Fluorescent Lighting

Fluorescent Compariso

Use the information in this chart to determine which fluorescent lighting system is best for you. Color temperature (represented in degrees Kelvin) indicates how visually cool (blue) or warm (red) the light source is. Fluorescents with higher temps are referred to as "daylight" or "grow" types and are preferred for promoting vegetative growth. Tubes and bulbs with lower temps are called "warm" or "bloom" types and are better suited for bloom induction and maturation.

For an at-a-glance determination of each system's output, just reference the shaded lumen bar to the left of each system. A low lumen output is good for seedlings, cuttings and plants with low-light requirements, while a high lumen output is the better choice for completing a plant's growth cycle.

Ask your customer service representative for additional details on energy efficiency, reduced heat output, sustained lumen productivity and other features of fluorescent lighting systems.

PLEASE REMEMBER:

Don't discard lamps, tubes or bulbs in your normal trash.

them for FREE at Worm's Way!



Lumen output and color temperature based on the Sunleaves VitaLUME

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Comparisons

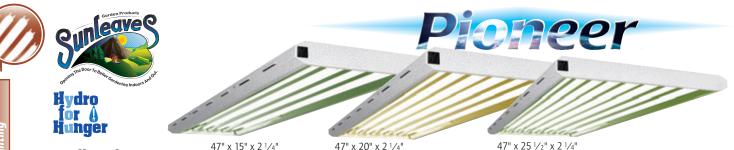




tube/bulb recommended for each system

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Comet



Leading the Way

Give plants high-intensity, low-heat lighting with an efficient Sunleaves Pioneer T5 Fluorescent Fixture. All Pioneer models are equipped with a built-in, 120-volt outlet to conveniently link multiple systems together. Units come with or without Sunleaves VitaLUME highoutput T5s and include hanging hardware and a five-year warranty. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of every full-sized Pioneer with tubes will benefit the Hydro for Hunger initiative that battles world hunger.

Four-foot, 54-watt VitaLUME and VitaLUME PLUS T5 Tubes fit any full-sized Pioneer unit. Each VitaLUME T5 Bloom Tube has a color temperature of 2,900 Kelvins, while each VitaLUME PLUS T5 Grow Tube has a color temperature of 6,500 Kelvins. VitaLUME and VitaLUME PLUS Tubes are covered by a one-year manufacturer's warranty.

| Stock# | Item Price Each |
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| SPG104 | Sunleaves Pioneer IV Grow, 4 Tube\$209.95 |
| SPG106 | Sunleaves Pioneer VI Grow, 6 Tube |
| SPG108 | Sunleaves Pioneer IV Grow, 4 Tube |
| SPB104 | Save! Buy 3 or more for \$349.95 each. Sunleaves Pioneer IV Bloom, 4 Tube\$209.95 |
| SPB106 | Sunleaves Pioneer VI Bloom, 6 Tube |
| SPB108 | Sunleaves Pioneer VI Bloom, 6 Tube |
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| SP104 | Save! Buy 3 or more for \$349.95 each. Sunleaves Pioneer IV, Tubes Not Included\$179.95 |
| SP106 | Sunleaves Pioneer VI, Tubes Not Included |
| SP108 | Sunleaves Pioneer VI, Tubes Not Included |
| Stock# | Item Price Each |
| SVTB105M | Sunleaves 4' VitaLUME T5 Bloom Tubes, 4 pk |
| SVPG105M | Sunleaves 4' VitaLUME PLUS T5 Grow Tubes, 4 pk |
| SVTB125M | Sunleaves 4' VitaLUME PLUS T5 Grow Tubes, 4 pk |
| SVPG125M | Sunleaves 4' VitaLUME PLUS T5 Grow Tubes, 25 pk\$187.50 |

All in the Family

Space-saving Pioneer Jr. T5 Fluorescent Fixtures have all the same features as their full-sized predecessors including hanging hardware, 120-volt daisy-chain outlet and five-year warranty. These self-contained units can hang vertically or horizontally and are available in two- and four-tube configurations. Both Pioneer Jr. models come with two-foot Sunleaves VitaLUME PLUS T5s.

Two-foot, 24-watt VitaLUME PLUS T5 Tubes are high-output replacements for the fluorescents found in Pioneer Jr. fixtures. Comparable to metal halides with less heat and energy consumption, each tube has a color temperature of 6,500 kelvins to promote abundant vegetative growth. A one-year warranty is included.

Stock# Item Price Each SPJ102 SPJ104 **SPJ108** Save! Buy 3 or more for \$304.95 each. Stock# Item Price Each **SVT100M** Sunleaves 2' VitaLUME PLUS T5 Tubes, 4 pk.....Ś36.00

23 ³/16" x 9 ¹/2" x 2 ¹/4"

The Quality Will Fluor You!

SunBlaster Single T5 Fluorescent Fixtures are excellent options for supplemental lighting. The four-foot, 54-watt fluorescent tube emits 5,100 lumens, the three-foot, 39-



watt tube emits 3,700 lumens and the two-foot, 24-watt tube emits 2,280 lumens. All tubes produce light with a color temperature of 6,400 Kelvins. Each 7/8" wide Single T5 Fixture includes a six-foot power cord, "daisy-chain" cable to link multiple units, built-in electronic ballast, SunBlaster tube, and mounting hardware for horizontal or vertical positioning. Replacement tubes available separately.

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For a comparable light output and a lower energy bill, replace a 100-watt and 50-watt incandescent bulb with one, 2' SunBlaster T5. You'll save up to 84%! (Based on \$0.10/kwh, 8 hours a day, 365 days a year)

| STF102 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Fixture 2', 24W\$29.95 |
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| STF103 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Fixture 3', 39W31.95 |
| STF104 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Fixture 4', 54W |
| STFT102 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Tube, 2' |
| | Mail Order11.95 |
| | In Store |
| STFT103 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Tube, 3' |
| | Mail Order 12.95 |
| | In Store |
| STFT104 | SunBlaster T5 Fluorescent Tube, 4' |
| | Mail Order13.95 |
| | In Store |
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23 ³/16" x 15" x 2 ¹/4"



First in the Series

Plants flourish when raised under a non-ballasted Sunleaves Comet Compact Fluorescent Fixture. The Comet accepts internally-ballasted compact fluorescent bulbs, up to 200 watts: choose a 125- or 200-watt Sunleaves VitaLUME with a 6,400-degree daylight spectrum for green growth or a "warm" 125-watt with a 2,700-degree color temperature to promote blooming. You get a five-year manufacturer's warranty on the Comet and oneyear coverage on the VitaLUME bulbs. A protective Sunleaves Comet Lens is available separately.

| SCFF190 | Sunleaves Comet Fluorescent Fixture\$79 |).95 |
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| SCL190 | Sunleaves Comet Lens | |
| VCFBD110 | Sunleaves VitaLUME Compact Fluorescent, 125W ballasted54 | |
| VCFBD120 | Sunleaves VitaLUME Compact Fluorescent, 200W ballasted134 | 1.95 |
| VCFBW110 | Sunleaves VitaLUME Compact Fluorescent Warm, 125W ballasted54 | 1.95 |



26¹/8" x 11⁷/8" x 8"

23" x 117⁄ 8" x 75⁄ 8"

For Earthly Comet Tales

Fit for tight spaces and most vegetative growing applications, the 200- and 300-series Comets are the latest additions to the Sunleaves line of compact fluorescent lighting systems. Each ballasted Comet 200 is outfitted with a 200-watt Sunleaves VitaLUME bulb; Comet 300s come standard with a 300-watt VitaLUME. Both fixtures have a highly-reflective mirrored interior and built-in ventilation to maintain cool operation. Plants love the full-spectrum light provided by the 6,400-degree Kelvin daylight fluorescents, which are guaranteed for a one-year period. The Comet 200 is covered by a five-year warranty, while the Comet 300 has a three-year warranty. A shatter-resistant safety lens is available separately for each unit.

| SCT130 | Sunleaves Comet 300\$ | 229.95 |
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| SCTL195 | Sunleaves Comet 300 Lens | 14.95 |
| VCFB130 | Sunleaves VitaLUME Compact Fluorescent, 300W (non-ballasted) | 79.95 |
| SCT120 | Sunleaves Comet 200 | |
| SCTL190 | Sunleaves Comet 200 Lens | 14.95 |
| VCFB120 | Sunleaves VitaLUME Compact Fluorescent, 200W (non-ballasted) | 69.95 |



High-Output Fluorescents Have the Gift to Grow and Power to Flower

It used to be that horticultural fluorescents yielded little more than a seedling's true leaves. Certainly some can cultivate leafy greens and please a few houseplants, but they're just no match for today's high-output fluorescents that can force flowering and fruiting to raise plants to maturity. These new tubes produce almost twice as much light as standard types and often run cooler, last longer, and operate more efficiently than point-source high intensity discharge lamps. Here's how to make sense of the different types and determine which one is right for you.

Tube naming conventions will give you an indication of their size. With T5, T8 and T12 tubes for example, the numbers signify the diameter of the tube, represented in eighths of an inch. So a T5 has a diameter of $\frac{5}{8}$; T8s have a one-inch diameter ($\frac{8}{8}$) and so on. Keep in mind that a smaller diameter does not mean the tube is less powerful (T5s are producing some of the most impressive growing results of all tubes on the market). The "T" that precedes the number simply references the shape, in this case, a linear tube shape.

There are also TT96, TT105 and other similarly-named tube types. These have the same linear shape but are comprised of two tubes joined together at one end for increased output while maintaining a single connection point to the fixture. With these tubes, the numbers that follow indicate wattage rather than diameter. This means a dual TT96 tube is a 96-watt tube and a TT105 is a 105-watt tube. Regardless of whether it's a single or dual tube, two- and four-foot lengths are the norm.

Just like HID lamps, fluorescent tubes are powered by a ballast. Because most fixtures internalize this component and incorporate a reflective material besides, complete systems require a minimal amount of space and can mount in almost any position. If you need to cover an extended distance, consider a fixture with "daisy-chaining" capabilities so you can link multiple systems together.

It's worth mentioning that all fluorescent tubes are not compatible with all fixtures. There are exceptions to the rule (i.e. some fourfoot T8 systems can also receive T12 tubes), but most fixtures have a ballast designed to power a specific type of tube. What's more, tube prongs and fixture receptacles will also vary. If you see a fixture you like, investigate the included or recommended tubes to make sure they'll meet your growing needs. You also want to verify that replacement tubes are accessible.

Lumen ratings have long been a standard point of reference for light source comparisons. Remember, if you light a candle, step one foot away and assess the amount of light in that one-square-foot section, the measurable light would equal one footcandle or one lumen. To thrive, greens need at least 2,500 lumens per square foot and flowering plants need 10,000 lumens per square foot. You can also look at wattage (50-75 watts per square foot is considered optimal) and even gauge a tube's efficiency by calculating lumens per watt (divide lumens by watts).

Because lumens are truly a measure of the perceived power of light (or how we, as humans, see light), be sure to note other variables, like color temperature, that will help identify a tube's output. For an at-a-glance overview of the fluorescent systems we carry and more detailed information on color temperature ratings, please refer to the chart on pages 2 and 3.

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Fluorescent Light





When used in conjunction with T8 or T12 fluorescent tubes (sold separately), Sunleaves Saturns produce quiet, flicker-free light suitable for most propagation and foliar-enhancing applications. The Saturn 2 x 2 accommodates 2, two-foot Sunleaves VitaLUME T8 Tubes, while Saturns II and IV accommodate 2 and 4 four-foot tubes respectively. All Saturn fixtures feature hanging hardware, a built-in ballast and oneyear manufacturer's warranty.

Sunleaves VitaLUME T8 Tubes are the perfect match for Saturn fixtures. Two-foot, 17-watt tubes each output 1,100 lumens, while four-foot, 34-watt tubes each output 2,800 lumens. Both tube types have low energy consumption and produce a color temperature of 6,500 Kelvins. One-year manufacturer's warranty is included.

| Stock# | ltem | Price Each |
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| SST102 | Sunleaves Saturn 2 x 2, 2 Tube | \$29.95 |
| | Save! Buy 3 or more for 24.95 each. | |
| SST104 | Sunleaves Saturn II, 2 Tube | |
| | Save! Buy 3 or more for 24.95 each. | |
| SST144 | Sunleaves Saturn IV, 4 Tube | 69.95 |
| | Save! Buy 3 or more for 64.95 each. | |
| Stock# | Item | Price Each |
| SVTT102M | Sunleaves 2' VitaLUME T8 Tubes, 6 pk | \$54.00 |
| SVTT104M | Sunleaves 4' VitaLUME T8 Tubes, 6 pk | |



Sunleaves InNOVAtion

23 ½" x 9 ¼" x 4"

The Sunleaves Nova is a dual-tube high-output fluorescent fixture that's great for plants of all shapes and sizes. Bright but not hot, the fixture can be placed close to plants to maximize light output. It includes two 21" VitaLUME PLUS TT55 high-output fluorescent tubes, and features a daylight-simulating 6,500K spectrum, 8,000 lumens, and 8,000-hour life rating. There's a five-year warranty on the fixture and oneyear coverage on the included 55-watt tubes.

SN102 Sunleaves Nova\$144.95 **SVTT121M** Sunleaves 21" VitaLUME PLUS TT55 Tubes, 6 pk......84.00



A Great Way to Brighten Every Day

Saturn

SST102 25¹/2" x 6³/4" x 3"

> SST104 48¹/2" x 6" x 3"

SST144 50" x 10¹/2" x 3'

Simulate Natural Light

a color temperature of 6,280 Kelvins.

Available as 24", 20-watt tubes and 48", 40-watt tubes, Verilux T12 Fluorescent Tubes fit standard two- and four-foot fixtures like

Sunleaves Saturns. The 24" tubes are rated for 14,000 life hours

and covered by a two-year warranty; 48" tubes are rated at 26,000

life hours and include a three-year warranty. All Verilux tubes have

VTB110CS 24" Verilux 20W, 6 pk.....\$92.95

VTB150CS 48" Verilux 40W, 6 pk 103.95

Whether it's mounted underneath a kitchen cabinet or from the ceiling to fill a footprint gap between HID reflectors, you can hang the lightweight Sunleaves Sunrise anywhere you need high-output supplemental lighting. Each unit is equipped with a dual VitaLUME PLUS TT96 fluorescent tube that has a color temperature of 6,500 Kelvins. The pluq-in transformer connects directly to your power source and accounts for the unit's minimal one-and-a-half-pound weight. Suspend the Sunrise horizontally or vertically and count on dependability with a two-year manufacturer's warranty (one-year on TT96 tube). Some assembly required. Replacement TT96 fluorescent tubes are available separately.

| SSFS101 | Sunleaves Sunrise | j. |
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| SVTT134M | Sunleaves 34" VitaLUME PLUS TT96 Tube, 6 pk11 | 1 |

89.95 14.00