

PHOTOPERIODIC LIGHTING CHART

These tables will help you to decide when you need to light the different Wave Petunia family varieties and choose the right variety for you. For example, if you want to produce Wave petunia during week 6 to week 20 in Kalamazoo, MI (N42.5°), you need to light group 3 varieties for 1 week, group 4 varieties for 3 weeks, group 5 varieties for 7 weeks, and group 6 varieties for 9 weeks, but you don't need to use Photoperiodic light for group 1 to 2 varieties.

DAYLENGTH REQUIREMENTS FOR FLOWERING WAVE® PETUNIA VARIETIES

GROUP	MIN. DAYLENGTH REQUIREMENT*	VARIETY
1	9.5 hours	Easy Wave Lavender Sky Blue
2	10 hours	Easy Wave® Berry Velour, Pink Passion, Burgundy Star, Coral Reef, Neon Rose, Rosy Dawn, Silver, Violet, White, and Yellow; Shock Wave® Coral Crush, Denim, Pink Shades, Red and Yellow
3	10.5 hours	Easy Wave® Blue, Burgundy Velour; Shock Wave® Coconut, Deep Purple, Pink Vein and Rose
4	11 hours	Easy Wave Pink, Plum Vein, Red and Red Velour
5	12 hours	Wave Lavender, Misty Lilac, Pink, Purple Classic and Purple**; all Tidal Wave® colors
6	13 hours	Wave Carmine Velour

*Speed of flowering increases at longer daylengths.

**Wave Purple requires 11.5 hours daylength or one week less of Photoperiodic lighting compared to Purple Classic.

PRODUCTION WEEKS WHEN LIGHTING IS REQUIRED FOR DIFFERENT WAVE PETUNIAS BASED ON LATITUDE

(N: Natural Daylength, L: Photoperiodic Lighting--daylength extension to 14 hours or night interruption from 10PM to 2AM by using HID or incandescent lights)

Latitude N25°, For cities such as: Miami, FL																																																								
Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52				
Group 1	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		
Group 2	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Group 3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Group 4	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Group 5	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Group 6	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

Latitude N30°, For cities such as: Jacksonville, FL; New Orleans, LA; San Antonio and Houston, TX																																																												
Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52								
Group 1	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			
Group 2	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		
Group 3	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		
Group 4	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Group 5	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	
Group 6	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

