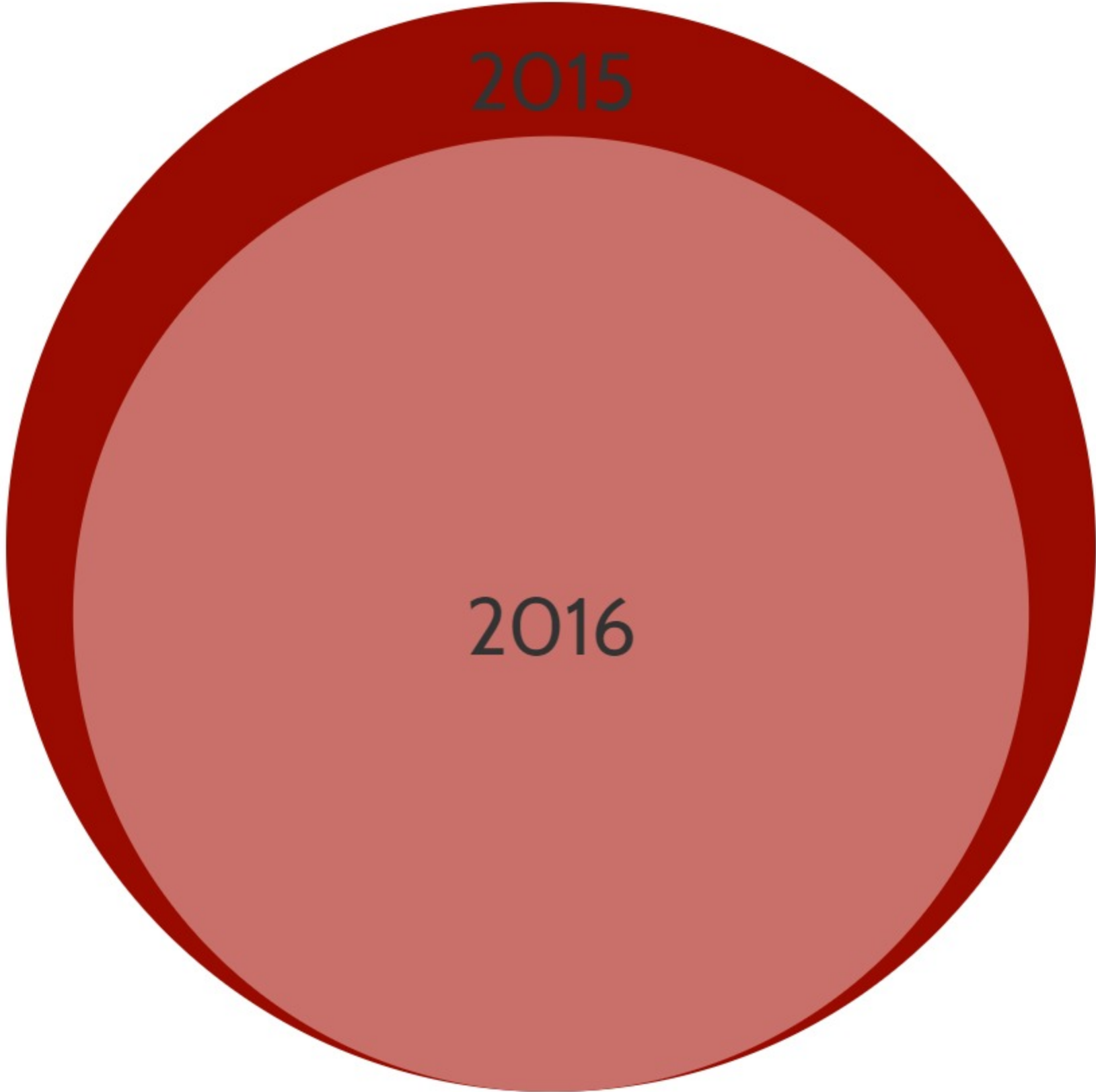


Spend on Prescriptions for Gluten Free Foods

Spend on prescriptions for gluten free foods in England and Wales fell 12.3% 2015 versus 2016.

Between Jan 2015 and February 2017, the largest decrease (37.6 %) is seen in the Midlands and East of England region. The smallest decrease (11.5%) is seen in Wales.



What types of Food are Prescribed?

The pie chart to the right shows the breakdown of gluten free food types prescribed in the UK in 2016, by spend.

Bread is by far the biggest food type at nearly two-thirds of the total spend.

In 2016 the total spend on prescriptions for gluten free bread was over £19mn.

