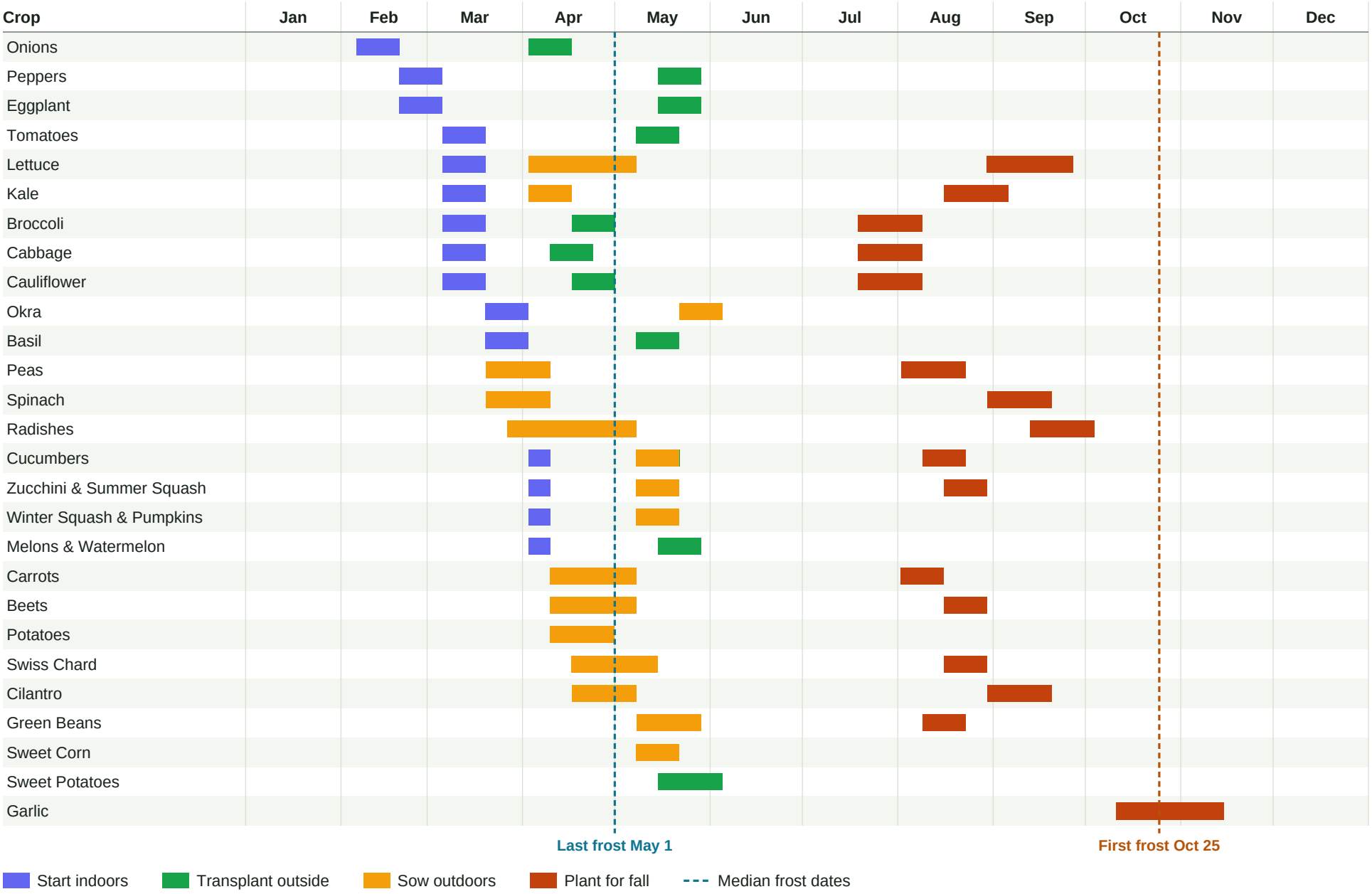
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Feb 6 – Feb 20	Apr 3 – Apr 17	—	—
Peppers	Feb 20 – Mar 6	May 15 – May 29	—	—
Eggplant	Feb 20 – Mar 6	May 15 – May 29	—	—
Tomatoes	Mar 6 – Mar 20	May 8 – May 22	—	—
Lettuce	Mar 6 – Mar 20	Apr 10 – Apr 24	Apr 3 – May 8	Aug 30 – Sep 27
Kale	Mar 6 – Mar 20	Apr 3 – Apr 17	Apr 3 – Apr 17	Aug 16 – Sep 6
Broccoli	Mar 6 – Mar 20	Apr 17 – May 1	—	Jul 19 – Aug 9
Cabbage	Mar 6 – Mar 20	Apr 10 – Apr 24	—	Jul 19 – Aug 9
Cauliflower	Mar 6 – Mar 20	Apr 17 – May 1	—	Jul 19 – Aug 9
Okra	Mar 20 – Apr 3	May 22 – Jun 5	May 22 – Jun 5	—
Basil	Mar 20 – Apr 3	May 8 – May 22	—	—
Peas	—	—	Mar 20 – Apr 10	Aug 2 – Aug 23
Spinach	—	—	Mar 20 – Apr 10	Aug 30 – Sep 20
Radishes	—	—	Mar 27 – May 8	Sep 13 – Oct 4
Cucumbers	Apr 3 – Apr 10	May 15 – May 22	May 8 – May 22	Aug 9 – Aug 23
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Apr 3 – Apr 10	—	May 8 – May 22	Aug 16 – Aug 30
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Apr 3 – Apr 10	—	May 8 – May 22	—
Melons & Watermelon	Apr 3 – Apr 10	May 15 – May 29	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Apr 10 – May 8	Aug 2 – Aug 16
Beets	—	—	Apr 10 – May 8	Aug 16 – Aug 30
Potatoes	—	—	Apr 10 – May 1	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Apr 17 – May 15	Aug 16 – Aug 30
Cilantro	—	—	Apr 17 – May 8	Aug 30 – Sep 20
Green Beans	—	—	May 8 – May 29	Aug 9 – Aug 23
Sweet Corn	—	—	May 8 – May 22	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	May 15 – Jun 5	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Oct 11 – Nov 15

Wait until after May 18 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.