

**Usual Planting and Harvesting Dates, Texas**

Crops	Usual Planting Dates			Usual Harvesting Dates		
	Begin	Most Active	End	Begin	Most Active	End
<b>Field Crops:</b>						
Corn, for Grain	Mar 1	Mar 8 - May 7	May 17	Jul 18	Aug 1 - Oct 11	Nov 8
Cotton	Mar 22	Apr 8 - Jun 7	Jun 20	Aug 10	Sep 13 - Dec 21	Jan 11
Hay, Alfalfa	-	-	-	Apr 15	-	Sep 20
Hay, Other	-	-	-	May 1	-	Sep 30
Oats, Fall	Sep 7	Sep 20 - Nov 5	Nov 25	May 13	May 23 - Jun 22	Jul 4
Peanuts	May 1	May 6 - Jun 5	Jun 15	Sep 25	Oct 7 - Nov 16	Nov 30
Rice	Mar 17	Mar 23 - Apr 26	May 10	Jul 29	Aug 7 - Sep 4	Sep 20
Rye	Sep 1	Sep 25 - Oct 20	Nov 15	May 15	Jun 5 - Jun 20	Jul 1
Sorghum, for Grain	Mar 1	Mar 11 - Jun 15	Jul 5	Jun 25	Jul 8 - Nov 16	Dec 6
Soybeans	Mar 24	Mar 30 - May 30	Jun 12	Aug 18	Aug 22 - Oct 17	Nov 7
Wheat, Winter	Sep 4	Sep 12 - Nov 3	Nov 23	May 25	Jun 1 - Jul 2	Jul 12
<b>Vegetables:</b>						
Snap Beans for Processing	Feb 5	-	Mar 25	Mar 1	Mar 5 - Mar 25	Apr 25
Cabbage, Spring	Dec 1	-	Jan 31	Apr 1	Apr 5 - Apr 30	Jun 30
Cabbage, Summer	Jul 1	-	Jul 30	Oct 1	Dec 1 - Dec 20	Dec 31
Cabbage, Winter	Sep 1	-	Sep 30	Oct 1	Oct 15 - Mar 15	Apr 15
Cantaloupes, Spring	Mar 1	-	Mar 31	May 1	Jun 1 - Jul 1	Jul 31
Cantaloupes, Summer	May 1	-	Mar 31	Jul 1	Aug 1 - Aug 31	Sep 15
Carrots, Winter	Sep 1	-	Dec 31	Dec 1	Jan 1 - Mar 31	Apr 30
Carrots, Spring	Nov 1	-	Nov 30	Mar 1	Apr 1 - Apr 30	Jun 30
Carrots, Fall	Jul 1	-	Jul 31	Oct 1	Nov 1 - Nov 30	Dec 31
Carrots for Processing	Sep 1	-	Oct 31	Feb 1	Apr 1 - May 5	May 31
Sweet Corn, Spring	Jan 1	-	Apr 15	Apr 1	May 1 - May 31	Jul 31
Cucumbers, Spring	Jan 1	-	Jan 31	Apr 1	May 1 - May 31	Jun 30
Cucumbers, Fall	Aug 1	-	Aug 31	Sep 1	Sep 15 - Oct 31	Nov 30
Cucumbers for Pickles	Feb 1	-	Sep 1	Mar 1	Mar 15 - Nov 15	Nov 30
Spring Onions	Sep 1	-	Jan 15	Mar 1	Mar 15 - Apr 30	Jun 15
Summer Onions	Feb 1	-	Apr 30	Jul 1	Aug 1 - Sep 5	Sep 30
Chile Peppers, Summer	Mar 30	-	Jun 15	Aug 1	Aug 1 - Sep 15	Sep 30
Spinach, Winter	Oct 1	-	Dec 31	Nov 1	Nov 15 - Mar 15	Mar 31
Spinach for Processing	Oct 1	-	Dec 15	Nov 1	Nov 15 - Mar 15	Mar 31
Squash, Spring	Mar 1	-	May 1	Apr 1	May 1 - May 31	Jun 30
Tomatoes, Spring	Jan 1	-	Feb 1	May 1	Jun 1 - Jun 25	Jun 30
Watermelons, Spring	Jan 1	-	Mar 31	Apr 1	May 1 - May 31	Jun 15
Watermelons, Summer	Mar 1	-	Apr 30	May 1	Jun 1 - Jul 15	Jul 31