

8. Reserve Money: Components and Sources

(₹ Billion)

<i>Item</i>	Outstanding as on		Variation over									
	2012		Week		Financial Year so far				Year-on-Year			
	Mar. 31 #	May 4 #	Amount	%	2011-2012		2012-2013		2011		2012	
	1	2	3	4	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
Reserve Money	14,272.4	14,241.2	-261.5	-1.8	-285.6	-2.1	-31.2	-0.2	1,878.5	16.2	758.6	5.6
Components (i + ii + iii)												
(i) Currency in Circulation	10,678.9	11,155.9	86.8	0.8	450.1	4.7	477.0	4.5	1,498.8	17.7	1,209.2	12.2
(ii) Bankers' Deposits with RBI	3,562.9	3,068.2	-348.9	-10.2	-728.6	-17.2	-494.7	-13.9	386.9	12.4	-438.3	-12.5
(iii) 'Other' Deposits with RBI	30.6	17.1	0.6	3.3	-7.1	-19.5	-13.5	-44.0	-7.3	-19.8	-12.3	-41.9
Sources (i + ii + iii + iv + v)												
(i) Net RBI Credit to Government	5,296.7	5,247.0	-267.7		-293.2		-49.7		1,527.7		1,574.7	
of which: to Centre	5,286.8	5,244.3	-268.8		-268.8		-42.5		1,532.5		1,572.7	
(ii) RBI Credit to Banks & Commercial Sector	88.1	83.6	-32.0		-41.4		-4.5		18.5		51.8	
o/w: to Banks (includes NABARD)	48.5	45.7	-32.8		-35.7		-2.8		15.9		29.8	
(iii) Net Foreign Exchange Assets of RBI*	14,722.0	15,357.6	192.7	1.3	235.6	1.8	635.6	4.3	1,224.2	10.0	1,836.2	13.6
(iv) Government's Currency Liabilities to the Public	141.1	141.1	—	—	1.1	0.9	—	—	14.3	12.6	12.7	9.9
(v) Net Non-Monetary Liabilities of RBI	5,975.4	6,588.0	154.6	2.4	187.7	5.1	612.6	10.3	906.3	30.6	2,716.8	70.2

* Includes investments in foreign currency denominated bonds issued by IIFC(UK) since March 20, 2009.

Note: Government balances as on March 31, 2012 are before closure of accounts.