

# Basic Detail Report

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## A group of protesters march with their communist flags

### Date

1969-1979

### Medium

gelatin silver print

### Description

The Italian Communist Party (PCI) was founded as Communist Party of Italy on 21 January 1921 in Livorno, by seceding from the Italian Socialist Party (PSI). Amadeo Bordiga and Antonio Gramsci led the split. It changed its name in 1943 to PCI and became the second largest political party of Italy after World War II, attracting the support of about a third of the voters during the 1970s.

### Dimensions

Overall: 30.8 x 20.7 cm (12 1/8 x 8 1/8 in.)