

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 #	Nov. 30 #	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Reserve Money	14,271.7	14,417.4	-321.3	-2.2	100.4	0.7	145.7	1.0	1,577.2	12.8	548.8	4.0
Components (i+ii+iii)												
(i) Currency in Circulation	10,680.6	11,408.9	-57.3	-0.5	654.2	6.9	728.3	6.8	1,117.7	12.4	1,258.1	12.4
(ii) Bankers' Deposits with RBI	3,562.9	2,985.2	-245.9	-7.6	-543.8	-12.8	-577.7	-16.2	475.6	14.8	-706.1	-19.1
(iii) 'Other' Deposits with RBI	28.2	23.4	-18.1	-43.7	-10.0	-27.5	-4.9	-17.2	-16.1	-37.8	-3.1	-11.8
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v)												
(i) Net RBI Credit to Government	5,357.4	5,358.4	-307.9		106.9		1.0		1,512.2		1,286.0	
of which: to Centre	5,344.1	5,356.9	-301.4		120.2		12.7		1,499.9		1,296.3	
(ii) RBI Credit to Banks & Commercial Sector	88.1	284.3	-10.2		-33.1		196.2		-10.7		244.2	
o/w: to Banks (includes NABARD)	48.5	229.7	-10.1		-28.9		181.3		-11.8		207.0	
(iii) Net Foreign Exchange Assets of RBI*	14,722.0	15,736.4	-229.8	-1.4	2,148.0	16.2	1,014.5	6.9	2,354.5	18.0	302.7	2.0
(iv) Government's Currency Liabilities to the Public	142.7	150.5	—	—	9.9	7.8	7.7	5.4	14.6	11.9	13.3	9.7
(v) Net Non-Monetary Liabilities of RBI	6,038.4	7,112.1	-226.6	-3.1	2,131.3	57.9	1,073.7	17.8	2,293.4	65.1	1,297.3	22.3

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

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