

Denmark Hate Crime Report 2018

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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
2018	449	0	0

Police data by bias motivation

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

260

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.

72

Anti-LGBTI hate crime

This figure consists of 62 crimes with homophobic motivation and 10 motivated by bias on the grounds of gender identity

63

Anti-Muslim hate crime

26

Anti-Semitic hate crime

14

Anti-Christian hate crime

9

Other hate crime based on religion or belief

5

Unspecified

Police data by type of crime

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n/a

National Developments

The **Danish National Police** is now part of a Nordic police network working with hate crimes, initiated by the Norwegian Criminal Police.

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.

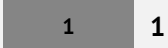
The **Danish National Police** offers officers a training seminar on hate crime as part of continuing education efforts.

Incidents reported by civil society

Total 12 incidents



Anti-Semitic hate crime



Anti-Christian hate crime



Anti-Muslim hate crime



Gender-based hate crime



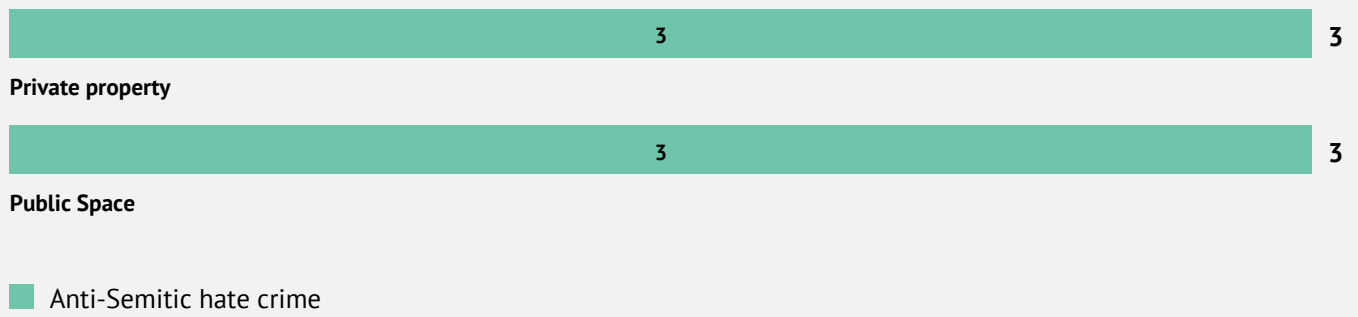
Racist and xenophobic hate crime

■ Violent attacks against people
 ■ Threats
 ■ Attacks against property

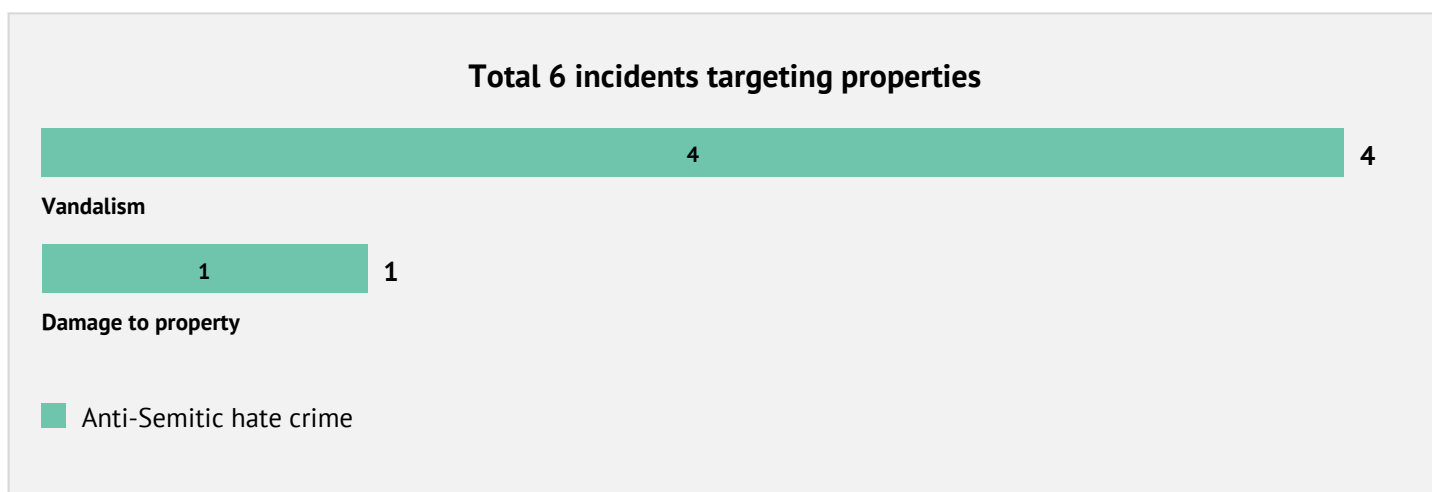
Please note that the total number of incidents may be lower than the sum of incidents presented in the breakdown chart above, as some incidents involve multiple bias motivations.

Targeted properties

Total 6 incidents targeting properties



Type of property attack



[View civil society incidents for Denmark, 2018](#)