

**No. 5 : Scheduled Commercial Banks' Investments in Commercial Paper, Bonds, Debentures, Shares, Etc.**

(Rs. crore)				
Outstanding as on	Commercial Paper	Bonds / Debentures / Preference Shares issued by		Equity Shares issued by
		Public Sector Undertakings (PSUs)	Private Corporate Sector	PSUs and Private Corporate Sector +
1	2	3	4	5
Mar. 27, 1998	2,443	18,767	9,778	1,472 (44)
Mar. 26, 1999	4,006	24,174	17,859	2,342 (64)
Mar. 24, 2000	5,066	30,586	22,915	2,841 (20)
May 7, 1999	5,326	24,122	18,215	2,519 (44)
May 5, 2000	5,455	32,584	21,840	2,975 (20)
May 21, 1999	5,429	24,086	18,380	2,451 (44)
May 19, 2000	6,177	32,616	22,035	2,837 (15)
Jun. 4, 1999	5,816	24,499	18,354	2,532 (44)
Jun. 2, 2000	6,755	32,502	22,284	2,891 (15)
Jun. 18, 1999	6,110	24,535	18,465	2,478 (44)
Jun. 16, 2000	6,591	32,732	22,138	2,965 (15)
Jul. 2, 1999	6,233	24,760	19,162	2,501 (44)
Jun. 30, 2000	6,743	32,426	21,955	2,928 (-)
Jul. 16, 1999	6,222	25,061	19,068	2,473 (44)
Jul. 14, 2000	6,910	32,745	22,175	2,964 (15)
Jul. 30, 1999	6,235	25,048	19,451	2,485 (44)
Jul. 28, 2000	6,453	32,769	22,575	3,005 (15)
Aug. 13, 1999	6,684	24,389	20,203	2,485 (44)
Aug. 11, 2000	5,870	33,094	23,268	3,002 (15)
Aug. 27, 1999	6,656	24,659	20,424	2,457 (44)
Aug. 25, 2000	5,349	32,921	23,242	3,009 (15)
Sep. 10, 1999	6,162	24,970	20,230	2,475 (44)
Sep. 8, 2000	4,695	32,770	22,763	2,985 (15)
Sep. 24, 1999	6,420	25,726	20,391	2,495

Sep. 22, 2000	4,672	32,957	22,765	(44)
				2,989
				(15)

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+ : Figures in brackets are loans to corporates against shares held by them to meet the promoters' contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources.

Note : Data are provisional and tentative and as such subject to revision. Source : Special Fortnightly Returns.