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.

			2004 - 2005			2003 - 2004	(Rs. crore)
ltem		as on 2004	itstanding 2005	Variations (3) - (2)	2003	Outstanding as on 2004	Variations (6) - (5)
		Mar. 19	Feb. 18		Mar. 21	Feb. 20	
1 1.	Bank Credit	8,40,785	3 10,56,210	4 2,15,425 (25.6)	5 7,29,215	6 8,12,462	7 83,247 (11.4)
	A. Food Credit	35,961	41,482	5,521	49,479	35,268	-14,211
	B. Non-Food Credit	8,04,824	10,14,728	2,09,904 (26.1)	6,79,736	7,77,195	97,458 (14.3)
			[9,82,045]	[1,77,221] [22.0]			(14.3)
2.	Investments	88,985	87,876 @	-1,109	92,854	87,840 +	-5,014
	A. Commercial Paper	3,770	3,357	-412	4,007	4,187	180
	B. Shares issued by (a + b)	8,667	11,771	3,104	9,019	8,630	-390
	(a) Public Sector Undertakings	1,272	1,684	412	1,430	1,249	-181
	(b) Private Corporate Sector	7,395	10,087	2,692	7,589	7,380	-209
	C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)	76,548	72,747	-3,801	79,828	75,023	-4,805
	(a) Public Sector Undertakings	48,646	40,873	-7,772	46,854	46,977	123
	(b) Private Corporate Sector	27,903	31,874	3,971	32,973	28,045	-4,928
3.	Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions	305	600 @@	295	105	429 ++	324
4.	Total (1B + 2 + 3)	8,94,114	11,03,203	2,09,090	7,72,695	8,65,463	92,768

^{@:}Upto February 4, 2005.

Notes 1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns.

^{@@:} Upto November 30, 2004.

^{+:} Upto February 6, 2004.

^{++:} Upto November 30, 2003.

^{2.} Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

^{3.} Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.

^{4.} Figures in [] exclude the impact of conversion of a non-banking entity into banking entity from October 11, 2004.