

Download Gardening From Scratch : How To Turn Your Empty Lot Into A Living Garden

We're right in the middle of spring, the perfect time to start planting flowers, vegetables, herbs, and more! Gardening season is upon us and it's in full swing. So, the outer canvas wrap is mostly for looks, it doesn't seem to serve a purpose (but it does, read on), instead there is some sort of very stretchy rubber hose on the inside. I have a confession to make: I hate bar soap. It gets dirty, is annoying to handle, and takes too long to use up. Despite this, people like to give me bar soap as a gift, which I feel guilty not using. But be careful – vinegar is highly acidic – any plant you spray it on will die, and it will lower the pH of your soil for at least a few weeks, so there will be a waiting period before planting anything where you sprayed.