

Table 6
OUTRIGHT PURCHASE AUCTION*

(Rs. in million)

Mid-Month	2004/05		2005/06		2006/07		2007/08	
	Amount	Wtd. Int. Rate (%)	Amount	Wtd. Int. Rate (%)	Amount	Wtd. Int. Rate (%)	Amount	Wtd. Int. Rate (%)
August	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
September	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
October	-	-	530.0	4.99	-	-	-	-
November	49.6	2.43	300.0	3.52	-	-	-	-
December	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
January	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
February	1,072.2	2.29	-	-	-	-	-	-
March	190.0	2.11	-	-	-	-	-	-
April	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
May	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
June	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
July	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1,311.8		830.0		-	-	-	-

Wtd. Int. Rate = Weighted interest rate.

* Since 2004/05, the outright purchase auction of treasury bills has been used as a monetary instrument at the initiative of NRB.