

# Services PPI – Veterinary services

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# Introduction

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- ◎ Pricing veterinary services
- ◎ Measuring sub-annual turnover

# Industry classification

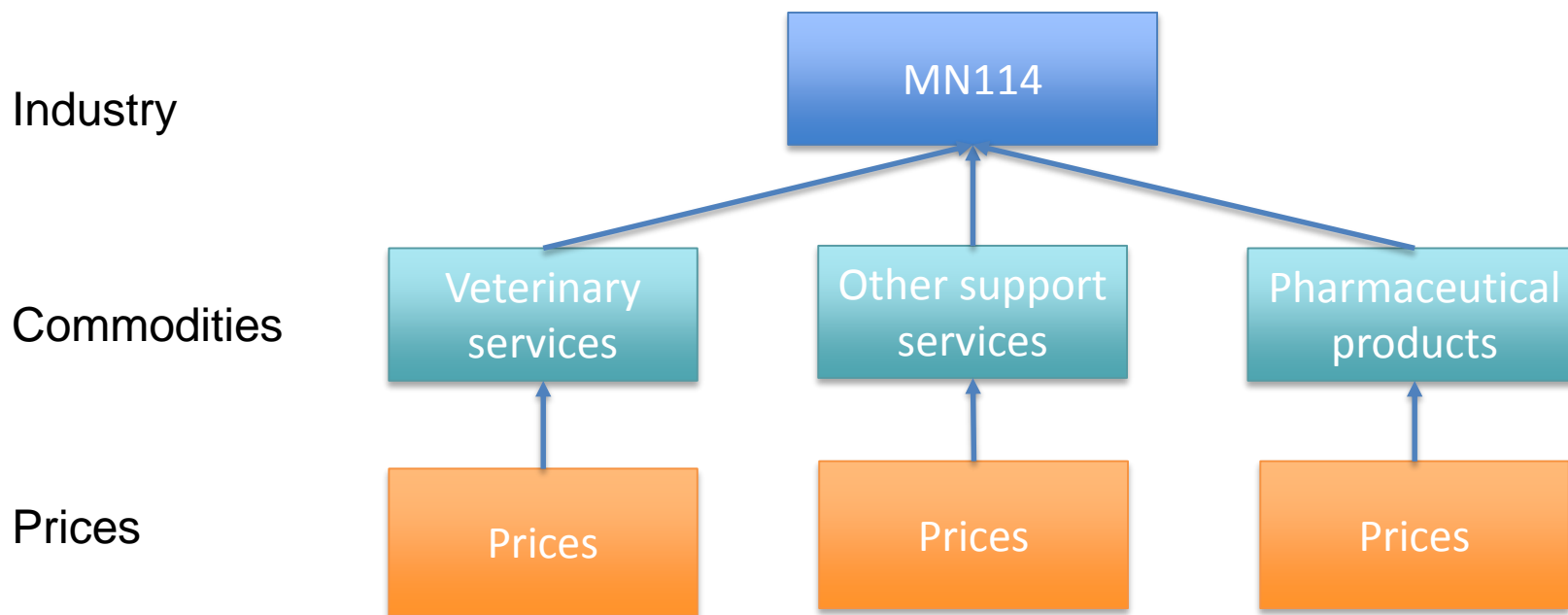
- ⊙ New Zealand Standard Industrial Output Classification (NZSIOC)
  - ⊙ MN – Professional and administration services
    - ⊙ MN1 – Professional, scientific, and technical services
      - ⊙ MN11 - Professional, scientific, and technical services
        - ⊙ MN114 – Veterinary and other professional services

# Industry classification

## Concordance between NZSIOC and ISIC

NZSIOC level 4	ANZSIC06 Class	ISIC
MN114 – Veterinary and other professional services	M697000 – Veterinary services	M7500 – Veterinary activities
MN114 – Veterinary and other professional services	M699100 – Professional photographic services	M7420 – Photographic activities (partial)
MN114 – Veterinary and other professional services	M699900 – Other professional, scientific and technical services n.e.c.	M7490 – Other professional, scientific and technical activities n.e.c.

# Industry/commodity structure



# Pricing veterinary services

- ⊙ Approximately 50 prices covering:
  - ⊙ Veterinary services for livestock
    - ⊙ Quarterly postal survey
  - ⊙ Veterinary service for pet animals
    - ⊙ Data from the CPI
  - ⊙ Most prices change every 2-3 years with some changing annually
  - ⊙ Biggest challenge is pricing to constant quality

# Measuring sub-annual turnover

- ⊙ Looking to improve coverage
  - ⊙ SAFES implementation
    - ⊙ Admin data wherever possible – survey if necessary
  - ⊙ Primary data source – Goods and Services Tax (GST)
  - ⊙ Veterinary services - a prime candidate
    - ⊙ Small businesses – 85% of industry turnover
  - ⊙ From September 2015 quarter – right now!