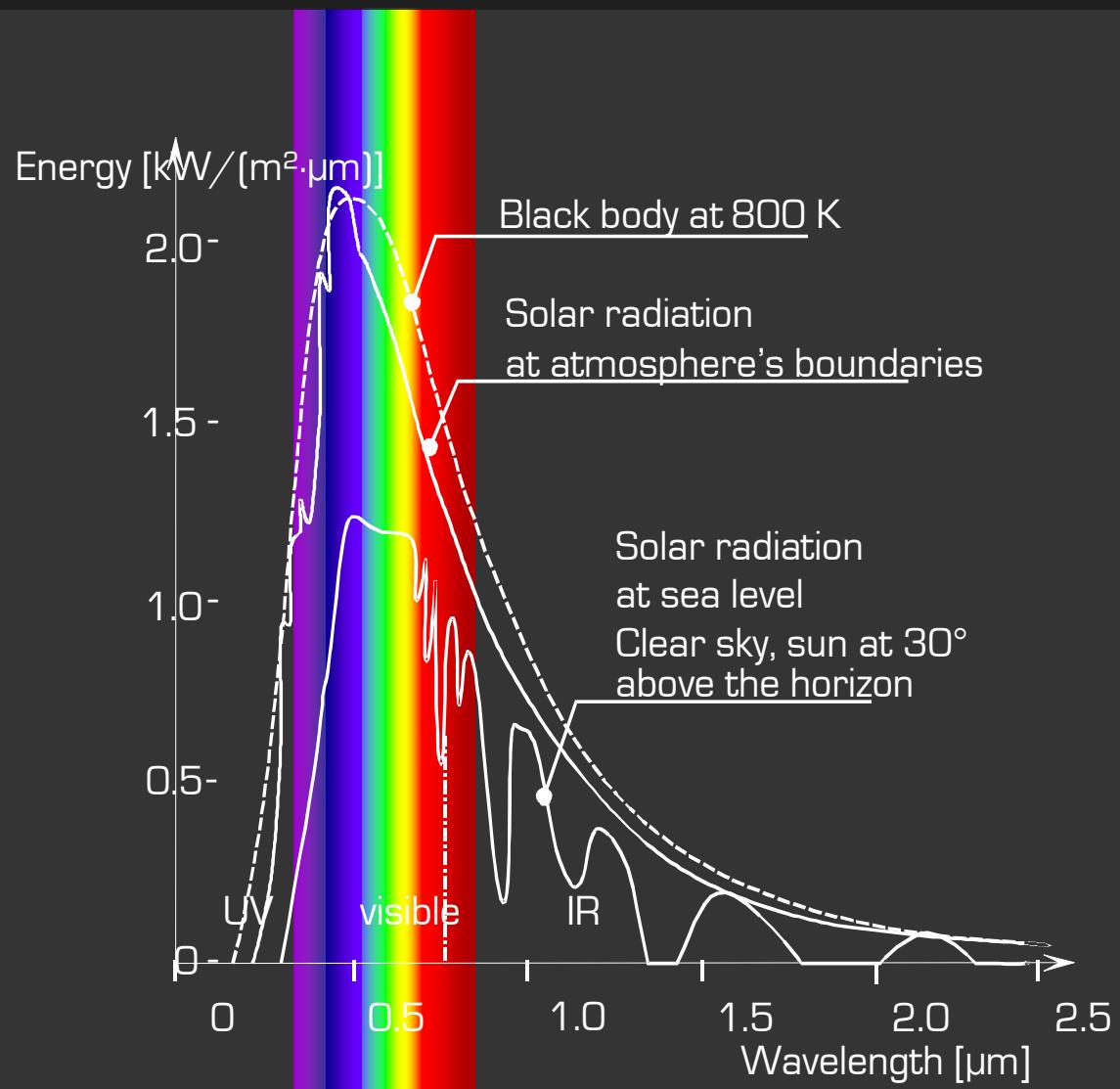


What is light ?

- ▶ Dual nature: wave and particles
 - electromagnetic theory, quantum theory, unified theory
- ▶ Visual sensation
- ▶ Electronic process

Solar radiation



Solar radiation

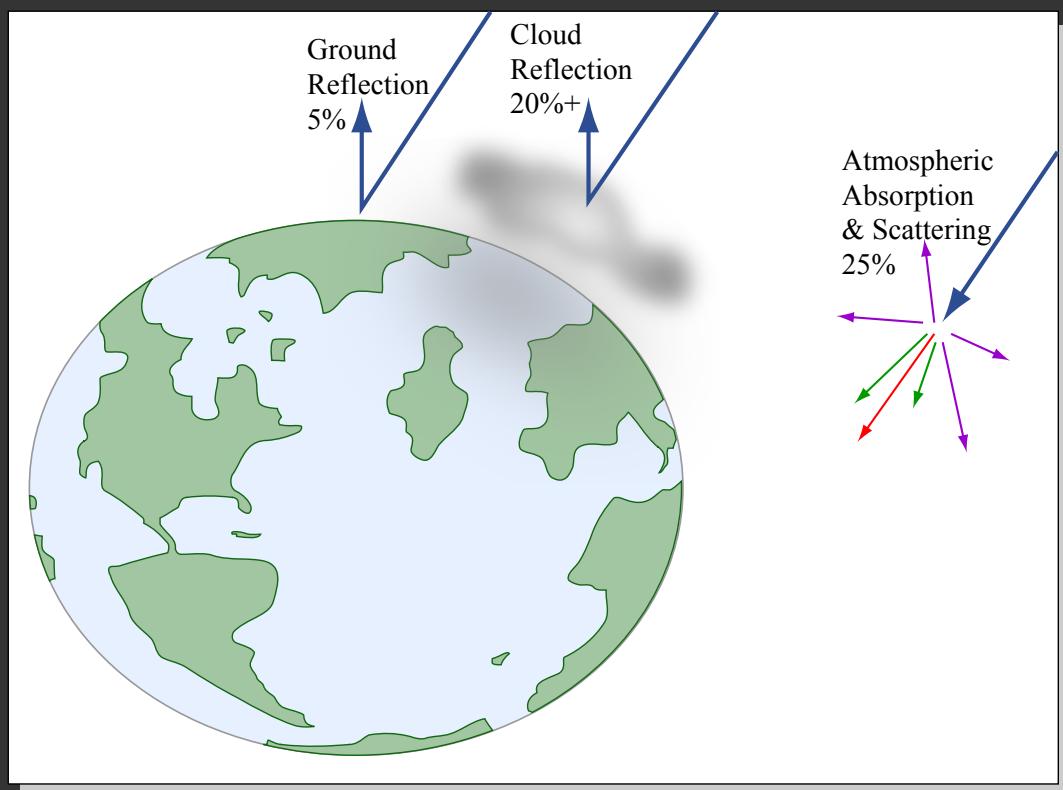
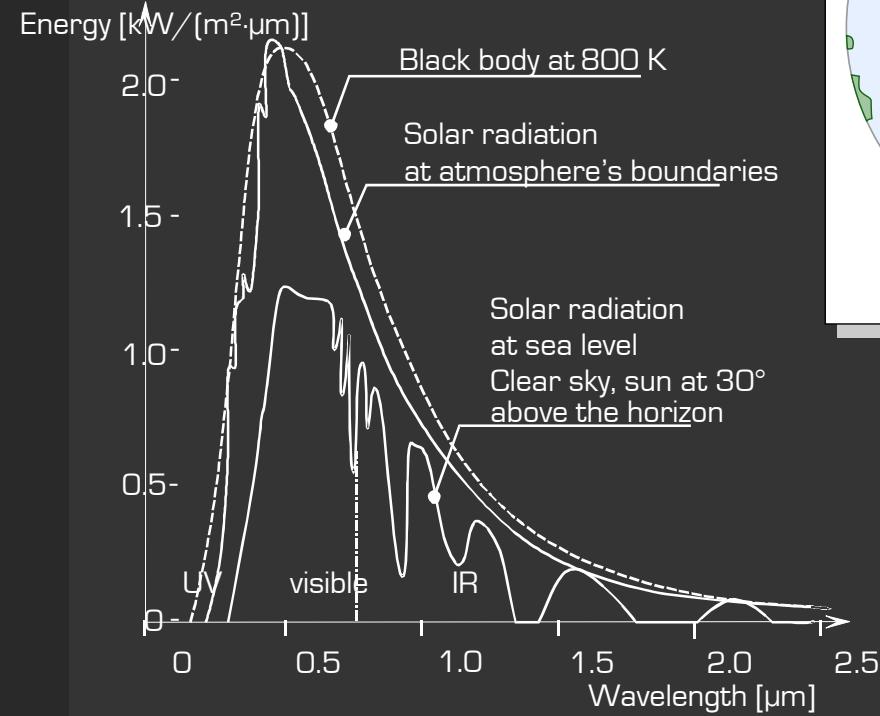


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Blackbody radiation

- ▶ Radiation only dependent on T°
- ▶ Theoretical object
 - energy emitted is reabsorbed
 - maximal power radiation
- ▶ Stefan-Boltzmann law
 - radiated power per unit area = σT^4

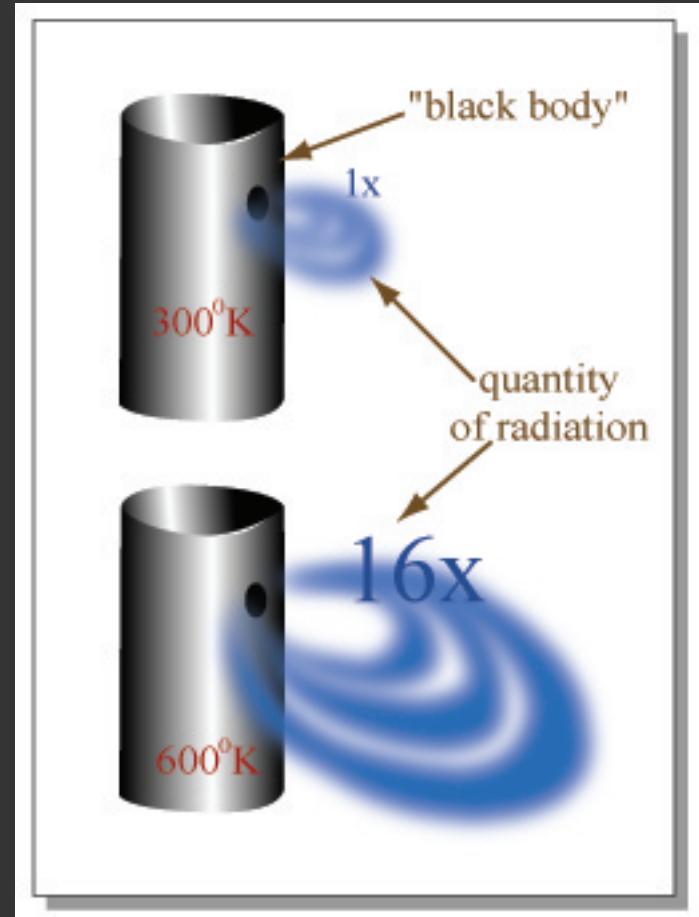
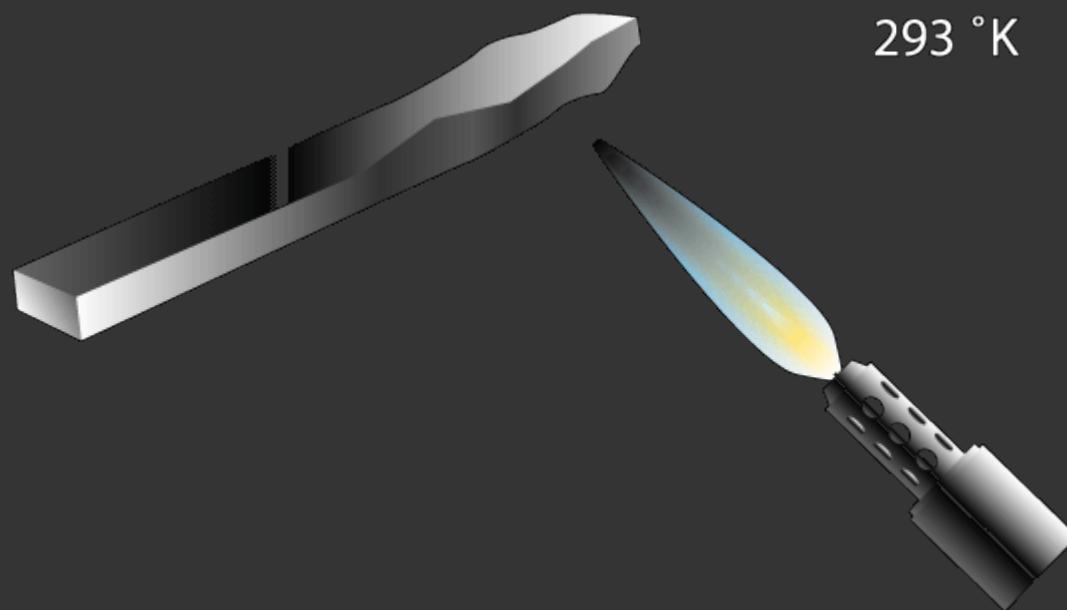


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Color temperature

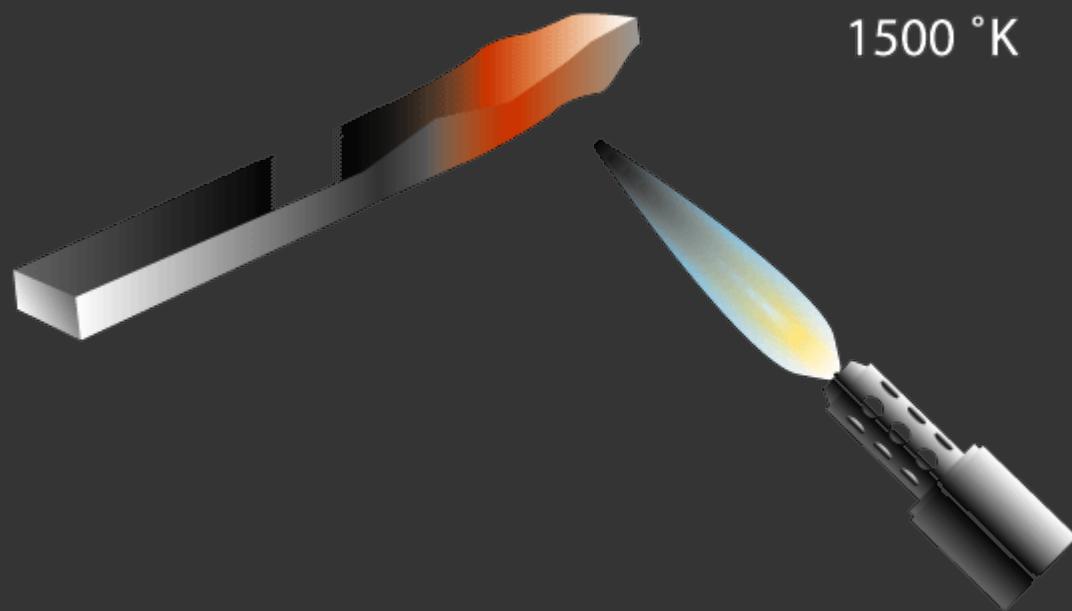


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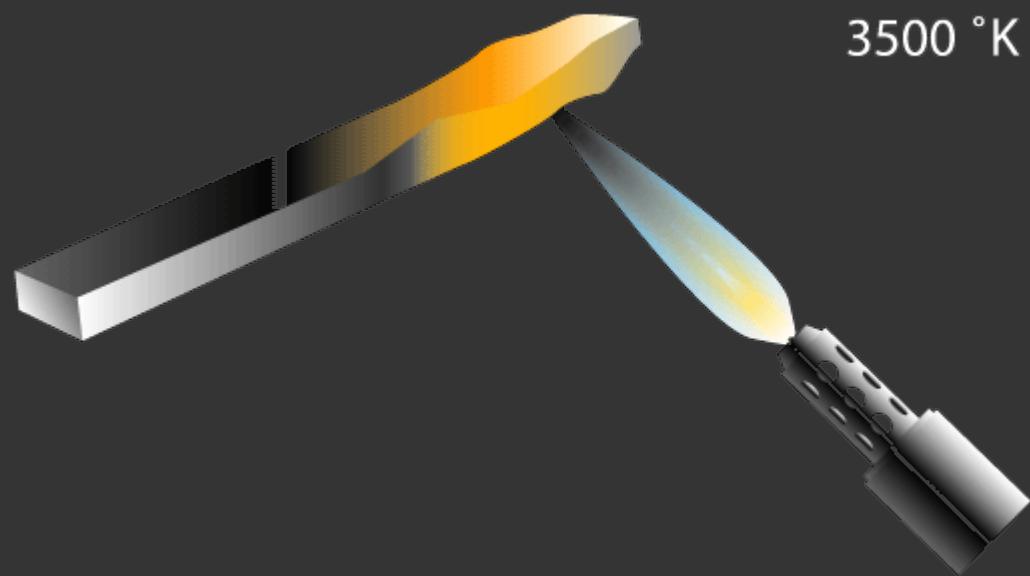
293 °K

Color temperature



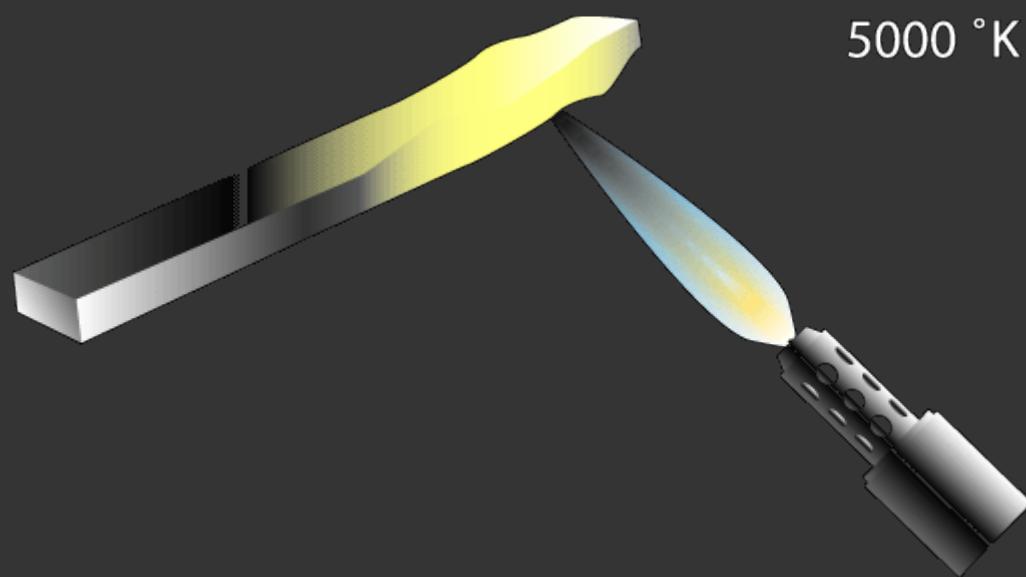
1500 °K

Color temperature



3500 °K

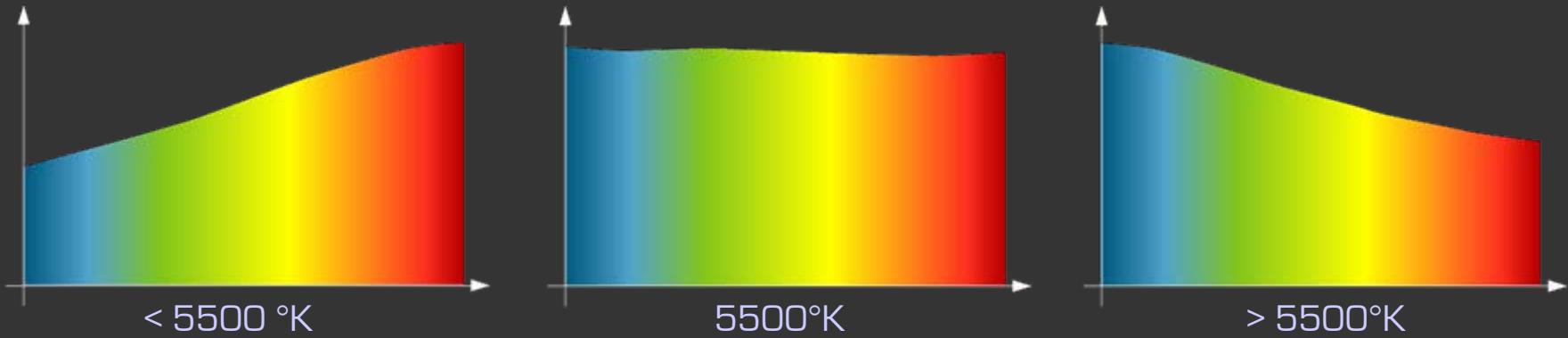
Color temperature



5000 °K

Color temperature

► Color temperature and visible emission



► Source requirements

- continuous spectrum
- color $T^\circ \approx 5500 \text{ } ^\circ\text{K}$
- only fulfilled by daylight

Color temperature

► Color comfort

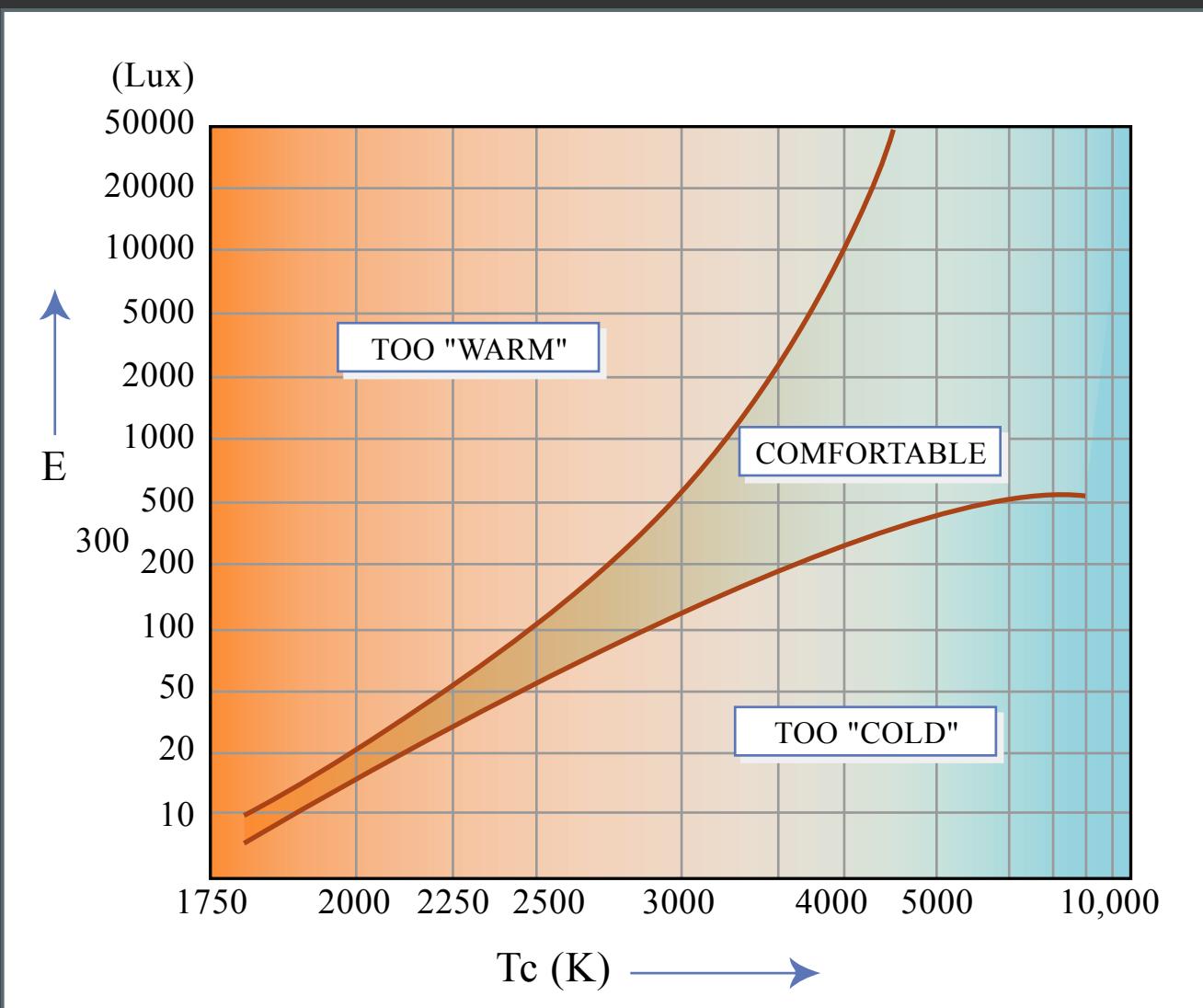


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Sun course

- ▶ Earth's orbit
 - seasons

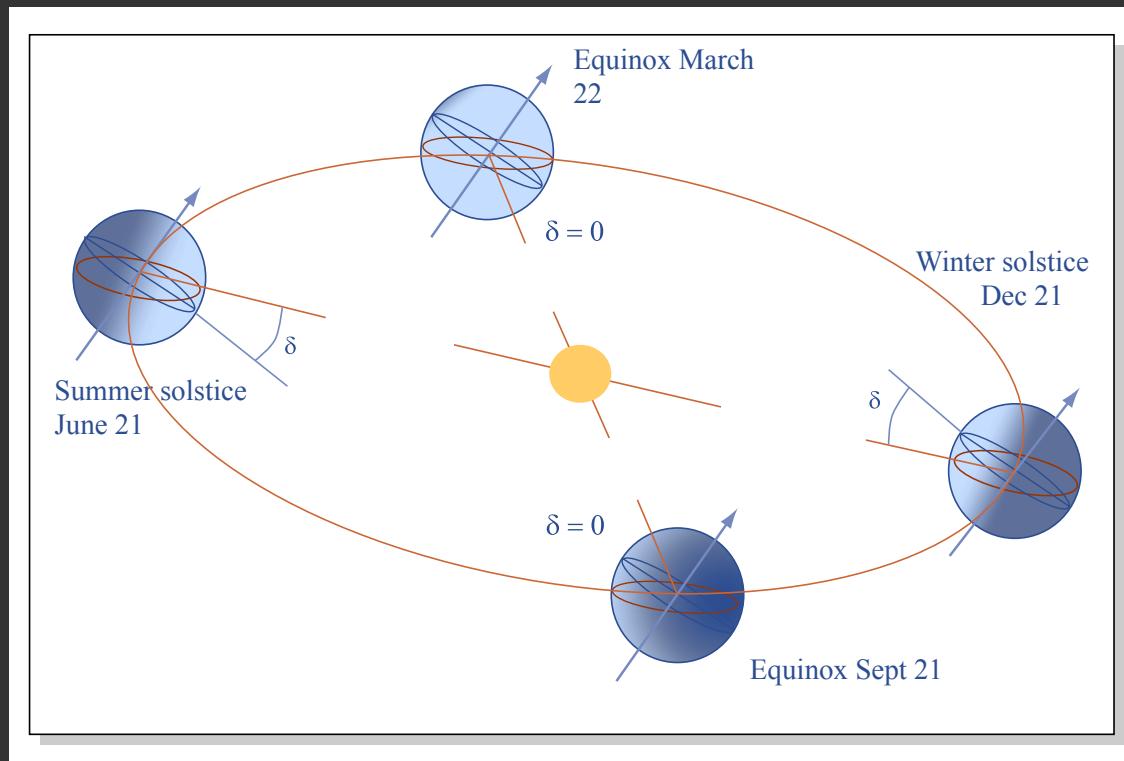


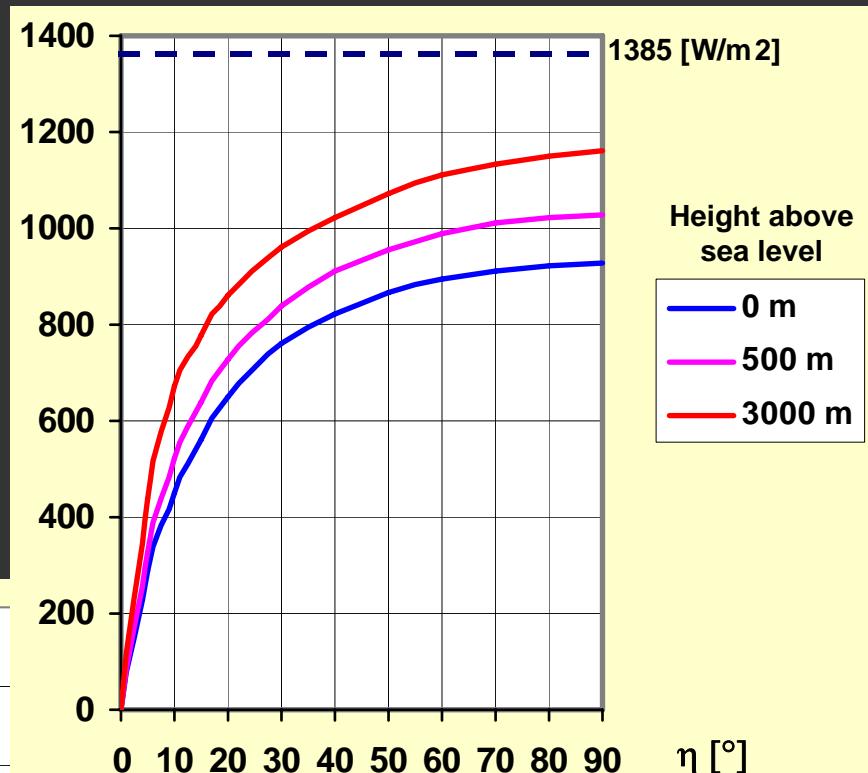
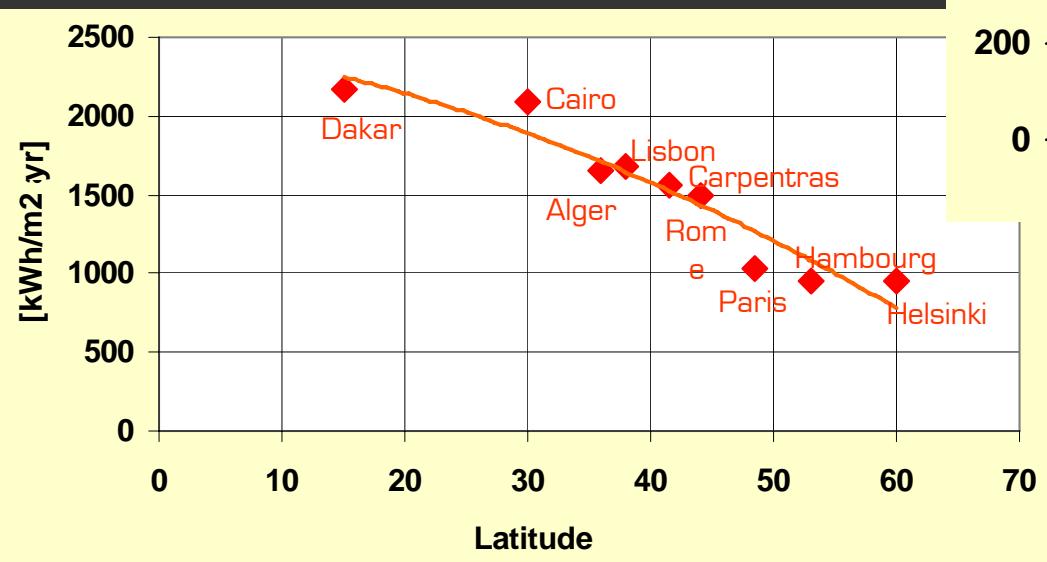
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Sun course

► Earth's orbit

■ seasons

latitude and elevation's impact



Sun course

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■ seasons

latitude and elevation's impact

earth's inertia

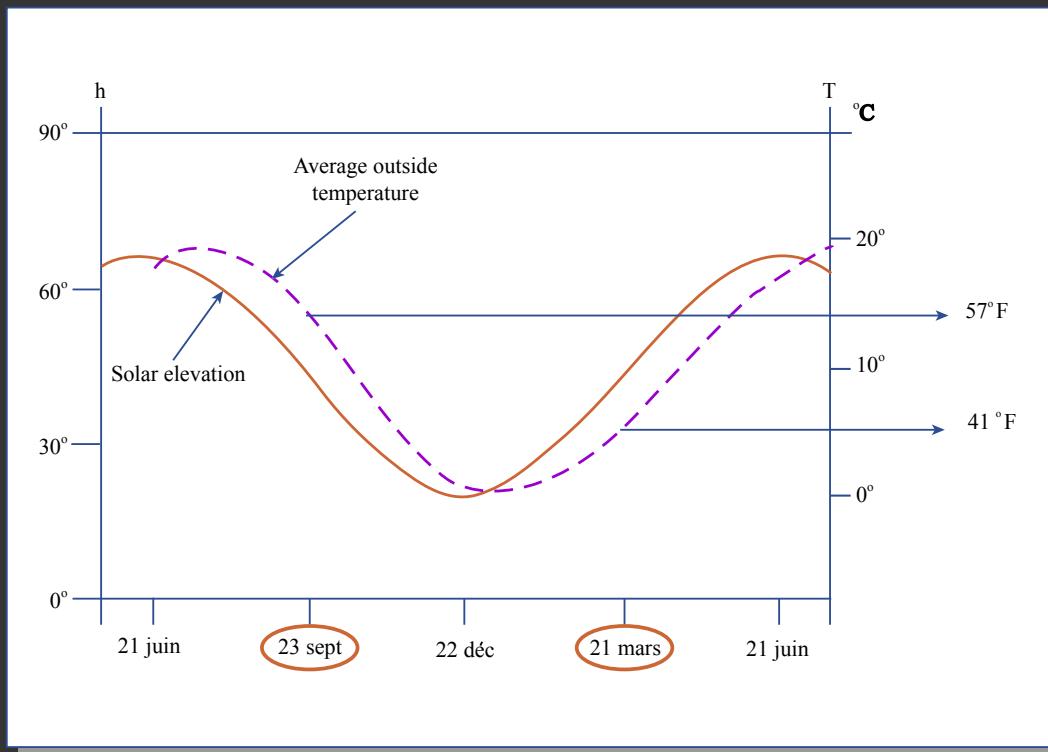


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Sun course

► Earth's orbit

- seasons
- day
- solar time
 - speed on elliptic orbit
 - geocentric declination

$$H_{\text{solar}} = H^{\text{legal}} - \Delta H \dots$$

[min]

Sun course

► Earth's orbit

- seasons
- day
- solar time
 - speed on elliptic orbit
 - geocentric declination
 - longitude & time zone

$$H_{\text{solar}} = H^{\text{legal}} - \Delta H + 4L - F$$

[min] [min] [min]

L = longitude [°]

F = 60 x nb hours difference
with Greenwich in winter

Sun charts

► Apparent movement of the sun

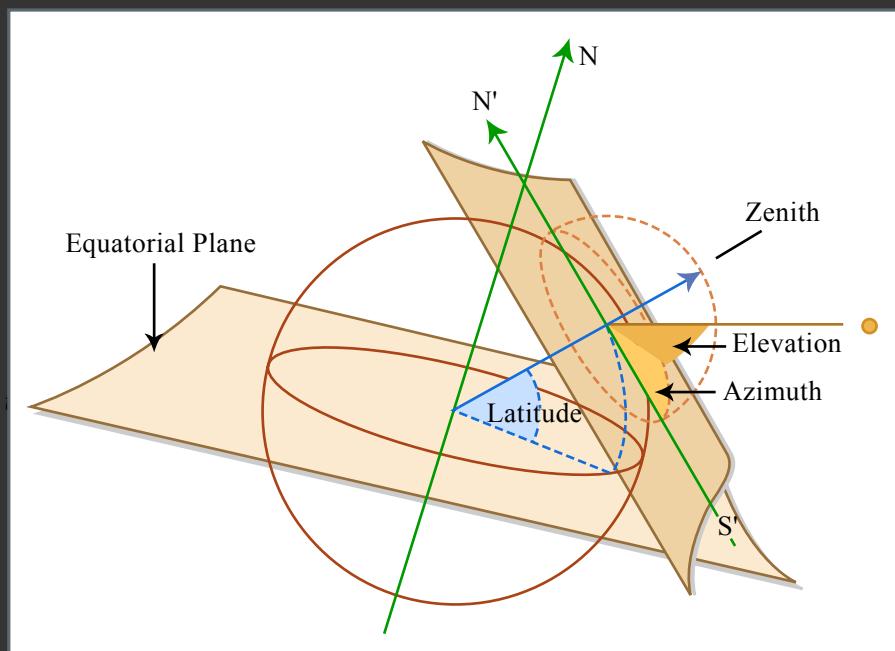
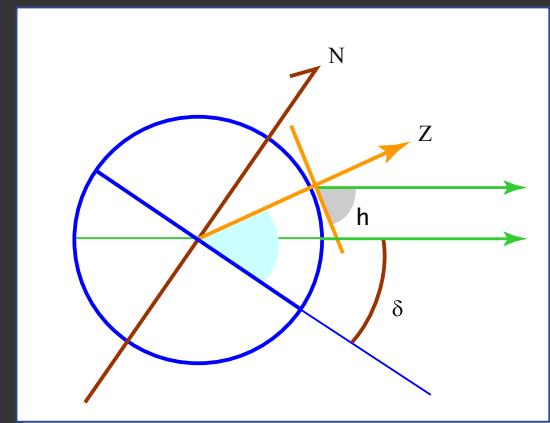
- lococentric (local) referential

elevation η \leftrightarrow latitude L

azimuth ϕ \leftrightarrow declination δ

solar time H^{solar}

$$\eta_{\text{noon}} = 90^\circ - L + \delta$$



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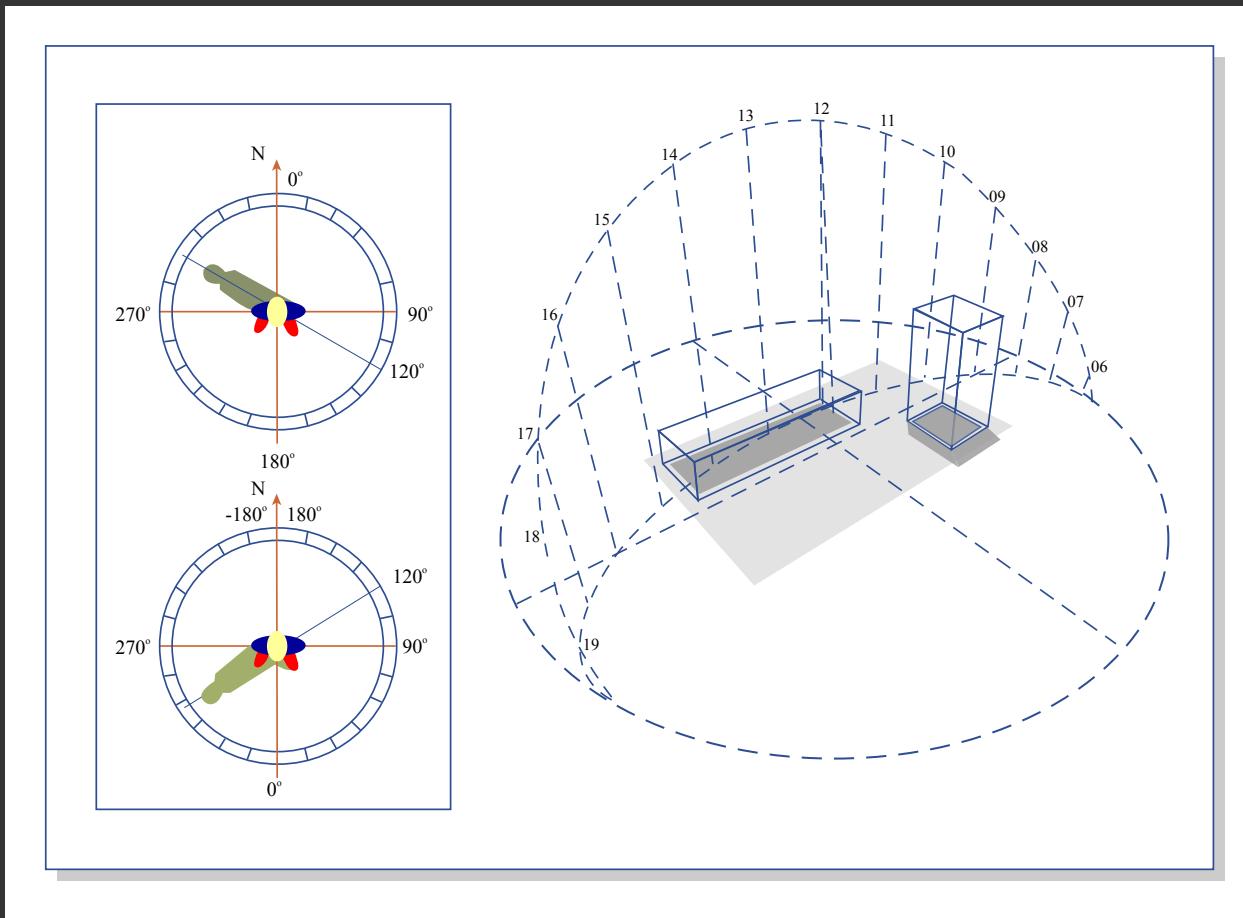


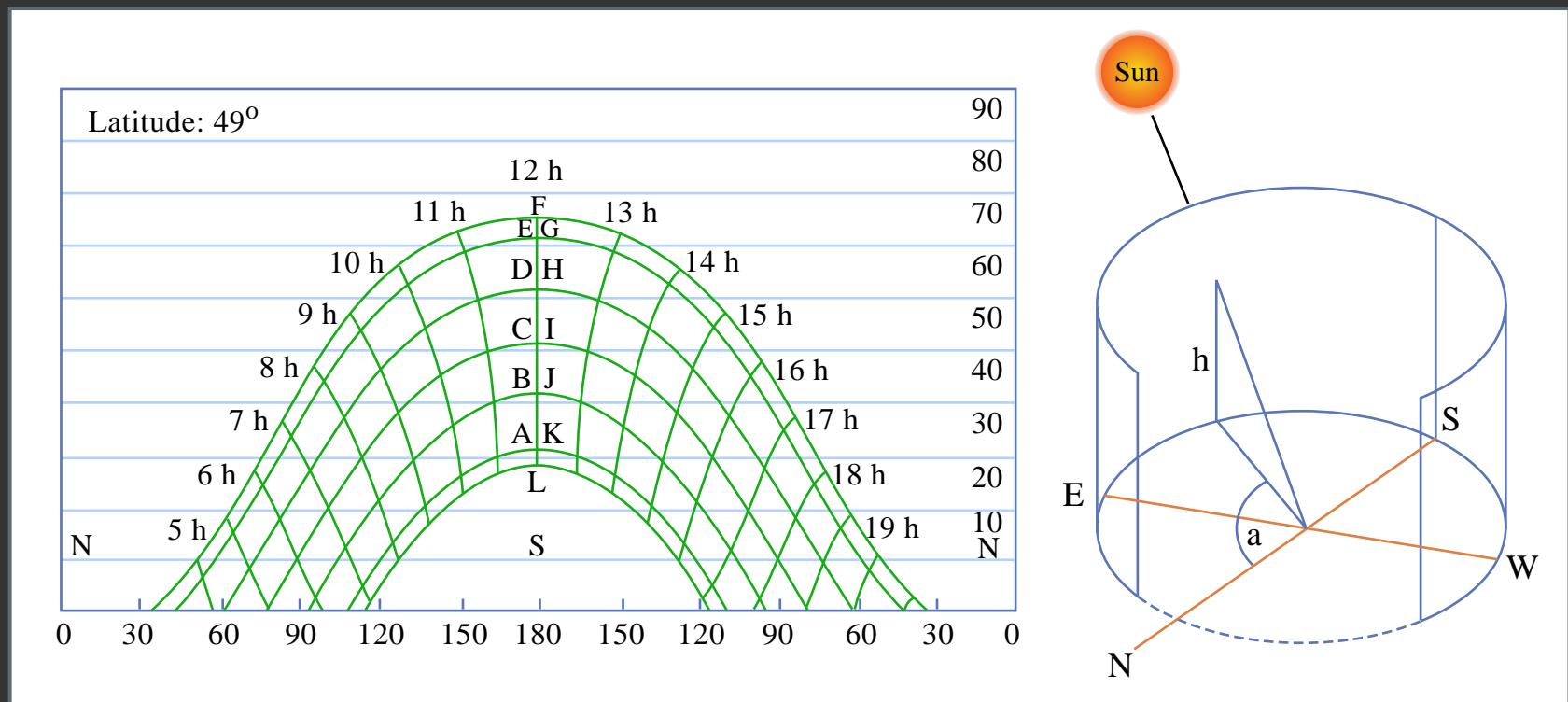
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Sun charts

► Apparent movement of the sun

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cylindrical projection



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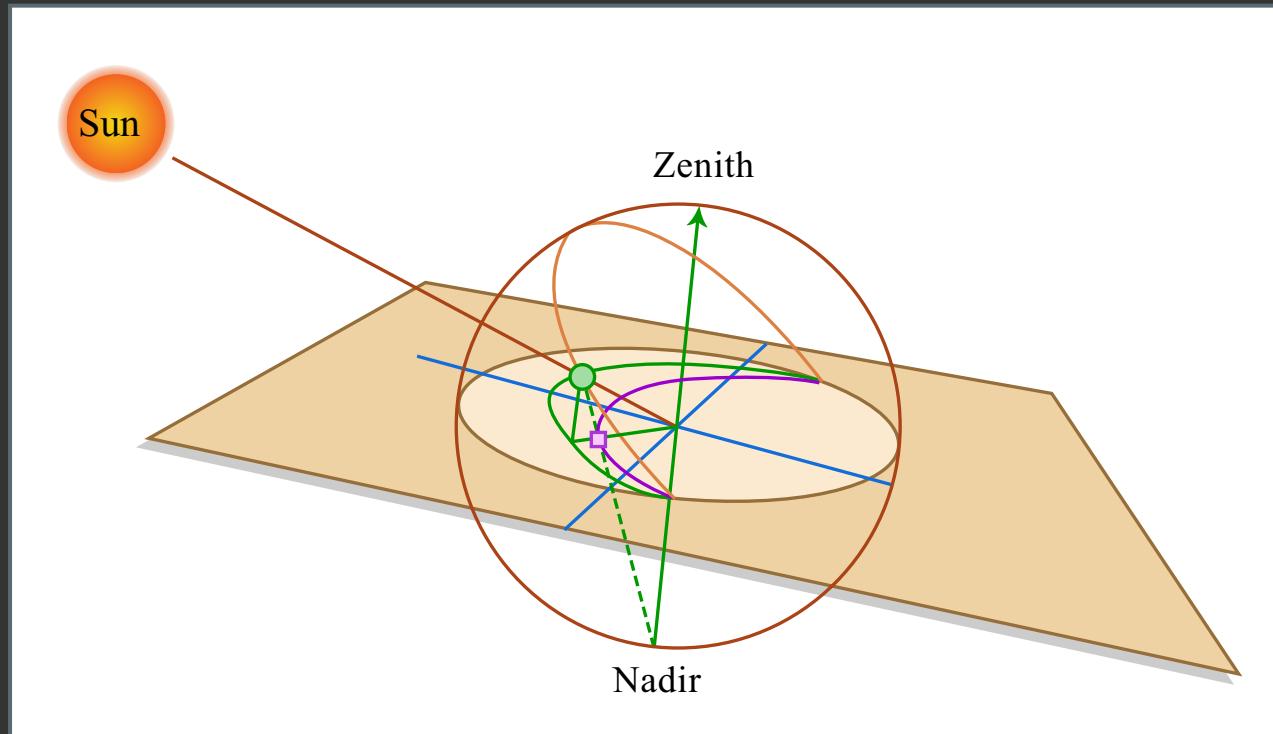


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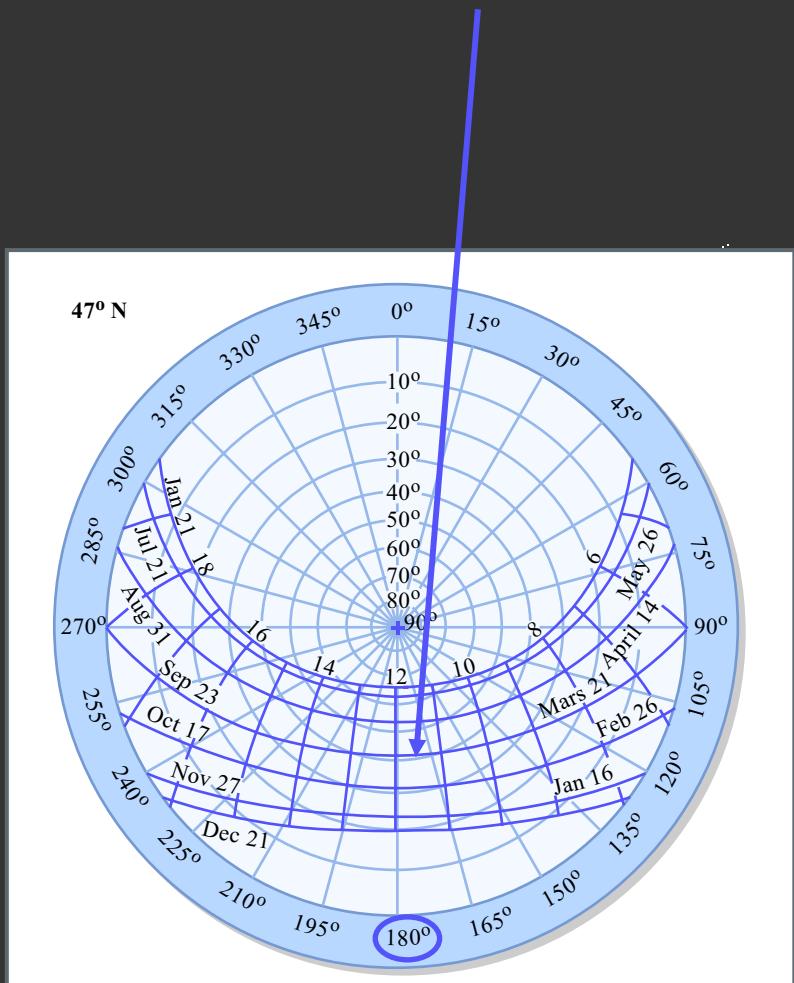
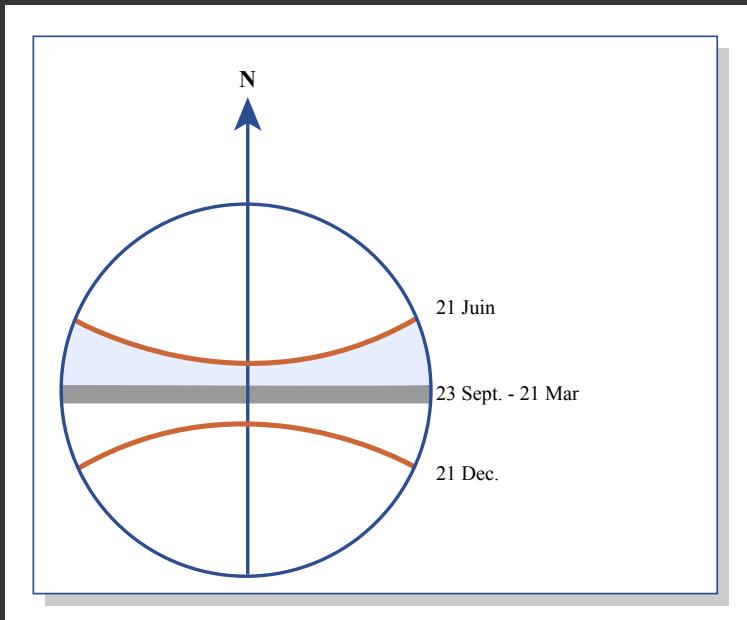
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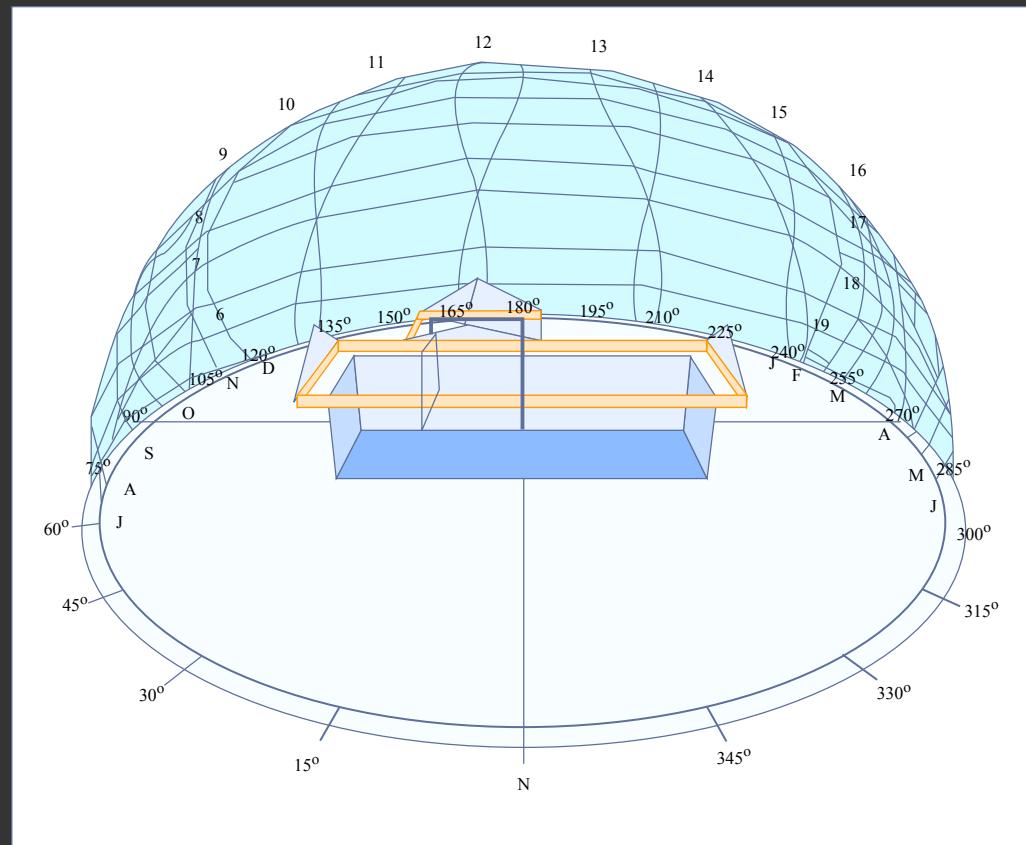


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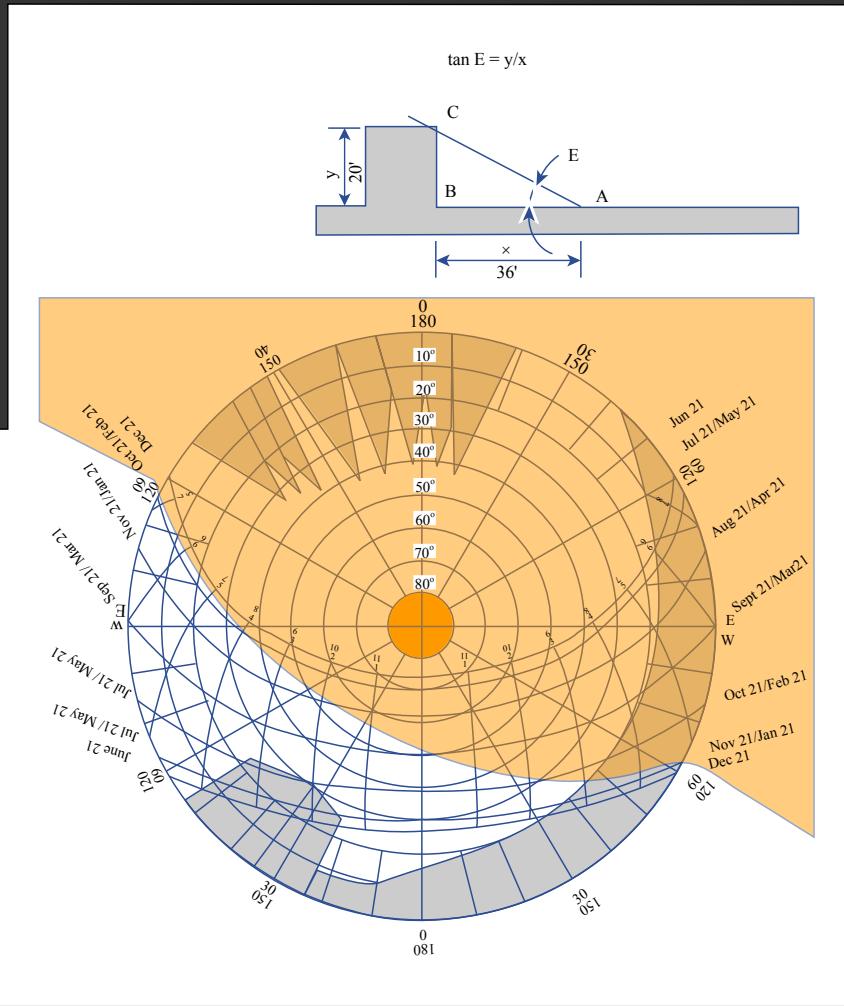
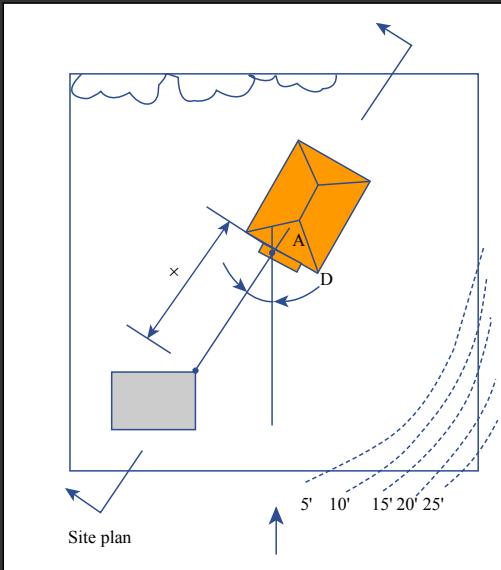


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Solar radiation and sun course

► Readings relevant to lecture topics:

- "Heating Cooling Lighting" by Lechner: § 6.1 - 6.13
- "Sun Wind Light" by Brown & DeKay: § 1 - 6 in Chap 1A
- "The IESNA Lighting Handbook" by M.S. Rea (Ed.): pp. 1.1 - 1.5
- "Introduction to Architectural Science" by Szokolay: § 1.3.1