

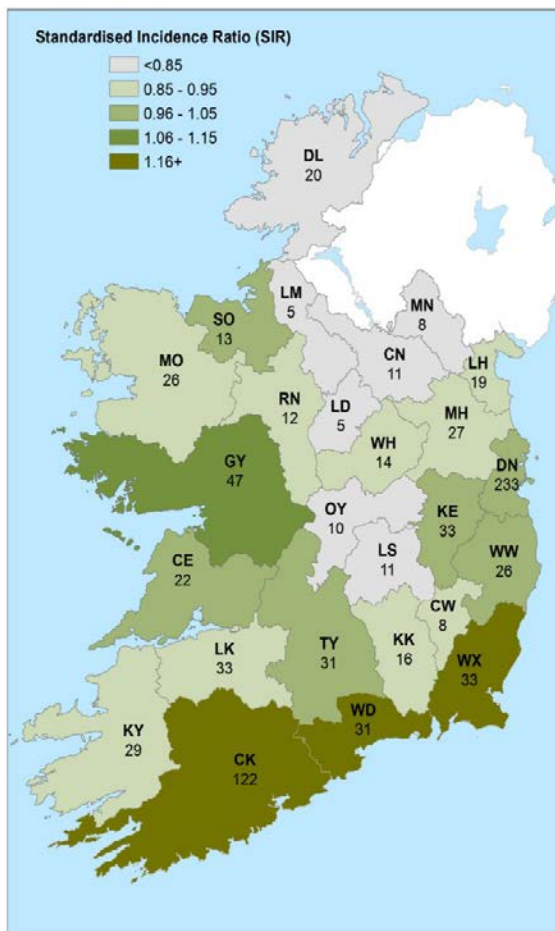
## Key facts

	Females	Males	Total
<b>Number of new cases per year</b>	562	530	1,092
<b>Incidence rate (cases per 100,000 per year)</b>	21.2	21.4	-
<b>Cumulative lifetime risk of diagnosis (to age 74)</b>	1 in 59	1 in 61	-
<b>Percentage of all invasive cancers *</b>	5.4%	4.5%	4.9%
<b>Ranking among most common cancers *</b>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Number of deaths per year</b>	71	88	159
<b>Mortality rate (deaths per 100,000 per year)</b>	2.5	3.8	-
<b>Cumulative lifetime risk of death (to age 74)</b>	1 in 625	1 in 417	-
<b>Percentage of all cancer deaths</b>	2%	2%	2%
<b>Ranking among most common invasive cancer deaths</b>	17 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Number of people with this cancer still alive, end 2015<sup>#</sup></b>	6,047	4,029	10,076
<b>Number alive per 100,000</b>	264	176	217

\*invasive cancers only, excluding non-melanoma skin cancer

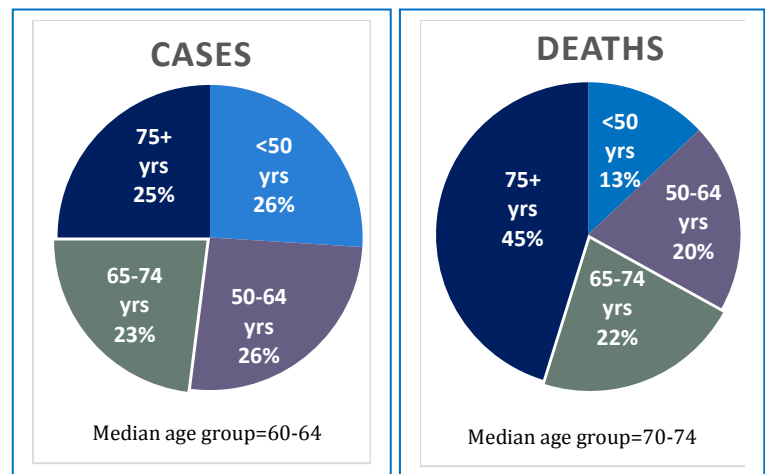
<sup>#</sup> diagnosed since 1994

## Cases mapped by county



Annual average number of cases, 2005-2015:  
colours indicate higher or lower than  
expected based on national rates

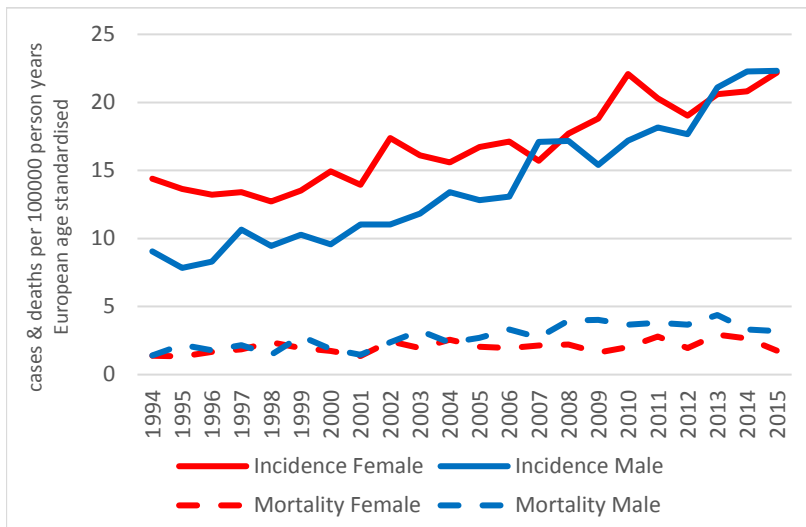
## Age profile at diagnosis and death



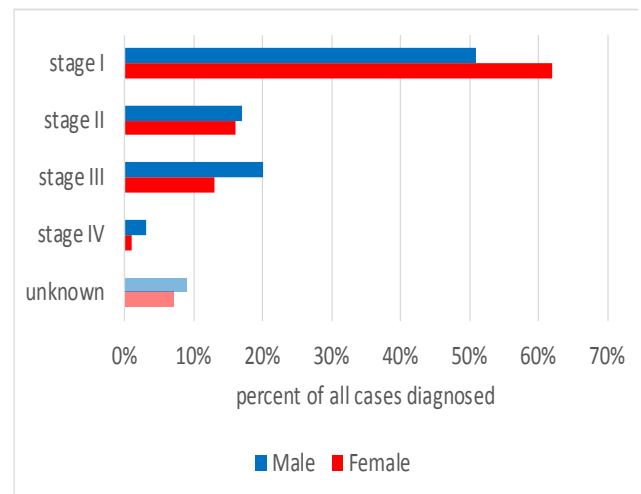
## Top risk factors

- *Sun exposure (mainly recreational)*
  - *Sunbed/sunlamp use*
  - *History of sunburn*
- *Presence of benign sun damage in the skin*
  - *Number of naevi*
- *Density of freckles or freckling as a child*
  - *Skin, hair and eye colour*
  - *Ability to tan*
- *Family history of melanoma*
- *High socio-economic status*

## Trend in incidence and mortality

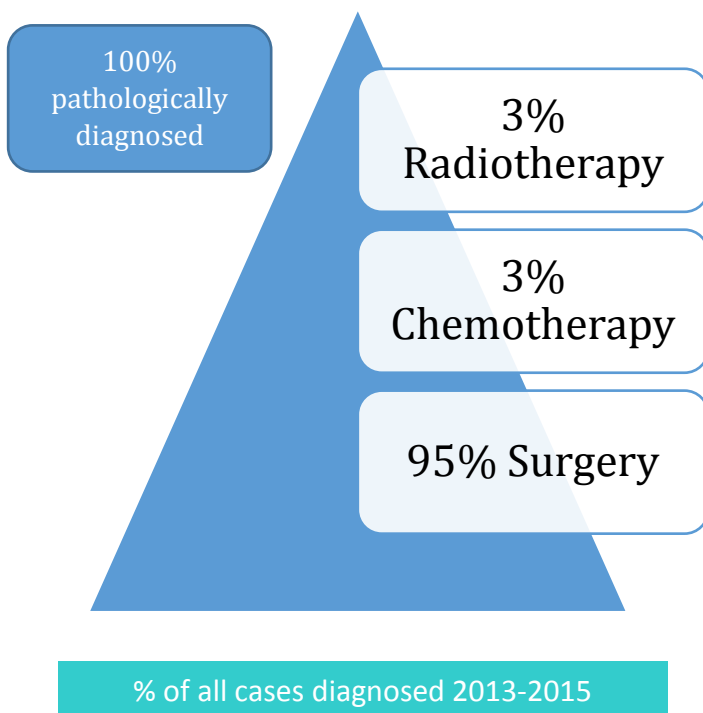


## Stage at diagnosis



**APC# Incidence: Males (94-15) 2.6%; Females (94-15) 5.1%**  
**Mortality: Males (94-15) 4.1%; Females (94-15) 1.8%**  
 # Annual Percentage Change

## Treatment within 1 year



## 5 year net survival

Diagnosed	Net survival (age standardised)	95% confidence interval
1994-1998	82.7%	80.4-85.1%
1999-2003	85.5%	83.5-87.4%
2004-2008	85.3%	83.7-86.9%
2009-2013	89.3%	87.5-91.0%

\*10 year net survival (hybrid analysis):

85.7% (83.4-88.1%)