

Statement No.1 Commercial Banking at a Glance

Important Indicators	December 1997	March 1998	June 1998	September 1998	December 1998
	1	2	3	4	5
1. No. of Commercial Banks	300	300	301	301	301
a) All Scheduled Commercial Banks	298	299	300	300	300
Of which, Regional Rural Banks (RRBs)	196	196	196	196	196
b) Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	2	1	1	1	1
2. No. of Bank Offices	64,116	64,267	64,547	64,647	64,771
a) Rural	32,898	32,890	32,860	32,838	32,834
b) Semi-Urban	13,825	13,876	13,967	14,024	14,059
c) Urban	9,585	9,637	9,766	9,802	9,842
d) Metropolitan	7,808	7,864	7,954	7,983	8,036
3. Population per office (In thousand)	15	15	15	15	15
4. Deposits of Scheduled Commercial Banks (Rs.Crore)	5,51,562	5,92,068	6,10,363	6,38,513	6,52,664
5. Credit of Scheduled Commercial Banks (Rs.Crore)	3,05,884	3,28,637	3,32,437	3,42,813	3,51,643
6. Credit Deposit Ratio	55.5	55.5	54.5	53.7	53.9