

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

<i>Item</i>	Outstanding as on				Variation over							
	1999		Week		Financial year so far				Year			
	Mar. 31#	May 21#	Amount	%	1998-99	1999-2000	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
Reserve Money	2,59,220	2,61,280	-4,962	-1.9	235	0.1	2,060	0.8	34,643	15.3		
Components (i+ii+iii)												
(i) Currency in circulation	1,75,705	1,91,139	-1,909	-1.0	14,010	9.3	15,434	8.8	26,073	15.8		
of which : cash with banks	5,586	4,184										
(ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI	79,703	67,119	-3,028	-4.3	-12,712	-17.7	-12,584	-15.8	8,025	13.6		
(iii) "Other" deposits with RBI	3,812	3,022	-25		-1,064		-790		545			
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v)												
(i) Net RBI credit to Government *	1,52,539	1,55,179	780	0.5	6,952	5.1	2,640	1.7	13,067	9.2		
of which : to Centre *	1,45,416	1,53,263	15		8,047		7,847		11,599			
(ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector	25,487	20,893	-6,287	-23.1	-1,389	-9.1	-4,594	-18.0	7,000	50.4		
o/w : to banks (includes NABARD)	13,262	10,693	-3,521		-1,570		-2,569		5,167			
(iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI	1,37,954	1,42,973	796	0.6	475	0.4	5,019	3.6	26,608	22.9		
(iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public	3,705	3,705	—		86		—		267			
(v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI	60,464	61,469	251		5,888		1,005		12,298			

* Government balances as on March 31, 1999 are after closure of accounts.