

## 5. Accommodation Provided by Scheduled Commercial Banks to Commercial Sector in the form of Bank Credit and Investments in Shares/Debentures/Bonds/Commercial Paper etc.\*

(Rs. crore)

Item	1999-2000			1998-99		
	Outstanding as on		Variations (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on		Variations (6) - (5)
	1999	2000		1998	1999	
	Mar. 26	Feb. 25		Mar. 27	Feb. 26	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
<b>1. Bank Credit</b>	<b>3,68,837</b>	<b>4,23,937</b>	<b>55,100</b> (14.9)	<b>3,24,079</b>	<b>3,53,469</b>	<b>29,390</b> (9.1)
A. Food Credit	16,816	25,927	9,111	12,485	17,336	4,851
B. Non-Food Credit	3,52,021	3,98,010	45,989 (13.1)	3,11,594	3,36,133	24,539 (7.9)
<b>2. Investments</b>	<b>48,355</b>	<b>60,365 @</b>	<b>12,010</b>	<b>32,467</b>	<b>46,807+</b>	<b>14,341</b>
A. Commercial Paper	4,013	6,408	2,394	2,428	4,373	1,945
B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference Shares issued by	41,929	51,121	9,192	28,523	40,099	11,576
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	24,161	29,281	5,121	18,762	22,561	3,799
(b) Private Corporate Sector	17,768	21,839	4,071	9,761	17,538	7,777
C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	2,349	2,788	439	1,472	2,291	819
D. Loans to Corporates against shares held by them to enable them to meet the promoters' contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources	64	49	-15	44	44	-
<b>3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>585 @@</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>792 ++</b>	<b>506</b>
<b>4. Total of (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>4,00,849</b>	<b>4,58,960</b>	<b>58,111</b>	<b>3,44,346</b>	<b>3,83,732</b>	<b>39,386</b>

\* : Subject to changes as a result of common valuation method and uniform classification.

@ : Upto February 11, 2000. @@ : January 31, 2000. + : Upto February 12, 1999. ++ : Upto January 31, 1999.

**Note :** 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.  
2. Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.