

Vegetable Planting Guide. B & H Organic Produce 2015

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Planting Date</u>	<u>Spacing (from the</u>	<u>Sun Orientation</u>	<u>Fertility</u>	<u>Moisture</u>	<u>Mulch</u>	<u>Frost Tolerance</u>	<u>Direct Seed or Transplant</u>
Annual Herbs: Basil, Cilantro, Dill	5/15 - 7/15	8 inches	full sun or partial shade	compost	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant
Beans, Pole	5/1 - 8/5	10 inches	full sun	compost	keep evenly watered	yes	no	direct
Beans, Bush	5/1 - 8/5	6 inches	full sun	compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	no	direct
Beets	4/2 - 8/15	6 inches	full sun	compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	no	direct
Broccoli	4/25 - 5/15 and 7/31 - 8/15	18 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week till heads form.	keep evenly watered	yes	mild tolerance	transplant
Broccoli, Sprouting	4/25 - 5/15 and 7/31 - 8/15	24 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week till heads form.	keep evenly watered	yes	mild tolerance	transplant
Brussels Sprouts	7/15 - 7/31	24 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week.	keep evenly watered	yes	Yes. They have a sweeter flavor after a frost.	transplant
Cabbage	4/25 - 5/15 and 7/31 - 8/15	24 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week till heads form.	keep evenly watered	yes	mild tolerance	transplant
Carrots	4/2 - 8/1	4 inches	full sun or partial shade	Compost - it is very important to have loose soil.	keep evenly watered	yes to prevent green shoulders.	yes. They will have a sweeter flavor after a frost.	direct seed - thin to 4 inches
Cucumber	5/15 - 7/15	24 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week till fruit forms.	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant or direct seed.
Kale	4/25 - 5/15 and 7/31 - 8/15	16 inches	full sun or partial shade	compost and foliar feeding every other week.	keep evenly watered	yes	yes	transplant or direct seed.
Lettuce - heads	4/2 - 8/15	10 inches	full sun or partial shade	Compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	mild tolerance	transplant or direct seed.
Lettuce Mix	4/2 - 8/15	4 inches	full sun or partial shade	Compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	mild tolerance	transplant or direct seed.
Onions	4/2 - 6/1	6 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes. But make sure there is adequate air flow to the plant.	yes	transplant from small plants
Peas, Snow or Sugar	3/15 - 4/15	4 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes	yes	direct seed or transplant
Peppers	5/15 - 5/31	14 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant
Potatoes	4/2 - 7/1	16 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes- mulch heavily with 3 inches of mulch every 2 weeks until flower.	no	transplant
Radishes	4/2 - 8/15	4 inches	full sun or partial shade	Compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	mild tolerance	direct seed.
Spinach	4/2 - 5/15 and 7/31 - 8/15	8 inches	full sun or partial shade	Compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	yes	transplant or direct seed.
Summer Squash and Zucchini	5/15 - 7/15	24 inches	full sun	compost and foliar feeding every other week till fruit forms.	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant or direct seed.
Swiss Chard	4/2 - 8/15	14 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant or direct seed.
Tomatoes - Indeterminate	5/15 - 5/31	20 inches	full sun	Compost	keep evenly watered	yes	no	transplant
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Turnips	4/2 - 8/15	8 inches	full sun to partial shade	Compost	keep evenly watered	not necessary	mildly tolerant. Will become sweeter with a mild frost.	direct seed



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