

## 2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

<i>Item</i>	Variation over									
	As on Sep. 21, 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.
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Total Reserves</b>	<b>2,14,384</b>	<b>44,704</b>	<b>-1,488</b>	<b>-584</b>	<b>17,180</b>	<b>2,423</b>	<b>27,027</b>	<b>4,627</b>	<b>51,515</b>	<b>9,342</b>
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	2,01,079	41,883	-1,489	-584*	16,597	2,329	26,872	4,619	51,181	9,353
(b) Gold	13,283	2,817	—	—	572	92	140	6	320	-13
(c) SDRs	22	4	1	—	11	2	15	2	14	2

\* : 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.