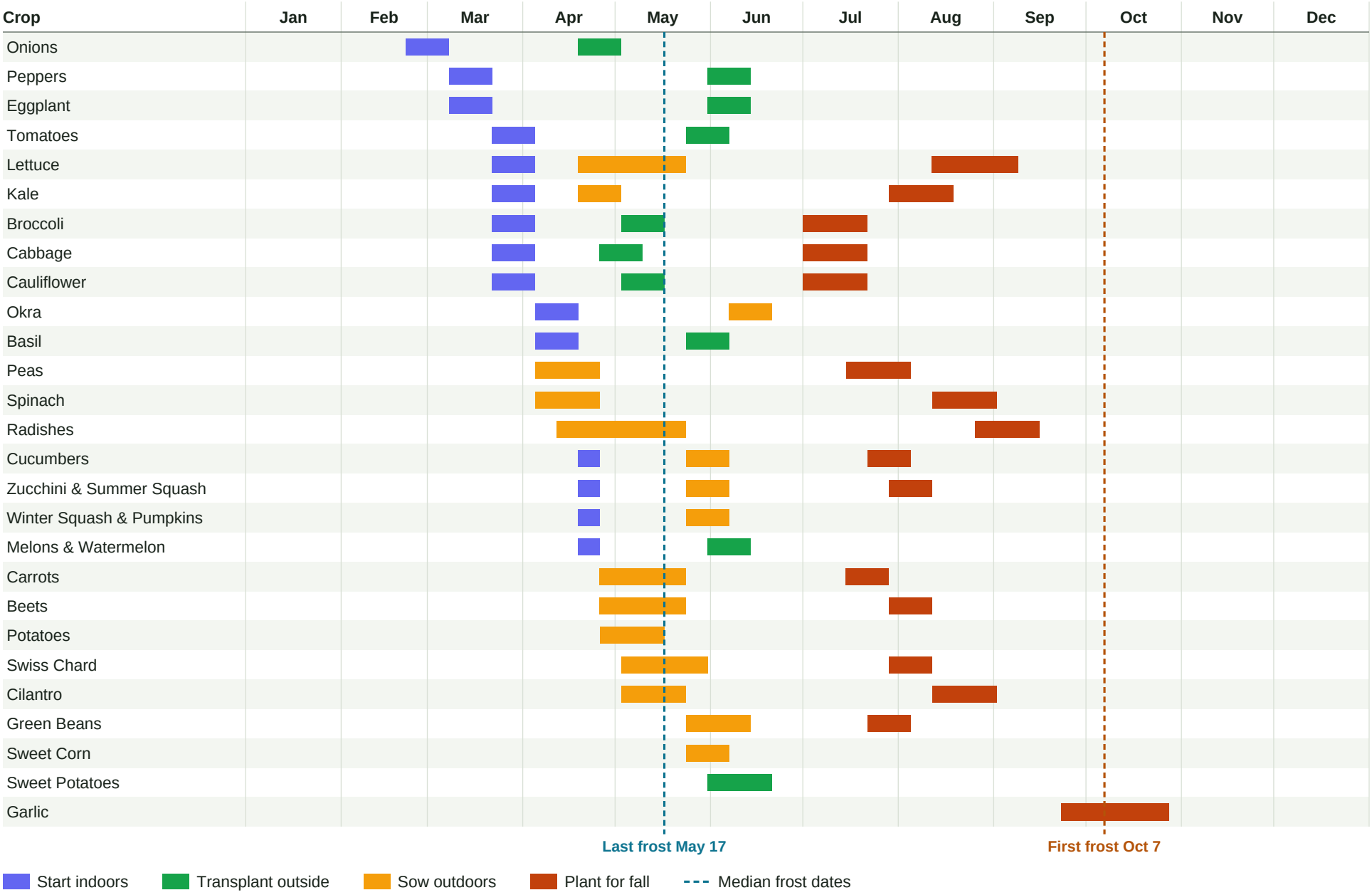
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Feb 22 – Mar 8	Apr 19 – May 3	—	—
Peppers	Mar 8 – Mar 22	May 31 – Jun 14	—	—
Eggplant	Mar 8 – Mar 22	May 31 – Jun 14	—	—
Tomatoes	Mar 22 – Apr 5	May 24 – Jun 7	—	—
Lettuce	Mar 22 – Apr 5	Apr 26 – May 10	Apr 19 – May 24	Aug 12 – Sep 9
Kale	Mar 22 – Apr 5	Apr 19 – May 3	Apr 19 – May 3	Jul 29 – Aug 19
Broccoli	Mar 22 – Apr 5	May 3 – May 17	—	Jul 1 – Jul 22
Cabbage	Mar 22 – Apr 5	Apr 26 – May 10	—	Jul 1 – Jul 22
Cauliflower	Mar 22 – Apr 5	May 3 – May 17	—	Jul 1 – Jul 22
Okra	Apr 5 – Apr 19	Jun 7 – Jun 21	Jun 7 – Jun 21	—
Basil	Apr 5 – Apr 19	May 24 – Jun 7	—	—
Peas	—	—	Apr 5 – Apr 26	Jul 15 – Aug 5
Spinach	—	—	Apr 5 – Apr 26	Aug 12 – Sep 2
Radishes	—	—	Apr 12 – May 24	Aug 26 – Sep 16
Cucumbers	Apr 19 – Apr 26	May 31 – Jun 7	May 24 – Jun 7	Jul 22 – Aug 5
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Apr 19 – Apr 26	—	May 24 – Jun 7	Jul 29 – Aug 12
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Apr 19 – Apr 26	—	May 24 – Jun 7	—
Melons & Watermelon	Apr 19 – Apr 26	May 31 – Jun 14	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Apr 26 – May 24	Jul 15 – Jul 29
Beets	—	—	Apr 26 – May 24	Jul 29 – Aug 12
Potatoes	—	—	Apr 26 – May 17	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	May 3 – May 31	Jul 29 – Aug 12
Cilantro	—	—	May 3 – May 24	Aug 12 – Sep 2
Green Beans	—	—	May 24 – Jun 14	Jul 22 – Aug 5
Sweet Corn	—	—	May 24 – Jun 7	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	May 31 – Jun 21	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Sep 23 – Oct 28

Wait until after Jun 1 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.