

Table 4
AEA membership and ASSA convention data, 1950–2001

Year	Total members*	Nominal dues	Real dues**	New Ph.D.'s per year***	Convention registration	Nominal convention registration fee	Real convention registration fee**	Convention city
1950	6936	6	24	200	3458	1	4	Chicago
1951	7068	6	23	223	2948	2	8	Bosont
1952	7267	6	22	239	2729	2	7	Chicago
1953	7335	6	22	242	4664	2	7	Washington D.C.
1954	7486	6	22	245	2001	2	7	Detroit
1955	7555	6	22	239	4007	2	7	New York
1956	8450	6	22	232	2795	2	7	Cleveland
1957	8600	6	21	236	2812	2	7	Philadelphia
1958	9189	6	21	239	2291	2	7	Chicago
1959	10159	6	20	238	5674	2	7	Washington D.C.
1960	10837	6	20	237	3185	2	7	St. Louis
1961	11054	6	20	253	5679	8	10	New York
1962	11285	6	20	268	3853	8	10	Pittsburgh
1963	11973	8	26	327	4528	8	10	Boston
1964	13025	8	26	385	6441	8	10	Chicago
1965	14127	10	31	422	5464	8	9	New York
1966	15239	10	30	458	4687	8	9	San Francisco
1967	16675	10	29	521	9864	8	9	Washington D.C.
1968	17835	10	28	600	5136	8	8	Chicago
1969	19061	10	27	697	8628	5	13	New York
1970	18908	10	25	794	8100	6	15	Detroit
1971	18080	20	49	721	5913	6	15	New Orleans
1972	17286	20	47	794	6119	6	14	Toronto
1973	17933	20	43	845	6352	10	22	New York
1974	18348	21	40	788	4430	10	19	San Francisco
1975	19115	35	41	815	3885	10	18	Dallas
1976	18512	35	60	763	4279	15	26	Atlantic City
1977	16802	35	56	758	6381	15	24	New York
1978	18901	37	54	706	2997	15	22	Chicago
1979	19459	37	48	712	4640	15	20	Atlanta
1980	19459	40	47	677	2516	20	23	Denver
1981	19936	42	45	727	6340	20	21	Washington D.C.
1982	20086	43	44	677	6716	20	20	New York
1983	20162	45	44	734	5735	20	20	San Francisco
1984	19886	46	44	729	5065	25	24	Dallas
1985	20606	49	45	749	7349	25	23	New York
1986	20106	53	48	789	6135	25	23	New Orleans
1987	20092	54	47	750	6384	25	22	Chicago
1988	20647	54	45	825	8203	25	21	New York
1989	21570	59	47	872	6627	30	24	Atlanta
1990	21578	59	44	836	8050	30	22	Washington D.C.
1991	21491	62	45	861	Not held	Not held	Not held	—
1992	21273	64	45	885	6817	30	22	New Orleans
1993	22005	66	46	906	6158	30	21	Anaheim
1994	21649	69	46	913	7383	30	21	Boston
1995	21565	70	46	952	8290	40	27	Washington D.C.
1996	21056	73	46	979	7320	40	26	San Francisco
1997	21720	75	46	998	7072	40	25	New Orleans

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1998	20874	77	47	973	7504	40	25	Chicago
1999	20048	78	46	950	8448	50	31	New York
2000	19668	80	46	925	7815	50	30	Boston
2001	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	8136	50	29	New Orleans

* Regular, student, life, and honorary.

** 1982–84 dollars = 100.

*** For the years 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 70, 72, 74 the average of the year before and the year after were used. Ph.D.'s for the year 1999 and 2000 were estimated.