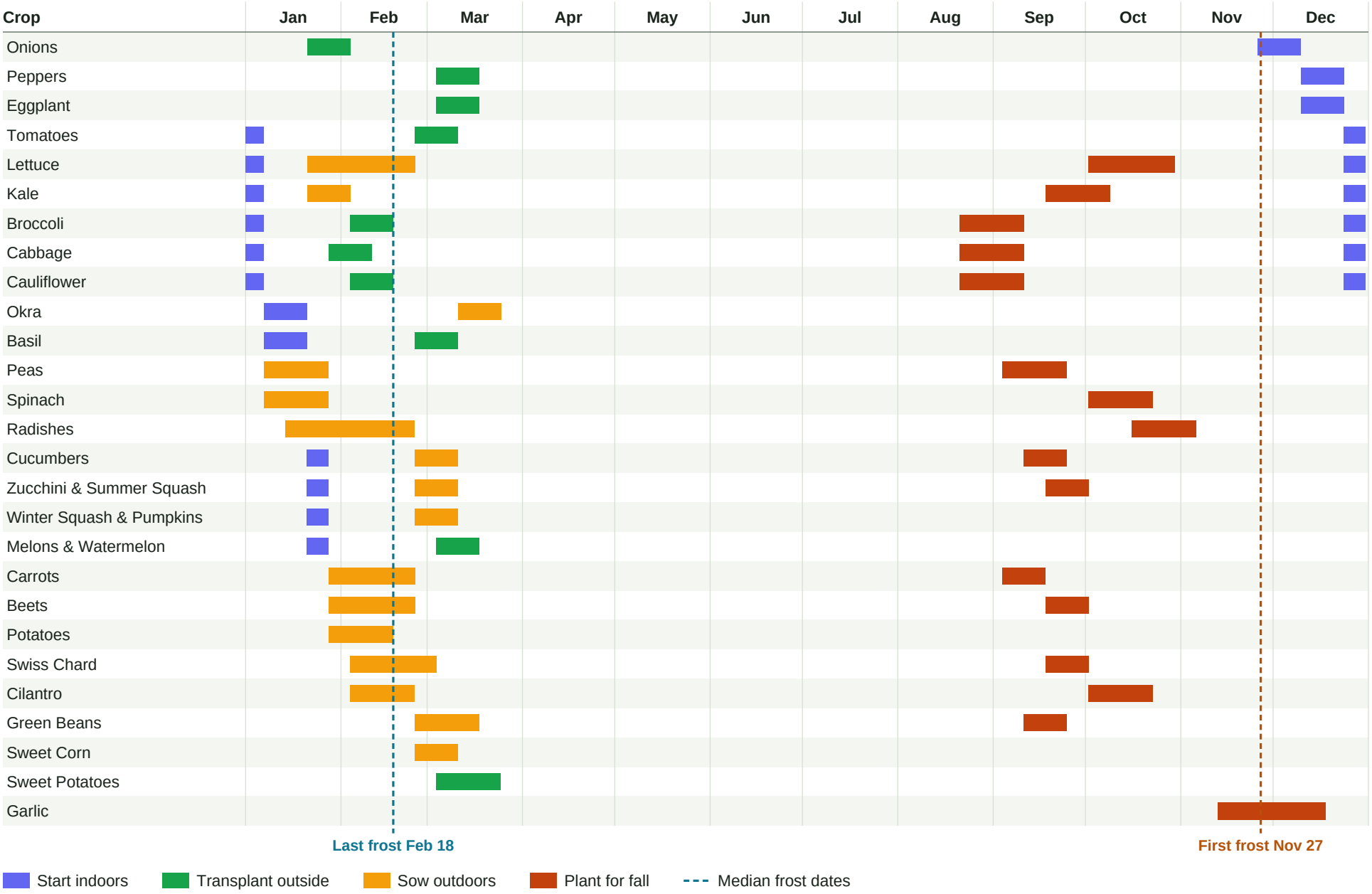
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Crop	Start indoors	Transplant outside	Sow outdoors	Plant for fall
Onions	Nov 26 – Dec 10	Jan 21 – Feb 4	—	—
Peppers	Dec 10 – Dec 24	Mar 4 – Mar 18	—	—
Eggplant	Dec 10 – Dec 24	Mar 4 – Mar 18	—	—
Tomatoes	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—	—
Lettuce	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Jan 28 – Feb 11	Jan 21 – Feb 25	Oct 2 – Oct 30
Kale	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Jan 21 – Feb 4	Jan 21 – Feb 4	Sep 18 – Oct 9
Broccoli	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Feb 4 – Feb 18	—	Aug 21 – Sep 11
Cabbage	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Jan 28 – Feb 11	—	Aug 21 – Sep 11
Cauliflower	Dec 24 – Jan 7	Feb 4 – Feb 18	—	Aug 21 – Sep 11
Okra	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Mar 11 – Mar 25	Mar 11 – Mar 25	—
Basil	Jan 7 – Jan 21	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—	—
Peas	—	—	Jan 7 – Jan 28	Sep 4 – Sep 25
Spinach	—	—	Jan 7 – Jan 28	Oct 2 – Oct 23
Radishes	—	—	Jan 14 – Feb 25	Oct 16 – Nov 6
Cucumbers	Jan 21 – Jan 28	Mar 4 – Mar 11	Feb 25 – Mar 11	Sep 11 – Sep 25
Zucchini & Summer Squash	Jan 21 – Jan 28	—	Feb 25 – Mar 11	Sep 18 – Oct 2
Winter Squash & Pumpkins	Jan 21 – Jan 28	—	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—
Melons & Watermelon	Jan 21 – Jan 28	Mar 4 – Mar 18	—	—
Carrots	—	—	Jan 28 – Feb 25	Sep 4 – Sep 18
Beets	—	—	Jan 28 – Feb 25	Sep 18 – Oct 2
Potatoes	—	—	Jan 28 – Feb 18	—
Swiss Chard	—	—	Feb 4 – Mar 4	Sep 18 – Oct 2
Cilantro	—	—	Feb 4 – Feb 25	Oct 2 – Oct 23
Green Beans	—	—	Feb 25 – Mar 18	Sep 11 – Sep 25
Sweet Corn	—	—	Feb 25 – Mar 11	—
Sweet Potatoes	—	Mar 4 – Mar 25	—	—
Garlic	—	—	—	Nov 13 – Dec 18

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