

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

<i>Item</i>	Variation over									
	As on May 4, 2001		Week		End-March 2001		End-December 2000		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	2,00,356	42,782	539	128	3,152	501	12,999	2,705	35,688	5,054
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,87,680	40,077	621	158*	3,198	523	13,473	2,813	35,686	5,248
(b) Gold	12,629	2,695	-82	-30	-82	-30	-514	-116	-10	-200
(c) SDRs	47	10	—	—	36	8	40	8	12	—

* : Foreign currency assets expressed in US dollar terms include the effect of appreciation/depreciation of non-US currencies (such as Euro, Sterling, Yen) held in reserves. For details, please refer to the Current Statistics section of the RBI Bulletin.