



Wildfire Activity: A Look Back

Fire Environment Committee Meeting

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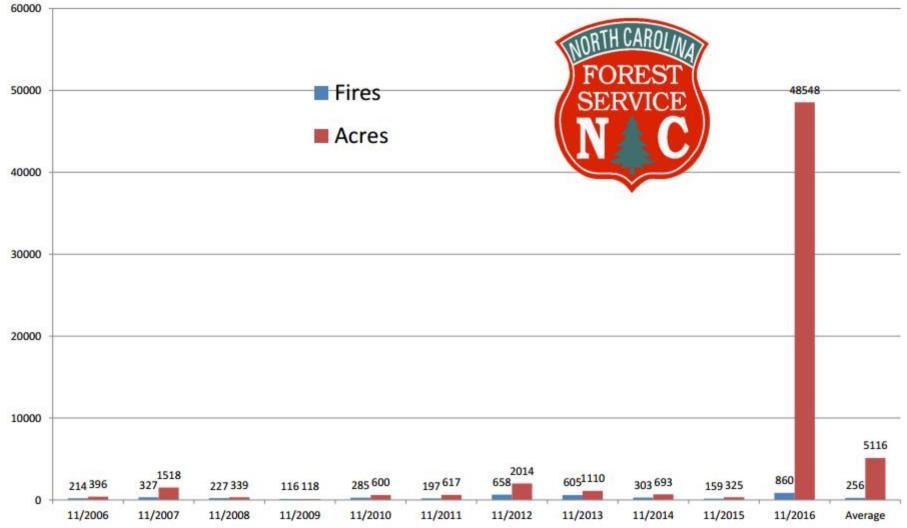
NC Forest Service Wildfire Activity

Period	# Fires*	# Acres*
11/1/16 to 4/30/17	4,272	67,174
10 yr avg, 11/1-4/30	3,409	18,200
Deviation from average	25%	269%

* These numbers do not include fires on federal military lands.



November Fires, 2016 Compared to the 10 Year Average 2006-2015







Chestnut Knob Fire, South Mountains State Park



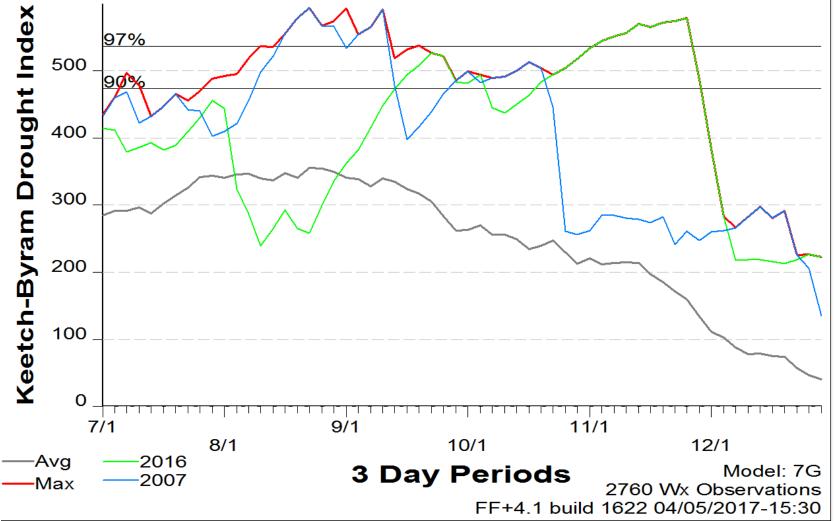
Horton Fire, Watauga County

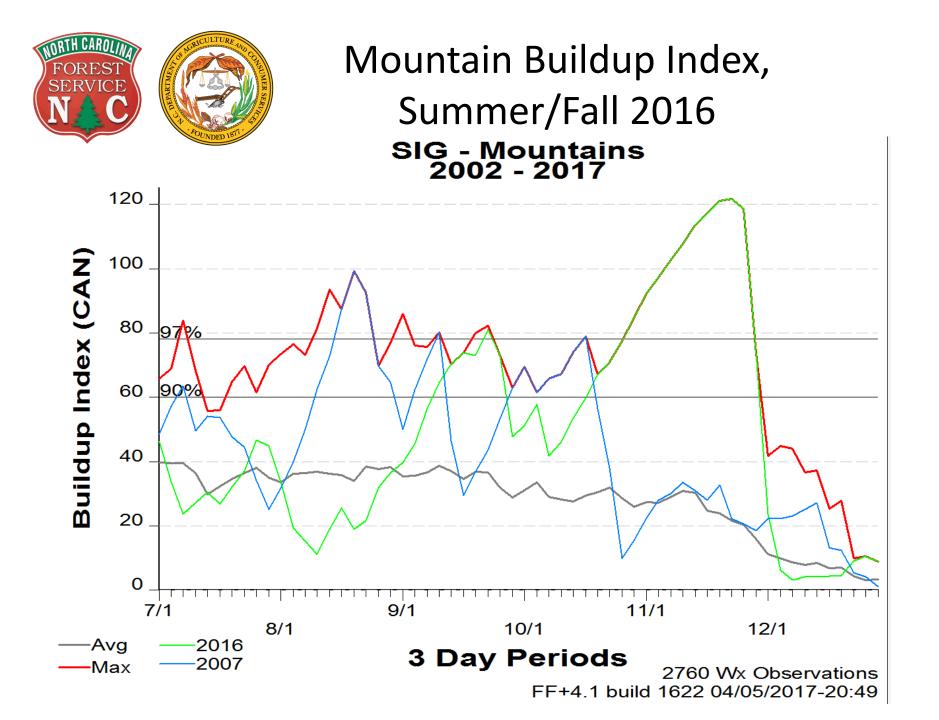




Mountain KBDI, Summer/Fall 2016

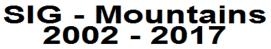
SIG - Mountains 2002 - 2017

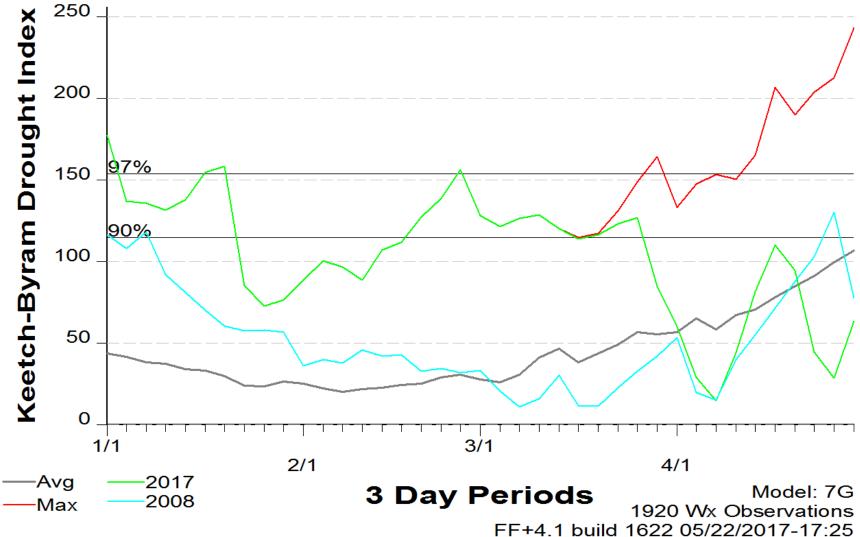






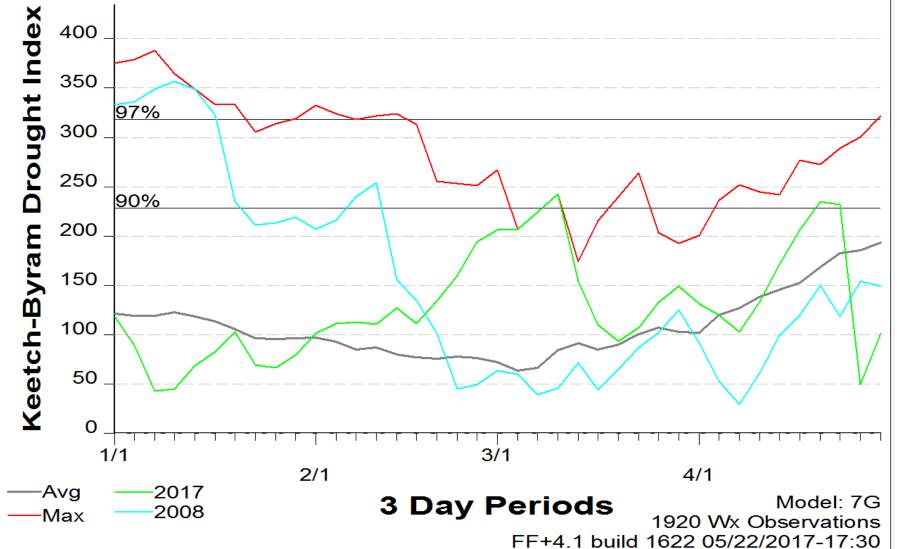
Mountain KBDI, 2017







Coastal KBDI, 2017 SIG - Coastal 2002 - 2017



QUESTIONS???



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