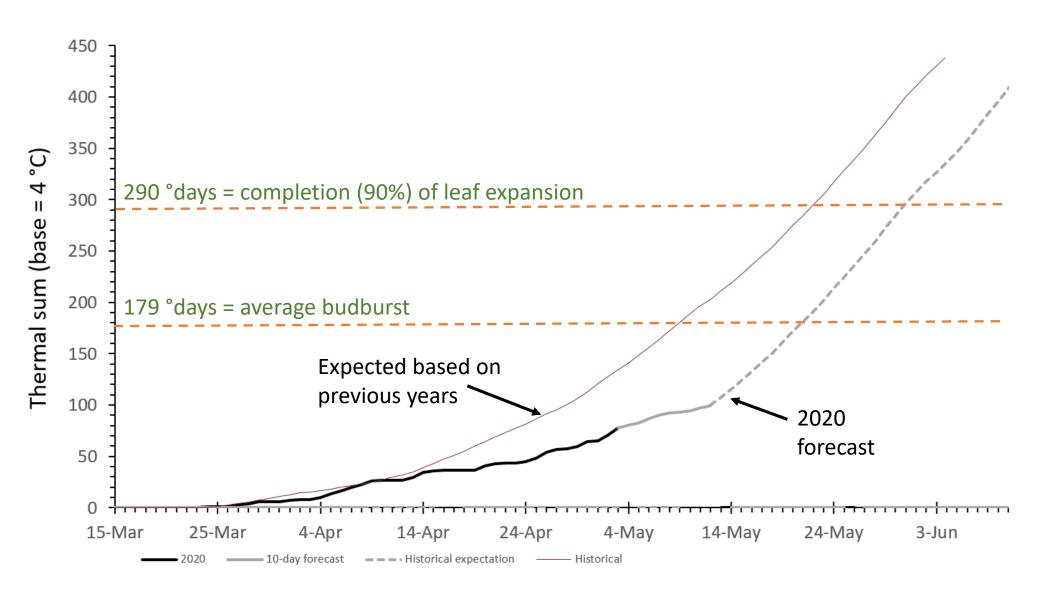
## 2020 forecast compared to expected temperatures based on previous years



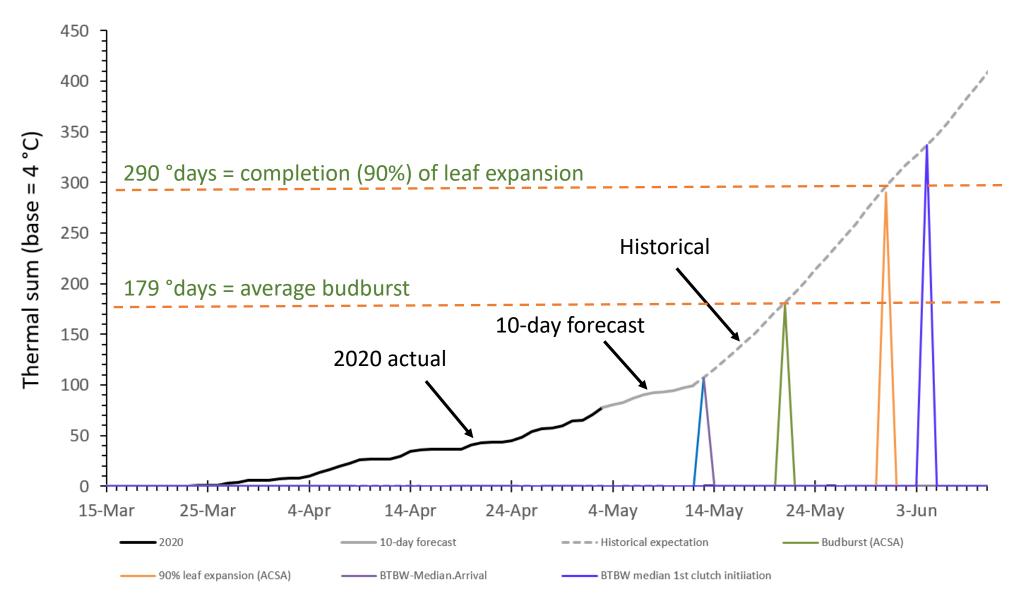
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As of 5 May 2020, predicted dates for budburst and 90% completion of leaf expansion are:

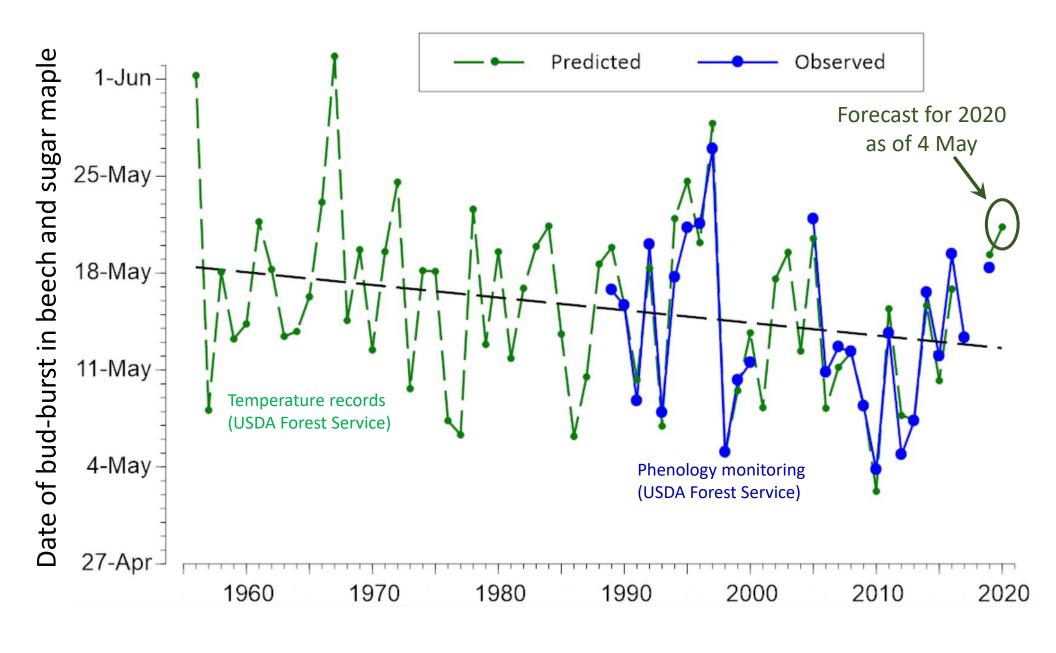
21 May and 31 May.

Predicted median dates of Arrival and 1st clutch initiation by BTBW are:

13 May and 4 June.



Real-time temperature records from USDA National Water & Climate Center (site 2069). Phenological models adapted from Lany et al. 2016 using long term data of USDA Forest Service.



As of 5 May 2020, predicted dates for budburst and 90% completion of leaf expansion are: 21 May and 31 May.

Predicted median dates of Arrival and 1<sup>st</sup> clutch initiation by Black-throated Blue Warblers are: 13 May and 4 June.

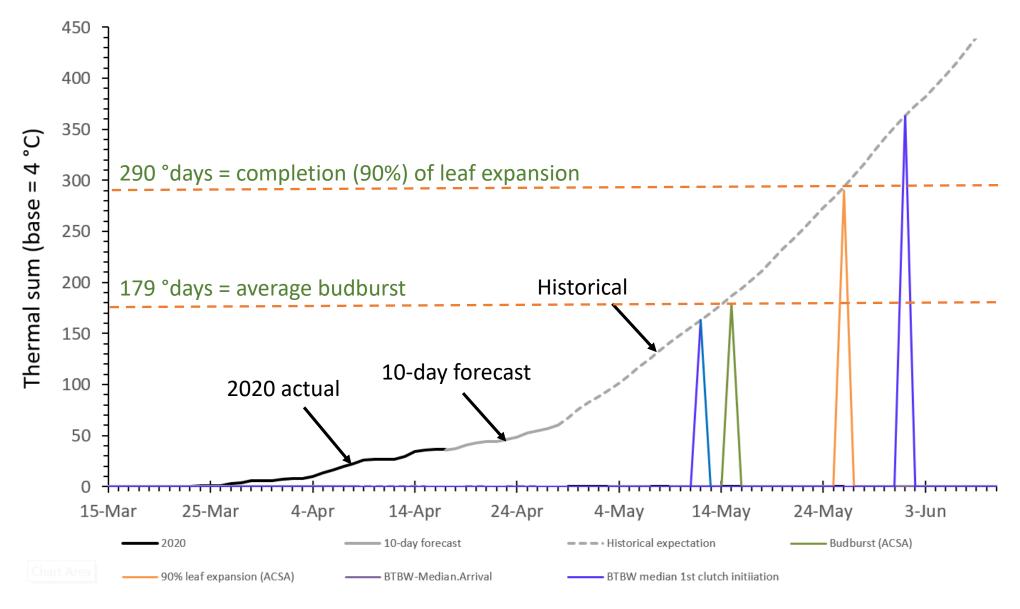
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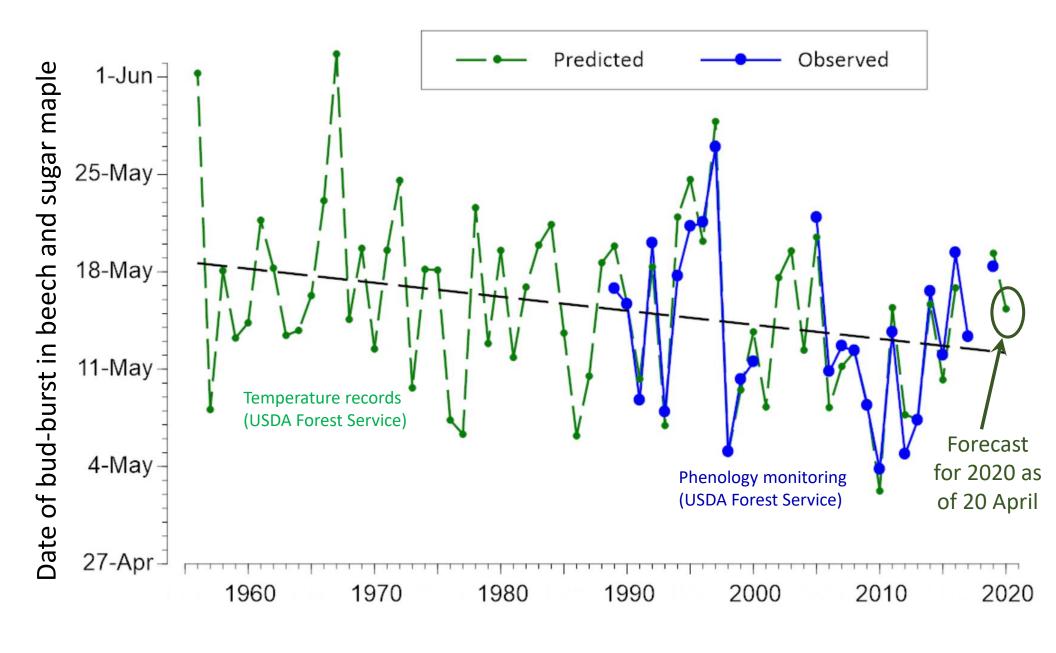
15 May and 26 May.

Predicted median dates of Arrival and 1st clutch initiation by BTBW are:

12 May and 1 June.



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As of 20 April 2020, predicted dates for budburst and 90% completion of leaf expansion are: 15 May and 26 May.

Predicted median dates of Arrival and 1<sup>st</sup> clutch initiation by Black-throated Blue Warblers are: 12 May and 1 June.

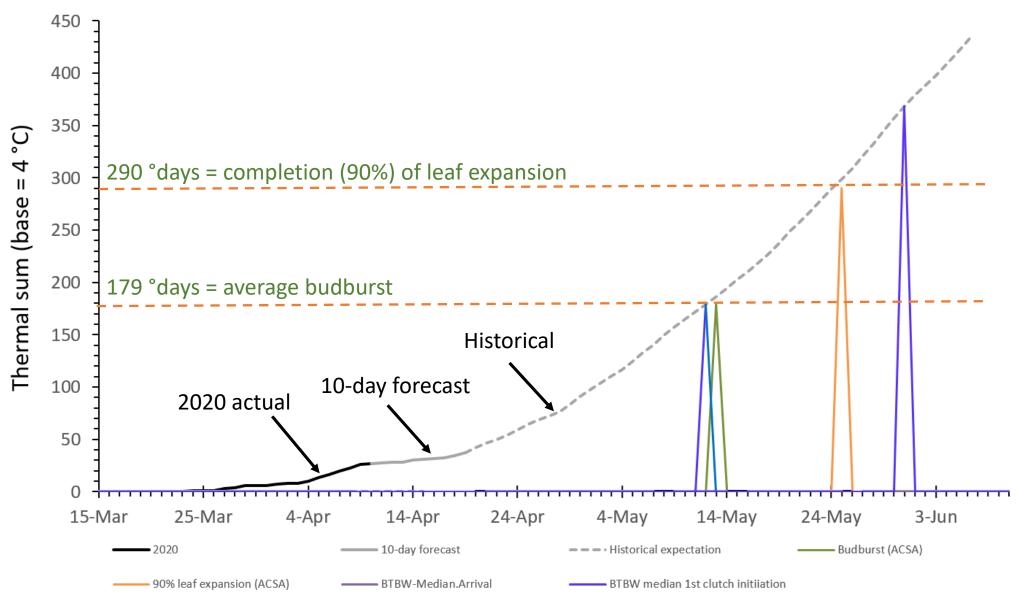
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As of 11 April 2020, predicted dates for budburst and 90% completion of leaf expansion are:

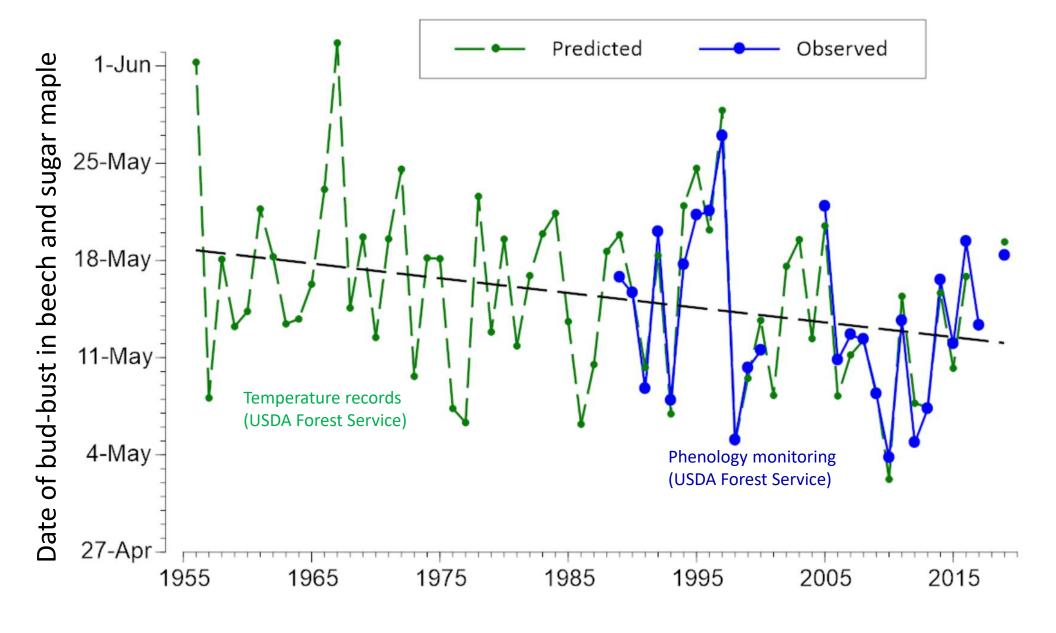
13 May and 25 May.

Predicted median dates of Arrival and 1st clutch initiation by BTBW are:

12 May and 31 May.



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- Budburst defines the beginning of annual activity in the green food web.
- The date of budburst in sugar maple and beech varies by up to four weeks among years (4 May to 2 June since 1957).
- The expected date has advanced by 7 days in 60 years.
- o Best prediction model as of 2019: budburst at 179 °days > 4 °C after 21 March (modified from Lany et al. 2016).