

**Table 31A : State and Population Group-wise Distribution of
Offices of Commercial Banks : 1999**

Region/State/ Union Territory	As on March 31									
	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	4620	5027	453	1981	37	1830	3	1838	5113	10676
	(15.1)	(15.3)	(9.0)	(13.7)	(12.5)	(16.8)	(16.7)	(20.4)	(14.2)	(15.9)
Haryana	644	696	92	354	12	456	—	—	748	1506
Himachal Pradesh	605	657	14	129	—	—	—	—	619	786
Jammu & Kashmir	484	582	22	81	2	168	—	—	508	831
Punjab	1028	1119	99	656	9	556	1	207	1137	2538
Rajasthan	1795	1908	212	734	13	475	1	248	2021	3365
Chandigarh	9	9	2	10	1	175	—	—	12	194
Delhi	55	56	12	17	—	—	1	1383	68	1456
North Eastern Region	1209	1303	118	365	8	280	—	—	1335	1948
	(3.9)	(4.0)	(2.3)	(2.5)	(2.7)	(2.6)	(—)	(—)	(3.7)	(2.9)
Arunachal Pradesh	60	68	1	1	—	—	—	—	61	69
Assam	772	832	73	260	4	181	—	—	849	1273
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	109	122	13	30	1	33	—	—	123	185
Eastern Region	7034	7463	775	1833	67	1587	1	1053	7877	11936
	(23.0)	(22.7)	(15.4)	(12.7)	(22.6)	(14.6)	(5.6)	(11.7)	(21.9)	(17.8)
Bihar	3287	3507	402	919	16	652	—	—	3705	5078
Orissa	1545	1623	93	315	6	316	—	—	1644	2254
Sikkim	32	36	1	10	—	—	—	—	33	46
West Bengal	2155	2280	277	575	45	619	1	1053	2478	4527
Andaman & Nicobar	15	17	2	14	—	—	—	—	17	31
Central Region	7457	8142	801	2475	60	2229	4	909	8322	13755
	(24.3)	(24.8)	(15.9)	(17.1)	(20.3)	(20.5)	(22.2)	(10.1)	(23.1)	(20.5)
Madhya Pradesh	2390	2698	285	927	21	610	2	345	2698	4580
Uttar Pradesh	5067	5444	516	1548	39	1619	2	564	5624	9175
Western Region	3811	4042	671	2084	42	1398	7	3046	4531	10570
	(12.4)	(12.3)	(13.3)	(14.4)	(14.2)	(12.9)	(38.9)	(33.9)	(12.6)	(15.7)
Goa	143	159	10	162	—	—	—	—	153	321
Gujarat	1453	1553	260	810	14	480	3	890	1730	3733
Maharashtra	2209	2324	398	1091	28	918	4	2156	2639	6489
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	5	5	1	7	—	—	—	—	6	12
Daman & Diu	1	1	2	14	—	—	—	—	3	15
Southern Region	6504	6882	2218	5724	82	3545	3	2149	8807	18300
	(21.2)	(20.9)	(44.0)	(39.6)	(27.7)	(32.6)	(16.7)	(23.9)	(24.5)	(27.2)
Andhra Pradesh	2311	2442	467	1167	34	1019	1	560	2813	5188
Karnataka	2097	2220	277	1013	15	809	1	772	2390	4814

Kerala	308	347	1036	2312	7	639	—	—	1351	3298
Tamil Nadu	1757	1841	433	1216	25	1036	1	817	2216	4910
Lakshadweep	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	9
Pondicherry	22	23	5	16	1	42	—	—	28	81
All India	30635	32859	5036	14462	296	10869	18	8995	35985	67185
	(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 have been revised.
 3. Population group classification is based on 1991 census.
 4. Figures in bracket indicate per cent share in total.
- Source* : Master Office File (latest updated version) based on commercial bank branches.