Accountings of charity may be discussed on שבת (for example, which may be sold, and pledges to צדקה pledged), and public needs as well.

Accountings which are not necessary for oneself (for example, the great Jewish practice of figuring out how much someone elses שמחה costs) are מותר, as well as discussing a price one paid for an item as long as the other person is not considering buying this item, although these discussions are not in the spirit of שבת and should be minimized.

It is מותר operform the בעילת מצוה on שבת.