

## 2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over								
	As on Apr. 16, 1999		Week		End- March 1999		End- December 1998		Year
	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
<b>Total Reserves</b>	<b>1,39,220</b>	<b>32,581</b>	<b>-44</b>	<b>-66</b>	<b>1,215</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>11,366</b>	<b>2,525</b>	<b>22,357</b>
of which :									
(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

**Note :** 1. Foreign currency assets expressed in US dollar terms include the effect of revaluation of non-US currencies held in reserves.

2. For details regarding conversion to US dollar a reference may be made to the relevant Table in the Current Statistics Section of the RBI Bulletin.