

# Report card

## Romania



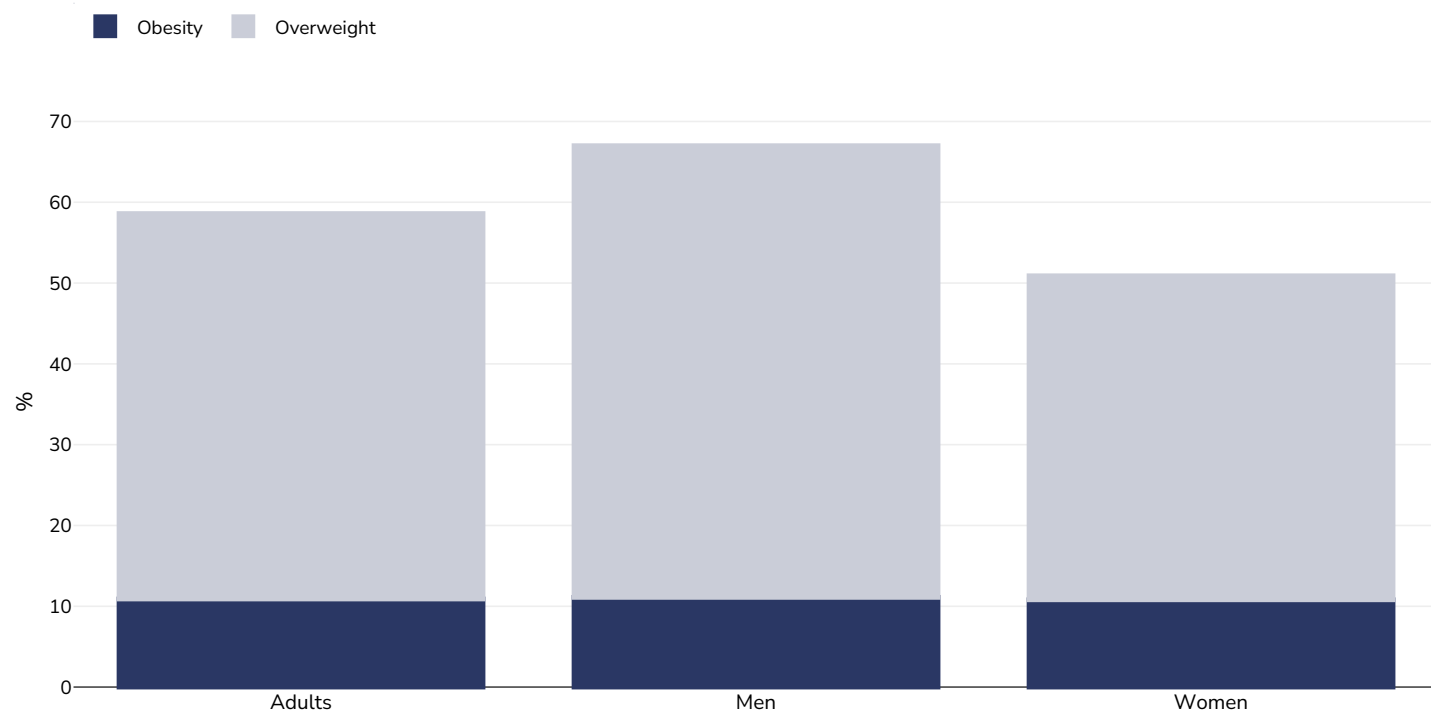
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## Obesity prevalence

### Adults, 2019



Survey type: Self-reported

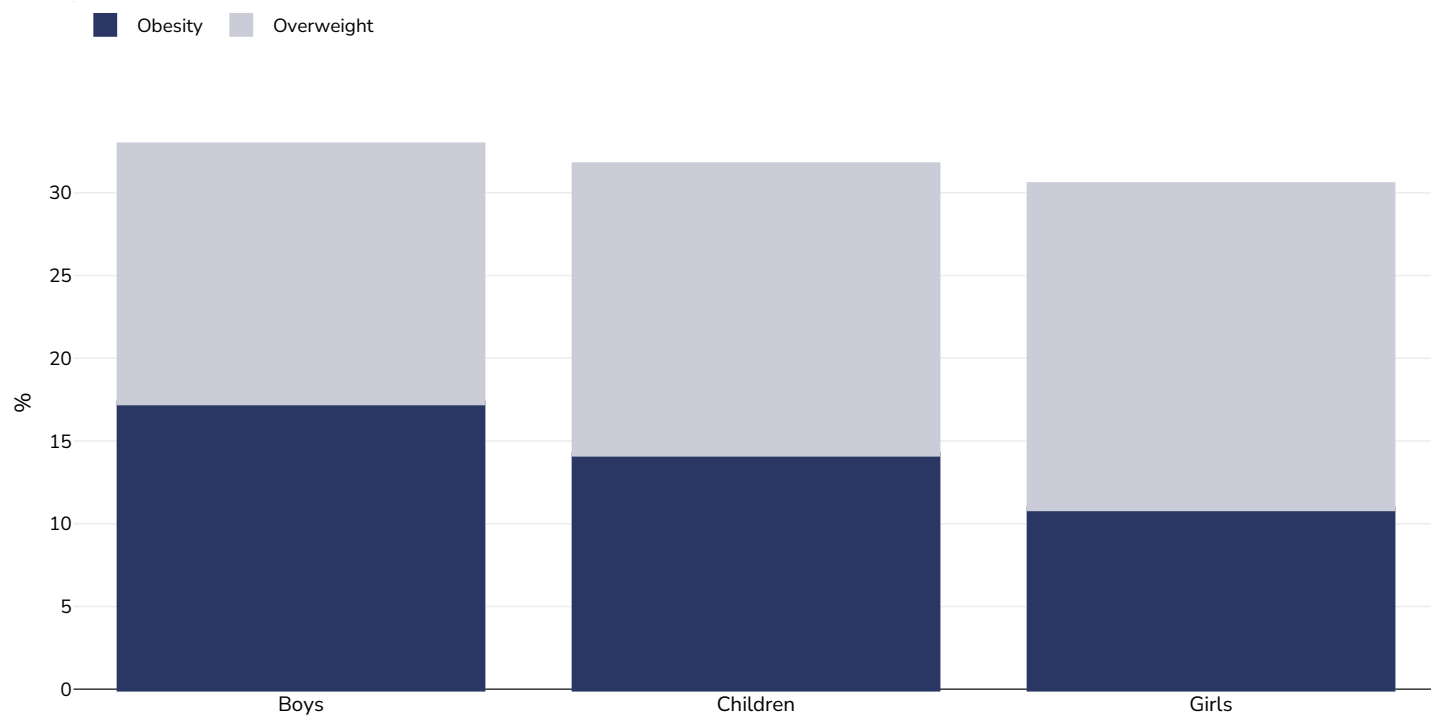
Age: 18+

Area covered: National

References: Eurostat 2019. Data available at [https://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth\\_ehis\\_bm1i&lang=en](https://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth_ehis_bm1i&lang=en) (last accessed 09.08.21)

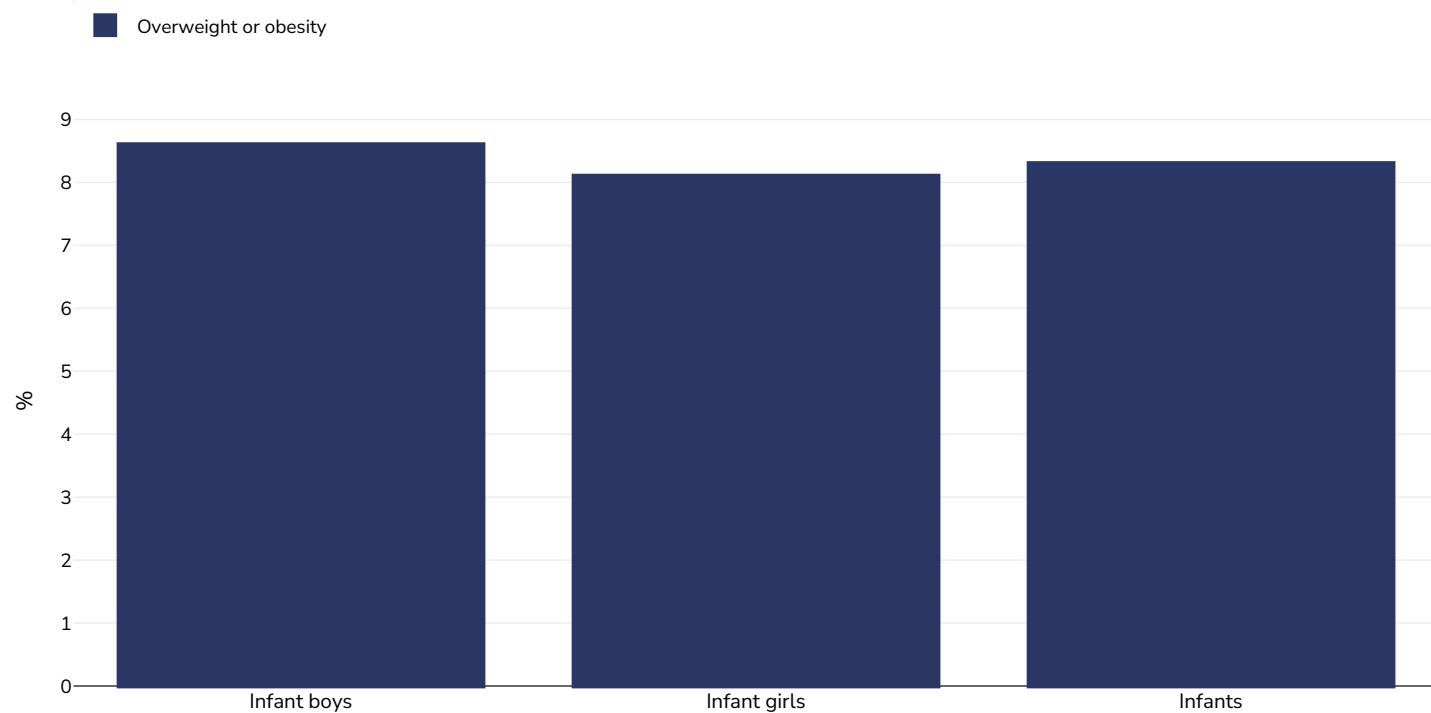
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## Children, 2018-2020



Survey type:	Measured
Age:	8
Sample size:	4055
Area covered:	National
References:	Report on the fifth round of data collection, 2018–2020: WHO European Childhood Obesity Surveillance Initiative (COSI). Copenhagen: WHO Regional Office for Europe; 2022. Licence: CC BY-NC-SA 3.0 IGO.
Cutoffs:	WHO 2007

## Infants, 2002



Age: 0-5

Sample size: 15456

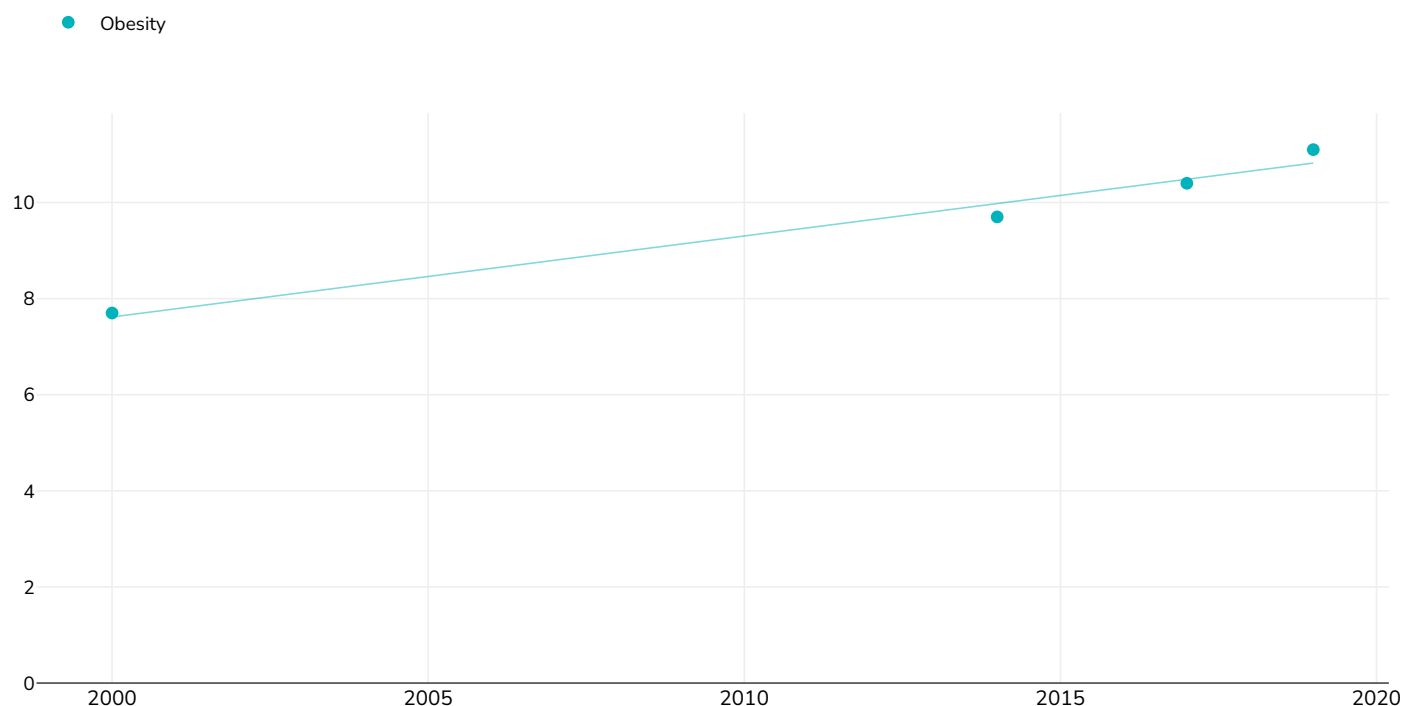
References: Surveillance: National nutritional surveillance programme, 1993-2002. Bukarest, Romania, 2003 (2002 Extract)

Notes: UNICEF/WHO/World Bank Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates Expanded Database: Overweight (Survey Estimates), May 2023, New York. For more information about the methodology, please consult <https://data.unicef.org/resources/jme-2023-country-consultations/> Percentage of children under 5 years of age falling above 2 standard deviations (moderate and severe) from the median weight-for-height of the reference population.

Definitions: =>+2SD

## Trend adult obesity 2000 2019

### Men



Survey type:

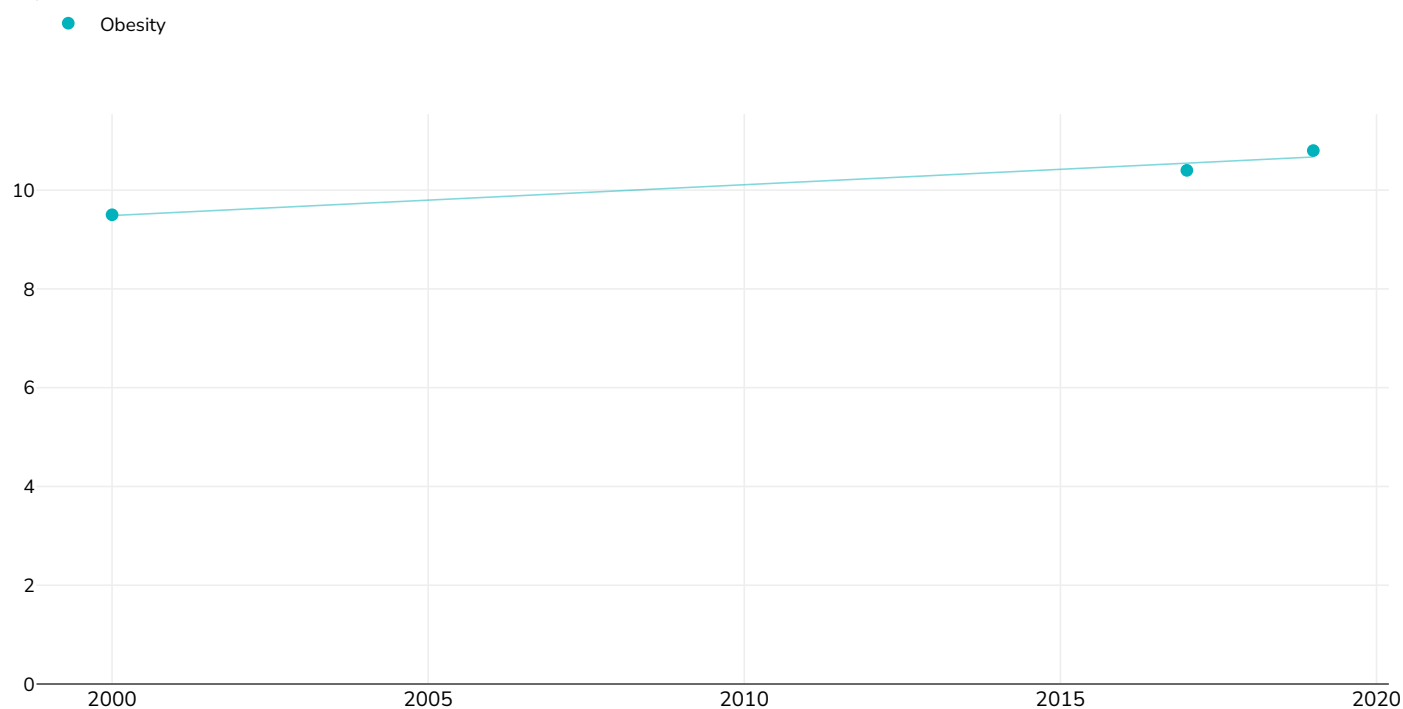
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## Women



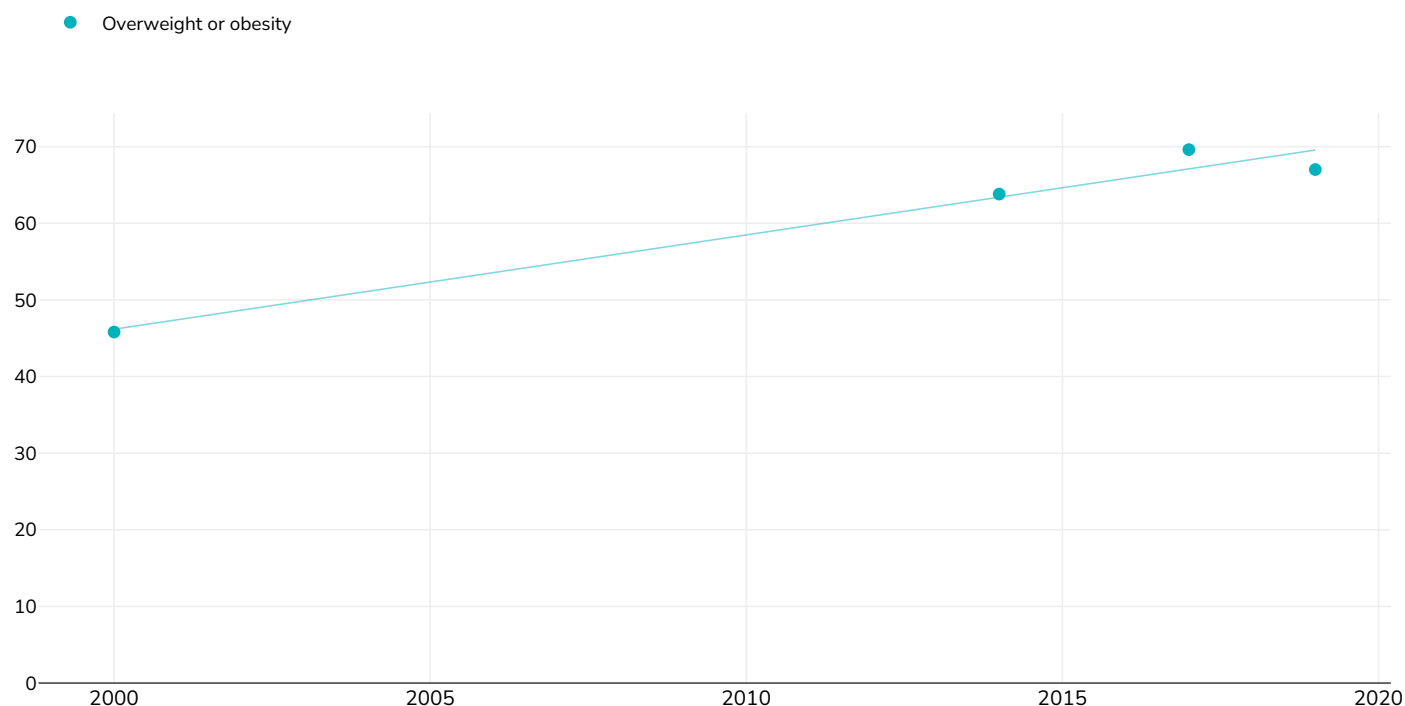
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## Trend overweight obesity adult Romania 2000 2019

### Men



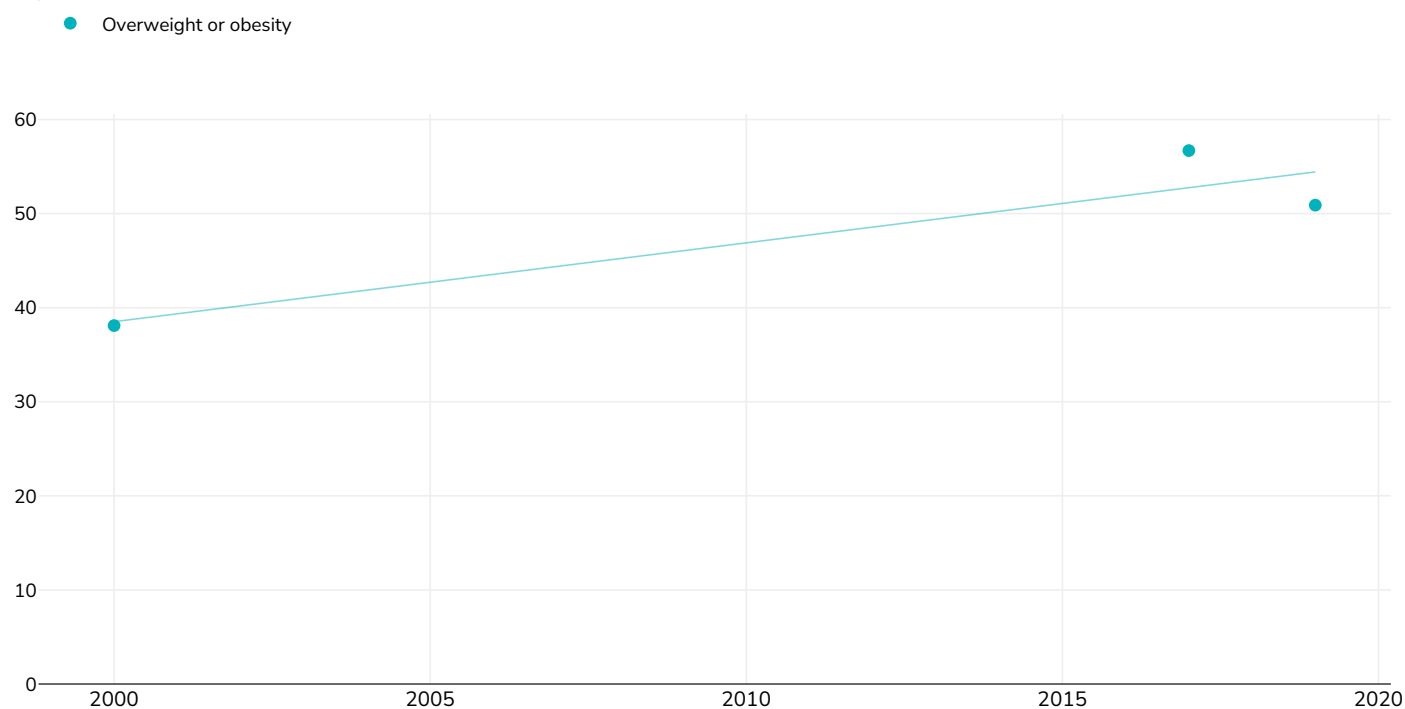
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## Women



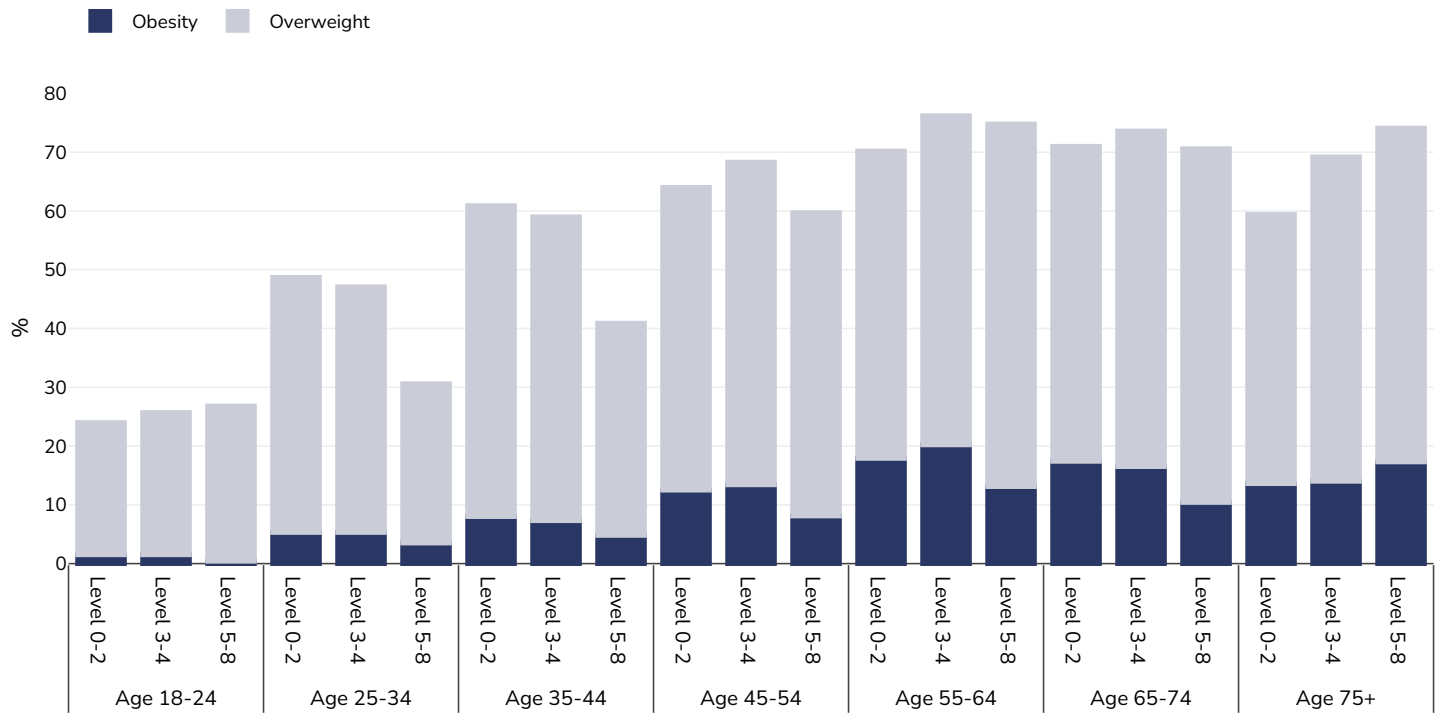
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## Overweight/obesity by age and education

### Adults, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

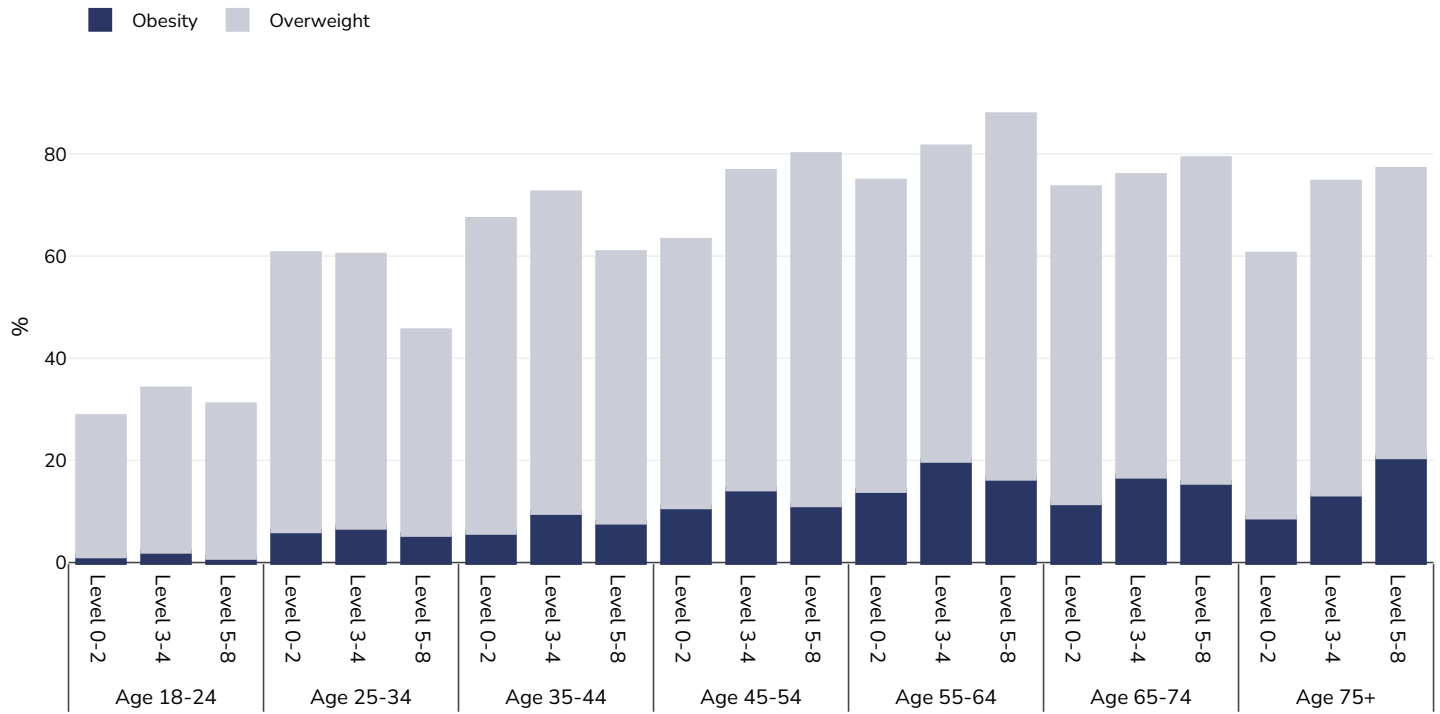
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## Men, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

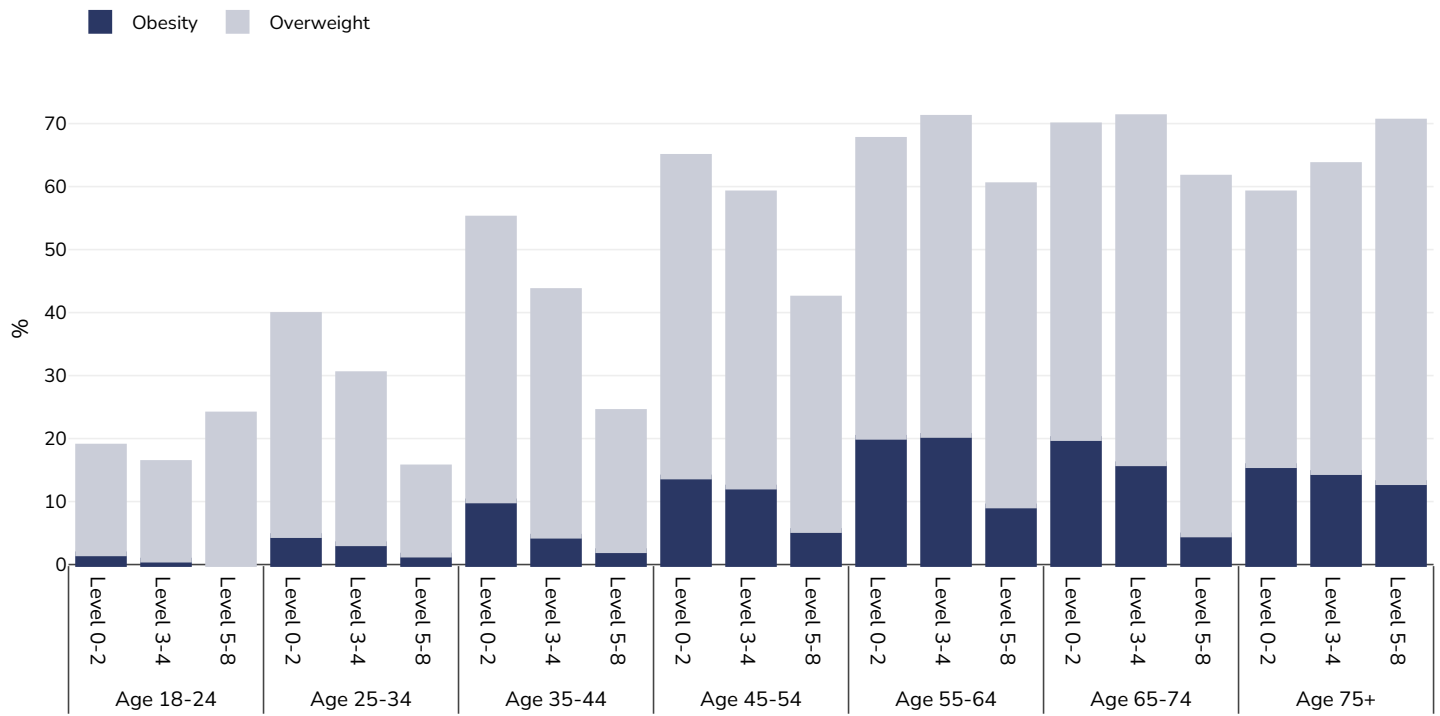
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## Women, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

National

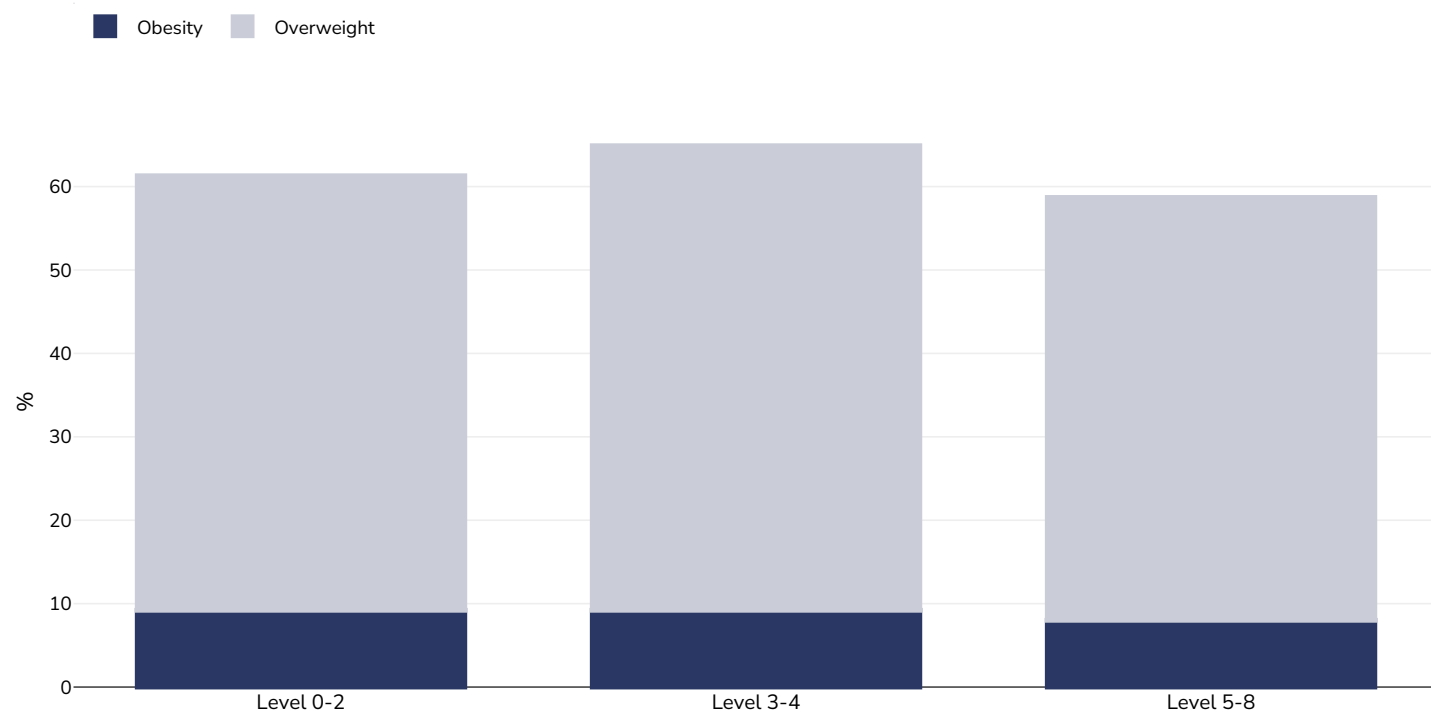
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## Overweight/obesity by education

### Men, 2014



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 18+

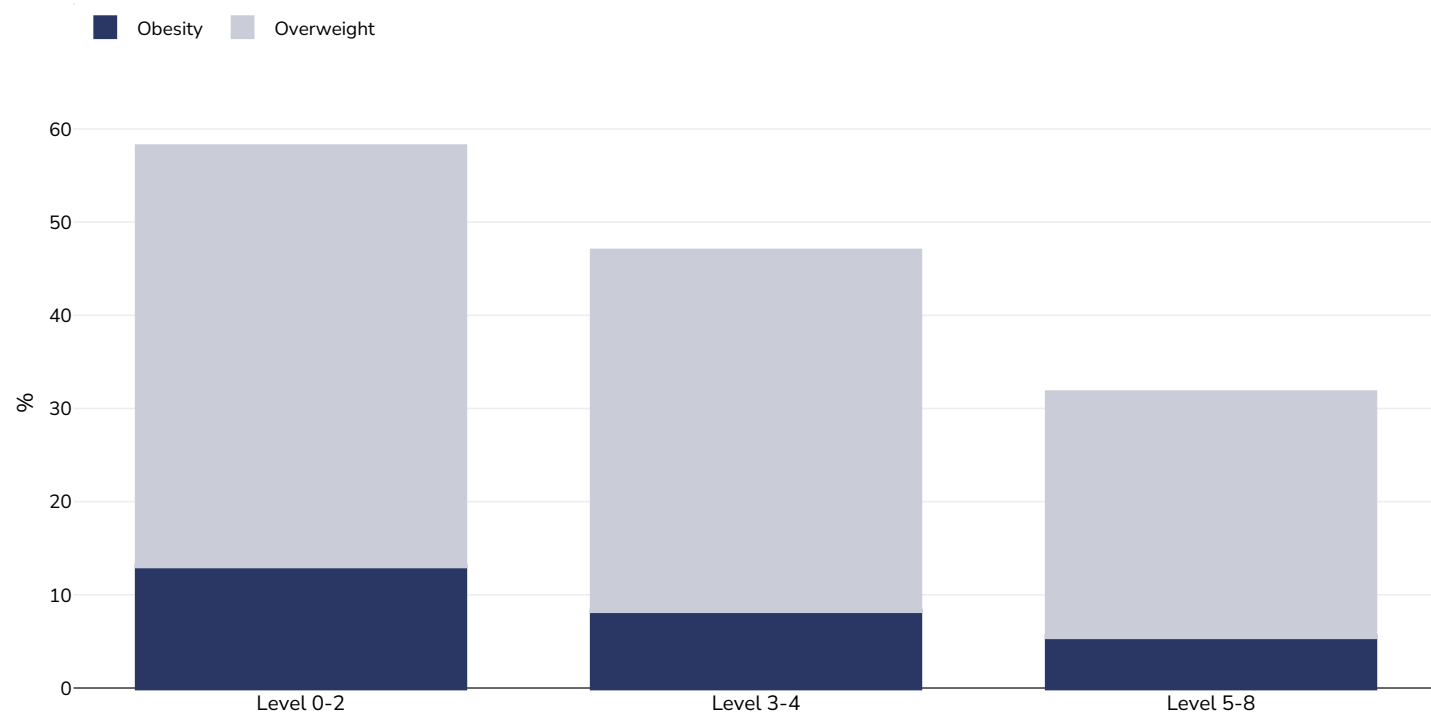
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Notes: Less than primary, primary and lower secondary education (levels 0-2) Upper secondary and post-secondary non-tertiary education (levels 3 and 4) Tertiary education (levels 5-8)

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## Women, 2014



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 18+

Area covered: National

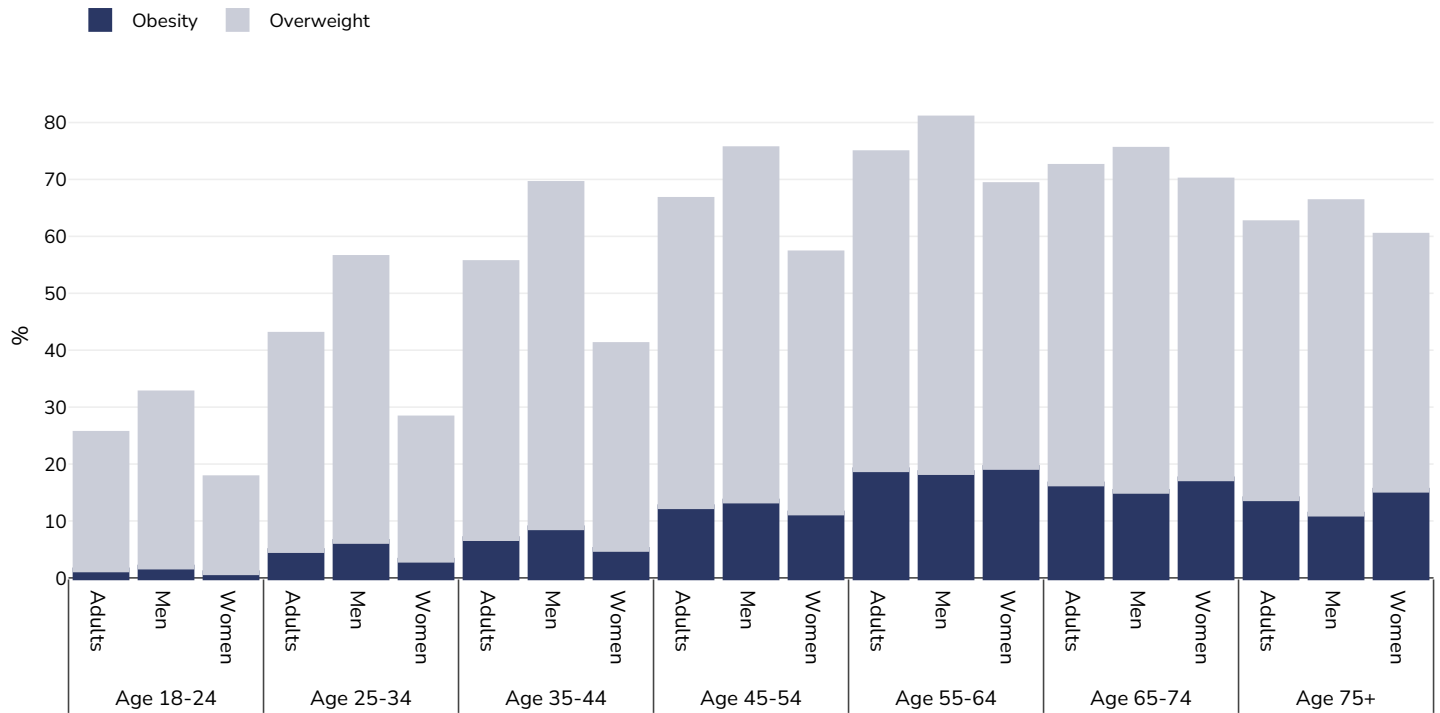
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## Overweight/obesity by age

### Adults, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

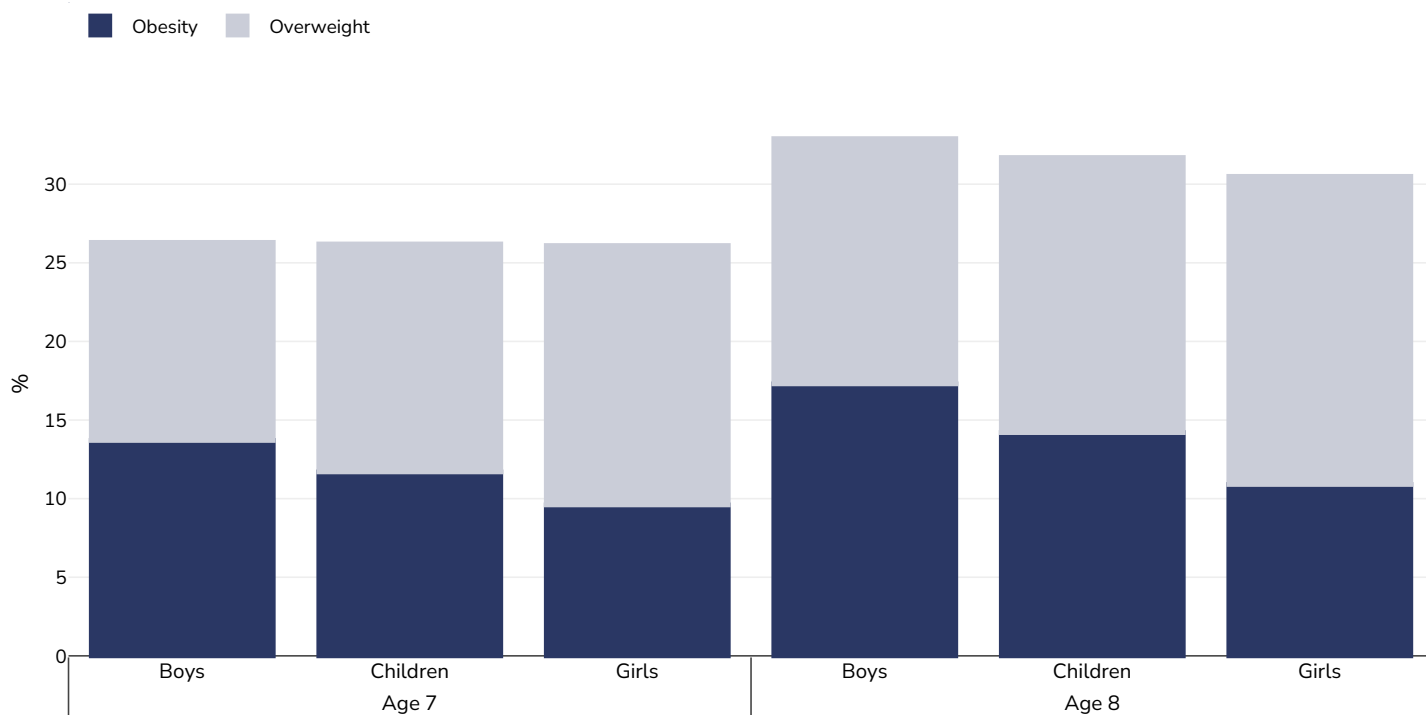
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## Children, 2018-2020



Survey type: Measured

Sample size: 8166

Area covered: National

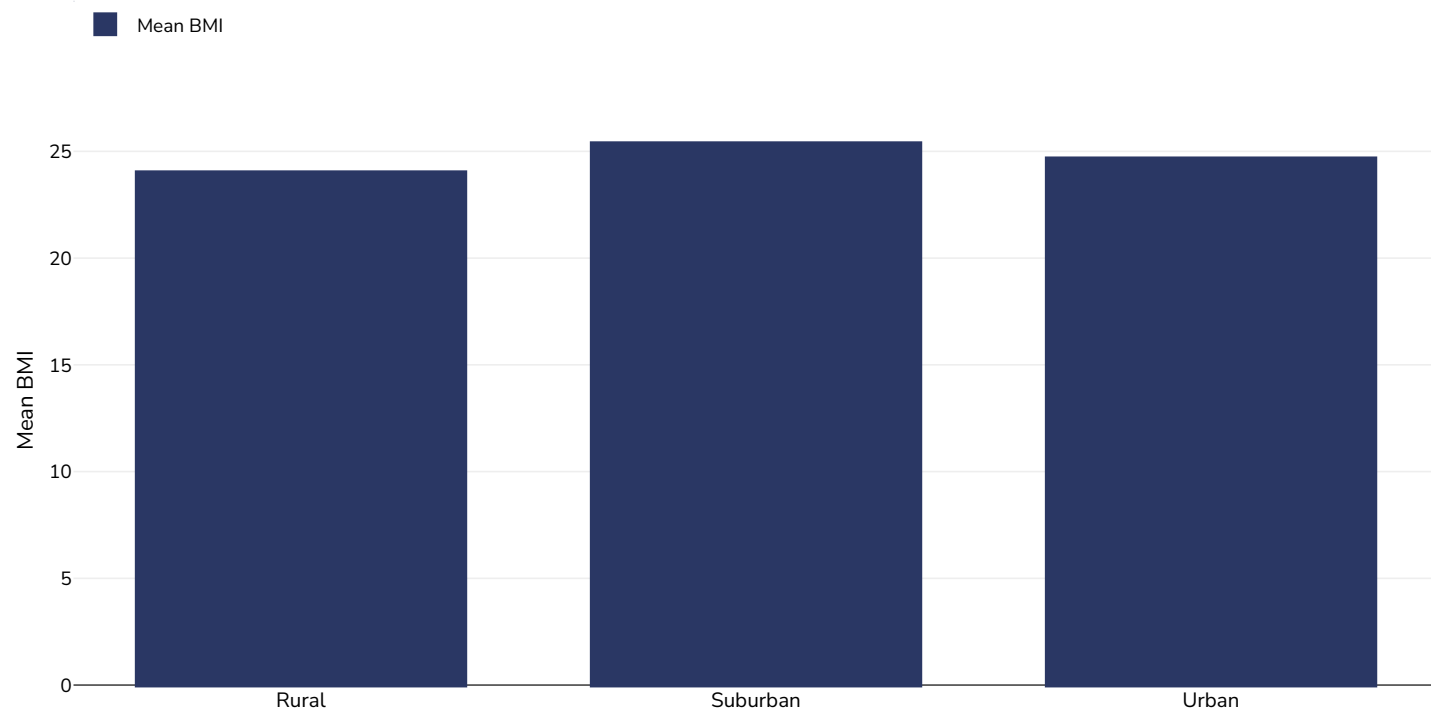
References: Report on the fifth round of data collection, 2018–2020: WHO European Childhood Obesity Surveillance Initiative (COSI).  
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Cutoffs: WHO 2007



## Overweight/obesity by region

### Adults, 2017-2018



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 18+

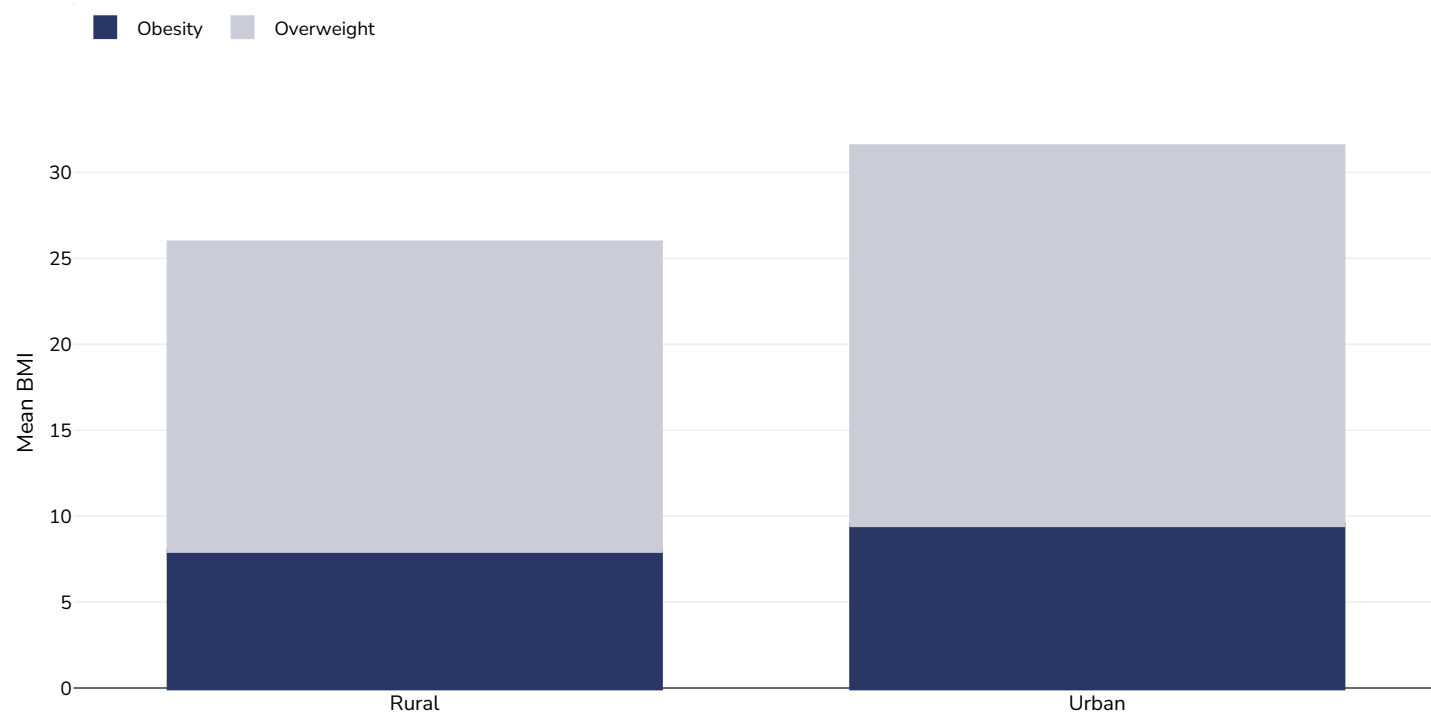
Sample size: 751

Area covered: National

References: Bacărea, Anca, et al. "Demographic, Anthropometric and Food Behavior Data towards Healthy Eating in Romania." *Foods*, vol. 10, no. 3, 24 Feb. 2021, p. 487, 10.3390/foods10030487. Accessed 1 June 2021.

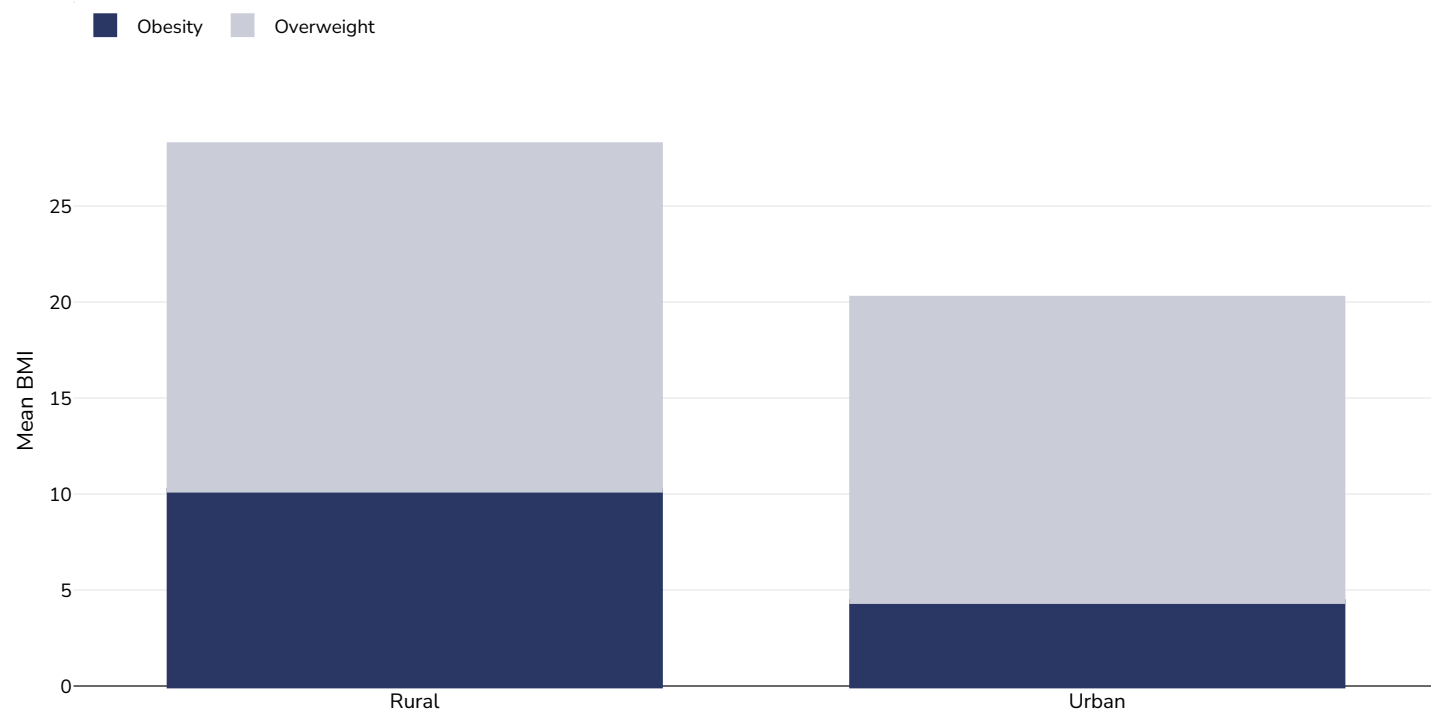
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## Boys, 2010-2011



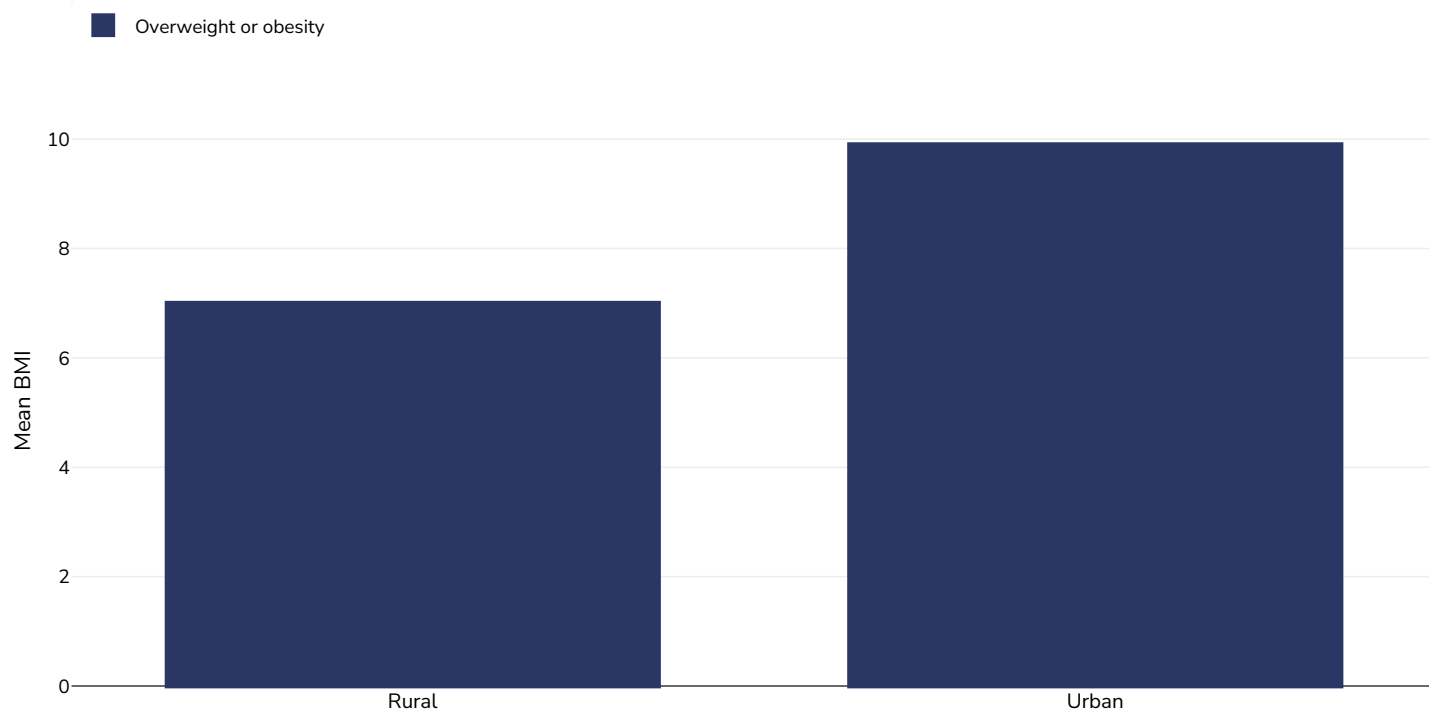
Survey type:	Measured
Age:	7-18
Sample size:	3626
Area covered:	Regional - Western Romania
References:	Emandi AC, Puiu M, Gafencu M, and Pienar C. Overweight and Obesity in School Age Children in Western Romania. 2013. Rev. Med. Chir.Soc.Med.Nat, Iasi-2013 - vol.117, no.1
Cutoffs:	IOTF

## Girls, 2010-2011



Survey type:	Measured
Age:	7-18
Sample size:	3626
Area covered:	Regional - Western Romania
References:	Emandi AC, Puiu M, Gafencu M, and Pienar C. Overweight and Obesity in School Age Children in Western Romania. 2013. Rev. Med. Chir.Soc.Med.Nat, Iasi-2013 - vol.117, no.1
Cutoffs:	IOTF

## Infants, 2002



Sample size: 15456

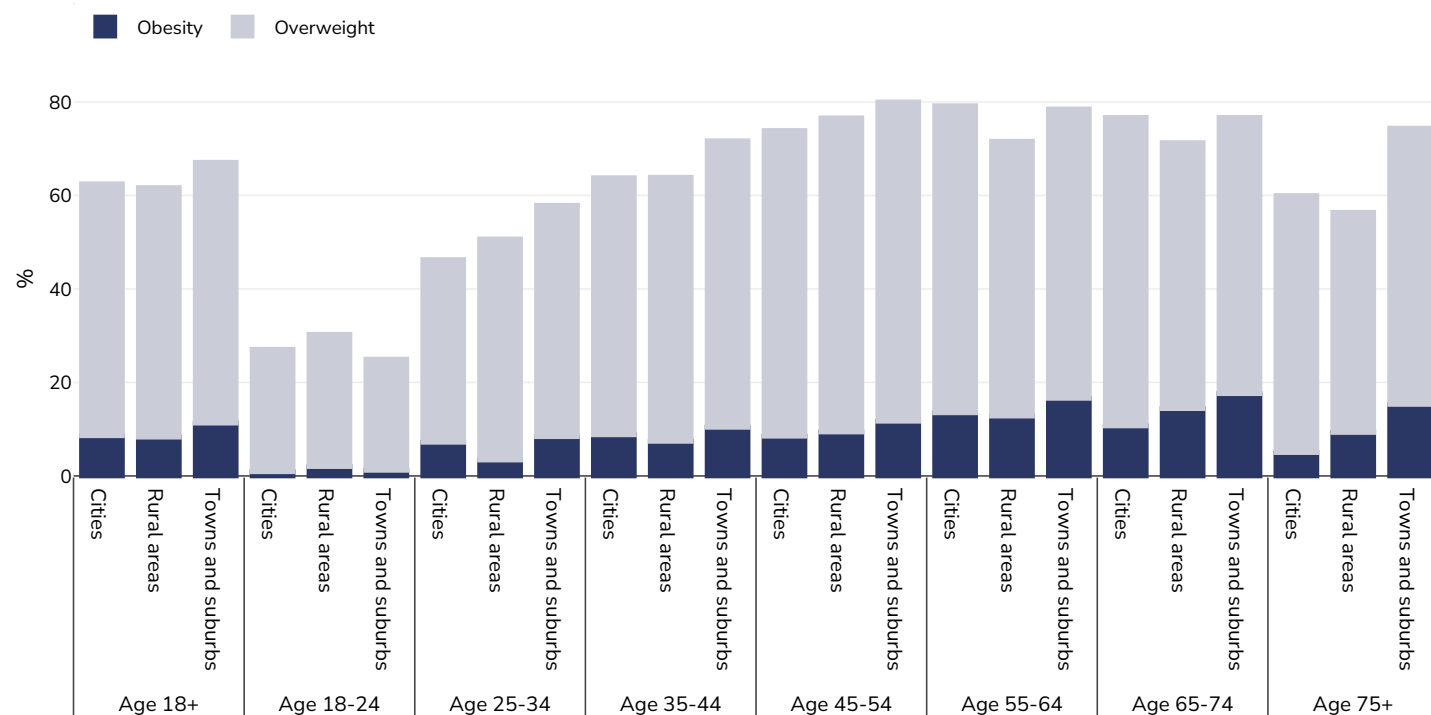
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Notes: UNICEF/WHO/World Bank Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates Expanded Database: Overweight (Survey Estimates), May 2023, New York. For more information about the methodology, please consult <https://data.unicef.org/resources/jme-2023-country-consultations/> Percentage of children under 5 years of age falling above 2 standard deviations (moderate and severe) from the median weight-for-height of the reference population.

Definitions: =>+2SD

## Overweight/obesity by age and region

### Men, 2014



Survey type:

Self-reported

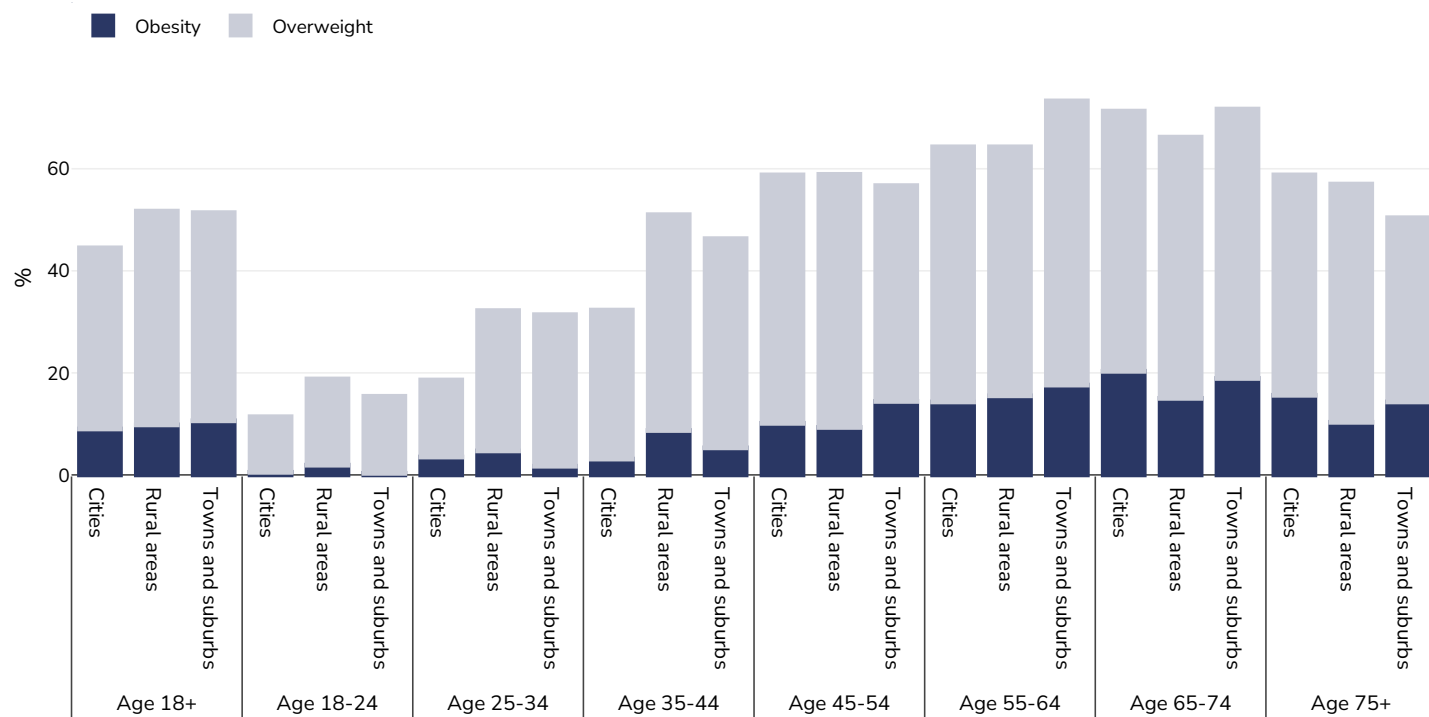
Area covered:

National

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## Women, 2014



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

National

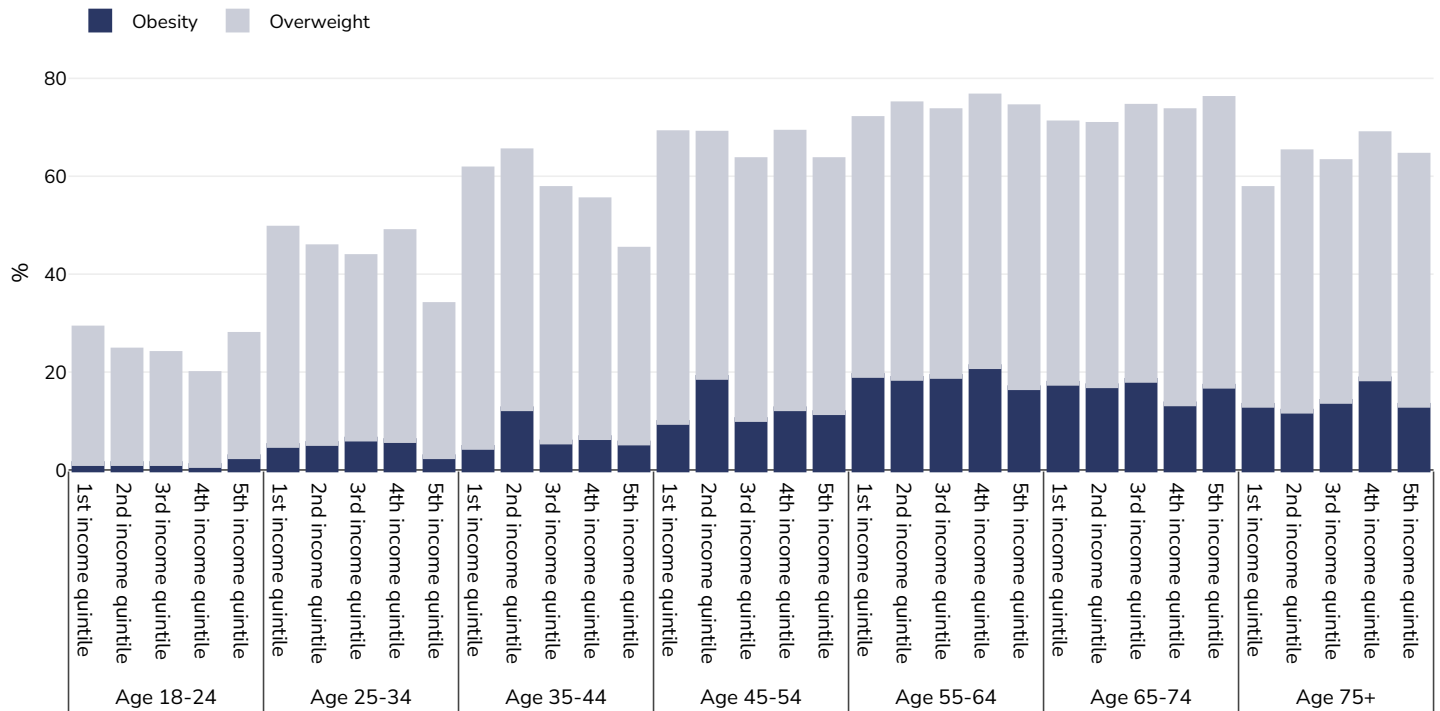
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## Overweight/obesity by age and socio-economic group

### Adults, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

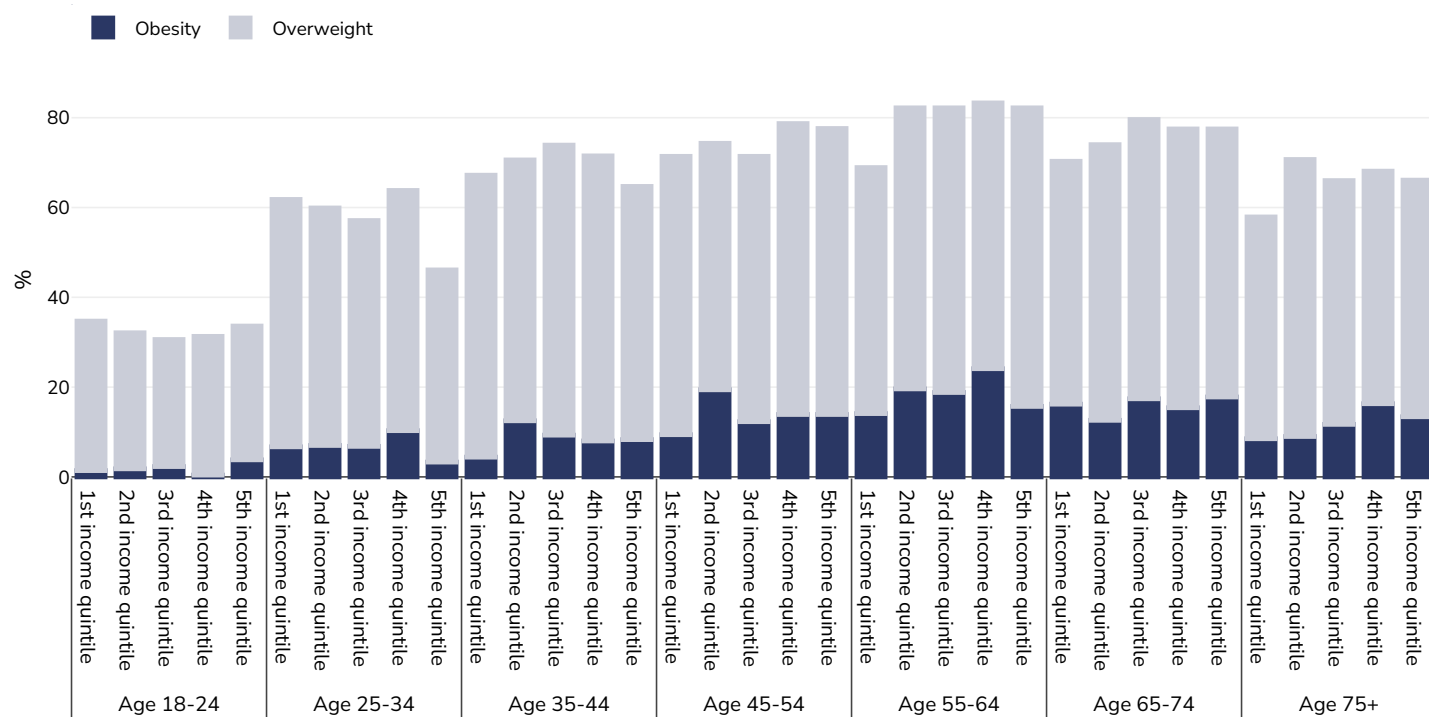
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Eurostat 2019. Available at [https://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth\\_ehis\\_bm1i&lang=en](https://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth_ehis_bm1i&lang=en) (last accessed 09.08.21).

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## Men, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

National

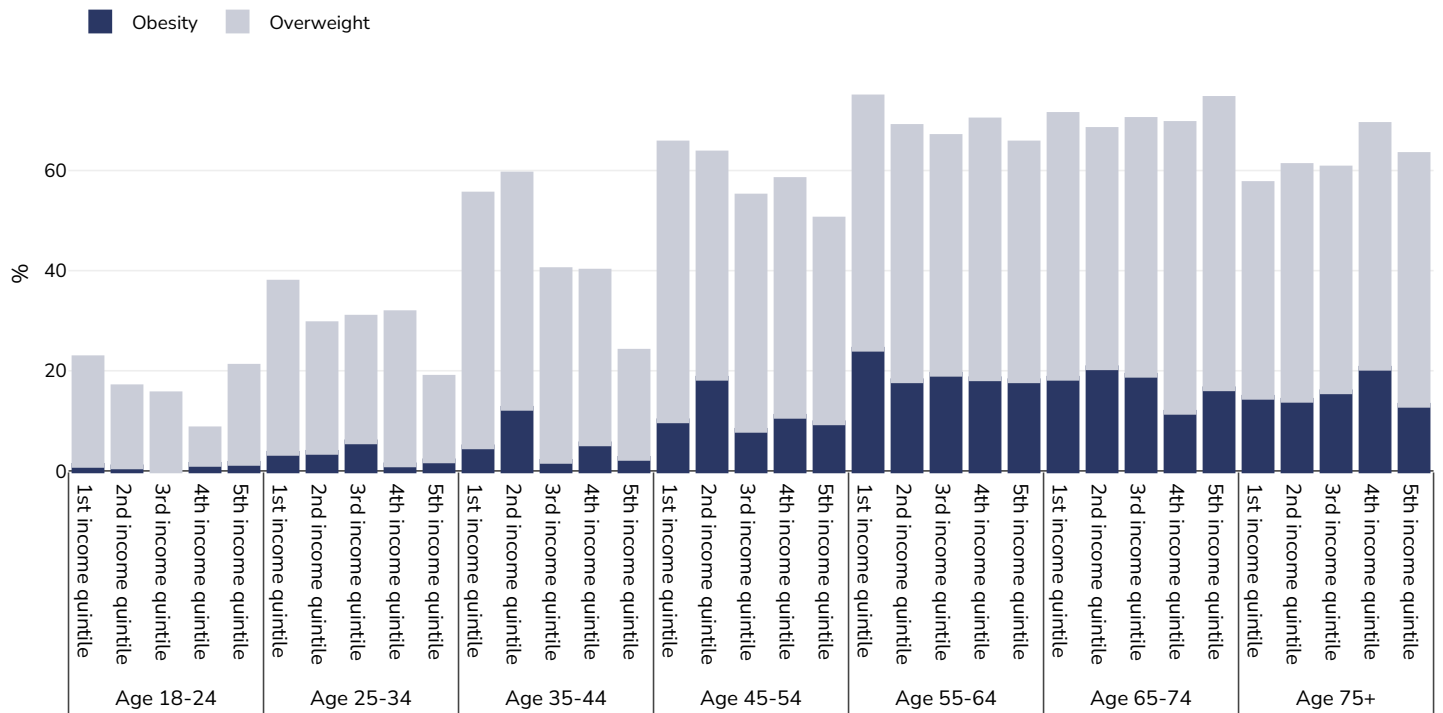
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## Women, 2019



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

National

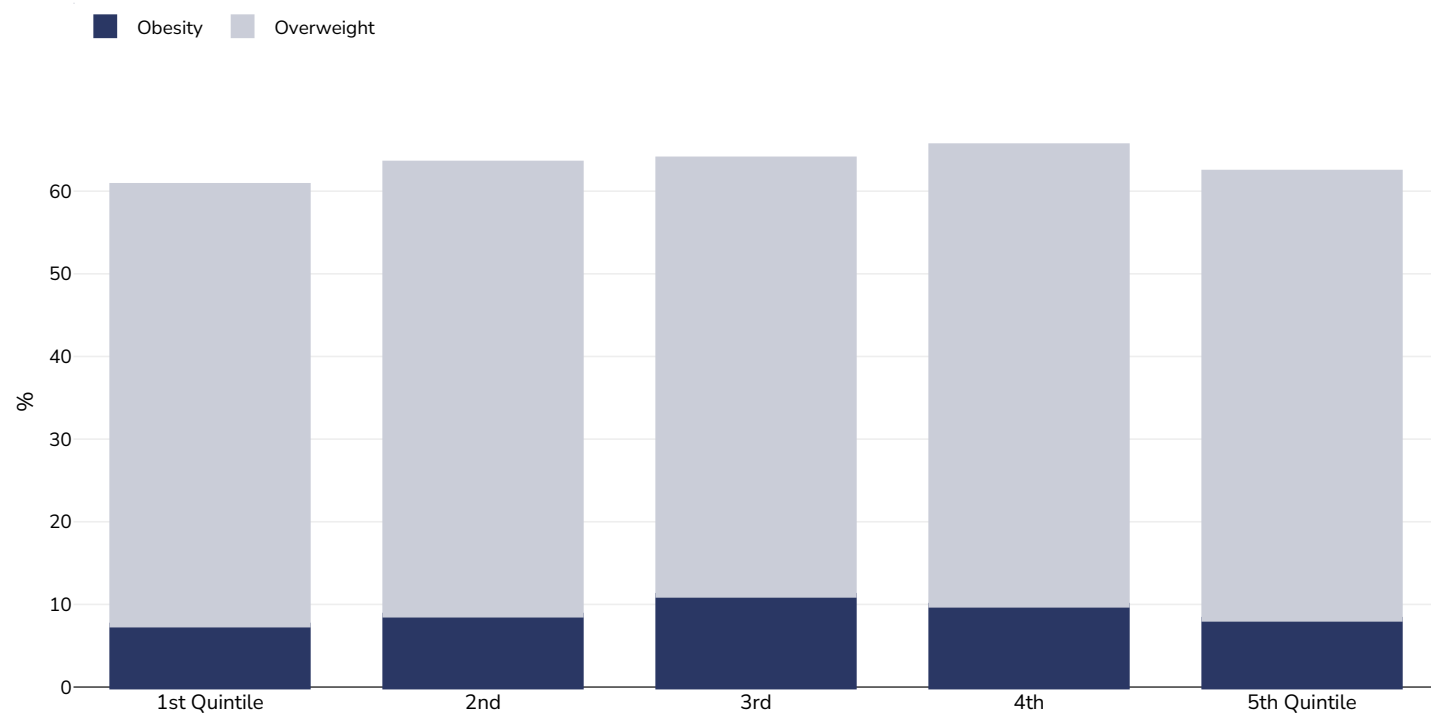
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## Overweight/obesity by socio-economic group

### Men, 2014



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 18+

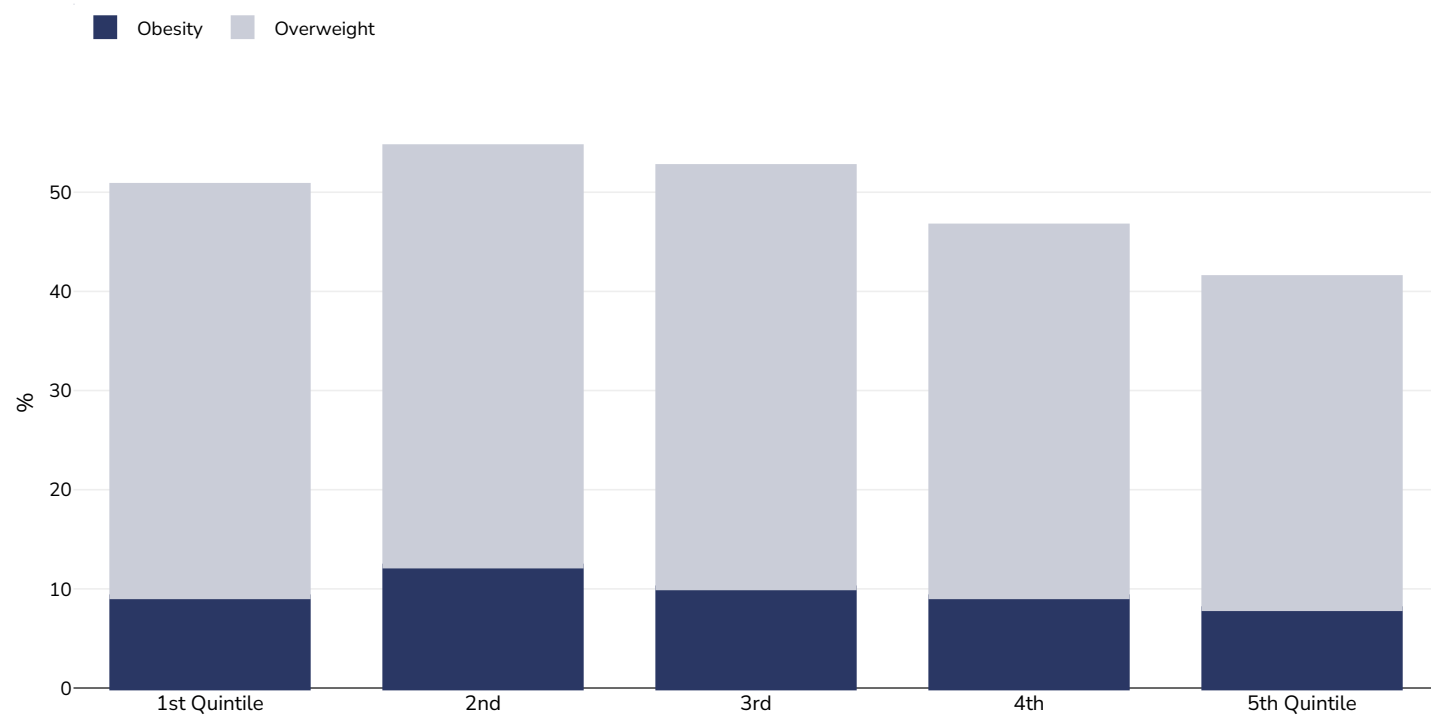
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Notes: 1st Quintile (lowest income), 5th Quintile (highest income) Please note where data = zero, there were insufficient data.

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## Women, 2014



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 18+

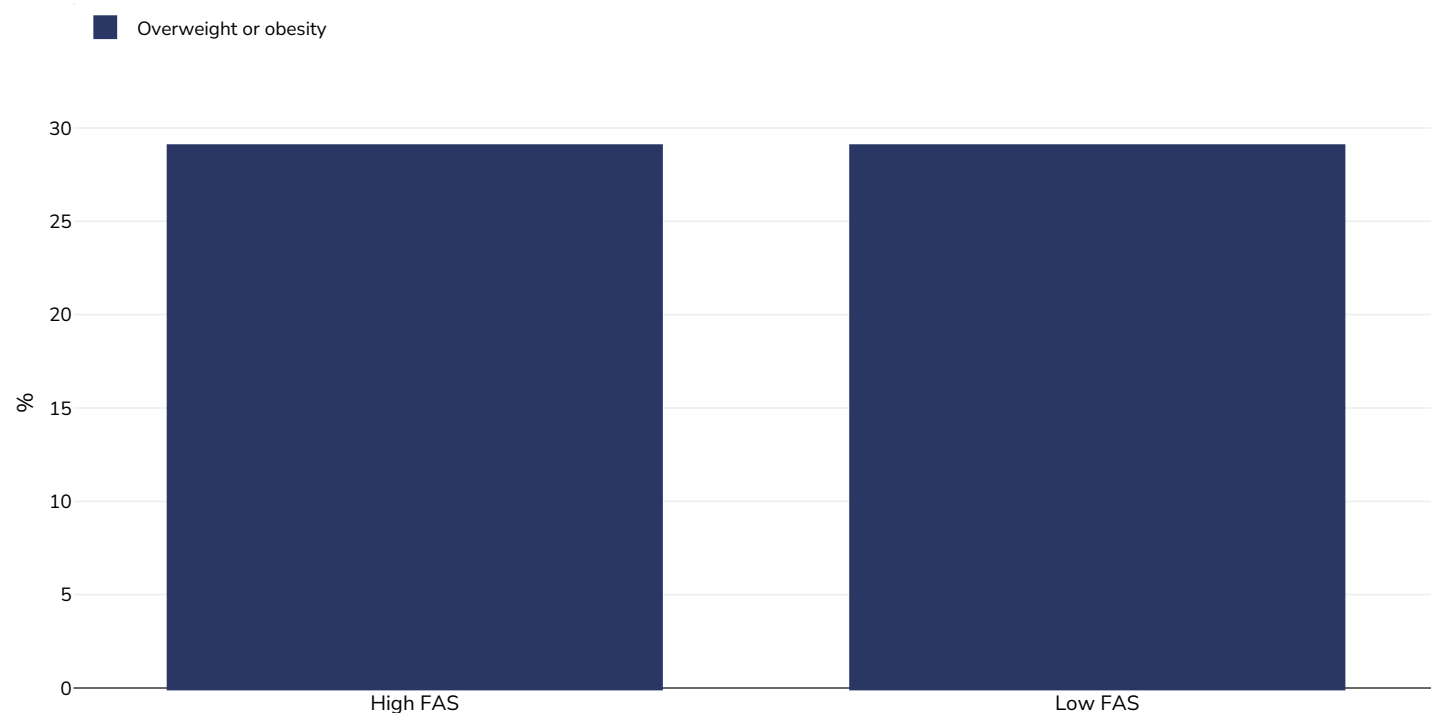
Area covered: National

References: 2014 Eurostat Database: [http://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth\\_ehis\\_bm1e&lang=en](http://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/show.do?dataset=hlth_ehis_bm1e&lang=en) (last accessed 25.08.20)

Notes: 1st Quintile (lowest income), 5th Quintile (highest income) Please note where data = zero, there were insufficient data.

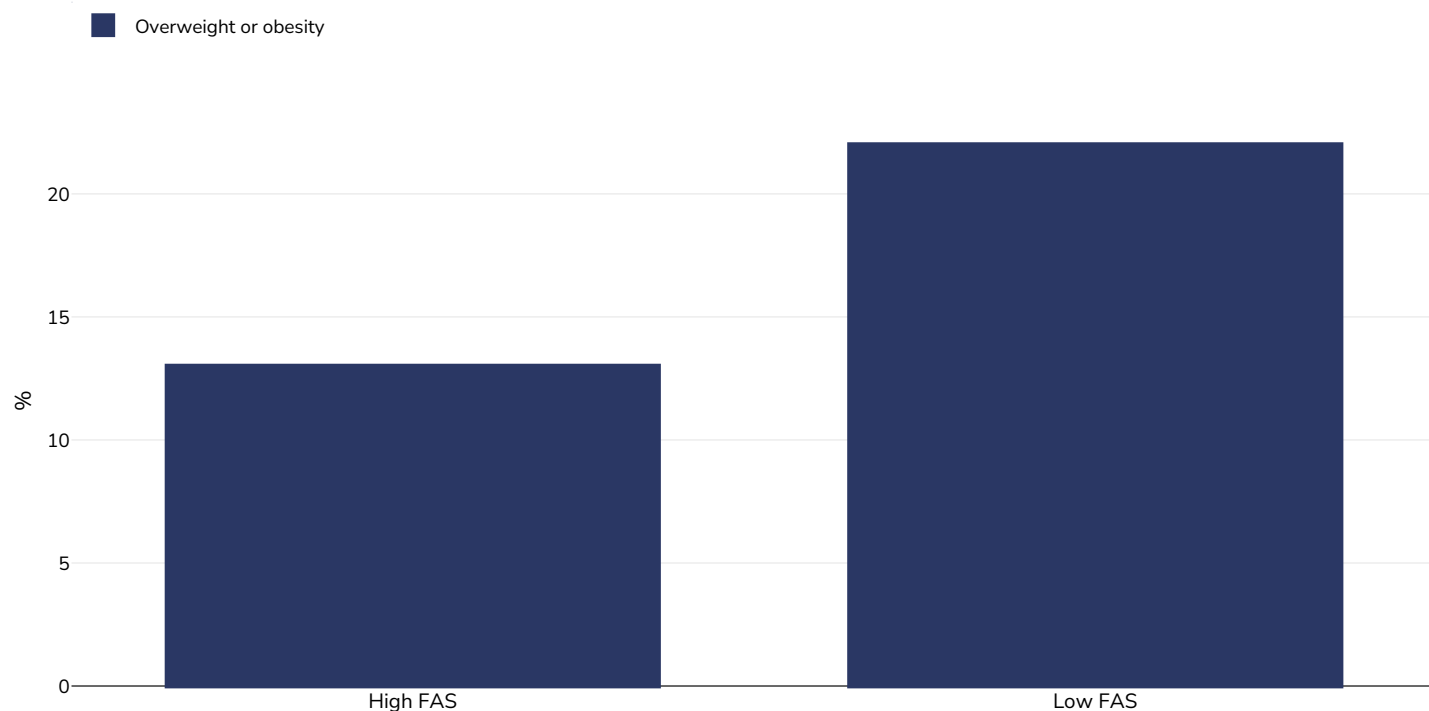
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## Boys, 2017-2018



Survey type:	Self-reported
Age:	11-15
Sample size:	4520
Area covered:	National
References:	World Health Organization (2020). Spotlight on adolescent health and well-being - Findings from the 2017/2018 Health Behaviour in School-aged Children (HBSC) survey in Europe and Canada. Available at: <a href="https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/332091/9789289055000-eng.pdf">https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/332091/9789289055000-eng.pdf</a> . Last accessed: 25.05.21.
Notes:	HBSC Family Affluence Scale (FAS) - "HBSC uses an alternative measure, the Family Affluence Scale, which asks young people about material assets such as family cars, number of foreign holidays, computers, bathrooms and dishwashers in the household, holidays and having a bedroom to oneself. The scale, which enables users to add up how many of these assets a young person has in their home compared with other adolescents in their country/region, has been shown to provide a valid indicator of relative affluence."
Definitions:	HBSC Family Affluence Scale (FAS)
Cutoffs:	WHO

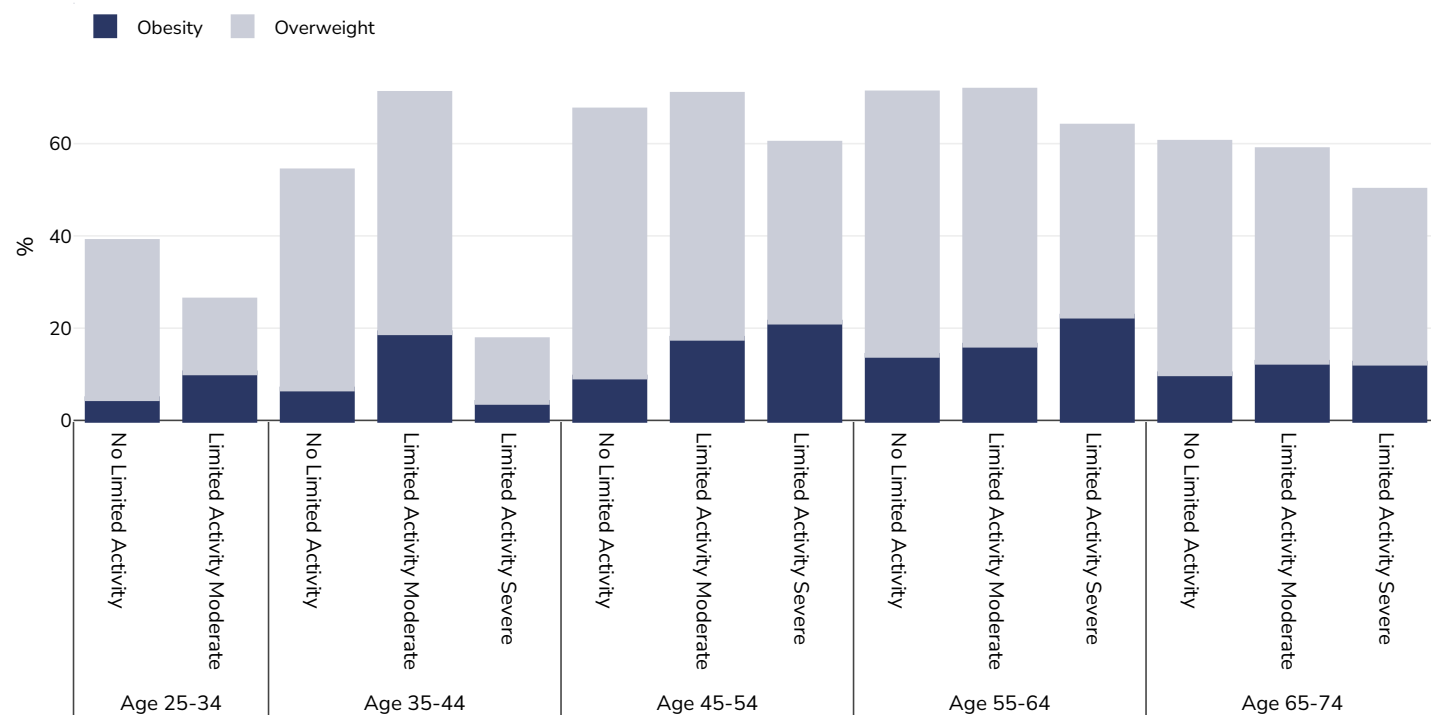
## Girls, 2017-2018



Survey type:	Self-reported
Age:	11-15
Sample size:	4520
Area covered:	National
References:	World Health Organization (2020). Spotlight on adolescent health and well-being - Findings from the 2017/2018 Health Behaviour in School-aged Children (HBSC) survey in Europe and Canada. Available at: <a href="https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/332091/9789289055000-eng.pdf">https://apps.who.int/iris/bitstream/handle/10665/332091/9789289055000-eng.pdf</a> . Last accessed: 25.05.21.
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Definitions:	HBSC Family Affluence Scale (FAS)
Cutoffs:	WHO

## Overweight/obesity by age and limited activity

### Adults, 2014



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

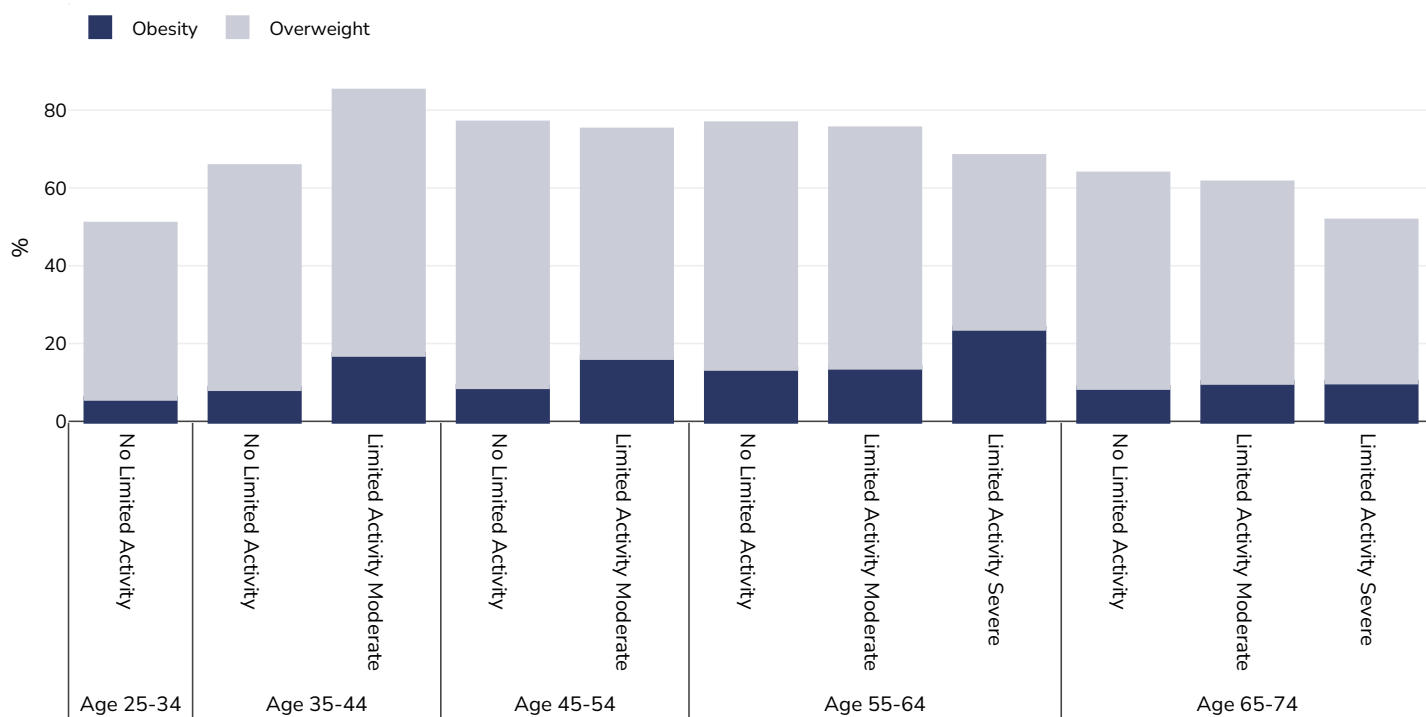
National

References:

Eurostat 2014 available at <https://appsso.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/nui/submitViewTableAction.do> (last accessed 06.10.21)

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## Men, 2014



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

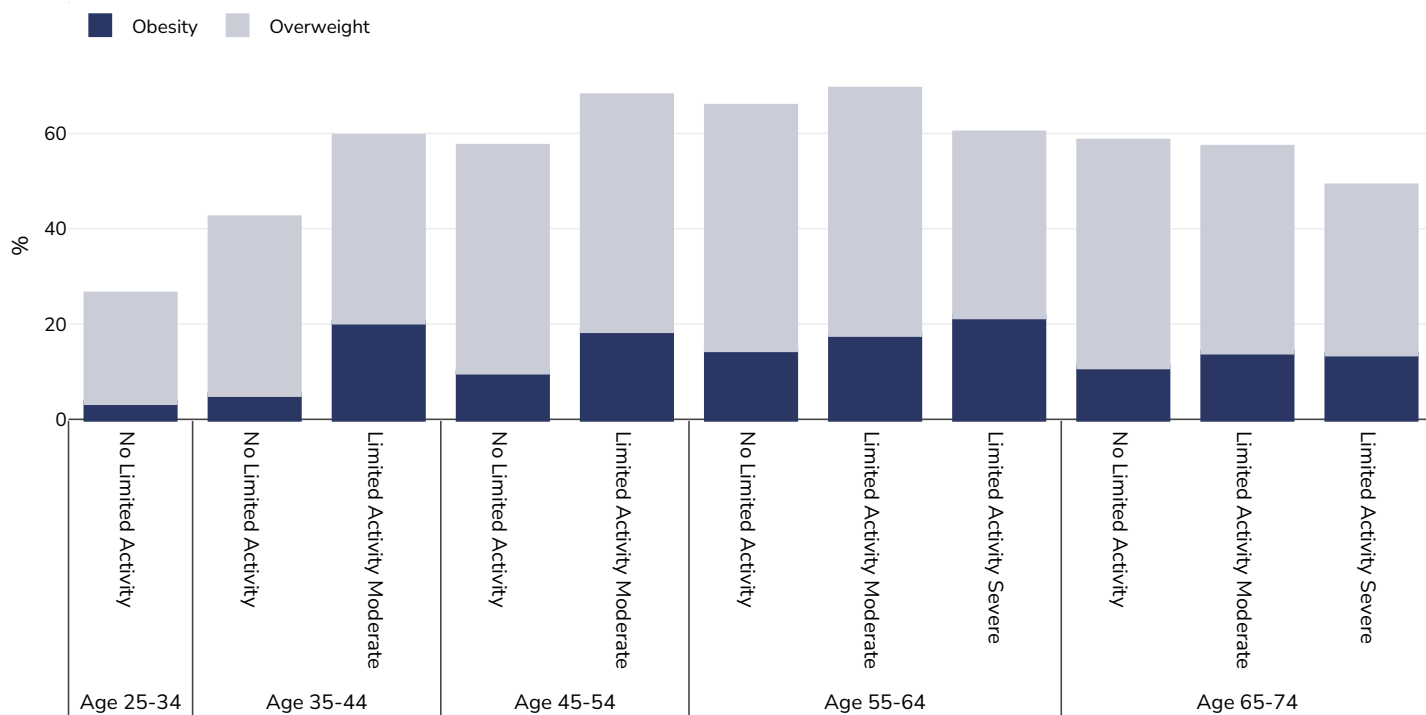
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## Women, 2014



Survey type:

Self-reported

Area covered:

National

References:

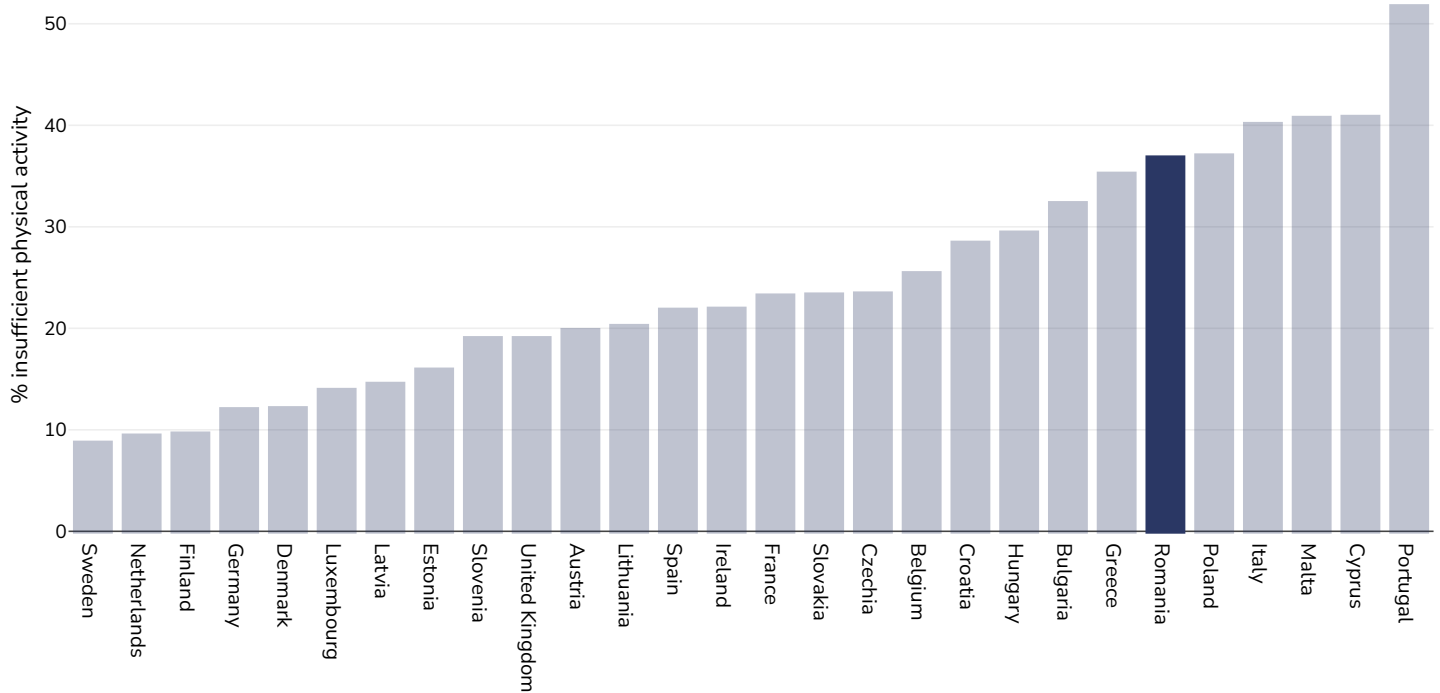
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## Insufficient physical activity

### Adults, 2022



Survey type: Self-reported

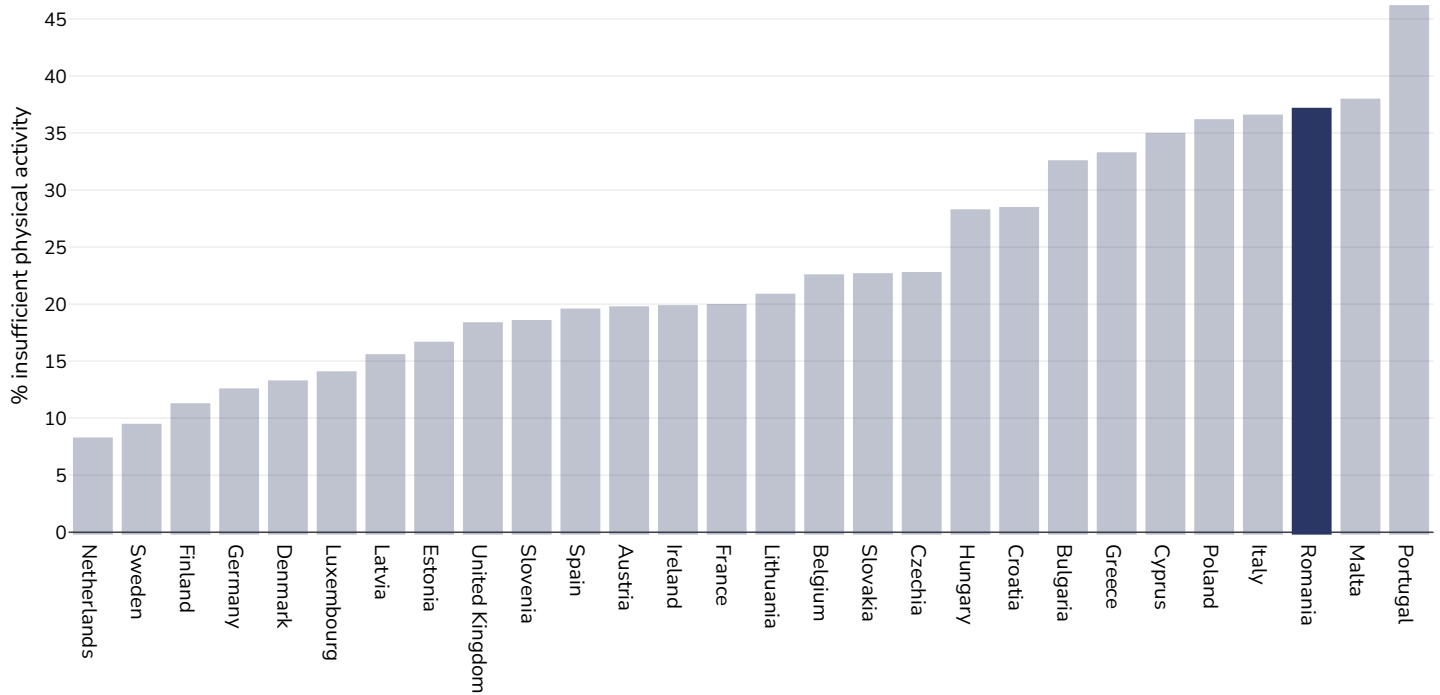
Age: 18+

Area covered: National

References: WHO (2024). Prevalence of insufficient physical activity among adults aged 18-years age-standardized estimate in 2022. Available at [https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-\(age-standardized-estimate\)-\(-\)](https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(-))

Definitions: Percent of population attaining less than 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity per week, or less than 75 minutes of vigorous-intensity physical activity per week, or equivalent.

## Men, 2022



Survey type: Self-reported

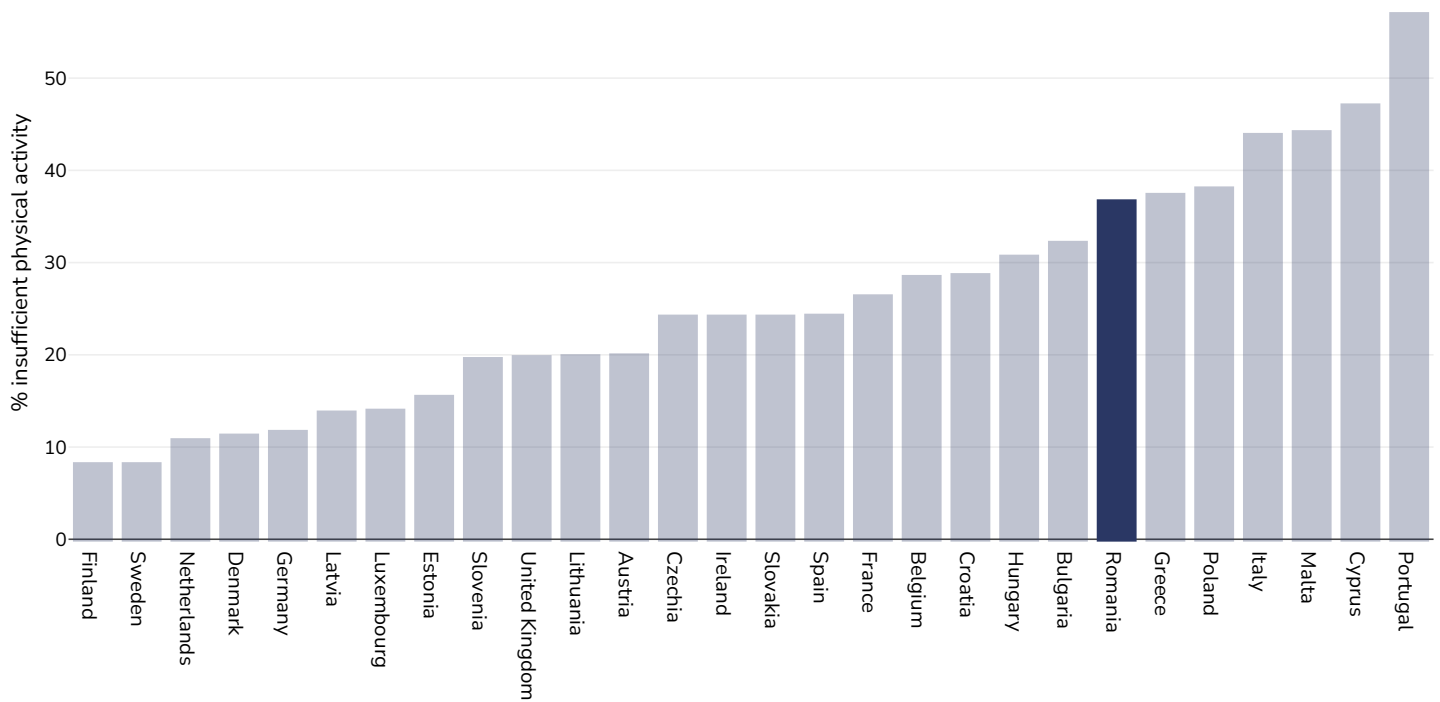
Age: 18+

Area covered: National

References: WHO (2024). Prevalence of insufficient physical activity among adults aged 18-years age-standardized estimate in 2022. Available at [https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-\(age-standardized-estimate\)-\(-\)](https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(-))

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## Women, 2022



Survey type: Self-reported

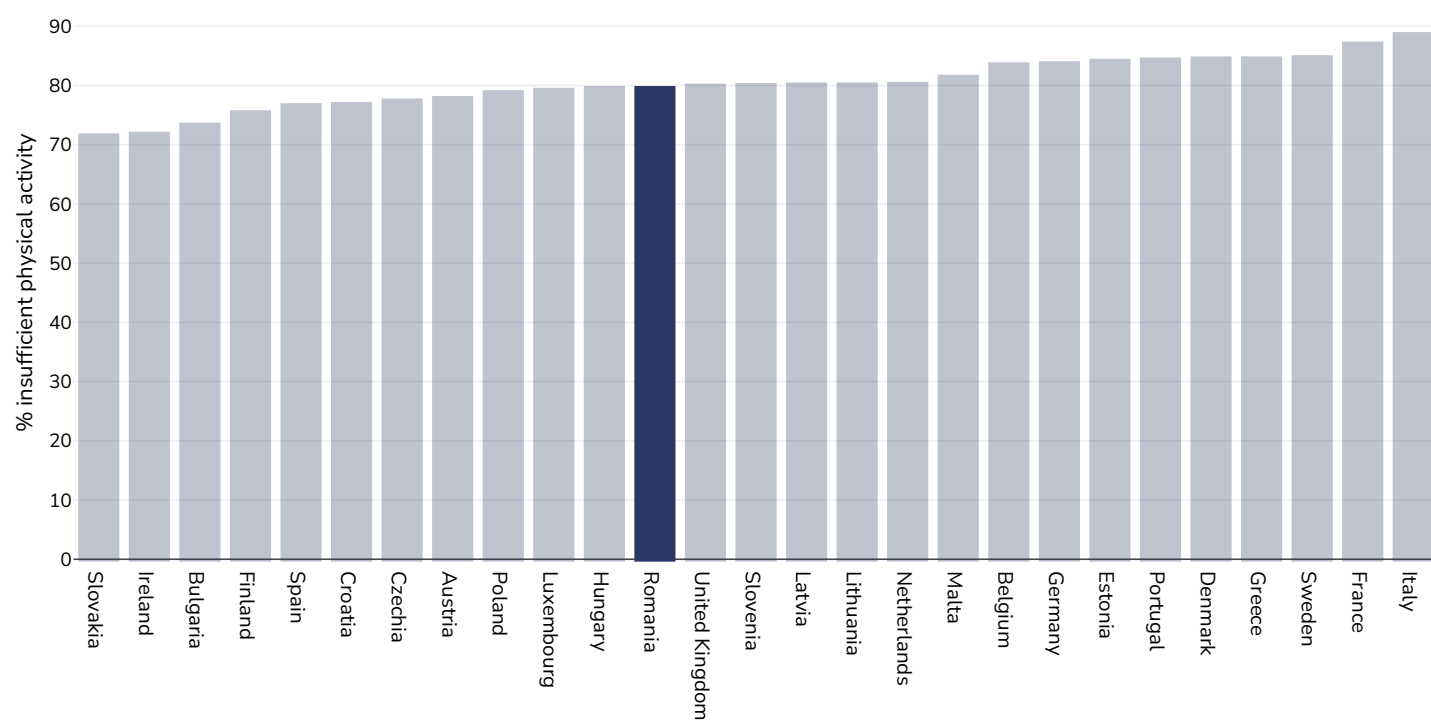
Age: 18+

Area covered: National

References: WHO (2024). Prevalence of insufficient physical activity among adults aged 18-years age-standardized estimate in 2022. Available at [https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-\(age-standardized-estimate\)-\(-\)](https://www.who.int/data/gho/data/indicators/indicator-details/GHO/prevalence-of-insufficient-physical-activity-among-adults-aged-18-years-(age-standardized-estimate)-(-))

Definitions: Percent of population attaining less than 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity per week, or less than 75 minutes of vigorous-intensity physical activity per week, or equivalent.

## Children, 2016



Survey type:

Self-reported

Age:

11-17

References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A893ADO?lang=en> (last accessed 16.03.21)

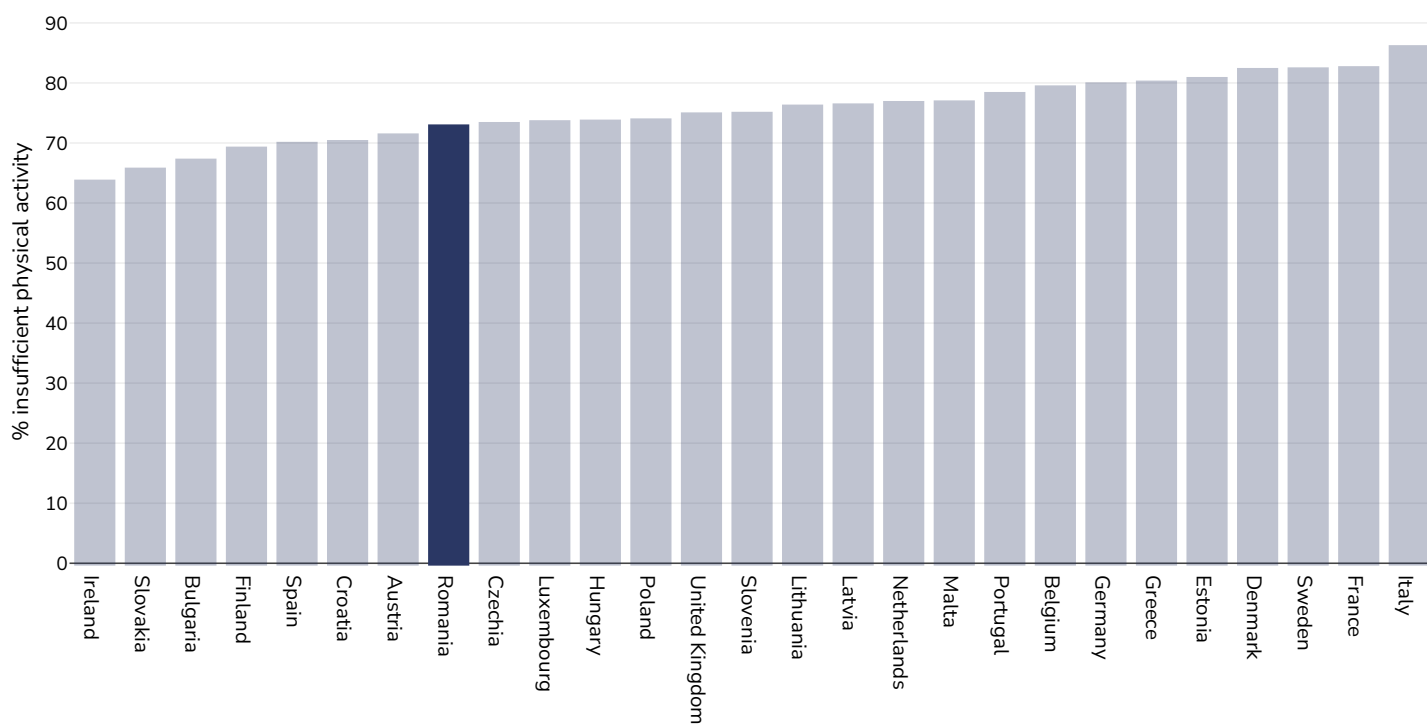
Notes:

% of school going adolescents not meeting WHO recommendations on Physical Activity for Health, i.e. doing less than 60 minutes of moderate- to vigorous-intensity physical activity daily.

Definitions:

% Adolescents insufficiently active (age standardised estimate)

## Boys, 2016



Survey type:

Self-reported

Age:

11-17

References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A893ADO?lang=en> (last accessed 16.03.21)

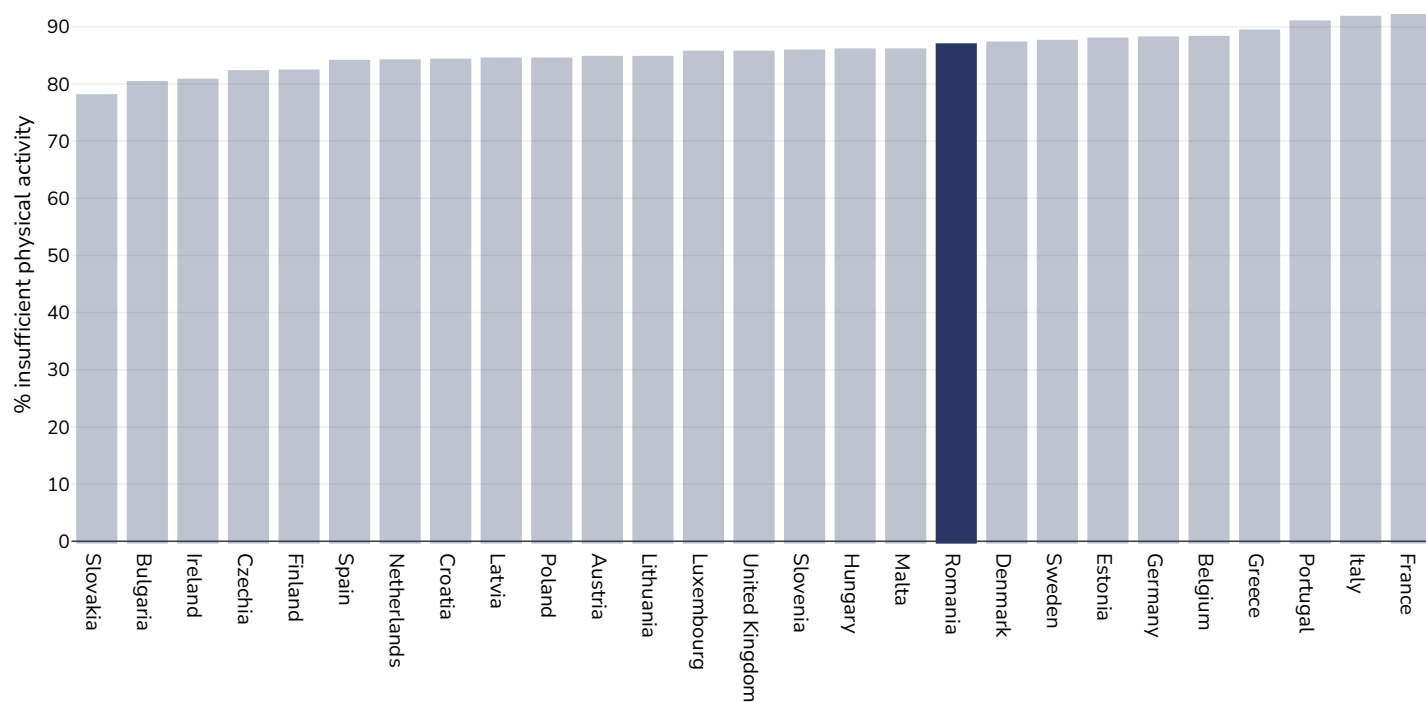
Notes:

% of school going adolescents not meeting WHO recommendations on Physical Activity for Health, i.e. doing less than 60 minutes of moderate- to vigorous-intensity physical activity daily.

Definitions:

% Adolescents insufficiently active (age standardised estimate)

## Girls, 2016



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 11-17

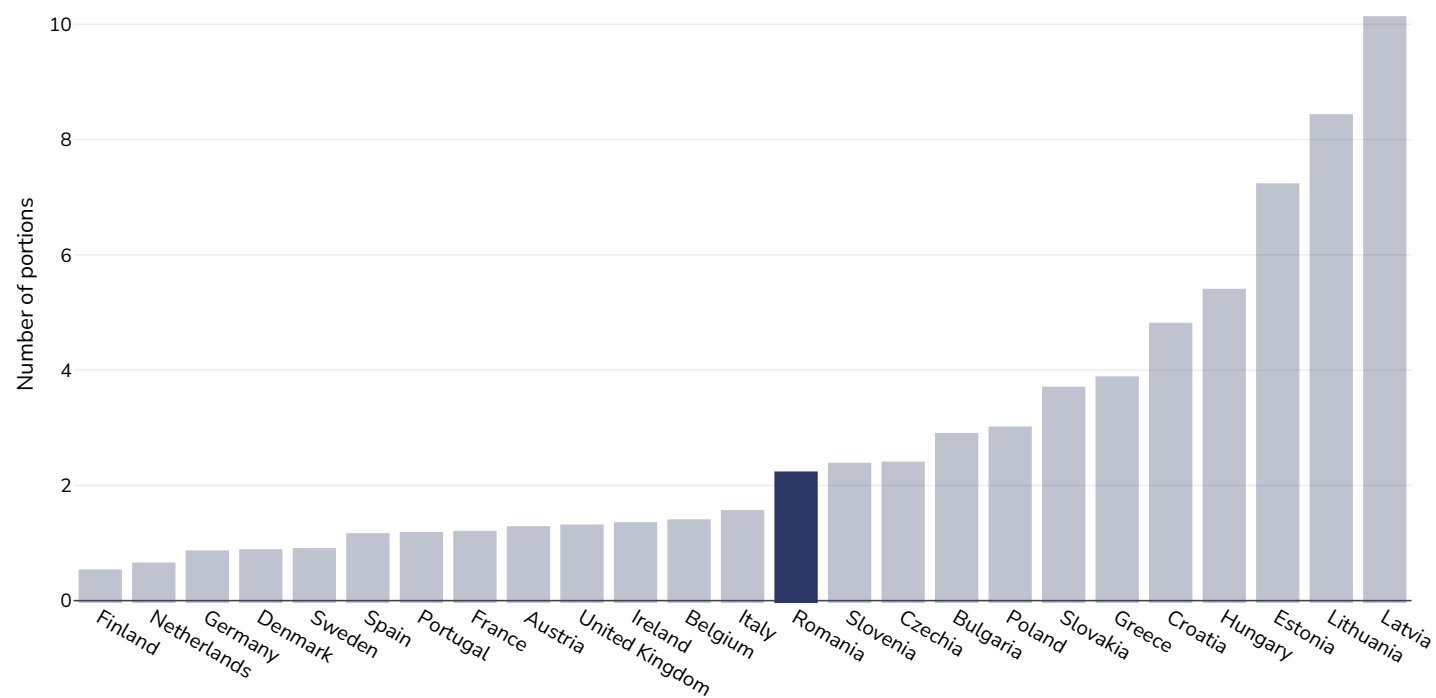
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Definitions: % Adolescents insufficiently active (age standardised estimate)

## Sugar consumption

Adults, 2016



References:

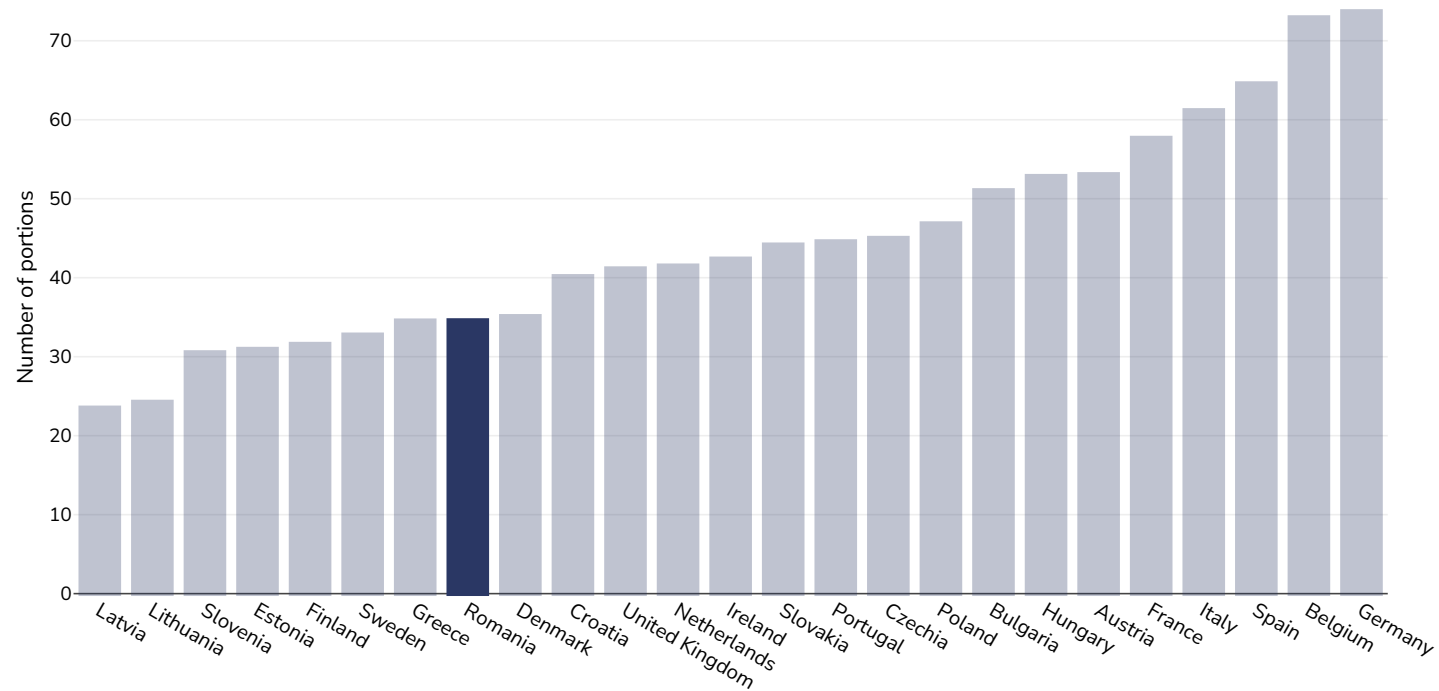
Source: Euromonitor International

Definitions:

Sugar consumption (Number of 500g sugar portions/person/month)

## Estimated per capita sugar sweetened beverages intake

Adults, 2016



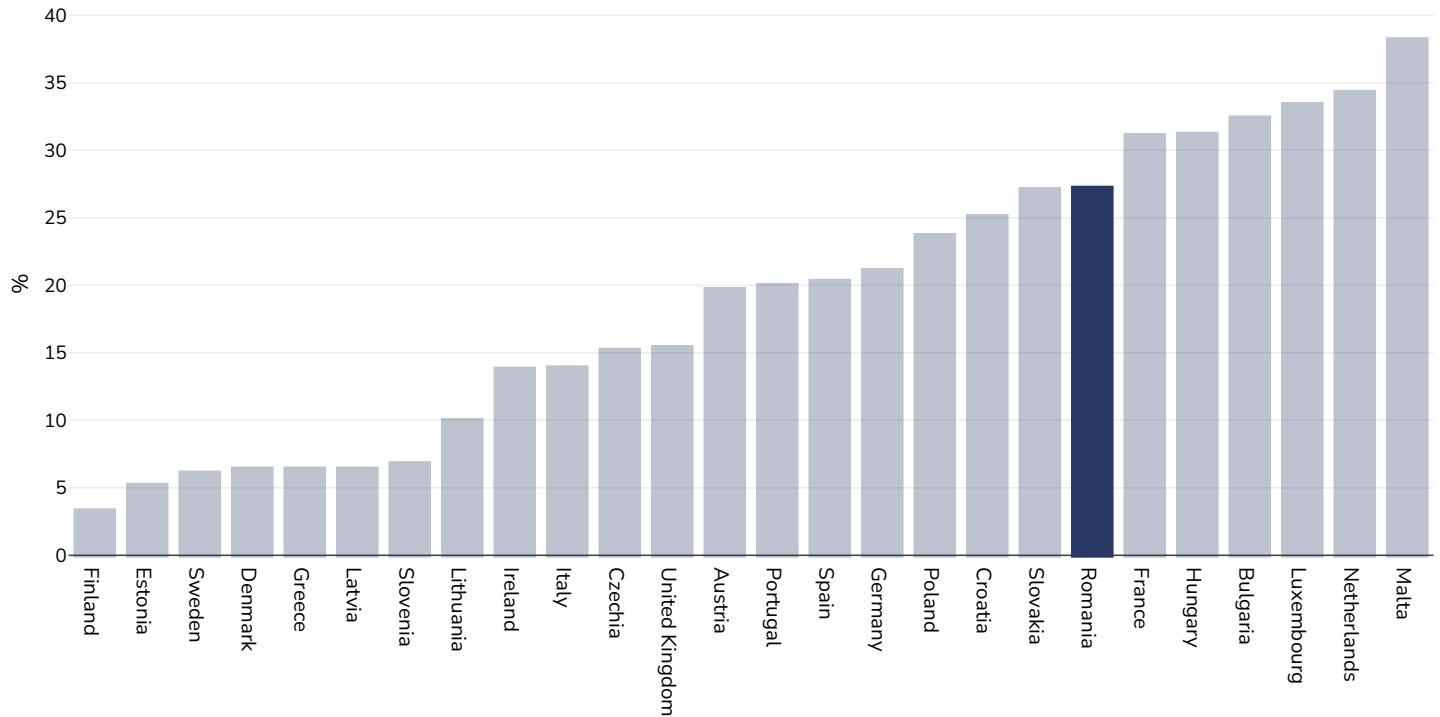
References:

Source: Euromonitor International



## Prevalence of at least daily carbonated soft drink consumption

### Children, 2014



Survey type:

Measured

References: World Health Organization. (2017). Adolescent obesity and related behaviours: Trends and inequalities in the who european region, 2002-2014: observations from the Health Behavior in School-aged Children (HBSC) WHO collaborative cross-national study (J. Inchley, D. Currie, J. Jewel, J. Breda, & V. Barnekow, Eds.). World Health Organization. Sourced from Food Systems Dashboard <http://www.foodsystemsdashboard.org>

Notes:

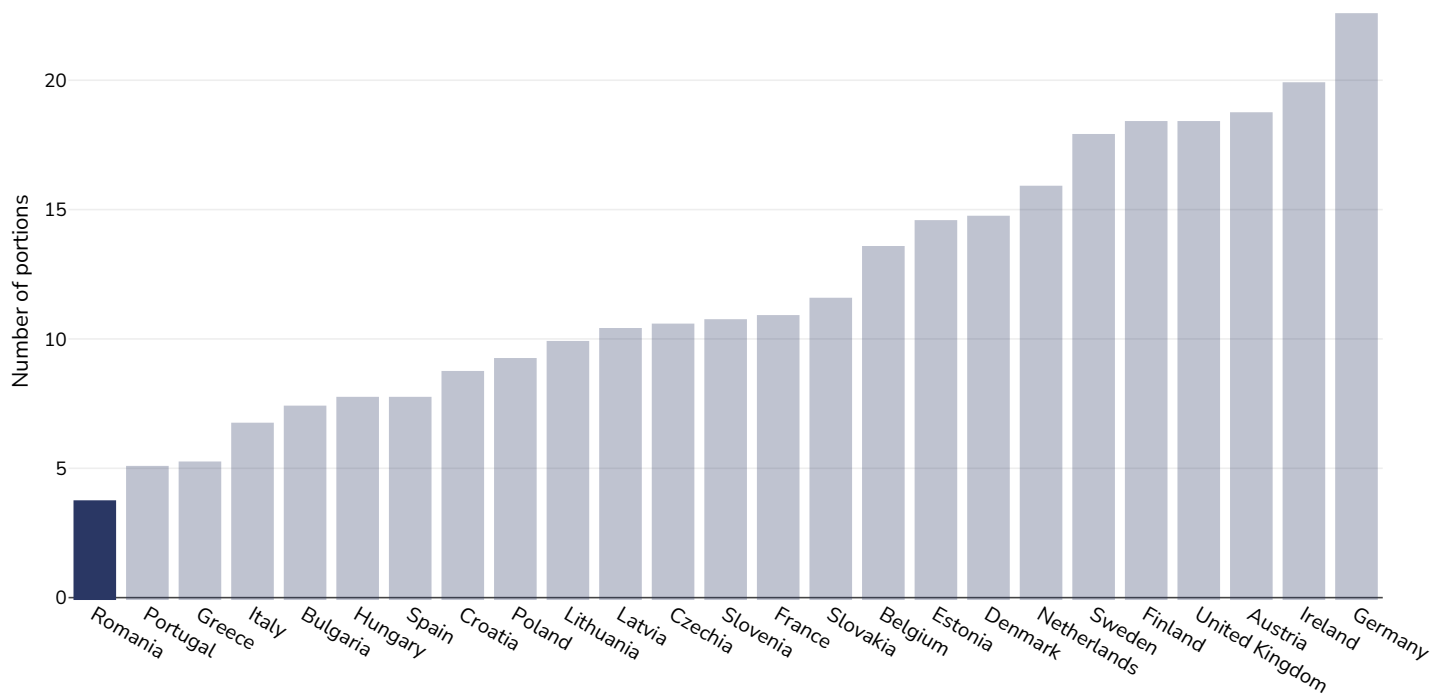
15-year-old adolescents

Definitions:

Prevalence of at least daily carbonated soft drink consumption (% of at least daily carbonated soft drink consumption)

## Prevalence of confectionery consumption

Adults, 2016



References:

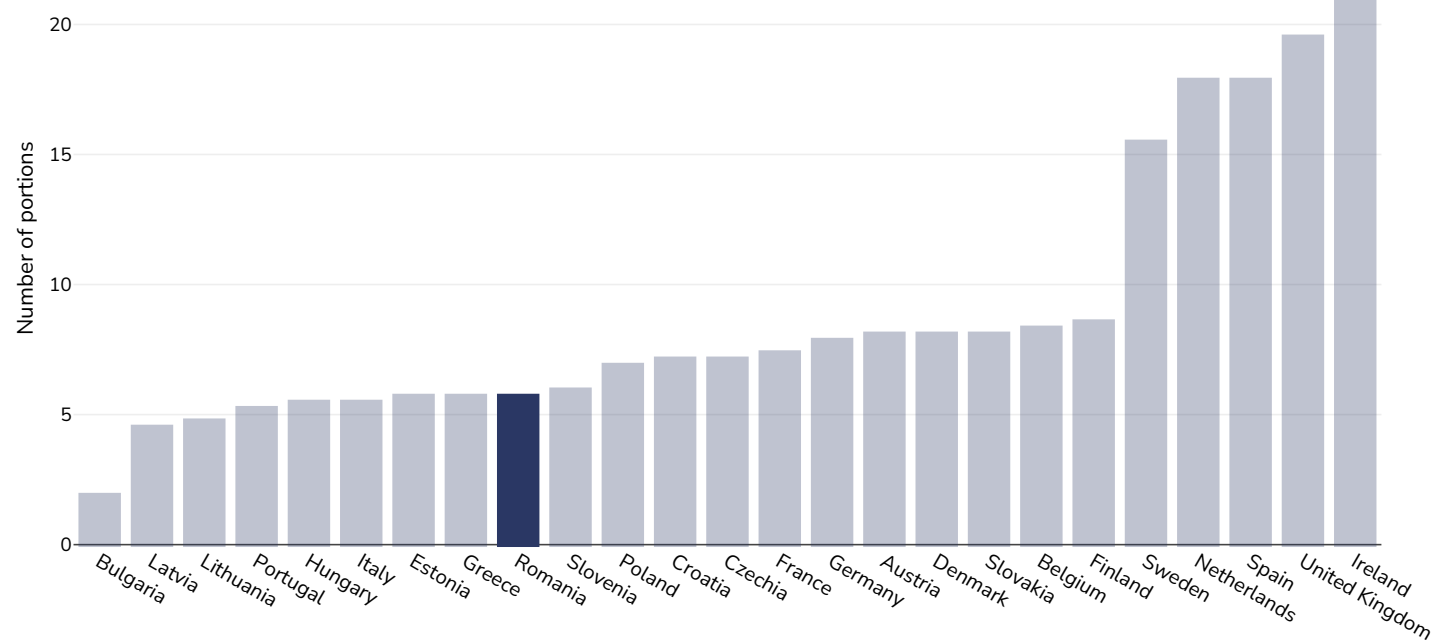
Source: Euromonitor International

Definitions:

Prevalence of confectionery consumption (Number of 50g confectionery portions/person/month)

## Prevalence of sweet/savoury snack consumption

Adults, 2016



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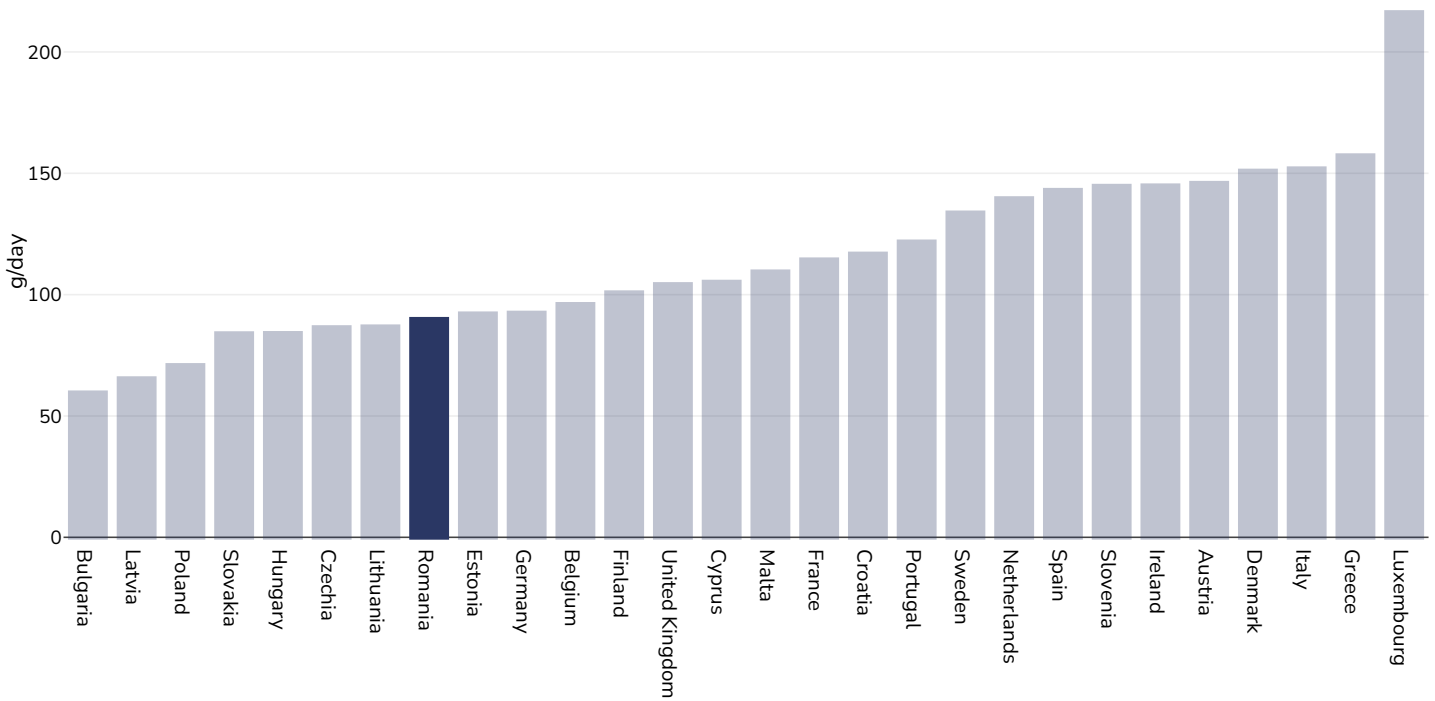
Source: Euromonitor International

Definitions:

Prevalence of sweet/savoury snack consumption (Number of 35g sweet/savoury snack portions/person/month)

## Estimated per capita fruit intake

Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

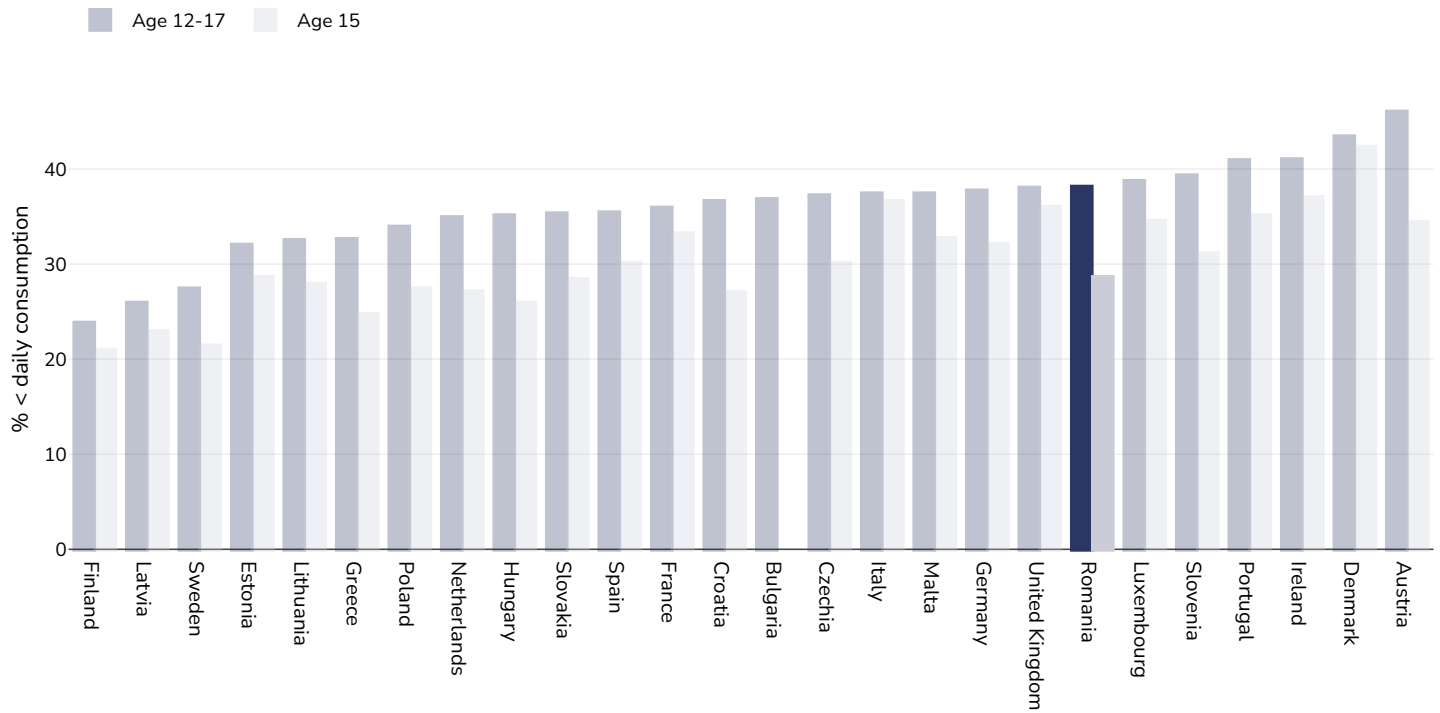
Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

Definitions:

Estimated per-capita fruit intake (g/day)

## Prevalence of less than daily fruit consumption

### Children, 2014



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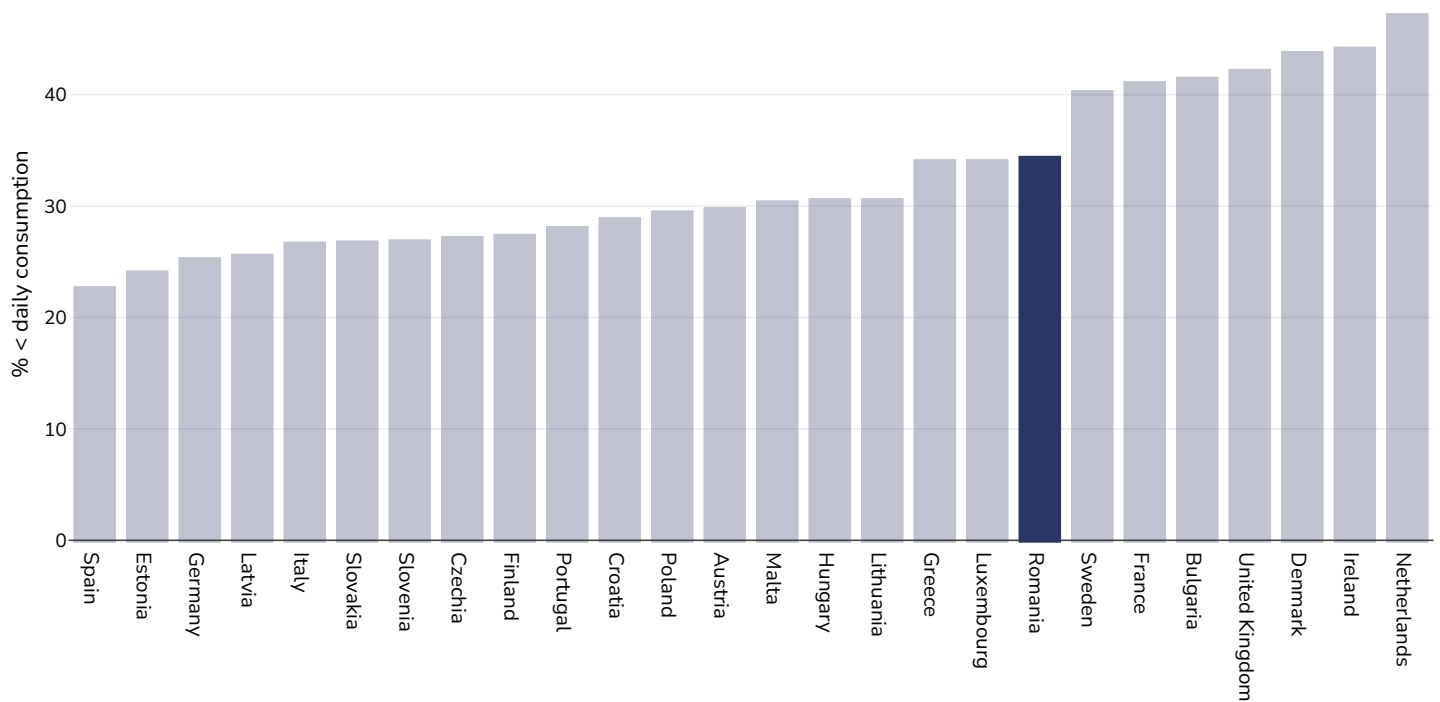
Measured

References: Global School-based Student Health Surveys. Beal et al (2019). Global Patterns of Adolescent Fruit, Vegetable, Carbonated Soft Drink, and Fast-food consumption: A meta-analysis of global school-based student health surveys. Food and Nutrition Bulletin. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0379572119848287>. Sourced from Food Systems Dashboard <http://www.foodsystemsdashboard.org/food-system>

Definitions: Prevalence of less-than-daily fruit consumption (% less-than-daily fruit consumption)

## Prevalence of less than daily vegetable consumption

### Children, 2014



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

12-17

References:

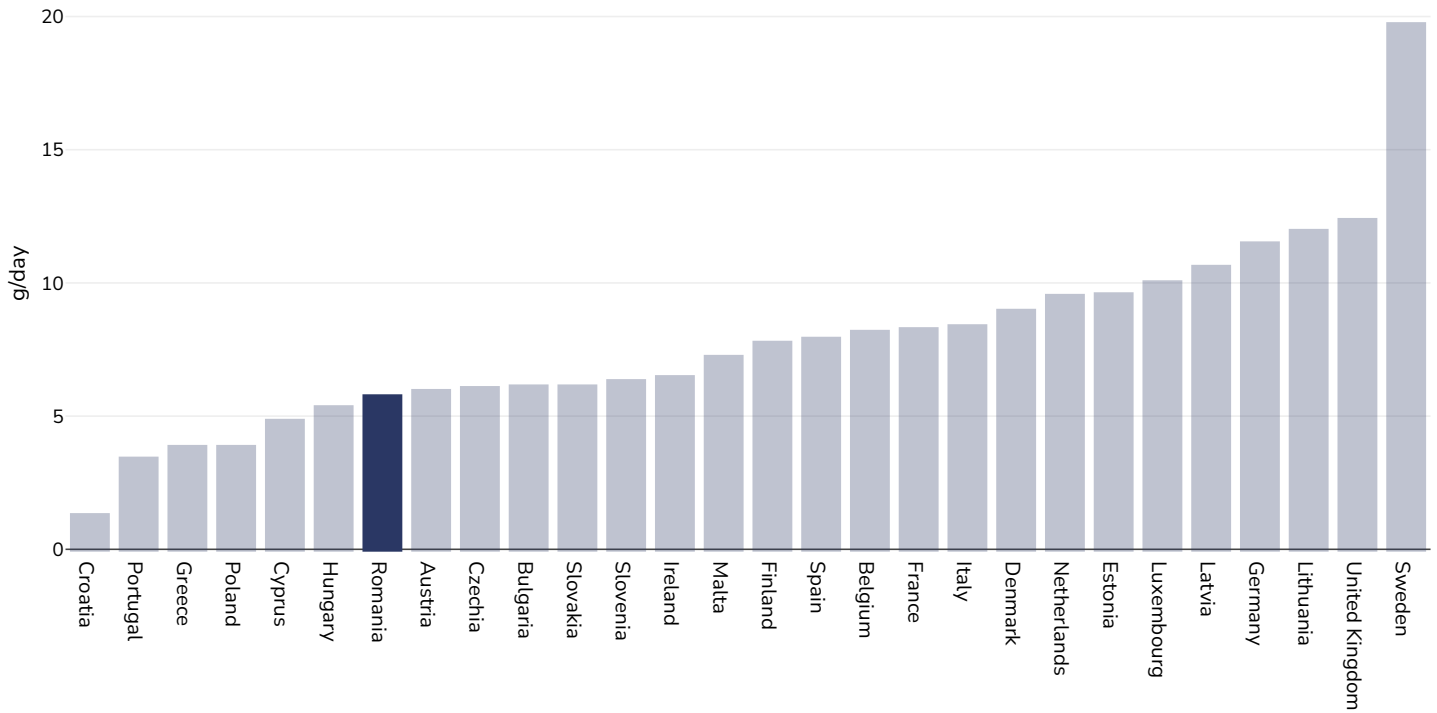
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Definitions:

Prevalence of less-than-daily vegetable consumption (% less-than-daily vegetable consumption)

## Estimated per-capita processed meat intake

### Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

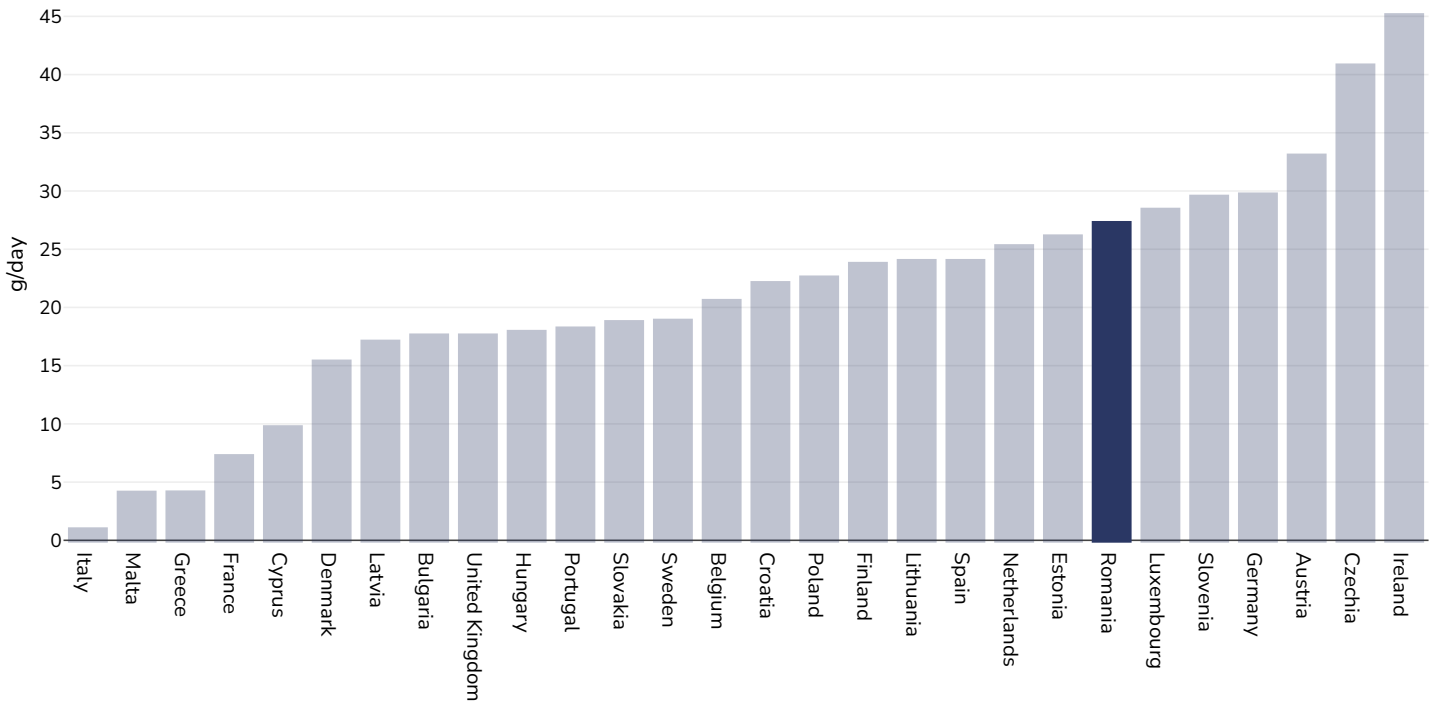
Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

Definitions:

Estimated per-capita processed meat intake (g per day)

## Estimated per capita whole grains intake

### Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

Global Burden of Disease, the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation <http://ghdx.healthdata.org/>

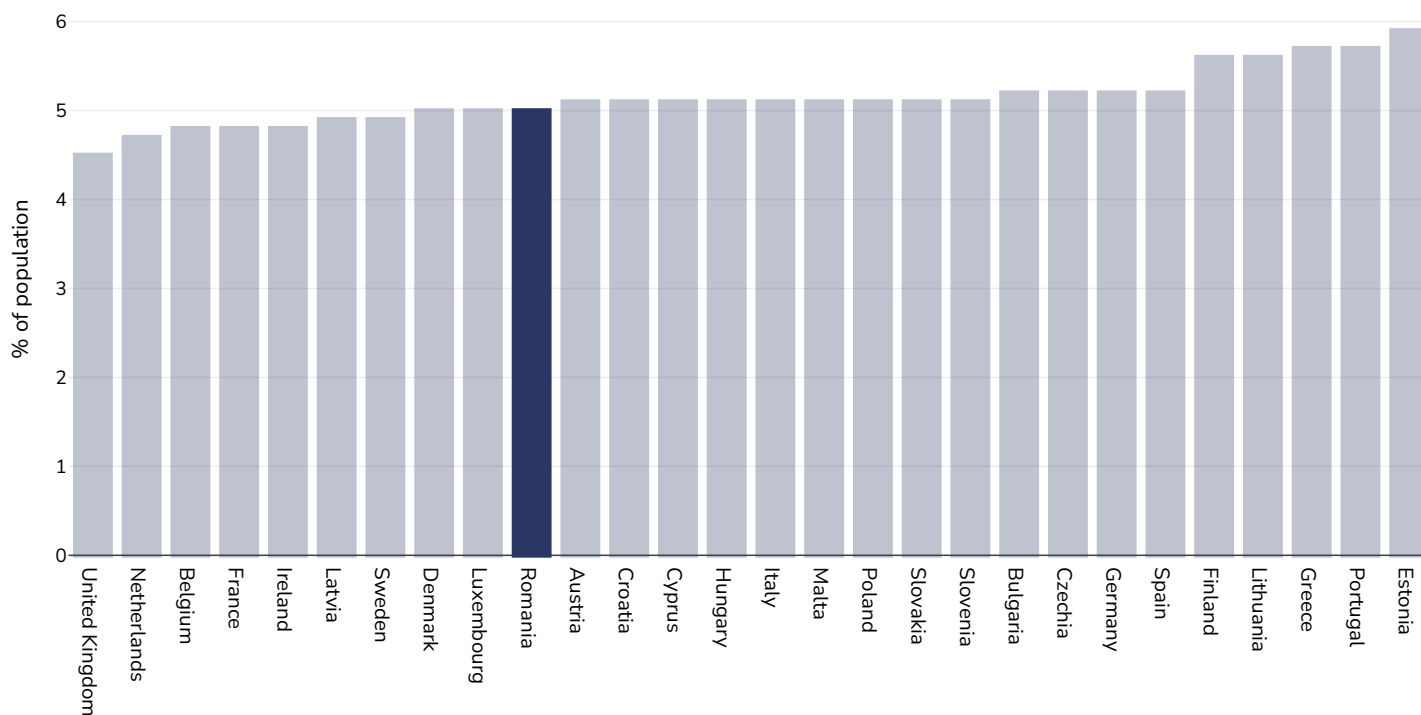
Definitions:

Estimated per-capita whole grains intake (g/day)



## Mental health - depression disorders

### Adults, 2015

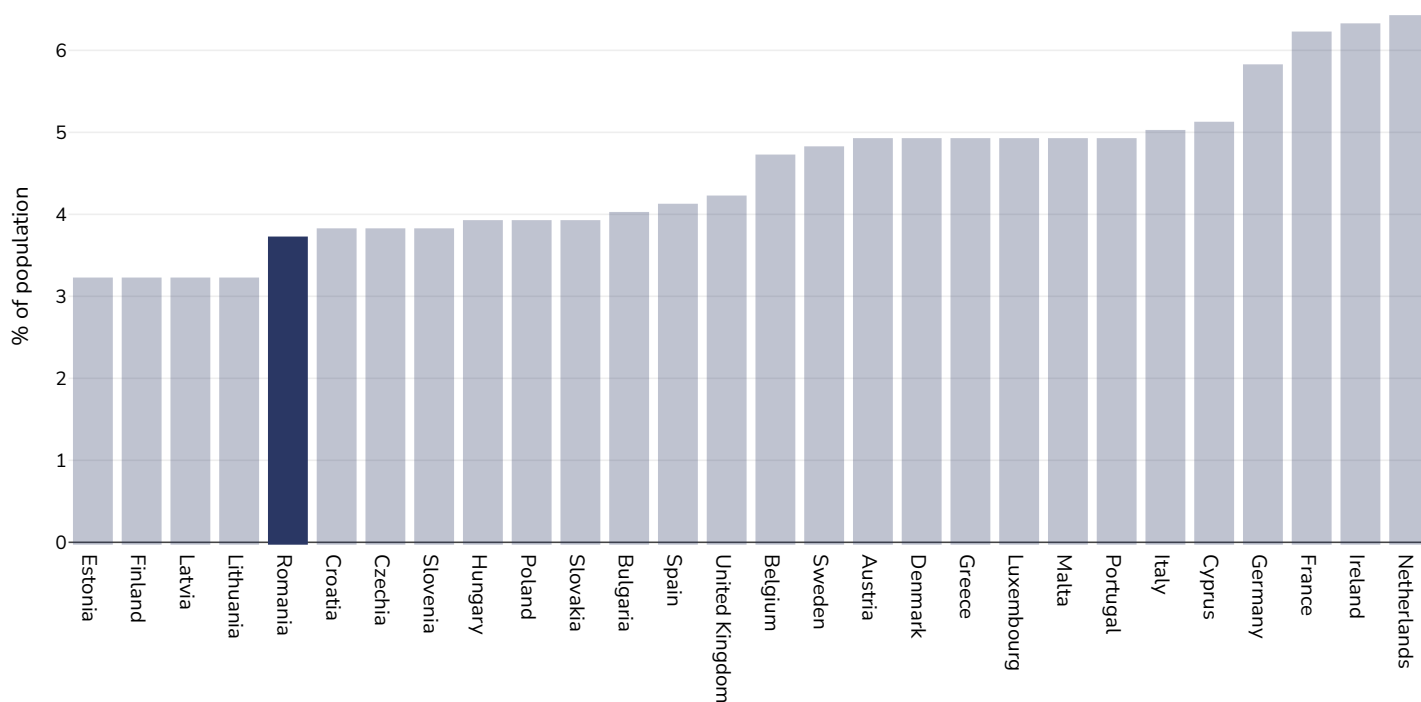


References: Prevalence data from Global Burden of Disease study 2015 (<http://ghdx.healthdata.org>) published in: Depression and Other Common Mental Disorders: Global Health Estimates. Geneva:World Health Organization; 2017. Licence: CC BY-NC-SA 3.0 IGO.

Definitions: % of population with depression disorders

## Mental health - anxiety disorders

### Adults, 2015

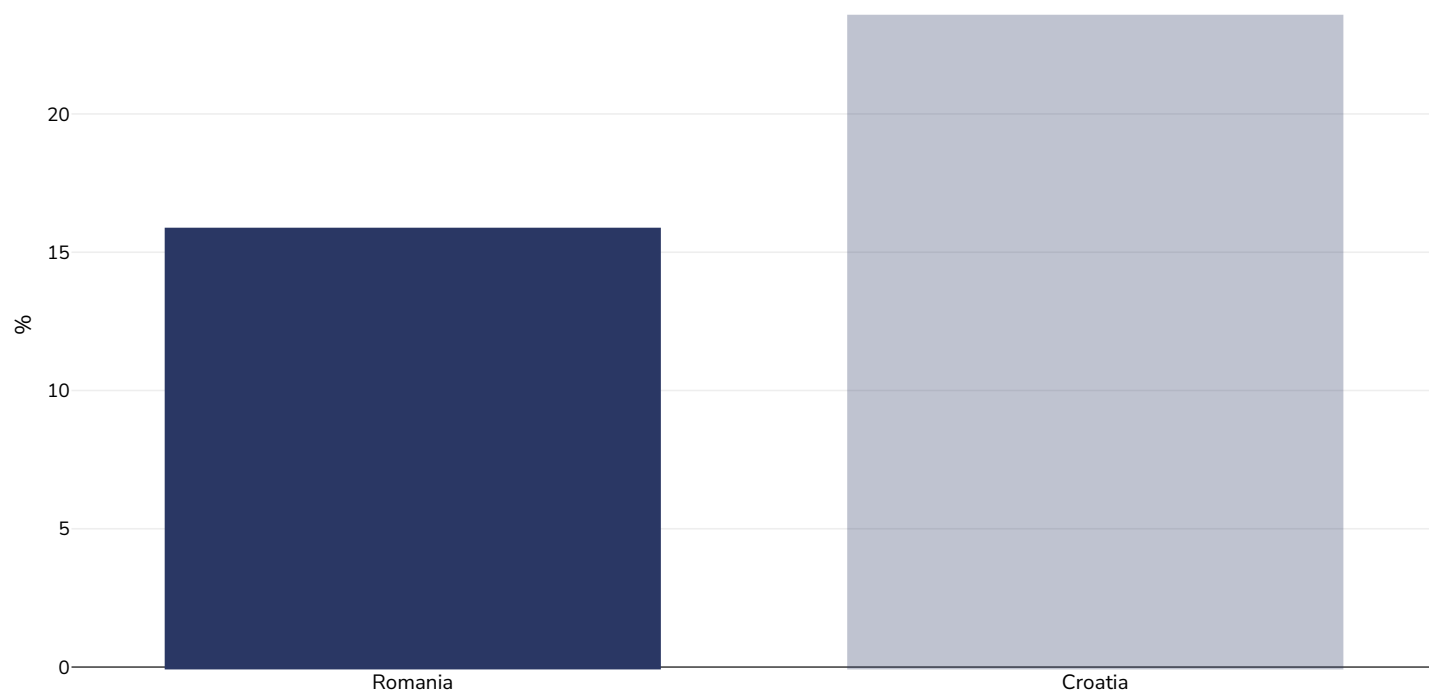


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Definitions: % of population with anxiety disorders

## % Infants exclusively breastfed 0-5 months

Infants, 1996-2004



References:

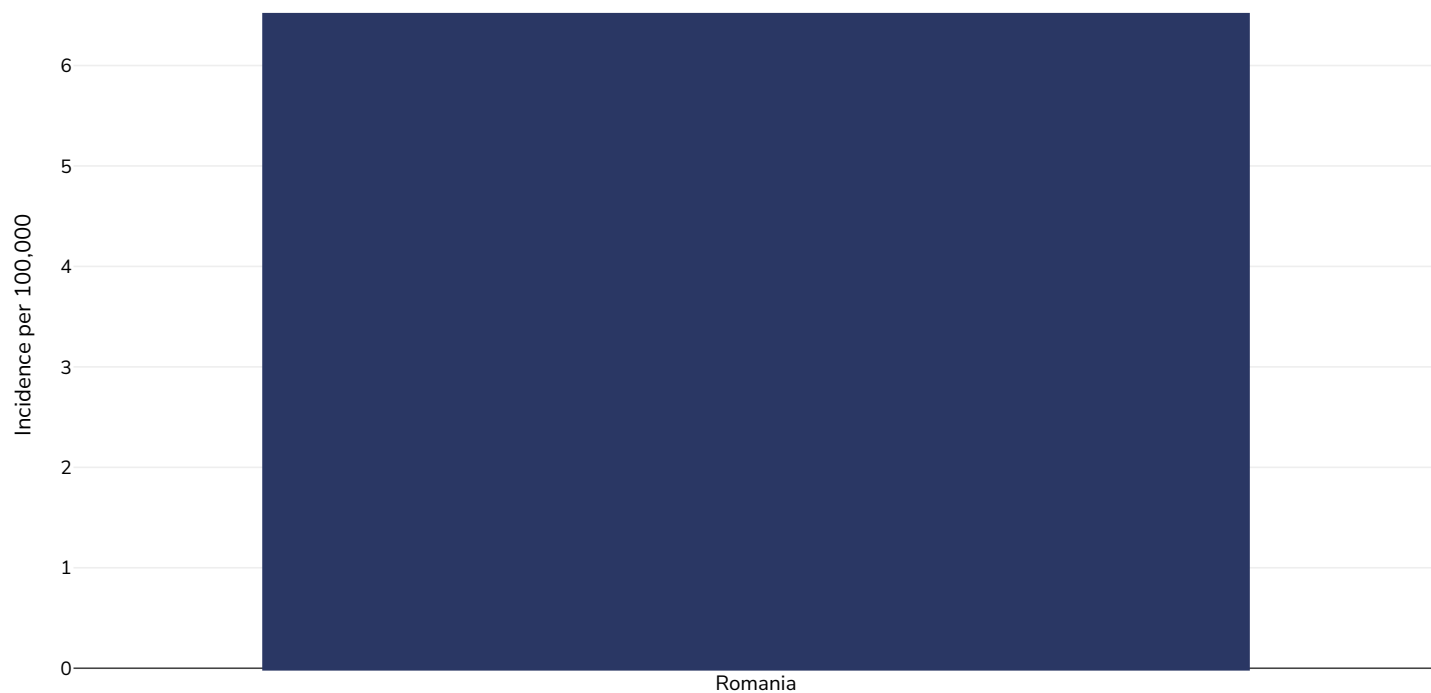
Romania Reproductive Health Survey 2004.

Notes:

Full details are available. Original citation United Nations Children's Fund, Division of Data, Analysis, Planning and Monitoring (2023). Global UNICEF Global Databases: Infant and Young Child Feeding: Exclusive breastfeeding, New York, October 2023.

## Oesophageal cancer

Men, 2022



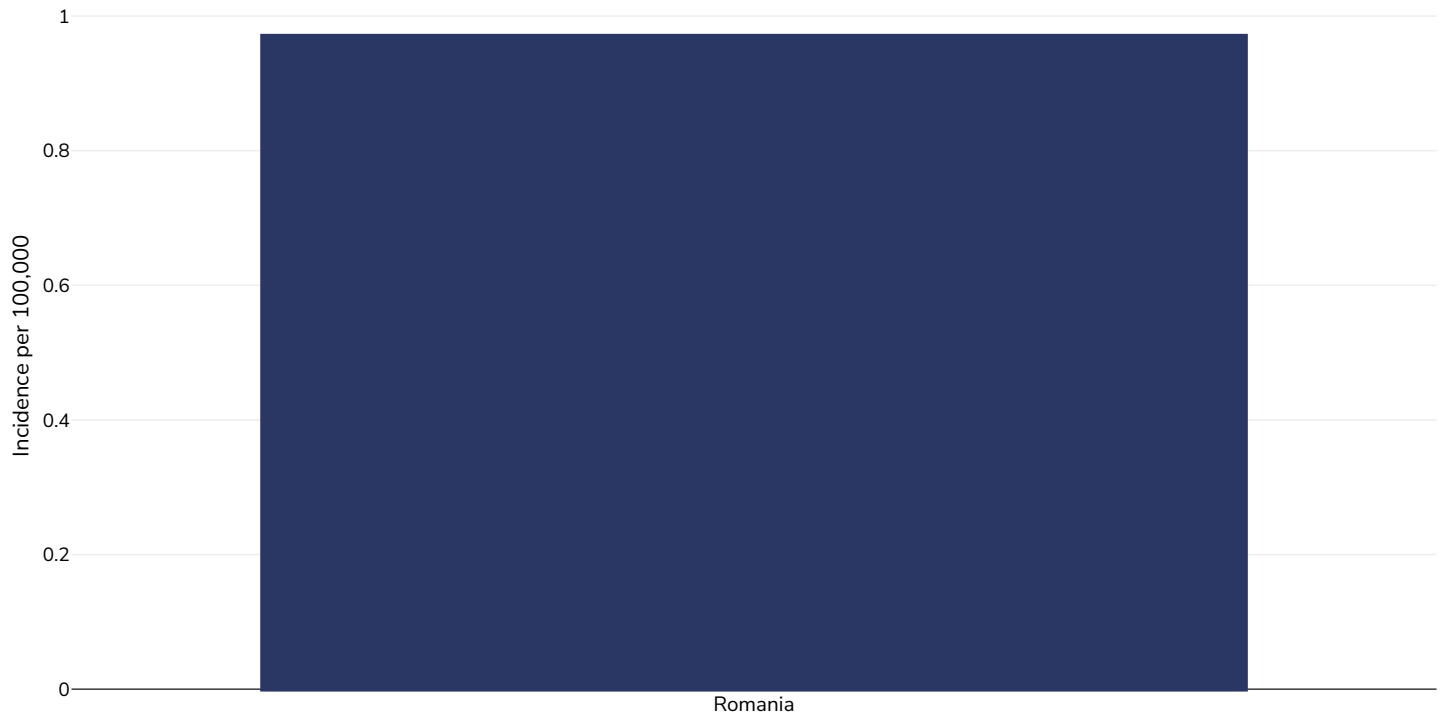
Age: 20+

Area covered: National

References: Ferlay J, Ervik M, Lam F, Laversanne M, Colombet M, Mery L, Piñeros M, Znaor A, Soerjomataram I, Bray F (2024). Global Cancer Observatory: Cancer Today. Lyon, France: International Agency for Research on Cancer. Available from: <https://gco.iarc.who.int/today>, accessed [16.07.24]

Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

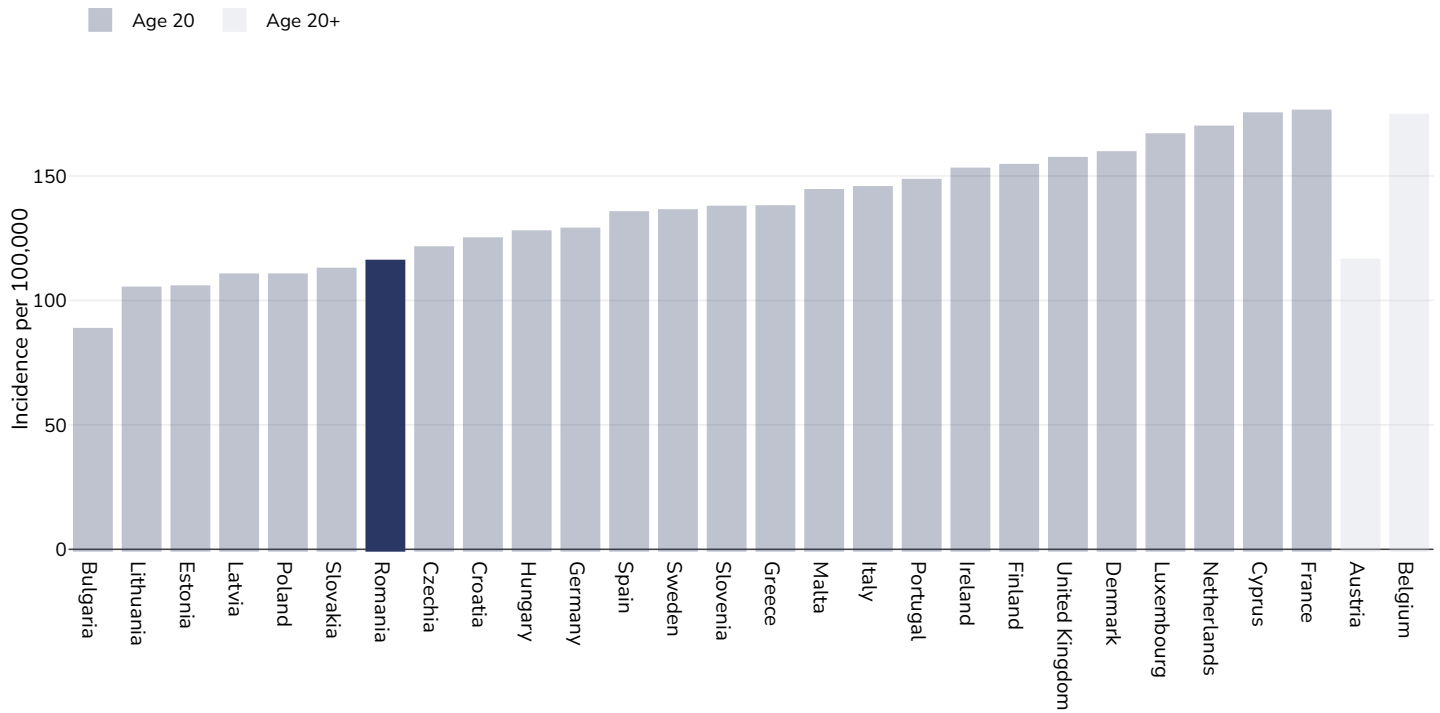
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Breast cancer

### Women, 2022



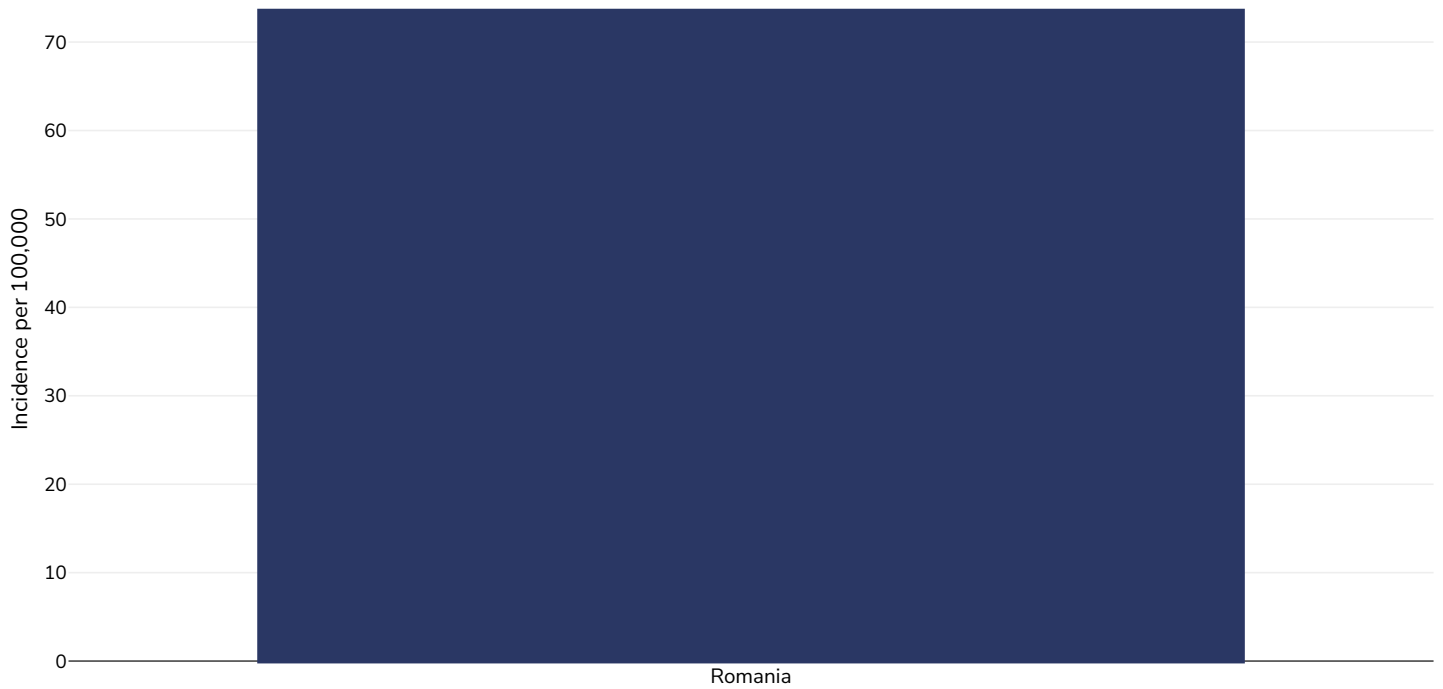
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Colorectal cancer

### Men, 2022



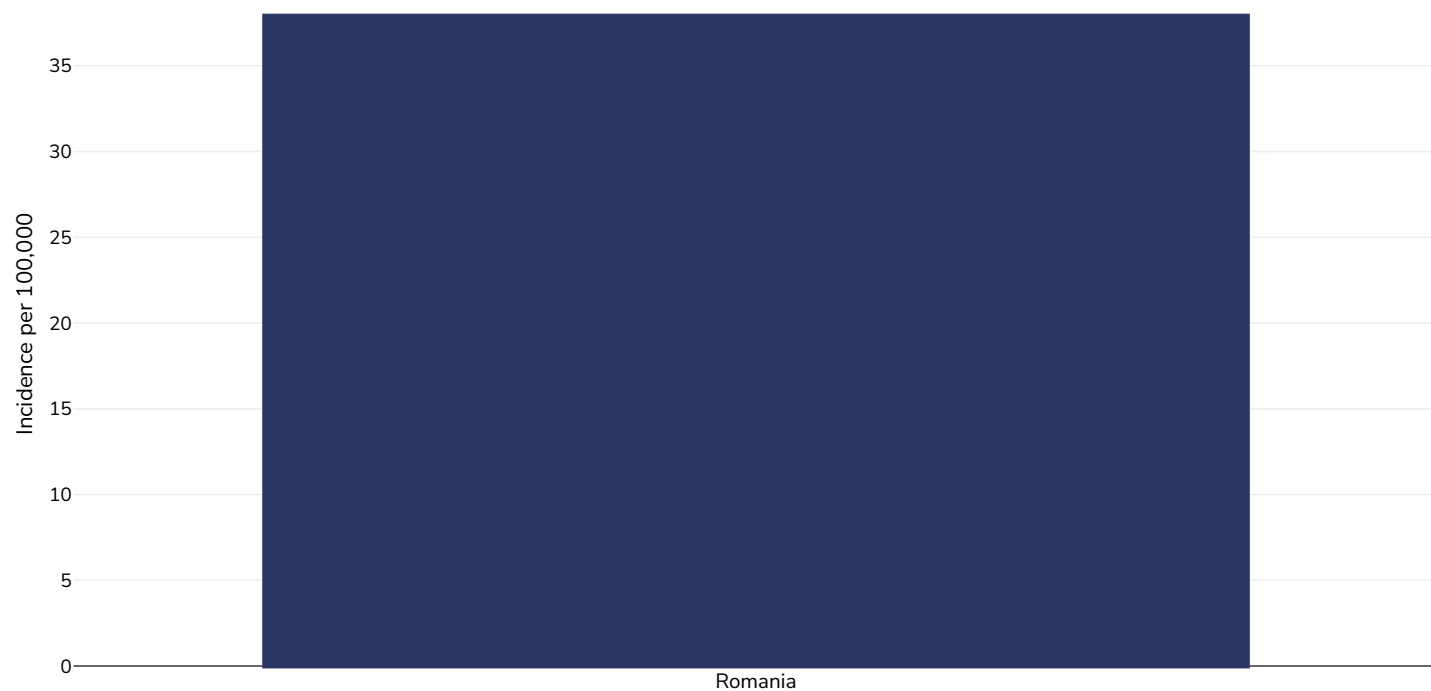
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Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

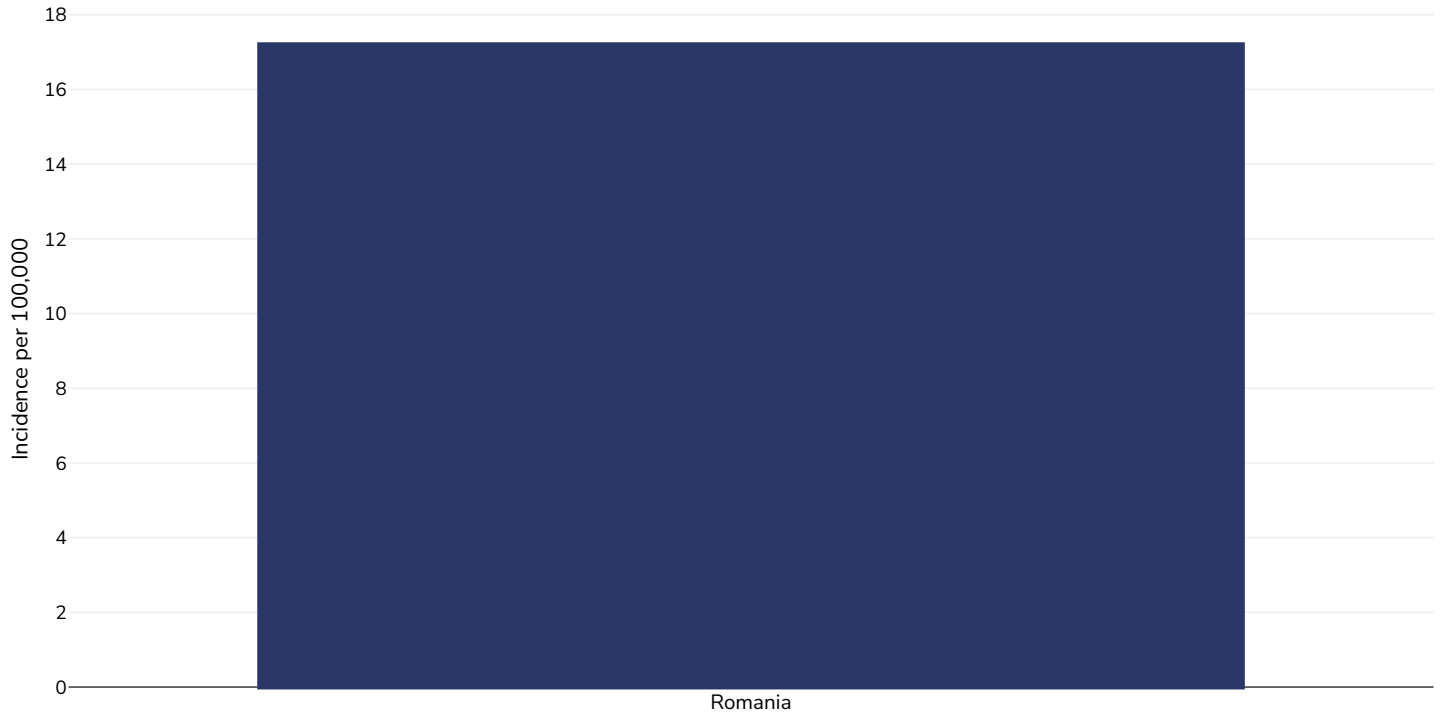
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000



## Pancreatic cancer

### Men, 2022



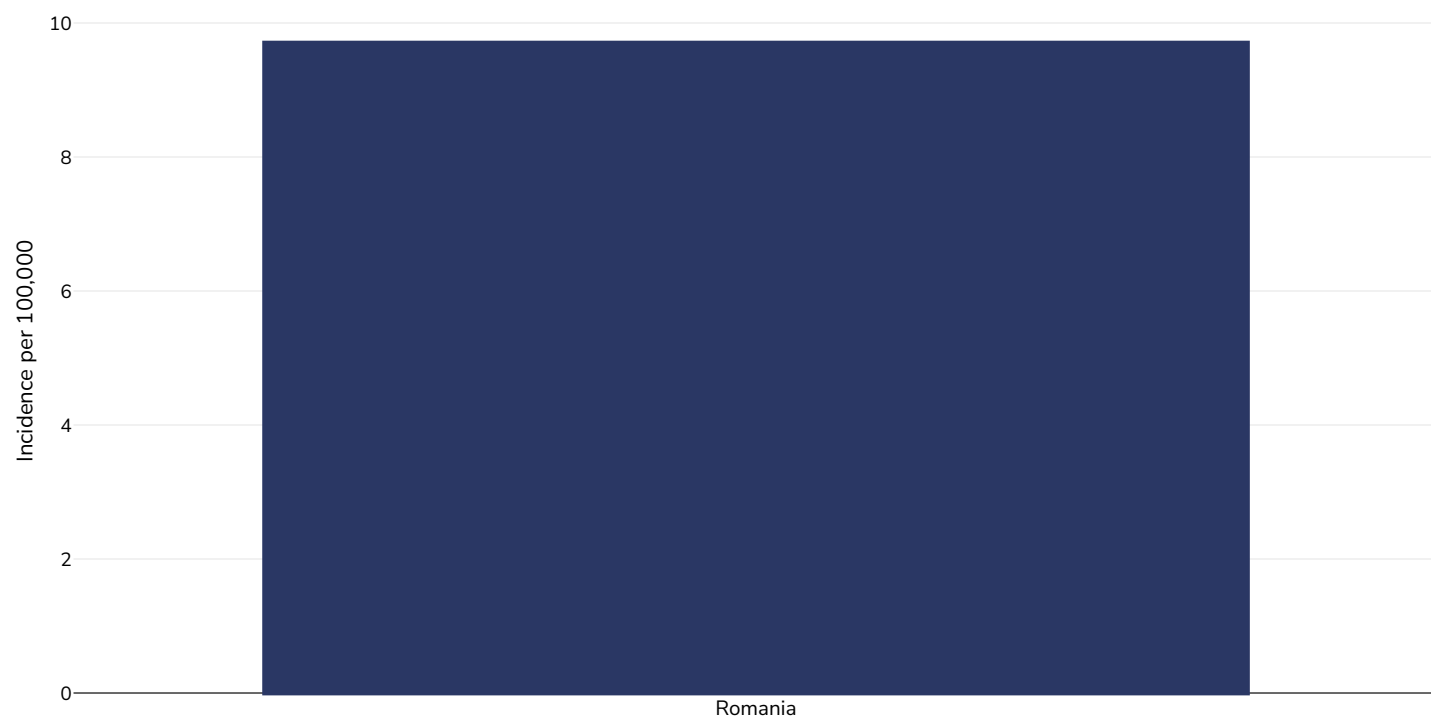
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Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

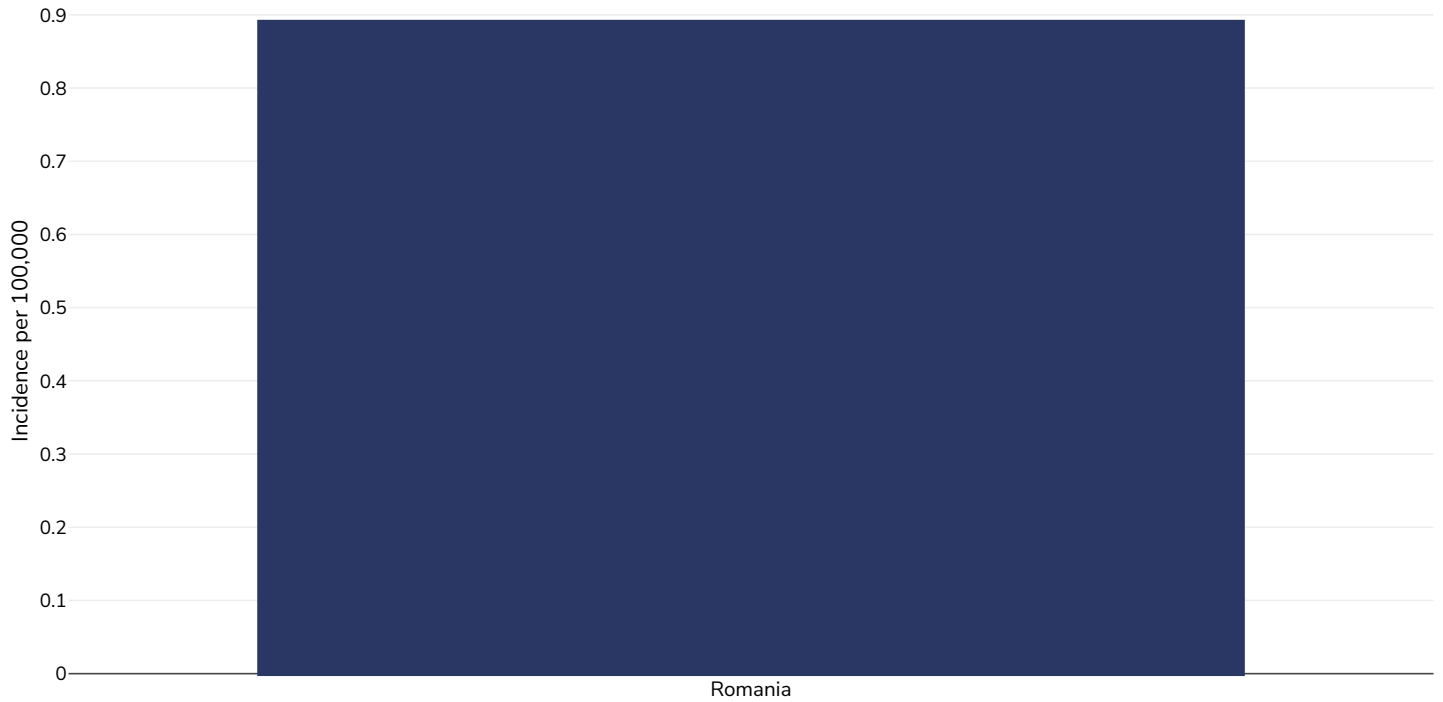
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Gallbladder cancer

### Men, 2022



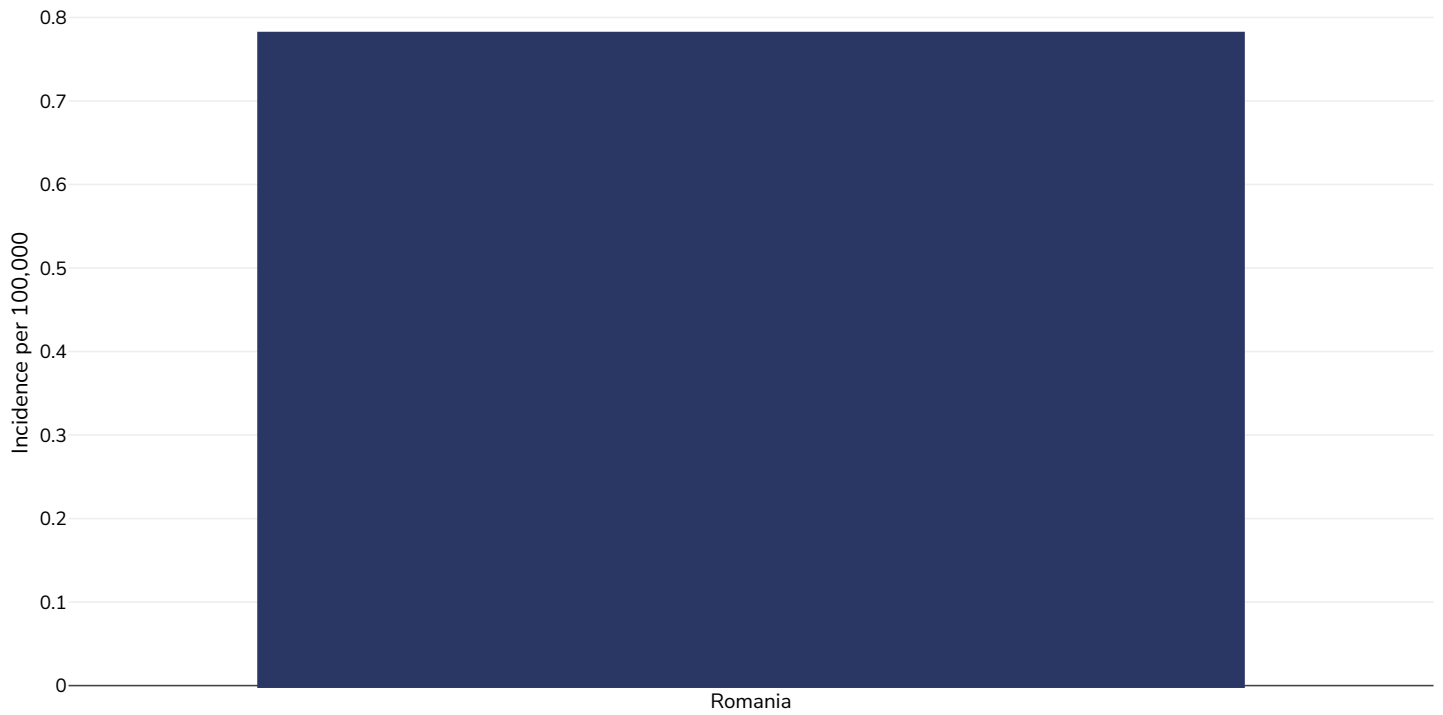
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Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

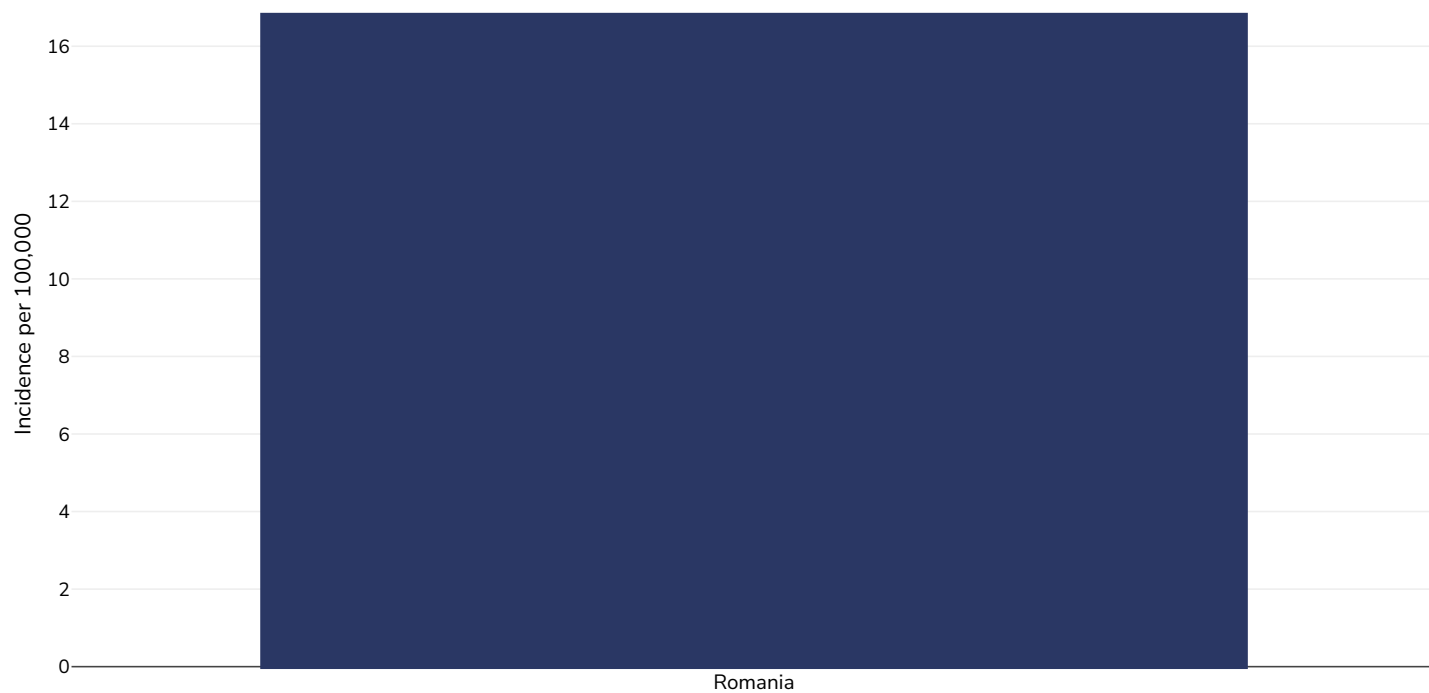
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Kidney cancer

### Men, 2022



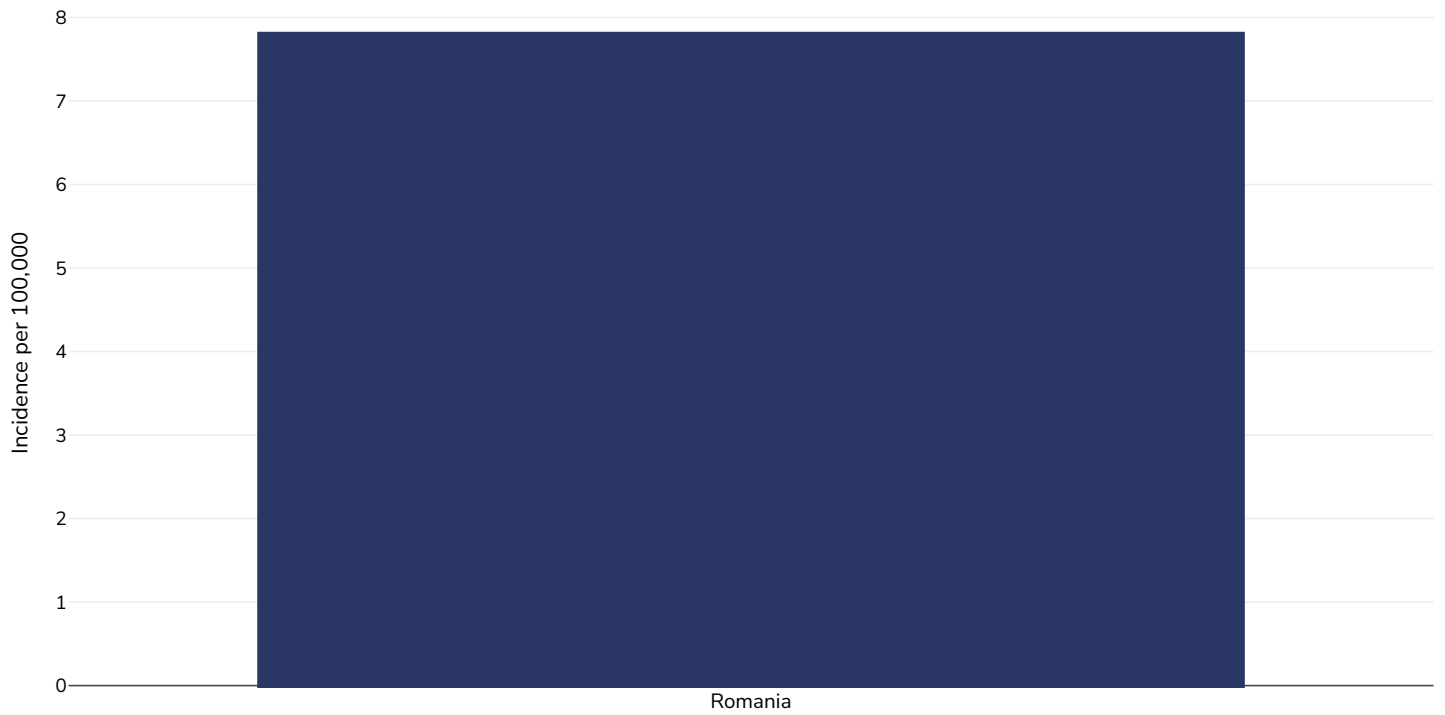
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

**Women, 2022**



Age: 20+

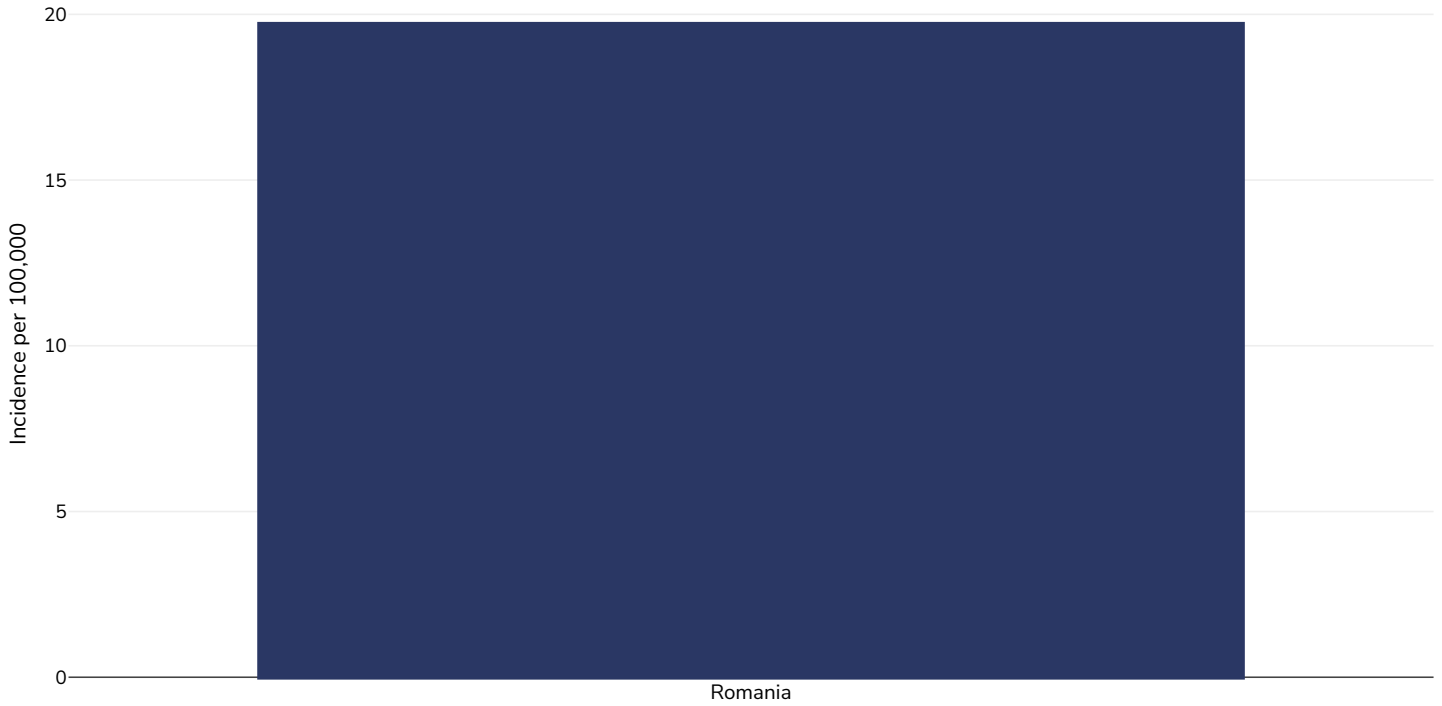
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Cancer of the uterus

### Women, 2022



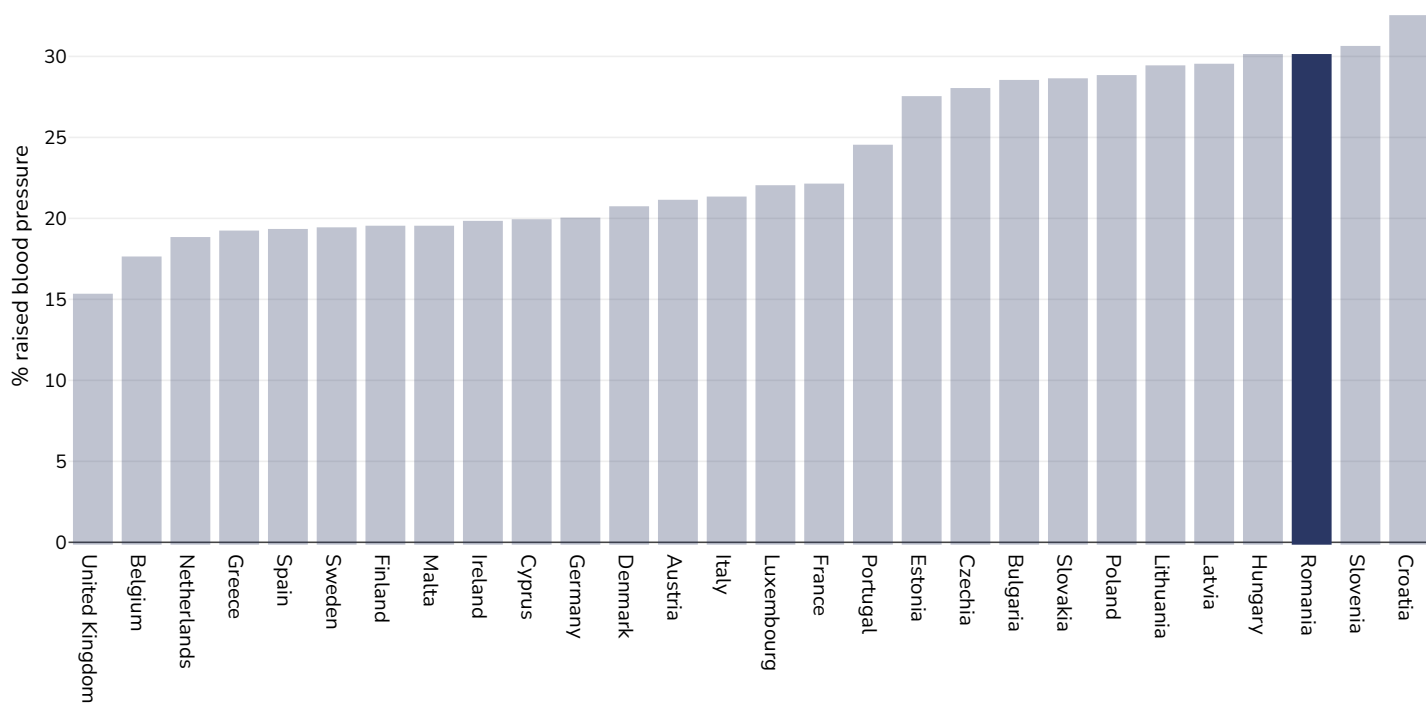
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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Raised blood pressure

### Adults, 2015



References:

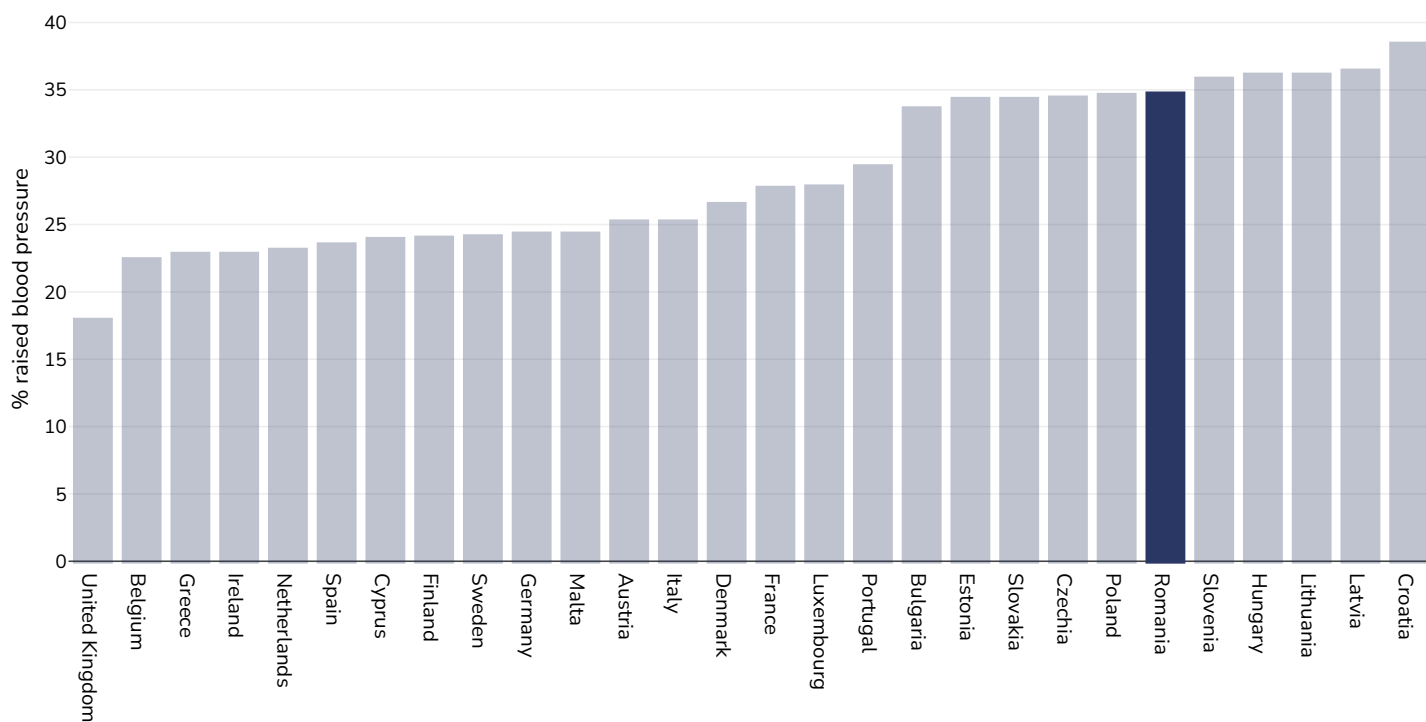
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP $\geq$ 140 OR DBP $\geq$ 90).



## Men, 2015



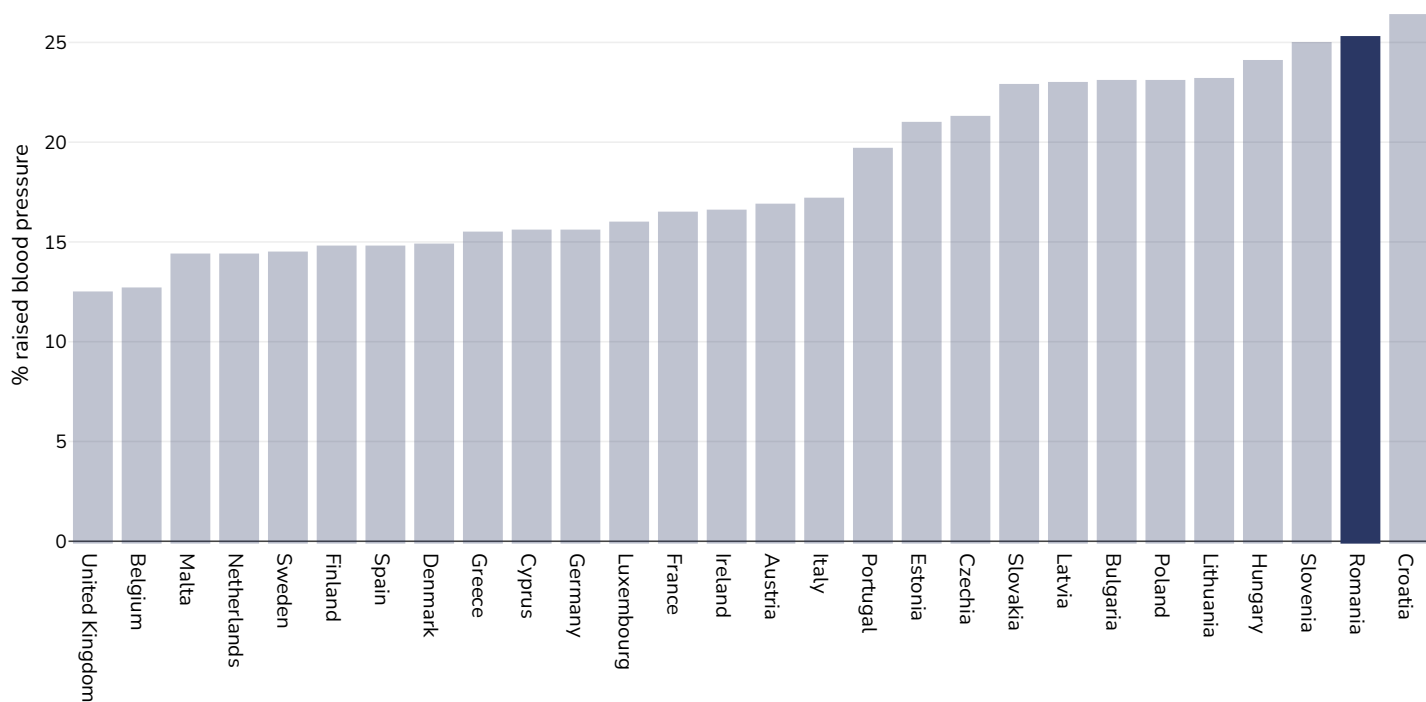
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP $\geq$ 140 OR DBP $\geq$ 90).

## Women, 2015



References:

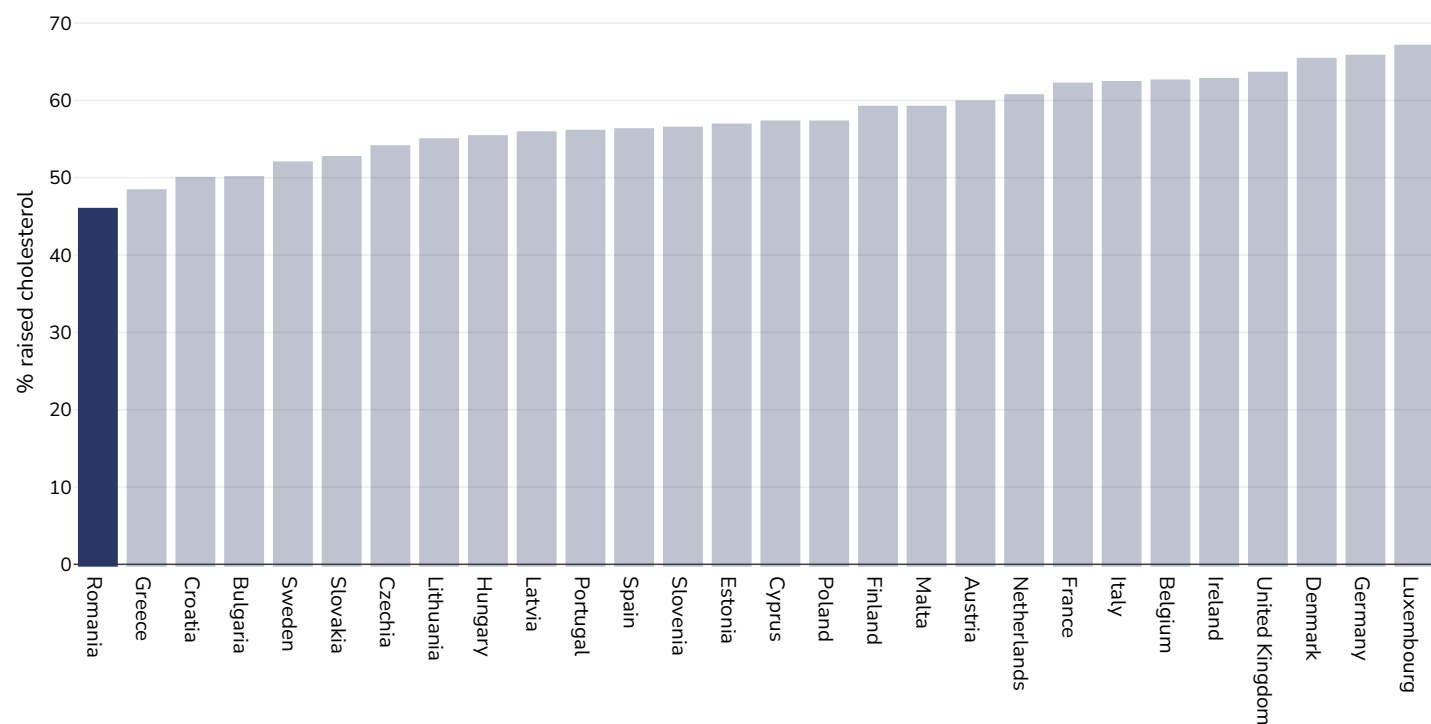
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP $\geq$ 140 OR DBP $\geq$ 90).

## Raised cholesterol

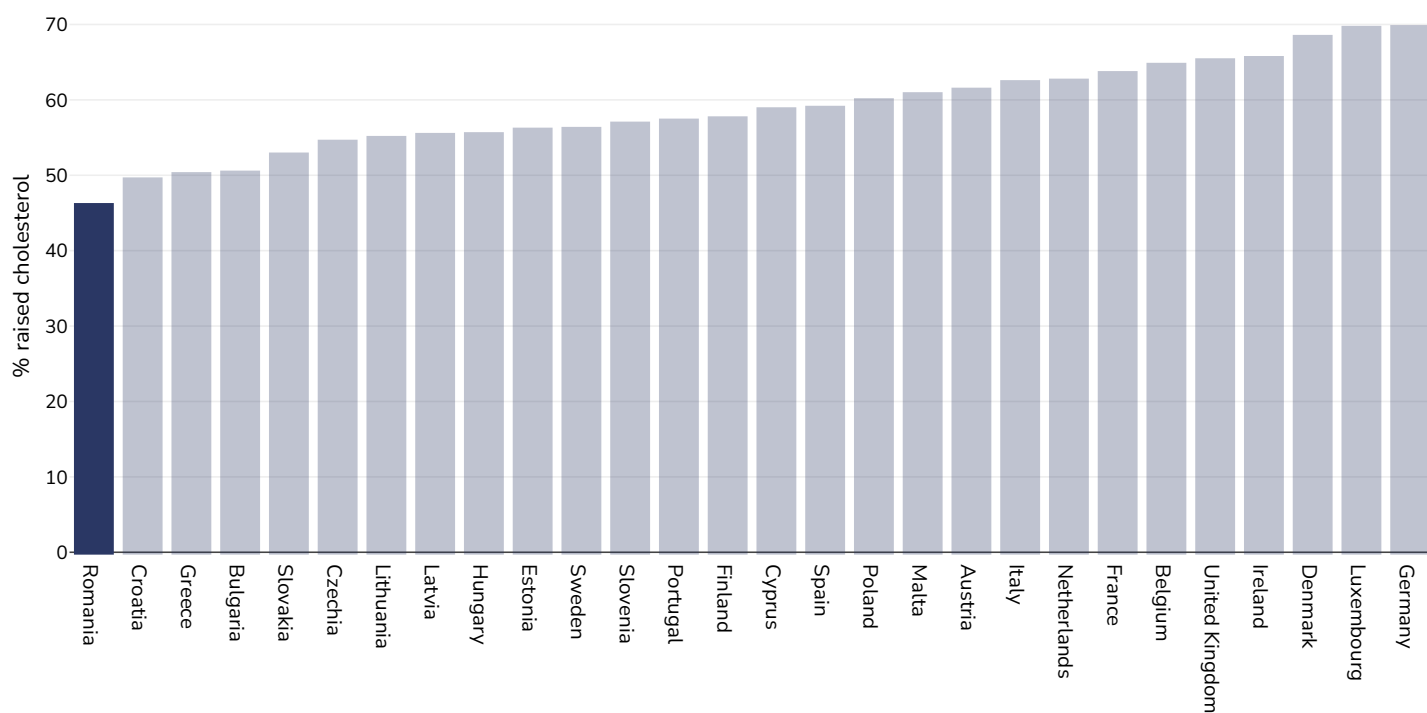
### Adults, 2008



References: Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A885>

Definitions: % Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 5.0$  mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

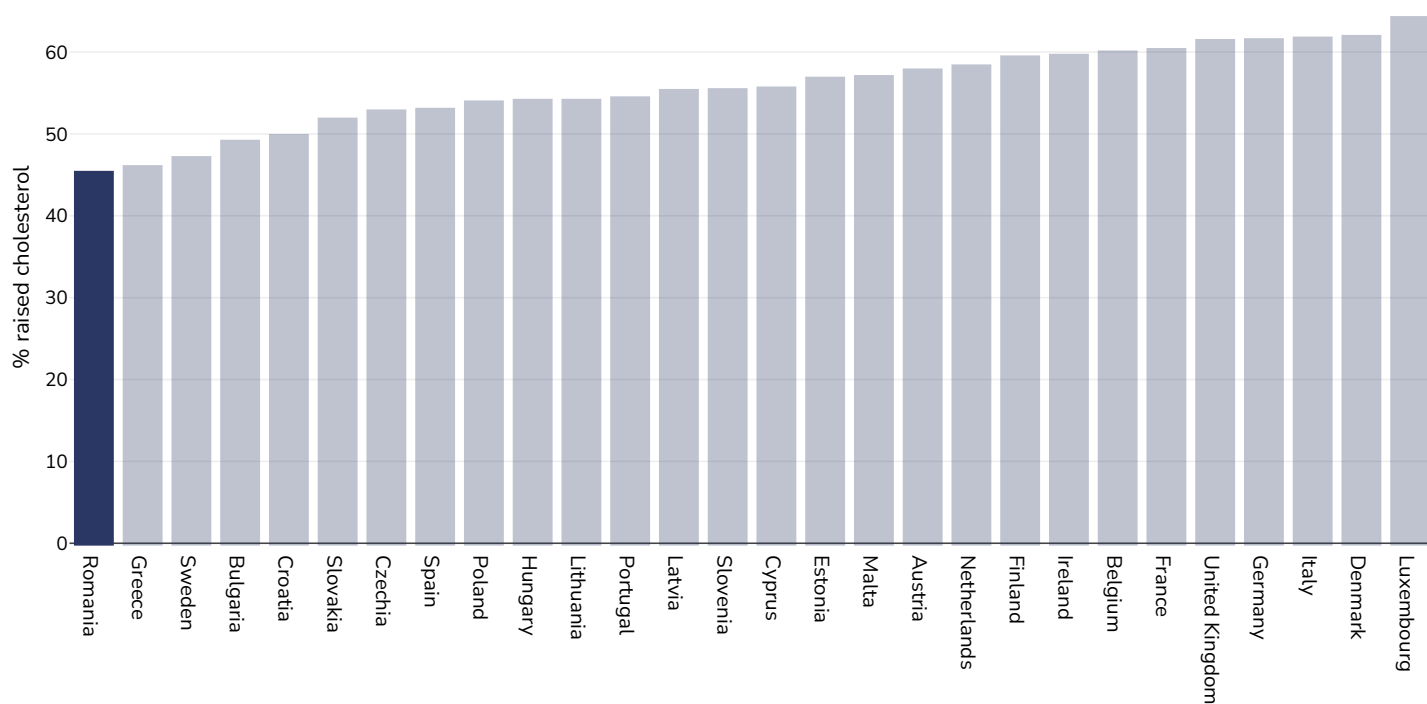
## Men, 2008



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Definitions: % Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 5.0$  mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

## Women, 2008

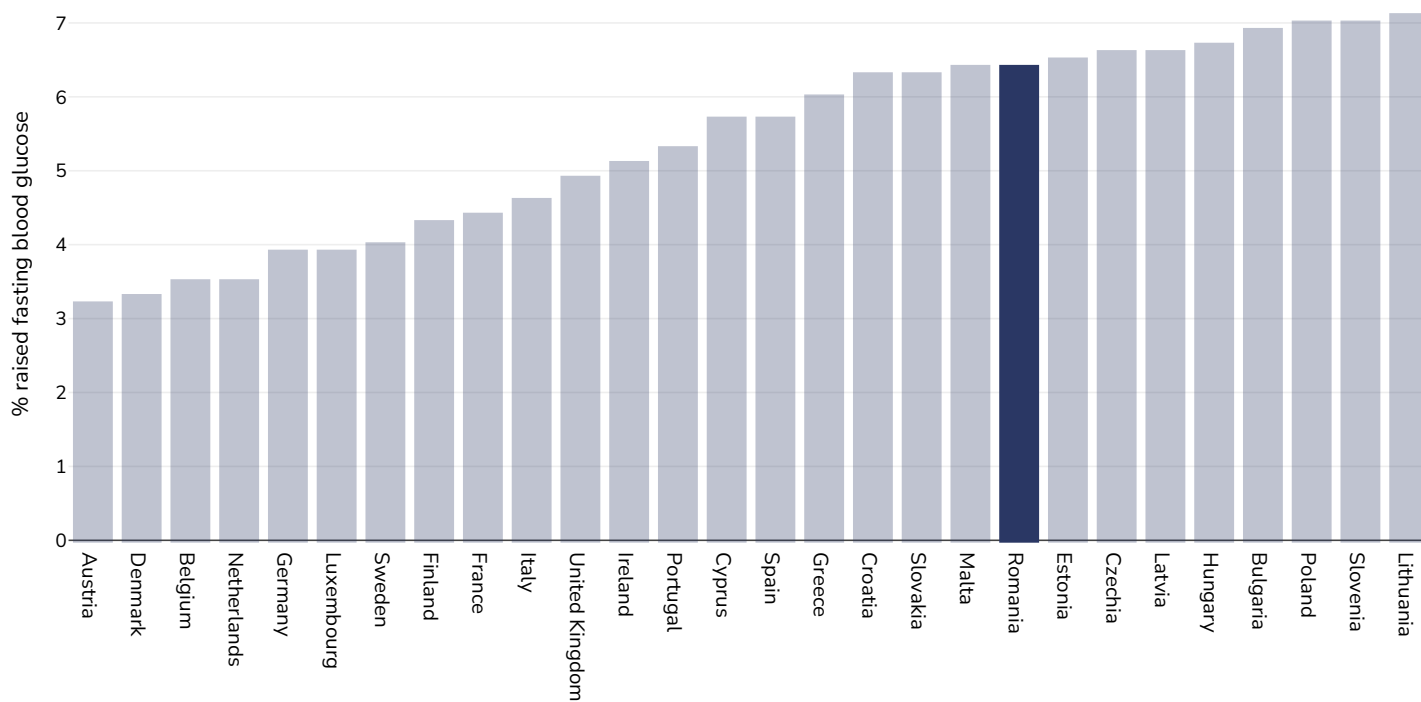


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Definitions: % Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 5.0$  mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

## Raised fasting blood glucose

Men, 2014



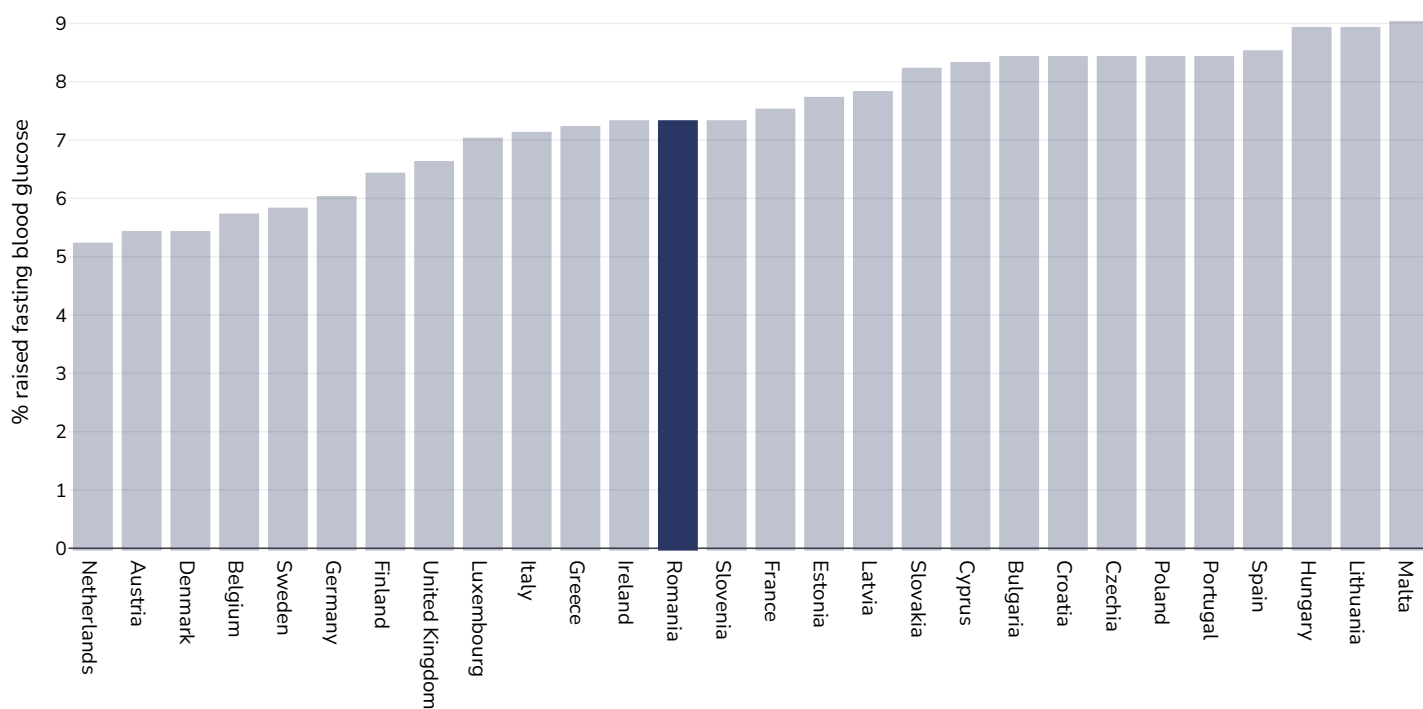
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Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation,  
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Definitions:

Age Standardised % raised fasting blood glucose ( $\geq 7.0$  mmol/L or on medication).

## Women, 2014



References:

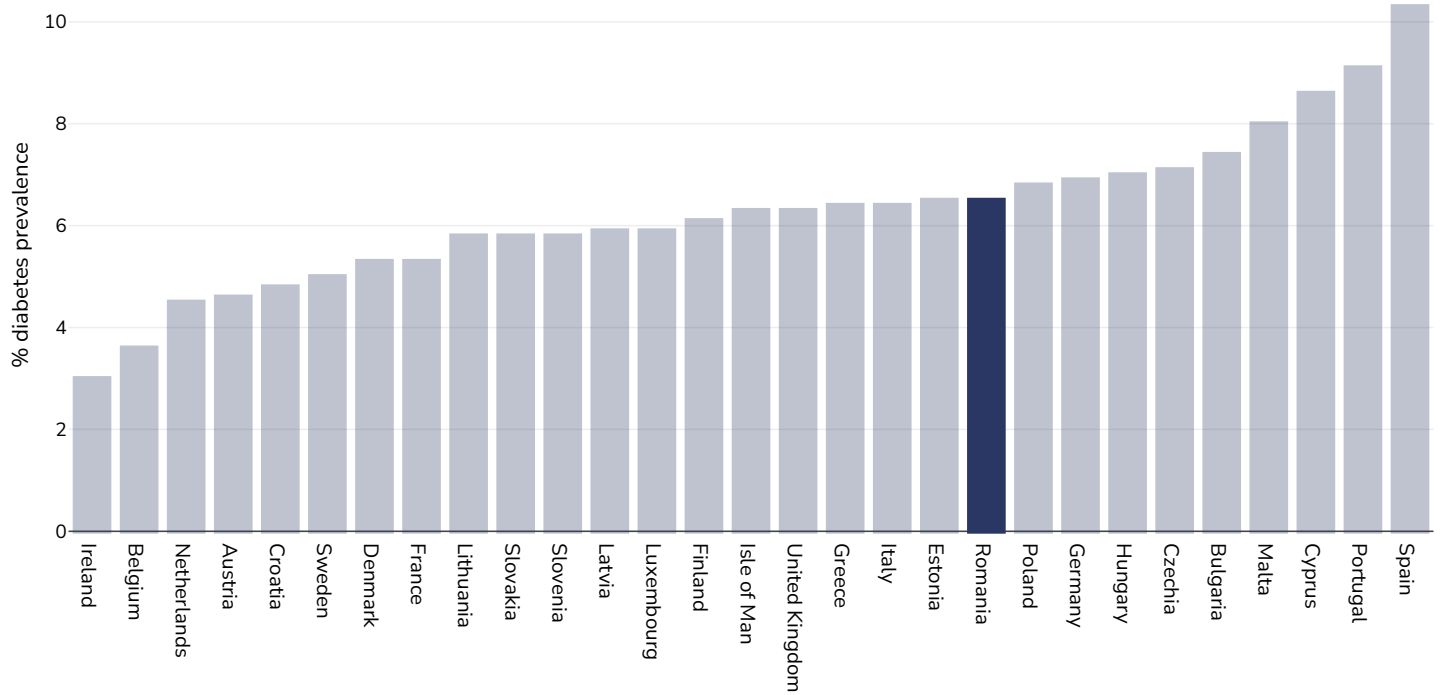
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Definitions:

Age Standardised % raised fasting blood glucose ( $\geq 7.0$  mmol/L or on medication).

## Diabetes prevalence

### Adults, 2021



Age: 20-79

Area covered: National

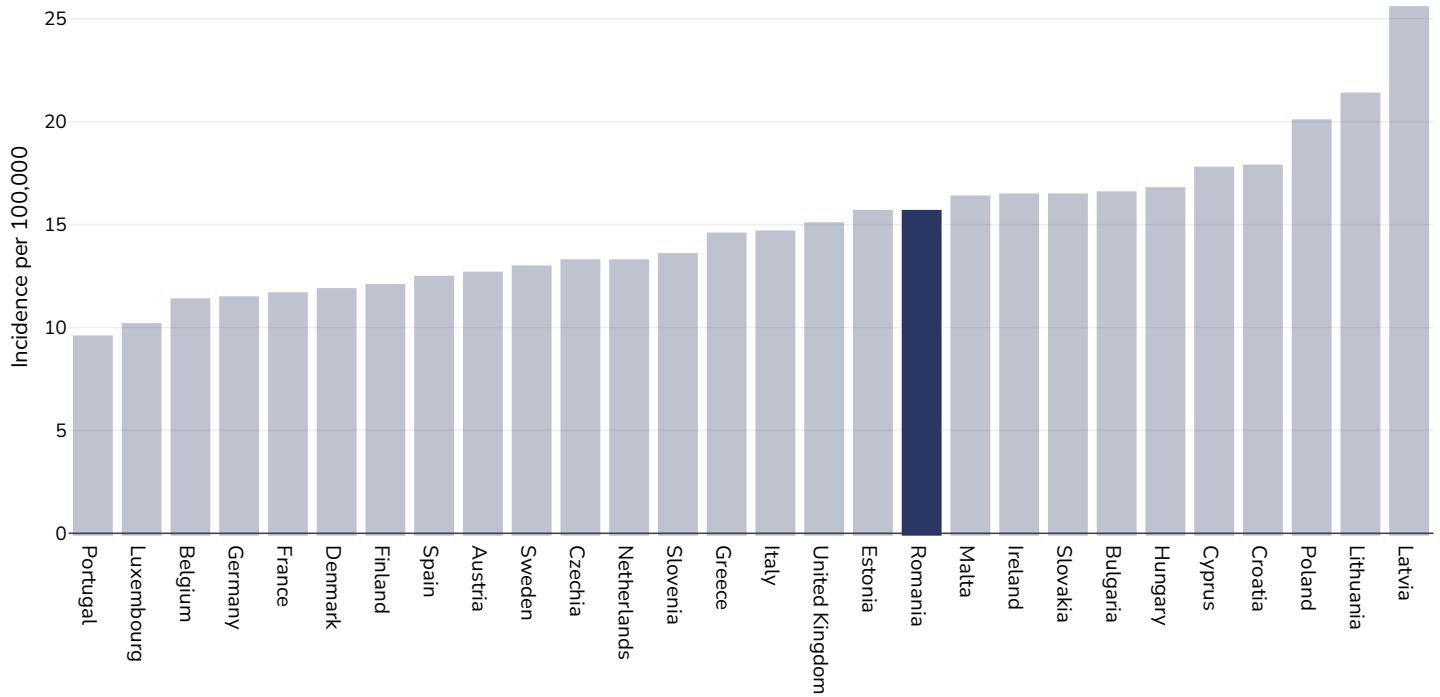
References: Reproduced with kind permission International Diabetes Federation. IDF Diabetes Atlas, 10th edn. Brussels, Belgium:International Diabetes Federation, 2021. <http://www.diabetesatlas.org>

Definitions: Age-adjusted comparative prevalence of diabetes, %



## Ovarian Cancer

### Women, 2022



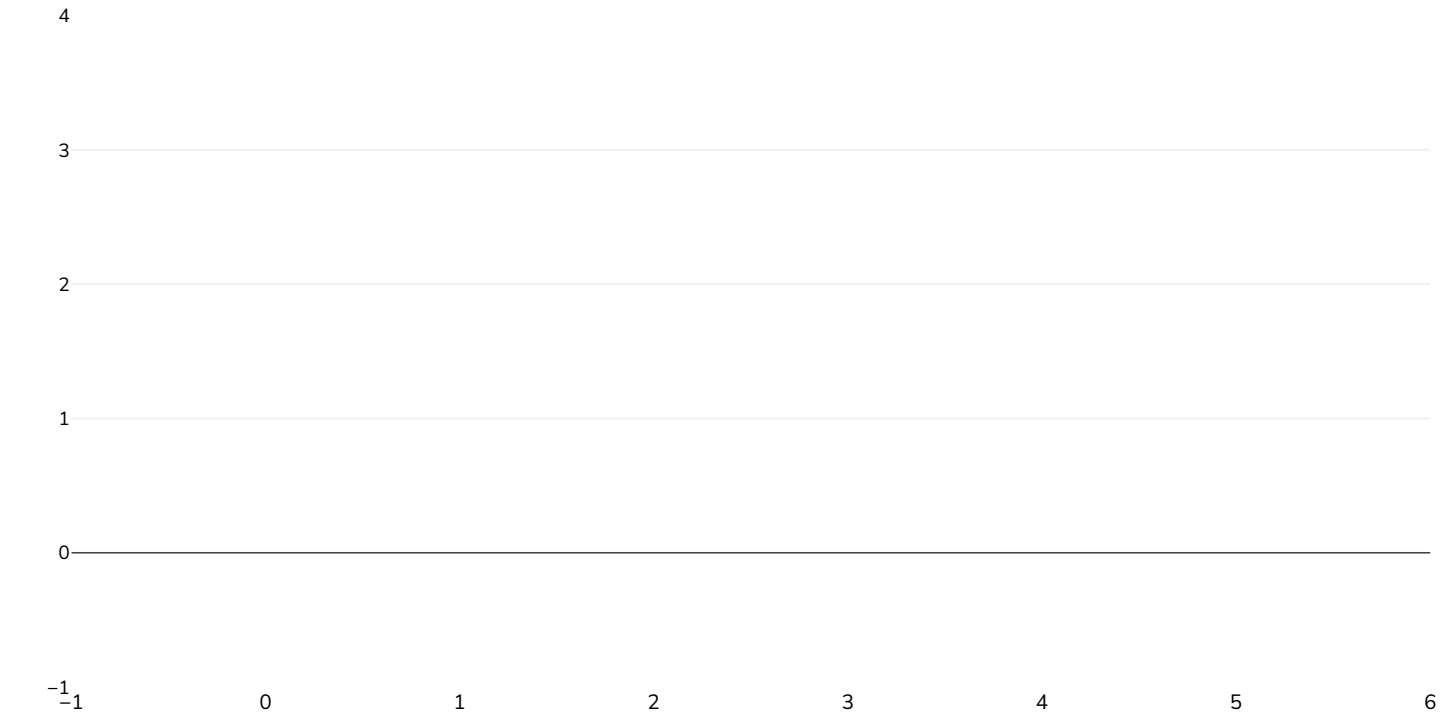
Age: 20+

References: Ferlay J, Ervik M, Lam F, Laversanne M, Colombet M, Mery L, Piñeros M, Znaor A, Soerjomataram I, Bray F (2024). Global Cancer Observatory: Cancer Today. Lyon, France: International Agency for Research on Cancer. Available from: <https://gco.iarc.who.int/today>, accessed [16.07.24]

Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Leukemia

### Men, 2022



Age: 20+

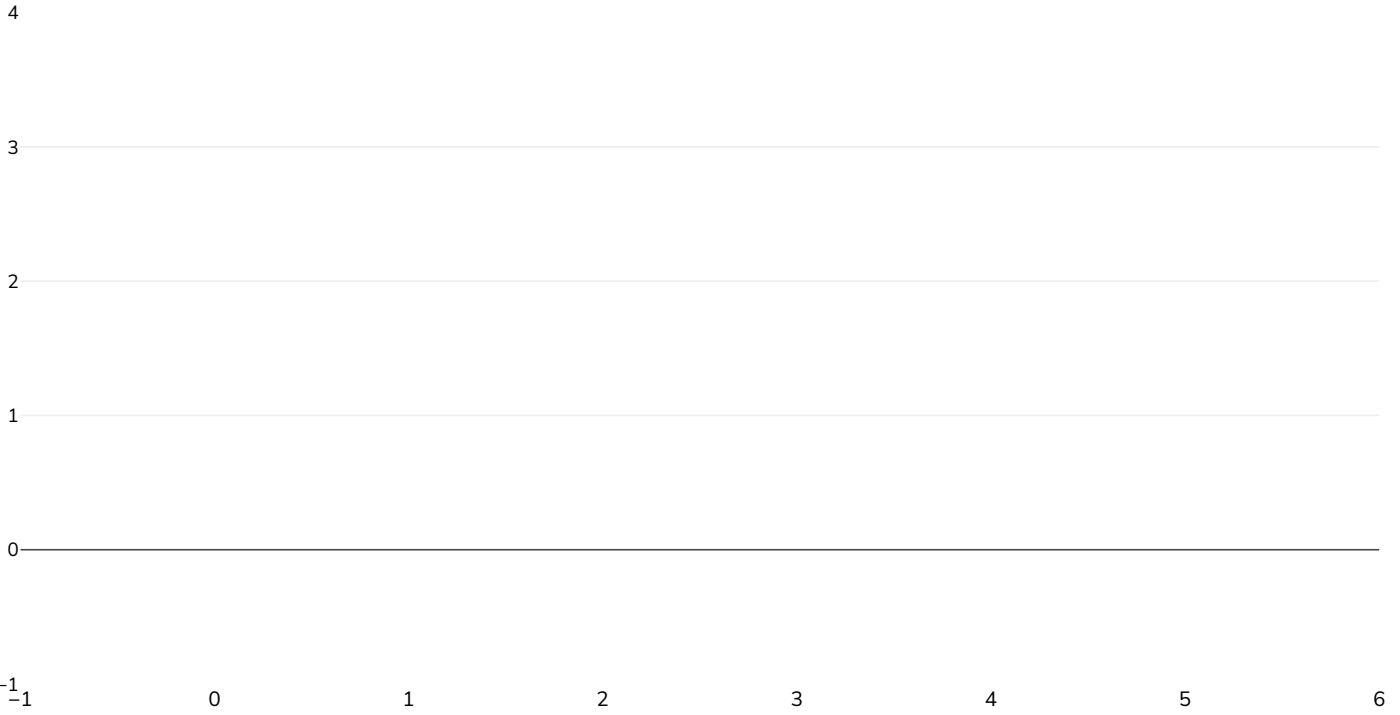
Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

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## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

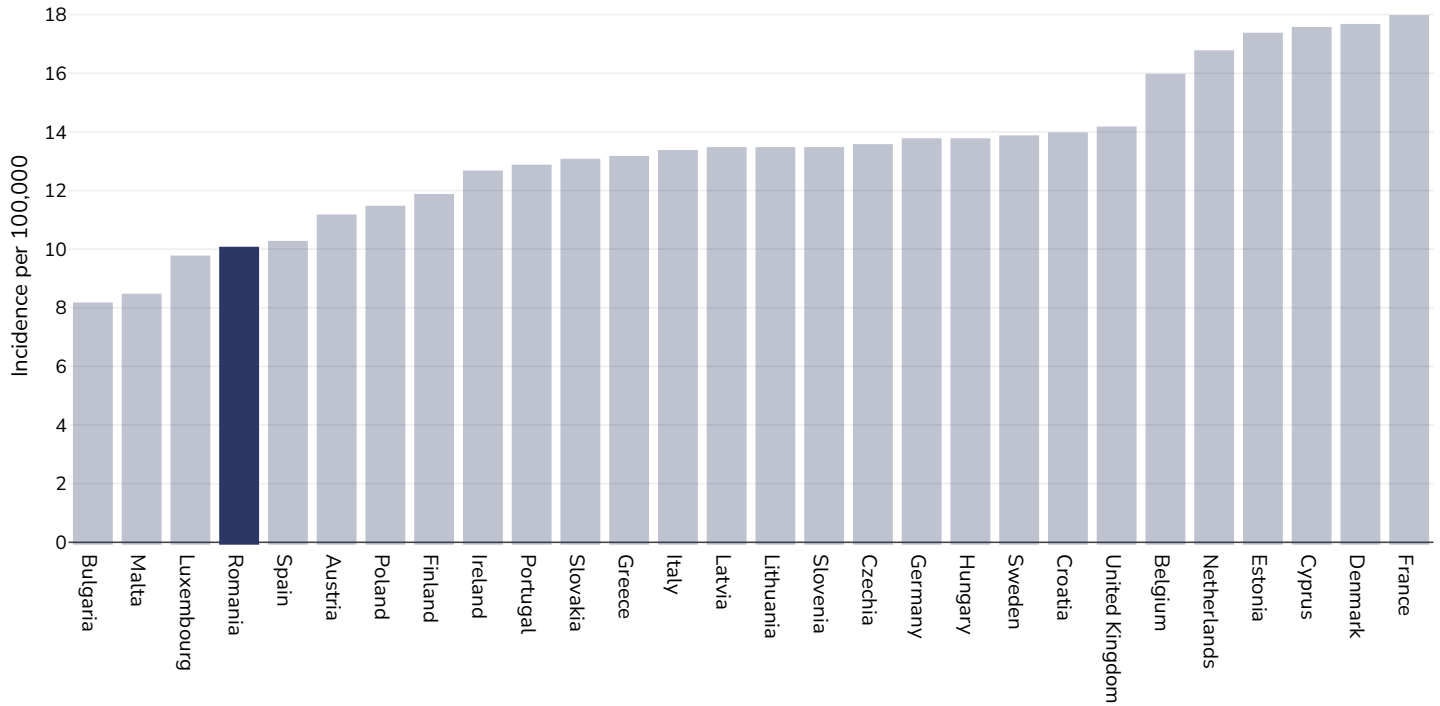
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## Leukemia

### Men, 2022



Age: 20+

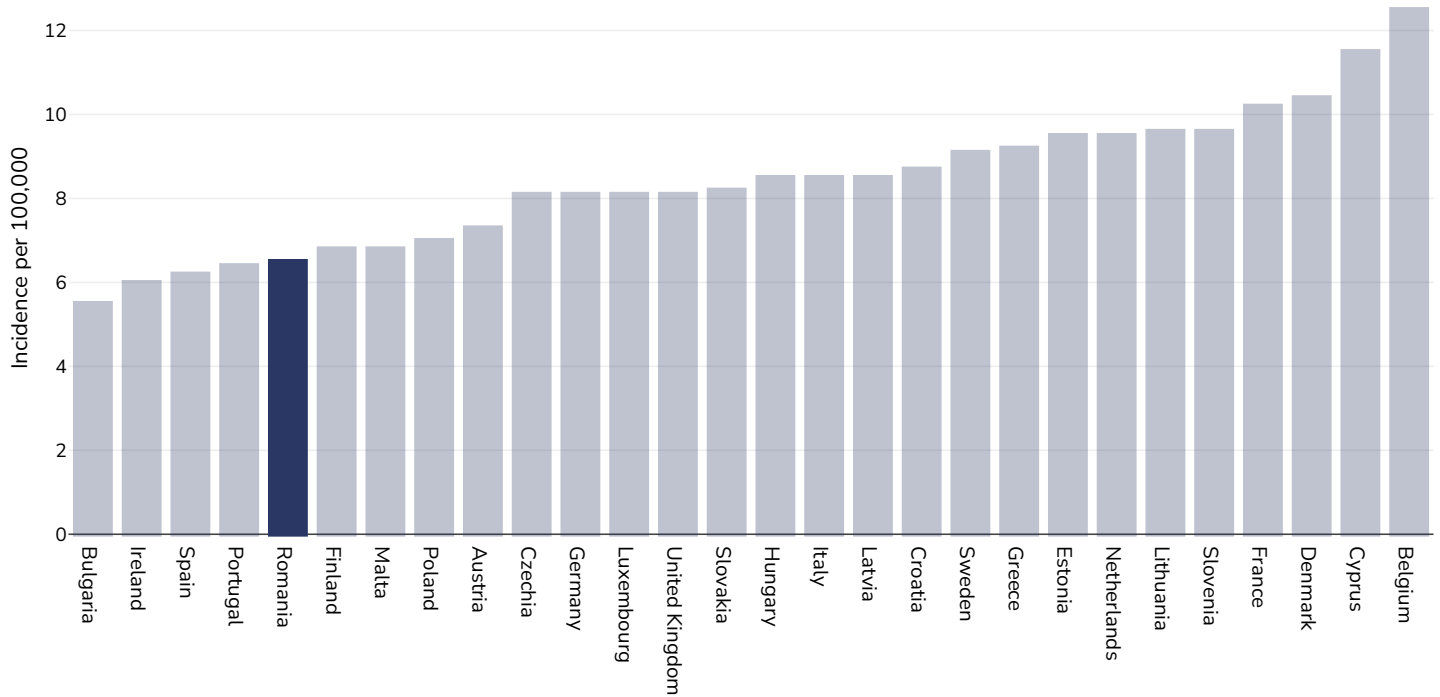
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## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

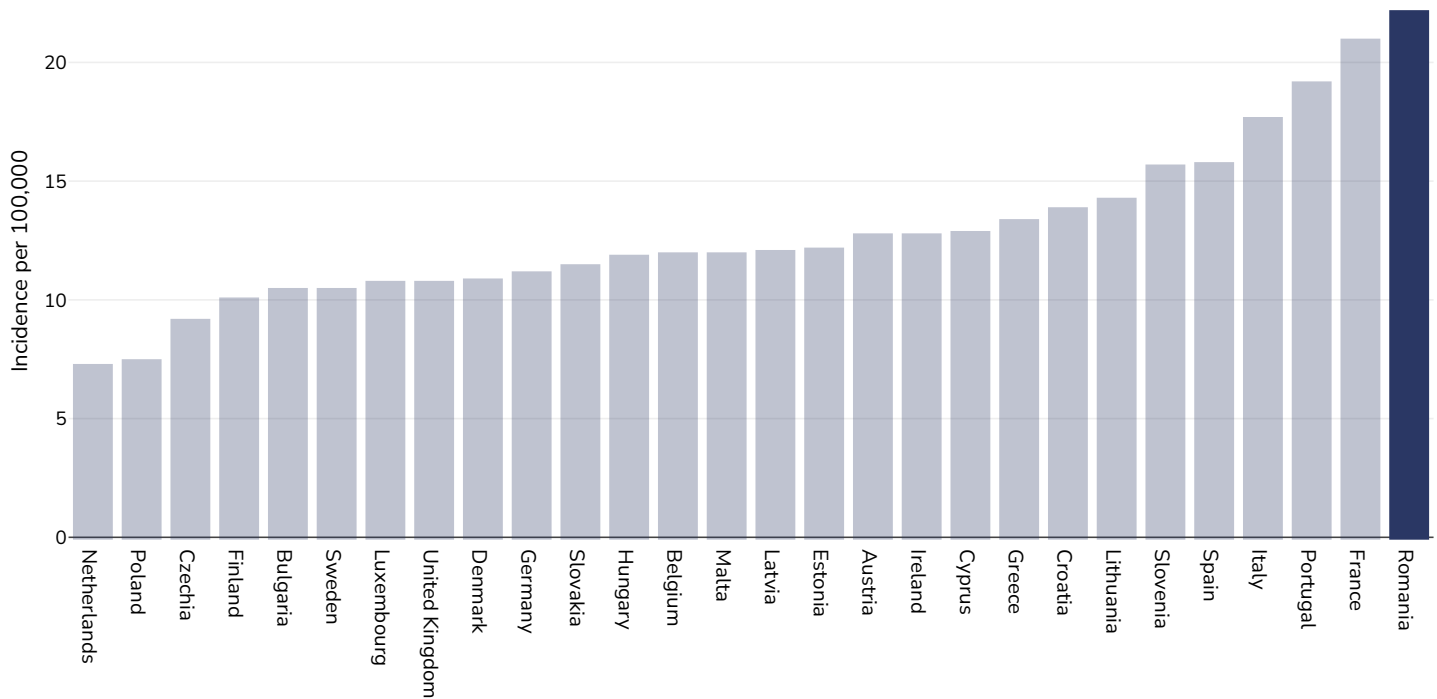
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## Liver and intrahepatic bile duct Cancer

Men, 2022



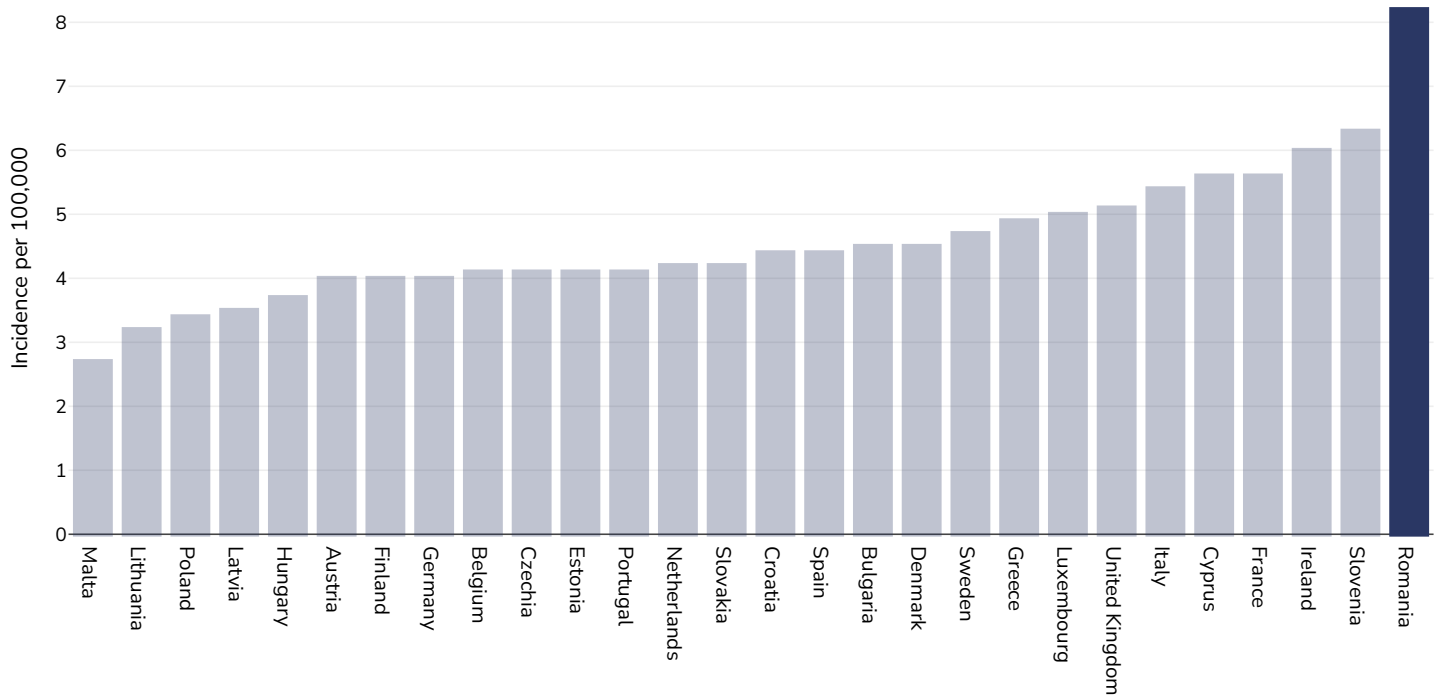
Age: 20+

Area covered: National

References: Ferlay J, Ervik M, Lam F, Laversanne M, Colombet M, Mery L, Piñeros M, Znaor A, Soerjomataram I, Bray F (2024). Global Cancer Observatory: Cancer Today. Lyon, France: International Agency for Research on Cancer. Available from: <https://gco.iarc.who.int/today>, accessed [16.07.24]

Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

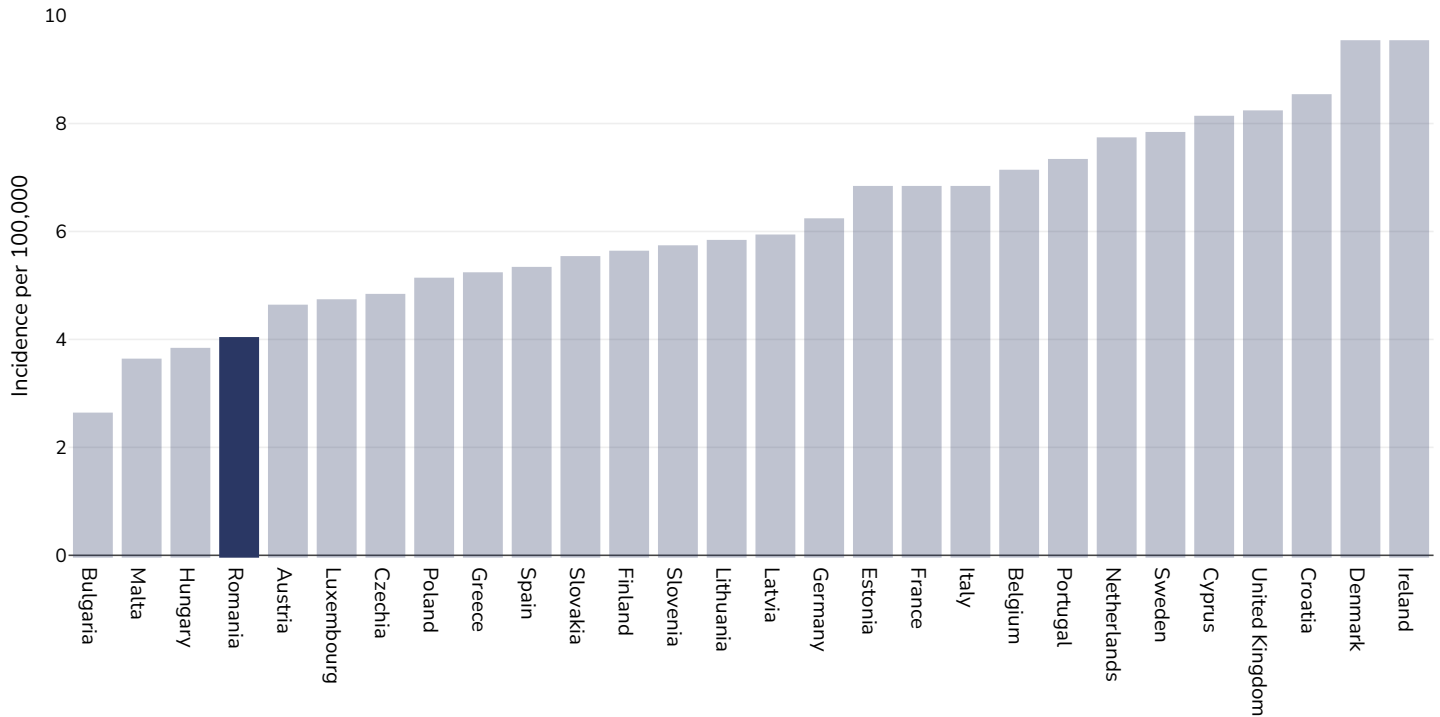
Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Multiple Myeloma

### Men, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

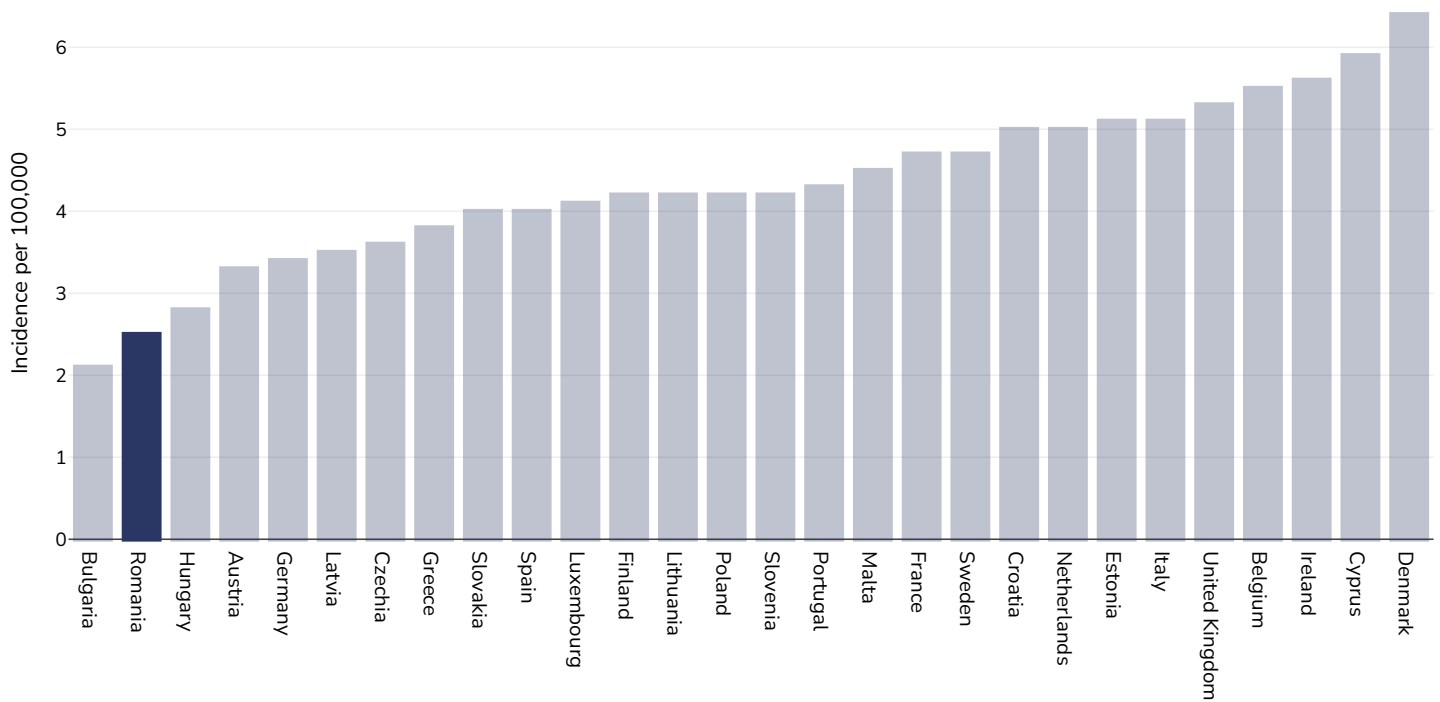
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## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

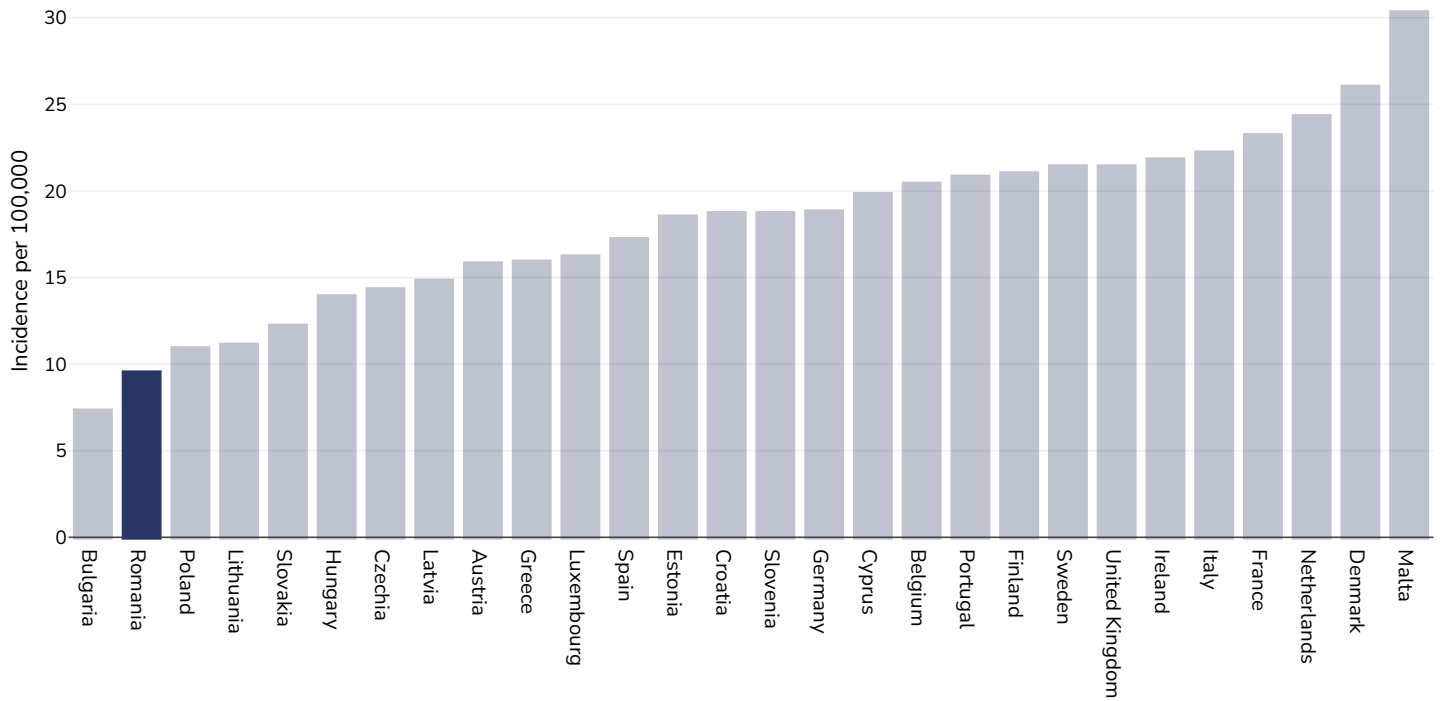
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## Non Hodgkin Lymphoma

### Men, 2022



Age: 20+

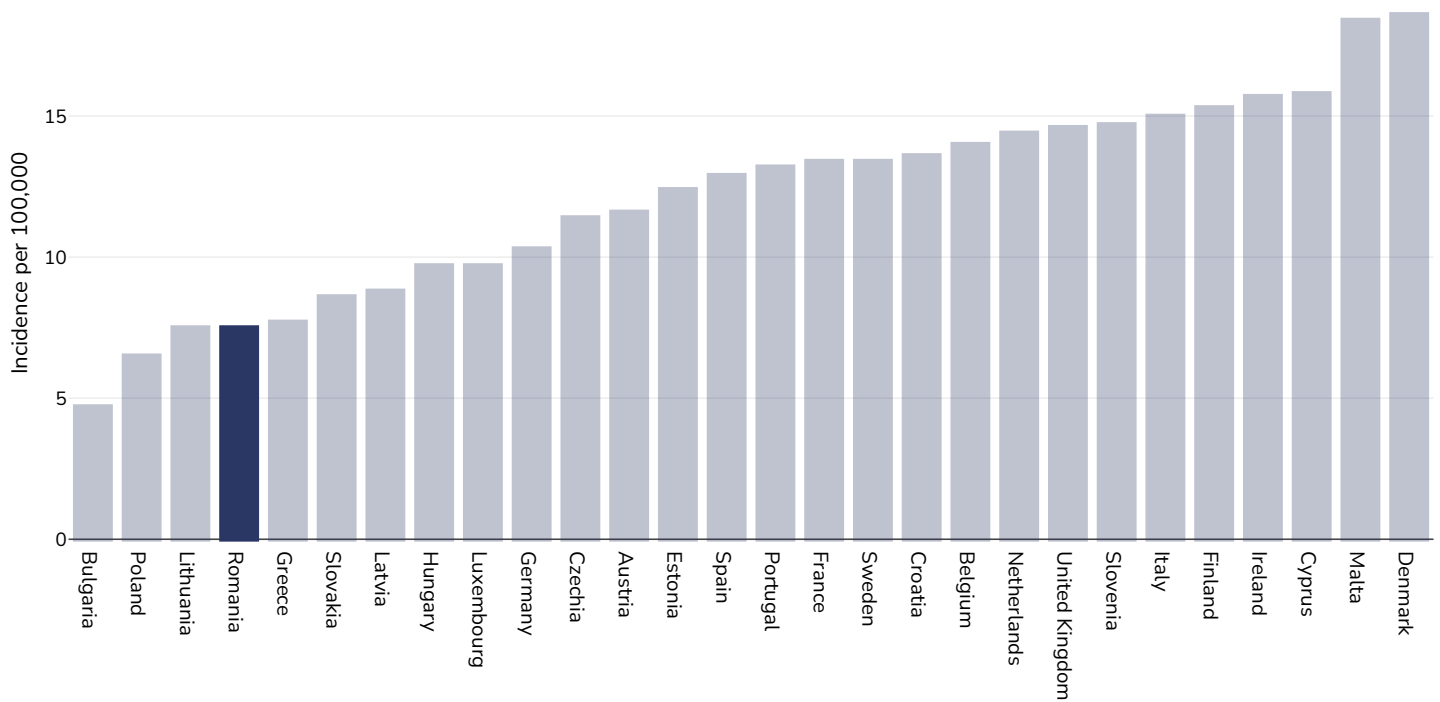
Area covered: National

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## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

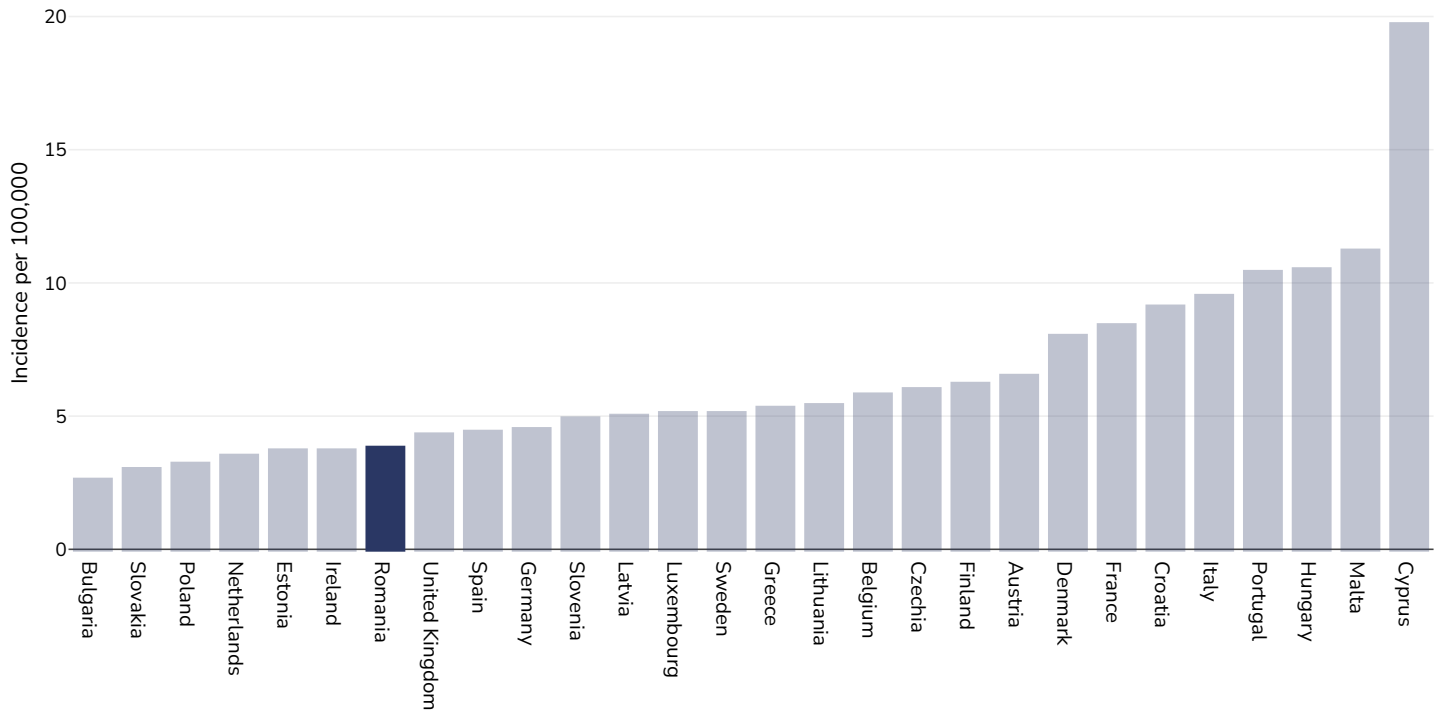
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## Thyroid Cancer

### Men, 2022



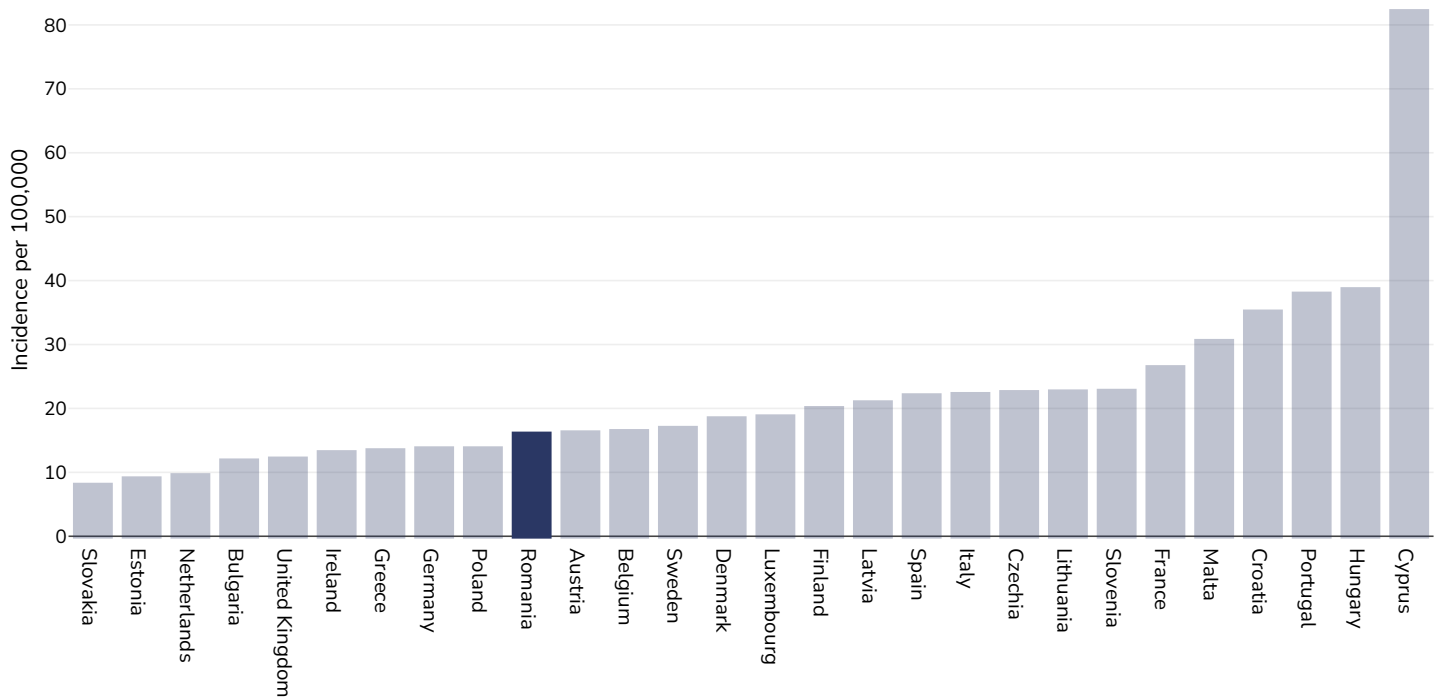
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Area covered: National

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## Women, 2022



Age: 20+

Area covered: National

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Definitions: Incidence per 100,000

## Contextual factors

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### Labelling

<b>Is there mandatory nutrition labelling?</b>	
Front-of-package labelling?	
Back-of-pack nutrition declaration?	
Color coding?	
Warning label?	



## Regulation and marketing

<b>Are there fiscal policies on unhealthy products?</b>	✓
Tax on unhealthy foods?	✓
Tax on unhealthy drinks?	✓
<b>Are there fiscal policies on healthy products?</b>	✗
Subsidy on fruits?	✗
Subsidy on vegetables?	✗
Subsidy on other healthy products?	✗
<b>Mandatory limit or ban of trans fat (all settings)?</b>	✓
Mandatory limit of trans fats in place (all settings)?	✓
Ban on trans-fats or phos in place (all settings)?	✗
<b>Are there any mandatory policies/marketing restrictions on the promotion of unhealthy food/drinks to children?</b>	✓
Mandatory restriction on broadcast media?	✓
Mandatory restriction on non-broadcast media?	✗
Voluntary policies/marketing restrictions on the promotion of unhealthy food/drinks to children?	✗
<b>Are there mandatory standards for food in schools?</b>	✓
<b>Are there any mandatory nutrient limits in any manufactured food products?</b>	✗
<b>Nutrition standards for public sector procurement?</b>	✗



## Political will and support

National obesity strategy or nutrition and physical activity national strategy?	✓
National obesity strategy?	✓
National childhood obesity strategy?	✗
Comprehensive nutrition strategy?	✓
Comprehensive physical activity strategy?	✓
Evidence-based dietary guidelines and/or RDAs?	✓
National target(s) on reducing obesity?	✗
Guidelines/policy on obesity treatment?	✓
Promotion of breastfeeding?	✓



## Monitoring and surveillance

Monitoring of the prevalence and incidence for the main obesity-related NCDs and risk factors?	✓
Within 5 years?	✓



## Governance and resource

Multi-sectoral national co-ordination mechanism for obesity or nutrition (including obesity)?	✗
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### Key

✓ Present

✓<sub>v</sub> Present  
(voluntary)

✓ Incoming

✗ Absent

? Unknown

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