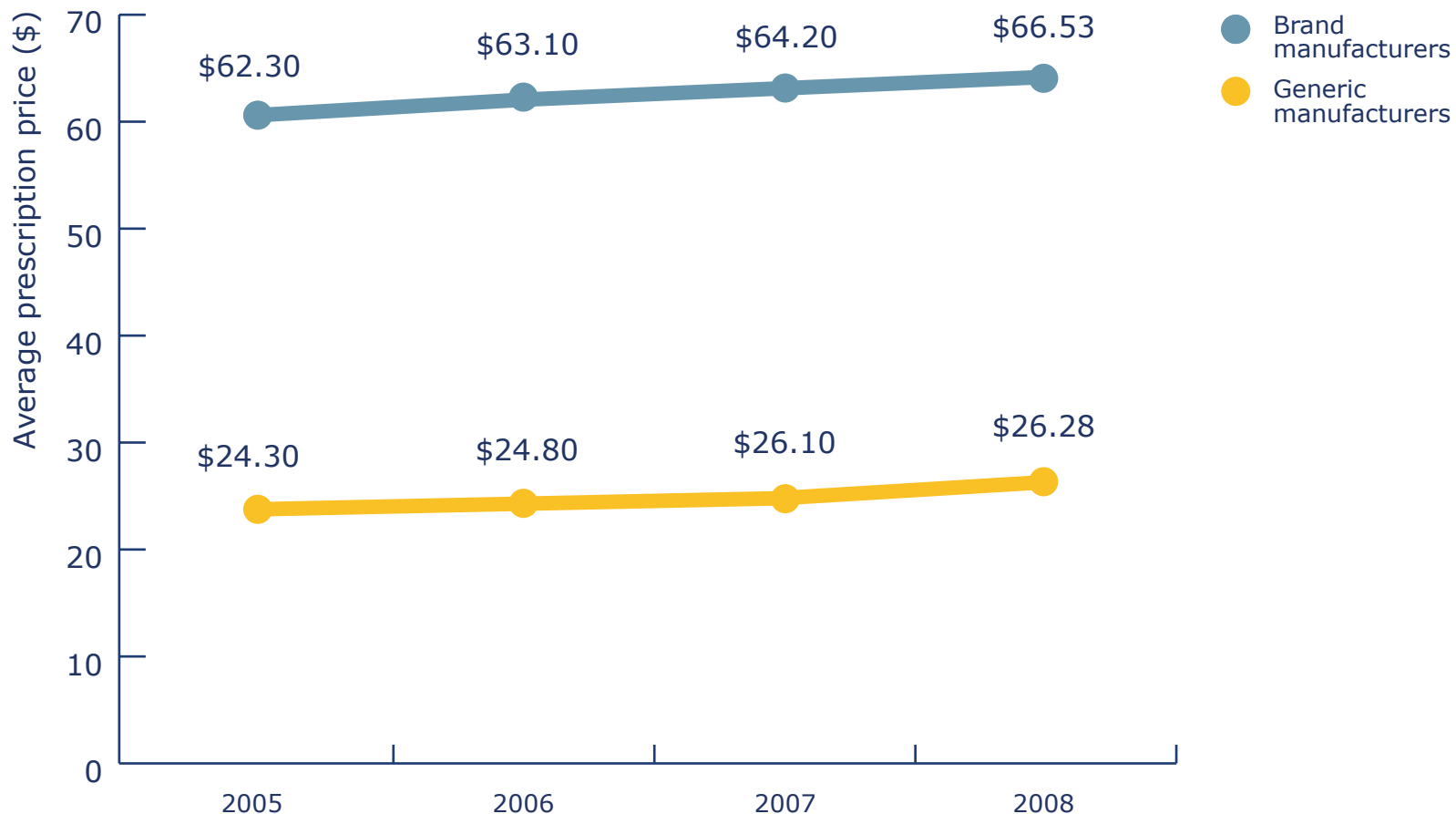


Pharmaceutical trends

Average retail price*, brand vs. generic, Canada, 2005-2008



* Average retail price is based on total price of prescriptions (price of drug plus any mark-ups and professional dispensing fees) divided by estimated prescriptions dispensed in Canadian retail pharmacies (excludes hospitals; includes retail new and refills).

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