

14. Commercial Paper Issued by Companies (At face value)

Fortnight ended	Total Amount Outstanding	Reported during the fortnight	(Rs. crore)	
			Rate of Interest (percent)@	
1	2	3	4	
Apr. 15, 2003	5,839	752	5.25 — 8.15	
Jul. 15, 2003	7,069	1,142	5.15 — 6.80	
Oct. 15, 2003	6,974	1,027	4.75 — 7.75	
Jan. 15, 2004	9,525	1,542	4.63 — 6.00	
Feb. 29, 2004	9,379	681	4.60 — 7.50	
Mar. 15, 2004	9,342	903	4.81 — 5.90	

@: Typical effective discount rate range per annum on issues during the fortnight.