NHS PRESCRIPTION AND REMUNERATION STATISTICS FOR CHEMISTS IN WALES

	<u>2015/16</u>		2016/17		2016/17	
	October	YTD	October	YTD	October	<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	7.22	7.21	6.90	6.90	-4.4%	-4.2%
	-0.57	-0.57	-0.53	-0.53	7.7%	6.6%
	6.65	6.64	6.37	6.37	-4.2%	-4.0%
	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.03	1.6%	2.3%
	6.68	6.67	6.40	6.40	<u>-4.1%</u>	-4.0%
Fees	1.76	1.75	1.75	1.74	-0.7%	-1.0%
Gross Profit	<u>1.76</u>	<u>1.75</u>	<u>1.75</u>	<u>1.74</u>	<u>-0.7%</u>	-1.0%
Total Payment/Rx Gross Profit %	8.44 20.8	8.43 20.8	8.15 21.4	8.14 21.3	-3.4% 2.8%	<u>-3.4%</u> 2.5%
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m	46.2	315.5	42.2	304.9	-8.7%	-3.4%
Total Rx Volume m	6.4	43.8	6.1	44.2	-4.4%	0.9%
Total Fees £m Total Gross Profit £m	11.3	76.8	10.7	76.7	-5.1%	-0.1%
	11.3	<u>76.8</u>	10.7	76.7	<u>-5.1%</u>	-0.1%

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