

**Table 29A : State-Wise Distribution of Offices of Commercial Banks  
According to Population Group - 1998**

State / Union Territory	Number of Offices										
	Opened during 1st April 1997 to 31st March 1998					As on 31st March 1998					
	As on 31st March 1997	Rural	Semi- urban	Urban	Metro- politan	Total	Rural	Semi- urban	Urban	Metro- politan	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	
Andaman & Nicobar	31	--	--	--	--	-	17	14	--	--	31
Andhra Pradesh	5050	7	19	26	18	70	2446	1151	976	535	5108
Arunachal Pradesh	69	--	--	--	--	--	68	1	--	--	69
Assam	1274	2	--	1	--	3	837	257	179	--	1273
Bihar	5047	1	6	13	--	20	3527	902	638	--	5067
Chandigarh	176	--	--	9	--	9	9	10	166	--	185
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	7	--	3	--	--	3	5	5	--	--	10
Daman & Diu	13	--	--	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	13
Delhi	1334	--	2	--	55	57	56	17	--	1315	1388
Goa	296	5	13	--	--	18	159	155	--	--	314
Gujarat	3645	7	9	11	16	43	1559	794	468	859	3680
Haryana	1426	3	14	28	--	45	694	341	435	--	1470
Himachal Pradesh	774	4	3	--	--	7	654	127	--	--	781
Jammu & Kashmir	821	4	1	5	--	10	578	81	165	--	824
Karnataka	4667	2	22	23	30	77	2219	985	790	734	4728
Kerala	3223	1	12	17	--	30	346	2272	635	--	3253
Lakshadweep	9	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--	9
Madhya Pradesh	4539	--	5	20	13	38	2703	920	598	330	4551
Maharashtra	6254	5	27	17	69	118	2327	1070	894	2080	6371
Manipur	88	--	--	--	--	--	51	14	23	--	88
Meghalaya	181	--	--	--	--	--	131	17	33	--	181
Mizoram	80	--	--	--	--	--	61	9	10	--	80
Nagaland	72	--	--	--	--	--	38	34	--	--	72
Orissa	2191	4	8	21	--	33	1615	308	301	--	2224
Pondicherry	77	--	--	1	--	1	23	15	40	--	78
Punjab	2440	4	28	18	12	62	1116	640	544	196	2496
Rajasthan	3326	5	11	11	8	35	1918	727	462	239	3346
Sikkim	46	--	--	--	--	--	36	10	--	--	46
Tamil Nadu	4809	1	13	15	23	52	1850	1206	1015	786	4857
Tripura	184	1	--	1	--	2	124	29	33	--	186
Uttar Pradesh	8944	1	32	51	11	95	5437	1513	1544	538	9032
West Bengal	4469	--	2	10	14	26	2276	572	606	1041	4495
<b>Total</b>	<b>65562</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>854</b>	<b>32890</b>	<b>14208</b>	<b>10555</b>	<b>8653</b>	<b>66306</b>

**Notes :** 1. No. of offices includes Administrative Offices also.  
2. Data for 1998 have been revised.  
3. Classification of population groups is based on 1991 census.

- : Nil.

**Source :** Master Office File (latest updated version) on commercial bank branches.