

2 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA VEGETABLE PLANTING CALENDAR

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For the best planting months the names are capitalized.

JANUARY

ASPARAGUS, BROCCOLI, BRUSSEL SPROUTS, CABBAGE, CAULIFLOWER, CARROTS, CHIVES, celery, ENDIVE, FAVAS, KALE, KOHL RABI, leek, LETTUCE, MUSTARD, ONIONS, PEAS, PARSLEY, PARSNIP, RADISH, POTATOES, RUTABAGA, SWISS CHARD, SPINACH, TURNIP, winter zucchini, COLLARDS.

FEBRUARY

ASPARAGUS, beans, BEETS, BROCCOLI, BRUSSEL SPROUTS, CABBAGE, CARROTS, CHIVES, COLLARDS, KALE, KOHL RABI, LETTUCE, MUSTARD, ONIONS, PARSLEY, PARSNIP, PEAS, POTATOES, RADISH, SPINACH, MARROW SQUASHES, RUTABAGA, SWISS CHARD, TURNIP.

MARCH

asparagus, BEANS, BEETS, broccoli, brussel sprouts, cauliflower, chives, cabbage, CARROTS, cantaloupe, collards, corn, cucumbers, egg plant, endive, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, lima beans, okra, peas, mustard, onion, PARSLEY, parsnip, peppers, POTATOES, RADISH, rutabaga, spinach, SQUASH, SWISS CHARD, turnips, tomatoes,

APRIL

BEANS, BEETS, CARROTS, CANTALOUPE, CORN, CUCUMBERS, EGG PLANT, LIMAS, OKRA, parsley, PEPPER, potatoes, PUMPKIN, RADISH, N.Z. spinach, sunflower, ALL SQUASHES, swiss chard, TOMATO, JICAMA, WATERMELON.

MAY

BEANS, BEETS, CARROTS, CANTALOUPE, CORN, CUCUMBERS, EGG PLANT, LIMAS, OKRA, parsley, PEPPER, PUMPKIN, RADISH, N.Z. SPINACH, SQUASH, SUNFLOWER, TOMATO, JICAMA, WATERMELON, SWISS CHARD.

JUNE

BEANS, beets, carrots, CANTALOUPE, CORN, UCUMBER, LIMAS, OKRA, parsley, PEPPER, PUMPKIN, radish, N.Z. SPINACH, SQUASH, swiss chard, tomato, jicama, watermelon, egg plant, sunflower.

JULY

BEANS, beets, carrots, cantaloupes, celery, CORN, CUCUMBER, LIMAS, okra, SQUASH, N.Z. SPINACH, swiss chard,

AUGUST

BEANS, beets, carrots, CELERY, CORN, CUCUMBER, leek, LIMAS, N.Z. spinach, swiss chard, marrow squashes.

SEPTEMBER

Bush Beans, beets, broccoli, brussel sprouts, CARROTS, corn, CELERY, cauliflower, endive, kale, kohlrabi, LEEK, peas, lettuce, mustard, bunching onions, parsley, parsnip, radish, turnips, swiss chard, WINTER ZUCCHINI.

OCTOBER

BEETS, BROCCOLI, BRUSSEL SPROUTS, CABBAGE, CARROTS, CELERY, CAULIFLOWER, ENDIVE, KALE, KOHL RABI, LEEK, LETTUCE, onions, MUSTARD, PARSLEY, PARSNIP, PEAS, RADISH, RUTABAGA, SPINACH, SWISS CHARD, TURNIP, COLLARDS, FAVAS.

WINTER ZUCCHINI - (In frostless areas only)

NOVEMBER

BEETS, BROCCOLI, BRUSSEL SPROUTS, CABBAGE, CARROTS, CELERY, CAULIFLOWER, ENDIVE, KALE, KOHL RABI, LEEK, LETTUCE, ONIONS, MUSTARD, PARSLEY, PEAS, PARSNIP, potatoes, RADISH, RUTABAGA, SPINACH, SWISS CHARD, COLLARDS, TURNIPS, FAVAS.

DECEMBER

BEETS, BRUSSEL SPROUTS, CABBAGE, CARROTS, celery, BROCCOLI, CAULIFLOWER, COLLARDS, ENDIVE, FAVAS, KALE, KOHL RABI, LEEK, LETTUCE, ONIONS, PARSLEY, PARSNIP, potatoes, PEAS, RADISH, RUTABAGA, MUSTARD, SPINACH, TURNIPS, SWISS CHARD.

PLANTING CALENDAR SIMPLIFIED

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	
+ Best Planting months													
- Marginal Planting months													
Broccoli, cabbage, Kale, Cauliflower, Chinese cabbage, Mustard, Rutabaga, Brussel Sprouts, Turnip, Endive, Onions, Peas, Collards, Lettuce, Parsley, Parsnip, Spinach, kohlrabi	+	+	-							-	+	+	+
Beets, Carrots, Radish, Swiss Chard	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	
Cantaloupe, Jicama, Pumpkin, Baking squashes, Watermelon. Peanuts, Okra.				-	+	+	-						
Tomato, Egg Plant, Pepper, Sunflower			-	+	+	+	-						
Beans, Corn, Cucumber, Limas, Summer spinach, Marrow squashes.		-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-			
Winter Zucchini		-	+	-						+	+		
Celery, Leek.								-	+	+	+	+	-

" HOW LONG WILL THESE SEEDS KEEP "? - The following figures are for maximum keeping ability under ideal storage conditions;

1 year - Onion, Parsley, Parsnip, Salsify.
2 Years- Corn, Leek, Okra, Pepper.
3 Years- Asparagus, Beans, Broccoli, Carrots, Celery, Peas, Chinese cabbage, Kohlrabi, Spinach, Limas, Chicory.
4 Years- Beet, Cabbage, Brussel Sprouts, Cauliflower, Chard, Egg Plant, Fennel, Kale, Mustard, Pumpkin, Rutabaga, Squash, Turnip, Tomato, Watermelon.
5 Years- Collards, Cress, Cucumber, Endive, Cantaloupe, Radish, Lettuce.