

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

| Item | As on Jun. 10, 2011 | | Variation over | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| | | | Week | | End-March 2011 | | End-December 2010 | | Year | |
| | ₹ Crore | US\$ Mn. | ₹ Crore | US\$ Mn. | ₹ Crore | US\$ Mn. | ₹ Crore | US\$ Mn. | ₹ Crore | US\$ Mn. |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Total Reserves | 13,89,326 | 310,503 | -14,484 | -2,401 | 28,312 | 5,685 | 56,972 | 13,169 | 1,12,872 | 37,720 |
| (a) Foreign Currency Assets + | 12,45,501 | 278,511 | -14,372 | -2,397 * | 20,618 | 4,181 | 45,424 | 10,697 | 87,919 | 31,270 |
| (b) Gold \$ | 1,09,832 | 24,391 | — | — | 7,260 | 1,419 | 9,146 | 1,921 | 19,612 | 4,968 |
| (c) SDRs @ | 20,665 | 4,621 | -68 | -2 | 264 | 52 | -2,088 | -457 | -1,909 | -200 |
| (d) Reserve Position in the IMF** | 13,328 | 2,980 | -44 | -2 | 170 | 33 | 4,490 | 1,008 | 7,250 | 1,682 |

+ Excludes ₹ 1,118 crore /US\$ 250 million invested in foreign currency denominated bonds issued by IIFC (UK).

* 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.

** Reserve Position in the International Monetary Fund (IMF), *i.e.*, Reserve Tranche Position (RTP) which was shown as a memo item from May 23, 2003 to March 26, 2004 has been included in the reserves from the week ended April 2, 2004 in keeping with the international best practice.

@ Includes SDR 3,082.5 million (equivalent to US\$ 4,883 million) allocated under general allocation and SDR 214.6 million (equivalent to US \$ 340 million) allocated under special allocation by IMF done on August 28, 2009 and September 9, 2009, respectively.

\$ Includes ₹ 31,463 crore (USD 6,699 million) reflecting the purchase of 200 metric tonnes of gold from IMF on November 3, 2009.