	<u>2015/16</u>		2016/17		2016/17	
	<u>January</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>January</u>	<u>YTD</u>
	per Rx in <u>£</u> p	er Rx in £	per Rx in £ p	er Rx in £	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Ingredient Cost	7.99	8.15	7.76	7.87	-2.9%	-3.5%
<u>Less</u> : Discount	-0.61	-0.63	-0.59	-0.60	4.2%	5.0%
Sub-total	7.38	7.52	7.17	7.27	-2.8%	-3.3%
Container Payments + Allowance	0.03	0.03	0.04	0.04	1.3%	1.3%
Reimbursement per Item	7.41	7.56	7.21	<u>7.31</u>	-2.8%	-3.3%
Fees	1.98	1.94	1.57	1.83	-20.5%	-5.2%
Total Payment/Rx	<u>9.39</u>	<u>9.49</u>	<u>8.78</u>	<u>9.14</u>	<u>-6.5%</u>	<u>-3.7%</u>
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m	659.8	6895.4	660.4	6800.4	0.1%	-1.4%
Total Rx Volume m	82.5	845.8	85.1	864.0	3.1%	2.1%
Total Fees £m	163.1	1637.3	133.6	1585.2	-18.1%	-3.2%
Total Gross Profit £m	<u>163.1</u>	1637.3	<u>133.6</u>	1585.2	-18.1%	-3.2%

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