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	2006 - 2007			2005 - 2006		
	Outstanding as on		Variation	Outstanding as on		Variation
	2006	2007	(3) - (2)	2005	2006	(6) - (5)
	Mar. 31	Feb. 2		Apr. 1	Feb. 3	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1. Bank Credit	15,07,077	17,96,115	2,89,038	11,52,210	13,86,264	2,34,054
			(19.2)			(20.3)
A. Food Credit	40,691	43,503	2,812	40,016	39,952	-64
B. Non-Food Credit	14,66,386	17,52,612	2,86,226	11,12,194	13,46,312	2,34,118
			(19.5)			(21.1)
2. Investments	79,464	78,951@	-513	93,084	79,357+	-13,728
A. Commercial Paper	4,821	6,527	1,706	3,798	3,437	-361
B. Shares issued by $(a + b)$	12,775	17,530	4,755	11,974	13,207	1,234
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	2,274	2,140	-133	1,843	2,004	161
(b) Private Corporate Sector	10,501	15,389	4,888	10,131	11,203	1,073
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by $(a + b)$	61,868	54,895	-6,974	77,312	62,712	-14,600
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	32,345	29,529	-2,816	46,593	33,346	-13,247
(b) Private Corporate Sector	29,523	25,366	-4,157	30,719	29,366	-1,353
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions				401	784++	383
4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)	15,45,851	18,31,564	2,85,713	12,05,679	14,26,452	2,20,774

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.