











Ontario Crops Research Centre – Bradford (Muck Station) IPM Report 2023

Forecasting, weather and degree day information as of 6 July 2023

Standard Growing Degree Day Model (starting 1 April):

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MODELS	CUMULATIVE	DEGREE DAYS SINCE
	DEGREE DAYS	LAST REPORT
Growing degree	872	59
days (DD base 5)		

Insect Degree Day Models:

bay ividacis			
CUMULATIVE	THRESHOLD ONE	THRESHOLD TWO	COMMENTS:
DEGREE DAYS			
1058	Emergence at 329-	Emergence at 1399- Activity low	
	395 DD (1st gen)	1711 DD (2 nd gen)	
964	Emergence at 210	Emergence at 1025	2 nd generation
	DD (1 st gen)	DD (2 nd gen)	emergence soon
702	Egg laying starts at	Egg laying 90%	Egg laying period
	138-156 DD	complete at 455 DD	complete. Activity
			decreasing
553	Nymphs emerge at	Adults emerge at	Activity increasing
	128 DD	390 DD	
358	Activity can start at		Activity
	40 DD		
783	Emergence at 314	Emergence at 847	2 nd generation
	DD (1 st gen)	DD (2 nd gen)	emergence soon
964	Emergence at 200	Emergence at 600	2 nd generation
	DD (1 st gen)	DD (2 nd gen)	activity
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Disease Forecasting

Disease model	Cumulative DSI	Change since	Comments
		last report	
BOTCAST (Botrytis leaf blight)	48	+2	Low risk
DOWNCAST (Onion downy	Sporulation	Slightly	Low risk (high
mildew)	infection period on	increased risk	temperatures)
	1/4 days		
BSPCast	Favourable	Risk increased	High risk
(Stemphylium leaf blight)	conditions on 3/3		
	days		
White Rot on Onions	0	0	Low-Moderate risk
Sclerotinia (White Mold) on	0	-	Low risk
Carrot			
TOMCAST	54	+8	High risk
(General conditions for			
disease)			
BREMCAST	Sporulation-	Risk decreased	Low-Moderate risk
(Lettuce downy mildew)	infection periods on		
	1/3 days		

Daily Weather

Date (July)	Max temperature (°C)	Min temperature (°C)	Rain (mm)
3	28.1	16.9	0.0
4	31.7	16.2	0.0
5	33.1	16.9	0.0

Soil Temperature (°C): 5cm: 24.5





