

**FOREIGN TOURIST ARRIVALS & FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS IN INDIA
DURING 2005 AND CORRESPONDING FIGURES FOR 2003 & 2004**

Month	FOREIGN TOURIST ARRIVAL (Nos.)			PERCENTAGE CHANGE	
	2003	2004 (R)	2005 *	2004/03	2005/04
January	274215	337345	386260	23.0	14.5
February	262692	331697	389081	26.3	17.3
March	218473	293185	367068	34.2	25.2
April	160941	223884	260825	39.1	16.5
May	141508	185502	229651	31.1	23.8
June	176324	223122	258822	26.5	16.0
July	225359	272456	292345	20.9	7.3
August	204940	253301	270779	23.6	6.9
September	191339	226773	252625	18.5	11.4
October	260569	307447	328968	18.0	7.0
November	290583	385238	415287	32.6	7.8
December	319271	417527	463613	30.8	11.0
Total	2726214	3457477	3915324	26.8	13.2

Month	FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS (IN RS.CRORES)			PERCENTAGE CHANGE	
	2003	2004 (R)	2005 *	2004/03	2005/04
January	1505.06	2084.59	2326.20	38.5	11.6
February	1441.82	2049.70	2343.18	42.2	14.3
March	1199.12	1811.71	2210.62	51.1	22.0
April	1153.00	1368.42	1649.96	18.7	20.6
May	1013.79	1133.82	1452.75	11.8	28.1
June	1263.21	1363.76	1637.29	8.0	20.1
July	1488.52	1776.60	2048.78	19.4	15.3
August	1353.66	1651.69	1898.03	22.0	14.9
September	1263.82	1478.71	1764.06	17.0	19.3
October	1421.06	1906.36	2185.34	34.2	14.6
November	1584.74	2388.71	2671.88	50.7	11.9
December	1741.20	2588.93	2984.19	48.7	15.3
Total	16429.00	21603.00	25172.28	31.5	16.5

Month	FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS (IN US\$ MILLION)			PERCENTAGE CHANGE	
	2003	2004 (R)	2005 *	2004/03	2005/04
January	315.10	460.67	532.19	46.2	15.5
February	301.85	452.96	536.07	50.1	18.3
March	251.05	400.37	505.74	59.5	26.3
April	245.06	304.77	378.38	24.4	24.2
May	215.47	252.51	333.15	17.2	31.9
June	268.47	303.72	375.47	13.1	23.6
July	323.73	384.87	470.08	18.9	22.1
August	294.40	357.80	435.49	21.5	21.7
September	274.87	320.33	401.83	16.5	25.4
October	312.23	423.97	497.63	35.8	17.4
November	348.20	531.25	597.5	52.6	12.5
December	382.57	575.78	667.33	50.5	15.9
Total	3533.00	4769.00	5730.86	35.0	20.2

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	2004	2005 *	2006 *	2005/04	2006/05
January	337345	386260	444753	14.5	15.1
February	331697	389081	428325	17.3	10.1
March	293185	367068	407446	25.2	11.0
April	223884	260825	325249	16.5	24.7
May	185502	229172	262860	23.5	14.7
June	223122	258822	286257	16.0	10.6
July	272456	292345	331227	7.3	13.3
Total	1867191	2183573	2486117	16.9	13.9

Month	FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS (IN RS.CRORES)			PERCENTAGE CHANGE	
	2004	2005 *	2006 *	2005/04	2006/05
January	2084.59	2326.20	2722.07	11.6	17.0
February	2049.70	2343.18	2635.98	14.3	12.5
March	1811.71	2210.62	2434.32	22.0	10.1
April	1368.42	1649.96	2127.44	20.6	28.9
May	1133.82	1452.72	1673.91	28.1	15.2
June	1363.76	1637.29	1847.26	20.1	12.8
July	1776.60	2048.78	2308.98	15.3	12.7
Total	11588.60	13668.75	15749.96	17.9	15.2

Month	FOREIGN EXCHANGE EARNINGS (IN US\$ MILLION)			PERCENTAGE CHANGE	
	2004	2005 *	2006 *	2005/04	2006/05
January	460.67	532.19	632.43	15.5	18.8
February	452.96	536.07	594.64	18.3	10.9
March	400.37	505.74	547.17	26.3	8.2
April	304.77	378.38	473.44	24.2	25.1
May	252.51	333.15	368.56	31.9	10.6
June	303.72	375.47	401.23	23.6	6.9
July	384.87	470.08	497.27	22.1	5.8
Total	2559.87	3131.08	3514.74	22.3	12.3

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