

Violation Summary



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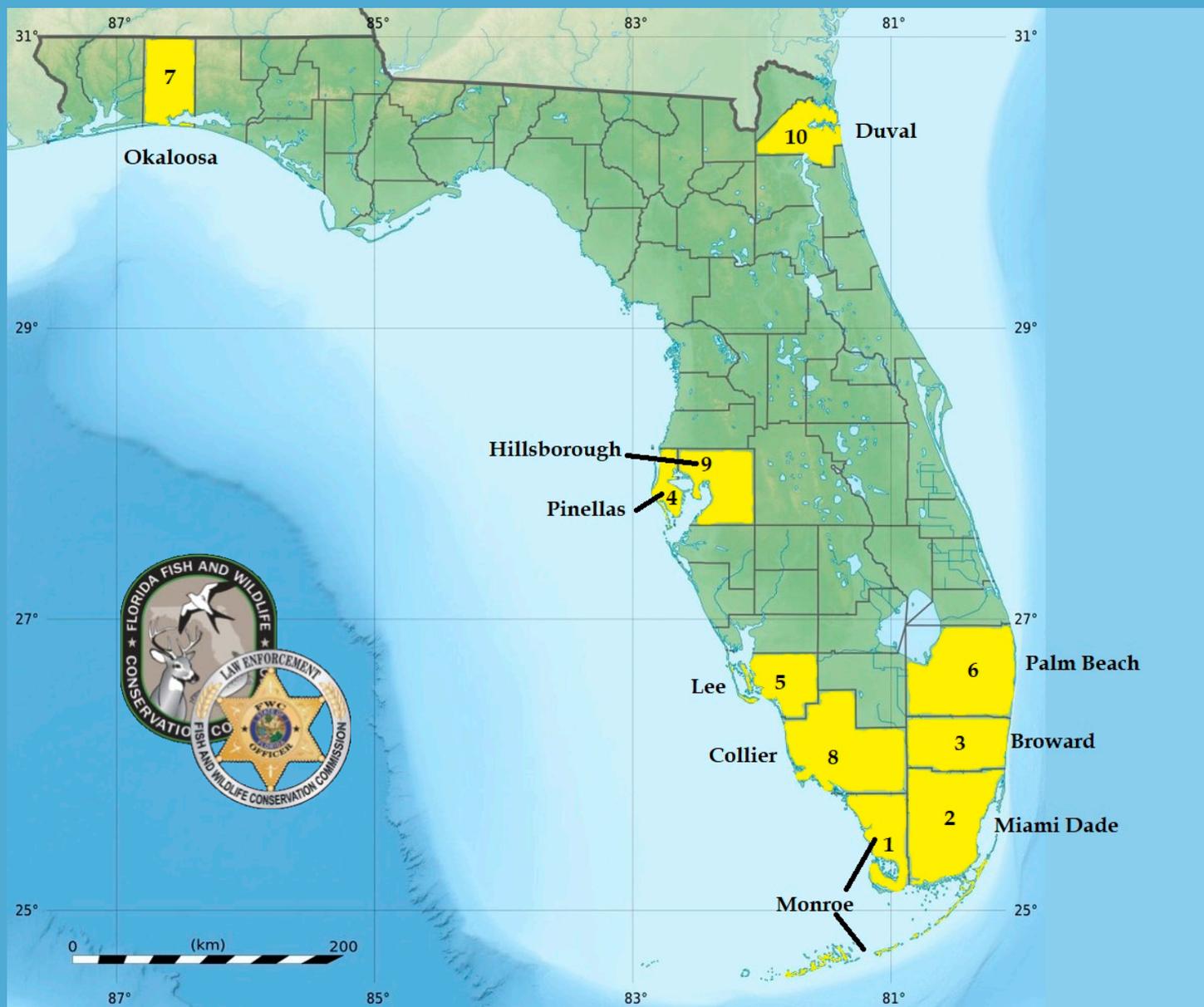
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Officers working on boating accident investigations.

VIOLATION SUMMARY

2017 UNIFORM BOATING CITATION SUMMARY				
CITATION	2017		2016	
	FWC	Other	FWC	Other
Aids to Navigation and Regulatory Markers Uniform waterway markers for safety and navigation Mooring to or damaging markers or buoys	5	1	13	11
Alcohol and Drugs Operation of a vessel under the influence of alcohol Operation of a vessel while impaired	374	14	267	13
Boating Restricted Areas Manatee protection rules Public safety rules Local ordinances	1,858	2,129	1,620	1,502
Boating Safety Education Boating safety education I.D. cards	550	553	455	285
Livery Operations Rental without proper safety equipment Rental without boater education Rental to persons under 18 years of age	68	38	73	9
Negligent Operation of a Vessel Reckless operation of a vessel Careless operation of a vessel Navigation rule violation resulting in an accident Navigation rule violation not resulting in an accident Failure to report an accident	431	132	420	173
Personal Watercraft Personal watercraft regulations	351	81	304	67
Skiing and Diving Skiing, aquaplaning and parasailing violations Dive flag violations	354	32	344	27
Registration and Numbering Operation of unregistered/unnumbered vessels Application, certificate, number or decal violation Special manufacturer and dealer numbers Violation relating to vessel titling Violation relating to Hull Identification Numbers	2,007	593	1,970	556
Safety Equipment and Regulations Equipment and lighting requirements	3,293	563	3,260	432
SUB TOTAL	9,291	4,136	8,726	3,075
TOTAL VIOLATIONS RECORDED	13,427		11,801	

2017 Top Ten Counties For Boating Accidents

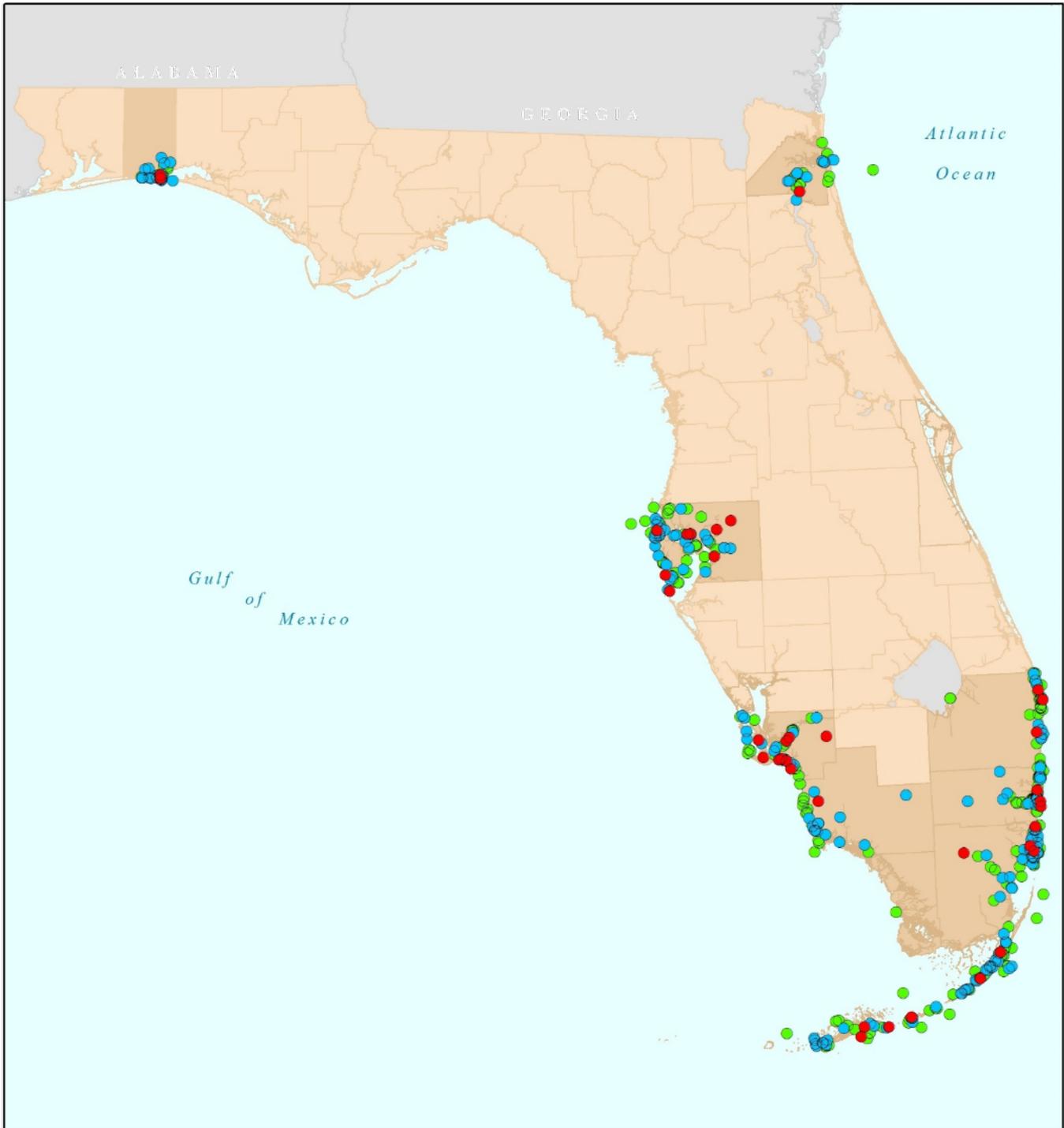


A thorough review of the annual boating accident statistics has revealed that 63% of the reportable boating accidents during the 2017 calendar year occurred in 10 Florida counties.

The information on the following pages represents a breakdown of the accident data from each of these top 10 counties. The graphs show the type of vessels involved, the length, the primary cause of each accident and the primary type of accident for each county. There is also a map of each county with points designating the accident locations.

The information found in this section will provide a basis for future boating safety awareness efforts implemented by the FWC Division of Law Enforcement, Boating and Waterways Section.

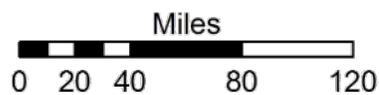
BOATING ACCIDENTS STATISTICAL REPORT



Florida Top 10 Counties of Boating Accidents during 2017

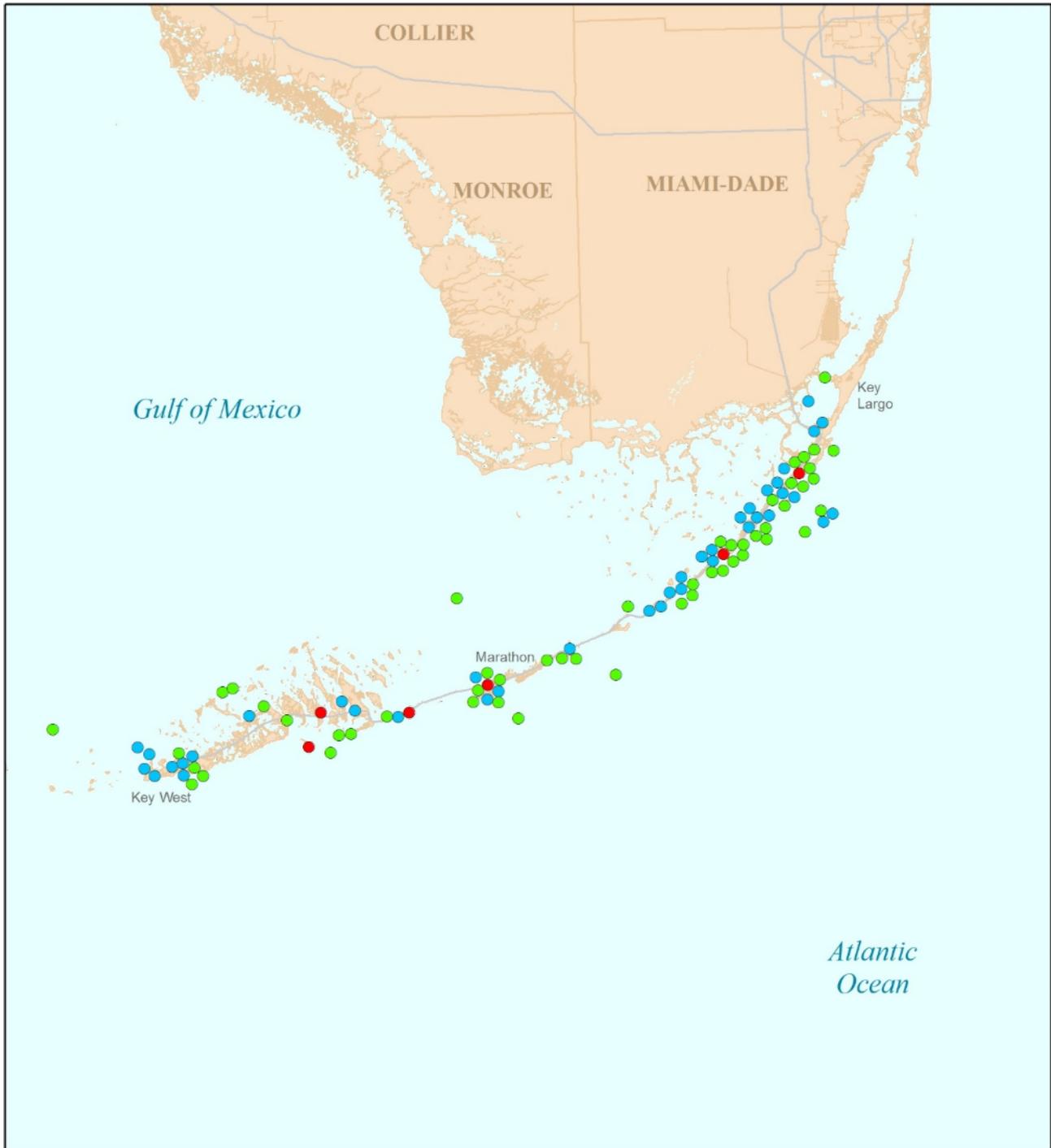
Legend

- Fatal Accident (37)
- Accident with Injury (179)
- Accident without Injury (267)



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Known Locations of Accidents in Monroe County during 2017

- Legend**
- Fatal Accident (6)
 - Accident with Injury (39)
 - Accident without Injury (51)

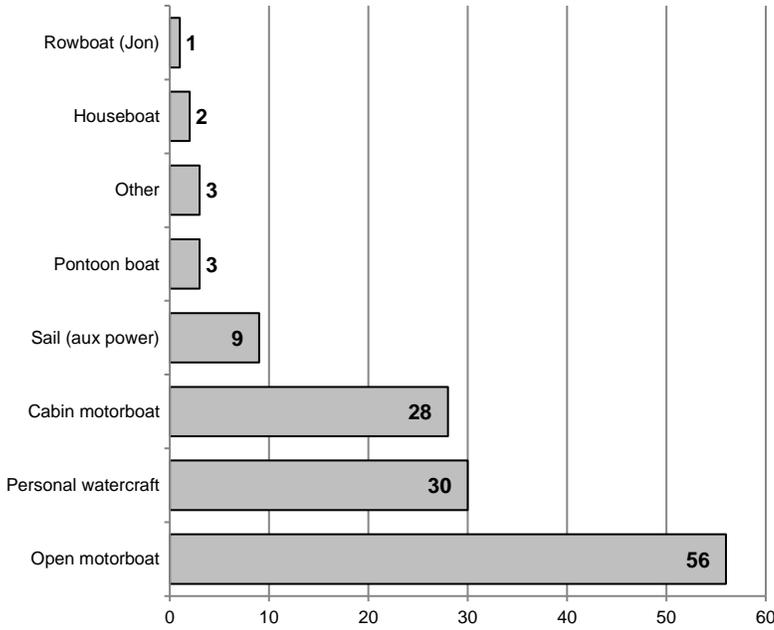


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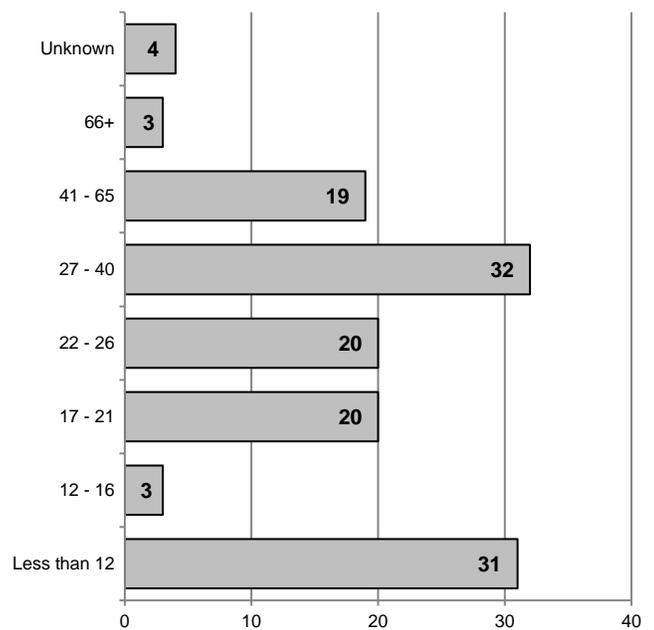


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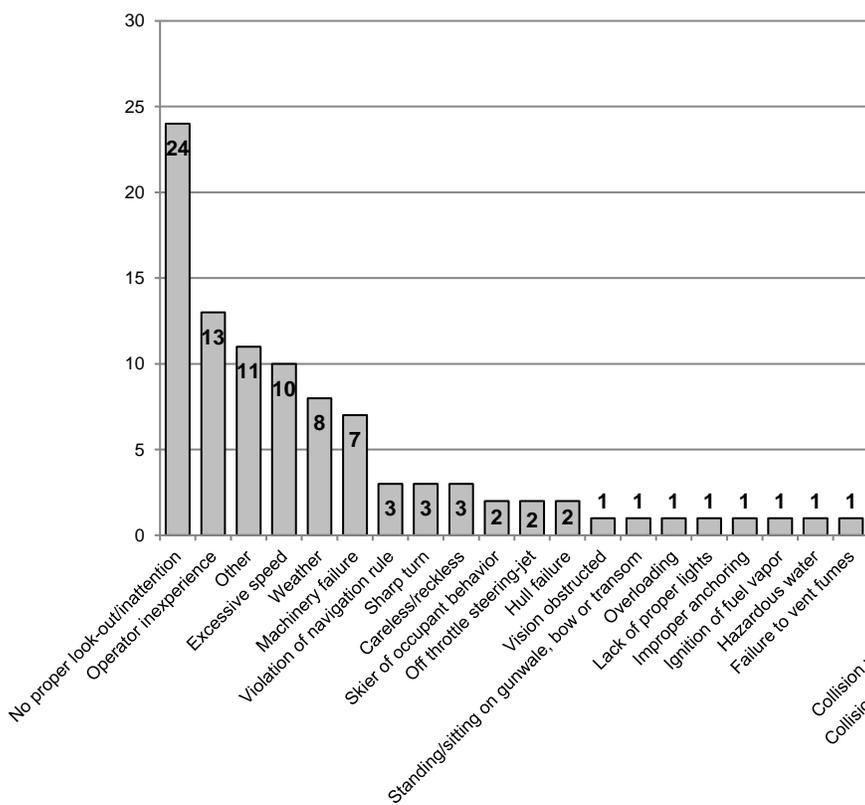
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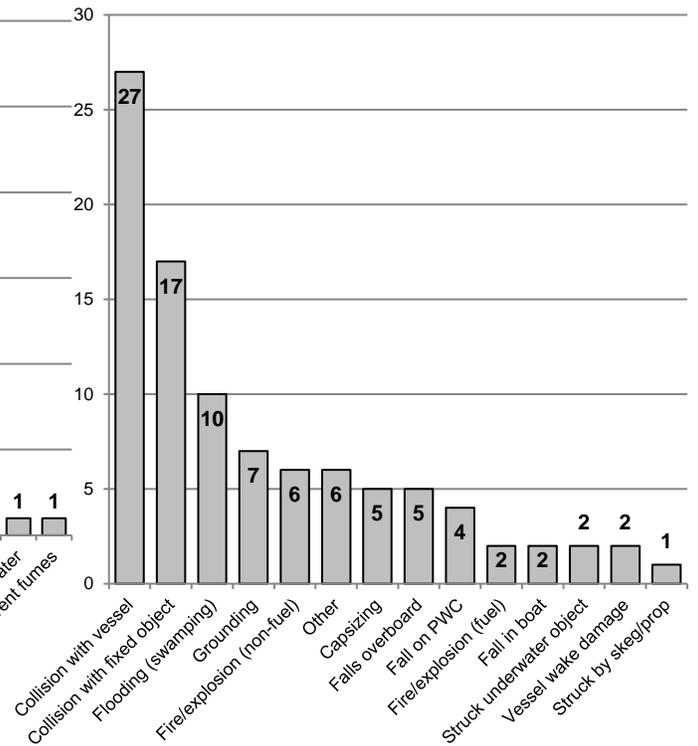
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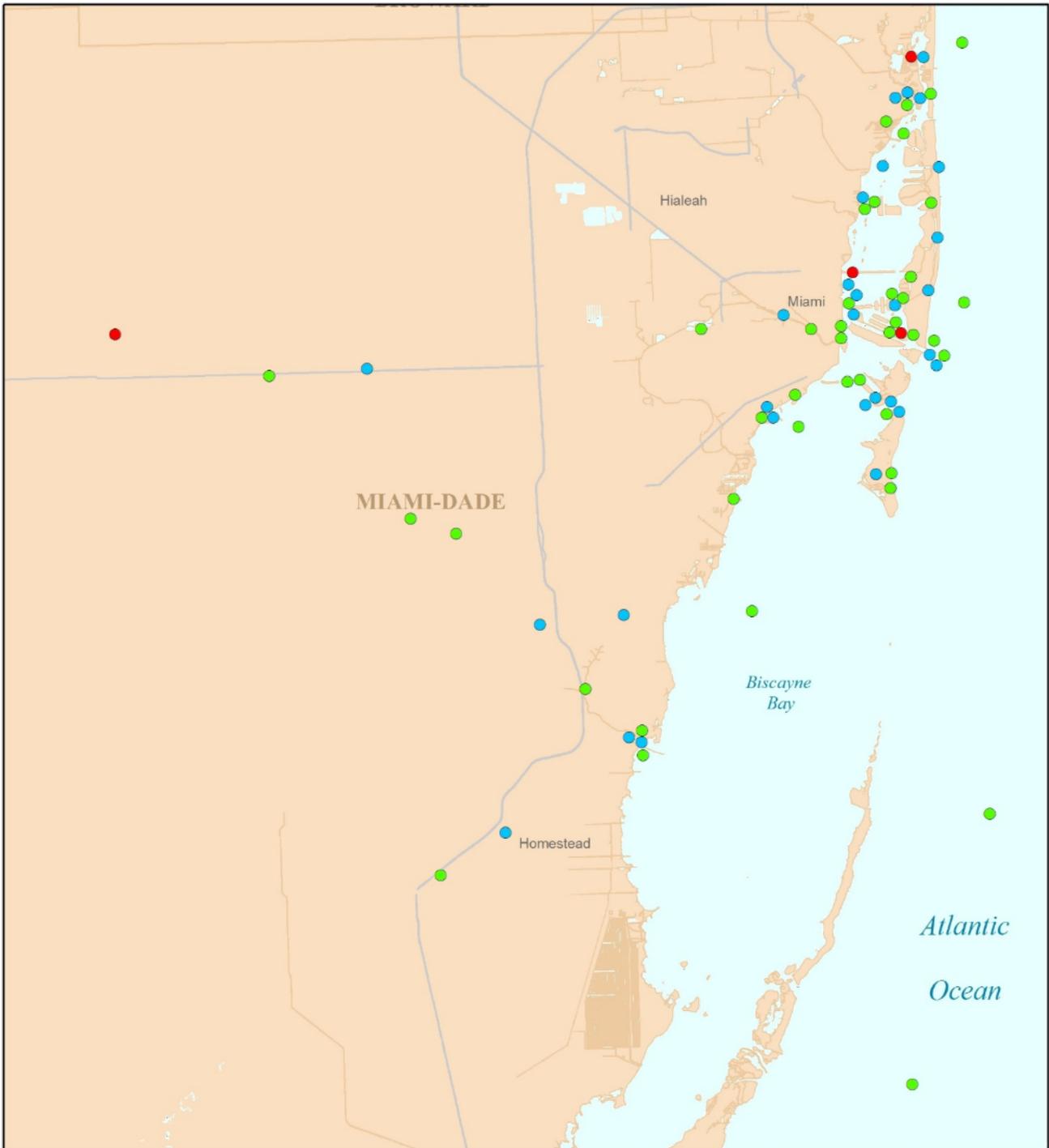


PRIMARY CAUSE OF ACCIDENT



PRIMARY TYPE OF ACCIDENT





Known Locations of Accidents in Miami-Dade County during 2017

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- Fatal Accident (5)
- Accident with Injury (29)
- Accident without Injury (42)

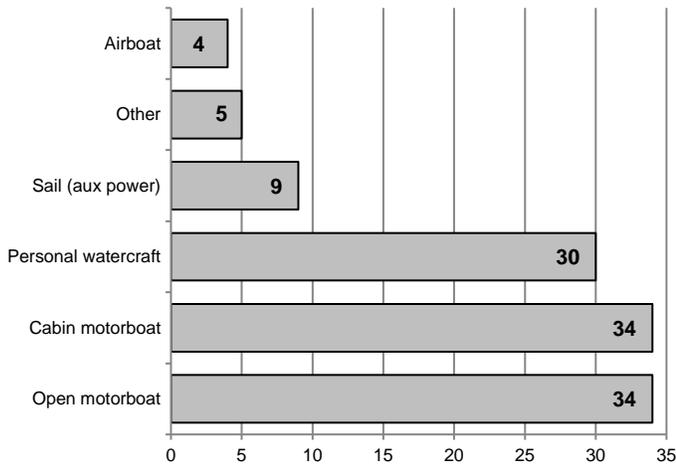


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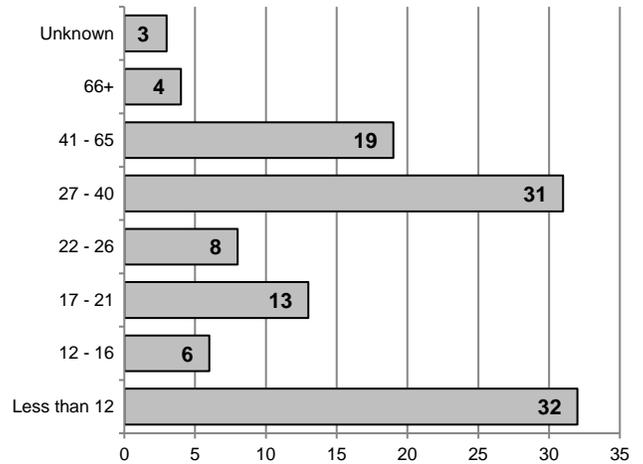


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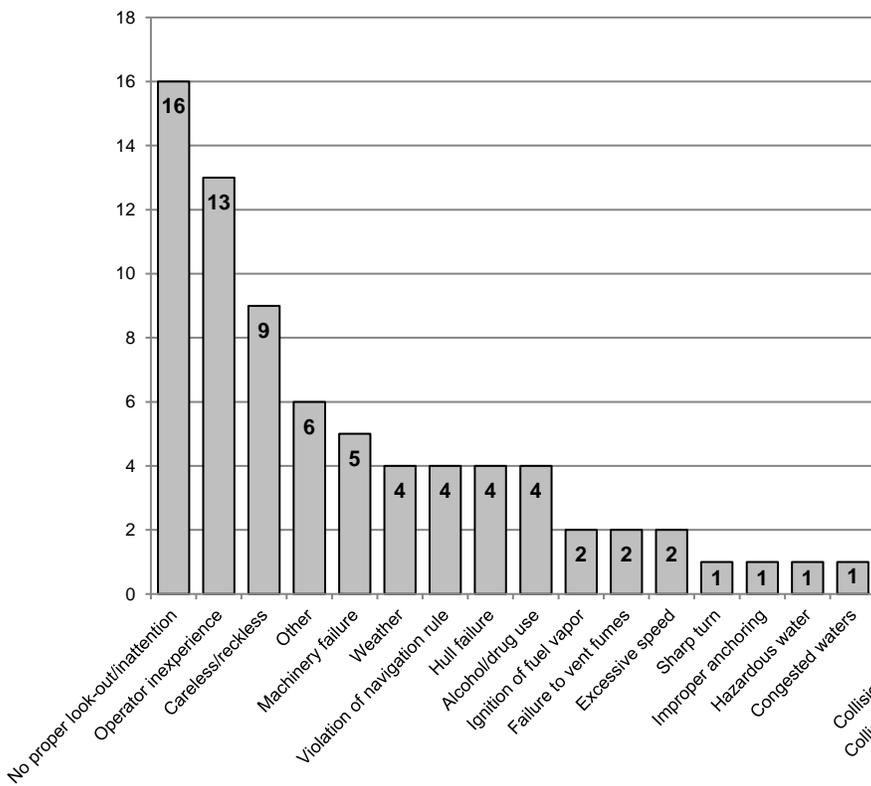
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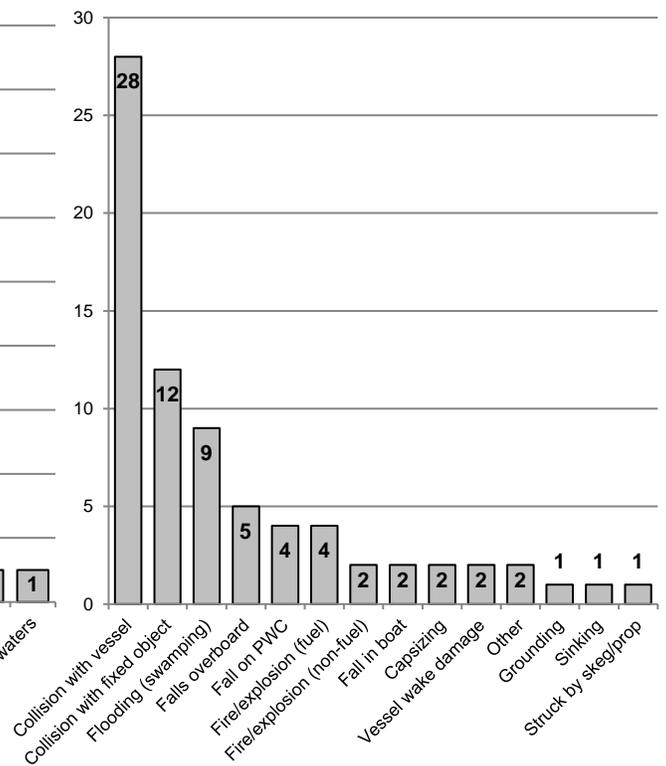
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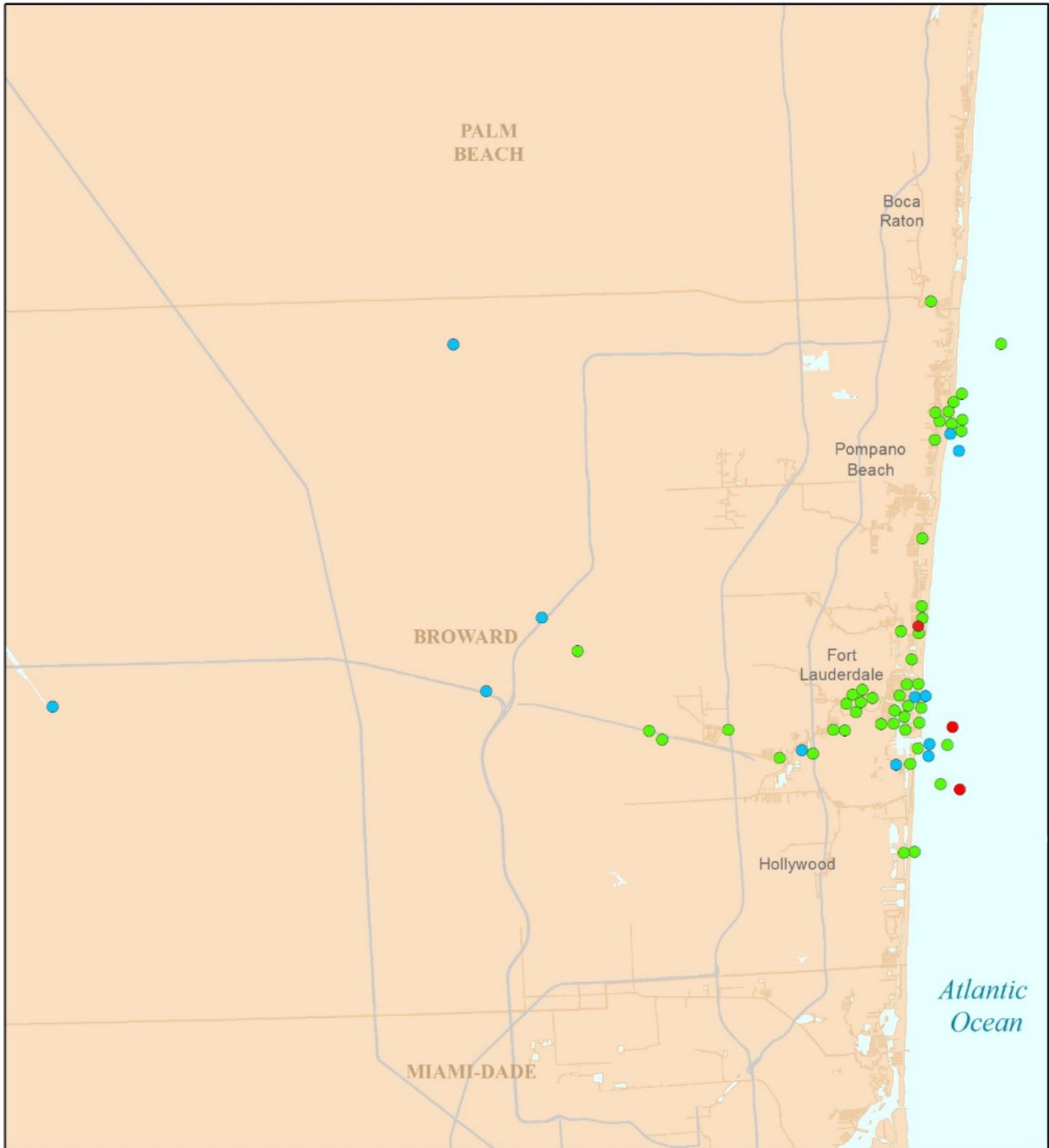


PRIMARY CAUSE OF ACCIDENT



PRIMARY TYPE OF ACCIDENT





Known Locations of Accidents in Broward County during 2017

Legend

- Fatal Accident (3)
- Accident with Injury (12)
- Accident without Injury (48)

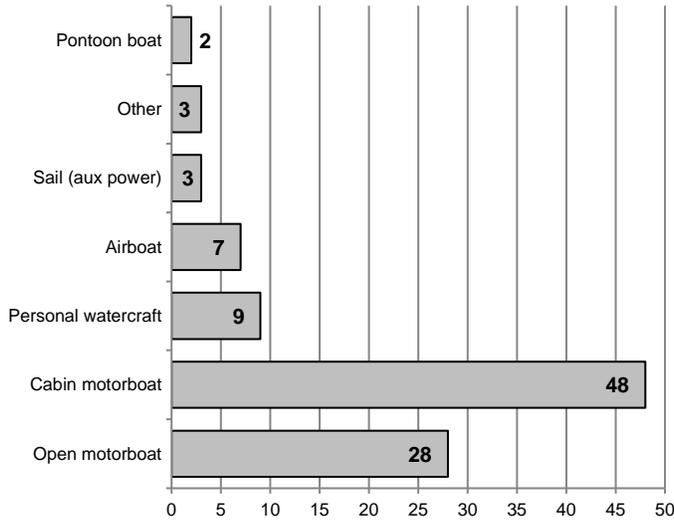


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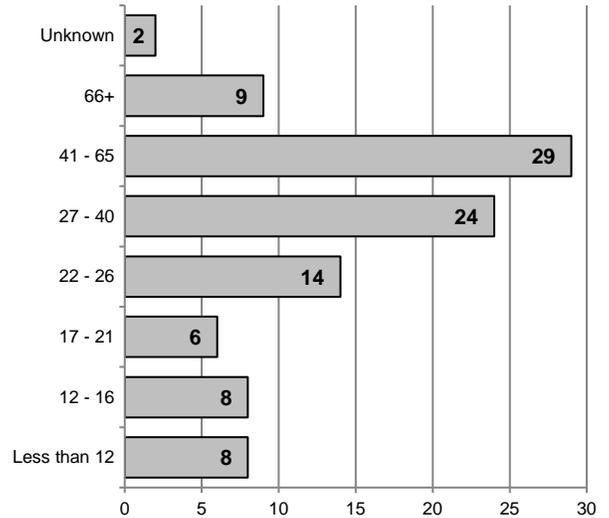


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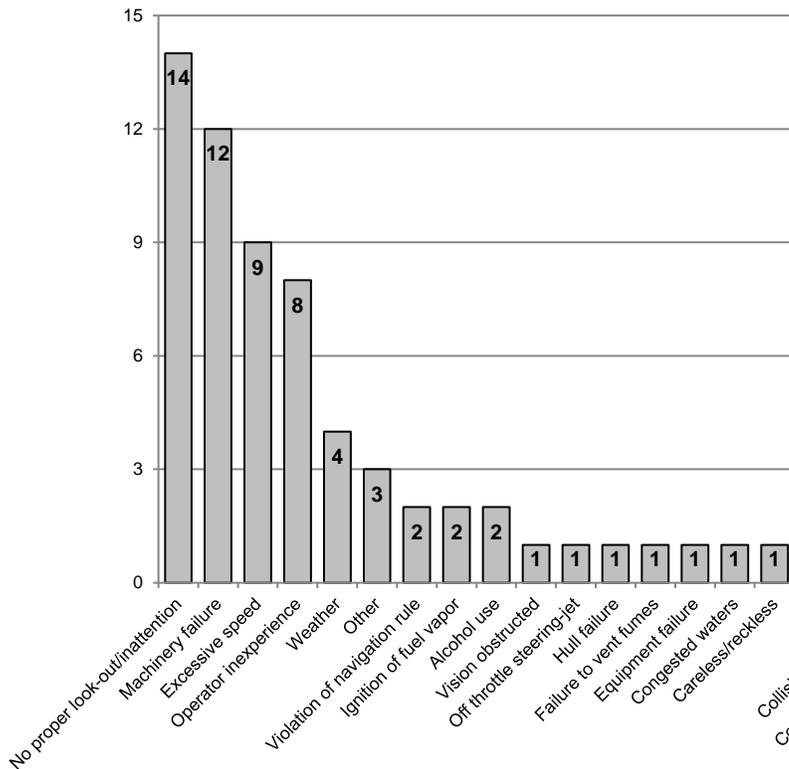
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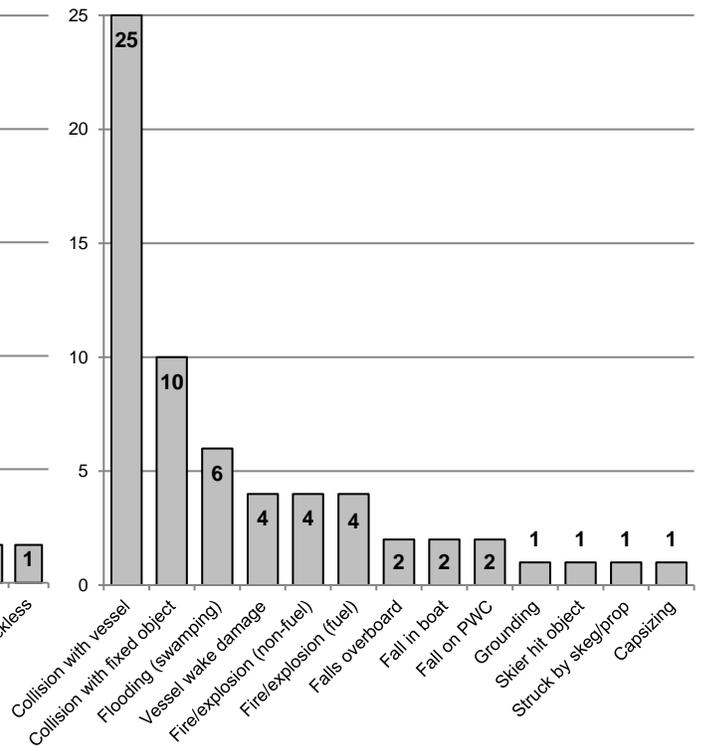
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PRIMARY CAUSE OF ACCIDENT



PRIMARY TYPE OF ACCIDENT





Known Locations of Accidents in Pinellas County during 2017

Legend

- Fatal Accident (2)
- Accident with Injury (20)
- Accident without Injury (23)

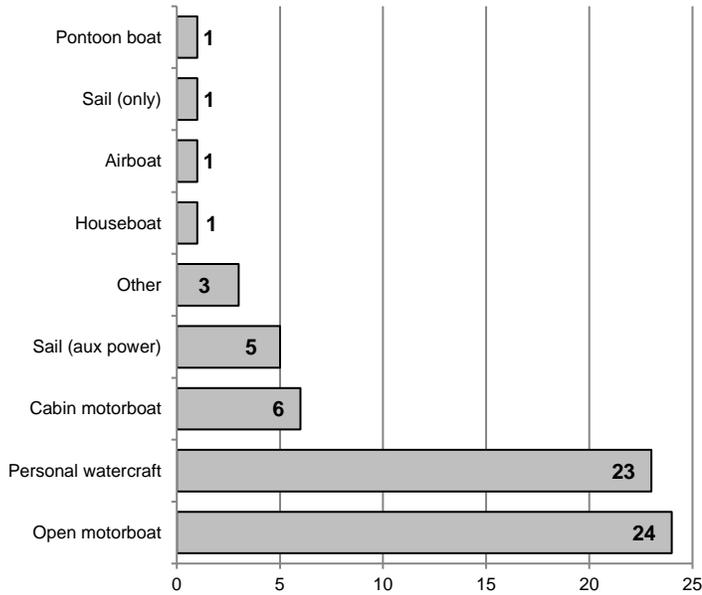


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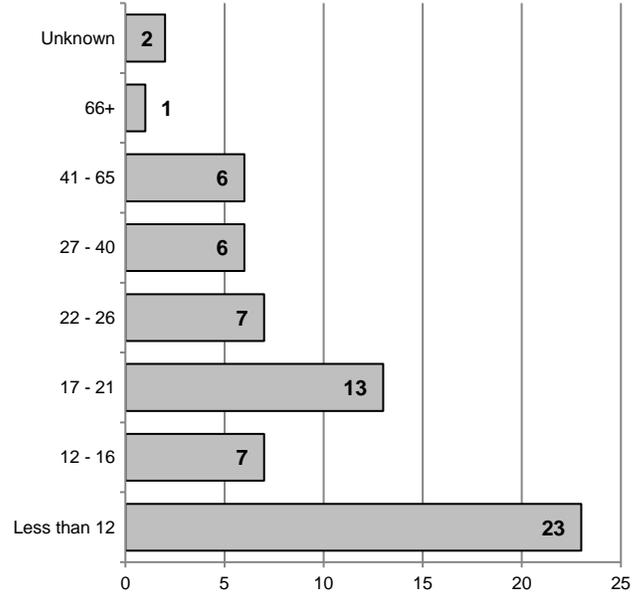


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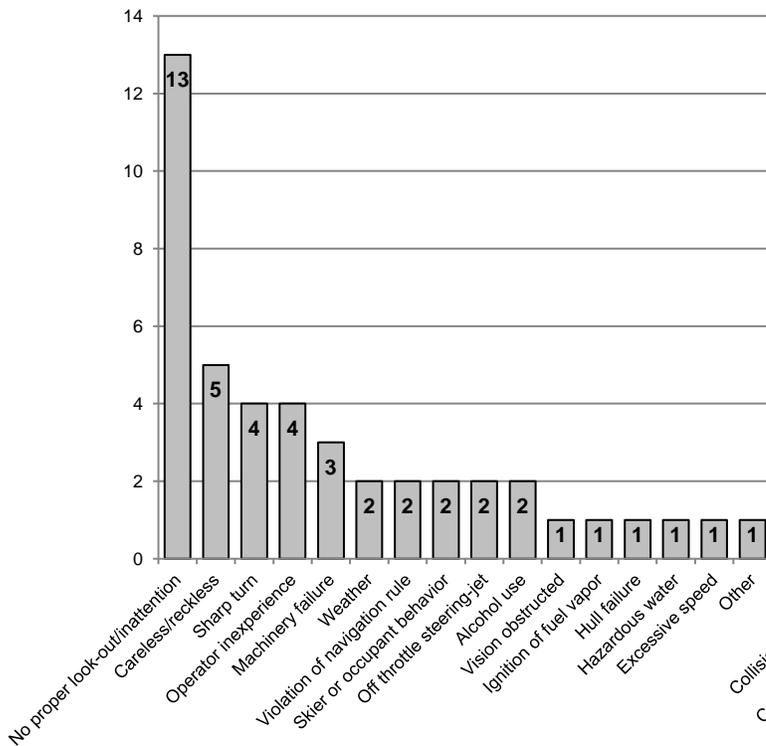
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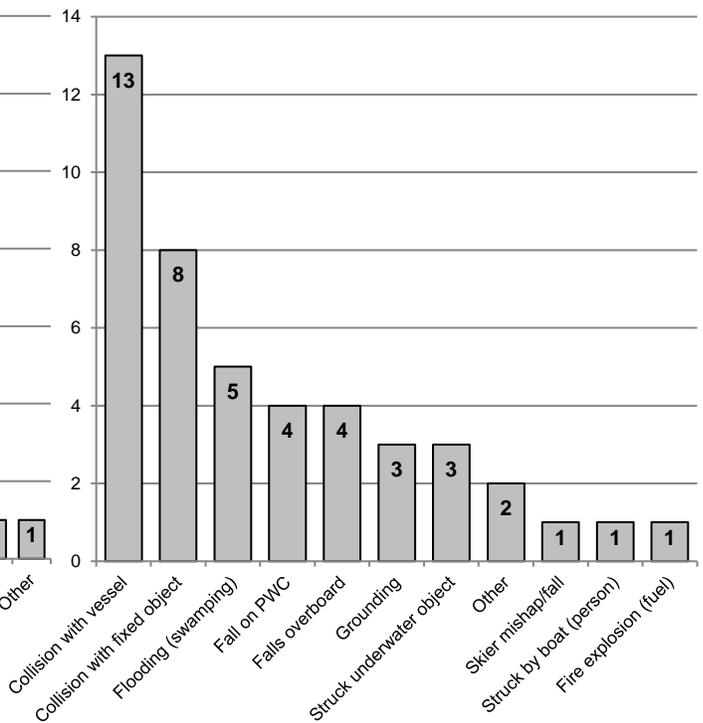
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Known Locations of Accidents in Lee County during 2017

Legend

- Fatal Accident (9)
- Accident with Injury (14)
- Accident without Injury (20)

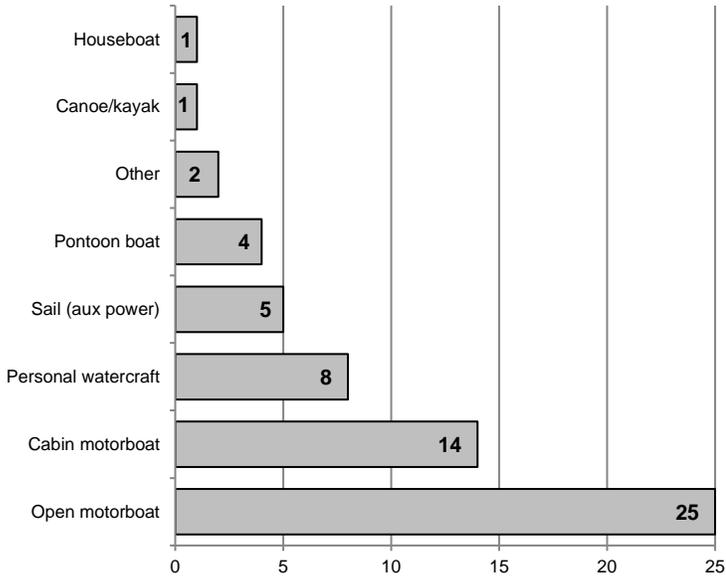


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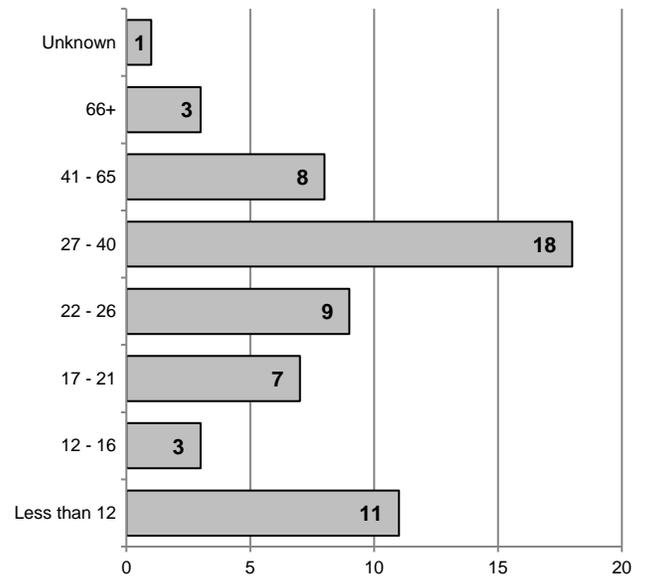


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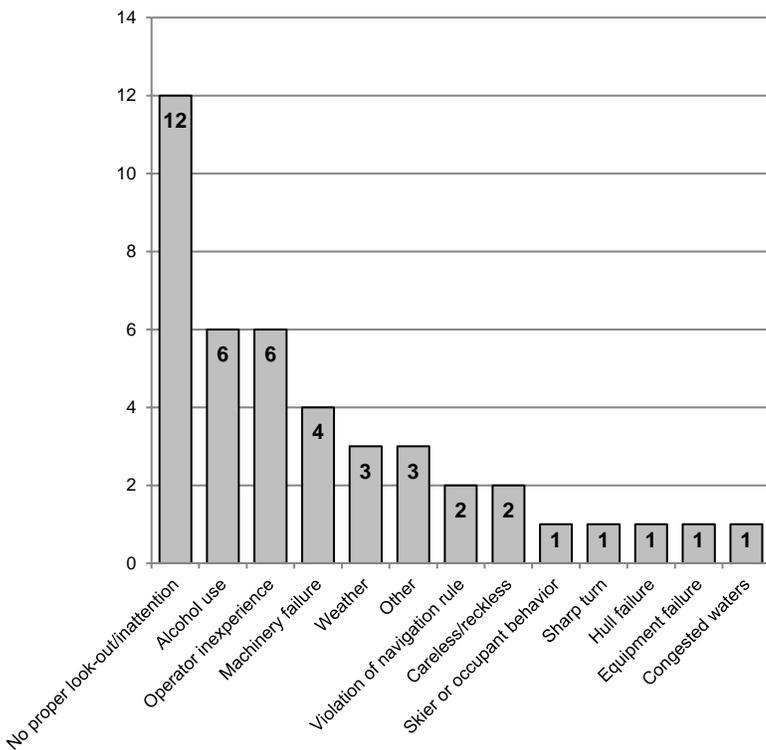
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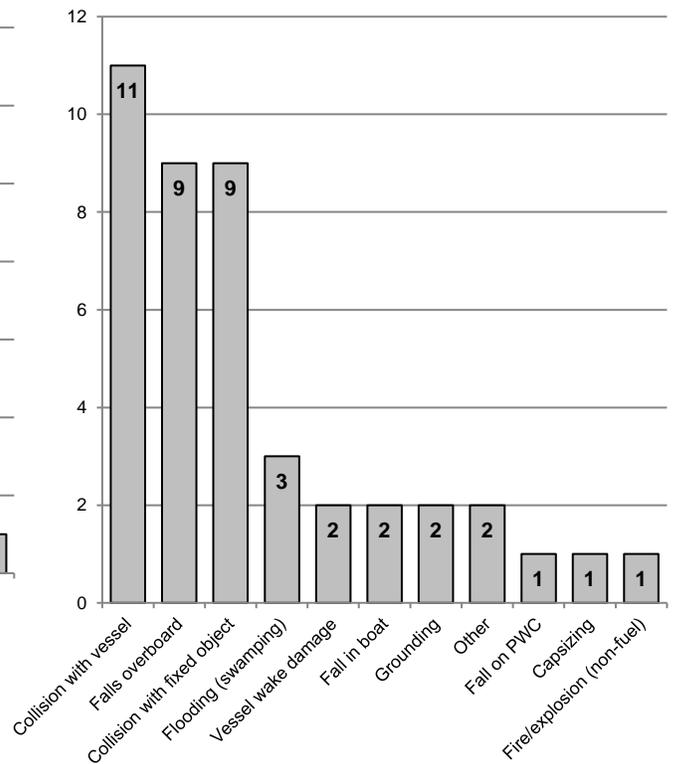
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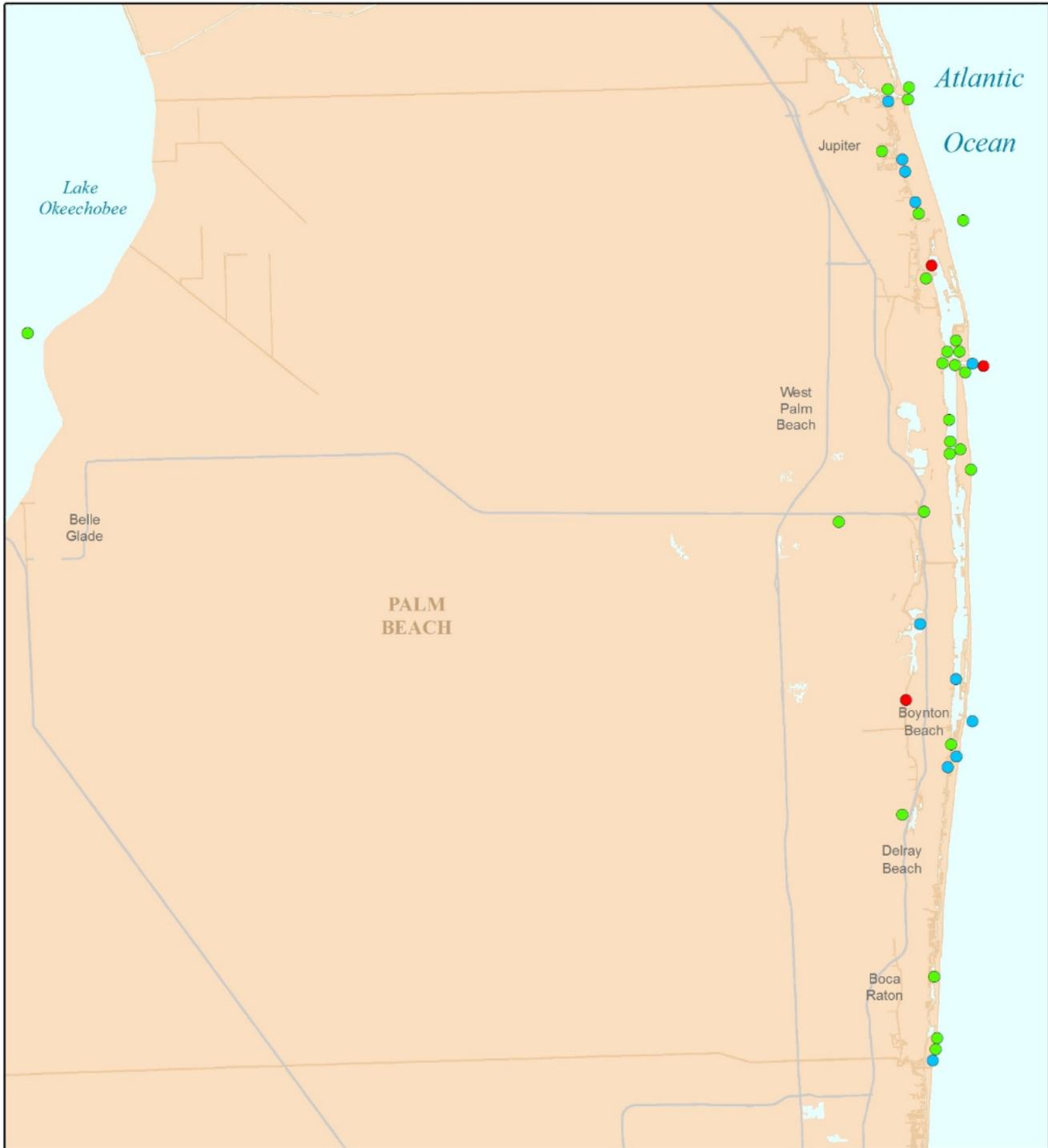


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Known Locations of Accidents in Palm Beach County during 2017

Legend

- Fatal Accident (3)
- Accident with Injury (11)
- Accident without Injury (27)

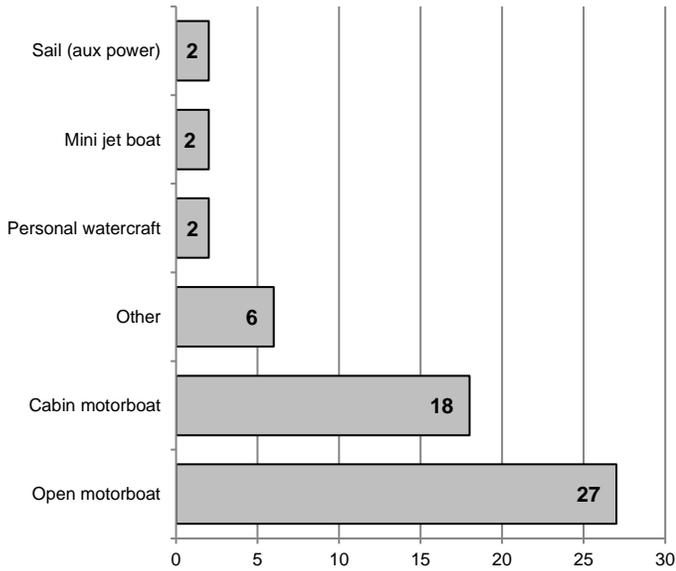


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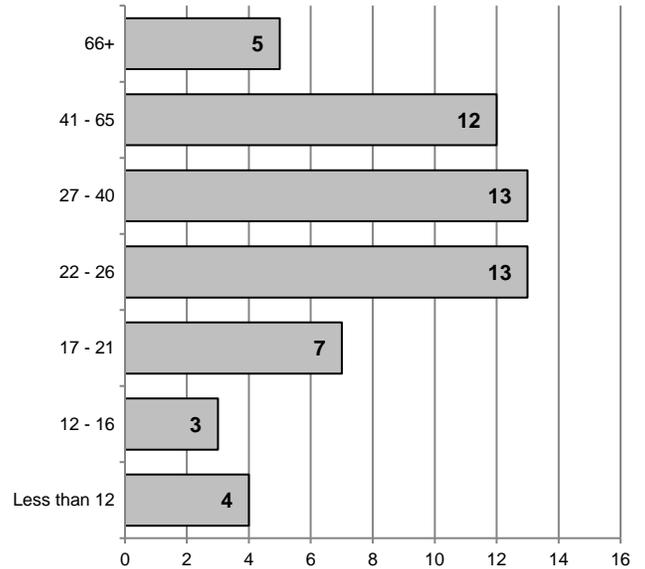


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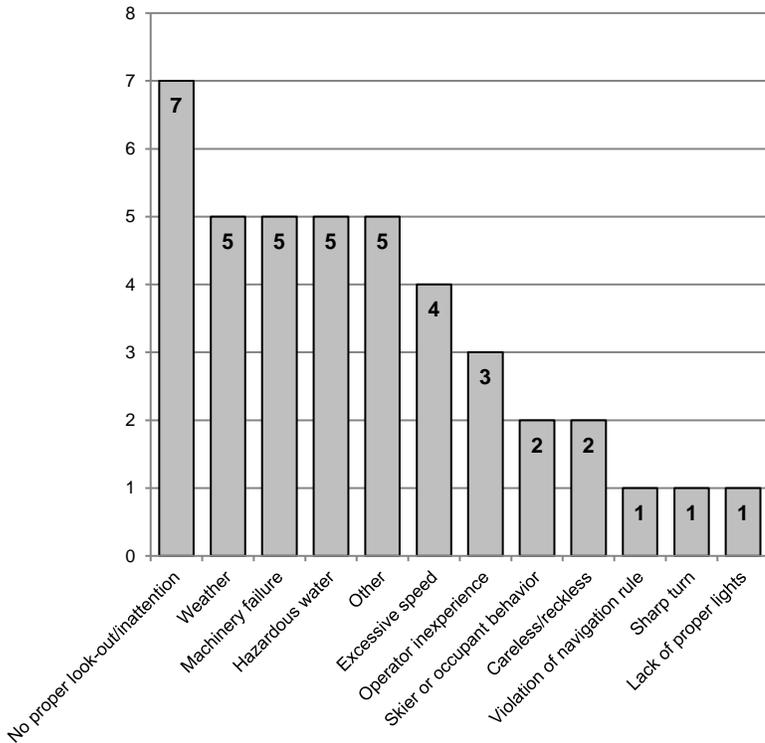
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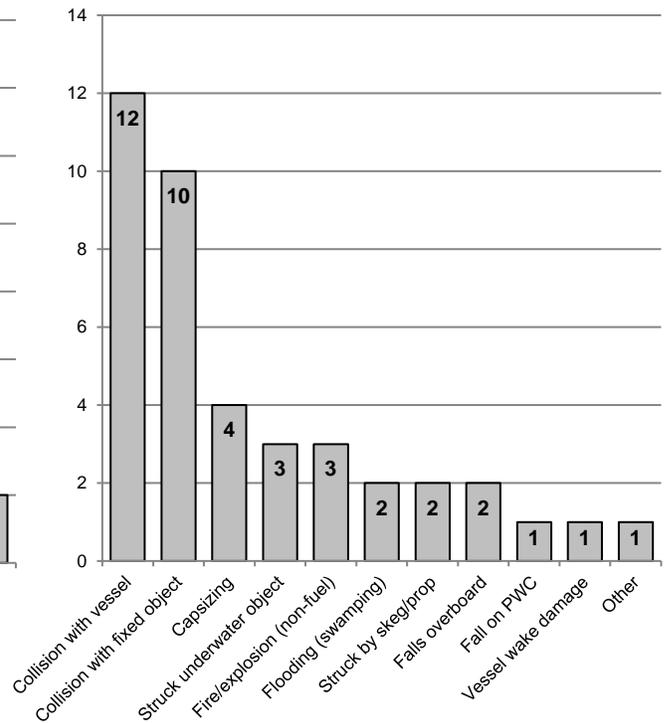
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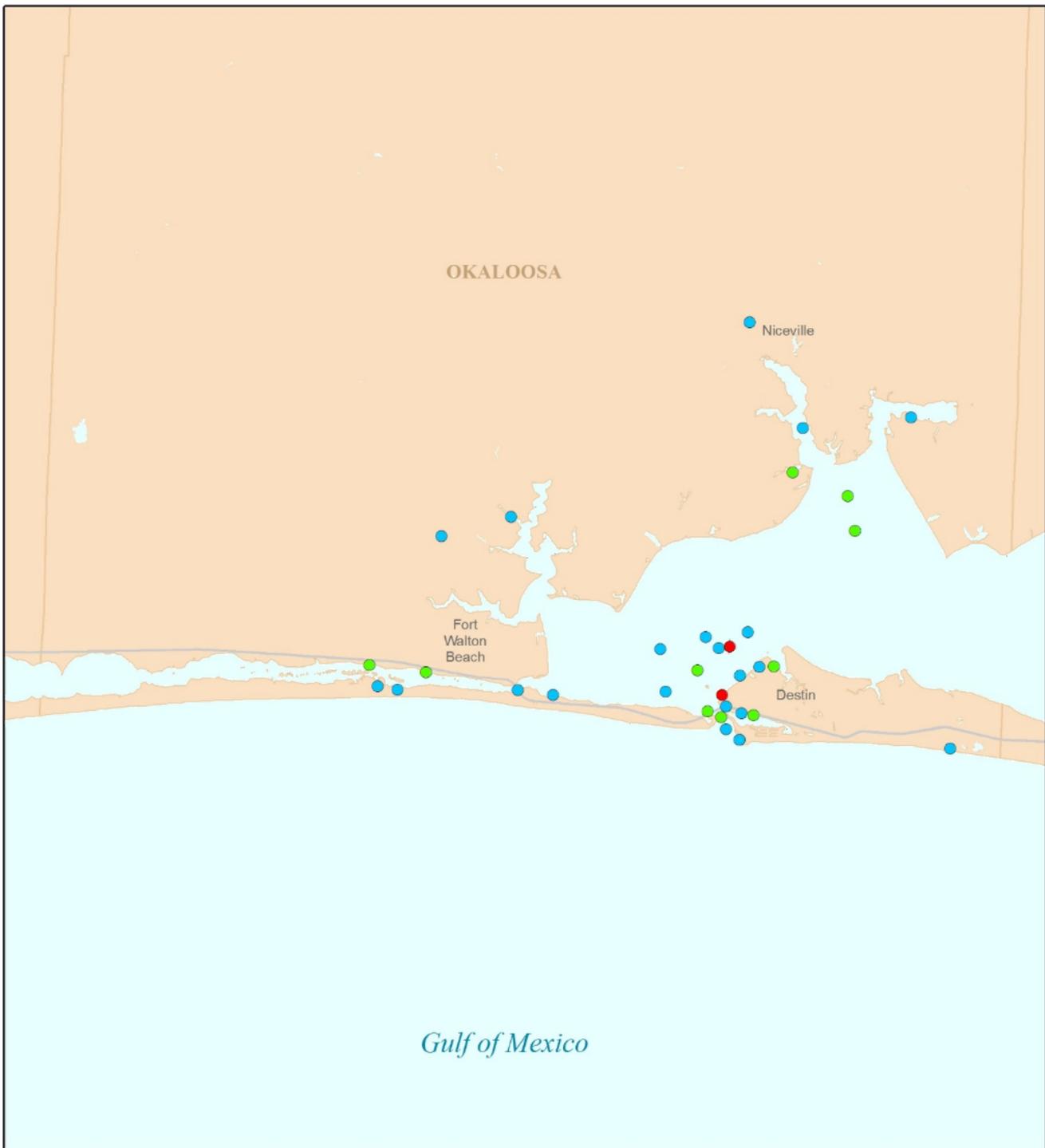


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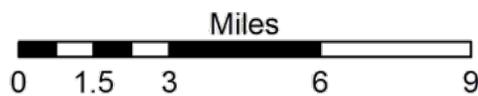




Known Locations of Accidents in Okaloosa County during 2017

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- Accident with Injury (21)
- Accident without Injury (11)

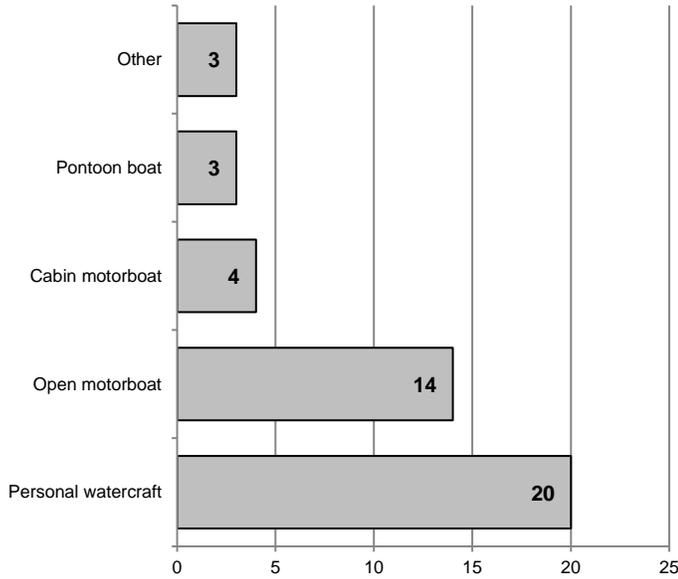


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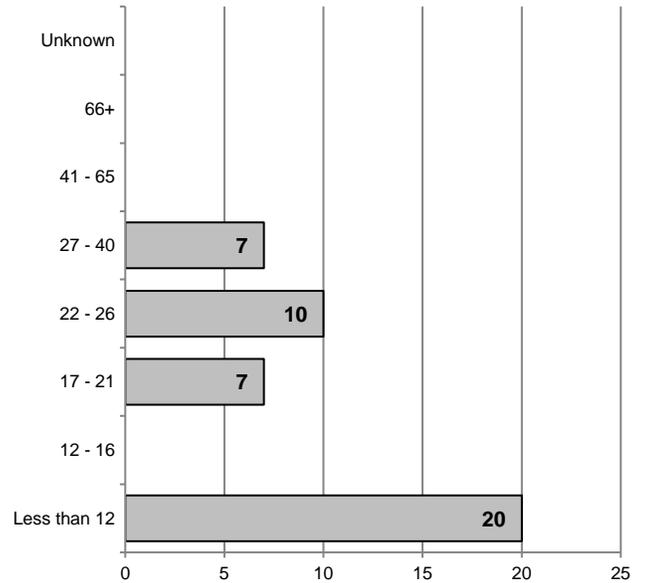


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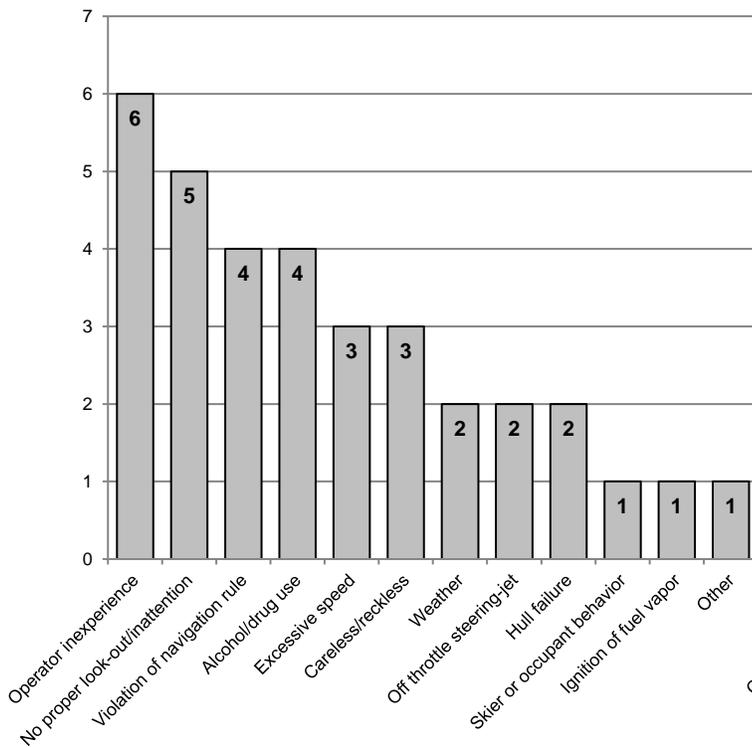
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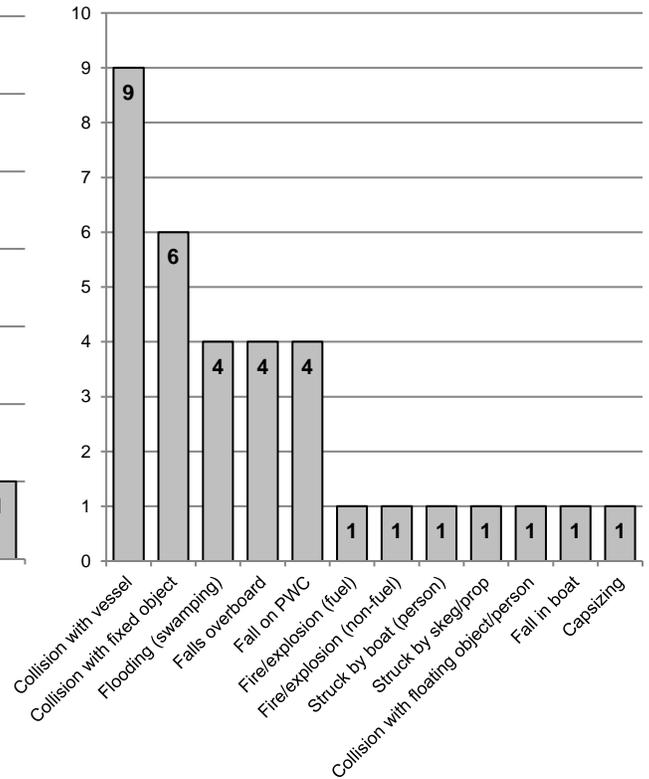
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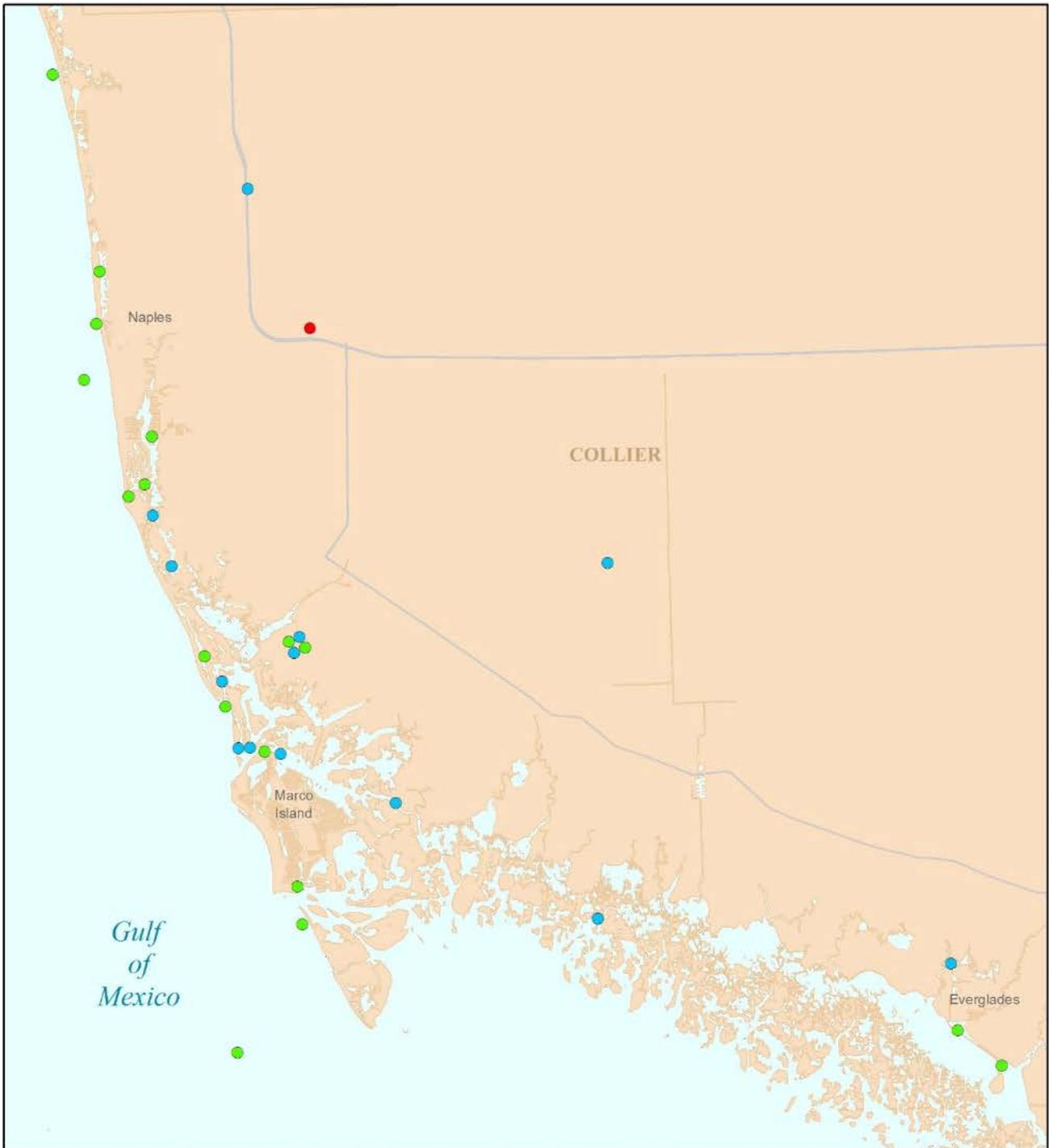


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Known Locations of Accidents in Collier County during 2017

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- Fatal Accident (1)
- Accident with Injury (13)
- Accident without Injury (17)

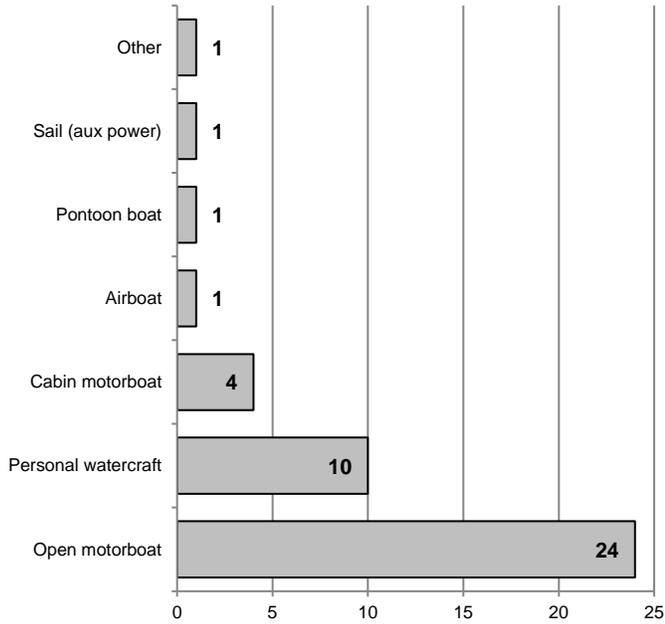


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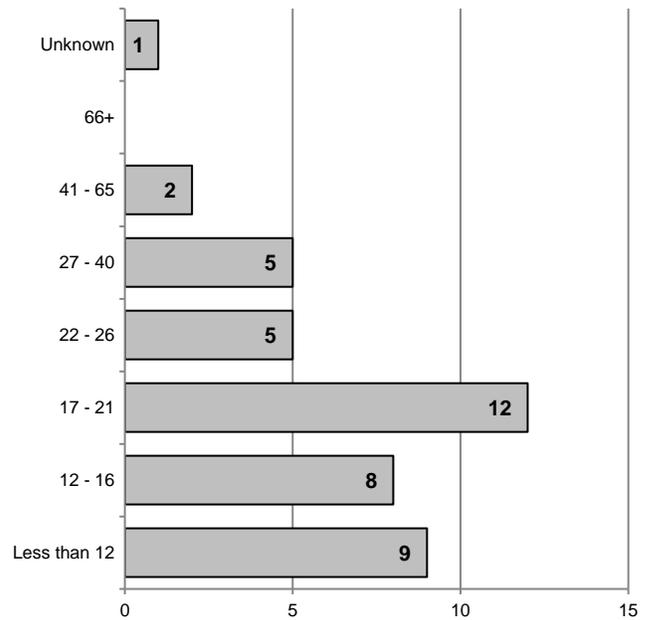


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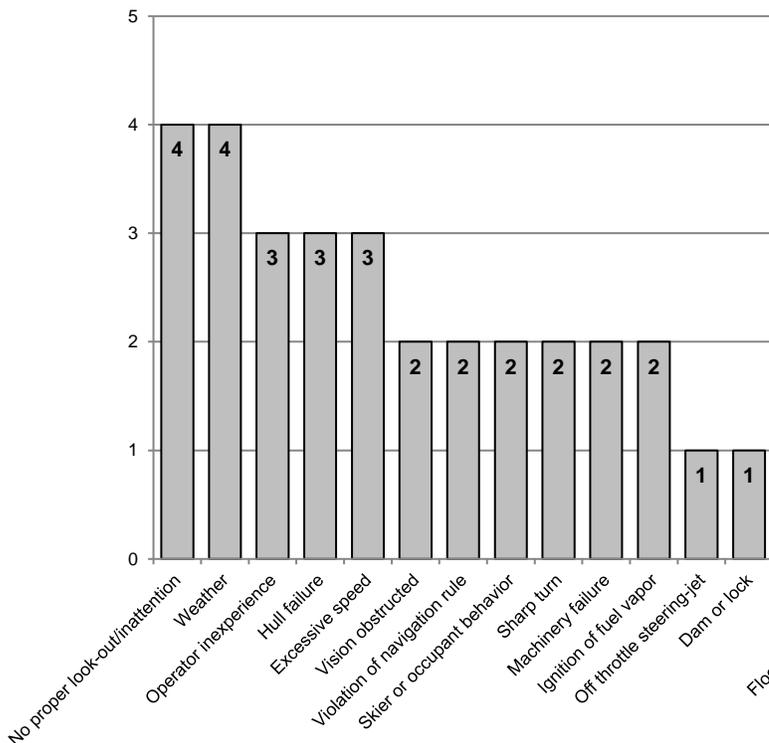
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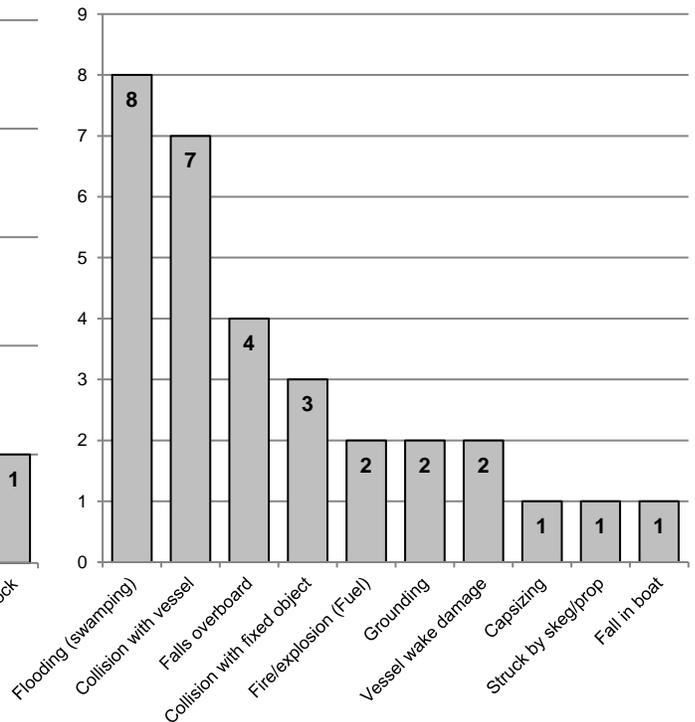
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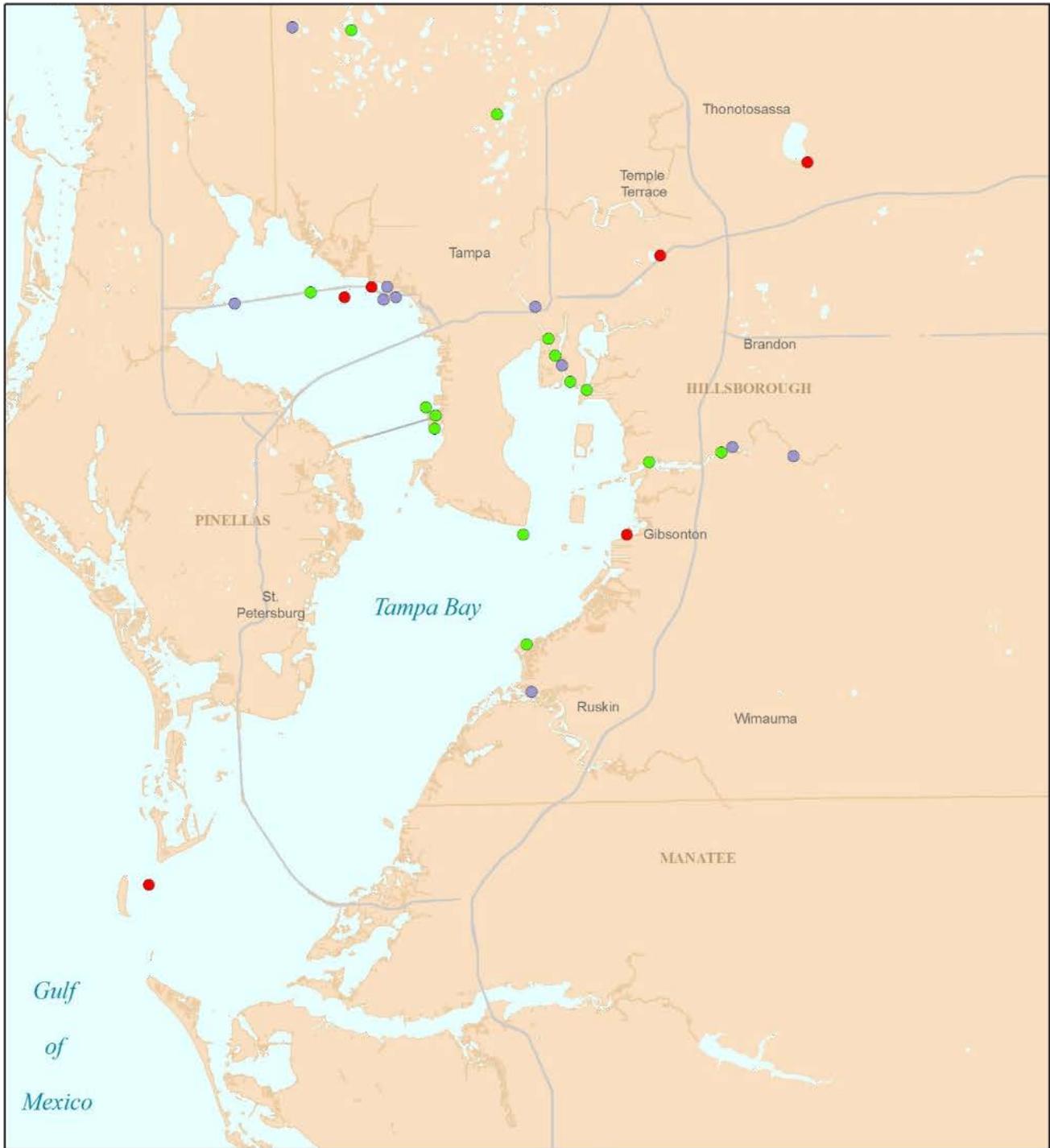


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Known Locations of Accidents in Hillsborough County during 2017

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- Accident with Injury (10)
- Accident without Injury (14)

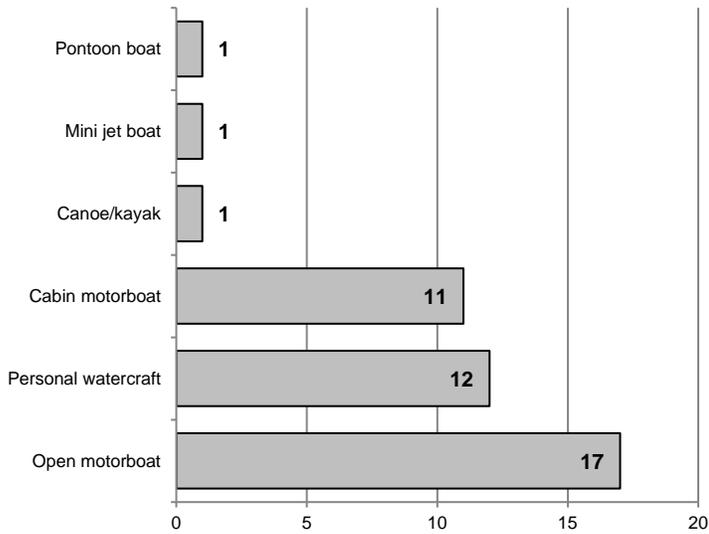


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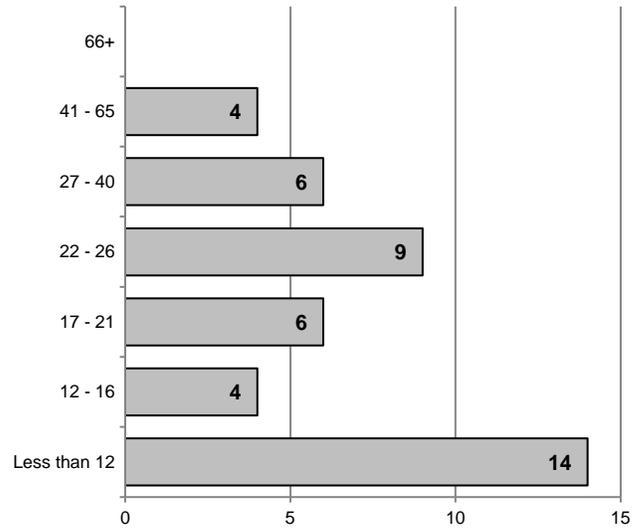


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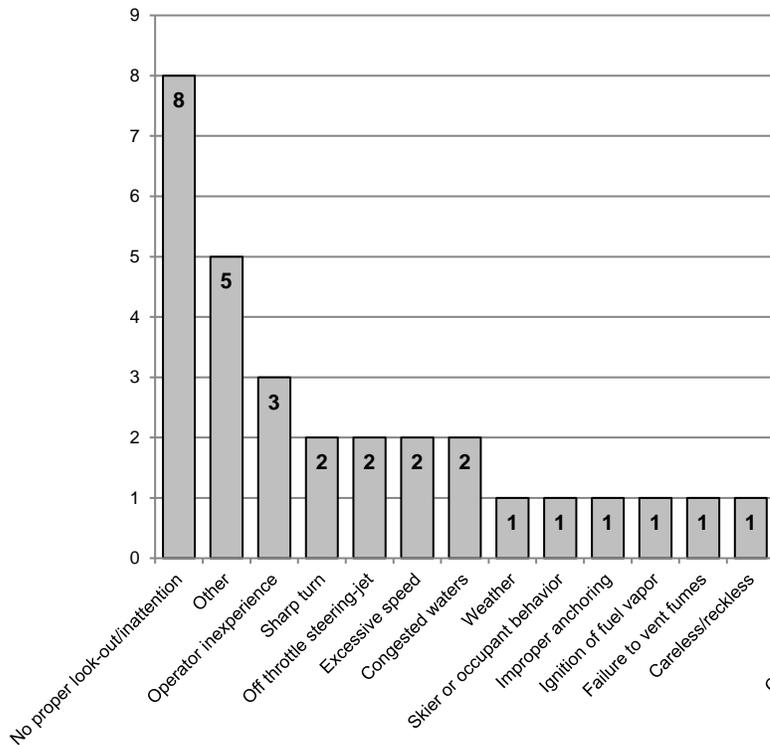
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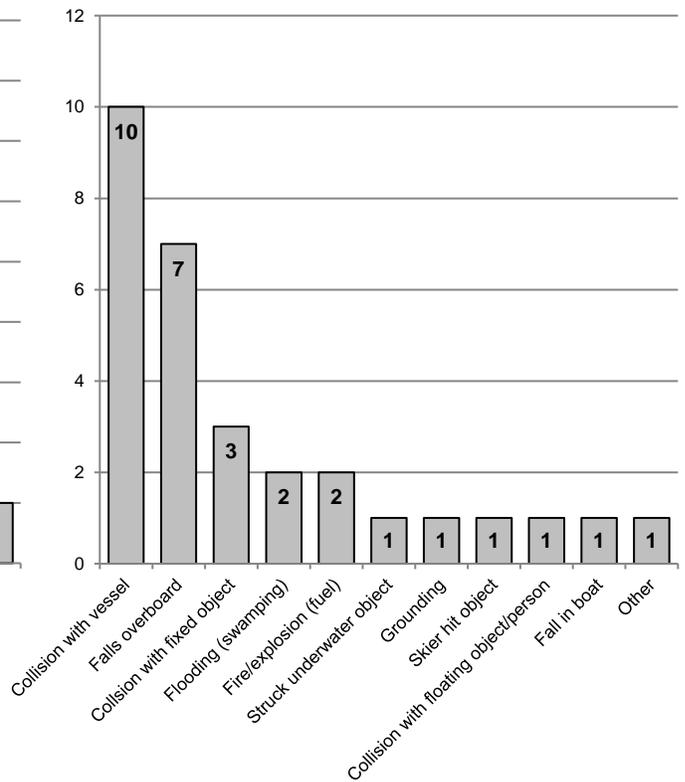
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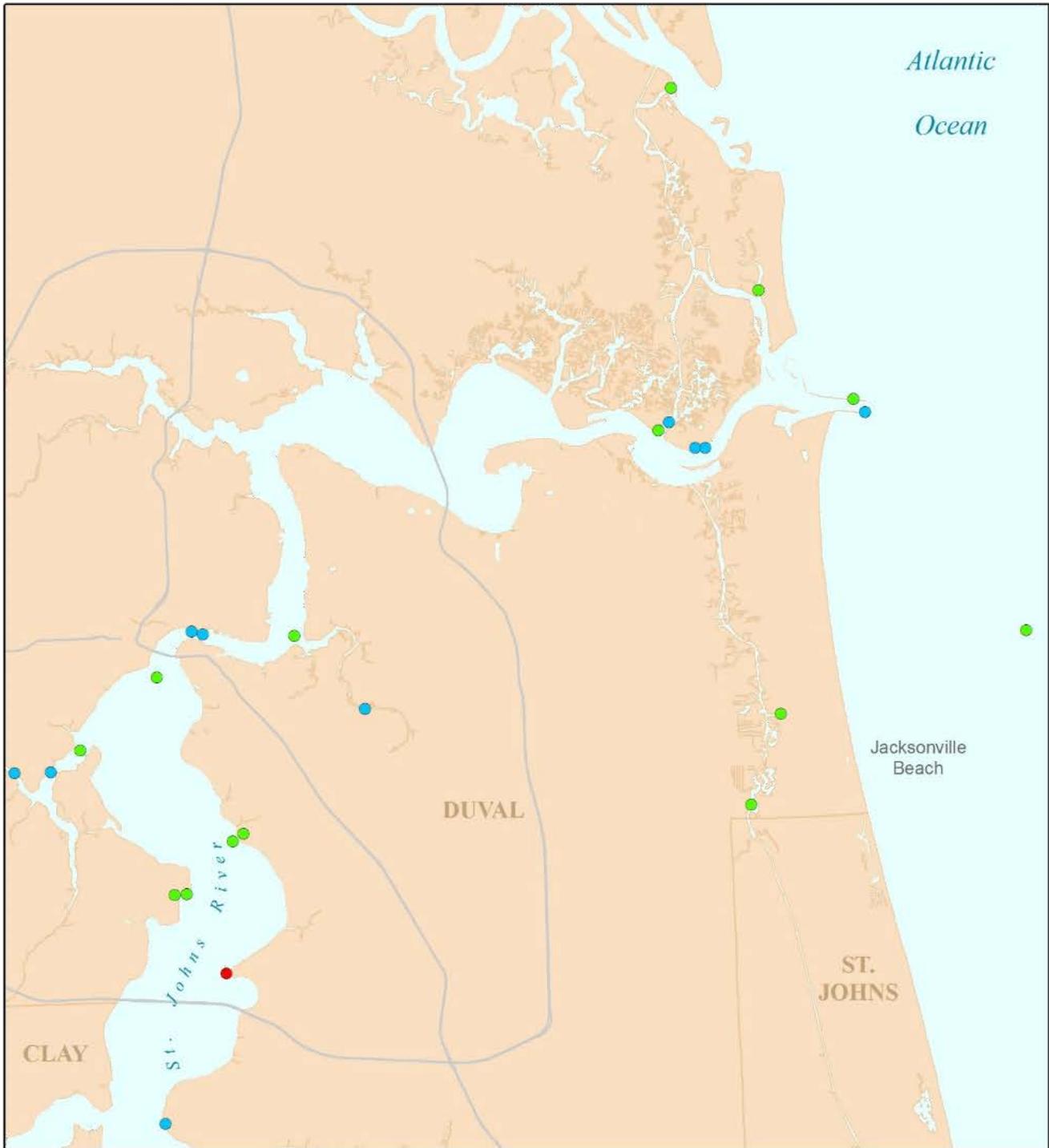


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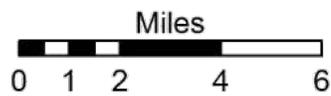




Known Locations of Accidents in Duval County during 2017

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- Accident without Injury (14)

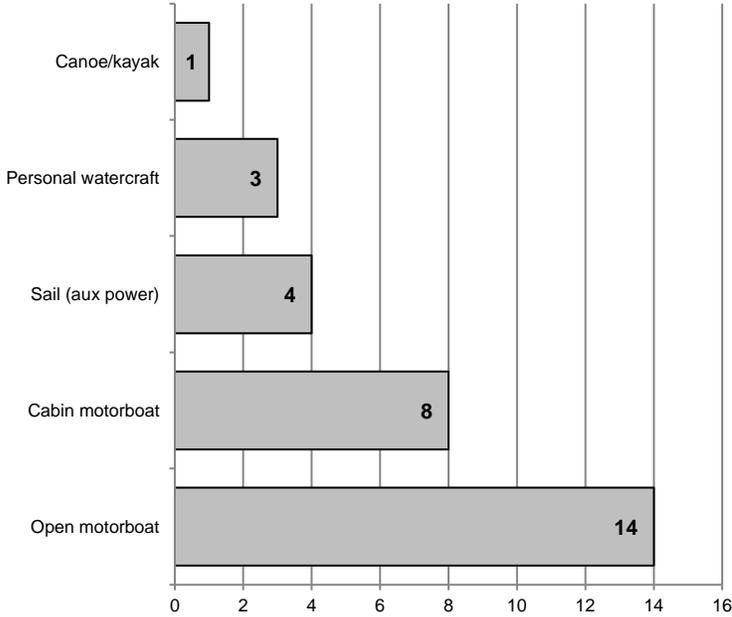


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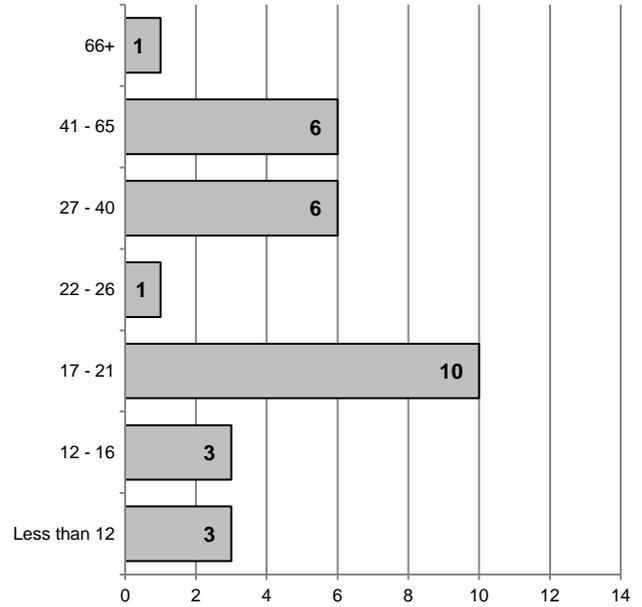


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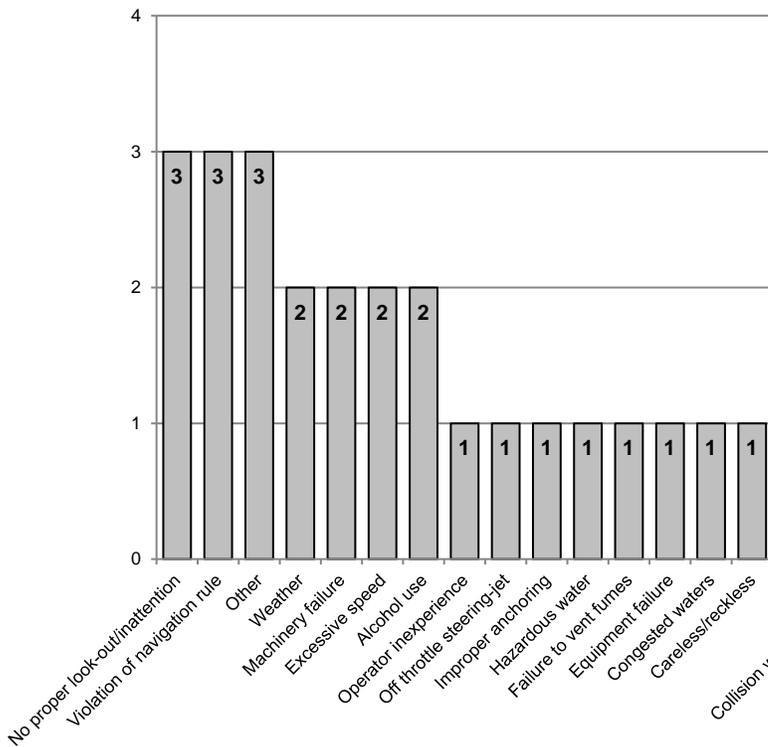
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