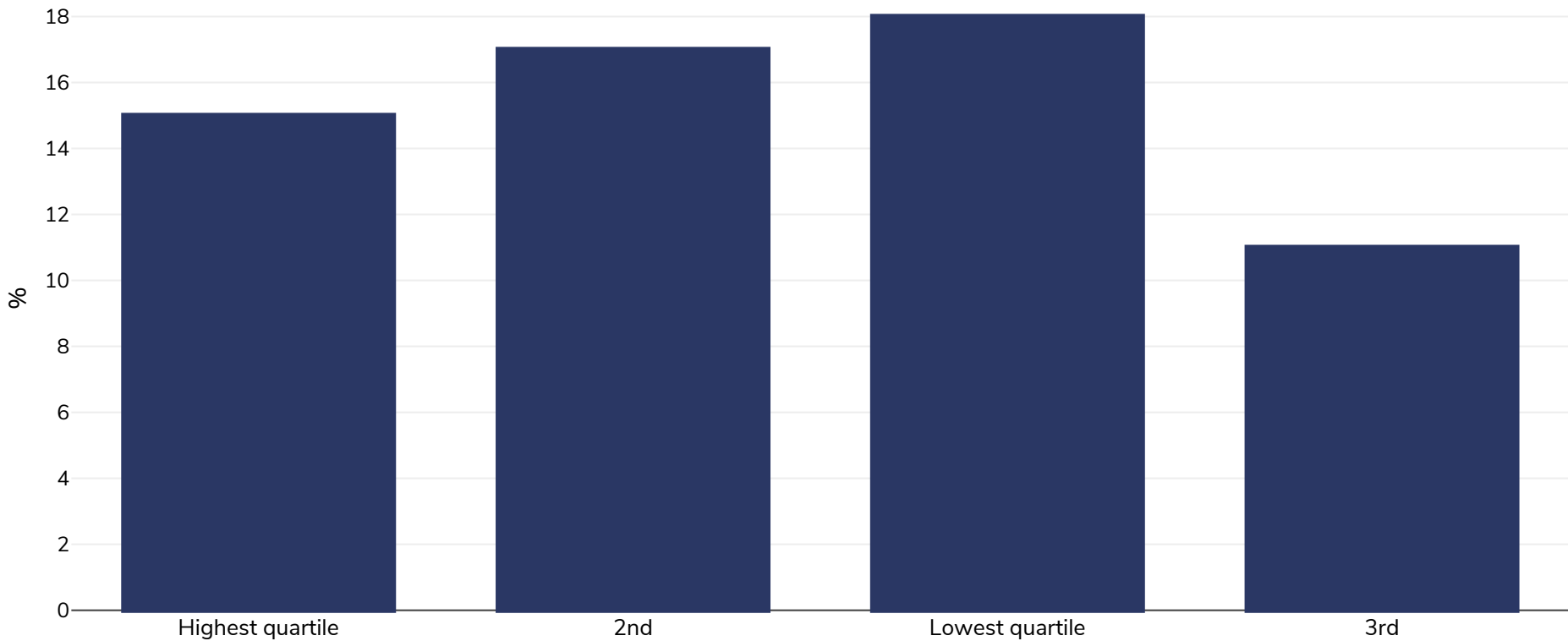


# Finland: Overweight/obesity by socio-economic group

Men, 2000-2001

■ Obesity



**Survey type:** Self-reported

**Age:** 40-60

**Sample size:** 6227

**Area covered:** National

**References:** Laaksonen, M., Sarlio-Lähteenkorva, S. and Lahelma, E. (2004), Multiple Dimensions of Socioeconomic Position and Obesity among Employees: The Helsinki Health Study. *Obesity Research*, 12: 1851-1858. doi: 10.1038/oby.2004.230

**Notes:** Prevalence of obesity by household income

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>.