

Ontario Crops Research Centre – Bradford (Muck Station) IPM Report 2025

This is the Muck Crops IPM Update for May 9, 2025

Highlights

- The 2024 growing season is here!
- A lot of onion fields have been seeded, transplanting is ongoing.
- Some early carrots have been seeded
- The scouts have started their training.
- If you are interested in having your field scouted contact Tyler Blauel at the Muck Station at 905-775-3783
- Carrot weevil traps have been set up in most fields, no activity yet.

Onion Update

Many onion fields have been seeded over the last couple weeks. Transplanting continues in some fields as well. Some early onion fields have emerged and are around the loop to flag leaf stage. Barley looks to be established well too.

Carrot Update

A couple early carrot fields have been seeded. Carrot weevil traps have been set up in most fields, but there is no activity yet. Carrot weevil pressure is usually higher in early seeded carrots than later seeded carrots.

Daily Weather

Date (May)	Max temperature (°C)	Min temperature (°C)	Rain (mm)
1	11.32	0.38	16.3
2	17.22	6.33	0.0
3	11.76	4.01	0.2
4	18.32	1.94	0.0
5	18.58	8.17	1.3
6	21.37	12.8	1.4
7	20.91	7.19	0.0
8	13.21	3.27	0.0

Soil Temperature (°C): 5cm: 12.7

Any questions or comments? Please call Tyler Blauel or Mary Ruth McDonald at 905-775-3783