

2. Foreign Exchange Reserves

<i>Item</i>	As on Jun. 1, 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.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Total Reserves	8,44,877	208,373	12,355	3,439	-23,345	9,194	60,895	31,122	85,063	43,844
(a) Foreign Currency Assets	8,14,862	201,002	13,262	3,564*	-21,735	9,078	62,124	30,815	91,202	44,264
(b) Gold	28,147	6,911	-904	-125	-1,426	127	-677	394	-4,402	-99
(c) SDRs	6	1	—	—	-2	-1	2	—	4	—
(d) Reserve Position in the IMF**	1,862	459	-3	—	-182	-10	-554	-87	-1,741	-321

* : 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.