TABLE 11.2: CASH RESERVE RATIO AND INTEREST RATES: 2002-2003

Items	April	May	June	. July	August	September
	2002	2002	2002	2002	2002	2002
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
a. Cash Reserve Ratio (per cent) (1)	5.50	5.50	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
b. Bank Rate	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50
c. Prime Lending Rate (2)	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00	11.00-12.00
d. Deposit Rate (3)	7.00-8.50	7.00-8.25	7.00-8.25	7.00-8.25	7.00-8.00	6.50-7.50
e. Call Money Rate (4)						
- Borrowings						
(i) High	7.50	7.75	7.00	6.70	6.05	6.55
(ii) Low	3.55	5.00	3.00	2.71	4.25	4.74
- Lendings						
(i) High	7.90	7.75	7.00	6.55	6.55	8.25
(ii) Low	3.55	5.00	3.00	2.71	4.25	4.74
Items	October	November	December	January	February	March
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	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
a. Cash Reserve Ratio (per cent) (1)	5.00	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75	4.75
b. Bank Rate	6.50	6.25	6.25	6.25	6.25	6.25
c. Prime Lending Rate			10.75-		10.75-	
(2)	11.00-12.00	10.25-11.50	11.50	10.75-11.50	11.50	10.75-11.50
d. Deposit Rate (3)	6.50-7.50	6.00-6.75	6.00-6.75	5.50-6.25	5.50-6.25	5.25-6.25

- e. Call Money Rate (4)
 - Borrowings

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(i) High	6.55	5.70	6.80	6.55	7.10	8.25
(ii) Low	4.25	1.00	3.50	4.30	4.50	4.00
- Lendings						
(i) High	6.55	5.70	6.80	6.55	7.10	8.25
(ii) Low	4.25	1.00	3.50	4.40	4.50	4.00

Notes

- (1): As applicable to Scheduled Commercial Banks (excluding Regional Rural Banks) as on last Friday of Month.
- (2): Prime Lending Rate (PLR) relates to five major banks.
 - (3): Deposit rate relates to major banks for term deposits of more than one year maturity.
 - (4): Data cover 75-80 per cent of total transactions reported by major participants. Based on highs/lows of the the weeks ending on Fridays of the month.

Source: Reserve Bank of India Bulletin / Weekly Statistical Supplement, various issues.