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Item	Outstanding as on			Variation over					
	Financial year so far								
	1998 1999		Fortnight		1997-98		1998-99		Year
	Mar. 31#	Feb. 12#	Amount		Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
м3	8,25,389	9,44,123	6,642	0.7	87,486	12.5	1,18,733	14.4	1,54,789
Components (i+ii+iii+iv)									
(i) Currency with the Public	1,45,182	1,70,204	5,158	3.1	15,288	11.6	25,021	17.2	22,829
(ii) Demand deposits with banks	1,18,435	1,17,191	-860	-0.7	-2,918	-2.8	-1,245	-1.1	14,775
(iii) Time deposits with banks	5,58,167	6,53,633@	2,381	0.4	75,345	16.3	95,466	17.1	1,17,055
(iv) "Other" deposits with Reserve Bank	3,604	3,095	-37		-229		-509		130
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)									
(i) Net bank credit to Government (a+b)	3,30,619	3,86,672	3,984	1.0	29,125	10.1	56,053	17.0	68,927
(a) Reserve Bank	1,35,160	1,57,068	5,272		3,554		21,908		29,333
(b) Other Banks	1,95,460	2,29,604	-1,288		25,571		34,144		39,594
(ii) Bank credit to commercial sector (a+b)	4,32,190	4,63,663	1,220	0.3	38,458	10.2	31,473	7.3	48,898
(a) Reserve Bank	8,186	9,497	1,096		1,675		1,311		1,575
(b) Other Banks	4,24,004	4,54,166	124		36,783		30,162		47,323
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of banking sector	1,26,569	1,40,911	926	0.7	11,631	11.0	14,341	11.3	23,784
(iv) Government's currency liabilities to the public	3,120	3,561	_		312		441		331
(v) Banking sector's net non-monetary liabilities									
other than time deposits	67,110	50,684	-512		-7,961		-16,425		-12,849
of which: Net non-monetary liabilities of R.B.I.	43,219	60,708	-71		6,875		17,490		18,649

<sup>@:</sup> Includes Rs. 17,945 crore on account of proceeds from Resurgent India Bonds (RIBs). Excluding these proceeds, the year-on-M3 growth rate in column 11 would work out to be 17.3 per cent.