

July 21, 2023

Mint Pest Alert Newsletter

Northeastern Oregon

Most traps had ~1 MRB adult this week, a decrease from last week. Trap numbers observed in the field peaked a little bit earlier than the GDD prediction for that area.

In the Imbler area, the optimum window to apply Vantacor ended with peak egg laying on July 18. In the Baker Valley, peak egg laying, and the end of the treatment window is expected on July 29.

Looper and VC numbers have remained low. Only a few loopers were captured this week. Fifth instar VC larvae are expected to peak on July 26 near Imbler and August 4 in the Baker Valley.



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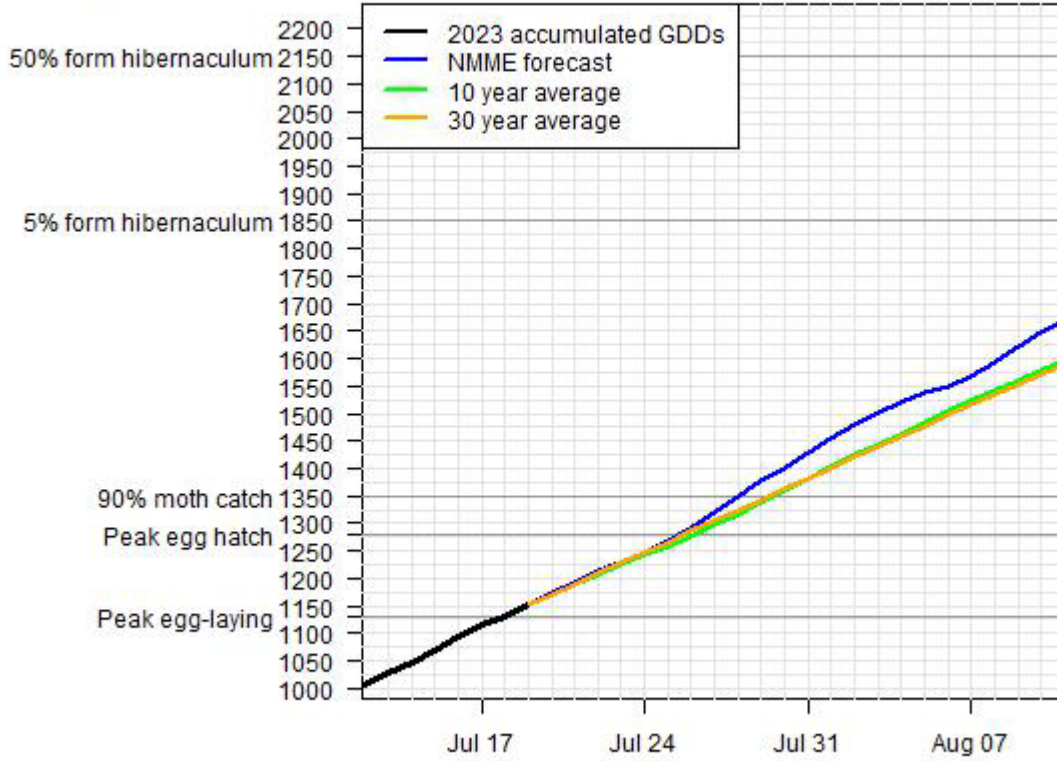
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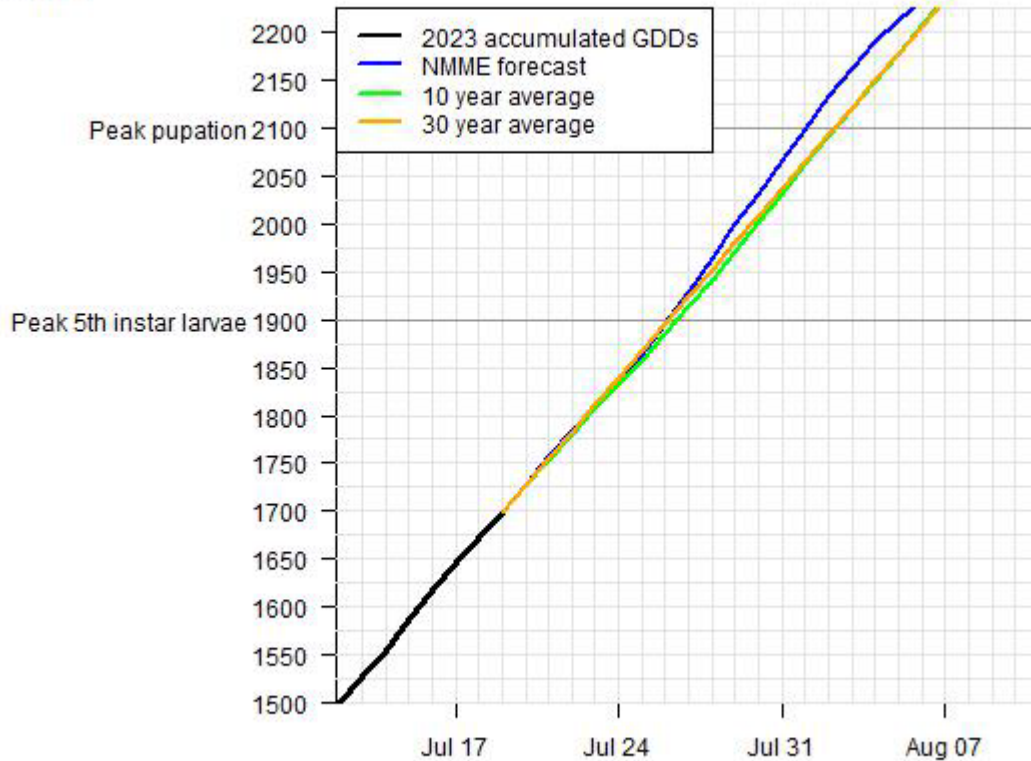
Mint Root Borer Development at Imbler Weather Station

Accumulated GDDs
base 50 °F



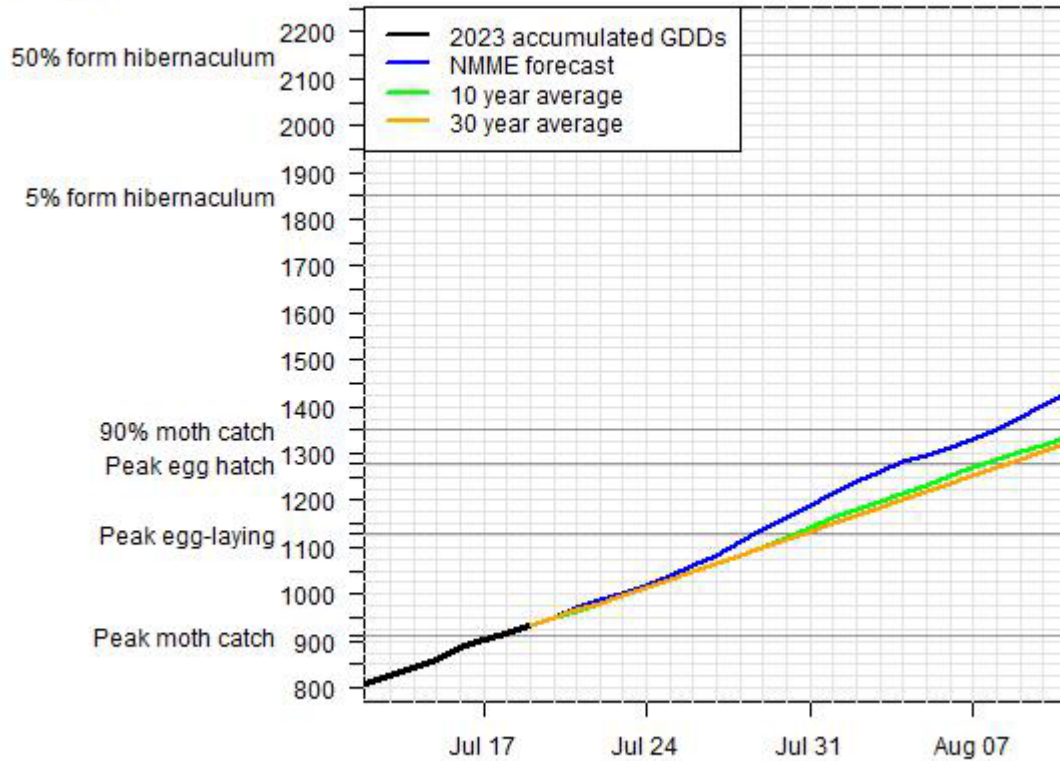
Variegated Cutworm Development at Imbler Weather Station

Accumulated GDDs
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Mint Root Borer Development at Baker Valley Weather Station

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