

## Grow Stages of Onion Bulbs Timeline B

### Typical Timeline for a Spring Sown - Long-Day Onion

	<u>Days</u>	<u>Date</u>
A. Seed in soil after sowing	1	April 15
B. Loop stage	21	May 6
C. First leaf 'flag' stage	32	May 17
D. Cotyledon senescence	42	May 27
E. Fourth leaf 'leek' stage	56	June 10
F. Fall of the first leaf	70	June 30
G. Start of bulbing	84	July 8
H. Bulb swelling	112	August 5
I. 'Fall-down' or 'soft neck'	126	August 19
J. Bulb ripening	147	September 9