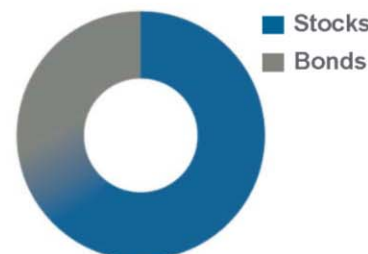
Medium-term goals

5-10 years, e.g. college, home



Long-term goals

15+ years, e.g. retirement

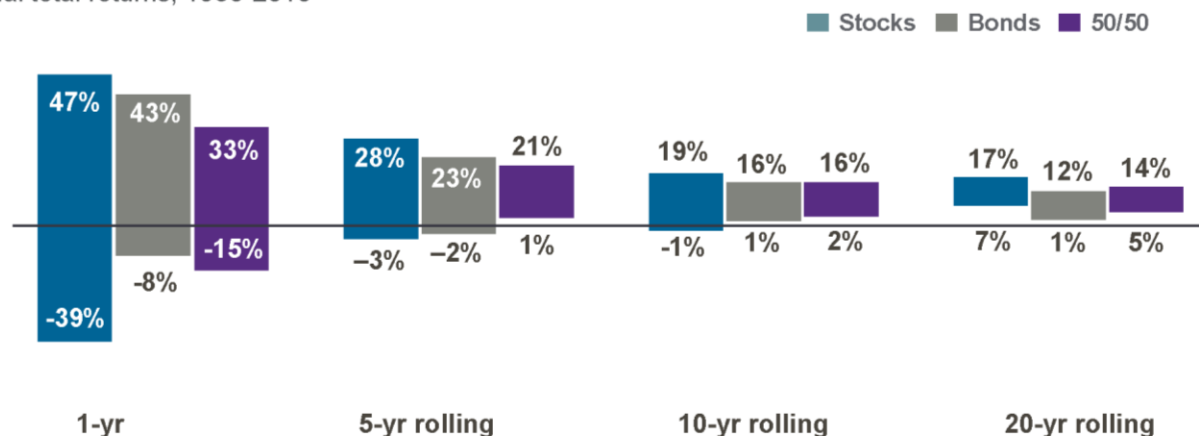


DIVIDE AND CONQUER

Aligning your investment strategy by goal can help you take different levels of risk based on varying time horizons and make sure you are saving enough to accomplish all of your goals—not just the ones that occur first.

Range of stock, bond and blended total returns

Annual total returns, 1950-2016



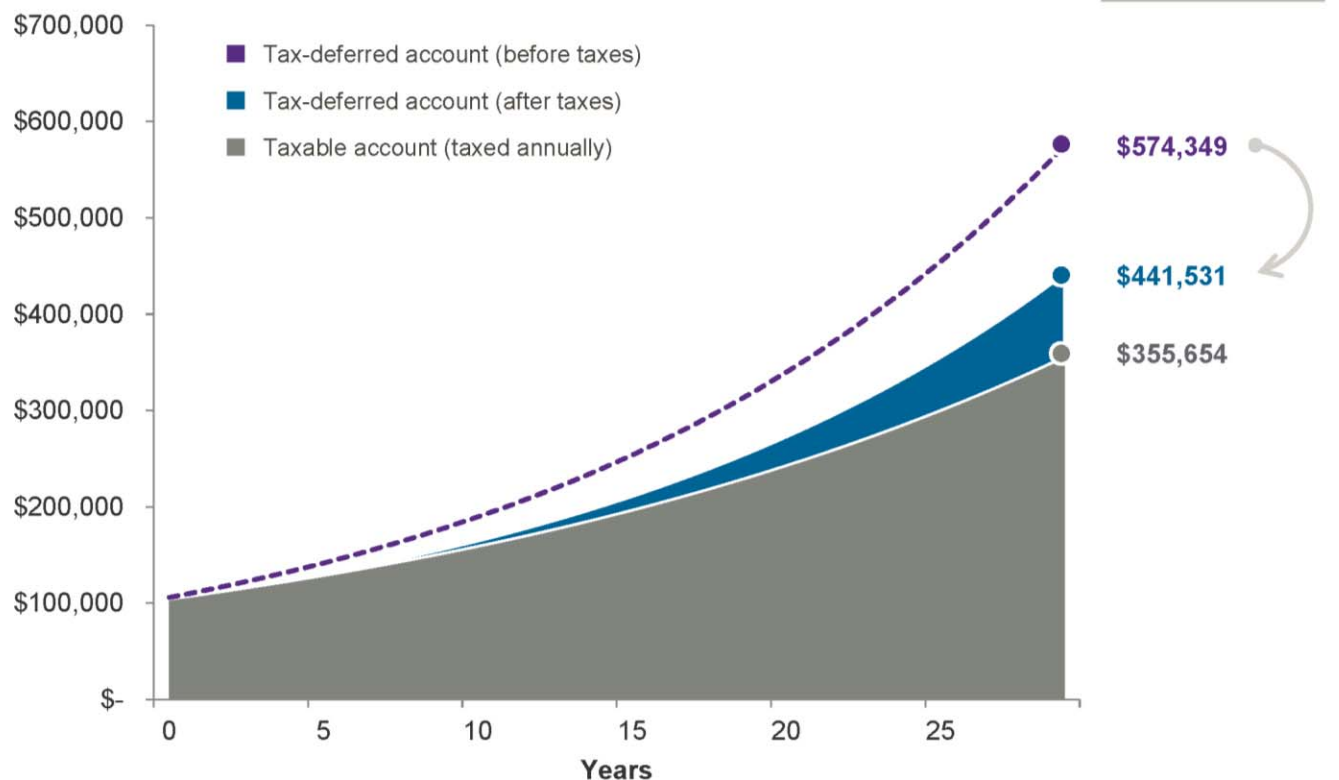
Source (top chart): J.P. Morgan Asset Management.

Source (bottom chart): Barclays Capital, FactSet, Federal Reserve, Robert Shiller, StateGAS/Ibbotson, J.P. Morgan Asset Management. Returns shown are based on calendar year returns from 1950 to 2016. Stocks represent the S&P 500 Shiller Composite and Bonds represent StateGAS/Ibbotson for periods from 1950 to 2010 and Barclays Aggregate thereafter.

Note: Portfolio allocations are hypothetical and are for illustrative purposes only. They were created to illustrate different risk/return profiles and are not meant to represent actual asset allocation.

Taxable vs. tax-deferred investing over a 30-year timeframe

Growth of \$100,000 for a household in the 28% tax bracket



TAXES CAN WAIT

Sheltering investment growth in tax-deferred accounts over the long-term may result in more wealth for retirement. The value of tax deferral in this example is equivalent to nearly 1% higher annual return over the time period.

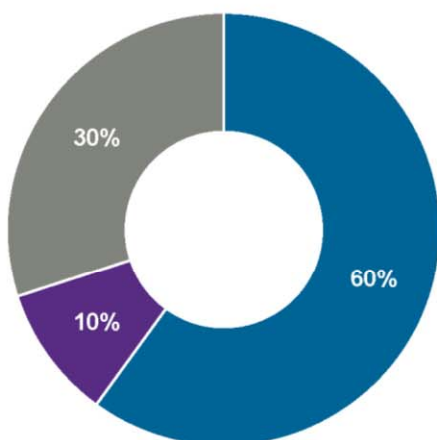
Source: JP Morgan Asset Management. Chart shows after-tax \$100,000 initial account value in the beginning of year one for a tax-deferred account and a taxable account. Assumes a 6.0% annual return for both accounts. Investment returns in taxable account are taxed annually at 28% (capital gains and qualified dividends are not considered in this analysis). Tax-deferred account balance is taken as a lump sum after year 30 and taxed at 28% federal tax rate. If tax-deferred account is taken as lump sum at other tax rates, after-tax balance will be \$503,197 (15%), \$455,762 (25%), \$417,814 (33%), \$386,507 (39.6%). This hypothetical illustration is not indicative of any specific investment and does not reflect the impact of fees or expenses. This chart is for illustrative purposes only. Past performance is no guarantee for future results.

Maximizing the power of diversification 2001–2016

MIX IT UP WISELY

Diversification may provide better returns with less risk.

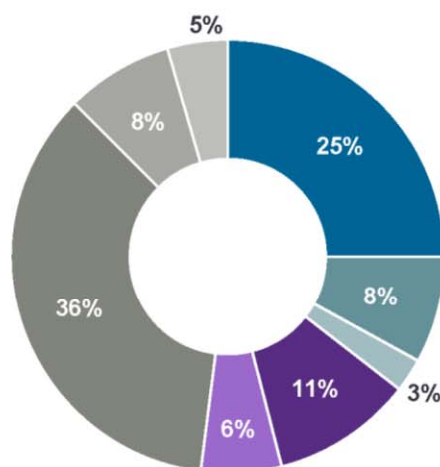
Less diversified portfolio



Return: 6.4%
Volatility: 12.0%

■ S&P 500
■ EAFE Equity
■ Barclays Aggregate

More diversified portfolio



Return: 7.2%
Volatility: 11.1%

■ S&P 500
■ Russell 2000
■ REIT
■ EAFE Equity
■ Emerging Market Equity
■ Barclays Aggregate
■ US High Yield
■ Emerging Market Debt

Indexes and weights of the less diversified portfolio are as follows: U.S. stocks: 60.00% S&P 500; International stocks: 10.00% MSCI EAFE; U.S. bonds: 30.00% Barclays Capital Aggregate. More diversified portfolio is as follows: U.S. stocks: 25.00% S&P 500, 8.00% Russell 2000, 2.50% NAREIT Equity REIT Index; International stocks: 10.50% MSCI EAFE, 6.00% MSCI Emerging Markets; U.S. bonds: 35.50% Barclays Capital Aggregate, 8.00% Barclays U.S. High Yield; International bonds: 4.50% J.P. Morgan EMBI Global Diversified. Source: Bloomberg, J.P. Morgan Asset Management.

Charts are shown for illustrative purposes only. Percentages may not sum due to rounding. Past returns are no guarantee of future results. Diversification does not guarantee investment returns and does not eliminate risk of loss. Data as of December 30, 2016.

10-year asset class returns

										2007-2016	
2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Ann.	Vol.
EM Equity 39.8%	Fixed Income 5.2%	EM Equity 79.0%	REITs 27.9%	REITs 8.3%	REITs 19.7%	Small Cap 38.8%	REITs 28.0%	REITs 2.8%	Small Cap 21.3%	High Yield 7.3%	REITs 25.2%
Comdty 16.2%	Cash 1.8%	High Yield 59.4%	Small Cap 26.9%	Fixed Income 7.8%	High Yield 19.6%	Large Cap 32.4%	Large Cap 13.7%	Large Cap 1.4%	High Yield 14.3%	Small Cap 7.1%	EM Equity 24.5%
DM Equity 11.6%	Asset Alloc. -25.4%	DM Equity 32.5%	EM Equity 19.2%	High Yield 3.1%	EM Equity 18.6%	DM Equity 23.3%	Fixed Income 6.0%	Fixed Income 0.5%	Large Cap 12.0%	Large Cap 6.9%	Comdty. 20.4%
Asset Alloc. 7.1%	High Yield -26.9%	REITs 28.0%	Comdty. 16.8%	Large Cap 2.1%	DM Equity 17.9%	Asset Alloc. 14.9%	Asset Alloc. 5.2%	Cash 0.0%	Comdty. 11.8%	REITs 5.1%	Small Cap 20.3%
Fixed Income 7.0%	Small Cap -33.8%	Small Cap 27.2%	Large Cap 15.1%	Cash 0.1%	Small Cap 16.3%	High Yield 7.3%	Small Cap 4.9%	DM Equity -0.4%	EM Equity 11.6%	Asset Alloc. 4.9%	DM Equity 19.7%
Large Cap 5.5%	Comdty. -35.6%	Large Cap 26.5%	High Yield 14.8%	Asset Alloc. -0.7%	Large Cap 16.0%	REITs 2.9%	Cash 0.0%	Asset Alloc. -2.0%	REITs 8.6%	Fixed Income 4.3%	Large Cap 16.2%
Cash 4.8%	Large Cap -37.0%	Asset Alloc. 25.0%	Asset Alloc. 13.3%	Small Cap -4.2%	Asset Alloc. 12.2%	Cash 0.0%	High Yield 0.0%	High Yield -2.7%	Asset Alloc. 8.3%	EM Equity 2.2%	High Yield 12.9%
High Yield 3.2%	REITs -37.7%	Comdty. 18.9%	DM Equity 8.2%	DM Equity -11.7%	Fixed Income 4.2%	Fixed Income -2.0%	EM Equity -1.8%	Small Cap -4.4%	Fixed Income 2.6%	DM Equity 1.2%	Asset Alloc. 11.7%
Small Cap -1.6%	DM Equity -43.1%	Fixed Income 5.9%	Fixed Income 6.5%	Comdty. -13.3%	Cash 0.1%	EM Equity -2.3%	DM Equity -4.5%	EM Equity -14.6%	DM Equity 1.5%	Cash 0.7%	Fixed Income 3.4%
REITs -15.7%	EM Equity -53.2%	Cash 0.1%	Cash 0.1%	EM Equity -18.2%	Comdty. -1.1%	Comdty. -9.5%	Comdty. -17.0%	Comdty. -24.7%	Cash 0.3%	Comdty. -5.6%	Cash 0.8%

MAINTAIN A DIVERSIFIED APPROACH

The best and worst performing asset classes vary greatly year to year. Failure to rebalance the Asset Allocation portfolio over this time period would have resulted in an average annual return of 4.6%— 0.3% lower than the annually rebalanced one. Consider a balanced investment approach with a clearly defined rebalancing policy.

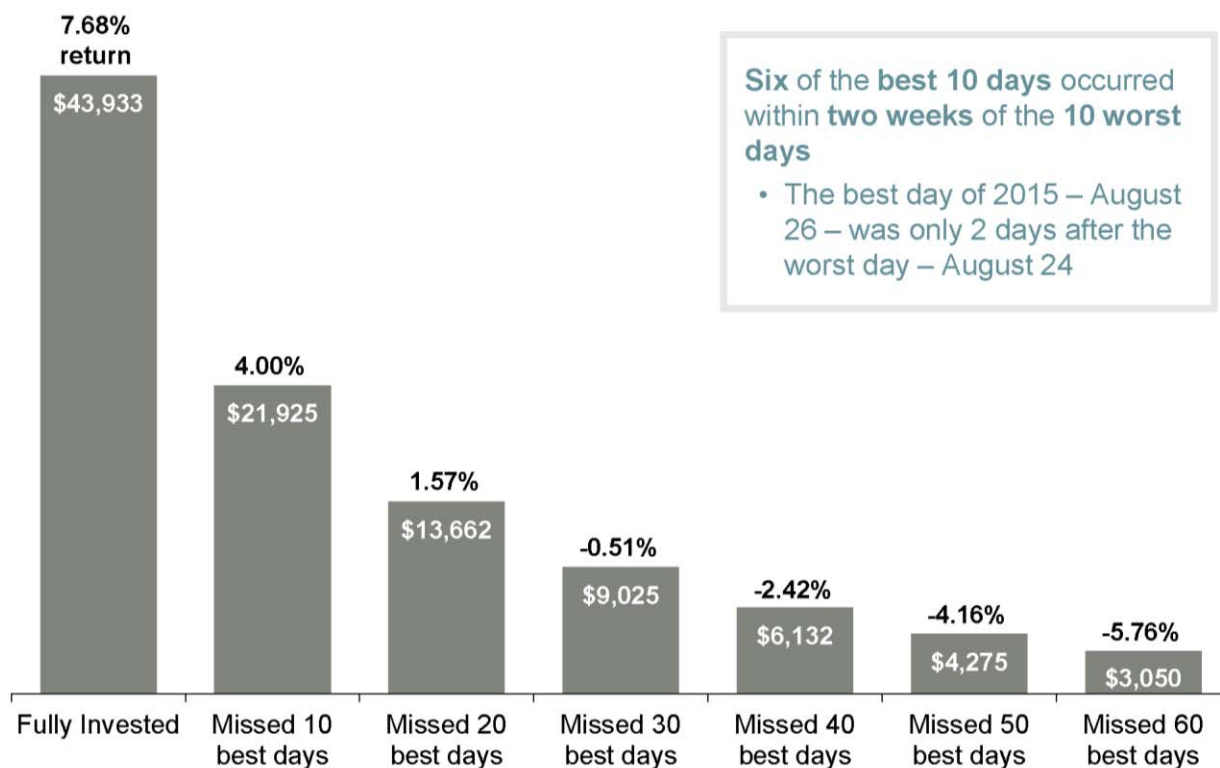
Source: Barclays, Bloomberg, FactSet, MSCI, NAREIT, Russell, Standard & Poor's, J.P. Morgan Asset Management.

Large cap: S&P 500, Small cap: Russell 2000, EM Equity: MSCI EME, DM Equity: MSCI EAFE, Comdty: Bloomberg Commodity Index, High Yield: Barclays Global HY Index, Fixed Income: Barclays Aggregate, REITs: NAREIT Equity REIT Index. The "Asset Allocation" portfolio assumes the following weights: 25% in the S&P 500, 10% in the Russell 2000, 15% in the MSCI EAFE, 5% in the MSCI EME, 25% in the Barclays Aggregate, 5% in the Barclays 1-3m Treasury, 5% in the Barclays Global High Yield Index, 5% in the Bloomberg Commodity Index and 5% in the NAREIT Equity REIT Index. Balanced portfolio assumes annual rebalancing. Annualized (Ann.) return and volatility (Vol.) represents period of 12/31/06 – 12/31/16. Please see disclosure pages at end for index definitions. All data represents total return for stated period. Past performance is not indicative of future returns.

Guide to the Markets – U.S. Data are as of December 31, 2016.

Returns of the S&P 500

Performance of a \$10,000 investment between January 1, 1997 and December 30, 2016



PLAN TO STAY INVESTED

Trying to time the market is extremely difficult to do. Market lows often result in emotional decision making. Investing for the long term while managing volatility can result in a better retirement outcome.

On August 24, 2015 the Dow Jones Industrial Average closed down 588 pts. On August 26, 2015 it closed up 609 pts.

This chart is for illustrative purposes only and does not represent the performance of any investment or group of investments.

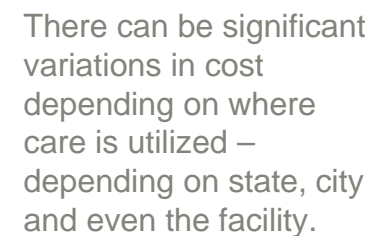
Source: J.P. Morgan Asset Management analysis using data from Bloomberg. Returns are based on the S&P 500 Total Return Index, an unmanaged, capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of 500 large capitalization domestic stocks representing all major industries. Past performance is not indicative of future returns. An individual cannot invest directly in an index. Data as of December 30, 2016.

Key takeaways

- ▲ **Women have been taking control over many crucial aspects of life: marriage, family, education and work.**
- ▲ **Yet women face unique challenges in preparing for retirement: longevity, time off work to raise and care for family and the gender pay gap, to name a few.**
- ▲ **Focus on objectives you can control: maximizing saving, managing spending and investing in the market**
- ▲ **Understand the need for health care, LTC and the importance of having a plan**
- ▲ **As family planning/formation is delayed or changed, women should be sure to make retirement planning a priority**

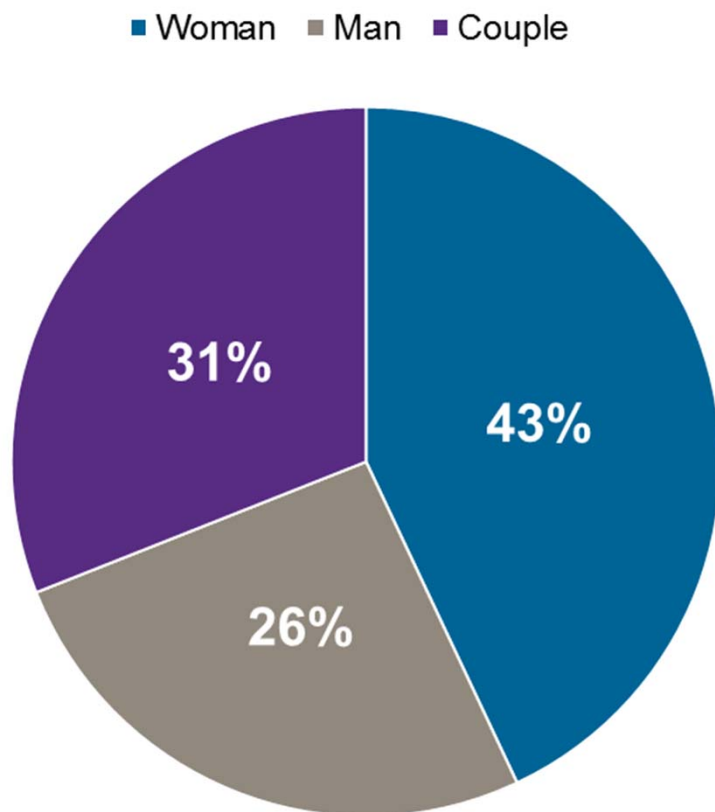


Questions?

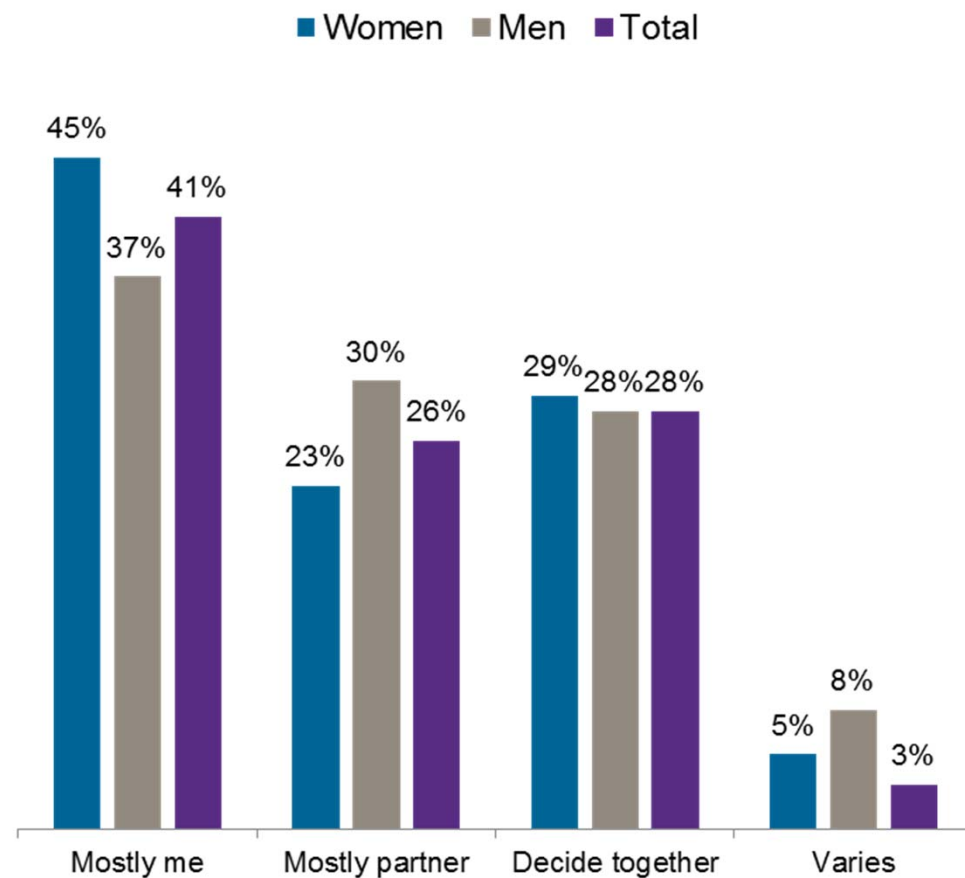


Who makes the household decisions

Who makes the decisions at home?



Who manages the household finances?



Possible Social Security benefits of divorced ex-spouse

Divorced Spouse

Benefits may be limited if not age 62 by Dec. 31, 2015

May receive only or largest of all benefits:

Their own worker benefit

Spousal benefit based on
ex-spouse's work record

Based on their worker benefit being...

1. Less than spousal benefit

Their own worker benefit



Difference between own benefit
and spousal benefit

2. Greater than spousal benefit

Their own worker benefit

3. No benefit from work record

Spousal benefit

Source: Social Security Administration

Benefits may be reduced if claimed prior to full retirement age.

Claimant may file for spousal benefit without ex-spouse filing as long as they have been divorced for at least 2 years

Possible Social Security benefits of widowed spouse or (ex-spouse)

Widowed Spouse

May receive only, either, or combination of:

Their own worker benefit

Survivor benefit based on spouse's claimed benefit

Based on their worker benefit being...

1. Less than survivor benefit

Their own worker benefit



Difference between own benefit and survivor benefit

2. Greater than survivor benefit

Their own worker benefit

3. No benefit from work record

Survivor benefit

Source: Social Security Administration
Benefits may be reduced if claimed prior to full retirement age.

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The **S&P 500 Index** is widely regarded as the best single gauge of the U.S. equities market.

This world-renowned index includes a representative sample of 500 leading companies in leading industries of the U.S. economy. Although the S&P 500 Index focuses on the large cap segment of the market, with approximately 75% coverage of U.S. equities, it is also an ideal proxy for the total market. An investor cannot invest directly in an index.

The **Russell 2000 Index®** measures the performance of the 2,000 smallest companies in the Russell 3000 Index.

The **MSCI EAFE (Europe, Australia, Far East) Net Index** is recognized as the pre-eminent benchmark in the United States to measure international equity performance. It comprises 21 MSCI country indexes, representing the developed markets outside of North America.

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