No. 51: Indices of Real Effective Exchange Rate (REER) and Nominal Effective **Exchange Rate (NEER) of the Indian Rupee**

(5-country trade based weights)

Year / Month / Day			Base: 1991-92 (April-		Base: 1993-94 (April-		Base: 2001-02 (April-	
		March) = 100		March) = 100		March) = 100		
			NEER	REER	NEER	REER	NEER	REER
1			2	3	4	5	6	7
1990-91			133.07	121.64	175.04	141.69	239.18	138.54
1991-92			100.00	100.00	131.54	116.48	179.74	114.89
1992-93			89.57	96.42	117.81	112.31	160.98	109.65
1993-94			76.02	85.85	100.00	100.00	136.64	97.96
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1994-95			73.06	90.23	96.09	105.81	131.31	103.66
1995-96			66.67	87.23	87.69	102.29	119.84	100.21
1996-97			65.67	88.20	86.38	103.43	118.15	101.33
1997-98			65.71	90.25	86.43	105.84	118.17	103.68
1998-99			58.12	83.38	76.45	97.79	104.47	95.80
1999-00			56.42	82.49	74.22	96.74	101.41	94.77
2000-01			56.08	85.92	73.77	100.76	100.80	98.72
2001-02			55.64	87.05	73.18	102.09	100.00	100.00
2002-03	(P)		52.29	83.46	68.78	97.88	93.99	95.89
2000-01	February		55.49	85.97	72.99	100.82	99.74	98.77
	March		56.06	87.01	73.74	102.04	100.77	99.98
2001-02	April		56.41	87.73	74.20	102.89	101.39	100.79
	May		56.45	87.64	74.26	102.78	101.47	100.69
	June		56.92	88.55	74.87	103.85	102.32	101.75
	July		56.77	88.82	74.68	104.17	102.05	102.06
	August		55.74	87.35	73.32	102.44	100.19	100.36
	September		54.53	85.29	71.73	100.02	98.01	97.98
	October		54.44	85.78	71.61	100.60	97.86	98.56
	November		54.95	86.69	72.27	101.67	98.76	99.60
	December		55.37	87.20	72.84	102.26	99.53	100.19
	January		55.47	86.76	72.96	101.75	99.71	99.69
	February		55.46	86.48	72.95	101.42	99.69	99.35
	March		55.10	86.16	72.48	101.04	99.04	98.99
2002-03	April		54.65	85.34	71.88	100.09	98.22	98.05
	May		53.57	83.80	70.46	98.27	96.29	96.27
	June		52.70	83.38	69.32	97.78	94.72	95.79
	July		51.51	82.01	67.76	96.18	92.60	94.23
	August		52.08	83.45	68.50	97.87	93.60	95.87
	September		52.25	83.72	68.73	98.18	93.92	96.19
	October		52.56	84.23	69.14	98.78	94.48	96.78
	November		52.15	83.76	68.59	98.23	93.72	96.22
	December		52.00	83.10	68.40	97.46	93.47	95.47
	January		51.24	82.10	67.39	96.29	92.09	94.32
	February		51.32	82.62	67.51	96.89	92.25	94.92
	March	(P)	51.49	83.63	67.73	98.07	92.55	96.07
	April	(P)	51.83	84.87	68.17	99.53	93.15	97.51
	May	(P)	50.84	83.48	66.88	97.91	91.38	95.91
	June	(P)	51.03	83.78	67.12	98.25	91.72	96.25
	July	(P)	52.13	85.39	68.57	100.14	93.69	98.10
	August	(P)	52.92	86.71	69.61	101.69	95.11	99.62
	As on							
	August	22 (P)	53.29	87.09	70.10	102.14	95.78	100.06
	August	29 (P)	53.31	87.12	70.12	102.17	95.82	100.09
	September	5 (P)	53.06	86.98	69.80	102.01	95.38	99.93
	September	12 (P)	52.88	86.69	69.56	101.66	95.05	99.59

Rise in indices indicate appreciation of rupee and vice versa.
For "Note on Methodology" on the indices presented here, please see Page S 653 of July 1998 issue of this

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- 3. It may be recalled that in the aforesaid Note on Methodology, it was indicated that the base year 1996-97 would be a moving one. Accordingly, with effect from April 2003, the base year 2000-01 has been shifted forward to 2001-02.
- 4. The indices on REER have been recalculated from April 1993 onwards using the new Wholesale Price Index (WPI) series with base year 1993-94.
- 5. For a monthly time-series since April 1993, please see August 2002 issue of the Bulletin.