# **HATE MONITOR**

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





CHARACTERISTICS



TYPES OF INCIDENTS



**A**2 Damage to religious facilities / Desecration of graveyards



81.25 % ethnicity religion

Insulting phone, Internet and sms messages

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

**HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY 2017:** 

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## **RESPONSES**





### **TYPES OF RESPONSES**

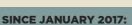
aceful gathering /





Local activities against hate

Local strategies to prevent hate to date



hate incidents with at least one response

Trials Ongoing Acquittals in 2017

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### Highlighted

Novo Sarajevo, Coalition against Hate (CaH) Zanemari razlike condemned the distribution of Ustaša pamphlets in Sarajevo and called on the police to investigate this incident. In Uvažavanje Livno. CaH condemned the vandalization of a cemetery and the destruction of a memorial in a returnee village. The CaH invited all institutions to find the perpetrators and to prosecute them.

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