

Table 5.1 B. Foreign Exchange Reserves

(US\$ million)

End of Fiscal	Reserves					Drawals	Repurchases	Outstanding repurchase obligations
	Gold	RTP	SDRs	Foreign Currency Assets	Total (2+3+4+5)			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1950-51	247	...	...	1914	2161	...	...	100
1951-52	247	...	...	1568	1815	...	...	100
1952-53	247	...	...	1603	1850	...	...	100
1953-54	247	...	...	1664	1911	...	36	64
1954-55	247	...	...	1626	1873	...	36	28
1955-56	247	...	...	1648	1895	...	15	13
1956-57	247	...	...	1184	1431	126	12	128
1957-58	247	...	...	637	884	72	...	200
1958-59	247	...	...	548	795	...	...	200
1959-60	247	...	...	515	762	...	50	150
1960-61	247	...	...	390	637	...	23	128
1961-62	247	...	...	377	624	249	127	250
1962-63	247	...	...	372	619	25	...	275
1963-64	247	...	...	395	642	...	50	225
1964-65	281	...	...	243	524	99	100	225
1965-66	243	...	...	383	626	137	75	288
1966-67	243	...	...	395	638	126	57	418
1967-68	243	...	...	475	718	89	58	450
1968-69	243	...	...	526	769	...	78	372
1969-70	243	...	123	728	1094	...	167	205
1970-71	243	...	148	584	975	...	205	...
1971-72	264	...	269	661	1194	...	...	...
1972-73	293	...	297	629	1219	...	...	...
1973-74	293	...	296	736	1325	79	...	75
1974-75	304	...	293	782	1379	608	...	715
1975-76	281	...	234	1657	2172	239	...	896
1976-77	290	...	217	3240	3747	...	336	559
1977-78	319	...	200	5305	5824	...	333	249
1978-79	377	...	470	6421	7268	...	256	...
1979-80	375	...	662	6324	7361	...	145	...
1980-81	370	...	603	5850	6823	342	16	327
1981-82	335	...	473	3582	4390	692	40	964
1982-83	324	...	291	4281	4896	1968	...	2876
1983-84	320	...	230	5099	5649	1376	70	4150
1984-85	325	...	145	5482	5952	201	134	3932
1985-86	417	...	131	5972	6520	...	209	4290
1986-87	471	...	179	5924	6574	...	521	4291
1987-88	508	...	97	5618	6223	...	930	3653
1988-89	473	...	103	4226	4802	...	1070	2365
1989-90	487	...	107	3368	3962	...	873	1493
1990-91	3496	...	102	2236	5834	1858	644	2623
1991-92	3499	...	90	5631	9220	1240	460	3451
1992-93	3380	...	18	6434	9832	1623	335	4799
1993-94	4078	...	108	15068	19254	325	134	5040

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1994-95	4370	...	7	20809	25186	...	1146	4300
1995-96	4561	...	82	17044	21687	...	1710	2374
1996-97	4054	...	2	22367	26423	...	977	1313
1997-98	3391	...	1	25975	29367	...	615	664
1998-99	2960	...	8	29522	32490	...	102	287
1999-2000	2974	...	4	35058	38036	...	...	...
2000-01	2725	...	2	39554	42281	...	...	...
2001-02	3047	...	10	51049	54106	...	...	...
2002-03	3534	672	4	71890	76100	...	...	...
2003-04	4198	1311	2	107448	112959	...	561	...
2004-05	4500	1438	5	135571	141514	...	93	...
2005-06	5755	756	3	145108	151622	670	51	...
2006-07	6784	469	2	191924	199179	303	...	...
2007-08	10039	436	18	299230	309723	74	...	...
2008-09	9577	981	1	241426	251985	86	612	...
2009-10	17986	1380	5006	254685	279057	...	461	...
2010-11	22972	2947	4569	274330	304818	36	353	...
2011-12	27023	2836	4469	260069	294397	...	275	...
2012-13	25692	2301	4328	259726	292046	9	310	...
2013-14	21567	1834	4464	276359	304223	767	298	...
2014-15	19038	1292	3985	317324	341638	1705	105	...
2015-16	20115	2456	1502	336104	360176	229	...	...
2016-17	19869	2321	1446	346319	369955	299	...	...
2017-18	21484	2079	1540	399442	424545	544	...	...
2018-19	23071	2986	1457	385357	412871	177	1006	...
2019-20	30578	3583	1433	442213	477807	162	733	...
2020-21	33880	4925	1486	536693	576984	291	1318	...
2021-22	42551	5143	18891	540724	607309	69	363	...
2022-23	45200	5165	18392	509691	578449	84	206	...
2023-24	52675	4662	18132	570950	646419	756	302	...

Source: Reserve Bank of India. SDRs: Special Drawing Rights, RTP: Reserve Tranche Position in IMF, -----: Nil or Negligible.

Notes:

- Figures after 1965-66 are not comparable with those of the earlier years owing to devaluation of the Rupee in June 1966.
- Also figures for July 1991 onwards are not comparable with those of earlier periods due to the downward adjustment of the Rupee effected on July 1, 1991 and July 3, 1991.
- Drawals, Repurchase and outstanding repurchase obligations are calculated at the ruling rates of exchange.
- While reserves pertain to end period, repurchases are for the relevant periods.
- Gold is valued at Rs. 53.58 per 10 grams up to May 1966 and at Rs. 84.39 per 10 grams up to September 1990 and closer to international market price w.e.f. October 17, 1990.
- Foreign exchange includes (a) foreign assets of the Reserve Bank of India and (b) Government balances held abroad up to 1955-56.
- Foreign Currency Assets exclude investment in foreign currency denominated bonds issued by IIFC (UK), SDRs transferred by Government of India to RBI and amounts lent under SAARC and ACU currency swap arrangements.
- Totals may not tally due to rounding off.