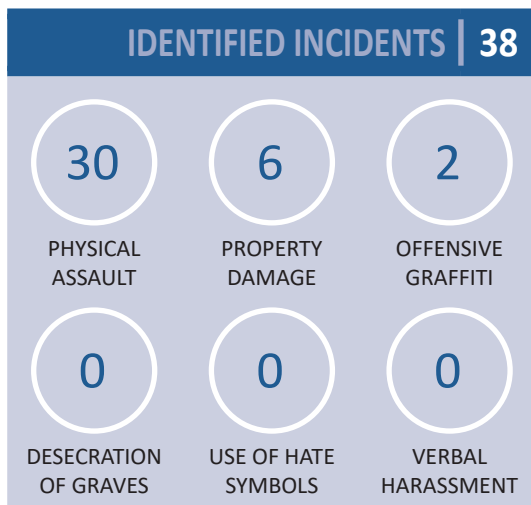


Freedom House and partners, under our joint initiative United to Confront Hate-Motivated Violence in Ukraine, seek to improve Ukraine’s policies to prevent and respond to hate-motivated violence. Our efforts unite communities targeted with hate-motivated violence in a broad coalition aimed at monitoring, documenting, and analyzing hate-motivated crimes and incidents in Ukraine. Equipped with data gathered from both open sources and interviews, we develop and advocate for policies to more effectively tackle hate-motivated violence

This Hate Monitor a snapshot of monitoring, documentation, and verification of incidents by a network of 28 monitors across the country. The subject of the monitoring is incidents of hate-motivated violence and violence against events organized to promote the rights of communities targeted with hate-motivated violence.



### REACTIONS | 73

3	69	1
STATEMENTS BY CSOs	PUBLICATIONS IN THE MEDIA	PUBLIC CONDEMNATIONS BY OFFICIALS

## Contextual information

During July-September 2020, Freedom House and partners recorded 38 incidents of hate-motivated violence and two incidents of vandalism across sixteen regions. Five incidents targeted Roma individuals, the majority of which were openly racially motivated attacks. Of these five incidents, victims submitted complaints to the Ukrainian authorities in four cases, and one victim refused to pursue further action.

Of the 28 total incidents against LGBT+ individuals documented during the period, only twenty victims submitted complaints to the police.

## HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS

Identified Incidents.....	38
Complaints Submitted to Police .....	27
Ongoing Court Proceedings.....	1

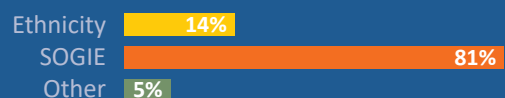
## STATISTICS BY REGION



## Hate-motivated assaults in Kharkiv.

On August 29, a large group of residents of Andriivka, a village in Kharkiv Region, gathered to vent anger over alleged abuses by Roma people in the community over the past decade. Prior to the gathering, several calls for violence and dehumanizing rhetoric were shared on local social media pages, and calls for violence were also made at the assembly itself, drawing no public response from law-enforcement officials. The gathering took place, after which a large group of people attacked the house of Roma family which was evacuated under police protection.

## TARGETED CHARACTERISTIC OF VICTIM



IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS OF UNITED TO CONFRONT HATE-MOTIVATED VIOLENCE IN UKRAINE

