

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	2000 - 2001			1999 - 2000		
	Outstanding as on 2000		Variations (3) - (2)	Outstanding as on 1999		Variations (6) - (5)
	Mar. 24	Jun. 16		Mar. 26	Jun. 18	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	4,34,182	4,46,912	12,730 (2.9)	3,68,837	3,63,595	-5,243 (-1.4)
A. Food Credit	25,691	32,081	6,390	16,816	22,221	5,405
B. Non-Food Credit	4,08,490	4,14,830	6,340 (1.6)	3,52,021	3,41,373	-10,648 (-3.0)
2. Investments £	61,124	63,679 @	2,555	48,446	50,390 +	1,944
A. Commercial Paper	5,069	6,177	1,108	4,006	5,429	1,423
B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference Shares issued by	53,184	54,650	1,466	42,033	42,466	433
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	30,607	32,616	2,009	24,174	24,086	-88
(b) Private Corporate Sector	22,578	22,035	-543	17,859	18,380	521
C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and Private Corporate Sector	2,851	2,837	-14	2,342	2,451	109
D. Loans to Corporates against shares held by them to enable them to meet the promoters' contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources	20	15	-5	64	44	-20
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	377	345 @	-32	473	415	-58
4. Total of (1B + 2 + 3)	4,69,991	4,78,854	8,863	4,00,940	3,92,178	-8,762

* : Subject to changes as a result of common valuation method and uniform classification.

@ : Upto May 19, 2000. @@ : Upto April 30, 2000. + : Upto May 21, 1999. ++ : Upto April 30, 1999.

£ : In view of inadequate availability of latest data the information about investment has been repeated.

Note : 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

2. Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.