

**TABLE 1.2 : POPULATION GROUP-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF OFFICES OPENED OR
CLOSED BY COMMERCIAL BANKS — 2005 AND 2006**

Bank Group	Number of Offices									
	As on March 31, 2005					Opened during April 1, 2004 to March 31, 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)	
State bank of India & its Associates	5217	4006	2502	2196	13921	15	30	53	40	138
Nationalised Banks \$	12992	7072	7352	7572	34988	31	124	194	246	595
Foreign Banks	—	—	28	217	245	—	—	5	26	31
Regional Rural Banks	11547	2512	632	55	14746	13	25	9	—	47
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	1031	1725	1893	1799	6448	16	79	266	253	614
Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	3	10	12	—	25	1	2	3	—	6
All Commercial Banks	30790	15325	12419	11839	70373	76	260	530	565	1431

	Closed during April 1, 2004 to March 31, 2005					Net increase (+) or decrease (-)				
	Rural	Semi-Urban	Urban	Metro-politan	Total	Rural	Semi-Urban	Urban	Metro-politan	Total
State bank of India & its Associates	9	4	1	2	16	6	26	52	38	122
Nationalised Banks \$	22	11	7	32	72	9	113	187	214	523
Foreign Banks	—	—	1	9	10	—	—	4	17	21
Regional Rural Banks	17	—	—	—	17	-4	25	9	—	30
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	15	14	25	61	115	1	65	241	192	499
Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	3	3	2	—	8	-2	-1	1	—	-2
All Commercial Banks	66	32	36	104	238	10	228	494	461	1193

Notes : \$ Includes IDBI Ltd.

1. Population group classification is based on 2001 census.
2. The number of closure of offices under any population group includes conversion / merger of offices.
3. No. of offices includes administrative offices.
4. Data for 2005 have been revised.

Source : Master Office File (latest updated version) on commercial banks, Department of Statistical Analysis and Computer Services, RBI.

TABLE 1.2 : POPULATION GROUP-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF OFFICES OPENED OR CLOSED BY COMMERCIAL BANKS — 2005 AND 2006 (Concl.)

Bank Group	Number of Offices									
	As on March 31, 2006					Opened during April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006				
	Rural	Semi-Urban	Urban	Metro-politan	Total	Rural	Semi-Urban	Urban	Metro-politan	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	
State bank of India & its Associates	5218	4036	2548	2237	14039	11	30	47	49	137
Nationalised Banks \$	12991	7150	7503	7712	35356	18	69	105	111	303
Foreign Banks	—	1	36	224	261	—	1	8	10	19
Regional Rural Banks	11522	2522	645	58	14747	18	12	10	2	42
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	1034	1782	2003	1927	6746	9	72	163	180	424
Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	4	12	12	—	28	1	2	—	—	3
All Commercial Banks	30769	15503	12747	12158	71177	57	186	333	352	928
	Closed during April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006					Net increase (+) or decrease (-)				
State bank of India & its Associates	10	—	1	8	19	1	30	46	41	118
Nationalised Banks \$	21	5	5	24	55	-3	64	100	87	248
Foreign Banks	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	8	8	17
Regional Rural Banks	38	1	2	—	41	-20	11	8	2	1
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	3	1	2	1	7	6	71	161	179	417
Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	3
All Commercial Banks	72	7	10	35	124	-15	179	323	317	804

Notes : \$ Includes IDBI Ltd.

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2. The number of closure of offices under any population group includes conversion / merger of offices.
3. No. of offices includes administrative offices.
4. Data for 2006 are provisional.

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