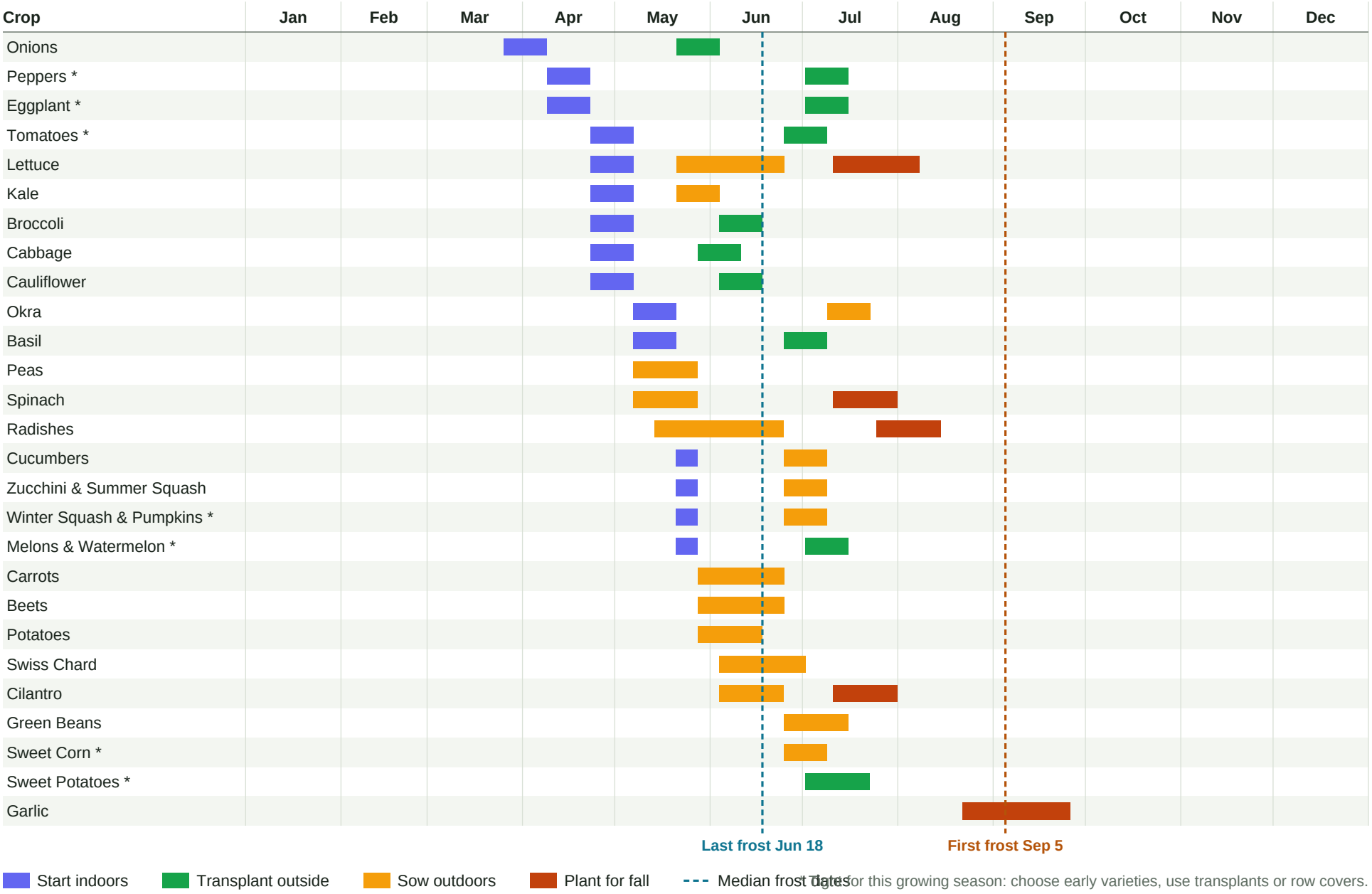
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Mar 26 – Apr 9	May 21 – Jun 4	—	—
Peppers *	Apr 9 – Apr 23	Jul 2 – Jul 16	—	—
Eggplant *	Apr 9 – Apr 23	Jul 2 – Jul 16	—	—
Tomatoes *	Apr 23 – May 7	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—	—
Lettuce	Apr 23 – May 7	May 28 – Jun 11	May 21 – Jun 25	Jul 11 – Aug 8
Kale	Apr 23 – May 7	May 21 – Jun 4	May 21 – Jun 4	—
Broccoli	Apr 23 – May 7	Jun 4 – Jun 18	—	—
Cabbage	Apr 23 – May 7	May 28 – Jun 11	—	—
Cauliflower	Apr 23 – May 7	Jun 4 – Jun 18	—	—
Okra	May 7 – May 21	Jul 9 – Jul 23	Jul 9 – Jul 23	—
Basil	May 7 – May 21	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—	—
Peas	—	—	May 7 – May 28	—
Spinach	—	—	May 7 – May 28	Jul 11 – Aug 1
Radishes	—	—	May 14 – Jun 25	Jul 25 – Aug 15
Cucumbers	May 21 – May 28	Jul 2 – Jul 9	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—
Zucchini & Summer Squash	May 21 – May 28	—	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—
Winter Squash & Pumpkins *	May 21 – May 28	—	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—
Melons & Watermelon *	May 21 – May 28	Jul 2 – Jul 16	—	—
Carrots	—	—	May 28 – Jun 25	—
Beets	—	—	May 28 – Jun 25	—
Potatoes	—	—	May 28 – Jun 18	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Jun 4 – Jul 2	—
Cilantro	—	—	Jun 4 – Jun 25	Jul 11 – Aug 1
Green Beans	—	—	Jun 25 – Jul 16	—
Sweet Corn *	—	—	Jun 25 – Jul 9	—
Sweet Potatoes *	—	Jul 2 – Jul 23	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Aug 22 – Sep 26

Wait until after Jul 3 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons. * Tight for this season.