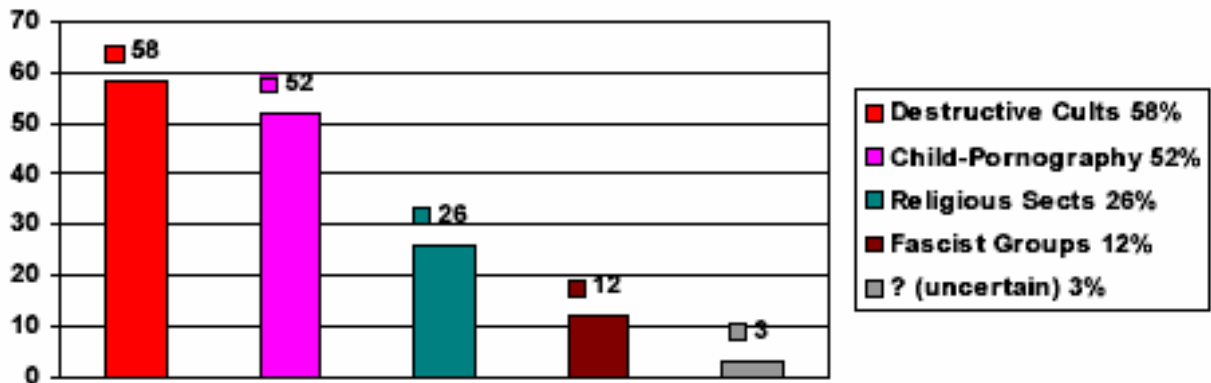


Ritual Abuse in Germany: Background of 354 cases in treatment



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Report on a 1997 study on “Ritual Abuse” in Germany done by Ulla Frohling, a journalist and author, and Michaela Huber, a therapist and author.

The study sent out 355 questionnaires throughout Germany; 126 were returned involve 354 cases in treatment in Germany. Every “maybe” and “perhaps” were excluded which lead to 354 cases in treatment—299 in currant treatment in 61 locations in Germany.