### Austria

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**Reference details title:** Annual Report on the Protection of the Constitution (Verfassungsschutzbericht), Vienna  
**Methodology:** Quantitative  
**Main thematic focus:** Hate crime

In 2014, the Austrian security authorities registered a total of 750 right-wing extremist, xenophobic/racist, Islamophobic, or other criminal acts. In connection with the criminal offences mentioned, 1,201 offences were reported in Austria in 2014. Compared to 2013, in 2014 the activities of an Islamophobic movement consisting of younger neo-Nazis and persons coming from student and fraternity environments significantly increased. In its propaganda this movement focussed on the “identity of its own people”. Their declared intention is to protect the respective country, if not “Europe as a whole”, against “Islamisation” and mass immigration.