

## Canada Hate Crime Report 2009

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For more information about ODIHR's Hate Crime Report, visit: [hatecrime.osce.org/our-methodology](http://hatecrime.osce.org/our-methodology)

### Summary

Canada regularly reports hate crime data to ODIHR and regularly publishes [hate crime statistics](#). Canada conducts regular [victimization surveys](#) to measure unreported hate crime.

[Hate crime data collection in Canada](#)

[Support for hate crime victims in Canada](#)

[Hate crime capacity building in Canada](#)

[Canada's hate crime legislation](#)

# Official Data

Year	Hate crimes recorded by police	Prosecuted	Sentenced
2009	1,473	not available	not available

## Police data by bias motivation

769

### Racist and xenophobic hate crime

Official figures record 760 hate crimes motivated by a bias against race or ethnicity and 9 hate crimes motivated by bias against language.

283

### Anti-Semitic hate crime

Official figures record 283 anti-Jewish hate crimes.

188

### Anti-LGBTI hate crime

Official figures record 188 hate crimes motivated by bias against sexual orientation.

96

### Unspecified

91

### Hate crime against Christians and members of other religions

Official figures record 91 anti-religion hate crimes, not including incidents motivated by an anti-Jewish or anti-Muslim bias.

36

### Anti-Muslim hate crime

The **Toronto Police Service** and the **Muslim Consultative Committee** organized an outreach event to inform Muslim communities about their efforts to combat hate crimes and to encourage them to report hate incidents.

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### Disability hate crime

Official figures record 7 hate crimes motivated by a bias against disability.

## Police data by type of crime

933

Unspecified

276

Damage to property

154

Physical assault

92

Threats/ threatening behaviour

15

Vandalism

# Incidents reported by civil society

No data reported to ODIHR.