

Table 3

**NATIONAL EXPENDITURE ON RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
AT CURRENT AND CONSTANT PRICES**

(Rs. Crores)

Year	National Research and Development Expenditure	
	Current Prices	Constant Prices (Base: 1993-94)
1980-81	760.52	2342.16
1981-82	940.73	2629.71
1982-83	1206.03	3117.54
1983-84	1381.10	3278.64
1984-85	1781.55	3938.63
1985-86	2068.78	4261.14
1986-87	2435.40	4686.81
1987-88	2853.07	5020.23
1988-89	3347.26	5434.51
1989-90	3725.74	5585.80
1990-91	3974.17	5397.24
1991-92	4512.81	5386.79
1992-93	5004.60	5494.78
1993-94	6073.02	6073.02
1994-95	6622.44	6042.53
1995-96	7483.88	6263.44
1996-97	8913.61	6949.70
1997-98	10611.34	7750.76
1998-99	12473.17	8436.26
1999-00	14397.60	9375.10
2000-01	16198.80	10196.28
2001-02	17038.15	10372.09
2002-03	18000.16	10522.57
2003-04 *	19726.99	11198.93

Source : Data collected and compiled by DST.

Note :1. For working out Research and Development Expenditure at Constant Prices, Economic survey 2004-05 has been used.

2. * Estimated