

**TABLE 60 : POPULATION GROUP-WISE NUMBER OF BRANCHES OF SCHEDULED COMMERCIAL BANKS**

(Number)

Year	Rural	Semi-urban	Urban	Metropolitan	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6
1978	11806	7628	4843	3739	<b>28016</b>
1979	13337	7889	5037	3939	<b>30202</b>
1980	15105	8122	5178	4014	<b>32419</b>
1981	17656	8471	5454	4126	<b>35707</b>
1982	20401	8809	5693	4274	<b>39177</b>
1983	22686	9081	5917	4395	<b>42079</b>
1984	25380	9326	6116	4510	<b>45332</b>
1985	30185	9816	6578	4806	<b>51385</b>
1986	29703	10585	7209	5790	<b>53287</b>
1987	30209	10637	7218	5795	<b>53859</b>
1988	31114	11132	7322	5842	<b>55410</b>
1989	33014	11166	7524	5995	<b>57699</b>
1990	34791	11324	8042	5595	<b>59752</b>
1991	35206	11344	8046	5624	<b>60220</b>
1992	35269	11356	8279	5666	<b>60570</b>
1993	35389	11465	8562	5753	<b>61169</b>
1994	35329	11890	8745	5839	<b>61803</b>
1995	33004	13341	8868	7154	<b>62367</b>
1996	32995	13561	9086	7384	<b>63026</b>
1997	32915	13766	9340	7529	<b>63550</b>
1998	32878	13980	9597	7763	<b>64218</b>
1999	32857	14168	9898	8016	<b>64939</b>
2000	32734	14407	10052	8219	<b>65412</b>
2001	32562	14597	10293	8467	<b>65919</b>
2002	32380	14747	10477	8586	<b>66190</b>
2003	32303	14859	10693	8680	<b>66535</b>
2004	32121	15091	11000	8976	<b>67188</b>
2005	32082	15403	11500	9370	<b>68355</b>
2006	29534	16184	12166	11732	<b>69616</b>
2007	29658	16970	13009	12351	<b>71988</b>
2008	30173	18246	14232	13315	<b>75966</b>
2009	30821	19569	15245	14277	<b>79912</b>
2010	31845	21313	16621	15391	<b>85170</b>
2011	33315	23630	17571	16403	<b>90919</b>
2012	35931	26392	18811	17478	<b>98612</b>
2013	39199	29163	19874	18348	<b>106584</b>
2014	44676	32216	21515	19589	<b>117996</b>
2015	48140	34526	23098	20879	<b>126643</b>
2016	50561	36455	24395	22088	<b>133499</b>
2017	49836	39061	24947	26618	<b>140462</b>
2018	50748	39695	25348	26851	<b>142642</b>

**Note** : Data exclude 'Administrative Offices'.

**Source** : Reserve Bank of India.

Also see Notes on Tables.