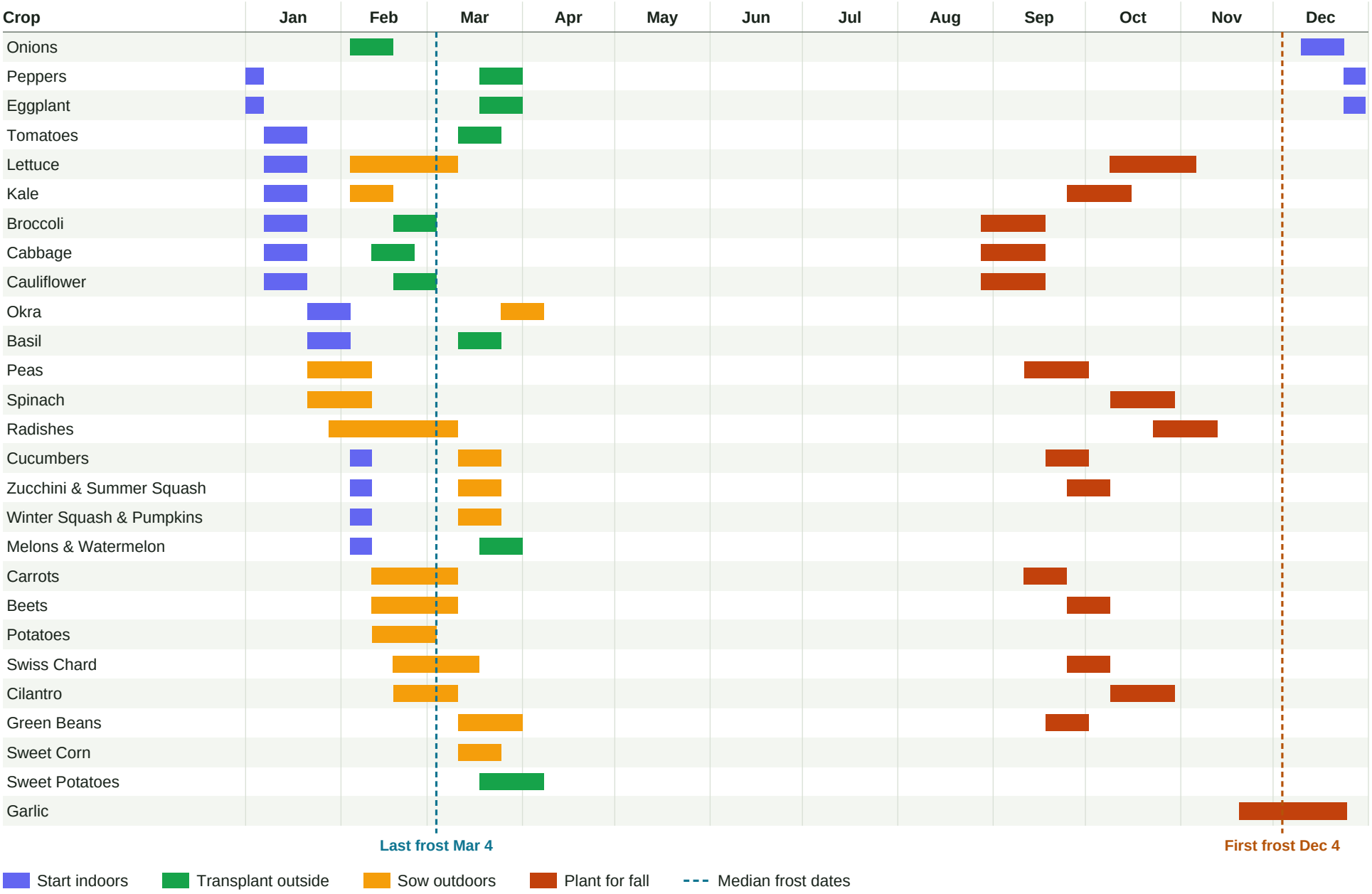
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Dec 10 – Dec 24	Feb 4 – Feb 18	—	—
Peppers	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—	—
Eggplant	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—	—
Tomatoes	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Mar 11 – Mar 25	—	—
Lettuce	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 11 – Feb 25	Feb 4 – Mar 11	Oct 9 – Nov 6
Kale	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 4 – Feb 18	Feb 4 – Feb 18	Sep 25 – Oct 16
Broccoli	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 18 – Mar 4	—	Aug 28 – Sep 18
Cabbage	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 11 – Feb 25	—	Aug 28 – Sep 18
Cauliflower	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 18 – Mar 4	—	Aug 28 – Sep 18
Okra	Jan 21 – Feb 4	Mar 25 – Apr 8	Mar 25 – Apr 8	—
Basil	Jan 21 – Feb 4	Mar 11 – Mar 25	—	—
Peas	—	—	Jan 21 – Feb 11	Sep 11 – Oct 2
Spinach	—	—	Jan 21 – Feb 11	Oct 9 – Oct 30
Radishes	—	—	Jan 28 – Mar 11	Oct 23 – Nov 13
Cucumbers	Feb 4 – Feb 11	Mar 18 – Mar 25	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Sep 18 – Oct 2
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Feb 4 – Feb 11	—	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Sep 25 – Oct 9
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Feb 4 – Feb 11	—	Mar 11 – Mar 25	—
Melons & Watermelon	Feb 4 – Feb 11	Mar 18 – Apr 1	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Feb 11 – Mar 11	Sep 11 – Sep 25
Beets	—	—	Feb 11 – Mar 11	Sep 25 – Oct 9
Potatoes	—	—	Feb 11 – Mar 4	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Feb 18 – Mar 18	Sep 25 – Oct 9
Cilantro	—	—	Feb 18 – Mar 11	Oct 9 – Oct 30
Green Beans	—	—	Mar 11 – Apr 1	Sep 18 – Oct 2
Sweet Corn	—	—	Mar 11 – Mar 25	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Mar 18 – Apr 8	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Nov 20 – Dec 25

Wait until after Mar 26 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.