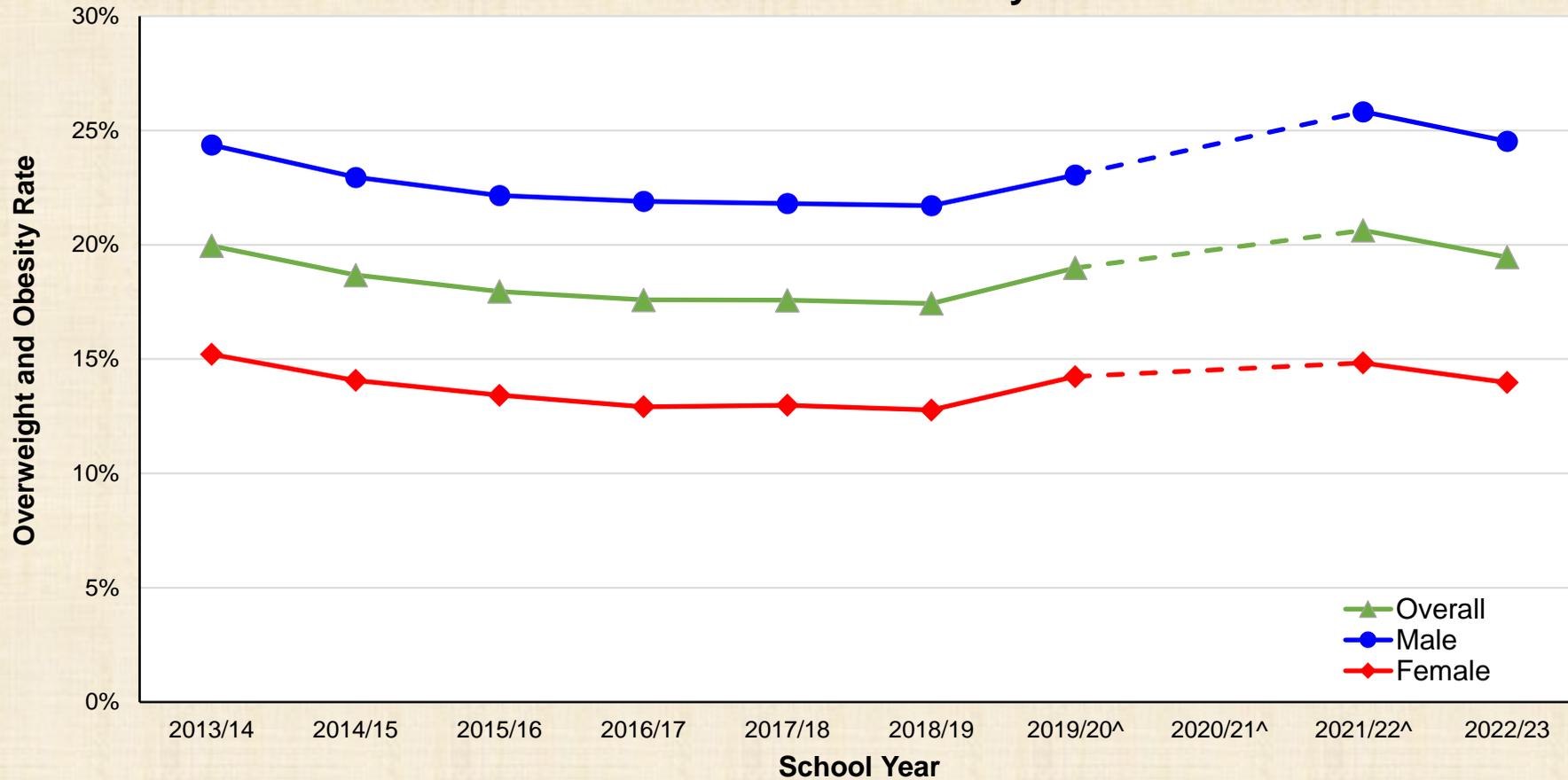


Prevalence of overweight (including obesity) among primary students who attended the Student Health Service Centres, from 2013/14 to 2022/23 school years * #



Remarks:

*Based on anthropometric measurement of primary students attending the Student Health Service Centres of the Department of Health.

#Overweight (including obese) is defined as weight >120% of the median weight for height for male students with height between 55 and 175 cm and for female students with height between 55 and 165 cm; and BMI \geq 25 for male students with height >175cm and for female students with height > 165 cm.

[^]In view of serious service disruption due to the COVID-19, affecting the number and pattern of attending students in 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2021/22 school years, direct comparison of the data in 2019/20, 2020/21 and 2021/22 with that of previous years has to be done with caution. 2020/21 school year figures are not released due to precision considerations.