

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>	2007 - 2008			2006 - 2007		
	Outstanding as on		Variation (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on		Variation (6) - (5)
	2007			2006		
	Mar. 30	Dec. 7	Mar. 31	Dec. 8		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	19,28,913	20,91,400	1,62,487 (8.4)	15,07,077	17,11,565	2,04,488 (13.6)
A. Food Credit	46,521	39,209	-7,311	40,691	40,366	-325
B. Non-Food Credit	18,82,392	20,52,191	1,69,799	14,66,386	16,71,199	2,04,813
			(9.0)			(14.0)
2. Investments	83,394	81,603	-1,790	79,464	80,935	1,471
A. Commercial Paper	8,978	8,807	-171	4,821	7,664	2,842
B. Shares issued by (a + b)	18,344	21,654	3,310	12,775	16,820	4,045
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	2,126	2,263	137	2,274	2,075	-199
(b) Private Corporate Sector	16,218	19,391	3,173	10,501	14,745	4,244
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	56,072	51,143	-4,929	61,868	56,452	-5,416
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	28,472	25,242	-3,230	32,345	30,794	-1,551
(b) Private Corporate Sector	27,600	25,901	-1,699	29,523	25,658	-3,865
3. Total (1B + 2)	19,65,786	21,33,794	1,68,008	15,45,851	17,52,134	2,06,284

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. Constituents may not add up to total due to rounding off of figures.