Our tax contribution.

For the 53-week reporting period ended 28 February 2026, the Group's total tax contribution was **£6.7 billion** of which taxes borne were **£2.4 billion**. In the latest 100 Group Total Tax contribution survey we ranked 3rd largest corporate tax payer in the UK.

Business rates

Our bill for this year totalled

£736m



Profit Tax

We paid corporate income tax of

£503m



Colleagues

As an employer of more than 340,000 colleagues, we paid employment taxes of

£843m



Customs and Fuel duty

The duty we paid on goods we import as well as fuel duty across our vehicle fleet was

£111m



Environment taxes

We continue to work hard to reduce our impact on the planet. The environmental taxes we paid in the year were

£63m



Other

We paid a number of other taxes across our business, including retail taxes, other property taxes, and VAT we are unable to recover of

£150m



The taxes we collect.

For the year ended 28 February 2026, the Group collected **£4.3 billion** in taxes.

Excise duty

We collected excise duty from our sales of beer, wine and spirits of

£1,648m



Colleagues

As an employer of more than 340,000 colleagues, we generated employment taxes of

£1,238m



VAT

We collected £9.6bn of VAT on our sales. After deducting £8.2bn of VAT on purchases, the net payment was

£1,353m



Insurance

Insurance and Money Services (IMS) collected insurance premium tax on customer policies of

£93m



Other

There are a number of other taxes we collect which in total this year added to

£12m



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