



Planting Information

crop	Varieties	Seed Company	Direct seeded/ Transplant	Weeks to Trans-plant	In-row spacing (in.)	Between	Frost Hardiness (w/ covers)	Thinning distance (in.)	Typical Yield per ft ²	Units	Succession plantings?
						rows spacing (in.)					
arugula	Arugula	Johnny's	Direct		0	9	~10F	don't thin	0.09	lbs	y
basil	Genovese	Johnny's	Direct		0	11	will die	don't thin	0.4	bunch	y
beans, bush	Provider, Royal Burgundy	Johnny's	Direct		2	22	will die	don't thin	0.9	pt bskt	y
beets	Red Ace, Early Wonder Tall Top	Johnny's	Direct		1	11	~25F	3	0.2	bunch	y
bok choy	Mei Qing Choi	Johnny's	Direct		1	11	~25F	don't thin	0.3	lbs.	y
broccoli	Diplomat, Bay Meadows	Johnny's	Transplant	3 to 5	18	22	~25F	n/a	0.2	lbs	n
brussels sprouts	Diablo	Johnny's	Transplant	5	18	22	~25F	n/a	0.10	lbs	n
cabbage	Tendersweet, Storage#4, Ruby Perfection	Johnny's	Transplant	3 to 5	18	22	~25F	n/a	1.0	lbs	n
carrots	Bolero	Johnny's	Direct		0.5	7	~22F	3	0.5	bunch	y
chard	Fordhook Giant, Bright Lights	Johnny's	Transplant	3 to 5	6	22	~25F	n/a	0.6	lbs.	y
cilantro	Santo	Johnny's	Direct		1	11	~22F	don't thin	1.8	bunch	y
claytonia	Claytonia	Johnny's	Direct		0	11	-20F	don't thin	0.14	lbs.	n
corn, sweet	Mystique, Sugar Buns	Johnny's	Direct		5	30	will die	10	1.0	ear	y
cucumbers, pickler	Calypso	High Mowing	Transplant	2 to 4	12	88	will die	n/a	0.5	lbs.	y
cucumbers, slicers	Amiga	Johnny's	Transplant	2 to 4	12	88	will die	n/a	0.5	lbs.	y
dill	Bouquet	Johnny's	Direct		0	11	~28F	don't thin	0.7	bunch	y
eggplant	Galine, Nadia, Rosa Bianca, Orient Express & Charm	Johnny's	Transplant	7	18	44	will die	n/a	0.6	lbs.	n
garlic	German Hardy	our own seed	Direct		8	9	all winter	n/a	2.0	bulbs	n
kale	Winterbor	Johnny's	Transplant	3 to 5	8	22	~15F	n/a	1.5	bunch	y
lettuces (leaf, small)	Many different ones	Johnny's	Direct		1	9	~28F	don't thin	0.14	lbs.	y
lettuces (heads)	Many different ones	Johnny's	Transplant	2	8	12	~28F	n/a	0.14	lbs.	y
okra	Millionaire	Johnny's	Transplant	5	12	44	will die	n/a	0.2	pt bskt	n
onions	Copra, Patterson, Red Bull	Johnny's	Transplant	6 to 7	8	9	~25F	n/a	1.0	lbs.	n
parsley	Giant of Italy, Forest Green	Johnny's	Transplant	6 to 7	6	11	~10F	n/a	1.95	bunch	y
peas, snap	Sugar Snap	Johnny's	Direct		1	3" band	~28F	don't thin	1.00	lbs	n
peppers	Red Ace, Carmen	Johnny's	Transplant	7	18	44	will die	n/a	0.6	lbs.	n
peppers, jalapenos	El Jefe	Johnny's	Transplant	7	18	44	will die	n/a	22.2	peppers	n
radishes	Cheriette, Easter Egg	Johnny's	Direct		1	9	~25F	don't thin	0.50	bunch	y
rutabaga	Helenor	Johnny's	Direct		1	11	~25F	6	0.84	lbs.	n
spicy mix	Mustard, Mizuna, Arugula	Johnny's	Direct		0	9	10F	don't thin	0.1	lbs.	y
spinach	Spargo (discontinued)	Johnny's	Direct		0.5	11	-20F	don't thin	0.2	lbs.	y
squash, summer & z.	Zephyr, Plato, Magda	Johnny's	Transplant	2 to 4	18	44	will die	n/a	0.33	lbs.	y
squash, winter	Butternut, Sunshine Kabocha, Bonbon Buttercup	Johnny's	Transplant	2 to 4	24	44	~32F	n/a	0.23	lbs.	n
sweet potatoes	Beauregard	Johnny's	Transplant		12	88	will die	n/a	0.3	lbs.	n
tomato, cherry	Sungold, Sunpeach, Favorita	Johnny's	Transplant	6	24	88	will die	n/a	2.0	pints	n
tomato, field	Big Beef, Arbason	Johnny's	Transplant	6	24	88	will die	n/a	2.35	lbs.	n
tomato, heirloom	Pruden's Purple	Johnny's	Transplant	6	24	88	will die	n/a	1.65	lbs.	n
tomato, paste	Juliet, Amish Paste	Johnny's	Transplant	6	24	88	will die	n/a	1.6	pints	n
turnips, salad	Hakurei	Johnny's	Direct		0.5	9	~25F	don't thin	0.4	bunch	y
w. turnips	Purple top white globe	Johnny's	Direct		0.5	9	~25F	6	0.84	lbs.	y
watermelon	Starlight, Sugar Baby	Johnny's	Transplant	2 to 4	12	88	will die	n/a	0.31	lbs.	y

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crop	Plant Date									Notes	Plant Family	
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.			
arugula		■	■	■	■	■	■	■				Brassica
basil			■	■								Labiatae (mint)
beans, bush			■	■	■							Legume
beets	■	■	■	■	■						thinning is very important for good root size	Chenopodia
bok choy	■	■	■				■	■				Brassica
broccoli		■			■	■						Brassica
brussels sprouts				■								Brassica
cabbage		■			■	■						Brassica
carrots	■	■	■	■	■	■					thinning is very important for good root size	Umbelliferae
chard		■	■	■	■	■						Chenopodia
cilantro			■	■	■	■					will reseed itself and produce again	Umbelliferae
claytonia	■	■						■	■	■	great producer in cold weather if protected	Claytonia
corn, sweet			■	■	■						will not germinate well in cool soil <60F	Gramineae
cucumbers, pickler			■	■	■	■					do not disturb roots during transplanting	Cucurbit
cucumbers, slicers			■	■	■	■					do not disturb roots during transplanting	Cucurbit
dill			■	■	■	■	■				will reseed itself and produce again	Umbelliferae
eggplant				■	■							Solanaceae
garlic									■		mulch heavily after planting (3-4in)	Allium/Liliaceae
kale		■	■	■	■	■						Brassica
lettuces (leaf, small)	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■			will bolt in spring; choose varieties based on time of yr	Asteraceae (Sunflower)
lettuces (heads)	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■			will bolt in spring; choose varieties based on time of yr	Asteraceae (Sunflower)
okra				■	■							Abelmoscus
onions	■	■	■								start seedlings in February.	Allium/Liliaceae
parsley		■	■	■	■						start in Feb; May planting will yield the whole season	Umbelliferae
peas, snap	■	■	■								need trellising	Legume
peppers				■	■	■						Solanaceae
peppers, jalapenos				■	■	■					prolific producer	Solanaceae
radishes	■	■					■	■			spring is difficult due to root maggot; fall is much better	Brassica
rutabaga						■	■					Brassica
spicy mix	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■			will bolt in spring	Brassica
spinach	■	■	■					■	■		bolts in spring; difficulty germinating for fall planting	Chenopodia
squash, summer & z.				■	■	■						Cucurbit
squash, winter				■	■	■						Cucurbit
sweet potatoes				■	■						order slips	Convulaceae (Morning Glory Family)
tomato, cherry			■	■	■						indeterminate varieties need staking	Solanaceae
tomato, field			■	■	■						indeterminate varieties need staking	Solanaceae
tomato, heirloom			■	■	■						indeterminate varieties need staking	Solanaceae
tomato, paste			■	■	■						indeterminate varieties need staking	Solanaceae
turnips, salad	■	■						■	■			Brassica
w. turnips						■	■					Brassica
watermelon				■	■	■						Cucurbit

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