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HATE CRIME REPORTING

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Summary

Ukraine regularly submits information on hate crimes to ODIHR.

Ukraine's National Human Rights Strategy includes an objective to "create a system for preventing, combating, documenting and investigating hate crimes".

In 2020, a working group co-ordinated by the Human Rights Commissioner of the Ukrainian Parliament was established to improve hate crime recording procedures.

In 2019, the National Police of Ukraine and the Ministry of Internal Affairs worked with ODIHR to publish an information booklet on *Categorizing and Investigating Hate Crimes in Ukraine: A Practical Guide*.

Hate crime data collection in Ukraine
Support for hate crime victims in Ukraine
Hate crime capacity building in Ukraine
Ukraine's hate crime legislation

ODIHR's Key Observation

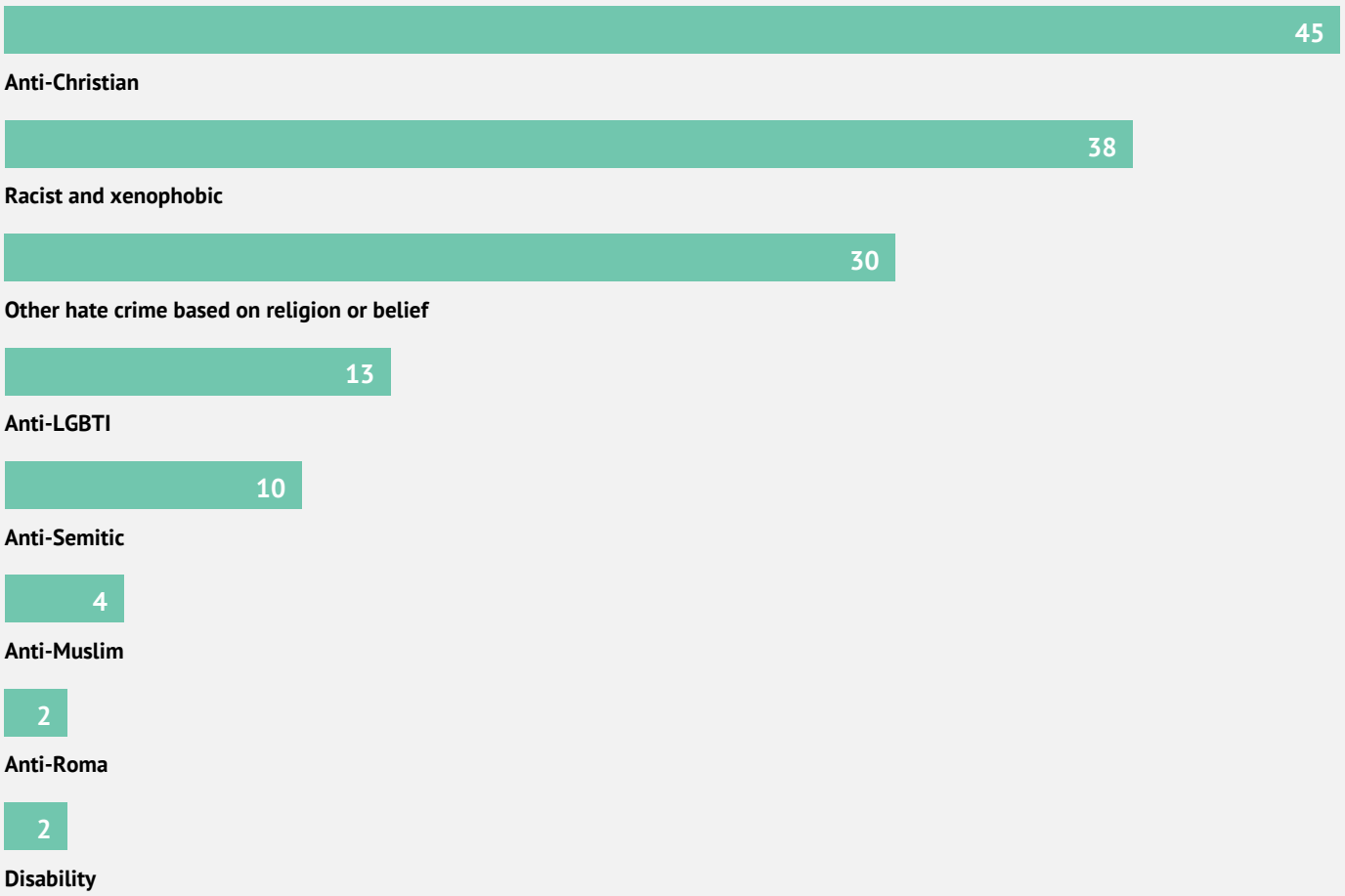
ODIHR observes that Ukraine has not reported on cases of hate crimes separately from cases of hate speech and/or discrimination.

Official Data

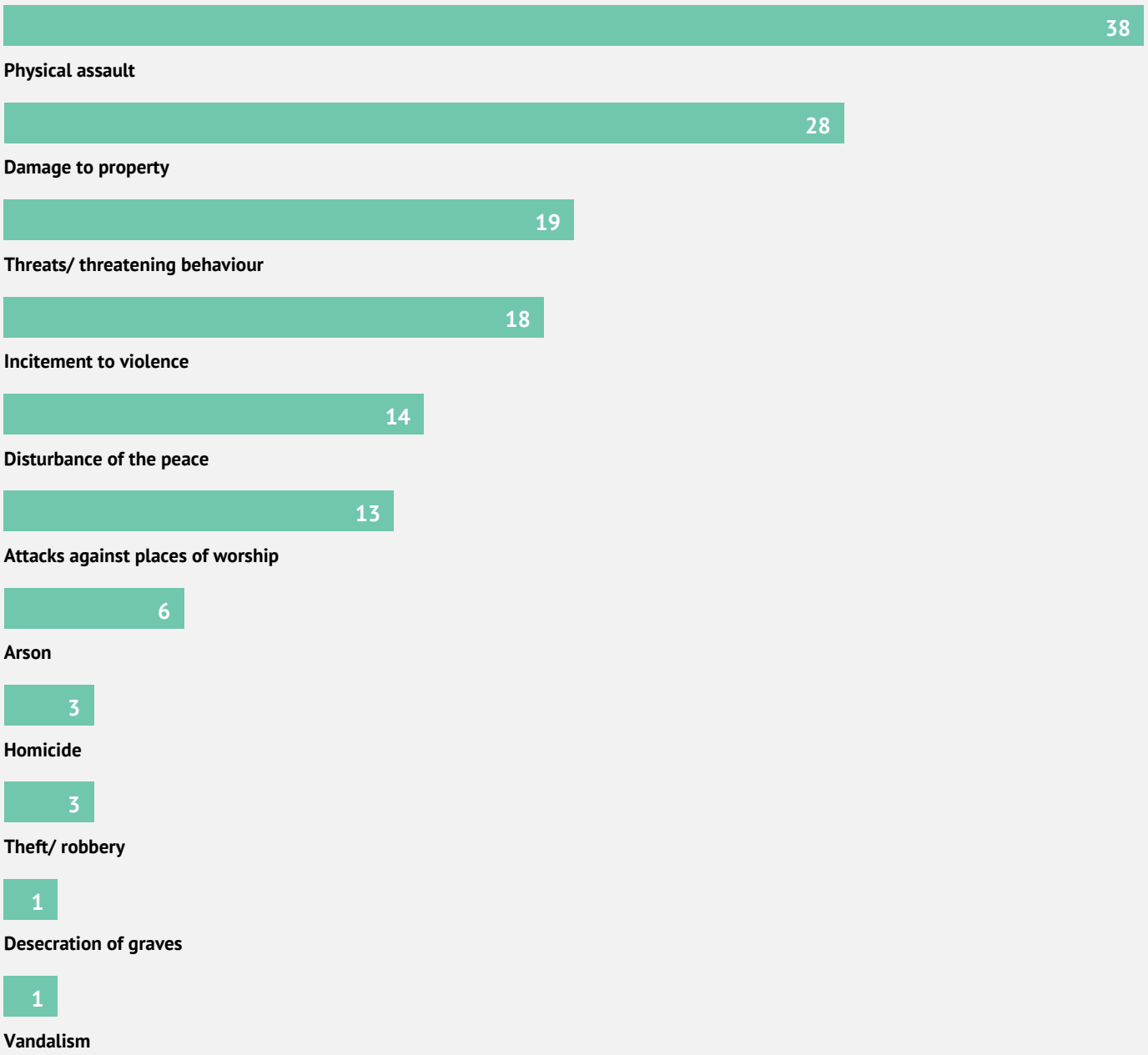
Reported figures include cases of violation of equality (art. 161 of the Criminal Code), which may have included violence.

Year	Hate crimes recorded by police	Prosecuted	Sentenced
2016	144	76	2

Police data by bias motivation



Police data by type of crime



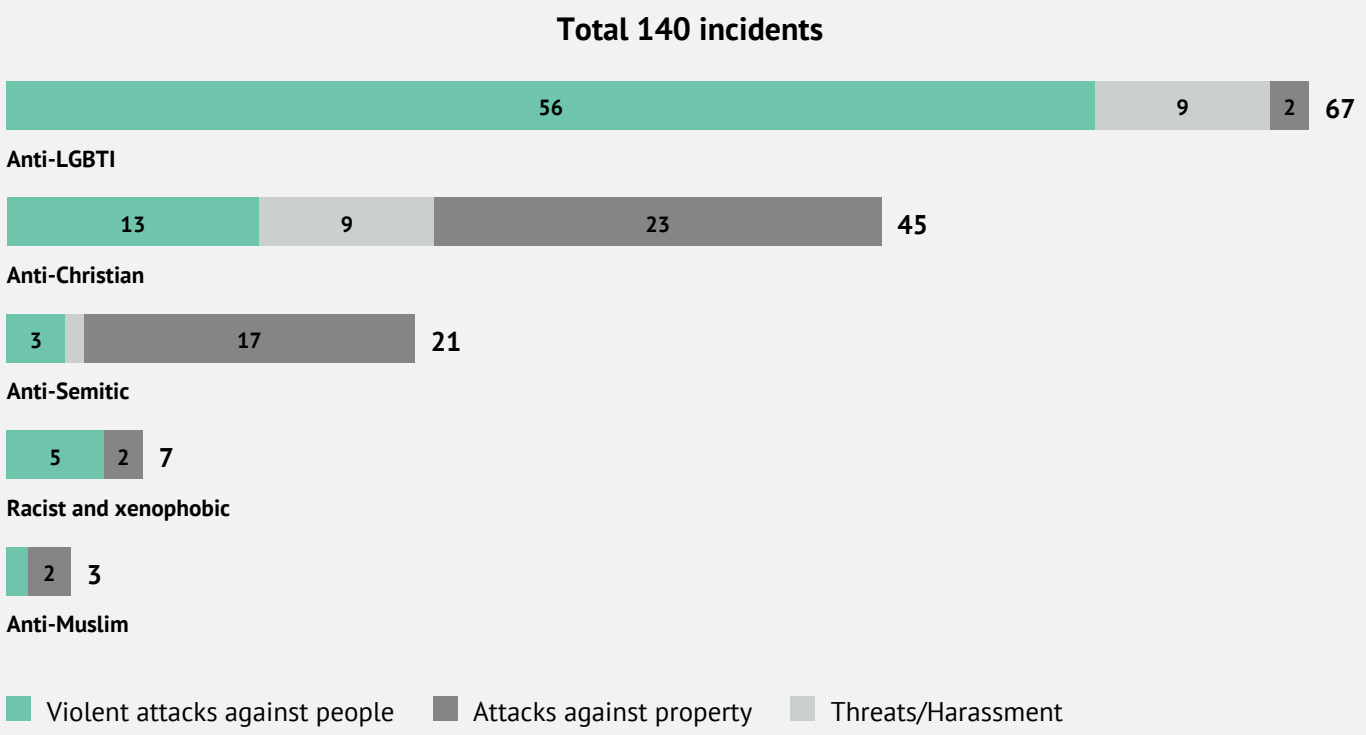
National Developments

A workshop on investigating hate crimes was co-organized by the **Main Investigation Directorate of the National Police** and **the International Organization for Migration (IOM)** for specialized police investigators. The workshop focused on clarifying the concept of hate crimes, their differences from other types of criminal offences, and the impact of their effective investigation on the image of law enforcement.

The **Main Directorates of the National Police** in Kyiv, Dnipro, Lviv, Odesa and Kharkiv regions participated in the trainings on "Hate Crimes: Prevention and Response", conducted by the civil society group **Human Rights LGBT Center Nash Mir** with the support of ODIHR.

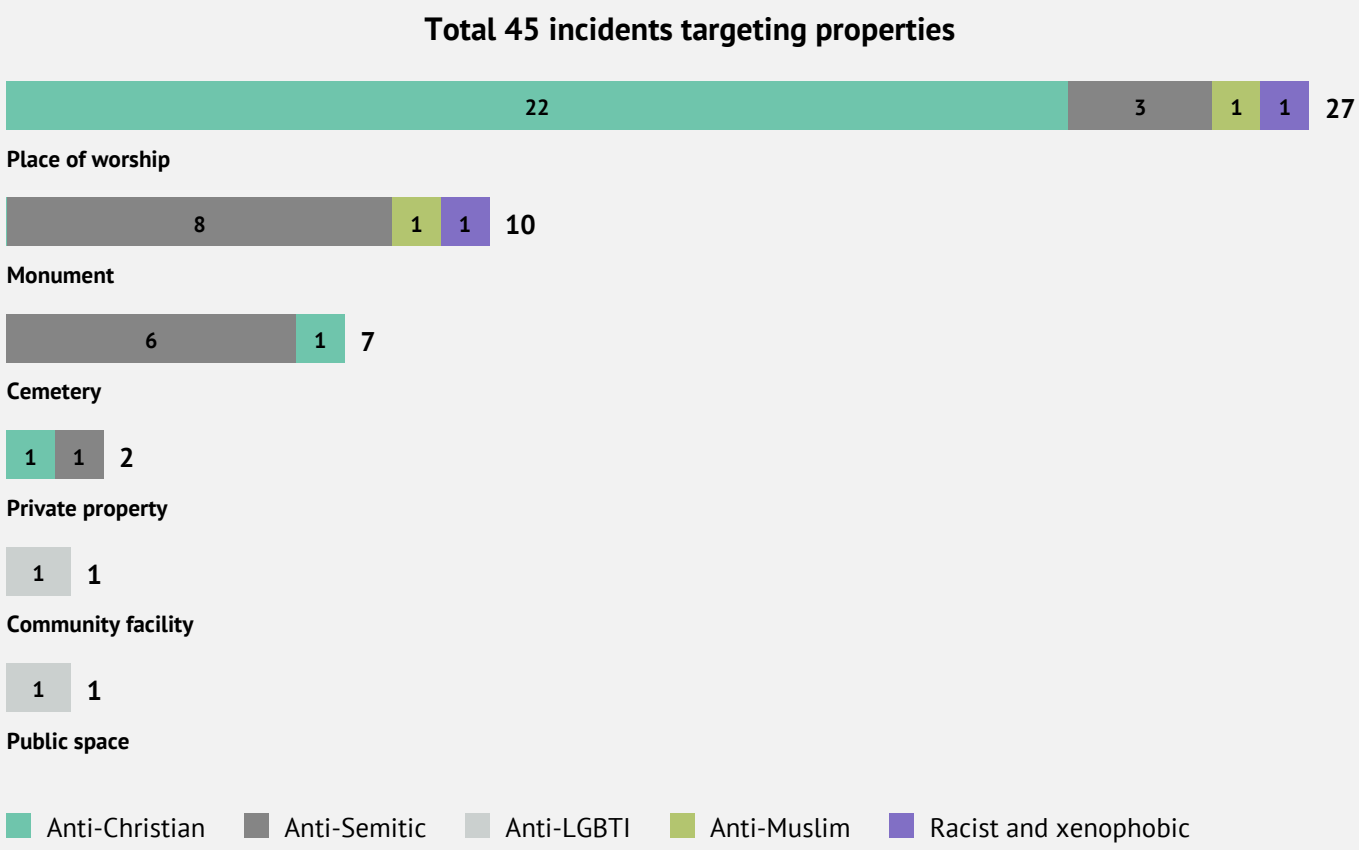
Police investigators monitoring the investigation of hate crimes participated in a workshop on hate crime investigation, conducted by an Oslo police specialist. The workshop was organized by the civil society group **Social Action Center No Borders project**.

Incidents reported by civil society

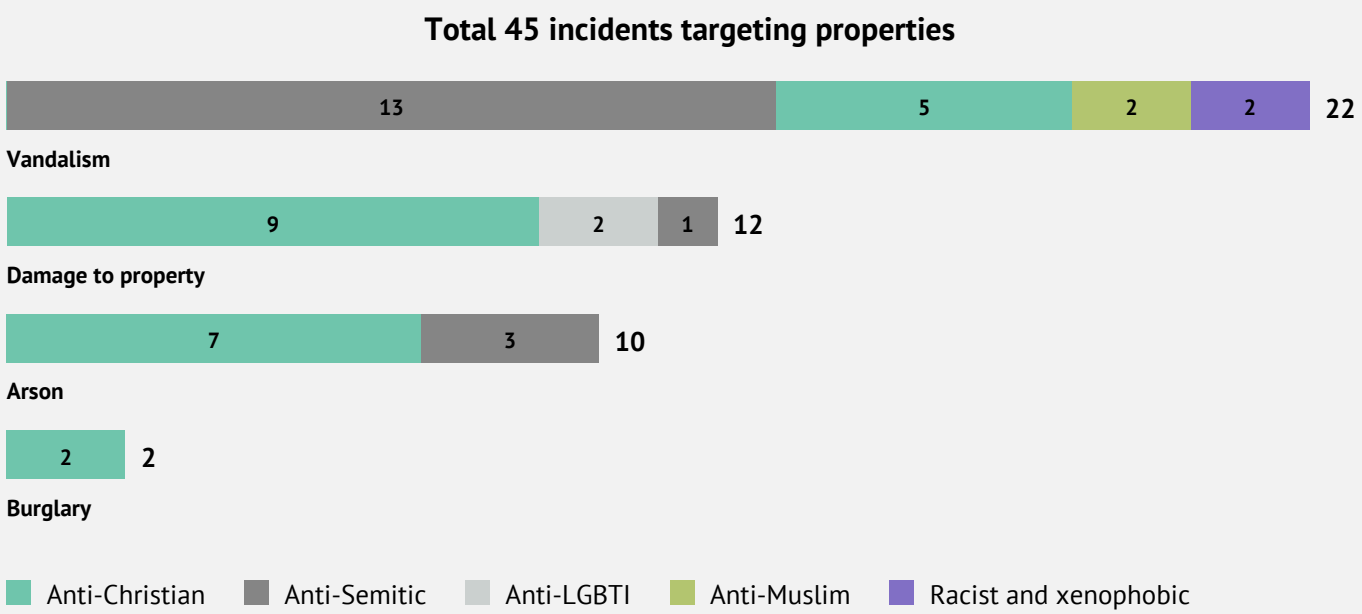


Please note that the total number of incidents may be lower than the sum of incidents presented in the breakdown chart above, as some incidents involve multiple bias motivations.

Targeted properties



Type of property attack



View civil society incidents for Ukraine, 2016