

**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>	2003 - 2004			2002 - 2003		
	Outstanding as on		Variations (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on		Variations (6) - (5)
	2003			2002		
	Mar. 21	Apr. 18		Mar. 22	Apr. 19	
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>1. Bank Credit</b>	<b>7,25,368</b>	<b>7,32,872</b>	<b>7,504</b> (1.0)	<b>5,89,723</b>	<b>5,95,801</b>	<b>6,079</b> (1.0)
A. Food Credit	49,479	44,589	-4,890	53,978	52,484	-1,495
B. Non-Food Credit	6,75,888	6,88,283	12,394 (1.8)	5,35,745	5,43,318	7,573 (1.4)
<b>2. Investments</b>	<b>93,036</b>	<b>89,349 @</b>	<b>-3,687</b>	<b>81,000</b>	<b>80,259 +</b>	<b>-740</b>
A. Commercial Paper	4,258	3,565	-694	8,497	7,699	-798
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,017	8,832	-185	5,914	5,778	-135
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,431	1,422	-9	1,587	1,531	-55
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,586	7,410	-176	4,327	4,247	-80
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,760	76,952	-2,808	66,589	66,782	193
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,633	45,509	-1,124	39,520	40,124	604
(b) Private Corporate Sector	33,127	31,443	-1,684	27,069	26,657	-412
<b>3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>				<b>906</b>	<b>371 ++</b>	<b>-535</b>
<b>4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>7,68,924</b>	<b>7,77,631</b>	<b>8,707</b>	<b>6,17,650</b>	<b>6,23,948</b>	<b>6,298</b>

@: Upto April 4, 2003.

+: Upto April 5, 2002.

++: Upto April 30, 2002.

**Notes :**

1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns.
2. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.
3. Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.
4. Data on Bills Rediscounted for the financial year 2003-04 is not available.