

**Appendix Table III.35: Distribution of Commercial Bank Branches in India –  
Bank Group and Population Group-wise**

Bank Group	No. of Banks#	Number of Branches									
		As on June 30, 2004 @					As on June 30, 2005 @				
		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	12
1. State Bank of India	1	4,068 (45.3)	2,462 (27.4)	1,449 (16.1)	1,010 (11.2)	8,989 (100.0)	4,068 (45.0)	2,475 (27.4)	1,470 (16.3)	1,023 (11.3)	9,036 (100.0)
2. Associates of SBI	7	1,409 (30.8)	1,588 (34.7)	849 (18.5)	732 (16.0)	4,578 (100.0)	1,412 (30.5)	1,605 (34.7)	864 (18.7)	744 (16.1)	4,625 (100.0)
3. Nationalised Banks	19	13,582 (40.9)	7,190 (21.6)	6,801 (20.5)	5,668 (17.1)	33,241 (100.0)	13,587 (40.4)	7,291 (21.7)	6,935 (20.6)	5,812 (17.3)	33,625 (100.0)
4. Other Public Sector Bank	1	-	-	-	-	-	5 (3.1)	26 (16.4)	68 (42.8)	60 (37.7)	159 (100.0)
5. Indian Private Sector Banks	29	1,106 (19.1)	1,768 (30.5)	1,537 (26.5)	1,383 (23.9)	5,794 (100.0)	1,097 (17.9)	1,831 (29.9)	1,714 (28.0)	1,479 (24.2)	6,121 (100.0)
6. Foreign Banks in India	31	-	-	31 (14.2)	188 (85.8)	219 (100.0)	-	1 (0.4)	42 (16.9)	206 (82.7)	249 (100.0)
7. Regional Rural Banks	196	11,922 (82.4)	2,134 (14.7)	396 (2.7)	20 (0.1)	14,472 (100.0)	11,922 (82.2)	2,158 (14.9)	401 (2.8)	20 (0.1)	14,501 (100.0)
8. Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks (Local Area Banks)	4	4 (20.0)	9 (45.0)	7 (35.0)	-	20 (100.0)	4 (17.4)	9 (39.1)	10 (43.5)	-	23 (100.0)
<b>Total</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>32,091 (47.7)</b>	<b>15,151 (22.5)</b>	<b>11,070 (16.4)</b>	<b>9,001 (13.4)</b>	<b>67,313 (100.0)</b>	<b>32,095 (47.0)</b>	<b>15,396 (22.5)</b>	<b>11,504 (16.8)</b>	<b>9,344 (13.7)</b>	<b>68,339 (100.0)</b>

# : As on June 30, 2005.

@ : Population group-wise classification of branches is based on 1991 Census.

- : Nil.

- Note :
1. Figures in brackets indicate percentages to total in each group.
  2. Data on number of branches data exclude administrative offices.
  3. Data for June 2004 are revised.
  4. 'Other Public Sector Bank' comprises IDBI Ltd. only.