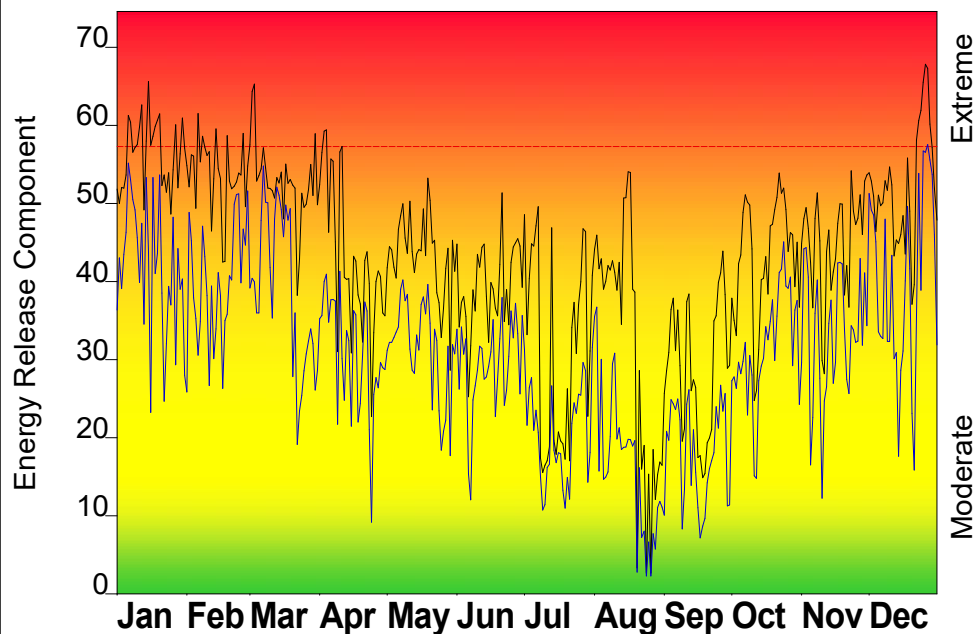


# FIRE DANGER -- Brunswick

Maximum, Average, and 97th Percentile, based on 4 years data



# Fire Danger Area:

- Brunswick Station
- Area 10
- \* Meets NWCG Wx Station Standards

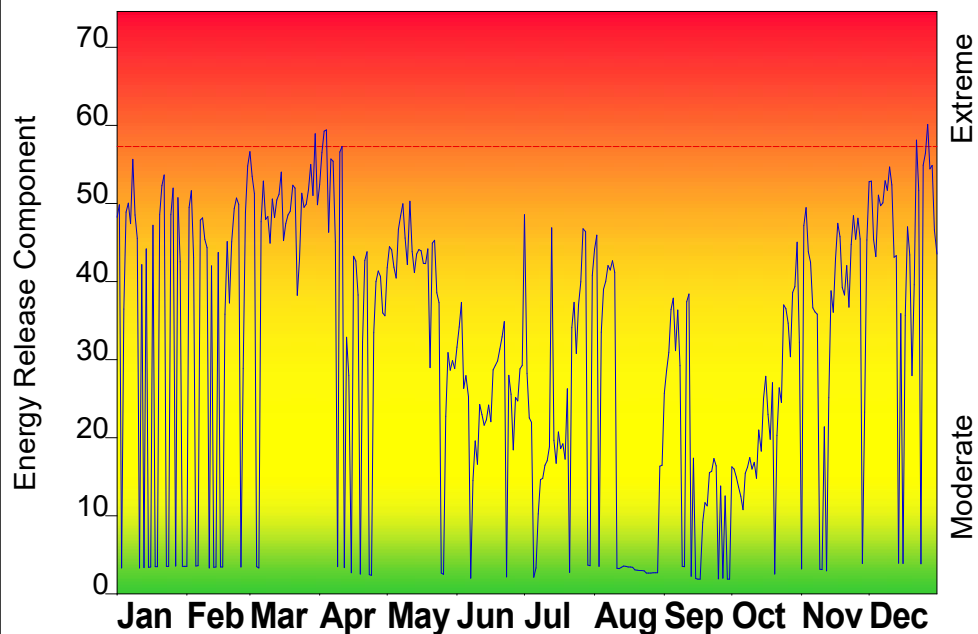
# Fire Danger Interpretation:

- EXTREME** -- Use extreme caution
- High** -- Watch for change
- Moderate** -- Lower Potential, but always be aware

Maximum -- Highest Energy Release Component by day for 2020 - 2023  
 Average -- shows peak fire season over 4 years (1153 observations)  
 97th Percentile -- 3% of the 1153 days from 2020 - 2023 had an Energy Release Component above 57

**Local Thresholds - Watch out:** Combinations of any of these factors can greatly increase fire behavior:  
 20' Wind Speed over 0 mph, RH less than 1%,  
 Temperature over 1, Keetch-Byram Drought Index over 0

# Years to Remember: 2020



Fuel Model: D - Southern Rough

# Remember what Fire Danger tells you:

- ✓ Energy Release Component gives seasonal trends calculated from temperature, humidity, daily temperature & rh ranges, and precip duration.
- ✓ Wind is NOT part of ERC calculation.
- ✓ Watch local conditions and variations across the landscape -- Fuel, Weather, Topography.
- ✓ Listen to weather forecasts -- especially WIND.

# Past Experience:

- \*Green fuels are very volatile and burn readily
  - \*Atlantiac and Gulf Sea breezes can bring unexpected thunderstorms and can significantly impact fire behaviors
  - \*Some fuels are ready to burn within <1 hour after a rainfall
  - \*Sandy soils found here require 4-wheel drive vehicles
- \*Problematic fire behaviors is likely where ERC > 65, BI >85 Dispersion Index >70, Mixing Height > 5000'