NHS PRESCRIPTION AND REMUNERATION STATISTICS FOR CHEMISTS IN WALES

	2013/14		<u>2014/15</u>		2014/15	
	<u>March</u>	YTD	<u>March</u>	YTD	March	<u>YTD</u>
	per Rx in £ 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	7.02	7.12	7.16	7.06	2.0%	-0.8%
	-0.56	-0.57	-0.57	-0.56	-0.4%	1.4%
	6.45	6.55	6.59	6.50	2.1%	-0.8%
	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.9%	1.4%
	6.49	<u>6.58</u>	<u>6.62</u>	<u>6.53</u>	2.1%	-0.8%
Fees	1.88	1.88	1.71	1.81	-9.4%	-3.9%
Gross Profit	<u>1.88</u>	<u>1.88</u>	<u>1.71</u>	<u>1.81</u>	<u>-9.4%</u>	-3.9%
Total Payment/Rx Gross Profit %	8.37 22.5	8.47 22.3	8.33 20.5	8.34 21.7	<u>-0.5%</u> -9.0%	<u>-1.5%</u> -2.5%
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m	42.5	516.0	45.6	525.8	7.1%	1.9%
Total Rx Volume m	6.1	72.5	6.4	74.5	5.1%	2.7%
Total Fees £m Total Gross Profit £m	11.4	136.6	10.9	134.8	-4.8%	-1.3%
	11.4	136.6	10.9	134.8	<u>-4.8%</u>	-1.3%

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