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 Mar. 31	2007 Feb. 16	(3) - (2)	2005 Apr. 1	2006 Feb. 17	(6) - (5)
1. Bank Credit	15,07,077	18,13,325	3,06,248	11,52,210	13,99,305	2,47,095
			(20.3)			(21.4)
A. Food Credit	40,691	43,999	3,308	40,016	40,529	513
B. Non-Food Credit	14,66,386	17,69,326	3,02,940	11,12,194	13,58,776	2,46,582
			(20.7)			(22.2)
2. Investments	79,464	78,291@	-1,174	93,084	80,849+	-12,235
A. Commercial Paper	4,821	6,237	1,416	3,798	3,426	-372
B. Shares issued by $(a + b)$	12,775	17,640	4,865	11,974	13,503	1,529
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	2,274	2,115	-159	1,843	1,796	-47
(b) Private Corporate Sector	10,501	15,525	5,024	10,131	11,707	1,576
C. Bonds/Debentures issued by $(a + b)$	61,868	54,413	-7,455	77,312	63,920	-13,392
(a) Public Sector Undertakings	32,345	29,508	-2,837	46,593	33,184	-13,409
(b) Private Corporate Sector	29,523	24,906	-4,617	30,719	30,736	17
3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions				401	784++	383
4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)	15,45,851	18,47,617	3,01,766	12,05,679	14,40,409	2,34,730

^{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.