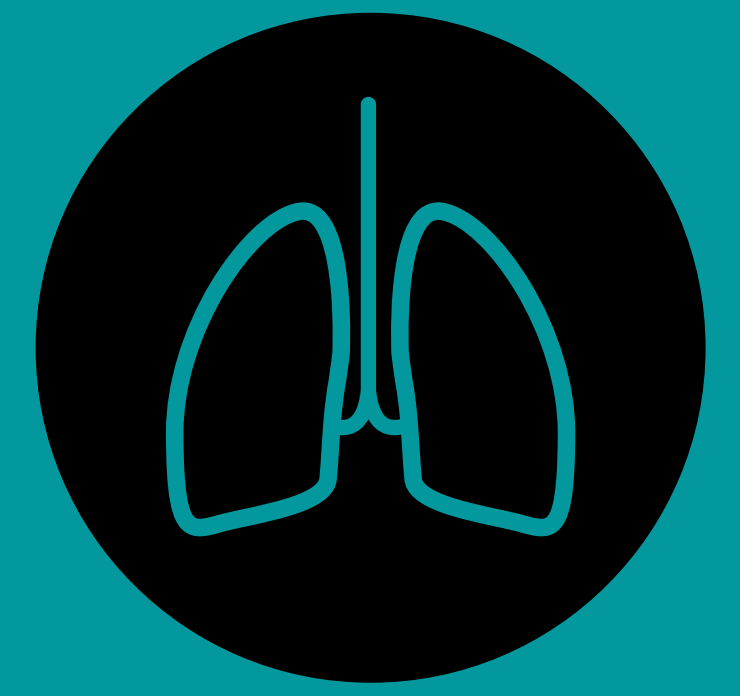




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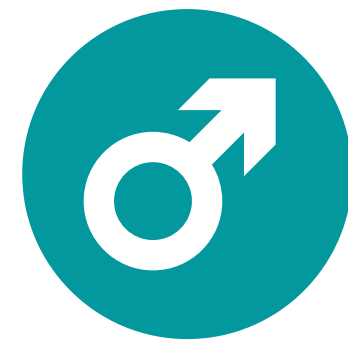
2,693 new cases per year (2017-2019)



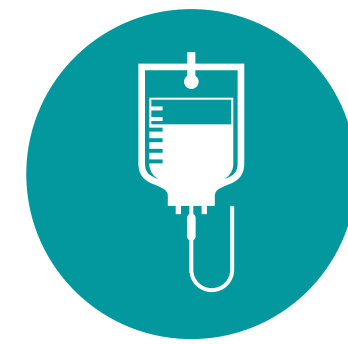
Ranking 3rd among most common cancers



1 in 33 chance of females being diagnosed with lung cancer before 75



1 in 28 chance of males being diagnosed with lung cancer before 75



Most common treatment regimes: radiotherapy, chemotherapy, surgery



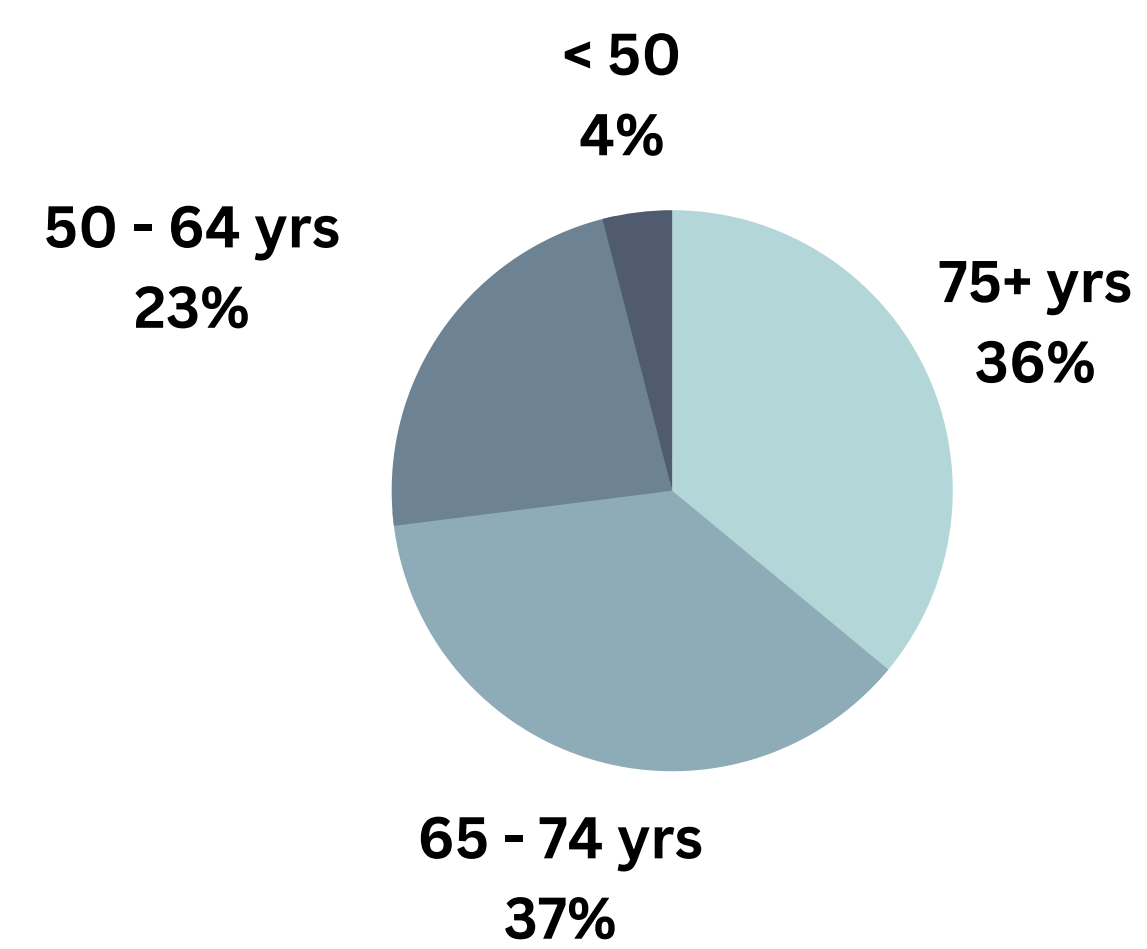
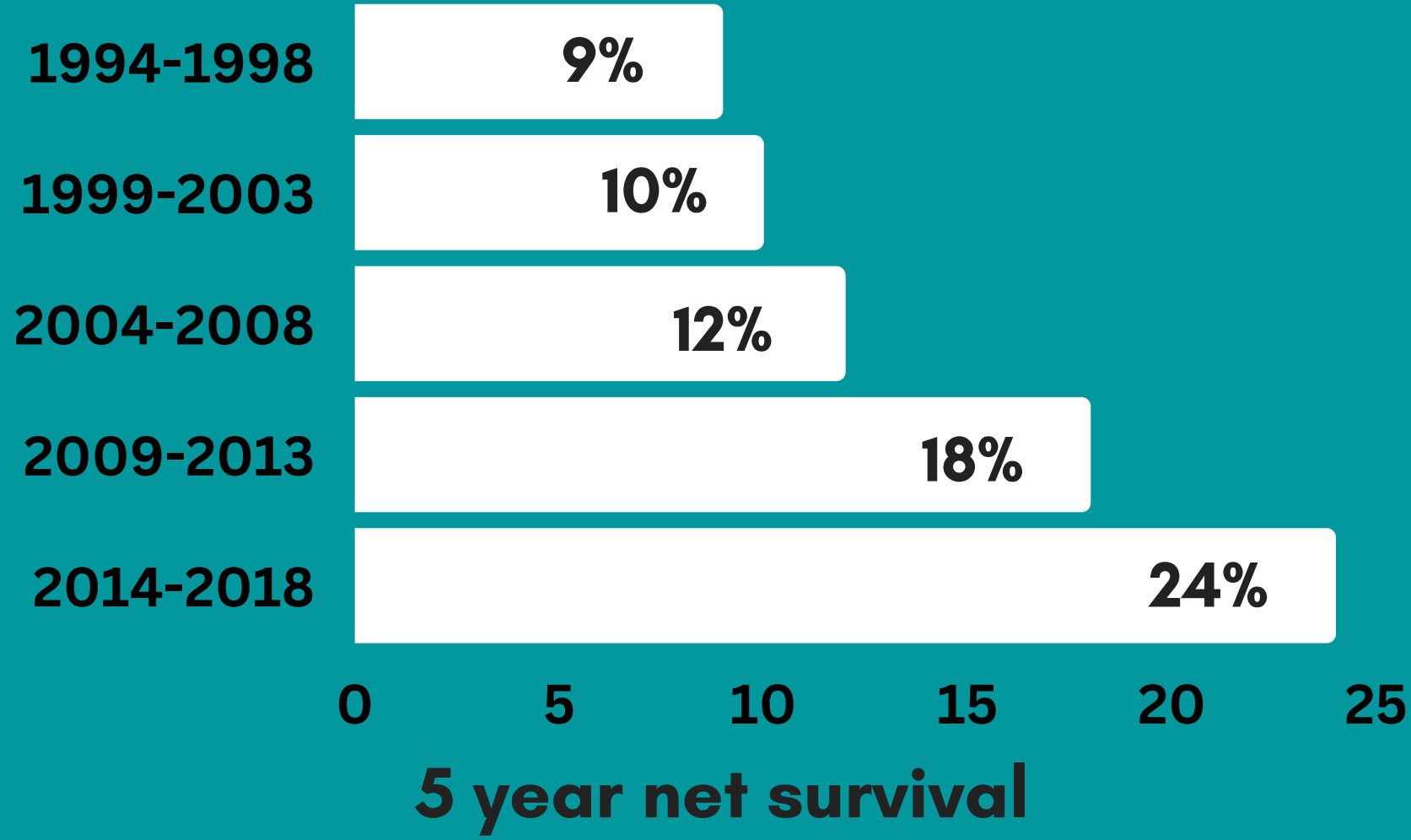
1,894 lung cancer deaths per year (2017-2019)



Ranking 1st among most common invasive cancer deaths



Makes up 20.5% of all cancer deaths



Age breakdown at diagnosis

RISK FACTORS



Tobacco smoking



Passive smoking



Ionizing radiation



Occupational chemicals



Beta-carotene supplements in current smokers



History of tuberculosis



Family history of lung cancer



Air pollution

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- www.quit.ie
- www.cancer.ie
- www.mariekeating.ie
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