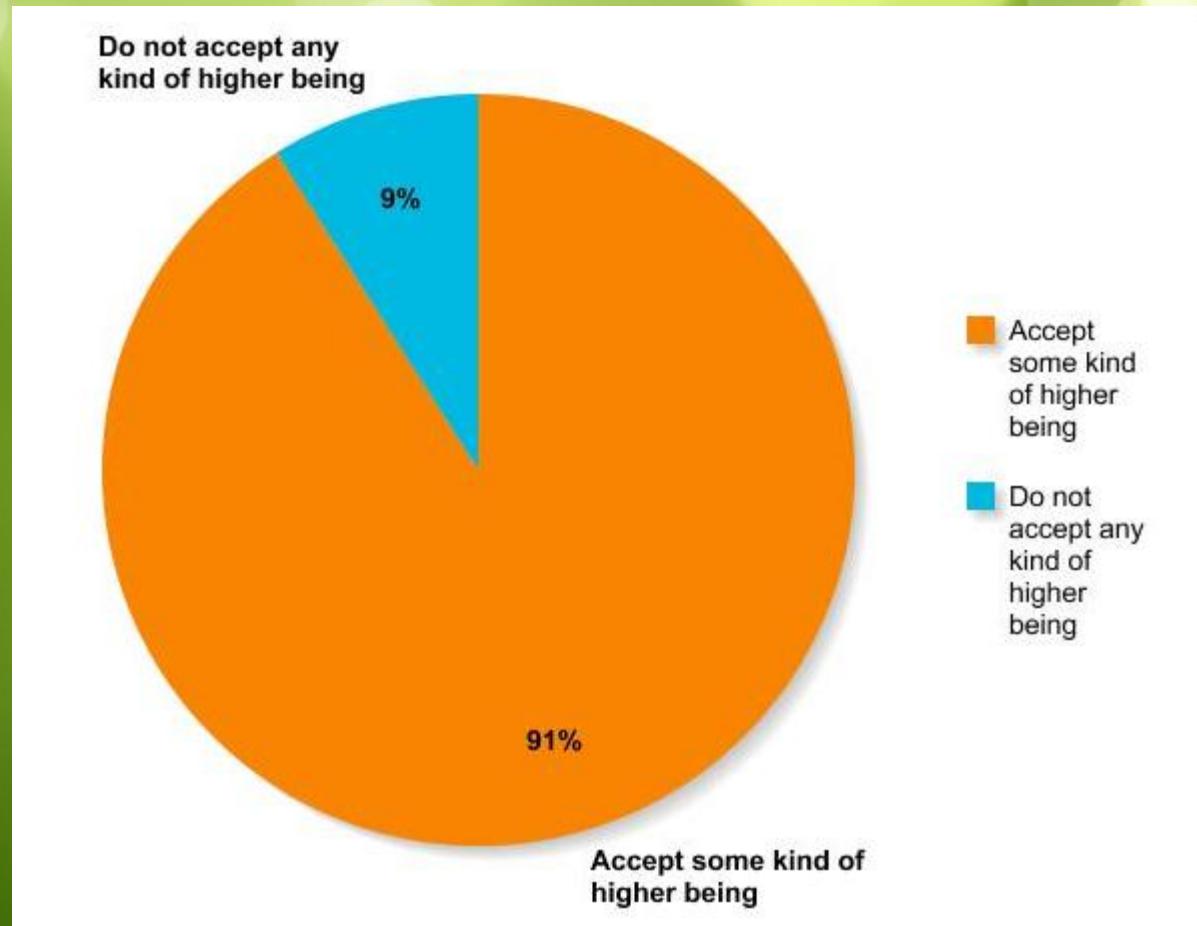


Religions in Croatia

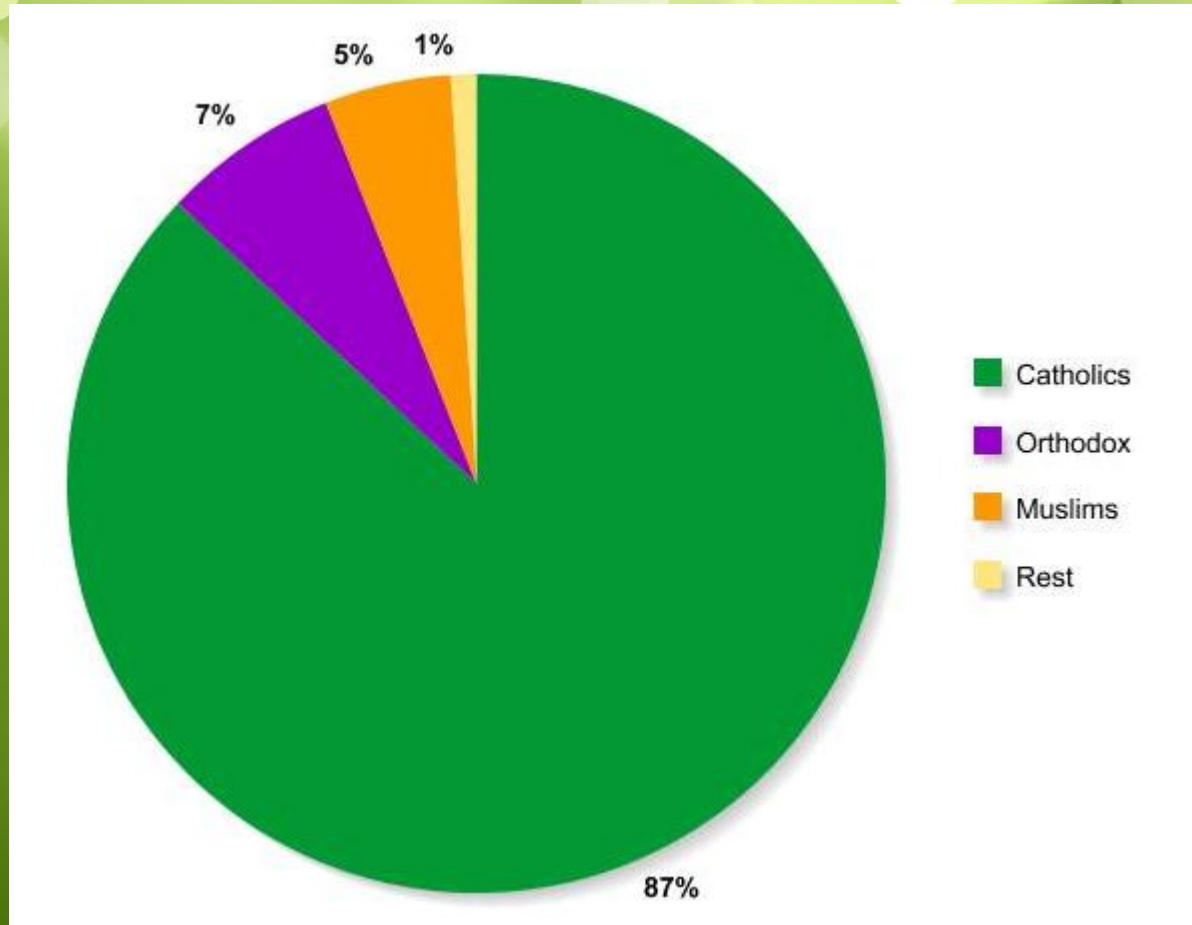
General secondary school "Matija Mesić",
Slavonski Brod, Croatia

How much people believe in Croatia?

Population of Croatia: 4,290,612



The most common religions in Croatia



- During the history, Christianity has divided several times. The three largest groups in the world of Christianity are the **Roman Catholic Church, the Eastern Orthodox churches**, and the various denominations of **Protestantism**

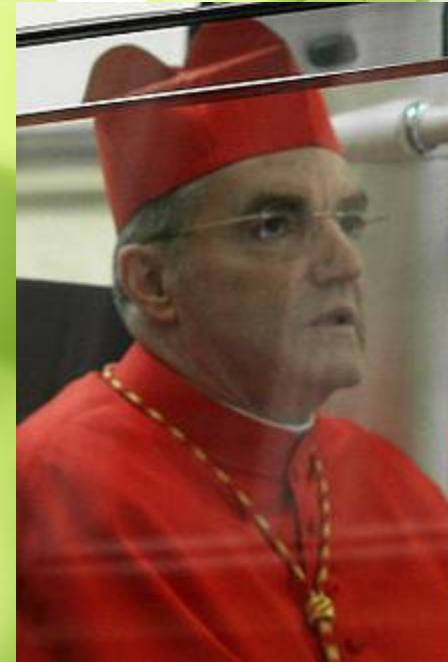


Roman Catholic Church in Croatia

- There are around 87% catholics in Croatia



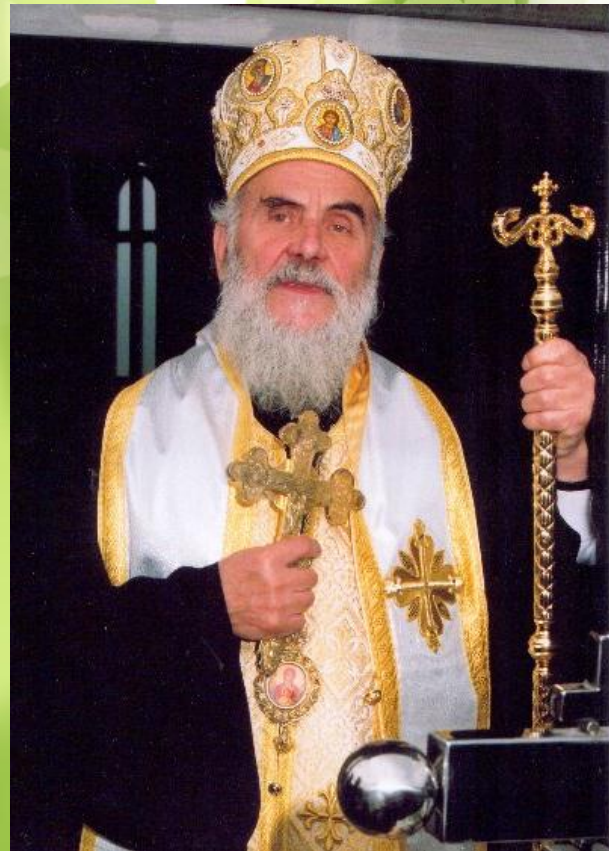
Archdiocese of Zagreb



- Current leader of Roman Catholicism in Croatia is cardinal Josip Bozanić in Archdiocese of Zagreb

Orthodox Religion in Croatia

- Due to the fact that Orthodox Church is not established in Croatia, the number of it's followers is quite high
- The center of Croatian Orthodox people is placed in Serbia
- The precentage of Orthodox people in Croatia is around 5%



Serbian patriarh Pavle

Islamic Religion in Croatia

- Islam in Croatia was introduced by the Ottoman Empire

Mosque in Zagreb



- Muslims constitute about 3% of the believers of Croatia. The Islamic Community of Croatia is officially recognized by the state



The president of the Islamic Community in Croatia and Slovenia Ševko Omerbašić

Less represented religions in Croatia

- Greek Catholic Religion

- Around 21,509 (0.5%)

- Judaism

- Around 495

- Jews, with 323 in Zagreb (0.01%)

- Protestant Religion

- Around 2,521 (0.06%)

- Other religions (0.43%)

“Broad tolerance in the matter of beliefs is necessarily a part of the new ethics.”

- Lafcadio Hearn -

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