6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign		2006					Annual appreciation (+) / depreciation (-) (per cent)				
Currency		Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Mar. 3	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Mar. 3
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
RBI's Reference Rate (Rs. per Foreign Currency)											
U.S. Dollar Euro	-	44.4200 52.7000	44.4400 52.7000	44.3500 52.9400	44.3400 52.8800	44.3600 53.3200	_	-1.80 9.94	-1.42 9.03	-1.44 8.81	-1.60 7.52
FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign Currency)											
U.S. Dollar	Buying Selling	44.4150 44.4250	44.4300 44.4400	44.3450 44.3550	44.3300 44.3400	44.3500 44.3600	_	−1.79 −1.79	−1.41 −1.41	-1.42 -1.42	-1.58 -1.58
Pound Sterling	Buying Selling	77.4250 77.4650	77.2725 77.3125	77.7850 77.8250	77.5500 77.5950	77.7050 77.7500		8.56 8.56	7.81 7.79	8.05 8.03	7.35 7.33
Euro	Buying Selling	52.6950 52.7200	52.6800 52.7050	52.9300 52.9650	52.8725 52.8900	53.3050 53.3300	<u> </u>	9.89 9.90	8.96 8.94	8.83 8.84	7.49 7.48
100 Yen	Buying Selling	38.2175 38.2325	38.2225 38.2400	38.3075 38.3275	38.1375 38.1550	38.0775 38.1075		9.17 9.19	9.20 9.22	9.51 9.50	9.27 9.25
Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per annum)											
1-month 3-month		3.38 3.11	3.35 3.11	3.46 3.26	3.36 3.11	3.79 3.54					

2.35

2.69

— : Market closed on the corresponding day of the previous year.

2.41

2.36

6-month

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

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

2.48