

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

<i>Item</i>	Outstanding as on				Variation over							
	2003		Week		Financial year so far				Year-on-year			
	Mar. 31#	Apr. 25#	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Reserve Money	3,68,931	3,69,477	-10,606	-2.8	-1,123	-0.3	546	0.1	25,097	8.1	32,630	9.7
Components (i+ii+iii)												
(i) Currency in circulation	2,82,312	2,93,498	-1,176	-0.4	9,807	3.9	11,186	4.0	32,277	14.1	32,717	12.5
(ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI	83,346	73,257	-9,061	-11.0	-10,605	-12.6	-10,089	-12.1	-6,667	-8.3	-286	-0.4
(iii) "Other" deposits with RBI	3,273	2,723	-368		-325		-551		-513		198	
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v)												
(i) Net RBI credit to Government	1,20,102	1,13,913	-13,346	-10.5	3,384	2.2	-6,189	-5.2	-11,177	-6.7	-41,649	-26.8
of which : to Centre	1,16,015	1,08,008	-14,683		8,388		-8,007		-9,836		-41,764	
(ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector	10,208	9,225	-224	-2.4	-2,520	-15.1	-983	-9.6	-9,975	-41.3	-4,932	-34.8
o/w : to banks (includes NABARD)	7,160	6,277	-170		-1,014		-883		-4,214		-3,457	
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI	3,58,244	3,64,658	4,275	1.2	6,889	2.6	6,414	1.8	71,106	35.6	93,800	34.6
(iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public	6,910	6,910	—		17		—		970		526	
(v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	1,26,533	1,25,229	1,312		8,893		-1,304		25,827		15,116	

Government Balances as on March 31, 2003 are before closure of accounts.