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)

	2006 - 2007			2005 - 2006		
	Outstanding as on 2006		Variation (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on 2005		Variation (6) - (5)
Item	Mar. 31	Sep. 29		Apr. 1	Sep. 30	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	15,07,077	16,54,734	1,47,657 (9.8)	11,52,210	12,76,238	1,24,029 (10.8)
A. Food Credit	40,691	33,458	-7,233	40,016	39,549	-467
B. Non-Food Credit	14,66,386	16,21,276	1,54,889 (10.6)	11,12,194	12,36,689	1,24,496 (11.2)
2. Investments	79,464	78,721 @	-743	93,084	83,253+	-9,831
A. Commercial Paper	4,821	6,370	1,549	3,798	3,908	110
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	12,775	16,496	3,721	11,974	11,976	2
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	2,274	2,140	-133	1,843	1,703	-140
(b) Private Corporate Sector	10,501	14,356	3,855	10,131	10,273	142
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	61,868	55,855	-6,013	77,312	67,369	-9,943
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	32,345	29,988	-2,357	46,593	37,925	-8,668
(b) Private Corporate Sector	29,523	25,867	-3,656	30,719	29,444	-1,275
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions				401	784++	383
4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)	15,45,851	16,99,997	1,54,146	12,05,679	13,20,726	1,15,047

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 2006-07 is not available.
- 5. Financial year variation during 2006-07 so far is worked out from March 31, 2006, whereas the corresponding financial year variation during 2005-06 is worked out from April 1, 2005.