NHS PRESCRIPTION AND REMUNERATION STATISTICS FOR ENGLAND PhS and LPS

	2013/14		<u>2014/15</u>		2014/15	
	August	YTD	August	YTD	August	<u>YTD</u>
	per Rx in £ p	oer Rx in £	per Rx in £ p	per Rx in £	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Ingredient Cost <u>Less</u> : Discount Sub-total Container Payments + Allowance <i>Reimbursement per I tem</i>	8.00	8.02	7.91	7.84	-1.1%	-2.3%
	-0.63	-0.63	-0.61	-0.61	2.9%	3.7%
	7.36	7.38	7.30	7.23	-0.9%	-2.1%
	0.03	0.03	0.01	0.01	-83.9%	-83.4%
	7.40	7.42	7.30	7.23	<u>-1.3%</u>	<u>-2.5%</u>
Fees	2.05	2.06	2.06	2.05	0.6%	-0.1%
Total Payment/Rx	<u>9.45</u>	9.47	9.37	9.29	<u>-0.9%</u>	<u>-2.0%</u>
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m	637.5	3227.3	626.7	3230.7	-1.7%	0.1%
Total Rx Volume m	79.7	402.5	79.2	412.3	-0.6%	2.4%
Total Fees £m	163.6	827.9	163.5	846.9	0.0%	2.3%
Total Gross Profit £m	<u>163.6</u>	827.9	<u>163.5</u>	846.9	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>2.3%</u>

Note fees includes MUR but excludes oxygen, IT payments and payments to ESPS pharmacies