

## 2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over									
	As on Aug. 30, 2002		Week		End-March2002		End-December 2001		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	2,98,468	61,515	2,270	480	34,432	7,409	66,661	13,403	84,603	16,157
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	2,82,606	58,257	2,270	480*	33,488	7,208	64,585	13,006	82,045	15,720
(b) Gold	15,814	3,248	—	—	946	201	2,053	392	2,531	431
(c) SDRs	48	10	—	—	-2	—	23	5	27	6

\* : 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.