

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over									
	As on March 3, 2000		Week		End- March 1999		End- December 1999		Year	
	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Total Reserves	1,56,922	36,006	1,616	411	18,917	3,516	4,979	1,071	25,753	5,162
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,43,370	32,898	933	252	17,958	3,376	4,236	906	24,859	5,033
(b) Gold	13,537	3,104	684	159	978	144	746	165	913	133
(c) SDRs	16	4	—	—	--18	--4	--3	—	--18	--4

Note: 1. Foreign currency assets expressed in US dollar terms include the effect of revaluation of non-US currencies held in reserves.

2. For details regarding conversion to US dollar a reference may be made to the relevant Table in the Current Statistics section of the RBI Bulletin.