# Dark To Light Photocontrols



Throughout the United States and around the world Dark to Light (DTL) is known as the industry leader in providing high quality, cost effective electronic photocontrols to utility, commercial and municipal customers.

More utilities specify Dark to Light than any other brand of photocontrol for their superior performance and reliability.

Dark to Light's patented designs meet or exceed all existing and proposed ANSI standards.

Reliable electronic circuitry technology reduces day burners, which saves energy during peak periods and helps to reduce overall maintenance costs.

DTL photocontrols also run cool, increasing the life of the control and photosensor.

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There is a difference in electronic photocontrols.

Explore the difference with Dark to Light.



Dark to Light is an established market leader with breadth of product to cover all applications including roadway, area lighting, floodlights, security, and residential areas using decorative post top fixtures.

DE photocontrol on an ACP compact flood

DP photocontrol on a Corvus (CVM) architectural roadway fixture

# DTL PHOTOCONTROL FEATURES:

High impact resistant UV stabilized polypropylene covers

High surge capacity MOV protection

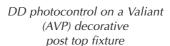
Instantaneous turn on, allowing quick glove tests during installation

Hi-temp rated components

2-5 second off only time delay to avoid turn-off from extraneous light

Cool running, reliable circuit technology

Sealed relay



DX photocontrol on an ASA area light

# **DP / DE Shared Features:**

Complies with ANSI C136.10-1996 MOV surge protection Long life

Energy efficient

Six-year warranty

Available in job packs of J12 or J50





### **DP Features:**

Silicon light sensor

Inverse ratio (DPR) and fail off (DPF) options available.

Inverse Ratio Controls are ideal for areas where it is important to turn on lights early but energy costs are a concern. Turn-off level is lower then turn-on levels. Model DPR124-2.6-TJBK J50 is most commonly ordered. Various other models available. Contact your local sales representative for details and specifications.

**Fail Off Controls** Occasionally used for leased lighting. Model DPF124-1.5-TJ is most commonly ordered. Various other models available. Contact your local sales representative or factor for details and specifications.

### **DE Features:**

Filtered silicon light sensor

Human eye spectral response

Silicon sensor with infrared blocking filter

Polypropylene cover, Neoprene gasket, brass legs, acrylic window

Base rated for 120°C

Power consumption: 0.5W

Load rating: 1000W, 1800 VA ballast

Sealed relay rated for 5000 operations at full load

Turn OFF light level is 1.5 times turn ON.

3.4 ounces each

-40 to +70°C ambient, Up to 90° interface per ANSI

Dielectric strength: 5000V per ANSI

# **Ordering Information**

**Example:** D E 1 2 4 - 1 . 5 - T J J 5 0

	Voltage	Turn-on Level (ftc) <sup>1</sup>	Time Delay (seconds) <sup>1</sup> Surge Protector	Cover Color <sup>1</sup>	Job Packs
DE124 DE347 DE480	DE Series <sup>5</sup> 120/240/277 volts (105–305) 347 volts (300–400) 480 volts (420–530)  DP Series <sup>5</sup>	<ul> <li>1.0 Energy saver</li> <li>1.5 ANSI standard</li> <li>2.6 IES recommendati</li> <li>8.0 Automile<sup>2</sup></li> <li>35 FAA<sup>2</sup></li> </ul>	T 2-5 second turn-off J 320 J/10,000 amp delay (standard) MOV (standard) on	blank ANSI standard color BK Black BR Brown MR Maroon GR Green GY Gray P Upward facing	<b>J50</b> 50 Units
DP124 DP347 DP480 DPR124 DPF124	120/240/277 volts (105–305) 347 volts (300–400) 480 volts (420–530) Multi-volt inverse rat Multi-volt fail off	io <sup>3, 4</sup> 2 D 3 2. 4 Bl	her options available, please contact your local sale Series only Turn on only ack cover only me models available with CSA Listing, please consi	·	ng



# 1704 Series Silicon Features:

Special components provide superior reliability for large wattage fixtures or other applications that overheat ordinary photocontrols

Silicon photocell provides long-term drift-free light sensing at elevated temperatures

Heat stabilized polymers are used in the base, enabling the control to withstand the high temperatures found on 400 and 1,000 watt HID floodlights

ANSI standard 1.5 footcandle turn on

Fast delivery from stock

Eight-year warranty

Brown cover for identification

Multi-volt, 120/208/240/277 VAC

MOV surge protection, 320 Joule, 10,000 AMP

"Best of Everything" control



# **Ordering Information**

DP124
Voltage

DP124 120/208/240/277

120/208/240/277 volts (105–305)



1.5 ANSI standard

**Example:** D P 1 2 4 - 1 . 5 1 7 0 4 J 5 0



**J50** 50 Units

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# **DD / DPN Shared Features:**

Complies with ANSI C136.10-1996

Six-year warranty

Available in job packs of J12 or J50

Polypropylene cover, Neoprene gasket, brass legs, acrylic window base rated for 120°C

Sealed relay rated for 5000 operations at full load

-40 to +70°C ambient, Up to 90° interface per ANSI

Dielectric strength: 5000V per ANSI



Regular dusk to dawn operation

Diagnostic feature detects and disables cycling

HPS lamps and lamps that fail to start

Extends starting aids life

Flashing or steady LED alerts line crew of problem

Filtered silicon light sensor

2-5 second off delay

MOV surge protection

Not for use on incandescent fixtures

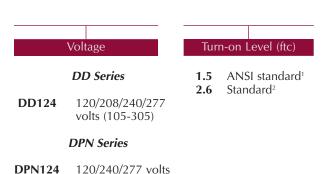
Power consumption: 1.0 watts Load rating: 70-400 watt HPS

(105-305)

347 volts (300-400)

3.8 ounces each

# **Ordering Information**







### **DPN Features:**

Control turns on at dusk and off halfway through the night. Automatically self-adjusts to seasonal time changes, reducing maintenance

Reduces light pollution and light trespass concerns

Filtered silicon photocell provides long-term, drift-free light sensing. The infrared blocking polymer filter gives human eye response.

A 2-5 second off-only time delay is provided to avoid turn-off from extraneous light.

**Energy Savings** 

Star Friendly<sup>TM</sup>

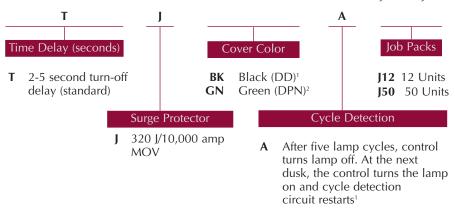
Power consumption: 0.8 watts

Load rating: 1000 watts, 1800 VA ballast

Turn OFF is at middle of the night.

3.6 ounces each

**Examples:** D P N 1 2 4 - 2 . 6 - T J G N J 5 0 D D 1 2 4 - 1 . 5 - T J B K J 1 2



### Notes:

- 1 Available with DD Series, black cover only. Cycle Detection Program is set at factory; program cannot be altered in the field
- 2 DPN Series only



**DPN347** 

# **DX / DUX Shared Features:**

DUX is UL Listed

Silicon light sensor

Complies with ANSI C136.10-1996

MOV surge protection

Long life

Energy efficient

Economical

Six-year warranty

Available in job packs of J12 or J50

Standard 160 joule, 6500 amp MOV

rated for multiple surges

Polypropylene cover, Neoprene

gasket, brass legs, acrylic window base rated for 120°C

Power consumption: 0.5W

Load rating: 1000W, 1800 VA ballast

Sealed relay rated for 5000 operations at full load

3.4 ounces each

-40 to +70°C ambient, up to 90° interface per ANSI

Dielectric strength: 5000V per ANSI





# **Ordering Information**

### Voltage

# **DX Series**

**DX120** 120 volts (105–130)

**DX124** 120/240/277 volts

(105–305)

**DX347** 347 volts (300–400)

**DX480** 480 volts (420–530)

# **DUX Series**

**DUX120** 120 volts (105–130) **DUX124** 120/240/277 volts (105–305)

**DUX347** 347 volts (300–400)

**DUX480** 480 volts (420-530)

# Turn-on Level (ftc)

1 1.2–3 ftc turn-on (standard)

# 2 Sensor

Silicon sensor, time delay (2-5 seconds)

# Cover Color

**Example:** D U X 1 2 4 - 1 2 A J 5 0

A ANSI StandardP Upward facing¹

# Job Packs

**J12** 12 Units **J50** 50 Units

Notes:

1 DX Series only

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# **D Series Classic Features:**

Cadmium sulfide light sensor

Exceeds ANSI C136.10-1996

MOV surge protection

Long life

Energy efficient

Six-year warranty

Available in job packs of J12 or J50

Polypropylene cover, Neoprene gasket, brass legs, acrylic window

Base rated for 120°C

Power consumption: 0.5W

Load rating: 1000W, 1800 VA ballast

Sealed relay rated for 5000 operations at full load

Turn OFF light level is 1.5 times turn ON

3.4 ounces each

-40 to +70°C ambient, Up to 90° interface per ANSI

Dielectric strength: 5000 V per ANSI



# **Ordering Information**

Voltage Turn-on Level (ftc)1 Time Delay (seconds)<sup>1</sup> Surge Protector Cover Color<sup>1</sup> D124 2-5 second turn-off 320 J/10,000 amp **blank** 120/240/277 volts Energy saver (105 - 305)1.5 ANSI standard delay (standard) MOV (standard) IES recommendation BK 2.6 BR MR GR GY Light Sensor Cadmium Sulfide (standard)

Notes:

Other options available, please contact your local sales representative



ANSI standard

Upward facing

Job Packs

**112** 12 Units **J50** 50 Units

color

Black

Brown

Green

Gray

Maroon

**Example:** D 1 2 4 - 1 . 5 - S T J G Y J 5 0

# **D7790 Series Features:**

Silicon light sensor

Complies with ANSI C136.10-1996

Two-year warranty

Standard 190 joule, 4500 amp MOV

Polypropylene cover, Neoprene gasket, brass legs, acrylic window

Base rated for 120°C

Power consumption: 0.5W at 120 VAC

Load rating: 1000W, 1800 VA ballast

Sealed relay rated for 5000 operations at full load

Instant turn on and off

Turn on is  $1.5 \pm 0.5$  ftc, turn off is 1.5 times turn on

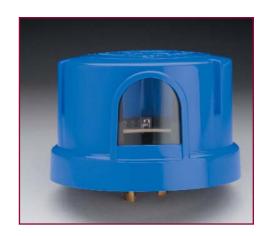
3.4 ounces each

Available in job packs of J50 only

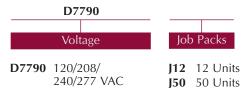
-40 to +70°C ambient, Up to 90° interface per ANSI

Dielectric strength: 5000 V per ANSI

D7790 is a replacement for many industry standard photocontrols



# **Ordering Information**



**Example:** D 7 7 9 0 J 5 0

# **DBE Features:**

Electronic wire-in button photocontrol
Instant turn-on, standard 5-10 second turn-off time delay
Filtered silicon light sensor
UL and CSA Listed models available
Voltages 120–347
Complies with ANSI C136.24
Long life
Low maintenance
Six-year warranty



# **Ordering Information**

Available in job packs of J12 only

Voltage

**DBE120** 120 volts (105–130) **DBE240** 208/240/277 volts

(200–305) **DBE347** 347 volts (300–400)

1.5
Turn-on Level (ftc)

**1.5** ANSI (standard)

Time Delay

T 5-10 second turn-off delay (standard) **Example:** D B E 1 2 0 - 1 . 5 - T J 1 2

Job Packs

**J12** 12 Units

Notes:

1 Other options available, please contact your local sales representative



# **DUR Features:**

Mounting adapter for photocontrol

DUR103 is for use with pole, wall or frame mounting, and is rotatable

Available in job packs of J6 only

Meets NEMA and ANSI Standards

Comes standard with mounting bracket, and cup and locknut.

Replaces M2A, AM2A, S476-71

DUR103 is UL Listed

**Example:** D U R - 1 0 3 J 6

Mechanical					
Mounting Bracket	Hot galvanized steel or aluminum				
Leads	14" gauge, 14" long. Red = load, Black = line. White = common. Rated 105°C				
Cup	Rotating polycarbonate cup with locknut				
Electrical					
Rating	15 amp				



# **Shorting and Open Caps**

For luminaires where lights are to be on continuously (shorting cap) or left off (open cap). Exceeds ANSI C136.10-1996

Description	Cover Color	Catalog Number
Shorting cap	Black	D-SHORT-SBK J6
Shorting cap 320J, MOV surge protection	Black	D-SHORT-VBK J6
Open cap	Red	D-OPEN-SRD J6



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# Frequently Ordered Numbers

# **DP Series**

DP124-1.5-TJ J50

DP124-1.5-TJGY J50

DP124-1.5-TJBK J50

DP124-1.5-1704 J50

DP124-1.5-TJ J50

DP124-8.0-1790 J50

# **DE Series**

DE124-1.5-TJBK J50

DE124-1.5-TJBR J50

DE124-1.5-TJGY J50

DE124-1.5-TJU J50

DE480-1.5-TJ J50

# **DX Series**

DX120-12A J50

DX124-12A J50

# **D** Series

D7790 J50

D124-1.5-STJ J50

# **DBE Series**

DBE120-1.5-T J12

**DUR Series** 

DUR-103 J6

# **Shorting Cap**

D-SHORT-SBK J50

D-OPEN-SRD J50









