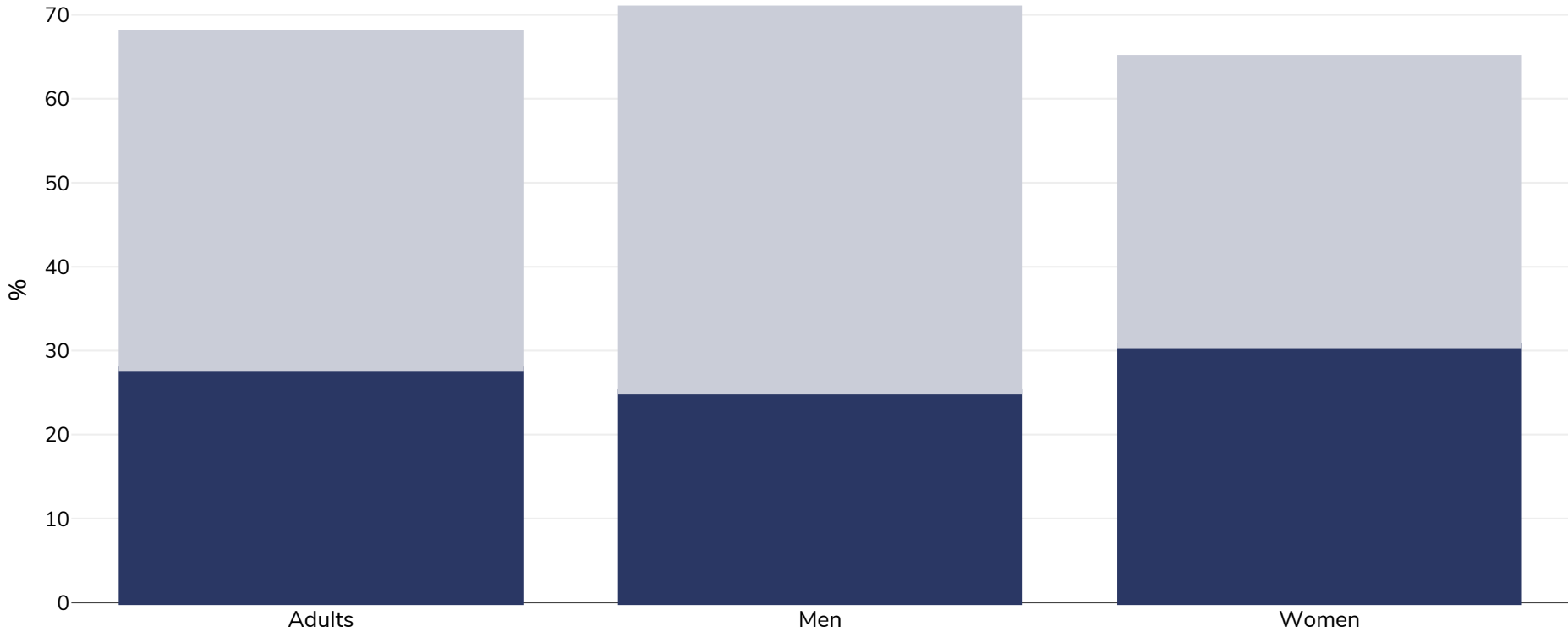


# United Arab Emirates: Obesity prevalence

Adults, 2017-2018

■ Obesity ■ Overweight



Survey type:	Measured
Age:	18-69
Sample size:	4971
Area covered:	National

**References:** UAE National HHealth Survey Report 2017-18. United Arab Emirates, Ministry of Health & Prevention. [https://www.mohap.gov.ae/Files/MOH\\_OpenData/1561/%D8%AA%D9%82%D8%B1%D9%8A%D8%B1%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D8%B3%D8%AD%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%B5%D8%AD%D9%8A%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%88%D8%B7%D9%86%D9%8A%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D8%AD%D8%AF%D8%AB.pdf](https://www.mohap.gov.ae/Files/MOH_OpenData/1561/%D8%AA%D9%82%D8%B1%D9%8A%D8%B1%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D8%B3%D8%AD%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D8%B5%D8%AD%D9%8A%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%88%D8%B7%D9%86%D9%8A%20%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%85%D8%AD%D8%AF%D8%AB.pdf) (last accessed 14.10.19)

**Notes:** Emirati population only Men 38.5% living with overweight, 32.2% living with obesity Women 29.3% living with overweight, 41.8% living with obesity

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>.