



# UNMUTE

## AMPLIFYING WORKER VOICE TO INFLUENCE DECISION-MAKING IN THE WORKPLACE

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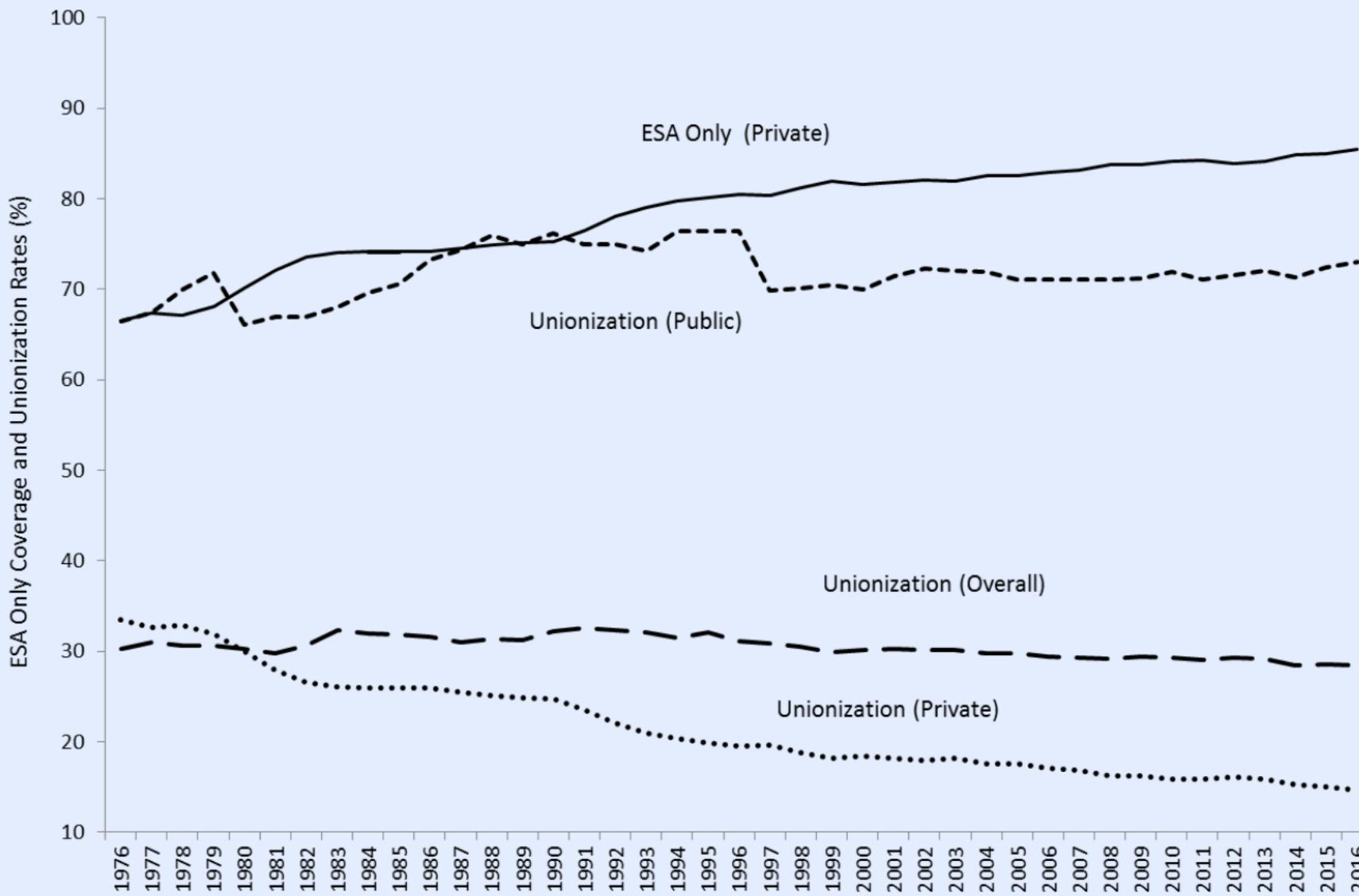


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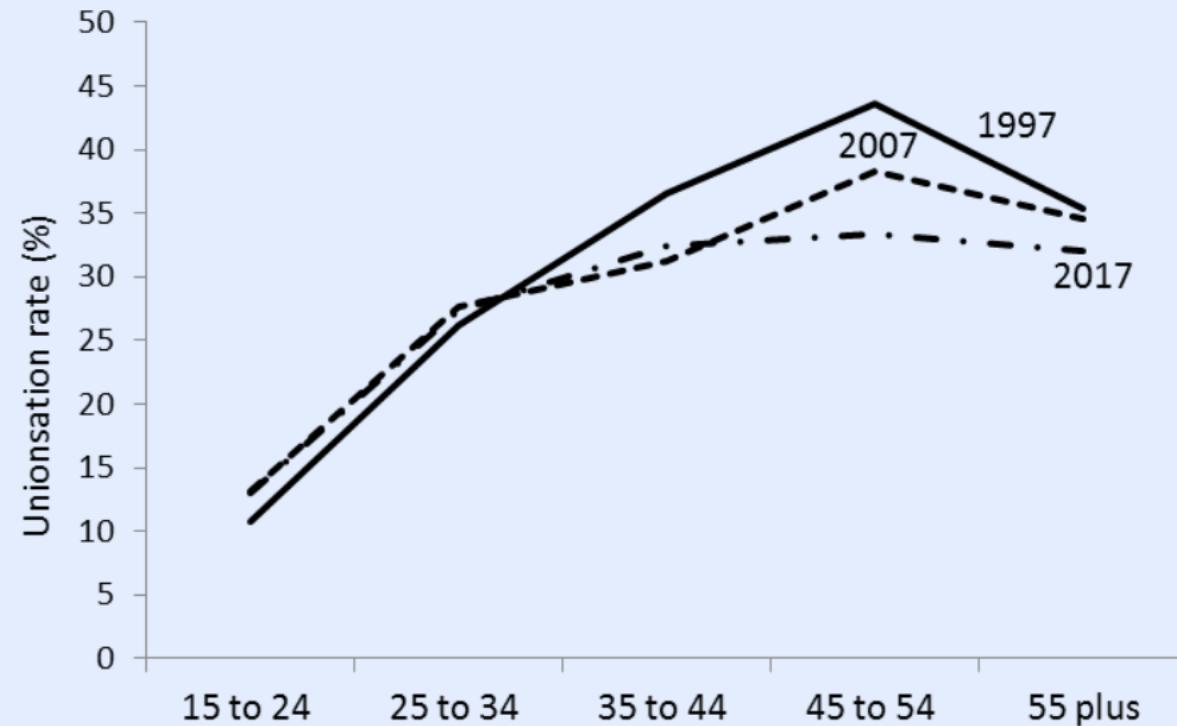
# **DECLINING UNION COVERAGE IN PRIVATE SECTOR IN CANADA**

# FIGURE 1: UNION AND ESA COVERAGE IN CANADA, 1976-2016

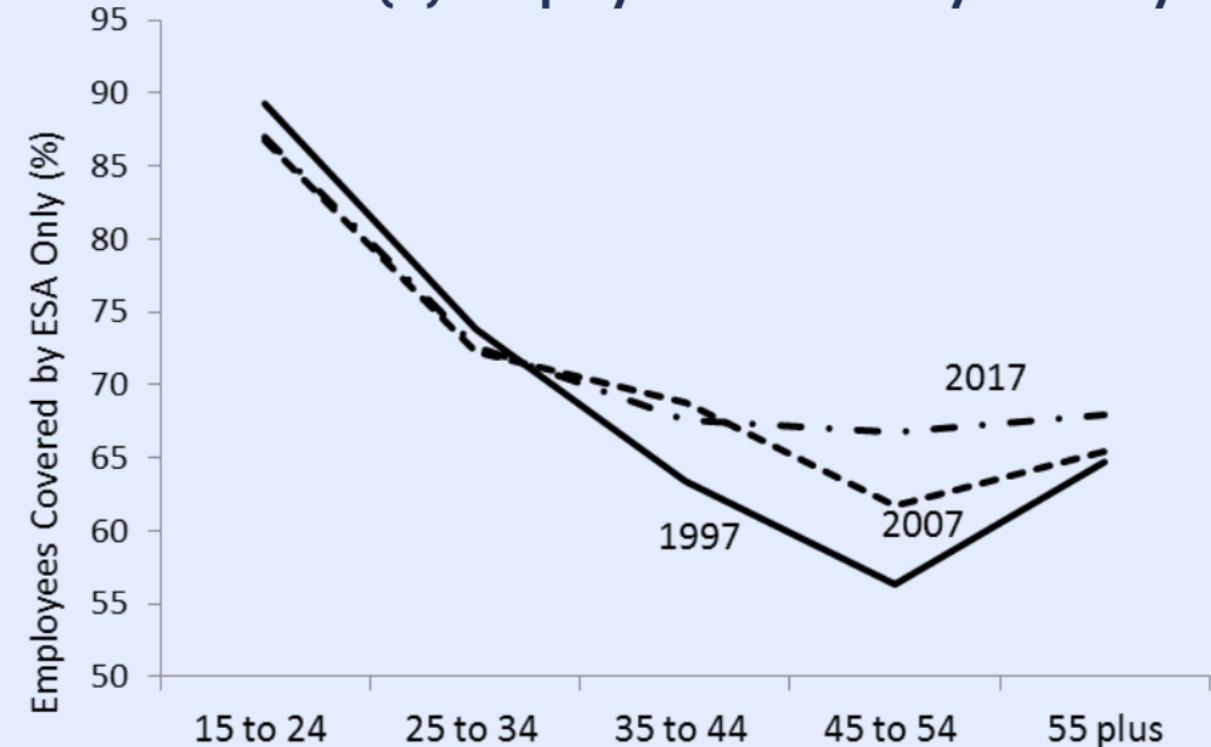


# UNIONIZATION AND "ESA-ONLY" COVERAGE BY AGE IN CANADA, 1997, 2007, 2017

Panel (a): Unionization



Panel (b): Employees covered by ESA only



As unionization and collective bargaining decline and cover fewer workers (such as young workers) ESA grows to “fill the vacuum”.