

Research permits at Acadia National Park: The numbers

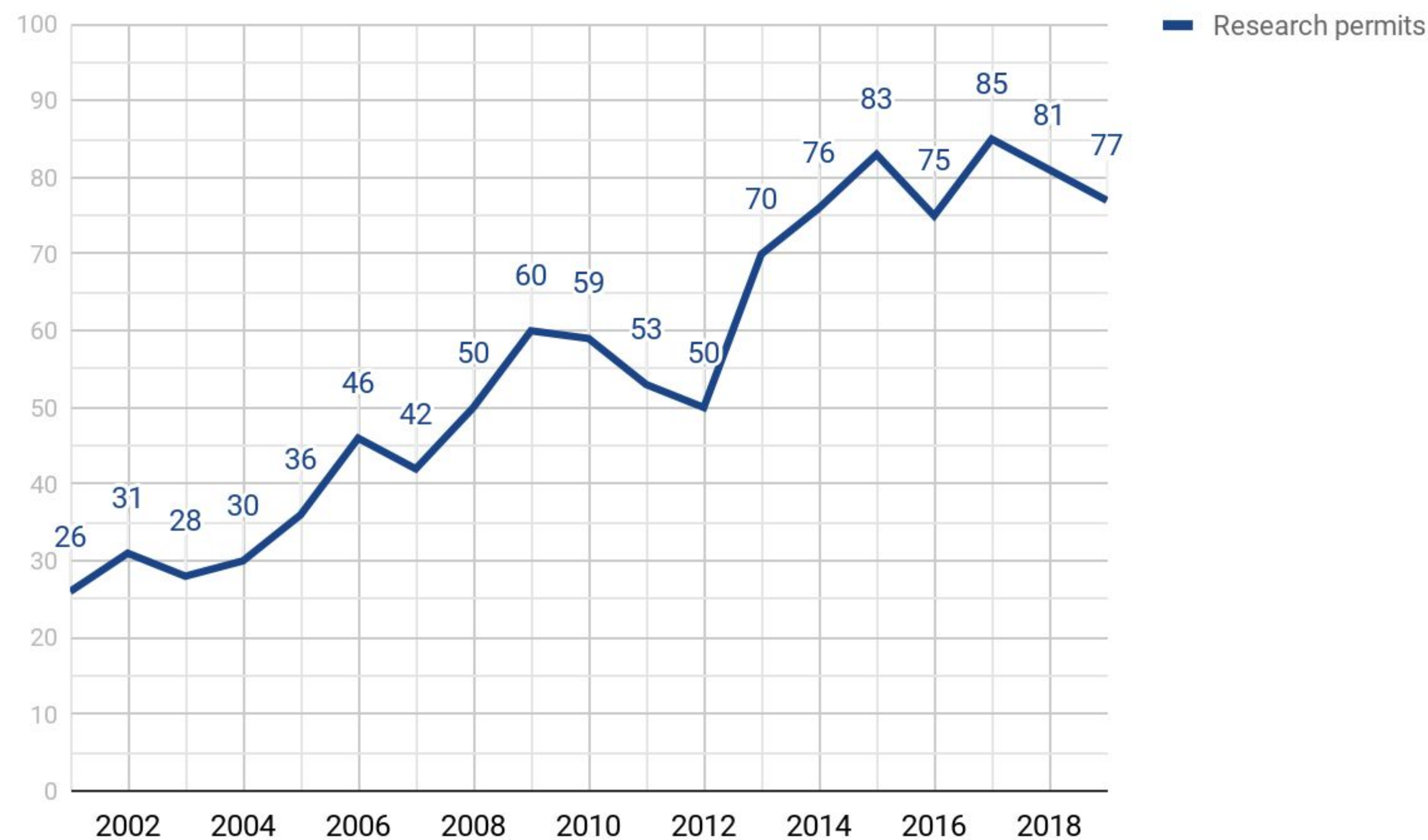
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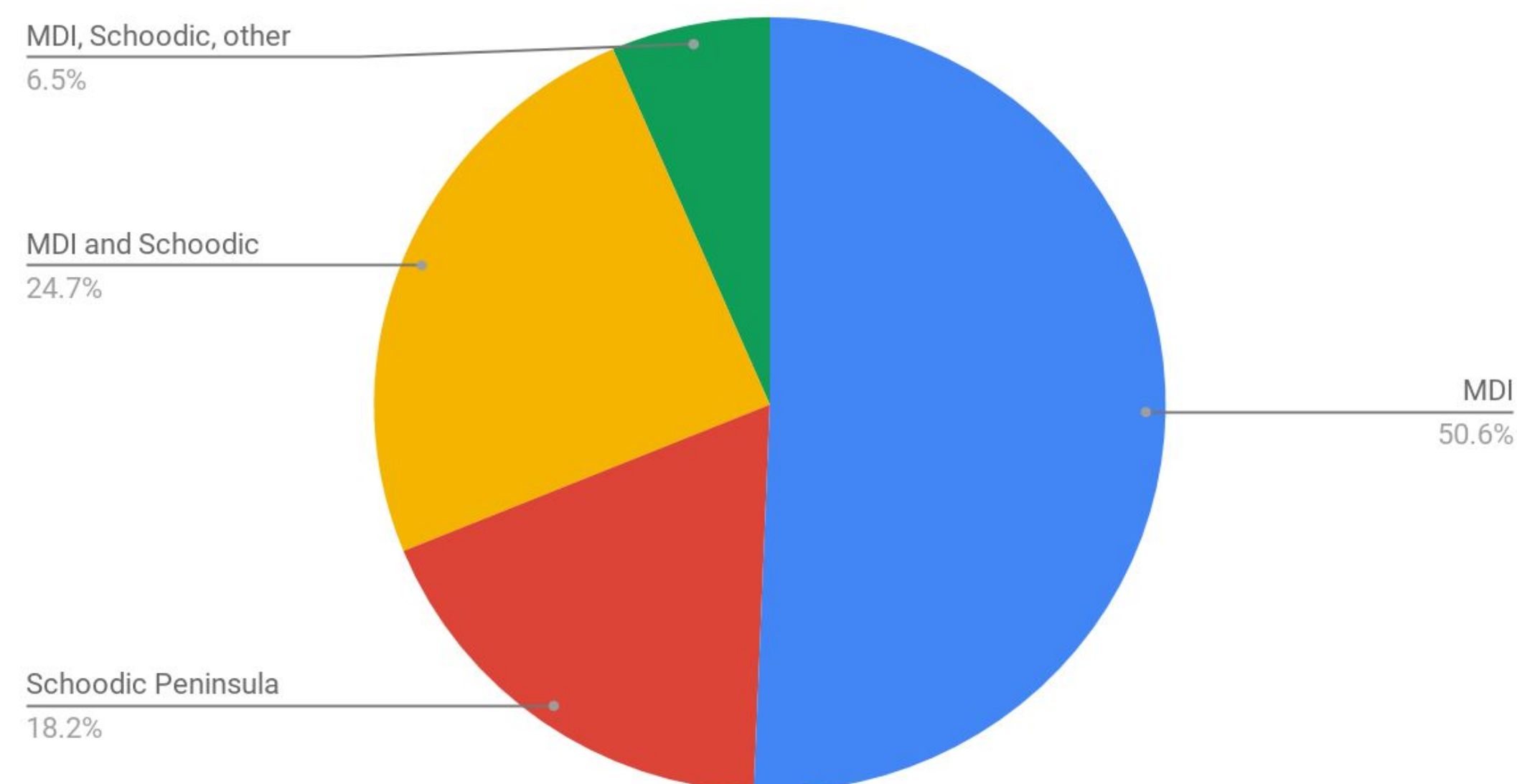
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Research permits have increased 3-fold since 2001



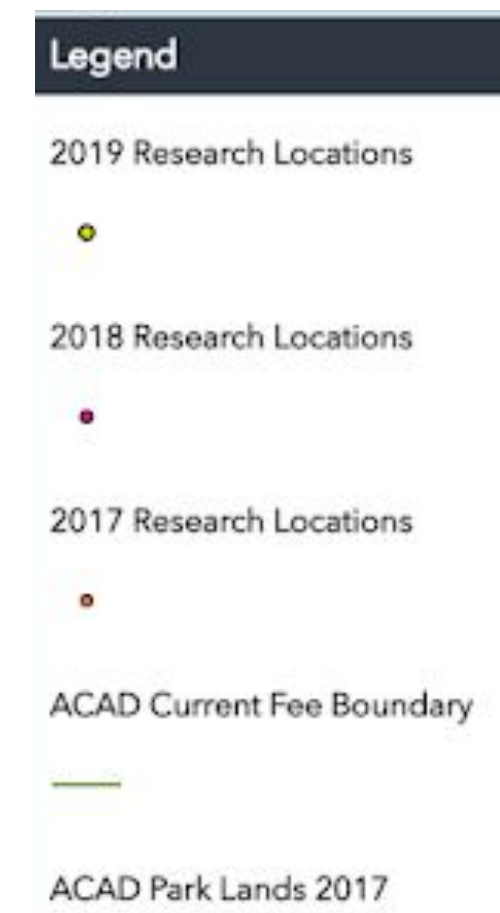
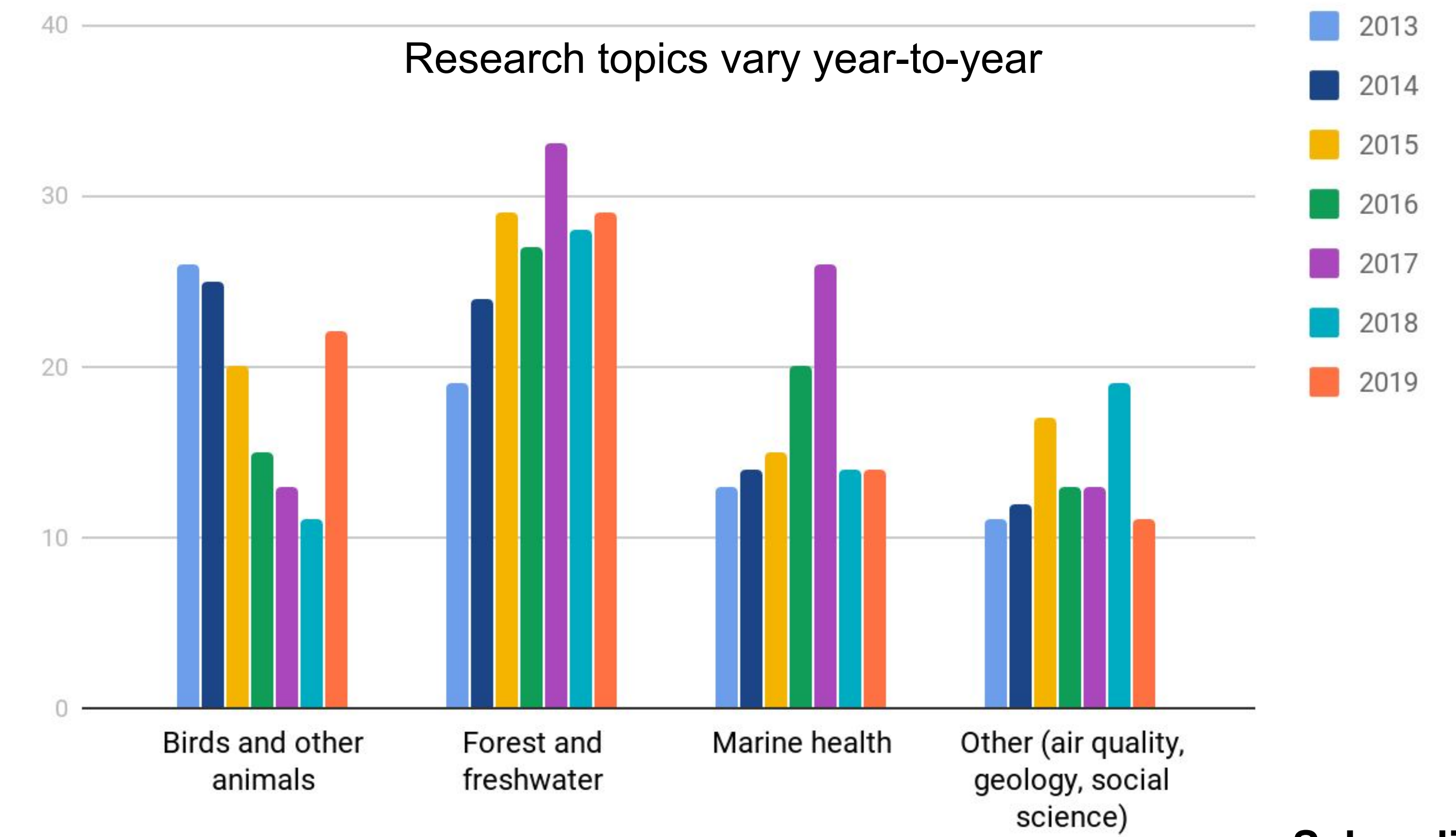
Location of research in 2019



Research happens all over the park

Some numbers:

- 36% of research permits in 2019 were new projects
- 19% of research permits in 2019 included research in the intertidal zone
- 19% of research permits in 2019 included citizen science
- There were 58 principal investigators in 2019
- There were 697 research sites in 2019 (not including the long term inventory and monitoring sites)



Isle au Haut

Mount Desert Island

Schoodic Peninsula

For more information on...

- Research permits and how to apply, visit <https://www.nps.gov/acad/learn/nature/permits.htm>
- Research in Acadia National Park, visit <https://schoodicinstitute.org/science/information-communication/>
- Facilities at Schoodic Institute such as lodging and meeting space, visit <https://schoodicinstitute.org/visit/>
- Past research in Acadia, visit <https://irma.nps.gov/DataStore/>