

Statement No.1 : Commercial Banking at a Glance

Important Indicators	September	December	March	June	September
	1998	1998	1999	1999	1999
	1	2	3	4	5
1. No. of Commercial Banks	301	301	303	302	299
a) All Scheduled Commercial Banks	300	300	302	301	298
Of which, Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)	196	196	196	196	196
b) Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	1	1	1	1	1
2. No. of Bank Offices	64,647	64,771	65,118	65,277	65,294
a) Rural	32,838	32,834	32,856	32,850	32,802
b) Semi-Urban	14,024	14,059	14,140	14,159	14,183
c) Urban	9,802	9,842	9,971	10,071	10,073
d) Metropolitan	7,983	8,036	8,151	8,197	8,236
3. Population per office (In thousand)	15	15	15	15	15
4. Deposits of Scheduled Commercial Banks (Rs.Crore)	6,38,513	6,52,664	7,01,871	7,07,293	7,42,094
5. Credit of Scheduled Commercial Banks (Rs.Crore)	3,42,813	3,51,643	3,89,460	3,82,665	3,95,811
6. Credit - Deposit Ratio	53.7	53.9	55.5	54.1	53.3

Note: Figures of quarter ending March relate to 31st March and the of other quarters relate to the last Friday.