

HATE MONITOR

DECEMBER 2013

Hate-motivated incidents are often violent manifestations of intolerance which instil fear and divide communities. Tackling underlying prejudice is essential in combating the spread of these divisive actions. The OSCE Mission to BiH supports the work of government institutions, the criminal justice system, local authorities and civil society to effectively respond to these incidents. The Hate Monitor provides a monthly update on incidents and responses throughout BiH.

HATE INCIDENTS

HATE-MOTIVATED
INCIDENTS
THIS MONTH

9

TYPES OF INCIDENTS



Incidents can consist of several acts. A single incident may be reported under multiple categories.

RESPONSES

RESPONSES
TO HATE INCIDENTS
THIS MONTH

3

TYPES OF RESPONSES



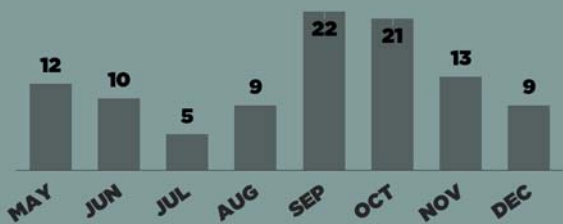
PREVENTION



VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:



HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE MAY 2013: 101



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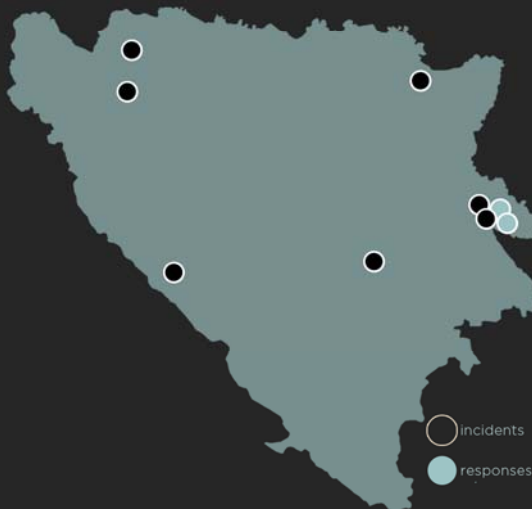


HATE CRIME CASES

Trials Ongoing	12
Convictions in 2013	8
Acquittals in 2013	1

INCIDENTS / RESPONSES THIS MONTH

Bratunac 1 / 1	Brčko Distrikt 2 / 0
Centar Sarajevo 1 / 0	Livno 1 / 0
Prijedor 1 / 0	Sanski Most 1 / 0
Srebrenica 2 / 2	



Highlighted

On 19 December, three local NGOs from Mostar – Futura Mostar, Starmo and Standup – joined nine other NGOs from Mostar in the 'Coalition against Hate' NE u našem gradu. They were prompted to become part of this local effort following a series of events organized by the Coalition in Mostar in November on the occasion of marking the International Day of Tolerance.

The Hate Monitor provides an update on all hate-motivated incidents and responses known to the OSCE Mission to BiH at the time of publishing the report each month.