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1. Reserve Bank of India - Liabilities and Assets

(Rs.crore)					
Item	2007	2008		Variation	
	April. 13	April. 4	April 11#	Week	Year
1	2	3	4	5	6
Loans and advances					
Central Government	—	—	—	—	—
State Governments	220	131	960	830	740

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

Item	As on April. 11, 2008		Variation over				Year			
			Week		End-March 2008		End-December 2007			
	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	12,47,621	312,367	1,016	482	9,656	2,644	1,62,601	37,051	3,79,028	109,275
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	12,05,468	301,820	797	426*	9,445	2,590	1,54,983	35,267	3,68,431	105,976
(b) Gold	40,124	10,039	—	—	—	—	7,305	1,711	10,551	3,255
(c) SDRs	74	18	—	—	—	—	61	15	66	16
(d) Reserve position in the IMF**	1,955	490	219	56	211	54	252	58	-20	28

* : 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)						
Item	Outstanding	Variation over				
	as on 2008	Fortnight	Financial year so far		Year-on-year	
	Mar. 28#		2006-2007	2007-2008	2007	2008
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Liabilities to Others						
Aggregate deposits	31,92,141	1,16,917	5,02,885	5,80,208	5,02,885	5,80,208
			(3.8)	(23.8)	(22.2)	(22.2)
Demand	5,16,731	74,010	65,091	87,000	65,091	87,000
Time	26,75,411	42,907	4,37,794	4,93,208	4,37,794	4,93,208
Bank Credit	23,48,493	75,891	4,24,112	4,17,304	4,24,112	4,17,304
			(3.3)	(28.1)	(21.6)	(21.6)
Food Credit	44,399	894	5,830	-2,121	5,830	-2,121
Non-food credit	23,04,094	74,997	4,18,282	4,19,426	4,18,282	4,19,426

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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)						
Item	2007 – 2008			2006 – 2007		
	Outstanding as on 2007	Outstanding as on 2008	Variation (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on 2006	Outstanding as on 2007	Variation (6) - (5)
	Mar. 30	Mar. 28		Mar. 31	Mar. 30	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
3. Total (1B + 2)	19,68,214	23,99,470	4,31,256	15,45,851	19,68,214	4,22,363

Notes :

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

7. Money Stock: Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)												
Item	Outstanding As on		Fortnight		Variation over				Year-on-year			
	2007	2008			Financial year so far		2007-2008		2007		2008	
	Mar. 31#	Mar. 28#	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
M ₃	33,16,093	39,98,887	1,21,615	3.1	5,82,228	21.3	6,82,794	20.6	5,82,228	21.3	6,87,114	20.7
Components (i+ii+iii+iv)												
(i) Currency with the Public	4,82,906	5,68,224	-2,017	-0.4	70,918	17.2	85,318	17.7	70,918	17.2	84,187	17.4
(ii) Demand deposits with banks	4,75,687	5,66,829	77,288	15.8	68,957	17.0	91,142	19.2	68,957	17.0	91,484	19.2
(iii) Time deposits with banks @	23,50,004	28,58,550	45,919	1.6	4,43,838	23.3	5,08,546	21.6	4,43,838	23.3	5,11,542	21.8
(iv) "Other" deposits with Reserve Bank	7,496	5,284	424	8.7	-1,485	-21.6	-2,212	-29.5	-1485	-21.6	-100	-1.8
Sources (i+ii+iii+iv-v)												
(i) Net Bank credit to Government (a+b)	8,37,564	8,46,914	-19,217	-2.2	61,974	8.1	9,350	1.1	61,974	8.1	18,346	2.2
(a) Reserve Bank	5,752	-1,68,235	-6,782		-10,938		-1,73,987		-10,938		-1,65,433	
(b) Other Banks	8,31,812	10,15,150	-12,435	-1.2	72,912	9.6	1,83,338	22.0	72,912	9.6	1,83,779	22.1
(ii) Bank credit to commercial sector (a+b)	21,30,078	25,62,742	76,733	3.1	4,38,101	25.9	4,32,664	20.3	4,38,101	25.9	4,31,637	20.3
(a) Reserve Bank	1,537	1,879	495	35.8	150	10.8	342	22.2	150	10.8	342	22.2
(b) Other Banks	21,28,541	25,60,863	76,237	3.1	4,37,951	25.9	4,32,323	20.3	4,37,951	25.9	4,31,296	20.3

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

(Amount in Rs. crore)						
Item	For the Week Ended April. 4, 2008			For the Week Ended April. 11, 2008		
	Amount	YTM (%PA) Indicative**		Amount	YTM (%PA) Indicative**	
		Minimum	Maximum		Minimum	Maximum
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
II. RBI* : Sales	66			405		
: Purchase	—			390		

@ : As reported in Subsidiary General Ledger Accounts at RBI, including 'When Issued' transactions.

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

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

Note: Figures in brackets indicate Repo Period.

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