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Bias motivations in hate crimes known to police

United States, 2006

Bias motivation	Incidents	Offenses	Victims ^a	Known offenders ^b
Total	7,722	9,080	9,652	7,330
Race	4,000	4,737	5,020	3,957
Anti-white	890	1,008	1,054	1,074
Anti-black	2,640	3,136	3,332	2,437
Anti-American Indian/Alaskan Native	60	72	75	72
Anti-Asian/Pacific Islander	181	230	239	181
Anti-multi-racial group	229	291	320	193
Ethnicity	984	1,233	1,305	1,209
Anti-Hispanic	576	770	819	802
Anti-other ethnicity/national origin	408	463	486	407
Religion	1,462	1,597	1,750	705
Anti-Jewish	967	1,027	1,144	362
Anti-Catholic	76	81	86	44
Anti-Protestant	59	62	65	35
Anti-Islamic	156	191	208	147
Anti-other religious group	124	140	147	63
Anti-multi-religious group	73	88	92	49
Anti-atheism/agnosticism/etc.	7	8	8	5
Sexual orientation	1,195	1,415	1,472	1,380
Anti-male homosexual	747	881	913	914
Anti-female homosexual	163	192	202	154
Anti-homosexual	238	293	307	268
Anti-heterosexual	26	28	29	26
Anti-bisexual	21	21	21	18
Disability	79	94	95	73
Anti-physical	17	20	21	17
Anti-mental	62	74	74	56
Multiple-bias incidents ^c	2	4	10	6

Note: See Note, [table 3.112.2006](#).

^aMay include persons, businesses, institutions, or society as a whole.

^b"Known offender" does not imply that the identity of the suspect is known, rather that an attribute of the suspect has been identified, distinguishing him/her from an unknown offender.

^cA hate-crime incident in which two conditions must be met: more than one offense type must occur in the incident and at least two offense types must be motivated by different biases.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Hate Crime Statistics, 2006*, Table 1 [Online]. Available: <http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/hc2006/table1.html> [Nov. 19, 2007]. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.