

# #RefugeesWelcome

*A global issue representing the digital divide through software-sorted geographies.*



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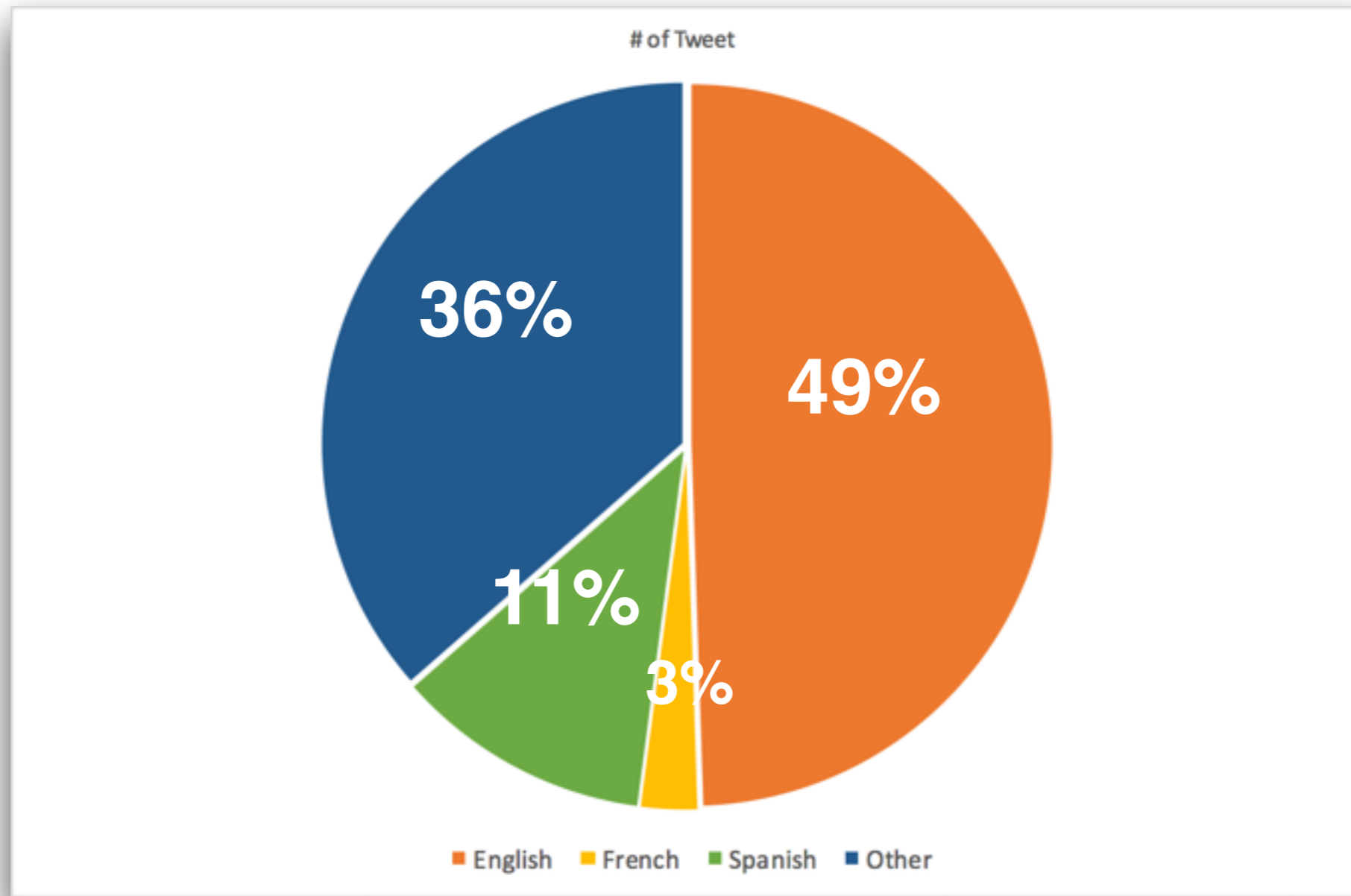
- 320,000 people killed
- 4.6 million refugees
- Trending in 2015
- Alan Kurdi, age 3

# Location



The locations that were tweeted from reveal a concentration in only one part of the globe.

# Language



The diversity of languages conflicts with the previous slide.

# **Digital Divide/Software-sorted Geographies**

-Stephen Graham defines Software-sorted Geographies as:

**“the ways in which software code mediates contemporary social worlds automatically...and continuously”.**

-If only looking at one factor of the Tweets, such as location, a digital divide could be created.

# Conclusion

-My two data visualizations tell different stories individually



**-Combined, they create a bigger picture.**

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