14.9 Employee Shareholder Status

Employee Shareholder shares issued under Employee Shareholder agreements from 1st September 2013

	Share awards					
Year	Number of ² companies where employees were awarded shares	Number of ² employees that were awarded shares	Total number of shares awarded (million)	Mean number of shares awarded per employee ('000)	Median number of shares awarded per employee ('000)	
2013-14 ¹	40	230	55.8	238	13	
			Share	values		
Year	Total actual value ³ of shares awarded (£ million)	Total market value ⁴ of shares awarded (£ million)	Mean actual value ³ of shares per employee (£ '000)	Mean market value ⁴ of shares per employee (£ '000)	Median actual value ³ of shares per employee (£ '000)	Median market value ⁴ of shares per employee (£ '000)
2013-14 ¹	2.5	2.8	10.6	11.8	5.7	6.3

Source: Employment-Related Securities returns (Form 42)

Notes on the table:

This is a new table showing take up statistics for the new Employee Shareholder Status which took effect on 1st September 2013.

These are based on the first 7 months since the status was introduced and are unlikely to be representative of take up in the longer term.

For further information about Employee Shareholder Status please refer to the GOV.UK website:

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/employee-shareholders

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For further information about share schemes please refer to the GOV.UK website:

http://www.hmrc.gov.uk/shareschemes/index.htm

¹ Covering the period 1st September 2013 to 5th April 2014

² Numbers have been rounded to the nearest 10

³ Employee Shareholder shares can be subject to various restrictions which may reduce the market value of the shares. The actual value is this 'restricted' value of shares.

⁴ The market value of shares is the 'unrestricted' value of shares i.e. the value of the shares without any conditions applied to them.