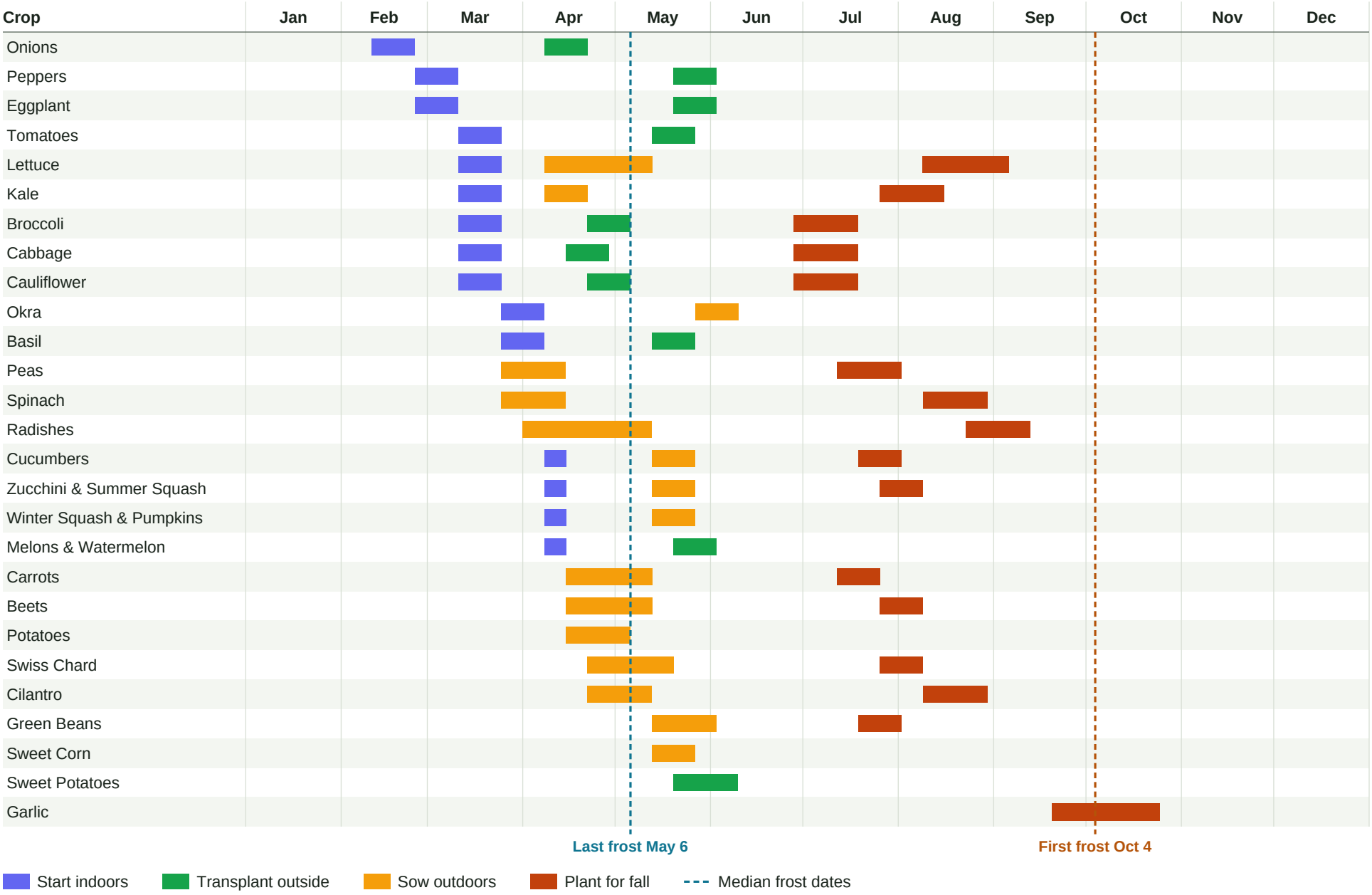
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Feb 11 – Feb 25	Apr 8 – Apr 22	—	—
Peppers	Feb 25 – Mar 11	May 20 – Jun 3	—	—
Eggplant	Feb 25 – Mar 11	May 20 – Jun 3	—	—
Tomatoes	Mar 11 – Mar 25	May 13 – May 27	—	—
Lettuce	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Apr 15 – Apr 29	Apr 8 – May 13	Aug 9 – Sep 6
Kale	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Apr 8 – Apr 22	Apr 8 – Apr 22	Jul 26 – Aug 16
Broccoli	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Apr 22 – May 6	—	Jun 28 – Jul 19
Cabbage	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Apr 15 – Apr 29	—	Jun 28 – Jul 19
Cauliflower	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Apr 22 – May 6	—	Jun 28 – Jul 19
Okra	Mar 25 – Apr 8	May 27 – Jun 10	May 27 – Jun 10	—
Basil	Mar 25 – Apr 8	May 13 – May 27	—	—
Peas	—	—	Mar 25 – Apr 15	Jul 12 – Aug 2
Spinach	—	—	Mar 25 – Apr 15	Aug 9 – Aug 30
Radishes	—	—	Apr 1 – May 13	Aug 23 – Sep 13
Cucumbers	Apr 8 – Apr 15	May 20 – May 27	May 13 – May 27	Jul 19 – Aug 2
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Apr 8 – Apr 15	—	May 13 – May 27	Jul 26 – Aug 9
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Apr 8 – Apr 15	—	May 13 – May 27	—
Melons & Watermelon	Apr 8 – Apr 15	May 20 – Jun 3	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Apr 15 – May 13	Jul 12 – Jul 26
Beets	—	—	Apr 15 – May 13	Jul 26 – Aug 9
Potatoes	—	—	Apr 15 – May 6	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Apr 22 – May 20	Jul 26 – Aug 9
Cilantro	—	—	Apr 22 – May 13	Aug 9 – Aug 30
Green Beans	—	—	May 13 – Jun 3	Jul 19 – Aug 2
Sweet Corn	—	—	May 13 – May 27	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	May 20 – Jun 10	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Sep 20 – Oct 25

Wait until after May 19 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.