

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

| <i>Item</i> | Outstanding as on | | | | | | | | Variation over | | | |
|---|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|------------|
| | 2002 | | Week | | Financial year so far | | | | Year-on-year | | | |
| | Mar. 31 | Dec. 27# | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| Reserve Money | 3,37,970 | 3,43,486 | -1,550 | -0.4 | 11,198 | 3.7 | 5,515 | 1.6 | 29,091 | 10.2 | 28,976 | 9.2 |
| Components (i+ii+iii) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Currency in circulation | 2,50,974 | 2,70,626 | -1,116 | -0.4 | 21,265 | 9.7 | 19,652 | 7.8 | 26,538 | 12.5 | 31,156 | 13.0 |
| (ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI | 84,147 | 70,298 | -384 | -0.5 | -8,957 | -11.0 | -13,849 | -16.5 | 2,224 | 3.2 | -2,222 | -3.1 |
| (iii) "Other" deposits with RBI | 2,850 | 2,562 | -51 | | -1,110 | | -288 | | 330 | | 42 | |
| Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Net RBI credit to Government | 1,52,178 | 1,10,760 | -4,032 | -3.5 | -5,893 | -3.8 | -41,418 | -27.2 | 466 | 0.3 | -37,224 | -25.2 |
| of which : to Centre | 1,41,384 | 1,05,402 | -1,540 | | -5,386 | | -35,982 | | -1,722 | | -35,746 | |
| (ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector | 16,677 | 9,364 | 241 | 2.6 | -1,130 | -4.3 | -7,313 | -43.8 | -2,459 | -8.9 | -15,757 | -62.7 |
| o/w : to banks (includes NABARD) | 10,748 | 6,401 | 392 | | 1,327 | | -4,347 | | 235 | | -7,891 | |
| (iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI | 2,63,969 | 3,37,633 | 3,625 | 1.1 | 34,936 | 17.7 | 73,664 | 27.9 | 45,074 | 24.1 | 1,05,522 | 45.5 |
| (iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public | 6,366 | 6,661 | — | | 723 | | 295 | | 1,011 | | 585 | |
| (v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI | 1,01,220 | 1,20,932 | 1,384 | | 17,438 | | 19,713 | | 15,000 | | 24,149 | |