The Supply Side of Health Care

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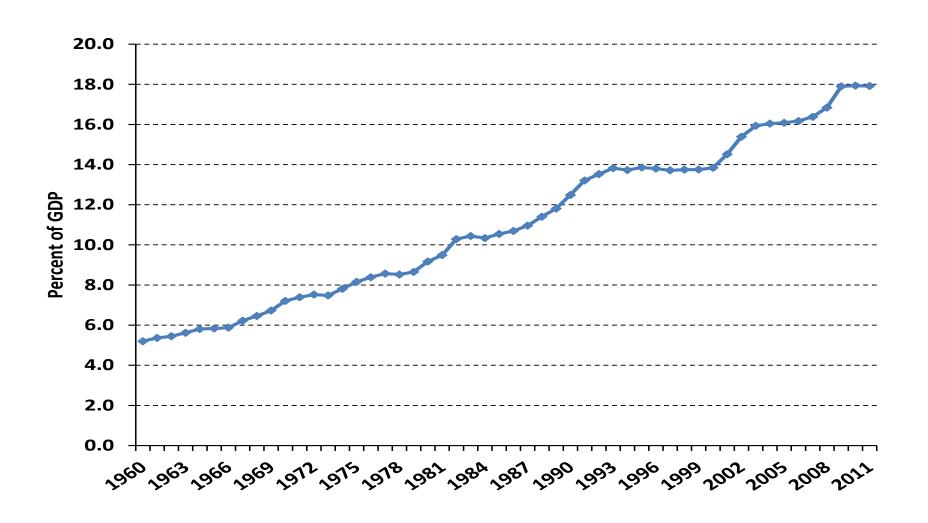
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Nominal NHE as a Percent of GDP



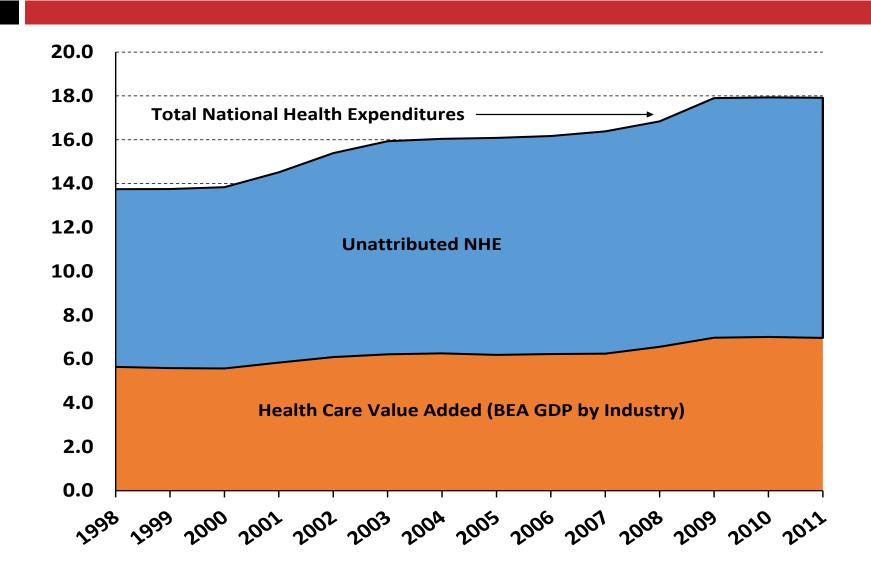


Heath Care Demand: NHEA

	Billions of U.S. Dollars							Annual Percent Change			
					'		1960-	2000-	2008-		
	1960	1970	1980	1990	2000	2011	2011	2011	2011		
Gross Domestic Product (GDP)	526.4	1038.3	2788.1	5800.5	9951.5	15075.7	6.8	3.8	1.8		
National Health Expenditures	27.4	74.9	255.8	724.3	1377.2	2700.7	9.4	6.3	3.9		
NHE as percent of GDP	5.2	7.2	9.2	12.5	13.8	17.9	2.5	2.4	2.1		
Personal Health Care	22.4	62.4	247.2	616.0	1165.4	2270.2	0.4	6.2	4.2		
	23.4	63.1	217.2	616.8	1165.4	2279.3	9.4	6.3	4.3		
Hospital Care	9.0	27.2	100.5	250.4	415.5	850.6	9.3	6.7	5.3		
Physician & Clinical	5.6	14.3	47.7	158.9	290.9	541.4	9.4	5.8	3.6		
Dental Services	2.0	4.7	13.4	31.7	62.3	108.4	8.2	5.2	1.9		
Other Professional Services	0.4	0.7	3.5	17.4	37.0	73.2	10.8	6.4	4.6		
Home Health Care	0.1	0.2	2.4	12.6	32.4	74.3	15.1	7.8	6.1		
Nursing Home Care	0.8	4.0	15.3	44.9	85.1	149.3	10.8	5.2	4.0		
Other Health Services	0.5	1.3	8.5	24.3	64.5	133.1	11.8	6.8	5.4		
Prescription Drugs	2.7	5.5	12.0	40.3	120.9	263.0	9.4	7.3	2.7		
Other Non-Durables	1.6	3.3	9.8	22.4	31.6	47.0	6.8	3.7	3.4		
Durable Medical Products	0.7	1.7	4.1	13.8	25.2	38.9	8.1	4.0	3.6		
Net Cost of Private Insurance	1.0	1.9	9.3	31.6	64.1	156.4	10.4	8.4	3.9		
Government Administration	0.1	0.7	2.8	7.2	17.1	32.5	13.4	6.0	2.4		
Public Health Activities	0.4	1.4	6.4	20.0	43.0	79.0	11.1	5.7	2.8		
Research	0.7	2.0	5.4	12.7	25.5	49.8	8.7	6.3	4.7		
Equipment	0.4	1.3	6.1	19.0	36.7	58.4	10.3	4.3	-0.2		
Structures	1.5	4.5	8.6	17.0	25.4	45.3	6.9	5.4	-4.3		



GDP by Industry: Where is the Health Care?





Gross Domestic Product (GDP): Demand and Supply

 Demand (NIPA Table 1): Expenditure on final demand of goods & services:

$$GDP = C + I + G + X - M$$

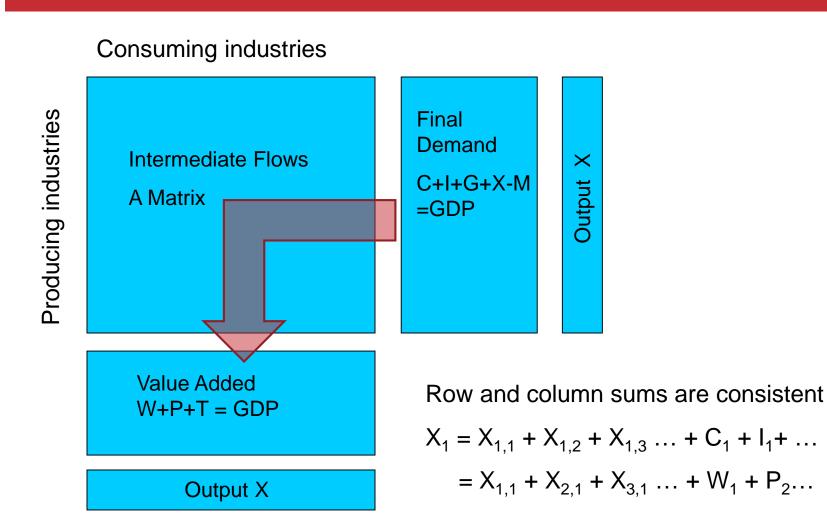
 Supply (NIPA Table 6.1): Value Added by industry agriculture, manufacturing, services, etc.

GDP =
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 VA_i across sectors

 Remember that GDP does not include the sales of intermediate demand of goods and services (inputs such as coal in steel, steel in auto).



Input-output table traces transactions



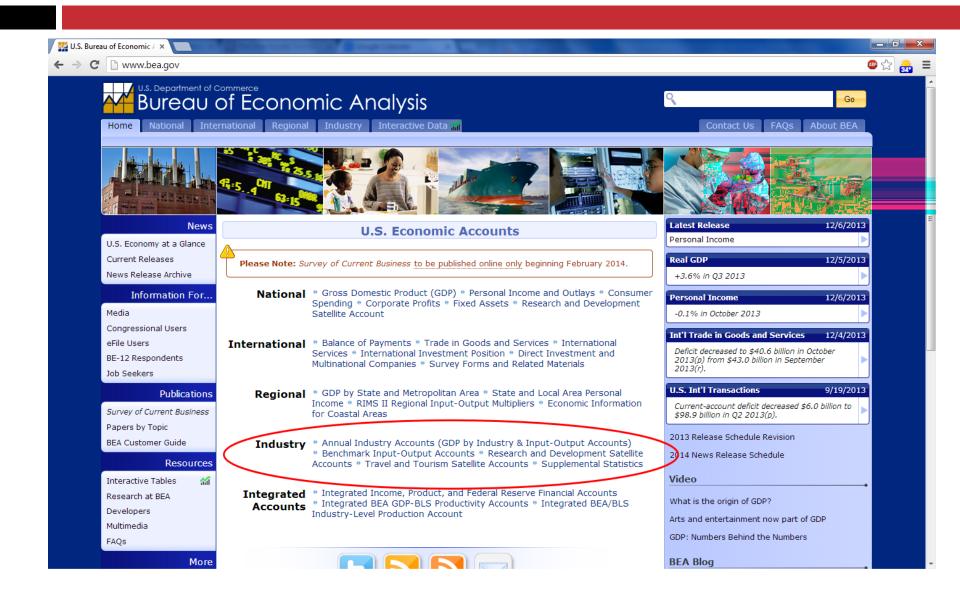


The Recipe: Ingredients

- CMS NHEA by function (Demand)
- BEA Industry and Input-Output Accounts
- Cross walk from NHE to NIPA final demand categories
- Key LIFT components (110 commodities, 65 industries):
 - Bridge matrices for consumption and investment
 - Input-output flow table, incl. output, imports, exports
 - Make table to convert commodities to industries
 - Value added to output ratios
 - Employment to output ratios
- Over history, LIFT components are roughly consistent with published BEA Industry GDP and IO data



Input-Output (IO) and GDP by Industry Accounts





The Recipe: Process

- 1. Convert NHEA to NIPA-based final demand to LIFT goods and service categories (PCE, GOV, INV, CST) of LIFT. (Ex: spread other health care services to PCE for physicians, etc.).
- 2. Multiply health care final demand in purchaser prices by bridge matrices to obtain final demand by production commodity. (Allocate spending across manufacturers' shipments, transport and trade margins, services, etc.)
- Compute domestic health care commodity demand by removing health care imports implied by LIFT commodity import share (pharmaceuticals is most affected sector, health sectors hardly impacted).



The Recipe: Process

- 4. Use I-O identity -- $q^d = (I A^d)^{-1} f^d$ -- to compute total domestic commodity gross output requirements (direct + indirect). Indirect demand includes utilities, building materials, services, etc. purchased by health care providers.
- 5. Convert commodity output to total industry gross output requirements with LIFT Make matrix.
- 6. Compute health care value added by industry by multiplying total requirements by BEA value added to output ratios.
- 7. Compute employment by industry with LIFT output to employment ratios.



Direct NHE Final Demand by LIFT Commodity

	Billions of Dollars					Annual Percent Growth			
		1998		2011			1998-2011		
	Health Care		Domestic	Health Care		Domestic	Health Care		Domestic
	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct	Direct
LIFT Commodity	Demand	Imports	Demand	Demand	Imports	Demand	Demand	Imports	Demand
Total National Health Expenditures	1,208.9	24.4	1,184.5	2,700.7	103.2	2,597.6	6.4	11.7	6.2
	260.2	0.4	260.2	7044	0.4	702 7	6.2	42.4	6.2
94 Hospitals	360.3	0.1	360.2	794.1	0.4	793.7	6.3	13.1	6.3
92 Offices of physicians, dentists, other practitioners	285.3	-	285.3	577.0		577.0	5.6	-	5.6
95 Nursing and residential care facilities	104.7		104.7	203.5		203.5	5.2		5.2
62 Retail trade	64.1	-	64.1	185.8	-	185.8	8.5	-	8.5
93 Other ambulatory health care services	73.6	-	73.6	163.4	-	163.4	6.3	-	6.3
79 Insurance	49.7	1.2	48.4	156.4	15.8	140.6	9.2	21.7	8.5
27 Pharmaceuticals	63.3	15.4	47.9	145.7	67.2	78.5	6.6	12.0	3.9
61 Wholesale trade	22.2	-0.6	22.9	99.2	-1.9	101.1	12.2	8.6	12.1
91 Home health care services	47.5	-	47.5	85.0	-	85.0	4.6	-	4.6
107 General government industry	28.4	-	28.4	65.4	-	65.4	6.6	-	6.6
13 New construction	21.8	-	21.8	42.5	-	42.5	5.3	-	5.3
85 Professional, scientific and technical services	15.2	0.1	15.1	34.6	0.5	34.1	6.5	13.6	6.4
90 Educational services	15.9	0.0	15.9	33.3	0.1	33.2	5.8	14.8	5.8
58 Medical equipment and supplies, dental labs	12.0	1.6	10.5	29.2	7.6	21.6	7.1	13.0	5.7
106 State and local government enterprises	10.2	-	10.2	22.1	-	22.1	6.1	-	6.1
45 Electromedical, electrotherapeutic apparatus	7.4	2.0	5.4	13.7	4.7	9.0	4.8	6.9	3.9
59 Ophthalmic goods	4.2	1.8	2.4	8.1	3.5	4.6	5.2	5.4	5.1
86 Computer systems design and related services	3.6	0.0	3.6	7.2	0.1	7.1	5.5	15.4	5.4
66 Truck transportation	2.2	0.0	2.2	6.6	0.1	6.5	8.7	9.6	8.7
All Other Commodities	17.4	2.9	14.4	28.1	5.1	23.0	3.8	4.3	3.6



Total Output Requirements by Commodity

	Billions of Dollars					Annual Percent Growth			
	1998			2011			1998-2011		
	Health Care		Health Care			Health		Health Care	
	Direct		Total	Direct		Total	Direct		Total
	Domestic	Indirect	Domestic	Domestic	Indirect	Domestic	Domestic	Indirect	Domestic
LIFT Commodity	Output	Output	Output	Output	Output	Output	Output	Output	Output
Gross Commodity Output	1184.5	710.8	1,895.3	2597.6	1,488.4	4086.0	6.2	5.8	6.1
Multiplier			1.6			1.6			
94 Hospitals	360.2	0.5	360.7	793.7	1.0	794.7	6.3	6.4	6.3
92 Offices of physicians, dentists, and other practitioners	285.3	0.1	285.4	577.0	0.1	577.1	5.6	5.4	5.6
79 Insurance	48.4	43.8	92.3	140.6	107.4	248.0	8.5	7.1	7.9
95 Nursing and residential care facilities	104.7	0.0	104.7	203.5	0.1	203.5	5.2	5.5	5.2
93 Other ambulatory health care services	73.6	15.8	89.4	163.4	34.5	197.9	6.3	6.2	6.3
62 Retail trade	64.1	5.8	69.9	185.8	5.5	191.3	8.5	-0.3	8.1
85 Professional, scientific and technical services	15.1	67.1	82.2	34.1	148.1	182.2	6.4	6.3	6.3
80 Real estate	1.9	69.3	71.1	3.4	156.9	160.4	4.8	6.5	6.5
61 Wholesale trade	22.9	41.0	63.8	101.1	57.3	158.5	12.1	2.6	7.2
88 Administrative and support services	1.6	50.9	52.5	4.0	128.0	132.0	7.1	7.4	7.4
27 Pharmaceuticals	47.9	29.1	77.0	78.5	31.7	110.2	3.9	0.7	2.8
87 Management of companies and enterprices	0.0	25.3	25.3	0.0	107.1	107.1	-	11.8	11.8
91 Home health care services	47.5	0.0	47.5	85.0	0.0	85.0	4.6	4.5	4.6
107 General government industry	28.4	0.0	28.4	65.4	0.0	65.4	6.6	-	6.6
77 Banks, credit cards and finance	0.0	18.7	18.7	0.0	52.2	52.2	-	8.2	8.2
58 Medical equipment and supplies, dental labs	10.5	14.2	24.6	21.6	23.5	45.1	5.7	4.0	4.8
Other Commodities	72.5	329.3	401.9	140.6	634.8	775.4	5.2	5.2	5.2

Health Care Value Added by Industry (Levels in Billions of Dollars)

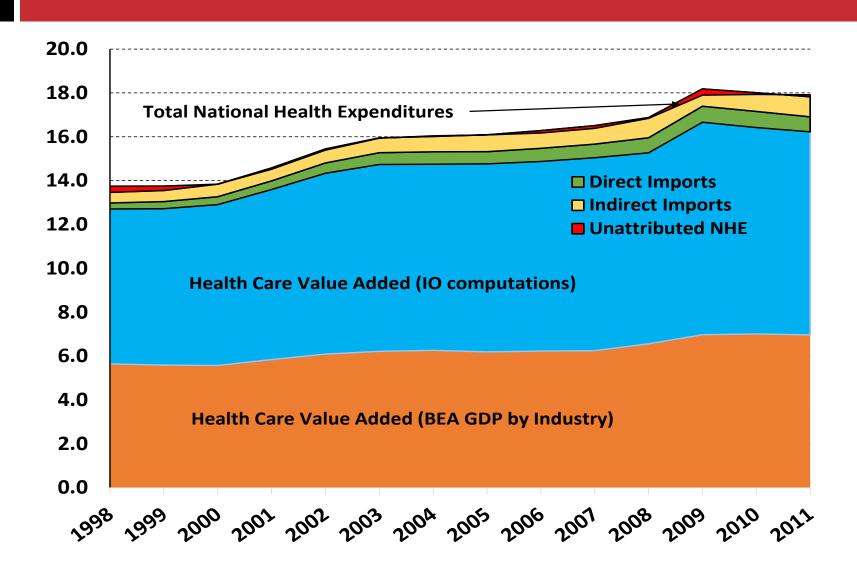
	<u>1998</u>		<u>2011</u>		<u>1998-11</u>
	Bill \$	% of GDP	Bill \$	% of GDP	Growth
GDP	8,793.5	100.0	15,075.7	100.0	4.2
National Health Expenditures	1,208.9	13.7	2,700.7	17.9	6.4
Total Domestic Value Added by Industry	1,117.1	12.7	2,446.0	16.2	6.2
Construction	14.5	0.2	34.0	0.2	6.8
Manufacturing	91.6	1.0	141.5	0.9	3.4
Durable manufacturing	33.1	0.4	57.3	0.4	4.3
Nondurable manufacturing	58.5	0.7	84.2	0.6	2.8
Chemical products	35.7	0.4	51.5	0.3	2.9
Wholesale trade	46.1	0.5	103.3	0.7	6.4
Retail trade	49.6	0.6	127.4	0.8	7.5
Transportation	15.6	0.2	34.4	0.2	6.3
Information	24.6	0.3	45.6	0.3	4.9
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental & leasing	130.9	1.5	330.2	2.2	7.4
Professional & business services	110.0	1.3	308.3	2.0	8.2
Education, health care & social assistance	494.0	5.6	1,057.9	7.0	6.0
Ambulatory health care services	258.6	2.9	559.5	3.7	6.1
Hospitals & nursing & residential care facilities	227.2	2.6	480.4	3.2	5.9
Government Administration & Enterprises	98.7	1.1	181.4	1.2	4.8
State & local general government	79.1	0.9	147.0	1.0	4.9

Health Care Employment by Industry (Levels in Thousands of Jobs)

	199	<u>8</u>	<u>201</u>	<u>2011</u>		
	Thousand	% of Tot	Thousand	% of Tot	Growth	
BEA Industry	Jobs	Employ	Jobs	Employ	Rate	
Total U.S. Civilian Employment	140049	100.0	144640	100.0	0.2	
Total Health Care Employment	21096	15.1	28055	19.4	2.2	
Total Non-Health Employment	118953	84.9	116585	80.6	-0.2	
Agriculture, forestry, & fishing	93	0.1	100	0.1	0.6	
Mining	21	0.0	19	0.0	-0.7	
Utilities	42	0.0	36	0.0	-1.3	
Construction	302	0.2	467	0.3	3.4	
Manufacturing	1055	0.8	910	0.6	-1.1	
Durable manufacturing	482	0.3	423	0.3	-1.0	
Miscellaneous manufacturing	196	0.1	181	0.1	-0.6	
Nondurable manufacturing	573	0.4	486	0.3	-1.3	
Chemical products	238	0.2	237	0.2	0.0	
Wholesale trade	480	0.3	703	0.5	3.0	
Retail trade	1253	0.9	2197	1.5	4.4	
Transportation	285	0.2	406	0.3	2.8	
Information	211	0.2	187	0.1	-0.9	
Finance, insurance, real estate, rental & leasing	882	0.6	1310	0.9	3.1	
Insurance carriers & related activities	587	0.4	905	0.6	3.4	
Professional & business services	2206	1.6	3400	2.4	3.4	
Misc. professional, scientific & tech services	608	0.4	874	0.6	2.8	
Management of companies & enterprises	194	0.1	468	0.3	7.0	
Administrative & support services	1161	0.8	1721	1.2	3.1	
Education, health care & social assistance	11374	8.1	14878	10.3	2.1	
Ambulatory health care services	4646	3.3	6549	4.5	2.7	
Hospitals & nursing & residential care	6441	4.6	7953	5.5	1.6	
Accomodation & food services	343	0.2	490	0.3	2.8	
Other services, except government	381	0.3	428	0.3	0.9	
Government: general & enterprise	2124	1.5	2455	1.7	1.1	



Summary Reconciliation: NHE and Health Care Supply





Future Directions

- Adapt LIFT to the new integrated industry and IO frameworks.
- Occupational composition of health care employment.
- Health care labor productivity growth (broadly defined) relative to non-health care productivity growth – will require some use of deflators.
- Short-run projections: what are the labor force (and occupational) demands given projections.
- Long-run projections (beyond 2022): implications of projected health care spending on economy-wide potential growth.