

RBI Reference Rate for US \$
May 16, 2001

The Reserve Bank of India’s Reference Rate for the US dollar is Rs.46.93 on 16.05.2001. Based on the Reference Rate for US dollar and middle rates of the cross currency quotes at 12 noon, the exchange rates of major currencies against the rupee are given below :

<u>Date</u>	<u>CURRENCY</u>			
	<u>1 USD</u>	<u>1 GBP</u>	<u>1 EURO</u>	<u>100 YEN</u>
15 May, 2001	47.0000	66.6813	41.1109	38.12
16 May, 2001	46.9300	66.7251	41.0849	37.9200

Note : The reference rate is based on 12 noon rates of a few select banks in Mumbai. The SDR-Rupee rate will be based on this rate.

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