Item	1998	1999	V	ariation over	
<del>-</del>	Apr. 10	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	Week	
1	2	3	4	5	
Notes in circulation	1,53,021	1,71,928	1,77,653	5,725	
Notes issued	1,53,056	1,71,968	1,77,683	5,715	
Notes held in Banking Department	35	40	29	-11	
<b>Deposits:</b>					
Central Government	50	101	100	-1	
State Governments	13	26	14	-12	
Scheduled Commercial Banks	58,009	76,680	64,000	-12,680	
Scheduled State Co-operative Banks	535	749	730	-19	
Other Banks	987	1,213	1,107	-106	
Others	5,031	6,037	6,137	100	
Other liabilities	50,236	62,608	63,886	1,278	
TOTAL LIABILITIES/ASSETS	2,67,882	3,19,341	3,13,629	-5,712	
Foreign currency assets <sup>(1)</sup>	1,04,387	1,25,453	1,26,671	1,218	
Gold coin and bullion <sup>(2)</sup>	12,078	12,559	12,559	_	
Rupee securities (including					
treasury bills)	1,19,085	1,43,712	1,35,343	-8,369	
Loans and advances:					
Central Government	10,463	6,570	12,969	6,399	
State Governments	1,092	3,025	5,264	2,239	
NABARD	4,760	5,700	5,267	-433	
Scheduled Commercial Banks	159	6,205	912	-5,293	
State Co-operative Banks	2	13	3	-10	
Industrial Development Bank of India	2,267	2,000	2,000	_	
Export-Import Bank of India	807	752	752		
Others	3,799	6,357	4,262	-2,095	
Bills purchased and discounted:					
Commercial	_	_	_	_	
Treasury	_	_	_	_	
Investments <sup>(3)</sup>	2,767	2,916	2,916	_	
Other assets	6,217	4,080	4,712	632	

- (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

-		Variation over								
	As on Apr.	16, 1999	Wee	ek	End- March		End- Decen	ıber 1998		Year
Item			Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore U	S\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	τ
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
<b>Total Reserves</b> of which:	1,39,220	32,581	-44	-66	1,215	91	11,366	2,525	22,357	
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,26,627	29,613	-44	-66	1,215	91	11,934	2,655	21,846	
(b) Gold	12,559	2,960	_	_	_	_	-249	-55	481	
(c) SDRs	34	8	_	_	_	_	-319	-75	30	

#### 3. Scheduled Commercial Banks - Business in India

(Rs. crore) **Outstanding** Variation over as on Item 1999 Financial year so far 1998-99 1999-2000 Apr. 9# **Fortnight** Year 4 3 6 Liabilities to the Banking System Demand and time deposits from banks 33,351 1,091 1,286 1,091 8,383 Borrowings from Banks<sup>(1)</sup> -206 11.418 -258-206 4.516 Other demand and time liabilities<sup>(2)</sup> 1,058 368 -822 368 435 **Liabilities to Others** 7,24,990@ 4,012 Aggregate deposits 7,719 7,719 1,15,568 (1.1)(0.7)(1.1)(19.0)Demand 1,15,822 2,342 -3,322 2,342 16,631 Time 6,09,168@ 5,377 7,334 5,377 98,937  $Borrowings^{(3)} \\$ 1,318 -674 25 -674 13 Other demand and time liabilities 52,539 123 4,107 123 8,678 **Borrowings from Reserve Bank** -1,982 -236 -1,982 753 912 Cash in hand and Balances with 68,224 694 -10 694 6,929 Reserve Bank Cash in hand 4,224 242 -322 242 938 311 Balances with Reserve Bank 64,000 453 453 5,991 Assets with the Banking System Balance with other Banks 13,585 664 724 664 1,309 Money at call and short notice 19,156 1,022 212 1,022 10,083 Advances to banks 1,440 -198 -671 -198 -52 Other assets 1.452 149 132 149 -346  $Investments^{(5)} \\$ 2,62,347 8,228 9,179 8,228 34,463 (3.2)(4.2)(3.2)(15.1)2,30,696 7,952 9,209 7,952 Government securities 34,530 Other approved securities 31,650 276 276 -30 -68 3,918 2,109 3,918 **Bank Credit** 3,69,921 43,733 (0.7)(1.1)(1.1)(13.4)Food Credit 16.288 -528 -271 -528 4.074 Non-food credit 3.53.633 4,446 2.380 4,446 39,659 Loans, cash-credit and overdrafts 3,37,468 2,601 735 2,601 41,997 Inland bills- purchased 239 4,950 637 239 -347 discounted<sup>(6)</sup> 11,547 771 771 1,296 483 Foreign bills-purchased 7,600 -768 -768 -360 30 discounted 8,356 1,076 224 1,076 1,147 Cash-Deposit Ratio 9.41 Investment-Deposit Ratio 36.19

51.02

Credit-Deposit Ratio

- @: Includes Rs. 17,945 crore on account of proceeds from Resurgent India Bonds (RIBs). Excluding these proceeds, the growth rates in aggregate deposits as shown in columns 5 and 6 would work out to 1.1 per cent and 16.0 per cent, respectively.
- (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. **Note:** Figures in brackets denote percentage variations in the relevant period.

#### 4. Interest Rates

(Per cent per annum) 1998 1999 Item / week ended **Apr. 10** Mar. 12 Mar. 19 **Mar. 26** Apr. 2 3 4 5 6 Bank Rate 10.00 8.00 8.00 8.00 8.00 8.00 I.D.B.I.<sup>1</sup> 14.00 13.50 13.50 13.50 14.00 13.50 Prime Lending Rate<sup>2</sup> 13.50-14.00 12.00-13.00 12.00-13.0012.00-13.00 12.00-12.5012.00-12.50 Deposit Rate<sup>3</sup> 10.50-12.00 9.00-11.50 9.00-11.50 9.00-11.50 9.00-11.00 8.00-10.50 Call Money Rate (Low / High)<sup>4</sup> 5.75 /7.35 7.00 /8.50 7.60 /11.25 3.00/10.00 7.00/14.00 0.25/8.60

- 1. Medium Term Lending Rate (MTLR).
- 2. Prime Lending Rate relates to five major banks.
- 3. Deposit Rate relates to five major banks for term deposits of more than one year maturity.
- 4. Inter-Bank Call Money Rates as reported by DFHI.

# 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)
				1998-99			1997-98	
			Outstan	ding	Variations	Outsta	ınding	Variations
			as or		(3) - (2)	as		<b>(6) - (5)</b>
	Item		1998	1999		1997	1998	
			Mar. 27	<b>Mar. 26</b>		<b>Mar. 28</b>	Mar. 27	
	1		2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Bank Cı	redit	3,24,079	3,66,003	<b>41,925</b> (12.9)	2,78,401	3,24,079	<b>45,677</b> (16.4)
	A.	Food Credit	12,485	16,816	4,331	7,597	12,485	4,889
	В.	Non-Food Credit	3,11,594	3,49,187	37,594 (12.1)	2,70,805	3,11,594	40,789 (15.1)
2.	Investm	ents	31,912	48,059@	16,147	18,484	31,539+	13,055
	A.	Commercial Paper	2,045	4,370	2,326	664	2,631	1,967
	B.	Bonds/Debentures/Prefer	28,381	41,277	12,896	16,652	27,408	10,756

anca	Shares	icenad	hv
ence	Snares	issuea	DΥ

		a. Public Sector Undertakings	18,906	23,456	4,550	14,301	18,356	4,055
		b. Private Corporate Sector	9,475	17,821	8,346	2,350	9,052	6,701
	C.	Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	1,442	2,348	906	1,139	1,456	317
	D.	Loans to Corporates against shares held by them to enable them to meet the promoters' contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources	44	64	20	29	44	15
3.	Bills redi Institutio	iscounted with Financial	229	<b>792</b> @@	563	1,029	562 ++	-467
4.		(1B + 2 + 3)	3,43,734	3,98,038	54,304	2,90,317	3,43,694	53,377

<sup>\*:</sup> Subject to changes as a result of introduction of common valuation method and uniform classification.

@: Upto March 12, 1999.

**Note:** 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations. 2.Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.

6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign	•	1998	•		1999		1	998			1999	
Currency		Apr. 17	Apr. 12	Apr. 13	Apr. 14+	Apr. 15	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 12	Apr. 13 Ap	r. 14+	Apr. 15
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		RBI's Refer	ence Rate	Rs. per U.	S. Dollar)			I	Foreign C	urrency per	Rs. 100	)@
		39.7100	42.7000	42.7100		42.8300	42.7600	(	Based on	Middle Rat	es)	
		FEDAI Indi	cative Rate	es (Rs. per	Foreign Cu	rrency)						
U.S.	{ Buying	39.7000	42.6950	42.7100		42.8250	42.7500	2.5183	2.3419	2.3414		2.3348
Dollar	Selling	39.7100	42.7050	42.7200		42.8350	42.7600					
Pound	{ Buying	67.1650	68.8800	68.9775		69.0200	68.6650	1.4877	1.4517	1.4491		1.4482
Sterling	Selling	67.2200	68.9375	69.0350		69.0800	68.7250					
Euro	{ Buying	50.4400 \$	46.2475	46.1875		46.2250	45.5550	1.9798\$	2.1625	2.1648		2.1637
	Selling	50.5800 \$	46.2750	46.2050		46.2650	45.5825					
100 Yen	{ Buying	30.0750	35.4500	35.4725		36.0175	36.1175	332.33	282.00	281.85		277.64
	Selling	30.1050	35.4725	35.5100		36.0400	36.2000					
	Inter-Ban	k Forward Pr	emia of U.	S. Dollar (	per cent per	annum)						
1-month		3.63	5.90	6.18		6.44	5.89					
3-month		5.84	6.37	6.37		6.63	5.99					
6-month		7.40	7.03	7.12		7.19	6.69					

<sup>@@:</sup> Upto January 31, 1999.

<sup>+:</sup> Upto March 13, 1998.

<sup>++:</sup> Upto January 31, 1998.

#### 7. Money Stock: Components and Sources

(Rs. **Outstanding** Variation over as on Item Financial year so far 1998 1999 **Fortnight** 1997-98 1998-99 Year Mar. 31# Mar. 26# Amount % Amount % Amount % **Amount** 8,27,209 9,75,200 1.9 1,26,572 18.0 1,47,991 18,004 Components (i+ii+iii+iv) Currency with the Public 1,46,004 1,70,659 -2,688 - 1.614,775 11.2 24,655 16.9 23,797 Demand deposits with banks 10,932 9.2 (ii) 1,17,937 1,30,267 12,569 11.9 12,330 10.5 12,364 (iii) Time deposits with banks 5,59,728 6,70,130@ 8.436 1.3 99.111 21.5 1,10,402 19.7 1,09,786 (iv) "Other" deposits with Reserve Bank 3,541 4,144 1,325 47.0 117 3.7 603 17.0 833 Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v) Net bank credit to Government 3,30,592 53,493 16.2 61,269 3,84,085 -3,698 -1.0 34,196 11.8 (a+b)(a) Reserve Bank 1,35,160 1,49,952 14,792 10.9 22,567 -6,103 -3.93,204 2.6 (b) Other Banks 1,95,432 2,34,133 2,404 1.0 30,993 18.8 38,701 19.8 38,701 Bank credit to commercial sector 4,32,738 4,83,201 10,803 2.3 56,159 14.9 50,463 11.7 50,735 (a+b)(a) Reserve Bank 8,186 8,485 -268 -3.1 299 3.7 470 1,768 28.3 (b) Other Banks 4,24,552 4,74,717 11,072 2.4 54,392 14.7 50,165 11.8 50,265 17,833 1,44,402 2,601 14.1 20,283 (iii) Net foreign exchange assets of 1,26,569 1.8 18,623 17.7 banking sector (iv) Government's currency liabilities to 3,352 3,705 434 14.9 353 10.5 353 the public Banking sector's net non-monetary liabilities other than time deposits 66,042 40,193 -8,297 -17.1 -17,160 -24.0 -25,849 -39.1 -14,141 43,282 59,807 of which: Net non-monetary -316 -0.5 9,009 25.6 16,525 38.2 15,614 liabilities of R.B.I.

#### 8. Reserve Money: Components and Sources

(Rs. c

	Outstanding	Variation over	_
	as on		
Item		Financial year so far	

<sup>@:</sup> These rates are based on RBI Reference rate for US dollar and middle rates of cross-currency quotes. These rates are announced by RBI with effect from January 29, 1998.

<sup>\$:</sup> These rates are as on January 4, 1999.

<sup>+ :</sup> Market closed.

Note: 1. The unified exchange rate system came into force on March 1, 1993.

<sup>2.</sup> With the introduction of Euro effective January 1, 1999, the buying and selling rates of Rupees per Deutsche Mark (FEDAI indicative rates) and Deutsche Mark Rs. 100 (middle rates) have been replaced by Rupees per Euro and Euro per Rs. 100, respectively.

<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 15.6 per cent.

	19	99	Week	•	1998-9	9 1	1999-2000		Year
	Mar. 31#	Apr. 9#	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Reserve Money	2,59,220	2,51,148	-6,978	-2.7	-7,394	-3.3	-8,072	-3.1	32,140
Components (i+ii+iii)									
(i) Currency in circulation	1,75,705	1,81,358	5,725	3.3	5,318	3.5	5,653	3.2	24,984
of which: cash with banks	5,586	4,224 *							
(ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI	79,703	65,838	-12,804	-16.3	-12,274	-17.1	-13,865	-17.4	6,307
(iii) "Other" deposits with RBI	3,812	3,952	101		-438		139		849
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)									
(i) Net RBI credit to Government	1,52,509	1,53,513	269	0.2	-4,495	-3.3	1,003	0.7	22,848
of which: to Centre	1,47,793	1,48,264	-1,981		-4,031		470		18,678
(ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector	25,487	15,861	-7,831	-33.1	-972	-6.4	-9,626	-37.8	1,551
o/w : to banks (includes NABARD)	13,262	7,404	-5,794		-953		-5,857		1,261
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI	1,37,954	1,39,213	1,219	0.9	565	0.5	1,259	0.9	22,758
(iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public	3,705	3,705	_		_		_		353
(v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	60,435	61,144	634		2,492		709		15,370

<sup>\*</sup> Data relate to scheduled commercial banks only.

# 9. Auctions of 14-Day Government of India Treasury Bills

	ate of action	Date of Issue	Notified Amount	Competitive Bids Accepted	Devolvement on PDs and RBI	Non-Competitive Bids Accepted	Total Issue (4+5+6)	Weighted Average Price	Implicit Yield at Cut-off Price	Amount Or ding as or Date of I
	1	2	3	(Face Value) 4	(Face Value) 5	(Face Value) 6	(Face Value) 7	8	(per cent) 9	(Face Va
Jul.	3, '98	Jul. 4, '98	100	100	_	_	100	99.77	5.9938	600
Oct.	9, '98	Oct. 10, '98	500	500	_	_	500	99.67	8.8702	900
Jan.	1, '99	Jan. 2, '99	100	100	_	_	100	99.65	9.1320	200
Apr.	1, '99	Apr. 3, '99	100	100	_	_	100	99.70	7.8235	200
Apr.	9, '99	Apr. 10, '99	100	100	_	_	100	99.73	7.3004	200
Apr.	16, '99	Apr. 19, '99	100	67	33	_	100	99.70	7.8235	200

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

Note: Uniform Price Auction was introduced from November 6, 1998. From that date onwards, weighted average price and cut-off price will be same since all t successful bidders are allotted at cut-off price.

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

30

130

100

97.91

97.94

	te of ction	Date of Issue	Notified Amount	Bids Accepted (Face Value)	Devolvement on PDs and RBI (Face Value)	Total Issue (4+5) (Face Value)	Weighted Average Price	Implicit Yield at Cut-off Price (Per cent)	Amount ding Dat (Fa
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Apr.	7, '98A <sub>l</sub>	pr. 11, '98	100	6	94	100	92.61	7.9797	
Jul.	1, '98Ju	1. 3, '98	100	_	100	100	92.61	7.9797	
Oct.	7, '980	et. 9, '98	400	400	_	400	90.36	10.7174	
Jan.	13, '99Ja	n. 15, '99	750	750	_	750	90.52	10.4972	
Mar.	24, '99M	ar. 26, '99	750	165	585	750	90.85	10.0715	
Apr.	7, '99A <sub>J</sub>	or. 9, '99	500	500	_	500	90.95	9.9747	

@: No bid was accepted.

9, '99 Apr.

16, '9<u>9</u> Apr.

Apr.

Apr.

10, '99

19, '99

100

100

100

100

#### 12. Certificates of Deposit Issued by Scheduled Commercial Banks

(Rs crore)

8.5385

8.4133

1,49

1,4€

				(Rs. crore)
Fortnight ended		Total Amount Outstanding#	Issued during the fortnight #	Rate of Interest (Per cent)@
1		2	3	4
Jan.	2, 1998	6,876	811	6.50 - 11.75
Apr.	10, 1998	14,584	627	8.25 - 24.00
Jul.	17, 1998	7,287	807	8.00 - 12.50
Oct.	9, 1998	6,132	786	7.75 - 13.50
Dec.	4, 1998	4,517	347	6.75 - 12.50
Dec.	18, 1998	4,186	475	8.25 - 15.50

@: Effective interest rate range per annum.

#### 13. Commercial Paper Issued by Companies (At face value)

(Rs. crore)

Fortnight ended		Total Amount Outstanding	Reported during the fortnight	Rate of Interest (Per cent)@
1		2	3	4
Apr.	15, 1998	1,030	338	11.75 — 18.00
Jul.	15, 1998	3,912	772	8.20 - 13.50
Oct.	15, 1998	4,803	1,101	9.50 - 13.40
Jan.	15, 1999	5,411	1,215	9.75 - 13.00
Mar.	15, 1999	5,149	1,024	8.50 — 13.25
Mar.	31, 1999	4,770	866	9.10 - 13.25

<sup>@:</sup> Typical effective discount rate range per annum on issues during the fortnight.

14. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices (Base: 1981-82 = 100)

		1998	1999	•	Pero	entage Va	riation ove	er
Item / Week ended	Weight	Apr. 4	Feb. 6*	Apr. 3#	Week	Month	End March	7
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	339.1	355.0	354.7	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Primary Articles	32.30	352.6	383.8	381.8	0.5	0.3	0.5	
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	4.09	405.1	413.2	441.4	6.7	8.1	6.7	
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	10.66	383.0	376.1	379.5	_	_		
Manufactured Products	57.04	323.3	334.8	334.7	_	0.1	_	
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	4.06	303.1	288.8	289.4	-0.3	-0.8	-0.3	
(ii) Edible Oils	2.45	310.3	355.8	341.0	-0.7	-1.5	-0.7	
(iii) Cement, Lime & Plaster	0.92	278.2	296.7	290.0	0.3	-1.3	0.3	
(iv) Iron & Steel	2.44	320.4	318.6	319.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	

<sup>\* :</sup> Latest available final figures.

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

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

	1998			1999		
	Apr. 16	Apr. 12	Apr. 13	Apr. 14+	Apr. 15	Apr. 10
1	2	3	4	5	6	·
BSE SENSEX (1978-79=100)	4,134.32	3,463.77	3,464.52		3,357.12	3,572.9
S & P CNX NIFTY (3.11.1995=1000)	1,197.05	998.20	994.25		968.60	1,044.45

Note: NSE - 50, i.e. Nifty has since been rechristened as 'S & P CNX Nifty' with effect from July 28, 1998.

+: Market closed.

# 16a. Average Daily Turnover in Call Money Market #

(Rs.

			Fortnight Ended							
		Nov. 6, '98	Nov. 20, '98	Dec. 4, '98	Dec. 18, '98	Jan. 1, '99	Jan. 15, '99	Jan. 2		
1		2	3	4	5	6	7			
1.	Banks									
	a) Borrowing	8,876	7,942	7,348	8,253	8,313	10,609	1		

	b) Lending	7,213	8,861	7,568	7,147	6,121	5,757	
2.	Primary Dealers							
	a) Borrowing	4,525	5,461	5,808	5,564	3,863	3,730	
	b) Lending	801	1,413	1,717	1,498	1,213	1,703	
3.	Non-Bank Institutions							
	a) Lending	3,614	3,538	3,495	4,509	4,658	5,653	

# 16b. Turnover in Government Securities Market (Face Value)

(Rs. cror

		Week Ended							
Items	Mar. 12, '99	Mar. 19, '99	Mar. 26, '99	Apr. 2, '99	Apr. 9, '99	Apr. 16, '9			
1	2	3	4	5	6				
I. Outright Transactions									
a. Govt. of India Dated Securities	15,100	6,321	7,268	6,023	22,933	14,91			
b. State Government Securities	17	29	69	92	24	1			
c. 14 - Day Treasury Bills	233	52	214	28	115	12			
d.91 - Day Treasury Bills	439	480	117	130	252	37			
e.364 - Day Treasury Bills	1,010	1,072	654	1,672	1,505	1,18			
II. RBI*	2,203	76	345	961	3,430	2,30			

<sup>@ :</sup> Excluding Repo Transactions. \*: RBI's sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.

# 16c. Turnover in Foreign Exchange Market

(US\$ N

												(US\$ N
					Mer	chant				Inter-ba	nk	
			FCY/IN	R		FCY/FCY	Y	]	FCY/ I	NR		FCY/FCY
Positi	on Date	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Swap	Forward	Spot	Swap Fo
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Purch	iases											
Mar.	22, 1999	515	124	79	33	12	10	570	622	61	219	125
Mar.	23, 1999	271	95	105	14	34	18	456	862	96	394	166
Mar.	24, 1999	371	97	117	32	39	40	395	864	123	448	355
Mar.	25, 1999+											
Mar.	26, 1999	562	138	197	58	39	50	743	1,019	121	535	332
	Sales											
Mar.	22, 1999	296	192	63	7	11	10	874	611	76	251	140
Mar.	23, 1999	239	142	42	6	14	18	499	717	172	455	165
Mar.	24, 1999	354	171	35	13	40	45	426	899	139	457	353
Mar.	25, 1999+											
Mar.	26, 1999	453	272	54	27	37	39	887	1,054	139	576	337

FCY: Foreign Currency INR: Indian Rupees.

+ : Market closed.

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

### 16d. Weekly Traded Volume in Corporate Debt at NSE

(Rs. crore)

			Week En	ded		_
	Mar. 13, '99	Mar. 20, '99	Mar. 27, '99	Apr. 3, '99	Apr. 10, '99	Apr. 17, '99
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Amount	36.34	3.34	44.01	45.36	1.66	6.46

Source: National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

17. Bullion Prices (Spot)

		1998		,	1999		
Item	As on Friday	Apr. 17	Mar. 19	Mar. 26	Apr. 2	Apr. 9	Apr. 16
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Standard Gold	Opening	4,205	4,315	4,270	4,340	4,350	4,400
(Rs. per 10 grams)	Closing	4,210	4,305	4,250	4,345	4,365	4,415
Silver (999.0 fineness)	Opening	8,815	7,615	7,675	7,685	7,630	7,710
(Rs. per kilogram)	Closing	8,795	7,600	7,670	7,710	7,640	7,710

Note: In case Friday is a holiday, prices relate to the preceding working day.

Source: Bombay Bullion Association Ltd.

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

(Rs. crore

Holders		Apr	Variation in Total Treasury Bi				
	Trea	sury Bills of Diff	Over the	Over End			
	14 Day	14 Day	91 Day	364 Day (2	2+3+4+5)	Week	Marcl
	(Auction)	(Intermediate)	(Auction)	(Auction)			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	{
Reserve Bank of India	-	-	129	490	619	-145	-19:
Banks	100	-	852	8,175	9,127	151	529
State Governments	-	3,596	-	-	3,596	-599	-3,008
Others	-	395	384	1,935	2,714	-332	-120

#### 19. Government of India: Long and Medium Term Borrowings - 1999-2000

(Devolvement/Private Placement on RBI and OMO Sales/Purchases)

(Face Value in Rs. crore)

	<u> </u>
Gross Amount Raised	Net Amount Raised

	1999-2000 (Upto April 16, 1999)	1998-99 (Upto April 17, 1998)	1998-99	1999-2000 (Upto April 16, 1999)	1998-99 (Upto April 17, 1998)	1998-99
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Total of which: 1.1 Devolvement/Private	13,000	8,000	83,753	8,583	8,000	68,950
Placement on RBI	7,000	-	38,205			
2. RBI's OMO Sales	6,495	212	26,348			
Purchases	-	-	-			

#### **20.** Secondary Market Transactions in Government Securities (Face Value)

(Amount in Rs. crore)

		For the W	eek Ended A	pril 9, 1999	For the Wee	`	ril 16, 1999
	Items	Amount	YTM (%PA)	Indicative	Amount	YTM (%PA)	Indicative
			Minimum	Maximum	_	Minimum	Maximum
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
I. (	Outright Transactions						_
1.	Govt. of India Dated Securities						
	Maturing in the year						
	1999-2000	399	8.8472	10.4246	105	7.3090	12.3809
	2000-01	1,369	10.1224	11.0347	368	10.4024	10.7229
	2001-02	1,183	10.8681	11.1475	711	10.6312	11.0327
	2002-03 \$	840	11.0423	11.5150	554	11.0245	11.1138
	2003-04	1,033	11.1790	11.6828	672	11.1455	11.9492
	2004-05	1,294	11.2938	12.2038	551	11.2804	11.4360
	2005-08	137	11.5999	12.0015	621	11.2386	11.7180
	2008-09	365	11.8535	12.0704	173	11.6490	11.8867
	Beyond 2009	4,846	10.9822	12.5800	3,700	11.8407	12.4501
2.	State Government Securities	12	11.4449	12.2356		11.2876	12.4580
3.	14 Day Treasury Bills	57	5.8333	8.2284	60	5.9818	7.7201
4.	91 Day Treasury Bills	126	5.9706	8.7259	190	6.1340	8.5064
5.	364 Day Treasury Bills	752	5.9706	10.0724	591	6.7311	9.9227
II.	RBI* : Sales	3,430			2,304		
	: Purchases	-			· -		
III.	Repo Transactions £ (Other th	an with RB	<b>I</b> )				
	•	Amount	Rates (	%PA)	Amount	Rates (	%PA)
			Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum
1.	Govt. of India Dated Securities	1,580	3.00(1)	10.50 (17)	1,105	7.60 (3)	10.50 (75)
2.	14 Day Treasury Bills	_	-	-	_	-	-
3.	91 Day Treasury Bills	_	-	-	-	-	-
4.	364 Day Treasury Bills	45	7.75 (1)	-	66	8.75 (13)	8.75 (14)
IV.	RBI: Repo £	9,745	6.00	-	1	6.00	-
	: Reverse Repo £	576	8.00	-	521	8.00	-

<sup>@</sup> As reported in Subsidiary General Ledger Accounts at RBI, Mumbai which presently accounts for nearly 98 percent of the total transactions in the country.

Note: Figures in brackets indicate Repo Period.

Due to rounding off of figures, the constituent items may not add up to the totals.

<sup>\$</sup> While Face Value transacted for 6.00% Capital Indexed Bond 2002 has been included in the amount for the maturity year 2002-03, YTM (% indicative) have not been included in minimum and maximum YTM.

<sup>\*</sup> RBI's sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.

<sup>£</sup> Represent the first leg of transactions.

The symbols used in WSS are: .. = Not available. - = Nil/Negligible. # = Provisional.

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