

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	2001		Outstanding as on	2000	
	2000 Mar. 24	Feb. 9	1999 Mar. 26	Feb. 11		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	4,35,958	5,01,110	65,151 (14.9)	3,68,837	4,19,724	50,886 (13.8)
A. Food Credit	25,691	39,594	13,902	16,816	25,961	9,145
B. Non-Food Credit	4,10,267	4,61,516	51,249 (12.5)	3,52,021	3,93,762	41,741 (11.9)
2. Investments £	61,429	70,874@	9,445	48,446	59,386+	10,940
A. Commercial Paper	5,066	7,216	2,150	4,006	6,080	2,074
B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference Shares issued by	53,501	60,467	6,966	42,033	50,484	8,451
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	30,586	36,127	5,541	24,174	28,544	4,370
(b) Private Corporate Sector	22,915	24,340	1,425	17,859	21,940	4,081
C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	2,841	3,176	334	2,342	2,802	460
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	20	-44
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	377	1,013@@	636	473	841++	368
4. Total of (1B + 2 + 3)	4,72,073	5,33,403	61,330	4,00,940	4,53,989	53,050

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

£ : In view of inadequate availability of latest data, the information about investment has been repeated.

@ : Upto January 12, 2001. @@ : Upto December 31, 2000. + : Upto January 14, 2000. ++ : Upto December 31, 1999.

Note : 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

2. Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.