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1. Reserve Bank of India - Liabilities and Assets

(Rs. crore)

Item	2007	20	08	Variation		
nem	Mar. 30	Mar. 21	Mar. 28 #	Week	Year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	
Notes Issued	4,96,786	5,84,480	5,82,075	-2,405	85,289	
Notes in Circulation	4,96,775	5,84,465	5,82,055	-2,410	85,280	
Notes held in Banking Department	11	15	20	5	9	
Deposits						
Central Government	36,661	82,227	83,645	1,418	46,984	
Market Stabilisation Scheme	62,974	1,69,319	1,68,392	-927	1,05,418	
State Governments	41	674	41	-632	_	
Scheduled Commercial Banks	1,80,222	2,80,202	2,57,122	-23,080	76,900	
Scheduled State Co-operative Banks	2,851	3,403	3,396	-7	545	
Other Banks	8,257	12,125	12,008	-117	3,751	
Others	11,609	11,883	12,247	364	638	
Other Liabilities	1,79,897	2,12,771	2,14,216	1,446	34,319	
TOTAL LIABILITIES/ASSETS	9,79,298	13,57,084	13,33,143	-23,941	3,53,845	
Foreign Currency Assets ⁽¹⁾	8,36,597	11,91,856	11,99,579	7,723	3,62,982	
Gold Coin and Bullion ⁽²⁾	29,573	38,154	38,154	_	8,581	
Rupee Securities (Including Treasury Bills)	96,861	1,13,047	83,707	-29,341	-13,154	
Loans and Advances						
Central Government	_	_	_	_	_	
State Governments	_	_	_	_	_	
NABARD	_	_	_	_	_	
Scheduled Commercial Banks	6,245	6,122	4,000	-2,122	-2,245	
Scheduled State Co-operative Banks	_	49	_	-49	_	
Industrial Development Bank of India	_	_	_	_	_	
Export-Import Bank of India	_	_	_	_	_	
Others	340	1,103	579	-524	239	
Bills Purchased and Discounted						
Commercial	_	_	_	_	_	
Treasury	_	_	_	_	_	
Investments ⁽³⁾	3,973	2,750	2,750	_	-1,223	
Other Assets	5,709	4,002	4,373	371	-1,336	

- $(1) \ \ Includes \ foreign \ securities, \ balances \ held \ abroad \ and \ investments \ in \ foreign \ shares/bonds.$
- (2) Effective October 17, 1990, gold is valued close to international market price.
- (3) Excludes investments in foreign shares and bonds and in Government of India rupee securities.

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

			Variation over										
Item	As on Mar	As on Mar. 28, 2008		As on Mar. 28, 2008			Week End-March 2007			nber 2007	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	12,39,558	309,161	7,726	4,504	3,71,336	109,982	1,54,538	33,845	3,71,336	109,982			
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	11,99,579	299,147	7,723	4,498*	3,62,982	107,223	1,49,094	32,594	3,62,982	107,223			
(b) Gold	38,154	9,558	_	_	8,581	2,774	5,335	1,230	8,581	2,774			
(c) SDRs	74	19	_	1	66	17	61	16	66	17			
(d) Reserve Position in the IMF**	1,751	437	3	5	-293	-32	48	5	-293	-32			

^{* :} 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.

3. Scheduled Commercial Banks - Business in India

(Rs. crore)

	Outstanding			Variation over		
Item	as on		Financial	year so far	Year-o	n-year
	2008 Mar. 14#	Fortnight	2006-2007	2007-2008	2007	2008
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Liabilities to the Banking System						
Demand and Time Deposits from Banks	39,581	69	-1,821	-1,191	1,998	4,324
Borrowings from Banks ⁽¹⁾	32,198	5,756	7,060	-3,201	5,422	-4,059
Other Demand and Time Liabilities(2)	18,793	1,799	931	6,507	1,594	8,971
Liabilities to Others						
Aggregate Deposits	30,75,224	-5,635	3,94,779	4,66,915	4,97,279	5,71,396
-		(-0.2)	(18.7)	(17.9)	(24.8)	(22.8)
Demand	4,42,720	-16,408	7,907	13,583	48,743	70,174
Time	26,32,504	10,773	3,86,873	4,53,332	4,48,536	5,01,222
Borrowings ⁽³⁾	1,07,610	-113	5,732	21,774	8,949	18,735
Other Demand and Time Liabilities	3,01,130	10,357	52,010	59,126	44,278	60,341
Borrowings from Reserve Bank	483	-290	1,540	-5,762	2,709	-2,544
Cash in Hand and Balances with Reserve Bank	2,70,587	-1,592	40,215	74,256	60,521	90,266
Cash in Hand	17,294	-668	831	1,185	2,732	3,417
Balances with Reserve Bank	2,53,293	-924	39,384	73,071	57,789	86,849
Assets with the Banking System						
Balance with Other Banks (4)	33,997	-1,865	-869	4,909	2,204	8,403
Money at Call and Short Notice	19,535	6,501	6,667	1,268	6,518	-751
Advances to Banks	3,357	111	1,605	-2,846	1,904	-2,439
Other Assets	30,015	1,121	9,456	6,512	14,809	10,439
Investments ⁽⁵⁾	9,86,052	-799	65,112	1,95,621	74,164	2,03,485
		(-0.1)	(9.1)	(24.7)	(10.5)	(26.0)
Government Securities	9,66,516	-495	66,566	1,91,536	75,926	1,99,208
Other Approved Securities	19,536	-304	-1,454	4,085	-1,762	4,278
Bank Credit	22,72,603	21,390	3,61,576	3,43,690	4,20,987	4,03,949
		(1.0)	(24.0)	(17.8)	(29.1)	(21.6)
Food Credit	43,505	-806	5,147	-3,015	4,013	-2,333
Non-Food credit	22,29,098	22,196	3,56,429	3,46,705	4,16,975	4,06,282
Loans, Cash-credit and Overdrafts	21,78,110	19,801	3,57,092	3,36,484	4,08,569	3,90,562
Inland Bills- Purchased	11,570	329	-1,360	-4,343	1,821	15
$Discounted^{(6)}$	37,782	515	1,092	6,483	3,499	5,874
Foreign Bills- Purchased	15,053	232	1,789	-1,086	3,099	189
Discounted	30,088	513	2,963	6,151	4,000	7,308
Cash-Deposit Ratio	8.80					
Investment-Deposit Ratio	32.06					
Credit-Deposit Ratio	73.90					

⁽¹⁾ Excluding borrowings of Regional Rural Banks from their sponsor banks. (2) Wherever it has not been possible to identify a liability to the banking system, it has been included in the corresponding items under 'liabilities to others'. (3) Other than from Reserve Bank of India, NABARD and EXIM Bank. (4) In current account and in other account. (5) Investments set out in this Table are for the purpose of SLR and do not include other investments which are given separately in Table No. 5. (6) Excludes bills rediscounted with the Reserve Bank of India.

Figures in brackets denote percentage variation in the relevant period.

Note: Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.

4. Cash Reserve Ratio and Interest Rates

(per cent per annum)

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Item / Week Ended	2007			20	08		
Hem / Week Ended	Mar. 23	Feb. 15	Feb. 22	Feb. 29	Mar. 7	Mar. 14	Mar. 21
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Cash Reserve Ratio (per cent)(1)	6.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	<i>7.</i> 50	7.50	7.50
Bank Rate	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00	6.00
I.D.B.I. ⁽²⁾	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25	10.25
Prime Lending Rate(3)	12.25-12.50	12.75-13.25	12.50-13.25	12.25-13.00	12.25-12.75	12.25-12.75	12.25-12.75
Deposit Rate ⁽⁴⁾	7.50-9.00	8.25-9.00	8.25-9.00	8.25-9.00	8.25-9.00	8.25-9.00	8.25-9.00
Call Money Rate (Low / High)(5)							
- Borrowings	5.00/75.00	4.50/6.94	4.50/8.70	3.50/9.00	5.00/8.25	2.50/9.70	6.00/9.37
- Lendings	5.00/75.00	4.50/6.94	4.50/8.70	3.50/9.00	5.00/8.25	2.50/9.70	6.00/9.37

⁽¹⁾ Cash Reserve Ratio relates to Scheduled Commercial Banks (excluding Regional Rural Banks). (2) Minimum Term Lending Rate (MTLR).

⁽³⁾ Prime Lending Rate relates to five major Banks. (4) Deposit Rate relates to major Banks for term deposits of more than one year maturity.

⁽⁵⁾ Data cover 90-95 per cent of total transactions reported by participants.

5. Accommodation Provided by Scheduled Commercial Banks to Commercial Sector in the form of Bank Credit and Investments in Shares/Debentures/Bonds/Commercial Paper etc.

(Rs. crore)

		2007 - 2008		2006 - 2007				
74	Outstand	ling as on	Variation	Outstand	ing as on	Variation		
Item	2007	2008	(3) - (2)	2006	2007	(6) - (5)		
	Mar. 30	Mar. 14	-	Mar. 31	Mar. 16			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
1. Bank Credit	19,28,913	22,72,603	3,43,690	15,07,077	18,68,653	3,61,576		
			(17.8)			(24.0)		
A. Food Credit	46,521	43,505	-3,015	40,691	45,838	5,147		
B. Non-Food Credit	18,82,392	22,29,098	3,46,705	14,66,386	18,22,816	3,56,429		
			(18.4)			(24.3)		
2. Investments	83,394	93,293	9,899	79,464	79,758	293		
A. Commercial Paper	8,978	12,371	3,394	4,821	7,936	3,115		
B. Shares Issued by (a + b)	18,344	26,748	8,403	12,775	17,730	4,956		
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	2,126	3,008	882	2,274	2,211	-62		
(b) Private Corporate Sector	16,218	23,740	7,522	10,501	15,519	5,018		
C. Bonds/Debentures Issued by $(a + b)$	56,072	54,174	-1,898	61,868	54,091	-7,777		
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	28,472	27,070	-1,402	32,345	28,250	-4,095		
(b) Private Corporate Sector	27,600	27,104	-496	29,523	25,841	-3,682		
3. Total (1B + 2)	19,65,786	23,22,391	3,56,605	15,45,851	19,02,573	3,56,722		

Notes: 1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns.

6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign C	Turrancy			2008			Annual	Appreciation	(+) / Depre	eciation (-) (per cent)
roreign C	unency	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	RBI's	Reference Ra	te (Rs. per Fo	oreign Currer	ıcy)						
U.S. Dolla Euro	ır	40.3400 62.0100	40.1200 62.4100	40.1400 62.5900	40.1500 63.4100	40.1000 63.3100	_ _	_ _	8.10 -7.97		7.58 -9.05
	FEDAI	Indicative Ra	tes (Rs. per l	Foreign Curre	ency)						
U.S. Dollar	{ Buying Selling	40.3400 40.3500	40.1150 40.1250	40.1400 40.1500	40.1400 40.1500	40.0900 40.1000	_ _		8.07 8.07	_	7.58 7.58
Pound Sterling	{ Buying Selling	79.8050 79.8375	79.9050 79.9400	80.3600 80.4000	80.5325 80.5700	80.3325 80.3675	_ _	_ _	5.96 5.95		5.42 5.43
Euro	{ Buying Selling	62.0025 62.0350	62.3750 62.4025	62.5900 62.6150	63.3800 63.4125	63.2700 63.2975	_ _	_ _	-7.98 -7.98	_ _	-9.03 -9.03
100 Yen	{ Buying Selling	40.3550 40.3775	40.0150 40.0325	40.0475 40.0700	40.5200 40.5475	40.1825 40.1975	_ _	_ _	-8.22 -8.22	_ _	-8.57 -8.54
	Inter-Bank Fo	rward Premia	of U.S. Doll	ar (per cent	per annum)					I	
1-month 3-month 6-month		2.83 1.93 1.66	1.94 1.74 1.62	2.62 1.97 1.74	3.89 2.69 2.14	3.89 2.59 2.14					

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

 $^{2.\} Figures\ in\ brackets\ are\ percentage\ variations.$

^{3.} Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.

^{4.} Constituents may not add up to total due to rounding off of figures.

Notes: 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.

7. Money Stock: Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

	Outstandi	ng as on					Variation	over				
					Fin	ancial :	year so far			Year-o	n-year	
Item	2007	2008	Fortni	ght	2006-2007		2007-2	800	2007	7	2008	8
	Mar. 31#	Mar. 14#	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
M_3	33,10,278	38,76,926	11,284	0.3	4,78,915	17.5	5,66,648	17.1	5,81,179	22.1	6,68,466	20.8
Components (i+ii+iii+iv)												
(i) Currency with the Public	4,83,471	5,69,864	15,983	2.9	77,809	18.8	86,393	17.9	71,135	16.9	78,935	16.1
(ii) Demand Deposits with Banks	4,74,228	4,89,541	-16,151	-3.2	8,951	2.2	15,313	3.2	53,169	14.7	74,202	17.9
(iii) Time Deposits with Banks (iv) "Other" Deposits with	23,45,083	28,12,631	11,615	0.4	3,94,273	20.7	4,67,548	19.9	4,57,871	24.9	5,15,188	22.4
Reserve Bank	7,496	4,891	-163	-3.2	-2,118	-30.8	-2,605	-34.8	-996	-17.3	141	3.0
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)												
(i) Net Bank Credit to												
Government (a+b)	8,38,177	8,66,131	10,555	1.2	54,918	7.2	27,954	3.3	46,586	6.0	44,619	5.4
(a) Reserve Bank	5,752	-1,61,454	10,869		-11,515		-1,67,206		-28,214		-1,58,075	
(b) Other Banks	8,32,425	10,27,585	-314	_	66,433	8.8	1,95,160	23.4	74,800	10.0	2,02,694	24.6
(ii) Bank Credit to												
Commercial Sector (a+b)	21,23,362	24,86,010	21,588	0.9	3,74,589	22.1	3,62,648	17.1	4,36,268	26.7	4,18,416	20.2
(a) Reserve Bank	1,537	1,383	-320	-18.8	46	3.3	-154	-10.0	-1	-0.1	-50	-3.5
(b) Other Banks	21,21,825	24,84,626	21,908	0.9	3,74,543	22.1	3,62,802	17.1	4,36,269	26.8	4,18,466	20.3
(iii) Net Foreign Exchange												
Assets of Banking Sector	9,13,179	12,68,106	36,653	3.0	2,01,513	27.7	3,54,926	38.9	2,40,963	35.1	3,40,398	36.7
(iv) Government's Currency												
Liabilities to the Public	8,286	8,851	_	_	-606	-6.9	564	6.8	-548	-6.3	703	8.6
(v) Banking Sector's Net												
Non-Monetary Liabilities												
Other than Time Deposits	5,72,727	7,52,171	57,513	8.3	1,51,499	32.6	1,79,445	31.3	1,42,090	30.0	1,35,671	22.0
of which :												
Net Non-Monetary												
Liabilities of RBI	1,80,348	2,23,002	33,475	17.7	61,020	49.2	42,654	23.7	55,846	43.2	37,982	20.5

8. Reserve Money: Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

	Outstand	ing as on	Variation over										
T4	2007	2008	Week		Fin	ancial	year so far			Year-o	n-year		
Item	2007	2008	week		2006-2007		2007-2008		2007		2008	3	
	Mar. 31#	Mar. 28#	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
Reserve Money	7,09,016	8,68,747	-25,250	-2.8	1,28,694	22.5	1,59,731	22.5	1,28,694	22.5	1,66,997	23.8	
Components (i+ii+iii)													
(i) Currency in Circulation	5,04,225	5,90,906	-2,410	-0.4	74,360	17.3	86,681	17.2	74,360	17.3	85,870	17.0	
(ii) Bankers' Deposits with RBI	1,97,295	2,72,526	-23,204	-7.8	55,819	41.2	75,230	38.1	55,819	41.2	81,195	42.4	
(iii) "Other" Deposits with RBI	7,496	5,315	364	7.3	-1,485	-21.6	-2,181	-29.1	-1,485	-21.6	-68	-1.3	
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)													
(i) Net RBI Credit to Government	5,752	-1,68,235	-29,216		-10,938		-1,73,987		-10,938		-1,65,433		
of which : to Centre	2,136	-1,68,194	-29,848		-7,920		-1,70,330		-7,920		-1,65,433		
(ii) RBI Credit to Banks &													
Comm. Sector	9,173	5,879	-2,695		1,925		-3,294		1,925		-3,229		
o/w : to Banks													
(includes NABARD)	7,635	4,000	-2,269		1,775		-3,635		1,775		-3,570		
(iii) Net Foreign Exchange													
Assets of RBI	8,66,153	12,37,716	7,723	0.6	1,93,170	28.7	3,71,563	42.9	1,93,170	28.7	3,71,563	42.9	
(iv) Government's Currency													
Liabilities to the Public	8,286	8,851	_	_	-493	-5.6	564	6.8	-493	-5.6	590	7.1	
(v) Net Non-Monetary													
Liabilities of RBI	1,80,348	2,15,464	1,063	0.5	54,969	44.3	35,116	19.5	54,969	44.3	36,494	20.4	

9. Repo/Reverse Repo Auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility

(Rs. crore)

	Repo	REPO (INJECTION)						REVERS	E REPO (A	BSORPTIO	N)	Net Injection(+)/	
LAF	period	Bids Re	eceived	Bids A	ccepted	Cut-Off	Bids Received		Bids A	ccepted	Cut-Off	Absorption(-) of	Outstanding
Date	(Day(s))	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Rate(%)	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Rate(%)	Liquidity (6-11)	Amount @
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Mar. 24, 2008	1	20	26,785	20	26,785	7.75	_	_	_	_	_	26,785	-26,785
Mar. 25, 2008	1	3	3,975	3	3,975	7.75	4	1,580	4	1,580	6.00	2,395	-2,395
Mar. 26, 2008	1	5	8,025	5	8,025	7.75	_	_	_	_	_	8,025	-8,025
Mar. 27, 2008	1	3	2,800	3	2,800	7.75	1	200	1	200	6.00	2,600	-2,600
Mar. 28, 2008	3	11	20,585	11	20,585	7.75	2	60	2	60	6.00	20,525	-20,525

^{@ :} Net of overnight repo.

10. Auctions of Government of India Treasury Bills (TBs)

(Rs. crore)

Date	of	Date of	Notified	I I	ids Receive	d	Bids Accepted		Devol-	Total	Weigh-	Implicit	Amount	
Aucti	ion	Issue	Amount	Number	Total Fa	ce Value	Number	Total Fa	ce Value	vement	Issue	ted	Yield at	Outstanding
					Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive	Number	Com- petitive	Non- Com- petitive	on RBI	(8+9+10)	Average Price	Cut-off Price (per cent)	as on the Date of Issue (Face Value)
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
						91	l-Day Tro	easury B	ills					
2007-	2008													
Jul.	4	Jul. 6	500	106	6,246	7,100	22	500	7,100	_	7,600	98.50	6.1908	70,356
Oct.	3	Oct. 5	3,500	94	5,383	4,000	80	3,500	4,000	_	7,500	98.28	7.1443	59,853
Jan.	2	Jan. 4	500	71	3,411	1,000	7	500	1,000	_	1,500	98.28	7.0196	38,498
Mar.	26	Mar. 28	500	62	1,833	7,040	9	500	7,040	_	7,540	98.23	7.2274	39,957
						18	2-Day Tr	easury l	Bills					
2007-	2008													
Jul.	11	Jul. 13	1,500	78	4,006	_	30	1,500	_	_	1,500	97.10	6.0535	23,301
Oct.	3	Oct. 5	2,500	71	4,990	_	48	2,500	_	_	2,500	96.51	7.3169	31,141
Jan.	9	Jan. 11	1,500	62	3,102	_	29	1,500	_	_	1,500	96.55	7.2308	22,880
Mar.	19	Mar. 24	500	42	2,340	1,200	6	500	1,200	_	1,700	96.47	7.3600	16,785
						36	4-Day Tr	easury l	Bills					
2007-	2008													
Jul.	4	Jul. 6	1,000	93	6,255	_	20	1,000	_	_	1,000	93.41	7.1663	55,325
Oct.	10	Oct. 12	3,000	154	11,232	_	31	3,000	_	_	3,000	93.19	7.3739	58,301
Jan.	2	Jan. 4	1,000	98	6,415	_	8	1,000	_	_	1,000	93.16	7.3855	58,034
Mar.	26	Mar. 28	1,000	79	5,573	_	5	1,000	_	_	1,000	93.18	7.3508	57,205

Notes: 1. For 91-day TBs, Uniform Price Auction was introduced from November 6, 1998. The format of auction has been changed to Multiple Price Auction from December 11, 2002.

11. Cumulative Cash Balances of Scheduled Commercial Banks (excluding Regional Rural Banks) with Reserve Bank of India

(Rs. crore)

Fortnight Ended		Date												
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Mar. 14,	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Mar. 3	Mar. 4	Mar. 5	Mar. 6	Mar. 7	Mar. 8	Mar. 9	Mar. 10	Mar. 11	Mar. 12	Mar. 13	Mar. 14
2008	2,56,453	5,12,906	7,76,264	10,41,060	13,07,429	15,74,001	18,39,263	21,02,049	23,64,834	25,91,668	28,14,234	30,52,892	32,79,832	35,29,974
Mar. 28,	Mar. 15	Mar. 16	Mar. 17	Mar. 18	Mar. 19	Mar. 20	Mar. 21	Mar. 22	Mar. 23	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28
2008	2,52,774	5,05,548	7,90,056	10,52,446	13,31,249	16,11,557	18,91,426	21,70,705	24,49,984	27,03,796	29,32,717	31,71,033	34,04,642	36,60,655

Note: Figures are the scheduled commercial banks' aggregate cash balances maintained with RBI on a cumulative basis during the fortnight.

12. Certificates of Deposit Issued by Scheduled Commercial Banks

(Rs. crore)

Fortnight Ended	Total Amount Outstanding #	Issued During the Fortnight #	Rate of Interest (per cent)@
1	2	3	4
Apr. 13, 2007	93,807	2,539	9.50 — 11.50
Jul. 6, 2007	1,02,992	4,186	6.25 — 9.69
Oct. 12, 2007	1,22,142	9,398	6.87 — 10.00
Jan. 4, 2008	1,27,154	9,453	6.87 — 9.82
Feb. 15, 2008	1,35,097	7,144	6.83 — 9.75
Feb. 29, 2008	1,39,160	7,596	9.22 — 10.27

② : Effective interest rate range per annum.

^{&#}x27;—': No bid was received in the auction.

^{2.} Effective from auction dated June 2, 1999, non-competitive bids have been allowed in the case of 364-day TBs.

^{3.} The presentation of implicit yield at cut-off price has been changed from actual/364 day count convention to actual/365 day count convention from auction dated October 27. 2004.

13. Commercial Paper Issued by Companies (At face value)

(Rs. crore)

Fortni	ght Ended	Total Amount Outstanding	Reported During the Fortnight	Rate of Interest (per cent)@
1		2	3	4
Apr.	15, 2007	19,013	1,952	10.00 — 14.00
Jul.	15, 2007	28,129	4,200	4.00 — 11.50
Oct.	15, 2007	38,495	6,977	7.00 — 13.00
Jan.	15, 2008	42,392	5,589	7.35 — 12.50
Feb.	15, 2008	43,970	3,036	6.95 — 11.00
Feb.	29, 2008	40,642	3,509	7.40 — 11.00

 $^{@\ :}$ Typical effective discount rate range per annum on issues during the fortnight.

14. Index Numbers of Wholesale Prices (Base: 1993 - 94 = 100)

		2007 2008			Percentage Variation over				
Items / Week Ended	Weight	Mar. 17	Jan. 19*	Mar. 15 #	Week	Month	End March	Year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
ALL COMMODITIES	100.00	209.6	218.2	223.6	0.8	2.2	6.3	6.7	
Primary Articles	22.02	213.9	224.4	230.5	0.3	2.3	6.8	7.8	
(i) Fruits and Vegetables	2.92	221.6	220.9	230.7	1.1	5.3	4.1	4.1	
Fuel, Power, Light and Lubricants	14.23	320.0	334.8	341.0	1.0	1.2	6.5	6.6	
Manufactured Products	63.75	183.5	190.0	195.0	0.9	2.5	6.0	6.3	
(i) Sugar, Khandsari and Gur	3.93	164.5	151.5	153.2	0.1	0.6	-6.5	-6.9	
(ii) Edible Oils	2.76	163.4	184.4	194.5	0.7	7.2	19.0	19.0	
(iii) Cement	1.73	211.7	221.3	221.2	_	_	5.1	4.5	
(iv) Iron & Steel	3.64	262.1	280.1	332.5	5.3	17.1	26.5	26.9	

^{* :} Latest available final figures.

Source : Office of the Economic Adviser, Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India.

15. BSE Sensitive Index and NSE Nifty Index of Ordinary Share Prices - Mumbai

	2007			2008		
	Mar. 28	Mar. 24	Mar. 25	Mar. 26	Mar. 27	Mar. 28
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
BSE SENSEX (1978-79=100)	12884.34	15289.40	16217.49	16086.83	16015.56	16371.29
S & P CNX NIFTY (3.11.1995=1000)	3761.10	4609.85	4877.50	4828.85	4830.25	4942.00

16. Average Daily Turnover in Call Money Market*

(Rs. crore)

			Week Ended									
		Feb. 15, 2008	Feb. 22, 2008	Feb. 29, 2008	Mar. 7, 2008	Mar. 14, 2008	Mar. 21, 2008	Mar. 28, 2008				
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8				
1.	Banks											
	(a) Borrowings	8,699	9,762	9,874	9,099	7,887	12,199	14,534				
	(b) Lendings	10,012	10,876	10,589	10,095	9,280	12,899	15,779				
2.	Primary Dealers											
	(a) Borrowings	1,333	1,135	728	1,011	1,394	700	1,245				
	(b) Lendings	20	21	12	15	_	_	_				
3.	Total											
	(a) Borrowings	10,032	10,898	10,601	10,110	9,281	12,899	15,779				
	(b) Lendings	10,032	10,898	10,601	10,110	9,281	12,899	15,779				

Notes: 1. Data are the average of daily call money turnover for the week (Saturday to Friday).

17. Turnover in Government Securities Market (Face Value)@

(Rs. crore)

		Week Ended								
Ite	ms	Feb. 22, 2008	Feb. 29, 2008	Mar. 7, 2008	Mar. 14, 2008	Mar. 21, 2008	Mar. 28, 2008			
1		2	3	4	5	6	7			
I.	Outright Transactions									
	(a) Govt. of India Dated Securities	73,039	70,870	56,095	50,021	18,076	48,377			
	(b) State Government Securities	1,724	1,174	162	718	170	913			
	(c) 91 – Day Treasury Bills	453	447	670	728	130	1,365			
	(d) 182 – Day Treasury Bills	604	298	274	284	382	1,116			
	(e) 364 - Day Treasury Bills	2,831	1,359	1,829	3,251	987	2,102			
II.	RBI*	201	2,690	2,135	870	55	369			

^{@ :} Excluding Repo Transactions.

st: Data cover 90-95 per cent of total transactions reported by participants.

^{2.} Since August 6, 2005 eligible participants are Banks and Primary Dealers.

 $[\]boldsymbol{*}\,: \mathtt{RBI's}$ sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.

18. Turnover in Foreign Exchange Market

(US \$ Million)

	Merchant						Inter-bank						
		FCY / INR			FCY / FCY			FCY / INR			FCY / FCY		
Position Date	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Forward	Forward Cancel- lation	Spot	Swap	Forward	Spot	Swap	Forward	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
Purchases													
Mar. 10, 2008	2,432	1,307	568	644	1,128	1,121	5,419	7,750	446	4,896	2,535	232	
Mar. 11, 2008	2,614	907	453	679	966	810	4,035	6,411	428	6,021	1,537	89	
Mar. 12, 2008	2,291	1,310	587	479	1,146	874	4,328	7,278	699	5,184	2,460	179	
Mar. 13, 2008	2,350	1,114	731	798	1,495	1,163	5,236	7,139	765	6,062	2,017	281	
Mar. 14, 2008	2,803	942	602	588	736	599	5,207	7,989	791	4,607	1,717	148	
Sales													
Mar. 10, 2008	2,460	1,250	670	624	1,095	1,264	5,287	7,241	689	4,735	2,477	213	
Mar. 11, 2008	2,252	1,099	525	682	971	835	4,172	6,003	421	5,934	1,582	80	
Mar. 12, 2008	2,318	1,306	541	540	1,082	932	4,217	8,248	619	5,054	2,277	191	
Mar. 13, 2008	2,249	1,550	569	712	1,338	1,360	4,943	6,694	1,075	6,096	2,000	142	
Mar. 14, 2008	2,067	1,904	575	628	666	733	4,940	9,012	970	4,370	1,711	206	

FCY : Foreign Currency.

INR: Indian Rupees.

Note: Data relate to purchases and sales of foreign exchange on account of merchant and inter-bank transactions.

19. Weekly Traded Volume in Corporate Debt at NSE

(Rs. crore)

		Week Ended									
	Feb. 22, 2008 Feb. 29, 2008 Mar. 7, 2008 Mar. 14, 2008 Mar. 19, 2008 Mar. 28, 2008										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7					
Amount	72.99 89.53 26.65 55.55 164.75 162.27										

 $\textbf{Note} \ : \ \text{With effect from October 8, 2005, trading in securities on WDM segment will not be available on Saturdays.}$

Source: National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.

20. Government of India: Treasury Bills Outstanding (Face Value)

(Rs. crore)

			Variation in Total Treasury Bills				
Holders	Tr	easury Bills of D	ifferent Maturitio				
	14 Day 91 Day 182 Day 364 Day (Intermediate) (Auction) (Auction) (Auction)		Total (2+3+4+5)	Over the Week	Over End March		
1	2	2 3 4 5			6	7	8
Reserve Bank of India	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Banks	_	6,057	6,547	25,539	38,143	-5,656	-13,979
State Governments	76,634	23,825	2,680	2,981	1,06,120	14,131	32,716
Others	535	10,075	7,558	28,685	46,853	5,657	16,578

21. Government of India: Long and Medium Term Borrowings

(Devolvement/Private Placement on RBI and OMO Sales/Purchases)

(Face Value in Rs. crore)

	(Gross Amount Raise	d	Net Amount Raised				
	2007-2008 (Upto Mar. 28, 2008)	2006-2007 (Upto Mar. 30, 2007)	2006-2007	2007-2008 (Upto Mar. 28, 2008)	2006-2007 (Upto Mar. 30, 2007)	2006-2007		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7		
1. Total of which : 1.1 Devolvement/Private	1,56,000	1,46,000	1,46,000	1,10,671	1,06,921	1,06,921		
Placement on RBI	_	_	_					
2. RBI's OMO Sales	7,266	5,845	5,845					
Purchases	13,510	720	720					

22. Secondary Market Transactions in Government Securities (Face Value)@

(Amount in Rs. crore)

	For the	Week Ended Mar	. 21, 2008	For the	Week Ended Mar	. 28, 2008	
Item	Amount	YTM (%PA)	Indicative**	Amount	YTM (%PA) Indicative**		
		Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum 7	
1	2	3	4	5	6		
I. Outright Transactions							
1. Govt. of India Dated Securities							
Maturing in the year							
2007-08	_	_	_	_	_	_	
2008-09	132	8.2000	8.2500	250	7.1831	8.0600	
2009-10	994	7.4655	7.5339	6,590	7.3479	7.5757	
2010-11	204	7.4777	7.5247	605	7.4700	7.5819	
2011-12	615	7.5083	8.5579	15	7.5217	7.6218	
2012-13	53	7.5396	7.5396	756	7.4689	8.6512	
2013-16	267	7.5159	7.7287	976	7.5276	7.8747	
2016-17	12	7.5945	7.7033	15	7.7586	7.8084	
Beyond 2017	6,761	7.5425	8.5800	14,982	7.5738	8.8054	
2. State Government Securities	85	8.1966	8.2261	457	7.6508	8.6794	
3. Treasury Bills (Residual Maturity in Days)							
(a) Upto 14 Days	130	2.8355	7.5015	149	6.5979	7.0495	
(b) 15 - 91 Days	260	6.9601	7.1501	1,193	6.0008	7.3001	
(c) 92 - 182 Days	171	7.2400	7.3800	528	7.1799	7.4500	
(d) 183 - 364 Days	188	6.7800	7.3601	421	6.7800	7.5500	
II. RBI* : Sales	55			369			
: Purchase	_			_			
III. Repo Transactions № (Other than with RBI)							
-	Amount	Rates (%PA)	Rates (%PA)	Amount	Rates (%PA)	Rates (%PA)	
		Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum	
1. Govt. of India Dated Securities	36,156	5.00 (1)	10.00 (6)	63,019	4.20 (1)	9.50 (11)	
2. State Govt. Securities	2,999	6.75 (1)	8.25 (6)	5,383	5.90 (1)	7.85 (3)	
3. 91 Day Treasury Bills	10	7.00 (1)	7.00 (1)	1,111	6.85 (1)	7.71 (3)	
4. 182 Day Treasury Bills	420	7.65 (1)	8.00 (5)	225	6.95 (1)	7.80 (3)	
5. 364 Day Treasury Bills	1,709	7.75 (1)	7.90 (5)	4,620	5.00 (1)	7.80 (3)	
IV. RBI: Repo ♥^	1,04,605	_	7.75	62,170	_	7.75	
: Reverse Repo!	255	_	6.00	1,840	_	6.00	

 $^{@:} As \ reported \ in \ Subsidiary \ General \ Ledger \ Accounts \ at \ RBI, \ including \ 'When \ Issued' \ transactions.$

Note: Figures in brackets indicate Repo Period.

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^{*:} RBI's sales and purchases include transactions in other offices also.

^{**:} Minimum and maximum YTMs (% PA) indicative have been given excluding transactions of Non-standard lot size (Less than Rs.5 crore).

^{₩:} Represent the first leg of transactions.

^{^ :} Data relate to Repo auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility effective from June 5, 2000 (See Table 9).

^{!:} Includes Reverse Repo auctions under Liquidity Adjustment Facility.