

**Table 29a : State-Wise Distribution of Offices of Commercial Banks
According To Population Group - 1997 (Part 1 of 2)**

State / Union Territory	Number of Offices										
	As on 31st March 1996	Opened during 1st April 1996 to 31st March 1997					As on 31st March 1997				
		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)	
Andaman & Nicobar	31	--	--	--	--	-	17	14	--	--	31
Andhra Pradesh	5003	1	10	31	18	60	2448	1133	950	516	5047
Arunachal Pradesh	69	--	--	--	--	-	68	1	--	--	69
Assam	1275	--	2	1	--	3	839	258	179	--	1276
Bihar	5030	2	7	8	--	17	3527	896	624	--	5047
Chandigarh	164	--	--	12	--	12	9	10	157	--	176
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	7	--	--	--	--	--	5	2	--	--	7
Daman & Diu	13	--	--	--	--	--	1	12	--	--	13
Delhi	1302	--	--	--	32	32	56	15	--	1263	1334
Goa	289	2	5	--	--	7	154	142	--	--	296
Gujarat	3611	--	6	12	21	39	1562	782	457	841	3642
Haryana	1393	1	9	20	--	30	691	326	406	--	1423
Himachal Pradesh	771	3	--	--	--	3	650	124	--	--	774
Jammu & Kashmir	817	1	--	4	--	5	581	80	160	--	821
Karnataka	4619	3	24	12	20	59	2236	1007	723	702	4668
Kerala	3171	1	32	16	--	49	346	2256	618	--	3220
Lakshadweep	9	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	--	--	9
Madhya Pradesh	4514	2	6	17	15	40	2732	912	576	316	4536
Maharashtra	6161	1	15	19	57	92	2322	1044	872	2013	6251
Manipur	88	--	--	--	--	--	51	14	23	--	88
Meghalaya	181	--	--	--	--	--	131	17	33	--	181
Mizoram	80	--	--	--	--	--	61	9	10	--	80
Nagaland	72	--	--	--	--	--	38	34	--	--	72
Orissa	2193	--	--	3	--	3	1611	299	279	--	2189
Pondicherry	76	--	--	1	--	1	23	15	39	--	77
Punjab	2372	11	28	22	7	68	1115	614	529	182	2440
Rajasthan	3291	1	13	10	11	35	1926	717	452	231	3326
Sikkim	46	--	--	--	--	--	36	10	--	--	46
Tamil Nadu	4756	3	12	16	21	52	1849	1193	999	765	4806
Tripura	184	--	--	--	--	--	123	29	32	--	184
Uttar Pradesh	8906	2	13	34	6	55	5441	1482	1494	527	8944
West Bengal	4443	--	3	8	18	29	2276	570	596	1028	4470
Total	64937	34	185	246	226	691	32934	14017	10208	8384	65543

- Notes** : 1. No. of offices includes Administrative Offices also.
2. Data for 1997 have been revised.
3. Classification of population groups is based on 1991 census.

- : Nil.

Source : Master Office File (latest updated version) on commercial bank branches.