

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

<i>Item</i>	Outstanding as on			Variation over						
			Week Amount	Financial year so far						
	1998 Mar. 31#	1999 Jan. 29#		1997-98		1998-99		Year		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Reserve Money	2,26,233	2,44,102	-4,007	-1.6	14,295	7.1	17,869	7.9	29,822	13.9
Components (i+ii+iii)										
(i) Currency in circulation	1,50,823	1,70,529	-1,555	-0.9	10,899	7.9	19,705	13.1	22,412	15.1
of which : cash with banks	5,641	3,986 *								
(ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI	71,806	70,441	-2,513	-3.4	3,100	5.2	-1,364	-1.9	7,767	12.4
(iii) "Other" deposits with RBI	3,604	3,132	62		295		-472		-357	
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v)										
(i) Net RBI credit to Government	1,35,160	1,51,796	-3,011	-1.9	6,389	5.1	16,636	12.3	21,226	16.3
of which : to Centre	1,33,617	1,50,495	-2,441		8,186		16,879		21,607	
(ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector	15,282	20,218	-1,269	-5.9	1,407	10.6	4,936	32.3	5,558	37.9
o/w : to banks (includes NABARD)	7,096	11,818	-1,250		-150		4,721		4,962	
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI	1,15,890	1,29,306	-311	-0.2	13,331	14.1	13,416	11.6	21,158	19.6
(iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public	3,120	3,561	-		312		441		331	
(v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	43,219	60,779	-585		7,145		17,560		18,451	

* Data relate to scheduled commercial banks' only.