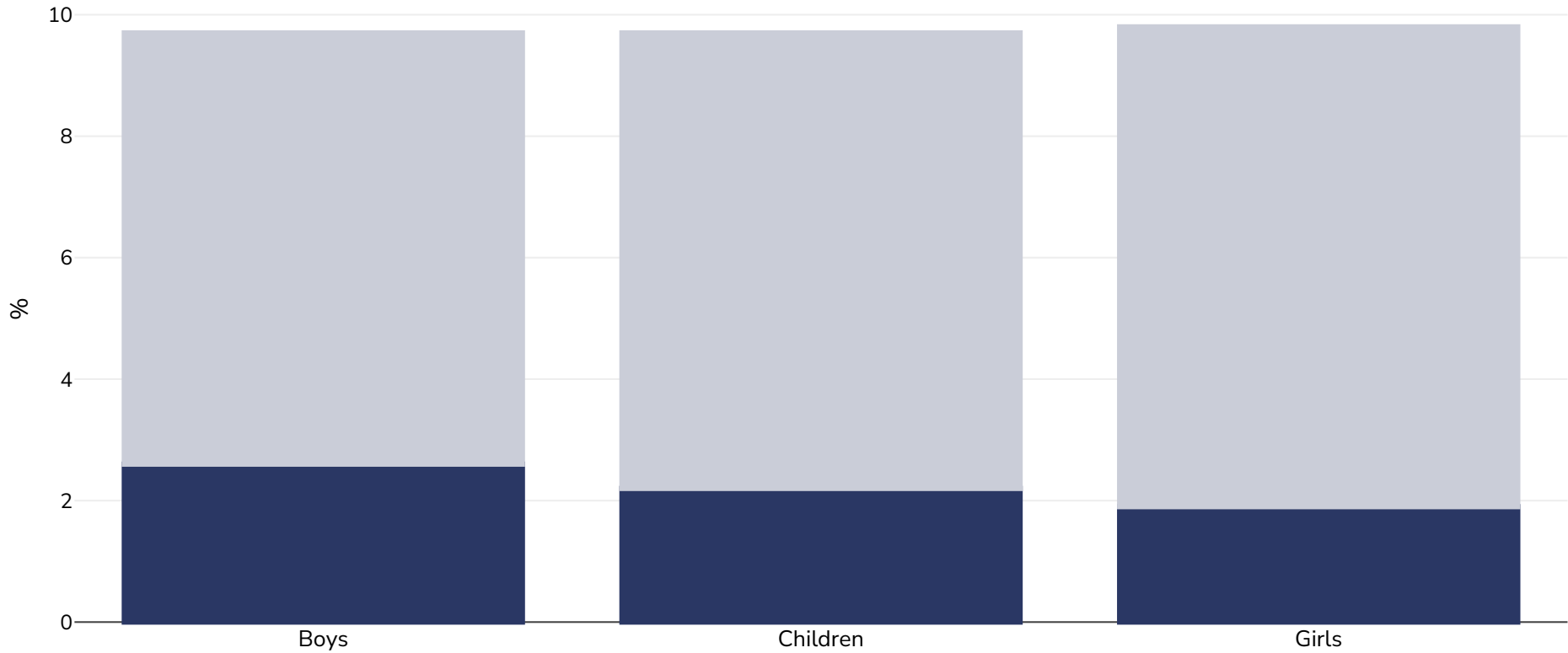


# Sri Lanka: Obesity prevalence

## Children, 2017

■ Obesity ■ Overweight



Survey type:	Measured
Age:	10-18
Sample size:	2570
Area covered:	National
References:	Jayatissa R, Fervando D.N, Perera A, De Alwis N, National Nutrition and Micronutrient Survey among school adolescents aged 10-18 years in Sri Lanka 2017. Medical research Institute, Ministry of Health, Colombo 2019
Definitions:	BMI-for-age-sex between 1 SD and 2SD as overweight and BMI-for-age-sex >2SD as obesity.
Cutoffs:	WHO