

TABLE 1

Union Membership 1911-1971, and Union Membership as Percentage of the Civilian Labour Force and of the Total Non-Agricultural Paid Workers, 1921-1971
 (Selected Years)

Year	Union Membership (Thousands)	Union Membership as Percentage of Civilian Labour Force(a)	Union Membership as Percentage of Non-Agricultural Paid Workers(b)
1911	133		
1916	160		
1921	313	9.4	16.0
1926	275	7.5	12.0
1931	311	7.5	15.3
1936	323	7.2	16.2
1941	462	10.3	18.0
1946	832	17.1	27.9
(b)			
1951	1,029	19.7	28.4
1952	1,146	21.4	30.2
1953	1,220	23.4	33.0
1954	1,268	24.2	33.8
1955	1,268	23.6	33.7
1956	1,352	24.5	33.3
1957	1,386	24.3	32.4
1958	1,454	24.7	34.2
1959	1,459	24.0	33.3
1960	1,459	23.5	32.3
1961	1,447	22.6	31.6
1962	1,423	22.2	30.2
1963	1,449	22.3	29.8
1964	1,493	22.3	29.4
1965	1,589	23.2	29.7
1966	1,736	24.5	30.7
1967	1,921	26.1	32.3
1968	2,010	26.6	33.1
1969	2,075	26.3	32.5
1970	2,173	27.2	33.6
1971	2,211	26.5	33.3