



Maintenance of Cash Ratio by Banks

Period Ended	Deposit Base ¹	Average Cash Balances Held for the Period	Required Minimum Cash Balances CRR of (1)	Excess Cash Holdings	Average Cash Ratios
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(2) - (3)	(2) / (1)
(Rs million)					(Per cent)
14-Apr-16	392,107	39,142	33,075	6,067	9.98
31-Mar-16	390,836	40,555	32,957	7,598	10.38
17-Mar-16	391,061	39,738	32,988	6,750	10.16
03-Mar-16	389,582	41,443	32,826	8,618	10.64
18-Feb-16	392,151	40,133	33,029	7,104	10.23
04-Feb-16	391,328	43,969	32,978	10,991	11.24
21-Jan-16	388,882	45,150	32,771	12,379	11.61
07-Jan-16	388,011	40,821	32,622	8,198	10.52
24-Dec-15	385,926	42,432	32,423	10,009	10.99
10-Dec-15	379,613	41,738	31,945	9,793	10.99
26-Nov-15	378,726	40,512	31,911	8,601	10.70
12-Nov-15	379,198	40,841	31,960	8,881	10.77
29-Oct-15	376,516	41,225	31,753	9,471	10.95
15-Oct-15	374,723	39,628	31,630	7,998	10.58
01-Oct-15	375,061	39,866	31,637	8,229	10.63
17-Sep-15	374,694	39,541	31,615	7,926	10.55
03-Sep-15	373,495	37,120	31,503	5,616	9.94
20-Aug-15	373,079	39,921	31,486	8,435	10.70
06-Aug-15	371,015	40,739	31,375	9,364	10.98
23-Jul-15	372,017	43,423	31,452	11,971	11.67
09-Jul-15	367,513	42,622	31,012	11,610	11.60
25-Jun-15	366,822	41,817	30,989	10,827	11.40
11-Jun-15	363,990	43,596	30,762	12,834	11.98
28-May-15	360,839	44,584	30,540	14,044	12.36
14-May-15	360,583	46,626	30,490	16,136	12.93
30-Apr-15	348,557	45,711	29,429	16,282	13.11
16-Apr-15	348,022	45,916	29,373	16,543	13.19
02-Apr-15	358,137	46,355	30,287	16,067	12.94
19-Mar-15	354,718	45,046	30,078	14,968	12.70
05-Mar-15	355,051	42,445	29,986	12,459	11.95
19-Feb-15	355,256	40,447	30,043	10,404	11.39
05-Feb-15	351,327	41,445	29,765	11,680	11.80
22-Jan-15	350,679	39,535	29,727	9,808	11.27
08-Jan-15	346,758	36,350	29,424	6,926	10.48
25-Dec-14	345,778	36,459	29,293	7,166	10.54
11-Dec-14	343,367	34,319	29,110	5,209	9.99
27-Nov-14	343,170	35,526	29,064	6,463	10.35
13-Nov-14	346,382	38,159	29,287	8,872	11.02
30-Oct-14	341,341	39,916	28,854	11,062	11.69
16-Oct-14	340,649	37,729	28,804	8,925	11.08
02-Oct-14	338,665	39,037	28,635	10,403	11.53
18-Sep-14	338,609	39,561	28,679	10,881	11.68
04-Sep-14	340,879	39,365	28,821	10,544	11.55
21-Aug-14	340,717	37,859	28,851	9,008	11.11
07-Aug-14	340,327	38,257	28,789	9,467	11.24
24-Jul-14	341,203	37,138	28,882	8,256	10.88
10-Jul-14	338,116	36,453	28,596	7,857	10.78
26-Jun-14	331,845	38,153	28,168	9,985	11.50
12-Jun-14	329,076	36,714	28,008	8,706	11.16
29-May-14	327,697	39,414	27,855	11,558	12.03
15-May-14	327,827	37,139	27,857	9,281	11.33
01-May-14	325,905	35,896	24,985	10,911	11.01
17-Apr-14	325,543	36,093	24,962	11,131	11.09

¹ The deposit base is lagged by two weeks.

With effect from the maintenance period starting 2 May 2014, the Bank raised the fortnightly average CRR on rupee deposits from 8.0 per cent to 9.0 per cent. The fortnightly average CRR on foreign currency deposits remain unchanged at 6.0 per cent.

The cash balances consist exclusively of balances held by banks with the Bank of Mauritius.

Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.