

Table 171 : Monthly Open Market Operations of Reserve Bank of India *

(Rupees crore)

Month end	Dated Securities			Treasury Bills		
	Purchase	Sale	Net Purchases(+)/ Net Sales(-)	Purchase	Sale	Net Purchases(+)/ Net Sales(-)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1995-96						
April	0.01	624.07	-624.06	0	0	0
May	0	13.22	-13.22	0	0	0
June	110	11.62	98.38	0	0	0
July	64.75	51.94	12.81	0	0	0
August	80	446.92	-366.92	0	0	0
September	55.01	35.94	19.06	0	0	0
October	5	2.3	2.7	0	0	0
November	475.1	6.66	468.44	0	0	0
December	0	18.14	-18.14	0	0	0
January	0	51.53	-51.53	0	0	0
February	15	47.95	-32.95	0	0	0
March	108	132.87	-24.87	0	0	0
1996-97						
April	0	1172.19	-1172.19	0	0	0
May	101	24.33	76.67	0	0	0
June	226.95	6.68	220.26	0	0	0
July	205	376.6	-171.6	0	0	0
August	10	330.76	-320.76	0	0	0
September	79.23	29.82	49.41	0	0	0
October	1	1614.66	-1613.66	0	0	0
November	0	1243.8	-1243.8	0	0	0
December	0	1084.32	-1084.32	0	0	0
January	0	1519.72	-1519.72	0	0	0
February	0	1410.31	-1410.31	0	0	0
March	0	2392.72	-2392.72	0	0	0
1997-98						
April	0	1822.23	-1822.23	0	0	0
May	0	65.32	-65.32	0	0	0
June	0	68.5	-68.2	0	0	0
July	0	102.7	-102.7	0	0	0
August	0	2.85	-2.85	0	0	0
September	0	1.81	-1.81	0	0	0
October	0	979.99	-979.99	0	0	0
November	0	506.59	-506.59	0	0	0
December	466.5	43.13	423.37	0	0	0
January	0	24.75	-24.75	0	0	0
February	0	2.71	-2.71	0	0	0
March	0	4460.16	-4460.16	0	0	0
1998-99						
April	0	214.69	-214.69	0	0	0
May	0	33.94	-33.94	0	0	0
June	0	13.12	-13.12	0	0	0
July	0	1442.24	-1442.24	0	0	0
August	0	6901.69	-6901.69	0	0	0

September	0	689.52	-689.52	0	0	0
October	0	2.65	-2.65	0	1072	-1072
November	0	4353.92	-4353.92	0	2158	-2158
December	0	1492.71	-1492.71	0	0	0
January	0	5091.97	-5091.97	0	0	0
February	0	2779.65	-2779.65	0	0	0
March	0	3332.22	-3332.22	0	90	-90

1999-00

April	0	7020.89	-7020.89	0	0	0
May	0	7832.03	-7832.03	0	0	0
June	0	3709.52	-3709.52	0	75	-75
July	50	57.8	-7.8	0	971.91	-971.91
August	0	4840.49	-4840.49	0	135	-135
September	0	1187.44	-1187.44	0	0	0
October	0	56.22	-56.22	2140.5	0	2140.5
November	0	3500.35	-3500.35	0	10	-10
December	0	0	0	0	0	0
January	0	69.71	-69.71	0	0	0
February	1194	8330.11	-7136.11	866	0	866
March	0	8.95	-8.95	2694	0	2694

2000-01

April	0	40.55	-40.55	5	0	5
May	0	1176.69	-1176.69	0	302	-302
June	0	310.36	-310.36	0	200	-200
July	1648	7262.14	-5614.14	0	685	-685
August	2823.05	239.53	2583.52	0	1492	-1492
September	0	1334.93	-1334.93	0	0	0
October	0	66.15	-66.15	0	0	0
November	0	11565.4	-11565.4	0	0	0
December	0	1671.38	-1671.38	0	0	0
January	0	86.51	-86.51	0	0	0
February	0	1.8	-1.8	0	0	0
March	0	39.66	-39.66	0	0	0

2001-02

April	0	5064.35	-5064.35	0	0	0
May	0	27.27	-27.27	0	0	0
June	0	5837.11	-5837.11	0	0	0
July	0	5091.52	-5091.52	0	0	0
August	0	10263.03	-10263.03	0	0	0
September	4968	1063.1	3904.9	0	0	0
October	116	32.97	83.03	0	0	0
November	0	26.14	-26.14	0	0	0
December	0	7865.02	-7865.02	0	0	0
January	0	83.85	-83.85	0	0	0
February	0	27.38	-27.38	0	0	0
March	0	36.85	-36.85	0	0	0

2002-2003

April	0	5306.66	-5306.66	0	0	0
May	0	1520.36	-1520.36	0	0	0
June	0	179.08	-179.08	0	0	0
July	0	6515.45	-6515.45	0	0	0
August	0	7111.12	-7111.12	0	0	0

September	0	6191.77	-6191.77	0	0	0
October	0	43.36	-43.36	0	0	0
November	0	10967.81	-10967.81	0	0	0
December	0	4512.3	-4512.3	0	0	0

* : Excluding transactions of RBI with the Government of India and the Welfare Co mmissioner, Bhopal.