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Light degradation (%)	very small, 5%(2000hrs)	bigger, 40%(2000hrs)	Big, 30%(2000hrs)	Very big, 45% (2000hrs)
Light temperature	Very low, <80°C, save air- conditioning power consumption	High, >300 °C, increase airconditioning power consumption	High, >350 °C, increase air- conditioning power consumption	Very high, >300 °C, increase air- conditioning power consumption
Color rendering	>80, excellent	65~90, good	60, poor	45, poorer
warm start	instant start	No	No	No
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Dazzle	no	yes	yes	yes
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