

**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)

<i>Item</i>	2000 - 2001		Variations (3) - (2)	1999 - 2000		Variations (6) - (5)
	Outstanding as on 2000			Outstanding as on 1999		
	Mar. 24	Oct. 20	Mar. 26	Oct. 22		
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. <b>Bank Credit</b>	<b>4,35,958</b>	<b>4,79,478</b>	<b>43,519</b> (10.0)	<b>3,68,837</b>	<b>3,92,452</b>	<b>23,615</b> (6.4)
A. Food Credit	25,691	33,845	8,153	16,816	21,404	4,588
B. Non-Food Credit	4,10,267	4,45,633	35,366 (8.6)	3,52,021	3,71,047	19,026 (5.4)
2. <b>Investments</b>	<b>61,429</b>	<b>63,586 @</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>48,446</b>	<b>55,571 +</b>	<b>7,125</b>
A. Commercial Paper	5,066	4,609	-456	4,006	6,342	2,336
B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference Shares issued by	53,501	55,942	2,440	42,033	46,605	4,572
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	30,586	33,023	2,437	24,174	25,898	1,724
(b) Private Corporate Sector	22,915	22,918	3	17,859	20,707	2,848
C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	2,841	3,020	178	2,342	2,580	237
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. <b>Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>486 @@</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>189</b>
4. <b>Total of (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>4,72,073</b>	<b>5,09,705</b>	<b>37,632</b>	<b>4,00,940</b>	<b>4,27,280</b>	<b>26,340</b>

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

@ : Upto October 6, 2000. @@ : Upto September 30, 2000. + : Upto October 8, 1999. ++ : Upto September 30, 1999.

Note : 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

2. Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.