

TABLE 8.1 : INVESTMENTS OF SCHEDULED COMMERCIAL BANKS — 2004 TO 2006

(Amount in Rs. crore)

Items	As on March 31					
	2004		2005		2006	
	Amount	Per cent share	Amount	Per cent share	Amount	Per cent share
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
<b>I. Investments by offices in India</b>	<b>767874</b>	<b>98.3</b>	<b>837559</b>	<b>98.4</b>	<b>840377</b>	<b>98.3</b>
<b>A. Indian Government Securities</b>	<b>584422</b>	<b>74.8</b>	<b>653496</b>	<b>76.7</b>	<b>661519</b>	<b>77.4</b>
1. Central Government	475521	60.8	538091	63.2	547897	64.1
2. State Governments	107253	13.7	115216	13.5	113622	13.3
3. Others *	1648	0.2	189	0.0	—	0.0
<b>B. Other domestic securities, bonds, shares, etc.</b>	<b>180326</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>183246</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>176157</b>	<b>20.6</b>
1. Other trustee securities (excluding units of UTI)	20502	2.6	18865	2.2	14994	1.8
2. Fixed Deposits	19127	2.4	19631	2.3	15779	1.8
3. Shares and Debentures of Joint Stock Companies (market value)	105635	13.5	103531	12.2	91093	10.7
4. Initial contribution to Share Capital of UTI	1	0.0	4	0.0	3	0.0
5. Units of UTI	17	0.0	19	0.0	29	0.0
6. Certificate of Deposits and Commercial Papers	2296	0.3	3450	0.4	8457	1.0
7. Mutual Funds	9545	1.2	10480	1.2	11455	1.3
8. Others @	23203	3.0	27266	3.2	34347	4.0
<b>C. Foreign Securities</b>	<b>3126</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>2701</b>	<b>0.3</b>
1. Foreign Governments' Securities	82	0.0	—	0.0	—	0.0
2. Other Foreign Investments	3044	0.4	817	0.1	2701	0.3
<b>II. Investments by Foreign Offices of Indian Banks</b>	<b>13621</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>13995</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>14281</b>	<b>1.7</b>
1. Indian Securities	—	0.0	—	0.0	132	0.0
2. Foreign Countries Securities	2920	0.4	3353	0.4	2583	0.3
3. Other Investments	10701	1.4	10642	1.2	11566	1.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>781495</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>851554</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>854658</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**Notes** : \* Includes Postal Savings Deposits Certificates and Other Postal Obligations.

@ Includes Investments in Debentures & Bonds of Quasi-Government bodies, Venture Capital Funds, etc.

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