

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA BULLETIN WEEKLY STATISTICAL SUPPLEMENT

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1. Reserve Bank of India - Liabilities and Assets

(Rs. crore)

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	2003	20	04	Varia	ation
Item	Apr. 4	Mar. 26	Apr. 2#	Week	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Notes issued	2,77,382	3,20,012	3,19,154	-858	41,772
Notes in circulation	2,77,354	3,19,987	3,19,126	-861	41,772
Notes held in Banking Department	28	24	29	5	1
Deposits					
Central Government	100	101	154	53	54
State Governments	41	41	2,387	2,346	2,346
Scheduled Commercial Banks	62,527	77,856	78,269	413	15,742
Scheduled State Co-operative Banks	1,535	2,071	1,953	-118	418
Other Banks	4,342	4,776	4,630	-146	288
Others	7,459	9,262	8,555	-707	1,096
Other liabilities	1,26,199	1,26,023	1,16,459	-9,564	-9,740
TOTAL LIABILITIES/ASSETS	4,79,586	5,40,142	5,31,561	-8,581	51,975
Foreign currency assets(1)	3,38,919	4,74,699	4,69,104	-5,595	1,30,185
Gold coin and bullion(2)	16,785	18,966	18,216	-750	1,431
Rupee securities (including					
treasury bills)	98,611	27,457	22,664	-4,793	-75,947
Loans and advances					
Central Government	4,914	_	_	_	-4,914
State Governments	2,528	4,578	3,068	-1,510	540
NABARD	5,108	1,270	4,633	3,363	-475
Scheduled Commercial Banks	440	_	_	_	-440
Scheduled State Co-operative Banks	7	_	10	10	3
Industrial Development Bank of India	_	_	_	_	_
Export-Import Bank of India	_	l –	_	_	_
Others	1,311	256	273	17	-1,038
Bills purchased and discounted					
Commercial	_	_	_	_	_
Treasury	_	_	_	_	_
Investments ⁽³⁾	4,373	4,473	4,473	_	100
Other assets	6,590	8,444	9,122	678	2,532

⁽¹⁾ Includes foreign securities, balances held abroad and investments in foreign shares/bonds. (2) Effective October 17, 1990, gold is valued close to international market price. (3) Excludes investments in foreign shares and bonds and in Government of India rupee securities.

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

				·		Variatio	n over			·
Item	As on Ap	r. 2, 2004	We	ek	End-Mar	ch 2004	End-Decen	nber 2003	Ye	ar
	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	4,93,085	1,12,690	-6,426	1,068	2,956	-269	22,613	9,539	1,34,205	36,984
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	4,69,104	1,07,175	-5,595	1,050*	2,889	-273	23,872	9,558	1,30,185	35,673
(b) Gold	18,216	4,198	-750	8	_	_	-1,009	-17	1,431	664
(c) SDRs	10	2	_	_	_	_	-3	-1	-9	-2
(d) Reserve Position in the IMF**	5,755	1,315	-81	10	67	4	-247	-1	2,598	649

[:] 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.

^{** :} Reserve Position in the International Monetary Fund (IMF), i.e., Reserve Tranche Position (RTP) which was shown as a memo item from May 23, 2003 to March 26, 2004 has been included in the reserves from the week ended April 2, 2004 in keeping with the international best practice.

3. Scheduled Commercial Banks - Business in India

(Rs. crore)

	Outstanding			Variation over	,	
Maria	as on		Financial y	year so far	Year-c	n-year
Item	2004 Mar. 26#	Month	2002-2003	2003-2004	2003	2004
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Liabilities to the Banking System						
Demand and time deposits from Banks	37.759	793	7,595	-2,717	7,595	-2,717
Borrowings from Banks ⁽¹⁾	14,381	1,225	-6,559	-4,510	-6,559	-4,510
Other demand and time liabilities ⁽²⁾	2,335	127	174	-30	174	-30
Liabilities to Others	2,000				'''	
Aggregate deposits@	15,33,052	55,982	1,80,573	2,21,291	1,80,573	2,21,291
Aggregate deposits	10,00,002	(3.8)	(16.0)	(16.9)	(16.0)	(16.9)
		(3.6)		· '	· '	` ′
Domand	0.20.744	27 402	[16.6]	[18.9]	[16.6]	[18.9]
Demand	2,39,741	37,483	18,734	51,904	18,734	51,904
Time@	12,93,311	18,499	1,61,840	1,69,387	1,61,840	1,69,387
Borrowings ⁽³⁾	26,863	2,763	8,741	12,122	8,741	12,122
Other demand and time liabilities	1,53,961	13,461	13,144	23,735	13,144	23,735
Borrowings from Reserve Bank	-	_	-2,527	-1,258	-2,527	-1,258
Cash in hand and Balances with Reserve Bank	85,539	4,111	3,220	2,347	3,220	2,347
Cash in hand	7,684	- 744	892	134	892	134
Balances with Reserve Bank	77,856	4,855	2,328	2,213	2,328	2,213
Assets with the Banking System						
Balance with other Banks ⁽⁴⁾	17,742	1,371	-2,159	469	-2,159	469
Money at call and short notice	17,905	309	-3,872	-12,575	-3,872	-12,575
Advances to Banks	10,619	651	1,292	3,538	1,292	3,538
Other assets	2,629	76	153	-228	153	-228
Investments ⁽⁵⁾	'					_
investments	6,72,317	-5,401	1,04,267	1,30,567	1,04,267	1,30,567
O a company and a second the seco	0.45.475	(-0.8)	(23.8)	(24.1)	(23.8)	(24.1)
Government securities	6,45,475	-5,393	1,07,269	1,27,776	1,07,269	1,27,776
Other approved securities	26,842	– 7	-3,002	2,791	-3,002	2,791
Bank Credit	8,56,685	38,597	1,37,378	1,10,253	1,37,378	1,10,253
		(4.7)	(22.6)	(14.8)	(22.6)	(14.8)
Food Credit	36,514	`877	_5,103	-12,884	_ ` 5,103	-12,884
Non-food credit	8,20,171	37,720	1,42,481	1,23,137	1,42,481	1,23,137
Loans, cash-credit and overdrafts	8,04,409	36,880	1,33,517	1,07,004	1,33,517	1,07,004
Inland bills- purchased	7,152	331	117	1,296	117	1,296
discounted ⁽⁶⁾	22,272	1,075	1,599	1,057	1,599	1,057
Foreign bills-purchased	9,918	-27	581	-266	581	-266
discounted	12,935	339	1,564	1,163	1,564	1,163
Cash-Deposit Ratio	5.58	333	1,004	1,100	',507	',''
Investment-Deposit Ratio	43.85					
	55.88					
Credit-Deposit Ratio	33.00				I	I

- @: Includes Rs.25,662 crore on account of proceeds from India Millennium Deposits (IMDs), since November 17, 2000. Data also reflect redemption of Resurgent India Bonds (RIBs) of Rs.22,693 crore, since October 1, 2003. Figures in italics are percentage variations net of RIBs and IMDs as the case may be.
- (1) Excluding borrowings of Regional Rural Banks from their sponsor banks. (2) Wherever it has not been possible to identify a liability to the banking system, it has been included in the corresponding items under 'liabilities to others'. (3) Other than from Reserve Bank of India, IDBI, NABARD and EXIM Bank. (4) In current account and in other account. (5) Investments set out in this Table are for the purpose of SLR and do not include other investments which are given separately in Table No. 5. (6) Excludes bills rediscounted with the Reserve Bank of India.

Figures in brackets denote percentage variation in the relevant period.

- Notes: 1. Based on Special Returns submitted by the banks as required when the last Friday of the month is not an alternate Friday for the reporting purposes.
 - 2. Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.
 - 3. Financial year variations for the current week are over the levels of the non-reporting Friday of the previous year (i.e., March 28, 2003).

4. Cash Reserve Ratio and Interest Rates

(per cent per annum)

	2003			20	04		
Item / week ended	Mar. 28	Feb. 20	Feb. 27	Mar. 5	Mar. 12	Mar. 19	Mar. 26
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Cash Reserve Ratio (per cent)(1)	4.75	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50	4.50
Bank Rate	6.25	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
I.D.B.I. ⁽²⁾	12.50	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25
Prime Lending Rate(3)	10.75-11.50	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00	10.25-11.00
Deposit Rate ⁽⁴⁾	5.25-6.25	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50	5.00-5.50
Call Money Rate (Low / High)(5)							
- Borrowings	4.00/8.25	2.00/4.52	3.50/4.60	2.50/4.60	3.00/4.60	3.10/4.55	3.00/4.50
- Lendings	4.00/8.25	2.00/4.50	3.50/4.75	3.00/4.60	3.00/4.70	3.10/4.55	3.00/4.50

⁽¹⁾ Cash Reserve Ratio relates to Scheduled Commercial Banks (excluding Regional Rural Banks). (2) Minimum Term Lending Rate (MTLR).

⁽³⁾ Prime Lending Rate relates to five major Banks. (4) Deposit Rate relates to major Banks for term deposits of more than one year maturity.

⁽⁵⁾ Data cover 90-95 per cent of total transactions reported by participants.

5. Accommodation Provided by Scheduled Commercial Banks to Commercial Sector in the form of Bank Credit and Investments in Shares/Debentures/Bonds/Commercial Paper etc.

(Rs. crore)

	20	03 - 2004		2002	2 - 2003	
		anding on	Variations (3) - (2)	Outsta as	anding on	Variations (6) - (5)
ltem	2003	2004	, , , ,	2002	2003	() ()
Rem	Mar. 21	Mar. 19		Mar. 22	Mar. 21	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	7,29,215	8,35,382	1,06,166 (14.6)	5,89,723	7,29,215	1,39,493 (23.7)
A. Food Credit	49,479	35,961	-13,518	53,978	49,479	-4,499
B. Non-Food Credit	6,79,736	7,99,420	1,19,684 (17.6)	5,35,745	6,79,736	1,43,992 (26.9)
2. Investments	92,854	88,917 @	-3,937	81,000	91,572+	10,573
A. Commercial Paper	4,007	4,277	270	8,497	4,297	-4,200
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,019	8,582	-437	5,914	9,071	3,157
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,430	1,245	-185	1,587	1,447	-139
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,589	7,337	-252	4,327	7,624	3,297
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,828	76,058	-3,770	66,589	78,204	11,615
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,854	47,699	844	39,520	46,061	6,540
(b) Private Corporate Sector	32,973	28,359	-4,614	27,069	32,144	5,075
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	105	1,234 @@	1,129	906	295++	-611
4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)	7,72,695	8,89,571	1,16,877	6,17,650	7,71,604	1,53,954

^{@ :} Upto March 5, 2004.

6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign		2003			2004			2003			2004		
Currenc	y .	Apr. 4	Mar. 29	Mar. 30+	Mar. 31	Apr. 1+	Apr. 2	Apr. 4	Mar. 29	Mar. 30+	Mar. 31	Apr. 1+	Apr. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	R	BI's Refer	ence Rate	(Rs. per For	eign Currer	ncy)			Foreig	n Currenc	y per Rs.	100@	
U.S. Doll	lar	47.4000	44.1200		43.3900		43.7700		(Ba	sed on Mi	ddle Rat	es)	
Euro		50.8300	53.2300		53.1000		53.9600						
	FE	DAI Indica	ative Rates	(Rs. per Fo	reign Curre	ency)							
U.S.		47.3950	44.1200		43.4300		43.7600	2.1097	2.2665		2.3047		2.2847
Dollar	Selling	47.4050	44.1400		43.4600		43.7700						
Pound	∫ Buying	74.3250	79.7650		79.6475		80.9650	1.3451	1.2532		1.2563		1.2344
Sterling	Selling	74.3650	79.8225		79.7150		81.0050						
Euro	€ Buying	50.7750	53.2225		53.1450		53.9775	1.9673	1.8786		1.8832		1.8532
	Selling	50.8075	53.2625		53.2000		54.0125						
100 Yen	€ Buying	39.4525	41.7675		41.6525		41.9675	253.39	239.26		240.09		238.19
		39.4875	41.8075		41.6925		41.9975						
	Inter-Bai	nk Forwar	d Premia o	f U.S. Dolla	r (per cent p	per annum)							
1-month		2.53	2.37		2.21		2.03						
3-month		2.78	1.31		1.24		0.99						
6-month		2.91	0.92		0.92		0.74						

^{@ :} These rates are based on RBI Reference rate for US dollar, Euro and middle rates of cross-currency quotes. These rates are announced by RBI with effect from January 29, 1998.

 $\textbf{Notes} \quad : \quad \textbf{1. The unified exchange rate system came into force on March 1, 1993}.$

^{@@:} Upto February 29, 2004. +

^{+ :} Upto March 7, 2003. ++ : Upto February 28, 2003.

Notes : 1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns. 2. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

^{3.} Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.

^{+ :} Market closed.

^{2.} Euro Reference rate was announced by RBI with effect from January 1, 2002.

7. Money Stock : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

	Outstand	ing as on					Variatio	n over				
	2003	2004	Fartni	a b 4	Fina	ancial	year so fa	r	,	Year-c	n-year	
	2003	2004	Fortni	gni	2002-20	003	2003-2	004	200	3	200)4
Item	Mar. 31#	Mar. 19#	Amoun	t %	Amount	: %	Amount	%	Amount	t %	Amount	%
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
M_3	17,25,222	20,00,899	23,156	1.2	2,29,993	15.3	2,75,677	16.0	2,30,248	15.4	2,72,551	15.8
	[16,95,551]				[2,00,322]	[13.4]			[2,00,577]	[13.4]		
Components (i+ii+iii+iv)												
(i) Currency with the Public	2,70,983	3,18,058	2,515	0.8	33,416	13.9	47,076	17.4	31,670	13.1	43,848	16.0
(ii) Demand deposits with banks	1,98,602	2,50,284	17,547	7.5	19,405	10.8	51,683	26.0	20,083	11.2	51,680	26.0
(iii) Time deposits with banks @	12,52,396	14,27,799	2,259	0.2	1,76,711	16.4	1,75,403	14.0	1,77,889	16.6	1,75,575	14.0
	[12,22,725]				[1,47,040]	[13.7]			[1,48,218]	[13.8]		
(iv) "Other" deposits with Reserve Bank	3,242	4,758	835	21.3	461	16.2	1,516	46.7	606	22.4	1,448	43.7
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)												
(i) Net Bank credit to Government (a+b)	6,78,059	7,25,880	-13,058	-1.8	77,271	13.1	47,821	7.1	87,795	15.2	59,044	8.9
(a) Reserve Bank	1,20,679	27,483	-8,947	-24.6	-42,722	-28.1	-93,196	-77.2	-32,312	-22.8	-81,973	-74.9
(b) Other Banks	5,57,379	6,98,397	-4,111	-0.6	1,19,993	27.4	1,41,017	25.3	1,20,107	27.5	1,41,017	25.3
(ii) Bank credit to commercial sector (a+b)	9,06,612	10,18,109	16,303	1.6	1,47,026	19.4	1,11,497	12.3	1,47,235	19.4	1,11,436	12.3
(a) Reserve Bank	3,048	2,043	-20	-1.0	-2,956	-49.9	-1,005	-33.0	-3,992	-57.3	-929	-31.3
(b) Other Banks	9,03,564	10,16,066	16,323	1.6	1,49,983	19.9	1,12,503	12.5	1,51,227	20.1	1,12,365	12.4
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of banking sector	3,93,715	5,30,285	2,969	0.6	76,516	24.6	1,36,570	34.7	80,511	26.2	1,42,734	36.8
(iv) Government's currency liabilities to the public	7,071	7,240	_	_	705	11.1	169	2.4	705	11.1	169	2.4
(v) Banking sector's net non-monetary liabilities												
other than time deposits	2,60,234	2,80,615	-16,941	-5.7	71,525	42.5	20,381	7.8	85,997	55.9	40,832	17.0
of which : Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	1,27,141	1,27,773	-2,422	-1.9	23,153	22.9	632	0.5	20,495	19.7	3,401	2.7

^{@:} Includes Rs.25,662 crore on account of proceeds from India Millennium Deposits (IMDs), since November 17, 2000. Data also reflect redemption of Resurgent India Bonds (RIBs) of Rs.22,693 crore, since October 1, 2003.

8. Reserve Money: Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

	Outstand	ling as on					Variatio	on over				
	20	04	Wee	. L	Fir	nancial	year so fa	r		Year-o	n-year	
	20	04	vvee	: IN	2003-2	2004	2004-2	005	200	3	200)4
Item	Mar. 31#	Apr. 2#	Amount	: %	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Reserve Money	4,36,429	4,15,562	-1,420	-0.3	-12,407	-3.4	-20,867	-4.8	34,077	10.6	58,908	16.5
Components (i+ii+iii)												
(i) Currency in circulation	3,27,023	3,26,416	-862	-0.3	1,952	0.7	-607	-0.2	29,433	11.5	41,991	14.8
(ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI	1,04,365	84,852	149	0.2	-14,942	-17.9	-19,513	-18.7	3,464	5.3	16,448	24.0
(iii) "Other" deposits with RBI	5,041	4,294	-707		583		-747		1,180		469	
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)												
(i) Net RBI credit to Government	47,555	23,279	-8,702	-27.2	-14,703	-12.2	-24,276	-51.0	-38,060	-26.4	-82,697	-78.0
of which : to Centre	43,806	22,599	-4,846		-9,496		-21,207		-32,994		-80,890	
(ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector	7,481	7,938	3,390	74.5	-420	-4.1	458	6.1	-1,185	-10.8	-1,850	-18.9
o/w : to banks (includes NABARD)	5,419	5,865	3,373		-383		446		-999		-912	
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI	4,84,413	4,87,302	-6,346	-1.3	-2,557	-0.7	2,889	0.6	89,267	33.5	1,31,616	37.0
(iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public	7,291	7,291	_		_		_		705		220	
(v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	1,10,310	1,10,248	-10,238		-5,274		-62		16,649		-11,620	

Note: Government Balances as on March 31, 2004 are before closure of accounts.

Figures in [] exclude the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.

9. Repo/Reverse Repo Auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility

(Rs. crore)

		Repo/RR			REPO				RE	ERSE RE	PO		Net injection(+)	Outstanding
LAF		period	Bids R	eceived	Bids A	ccepted	Cut-Off	Bids Re	eceived	Bids A	Bids Accepted Cut-C		absorption(-) of	Amount @
Date	:	(Day(s))	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Rate(%)	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Rate(%)	liquidity (11-6)	70
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Mar.	29, 2004	2	56	45,660	56	45,660	4.50	_	_	_	_	_	-45,660	53,180
Mar.	29, 2004	7	13	2,475	13	2,475	4.50	_	l —	l —	l —	_	-2,475	55,655
Mar.	31, 2004	1	36	22,780	36	22,780	4.50	1	150	1	150	6.00	-22,630	32,625
Mar.	31, 2004	7	10	2,020	10	2,020	4.50	_	l —	l —	l —	_	-2,020	34,645
Apr.	1, 2004	1	51	44,800	51	44,800	4.50	_	l —	l —	l —	_	-44,800	56,815
Apr.	1, 2004	7	12	2,390	12	2,390	4.50	_	l —	l —	l —	l —	-2,390	59,205
Apr.	2, 2004	3	51	44,830	51	44,830	4.50	_	l —	l —	l —	_	-44,830	59,235
Apr.	2, 2004	6	18	5,925	18	5,925	4.50	_	_	_	_	_	-5,925	65,160

^{@:} Net of reverse repo. Includes 7-day and 14-day repo. ' — ' : No bid was received in the auction.

10. Auctions of 91-Day Government of India Treasury Bills

(Rs. crore)

Date	of	Date	of	Notified	Bi	ds Receiv	ed			Devolve	ment on	Total	Weigh-	Implicit	Amount	
Aucti	on	Issu	е	Amount	Number	Total Fa	ce Value	Number	Total Face Value		PDs/SDs*	RBI	Issue	ted	Yield at	Outstanding
					Number	Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive	Number	Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive			(8+9+ 10+11)	Average Price	Price	as on the Date of Issue (Face Value)
1		2		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
2003	2004															
Jul.	2	Jul.	4	500	31	778	_	25	500	_	–	_	500	98.77	5.0223	7,488
Oct.	1	Oct.	3	500	24	730	_	16	500	_	–	_	500	98.90	4.4898	15,038
Jan.	7	Jan.	9	500	35	892	_	17	500	_	–	_	500	98.96	4.2446	6,938
2004	2005															
Mar.	31	Apr.	2	500	29	1,060	_	18	500	_	-	_	500	98.95	4.3672	7,122

Effective from auction dated May 14, 1999, devolvement amount would be on RBI only.

Note: Uniform Price Auction was introduced from November 6, 1998. The format of auction has been changed to Multiple Price Auction from December 11, 2002.

11. Auctions of 364-Day Government of India Treasury Bills

(Rs. crore)

Date	of	Date	of	Notified	Bi	ds Receiv	/ed	Bi	Bids Accepted		Devolve	ment on	Total	Weigh-	Implicit	Amount
Aucti	on	Issu	ıe	Amount	Number	Total Fa	ce Value	Number	Jumber Total Face		PDs/SDs*	RBI	Issue	ted	Yield at	Outstanding
						Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive\$	Number	Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive\$			(8+9+ 10+11)	Average Price	Price	as on the Date of Issue (Face Value)
1		2		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
2003-	2004															
Jul.	9	Jul.	11	1,000	51	2,430	29	21	1,000	29	–	_	1,029	95.28	4.9648	26,128
Oct.	1	Oct.	3	1,000	46	1,615	_	40	1,000	_	–	_	1,000	95.74	4.4932	26,129
Jan.	7	Jan.	9	1,000	33	1,350	3	25	1,000	3	–	_	1,003	95.87	4.3732	26,131
2004-	2005															
Mar.	31	Apr.	2	1,000	47	1,660	_	39	1,000	_	-	_	1,000	95.84	4.4386	26,136

- Effective from auction dated May 19, 1999, devolvement amount would be on RBI only.
- : Effective from auction dated June 2, 1999, non-competitive bids have been allowed.

12. Cumulative Cash Balances of Scheduled Commercial Banks (excluding Regional Rural Banks) with Reserve Bank of India (Rs. crore)

Fortnight Ended							Da	ite						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Mar. 6	Mar. 7	Mar. 8	Mar. 9	Mar. 10	Mar. 11	Mar. 12	Mar. 13	Mar. 14	Mar. 15	Mar. 16	Mar. 17	Mar. 18	Mar. 19
Mar. 19, 2004	75,061	1,50,123	2,23,435	2,93,980	3,62,881	4,34,419	5,12,993	5,89,040	6,65,088	7,37,475	8,01,983	8,72,938	9,43,649	10,12,446
	Mar. 20	Mar. 21	Mar. 22	Mar. 23	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28	Mar. 29	Mar. 30	Mar. 31	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Apr. 2, 2004	64,406	1,38,811	2,11,114	2,85,349	3,58,570	4,35,424	5,12,466	5,89,925	6,67,383	7,50,842	8,34,248	9,28,854	10,05,159	10,79,696

Note: Figures are the scheduled commercial banks' aggregate cash balances maintained with RBI on a cumulative basis during the fortnight.

13. Certificates of Deposit Issued by Scheduled Commercial Banks

(Rs. crore)

Fortnight ended	Total Amount Outstanding # 2	Issued during the fortnight # 3	Rate of Interest (per cent)@ 4
Apr. 4, 2003	1,188	25	5.25 — 7.40
Jul. 11, 2003	2,242	44	4.45 — 6.25
Oct. 3, 2003	3,154	48	3.75 — 6.75
Jan. 9, 2004	4,457	713	3.87 — 5.31
Feb. 6, 2004	4,826	157	3.92 — 5.06
Feb. 20, 2004	4,856	0.96	3.75 — 6.00

@ : Effective interest rate range per annum.

(Rs. crore)

14. Commercial Paper Issued by Companies (At face value)

Fortnight ended **Total Amount** Reported during Rate of Interest Outstanding the fortnight (per cent)@ 1 2 3 Apr. 15, 2003 5,839 752 5.25 — 8.15 Jul. 15, 2003 7,069 5.15 — 6.80 1,142 4.75 — 7.75 Oct. 15, 2003 6,974 1,027 Jan. 15, 2004 9,525 4.63 — 6.00 1,542 Mar. 15, 2004 9,342 903 4.81 — 5.90 Mar. 31, 2004 9,131 510 4.70 — 6.50

@ : Typical effective discount rate range per annum on issues during the fortnight.

15. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices (Base: 1993 - 94 = 100)

		2003 2004			P	Percentage Variation over			
Items / Week ended	Weight	Mar. 22	Jan. 24*	Mar. 20#	Week	Month	End March	Year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	172.1	178.8	179.5	-0.1	-0.3	4.2	4.3	
Primary Articles	22.02	177.6	182.0	180.3	-0.5	-1.5	1.2	1.5	
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	180.2	185.3	174.1	-0.6	-8.2	-4.3	-3.4	
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	256.3	261.5	262.4	_	-0.3	2.4	2.4	
Manufactured Products	63.75	151.4	159.2	160.7	_	0.2	6.1	6.1	
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	129.7	138.9	147.8	-0.1	-2.2	14.3	14.0	
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	150.6	161.5	162.9	0.1	-0.5	7.9	8.2	
(iii) Cement	1.73	147.3	151.1	148.6	-1.5	-1.3	1.0	0.9	
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	150.2	199.2	201.6	-0.4	1.8	34.2	34.2	

* : Latest available final figures.

Source: Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India.

16. BSE Sensitive Index and NSE Nifty Index of Ordinary Share Prices - Mumbai

	2003			2004		
	Apr. 2	Mar. 29	Mar. 30	Mar. 31	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
BSE SENSEX (1978-79=100)	3116.99	5571.37	5520.44	5590.60	5740.85	5788.08
S & P CNX NIFTY (3.11.1995=1000)	999.40	1762.05	1750.15	1771.90	1819.65	1841.10

17. Average Daily Turnover in Call Money Market*

(Rs. crore)

		Week Ended								
	Feb. 20, 2004	Feb. 27, 2004	Mar. 5, 2004	Mar. 12, 2004	Mar. 19, 2004	Mar. 26, 2004	Apr. 2, 2004			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
1. Banks										
(a) Borrowings	1,336	1,701	1,676	1,634	3,070	2,850	2,218			
(b) Lendings	1,776	1,889	1,697	2,076	2,908	2,870	2,692			
2. Primary Dealers										
(a) Borrowings	3,762	3,208	3,967	3,857	4,252	4,333	3,768			
(b) Lendings	42	95	50	119	97	139	17			
3. Non-Bank Institutions										
(a) Lendings	2,799	2,647	2,903	2,740	3,442	3,560	1,677			
4. Total										
(a) Borrowings	5,098	4,909	5,643	5,491	7,322	7,183	5,986			
(b) Lendings	4,617	4,631	4,650	4,935	6,447	6,569	4,386			

[:] Data cover 90-95 per cent of total transactions reported by participants.

Data are the average of daily call money turnover for the week (Saturday to Friday).

18. Turnover in Government Securities Market (Face Value) @

(Rs. crore)

	Week Ended						
Ite	ms	Feb. 27, 2004	Mar. 5, 2004	Mar. 12, 2004	Mar. 19, 2004	Mar. 26, 2004	Apr. 2, 2004
1		2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Outright Transactions						
	(a) Govt. of India Dated Securities	38,057	32,308	60,352	55,167	50,143	62,169
	(b) State Government Securities	625	267	709	1,169	2,642	1,032
	(c) 91 - Day Treasury Bills	1,409	1,356	1,856	1,595	2,105	1,225
	(d) 364 - Day Treasury Bills	2,184	3,258	4,461	5,392	3,657	2,863
II.	RBI*	_	54	8	_	7	_

^{@ :} Excluding Repo Transactions.

^{* :} RBI's sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.

19. Turnover in Foreign Exchange Market

(US\$ Million)

	Merchant								Inter-	bank		
		FCY / INR			FCY / FCY			FCY / INR			FCY / FCY	,
Position Date	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Swap	Forward	Spot	Swap	Forward
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Purchases												
Mar. 15, 2004	686	188	72	12	40	32	841	1056	36	701	172	20
Mar. 16, 2004	824	134	56	14	63	22	1247	721	18	631	132	6
Mar. 17, 2004	649	261	38	47	166	37	904	1124	41	925	302	71
Mar. 18, 2004	718	228	65	38	44	34	1491	1402	77	850	155	3
Mar. 19, 2004	738	158	77	18	112	111	986	1565	35	652	302	4
Sales												
Mar. 15, 2004	615	218	114	7	20	74	783	853	34	703	229	28
Mar. 16, 2004	494	244	68	10	17	76	1435	732	36	658	316	4
Mar. 17, 2004	556	165	157	172	77	35	941	1110	45	729	306	3
Mar. 18, 2004	746	161	189	35	48	60	1534	1222	84	798	288	2
Mar. 19, 2004	609	274	166	50	57	194	947	1026	28	627	339	1

FCY : Foreign Currency.

INR: Indian Rupees.

Note: Data relate to sales and purchases of foreign exchange on account of merchant and inter-bank transactions.

20. Weekly Traded Volume in Corporate Debt at NSE

(Rs. crore)

		Week Ended								
	Feb. 28, 2004	Mar. 6, 2004	Mar. 13, 2004	Mar. 20, 2004	Mar. 27, 2004	Apr. 3, 2004				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7				
Amount	165.16	118.61	409.64	942.14	535.11	334.02				

Source: National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

21. Government of India: Treasury Bills Outstanding (Face Value)

(Rs. crore)

		Apr. 2, 200	Variation in Tota	Variation in Total Treasury Bills		
Holders	Treasury	Bills of Different Ma	turities	Total	Over the	Over End
	14 Day (Intermediate)	91 Day (Auction)	364 Day (Auction)	(2+3+4)	Week	March
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Reserve Bank of India	_	_	_	_	_	_
Banks	_	3,866	14,746	18,612	-362	- 781
State Governments	9,576	600	_	10,176	5,351	2,720
Others	536	2,656	11,390	14,582	397	326

22. Government of India: Long and Medium Term Borrowings (Devolvement/Private Placement on RBI and OMO Sales/Purchases)

(Face Value in Rs. crore)

	G	Fross Amount Raise	d		Net Amount Ra	ised
	2004-2005 (Upto Apr. 2, 2004)	2003-2004 (Upto Apr. 4, 2003)	2003-2004	2004-2005 (Upto Apr. 2, 2004)	2003-2004 (Upto Apr. 4, 2003)	2003-2004
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Total of which: 1.1 Devolvement/Private Placement on RBI 2. RBI's OMO Sales Purchases		_ _ 1 _	1,35,934*\$ 21,500\$ 41,849	_	-216	88,807

^{*:} Includes Rs.14,434 crore representing face value of four Securities re-issued on July 22, 2003 under the Government Debt buy-back scheme.

23. Secondary Market Transactions in Government Securities (Face Value) @ (Amount in Rs. crore)

	For the We	ek Ended Mar. 26, 2	004	For the Wee	### According to the control of the			
	Amount	YTM (%PA) Ind	icative**	Amount	YTM (%PA) I	ndicative**		
		Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
I. Outright Transactions								
Govt. of India Dated Securities								
Maturing in the year								
2004-05	859	3.5885	4.5685	144	4.3272			
2005-06	20	4.3920	4.4727	601	4.5181	4.5602		
2006-07	16	4.4928	4.5972	106	4.4270	5.1331		
2007-08	67	4.6552	4.7777	353	4.6218	4.6975		
2008-09	546	4.7096	5.0719	924	4.6877	5.0320		
2009-10	2,444	4.7724	5.2567	1,955	4.7623	5.2348		
2010-13	3,932	4.9113	5.7616	3,839	4.8669	5.2385		
2013-14	1,280	5.1398	5.5095	1,638	5.0933	5.1927		
Beyond 2014	15,908	5.1400	6.0902	21,523	5.1093	6.0714		
2. State Government Securities	1,321	4.7359	6.0500	516	4.7299	5.9000		
3. Treasury Bills (Residual Maturity in	Days)							
(a) Upto 14 Days	267	3.9192	4.2994	120	3.6980	4.6184		
(b) 15 - 91 Days	1,260	4.0000	4.3002	1,050	4.1497	4.9578		
(c) 92 - 182 Days	684	4.2201	4.2650	105	4.2000	4.3384		
(d) 183 - 364 Days	670	4.0000	4.3111	769	3.8503	4.3500		
II. RBI* : Sales	7			_				
: Purchase	_			_				
III.Repo Transactions £ (Other than	with RBI)							
	Amount	Rates	s (%PA)	Amount	Rates	(%PA)		
		Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum		
1. Govt. of India Dated Securities	24,590	2.00 (1)	4.70 (25)	14,961	1.75 (1)	4.60 (6)		
2. State Govt. Securities	107	3.50 (1)	3.80 (1)	179	3.40 (3)	3.80 (5)		
3. 91 Day Treasury Bills	71	3.80 (1)	4.00 (1)	_	_	_		
4. 364 Day Treasury Bills	443	3.30 (1)	4.25 (7)	637	3.00 (2)	4.25 (3)		
IV. RBI : Repo £^	2,63,835	4.50	_	1,70,880	4.50	_		
: Reverse Repo!	_	_	_	150	6.00	_		

^{@:} As reported in Subsidiary General Ledger Accounts at RBI, Mumbai which presently accounts for nearly 98 per cent of the total transactions in the country.

- *: RBI's sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.
- £: Represent the first leg of transactions.
- ^: Data relate to Repo auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility effective from June 5, 2000.
- !: Includes Reverse Repo auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility.
- **: Minimum and maximum YTMs (% PA) indicative have been given excluding transactions of Non-standard lot size (Less than Rs.5 crore).

Note: Figures in brackets indicate Repo Period.

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^{\$:} Includes the private placement of Rs.9,500 crore, Rs.2,000 crore and Rs.5,000 crore with RBI on January 2, 2004, January 30, 2004 and February 16, 2004 respectively towards prepayment of external debt by Government of India.