

# Popular movement archive 1881-1950

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## Description

In 1965 a research project on the history of Swedish popular movements was initiated at the Department of History, Uppsala University. The history of the people's movements was described based on the local associations and their functions. A main question was whether there is a particular type of society or environment where popular movements develop more easily.

It became necessary to draw up a special code for the administrative division of Sweden. Before 1952 there were more than 2,500 municipalities, and over time several of them had changed their borders, new municipalities had come into existence, and old municipalities had been incorporated into the rapidly growing urban municipalities. A code system, GEOKOD, was created to take account of all such changes.

It wasn't just the municipalities that changed. The organizations also changed, this applied to a particularly high degree to the trade unions. It had to become a research task to systematize the entire flora of associations in Sweden, mainly all the trade unions that arose, dissolved, or merged into one another.

To map the spread of the major popular movements, information was collected on the number of members in each local association as of December 31 each year. The free church movement, the temperance movement, the trade union movement, and the social democratic party was included. The database contains data from over 4,000 trade union departments.

## Data contains personal data

No

## Language

[Swedish](#)

## Unit of analysis

[Organization/Institution](#)

## Population

Local organizations within the popular movement 1881-1950

### **Time Method**

[Time series: Discrete](#)

### **Sampling procedure**

[Total universe/Complete enumeration](#)

Local organizations within the free church movement, the temperance movement, the trade union movement and the social democratic party in the years 1881-1950

### **Time period(s) investigated**

1881 - 1950

### **Variables**

98

### **Number of individuals/objects**

41315

### **Data format / data structure**

[Numeric](#)

### **Data collection 1**

- Mode of collection: Aggregation
- Description of the mode of collection: The number of members in each local organization as of 31 December each year
- Data collector: Uppsala University
- Source of the data: Registers/Records/Accounts: Administrative, Registers/Records/Accounts

### **Geographic spread**

Geographic location: [Sweden](#)

### **Lowest geographic unit**

Municipality

### **Highest geographic unit**

Country

### **Responsible department/unit**

Department of History

### **Research area**

[History](#) (CESSDA Topic Classification)

[Government, political systems and organisations](#) (CESSDA Topic Classification)

[Political science](#) (Standard för svensk indelning av forskningsämnen 2011)

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## Keywords

[Membership](#), [Labour movement](#), [Trade union membership](#), [Trade unions](#), [Religious societies](#), [Popular movement](#), [Free church movement](#), [Temperance movement](#)

## Publications

Andrae, C. G., & Lundkvist, S. (1984) Arbetarhistoria, meddelanden från arbetarrörelsens arkiv och bibliotek; No. 31-32 1984.

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## Accessibility level

Access to data through SND  
Data are accessible by order

## Use of data

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## Versions

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## Related research data in SND's catalogue

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[National Swedish Association of Insurance Agents 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Foundry Workers' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Glass Workers' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Union of General Workers 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Miners' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Commercial Employees' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Hat Workers' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Hotel and Restaurant Workers' Union 1881-1950](#)

[Swedish Railwaymen´s Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Tilestove Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Chemical-Technical Mill and Leather Industry Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Chemical-Technical and Mill Industry Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Chemical-Technical and Leather Industry Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Municipal Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Cork Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Women´s Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Chemical-Technical Industri Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Agricultural Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Lithographers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Food Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Metal Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Bricklayers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Musicians´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Painters´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Pulp and Paper Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Postmen´s Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Ropemakers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Saddlers´ and Upholsterers´ union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Shoe and Leather Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
[Swedish Shoe Workers´ Union 1881-1950](#)  
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[Social-Democratic Labour Party of Sweden 1881-1950](#)

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