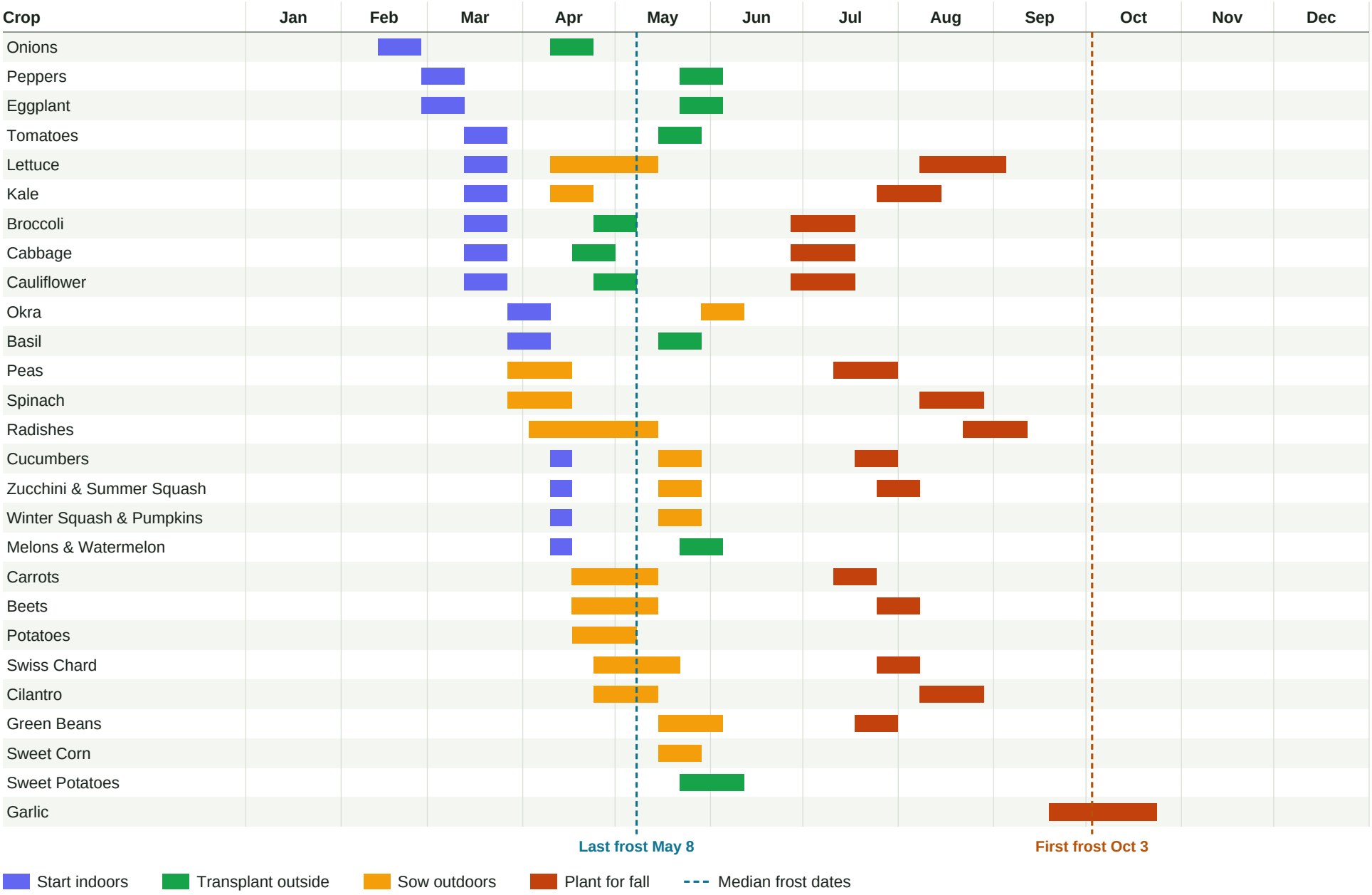
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| Crop | Start indoors | Transplant outside | Sow outdoors | Plant for fall |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Onions | Feb 13 – Feb 27 | Apr 10 – Apr 24 | — | — |
| Peppers | Feb 27 – Mar 13 | May 22 – Jun 5 | — | — |
| Eggplant | Feb 27 – Mar 13 | May 22 – Jun 5 | — | — |
| Tomatoes | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | May 15 – May 29 | — | — |
| Lettuce | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | Apr 17 – May 1 | Apr 10 – May 15 | Aug 8 – Sep 5 |
| Kale | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | Apr 10 – Apr 24 | Apr 10 – Apr 24 | Jul 25 – Aug 15 |
| Broccoli | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | Apr 24 – May 8 | — | Jun 27 – Jul 18 |
| Cabbage | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | Apr 17 – May 1 | — | Jun 27 – Jul 18 |
| Cauliflower | Mar 13 – Mar 27 | Apr 24 – May 8 | — | Jun 27 – Jul 18 |
| Okra | Mar 27 – Apr 10 | May 29 – Jun 12 | May 29 – Jun 12 | — |
| Basil | Mar 27 – Apr 10 | May 15 – May 29 | — | — |
| Peas | — | — | Mar 27 – Apr 17 | Jul 11 – Aug 1 |
| Spinach | — | — | Mar 27 – Apr 17 | Aug 8 – Aug 29 |
| Radishes | — | — | Apr 3 – May 15 | Aug 22 – Sep 12 |
| Cucumbers | Apr 10 – Apr 17 | May 22 – May 29 | May 15 – May 29 | Jul 18 – Aug 1 |
| Zucchini & Summer Squash | Apr 10 – Apr 17 | — | May 15 – May 29 | Jul 25 – Aug 8 |
| Winter Squash & Pumpkins | Apr 10 – Apr 17 | — | May 15 – May 29 | — |
| Melons & Watermelon | Apr 10 – Apr 17 | May 22 – Jun 5 | — | — |
| Carrots | — | — | Apr 17 – May 15 | Jul 11 – Jul 25 |
| Beets | — | — | Apr 17 – May 15 | Jul 25 – Aug 8 |
| Potatoes | — | — | Apr 17 – May 8 | — |
| Swiss Chard | — | — | Apr 24 – May 22 | Jul 25 – Aug 8 |
| Cilantro | — | — | Apr 24 – May 15 | Aug 8 – Aug 29 |
| Green Beans | — | — | May 15 – Jun 5 | Jul 18 – Aug 1 |
| Sweet Corn | — | — | May 15 – May 29 | — |
| Sweet Potatoes | — | May 22 – Jun 12 | — | — |
| Garlic | — | — | — | Sep 19 – Oct 24 |

Wait until after May 22 (only a 10% chance of frost) to plant out the most frost-tender crops: tomatoes, peppers, basil, melons.