

FIREWORKS SAFETY

20,000
FIRES CAUSED BY
FIREWORKS PER YEAR



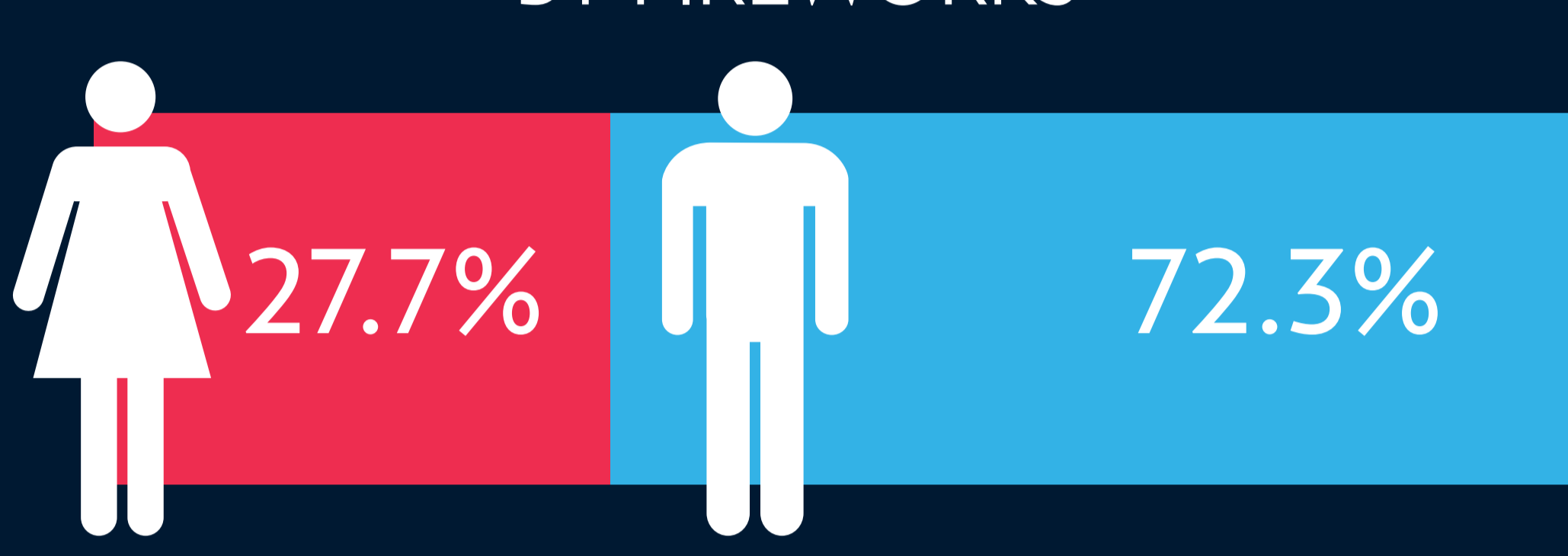
\$32 M IN PROPERTY DAMAGE

Serious Injuries

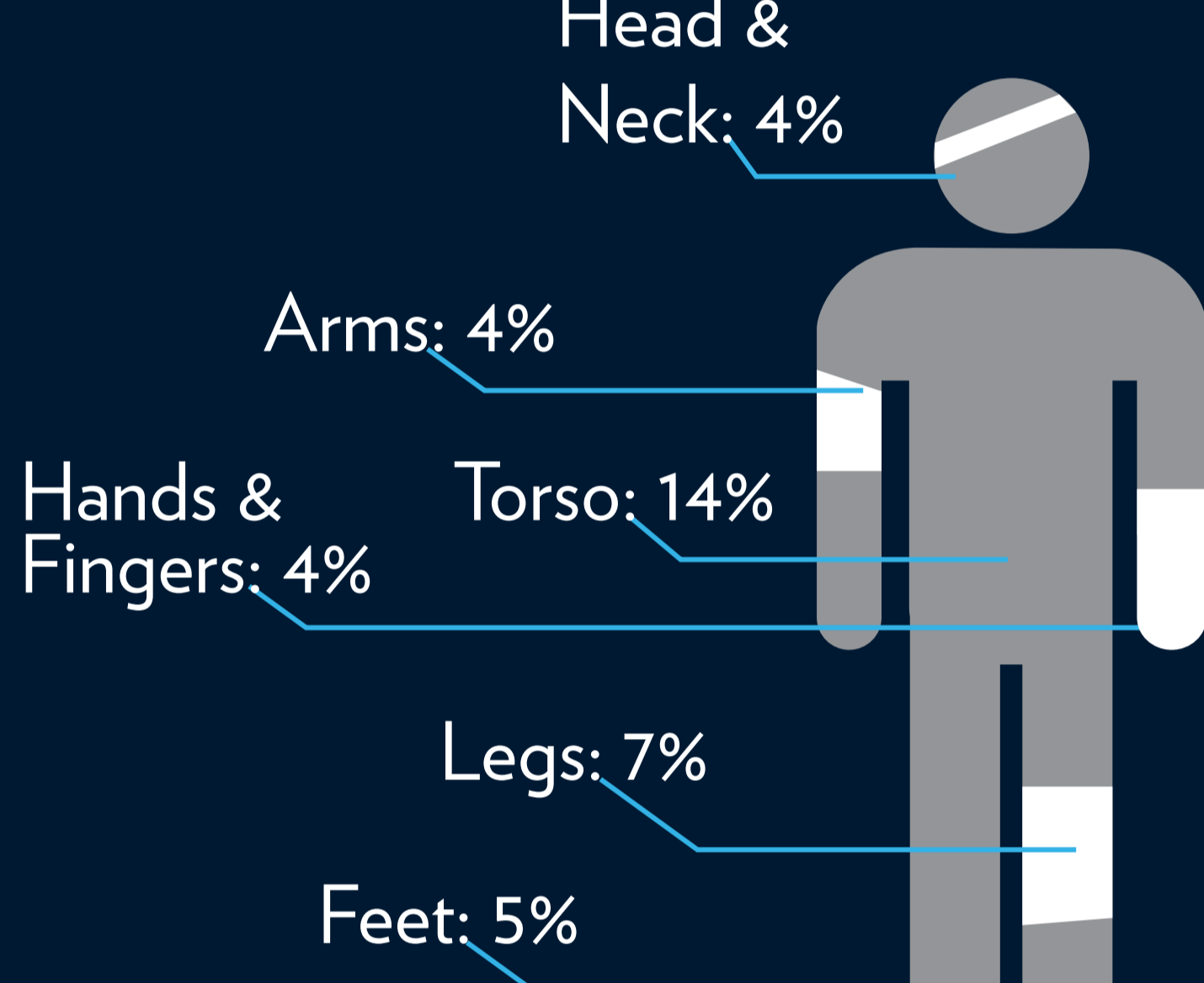
9,300
each year



MORE MEN THAN WOMEN
ARE INJURED EACH YEAR
BY FIREWORKS

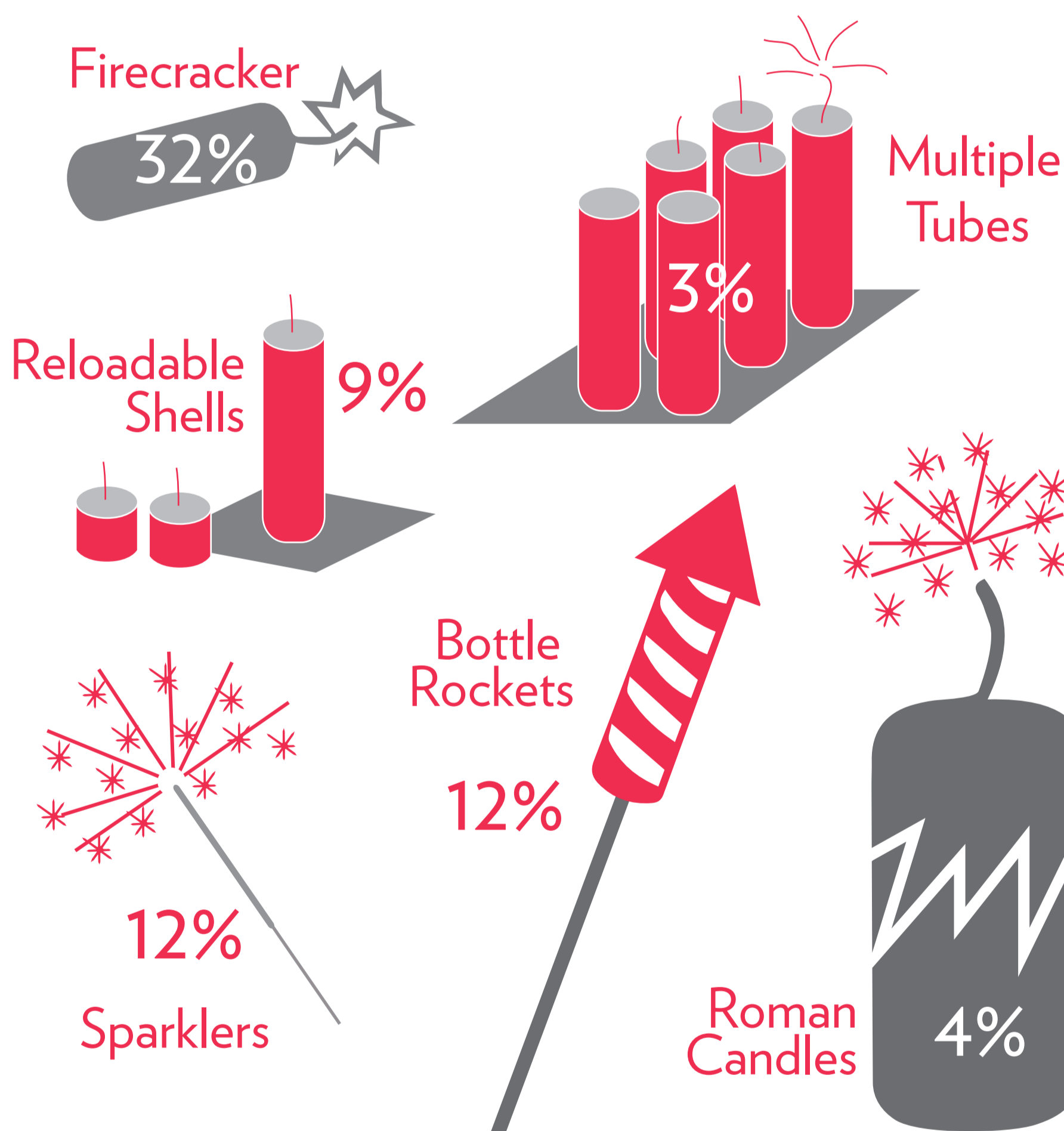


LOCATION OF INJURIES

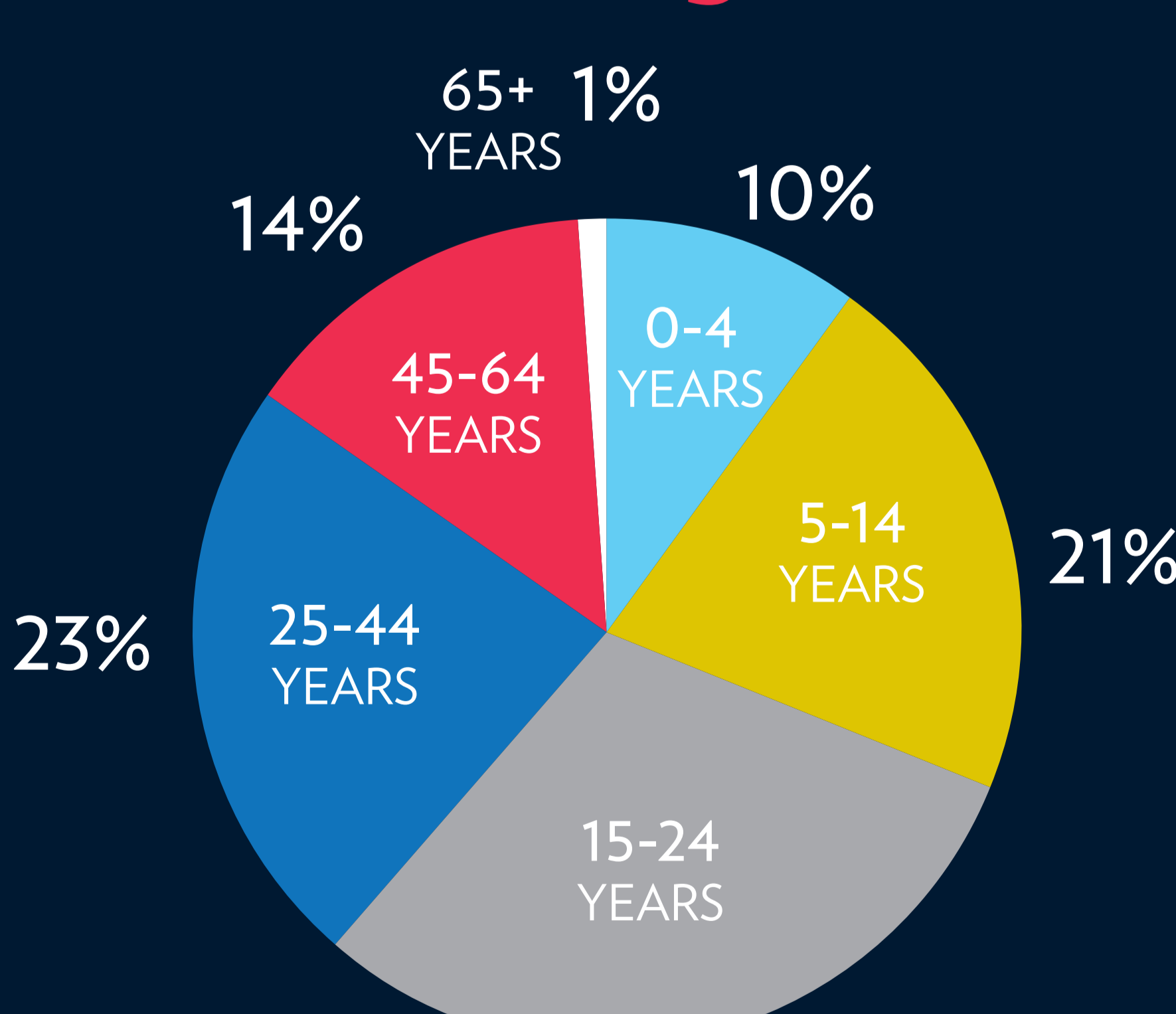


INJURIES

BY TYPE OF FIREWORKS



AGE OF INJURED



SAFETY TIPS

- Keep a bucket of water close for emergencies
- Douse with water before discarding
- Never allow children to play with or ignite fireworks
- Never try to re-light or pick up fireworks that have not ignited fully
- Only use fireworks outdoors
- Make sure fireworks are legal in your area before buying or using them
- Light fireworks one at a time, then move back quickly
- Hold firework away from face when lighting