

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	2003 - 2004			2002 - 2003		
	Outstanding as on 2003		Variations (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on 2002		Variations (6) - (5)
	Mar. 21	May 30		Mar. 22	May 31	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	7,25,368	7,30,653	5,286 (0.7)	5,89,723	6,44,748	55,025 (9.3)
A. Food Credit	49,479	51,047	1,568	53,978	60,669	6,691
B. Non-Food Credit	6,75,888	6,79,606	3,718 (0.6)	5,35,745	5,84,078	48,334 (9.0)
2. Investments	93,036	88,503 @	-4,532	81,000	88,001 +	7,002
A. Commercial Paper	4,258	3,559	-699	8,497	6,796	-1,701
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,017	9,053	36	5,914	9,397	3,483
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,431	1,395	-36	1,587	1,543	-43
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,586	7,658	72	4,327	7,854	3,527
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,760	75,891	-3,869	66,589	71,809	5,220
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,633	46,192	-441	39,520	39,152	-368
(b) Private Corporate Sector	33,127	29,699	-3,428	27,069	32,657	5,588
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions				906	371 ++	-535
4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)	7,68,924	7,68,110	-815	6,17,650	6,72,450	54,800

@ : Upto May 16, 2003. + : Upto May 17, 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.