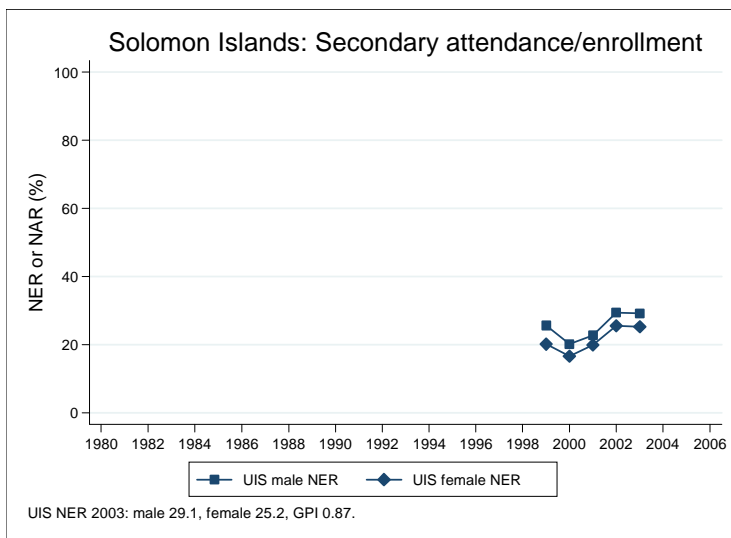
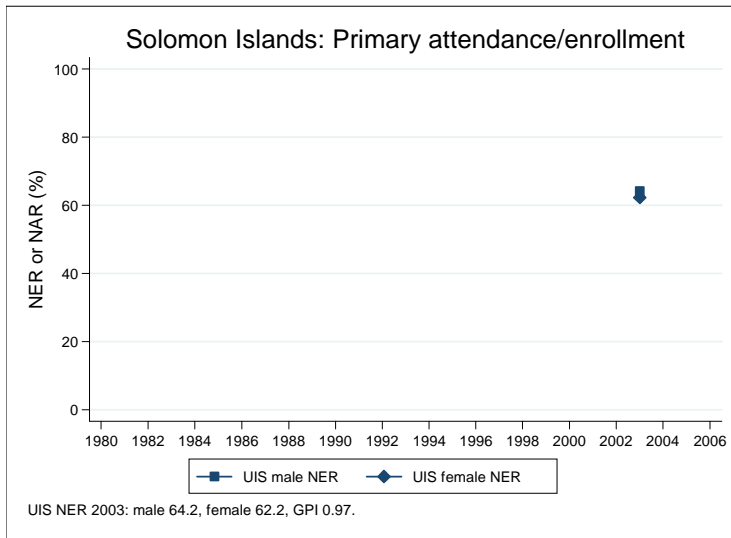
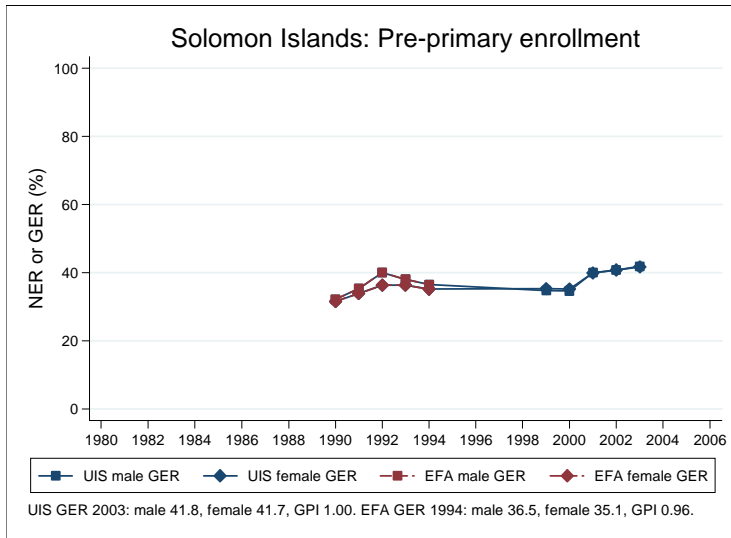
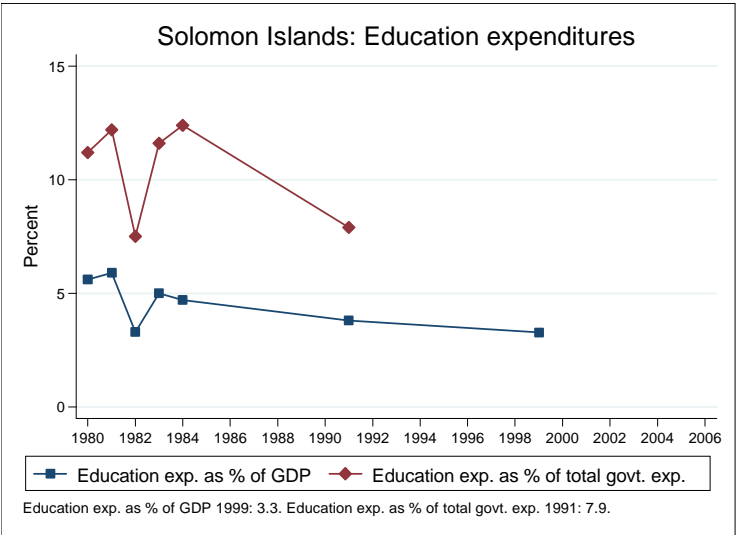
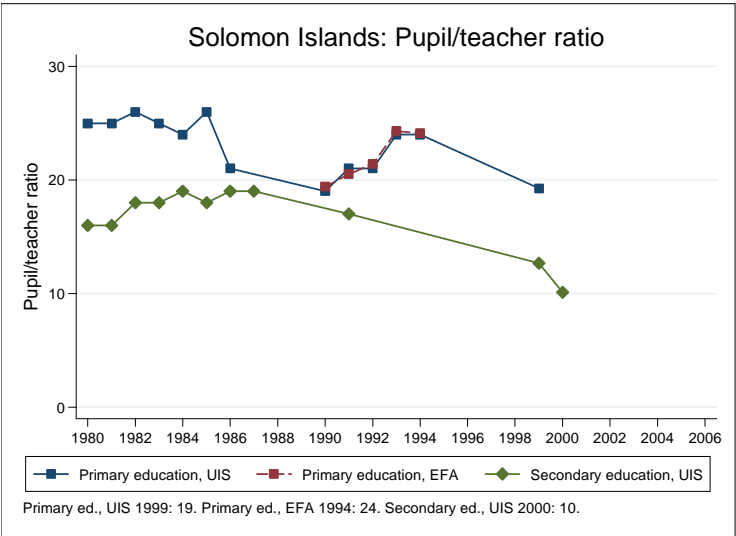
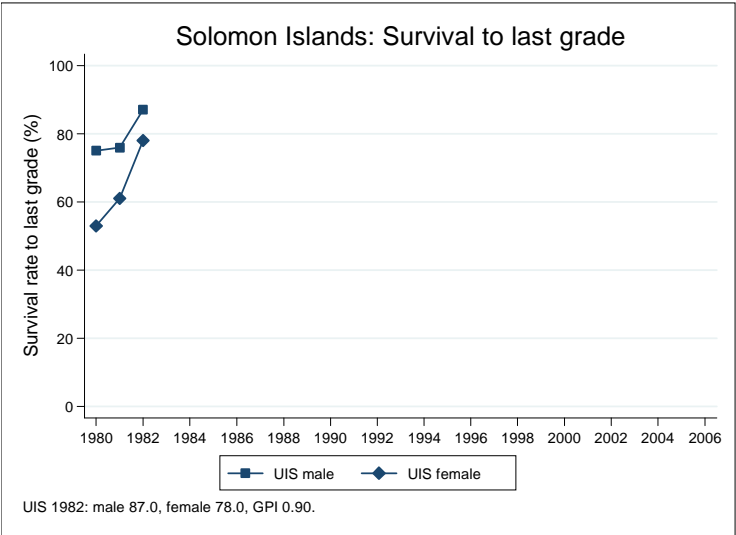


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Solomon Islands

Population (1,000)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool age, 2006	41	21	20
Primary school age, 2006	76	40	36
Secondary school age, 2006	77	40	37
Total population, all ages, 2007	496	257	239
Official school age (years)	Entrance age	Graduation age	Duration
Preschool, 2005	3	5	3
Primary school, 2005	6	11	6
Secondary school, 2005	12	18	7
Compulsory education			
Net enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool NER			
Primary school NER, 2003	63.3	64.2	62.2
Secondary school NER, 2003	27.3	29.1	25.2
Gross enrolment ratio (%)	Total	Male	Female
Preschool GER, 2003	41.8	41.8	41.7
Primary school GER, 2005	97.3	99.0	95.4
Secondary school GER, 2005	30.1	32.5	27.4
Entrance and transition (%)	Total	Male	Female
Primary net intake rate			
Primary gross intake rate, 1991	99.9	97.8	102.2
Primary entrants with ECCE			
Transition rate primary-secondary, 2002	69.8	71.4	67.9
Repetition and completion	Total	Male	Female
Primary repetition rate (%), 1991	6.2		
Secondary repetition rate (%)			
Survival rate to grade 5 (%), 1991	87.8	67.0	85.4
Survival rate to last primary grade (%)			
Primary completion rate (%), 1991	72.1		
School life expectancy (years), 2005	8.2	8.4	7.8
Teaching staff	Pupil/teacher ratio	% trained teachers	% female teachers
Preschool			
Primary school, 1999	19.2		40.6
Secondary school, 2000	10.1		32.7
Public expenditure per student as % of GDP per capita			
Primary school, 1991	14.1		
Secondary school			
Total public expenditure on education			
As % of GDP, 1999	3.3		
As % of total government expenditure, 1991	7.9		

Data sources:

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