



## 12030 - Insulting a Fellow Muslim

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### the question

What should be done with a person who calls a Muslim a dog, pig, or other offensive word? Is it a sin?

### Detailed answer

Praise be to Allah.

It is a sin and he should be punished (ta'zeer - punishment to be specified by the qadhu/Muslim judge). He also has to repent.

And Allah knows best.