

Table 1. Baseline demographic and clinical characteristics

	Group A (n = 48,215)	Group B (n = 54,374)
	1989 - 1999	2009 - 2016
GA in weeks + days, median (IQR)	39+4 (38+4, 40+4)	39+4 (38+4, 40+4)
Age in years, mean (SD)	30.3 (5.5)	32.2 (5.2)
Age group, n (%)		
< 25 years	8,455 (18)	4,944 (9.1)
25-29 years	14,355 (30)	13,145 (24)
30-34 years	15,337 (32)	29,946 (37)
≥ 35 years	10,064 (21)	16,335 (30)
Missing data	4 (<0.1)	4 (<0.1)
BMI, median (IQR)	22.0 (20.1, 24.7)	22.7 (20.5, 25.8)
BMI group, n (%)		
< 20 kg/m ²	9,749 (24)	8,752 (19)
20-24 kg/m ²	21,920 (53)	23,419 (51)
25-29 kg/m ²	6,535 (16)	9,181 (20)
≥ 30 kg/m ²	2,950 (7.2)	4,701 (10)
Missing data	7,061 (15)	8,321 (15)
Parity, n (%)		
Nulliparous	22,041 (46)	27,177 (50)
Parous	25,798 (54)	26,269 (48)
Unknown	376 (0.8)	928 (2)
Previous caesarean, n (%) [^]	3,622 (14)	6,356 (24)

[^] parous women used as denominator.

GA, gestational age; BMI, body mass index in kg/m²; SD, standard deviation; IQR, Interquartile range.