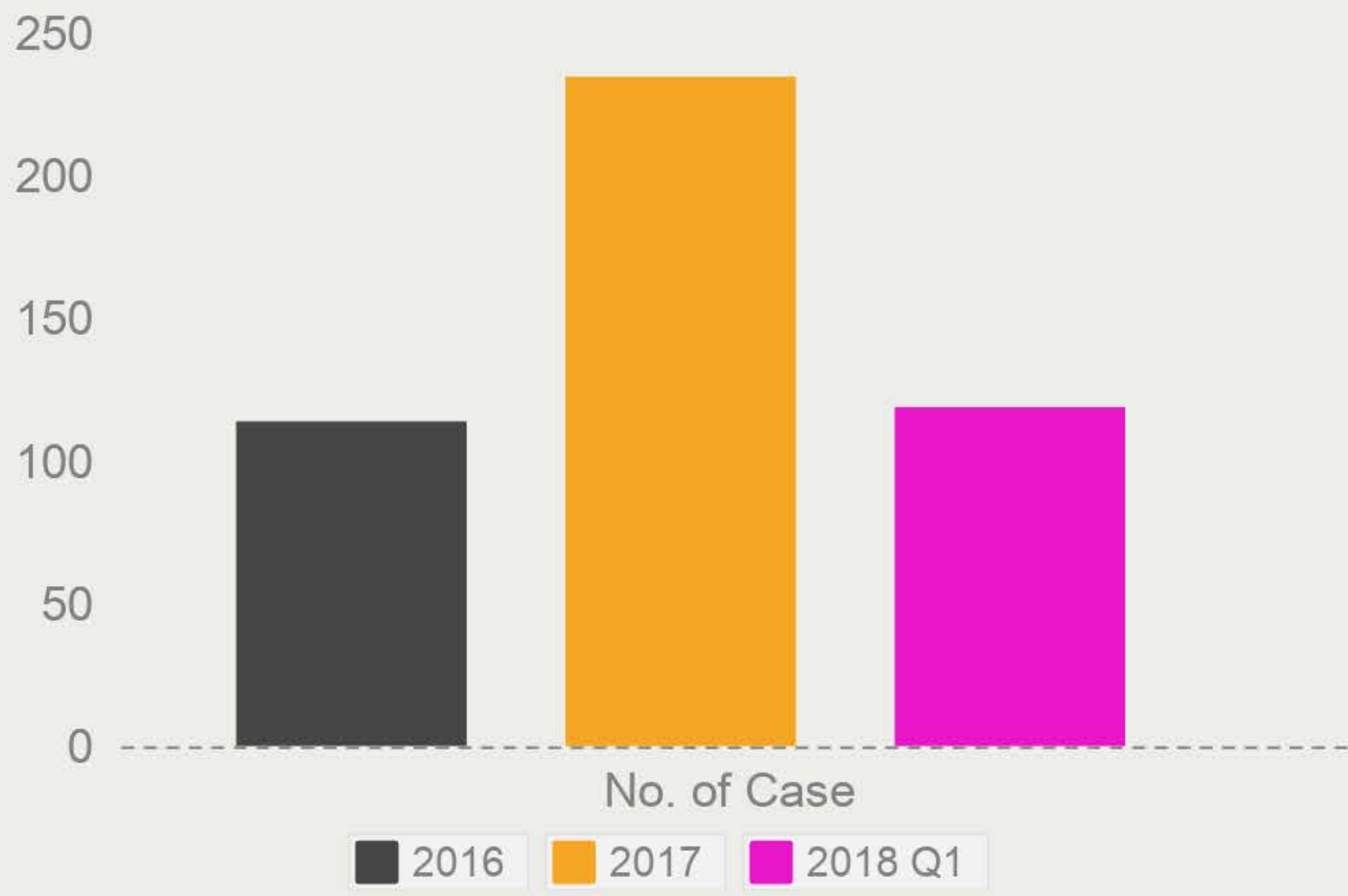




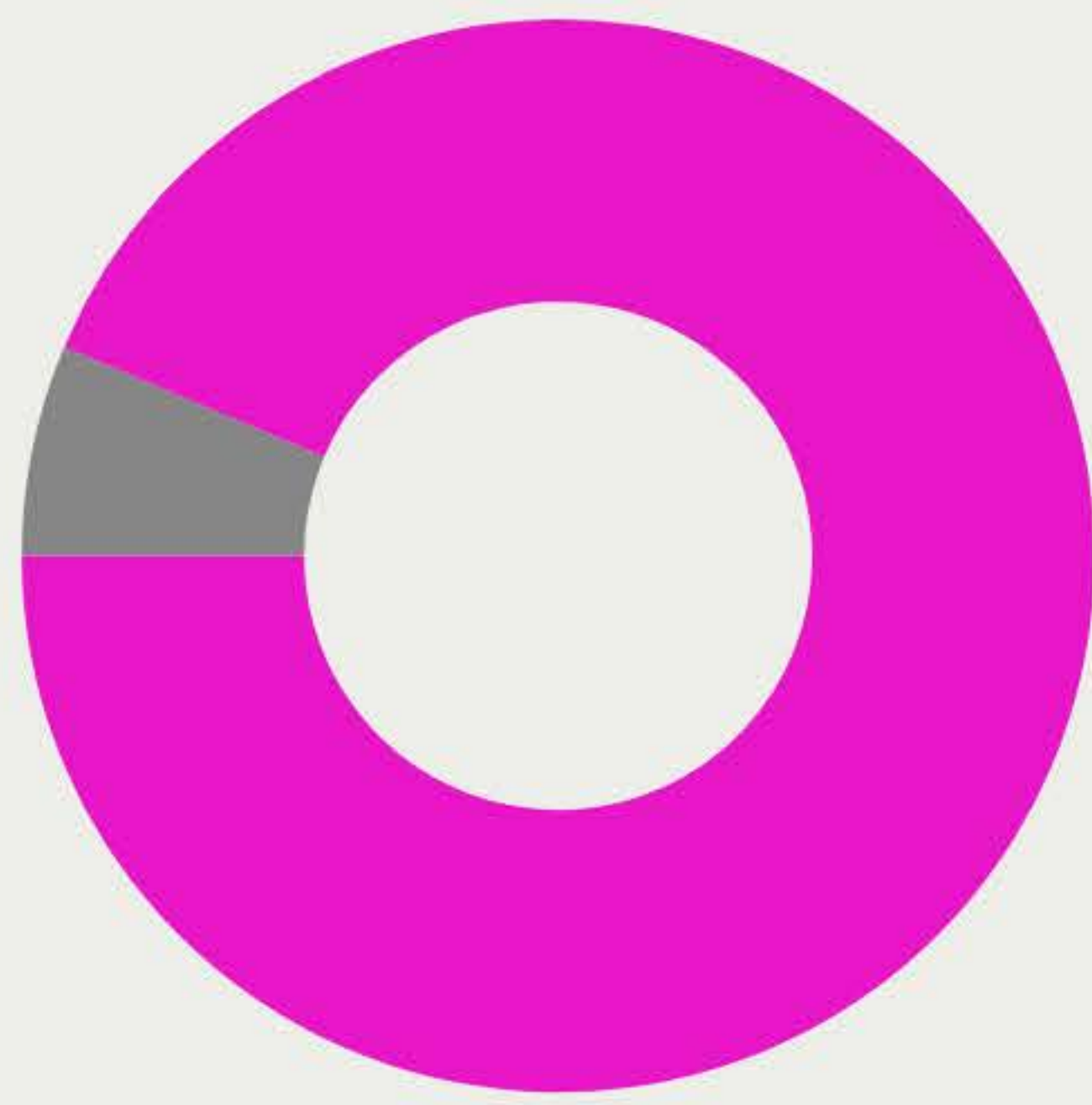
SNAPSHOT OF ROMANCE SCAM



235 cases reported in 2017, i.e. **106%** increase when compared with 2016

119 cases reported in Q1 2018, **230%** increase when compared with Q1 2017

Over **90%** of victims were female



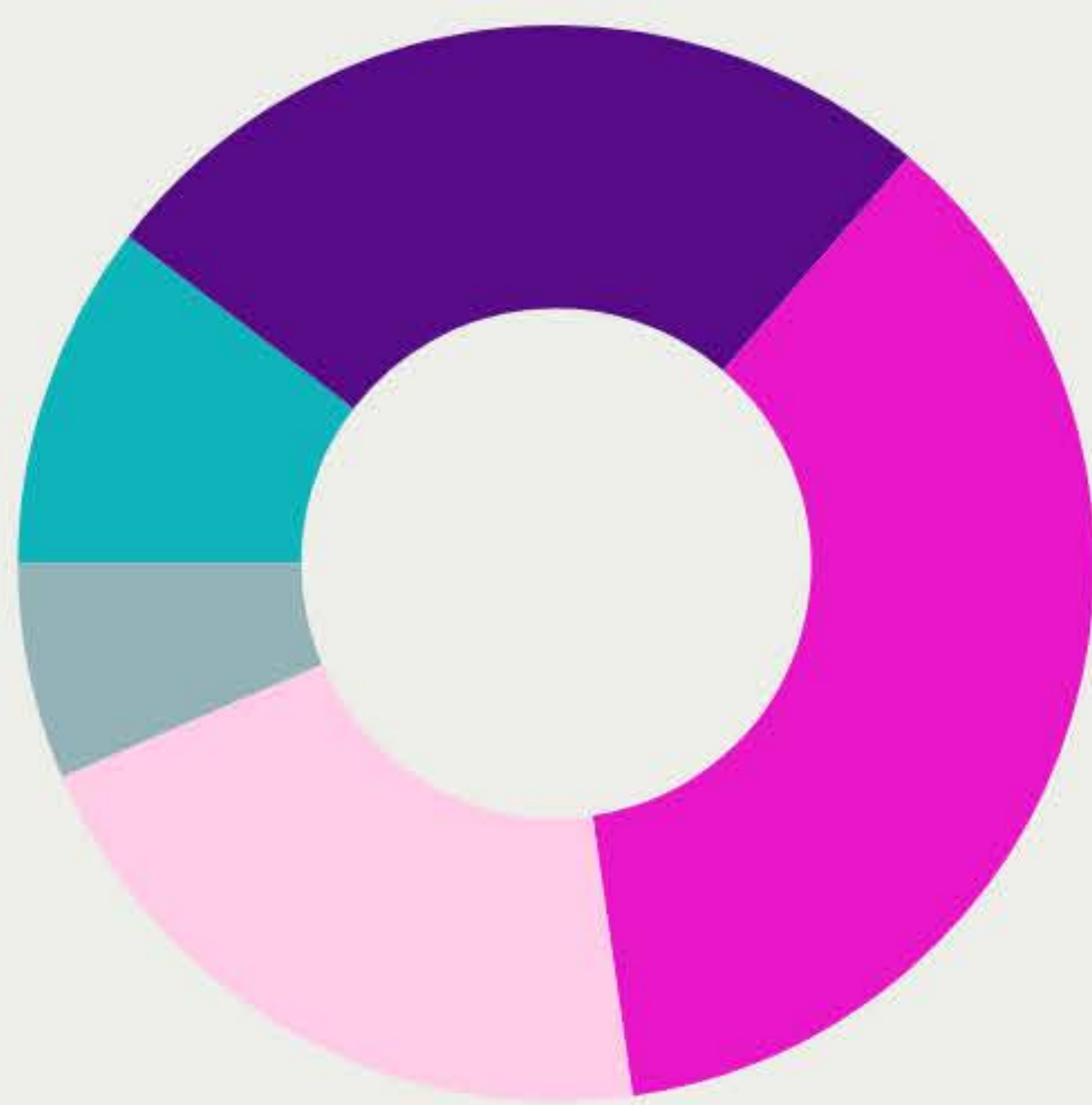
Male (6.38%) Female (93.62%)

Mainly local victims



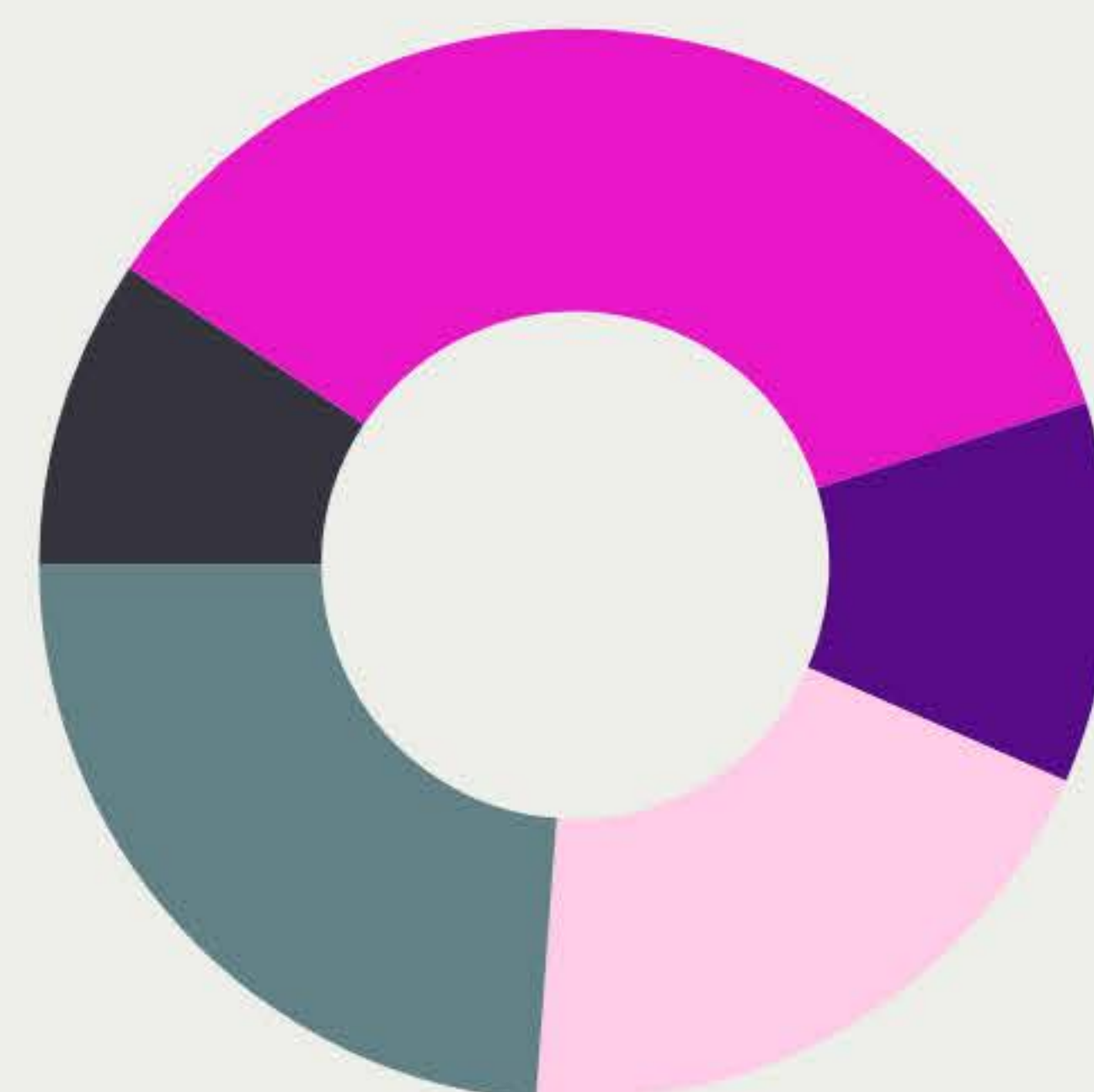
Local Others

Over **80%** of victims were aged between **31** and **60**



< 18 (0%) 18-30 (10.39%) 31-40 (25.97%) 41-50 (36.36%) 51-60 (20.78%) > 60 (6.49%)

Majority of victims were white-collar workers, working in service sector or professionals



Blue-collar (9.36%) White-collar (35.74%) Professionals (11.49%) Service Industry (19.57%) Others (23.83%)

100%

Victims never physically met the other party

Anti-Scam Helpline

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