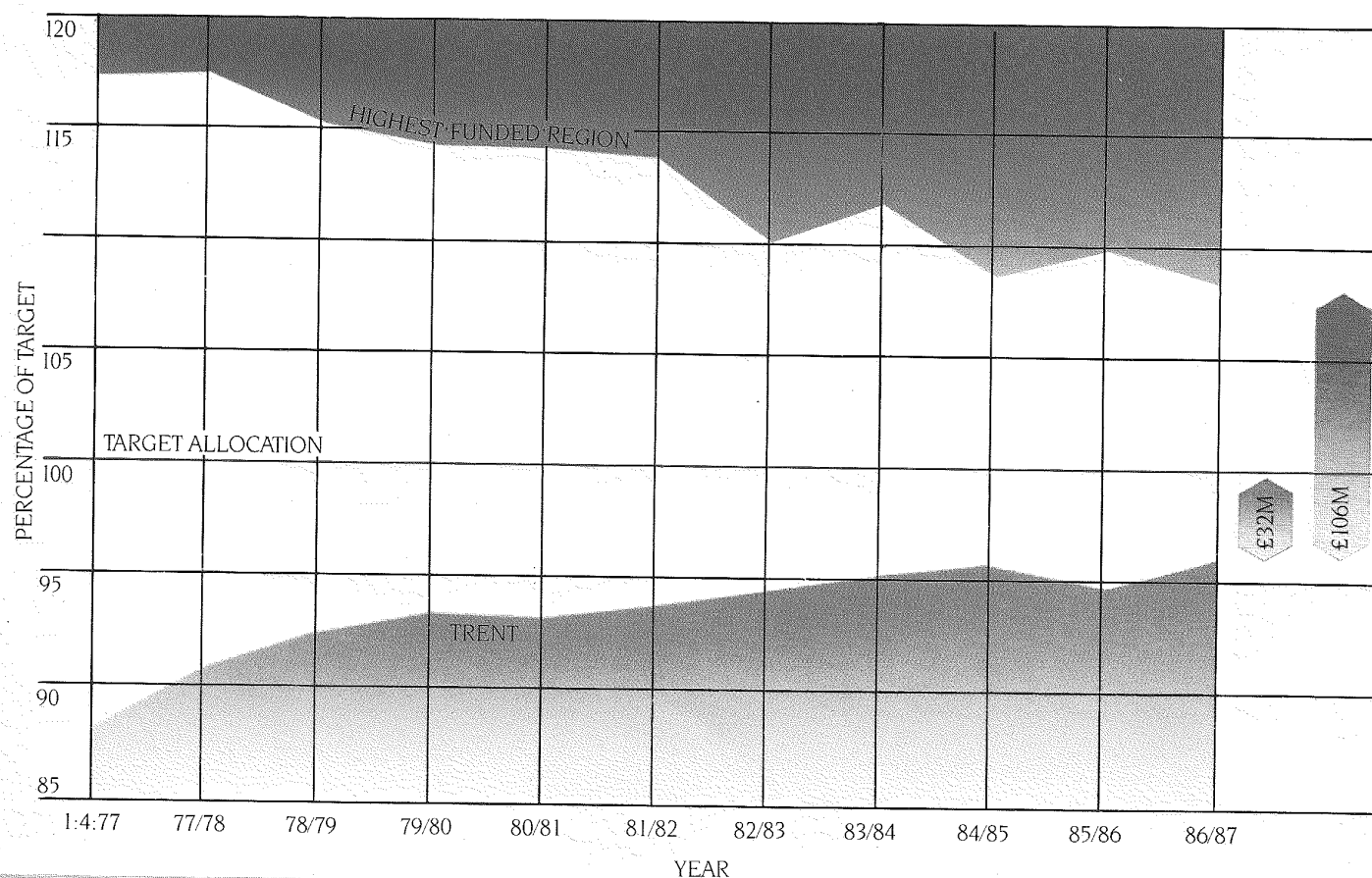


# T H E F A C T S

## REVENUE RESOURCES. PROGRESS TOWARDS TARGET FROM 1977 ONWARDS

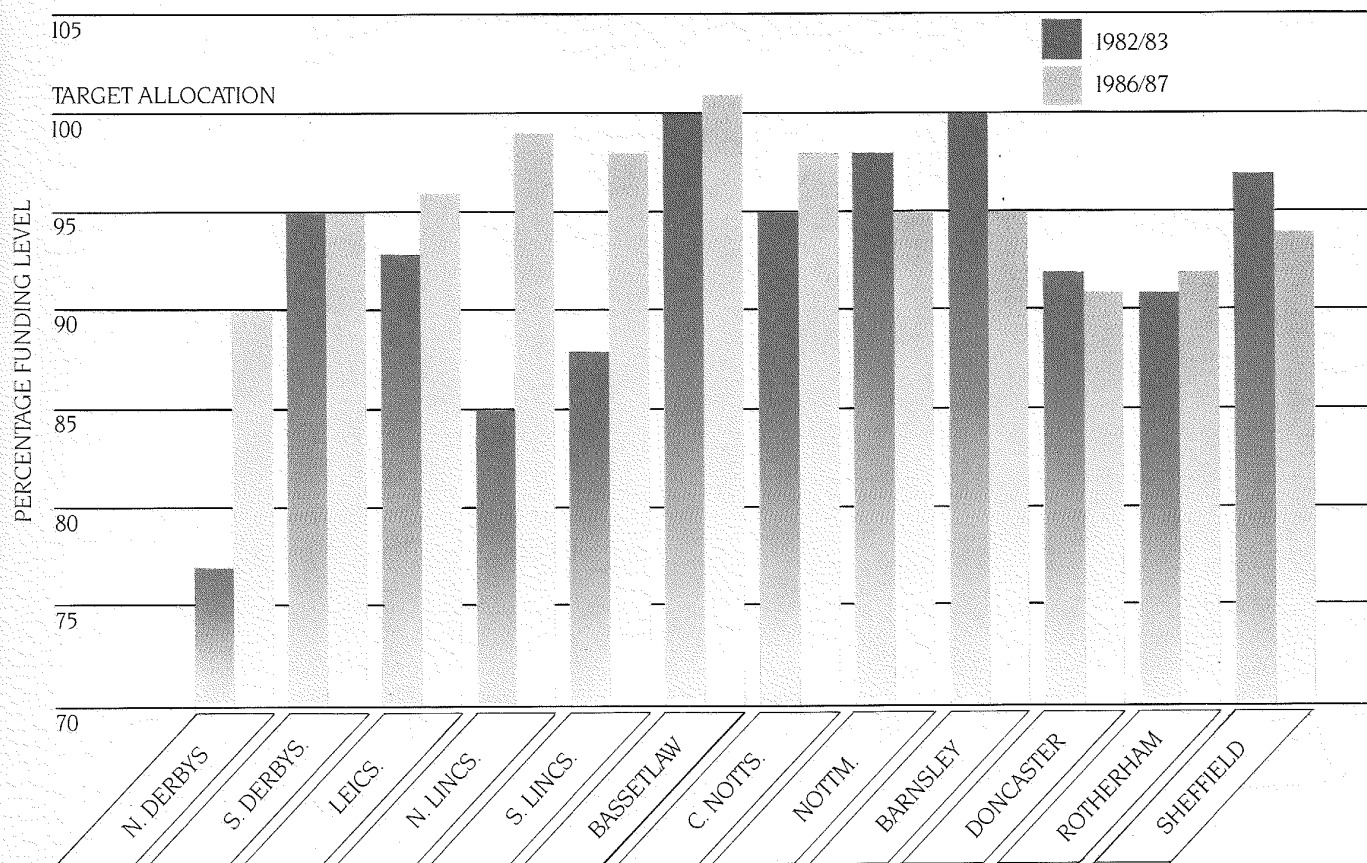


The above graph shows the progress of the Trent Region towards its revenue target since the formula recommended by the Resource Allocation Working Party was introduced in 1977. Although the gap between Trent and the best funded Region has narrowed considerably, an extra £32 million would be required to bring Trent's current allocation of £906 million up to national average funding levels. An extra £106 million would be required to bring

Trent to the level of funding enjoyed by the highest funded Region, which is North West Thames.

# T H E F A C T S

## PROGRESS OF DISTRICT HEALTH AUTHORITIES TOWARDS RAWP TARGETS



The Regional Health Authority is pursuing a firm policy of equalisation of resources between Health Districts within the Region. The above table illustrates the progress made in equalising the funding levels of Districts within Trent since the 1982 re-organisation; it can be seen that the gap between the highest and lowest funded Districts has narrowed from 23% in 1982/83 to 11% in 1986/87. In addition, the Region's Strategic Plan is based on all Districts being

at or close to the national average funding level by 1994, although the achievement of this policy is dependent upon the Regional Authority receiving its fair share of national resources by that date.