

VEGETABLE PLANTING GUIDE

Vegetable	Depth to plant seed (inches)	Number of seed to sow per foot	Distance between plants (inches)	Distance between rows (inches)	Number of days to germination	Needs cool soil	Tolerates cool soil	Needs warm soil	Weeks needed to grow to transplant size	Days to maturity
Artichoke	1/2		60	72	7-14		•		4-6	1 year
Asparagus	1 1/2		18	36	7-21		•		1 year	3 years
Beans, Snap Bush	1 1/2-2	6-8	2-3	18-30	6-14			•		45-65
Beans, Snap Pole	1 1/2-2	4-6	4-6	36-48	6-14		•	•		60-70
Beans, Lima Bush	1 1/2-2	5-8	3-6	24-30	7-12			•		60-80
Beans, Lima Pole	1 1/2-2	4-5	6-10	30-36	7-12			•		85-90
Beets	1/2-1	10-15	2	12-18	10-14		•			55-65
Broccoli, sprouting	1/2	4-6	14-18	24-30	3-10		•		5-7*	60-80T
Brussel Sprouts	1/2	4-6	12-18	24-30	4-10		•		4-6*	80-90T
Cabbage	1/2	4-6	12-20	24-30	4-10		•		5-7*	65-95T
Carrots	1/4	15-20	1-2	14-24	10-17		•			60-80
Cauliflower	1/2	4-6	18	24-30	4-10		•		5-7*	55-65T
Celery	1/8	4-6	8	24-30	9-21	•			10-12*	90-120T
Chard, Swiss	1	4-8	4-8	18-24	7-10		•			55-65
Chives	1/2	4-6	8	10-16	8-12		•			80-90
Collards	1/4	4-6	10-15	24-30	4-10		•		4-6*	65-85T
Corn, Sweet	2	3-4	10-14	30-36	6-10			•		60-90
Cress, Garden	1/4	10-12	2-3	12-16	4-10		•			24-45
Cucumber	1	2-4	12	48-72	6-10			•	4	55-65
Dandelion	1/2	6-10	8-10	12-16	7-14		•			70-90
Eggplant	1/4-1/2	4-6	18	36	7-14			•	6-9*	75-95T
Endive	1/2	4-6	9-12	12-24	5-9		•		4-6	60-90
Fennel, Florence	1/2	8-12	6	18-24	6-17		•			120
Garlic	1		2-4	12--18	6-10		•			90-sets
Horseradish	Div.		10-18	24			•			6-8mth
Jerusalem Artichoke	Tubers 4		15-24	30-60			•			100-105
Kale	1/2	6-10	8-12	18-24	3-10		•		4-6	55-80
Kohlrabi	1/2	8-12	3-4	18-24	3-10		•		4-6	60-70
Leeks	1/2-1	8-12	2-4	12-18	7-12		•		10-12	80-90T
Lettuce, Head	1/4-1/2	4-8	12-14	18-24	4-10	•			3-5	55-80
Lettuce, Leaf	1/4-1/2	6-10	4-6	12-18	4-10	•			3-5	45-60
Muskmelon	1	3-4	12	48-72	4-8			•	3-4	75-100
Mustard	1/2	8-10	2-6	12-18	3-10		•			40-60
Nasturtium	1/2-1	4-8	4-10	18-36	7-10		•			50-60
Okra	1	4-6	15-18	28-36	7-14		•			50-60
Onion, sets	1-2		2-3	12-24		•				95-120
Onion, plants	2-3		2-3	12-24		•			8	95-120T
Onion, seed	1/2	10-15	2-3	12-24	7-12	•				100-165
Parsley	1/4-1/2	10-15	3-6	12-20	14-28		•		8	85-95
Parsnips	1/2	8-12	3-4	16-24	15-25		•			100-120
Peas	2	6-7	2-3	18-30	6-15	•				65-85
Peppers	1/4	4-6	18-24	24-36	10-20			•	6-8	60-80T
Potato	4	1	12	24-36	8-16		•			90-105T
Pumpkin	1-1 1/2	2	30	72-120	6-10			•		70-110
Radish	1/2	14-16	1-2	6-12	3-10		•			20-50
Rhubarb	Crown		36	60			•			2nd Season
Rutabaga	1/2	4-6	8-12	18-24	3-10		•			80-90
Salsify	1/2	8-12	2-3	16-18		•				110-150
Shallot	Bulb 1		2-4	12-18			•			60-75
Spinach	1/2	10-12	2-4	12-14	6-14	•				40-60
Spinach, Malabar	1/2	4-6	12	12	10-14		•			70
Spinach, New Zealand	1 1/2	3-4	18	24	5-10		•			
Spinach, Tampala	1/4-1/2	6-10	4-6	24-30			•			21-42
Squash (summer)	1	3-4	16-24	36-60	3-12			•		50-60
Squash (winter)	1	1-2	24-48	72-120	6-10			•		85-120
Sweet Potato	Plants		12-18	36-48				•		120
Tomato	1/2		18-36	36-60	6-14			•	5-7	55-90T
Turnip	1/2	12-14	1-3	15-18	3-10	•				45-60
Watermelon	1	3-4	12-16	60	3-12			•		80-100