

## Reservoir Storage Status

8.4 The maximum storage attained in the 70 major reservoirs in the country in 2001 at 87.49 BCM, was higher than the previous year's level of 82.66 BCM, despite lower starting storage. This was because of higher storage built up (70.29 BCM) in 2001 as compared with 60.48 BCM in 2000 (Table 8.4).

<b>TABLE 8.4</b>				
<b>Reservoir Storage Status</b>				
	<b>2000</b>		<b>2001</b>	
	<b>Date</b>	<b>Live Storage (BCM)*</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Live Storage (BCM)*</b>
<b>1. Starting Storage</b>	01.06.2000	22.18	01.06.2001	17.20
<b>2. Maximum Storage Attained</b>	05.10.2000	82.66	25.10.2001	87.49
<b>3. Storage Build Up</b>	–	60.48	–	70.29
<b>4. Designed Live Storage</b>	–	130.60	–	130.60
* Billion Cubic Meters				