

**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		Variations	Outstanding as on		Variations
	2003	2004	(3) - (2)	2002	2003	(6) - (5)
	Mar. 21	Feb. 20		Mar. 22	Feb. 21	
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
1. <b>Bank Credit</b>	<b>7,29,215</b>	<b>8,10,965</b>	<b>81,750</b> (11.2)	<b>5,89,723</b>	<b>7,09,483</b>	<b>1,19,760</b> (20.3)
A. Food Credit	49,479	35,268	-14,211	53,978	50,227	-3,751
B. Non-Food Credit	6,79,736	7,75,697	95,961 (14.1)	5,35,745	6,59,256	1,23,511 (23.1)
2. <b>Investments</b>	<b>92,854</b>	<b>87,774 @</b>	<b>-5,080</b>	<b>81,000</b>	<b>92,983 +</b>	<b>11,983</b>
A. Commercial Paper	4,007	4,210	203	8,497	5,376	-3,121
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,019	8,641	-378	5,914	8,847	2,933
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,430	1,274	-156	1,587	1,462	-125
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,589	7,366	-223	4,327	7,385	3,058
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,828	74,923	-4,904	66,589	78,760	12,171
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,854	46,837	-17	39,520	46,711	7,191
(b) Private Corporate Sector	32,973	28,086	-4,887	27,069	32,050	4,981
3. <b>Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>791 @@</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>455 ++</b>	<b>-451</b>
4. <b>Total (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>7,72,695</b>	<b>8,64,262</b>	<b>91,567</b>	<b>6,17,650</b>	<b>7,52,694</b>	<b>1,35,044</b>

@ : Upto February 6, 2004. @@ : Upto January 31, 2004. + : Upto February 7, 2003. ++ : Upto January 31, 2003.

**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.