

## Table 6: UK Payroll Giving scheme

The cost of Income Tax relief is estimated from the amount donated.

Notes are in a separate tab.

Tax Year ending April	Gross amount donated (£ millions)	Cost of Income Tax relief (£ millions)	Thousands of employees participating, previous basis	Thousands of employees participating, current basis
2015	126	40	1,094	not available
2016	131	40	1,113	not available
2017	131	40	1,070	not available
2018	137	40	1,034	not available
2019	133	40	1,086	not available
2020	132	40	not available	591
2021	137	40	not available	545
2022	128	40	not available	516

End of worksheet

**Notes on Table 6**

Before 2023, this table was called "Table 8".

The gross amount donated and number of employees participating are based on information provided by Payroll Giving agencies. Agencies have some scope to define "number of employees participating" in a way that works for them.

In April 2019, agency changes removed a group of employees who donated in a previous tax year, but not in the tax year being reported on. This resulted in a large apparent drop in the number of participants, as we cannot back date previous years with the change in definition, but does not reflect a real change in the number of employees participating.

We therefore show that column from that date in a new data series.