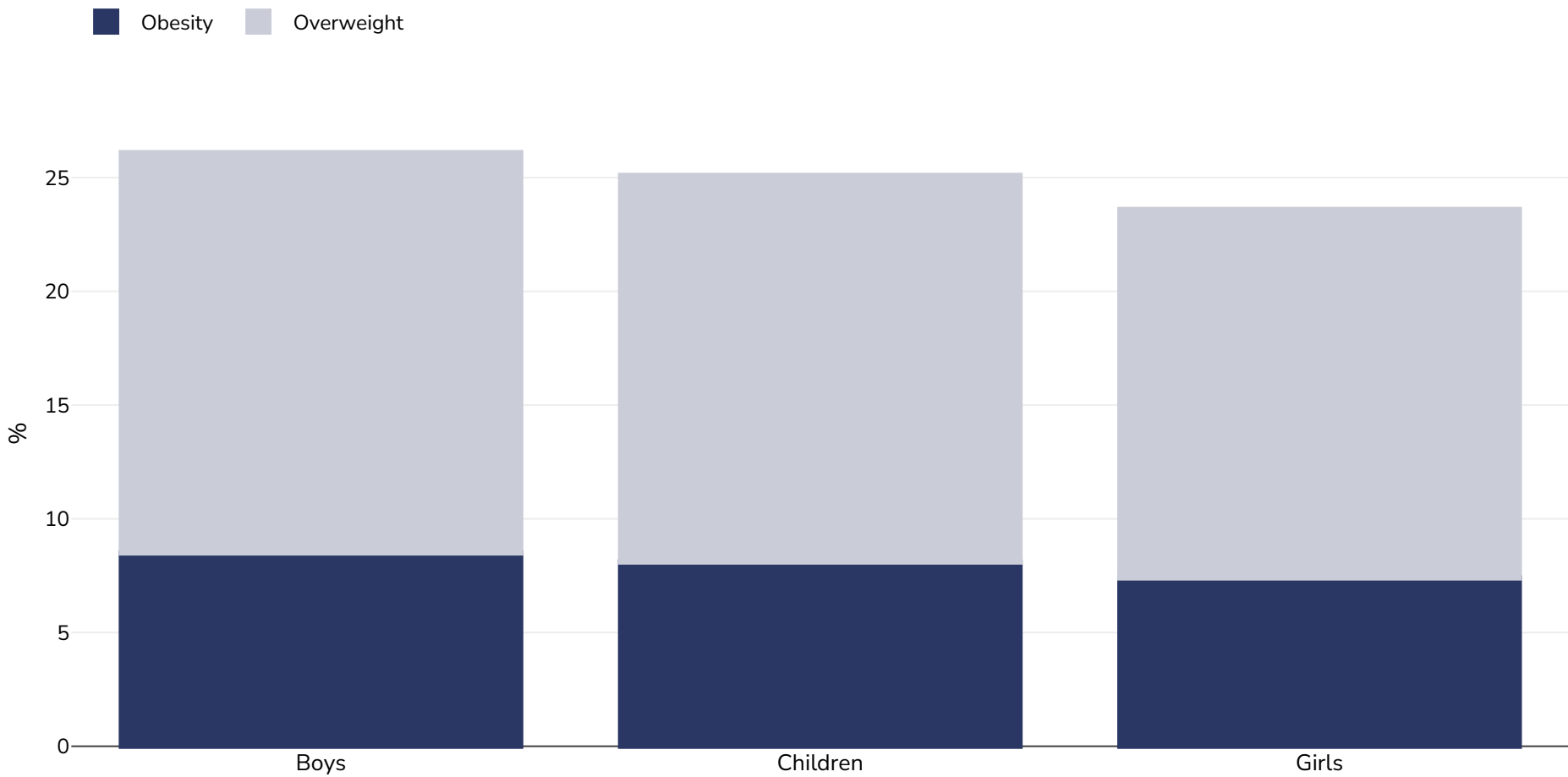


# Australia: Obesity prevalence

## Children, 2017-2018



<b>Survey type:</b>	Measured
<b>Age:</b>	5-17
<b>Sample size:</b>	3769
<b>Area covered:</b>	National
<b>References:</b>	Australian National Health Survey 2017-18 <a href="https://www.abs.gov.au/statistics/health/health-conditions-and-risks/national-health-survey-first-results/latest-release#chronic-conditions">https://www.abs.gov.au/statistics/health/health-conditions-and-risks/national-health-survey-first-results/latest-release#chronic-conditions</a> (accessed 02.10.2020)
<b>Notes:</b>	Approximately 43% of those measured in 2017 did not have height & weight measured, self-report was used instead
<b>Definitions:</b>	Cut off: Cole TJ, Bellizzi MC, Flegal KM and Dietz WH, Establishing a standard definition for child overweight and obesity worldwide: international survey, BMJ 2000; 320.
<b>Cutoffs:</b>	IOTF