

Agria Insurance Data

Updated Statistics : 1995 to 2006

PART ONE: MORTALITY (LIFE INSURANCE)

Rhodeisian Ridgeback

Amount of data:

Rates are based on dog-years-at-risk (DYAR) which takes into account the actual time each dog was insured during the period. A dog insured for an entire year contributes 1 DYAR, a dog insured for only 6 months during a year contributes 0.5 DYAR. Rates are expressed as number of deaths per 10,000 DYAR.

For:

Rhodeisian Ridgeback

Approximate AVERAGE DYAR yearly

1995-2006

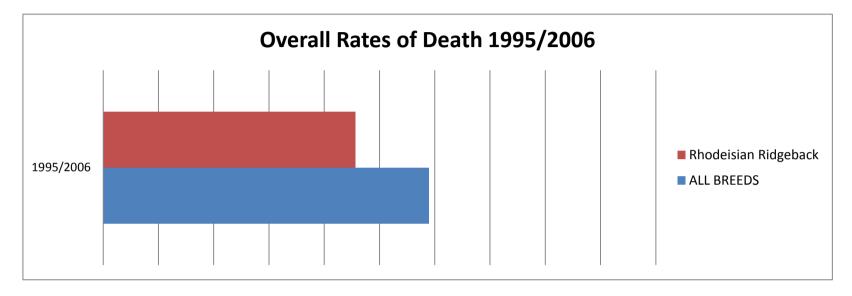
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NOTE:

All deaths reported here were claimed for life insurance. In general, risks should be interpreted as applying to dogs up to 10 years of age. From 1995-2004 most breeds could be life insured to a maximum of 10 years of age. After 2005 some breeds could only be life insured to 8 years, some to 10, some to 12 years of age. Although the majority of restrictions did not take place until 2006 or later, it should be noted that changes in average age at death may be affected by limitations of the insurance policy.



Overall Rates of Death 1995/2006



Relative risk of death for: Rhodeisian Ridgeback compared to ALL BREEDS

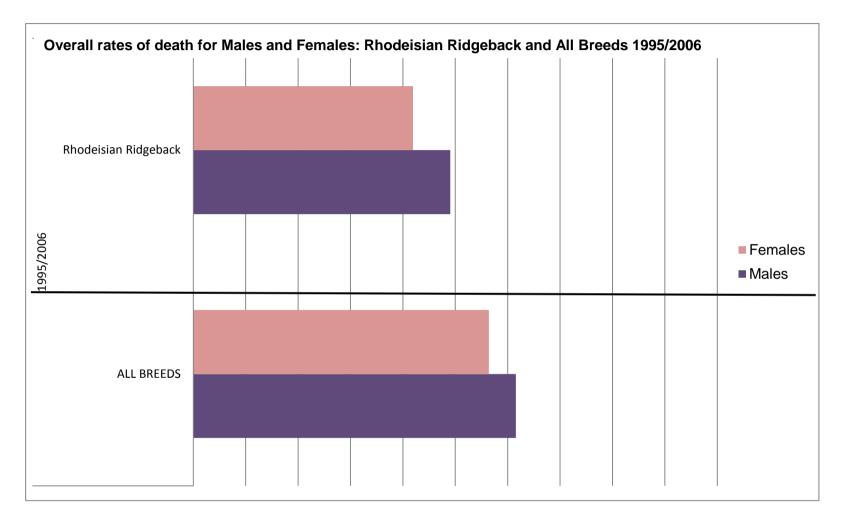
1995/2006 0.80

Interpretation: The risk of death for Rhodeisian Ridgebacks in 1995-2006 was 0.8 times that for All Breeds.

The risk of death for Rhodeisian Ridgebacks in 2003-2006 was 1.2 times less than that for All Breeds.

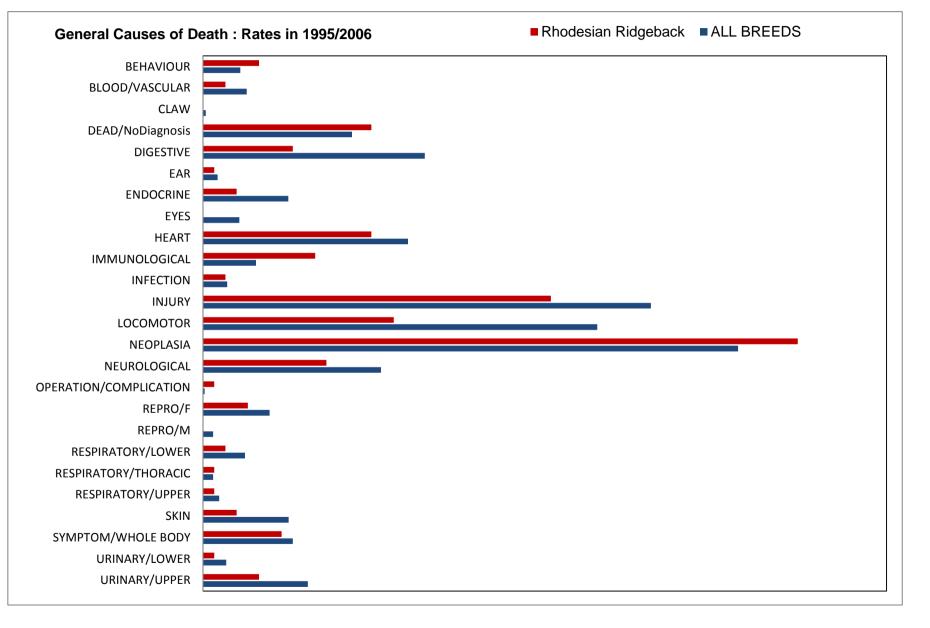


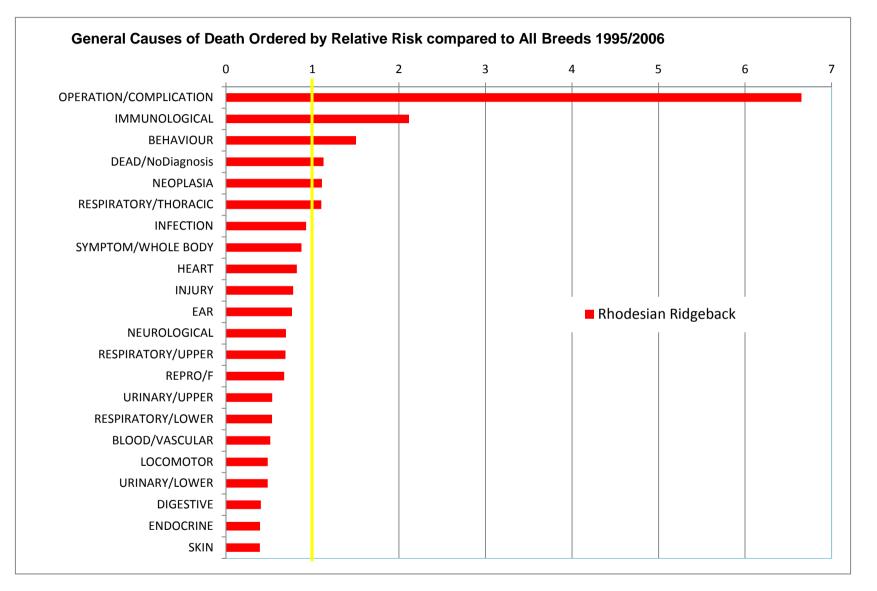
Overall rates of death for Males and Females: Rhodeisian Ridgeback and All Breeds 1995/2006





General Causes of Death : Rates in 1995/2006





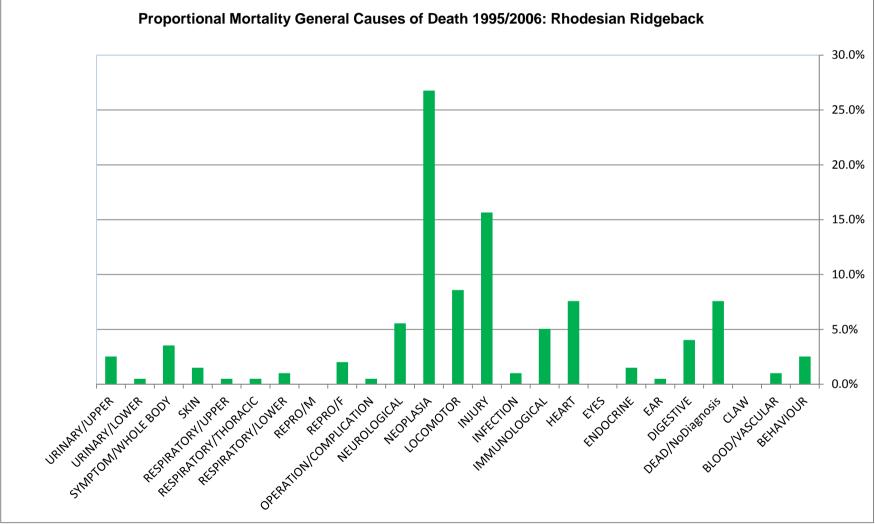
General Causes of Death Ordered by Relative Risk compared to All Breeds 1995/2006

Interpretation: The yellow line is the baseline risk for All Breeds; so, for those conditions where the red bar goes to the right of the yellow line, the breed is at increased risk compared to All Breeds.



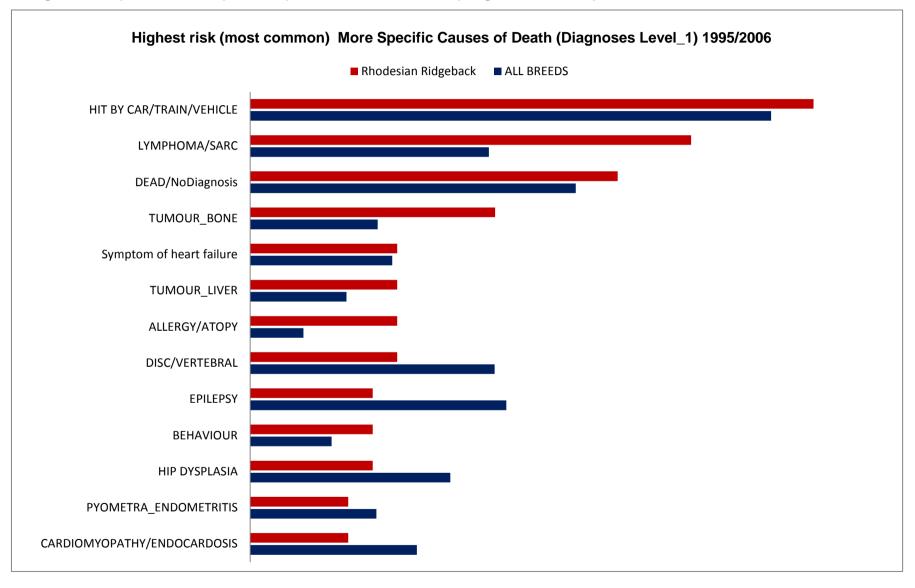
Proportional Mortality General Causes of Death 1995/2006: Rhodesian Ridgeback (equals the deaths for a given cause divided by the total number of deaths in this breed)

Interpretation: describes the proportion of deaths due to various causes within the breed, but should, in general, not be compared across breeds; e.g., the general cause NEOPLASIA accounted for 26.7% of all deaths in the Rhodesian Ridgeback.



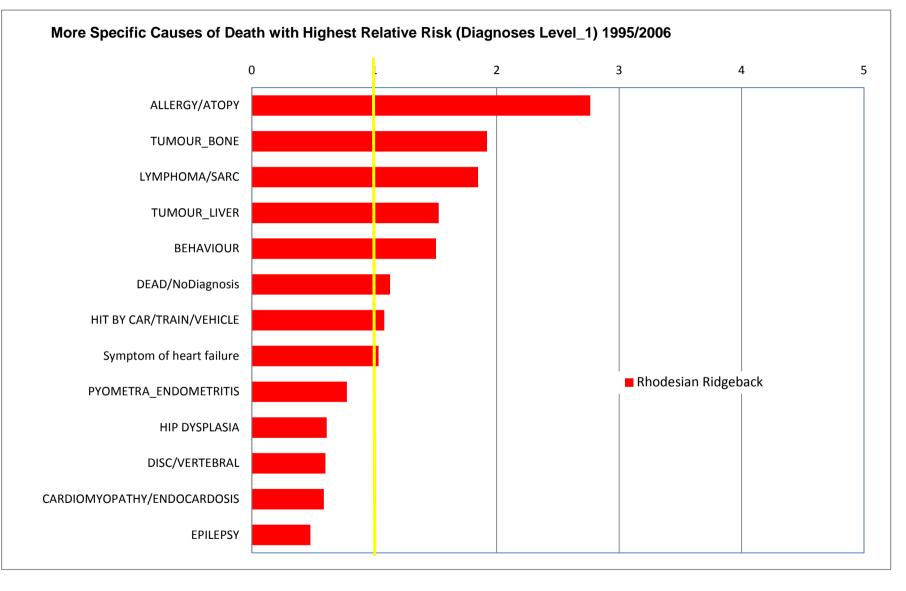


Highest risk (most common) More Specific Causes of Death (Diagnoses Level_1) 1995/2006



NOTE: 'UNS/VAR' indicates that various and/or unspecified diagnoses were combined in this category.





More Specific Causes of Death with Highest Relative Risk (Diagnoses Level_1) 1995/2006

Includes only diagnoses for which at least 4 deaths were recorded in the period.



Mortality for Locomotor Diagnoses 1995/2006

