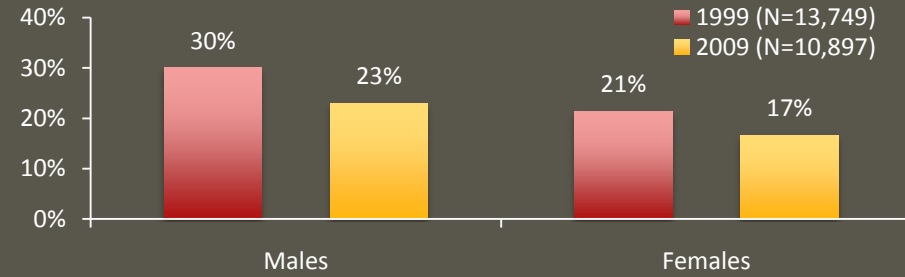


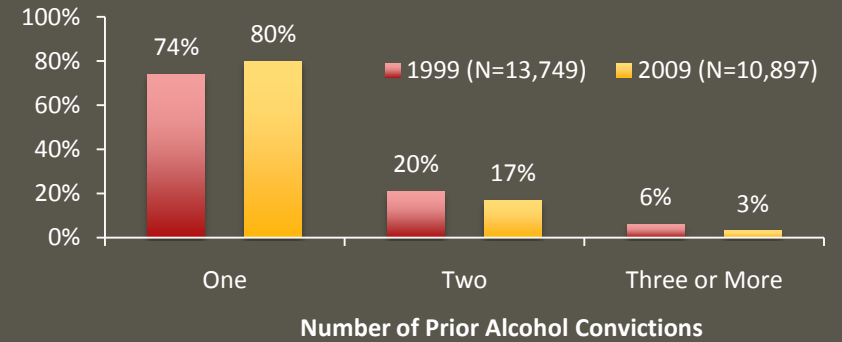
# New York State Fact Sheet on DWI Recidivism\* 1999 and 2009

Drivers With VTL 1192 (Alcohol) Convictions		
	1999	2009
Drivers with Alcohol Convictions	47,977	50,434
Drivers with Alcohol Conviction within Previous 10 Years (Recidivist Drivers)	13,749	10,897
Recidivism Rate	28.7%	21.6%

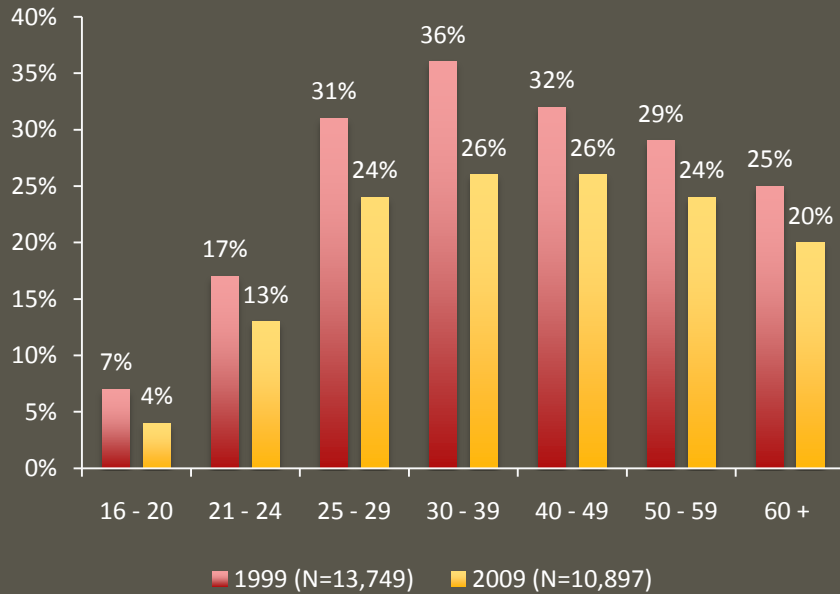
## Recidivism Rate by Gender



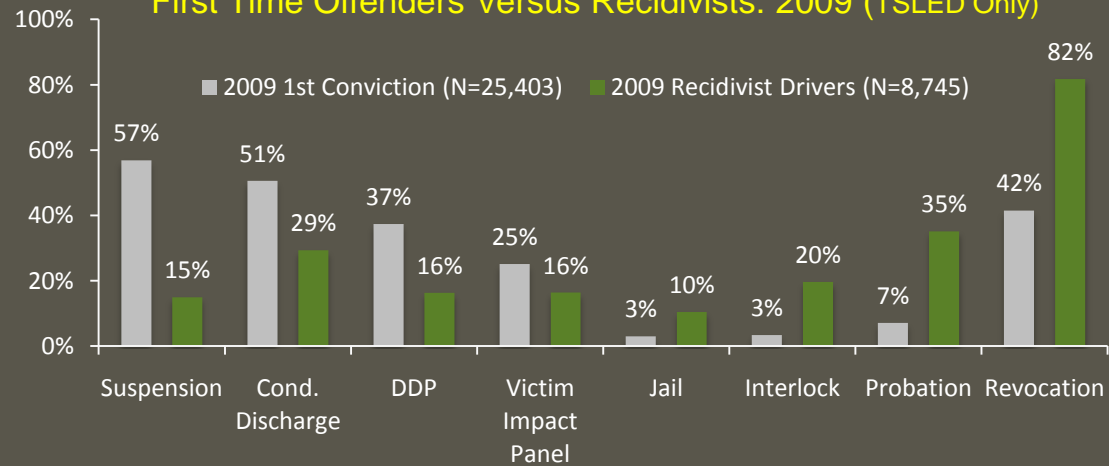
## Recidivist Drivers by Number of Alcohol Convictions Within Previous Ten Years



## Recidivism Rate by Age Group



## Penalties Imposed First Time Offenders Versus Recidivists: 2009 (TSLED Only)



\* The NYS Vehicle & Traffic Law (VTL) defines a recidivist as an individual who has another alcohol conviction under VTL Section 1192 within a prior ten-year period.

Sources: NYSDMV Drivers License file and TSLED ticket system. The TSLED data prior to mid-2009 do not capture tickets issued by NYPD or Suffolk County PD (5 western towns). Since mid-2009, Suffolk County PD tickets are being included in TSLED. Data were compiled by the Institute for Traffic Safety Management and Research.