Table 30b: Population Group-Wise Distribution of Offices Opened or Closed By Commercial Banks - 1998 (Part 2 of 2)

Bank Group	Number of offices									
	As on 31st March 1998				Opened during 1st April 1997 to 31st March 1998					
	Rural	Semi-	Urban	Metro-	Total	Rural	Semi-	Urban	Metro-	Total
		urban		politan			urban		politan	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
State Bank of India	4119	2424	1425	991	8959		4	18	13	35
Associates of State Bank of India	1389	1508	791	685	4373	6	16	23	22	67
Nationalised Banks	13916	6726	6675	5830	33147	26	119	165	123	433
Foreign Banks		3	17	176	196			1	10	11
Regional Rural Banks	12319	1933	393	9	14654	13	37	7	2	59
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	1149	1637	1183	945	4914	11	41	69	91	212
Non-Scheduled Commercial Banks	3	2	1	3	9				1	1
Total	32895	14233	10485	8639	66252	56	217	283	262	818
	Closed during 1st April 1997 to 31st Marc				ch 1998 Net increase (+) or decrease (-)					
State Bank of India	7				7	-7	4	18	13	28
Associates of State Bank of India	1				1	5	16	23	22	66
Nationalised Banks	3		1	2	6	23	119	164	121	427
Foreign Banks					-	-	-	1	10	11
Regional Rural Banks	82				82	-69	37	7	2	-23
Other Scheduled Commercial Banks	2	1	4	5	12	9	40	65	86	200
Non-scheduled Commercial Banks			1		1	-	-	-1	1	-
Total	95	1	6	7	109	-39	216	277	255	709

Notes : 1. Population group classification is based on 1991 census.

2. The number of closure of offices under any population group includes conversion/merger of offices.

3. No. of offices includes Administrative offices also.

4. Data are provisional.

- : Nil

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