

# AVERAGE PLANTING DATE FOR ZONES 5 & 6

## HOME GARDEN PLANTING CHART

VEGETABLE TYPE			PLANT SPACING		FOR FAMILY OF FIVE	
	SEED	PLANTS	IN ROWS	BETWEEN ROWS (INCHES)	SEEDS OR PLANTS	FEET OF ROW
<b>(GROUP A) PLANT AS SOON AS SOIL DRIES IN SPRING</b>						
ASPARAGUS		Mar. 15 - May 1	24	36-48	50 Plants	100
BROCCOLI	Feb. 15-Mar. 15*	Apr. 1-May 1	24	30-36	1 pkt. (24 plants)	50
CABBAGE	Feb. 15-Mar. 15*	Apr. 1-May 1	18	30	1 pkt. (24 plants)	36
KOHLRABI	Mar. 15-May 1		4	18	1 pkt.	20
ONIONS	Mar. 15-May 1	Mar. 15 - May	2	12-18	2 lb. sets	50
PEAS		Mar. 1 - May 1		1	24-30	2 lbs.
RADISH	Mar. 1 - May 1		1	12	1 oz.	50
SPINACH	Mar. 15-May 1		2-4	16-18	1 oz.	60
<b>(GROUP B) PLANT TWO WEEKS AFTER GROUP A</b>						
BEET		Apr. 1-Aug. 15		2	18	1 oz.
CARROT	Apr. 1-Aug. 15		2	18	1 oz.	100
CAULIFLOWER	Feb. 15-Mar. 15*	Apr. 10-May 1	18	30-36	1 pkt. (24 plants)	36
ENDIVE	Apr. 1-Aug. 15		12	18-24	1 pkt.	20
LETTUCE (leaf)	Apr. 1-Aug. 1		8	12-16	2 pkt.	50
LETTUCE (head)	Mar. 1 -Apr. 1*	Apr. 10-June 15	12-16	18	1 pkt. (24 plants)	25
PARSLEY	Apr. 1 - Sept. 1		8	12-18	1 pkt.	15
PARSNIP	Apr. 1-May 15		4	18	1 pkt.	50
POTATO	Apr. 1-May 15		9-12	30-36	25 lbs.	250
SALSIFY	Apr. 1-May 15		4	18	1 pkt.	25
SWISS CHARD	Apr. 1-Aug. 15		6	24	1 pkt.	25
<b>(GROUP C) PLANT ON THE AVERAGE DATE OF LAST SPRING FROST (MAY 15)</b>						
BEANS (snap)	May 15-Aug. 1		2-4	24-30	1/2 lb.	75
BEANS (dry)	May 15-July 1		2-4	24-30	2 lbs.	300
CELERY	Feb. 1-Mar. 10*		6	24-30	1 pkt. (100 plants)	50
SWEET CORN	May 15-July 1		12	30-36	1 lb.	400
CUCUMBER	May 15-July 1		48**	60**	1 pkt.	-
SPINACH (New Zealand)	May 5-June 20		12	36	1 pkt.	20
SQUASH	May 15-June 15		18	36	1 pkt.	25
<b>(GROUP D) PLANT WHEN THE SOIL HAS THOROUGHLY WARMED-TWO WEEKS AFTER GROUP C</b>						
LIMA BEANS	June 1-July 15		4-8	24	1-1 1/2 lb.	100
CANTALOUPE	Apr. 1-May 1*	May 20-June 15	60**	60**	1 pkt.	-
EGGPLANT	Feb. 15-Apr. 1*	May 20-June 15	24	30	1 pkt. (12 plants)	50
PEPPER	Mar. 15-Apr.*	May 20-June 20	18	24	1 pkt. (18 plants)	27
PUMPKIN	May 20-June 20		60-72**	96**	1 pkt.	-
SQUASH (winter)	May 20-June 20		60-72**	96**		-
TOMATO	Mar. 1-Apr. 1*	May 20-June 20	24	36	1 pkt. (24 plants)	50
WATERMELON	Apr. 10-May 10*	May 20-June 20	50-72**	96**	1 pkt.	-
<b>(GROUP E) PLANTS SUITABLE FOR FALL HARVEST</b>						
BEET		July 15-Aug. 15		2	18	1 oz.
CABBAGE	Apr. 25-July 1	June 15-July 15	18	30	1 pkt. (24 plants)	36
CAULIFLOWER	May 10-July 1	July 10-Aug. 1	18	30-36	1 pkt. (24 plants)	36
BROCCOLI	June 1-July 1	July 10-Aug. 1	24	30-36	1 pkt. (24 plants)	50
KALE		June 15-Aug. 15		18	18-24	1 pkt.
LETTUCE (leaf)	June 15-Aug. 15		8	12-16	2 pkt.	50
RADISH (winter)	July 1-Aug. 1		4	12	1 pkt.	20
SPINACH	Aug. 1-Sept. 15		2-4	16-18	1 oz.	60
TURNIP	July 20-Aug. 15		4-6	12-18	1 oz.	50

\*DATES FOR STARTING SEEDS INDOORS

\*\*PLANT IN HILLS, SOW 8-12 SEEDS PER HILL AND THIN TO 4-5 PLANTS PER HILL