

TABLE 5.3

Banking System: Direction of Lending

	RM million		Share (%)
	End-2006	End-June 2007	End-June 2007
Primary agriculture	13,224.6	13,690.6	2.2
Mining and quarrying	1,380.8	1,531.9	0.2
Manufacturing (including agro-based)	66,125.0	70,825.3	11.5
Electricity, gas and water supply	4,659.6	3,439.3	0.6
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels and restaurants	52,690.8	52,563.3	8.6
Construction	31,410.9	31,597.8	5.1
Real estate	16,907.1	17,539.1	2.9
Transport, storage and communications	11,385.5	13,931.0	2.3
Finance, insurance and business activities	34,183.6	38,593.5	6.3
Education, health and others	6,157.3	6,758.7	1.1
Household sector	334,812.5	344,521.2	56.1
Other sectors	20,024.3	19,011.7	3.1
Total	592,962.0	614,003.4	100.0

Source: Bank Negara Malaysia.