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NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:16/09/2025

2025/939 - Racist and anti-migrant crime

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I would be grateful if you could provide the following information:

The total number of recorded racist and anti-migrant crimes over the past three years (broken down by year, if possible).

A list of each recorded incident of racist and anti-migrant crimes within this period, including:

The date and location of the offence, and The nature of the incident (for example, what was said or done).

The purpose of my request is to understand whether the recent political and media focus on immigration, including small boat crossings, may have had an impact on the prevalence of crimes targeting ethnic minorities and migrants.

Racial Hate Offences

2025 - reports up to 31/08/25	
Calendar Year	Crime + Racial NICL Qualifier and/or Racial Hate Flag
2022	687
2023	736
2024	787
2025	570

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Please note: there are no offence class for anti-migrant crime.

We have carried out a keyword search for all notifiable offence with reference to 'migrant, immigrant/immigration/asylum seeker/refugee' between Jan 2022 and Aug 2025 the occurrences have then been read to check relevance to your request:

Calendar Year	HO Code	HO Description	Offence Category Code	Offence Category Description	Summary
2022	125/09	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	9A	Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	IP REPORTED RACIST REMARKS ARE BEING MADE TOWARDS HER BY HER NEIGHBOURS FOLLOWING AN EARLIER INCIDENT CALLING HER AN ILLEGAL IMMIGRANT
2024	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	Caller has contacted NWP on behalf of the victim who is an asylum seeker and has been residing in the area for the last 2 weeks. Caller reports that she has witnessed a post of the victim on a local Facebook group with comments such as, "WATCH OUT IN CAERNARFON 2- 3 INDIAN PAKISTANI MEN ARE FOLLOWING GIRLS AND GRABBING THEM." Caller has also been informed of a group of children attending outside the address being verbally abusive towards the victim, shouting "YOU SHOULDN'T BE LIVING HERE, YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO BE HERE, GO BACK TO YOUR COUNTRY."
2024	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	IP reporting a female was at the location being racist towards staff, telling them to go back to where they came from and calling them illegal immigrants. Suspect has then thrown something towards staff over the counter (no injuries reported)
2024	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	IP reports known suspect has made several racist remarks regarding immigrants to IP, causing IP distress.
2024	125/09	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	9A	Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	Intoxicated female causing a disturbance at the location address was heard by the Manager to say "the illegal immigrants need to leave". She called him a dickhead telling him to fuck off
2025	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated	9B	Racially or Religiously	IP reporting that the suspect has been abusive towards him and has called the IP a 'fucking immigrant'.

		intentional harassment, alarm or distress		Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	
2025	066/23	Use of words or behaviour or display or written material intended to stir up racial hatred	66	Other Offences (Against The State And Public Order)	Two males outside the supermarket making racial remarks about 'immigrants'
2025	125/82	Racially or religiously aggravated harassment, alarm or distress.	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	Report of a family who are asylum seekers Sri Lanka, that unfortunately over a number of months the female has experienced racial abuse from members of the public.
2025	008/73B	Assault or Assault by beating on an emergency worker (except a constable)	105A	Assault Without Injury	Suspect has pushed PCSO whilst he was trying to take details and whilst he was walking away called him a "fucking immigrant".
2025	053/25	Making off without payment	49A	Theft Making Off Without Payment	Caller is a taxi driver, has given male and female a lift, female did not pay the fare and the male now refusing to pay it, whilst on the call male called the taxi driver an immigrant.
2025	008/73A	Assault without injury on a constable, Assault or Assault by beating on a constable	104	Assault Without Injury on a Constable	Report that offender has spat at the IP and has been shouting "Welsh cunts", "Rats" and "Immigrant cunts" at them.
2025	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	INTOXICATED MALE HAS ATTENDED LOCATION AND HAS "HURLED" RACIST REMARKS AT STAFF WITHIN REFERRING TO THEM AS "IMMIGRANTS", "TERRORISTS" AND STATING HE WILL "BLOW UP THE MOSQUE" AND SEEMED TO OFFER OUT A FIGHT TO THE STAFF SAYING "COME ON THEN"
2025	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or	THE SUSPECT RACIALLY ABUSED THE IP AT LOCATION BY CALLING HIM A 'DIRTY PAKI BASTARD' AND 'IMMIGRANT'.

				Distress	
2025	008/55	Racially or religiously aggravated intentional harassment, alarm or distress	9B	Racially or Religiously Aggravated Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	The informant said that the male is inside the store shouting racist comments towards him such as 'IMMIGRATION, PAKI BASTARD'.
2025	059/11	Threats to destroy or damage property	59	Threat Or Possession With Intent To Commit Criminal Damage	CALLER REPORTING SEEING A POST BY NAMED MALE SAYING "TORCH THE FUCKING GAFF GOOD THING I AINT THERE: JOY" THIS WAS IN RESPONSE TO ANOTHER NAMED MALE POSTING A VIDEO OF A LOCATION BELIEVING ASYLUM SEEKERS RESIDE THERE
2025	066/23	Use of words or behaviour or display or written material intended to stir up racial hatred	66	Other Offences (Against The State And Public Order)	Unknown offender has posted on social media, racial comments and a short video online insinuating that a hotel with migrants in it should be set alight.
2025	125/09	Causing intentional harassment, alarm or distress (Sec 4A)	9A	Public Fear, Alarm or Distress	IP REPORTS BEING CONFRONTED BY 2 FEMALES WHO HAVE TOLD HIM THEY WILL DO SOMETHING ABOUT HIM AND THEN PROCEEDED TO CALL HIM A 'MIGRANT'.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 09/09/2025