



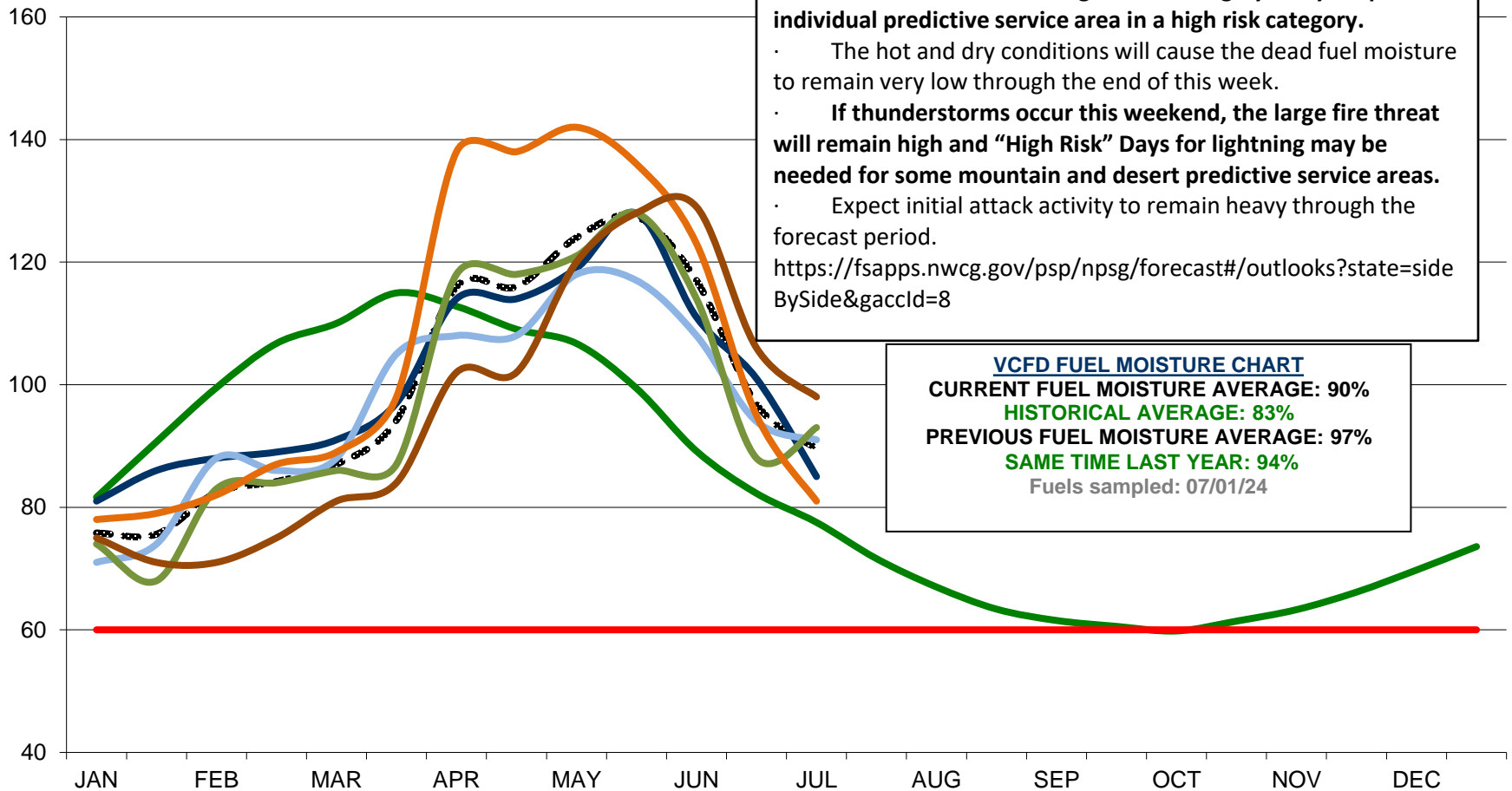
## VENTURA COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT LIVE FUEL MOISTURE 2024 ALL FUEL BEDS - CHAMISE

### Fuels/Fire Discussion

Very hot and dry conditions along with areas of breeziness will continue to cause the potential for large fire to be high through the end of this week. **New large fires are highly likely despite no individual predictive service area in a high risk category.**

- The hot and dry conditions will cause the dead fuel moisture to remain very low through the end of this week.
- **If thunderstorms occur this weekend, the large fire threat will remain high and "High Risk" Days for lightning may be needed for some mountain and desert predictive service areas.**
- Expect initial attack activity to remain heavy through the forecast period.

<https://fsapps.nwcg.gov/psp/npsg/forecast#/outlooks?state=sideBySide&gacclid=8>



**VCFD FUEL MOISTURE CHART**  
**CURRENT FUEL MOISTURE AVERAGE: 90%**  
**HISTORICAL AVERAGE: 83%**  
**PREVIOUS FUEL MOISTURE AVERAGE: 97%**  
**SAME TIME LAST YEAR: 94%**  
 Fuels sampled: 07/01/24

