

Denmark Hate Crime Report 2017

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Summary

Denmark regularly reports hate crime data to ODIHR. Hate crime statistics are regularly [published](#) on the Danish National Police website.

The Ministry of Justice conducts annual victimization surveys to measure unreported hate crimes. The Danish National Police [regularly engages in dialogue](#) on hate crime with a number of community stakeholders.

[Hate crime data collection in Denmark](#)

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

[Hate crime capacity building in Denmark](#)

[Denmark's hate crime legislation](#)

ODIHR's Key Observation

ODIHR observes that Denmark has not reported to ODIHR the number of prosecuted and sentenced hate crime cases.

Official Data

Year	Hate crimes recorded by police	Prosecuted	Sentenced
2017	446	not available	not available

Police data by bias motivation

In addition to the hate crimes presented below, the Danish National Police also monitored 214 incidents without charges and other investigative measures that had a bias motivation.

223

Racist and xenophobic hate crime

This category includes crimes committed due to bias on the grounds of nationality, ethnicity, "race", skin colour and other related grounds.

81

Anti-LGBTI hate crime

This figure consists of 68 crimes with homophobic motivation and 13 motivated by bias on the grounds of gender identity.

67

Anti-Muslim hate crime

38

Anti-Semitic hate crime

30

Anti-Christian hate crime

7

Other hate crime based on religion or belief

Police data by type of crime

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Unspecified	446
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National Developments

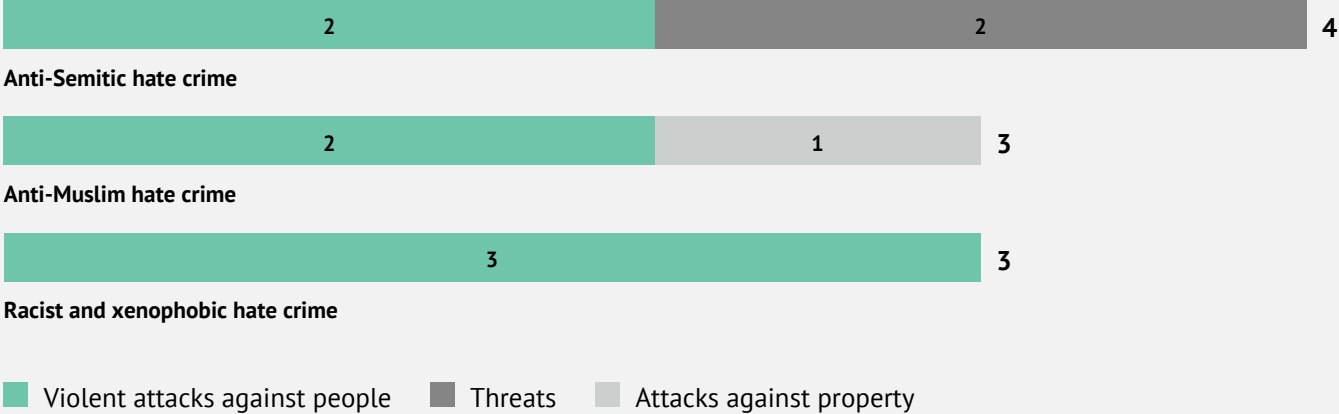
The **National Police College** delivers an initial mandatory course on hate crime, in which police cadets are taught how to interact with targeted groups and how to communicate with victims in a respectful and understanding manner.

The **Danish National Police** offers officers a training seminar on hate crime as part of continuing education efforts.

The **Danish National Police** has continued a dialogue on hate crime with a number of significant stakeholders to establish closer and ongoing co-operation with civil society.

Incidents reported by civil society

Total 8 incidents



Please note that the total number of incidents may be lower than the sum of incidents presented in the breakdown chart above, as some incidents involve multiple bias motivations.

Targeted properties

Total 1 incidents targeting properties

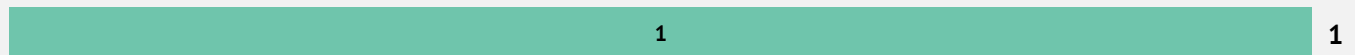


School

■ Anti-Muslim hate crime

Type of property attack

Total 1 incidents targeting properties



Vandalism

■ Anti-Muslim hate crime

[View civil society incidents for Denmark, 2017](#)