

Labrador Retrievers

HEALTH STUDY RESULTS

Dogs in study

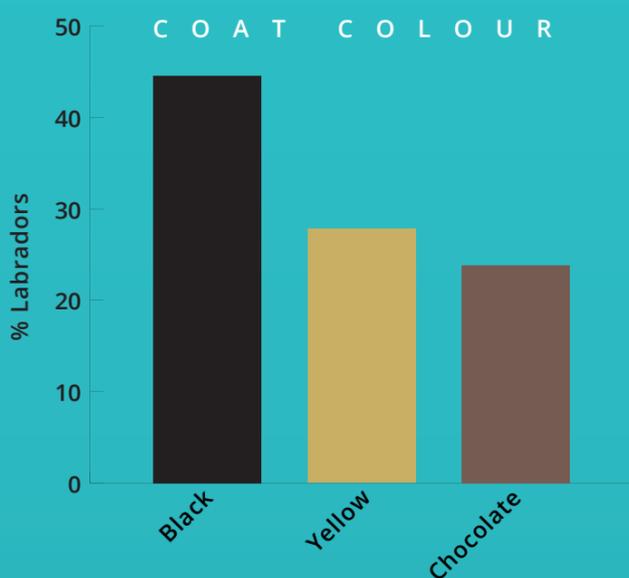
33,320

Average lifespan

12.0 years

Average adult bodyweight

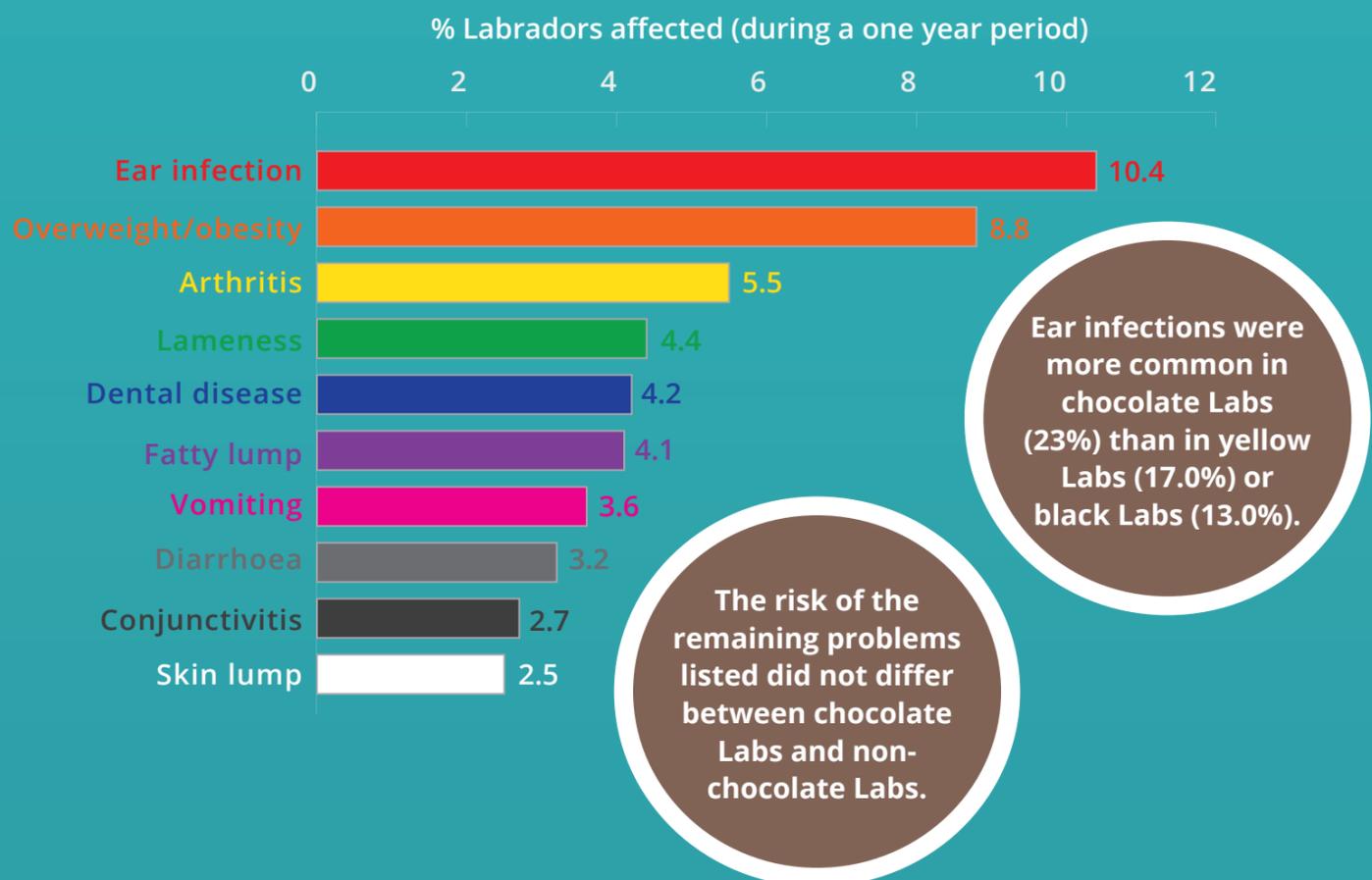
Males - 35kg
Females - 30kg



Most Common Causes of Death



Most Common Problems Diagnosed



CONCLUSIONS:

Owners of Labradors should be alert to problems with their dog's ears. Chocolate Labradors could be at increased risk of ear infections.

Overweight/obesity is a common issue in Labradors. Owners can help to reduce the risk of obesity through appropriate diet and exercise.

Labrador owners should be alert to joint problems, especially as their dog ages, and seek veterinary advice if concerned.

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