

Need another word that means the same as “union”? Find 66 synonyms and 30 related words for “union” in this overview.

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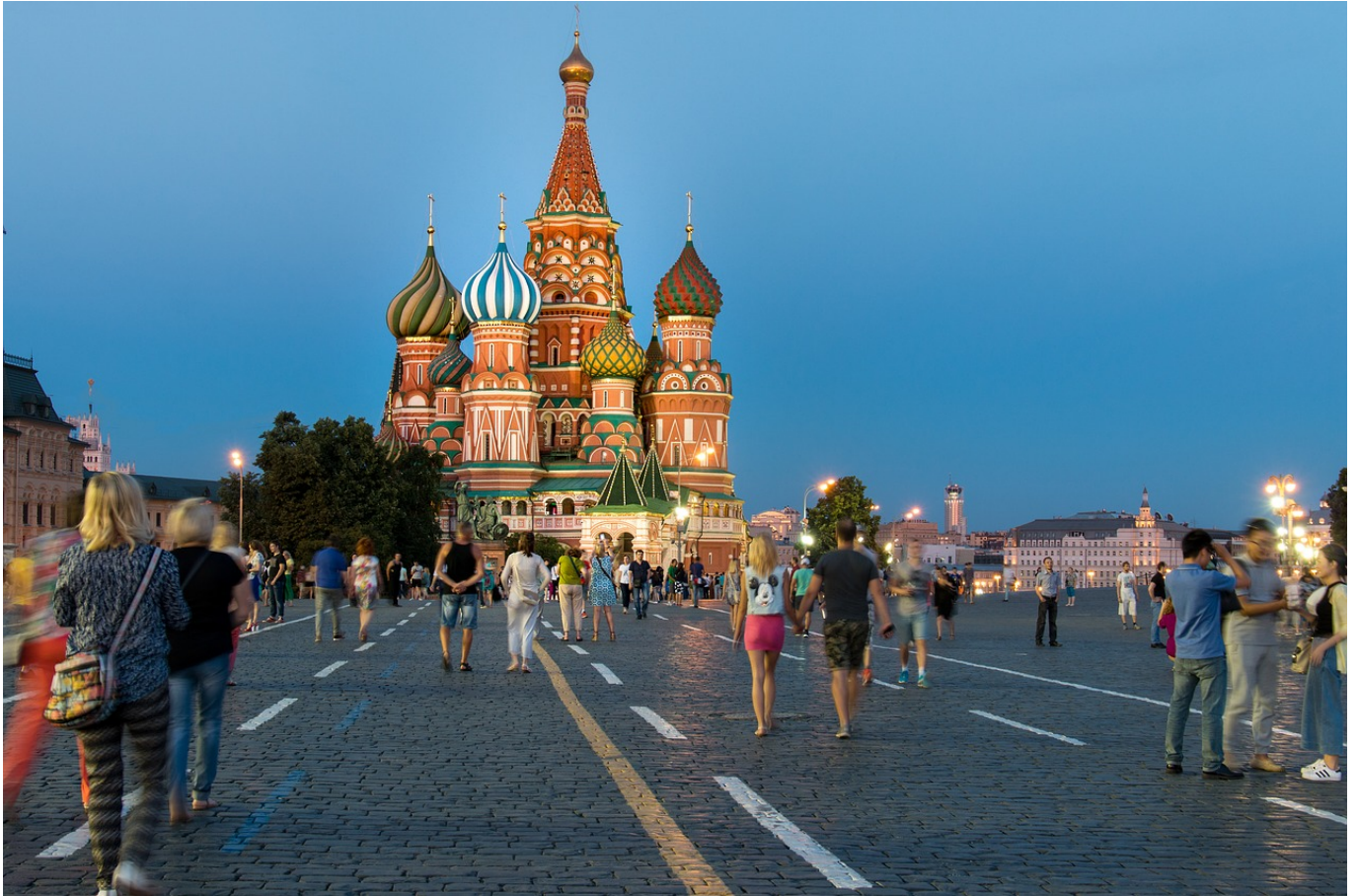
Union as a Noun

Definitions of "Union" as a noun

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), “union” as a noun can have the following definitions:

- *A trade union.*
- *The northern states of the United States which opposed the seceding Confederate states in the American Civil War.*
- *The state of being a married couple voluntarily joined for life (or until divorce).*
- *The state of being joined or united or linked.*

- *Healing process involving the growing together of the edges of a wound or the growing together of broken bones.*
- *An association of independent Churches, especially Congregational or Baptist, for purposes of cooperation.*
- *A fabric made of two or more different yarns, typically cotton and linen or silk.*
- *The United States (especially the northern states during the American Civil War.*
- *The action of joining together or the fact of being joined together, especially in a political context.*
- *The uniting of the English and Scottish crowns in 1603, of the English and Scottish parliaments in 1707, or of the parliaments of Great Britain and Ireland in 1801.*
- *A society or association formed by people with a common interest or purpose.*
- *A part of a flag with an emblem symbolizing national union, typically occupying the upper corner next to the staff.*
- *A joint or coupling for pipes.*
- *The act of pairing a male and female for reproductive purposes.*
- *A political unit formed from previously independent people or organizations.*
- *The United States, especially from its founding by the original thirteen states in 1787-90 to the secession of the Confederate states in 1860-1.*
- *The act of making or becoming a single unit.*
- *(in South Asia) a local administrative unit comprising several rural villages.*
- *The operation of forming a union.*
- *A state of harmony or agreement.*
- *The set that comprises all the elements (and no others) contained in any of two or more given sets.*
- *The occurrence of a uniting of separate parts.*
- *An organization of employees formed to bargain with the employer.*
- *A marriage.*
- *A set containing all and only the members of two or more given sets.*
- *A political unit consisting of a number of states or provinces with the same central government.*
- *A device on a national flag emblematic of the union of two or more sovereignties (typically in the upper inner corner.*
- *South Africa, especially before it became a republic in 1961.*
- *A number of parishes consolidated for the purposes of administering the Poor Laws.*



Synonyms of "Union" as a noun (65 Words)

accord

Harmony of people's opinions or actions or characters.
*Opposition groups refused to sign the **accord**.*

affiliation

A social or business relationship.
*The group has no **affiliation** to any preservation society.*

agreement

Harmony of people's opinions or actions or characters.
*A trade **agreement**.*

alliance

The act of forming an alliance or confederation.
*An **alliance** between medicine and morality.*

amalgamation

The combination of two or more commercial companies.
*An **amalgamation** of two separate companies.*

association

A group of organisms (plants and animals) that live together in a certain geographical region and constitute a community with a few dominant species.
*He developed a close **association** with the university.*

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| blend | The act of blending components together thoroughly. <i>Nearly all Scotch whiskies are blends.</i> |
| blending | The act of blending components together thoroughly. <i>Clever cultural blendings.</i> |
| bond | Criminal law money that must be forfeited by the bondsman if an accused person fails to appear in court for trial. <i>Each carbon atom uses three electrons to form bonds with the adjacent atoms.</i> |
| <u>brotherhood</u> | The feeling of kinship with and closeness to a group of people or all people. <i>A gesture of solidarity and brotherhood.</i> |
| <u>coalition</u> | The state of being combined into one body. <i>A coalition between Liberals and Conservatives.</i> |
| combination | A sequence of numbers or letters used to open a combination lock. <i>A good uppercut hook combination.</i> |
| combining | The act of combining things to form a new whole. |
| <u>compact</u> | Something that is a small and conveniently shaped example of its kind in particular a compact camera. <i>Strength is then introduced by infiltrating glass into the compact.</i> |
| <u>concord</u> | Agreement of opinions. <i>A pact of peace and concord.</i> |
| concurrence | Agreement of results or opinions. <i>The number of possible concurrences in the diagram.</i> |
| <u>confederation</u> | The act of forming an alliance or confederation. <i>A confederation of trade unions.</i> |
| conglutination | Healing process involving the growing together of the edges of a wound or the growing together of broken bones. |
| conjugation | The class in which a verb is put according to the manner of this variation. <i>Toxic compounds eliminated from the body by conjugation with glutathione.</i> |
| <u>conjunction</u> | The grammatical relation between linguistic units words or phrases or clauses that are connected by a conjunction. <i>The planet reached conjunction with the sun.</i> |
| connection | (usually plural) a person who is influential and to whom you are connected in some way (as by family or friendship). <i>He had connections in the music industry.</i> |

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| consolidation | Something that has consolidated into a compact mass. <i>A business selling debt consolidation services.</i> |
| coupling | The act of pairing a male and female for reproductive purposes. <i>A train with couplings of the continental pattern.</i> |
| <u>federation</u> | An organization formed by merging several groups or parties. <i>A first step in the federation of Europe.</i> |
| fusing | Any igniter that is used to initiate the burning of a propellant. |
| <u>fusion</u> | The act of fusing (or melting) together. <i>The film showed a perfect fusion of image and sound.</i> |
| <u>guild</u> | A group of species that have similar requirements and play a similar role within a community. |
| <u>harmony</u> | The combination of simultaneously sounded musical notes to produce a pleasing effect. <i>The piece owes its air of tranquillity largely to the harmony.</i> |
| integration | The act of combining into an integral whole. <i>Integration is the best hope for both black and white Americans.</i> |
| <u>intersection</u> | The act of intersecting (as joining by causing your path to intersect your target's path). <i>A red light at the intersection with Brompton Road.</i> |
| join | A place or line where two or more things are connected or fastened together. <i>It was soldered so well that you couldn't see the join.</i> |
| joining | The act of bringing two things into contact (especially for communication). <i>The joining of hands around the table.</i> |
| joint | A section of a plant stem between two joints an internode. <i>Members connected together by rigid joints.</i> |
| jointure | An estate settled on a wife for the period during which she survives her husband, in lieu of a dowry. |
| junction | The state of being joined together. <i>The junction of Queen's Road and Lancaster Avenue.</i> |
| junction | A place where things join. <i>At such junctions he always had an impulse to leave.</i> |
| labor union | An organized attempt by workers to improve their status by united action particularly via labor unions or the leaders of this movement. |
| <u>league</u> | The contest for the championship of a league. <i>The year we won the league.</i> |

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| <u>link</u> | The means of connection between things linked in series. <i>Ministers are the vital link in the chain between the civil service and Parliament.</i> |
| marriage | (in bezique and other card games) a combination of a king and queen of the same suit. <i>Her music is a marriage of funk jazz and hip hop.</i> |
| match | The score needed to win a match. <i>The child's identical twin would be a perfect match for organ donation.</i> |
| mating | A person's partner in marriage. <i>The mating of some species occurs only in the spring.</i> |
| matrimony | The ceremony or sacrament of marriage. <i>The joys of matrimony.</i> |
| merger | The combination of two or more commercial companies. <i>Local companies ripe for merger or acquisition.</i> |
| merging | The act of joining together as one. <i>The merging of the two groups occurred quickly.</i> |
| mingling | The action of people mingling and coming into contact. <i>All the random mingling and idle talk made him hate literary parties.</i> |
| <u>mixture</u> | An event that combines things in a mixture. <i>He drank a mixture of beer and lemonade.</i> |
| north | The northern part of the world or of a specified country region or town. <i>Mount Kenya is to the north of Nairobi.</i> |
| pairing | The action of pairing things or people. <i>The dancers made a fine pairing.</i> |
| partnership | A business or firm owned and run by two or more partners. <i>The action teams worked in partnership with the government.</i> |
| seam | An underground layer of a mineral such as coal or gold. <i>The track cleaves a seam through corn.</i> |
| sexual union | A political unit formed from previously independent people or organizations. |
| spousal relationship | A state involving mutual dealings between people or parties or countries. |
| <u>sum</u> | An arithmetical problem, especially at an elementary level. <i>The sum of his own knowledge.</i> |

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| synthesis | The process of making compound and derivative words. <i>The ideology represented a synthesis of certain ideas.</i> |
| trade union | The business given to a commercial establishment by its customers. |
| trades union | People who perform a particular kind of skilled work. |
| unanimity | Agreement by all people involved; consensus. <i>There is almost complete unanimity on this issue.</i> |
| unification | The state of being joined or united or linked. <i>The costs of German unification.</i> |
| <u>unison</u> | Two or more sounds or tones at the same pitch or in octaves. <i>Singing in unison.</i> |
| uniting | The combination of two or more commercial companies. |
| <u>unity</u> | Each of the three dramatic principles requiring limitation of the supposed time of a drama to that occupied in acting it or to a single day unity of time use of one scene throughout unity of place and concentration on the development of a single plot unity of action. <i>He took measures to insure the territorial unity of Croatia.</i> |
| wedding | A party of people at a wedding. |
| wedlock | The state of being a married couple voluntarily joined for life (or until divorce). |
| weld | A welded joint. |



Usage Examples of "Union" as a noun

- *You have to join the union in order to get a job.*
- *Let C be the union of the sets A and B.*
- *A currency union between the two countries.*
- *Lightning produced an unusual union of the metals.*
- *The union of opposing factions.*
- *They live in perfect union.*
- *The Mothers' Union.*
- *The National Farmers' Union.*
- *California is the fastest growing state in the Union when it comes to urban encroachment.*
- *He was opposed to closer political or economic union with Europe.*
- *There is strength in union.*
- *God bless this union.*
- *Their union had not been blessed with children.*



Union as an Adjective

Definitions of "Union" as an adjective

According to the [Oxford Dictionary of English](#), "union" as an adjective can have the following definitions:

- *Being of or having to do with the northern United States and those loyal to the Union during the American Civil War.*
- *Of trade unions.*



Synonyms of "Union" as an adjective (1 Word)

Characterized by or constituting a form of government in which power is divided
federal between one central and several regional authorities.
***Federal** property.*



Usage Examples of "Union" as an adjective

- *The union movement.*
- *A union-shop clause in the contract.*
- *Union negotiations.*



Associations of "Union" (30 Words)

affiliate

A subordinate or subsidiary associate a person who is affiliated with another or with an organization.

*She **affiliates** with her colleagues.*

affiliation

A social or business relationship.

*A valuable financial **affiliation**.*

alliance

The act of forming an alliance or confederation.

*An **alliance** between medicine and morality.*

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| ally | A state formally cooperating with another for a military or other purpose. <i>He s a good ally in fight.</i> |
| amalgamate | Joined together into a whole. <i>The amalgamated colleges constituted a university.</i> |
| association | A formal organization of people or groups of people. <i>You cannot be convicted of criminal guilt by association.</i> |
| coalescence | The union of diverse things into one body or form or group; the growing together of parts. <i>A sophisticated coalescence of melodies and harmonies.</i> |
| coalition | The union of diverse things into one body or form or group; the growing together of parts. <i>A coalition between Liberals and Conservatives.</i> |
| combine | Combine so as to form a whole mix. <i>Combine resources.</i> |
| combined | Made or joined or united into one. |
| confederacy | A group of conspirators banded together to achieve some harmful or illegal purpose. <i>The Yakuza is a secret confederacy of criminal fraternities.</i> |
| confederation | The act of forming an alliance or confederation. <i>Canada became a confederation in 1867.</i> |
| conjugate | A mixture of two partially miscible liquids A and B produces two conjugate solutions one of A in B and another of B in A. <i>Bilirubin is then conjugated by liver enzymes and excreted in the bile.</i> |
| consolidate | Make firm or secure; strengthen. <i>Consolidate fibers into boards.</i> |
| consolidation | Combining into a solid mass. <i>The defendants asked for a consolidation of the actions against them.</i> |
| federate | Relating to a federated state or organization. <i>Federate armies.</i> |
| federation | A union of political organizations. <i>A first step in the federation of Europe.</i> |
| fusion | An occurrence that involves the production of a union. <i>The election results produced pressure for fusion of the parties.</i> |
| integrate | Become one become integrated. <i>Cities efforts to integrate.</i> |
| integrated | Formed or united into a whole. <i>Integrated schools.</i> |

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| integration | The intermixing of people who were previously segregated. <i>Visuomotor integration.</i> |
| join | Cause to become joined or linked. <i>He joined the Communist Party as a young man.</i> |
| league | Unite to form a league. <i>Austin s in a league of his own.</i> |
| merge | Blend or cause to blend gradually into something else so as to become indistinguishable from it. <i>We merged our resources.</i> |
| reunify | Unify again, as of a country. <i>Will Korea reunify.</i> |
| synthesis | The combination of components or elements to form a connected whole. <i>The synthesis of methanol from carbon monoxide and hydrogen.</i> |
| unification | An occurrence that involves the production of a union. <i>He looked forward to the unification of his family for the holidays.</i> |
| unify | Make or become united, uniform, or whole. <i>Opposition groups struggling to unify around the goal of replacing the regime.</i> |
| unite | Be or become joined or united or linked. <i>He called on the party to unite.</i> |
| united | Characterized by unity; being or joined into a single entity. <i>Women acting together in a united way.</i> |

