

**Table 16: Auctions of Treasury Bills: Maturity-wise**

	Sep-01	Oct-01	Nov-01	Dec-01	Jan-02	Feb-02	Mar-02	Apr-02	May-02
	<i>Rs million</i>								
<b>1. Amount of Bills put on Tender</b>	<b>2,600</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>3,850</b>	<b>3,900</b>	<b>6,000</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>5,000</b>
<b>2. Total Bids Received</b>	<b>3,383</b>	<b>2,892</b>	<b>4,980</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>4,775</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>4,752</b>	<b>4,514</b>	<b>4,456</b>
91-day	458	570	852	273	934	1,219	721	533	599
182-day	373	385	660	201	718	807	696	705	569
364-day	1,043	864	861	1,366	1,151	1,104	1,162	1,320	1,215
728-day	1,509	1,074	2,607	1,710	1,972	1,570	2,173	1,956	2,074
<b>3. Total Bills Sold</b>	<b>2,535</b>	<b>2,887</b>	<b>3,637</b>	<b>3,182</b>	<b>4,724</b>	<b>3,372</b>	<b>4,218</b>	<b>4,443</b>	<b>4,004</b>
91-day	418	565	611	263	909	824	604	530	578
182-day	334	385	583	197	718	538	596	705	538
364-day	717	864	525	1,269	1,151	877	1,107	1,315	1,197
728-day	1,066	1,073	1,918	1,453	1,946	1,133	1,912	1,893	1,691
	<i>Per cent per annum</i>								
<b>4. Weighted Average Yield</b>									
91-day	9.40	9.40	9.14	9.13	9.14	9.03	8.99	8.96	8.97
182-day	9.99	9.98	9.75	9.71	9.73	9.68	9.60	9.55	9.54
364-day	10.92	10.97	10.66	10.64	10.63	10.60	10.60	10.61	10.61
728-day	11.68	11.67	11.40	11.39	11.39	11.38	11.37	11.36	11.36
<b>5. Overall Weighted Yield</b>	10.87	10.79	10.65	10.80	10.52	10.33	10.58	10.56	10.55
<b>6. Bank Rate (Simple Average)</b>	10.14	10.36	9.89	10.27	10.04	9.85	9.90	10.09	10.02

*Figures may not add up to totals due to rounding.*