

Agria Insurance Data

Updated Statistics : 1995 to 2006

PART TWO: VETERINARY CARE EVENTS

Rhodesian Ridgeback

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 dogs experiencing at least one VCE (see below) per 10,000 DYAR.

Rhodesian Ridgeback is a less common breed in the insurance statistics. Therefore:

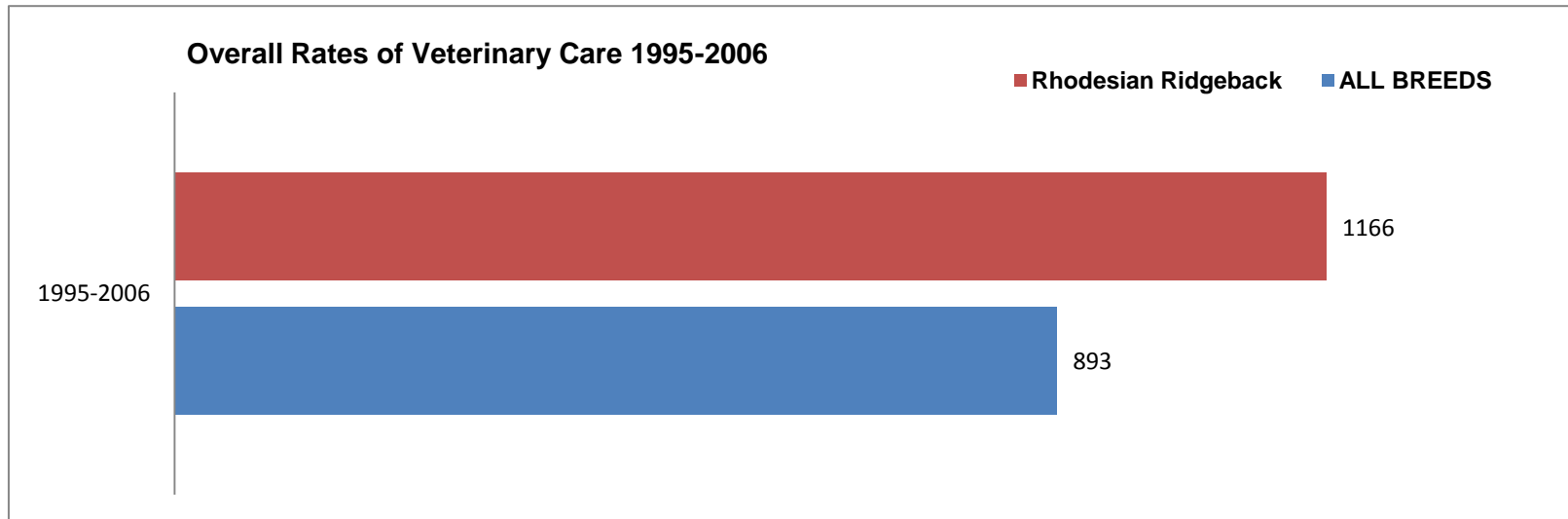
1. Statistics are only available for the entire period, 1995 - 2006.
2. It is unknown whether these findings are typical for the general population of this breed.

For:	Rhodesian Ridgeback	DYAR AVERAGE YEARLY	
	1995-2006	500<1000	

NOTE: there were 500<1000 dog-years at risk, on average, yearly from 1995-2006.

NOTE: Veterinary Care Events (VCEs) are those visits to veterinarians for which the cost exceeded the deductible (self-risk) and therefore a claim was made to the insurance company. Dogs could be insured to any age, although the number of dogs insured declines at older ages. Certain restrictions of the insurance policies affect the statistic, e.g. behaviour problems are, in general, not reimbursable. There are some other restrictions for certain breeds, and these should be considered when viewing the statistics.

Overall Rates of Veterinary Care 1995-2006

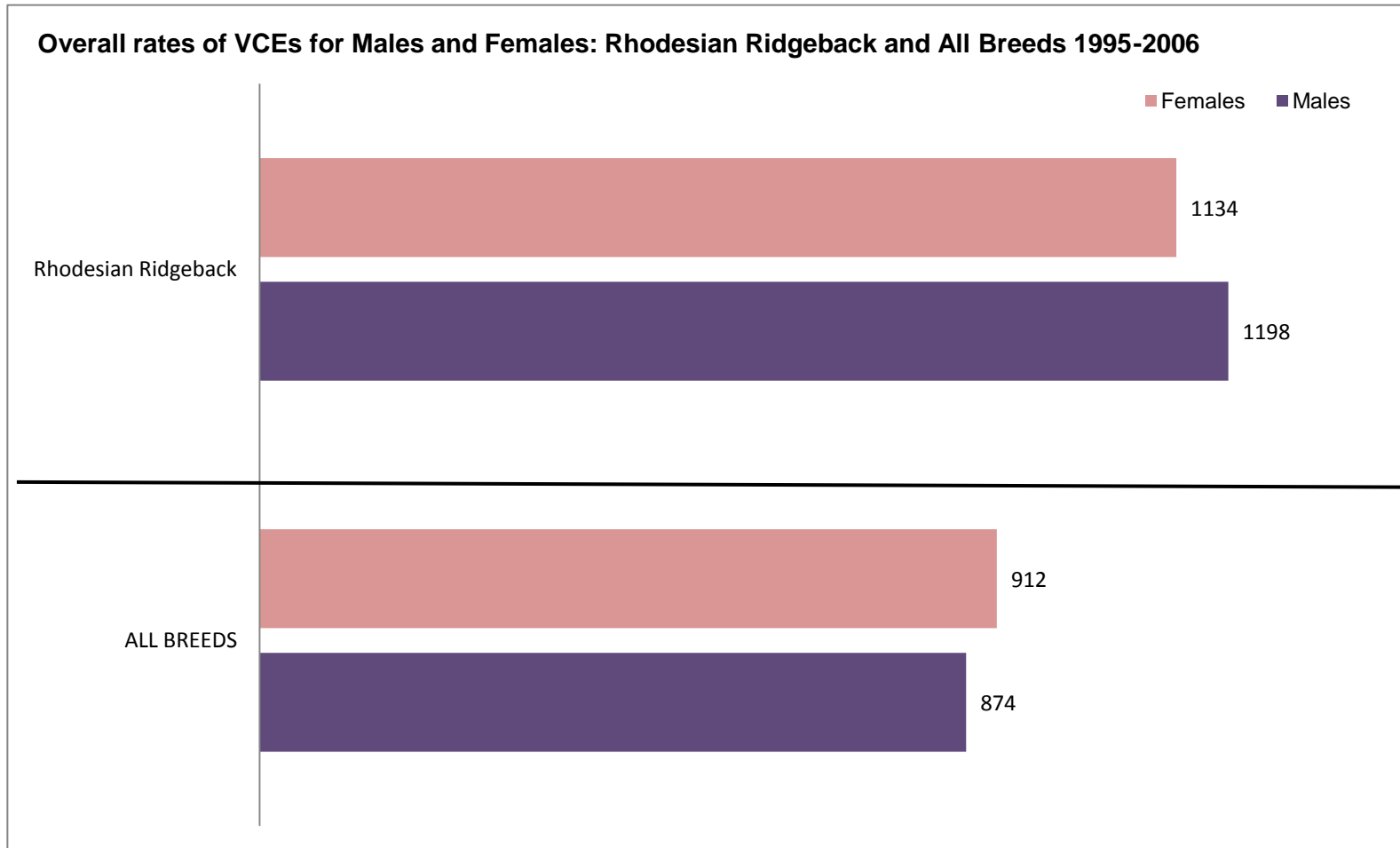


Relative risk of at least one VCE : Rhodesian Ridgeback
compared to ALL BREEDS

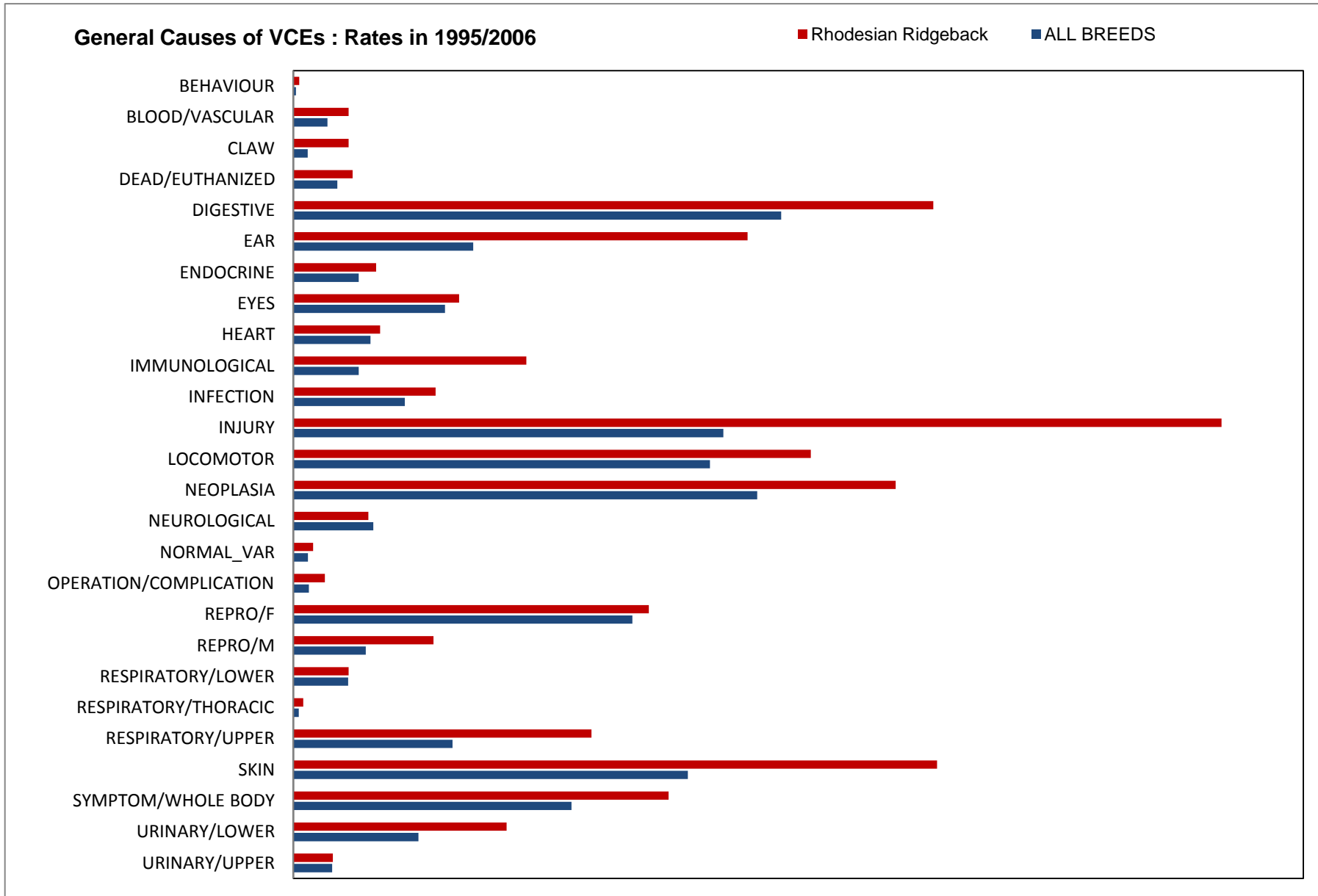
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Interpretation: The probability that a Rhodesian Ridgeback would have at least one VCE was 1.3 times that for All Breeds.

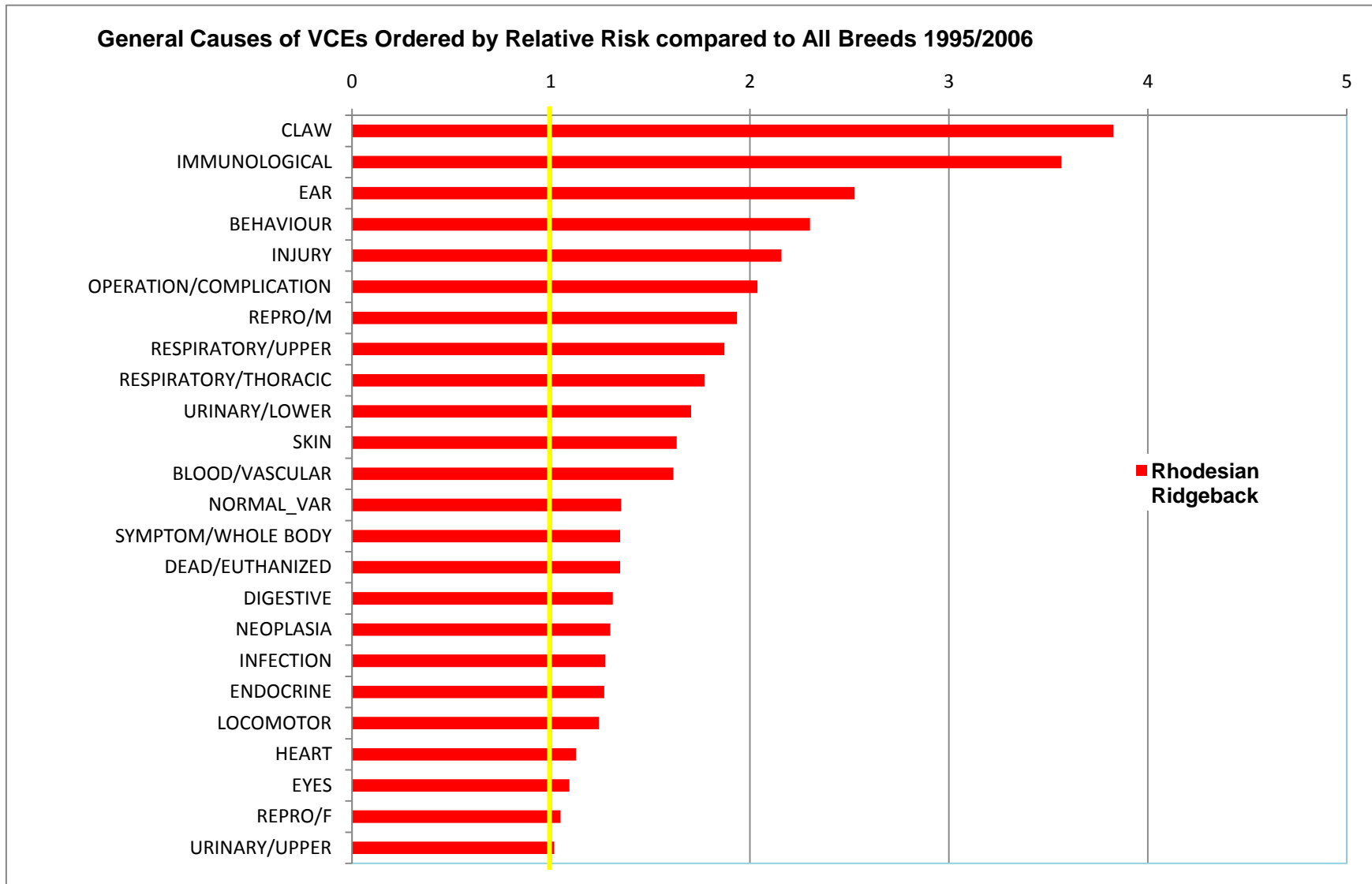
Overall rates of VCEs for Males and Females: Rhodesian Ridgeback and All Breeds 1995-2006



General Causes of VCEs : Rates in 1995/2006



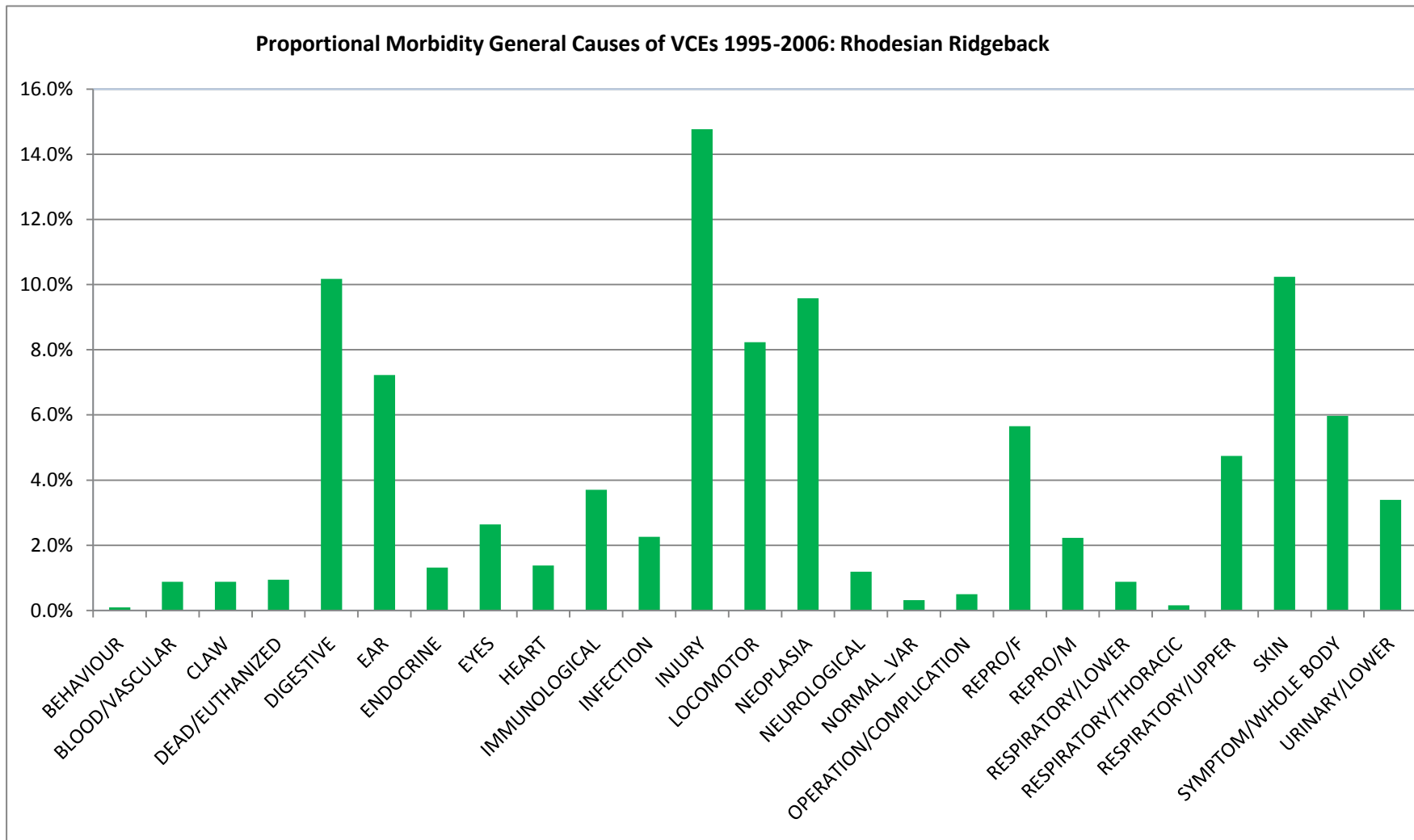
General Causes of VCEs Ordered by Relative Risk compared to All Breeds 1995/2006



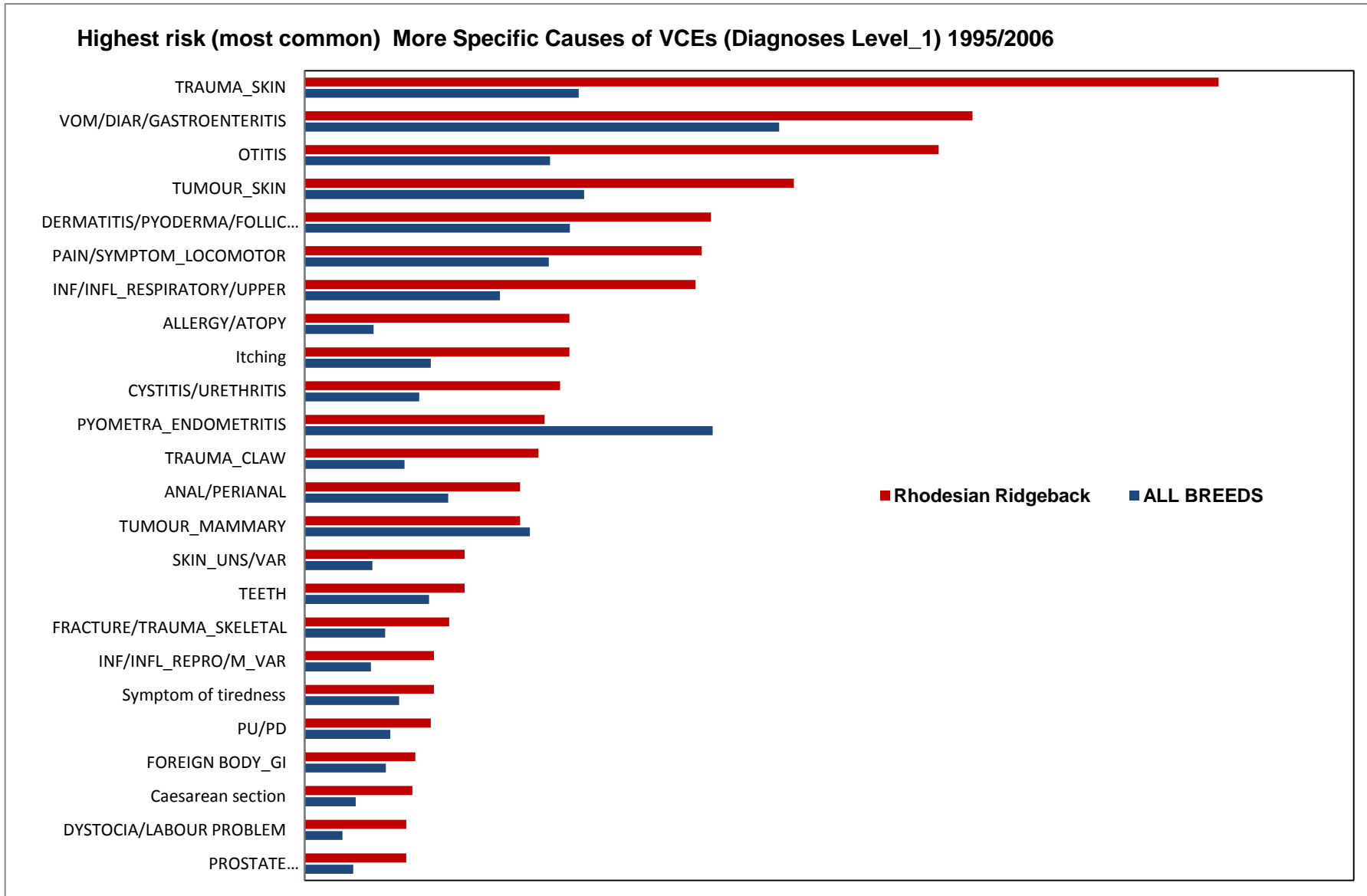
Interpretation: The yellow line is the baseline risk for All Breeds; so, for those conditions where the red bar goes to the right of the yellow line, the breed is at increased risk compared to All Breeds.

Proportional Morbidity General Causes of VCEs 1995-2006: Rhodesian Ridgeback

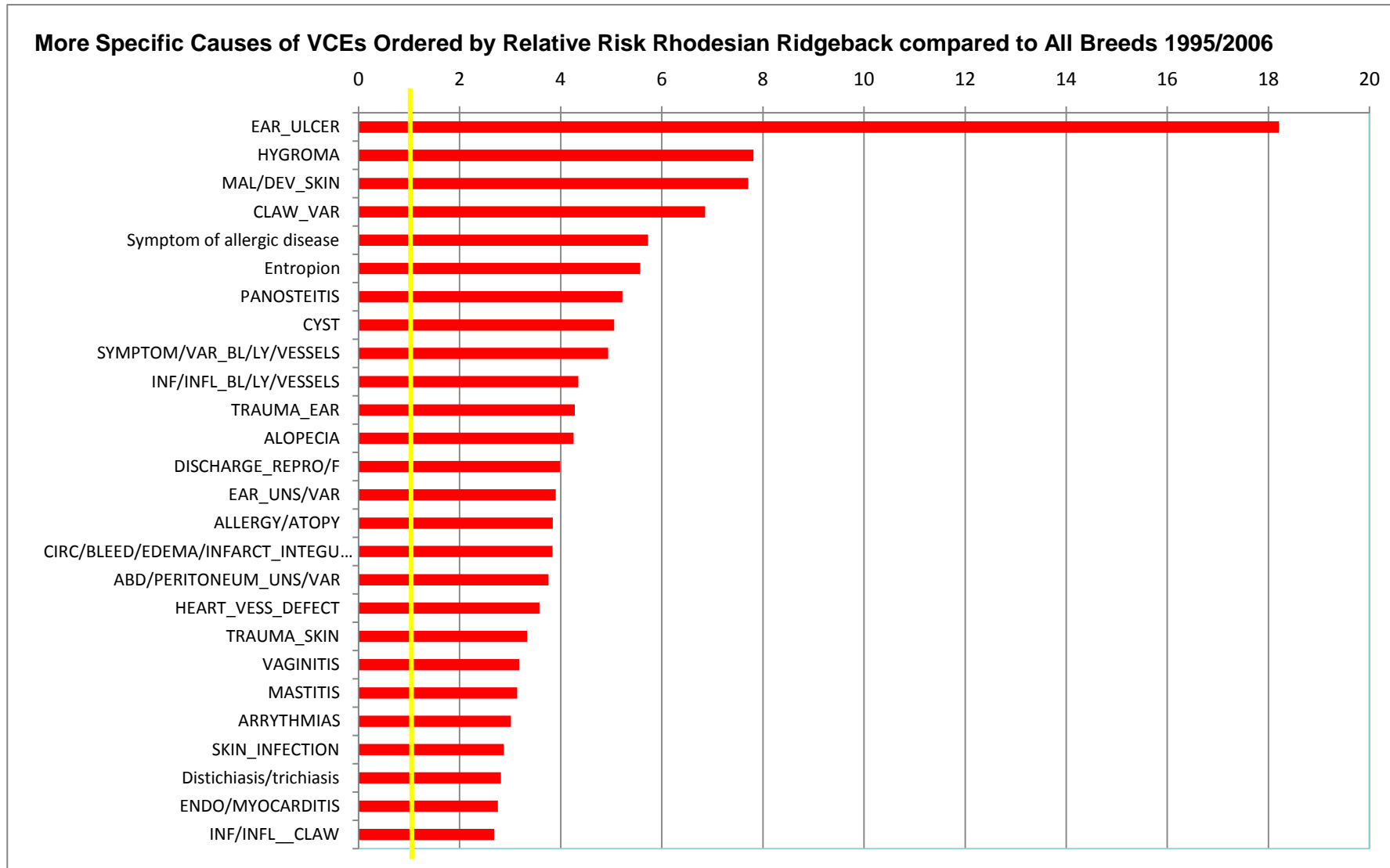
Interpretation: describes the proportion of dogs with at least one VCE who experienced at least one VCE within the specific system. Dogs are counted only once within a system, regardless of multiple claims, but be counted in more than one system.



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



More Specific Causes of VCEs Ordered by Relative Risk Rhodesian Ridgeback 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.

Risk of at least one VCE for Locomotor 1995-2006

Rhodesian Ridgeback

