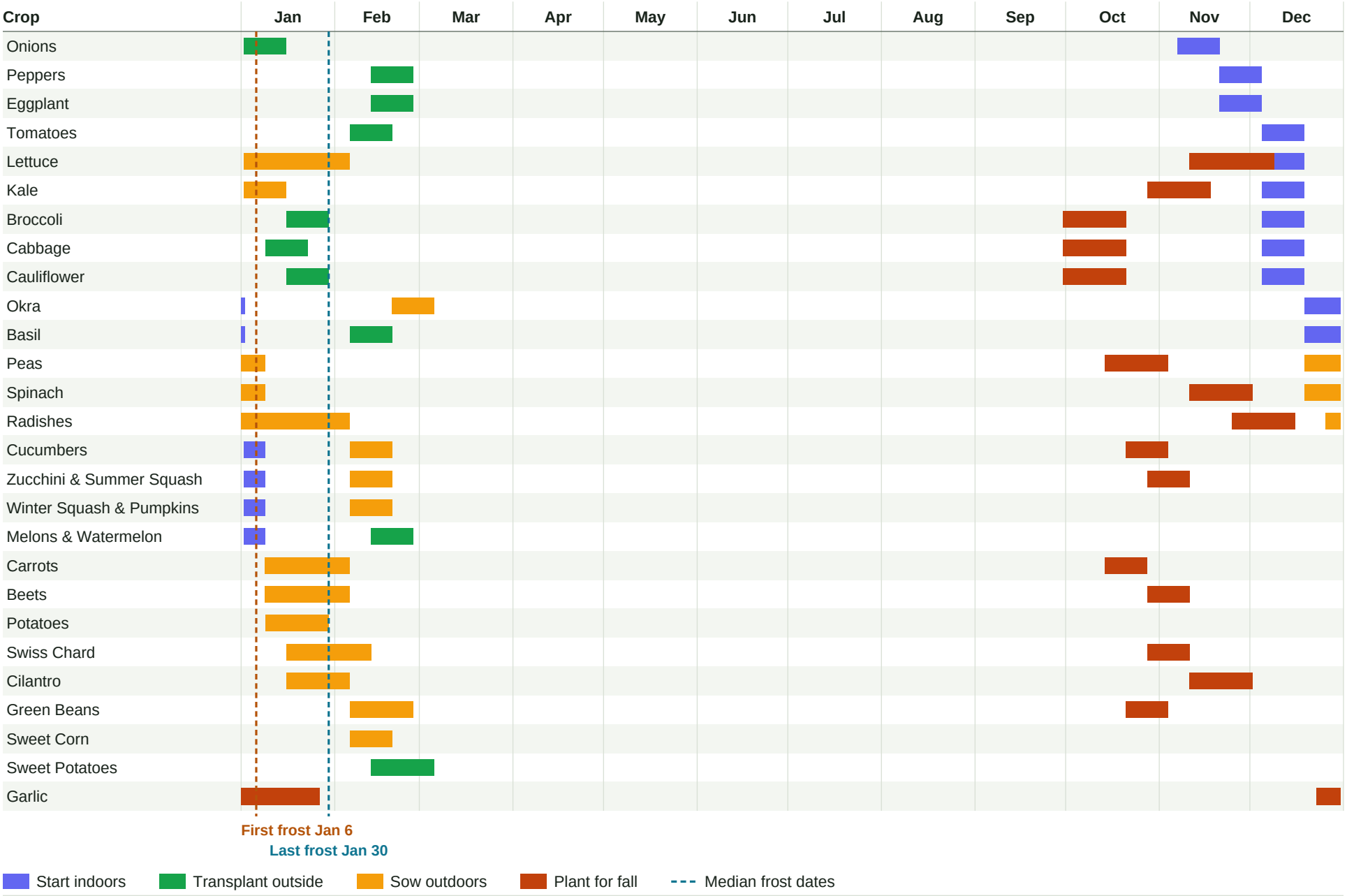
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Nov 7 – Nov 21	Jan 2 – Jan 16	—	—
Peppers	Nov 21 – Dec 5	Feb 13 – Feb 27	—	—
Eggplant	Nov 21 – Dec 5	Feb 13 – Feb 27	—	—
Tomatoes	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Feb 6 – Feb 20	—	—
Lettuce	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Jan 9 – Jan 23	Jan 2 – Feb 6	Nov 11 – Dec 9
Kale	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Jan 2 – Jan 16	Jan 2 – Jan 16	Oct 28 – Nov 18
Broccoli	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Jan 16 – Jan 30	—	Sep 30 – Oct 21
Cabbage	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Jan 9 – Jan 23	—	Sep 30 – Oct 21
Cauliflower	Dec 5 – Dec 19	Jan 16 – Jan 30	—	Sep 30 – Oct 21
Okra	Dec 19 – Jan 2	Feb 20 – Mar 6	Feb 20 – Mar 6	—
Basil	Dec 19 – Jan 2	Feb 6 – Feb 20	—	—
Peas	—	—	Dec 19 – Jan 9	Oct 14 – Nov 4
Spinach	—	—	Dec 19 – Jan 9	Nov 11 – Dec 2
Radishes	—	—	Dec 26 – Feb 6	Nov 25 – Dec 16
Cucumbers	Jan 2 – Jan 9	Feb 13 – Feb 20	Feb 6 – Feb 20	Oct 21 – Nov 4
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Jan 2 – Jan 9	—	Feb 6 – Feb 20	Oct 28 – Nov 11
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Jan 2 – Jan 9	—	Feb 6 – Feb 20	—
Melons & Watermelon	Jan 2 – Jan 9	Feb 13 – Feb 27	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Jan 9 – Feb 6	Oct 14 – Oct 28
Beets	—	—	Jan 9 – Feb 6	Oct 28 – Nov 11
Potatoes	—	—	Jan 9 – Jan 30	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Jan 16 – Feb 13	Oct 28 – Nov 11
Cilantro	—	—	Jan 16 – Feb 6	Nov 11 – Dec 2
Green Beans	—	—	Feb 6 – Feb 27	Oct 21 – Nov 4
Sweet Corn	—	—	Feb 6 – Feb 20	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Feb 13 – Mar 6	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Dec 23 – Jan 27

Wait until after Mar 2 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.