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.

		2003 - 2004 Outstanding			2002 - 2003 Outstanding		(Rs. crore)
				Variations (3) - (2)			Variations
ltem		2003	as on 2004		2002	as on 2003	(6) - (5)
		Mar. 21	Mar. 5		Mar. 22	Mar. 7	
1 1.	Bank Credit	7,29,215	3 8,19,128	4 89,913 (12.3)	5 5,89,723	7,16,012	7 1,26,290 (21.4)
	A. Food Credit	49,479	35,858	-13,621	53,978	49,716	-4,262
	B. Non-Food Credit	6,79,736	7,83,270	1,03,534 (15.2)	5,35,745	6,66,297	1,30,552
2.	Investments 2	92,854	87,425 @	-5,428	81,000	93,616 +	(24.4) 12,617
	A. Commercial Paper	4,007	4,232	225	8,497	4,881	-3,616
	B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,019	8,622	-397	5,914	9,527	3,613
	(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,430	1,227	-203	1,587	1,817	230
	(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,589	7,395	-194	4,327	7,710	3,383
	C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,828	74,571	-5,256	66,589	79,208	12,619
	(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,854	47,091	237	39,520	46,970	7,450
	(b) Private Corporate Sector	32,973	27,480	-5,493	27,069	32,238	5,169
3.	Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	105	791 @@	686	906	455 ++	-451
4.	Total (1B + 2 + 3)	7,72,695	8,71,487	98,792	6,17,650	7,60,368	1,42,718

^{@:} Upto February 20, 2004. @@: Upto January 31, 2004. +: Upto February 21, 2003. ++: Upto January 31, 2003. **Notes**: 1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns.

Figures in brackets are percentage variations.
Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.