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Banking System: Key Data

	As at end-				
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Number of institutions	49	47	46	41	42
- Commercial banks	25	24	23	23	23
- Finance companies	12	11	11	6	3 ¹
- Merchant banks	10	10	10	10	10
- Islamic banks	2	2	2	2	6
Risk-weighted capital ratio (%)	13.0	13.2	13.8	14.4	13.1
- Commercial banks ²	12.6	13.0	13.6	14.1	12.9
- Merchant banks	19.6	19.0	19.2	22.9	17.5
- Islamic banks	14.4	12.6	11.7	12.3	14.2
Office network	2,675	2,531	2,563	2,429	2,857
- Commercial banks ²	2,534	2,386	2,414	2,276	2,072
- Merchant banks	19	17	17	17	19
- Islamic banks	122	128	132	136	766
ATM network	4,169	4,213	4,396	4,708	4,892
- Commercial banks ²	3,991	4,028	4,184	4,428	4,584
- Islamic banks	178	185	212	280	308
Number of banks with internet services	8	12	12	13	13
- Commercial banks	8	12	12	13	13
Persons served per office	8,724	9,757	9,839	10,605	9,295
Number of employees	93,329	90,864	90,844	93,948	96,106
- Commercial banks ²	87,886	85,296	85,092	87,222	89,047
- Merchant banks	2,402	2,451	2,429	2,690	2,625
- Islamic banks	3,041	3,117	3,323	4,036	4,434

¹ Includes RHB Delta Finance Berhad, Southern Finance Berhad and Bumiputra-Commerce Finance Berhad whose merger with commercial bank were completed on 1 January 2006

² Includes finance companies