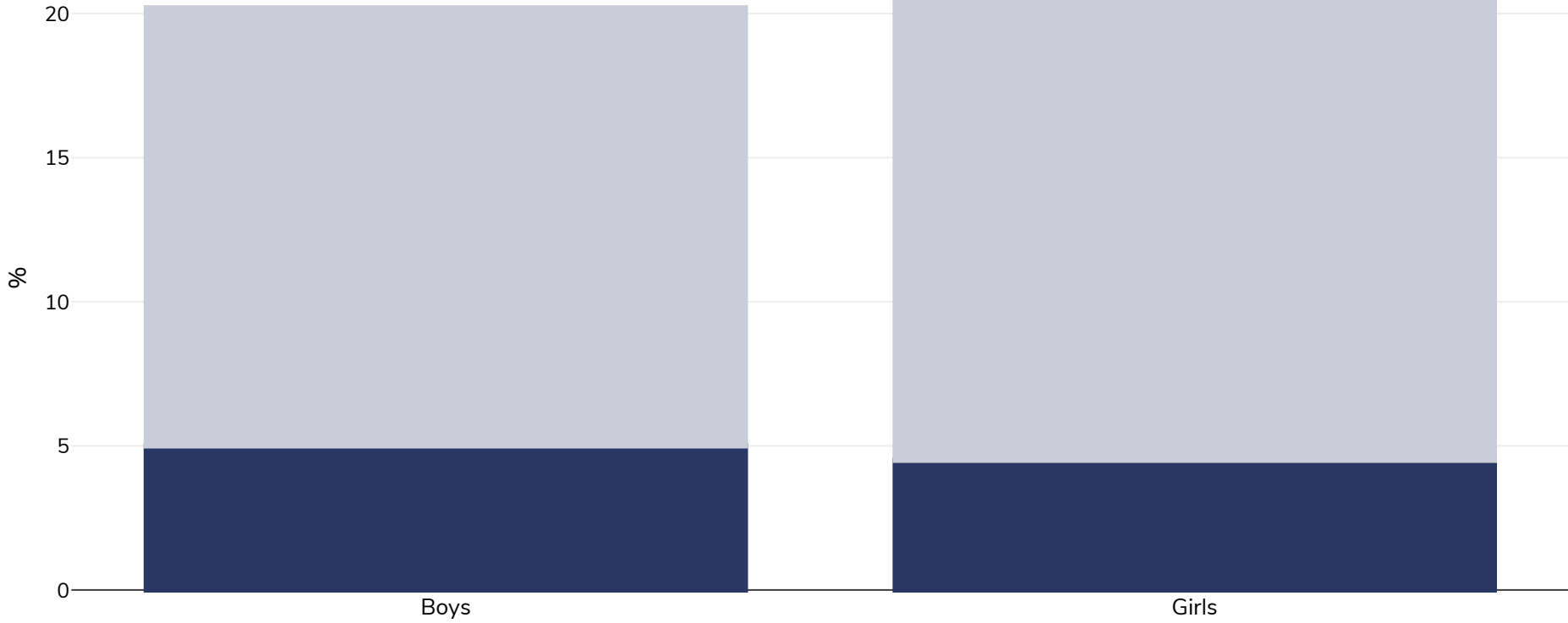


# Australia: Obesity prevalence

## Children, 1997

■ Obesity   ■ Overweight



<b>Survey type:</b>	Measured
<b>Age:</b>	7-15
<b>Sample size:</b>	5518
<b>Area covered:</b>	National
<b>References:</b>	Booth ML, Dobbins T, Okely D, Denney-Wilson E and Hardy LL. 2007. Trends in the prevalence of overweight and obesity among young Australians, 1985, 1997 and 2004. <i>Obesity</i> , 15 (5): 1089 - 1095.
<b>Notes:</b>	IOTF Cut off. Reference: Cole TJ, Bellizzi MC, Flegal KM, Dietz WH. Establishing a standard definition for child overweight and obesity worldwide: International survey. <i>BMJ</i> . 2000 May 6;320(7244):1240-3. Sample size includes children aged 13-15yrs
<b>Cutoffs:</b>	IOTF