

Table 33 : Gross Official International Reserves : August 2004 - August 2005

	Gross Foreign Assets of Bank of Mauritius	Reserve Position in the IMF	Foreign Assets of the Government	Gross Official International Reserves	Gross Official International Reserves ¹
	<i>(Rs million)</i>				<i>(US\$ million)</i>
Aug-04	43,627	912	1.0	44,540.0	1,561.9
Sep-04	44,150	919	0.8	45,069.8	1,577.0
Oct-04	44,142	933	0.7	45,075.7	1,583.9
Nov-04	45,187	957	0.5	46,144.5	1,620.8
Dec-04	45,008	958	1.3	45,967.3	1,629.8
Jan-05	44,381	950	1.2	45,332.2	1,587.0
Feb-05	45,028	967	1.1	45,996.1	1,595.1
Mar-05	44,820	1,003	0.9	45,823.9	1,577.9
Apr-05	44,982	1,009	0.7	45,991.7	1,581.6
May-05	43,672	986	1.6	44,659.6	1,527.8
Jun-05	42,734	980	1.4	43,715.4	1,487.2
Jul-05	42,005	985	1.2	42,991.2	1,449.9
Aug-05	42,305	996	1.2	43,302.2	1,452.3

¹ Valued at end-of-period exchange rate.

Table 34 : Net International Reserves: July 2004 - June 2005

	Bank of Mauritius Net Foreign Assets	Former Category 1 Banks Net Foreign Assets	Others ¹	Net International Reserves	Import Coverage (No. of weeks) ²
	<i>(Rs million)</i>				
Jul-04	43,431	5,132	903	49,466	30.5
Aug-04	43,537	5,578	912	50,027	30.8
Sep-04	43,996	6,293	920	51,209	31.5
Oct-04	44,029	5,812	934	50,775	31.3
Nov-04	45,084	6,904	958	52,946	32.6
Dec-04	44,948	6,917	959	52,824	32.5
Jan-05	44,322	7,401	951	52,674	32.4
Feb-05	44,980	8,033	967	53,980	33.2
Mar-05	44,806	9,027	1,004	54,837	33.8
Apr-05	44,934	8,829	1,010	54,773	33.7
May-05	43,633	9,893	989	54,515	33.6
Jun-05	42,696	9,809	981	53,486	32.9

¹ Comprises Foreign Assets of the Government and the country's Reserve Position in the IMF.

² Based on the value of the import bill for fiscal year 2004-05, exclusive of purchase of aircraft.