2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	Variation over									
	As on August 27, 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 of which:	1,43,634	33,032	-861	-163	5,629	542	15,780	2,976	26,080	5,527
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	1,32,104	30,369	-861	-163	6,692	847	17,411	3,411	27,510	5,909
(b) Gold	11,491	2,654	_	_	-1,068	-306	-1,317	-361	-1,410	-377
(c) SDRs	39	9	_		5	1	-314	-74	-20	-5

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.