

September 26, 1998

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over									
	As on Sept. 18, 1998		Week		End-March 1998		End- December 1997		Year	
	Rs.Cr ore	US\$ Mn.	Rs.Cr ore	US\$ Mn.	Rs.Cr ore	US\$ Mn.	Rs.Cr ore	US\$ Mn.	Rs.Cr ore	US\$ Mn.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Total Reserves	1,23,7 07	29,09 0	241	42	7,802	-277	16,41 2	1,735	16,99 1	-214
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,11,1 33	26,13 5	241	42	8,626	160	17,15 5	2,170	18,12 8	602
(b) Gold	12,51 3	2,941	-	-	-881	-450	-500	-372	-1,042	-787
(c) SDRs	61	14	-	-	57	13	-243	-63	-95	-29
<p>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.</p>										