

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

<i>Item</i>	As on Mar. 21, 2003		Variation over							
			Week		End-March 2002		End-December 2002		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	3,52,115	73,821	-185	-97	88,079	19,715	13,766	3,376	92,074	20,504
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	3,34,337	70,092	-185	-97 *	85,219	19,043	12,563	3,098	89,244	19,837
(b) Gold	17,759	3,725	—	—	2,891	678	1,217	281	2,861	673
(c) SDRs	19	4	—	—	-31	-6	-14	-3	-31	-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.