

**Table 31b : State and Population Group-Wise Distribution of
Offices of Commercial Banks - 1999**

Region/State/ Union Territory	As on 31st March									
	Rural		Semi-Urban		Urban		Metropolitan		Total	
	No. of centres	No. of offices	No. of centres	No. of offices	No. of centres	No. of offices	No. of centres	No. of offices	No. of centres	No. of offices
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
Northern Region	4626	5032	453	1980	37	1822	3	1825	5119	10659
	(15.1)	(15.3)	(9.0)	(13.8)	(12.5)	(16.8)	(16.7)	(20.4)	(14.2)	(15.9)
Haryana	643	695	92	352	12	450	--	--	747	1497
Himachal Pradesh	605	656	14	129	--	--	--	--	619	785
Jammu & Kashmir	483	581	22	81	2	168	--	--	507	830
Punjab	1028	1119	99	655	9	557	1	204	1137	2535
Rajasthan	1803	1916	212	736	13	473	1	249	2029	3374
Chandigarh	9	9	2	10	1	174	--	--	12	193
Delhi	55	56	12	17	--	--	1	1372	68	1445
North Eastern Region	1224	1309	118	361	9	280	--	--	1351	1950
	(4.0)	(4.0)	(2.3)	(2.5)	(3.0)	(2.6)	--	--	(3.7)	(2.9)
Arunachal Pradesh	60	68	1	1	--	--	--	--	61	69
Assam	784	837	73	257	5	181	--	--	862	1275
Manipur	49	51	11	14	1	23	--	--	61	88
Meghalaya	124	131	7	17	1	33	--	--	132	181
Mizoram	60	61	5	9	1	10	--	--	66	80
Nagaland	35	38	8	34	--	--	--	--	43	72
Tripura	112	123	13	29	1	33	--	--	126	185
Eastern Region	7064	7483	775	1820	67	1582	1	1049	7907	11934
	(23.0)	(22.7)	(15.4)	(12.6)	(22.6)	(14.6)	(5.6)	(11.7)	(21.9)	(17.8)
Bihar	3316	3529	402	907	16	650	--	--	3734	5086
Orissa	1546	1623	93	314	6	315	--	--	1645	2252
Sikkim	32	36	1	10	--	--	--	--	33	46
West Bengal	2155	2278	277	575	45	617	1	1049	2478	4519
Andaman & Nicobar	15	17	2	14	--	--	--	--	17	31
Central Region	7472	8131	803	2459	60	2191	4	899	8339	13680
	(24.3)	(24.7)	(15.9)	(17.1)	(20.2)	(20.3)	(22.2)	(10.1)	(23.1)	(20.4)
Madhya Pradesh	2403	2697	286	928	21	607	2	343	2712	4575
Uttar Pradesh	5069	5434	517	1531	39	1584	2	556	5627	9105
Western Region	3819	4048	672	2078	42	1396	7	3030	4540	10552
	(12.4)	(12.3)	(13.3)	(14.4)	(14.1)	(12.9)	(38.9)	(33.9)	(12.6)	(15.7)
Goa	143	159	10	161	--	--	--	--	153	320
Gujarat	1456	1555	261	807	14	479	3	886	1734	3727
Maharashtra	2214	2328	398	1090	28	917	4	2144	2644	6479
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	5	5	1	6	--	--	--	--	6	11
Daman & Diu	1	1	2	14	--	--	--	--	3	15
Southern Region	6518	6891	2217	5692	82	3545	3	2138	8820	18266
	(21.2)	(20.9)	(44.0)	(39.6)	(27.6)	(32.8)	(16.7)	(23.9)	(24.4)	(27.2)
Andhra Pradesh	2322	2449	467	1158	34	1013	1	556	2824	5176
Karnataka	2099	2221	276	997	15	816	1	766	2391	4800

Kerala	308	347	1035	2307	7	639	--	--	1350	3293
Tamil Nadu	1758	1842	434	1214	25	1034	1	816	2218	4906
Lakshadweep	9	9	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	9
Pondicherry	22	23	5	16	1	43	--	--	28	82
All India	30723	32894	5038	14390	297	10816	18	8941	36076	67041
	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)	(100.0)

Notes : 1. No. of offices includes Administrative offices also.
2. Data are Provisional.
3. Population group classification is based on 1991 census.
4. Figures in bracket indicate percent share in total.

- : Nil.

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