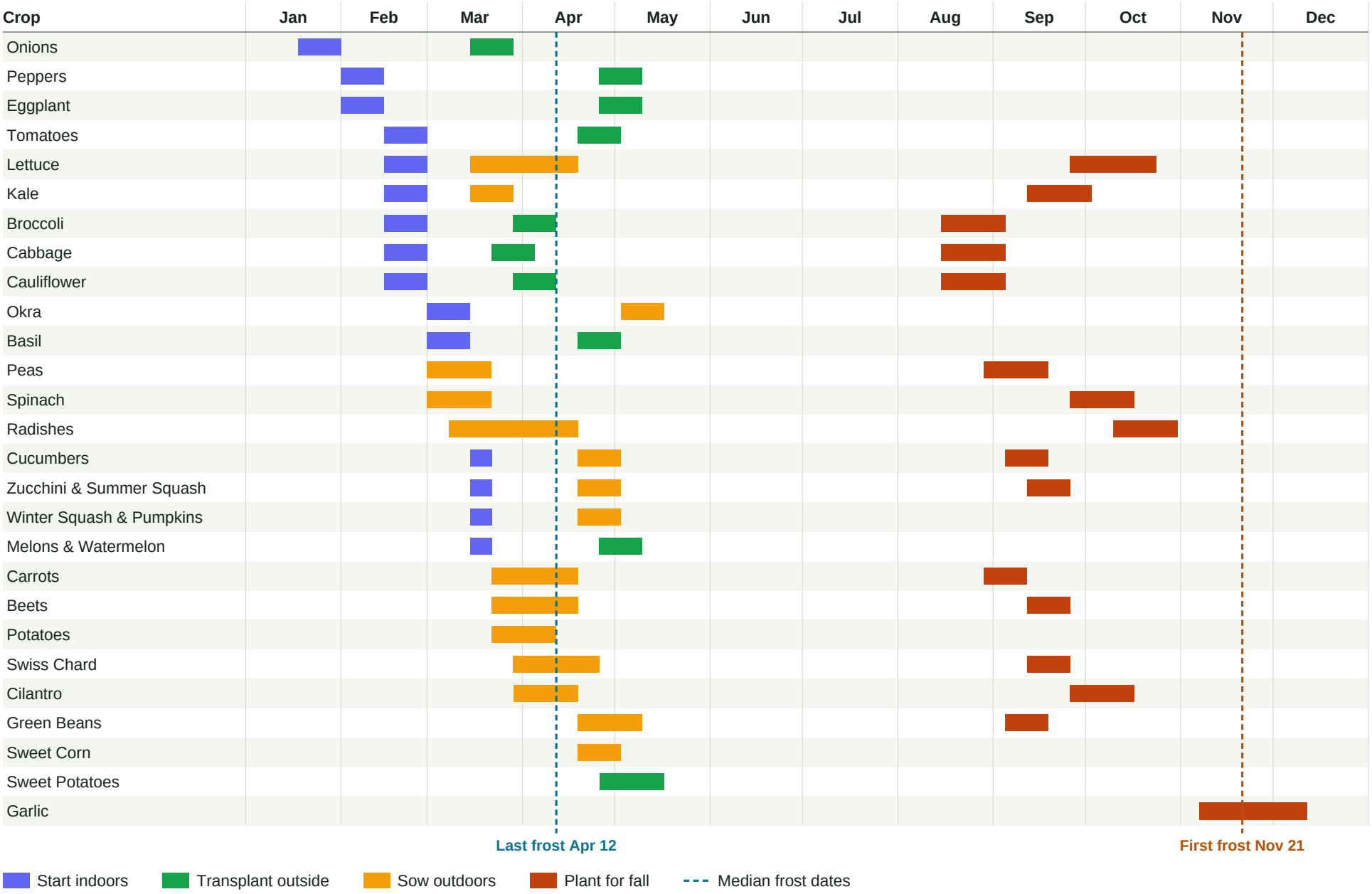
Lotus, CA planting calendar

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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Jan 18 – Feb 1	Mar 15 – Mar 29	—	—
Peppers	Feb 1 – Feb 15	Apr 26 – May 10	—	—
Eggplant	Feb 1 – Feb 15	Apr 26 – May 10	—	—
Tomatoes	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Apr 19 – May 3	—	—
Lettuce	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Mar 22 – Apr 5	Mar 15 – Apr 19	Sep 26 – Oct 24
Kale	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Mar 15 – Mar 29	Mar 15 – Mar 29	Sep 12 – Oct 3
Broccoli	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Mar 29 – Apr 12	—	Aug 15 – Sep 5
Cabbage	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Mar 22 – Apr 5	—	Aug 15 – Sep 5
Cauliflower	Feb 15 – Mar 1	Mar 29 – Apr 12	—	Aug 15 – Sep 5
Okra	Mar 1 – Mar 15	May 3 – May 17	May 3 – May 17	—
Basil	Mar 1 – Mar 15	Apr 19 – May 3	—	—
Peas	—	—	Mar 1 – Mar 22	Aug 29 – Sep 19
Spinach	—	—	Mar 1 – Mar 22	Sep 26 – Oct 17
Radishes	—	—	Mar 8 – Apr 19	Oct 10 – Oct 31
Cucumbers	Mar 15 – Mar 22	Apr 26 – May 3	Apr 19 – May 3	Sep 5 – Sep 19
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Mar 15 – Mar 22	—	Apr 19 – May 3	Sep 12 – Sep 26
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Mar 15 – Mar 22	—	Apr 19 – May 3	—
Melons & Watermelon	Mar 15 – Mar 22	Apr 26 – May 10	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Mar 22 – Apr 19	Aug 29 – Sep 12
Beets	—	—	Mar 22 – Apr 19	Sep 12 – Sep 26
Potatoes	—	—	Mar 22 – Apr 12	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Mar 29 – Apr 26	Sep 12 – Sep 26
Cilantro	—	—	Mar 29 – Apr 19	Sep 26 – Oct 17
Green Beans	—	—	Apr 19 – May 10	Sep 5 – Sep 19
Sweet Corn	—	—	Apr 19 – May 3	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Apr 26 – May 17	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Nov 7 – Dec 12

Wait until after May 10 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.