

**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 Outstanding as on		Variations (3) - (2)	2002 - 2003 Outstanding as on		Variations (6) - (5)
	2003 Mar. 21	2004 Mar. 19		2002 Mar. 22	2003 Mar. 21	
	1	2	3	4	5	6
1. <b>Bank Credit</b>	<b>7,29,215</b>	<b>8,35,382</b>	<b>1,06,166</b> (14.6)	<b>5,89,723</b>	<b>7,29,215</b>	<b>1,39,493</b> (23.7)
A. Food Credit	49,479	35,961	-13,518	53,978	49,479	-4,499
B. Non-Food Credit	6,79,736	7,99,420	1,19,684 (17.6)	5,35,745	6,79,736	1,43,992 (26.9)
2. <b>Investments</b>	<b>92,854</b>	<b>89,049</b> @	<b>-3,805</b>	<b>81,000</b>	<b>92,854</b> +	<b>11,854</b>
A. Commercial Paper	4,007	3,924	-83	8,497	4,007	-4,490
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	9,019	8,652	-367	5,914	9,019	3,106
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,430	1,276	-154	1,587	1,430	-156
(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,589	7,376	-213	4,327	7,589	3,262
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	79,828	76,473	-3,355	66,589	79,828	13,239
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	46,854	48,586	1,732	39,520	46,854	7,334
(b) Private Corporate Sector	32,973	27,886	-5,087	27,069	32,973	5,905
3. <b>Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>1,234</b> @	<b>1,129</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>295</b> +	<b>-611</b>
4. <b>Total (1B + 2 + 3)</b>	<b>7,72,695</b>	<b>8,89,703</b>	<b>1,17,008</b>	<b>6,17,650</b>	<b>7,72,885</b>	<b>1,55,235</b>

@ : Upto February 29, 2004. + : Upto February 28, 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.