

Research findings

Country code	Year	Reference details title	Reference details URL	Main thematic focus	Institution	Key findings - Short summary	Methodology (Qualitative/Quantitative and exact type used, questionnaires etc)	Sample details and representativeness	Area/location of interest - NUTS3 level
France	2020	Ministry of the Interior (Ministère de l'Intérieur) (2020) Racist, xenophobic or anti-religious offences in 2019 (Les atteintes à caractère raciste, xénophobe ou antireligieuses en 2019) : Interstats Analyse N°26	https://www.interieur.gouv.fr/Interstats/Actualites/Les-atteintes-a-caractere-r-...	Religious freedom, Discrimination, Racism & xenophobia, Discrimination	France-Ministry of the Interior (Ministère de l'Intérieur)	In 2019, the national police and gendarmerie services recorded 5,730 crimes and offences (crimes et délits) and 5,100 contraventions, all committed on the basis of ethnicity, nation, supposed race or religion ('of a racist nature'), throughout France. More than 70% of 'racist' crimes are public insults, provocation or defamation. Compared to 2018, the number of 'racist' crimes recorded by the police in 2019 is generally higher (+11%), and the number of contraventions has increased significantly (+26%). There are significant disparities across mainland France: the number of victims of 'racist' crimes (crimes et délits) recorded by the police in relation to the number of inhabitants is higher in the Ile-de-France region, where all Departments have a recorded crime rate that was equal to or higher than the national average in 2019. In 2019, 2,150 people were charged by the police with 'racially motivated' crimes or offences. While men, middle-aged people (25-54) and foreign nationals from African countries are over-represented among victims associated with 'racially motivated' crimes recorded by the police, those charged with the same crimes and offences are much closer in their characteristics to the general population than all persons charged with a crime as a whole.	Analysis of complaints	See L12	Not applicable - national level

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