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PLANTING GUIDES – AUSTRALIA
VEGETABLES, FLOWERS FRUIT & HERBS

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	Row spacing (cm)	Plant spacing (cm)	Depth (cm)	Tropics	Cool/Frost Melbourne, Tasmania, & mountains	Mild Perth, Sydney, & Adelaide	Subtropics Coastal Coffs Harbour to Rockhampton	Best Soil Temp °C	Average days to maturity
Amaranth	50-75	50	.5	Feb-Nov	Sep-Nov	Sep-Mar	Aug-Apr	16-30	50
Asparagus	20-40	20-40	1	Feb-Nov	Aug-Nov	Aug-Nov	Feb-Nov	16-30	From seed 2yr
Bean, Bush	50-60	8-15	2-3	Any	Oct-Dec	Sep-Feb	Aug-Apr	16-30	55-70
Bean, Climbing	100	10-20	2-3	Any	Oct-Dec	Sep-Jan	Aug-Apr	16-30	65-80
Beetroot	45-60	5-10	2	Any	Sep-Apr	Jul-Apr	Any	8-30	55-70
Broccoli	50-60	35-50	.5-1	Feb-Jun	Sep-Apr	Jul-Apr	Aug-Feb	7-30	60-90
Brussels Sprouts	100	45-60	.5-1	Feb-Apr	Oct-Feb	Dec-Apr	Feb-Jun	7-30	60-90
Burdock	60	60	1.5	Feb-Sep	Sept-Feb	Sept-April	Aug-May	10-25	120-140
Cabbage	50-75	35-60	.5-1	Apr-Aug	Aug-May	Any	Mar-May	10-35	60-110
Capsicum	100-150	50-60	.6	Any	Sep-Nov	Aug-Dec	Aug-Mar	18-35	70-90
Carrot	25-30	2-5	.5-1	Feb-Nov	Sep-Feb	Sep-May	Feb-Nov	10-30	65-90
Cauliflower	60-100	45-60	.4-6	Feb-Apr	Oct-Apr	Dec-Apr	Jan-Apr	10-30	110-155
Celery	45-80	15-30	.2-.5	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Dec	Mar-Oct	12-21	120
Chilli	90-120	40-50	.6	Any	Sep-Nov	Aug-Dec	Aug-Mar	18-35	65-80
Corn, Maize	60-90	20-30	2-3	Any	Oct-Jan	Sep-Feb	Aug-Mar	16-35	100-150
Corn, Sweet	60-90	20-30	2-3	Any	Oct-Jan	Sep-Feb	Aug-Mar	16-35	80-100
Cucumber	120-150	40-60	1	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Feb	Aug-Mar	16-35	60-70
Eggplant	80-90	50-80	.5-.8	Any	Sep-Nov	Aug-Dec	Aug-Mar	24-32	90-110
Gourd	150	90-120	2	Any	Oct-Nov	Sep-Dec	Aug-Jan	20-30	95-120
Kale	50-100	40-50	1	Apr-Aug	Jan-Apr	Mar-Apr	Mar-Jun	8-30	50-65
Leek	30-75	10-15	.5-1	Feb-Mar	Sep-Mar	Aug-Apr	Jan-Mar	8-30	105-130
Lettuce	35-50	20-30	.6	Feb-Nov	Sep-May	Any	Any	8-27	60-85
Luffa	150	45-75	3	Any	Sep-Nov	Sep-Dec	Aug-Jan	20-30	80
Mustard Greens	50-75	35-60	.5-1	Any	Any	Any	Any	10-35	40-60
Okra	90-120	35-60cm	1cm	Feb-Sep	Oct-Nov	Oct-Dec	Aug-Feb	20-35	80-98
Onion	30-40	5-10	.5-1	Mar-Jun	Feb-Sep	Feb-Aug	Feb-Jul	8-30	180-240
Parsnip	35-80	8-10	.5-1	Mar-May	Aug-Feb	Jul-Mar	Feb-Sep	6-21	120-140
Pea	45-60	5-8	2-3	Mar-Jun	Jan-Oct	Feb-Sep	Mar-Jul	8-24	65-80
Pumpkin	250-300	90-120	3	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Dec	Aug-Feb	20-32	105-140
Radish	25-35	3-5	1-2	Any	Any	Any	Any	8-30	40-50
Rhubarb	60-70	40-50	1.2	Feb-Sep	Sep-Dec	Aug-Jan	Aug-Feb	10-25	From seed 2yr
Rockmelon	120-150	40-60	1-2	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Dec	Aug-Feb	20-32	75-115
Rosella	90-120	45	1	Aug-Mar	Nov-Dec	Oct-Feb	Sep-Mar	24-32	175
Shallots	20-30	2-3	.5	Mar-Jul	Feb-Oct	Feb-Sep	Feb-Sep	8-30	85-105
Silverbeet	50-60	15-30	1.5-2	Feb-Sep	Sep-Mar	Sep-May	Any	10-30	50-85
Spinach	50-60	15-30	1.5-2	Feb-Sep	Sep-Mar	Sep-May	Any	10-30	50-85
Squash	90-120	60-80	2-3	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Jan	Aug-Mar	21-35	50-60
Sunflower	50-100	20-30	1-2	Any	Oct-Dec	Aug-Jan	Aug-Apr	15-30	70-80
Swede	45-70	10-20	1	Feb-May	Any	Jan-Apr	Jan-May	15-30	70-75
Tomato	60-150	40-60	.5	Feb-Aug	Sep-Dec	Aug-Dec	Aug-Apr	16-35	60-120
Turnip	30-50	12-20	1	Mar-Sep	Sep-Apr	Sep-Apr	Aug-May	12-30	45-65
Watermelon	150-200	60-75	2-3	Any	Sep-Dec	Aug-Dec	Aug-Feb	21-35	68-100
Zucchini	90-110	50-90	2-3	Feb-Sep	Oct-Dec	Sep-Jan	Any	21-35	44-63

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HERB	SPRING/EARLY SUMMER & AUTUMN	WINTER	SHADE TOLERANCE	WATER	EASE
Basil	X		-	###	***
Borage	X		-	###	***
Chamomile	X	X	*	###	**
Chervil	X		*	###	**
Chives	X	X	**	##	***
Coriander	X	X	**	###	**
Dill	X		*	###	**
Fennel	X		*	#	***
Fenugreek	X		*	###	**
Garlic	X		*	###	**
Lemongrass	X		-	###	**
Mint	X	X	*	##	***
Oregano	X		-	##	***
Parsley	X	X	**	##	***
Rosemary	X	X	-	#	***
Sage	X	X	-	##	**
Spring Onions	X	X	*	##	***
Tarragon	X		-	##	**
Thyme	X		-	##	**

Autumn

Chervil, chicory, coriander, fennel, garlic bulbs, lavender, marjoram, oregano, parsley, rocket, sage, sorrel, rosemary, thyme, winter tarragon and yarrow.

Winter

Chamomile, comfrey, dill, garlic bulbs, lavender, lemon balm, marjoram, mint, oregano, parsley, sage, sorrel and thyme.

Spring

Basil, chives, coriander, dill, mint, oregano, parsley, sage and thyme.

Summer

Basil, chives, coriander, fennel, heliotrope, lemongrass, mint, parsley, tarragon and winter savoury.

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FLOWERS & BULBS TO PLANT BY MONTH

APRIL – MAY

Alyssum, Bellis, Calendula, Dianthus, Hollyhocks, Larkspur, Livingstone Daisy, Pansies, Poppies, Snapdragons, Sweet Pea, Violas

JUNE – JULY

Alyssum, Bellis, Calendula, Dianthus, Hollyhocks, Larkspur, Livingstone Daisy, Pansies, Poppies, Shasta Daisy, Snapdragon, Sweet peas, Violas

AUG – SEP

Alyssum, Calendula, Carnations, Cornflower, Dianthus, Helichrysum, Hollyhocks, Larkspur, Pansies, Shasta Daisy, Snapdragons, Sweet Peas, Viola, Wallflowers

OCT – NOVEMBER

Ageratum, Alyssum, Amaranth, Aster, Celosia, Dahlia, Dianthus, Gypsophila, Fox Glove, Helichrysum, Hollyhock, Larkspur, Lobelia, Marigold, Petunia, Phlox, Portulaca, Salvia, Zinnia

DEC – JANUARY

Ageratum, Alyssum, Amaranths, Asters, Celosia, Dahlias, Dianthus, Foxgloves, Gypsophila, Helichrysum, Hollyhock, Larkspur, Lobelia, Marigold, Nasturtiums, Petunia, Phlox, Portulaca, Salvias, Zinnia

FEB – MARCH

Alyssum, Calendula, Carnations, Cornflower, Dianthus, Hollyhock, Iceland Poppies, Larkspur, Pansies, Snapdragons, Sweet Peas, Sweet William, Viola Wallflowers

BULBS FOR PLANTING FEB, MARCH, APRIL, MAY

Alliums, Anemones, Belladonna Lilies, Bearded Iris, Crocus, Daffodils, Dutch Iris, Freesia, Grape Hyacinth, Hyacinths, Ixias, Jonquils, Nerines, Ranunculus, Snowflakes, Scilla, Tulips & Gladioli