## NHS PRESCRIPTION AND REMUNERATION STATISTICS FOR CHEMISTS IN WALES

	2015/16		2016/17		2016/17	
	<u>February</u>	YTD	<u>February</u>	YTD	February	<u>YTD</u>
	<u>per Rx in £</u> p	er Rx in £	per Rx in £ pe	er Rx in £	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Ingredient Cost Less: Discount Sub-total Container Cost of Sales	7.03	7.20	6.85	6.90	-2.5%	-4.1%
	-0.55	-0.57	-0.52	-0.53	4.6%	6.4%
	6.48	6.63	6.33	6.37	-2.3%	-3.9%
	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	3.8%	2.4%
	<b>6.51</b>	<b>6.66</b>	<b>6.36</b>	<b>6.40</b>	<u>-2.3%</u>	<b>-3.9%</b>
Fees	1.79	1.76	1.83	1.74	2.2%	-1.2%
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<u>1.79</u>	<u>1.76</u>	<u>1.83</u>	<u>1.74</u>	<u>2.2%</u>	-1.2%
Total Payment/Rx Gross Profit %	<b>8.30</b> 21.5	<b>8.43</b> 20.9	<b>8.19</b> 22.3	<b>8.14</b> 21.4	<b>-1.3%</b> 3.6%	<u>-3.3%</u> 2.2%
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m	42.6	494.0	39.8	477.0	-6.5%	-3.4%
Total Rx Volume m	6.1	68.6	5.8	69.1	-4.1%	0.7%
Total Fees £m  Total Gross Profit £m	10.8	121.2	10.6	120.6	-2.0%	-0.5%
	<b>10.8</b>	<b>121.2</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>120.6</b>	<u>-2.0%</u>	<u>-<b>0.5%</b></u>

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