

Tanzania



Economic impact of overweight and obesity

In 2019, the economic impact of overweight and obesity was estimated to be US\$629.74 million. This is equivalent to US\$11 per capita and 1% of GDP. Direct costs and indirect costs made up 10.5% and 89.5% of total costs respectively.

By 2060, economic impacts are predicted to increase to US\$6.62 billion. This is equivalent to US\$42 per capita and 1.4% of GDP, and represents a 10.5-fold increase in total costs.

Breakdown of economic costs over time (standard model)

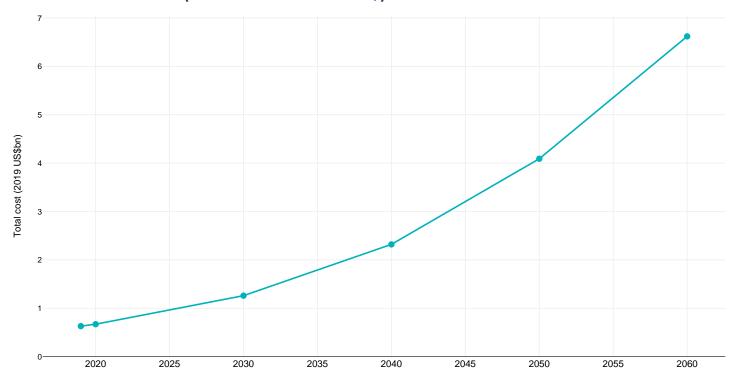
	2019	2030 (projected)	2060 (projected)
Total economic cost (direct + indirect costs):	\$0.63bn	\$1.26bn	\$6.62bn
Total economic cost as % of GDP:	1.03%	1.17%	1.38%
Total economic cost per capita:	\$11	\$16	\$42
Total direct costs:	\$0.07bn	\$0.16bn	\$1.31bn
Direct medical costs:	\$0.06bn	\$0.15bn	\$1.26bn
Direct-non-medical costs:	\$0.01bn	\$0.01bn	\$0.05bn
Total indirect costs:	\$0.56bn	\$1.11bn	\$5.31bn
Premature mortality costs:	\$0.23bn	\$0.49bn	\$2.99bn
Absenteeism costs:	\$0.12bn	\$0.21bn	\$0.81bn
Presenteeism costs:	\$0.21bn	\$0.4bn	\$1.52bn

All figures are in US\$

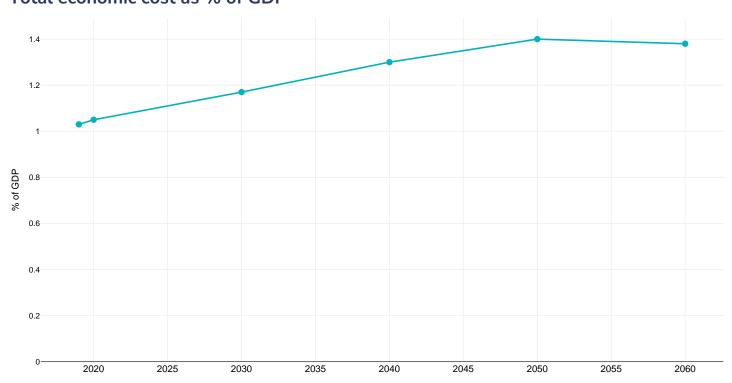


Trend graphs (standard model)

Total economic cost (in billions of 2019 US\$)

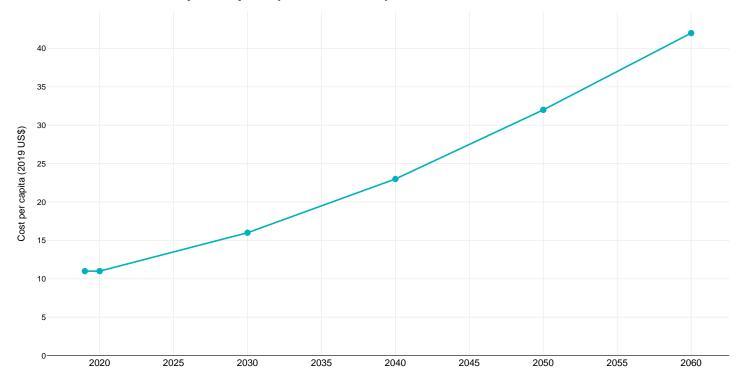


Total economic cost as % of GDP





Total economic cost per capita (in 2019 US\$)



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