



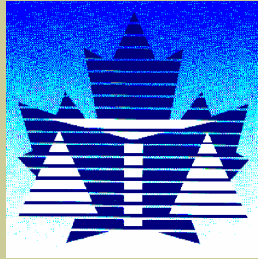
Standardized Police Training & Data Collection on Hate-Motivated Crime

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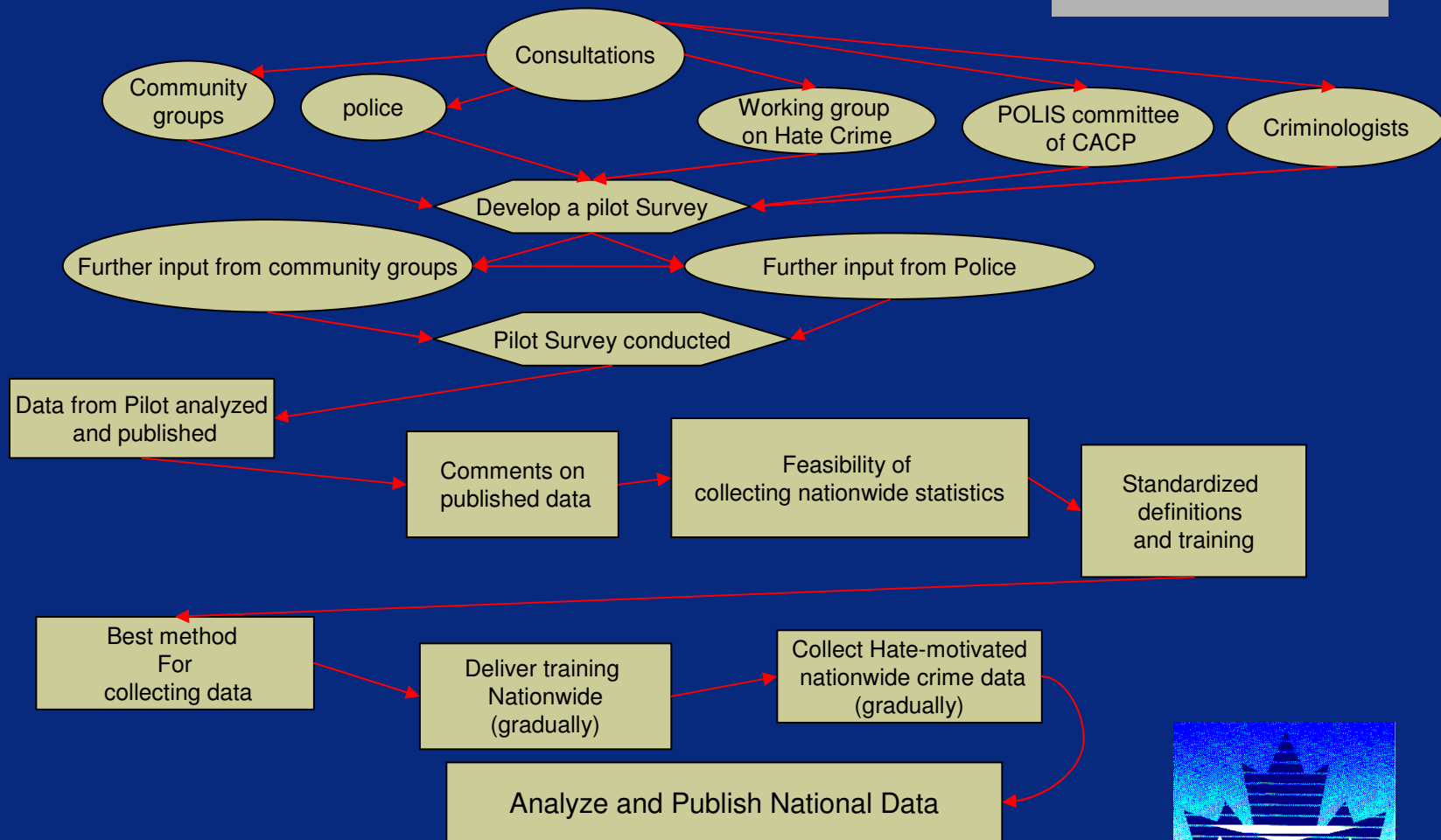
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The Canadian Government has named Hate-Motivated Crime a Priority

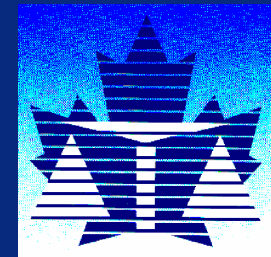
We need to study the issue accurately, in order
to better prevent, recognize, and investigate
hate-motivated crime

The development process for the Canadian collection of hate-motivated crime



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Canada's Action Plan Against Racism

- Emphasizes practical measures to promote ethno cultural diversity
- A priority for public safety
- Affects all Canadians

Hate Crime Training:

- Gradual implementation across Canada
- National data through the development and implementation of a training program
- Assistance to police

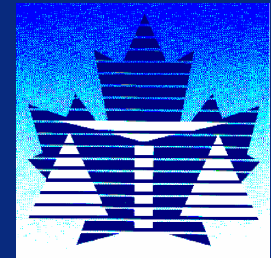


The Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics (CCJS) contribution to the Canadian Action Plan Against Racism

- Raising awareness of police to reliably identify and report hate-motivated crime in a manner that is consistent with national reporting standards
- Enhancing police service preparedness to report
- Improving understanding of the nature and extent hate-motivated crime and the response of the justice system;
- Enabling monitoring of the impact of societal and legislative changes
- Informing policy and program interventions to promote integration and counter racism and contributing to evaluation of interventions.

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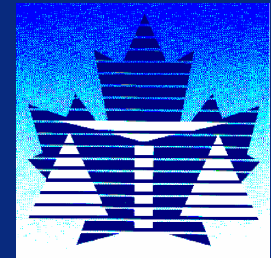


Work plan of the Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics (CCJS)

- Develop standardized police approved definitions ➡➡
- Create classroom based training on hate motivated crime ➡➡
- Deliver training on site to police services ➡➡
- Collect data on the new variables ➡➡
- Verify data and assist police ➡➡
- Once data is deemed reliable and verified, Publish reports ➡➡

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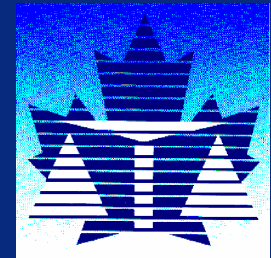


Training Police

- Issues of hate motivated crime
- Specific issues related to each group targeted
- Types of offenders (typology)
- Benefits of collecting hate crime statistics
- Unique features of hate crime
- Investigation indicators for police
- Reporting in a standardized manor

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Canadian Definition of Hate Crime

“Hate crime is a criminal violation motivated by hate, based on race, national or ethnic origin, language, colour, religion, sex, age, mental or physical disability, sexual orientation or any other similar factor.”

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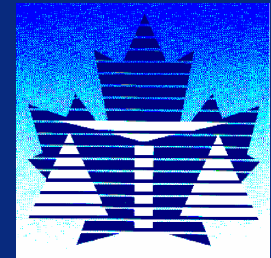


Police Use a 3 step approach to Hate Crime in Canada

1 Was the incident motivated by hate?

2 If answer is “yes” or “suspected”
identify the principle motivation.

3 Identify further details about
the principle motivation.



Field #1

Name: Hate Crime Indicator

Record: Incident

Value Range

Yes (*Incident was motivated by hate.*)

Suspected (*Incident is suspected to be motivated by hate.*)

No (*Incident not motivated by hate.*)



Field #2

Name: Hate Crime Type

Record: Incident

Value Range

Race/Ethnicity

Religion

Sexual Orientation

Language

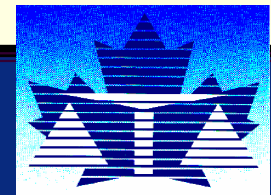
Mental or Physical Disability

Sex

Age

Other similar factor

Unknown



Field #3

Name: Hate Crime Motivation Detail

Record: Incident

Value Range

Race/Ethnicity

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Sexual Orientation

Language

Disability

Sex

Age

Other factor

Unknown

Aboriginals

Arab / West Asian

Black

East & Southeast Asian

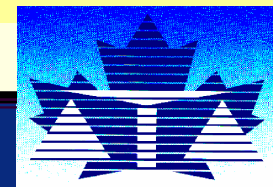
South Asian

White

Multiple Races / Ethnicities

Other race / ethnicity

Unknown race / ethnicity



Field #3

Name: Hate Crime Motivation Detail

Record: Incident

Value Range

Race/Ethnicity

Religion

Sexual Orientation

Language

Disability

Sex

Age

Other factor

Unknown

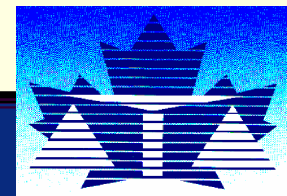
Catholic

Jewish

Muslim

Other religion

Unknown religion



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Sexual Orientation

Language

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Unknown

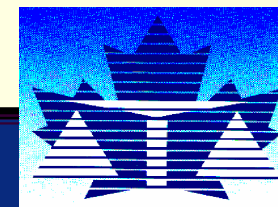
Bisexual

Heterosexual

Homosexual

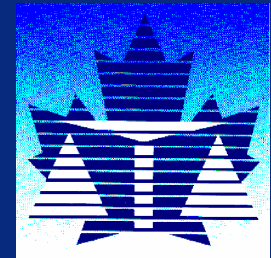
Other sexual orientation

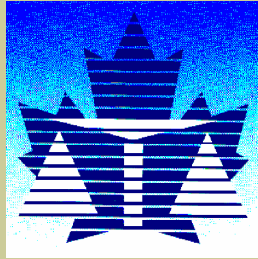
Unknown sexual orientation



Next Steps

- Gradual Implementation by police services
- CCJS offers free training workshop to all police services
- Daily support via telephone
- E-learning module (soon available)
- Extranet Site
- Financial Aide





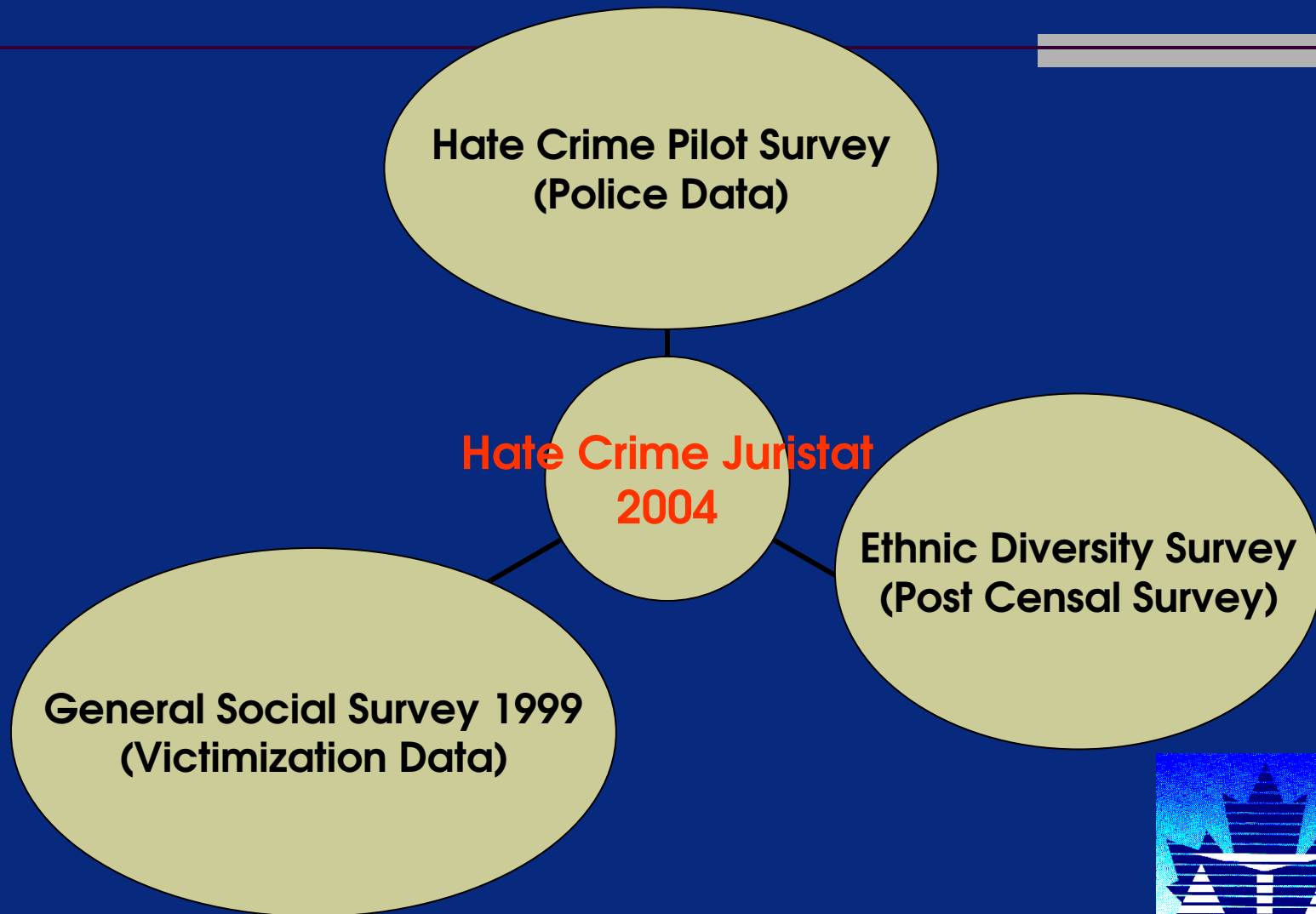
Gradual Implementation

Hate-motivated crime has been collected
nationally as of January 2005

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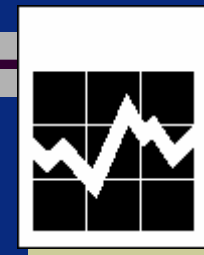
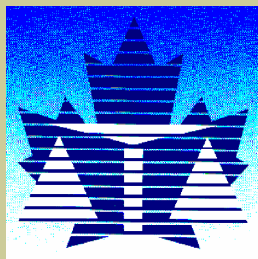
Contributing data sources



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Victimization Survey Reports of Hate Crime

The 1999 General Social Survey (GSS)

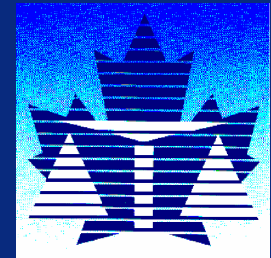
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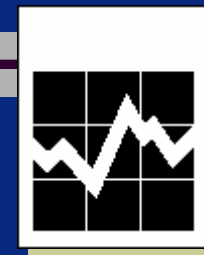
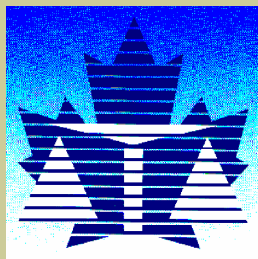
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Up to 90% of hate-motivated crimes go unreported, or the hate-motivation is never recognized.

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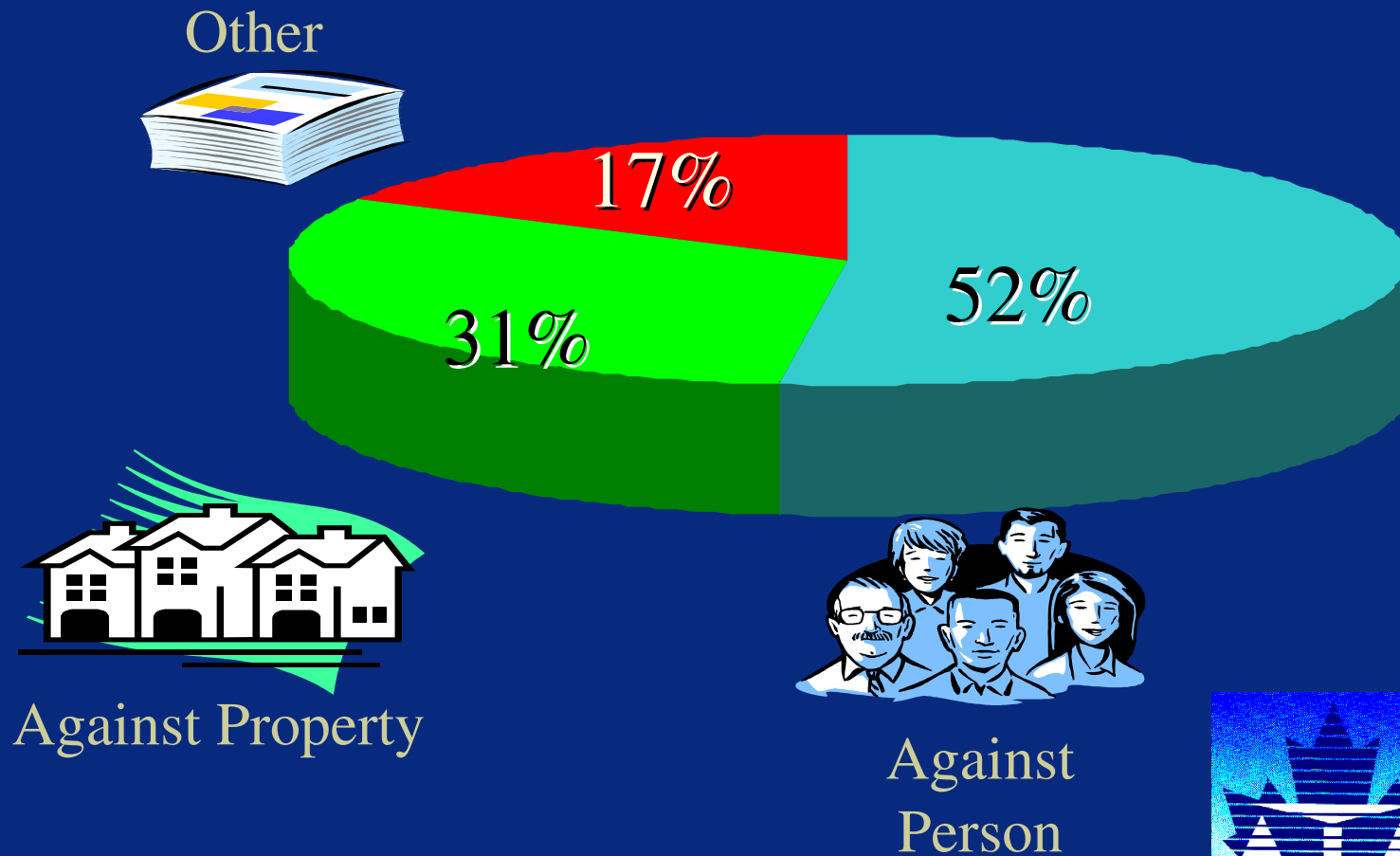
Police Reported Pilot Survey of Hate Crime

The Hate Crime Pilot Survey

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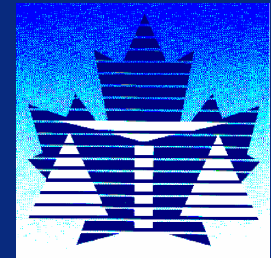
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Canadian Police Statistics on Hate Crime Incidents

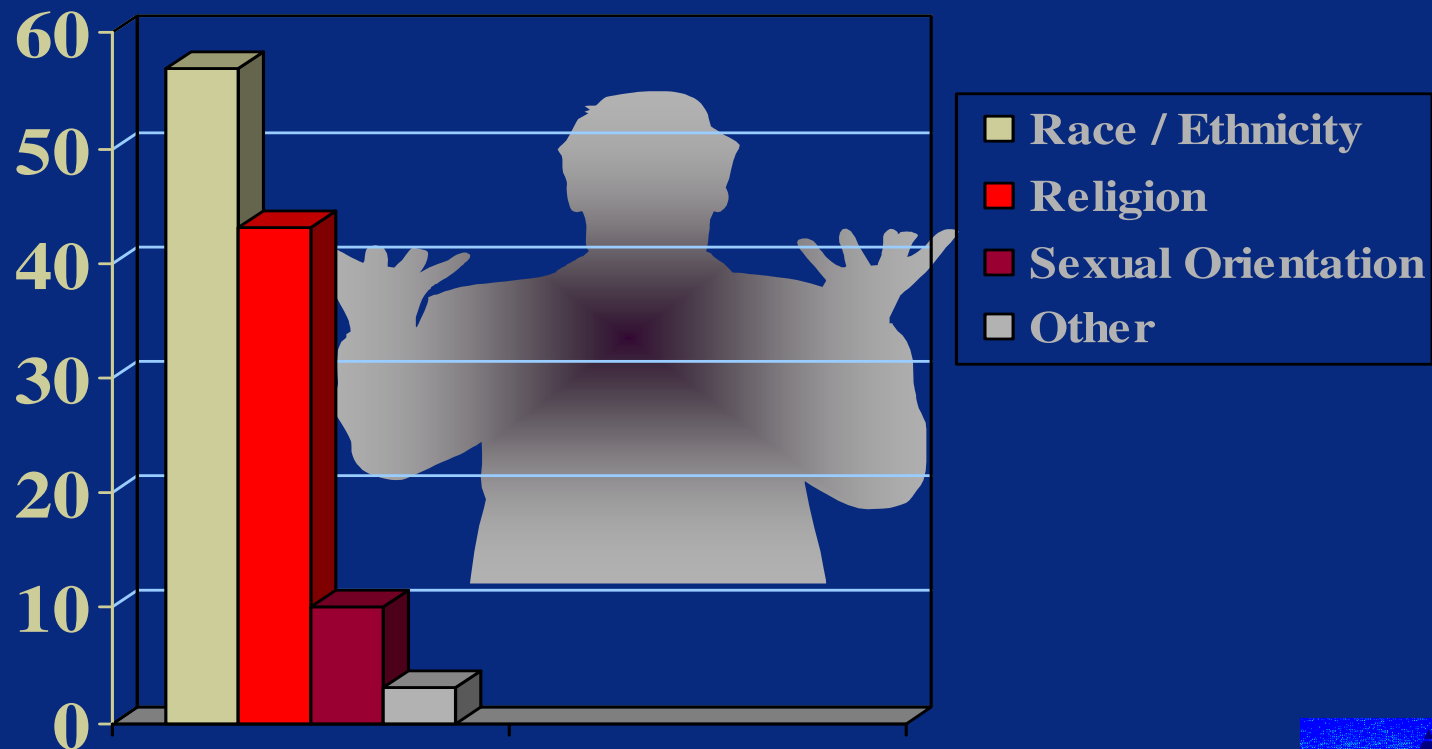


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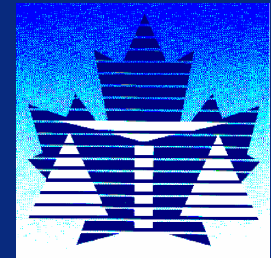


Motivation in Police Reported Hate Crime Incidents

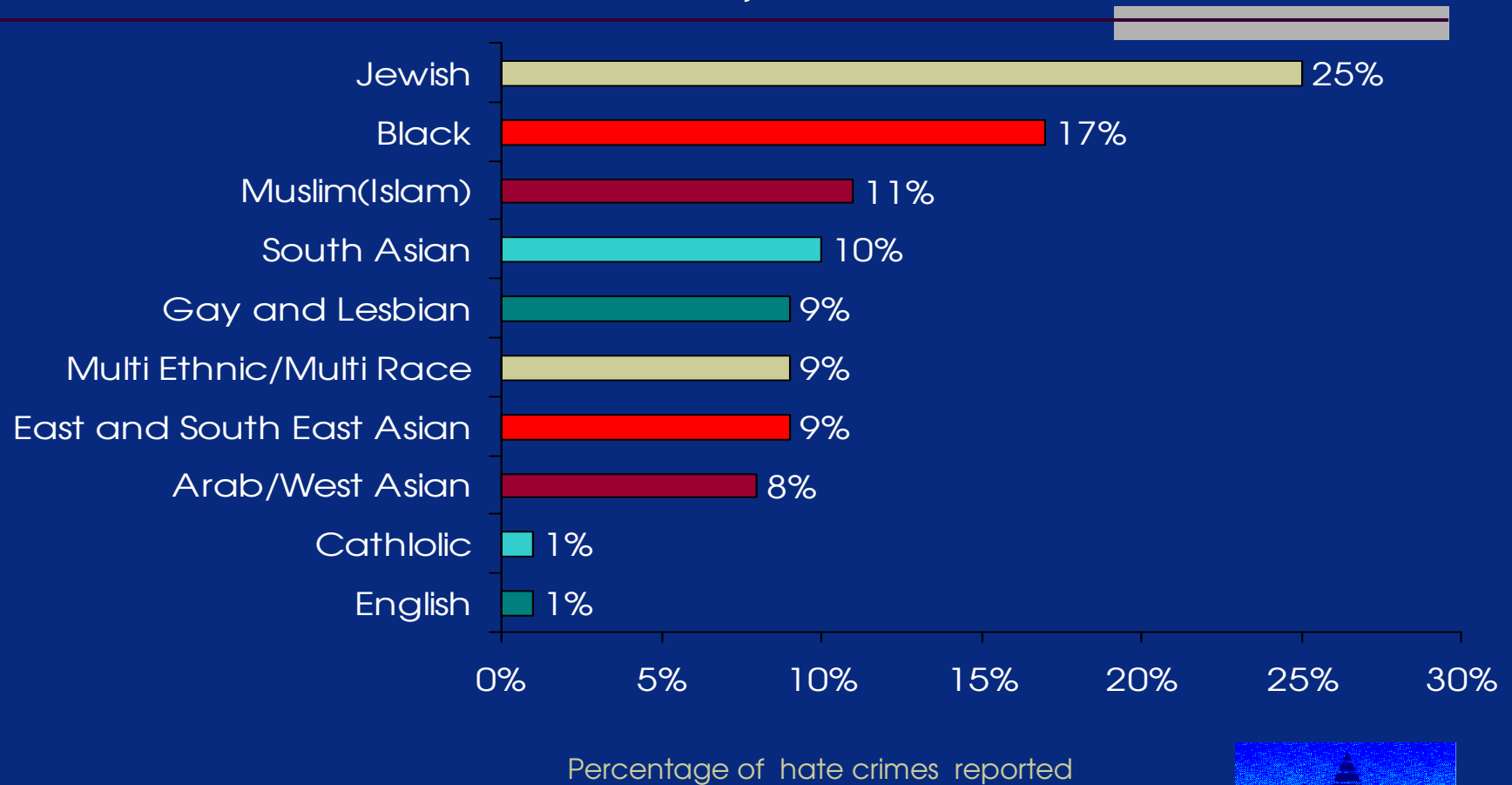


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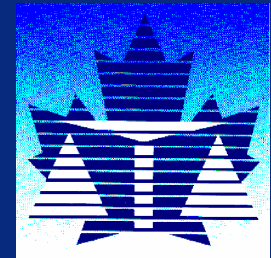


Jewish Most likely target of hate crimes in 12 major police forces in Canada, 2001-2002

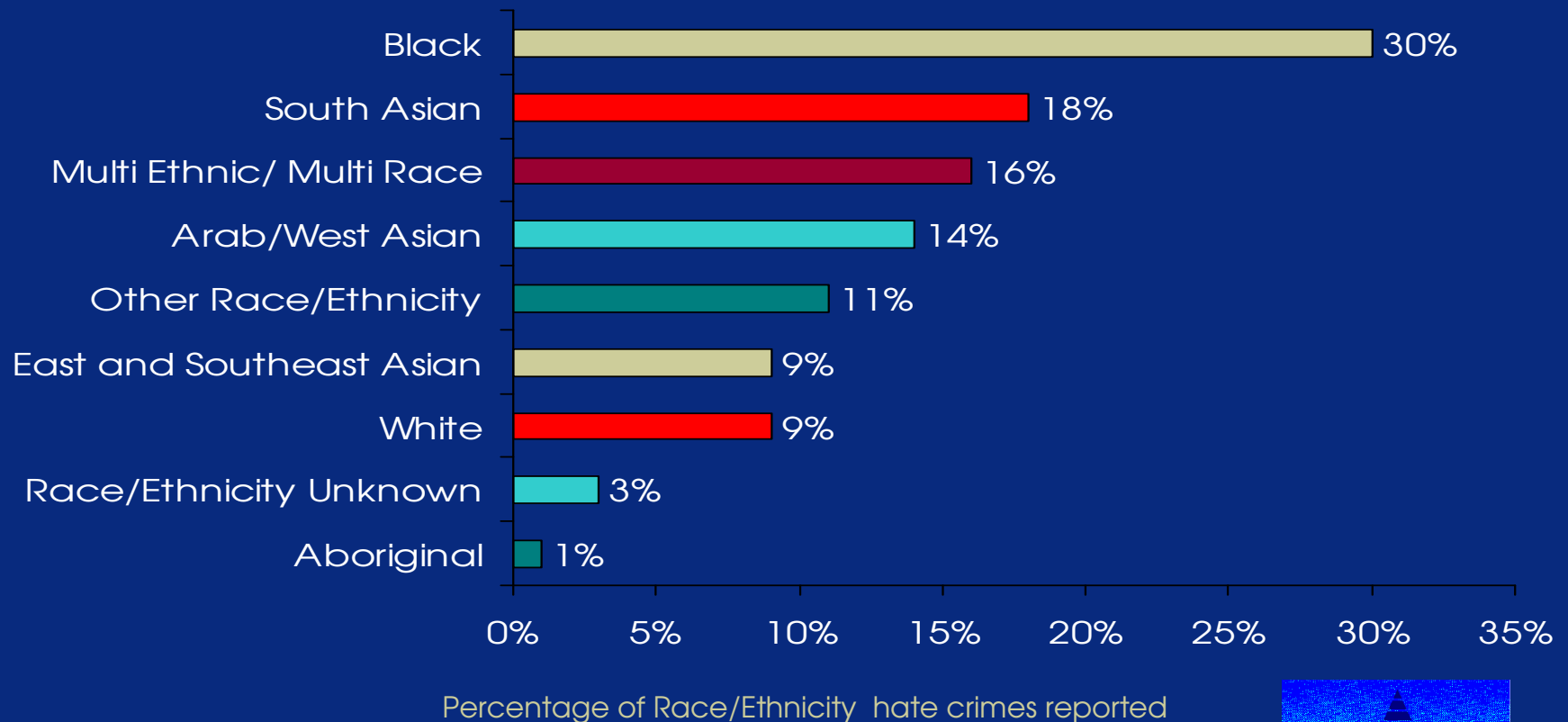


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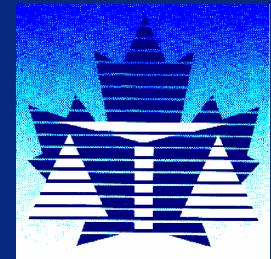


Blacks most likely targeted Among Race/Ethnicity Hate Crimes in 12 Major Police Forces in Canada, 2001-2002

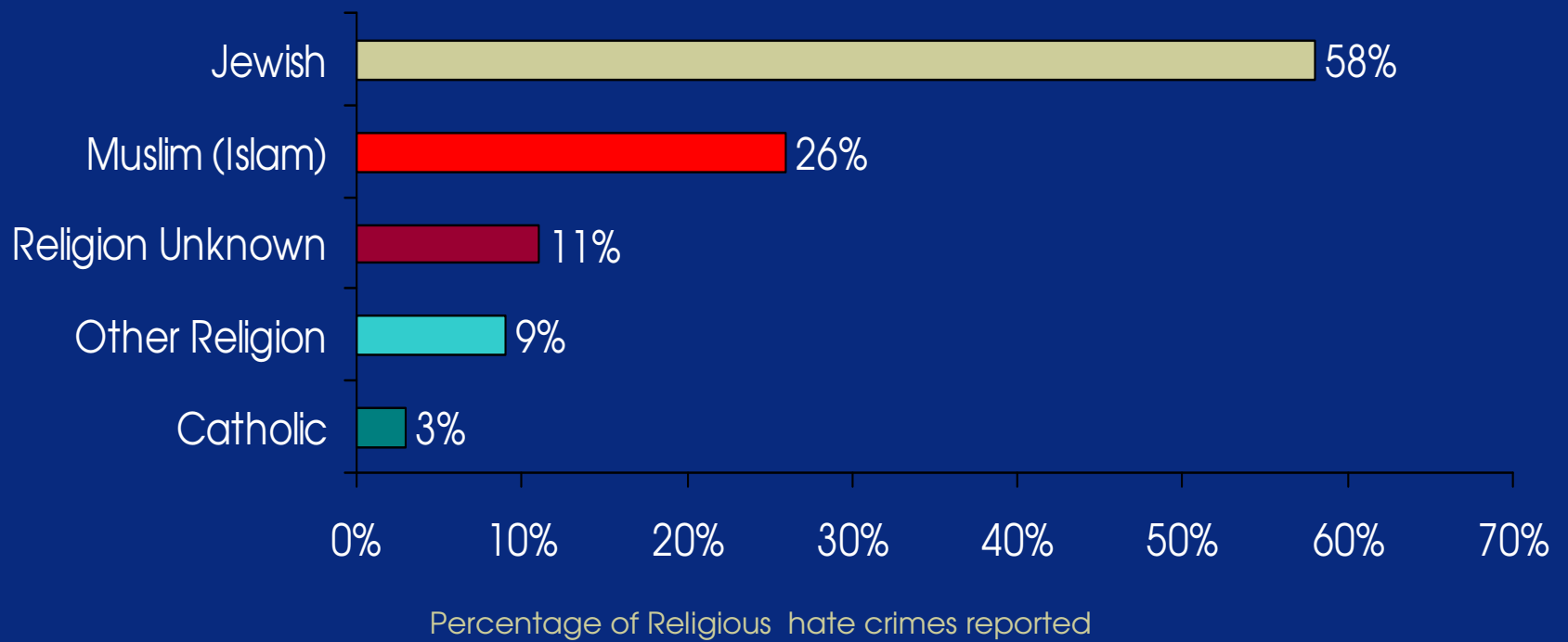


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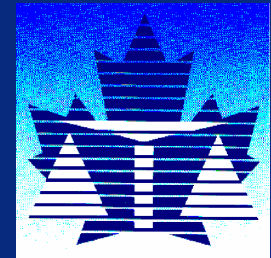


More than One half of all Religious Hate Crimes are Anti-Jewish in 12 Major Police Forces in Canada, 2001-2002

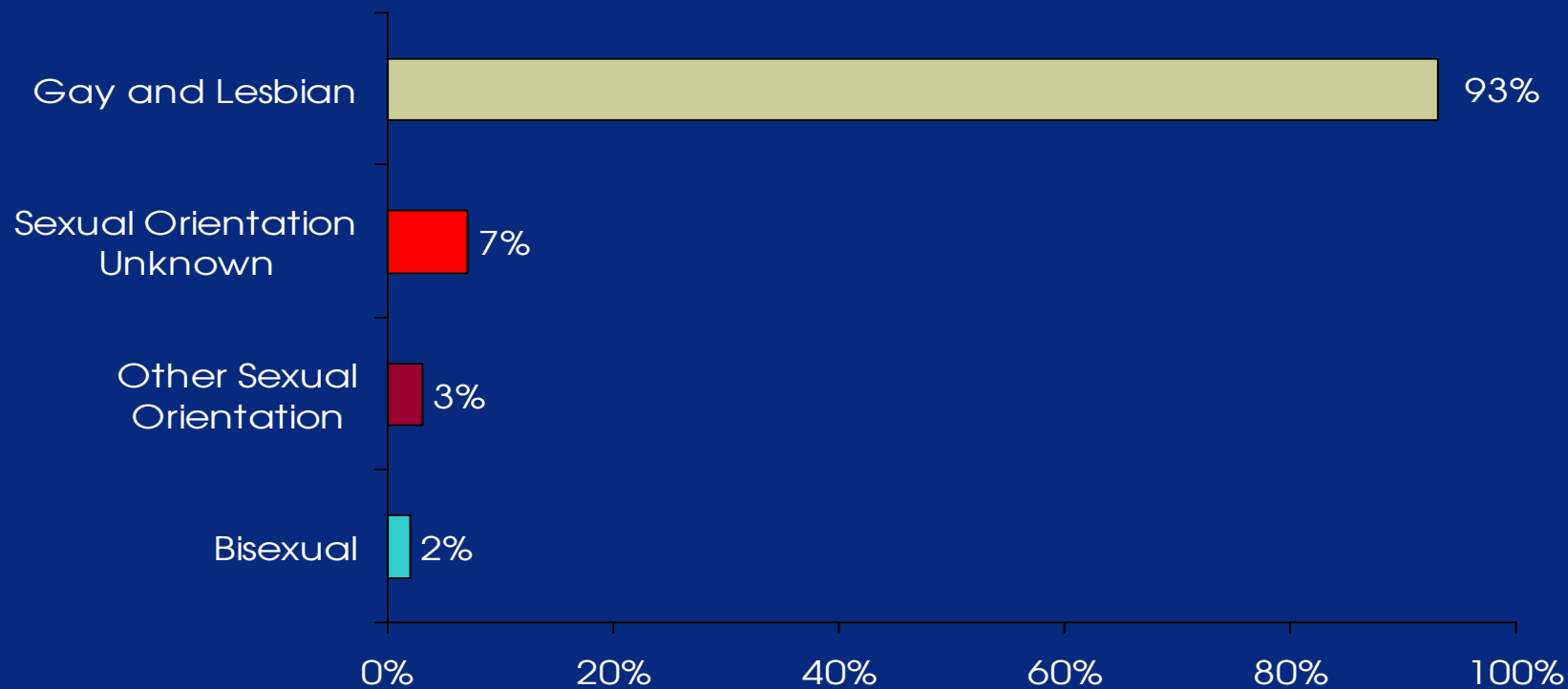


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More than Nine-in-Ten Sexual Orientation Hate Crimes Target Gays and Lesbians in 12 Major Police Forces in Canada, 2001-2002



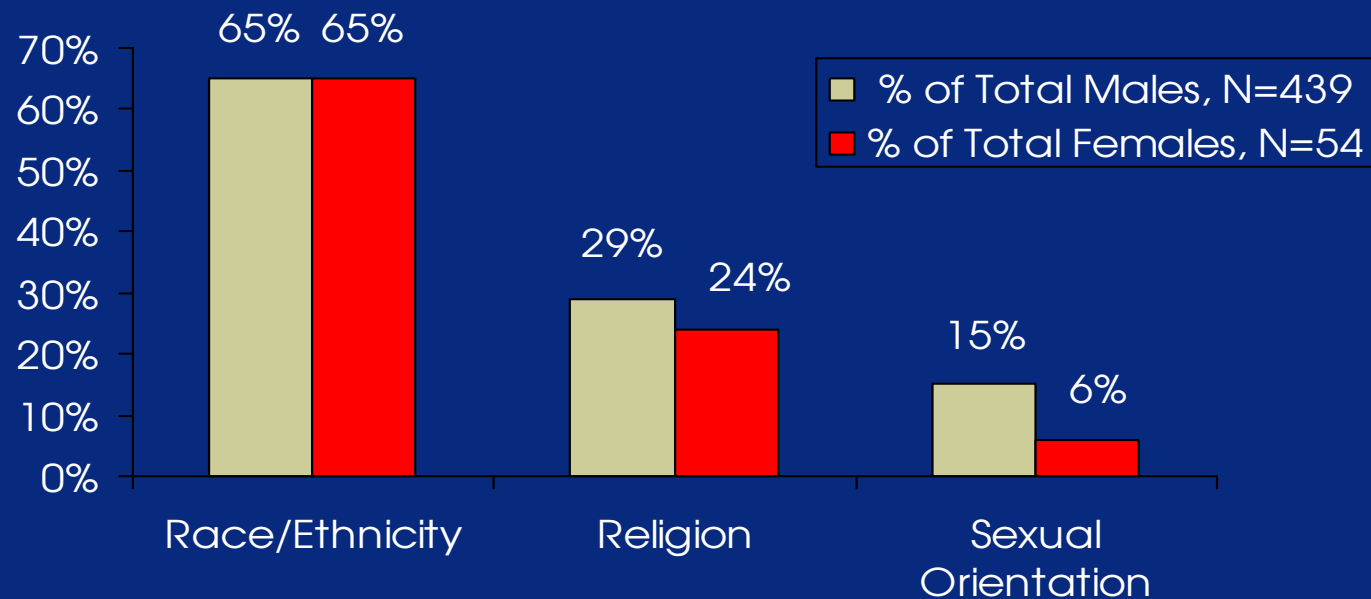
Percentage of Sexual Orientation hate crimes reported

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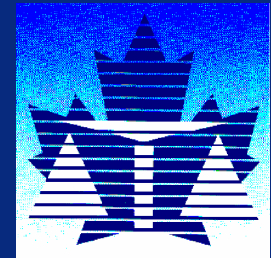


Males more than Twice as Likely to Commit anti-Gay \ Lesbian Hate Crime in 12 Major Police Forces in Canada, 2001-2002



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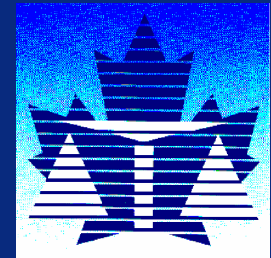


Hate Crimes following September 11th in 12 Major Police Forces in Canada 2001-2002

- **Significant but short lived impact on hate crimes**
- 15% of incidents following the attack were associated with September 11th. Almost $\frac{3}{4}$ of these incidents occurred within two months of the attacks
- There were 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ times more hate crimes recorded during these two months then during the same two months the following year
- The majority of incidents associated with September 11th were violent in nature (68%)
- Most common victims of these offences were Muslims (30%) Jewish People (27%) and Americans (15%)

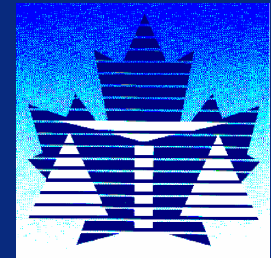
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The Future

- GSS will continue to include Hate Crime Questions
- 2005 the Incident Based Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR2) Survey
- Special training for police services to recognize and code criminal incidents as hate crimes
- Both victim surveys and police-reported data will contribute to a more complete understanding of hate crime in Canada.



Questions?

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