

Hungary



Economic impact of overweight and obesity

In 2019, the economic impact of overweight and obesity was estimated to be US\$4.82 billion. This is equivalent to US\$498 per capita and 3% of GDP. Direct costs and indirect costs made up 15.7% and 84.3% of total costs respectively.

By 2060, economic impacts are predicted to increase to US\$19.57 billion. This is equivalent to US\$2425 per capita and 4.8% of GDP, and represents a 4-fold increase in total costs.

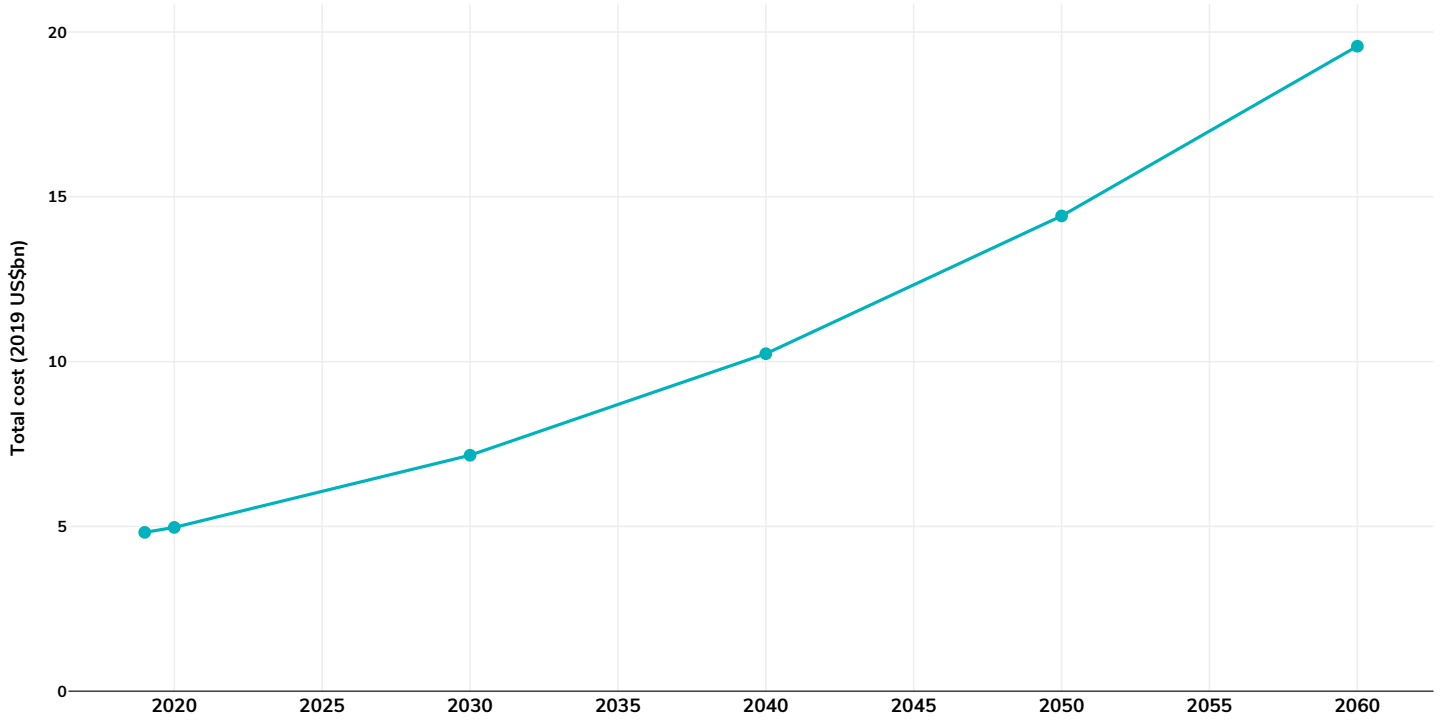
Breakdown of economic costs over time (standard model)

	2019	2030 (projected)	2060 (projected)
Total economic cost (direct + indirect costs):	\$4.82bn	\$7.16bn	\$19.57bn
Total economic cost as % of GDP:	2.95%	3.31%	4.77%
Total economic cost per capita:	\$498	\$767	\$2,425
Total direct costs:	\$0.76bn	\$1.01bn	\$1.87bn
Direct medical costs:	\$0.76bn	\$1.01bn	\$1.87bn
Direct-non-medical costs:	\$0bn	\$0bn	\$0bn
Total indirect costs:	\$4.06bn	\$6.15bn	\$17.71bn
Premature mortality costs:	\$3.29bn	\$4.74bn	\$11.42bn
Absenteeism costs:	\$0.26bn	\$0.48bn	\$2.14bn
Presenteeism costs:	\$0.51bn	\$0.93bn	\$4.15bn

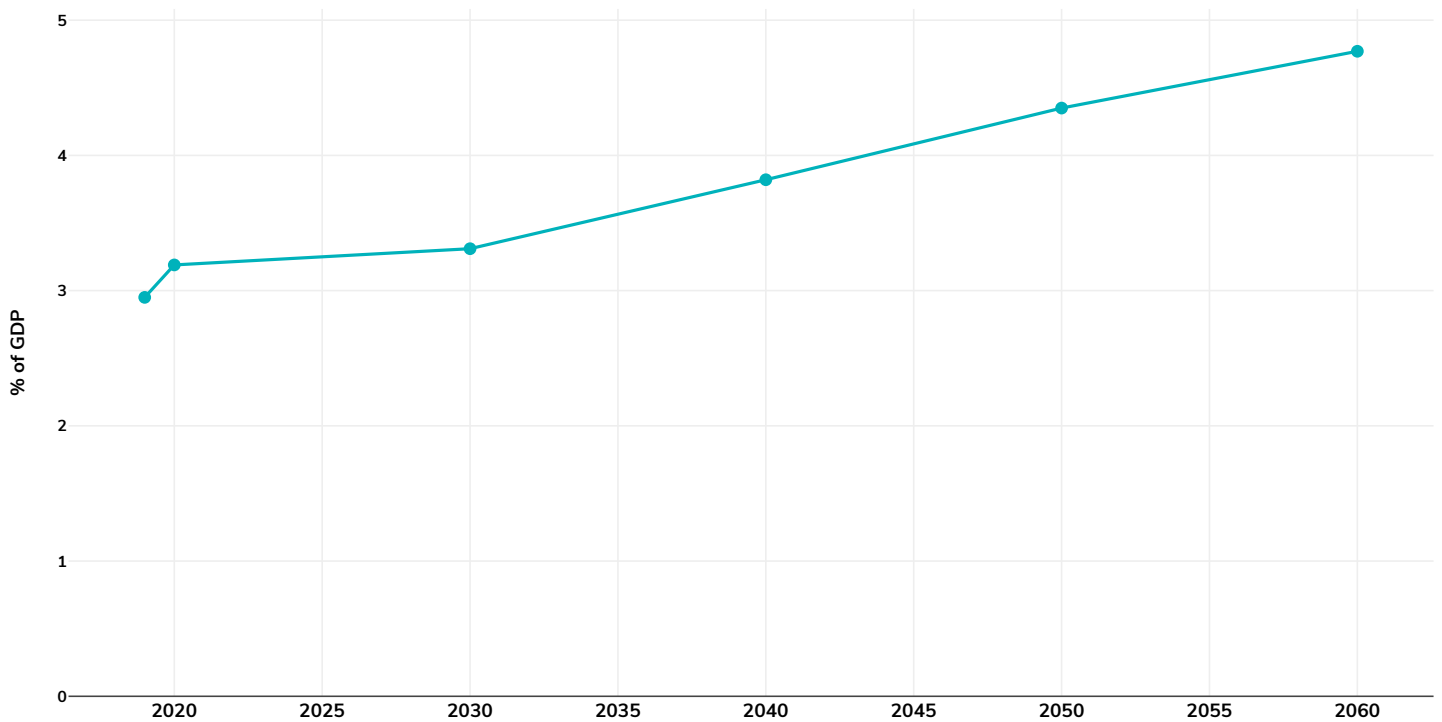
All figures are in US\$

Trend graphs (standard model)

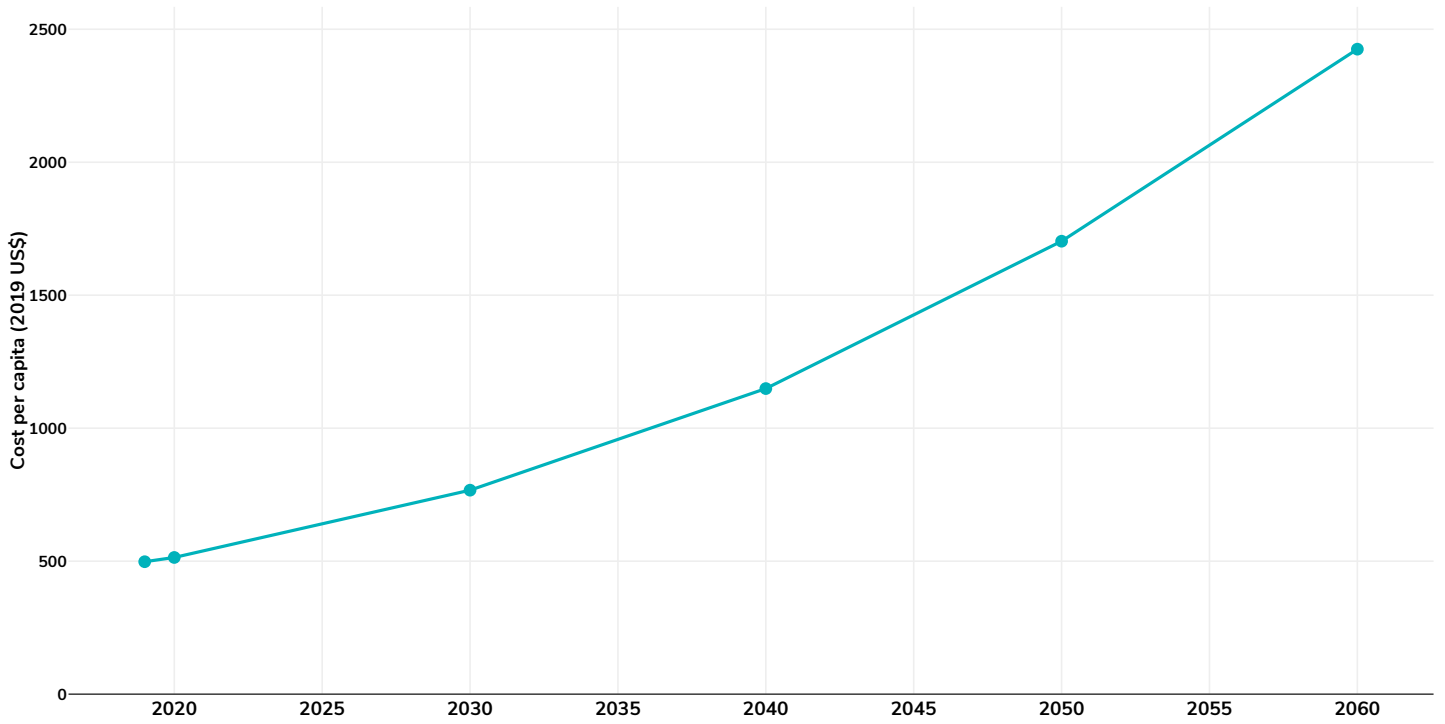
Total economic cost (in billions of 2019 US\$)



Total economic cost as % of GDP



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



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