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The Report on Antisemitism in France in 2015 is dedicated to the memory of the victims of terror attacks in France in 2015, their families and their close friends.

Charlie Hebdo

Montrouge

Hyper Cacher supermarket

Villejuif

Saint-Quentin-Fallavier

Saint-Denis

Terraces of restaurants in Paris

Bataclan

VICTIMS OF THE ANTISEMITIC ATTACK AT THE HYPER CASHER SUPERMARKET ON 9 JANUARY 2015



Yohan Cohen, z”l, 20 years old

Yohan Cohen was an employee of the Hyper Casher supermarket.

His father was from Algeria and his mother from Tunisia. A big fan of rap music, he was the grandson of the Jewish Tunisian singer Doukha.

After his high school diploma, he started a degree in banking, and found a job at the Hyper Casher supermarket, where he thrived.

He was jovial, nice and he cared about others.

He was the youngest victim at the Hyper Casher supermarket.

In Sarcelles, the town he came from, a square was named after him and a plaque was unveiled in his memory. It reads, *“He loved life and made his family happy.”*



Philippe Braham, z”l, 45 years old

A father of three children and a sales director in an IT company, Philippe Braham was the brother of the Pantin synagogue’s rabbi.

He was observant and was very active in the Cachan synagogue. He was a regular customer of the Hyper Casher supermarket.

He was very optimistic, very devoted and always ready to help others.

François-Michel Saada, z"l, 64 years old

Born in Tunis, François-Michel Saada was a former sales director who had retired early and had been living in Fontenay-sous-Bois for twenty years.

He was about to travel to Venice the following week to celebrate his wife's sixtieth birthday.

He was a very generous man. He wanted peace all the time. He was full of integrity and honesty.



Yoav Hattab, z"l, 21 years old

Yoav was the son of the Chief Rabbi of Tunis, where his whole family still lives.

He lived with his aunt in Paris, where he was studying.

He was full of energy and life and he was curious of things.

Yoav's maternal aunt was killed in 1985 in the attack against the Ghriba synagogue in Djerba. She was 17 years old.

The fourth victim at the Hyper Casher supermarket, Yoav was killed as he tried to seize the terrorist's weapon.



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SPCJ

SPCJ, the Jewish Community Security Service, was founded in 1980 following the attack in the Rue Copernic in Paris.

SPCJ emerged from the joint determination of CRIF (the Representative Council of Jewish Institutions in France), FSJU (the Jewish United Social Fund), and the French Rabbinate to protect the Jewish community at large. Members of SPCJ's Executive Committee are appointed by these founding institutions. SPCJ's President is Mr. Eric de Rothschild.

SPCJ's existence since the 1980s has been justified by the ongoing terrorist and antisemitic threat in France for the last 35 years. It has become necessary to help the Jewish community flourish, by guaranteeing a free, diverse and satisfying expression of Jewish identity.

SPCJ is an apolitical and not-for-profit organization. Its sole mission is to protect Jewish life in its pluralistic expression.

ERIC DE ROTHSCHILD, SPCJ PRESIDENT

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

This tenth report on Antisemitism, presented in cooperation with the Interior Ministry and SPCJ—whom I thank for their efficient work—shows a small decrease in Antisemitic acts for the year 2015.

This seemingly positive news should not overshadow reality. The year 2014 saw a very high number of Antisemitic acts, particularly in January with Dieudonné's statements and in July during the Israeli military operations in Gaza. If we take this situation into account, our analysis shows a stable situation in 2015.

However, these numbers also mask a serious increase in violence. In January 2015, after the murder of the Charlie Hebdo journalists and of police officers, the Hyper Cacher supermarket at the Porte de Vincennes was targeted. How can we speak of a decrease in Antisemitism in 2015, a year during which four Jewish Frenchmen were murdered simply because they were Jewish?

We are pleased to see the implementation of DILCRA, the interministerial committee to fight racism and Antisemitism, under the aegis of the Prime Minister. The committee will have resources and a strategic plan to combat this plague.

Stronger legal tools will also help strengthen the fight. In the long term, educational curricula for our youth must be developed dynamically and in a considered manner.

The terrible numbers that I present to you remain extremely worrisome; my thoughts are with all the victims of these barbaric acts, their families and their loved ones. I thank the police and the army that protect our country, and specifically the daily life of French Jews; I also thank the volunteers and the staff of SPCJ who dedicate themselves to the added protection of the Jewish community.

The recent incredible brutality of the murderous attacks in Paris and Saint-Denis demonstrate once again that violence committed against the Jewish community is, and remains, the canary in the coalmine. Such atrocities are a harbinger of even greater threats against our country's democracy and Republican values.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Eric de Rothschild", is centered on the page. The signature is written in a cursive style and is flanked by two horizontal lines, one above and one below.

Eric de Rothschild

OUR METHODOLOGY

Who contributes to the census ?

After the increase of Antisemitic acts in September 2000, the leaders of the main Jewish organizations tasked the SPCJ to take an official census of Antisemitic acts committed on French soil.

To complete this daunting and rigorous task, SPCJ works closely with the Ministry of Interior's "Victims Unit." Precise and regular exchanges enable a detailed and reliable monitoring of the situation.

What kind of Antisemitic acts are listed ?

The census lists Antisemitic acts that were reported to the police or filed as complaints, and then transmitted to SPCJ. It is strengthened and cross-checked with descriptions from various police precincts in France, and centralized by the Ministry of Interior.

This methodological rigor excludes a number of acts that were reported to SPCJ but not to the police, and are thus absent from official statistics. Furthermore, Antisemitic content that circulates on the Internet is not systematically listed.

The statistical data presented in this report thus offer a reliable lens to outline the main trends, but they cannot give the complete picture of Antisemitic violence in France in 2015.

The Ministry of Interior has defined the following terms :

ACTS include ACTIONS and THREATS

ACTIONS include :

- . attacks or attempts
- . homicides or attempts
- . violence
- . arson or attempts
- . defacing or vandalism

THREATS include :

- . oral threats, threatening gestures and insults
- . flyers and hatemail
- . graffiti

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1.1 ASSESSMENT AND ANALYSES

Antisemitism in France in 2015: incredibly high, extremely violent and home-grown:

- ▶ 808 Antisemitic acts committed in France in 2015 led to filing a complaint. This number remains extremely high.
- ▶ In 2015, 29 people (men, women, children, babies) were taken hostage in a kosher supermarket on 9 January 2015. 4 people were executed.
- ▶ For the first time, Antisemitism in France reached a very high level regardless of the armed conflict in the Middle East. Antisemitic acts committed in France in 2015 are home-grown phenomena. French-grown Antisemitism is now capable of reaching high numbers.
- ▶ Once again in 2015, Jews, who represent less than one percent of the total population, are the target of 40 percent of all racist crimes committed in France, and 49 percent of racist violent acts committed against people.
- ▶ In France, there were on average two Antisemitic acts perpetrated every day in 2015.
- ▶ In 2015, many victims of Antisemitic acts said that they preferred not to file a complaint for Antisemitic insults, threats or light violence, while others were executed a few months earlier because they were Jews. The actual number of Antisemitic acts committed in France in 2015 seems much higher than the statistics of the recorded cases that led to a complaint with the police.
- ▶ The number of Jews that leave the country or think about leaving France for another country keeps on increasing. A large proportion of French Jews do not feel at ease within society and feels misunderstood even besides security issues. Others fear the loss of their identity. It seems to them that being Jewish in France has become too difficult. Both observations reveal the deep and growing angst of French Jews.

There is a risk in not facing the polymorphous nature of Antisemitism in France, in not defining it precisely: like in the past, there is a risk of letting Antisemitism develop without controlling the consequences in the future. This is a risk for French Jews, of course, but also for France as a whole.

In 2015, the following people were killed in France :

Jews for who they are

Cartoonists for what they think

Police officers for what they represent

French people for what they embody

Thousands of French jihadists identified in recent years grew up in a country where there were about 80 Antisemitic acts per year until 1999. What will happen to children who are growing up in a society where the “norm” means over 800 Antisemitic acts per year? How many French Jihadists will there be? How far will they go?

Worrisome threats for the years to come:

The year 2016 had barely begun, and there was already an extremely violent machete attack with the acknowledged intent to kill Jews. The attacker was a 15-year-old. This attack led to a surprising debate within the Jewish community and widely echoed in the media: should Jews stop wearing a kippa? Should Jews hide? Is this France in 2016?

It's a double heresy.

First heresy: this debate has wrongly overshadowed the reality: the focus is on the consequences and not on the causes. The problem does not lie with Jews who wear (or don't wear) a kippa. The real problem for French Jews and for all French people are the terrorists and the dissemination of their destructive and hateful ideas.

That is the real issue that needs to be addressed, not a distraction about the kippa that remains a personal and private decision.

Second heresy : This is a reversal of responsibilities. It is as if, after the rape of a woman, women were asked not to wear short skirts! Who are the victims, and who are the culprits? Are the victims responsible for being victims?

The real question is not whether Jews should wear a kippa or not, but whether Jews can continue to live as Jews in France without being killed.

In other words, can one live freely as a Jew in France?

We heard the victim of the machete attack in Marseille say that he felt safer wearing a cap rather than a kippa. In an individual post-traumatic situation, any expression of reassurance is essential and should be encouraged. We can only emphasize and praise his courage.

However, in the general context, we dare ask: what is the supposed power of a cap? What do we want French Jews to believe? That their safety lies in a cap? This is pure madness fed by a kind of naiveté or even denial. The point is not to be (falsely) reassured when you are a Jew living in France. The point is to protect your life.

Let all citizens be vigilant : let us all learn individually and collectively to face terrorism

Let us learn to identify a suspicious individual in a familiar environment; learn the right reactions in case of an attack; learn to give a proper alarm to the police or assist the victim of an attack. Let us learn new and necessary reactions. This is the way to be legitimately reassured. It is an individual and a collective decision to learn how to face danger and protect ourselves as much as we can.

We are all trained and aware of what to do in case of fire. Now that France is shaken by terror attacks and renewed threats, isn't it time we learned and mastered preventive actions against terrorism?

1.2 RECAP CHART OF ANTISEMITIC ACTS RECORDED IN 2015

Antisemitic acts recorded on French soil from January 1 to December 31, 2015

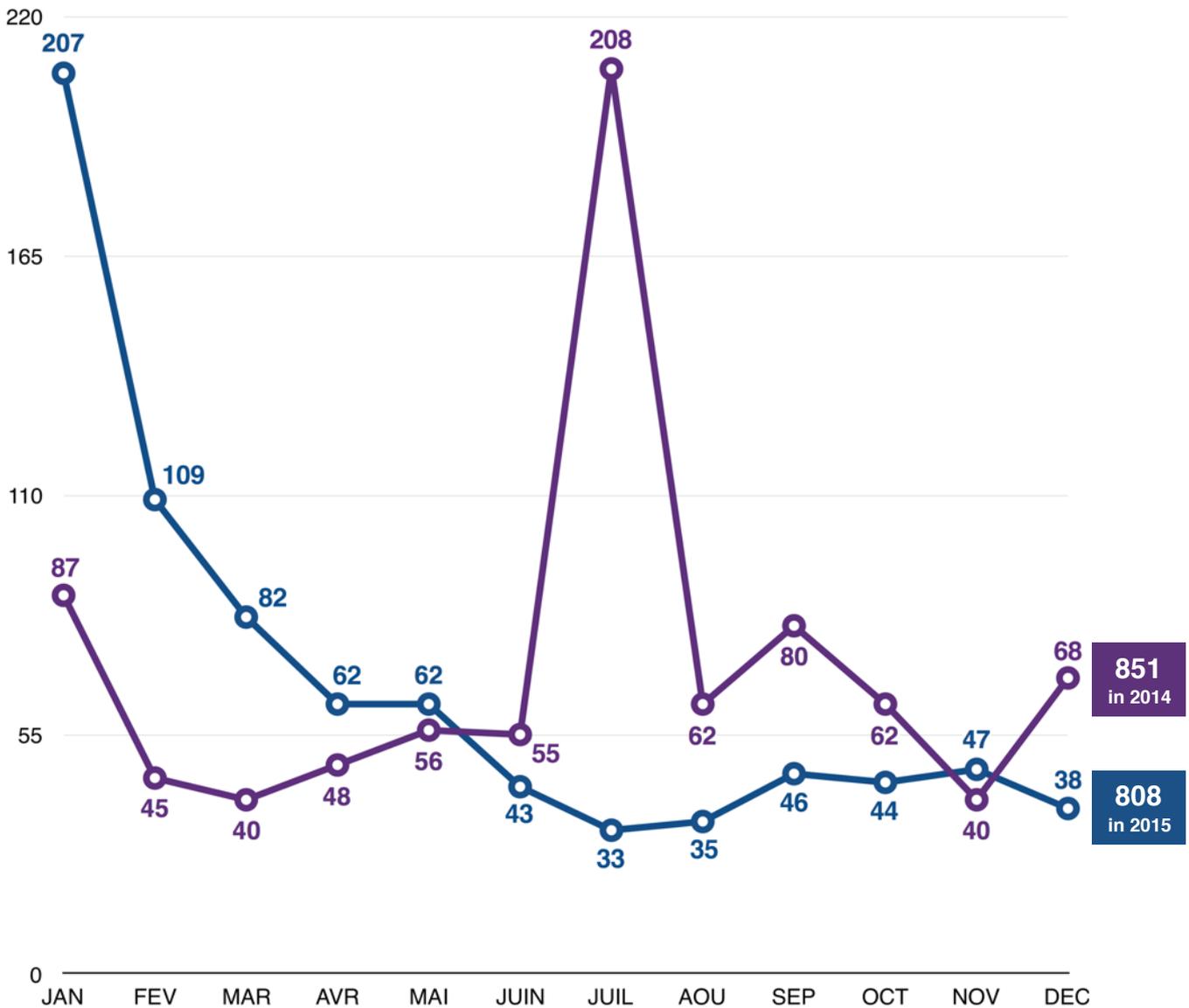
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	ACTIONS	TERROR ATTACK OR ATTEMPT	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0		
HOMICIDE OR ATTEMPT		29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	31	0	1			
PHYSICAL VIOLENCE		11	5	9	4	6	5	5	5	6	4	3	3	66	108	49		
ARSON OR ATTEMPT		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3		
DEFACING & VANDALIZING		23	16	4	9	9	9	7	2	6	6	8	10	109	126	52		
TOTAL ACTIONS	64	21	13	13	15	14	12	7	12	11	12	13	207	241	105	-14 %	+97%	
2014 STATS	24	9	15	13	15	22	62	16	19	18	12	16	241					
2013 STATS	6	9	14	12	13	9	7	3	7	9	8	8	105					
THREATS	THREATENING WORD AND GESTURE, INSULT	60	34	25	20	22	18	16	10	18	13	13	10	259	261	152		
	FLYER AND HATE MAIL	25	11	8	8	10	1	1	2	6	6	7	7	92	60	38		
	GRAFFITI	58	43	36	21	15	10	4	16	10	14	15	8	250	289	128		
TOTAL THREATS	143	88	69	49	47	29	21	28	34	33	35	25	601	610	318	-1 %	+89%	
2014 STATS	63	36	25	35	41	33	146	46	61	44	28	52	610					
2013 STATS	31	28	29	34	19	34	31	15	27	19	31	20	318					
TOTAL	207	109	82	62	62	43	33	35	46	44	47	38	808	851	423	-5 %	+91%	
2014 STATS	87	45	40	48	56	55	208	62	80	62	40	68	851					
2013 STATS	37	37	43	46	32	43	38	18	34	28	39	28	423					

source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

1.3 ANTISEMITISM IN FRANCE IN 2015

- ▶ **Antisemitism killed again in France in 2015.**
Antisemitic violence always leads to more Antisemitic violence: after the deadly attack on 9 January 2015, we observed a significant increase in Antisemitic acts; 316 acts solely for the months of January and February.
- ▶ 808 Antisemitic acts committed in France in 2015 led to complaints being filed. An extraordinarily high number.
- ▶ 29 people (men, women, children, babies) were taken hostage in a kosher supermarket on 9 January. Four people were executed.
- ▶ On average, the police has recorded 2 Antisemitic acts a day.

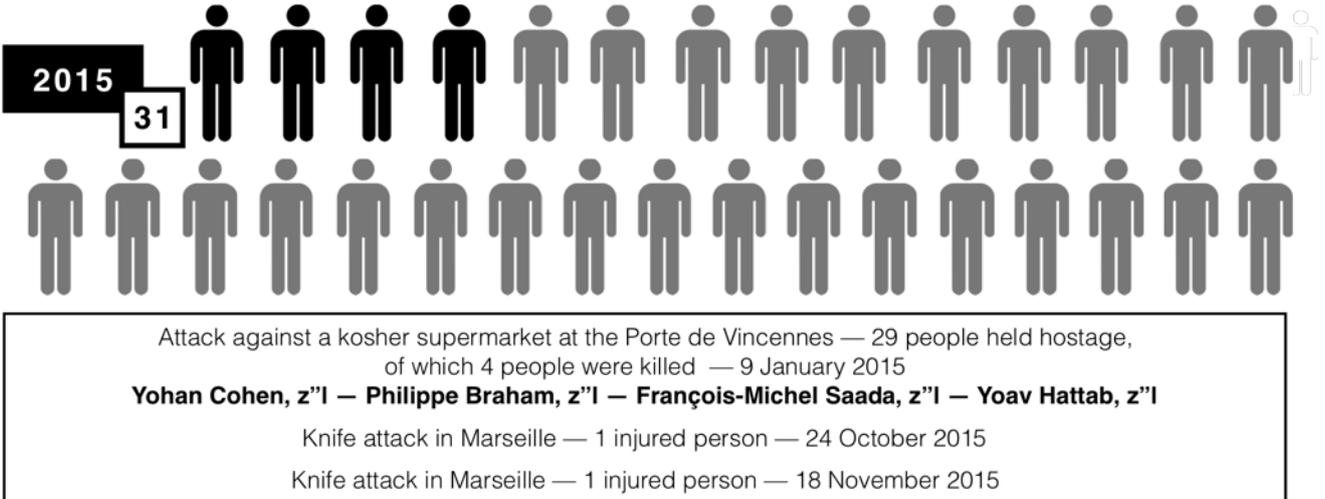
Monthly breakdown of Antisemitic acts recorded in France in 2014 and 2015



source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

► In 2015, we recorded 31 homicides or homicide attempts: 29 people (men, women, children, babies) were taken hostage, four of which were executed on 9 January 2015. Additionally, two knife attacks took place in Marseille, 1 in October and 1 in November.

Antisemitic homicides or homicide attempts recorded in France since 2006



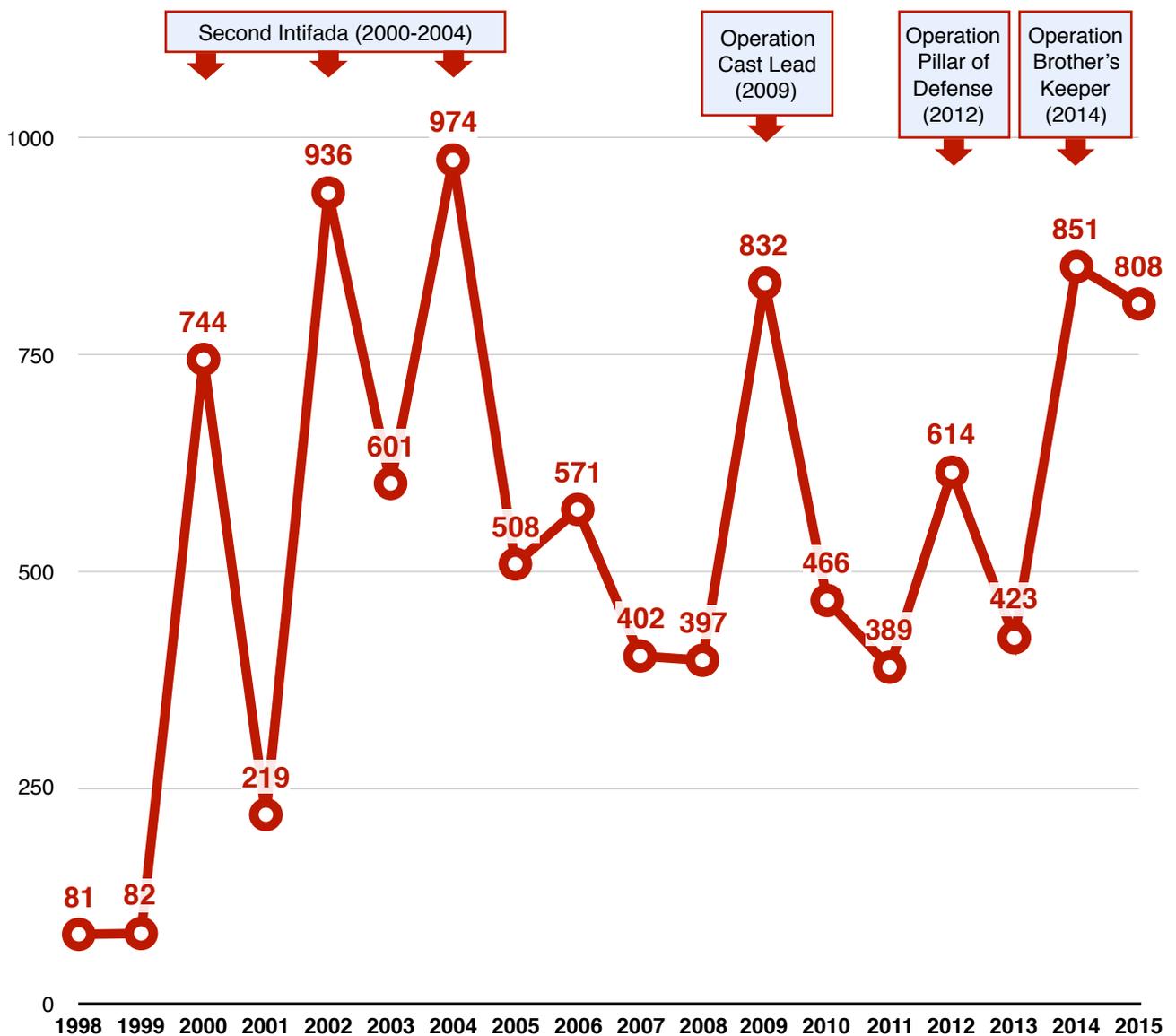
= homicide = tentative d’homicide

source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

1.4 ANTISEMITIC ACTS RECORDED IN FRANCE FROM 1998 TO 2015

► For the first time, Antisemitism in France reaches a very high level regardless of the armed conflict in the Middle East. Antisemitic acts committed in France in 2015 are home-grown phenomena. Antisemitic acts committed in France are home-grown phenomena and have reached high numbers.

Antisemitic acts recorded in France from 1998 to 2014



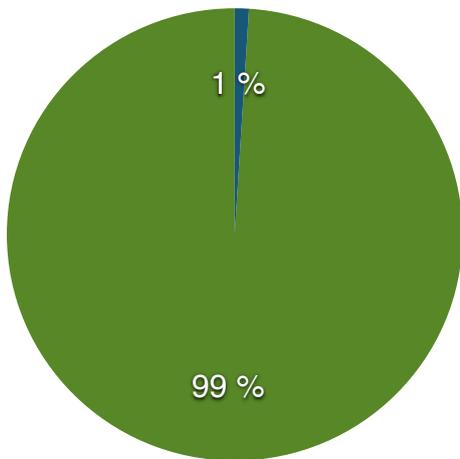
source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

1.5 RACISM AND ANTISEMITISM IN 2015

▶ 40 percent of racist acts and 49 percent of racist violent acts committed in France in 2015 targeted Jews. However, Jews represent less than one percent of the general population in France.

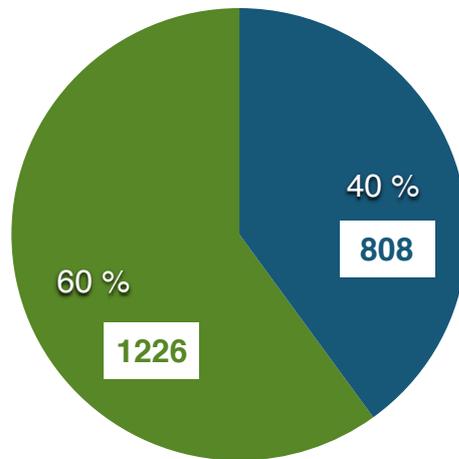
Proportion of Jews within the French population

Jews represent less than one percent of the general population in France



Proportion of Antisemitic acts within racist acts committed in 2015

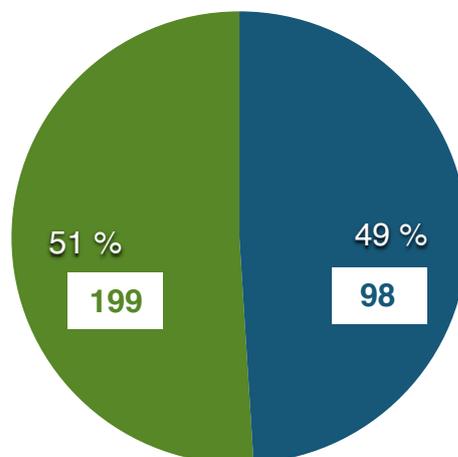
- Antisemitic acts
- Other racist acts



source: Interior Ministry

Proportion of Antisemitic violent acts against people within racist violent acts committed against people in 2015

- Antisemitic violent acts against people
- Racist violent acts against people

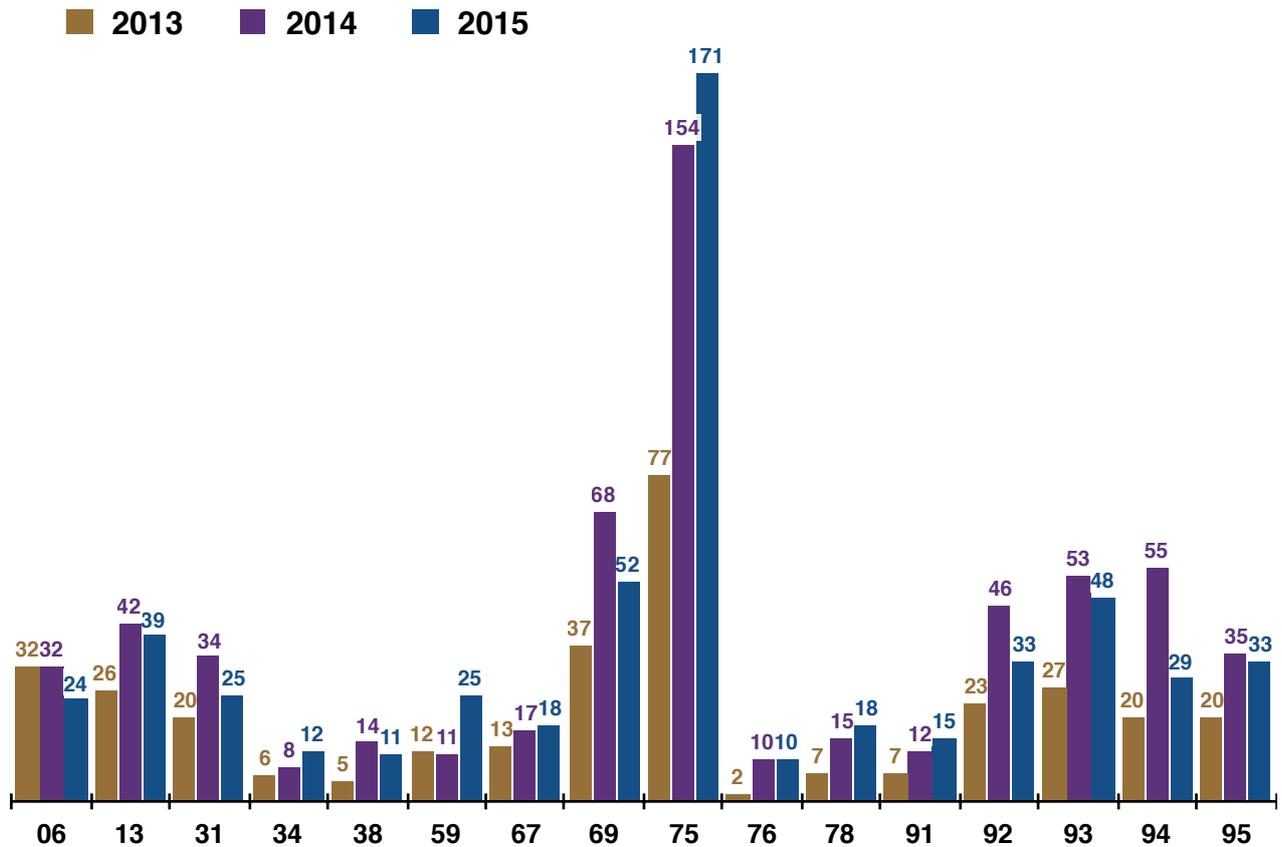


source: Interior Ministry

1.6 GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN OF ANTISEMITIC ACTS IN 2015

► Some French departments suffer from chronic Antisemitism.

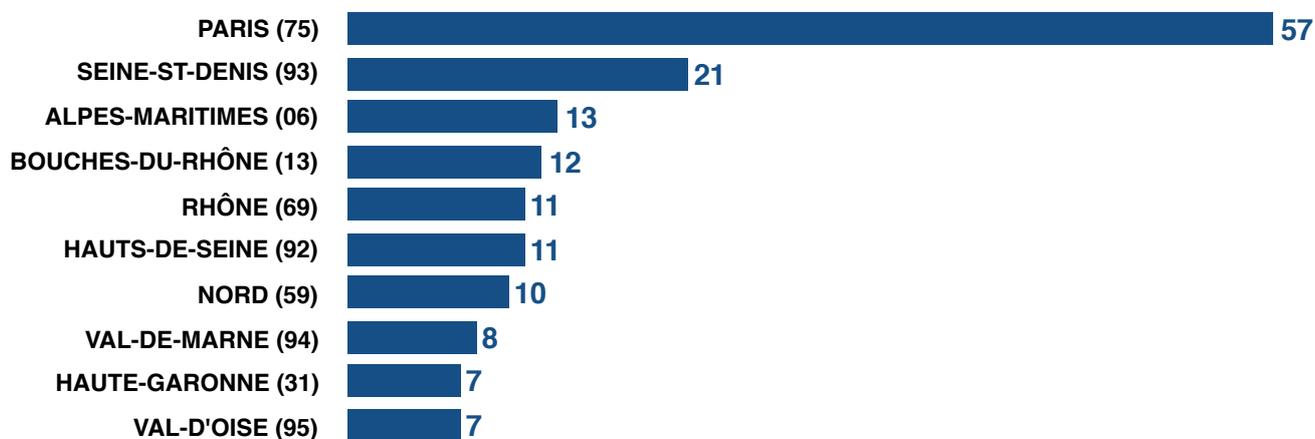
Geographic breakdown of Antisemitic acts recorded in France in 2013, 2014 and 2015 (by department)*



*Only departments that have recorded at least 10 acts in 2015 are represented.

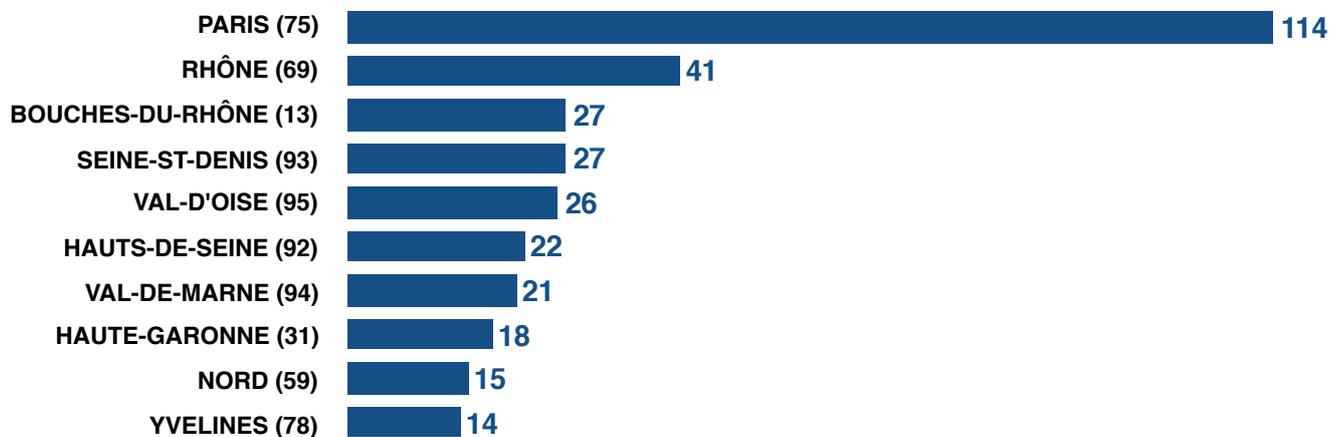
source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

The 10 departments with the highest number of Antisemitic acts in 2015



source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

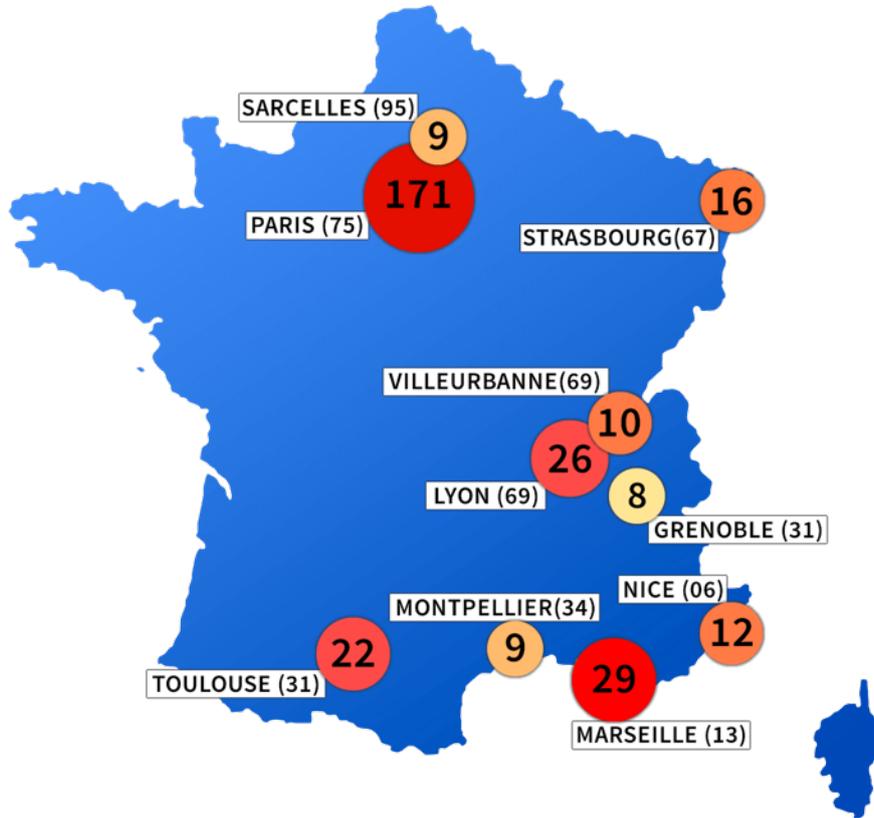
The 10 departments with the highest number of Antisemitic threats in 2015



source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

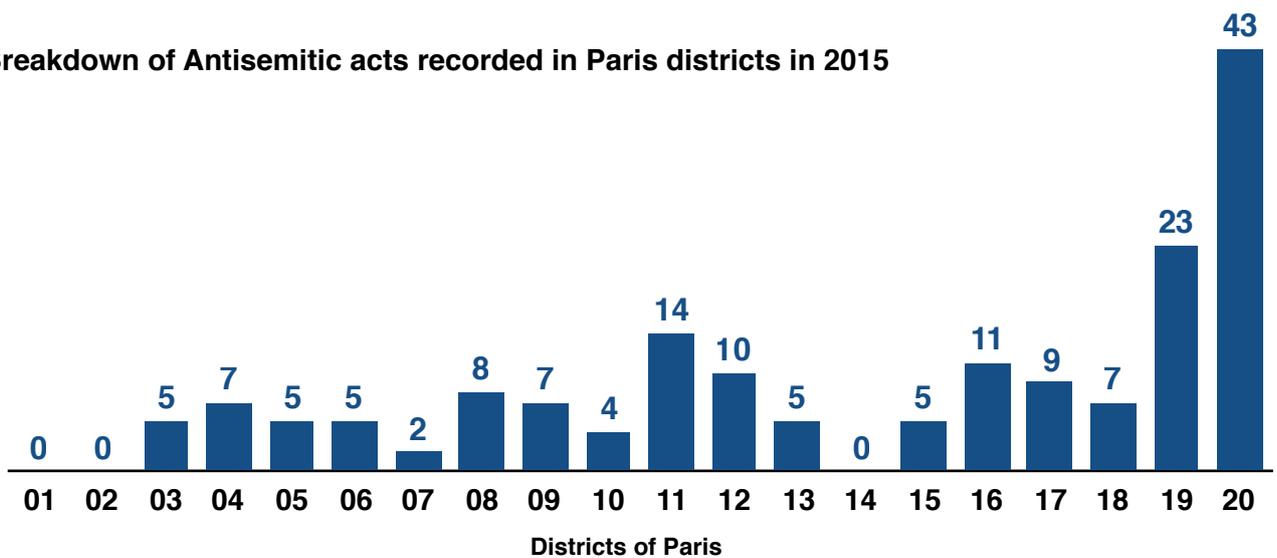
► The cities with the highest number of Antisemitic acts in 2015 were Paris, Marseille, Lyon, Toulouse, Strasbourg, Nice, Villeurbanne, Montpellier, Sarcelles and Grenoble.

Cities with the highest number of Antisemitic acts in 2015



source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

Breakdown of Antisemitic acts recorded in Paris districts in 2015



20th arrondissement (district) of Paris: this number is directly linked to the attack of the kosher supermarket on 9 January 2015 during which 29 people were taken hostage and 4 of which were executed.

source: Interior Ministry and SPCJ

2. EXCERPTS FROM THE COMPLETE LIST OF ANTISEMITIC ACTS PERPETRATED IN 2015

ACTIONS

TERROR ATTACK OR ATTEMPT

Friday, 9 January 2015 - PARIS (75020)

A man armed with two Kalashnikovs and a pump-action shotgun stormed the Hypercacher supermarket at the Porte de Vincennes, just an hour before closing time on the Sabbath. He said he belonged to the Islamic State, killed four Jewish men in cold blood with his Kalashnikov and took 25 people hostage. The police raided the building, killed the terrorist and freed the hostages. Some suffered from light wounds and the majority from serious psychological trauma.

HOMICIDE OR ATTEMPT

Saturday 24 October 2015 - MARSEILLE (13010)

As he was walking to synagogue with his son and a congregant, a rabbi was punched by an individual and fell to the ground. The attacker pulled out a knife and inflicted an abdominal wound on the congregant who came to assist the rabbi. "I'm gonna kill you all," shouted the attacker. The little group finds shelter in a synagogue before being rescued by the navy firefighters of Marseille. The attacker was quickly arrested and held in custody. During his arrest, the attacker kept shouting Antisemitic statements: "You're a Jew, f*** your dead, France has belonged to the Jews for a century." The victim's wound was 5-centimeters-deep required 5 stitches, and necessitated 10 sick days. The perpetrator received a committal order until his court date on 9 December 2015.

Wednesday 18 November 2015 - MARSEILLE (13013)

A professor from a rabbinical school was stabbed by 3 individuals who first asked him "if he was Jewish." Two of his attackers then threw him to the ground while the third filmed the scene and yelled Antisemitic slurs. The attackers showed a t-shirt of ISIS and, on a cell phone, pictures of Mohamed Merah. The professor was stabbed in the chest and had multiple scars on the arms, legs, and stomach. He was hospitalized and filed a complaint.

PHYSICAL VIOLENCE

Friday 2 January 2015 - PANTIN (93500)

As he was putting down his groceries at his building entrance, a Jewish man was attacked by his neighbor who shouted, "Dirty Jew, we're going to kill you all, Allah akbar... We'll kill you or I'll kill you!!!" The assailant then smashed her hand on his face and broke his glasses. A complaint was filed.

Friday 16 January 2015 - MORSANG-SUR-ORGE (91390)

A Jewish middle-school student had often been harassed by three other students who insulted him with such slurs as: “fat swine, dirty Jew,” and “your religion is a shitty religion.” One day during recess, one of the students punched him in the face. The school took disciplinary action against the three attackers. A complaint was filed.

Sunday 25 January 2015 - BOURG-LA-REINE (92340)

A Jewish man ran into a neighbor who asked, “how are you, Jew?” before punching him numerous times and escaping. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 27 January 2015 - LE PRÉ-SAINT-GERVAIS (93310)

A 13-year-old boy wearing a kippa and tzitzit was sprayed with tear gas by three girls who then escaped. The boy suffered burns on his face and was immediately taken to a pharmacy by passers-by. A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 4 February 2015 - CACHAN (94230)

A 15-year-old suffered from Antisemitic harassment by two roommates in a boarding school, who threatened to send him to the camps. They also spat on him and touched the victim inappropriately. The attackers were held in custody and a complaint was filed.

Wednesday 25 February 2015 - PANTIN (93500)

A Jewish man in his 70s was attacked by two individuals who threw him to the ground, and kicked him in the stomach and head while calling him “Dirty Jew.” The victim was transported to the hospital and a complaint was filed.

Tuesday 10 March 2015 - MARSEILLE (13010)

Two 12-year-old boys, each wearing kippas, were verbally and physically attacked by two teenagers. The insults included the following: “Dirty Jews, we’re going to exterminate you all, we’re going to f*** you all... Give us all you have, dirty Jews.” One of the boys was punched in the face and kicked in the ribcage, the legs and the back. He had light wounds on his face, right elbow and left knee. Two complaints were filed.

Saturday 21 March 2015 - VICHY (03200)

A Jewish woman was insulted by an acquaintance with the following words: “Jews must all burn, death to the Jews.” She was then slapped in the face and had her Star-of-David pendant snatched. A complaint was filed.

Friday 17 April 2015 - VILLEURBANNE (69100)

Two members of the Jewish community were insulted by two individuals near the synagogue: Jewish sons of b*****s.” The soldiers on guard helped separate the protagonists. As they were escaping, the assailants threatened to “come back with 40 people to cut the two Jews’ throats.” A complaint was filed.

Saturday 25 April 2015 - SAINT-OUEN (93400)

As he exited the synagogue, a Jewish man was attacked by a man who began to call him “dirty Jews” repeatedly. The assailant then spat on the victim and hit him on the head. Two other individuals joined him and continued to beat the victim on the leg and the back, until the youngest of them pulled out a knife. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 28 April 2015 - MALAKOFF (92240)

Three individuals stopped a man on the street for a cigarette. The man declined, but the three individuals saw a pack of cigarettes sticking out of his pocket and said: “You’re really a Jew.” The victim replied: “I’m Jewish, and it’s none of your business.” He was punched twice in the face and was robbed of his cellphone and money. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 2 May 2015 - COURBEVOIE (92400)

Following a disagreement between neighbors, a Jewish woman was insulted by her neighbor with words such as: “I’m going to kill you, we don’t want to see you in the building. Dirty Jew, go back to Gaza!” Later on, the woman’s daughter was also insulted by the same neighbor: “Your cursed race, you and your family, I’m gonna f*** you.” The daughter was then grabbed by the hair and hit on the face. The mother was also beaten. A complaint was filed.

Friday 15 May 2015 - PARIS (75019)

A fifteen-year old boy wearing a kippa was attacked by four individuals on the street. They punched him repeatedly. According to an eye witness, the perpetrators intensified the beating after a passer-by yelled “hit him, kill him, go ahead!” A woman who witnessed the scene called the police and firefighters. These law enforcement personnel took the victim to the hospital, where he needed surgery on his left eye. A complaint was filed.

Thursday 28 May 2015 - STRASBOURG (67000)

A woman travelling on a tram insulted two young Jewish women, because one of them had inadvertently bumped into her. Although the young woman immediately apologized, the passenger threatened to slap her and insulted her with the following words: “Dirty Jews.” One of the two young women wore a Star-of-David pendant. Later that day, they met their assailant again, this time accompanied by a friend. The women challenged the young women again, grabbed one by the arm and hit the other on the head with a plastic bottle. The two young women escaped and found shelter in a store. Two complaints were filed.

Thursday 4 June 2015 - VILLEURBANNE (69100)

As they were exiting a gym class, six teenagers were physically attacked by five individuals and their dog. The assailants threw stones sprayed tear gas. They also shouted Antisemitic slurs, such as “Bunch of dirty Jews, we’re going to kill you all.” The attackers attempted to hit their victims with a club. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 11 July 2015 - PARIS (75017)

On the platform of subway line 13, two individuals walked towards a man wearing a kippa and pushed him while spitting at him. The victim said he was Jewish, at which point the assailants took his kippa and spat on it. A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 15 July 2015 - BLANC-MESNIL (93150)

A retired couple and their 42-year-old son, all Jewish, were robbed and held at gunpoint inside their house by three men dressed in black and wearing ski hats. The attackers tied and violently hit the family in order to rob money and assets. They yelled, "Where is the gold, where is the money, you bastards? You are Jewish, don't tell me you don't have money." The son needed ten stitches on the head, the father had broken ribs and all three suffered bruises on the face, the body and the arms. They filed a complaint.

Wednesday 5 August 2015 - PARIS (75017)

A Jewish woman was insulted by a neighbor: "We don't like people like you. There are already too many Jews in the building." She was slapped twice. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 25 August 2015 - AUBERVILLIERS (93300)

A young man wearing a kippa and tzitzit was accosted by a driver who shouted "murderer." The attacker came out of his vehicle and hit him on the head. The victim resisted, but the attacker pushed him to the ground and beat him up. Some passers-by intervened. While the driver went back into his car, the victim tried to stop him by climbing through the open window. The assailant attempted to make the young man fall by tripping him up. The police intervened and stopped the driver. The victim was wounded in the eyebrow area and suffered bruises on his left leg and right arm. He was on temporary disability leave for four days. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 19 September 2015 - BREST (29200)

After a disagreement between neighbors, a Jewish woman and her two sons were threatened and insulted with words such as: "Dirty Jews! I am Coulibaly and I'm going to gas you. I'm going to kill you like Ilan Halimi." There was a fistfight and the police had to intervene. Two complaints were filed.

Thursday 24 September 2015 - PARIS (75019)

A Jewish man was approached on the street by two individuals: "What are you doing in this neighborhood, dirty Jew, you don't belong here dirty kike!" The men punched him repeatedly. One of the assailants was arrested and locked up, the other one remained free. A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 30 September 2015 - CANNES (06400)

As she exited the synagogue, a Jewish woman was approached by an individual who yelled at her rudely. She wanted to continue going on her way, but a second individual held her while the first one physically hit her and yelled Antisemitic slurs. A complaint was filed.

Friday 16 October 2015 - ROUEN (76000)

A young Jewish man was attacked outside a pro-Palestinian rally. He was chased all the way to the subway where he was punched and slapped. A complaint was filed.

Thursday 29 October 2015 - AUBERVILLIERS (93300)

As she boarded a bus, a Jewish woman felt a punch in her lower back. She called out to her attacker, who snapped back: "F*****, DISGRACE OF YOUR RACE, motherf*****, you

b****, s****!" She got scared and moved close to the bus driver. During the ride, the individual continued to insult her. The driver and another person asked him to calm down. He replied again: "I'm gonna rip your wig and all your offspring... No, I'm not gonna let the Jewish race get away." A complaint was filed.

Thursday 26 November 2015 - BOBIGNY (93000)

A man under the influence snatched the kippa of a Jewish man and punched him in the face. He insulted him with such slurs as "dirty Jew, you think I'm going to soil my hand to greet you." He pulled out a lighter and threatened to set the kippa on fire. He added, "I'm a Palestinian Arab and what you do in Palestine, we're gonna kill you, we're going to whack you. We should do the same as with Charlie Hebdo. We should do to you just like the attack on the Hypercacher [supermarket] in Vincennes. Nobody can stop me from erasing the Jews from the world." The man spat on the face of the victim and left. A complaint was filed.

Monday 14 December 2015 - BONNEUIL-SUR-MARNE (94380)

A number of women who came to attend a class at the synagogue suffered from itching and burning sensations in the eyes. They were intoxicated by an irritant that had been spread on the intercom of the synagogue. Fourteen people were slightly intoxicated and received medical care on the spot. Numerous complaints were filed.

Sunday 27 December 2015 - ÉPINAY-SUR-SEINE (93800)

Two Jewish men wearing a kippa were listening to music when three young people started to throw stones and wooden sticks at them. The victims ran to the door of the synagogue, while being chased by their attackers. The perpetrators escaped after they saw military personnel on duty. A complaint was filed.

DEFACING / VANDALIZING

Friday 9 January 2015 - PARIS (75012)

The manager of a kosher grocery store found six round chips on her shop window. No projectile was found. A complaint was filed.

Monday 9 February 2015 - PARIS (75013)

A Jewish family had its mezuzah ripped from the door and its mailbox damaged. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 10 February 2015 - PARIS (75019)

A Jewish family found Stars of David drawn on its mailbox. The name labels of Jewish families had been taken off the mailboxes. A complaint was filed.

Sunday 15 February 2015 - BEAULIEU-SUR-MER (06310)

The individual mailboxes belonging to Jewish families were defaced with yellow paint. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 17 February 2015 - SARRE-UNION (67260)

The Jewish cemetery of Sarre-Union was desecrated and 280 gravestones were damaged, with headstones broken and ritual objects removed. The Holocaust monument located in the cemetery was also defaced. A complaint was filed.

Monday 23 February 2015 - ELBEUF (76240)

Three Stars of David and the word "Jew" were painted on the back wall of the synagogue. A complaint was filed.

Sunday 15 March 2015 - LYON (69006)

A Jewish woman found her car damaged with paint on a door and a carved swastika. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 14 April 2015 - MORHANGE (57340)

Two funeral plaques were smashed in the Jewish section of the Morhange cemetery. A complaint was filed.

Sunday 3 May 2015 - BAGNEUX (92220)

The commemorative plaque that honored Ilan Halimi was found smashed.

Tuesday 5 May 2015 - STRASBOURG (67000)

The entrance door of a Jewish family was smeared with butter and partly covered with ham. A complaint was filed.

Monday 11 May 2015 - LILLE (59000)

Eight graves in the Jewish section of the cemetery in Lille Sud were desecrated. A complaint was filed by the City.

Tuesday 23 June 2015 - THANN (68800)

The Antisemitic slogan "JUDEN RAUS" was painted in black upper case letters on a wall and on the memorial plaques at the Croix du Staufen site, a symbol of Alsatian resistance. A complaint was filed.

Thursday 23 July 2015 - BONDY (93140)

A Jewish family was robbed and its home defaced. The words "DIRTY JEW" AND "LONG LIVE PALESTINE" were written with lipstick on the children's room wall. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 18 August 2015 - POULIGUEN (44510)

A plaque which commemorated 22 Jewish people deported by the Nazis was covered with black paint. It is the only memorial plaque that was defaced on the monument to the dead at Pouliguen. A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 9 September 2015 - LILLE (59000)

Three Jewish gravestones were defaced and covered with black paint. The perpetrator was ordered to be hospitalized. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 22 September 2015 - FRÉJUS (83600)

A Jewish family discovered that a grave in the Jewish section of the cemetery was defaced. Two decorative plaques were shattered. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 3 November 2015 - CLICHY LA GARENNE (92110)

A Jewish family noticed that the mezuzah on their door frame was completely burnt. A neighbor said that a homeless man living in the common areas had said: "The dirty Jews did it." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 27 December 2015 - BASTIA (20200)

A lighted tire was stuck with a chair against the door of the synagogue. A complaint was filed.

Monday 28 December 2015 - TOULOUSE (31000)

During the night from Saturday to Sunday, someone vandalized the camera of a synagogue. A complaint was filed.

THREATS

THREATENING WORD AND GESTURE, INSULT

Monday 5 January 2015 - PARIS (75019)

For no apparent reason, a young woman was insulting the clients and the manager's wife in a restaurant with such words as: "Dirty Jew, look down, why are you staring at me?" Then she told the manager: "What's your problem, dirty old f***ing Jew? We Muslims will finish off the job that Hitler started, and we'll burn you and your shitty family. Go home, I'm going to bring the whole inner city here. We've already shot at your shop window, the next bullet is for you." She repeated her death threats against the manager's wife. The police intervened, put an end to the conflict, and asked both parties to come to the precinct. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 13 January 2015 - NANTERRE (92000)

An ex-employee who had lost her job left messages on the voicemail of a director at her former company. She said she was half-Moroccan and half-Iraqi, that she was a jihadist and that she was going to set on fire all the stores of this previous employer. She ended her messages with words such as: “Dirty Jewish race, f*** you, war has begun between me, the French and the Jews.” A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 13 January 2015 - PARIS (75004)

A forensic doctor filed a complaint against an individual she had just examined in the Vincennes detention center. The individual had said, “The Kouachi brothers and Coulibaly were right, they are nice guys, France is shit.” The doctor asked the individual to calm down. The man threatened her directly: “You have blue eyes, you are Jewish, right, you are Jewish! Hitler didn’t finish up his job, I’ll remember your face, and I’m going to kill you, you’re gonna die.” A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 13 January 2015 - SAVIGNY-SUR-ORGE (91600)

Two individuals inside a vehicle were talking to a third person, and asked him to say “Long live Amédy Coulibaly.” The man refused; the other two replied: “Are you Jewish or what? Shall we pull out Kalashnikovs and shoot you?” A complaint was filed.

Friday 16 January 2015 - PARIS (75004)

A Jewish woman went to the police precinct to indicate that her 9-year-old son suffered Antisemitic insults from a classmate including: “dirty Jew.” The 9-year-old perpetrator had refused to pay tribute to the victims of the attacks against Charlie Hebdo and the kosher supermarket; during the minute of silence, he said: “Terrorists are really pros.” A complaint was filed.

Friday 16 January 2015 - VILLEJUIF (94800)

A woman who took out her cats on a regular basis was insulted by youngsters with words such as: “Dirty Jew, we’re going to kill you and your cats.” After the January attacks, the same youngsters told her: “See, we got those dirty Jews.” A complaint was filed.

Friday 16 January 2015 - LE MANS (72000)

A squatter living in a residential building was asked to leave the premises by agents who monitor safety and quiet. He threatened them with words such as: “I’m going to find a weapon and I’m going to blow you up with your families. I’m going to come with my brothers and a Kalashnikov and whack you in front of the police precinct. You are dirty Jews. I know how to get a weapon in a day, and I’m gonna come back and whack you.” A complaint was filed.

Saturday 17 January 2015 - PARIS (75020)

In front of the Hypercacher supermarket, an eye witness noticed a flag among the flowers that were deposited as tributes to the victims of the attacks. It was a flag with the Saint George Cross with the inscription “no surrender,” a symbol used by Fascist groups. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 20 January 2015 - CRÉTEIL (94000)

An individual brought to the police precinct because he was under influence said to the police officers: “Whatever, I’ll do like the Kouachi brothers when I get out of jail. I’m going to f••• all the Jews, I’m gonna kill them all, you don’t know me.” A complaint was filed.

Monday 26 January 2015 - NICE (06000)

While under police custody, an individual said “he wanted to be like Adolf Hitler and that he valued what Hitler had done.” He explained he wanted “to do the same, that Hitler didn’t do enough, that he should have killed more Jews because they control the world today and it’s because of them that the Arab people are oppressed.” A complaint was filed.

Monday 26 January 2015 - CONDÉ-SUR-L’ESCAUT (59163)

A middle school student made an Antisemitic statement in the classroom: “We must kill the Jews... In my religion, we don’t like Jews, because they are a banned people and they should all die.” A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 27 January 2015 - NARBONNE (11000)

A high school student said in the classroom that “he didn’t like Jews, that Hitler did a good thing to kill them and that we should start again.” A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 28 January 2015 - INTERNET

The victim noticed that her Facebook account had been hacked and that the following posts appeared on his wall: “F*** THE SHITTY JEWS... LONG LIVE HITLER... F*** SHABAT, ALL THESE SHITTY RABBIS, I’M COULIBALY, BUNCH OF SONS OF B***** ... HITLER MA MASTER SODOMIZED YOU WELL, SONS OF DOGS, GO CROAK AND DIE IN HELL FOR ALL THE JEWISH VICTIMS, IT SERVES THEM DAMN RIGHT, SONS OF DOGS, DIRTY F***ING SHITTY BASTARDS. WE’RE GONNA BOMB THE POLICE PRECINCT AT LEVALLOIS AND SOON AN ATTACK IN THE 17TH DISTRICT OF PARIS, BUNCH OF SONS OF B*****, LONG LIVE HITLER I AM COULIBALY YOU ARE ALL DEAD... IT SERVES ALL THE JEWISH VICTIMS FROM WORLD WAR II WELL, THEY GOT REALLY F****, DIRTY JEWS, YOU ARE DEAD, ALL DEAD, I’M GONNA KILL, F*** THE HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL, YOU ALL DIRTY JEWS, CROAK!” A complaint was filed.

Thursday 29 January 2015 - LA RÉUNION (974)

During a debate about Republican values and secularism, a high-school student declared numerous times that “Jews had to be killed.” A complaint was filed.

Saturday 31 January 2015 - ALBI (81000)

After the Paris attacks, a restaurant manager made the following Antisemitic statement: “You, French people, you are the puppets and the kikes are pulling the strings.” “Wake up, because we Muslims are the only ones to denounce the criminal acts committed by the Jews.” “The Synagogues are monitored 24/7 by the police of a state corrupted by the kikes.” “You didn’t want to listen to us Muslims, but we had warned you about the behavior of these Jewish dogs.” A complaint was filed.

Sunday 1 February 2015 - ANGOULÊME (16000)

Police officers arrested an individual at the train station, and he said the following: "Dirty shitty Jew, I've killed lots of Jews, Allah Akbar." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 1 February 2015 - INTERNET

A Twitter user rejoiced about the death of Jewish people in the January 2015 attacks. A complaint was filed.

Monday 2 February 2015 - INTERNET

Someone brought to the local police precinct a screenshot from Facebook with the following Antisemitic message: "SHITTYYYYY JEWWWW... YOU DONT EVEN DESERVE RESPECT ALLAH AZAWAJEL BANNED YOU AND YOU DESERVE YOU HURT CHILDREN WHO ARE NOT YOURS, A FAMILY THAT IS NOT YOURS!!! WHAT IF WE HURT YOUR COUNTRY YOUR FAMILY YOUR CHILDREN AS HOTLER DID BACK THEN." "MY BROTHERS AN SISTER WE ARE BEIN MANIPULATED BY THE ILLUMINATIE THAT BELONG TO ISRAEL FROM JEWS COME ALL THE ATTACKS, ITS SETUP, FAKE TERROR SO-CALLED MUSLIM." A complaint was filed.

Monday 9 February 2015 - PARIS (75020)

An individual tried to tear off an Israeli flag on the security fences around the Hypercacher supermarket by the Porte de Vincennes. He pulled out a lighter and tried to ignite the flag. He was screaming the following: "They are killers, we must kill the Jews," "I want to burn down France, I should have burned its flag as well." A complaint was filed.

Saturday 14 February 2015 - COURCHEVEL (73121)

A young woman was riding a taxi with a friend and an acquaintance of his, when the third person insulted her with terms such as: "Hey, Jew, just shut up." He was also performing the quenelle and other obscene gestures. A complaint was filed.

Thursday 19 February 2015 - LIVRY GARGAN (93190)

A woman under influence was arrested after a dispute with a car driver. She said the following words: "I'm going to kill the Jews. Long live Allah Akbar, I'm going to send my two sons to Syria and Libya with the Islamic State so that they learn to kill cops and Jews. I'm going to do attacks in Paris to kill cops and Jews. I'm going to do attacks in Paris to kill cops and Jews, f***ing Jews, French bastards. I spit on French, French bastards, I'm going to kill you, dirty Jews." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 8 March 2015 - SAINT-BRICE-SOUS-FORÊT (95350)

Two individuals drove by the Jewish community center where a bar-mitzvah was taking place. They showed their middle fingers and screamed Antisemitic insults at the security guard: "F*** the Jews!" They escaped. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 10 March 2015 - ÉPINAY-SUR-SEINE (93800)

The parent of a student asked a man to stop staring at the Jewish day school from the street. The man responded the following: "Whether or not there are military guards, I don't care. If we want to blow it all up, we'll blow it all up." Then he left. A complaint was filed.

Sunday 15 March 2015 - PARIS (75019)

An individual initially threatened Jewish children in an apartment building: "You, in red, I'm going to break your a**." He later returned pointing a shotgun at them, saying: "I'm going to take care of you," "dirty Jews." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 15 March 2015 - VALENCIENNES (59300)

Three individuals made Antisemitic statements in front of the synagogue: "F*** the synagogue in Valenciennes, even if I go to jail," and then sang "Shoananas" (An Antisemitic song written by comedian Dieudonné, who also popularized the quenelle gesture). A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 22 April 2015 - BREST (29200)

On a tram, a young man picked on another youngster for "staring nastily" at him. The mother of the second youngster intervened to calm down the first one, who then insulted her with words such as: "Dirty Jew, dirty whore, b****." A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 28 April 2015 - PARIS (75008)

After a commercial dispute on an Internet website, a client called the company and insulted the employee on the phone: "Dirty Jew! We know Jews love money." A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 9 June 2015 - CRÉTEIL (94000)

At a bus stop, a 13-year-old Jewish girl was insulted and called "Dirty Jew" by a woman who also threatened to burn her with her cigarette. A complaint was filed.

Thursday 11 June 2015 - AIX-EN-PROVENCE (13000)

An individual shouted at the military personnel guarding the synagogue with words such as: "I'm going to throw a grenade against the synagogue, I'm going to kill all these Jews, Hitler didn't do a good job and I'll finish it off. Death to the Jews, I'm going to go to Syria and go on jihad." A complaint was filed.

Saturday 27 June 2015 - LYON (69007)

An individual drove by the synagogue and shouted "Allah akbar" while mimicking shooting at the military personnel on guard. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 4 July 2015 - BORDEAUX (33000)

An individual walked by a synagogue and, in front of worshippers, praised the heroic acts of the terror group ISIS. A complaint was filed.

Wednesday 22 July 2015 - PARIS (75010)

A patient who came for treatment in an institution run by the Jewish community, shouted threats and Antisemitic slurs to the staff: "If I had a Kalashnikov, I would have killed all the Jews," "I spit on this cursed race, shitty race, shitty Jews, dirty Jews, we're in France, not in Israel;" "I hate Jews, I detest you and hate you," "dirty Jew, your mother was bug***** and fu**** by a German, Jews kill babies,..." Three complaints were filed.

Wednesday 5 August 2015 - ROISSY-EN-FRANCE (95700)

A flight attendant denied access to the boarding gate to two Jewish people, because one passport was not signed and the other was slightly dog-eared. A police captain intervened and authorized boarding. When the flight attendant continued to deny them access to the gate, the couple expressed their surprise and asked her if she was Antisemitic. She replied, "Yes, we are Antisemitic." A complaint was filed.

Friday 14 August 2015 - TOURGEVILLE (14800)

A Jewish man was insulted by a neighbor: "Dirty kike." The following day, the neighbor called the Jewish man to apologize and asked if he wanted reparation for the damage caused to his car. The victim found his car scratched and damaged. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 15 August 2015 - TOURNEFEUILLE (31170)

Military personnel guarding a synagogue were threatened by two individuals in a vehicle, who said they wanted to plant a bomb in front of the building. A complaint was filed.

Monday 31 August 2015 - GRENOBLE (38000)

An individual in a car shouted violently at the military personnel guarding a Jewish school, criticizing them for "protecting Jews," and threatened them to return later with "a Kalashnikov." The individual was arrested and placed under custody. A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 10 November 2015 - MONTMAGNY (95360)

A bus driver skipped a bus stop where students from a Jewish school were waiting, and said: "These are little Jews, I don't want to take them." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 15 November 2015 - LAVANS-LÈS-SAINT-CLAUDE (39170)

During a classroom conversation, a student justified the 2015 terror attacks, saying the terrorists were only targeting Jewish people, since Israel had started by "bombing Palestine." A complaint was filed.

Monday 16 November 2015 - MARSEILLE (13005)

During a conversation in a vocational school following the attacks, a student said: "The Jews are responsible for the attacks." That afternoon, he added: "If I bump into a Jew on the street, I'm gonna gun him down." A complaint was filed.

Tuesday 17 November 2015 - PARIS (75005)

A Jewish press attaché received threatening calls and messages on her mobile phone: "Dirty Jew! Bunch of Satanist pedophiles. I don't want to rub it in, but I'm going to do it for you so that you see the real light." One of the texts represented a knife, a scared face and musical notes. Another linked to an article about "ISIS organization." A complaint was filed.

Monday 7 December 2015 - INTERNET

On a video taped on the RER D train, an individual spewed his hatred for Jews in front of Jewish students: "bunch of motherf*****... Jewish bastards... sons of b*****, bastards of a dirty race, if I had a hand grenade..." The attorney general was notified.

Thursday 24 December 2015 - POITIERS (86000)

An individual made death threats by phone. Once he was located in person, holding a Koran, he specifically told the police officers: "I'm going to go inside a synagogue or a church and kill Jews and Catholics." A complaint was filed.

Sunday 27 December 2015 - CAMBRAI (59400)

On train between Cambrai and Lille, an individual said in a loud voice: "It stinks of Jews here, and I kill Jews. If I had a bomb, I would blow it up." A passenger intervened and asked the individual to calm down, which made him react with the following statement: "I'm not gonna count you in. I do what I want. I'm Moroccan and I f*** your mother." A complaint was filed.

FLYER AND HATE MAIL**Sunday 11 January 2015 - PARIS (75020)**

A 35 X 48 poster was placed on the flowers in front of the Hypercacher supermarket. It read: "The beast has returned," with two swastikas and the face of a man with a beard, a turban and the letters "SS". A complaint was filed.

Monday 12 January 2015 - PARIS (75019)

A bookstore in the 19th district in Paris received an anonymous letter that was addressed to a school located in the same neighborhood. One sheet of paper openly threatened to attack 10 Jewish children and 10 Jewish adults; the author of the letter was clear about killing them because of their religion. The second sheet had a red Nazi flag with a black swastika on white background in the center. A complaint was filed.

Monday 2 February 2015 - INTERNET

A discriminatory and Antisemitic classified job was published on the Internet: "Looking for visual graphic designer for long-term contract... preferably not Jewish." SOS Racisme filed a complaint and LICRA notified the attorney general.

Thursday 19 February 2015 - PONTAULT-COMBAULT (77340)

A Jewish person received a letter that had an image of a Kalashnikov and a paper with the words "Death to the Jews." A complaint was filed.

Monday 9 November 2015 - INTERNET

A Jewish communal organization received an anonymous email that said the following: "shitty kikes, I just wanted to tell you what I think of the holocaust! The holocaust never happened, it's a fairy tale, a myth... we are going to start blowing up the synagogue this weekend, and frankly it will be good riddance." A complaint was filed.

Thursday 19 November 2015 - INTERNET

An individual wrote that he would "go down on the street with a knife and stab a Jew." The individual was identified and placed under custody. A complaint was filed.

GRAFFITI**Thursday 8 January 2015 - BRON (69500)**

The inscriptions “Charlie death to pigs... long live Mohamed Merrah. Bunch of b***** you’re all gonna blow up dirty shitty Jews... Down with Israel” as well as a swastika and a Kalashnikov were written in red marker on the hallways of a building. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 10 January 2015 - DIJON (21000)

A Jewish person noticed that a Star of David had been drawn on the apartment door, and that the words “dirty Jew” had been written on the ground. A complaint was filed.

Saturday 14 February 2015 - BONDY (93140)

The following inscriptions were found on the floor where a Jewish family lives: A swastika, “Fuk the Jews, “long live the Kouachi brothers,” and “I’m not Charlie.” A complaint was filed.

Thursday 19 February 2015 - ISSOUDUN (36100)

Swastikas and the words “Jews to the gas chamber” were written on the wall of the Cligman high school. A similar inscription had been noticed on Tuesday 17 February. The letters S, G and M were erased. A complaint was filed.

Friday 27 February 2015 - FOUESNANT (29170)

Antisemitic tags were painted on the outside wall of a property owned by a Jewish person: A Star of David, the word “Auswitch” and “SS” were written in white paint. A complaint was filed.

Monday 13 April 2015 - STRASBOURG (67000)

The following words were seen on a building entrance: “long live the Kouachi brothers, we love you,” and another one that read: “charlie hebdo, f*** you. “ “Jew, I burn them,” A complaint was filed.

Saturday 14 November 2015 - VERSAILLES (78000)

A Jewish individual found two Stars of David written with a marker on a windowsill and on a blind. This identical incident has occurred several times in the last two years. A new complaint was filed.

Monday 30 November 2015 - NANTES (44000)

A shop owner found a Star of David drawn on her shop window. A complaint was filed.

3. EXCERPTS FROM THE LIST OF VERDICTS RETURNED IN 2015

**Hearing of 13 January 2015
Case C. / Summary of the facts
8 October 2014 - METZ (57000)**

The Jewish community in Metz received two envelopes. The first one read as follows: “*Dirty asshole Jew we’re gonna blow up your synagogue, we made a bomb with our friend Mera and then we cut your throat.*” It also included a swastika. On the back of the second envelope, the following words were written: “*And modern Jewish extermination camps that we started in Denmark, Lebanon, Irak...*” A complaint was filed.

The defendant was discharged. The public prosecutor filed an appeal.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 22 January 2015
Case E. / Summary of the facts
2 April 2012 - PARIS (75005)**

An individual entered a Jewish community building and threatened to blow up security agents with a bomb hidden in his motorbike. The individual was restrained and placed in custody by the police. A complaint was filed.

The individual was condemned on appeal to one year in prison, including an 8-month suspended sentence, and three years’ probation.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 23 January 2015
Case J. / Summary of the facts
16 December 2014 - GARGES-LÈS-GONESSE (95140)**

A Jewish youngster was attacked in front of his building by a group of people. One of them approached him and asked why he was staring at them with suspicion. The very aggressive individual then punched the youngster in the face, and continued to punch and kick him all over the body and face, saying: “*I’m gonna burn you, dirty Jew,*” and repeatedly “*Dirty Jew, I’m gonna f••• your mother.*” The victim fell to the ground and continued to be beaten up. As the victim was getting up and attempting to leave, the attacker punched him again on the head and body and said he would burn him like the young Jewish man Ilan Halimi. The other individuals remained as bystanders throughout the attack. The youngster managed to escape and find shelter at a friend’s house where he called the police. He was then taken to the hospital by the fire department, and was unable to work for 8 days. The three attackers were arrested, incarcerated and charged. A complaint was filed.

The perpetrator was sentenced to a three-year prison term without remission and was kept in jail.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 29 January 2015
Case R. / Summary of the facts
21 July 2014 - ROSANS (05150)**

A Jewish woman managing a pottery store heard two youngsters sing loudly and distinctly Dieudonné's song "Shoananas" in front of her store. One of the youngsters came back to her workshop in the evening and repeated several times the words "Jew" and "Feuj" ("Jew" in urban lingo), "but she's a Jew, dirty Jew." This was clearly directed at her. A complaint was filed.

The attacker was condemned to a 3-month suspended sentence and 18-months' probation, with the obligation to pay 1300 euros to the victim, to take citizenship training, and not to leave French territory.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 25 February 2015
Case B. / Summary of the facts
2 December 2014 - STRASBOURG (67000)**

The parent of a student verbally attacked the school director and her colleagues, saying that he was sick of this school "of bourgeois" and "Jews." He also directed death threats at them. A complaint was filed.

The defendant was condemned to a 6-month suspended sentence, a fine of 3000 euros and a symbolic 1 euro to be paid to the school for damages.

**Hearing of 13 March 2015
Case T. / Summary of the facts
6 January 2014 - MONTREUIL SOUS BOIS (93100)**

On their way home, three students from a Jewish school were waiting for the bus when five youngsters from a nearby school approached and insulted them: "Dirty Jews, we are going to burn you, we're going to f*** you." One of the students pushed back an attacker, who tried to intimidate the victim by pushing him. The attackers left and quickly returned in larger numbers, armed with iron bars, fire extinguishers and tear gas. They shout violent insults and threats and perform "quenelles." The Jewish students return to their school and alert the security agent. The end of the school day is disrupted and police arrived at the scene. Three attackers were minors; they were arrested and placed in custody. Three complaints were filed.

Two attackers who were minors received an admonishment.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Decision from the Prosecutor's Office - 27 May 2015
Case C. / Summary of the facts
6 November 2014 - PARIS (75003)**

As he was walking to school a 16-year-old youngster wearing a kippa was violently attacked by a group of individuals. Two of them, claiming that he looked at them suspiciously, grabbed and beat him up in front of a shop window. The shopkeeper intervened and sheltered the victim, who was hurt in the face and eye. The doctor made him stay home for two days. Another friend who

tried to intervene received some bruises on the arms, and another friend was pushed to the ground. A complaint was filed.

The case was dismissed.

**Hearing of 9 June 2015
Case C. / Summary of the facts
19 April 2013 - PARIS (75009)**

A 22-year-old man was walking out of the synagogue when an individual violently attacked him with an iron bar from a scaffold. He was hit on the head, arms and body. He suffered from multiple bruises and traumas, and was deemed temporarily disabled for 3 days. A complaint was filed.

The attacker was identified and arrested a few days later. He had already attempted to kill a rabbi on 23 April 2013.

The court judged that the perpetrator was could not be held criminally responsible because his mental trouble clouded his judgement or the control of his behavior when the incident occurred.

The perpetrator received a compulsory and full order to be hospitalized in a psychiatric institution.

He was sentenced to the following measures for 20 years:

- ***Forbidden from being in contact with the victims***
- ***Forbidden from coming to Paris***
- ***Forbidden from owning or carrying a weapon***

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 9 June 2015
Case B. / Summary of the facts
23 April 2013 - PARIS (75009)**

A rabbi walking with his son was violently attacked by a man armed with a box cutter. He was seriously wounded in the throat and his son, who tried to intervene, was slightly wounded. The men managed to escape the attacker and find shelter in the synagogue. The attacker was restrained by a deliveryman who happened to be on the street. The rabbi had to undergo surgery and was incapacitated for 23 days. Two complaints were filed. .

The court ruled that the perpetrator could not be held criminally responsible because his mental trouble clouded his judgement or the control of his behavior when the incident occurred.

The perpetrator received a compulsory and full order to be hospitalized in a psychiatric institution.

He was sentenced to the following measures for 20 years:

- ***Forbidden from being in contact with the victims***
- ***Forbidden from coming to Paris***
- ***Forbidden from owning or carrying a weapon***

Decision from the Prosecutor's Office - 11 June 2015
Case B. / Summary of the facts
25 February 2015 - PANTIN (93500)

A Jewish man in his 70s was attacked by two individuals who threw him to the ground, kicked him in the stomach and head, and yelled "Dirty Jew!" The victim was brought to the hospital, and incapacitated for 7 days. A complaint was filed.

The case was dismissed.

Hearing of 15 June 2015
Case A. / Summary of the facts
30 April 2012 - MARSEILLE (13008)

A young Jewish man and his friend were insulted by a group of individuals with words such as : "We are for Palestine, we don't like Jews, we're gonna kill you all, we're gonna exterminate you all, dirty Jews." The two friends continued walking when a dozen individuals assaulted them. The young man was hit on the head and fell to the ground. He was kicked all over his body and his Star of David pendant was snatched. He suffered from a sprained neck, an internal hemorrhage, and required stitches to the eye. He was incapacitated for 3 days. A complaint was filed.

The two attackers were condemned to a 2 year suspended prison sentence.

Hearing of 25 June 2015
Case S. / Summary of the facts
24 August 2014 - STRASBOURG (67000)

The synagogue received three anonymous phone calls from an individual making the following threats: "Yeah, f*** your services, we don't want your stuff here, if you haven't understood, I'm going to make you go home." "I don't think you understood what I said. I'm going to cut you up and whack you, f••• you." "I'm going to turn your rabbi into powder." A complaint was filed.

The caller received an admonishment.

Hearing of 29 June 2015
Case E. / Summary of the facts
3 September 2014 - BORDEAUX (33000)

A woman spat towards a Jewish school, then sat across from it. After the security agent asked her to move away, she responded with the following: "I don't give a shit of this synagogue. I'm going to bring all my Muslim friends, it's my place, I can say what I want." The police were called to the scene because she was getting hysterical: "It's my place, I can do what I want, Jews, you rot everything with your fences, you rot the world, you're gonna rot in hell, I f*** you all with your synagogue." She then started to spit and to move the fences while repeating her threats and Antisemitic slurs: "I f*** you, I f*** your mother, I f*** all the Jews in the world." "Who did you call, your buddies? I'm going to bring people, what are you gonna do? Hit me?" The security officer asked her firmly to move back. "If you touch me, you're dead. I have a knife in my handbag, if you touch me you're dead." "Yeah, you called the cops! Jews are traitors, haha!" She spat at him again, and walked away saying: "Stay here, we'll meet again, I live across the street." A complaint was filed.

The woman was sentenced to a €300 fine and €300 for psychological damage.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 2 September 2015
Case S. / Summary of the facts
23 January 2015 - NOTRE DAME DE GRAVENCHON (76330)**

The head of a temporary work agency, who is Jewish, received a phone call from one of his employees, who was very upset and said the following: "Dirty Jew, I'm going to come to you and slit your throat," I'm going to whack you, I'm going to come to the office and break everything." A complaint was filed.

The procedure was deemed invalid and no charge could be brought.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 25 September 2015
Case S. / Summary of the facts
29 October 2014 - METZ (57000)**

A bag full of feces was thrown over the gate of a synagogue. A complaint was filed.

The defendant was condemned to a 2-month suspended prison sentence, and is forbidden to go near the synagogue.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 25 September 2015
Case C. / Summary of the facts
28 April 2014 - METZ (57000)**

During a religious service, the synagogue's security head was approached by an individual who insisted on speaking with a leader. He was speaking incoherently, and then said: "Stop your aggression on the Palestinians." The conversation became heated and he left after spitting on the security officer. He returned to the scene on 28 April and confronted the officer again. A few weeks earlier, the same individual had parked his car in front of the synagogue to observe it. Two complaints were filed.

The defendant was condemned to a 2-month suspended prison sentence. He is forbidden from going near the synagogue, and was made to pay the security officer €400 for damages.

Case pleaded by an SPCJ attorney

**Hearing of 3 December 2015
Case C. / Summary of the facts
17 November 2015 - PARIS (75005)**

A Jewish press attaché received threatening calls and messages on her mobile phone: “Dirty Jew!” Bunch of Satanist pedophiles,” I don’t want to rub it in, but I’m going to do it for you so that you see the real light.” One of the texts represented a knife, a scared face and musical notes. Another linked to an article about “ISIS organization.” A complaint was filed.

The perpetrator was condemned to a 6-month suspended prison sentence.

**Hearing of 9 December 2015
Case B. / Summary of the facts
24 October 2015 - MARSEILLE (13010)**

As he was walking to synagogue with his son and a congregant, a rabbi was punched by an individual and fell to the ground. The attacker pulled out a knife and inflicted an abdominal wound on the congregant who came to assist the rabbi. “I’m gonna kill you all,” shouted the attacker. The little group finds shelter in a synagogue before being rescued by the navy firefighters of Marseille. The attacker was quickly arrested and held in custody. During his arrest, the attacker kept shouting Antisemitic statements: “You’re a Jew, f*** your dead, France has belonged to the Jews for a century.” The victim’s wound was 5-centimeters-deep, required 5 stitches, and necessitated 10 sick days. The perpetrator received a committal order until his court date on 9 December 2015.

The perpetrator was condemned to 4 years in prison, including an 18-month suspended sentence.

CONDEMNATIONS PUBLISHED IN THE MEDIA

Hearing of 19 March 2015 Case C. / Summary of the facts 19 December 2013 - PARIS (75011)

In a video shot with a hidden camera by the team of “Complément d’enquête,” which aired on 10 December 2013 on channel France 2, one can hear comedian Dieudonné tell a France 2 journalist: “You know, this guy, if things change, I’m not sure he has time to pack his bags. You know, when I hear Patrick Cohen speak, I’m thinking, you know, gas chambers... Too bad.” A complaint was filed.

Dieudonné was condemned to pay a €22500 fine or be jailed for Antisemitic statements.

Source : http://www.liberation.fr/societe/2015/03/19/dieudonne-condamne-a-22-500-euros-d-amende-pour-ses-propos-contre-patrick-cohen_1224007

Hearing of 29 May 2015 Case C. / Summary of the facts 23 July 2014 - GAP (05000)

A woman who had an Israeli flag in her apartment was verbally attacked by a dozen demonstrators who carried Palestinian flags and had gathered in front of her building: “Down with Israel! Jewish b****!” A complaint was filed.

Three defendants were found guilty and condemned:

- ***The first one to a 12-month prison term, including a 6-month suspended sentence; a two-year probation period, the obligation to find a job and to pay reparation to the civil parties and to take a citizenship training course.***
- ***For the second, a 9-month prison sentence including a 6-month suspended sentence, a 2-year probation period, the obligation to find a job and to pay reparation to the civil parties and to take a citizenship training course.***
- ***Pay €3000 to the victim for damage and €3000 to LICRA, an organization that fights racism and Antisemitism.***

Source : <http://www.lemedia05.com/2015/22907/agression-antisemite-a-coups-de-pierres-a-gap-trois-a-six-mois-de-prison-ferme/>

Hearing of 7 October 2015 Case H. / Summary of the facts

In November 2012, Alain Soral described M. Haziza as “a journalist who stems from a community that we can’t discuss, and that occupies – yes, this is the right word – it is a matter of occupation, about all of the ideological superstructure in France,” and that acts like a “tribal censor.”

Alain Soral was condemned to pay €6000 for hateful incitation against journalist Frédéric Haziza and Jews, and to pay €3000 to the journalist for damage, and €1 to five organizations that fight racism.

Source : <http://www.lefigaro.fr/flash-actu/2015/10/07/97001-20151007FILWWW00234-alain-soral-condamne-pour-des-propos-antisemites.php>

**Hearing of 8 December 2015
Case I. / Summary of the facts
17 November 2015 - MARSEILLE (13000)**

During a classroom discussion, a student said that Jews were responsible for the attacks on 13 November and that he was going to “gun them down with a Kalashnikov.” “The attacks, it’s because of the Jews.” “Nobody sheds tears over the dead in Palestine and Syria.” A complaint was filed.

The defendant was condemned to a 10-month prison term for his statement.

Source :<http://www.leparisien.fr/faits-divers/marseille-dix-mois-ferme-pour-un-jeune-qui-voulait-kalacher-les-juifs-03-12-2015-5336797.php#xtref=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.google.fr%2F>

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