

"When Can I Plant It?" Vegetable Planting Guide

Vegetable Planting Chronological Sort "What Can I Plant Now?"

VEGETABLE	Seed Spacing	Thin To	Planting Depth	Seeding Dates	Transplant Dates	Minimum** Soil Temp	Days To Maturity
Parsley	1-2"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-2/25	NA	55	90
Potatoes	8-12"	NA"	3-4"	2/10-2/25	NA	50	85-110
Potatoes	8-12"	NA"	3-4"	7/25-8/10	NA	50	85-110
Onion (plants)	5"	4-6"	2.5-5"	NA	2/10-3/5	50	95-160
Beets	1"	3-5"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	NA	55	50-65
Carrots	.25-.5"	1-2"	Scratch in	2/10-3/1	NA	50	70-80
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75
Leeks	5"	4-6"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	NA	50	95-160
Peas (English)	1-2"	2-3"	1"	2/10-3/1	NA	50	50-70
Kale	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/10	NA	50	50-75
Swiss Chard	2-3"	6-8"	5"	2/10-3/10	NA	55 (Sp)	50-60
Turnips	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/10	NA	60	30-55
Lettuce (Leaf)	.5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-3/15	NA	50-75	40-90
Lettuce (Head)	.5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-3/15	NA	50-75	40-90
Spinach	1"	3-5"	0.5-75"	2/10-3/15	NA	50	45-60
Broccoli	4-6"/trans	8"	2.5-5"	See 8/8	2/15 - 2/25	50 (T)	55-80
Brussels Sprouts	Transplant	2-18"	2.5-5"	See 8/1	2/15 - 2/25	80 (S)	85-110
Cabbage, Chinese	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/15-3/1	2/15 - 3/1	55 (S)	90
Cabbage	3-4"	8-24"	2.5-5"	See 8/15	2/15 - 3/1	50 (T)	60-120
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	See 8/1	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75
Radishes	.5"	1-2"	2.5-5"	2/5-4/15	NA	50	25-30
Radishes	.5"	1-2"	2.5-5"	9/1-11/1	NA	50	25-30
Beans (Bush)	2-4"	4-6"	0.5-1"	3/20-4/20	NA	60	45-60
Beans (Pole)	2-4"	6"	0.5-1.5"	3/20-4/20	NA	60	50-60
Beans (Lima)	1-2"	4-6"	1.5"	3/20-4/20	NA	65	65-75
Cucumbers	6"	12-18"	1-1.5"	3/20-5/1	NA	60	50-70
Mustard Greens	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	3/20-5/1	NA	65	30-55
Sweet Corn	2-4"	8-12"	0.5-1"	3/20-5/1	NA	65	75-90
Watermelon	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	3/20-5/1	NA	70	65-90
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	See 6/15	3/20- 4/10	75-85 (S)	65-90
Squash (Summer)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/15	70	70	45-120
Squash (Winter)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/15	NA	70	45-120
Pumpkins	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/20	NA	70	45-120
Peppers (Bell)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	4/1-5/1	3/25 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	60-100
Peppers (Hot)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	4/1-5/1	3/25 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	60-75
Peas (Southern)	2"	4-6"	1-2"	4/1-5/20	NA	70	50-80
Okra	4-6"	24"	0.5-1"	4/5-5/1	NA	75	48-60
Sweet Potatoes	Slips	12-14"	3-4"	4/5-5/15	NA	75	120-140
Melon, Honeydew	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	50	60-90
Muskmelons	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	50	60-90
Watermelon	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	70	65-90
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	6/15-7/15	3/20- 4/10	75-85 (S)	65-90
Peppers (Bell)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	6/1-7/15	7/1 - 8/10	70 (T)	60-100
Peppers (Hot)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	6/1-7/15	7/1 - 8/10	70 (T)	60-75
Eggplant	Transplant	8-24"	2.5-5"	6/15-7/15	4/5 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	90
Eggplant	Transplant	8-24"	2.5-5"	6/15-7/15	4/5 - 5/1	75 (T)	90
Malabar Spinach	12"	12"	1"	6/15-7/15	NA	75	20
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	NA	7/1- 8/10	60 (T)	65-90
Pumpkins	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	7/15-8/1	NA	70	45-120
Okra	4-6"	24"	0.5-1"	7/15-8/15	NA	75	48-60
Squash (Winter)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	7/1-8/10	NA	70	45-120
Cabbage, Chinese	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	8/10-9/1	8/25 - 9/15	50 (T)	90
Parsley	1-2"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/1-10/1	NA	55	90
Spinach	1"	3-5"	0.5-75"	8/15-10/15	NA	50	45-60
Lettuce (Leaf)	5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/15-9/1	NA	50-75	40-90
Lettuce (Head)	5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/15-9/1	NA	50-75	40-90
Cabbage	3-4"	8-24"	2.5-5"	8/15-9/5	8/25 - 9/15	80 (S)	60-120
Beans (Bush)	2-4"	4-6"	0.5-1"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	45-60
Beans (Pole)	2-4"	6"	0.5-1.5"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	50-60
Brussels Sprouts	Transplant	2-18"	2.5-5"	8/1-8/15	8/25 - 9/15	50 (T)	85-110
Cucumbers	6"	12-18"	1-1.5"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	50-70
Sweet Corn	2-4"	8-12"	0.5-1"	8/1-8/15	NA	65	75-90
Carrots	.25-.5"	1-2"	Scratch in	8/1-8/20	NA	50	70-80
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	8/1-8/25	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75

1997 Texas Garden Almanac

Dallas First Freeze Date: November 13 average

Dallas Last Freeze Date: March 23 average

** A correct temperature reading is obtained on three consecutive mornings.

F = Summer, S = Seed, SP = Spring, T = Transplant

"What Can I Plant Now?"

Vegetable Planting Guide

VEGETABLE	Seed Spacing	Thin To	Planting Depth	Seeding Dates	Transplant Dates	Minimum** Soil Temp	Days To Maturity
Radishes	.5"	1-2"	2.5-5"	2/5-4/15	NA	50	25-30
Parsley	1-2"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-2/25	NA	55	90
Potatoes	8-12"	NA"	3-4"	2/10-2/25	NA	50	85-110
Onion (plants)	5"	4-6"	2.5-5"	NA	2/10-3/5	50	95-160
Beets	1"	3-5"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	NA	55	50-65
Carrots	.25-.5"	1-2"	Scratch in	2/10-3/1	NA	50	70-80
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75
Leeks	5"	4-6"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/1	NA	50	95-160
Peas (English)	1-2"	2-3"	1"	2/10-3/1	NA	50	50-70
Kale	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/10	NA	50	50-75
Swiss Chard	2-3"	6-8"	5"	2/10-3/10	NA	55 (Sp)	50-60
Turnips	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	2/10-3/10	NA	60	30-55
Lettuce (Leaf)	.5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-3/15	NA	50-75	40-90
Lettuce (Head)	.5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	2/10-3/15	NA	50-75	40-90
Spinach	1"	3-5"	0.5-75"	2/10-3/15	NA	50	45-60
Broccoli	4-6"/trans	8"	2.5-5"	See 8/8	2/15 - 2/25	50 (T)	55-80
Brussels Sprouts	Transplant	2-18"	2.5-5"	See 8/1	2/15 - 2/25	80 (S)	85-110
Cabbage, Chinese	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	2/15-3/1	2/15 - 3/1	55 (S)	90
Cabbage	3-4"	8-24"	2.5-5"	See 8/15	2/15 - 3/1	50 (T)	60-120
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	See 8/1	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75
Beans (Bush)	2-4"	4-6"	0.5-1"	3/20-4/20	NA	60	45-60
Beans (Pole)	2-4"	6"	0.5-1.5"	3/20-4/20	NA	60	50-60
Beans (Lima)	1-2"	4-6"	1.5"	3/20-4/20	NA	65	65-75
Cucumbers	6"	12-18"	1-1.5"	3/20-5/1	NA	60	50-70
Mustard Greens	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	3/20-5/1	NA	65	30-55
Sweet Corn	2-4"	8-12"	0.5-1"	3/20-5/1	NA	65	75-90
Watermelon	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	3/20-5/1	NA	70	65-90
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	See 6/15	3/20- 4/10	75-85 (S)	65-90
Squash (Summer)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/15	70	70	45-120
Squash (Winter)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/15	NA	70	45-120
Pumpkins	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	3/25-4/20	NA	70	45-120
Peppers (Bell)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	4/1-5/1	3/25 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	60-100
Peppers (Hot)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	4/1-5/1	3/25 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	60-75
Peas (Southern)	2"	4-6"	1-2"	4/1-5/20	NA	70	50-80
Okra	4-6"	24"	0.5-1"	4/5-5/1	NA	75	48-60
Sweet Potatoes	Slips	12-14"	3-4"	4/5-5/15	NA	75	120-140
Melon, Honeydew	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	50	60-90
Muskmelons	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	50	60-90
Watermelon	6-12"	8-24"	0.5-1"	6/15-7/1	NA	70	65-90
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	6/15-7/15	3/20- 4/10	75-85 (S)	65-90
Peppers (Bell)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	6/1-7/15	7/1 - 8/10	70 (T)	60-100
Peppers (Hot)	Transplant	2-24"	2.5"	6/1-7/15	7/1 - 8/10	70 (T)	60-75
Malabar Spinach	12"	12"	1"	6/15-7/15	NA	75	20
Eggplant	Transplant	8-24"	2.5-5"	6/15-7/15	4/5 - 5/1	70-85 (S)	90
Eggplant	Transplant	8-24"	2.5-5"	6/15-7/15	4/5 - 5/1	75 (T)	90
Tomatoes	Transplant	24-36	2.5"	NA	7/1 - 8/10	60 (T)	65-90
Squash (Winter)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	7/1-8/10	NA	70	45-120
Pumpkins	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	7/15-8/1	NA	70	45-120
Okra	4-6"	24"	0.5-1"	7/15-8/15	NA	75	48-60
Potatoes	8-12"	NA"	3-4"	7/25-8/10	NA	50	85-110
Parsley	1-2"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/1-10/1	NA	55	90
Cabbage	3-4"	8-24"	2.5-5"	8/15-9/5	8/25 - 9/15	80 (S)	60-120
Beans (Bush)	2-4"	4-6"	0.5-1"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	45-60
Beans (Pole)	2-4"	6"	0.5-1.5"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	50-60
Brussels Sprouts	Transplant	2-18"	2.5-5"	8/1-8/15	8/25 - 9/15	50 (T)	85-110
Cucumbers	6"	12-18"	1-1.5"	8/1-8/15	NA	60	50-70
Sweet Corn	2-4"	8-12"	0.5-1"	8/1-8/15	NA	65	75-90
Carrots	.25-.5"	1-2"	Scratch in	8/1-8/20	NA	50	70-80
Kohlrabi	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	8/1-8/25	2/15 - 3/1	50	50-75
Squash (Summer)	6-12"	24-36	1-2"	8/1-8/25	70	70	45-120
Peas (Southern)	2"	4-6"	1-2"	8/1-9/1	NA	70	50-80
Swiss Chard	2-3"	6-8"	5"	8/1-9/1	NA	85 (F)	50-60
Mustard Greens	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	8/1-9/10	NA	65	30-55
Cabbage, Chinese	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	8/10-9/1	8/25 - 9/15	50 (T)	90
Lettuce (Head)	5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/15-9/1	NA	50-75	40-90
Lettuce (Leaf)	5-1"	8-12"	Scratch in	8/15-9/1	NA	50-75	40-90
Spinach	1"	3-5"	0.5-75"	8/15-10/15	NA	50	45-60
Kale	3-4"	8-12"	2.5-5"	8/25-10/11	NA	50	50-75
Turnips	1"	3-4"	2.5-5"	8/25-10/15	NA	60	30-55
Broccoli	4-6"/trans	8"	2.5-5"	8/8-9/1	8/25 - 9/15	80 (S)	55-80
Peas (English)	1-2"	2-3"	1"	9/1-10/1	NA	50	50-70
Beets	1"	3-5"	2.5-5"	9/1-9/15	NA	55	50-65
Radishes	.5"	1-2"	2.5-5"	9/1-11/1	NA	50	25-30

1997 Texas Garden Almanac

Dallas First Freeze Date: November 13 average

Dallas Last Freeze Date: March 23 average

** A correct temperature reading is obtained on three consecutive mornings.

F = Summer, S = Seed, SP = Spring, T = Transplant