

**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 2003		Variations (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on 2002		Variations (6) - (5)
	Mar. 21	Dec. 26		Mar. 22	Dec. 27	
<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>7,29,215</b>	<b>7,80,572</b>	<b>51,357</b>	<b>5,89,723</b>	<b>6,92,244</b>	<b>1,02,521</b>
			(7.0)			(17.4)
A. Food Credit	49,479	36,352	-13,127	53,978	51,947	-2,031
B. Non-Food Credit	6,79,736	7,44,220	64,484	5,35,745	6,40,297	1,04,553
			(9.5)			(19.5)
<b>2. Investments</b>	<b>92,854</b>	<b>89,409@</b>	<b>-3,445</b>	<b>81,000</b>	<b>90,656+</b>	<b>9,656</b>
A. Commercial Paper	4,007	4,103	96	8,497	5,545	-2,952
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,019	8,604	-416	5,914	8,948	3,034
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,430	1,314	-117	1,587	1,502	-84
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,589	7,290	-299	4,327	7,446	3,119
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,828	76,702	-3,126	66,589	76,163	9,574
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,854	47,692	838	39,520	45,742	6,222
(b) Private Corporate Sector	32,973	29,010	-3,963	27,069	30,421	3,353
<b>3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>429 @@</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>332 ++</b>	<b>-574</b>
<b>4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>7,72,695</b>	<b>8,34,058</b>	<b>61,363</b>	<b>6,17,650</b>	<b>7,31,285</b>	<b>1,13,635</b>

@ : Upto Decemeber 12, 2003. @@ : Upto November 30, 2003. + : Upto December 13, 2002.

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**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.