

No. 42: Foreign Exchange Reserves

End of	Foreign Currency Assets*		Gold #		SDRs ##			Reserve Tranche Position in IMF		Total	
	Rupees crore	In millions of US \$	Rupees crore	In millions of US \$	In millions of SDRs	Rupees crore	In millions of US \$	Rupees crore	In millions of US \$	Rupees crore	In millions of US \$
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11=(2+4+7+9)	12=(3+5+8+10)
2004-05	5,93,121	135,571	19,686	4,500	3	20	5	6,289	1,438	6,19,116	141,514
2005-06	6,47,327	145,108	25,674	5,755	2	12	3	3,374	756	6,76,387	151,622
2006-07	8,36,597	191,924	29,573	6,784	1	8	2	2,044	469	8,68,222	199,179
2007-08	11,96,023	299,230	40,124	10,039	11	74	18	1,744	436	12,37,965	309,723
2008-09	12,30,066	241,426	48,793	9,577	1	6	1	5,000	981	12,83,865	251,985
<b>2007-08</b>											
April	8,12,995	196,899	29,051	7,036	7	45	11	1,910	463	8,44,001	204,409
May	8,17,440	200,697	28,147	6,911	1	6	1	1,870	459	8,47,463	208,068
June	8,39,913	206,114	27,655	6,787	1	6	1	1,875	460	8,69,449	213,362
July	8,88,680	219,753	27,850	6,887	8	49	12	1,840	455	9,18,419	227,107
August	9,07,301	221,509	28,186	6,881	1	9	2	1,866	455	9,37,362	228,847
September	9,53,581	239,955	29,275	7,367	1	8	2	1,740	438	9,84,604	247,762
October	10,08,271	256,427	30,712	7,811	8	52	13	1,735	441	10,40,770	264,692
November	10,50,165	264,725	33,151	8,357	2	13	3	1,727	435	10,85,056	273,520
December	10,50,485	266,553	32,819	8,328	2	13	3	1,703	432	10,85,020	275,316
January	11,17,080	283,595	36,236	9,199	6	36	9	1,720	437	11,55,072	293,240
February	11,62,671	291,250	38,154	9,558	1	6	1	1,705	427	12,02,531	301,235
March	11,96,023	299,230	40,124	10,039	—	—	—	1,744	436	12,37,965	309,723
<b>2008-09</b>											
April	12,30,896	304,225	38,141	9,427	11	74	18	1,961	485	12,71,072	314,155
May	12,98,464	304,875	39,190	9,202	7	47	11	2,242	526	13,39,943	314,614
June	12,98,552	302,340	39,548	9,208	7	48	11	2,269	528	13,40,417	312,087
July	12,57,357	295,918	41,366	9,735	7	47	11	2,177	512	13,00,947	306,176
August	12,52,904	286,117	38,064	8,692	2	16	4	2,173	496	12,93,157	295,309
September	1,301,645	277,300	40,205	8,565	2	17	4	2,194	467	13,44,061	286,336
October	1,201,920	244,045	41,281	8,382	6	43	9	2,200	447	12,45,444	252,883
November	11,91,016	238,968	39,177	7,861	2	13	3	4,254	854	12,34,460	247,686
December	11,94,790	246,603	41,110	8,485	2	13	3	4,248	877	12,40,161	255,968
January	11,71,060	238,894	43,549	8,884	2	15	3	4,068	830	12,18,692	248,611
February	12,11,002	238,715	49,440	9,746	1	6	1	4,141	816	12,64,589	249,278
March	12,30,066	241,426	48,793	9,577	1	6	1	5,000	981	12,83,865	251,985
<b>2009-10</b>											
April	12,12,747	241,487	46,357	9,231	1	6	1	4,938	983	12,64,048	251,702
May	11,89,136	251,456	45,417	9,604	—	2	1	5,886	1,245	12,40,441	262,306
June	12,16,345	254,093	46,914	9,800	—	2	1	5,974	1,248	12,69,235	265,142
July	12,55,197	260,631	46,576	9,671	—	3	1	6,444	1,338	13,08,220	271,641
August	12,76,976	261,247	48,041	9,828	3,082.66	23,597	4,828	6,595	1,349	13,55,209	277,252
September	12,70,049	264,373	49,556	10,316	3,297.23	25,096	5,224	6,557	1,365	13,51,258	281,278
October	12,52,740	266,768	50,718	10,800	3,297.23	24,618	5,242	7,426	1,581	13,35,502	284,391
November	12,23,313	263,191	84,508	18,182	3,297.14	24,676	5,309	6,806	1,464	13,39,303	288,146
December	12,07,065	258,583	85,387	18,292	3,297.14	24,128	5,169	6,655	1,426	13,23,235	283,470
December 4, 2009	12,13,723	262,427	84,508	18,182	3,297.14	24,524	5,303	6,764	1,462	13,29,519	287,374
December 11, 2009	12,13,549	260,866	84,508	18,182	3,297.14	24,411	5,247	6,733	1,447	13,29,201	285,742
December 18, 2009	12,12,715	258,851	84,508	18,182	3,297.14	24,272	5,181	6,694	1,429	13,28,189	283,643
December 25, 2009	12,09,769	258,719	84,508	18,182	3,297.14	24,185	5,172	6,670	1,426	13,25,132	283,499
January 1, 2010	12,06,530	258,634	85,387	18,292	3,297.14	24,113	5,169	6,650	1,426	13,22,680	283,521
January 8, 2010	11,88,080	259,406	85,387	18,292	3,297.14	23,563	5,145	6,499	1,419	13,03,529	284,262

— : Negligible. See 'Notes on tables'.  
 \* : FCA excludes US \$ 250.00 million (as also its equivalent value in Indian Rupee) invested in foreign currency denominated bonds issued by IIFC (UK) since March 20, 2009.  
 # : Includes Rs. 31,463 crore (US\$ 6,699 million) reflecting the purchase of 200 metric tonnes of gold from IMF on November 3, 2009.  
 ## : Includes SDRs 3,082.5 million allocated under general allocation and SDRs 214.6 million allocated under special allocation by the IMF done on August 28, 2009 and September 9, 2009, respectively.

