

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over									
	As on May 14, 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.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Total Reserves	1,42,195	33,250	1,346	308	4,190	760	14,341	3,194	25,821	4,584
of which :										
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,29,694	30,331	1,357	311	4,282	809	15,001	3,373	26,022	4,862
(b) Gold	12,500	2,919	—	—	-59	-41	-308	-96	-148	-265
(c) SDRs	1	—	-11	-3	-33	-8	-352	-83	-53	-13

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.