









## Ontario Crops Research Centre – Bradford (Muck Station) IPM Report 2024

Forecasting, weather and degree day information as of 25 July 2024 Standard Growing Degree Day Model (starting 1 April):

MODELS	CUMULATIVE	DEGREE DAYS SINCE
	DEGREE DAYS	LAST REPORT
Growing degree	1248	46
days (DD base 5)		

## **Insect Degree Day Models:**

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MODELS	CUMULATIVE	THRESHOLD ONE	THRESHOLD TWO	COMMENTS:
	DEGREE DAYS			
CARROT RUST FLY	1472	Emergence at 329-	Emergence at 1399-	2 <sup>nd</sup> generation
(DD base 3)		395 DD (1st gen)	1711 DD (2 <sup>nd</sup> gen)	emergence
ONION MAGGOT	1358	Emergence at 210	Emergence at 1025	2 <sup>nd</sup> generation
(DD base 4)		DD (1 <sup>st</sup> gen)	DD (2 <sup>nd</sup> gen)	activity
CARROT WEEVIL	1038	Egg laying starts at	Egg laying 90%	Egg laying period
(DD base 7)		138-156 DD	complete at 455 DD	has ended
ASTER	838	Nymphs emerge at	Adults emerge at	Activity
LEAFHOPPER		128 DD	390 DD	
(DD base 9)				
TARNISHED	559	Activity can start at		Activity
PLANT BUG		40 DD		
(DD base 12)				
CABBAGE	1141	Emergence at 314	Emergence at 847	2 <sup>nd</sup> generation
MAGGOT		DD (1st gen)	DD (2 <sup>nd</sup> gen)	activity
(DD base 6)				
SEEDCORN	1358	Emergence at 200	Emergence at 600	2 <sup>nd</sup> generation
MAGGOT		DD (1 <sup>st</sup> gen)	DD (2 <sup>nd</sup> gen)	activity
(DD base 4)				



















## **Disease Forecasting**

Disease model	Cumulative DSI	Change since	Comments
		last report	
BOTCAST (Botrytis leaf blight)	197	+6	Low risk. No spores
			trapped.
DOWNCAST (Onion downy	Sporulation-	Continued high	High risk. Downy mildew
mildew)	infection periods on	risk	found and spores
	1/3 days		identified.
BSPCAST	Favourable	Risk maintained	High risk
(Stemphylium leaf blight)	conditions on 1/3		
	days		
White Rot on Onions	0	-	Low risk
Sclerotinia (White Mold) on	6	-8	Low risk. Canopies starting
Carrot			to close in.
TOMCAST	168	+7	High risk
(General conditions for			
disease)			
BREMCAST	Sporulation-	Risk maintained	High risk
(Lettuce downy mildew)	infection periods on		
	3/3 days		

## **Daily Weather**

Date (July)	Max temperature (°C)	Min temperature (°C)	Rain (mm)
22	27.8	12.5	0.0
23	29.8	13.7	2.0
24	26.4	15.6	0.2

Soil Temperature (°C): 5cm: 20.9







