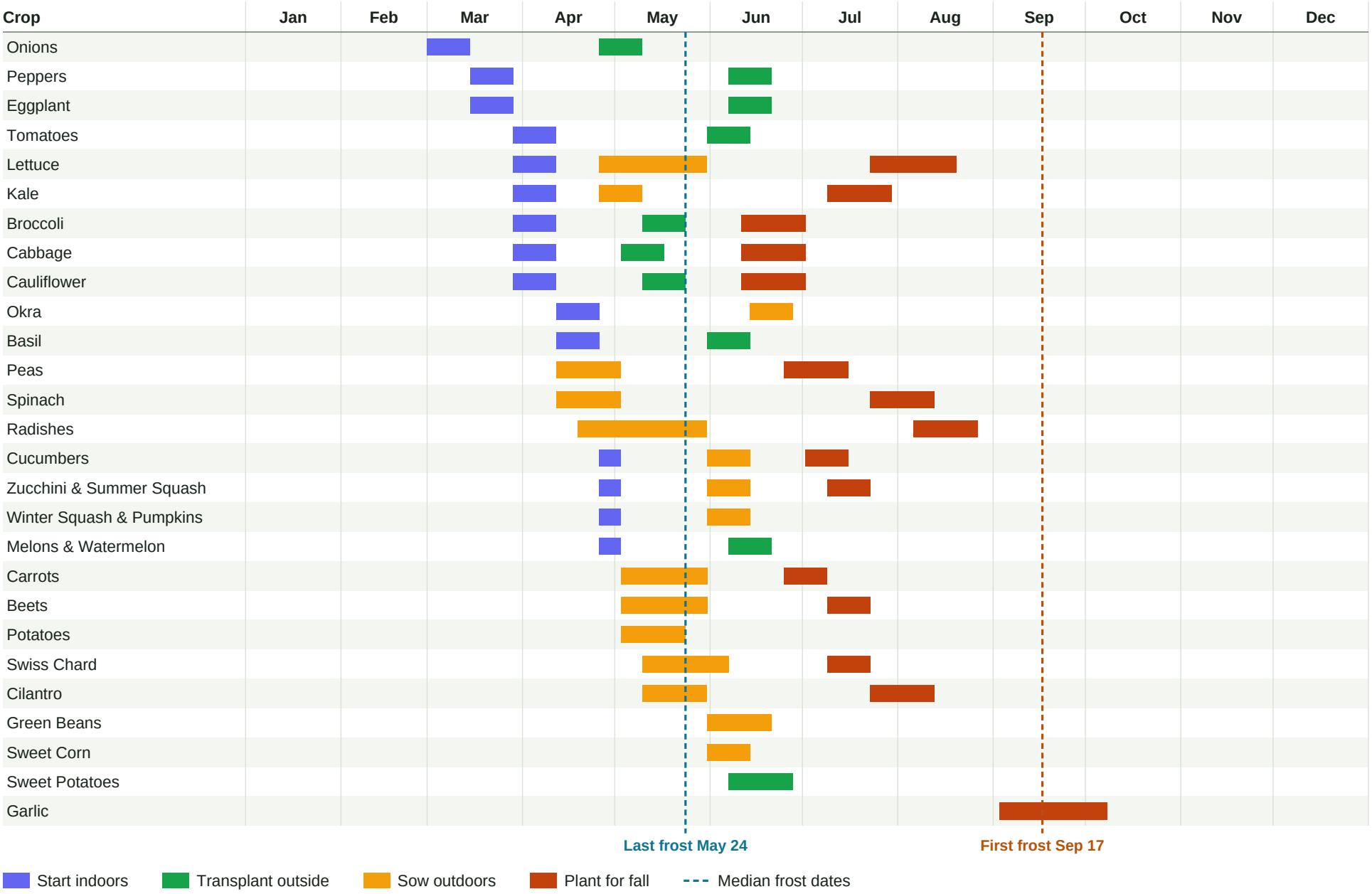
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Mar 1 – Mar 15	Apr 26 – May 10	—	—
Peppers	Mar 15 – Mar 29	Jun 7 – Jun 21	—	—
Eggplant	Mar 15 – Mar 29	Jun 7 – Jun 21	—	—
Tomatoes	Mar 29 – Apr 12	May 31 – Jun 14	—	—
Lettuce	Mar 29 – Apr 12	May 3 – May 17	Apr 26 – May 31	Jul 23 – Aug 20
Kale	Mar 29 – Apr 12	Apr 26 – May 10	Apr 26 – May 10	Jul 9 – Jul 30
Broccoli	Mar 29 – Apr 12	May 10 – May 24	—	Jun 11 – Jul 2
Cabbage	Mar 29 – Apr 12	May 3 – May 17	—	Jun 11 – Jul 2
Cauliflower	Mar 29 – Apr 12	May 10 – May 24	—	Jun 11 – Jul 2
Okra	Apr 12 – Apr 26	Jun 14 – Jun 28	Jun 14 – Jun 28	—
Basil	Apr 12 – Apr 26	May 31 – Jun 14	—	—
Peas	—	—	Apr 12 – May 3	Jun 25 – Jul 16
Spinach	—	—	Apr 12 – May 3	Jul 23 – Aug 13
Radishes	—	—	Apr 19 – May 31	Aug 6 – Aug 27
Cucumbers	Apr 26 – May 3	Jun 7 – Jun 14	May 31 – Jun 14	Jul 2 – Jul 16
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Apr 26 – May 3	—	May 31 – Jun 14	Jul 9 – Jul 23
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Apr 26 – May 3	—	May 31 – Jun 14	—
Melons & Watermelon	Apr 26 – May 3	Jun 7 – Jun 21	—	—
Carrots	—	—	May 3 – May 31	Jun 25 – Jul 9
Beets	—	—	May 3 – May 31	Jul 9 – Jul 23
Potatoes	—	—	May 3 – May 24	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	May 10 – Jun 7	Jul 9 – Jul 23
Cilantro	—	—	May 10 – May 31	Jul 23 – Aug 13
Green Beans	—	—	May 31 – Jun 21	—
Sweet Corn	—	—	May 31 – Jun 14	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Jun 7 – Jun 28	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Sep 3 – Oct 8

Wait until after Jun 9 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.