



Fall Transplant List 2017

Assumptions:

Days to Maturity: Days to harvest are from transplanting date

Crop varieties selected specifically for the NC Piedmont_ erratic spring weather, hot & humid summers, warm falls and winters ranging from warm to freezing but seldom dipping below 20 degrees.

CROP	VARIETY	DTM	SPECIAL CHARACTERISTICS	SIZE NOTES	GARDENER COMMENTS		
					PLANTED ON	YIELDED ON	COMMENTS
		Days to Maturity from TP					
Arugula	Astro	20-30	Great for cut & come again harvests of spicy leaves; once plants start flowering, you can eat the blossoms or let them go for pollinators; seeds can be made into mustard!	8"-12" plant spacing			
Broccoli	Marathon_FALL	68	Poor heat tolerance; good cold tolerance. For NC Fall crop				
	Arcadia_FALL	63	Poor heat tolerance; excellent cold tolerance. For NC Fall/Over-winter crop	Great side shoot prod.			
	Waltham_FALL	75	Good cold tolerance into winter down to 20 degrees; 4"-6" main heads	Great side shoot production			
	Gypsy	58	Good heat tolerance; good production in poor soils	Good side shoot prod.			
	Green Magic	57	Good heat tolerance, smaller plant than Gypsy	Uniform heading habit			
	Happy Rich	55	Quick!! Harvest small main head immediately for abundant sprouts	No main head; tons of shoots instead			
	Red Fire Purple Sprouting_FALL	100-140	For a fall-planted, overwintered, spring crop harvest. For NC Fall/Over-winter crop	Kill temp is 20 degrees; plenty of purple sprouts			

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Leeks	King Richard	75	Early to mature; shanks up to 12" long that hold well in the field for extended harvest spring-fall	8"-12" plant spacing; good for interplanting			
	Tadorna	100	Winter-hardy with strong shanks for extended harvest year-round	8"-12" plant spacing; good for interplanting			
Pac Choi	Rosie (red)	30-45	Bright red leaves with green stems; makes a 12" head	8"-12" plant spacing; great to interplant with longer-season plants			
	Mei Qing Choi green	45	Heat and cold tolerant; matures at 8"-10" tall	8" plant spacing			
	White Stemmed	25-60	Fast-growing heads can be harvested any time; plants will reach 18" tall if left in the ground for 50-60 days	12" plant spacing			
Spinach	Reflect	25-40	Semi-savoyed leaves; tolerant of downy mildew; semi-upright plant habit	8"-12" plant spacing			
	Tyee	35	Semi-savoyed leaves; 10" tall, 8" wide plants; very cold hardy	8"-12" plant spacing			
Swiss Chard	Rainbow	30-60	Blend of Red, Pink, White, Yellow, Gold stemmed chard; can produce year-round if protected from summer heat	12"-16" plant spacing			
	Fordhook Giant	25-50	Very high yield potential year-round with best over-wintering production and survival IF PROTECTED	12"-18" plant spacing			