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)

	<u>-</u>	2000			1		
		as on 2000		Variations	Outstanding as on 1999		Variations (6) - (5)
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	Item						
		Mar. 24	Sep. 8		Mar. 26	Sep. 10	
_	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Bank Credit	4,35,958	4,62,600	26,642 (6.1)	3,68,837	3,75,288	6,451 (1.7)
	A. Food Credit	25,691	32,450	6,759	16,816	20,946	4,130
	B. Non-Food Credit	4,10,267	4,30,150	19,883 (4.8)	3,52,021	3,54,342	2,321 (0.7)
2.	Investments	61,429	64,536 @	3,108	48,446	54,241 +	5,795
	A. Commercial Paper	5,066	5,349	284	4,006	6,656	2,650
	B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference Shares issued by	53,501	56,163	2,661	42,033	45,084	3,051
	(a) Public Sector Undertakings	30,586	32,921	2,335	24,174	24,659	486
	(b) Private Corporate Sector	22,915	23,242	327	17,859	20,424	2,565
	C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	2,841	3,009	168	2,342	2,457	115
	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	20	15	-5	64	44	-20
3.	Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	377	343 @ @	-34	473	430++	-43
4.	Total of $(1B + 2 + 3)$	4,72,073	4,95,029	22,956	4,00,940	4,09,013	8,073

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

^{@:} Upto August 25, 2000. @@: Upto June 30, 2000. +: Upto August 27, 1999. ++: Upto June 30, 1999.

Note: 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

^{2.} Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.