Table B–111. International reserves, selected years, 1982–2010

[Millions of special drawing rights (SDRs); end of period]

Area and country	1982	1992	2002	2007	2008	2009	2010	
							October	November
World [1]	368,041	760,933	1,893,573	4,305,690	4,841,655	5,482,014	6,057,712	6,178,188
Advanced economies [1]	214,025	557,602	1,159,659	1,585,920	1,672,189	1,951,893	2,172,306	2,195,555
United States	29,918	52,995	59,160	46,820	52,396	85,519	88,267	87,304
Japan	22,001	52,937	340,088	603,794	656,178	652,926	691,149	700,171
United Kingdom	11,904	27,300	27,973	31,330	29,142	35,881	42,651	42,964
Canada	3,439	8,662	27,225	25,944	28,426	34,601	37,414	36,982
Euro area (incl. ECB) [1]	.....	.....	195,986	148,714	154,253	192,559	204,594	206,548
Austria	5,544	9,703	7,480	7,079	6,101	5,491	6,327	6,275
Belgium	4,757	10,914	9,010	6,827	6,306	10,403	11,034	10,973
Cyprus	490	764	2,239	3,888	416	524	386	316
Finland	1,420	3,862	6,885	4,525	4,587	6,250	5,265	4,854
France	17,850	22,522	24,268	31,855	24,630	32,487	35,549	37,431
Germany	43,909	69,489	41,516	31,896	31,846	42,059	43,477	43,983
Greece	916	3,606	6,083	526	350	1,118	957	961
Ireland	2,390	2,514	3,989	499	572	1,245	1,237	1,252
Italy	15,108	22,438	23,798	20,721	26,838	31,955	33,690	33,991
Luxembourg	.....	66	114	93	220	469	470	462
Malta	999	927	1,625	2,396	239	340	333	337
Netherlands	10,723	17,492	7,993	7,198	8,140	12,088	13,140	12,800
Portugal	1,179	14,474	8,889	1,226	1,281	1,996	2,889	2,854
Slovak Republic	.....	.....	6,519	11,450	11,631	477	500	502
Slovenia	.....	520	5,143	624	567	620	575	594
Spain	7,450	33,640	25,992	7,582	8,376	11,930	12,646	12,855
Australia	6,053	8,429	15,307	15,764	20,015	24,935	25,189	25,221
China, P.R.: (Hong Kong)	.....	25,589	82,308	96,593	118,468	163,152	169,851	174,315
Czech Republic	.....	.....	17,342	21,878	23,812	26,268	27,759	26,802
Denmark	2,111	8,090	19,924	20,663	26,347	47,464	53,293	47,341
Iceland	133	364	326	1,634	2,284	2,435	2,620	2,969
Israel	3,518	3,729	17,714	18,047	27,601	38,663	44,287	44,748
Korea	2,556	12,463	89,272	165,908	130,607	172,201	186,603	190,171
New Zealand	577	2,239	3,650	10,914	7,175	9,947	10,044	.....
Norway	6,272	8,725	23,579	38,500	33,079	31,166	31,834	.....
San Marino	.....	.....	135	410	459	504	.....	.....
Singapore	7,687	29,048	60,478	103,121	113,092	119,796	140,857	142,561
Sweden	3,397	16,667	12,807	17,281	16,967	27,481	27,949	27,691
Switzerland	16,930	27,100	31,693	29,432	30,426	63,810	143,018	147,411
Taiwan Province of China	7,866	60,333	119,381	171,532	189,864	222,586	244,679	249,043
Emerging and developing economies	124,025	196,245	730,037	2,715,994	3,165,706	3,526,565	3,881,639	3,978,890
By area:								
Developing Asia	44,490	63,596	368,403	1,355,157	1,654,381	1,973,094	2,188,197	2,250,984
China, P.R. (Mainland)	10,733	15,441	214,815	969,055	1,266,206	1,542,335	.....	.....
India	4,213	4,584	50,174	169,356	161,036	169,782	176,514	177,868
Europe	5,359	13,811	108,246	505,671	482,760	502,935	560,096	557,768
Russia	.....	.....	32,840	295,872	267,908	266,503	295,924	295,011
Middle East and North Africa	63,843	45,316	107,687	480,435	602,421	597,551	632,979	655,195
Sub-Saharan Africa	4,387	8,421	27,000	92,324	102,255	102,159	104,651	107,094
Western Hemisphere	25,563	65,102	118,700	282,407	323,888	350,826	396,133	408,265
Brazil	3,566	16,457	27,593	113,585	125,239	151,448	180,390	186,150
Mexico	828	13,800	37,223	55,128	61,766	63,536	73,772	76,747
Memoranda:								
Export earnings: Fuel	69,744	40,861	131,380	793,421	900,348	868,188	931,065	950,512
Export earnings: Nonfuel	54,282	155,384	598,657	1,922,573	2,265,357	2,658,378	2,950,574	3,028,378

[1] Includes data for European Central Bank (ECB) beginning 1999. Detail does not add to totals shown.

Note: International reserves consists of monetary authorities' holdings of gold (at SDR 35 per ounce), SDRs, reserve positions in the International Monetary Fund, and foreign exchange.

U.S. dollars per SDR (end of period) are: 1.10310 in 1982; 1.37500 in 1992; 1.35952 in 2002; 1.58025 in 2007; 1.54027 in 2008; 1.56769 in 2009; 1.57179 in October 2010; and 1.52578 in November 2010.

Source: International Monetary Fund, *International Financial Statistics.*