

| Dates to start seed.xls | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Spring Planting | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | Avg. Last Frost Date | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | |
| VEGETABLES | Weeks | Using | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | 2-Jun | 9-Jun | 16-Jun | 23-Jun | cold/ |
| Broccoli | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Brussels Sprouts | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Cabbage | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Cantaloupe | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | w |
| Cauliflower | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Celery | 7-12 | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | c |
| Chinese Cabbage | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Collard | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Cucumbers | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | w |
| Eggplant | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | w |
| Kale | 4-6 | 6 | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | c |
| Leeks | 10-12 | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | c |
| Lettuce | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | c |
| Okra | 2-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | w |
| Onions | 10-12 | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | c |
| Pepper | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | w |
| Pumpkin | 2-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | w |
| Spinach | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | c |
| Squash | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | w |
| Swiss Chard | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | c |
| Tomato | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | w |
| Watermelon | 5-7 | 7 | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | w |
| HERBS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Basil | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Chamomile | 8-12 | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | |
| Chives | 12-14 | 14 | 20-Jan | 27-Jan | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | |
| Coriander | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Dill (3-4?) | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Mint | 12-14 | 14 | 20-Jan | 27-Jan | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | |
| Oregano | 12-14 | 14 | 20-Jan | 27-Jan | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | |
| Parsley | 12-14 | 14 | 20-Jan | 27-Jan | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | |
| Sage (8-10) | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Savory | 6-8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Thyme | 8-12 | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | |
| Lavender | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Marjoram | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Rosemary | 10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Amaranth | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | |
| FLOWERS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cosmos | 4-6 | 6 | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | |
| Four O'Clocks | 4-6 | 6 | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | |
| Snapdragons | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Marigolds | 4-6 | 6 | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | |
| Moss Roses | 8 | 8 | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | |
| Zinnias | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | |
| Calendula | Jan | 14 | 20-Jan | 27-Jan | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | |
| Coneflower | 12 wks be | 12 | 3-Feb | 10-Feb | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | |
| Amaranth | 3-4 | 4 | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | 21-Apr | 28-Apr | 5-May | 12-May | 19-May | 26-May | |
| Lavender | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Impatiens | 8-10 | 10 | 17-Feb | 24-Feb | 3-Mar | 10-Mar | 17-Mar | 24-Mar | 31-Mar | 7-Apr | 14-Apr | |
| Asclepius | 12 wks before first frost, 365 days till bloom, perennial | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Columbine | Prechill - perennial | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lupine | 365 days till bloom, perennial | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Anise hyssop | (c 30) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Morning Glory | soak overnight | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nasturtium | scarify seed | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| How to use this chart: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| This chart uses the greater number of weeks for the basis of seed starting. If the crop seed is to be started from 8 to 12 weeks before the average last frost date, the value under the last Avg. Last Frost Date column is for 12 weeks. Then subtracting 8 from 12 = 4, go to column 4 to the right for the 8 week starting date. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Example: Broccoli - 5 to 7 weeks before last frost, start seeds indoors. It tells you to seed on 10 March for 7 weeks before and 24 March for 5 weeks before the last average frost date. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

