

No. 1 : Selected Economic Indicators

Item	Unit / Base	1990-91	1996-97	1997-98	1998-99	1999		
						Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Output								
1. Gross Domestic Product at Factor Cost (at 1993-94 prices)	Rs. crore	2,12,253@	9,98,978 (P)	10,49,191 (Q.E.)	11,09,983 (A.E.)			
2. Index number of Agricultural Production (All crops)	Triennium ended 1981-82=100	148.4	175.7	165.5(P)	177.4(E)			
a. Foodgrains Production	million tonnes	176.4	199.4	192.4(P)	200.9(P)			
3. General index of Industrial Production (1)	1993-94=100	212.6*	129.1	137.6	.. 149.2(Q.E.)	..	..	..
Money and Banking								
Reserve Bank of India (2)								
4. Notes in circulation	Rs. crore	53,784	1,34,889	1,48,520	1,72,541	1,69,969	1,72,541	1,82,260
5. Rupee Securities (3)	"	86,035	1,10,634	1,25,956	1,45,583	1,47,797	1,45,583	1,50,028
6. Loans and discount	"	19,900	19,809	13,963	19,876	23,708	19,876	28,927
(a) Scheduled commercial banks (4)	"	8,169	560	395	2,894	4,730	2,894	7,371
(b) State co-operative banks (4)	"	38	-	-	13	11	13	13
(c) Bills purchased and discounted (internal)	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scheduled Commercial banks								
7. Aggregate deposits (5)	Rs. crore	1,92,541	5,05,599	6,05,410	7,17,271(P)	6,95,207(P)	7,17,271(P)	7,27,925(P)
8. Bank credit (5)	"	1,16,301	2,78,401	3,24,079	3,66,003(P)	3,52,047(P)	3,66,003(P)	3,69,913(P)
9. Investment in Govt. Securities(5)	"	49,998	1,58,890	1,86,957	2,22,744(P)	2,21,038(P)	2,22,744(P)	2,32,926(P)
10. Cheque clearances (6)	Rs. thousand crore	1,703	4,121	5,049(P)	5,582(P)	437(P)	612(P)	..
11. Money Stock measures (7)	Rs. crore							
(a) M1	"	92,892	2,40,615(P)	2,67,481(P)	3,04,198(P)	2,89,976(P)	3,04,198(P)	3,12,126(P)
(b) M3	"	2,65,828	7,01,848(P)	8,27,209(P)	9,74,328(P)	9,48,978(P)	9,74,328(P)	9,91,732(P)
Interest Rates								
12. Bank Rate	per cent per annum	10.00	12.00	10.50	8.00	9.00	8.00	8.00
13. Inter-bank call money rate (Mumbai) (8)	"	4.00/70.00	0.10/20.00	0.05/120.00	0.50/35.00	7.00/9.75	3.00/14.00	0.25/9.50
14. Deposit Rate (9)	"							
(a) 30 days and 1 year	"	8.0 (11)	10.0 (12)	Free	Free (13)	5.0-9.0	5.0-9.0	5.0-8.5
(b) 1 year and above	"	9.0-11.0	Free	Free		9.0-11.5	9.0-11.5	8.0-10.5
15. Prime Lending Rate (10)	"	-	14.50-15.00	14.00	12.00-13.00	12.75-13.00	12.00-13.00	12.00-12.50
16. Yield on 11.75% Loan 2001	"	-	13.50	11.26	11.38	11.48	11.25	11.12
17. Yield on 11.5% Loan 2008	"	-	14.01	12.27	12.03	11.54	11.81	11.80
Public Finance (2)								
18. Govt. of India 91-day treasury bills (Total outstanding)	Rs. crore		54,614	1,600	1,500	2,750	1,525	1,365

Price Indices

19. Wholesale prices (14)	1981-82=100							
(a) All commodities	"	182.7	314.6	329.8	..	..	..	..
(b) Primary articles	"	184.9	328.4	339.5	..	..	..	..
(c) Fuel, power, light and lubricants	"	175.8	324.2	365.7	..	..	..	..
(d) Manufactured products	"	182.8	305.0	317.5	..	..	..	..
(e) Foodgrains	"	179.2	353.8	362.7	..	..	..	..
(f) Edible oils	"	223.3	301.1	299.4	..	..	..	..
(g) Sugar, khandsari & gur	"	152.3	251.1	303.9	..	..	..	..
(h) Cotton raw	"	145.5	303.0	346.9	..	..	..	..
20. Consumer prices (All-India) (1)								
(a) Industrial Workers	1982=100	193	342	366	..	415	..	..
(b) Urban Non-Manual Employees	1984-85=100	161	282	302	..	340	340	..
(c) Agricultural Labourers	July 1986- June 1987=100	..	260	269	..	297	..	..
21. Security prices (ordinary shares) (14)	1980-81=100	500.3	1,146.8	1,061.0	976.4	976.6	1,205.1	..
Foreign Trade								
22. Value of imports	U.S. \$ Million	24,073	39,132	41,484	41,858(P)	3,180(P)	3,577(P)	..
23. Value of exports	"	18,145	33,470	35,006	33,659(P)	2,835(P)	3,396(P)	..
24. Balance of trade	"	- 5,927	- 5,663	- 6,478	- 8,199(P)	- 345(P)	- 182(P)	..
25. Foreign exchange reserves (15)								
(a) Foreign currency assets	U.S. \$ Million	2,236	22,367	25,975	29,522(P)	27,779(P)	29,522(P)	29,611(P)
(b) Gold	"	3,496	4,054	3,391	2,960(P)	2,971(P)	2,960(P)	2,919(P)
(c) SDRs	"	102	2	1	8(P)	8(P)	8(P)	8(P)
Employment Exchange Statistics (16)								
26. Number of registrations	in thousand	6,541	5,872	..	..	..	..	..
27. Number of applicants								
(a) Placed in employment	"	265	233	..	..	..	..	..
(b) On live register (15)	"	34,632	37,430	..	..	..	..	..

See 'Notes on Tables'.

@ : At 1980-81 prices.

* : Base : 1980-81 = 100.

QE : Quick Estimate.

AE : Advance Estimate.

E : Estimated.