

# Report card

## Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

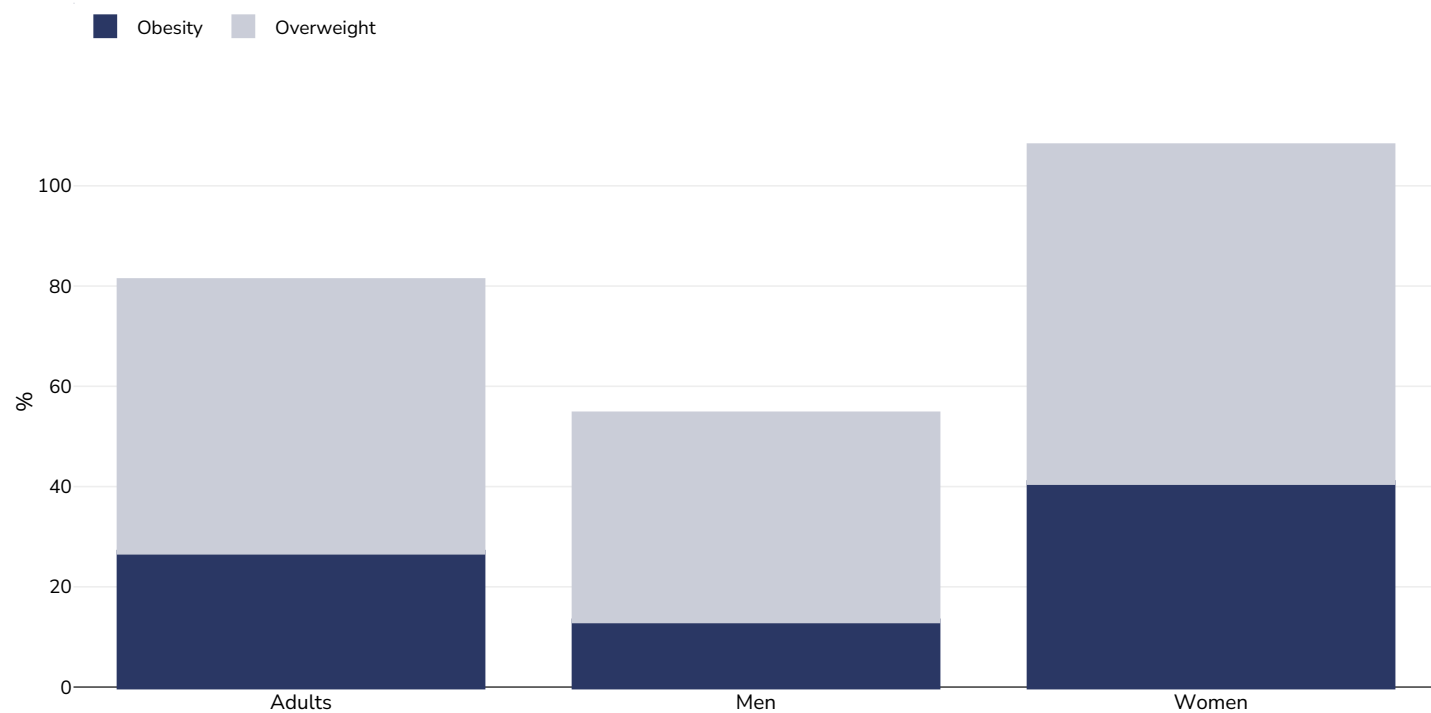


Upper-middle income

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## Obesity prevalence

### Adults, 2013-2014

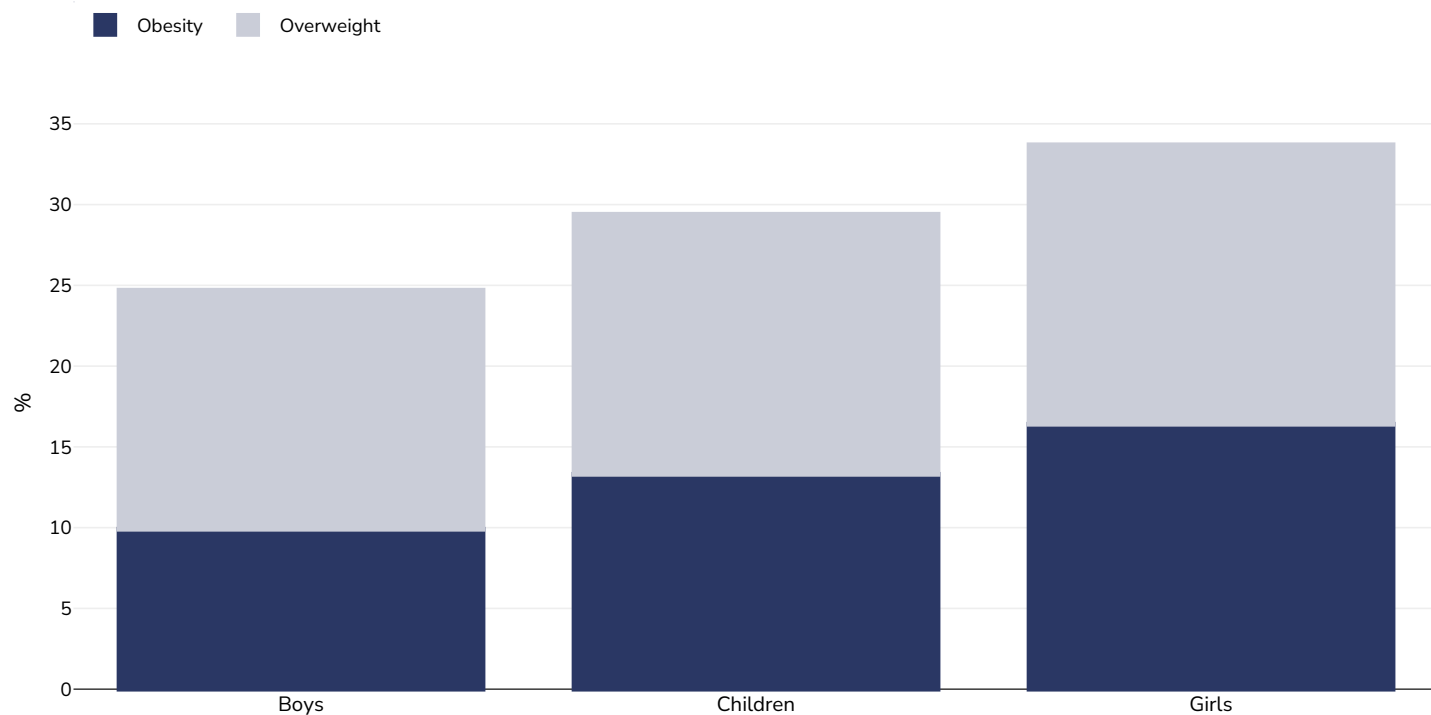


|               |          |
|---------------|----------|
| Survey type:  | Measured |
| Age:          | 18-69    |
| Sample size:  | 3513     |
| Area covered: | National |

References: [https://cdn.who.int/media/docs/default-source/ncds/ncd-surveillance/data-reporting/saint-vincent-and-the-grenadines/steps/stvincent\\_steps\\_factsheet\\_2013-14.pdf?sfvrsn=e92dd15b\\_5&download=true](https://cdn.who.int/media/docs/default-source/ncds/ncd-surveillance/data-reporting/saint-vincent-and-the-grenadines/steps/stvincent_steps_factsheet_2013-14.pdf?sfvrsn=e92dd15b_5&download=true) (last accessed 09.05.2022)

*Unless otherwise noted, overweight refers to a BMI between 25kg and 29.9kg/m<sup>2</sup>, obesity refers to a BMI greater than 30kg/m<sup>2</sup>.*

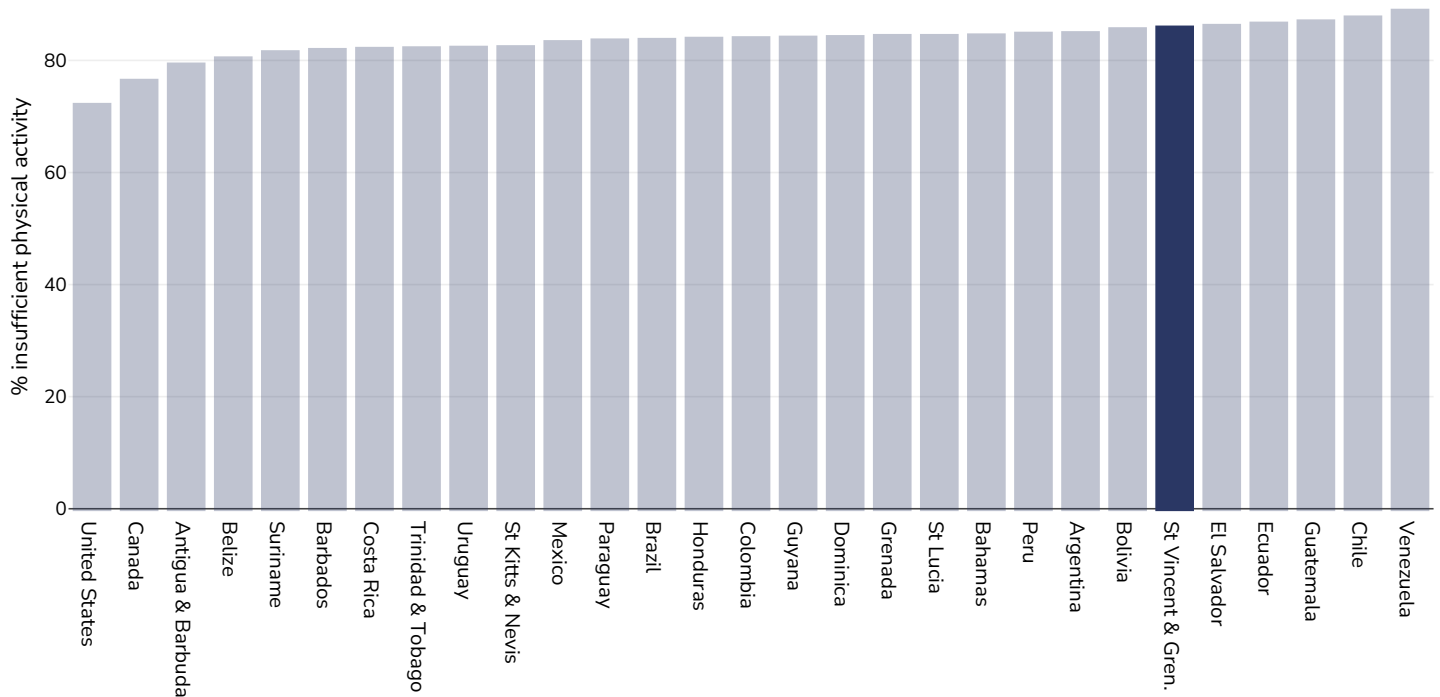
## Children, 2018



|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| Survey type:  | Self-reported   |
| Age:          | 13-17   |
| Sample size:  | 1877  |
| Area covered: | National  |
| References:   | Global School-based Student Health Survey, Fact Sheet available at <a href="https://www.who.int/ncds/surveillance/gshs/2018VCH_Fact_Sheet.pdf?ua=1">https://www.who.int/ncds/surveillance/gshs/2018VCH_Fact_Sheet.pdf?ua=1</a> (last accessed 25.11.20) |
| Cutoffs:      | WHO   |

## Insufficient physical activity

### Children, 2016



Survey type: Self-reported

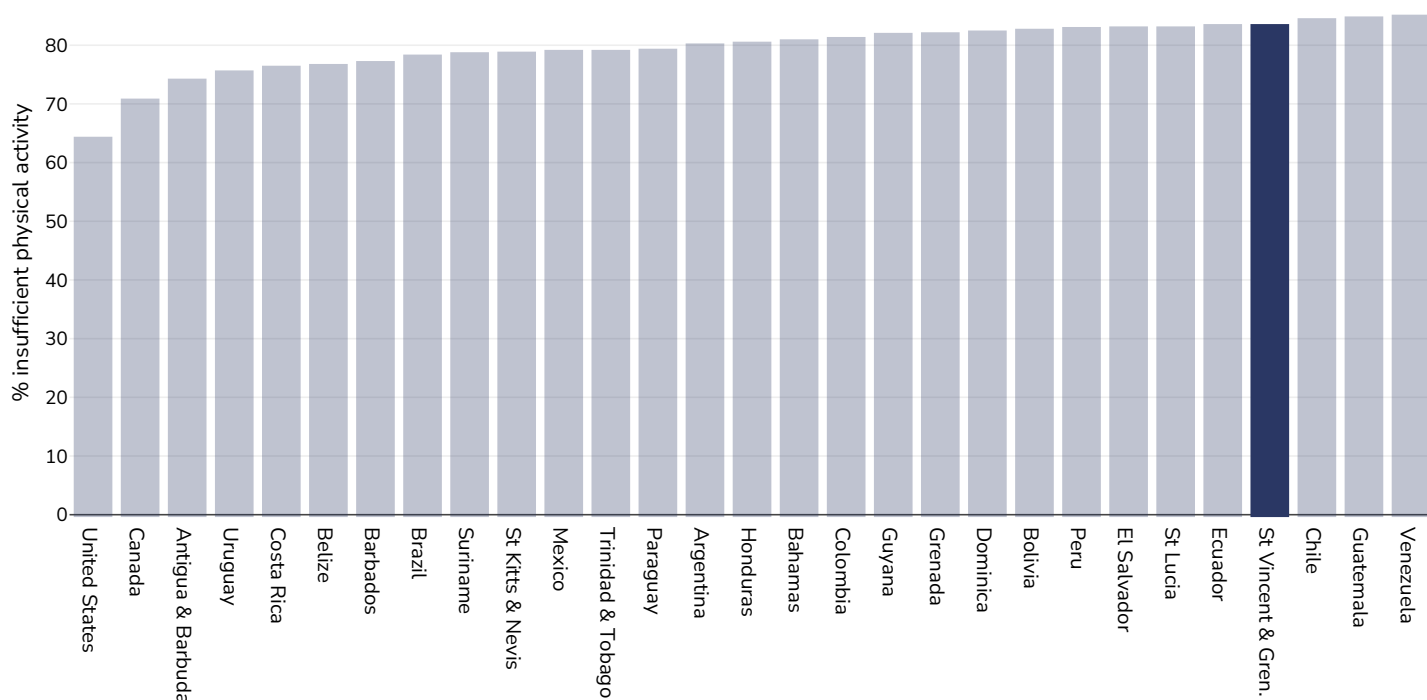
Age: 11-17

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

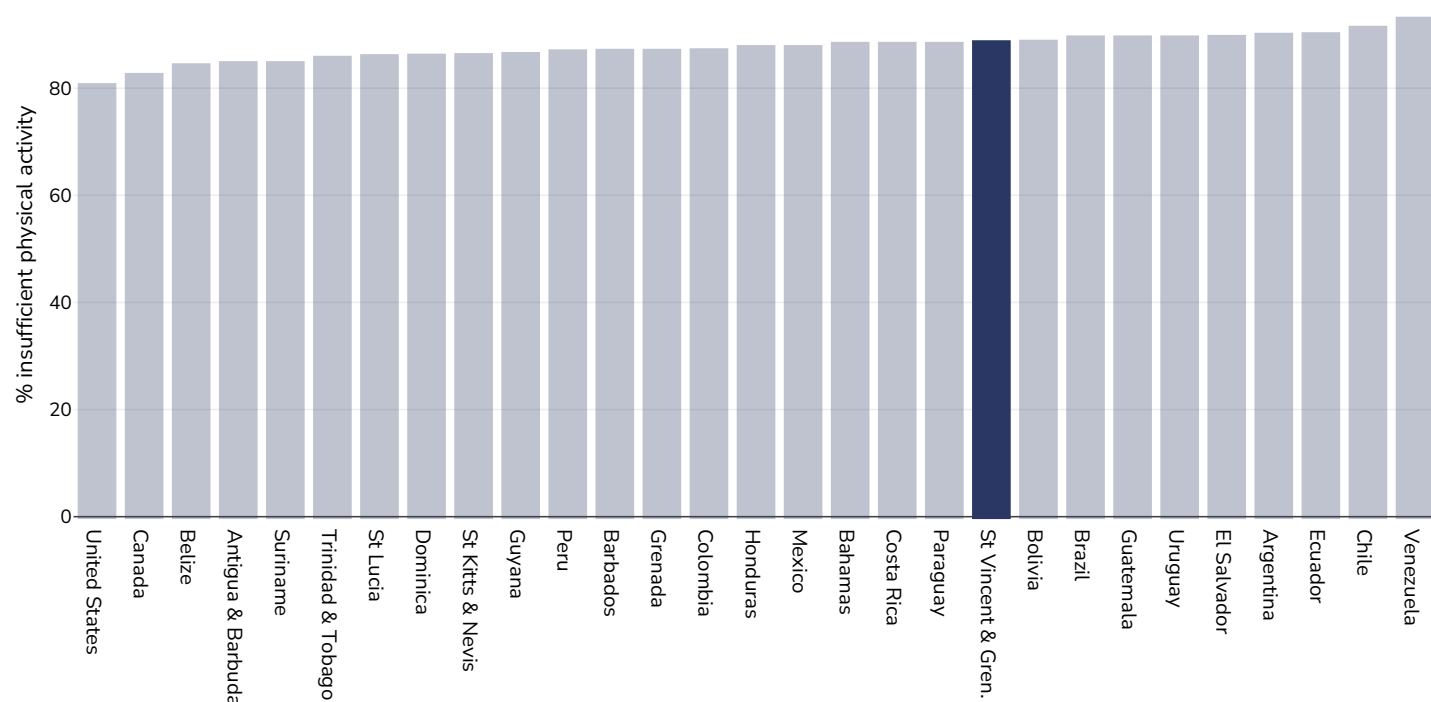
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References: Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation, <https://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A893ADO?lang=en> (last accessed 16.03.21)

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Definitions: % Adolescents insufficiently active (age standardised estimate)

## Girls, 2016



Survey type: Self-reported

Age: 11-17

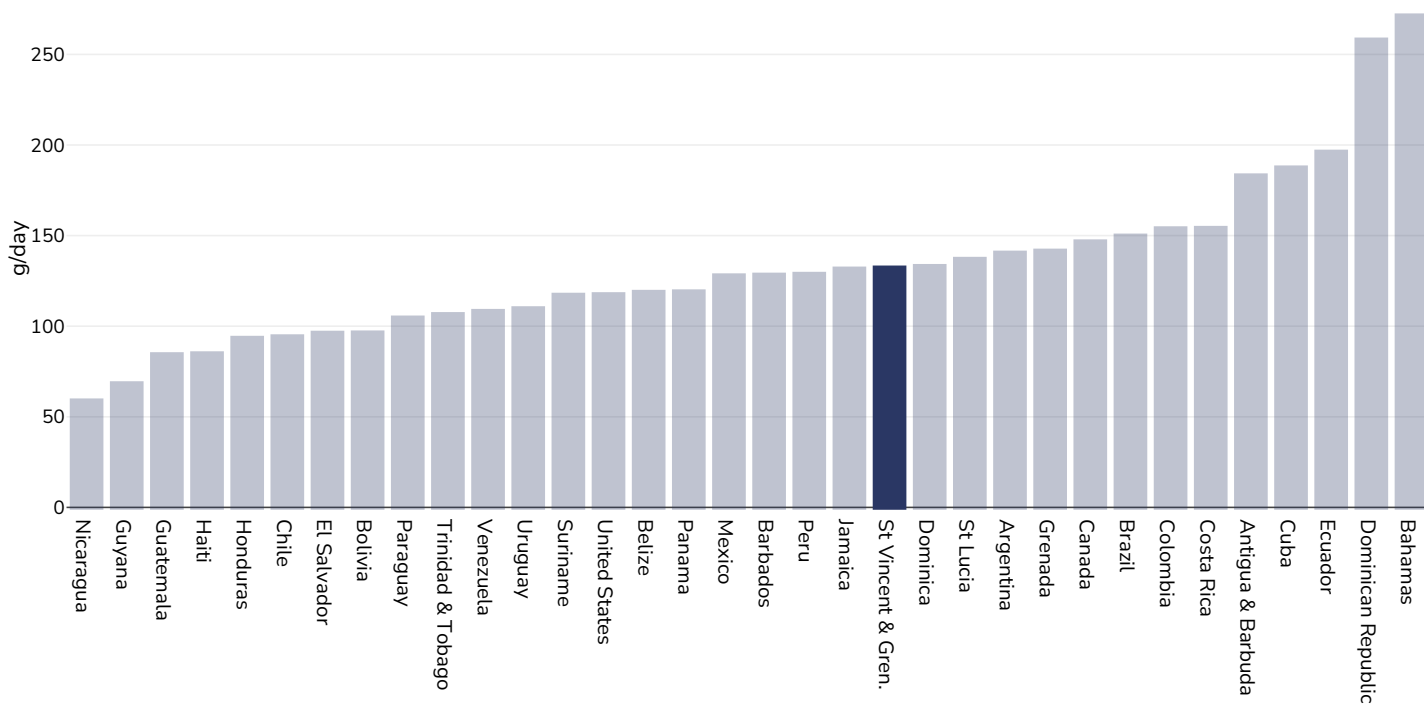
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Definitions: % Adolescents insufficiently active (age standardised estimate)

## Estimated per capita fruit intake

### Adults, 2017



Survey type: Measured

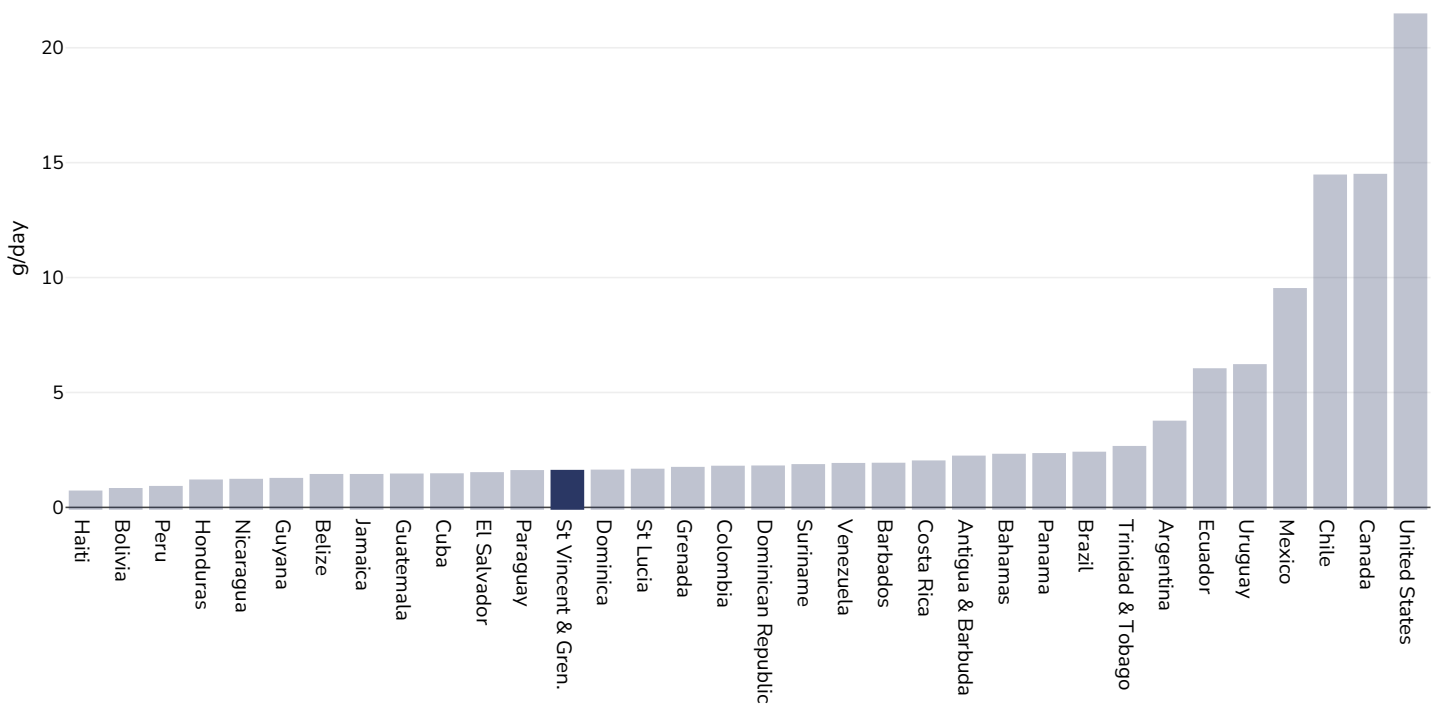
Age: 25+

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

Definitions: Estimated per-capita fruit intake (g/day)

## 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/>

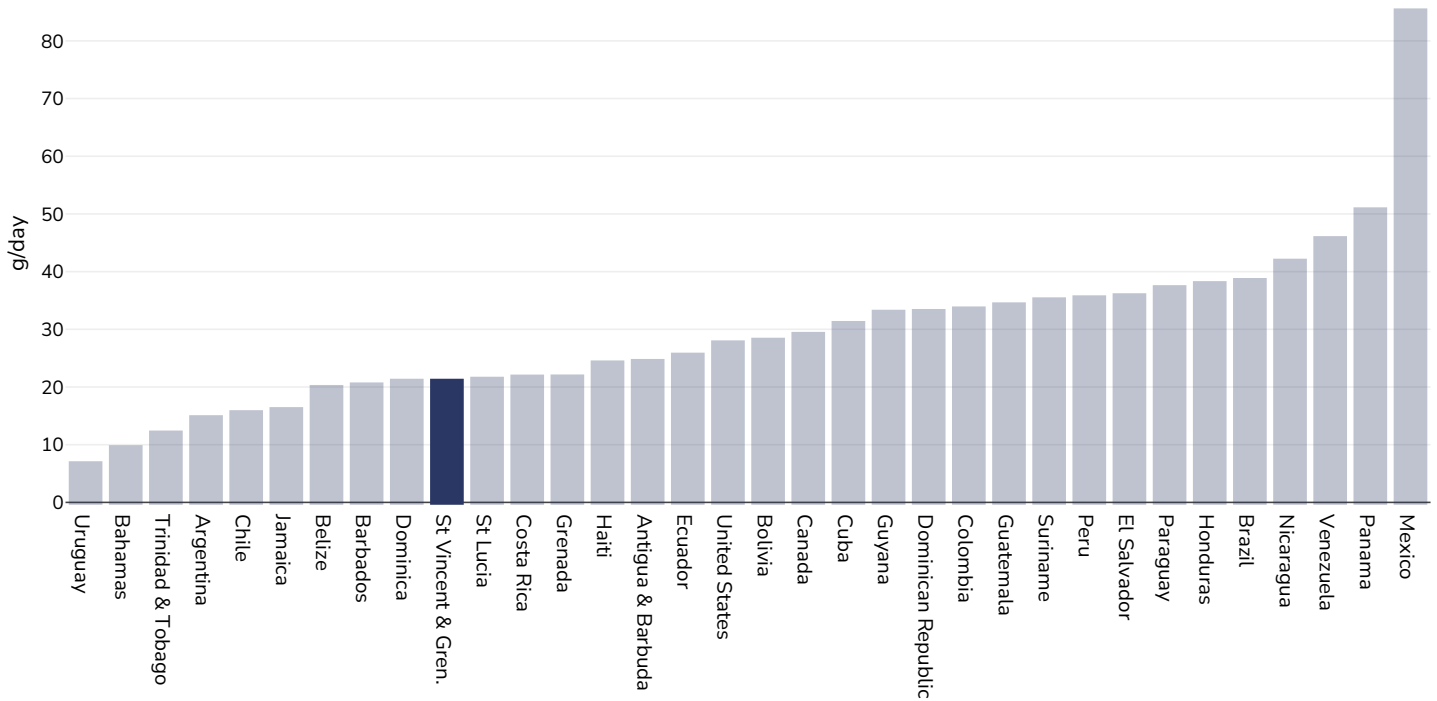
Definitions:

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



## Estimated per capita whole grains intake

### Adults, 2017



Survey type:

Measured

Age:

25+

References:

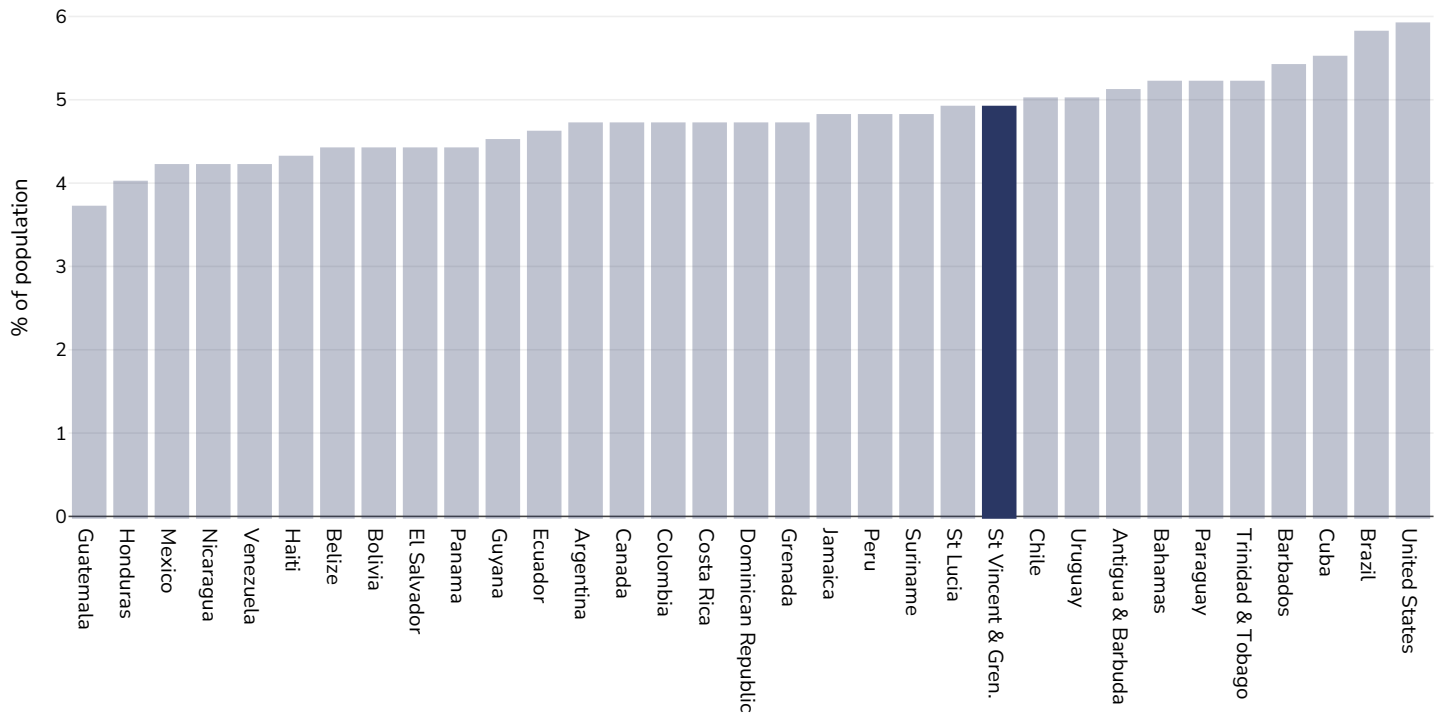
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Definitions:

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

## Mental health - depression disorders

### Adults, 2015

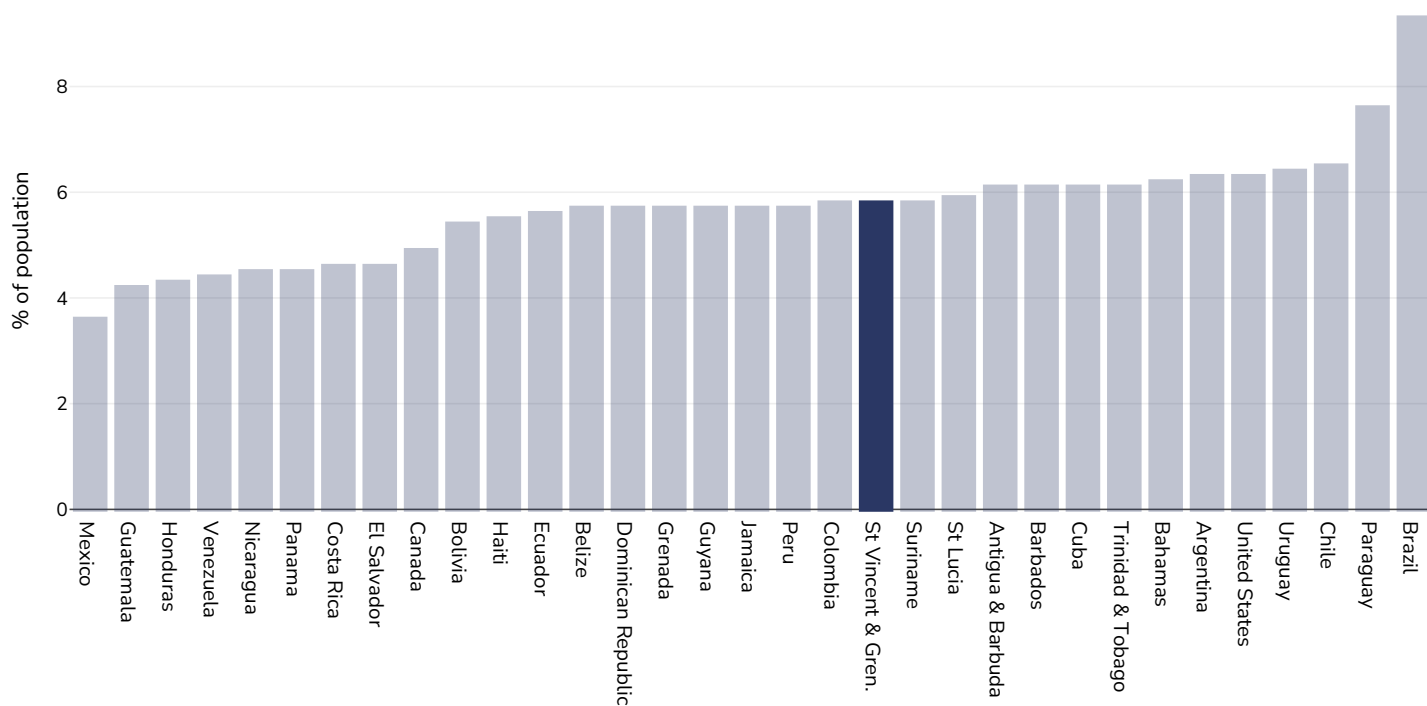


References: Prevalence data from Global Burden of Disease study 2015 (<http://ghdx.healthdata.org>) published in: Depression and Other Common Mental Disorders: Global Health Estimates. Geneva:World Health Organization; 2017. Licence: CC BY-NC-SA 3.0 IGO.

Definitions: % of population with depression disorders

## Mental health - anxiety disorders

Adults, 2015

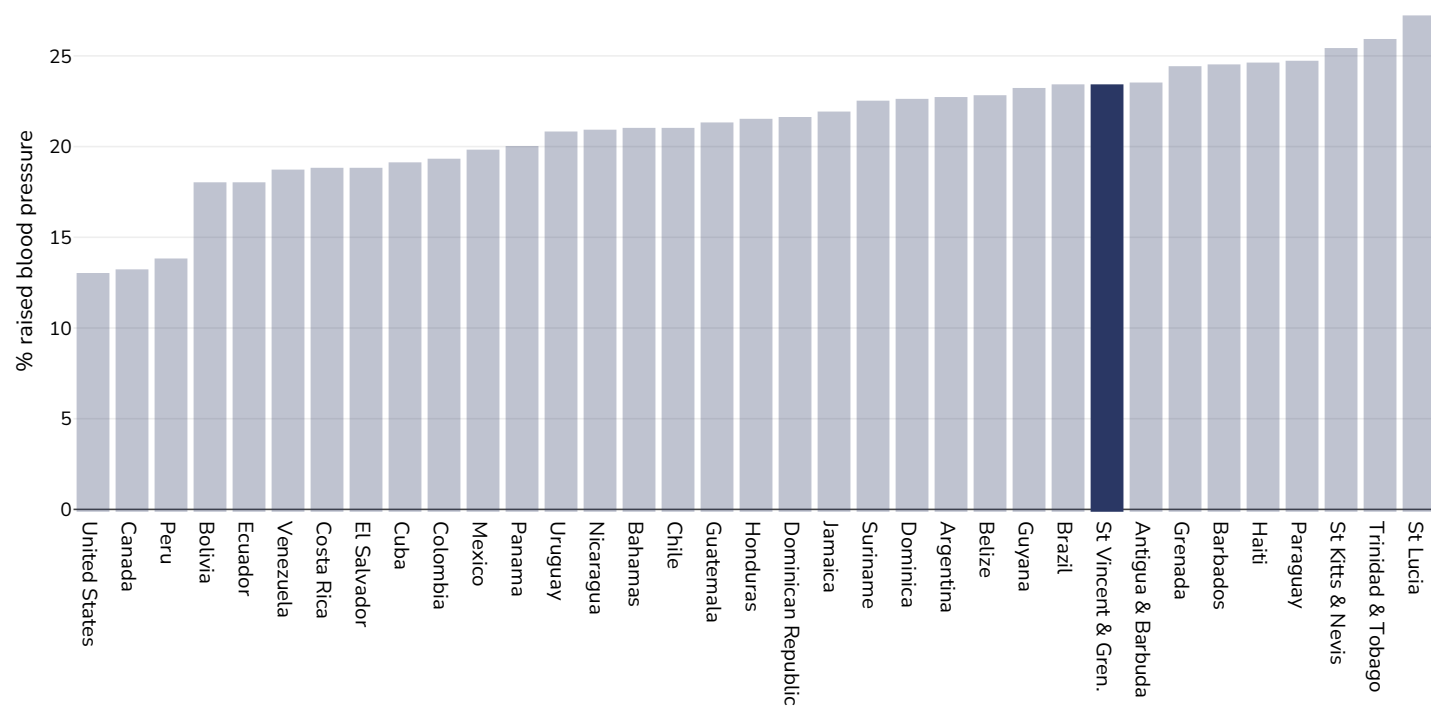


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Definitions: % of population with anxiety disorders

## Raised blood pressure

### Adults, 2015



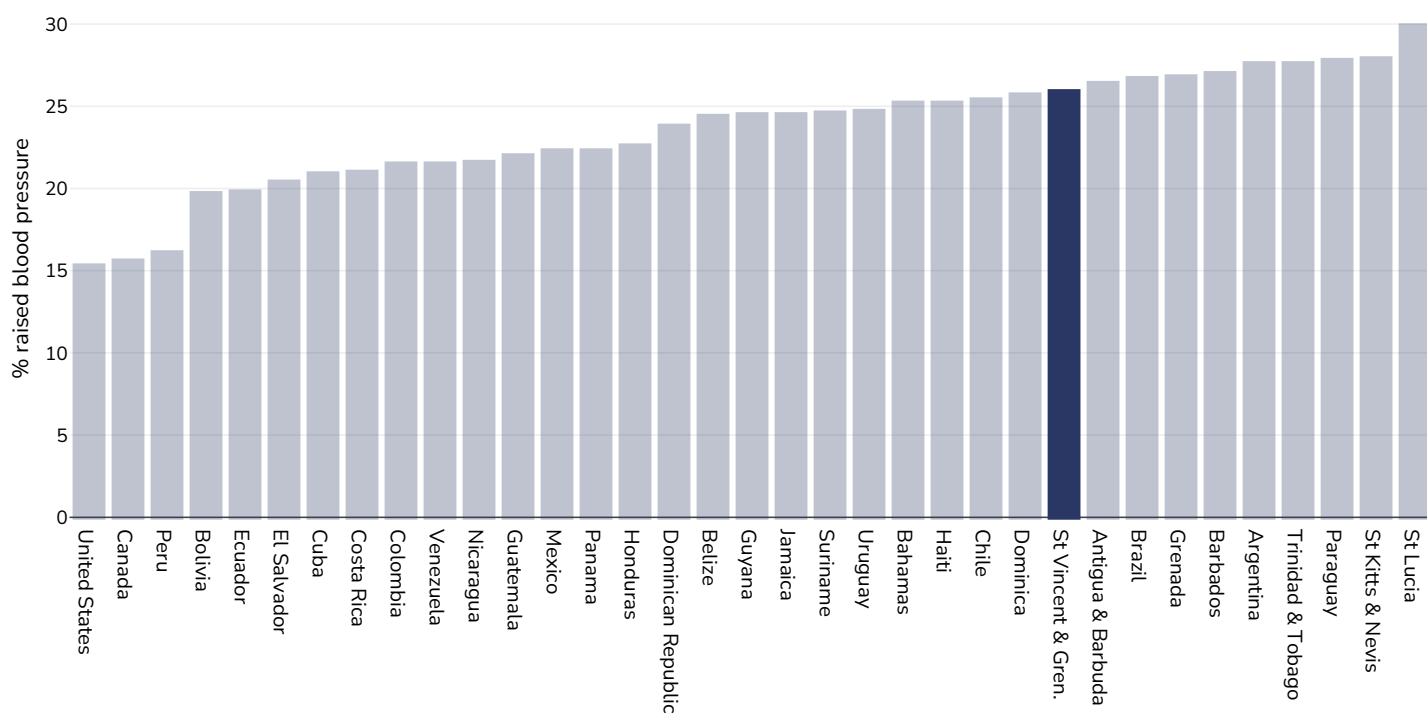
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Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation,  
<http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A875?lang=en>

Definitions:

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

## Men, 2015



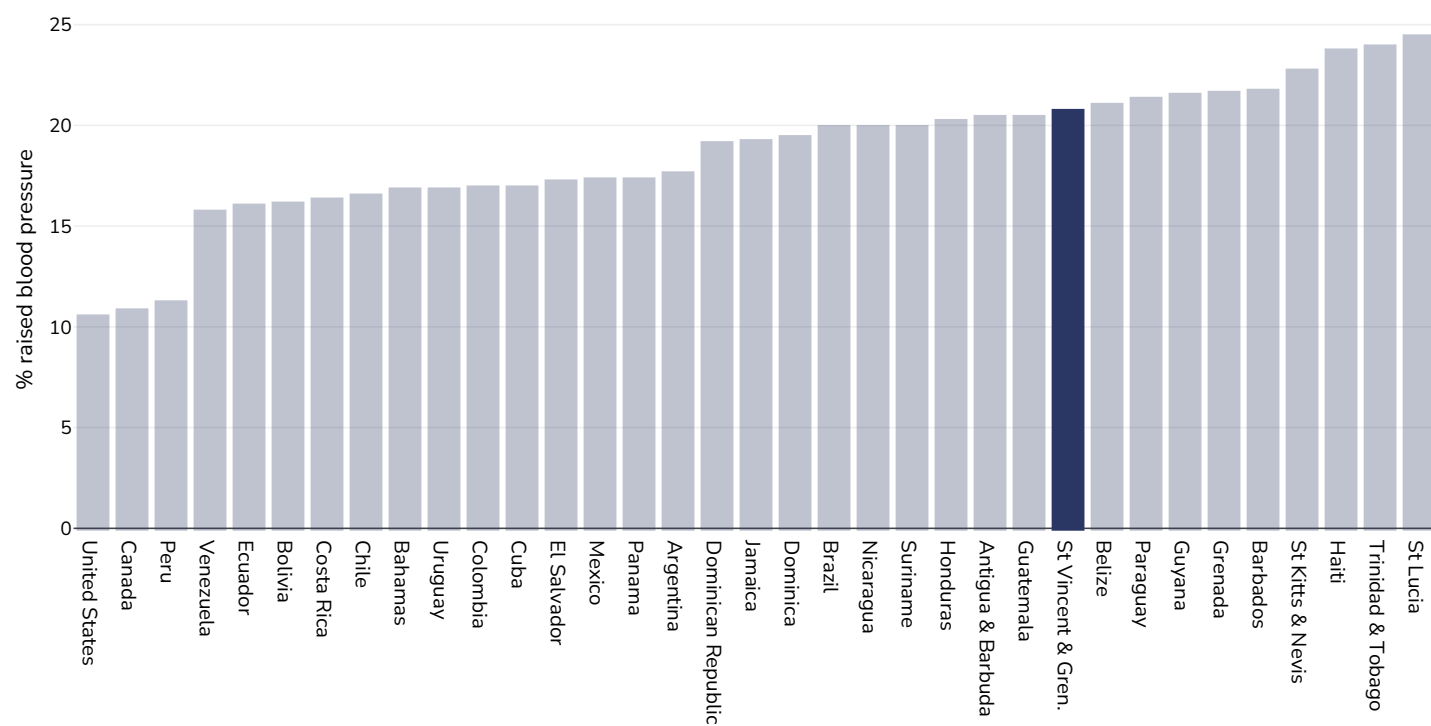
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP>=140 OR DBP>=90).

## Women, 2015



References:

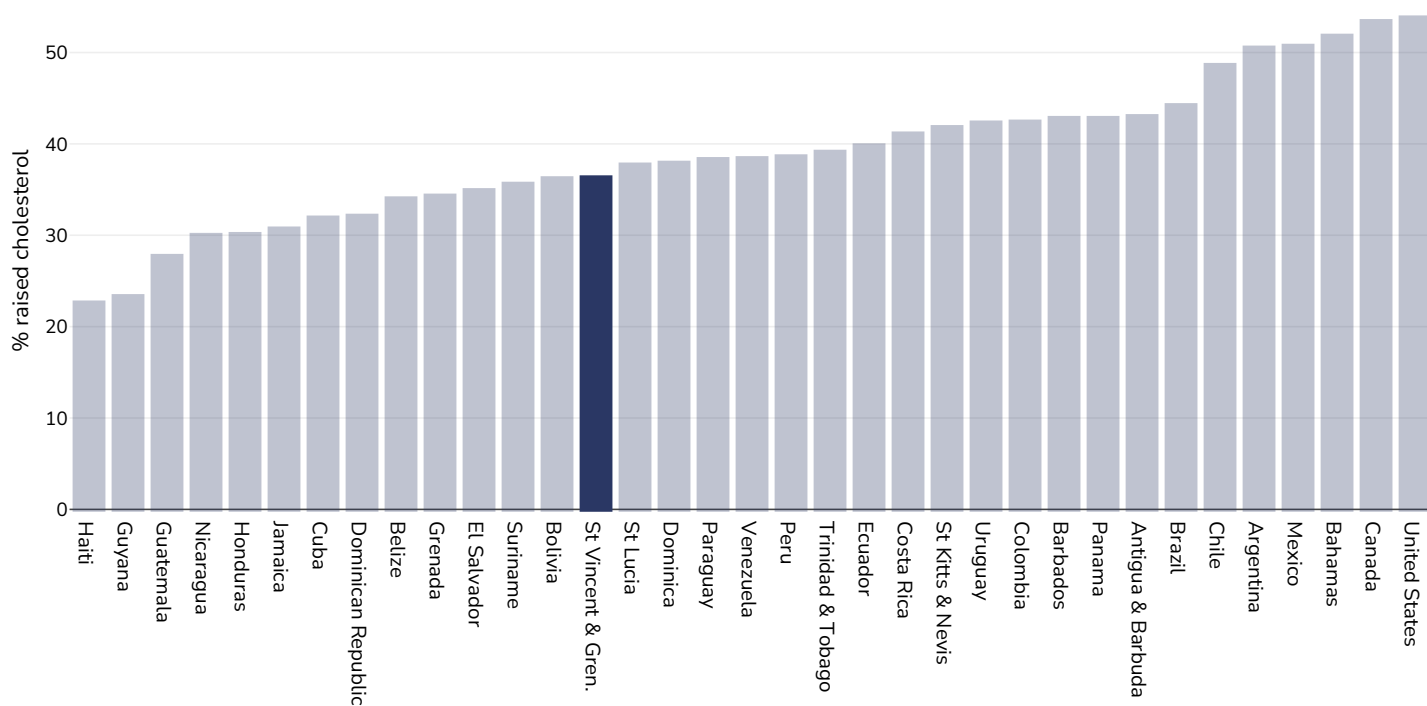
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Definitions:

Age Standardised estimated % Raised blood pressure 2015 (SBP>=140 OR DBP>=90).

## Raised cholesterol

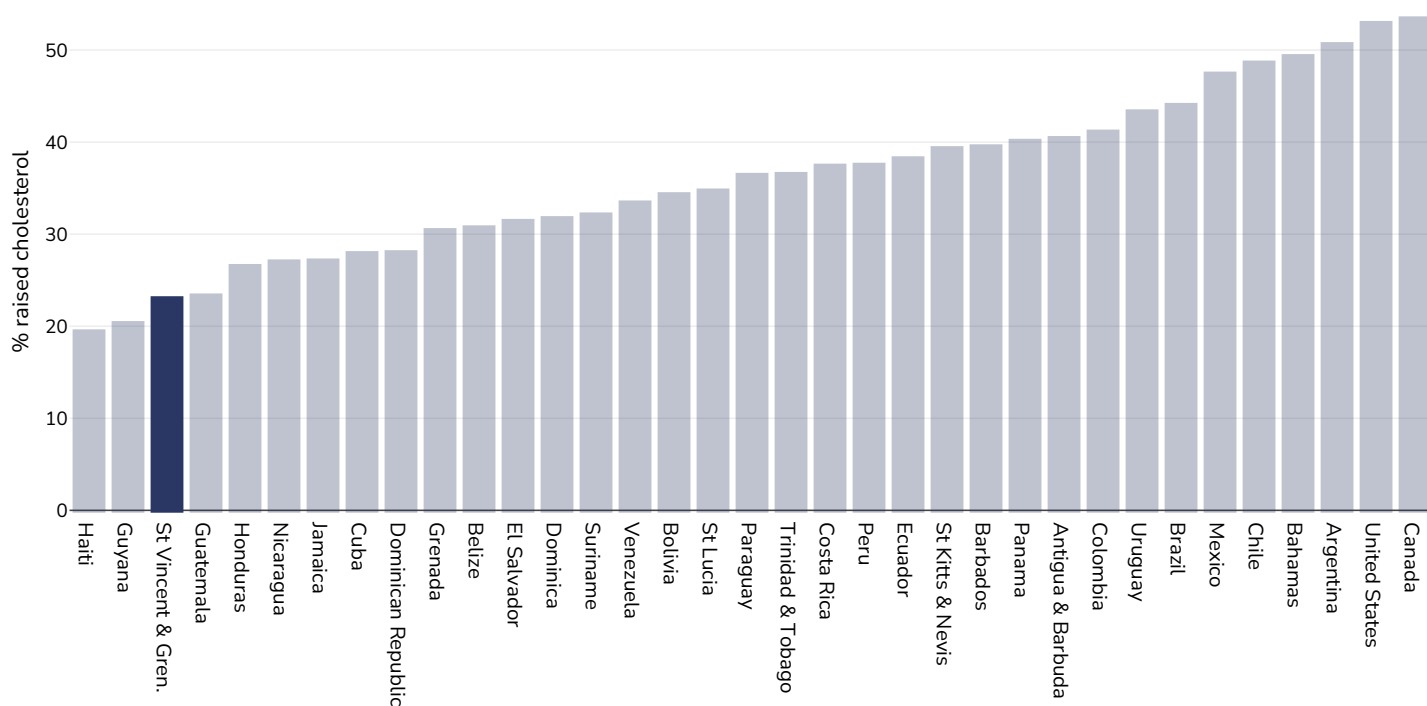
### Adults, 2008



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

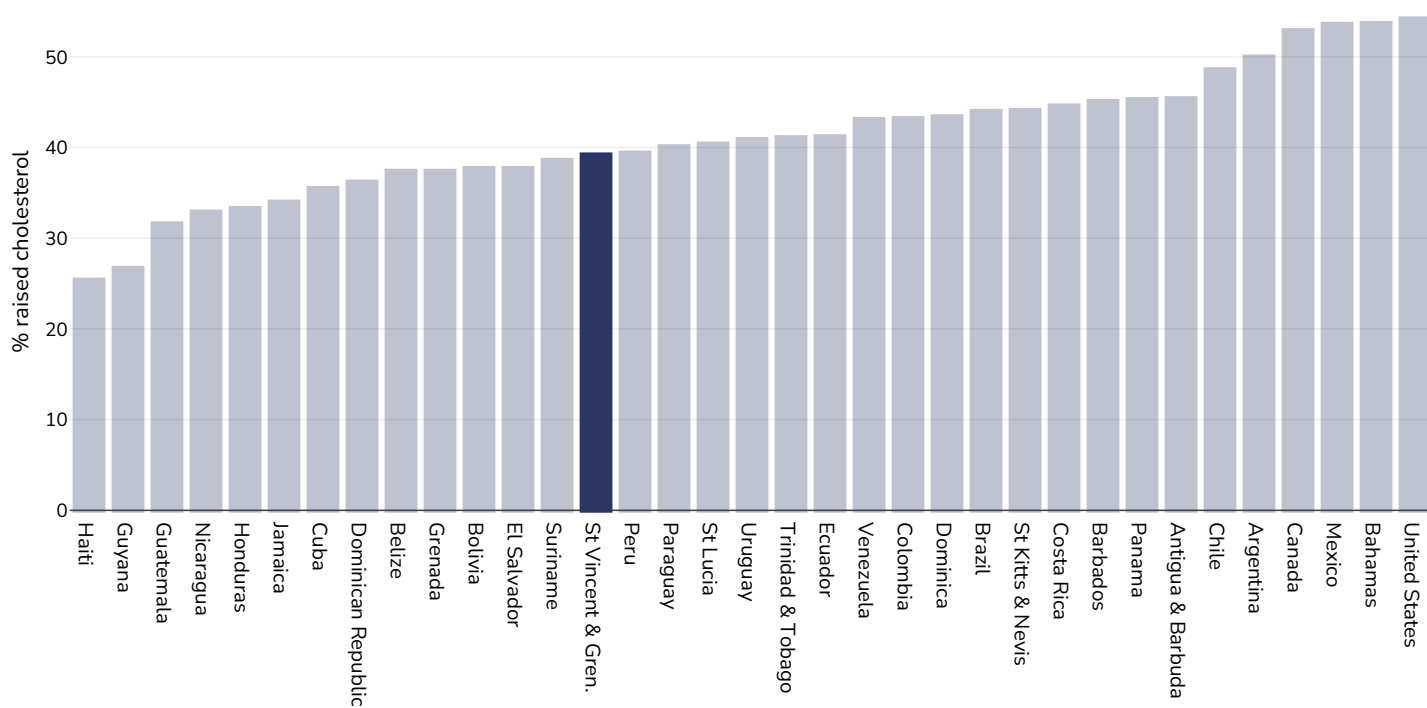


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Definitions: % Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 5.0$  mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).



## Women, 2008

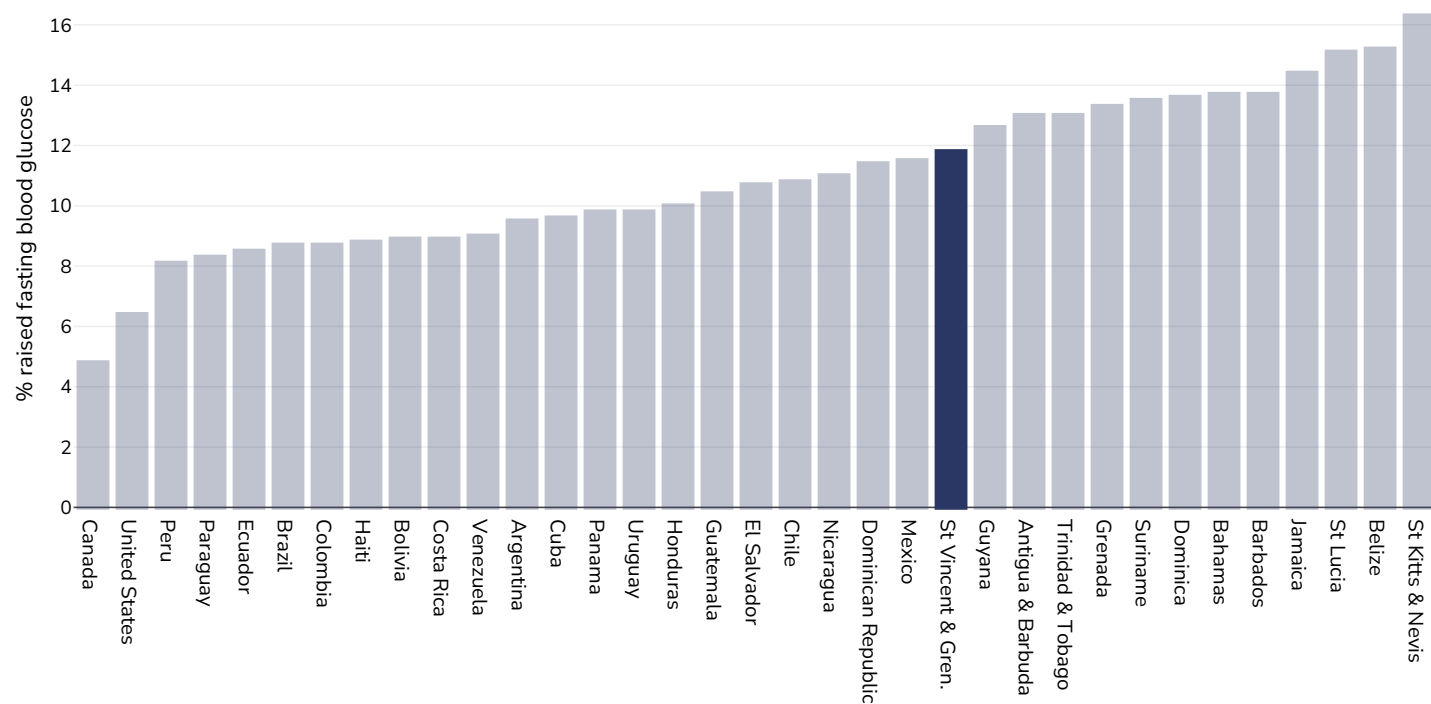


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Definitions: % Raised total cholesterol ( $\geq 5.0$  mmol/L) (age-standardized estimate).

## Raised fasting blood glucose

### Men, 2014



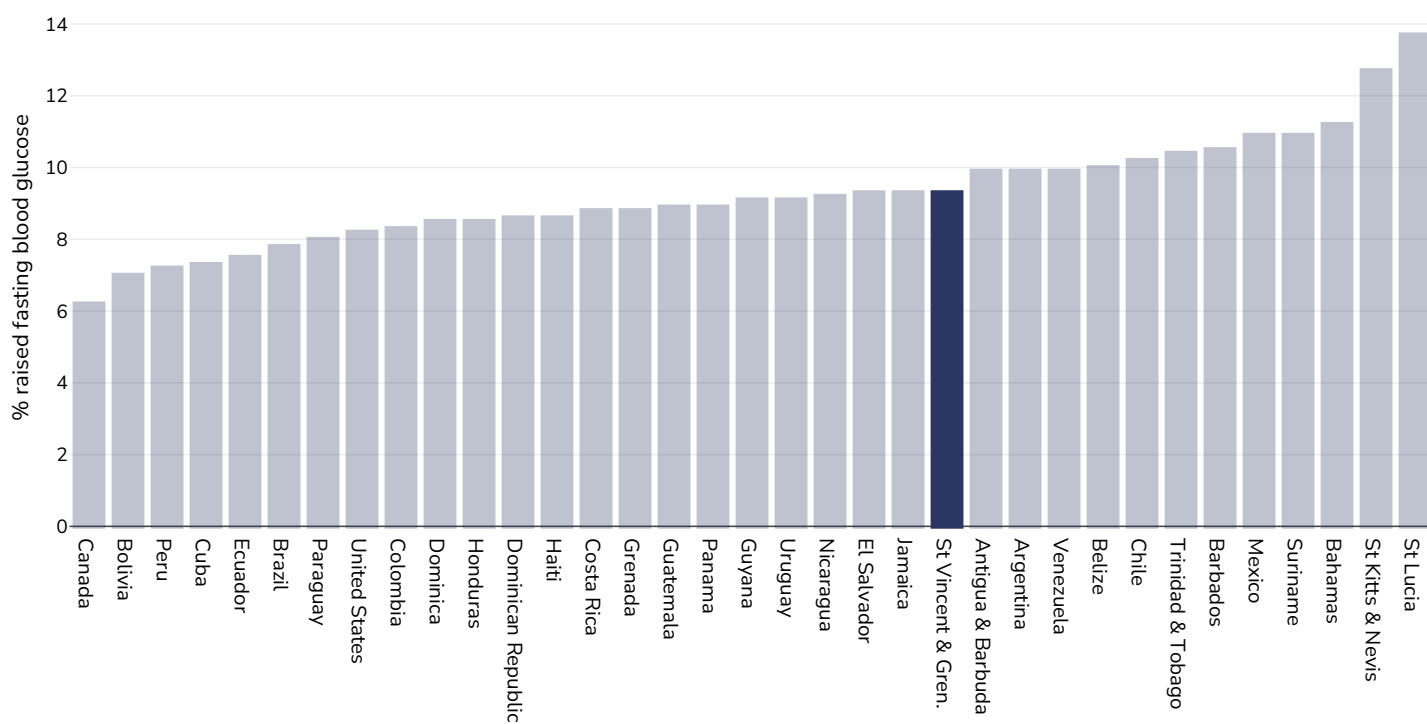
References:

Global Health Observatory data repository, World Health Organisation,  
<http://apps.who.int/gho/data/node.main.A869?lang=en>

Definitions:

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

## Women, 2014



References:

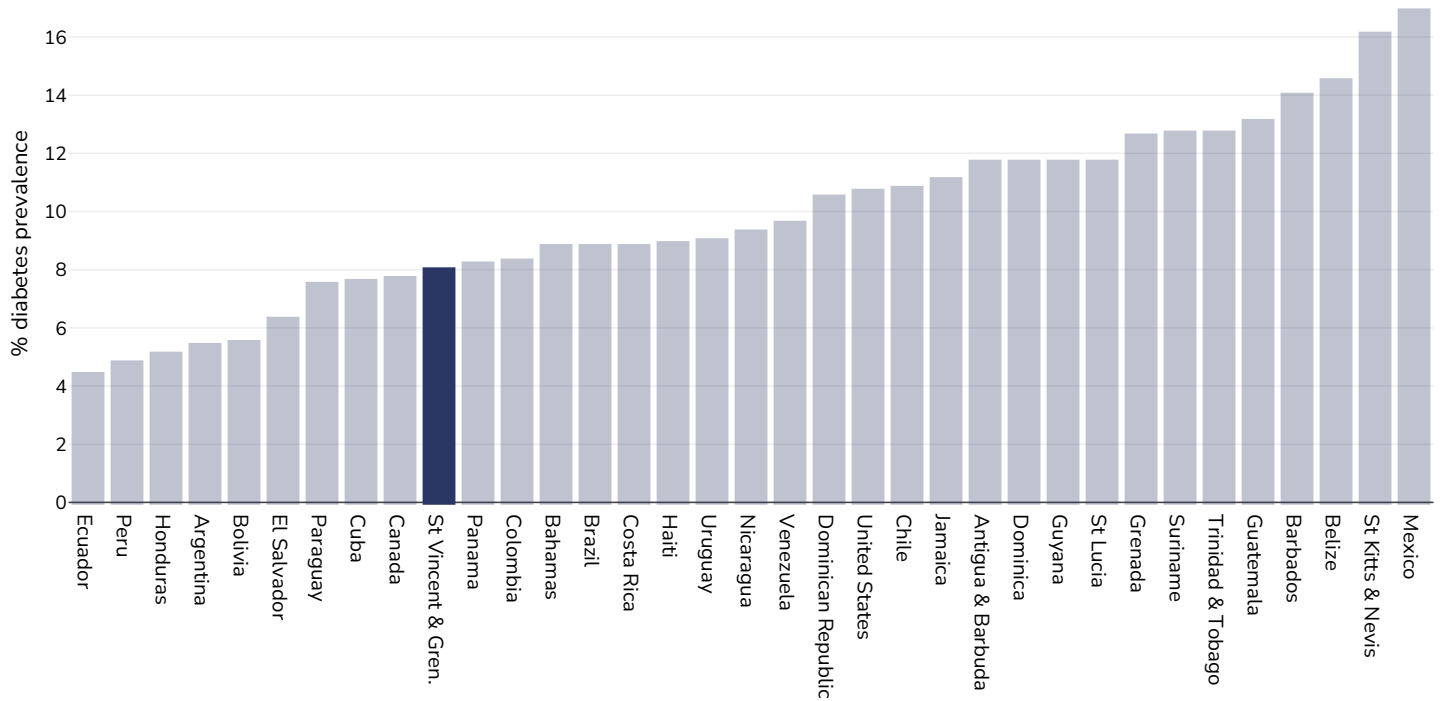
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Definitions:

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, %

## Contextual factors

**Disclaimer:** These contextual factors should be interpreted with care. Results are updated as regularly as possible and use very specific criteria. The criteria used and full definitions are available for download at the bottom of this page.



### Labelling

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <b>Is there mandatory nutrition labelling?</b> |  <b>v</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)? | ? |
|---|---|

### Key

|           |                                       |            |          |           |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|------------|----------|-----------|
| ✓ Present | ✓ <sub>v</sub> Present<br>(voluntary) | ✓ Incoming | ✗ Absent | ? Unknown |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|------------|----------|-----------|