



**Learning from the best Ujjivan team visits BRAC and Grameen Bank** Field team tours Bangladesh to learn from practices and processes at two of the world's best microfinance & development organisations. [Details...](#)



**Signal of hope Solar streetlamp at home for mentally challenged children** Microfinance customers in and branch staff help Ranchi's mentally challenged children under Ujjivan's social development program [More...](#)



**Managing talent Ujjivan shares Best Practices at microfinance HR discussion** Women's World Banking invited Ujjivan to share best practices in HR in the microfinance industry [More...](#)

## Customer Spotlight



**Kalpana** a trained and skillful *pattachitra* artist dreams of making it big and helping her family move out of poverty. Her designs of Orissa's traditional world-renowned *pattachitra* artistry helped her win several awards. Yet, the bane of being a single unmarried woman in India prevents her from reaching her aspirations. [Read her story...](#)



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## Business Performance

As on February 28, 2013

• Customers	1,077,408
• Borrowers	978,757
• States (and UTs)	20
• Under-banked districts	48
• Branches	299
• Loans Disbursed	45,095 Mn.
• Loans Outstanding	10,479 Mn.
• Repayment Rate*	99.53%

### During the month:

• New Customers <sup>#</sup>	40,406
• No. of Loans Disbursed	93,948

### Human Resources

Field Staff	3015
<b>Total Employees</b>	<b>3610</b>

\* Total repayment received divided by the total amount due of the loan portfolio outstanding as on the date. (provisional)

# Indicates absolute number of new entrants in the records and does not account for customers who may have dropped out during the month

## Charity run for education of underprivileged children

*Dr. Sarah Owen-Vanderlius, a director with KPMG will be participating in a triathlon to raise funds for the education of 250 poor slum children by Parinaam Foundation*

"On 24th March, I will be competing in my first ever triathlon. I am raising money for Parinaam Foundation, a fantastic charity, which works with the urban poor across India.

I have never been moved before to raise money for any cause before - but I have been so impressed with Parinaam and the big difference it has made for the people it works with."

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