

Switzerland Hate Crime Report 2010

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Summary

Switzerland regularly reports hate crime data to ODIHR. Switzerland's Criminal Code contains no hate crime provision (see the link to related legislation, below) and hate crimes are addressed under anti-discrimination criminal provisions. The Federal Commission against Racism partners with the association 'humanrights.ch' in the Counselling Network for Victims of Racism, which publishes [annual analytical reports](#) on hate crime.

[Hate crime data collection in Switzerland](#)

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

[Hate crime capacity building in Switzerland](#)

[Switzerland's hate crime legislation](#)

Official Data

Figures only include crimes of incitement to hatred and crimes involving discrimination.

| Year | Hate crimes recorded by police | Prosecuted | Sentenced |
|------|--------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| 2010 | 204 | 33 | 24 |

Police data by bias motivation

203

Unspecified

1

Racist and xenophobic hate crime

Switzerland reported a physical assault against a French woman of Algerian origin.

Police data by type of crime

203

Unspecified

1

Physical assault

Incidents reported by civil society

No data reported to ODIHR.

[View civil society incidents for Switzerland, 2010](#)