

Appendix A: level of missing data within dataset

Variable	Missing values	% missing
Composite measure score	58	0.8%
Measure savings compared to 1st decile practice	114	1.5%
Low value prescribing score	66	0.9%
Available Price Per Unit savings	0	0.0%
Prescribing volume within previous 6 months	0	0.0%
QOF score	0	0.0%
% of patients recommending practices	40	0.5%
IMD score	33	0.4%
% of patients with long term health conditions	40	0.5%
% of patients over 65 years	37	0.5%
Dispensing practice status	0	0.0%
Practices with complete data for all variables	7477	98.1%