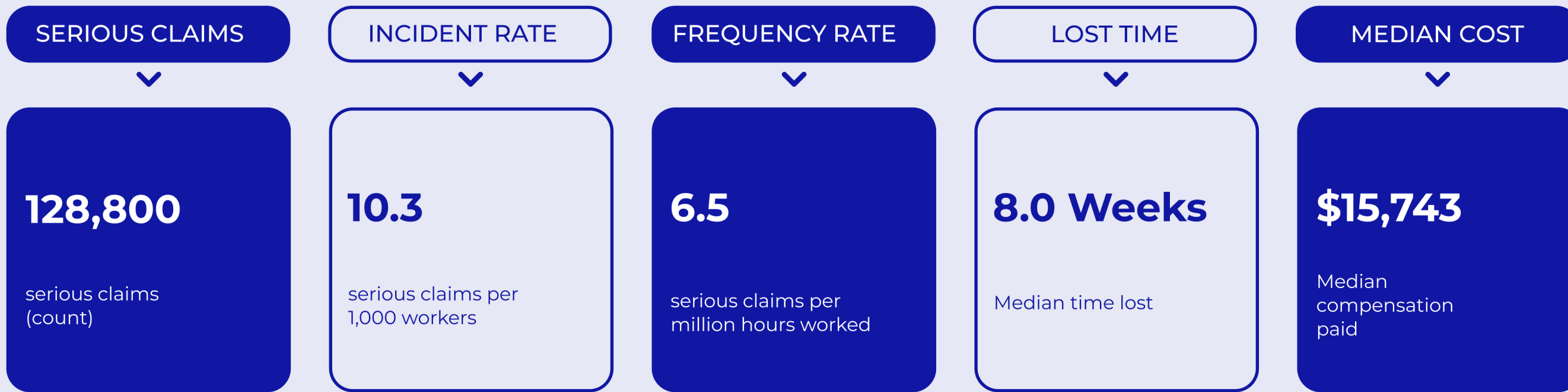
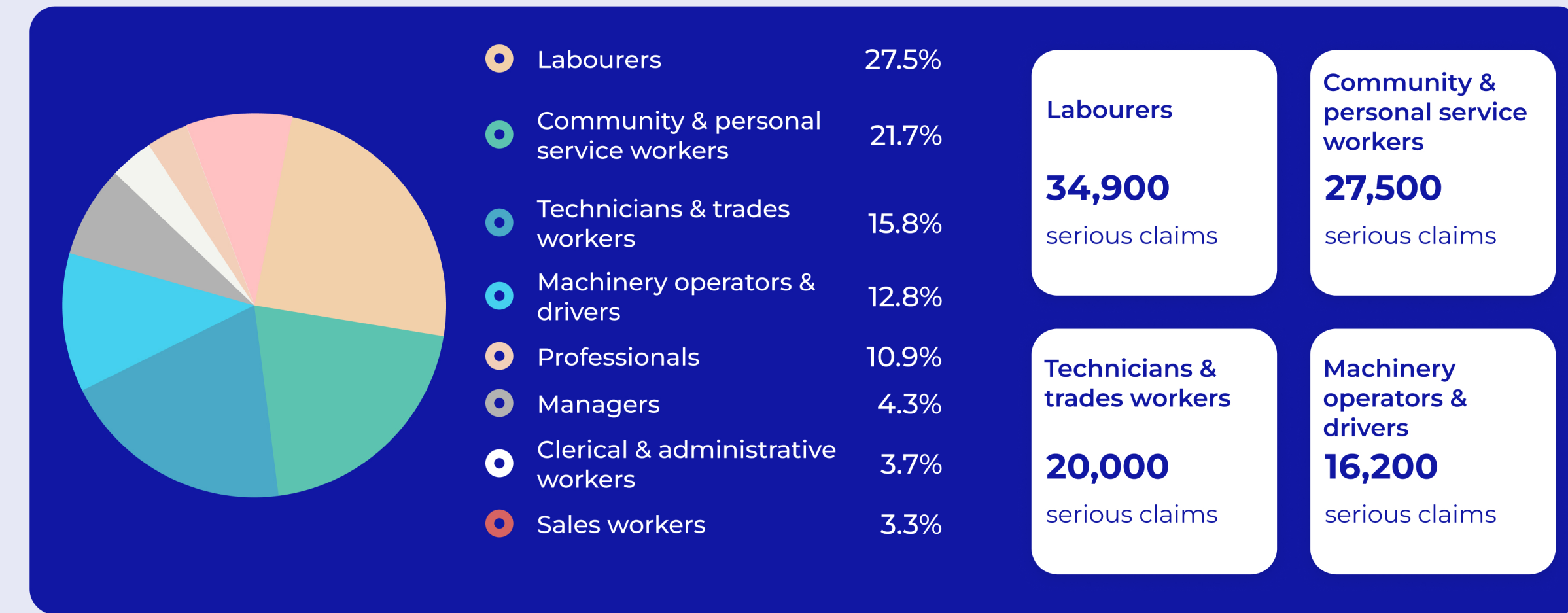


LATEST WORKPLACE INJURY STATISTICS



SERIOUS CLAIMS BY JOB



SERIOUS CLAIMS BY AGE GROUP

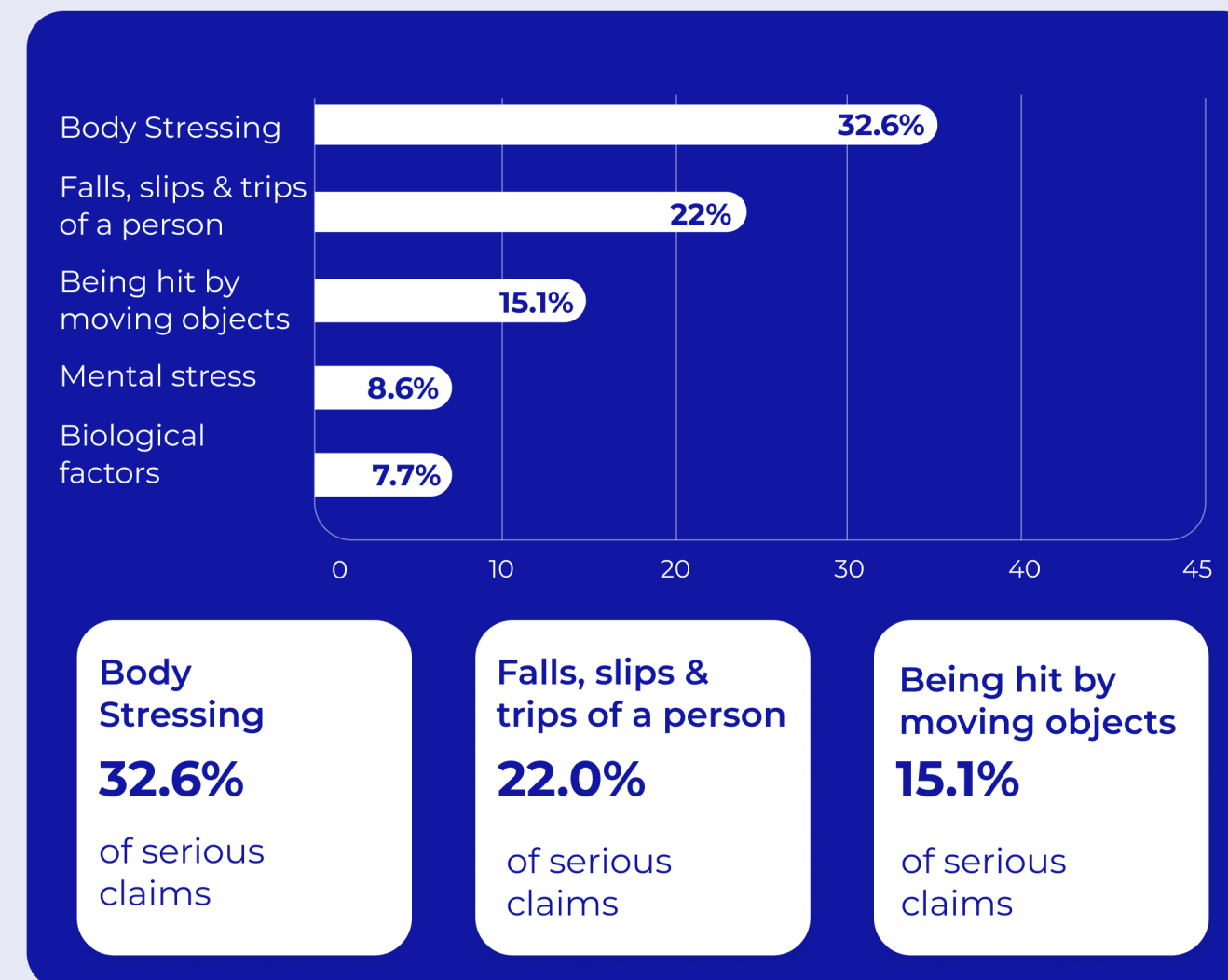


The 65 and over age group was also high risk with 7.5 claims per million hours worked.

Lowest risk was 35-44 years then 25-34 (5.4 and 5.6 claims per million hours worked).

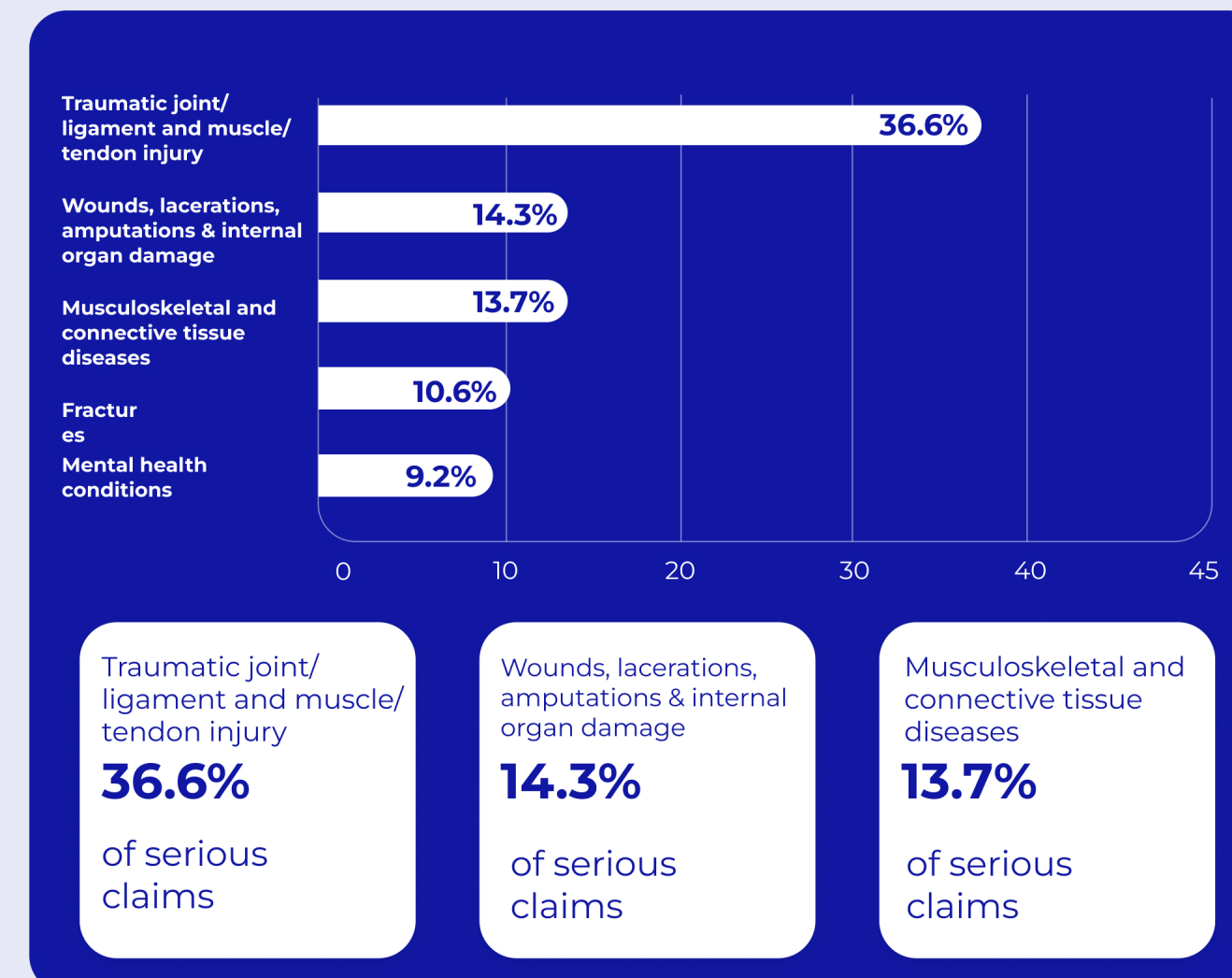
Workers under 25 years old are slightly more at risk with 6.8 claims per million hours worked.

SERIOUS CLAIMS BY MOST COMMON MECHANISM



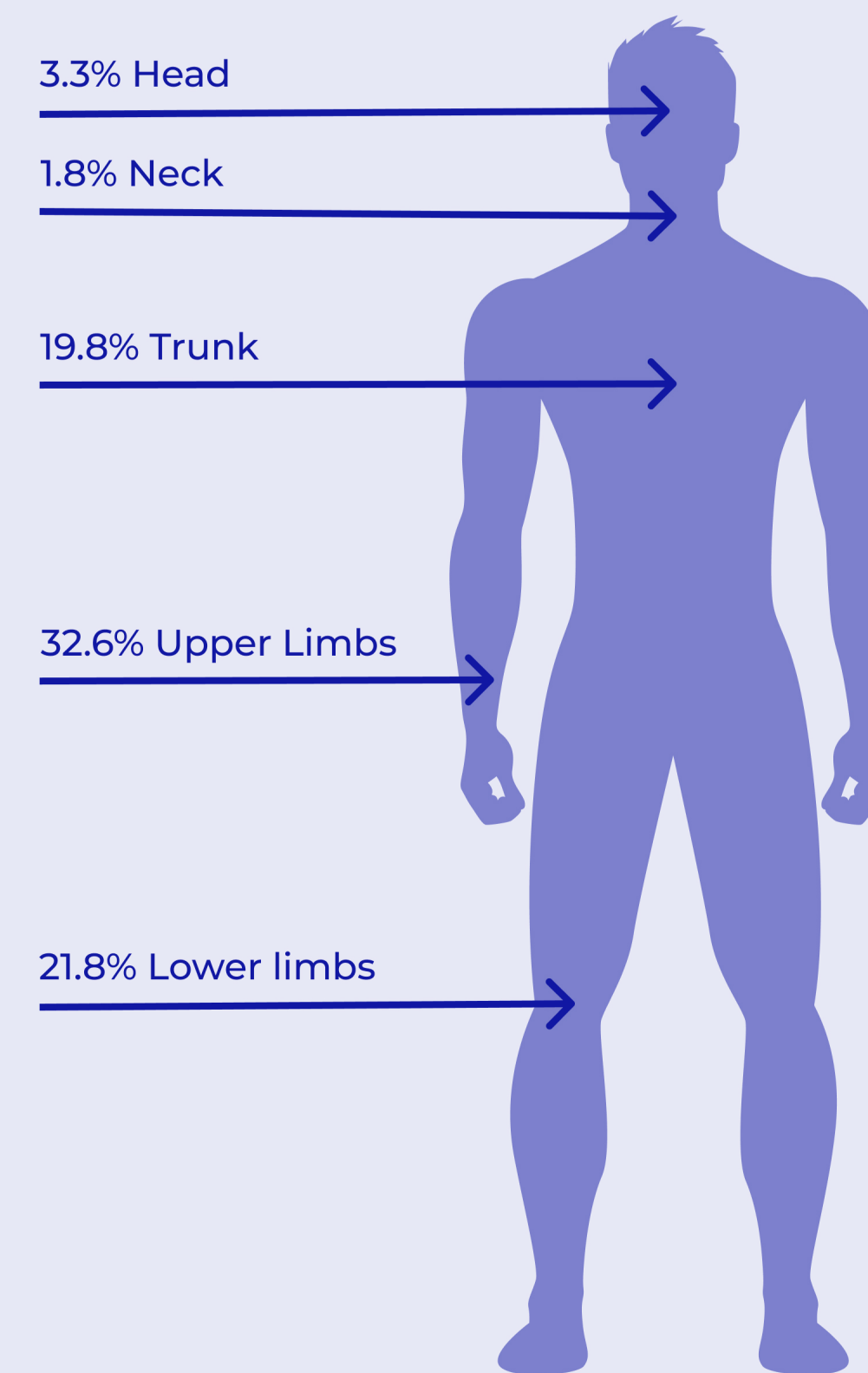
Body Stressing 32.6% of serious claims	Falls, slips & trips of a person 22.0% of serious claims	Being hit by moving objects 15.1% of serious claims
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SERIOUS CLAIMS BY MOST COMMON TYPE



Traumatic joint/ligament and muscle/tendon injury 36.6% of serious claims	Wounds, lacerations, amputations & internal organ damage 14.3% of serious claims	Musculoskeletal and connective tissue diseases 13.7% of serious claims
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SERIOUS CLAIMS BY BODY LOCATION



- 3.2% Multiple locations
- 7.8% Systemic locations
- 9.2% Non-physical locations
- 0.5% Unspecified locations

SERIOUS CLAIMS PER MILLION HOURS WORKED



*All statistics quoted are the most recently released, (October 2023), figures by Safe Work Australia.

*Serious claims are defined as an approved Workcover claim that involves one week or longer away from work.

*Note: These statistics are listed as 'preliminary' due to potential for more injuries being identified in these time frames. It is likely that the figures could slightly increase over the coming years.



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