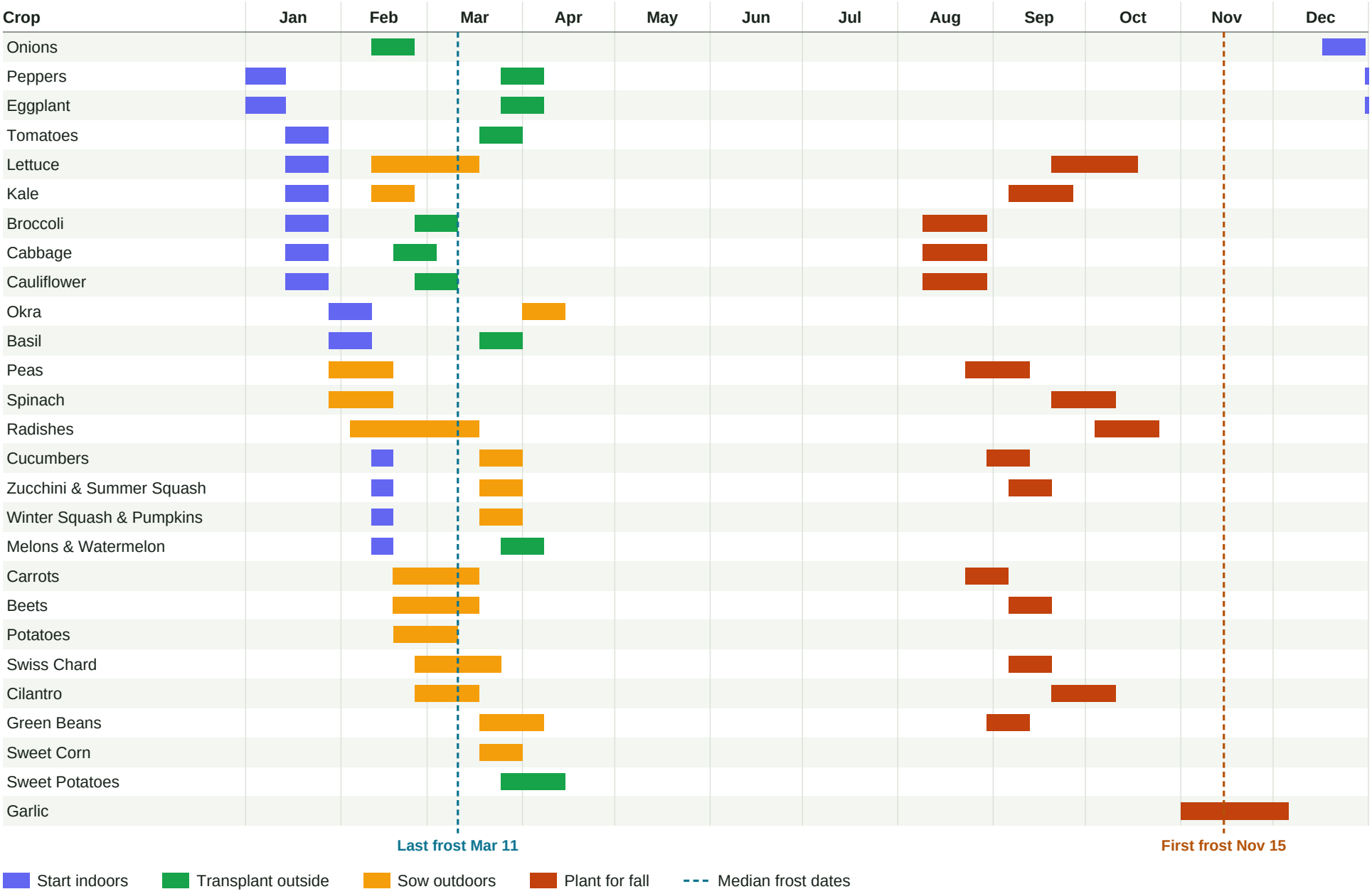
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Dec 17 – Dec 31	Feb 11 – Feb 25	—	—
Peppers	Dec 31 – Jan 14	Mar 25 – Apr 8	—	—
Eggplant	Dec 31 – Jan 14	Mar 25 – Apr 8	—	—
Tomatoes	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—	—
Lettuce	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Feb 18 – Mar 4	Feb 11 – Mar 18	Sep 20 – Oct 18
Kale	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Feb 11 – Feb 25	Feb 11 – Feb 25	Sep 6 – Sep 27
Broccoli	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—	Aug 9 – Aug 30
Cabbage	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Feb 18 – Mar 4	—	Aug 9 – Aug 30
Cauliflower	Jan 14 – Jan 28	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—	Aug 9 – Aug 30
Okra	Jan 28 – Feb 11	Apr 1 – Apr 15	Apr 1 – Apr 15	—
Basil	Jan 28 – Feb 11	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—	—
Peas	—	—	Jan 28 – Feb 18	Aug 23 – Sep 13
Spinach	—	—	Jan 28 – Feb 18	Sep 20 – Oct 11
Radishes	—	—	Feb 4 – Mar 18	Oct 4 – Oct 25
Cucumbers	Feb 11 – Feb 18	Mar 25 – Apr 1	Mar 18 – Apr 1	Aug 30 – Sep 13
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Feb 11 – Feb 18	—	Mar 18 – Apr 1	Sep 6 – Sep 20
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Feb 11 – Feb 18	—	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—
Melons & Watermelon	Feb 11 – Feb 18	Mar 25 – Apr 8	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Feb 18 – Mar 18	Aug 23 – Sep 6
Beets	—	—	Feb 18 – Mar 18	Sep 6 – Sep 20
Potatoes	—	—	Feb 18 – Mar 11	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Feb 25 – Mar 25	Sep 6 – Sep 20
Cilantro	—	—	Feb 25 – Mar 18	Sep 20 – Oct 11
Green Beans	—	—	Mar 18 – Apr 8	Aug 30 – Sep 13
Sweet Corn	—	—	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Mar 25 – Apr 15	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Nov 1 – Dec 6

Wait until after Apr 4 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.