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**Membership Coordinator's Report 2019-20**

There are three membership types:

- Full membership
- Student/Retired/ Unwaged membership
- Mailing list only membership

Current membership numbers across the three categories are:

Full membership	224
Student/Retired/ Unwaged membership	99
Mailing List Only membership	700
<b>Total</b>	<b>1023</b>

The total number of members has increased from 801 in 2019 to 1023 in 2020, with most of the growth being in the "mailing list only" membership.

**Paid Membership Numbers**

The total paid membership number of 323 represents an increase from the previous two years.

2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
297	350	413	374	406	449	435	352	423	467	329	312	286	<b>323</b>

This year the number of concessionary members (student, retired or unwaged) has increased from 67 to 99. It is likely that the online format of the last two conferences of the year, and the new researchers' day in the summer, has led to this increase in the numbers

of concessionary members. The online format of the conferences has made them cheaper for members, having no conference fee nor associated travel costs

2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
68	85	75	67	99

This year the number of members with a standard membership is similar to last year. This is despite there having been only two conferences for standard members—the conference in Cambridge in March and the online conference in November.

### **Mailing List Only**

The number of “mailing list only” members has risen from 515 in 2019 to 700 in 2020. This increase has occurred despite merging some members who had two accounts and deleting some fake accounts.

Helen Thouless, November, 2020