

**Table 31b : State and Population Group-Wise Distribution of  
Offices of Commercial Banks - 1998 (Part 2 of 2)**

Region/State/ Union Territory	As on 31st March									
	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)
<b>Northern Region</b>	<b>4632</b>	<b>5025</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>1944</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1770</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1746</b>	<b>5124</b>	<b>10485</b>
	(15.0)	(15.3)	(9.0)	(13.7)	(12.5)	(16.9)	(16.7)	(20.2)	(14.2)	(15.8)
Haryana	643	694	92	340	12	432	--	--	747	1466
Himachal Pradesh	605	654	14	127	--	--	--	--	619	781
Jammu & Kashmir	483	578	22	81	2	165	--	--	507	824
Punjab	1030	1117	99	641	9	544	1	194	1139	2496
Rajasthan	1807	1917	211	728	13	463	1	238	2032	3346
Chandigarh	9	9	2	10	1	166	--	--	12	185
Delhi	55	56	12	17	--	--	1	1314	68	1387
<b>North Eastern Region</b>	<b>1226</b>	<b>1311</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>279</b>	--	--	<b>1353</b>	<b>1952</b>
	(4.0)	(4.0)	(2.3)	(2.5)	(3.0)	(2.7)	--	--	(3.7)	(2.9)
Arunachal Pradesh	60	68	1	1	--	--	--	--	61	69
Assam	785	838	73	258	5	180	--	--	863	1276
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	113	124	13	29	1	33	--	--	127	186
<b>Eastern Region</b>	<b>7064</b>	<b>7471</b>	<b>774</b>	<b>1803</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1542</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1042</b>	<b>7906</b>	<b>11858</b>
	(22.9)	(22.7)	(15.4)	(12.7)	(22.6)	(14.7)	(5.6)	(12.1)	(21.9)	(17.9)
Bihar	3317	3528	401	901	16	636	--	--	3734	5065
Orissa	1545	1614	93	306	6	300	--	--	1644	2220
Sikkim	32	36	1	10	--	--	--	--	33	46
West Bengal	2155	2276	277	572	45	606	1	1042	2478	4496
Andaman & Nicobar	15	17	2	14	--	--	--	--	17	31
<b>Central Region</b>	<b>7492</b>	<b>8142</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>2429</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>2136</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>8358</b>	<b>13573</b>
	(24.3)	(24.8)	(15.9)	(17.1)	(20.2)	(20.4)	(22.2)	(10.0)	(23.1)	(20.5)
Madhya Pradesh	2417	2706	286	916	21	594	2	328	2726	4544
Uttar Pradesh	5075	5436	516	1513	39	1542	2	538	5632	9029
<b>Western Region</b>	<b>3830</b>	<b>4052</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>2027</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>1354</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2935</b>	<b>4550</b>	<b>10368</b>
	(12.4)	(12.3)	(13.3)	(14.2)	(14.5)	(12.9)	(38.9)	(34.0)	(12.6)	(15.6)
Goa	143	159	10	154	--	--	--	--	153	313
Gujarat	1467	1561	259	790	14	468	3	856	1743	3675
Maharashtra	2214	2326	398	1066	29	886	4	2079	2645	6357
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	5	5	1	5	--	--	--	--	6	10
Daman & Diu	1	1	2	12	--	--	--	--	3	13
<b>Southern Region</b>	<b>6536</b>	<b>6894</b>	<b>2219</b>	<b>5668</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>3404</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2050</b>	<b>8839</b>	<b>18016</b>
	(21.2)	(21.0)	(44.1)	(39.8)	(27.3)	(32.5)	(16.7)	(23.7)	(24.5)	(27.2)
Andhra Pradesh	2321	2444	467	1152	34	974	1	534	2823	5104
Karnataka	2108	2222	279	1029	14	741	1	732	2402	4724

Kerala	309	347	1034	2268	7	635	--	--	1350	3250
Tamil Nadu	1767	1849	434	1204	25	1014	1	784	2227	4851
Lakshadweep	9	9	--	--	--	--	--	--	9	9
Pondicherry	22	23	5	15	1	40	--	--	28	78
<b>All India</b>	<b>30780</b>	<b>32895</b>	<b>5035</b>	<b>14233</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>10485</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>8639</b>	<b>36130</b>	<b>66252</b>
	(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 are Provisional.
  3. Population group classification is based on 1991 census.
  4. Figures in bracket indicate percent share in total.

- : Nil.

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