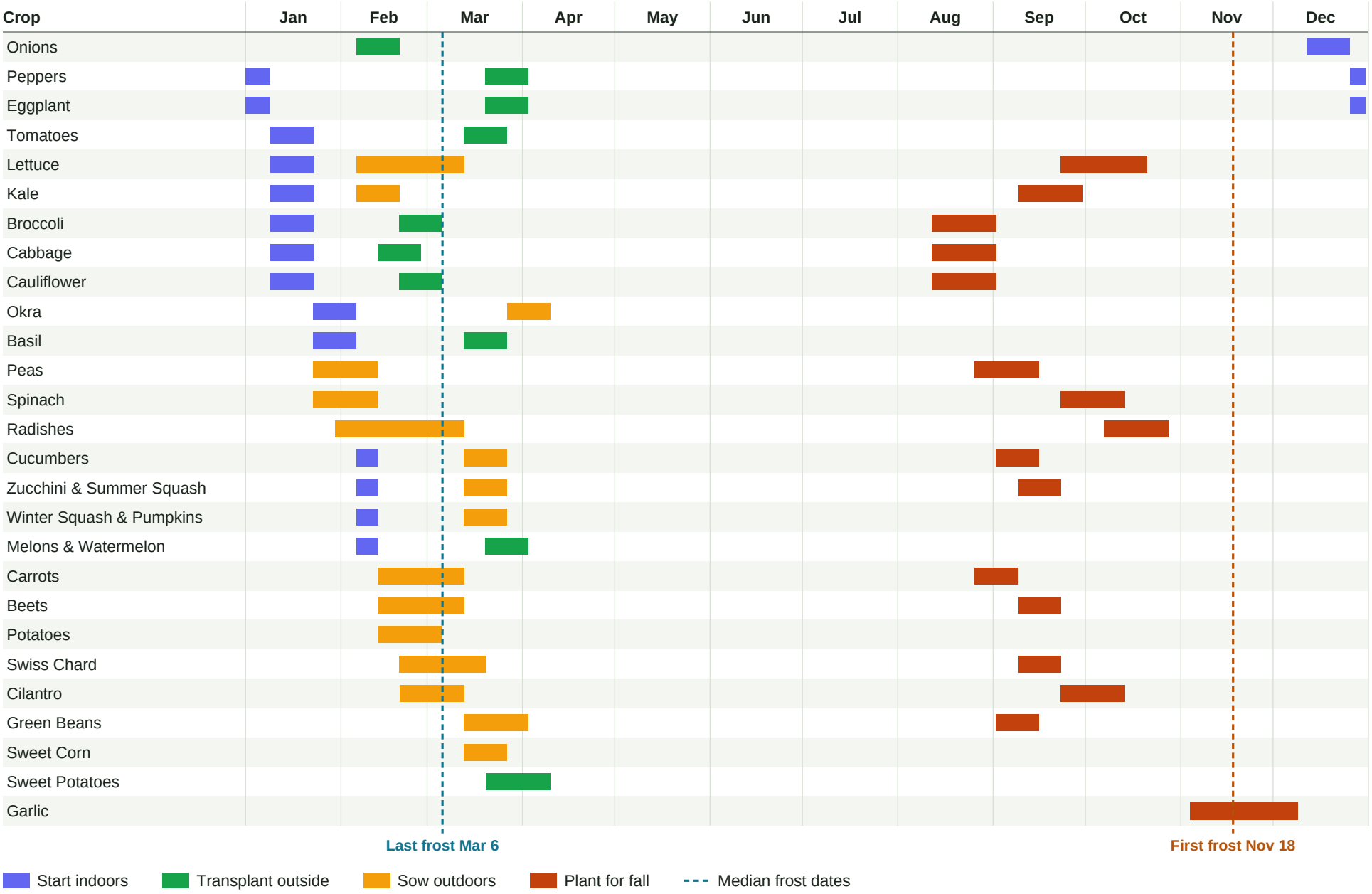
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Dec 12 – Dec 26	Feb 6 – Feb 20	—	—
Peppers	Dec 26 – Jan 9	Mar 20 – Apr 3	—	—
Eggplant	Dec 26 – Jan 9	Mar 20 – Apr 3	—	—
Tomatoes	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Mar 13 – Mar 27	—	—
Lettuce	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Feb 13 – Feb 27	Feb 6 – Mar 13	Sep 23 – Oct 21
Kale	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Feb 6 – Feb 20	Feb 6 – Feb 20	Sep 9 – Sep 30
Broccoli	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Feb 20 – Mar 6	—	Aug 12 – Sep 2
Cabbage	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Feb 13 – Feb 27	—	Aug 12 – Sep 2
Cauliflower	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Feb 20 – Mar 6	—	Aug 12 – Sep 2
Okra	Jan 23 – Feb 6	Mar 27 – Apr 10	Mar 27 – Apr 10	—
Basil	Jan 23 – Feb 6	Mar 13 – Mar 27	—	—
Peas	—	—	Jan 23 – Feb 13	Aug 26 – Sep 16
Spinach	—	—	Jan 23 – Feb 13	Sep 23 – Oct 14
Radishes	—	—	Jan 30 – Mar 13	Oct 7 – Oct 28
Cucumbers	Feb 6 – Feb 13	Mar 20 – Mar 27	Mar 13 – Mar 27	Sep 2 – Sep 16
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Feb 6 – Feb 13	—	Mar 13 – Mar 27	Sep 9 – Sep 23
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Feb 6 – Feb 13	—	Mar 13 – Mar 27	—
Melons & Watermelon	Feb 6 – Feb 13	Mar 20 – Apr 3	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Feb 13 – Mar 13	Aug 26 – Sep 9
Beets	—	—	Feb 13 – Mar 13	Sep 9 – Sep 23
Potatoes	—	—	Feb 13 – Mar 6	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Feb 20 – Mar 20	Sep 9 – Sep 23
Cilantro	—	—	Feb 20 – Mar 13	Sep 23 – Oct 14
Green Beans	—	—	Mar 13 – Apr 3	Sep 2 – Sep 16
Sweet Corn	—	—	Mar 13 – Mar 27	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Mar 20 – Apr 10	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Nov 4 – Dec 9

Wait until after Mar 26 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.