

## 2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

<i>Item</i>	As on Aug. 3, 2007		Variation over							
			Week		End-March 2007		End-December 2006		Year	
	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.	Rs. Crore	US\$ Mn.
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Total Reserves</b>	<b>9,25,681</b>	<b>229,342</b>	<b>13,282</b>	<b>3,992</b>	<b>57,459</b>	<b>30,163</b>	<b>1,41,699</b>	<b>52,091</b>	<b>1,54,089</b>	<b>63,547</b>
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	8,95,945	221,988	13,091	3,892*	59,348	30,064	1,43,207	51,801	1,58,447	63,523
(b) Gold	27,850	6,887	195	100	-1,723	103	-974	370	-2,646	330
(c) SDRs	49	12	—	—	41	10	45	11	16	5
(d) Reserve Position in the IMF**	1,837	455	-4	—	-207	-14	-579	-91	-1,728	-311

\* : Foreign currency assets expressed in US dollar terms include the effect of appreciation/depreciation of non-US currencies (such as Euro, Sterling, Yen) held in reserves. For details, please refer to the Current Statistics section of the RBI Bulletin.

\*\* : Reserve Position in the International Monetary Fund (IMF), i.e., Reserve Tranche Position (RTP) which was shown as a memo item from May 23, 2003 to March 26, 2004 has been included in the reserves from the week ended April 2, 2004 in keeping with the international best practice.