

Table 3: The Sun's Daily Position

Using this table

This presentation is as accurate as any table constructed from the principle that the Sun moves 1 degree per day can be. In fact, the Sun moves slightly less than this which is why there are 365 days in the year and not 360.

On certain days, this table which does not include minutes of arc, suggests that the Sun is stationary, but, obviously, this is not the case. This situation is created by the Sun occupying the earliest minutes of the degree on one day and very last minutes on the next. If you have access to an ephemeris, you may want to check out the precise situation for individual years of particular significance to you.

You are also advised to fill in the blanks in the declinations column by simply carrying down the last figure given before the space. This will help create an association with the tables.

This table commences at the Spring Equinox, as is customary for astrological tables.

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement	Aligned with constellation (+5 degrees then - 30 degrees)	Sun's declination	Comments
March 21st	0 degrees	Aries			0 degrees North	Start of Sidereal Year; Spring Equinox
22nd	1					
23rd	2				1	
24th	3					
25th	4					
26th	5				2	
27th	6					
28th	7				3	
29th	8					
30th	9					
31st	10				4	
April 1st	11					
2nd	12				5	
3rd	13					
4th	14					
5th	15				6	
6th	16					
7th	17					
8th	18				7	
9th	19					
10th	20				8	
11th	21					
12th	22					
13th	23				9	
14th	25					
15th	25				10	
16th	26					
17th	27					
18th	28					
19th	29				11	

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then - 30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
April 20th	0 degrees	Taurus			11 degrees North	
21st	1					
22nd	2				12	
23rd	3					
24th	4					
25th	5				13	
26th	6					
27th	7					
28th	8				14	
29th	9					
30th	10					
May 1st	10				15	
2nd	11					
3rd	12					
4th	13				16	
5th	14					
6th	15					
7th	16				17	
8th	17					
9th	18					
10th	19					
11th	20				18	
12th	21					
13th	22					
14th	23					
15th	24					
16th	25				19	
17th	26					
18th	27					
19th	28					
20th	29				20	

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
May 21st	0 degrees	Gemini			20 degrees North	
22nd	1					
23rd	2					
24th	3					
25th	4				21	
26th	5					
27th	6					
28th	7					
29th	8					
30th	9					
31st	10					
June 1st	10				22	
2nd	11					
3rd	12					
4th	13					
5th	14					
6th	15					
7th	16					
8th	17					
9th	18					
10th	19					
11th	20				23	
12th	21					
13th	22					
14th	23					
15th	24					
16th	25					
17th	26					
18th	27					
19th	28					
20th	29					
21st	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement(+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
23rd	0 degrees	Cancer			23 degrees N	Summer Solstice; Sun at maximum northerly declination
24th	1					
25th	2					
26th	3					
27th	4					
28th	5					
29th	6					
30th	7					
July 1st	8					
2nd	9				22	
3rd	10					
4th	11					
5th	12					
6th	13					
7th	14					
8th	15					
9th	16					
10th	17					
11th	18					
12th	19				21	
13th	20					
14th	21					
15th	22					
16th	23					
17th	24					
18th	25					
19th	26				20	
20th	27					
21st	28					
22nd	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
July 23rd	0 degrees	Leo			20 degrees North	
24th	1				19	
25th	2					
26th	3					
27th	4					
28th	5				18	
29th	6					
30th	7					
31st	8					
August 1st	9				17	
2nd	10					
3rd	10					
4th	11				16	
5th	12					
6th	13					
7th	14					
8th	15					
9th	16				15	
10th	17					
11th	18					
12th	19				14	
13th	20					
14th	21					
15th	22					
16th	23				13	
17th	24					
18th	25				12	
19th	26					
20th	27					
21st	28					
22nd	29				11	

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
August 23rd	0 degrees	Virgo			11 degrees North	
24th	1					
25th	2				10	
26th	3					
27th	4					
28th	5				9	
29th	6					
30th	7				8	
31st	8					
Sept1st	9					
2nd	10				7	
3rd	10					
4th	11					
5th	12				6	
6th	13					
7th	14				5	
8th	15					
9th	16					
10th	17				4	
11th	18					
12th	19					
13th	20				3	
14th	21					
15th	22				2	
16th	23					
17th	24				1	
18th	25					
19th	26					
20th	27					
21st	28				0	
22nd	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement(+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Sept 23rd	0 degrees	Libra			0 degrees S	Autumn Equinox; Sun moves into southern hemisphere
24th	1					
25th	2					
26th	3				1	
27th	4					
28th	5				2	
29th	6					
30th	7					
Oct 1st	8				3	
2nd	9					
3rd	10				4	
4th	11					
5th	12					
6th	13				5	
7th	14					
8th	15				6	
9th	16					
10th	17					
11th	18				7	
12th	19					
13th	20				8	
14th	21					
15th	21					
16th	22					
17th	23				9	
18th	24					
19th	25				10	
20th	26					
21st	27					
22nd	28				11	

23rd	29					
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Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Oct 24th	0 degrees	Scorpio			11 degrees South	
25th	1				12	
26th	2					
27th	3					
28th	4				13	
29th	5					
30th	6					
31st	7				14	
Nov 1st	8					
2nd	9					
3rd	10				15	
4th	11					
5th	12					
6th	13				16	
7th	14					
8th	15					
9th	16				17	
10th	17					
11th	18					
12th	19				18	
13th	20					
14th	21					
15th	22					
16th	23					
17th	24				19	
18th	26					
19th	27					
20th	28					
21st	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Nov. 22nd	0 degrees	Sagittarius			20 degrees South	
23rd	1					
24th	2					
25th	3					
26th	4					
27th	5				21	
28th	6					
29th	7					
30th	8					
Dec 1st	9					
2nd	10				22	
3rd	11					
4th	12					
5th	13					
6th	14					
7th	15					
8th	16					
9th	17					
10th	18					
11th	19				23	
12th	20					
13th	21					
14th	22					
15th	23					
16th	24					
17th	25					
18th	26					
19th	27					
20th	28					
21st	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Dec. 22nd	0 degrees	Capricorn			23 degrees South	Winter Solstice; Sun at maximum southerly declination
23rd	1					
24th	2					
25th	3					
26th	4					
27th	5					
28th	6					
29th	7					
30th	8					
31st	9					
Jan 1st	10				22	
2nd	11					
3rd	12					
4th	13					
5th	14					
6th	15					
7th	16					
8th	17					
9th	18					
10th	19					
11th	20				21	
12th	21					
13th	22					
14th	23					
15th	24					
16th	25				20	
17th	26					
18th	27					
19th	28					
20th	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement (+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Jan. 20th	0 degrees	Aquarius			20 degrees South	
21st	1				19	
22nd	2					
23rd	3					
24th	4					
25th	5				18	
26th	6					
27th	7					
28th	8					
29th	9				17	
30th	10					
31st	11					
Feb 1st	12					
2nd	13				16	
3rd	14					
4th	15					
5th	16				15	
6th	17					
7th	18					
8th	19				14	
9th	20					
10th	21					
11th	22				13	
12th	23					
13th	24					
14th	25				12	
15th	26					
16th	27					
17th	28				11	
18th	29					

Date	Sun's longitudinal position	Zodiacal sign	Sun's Sidereal placement(+5degrees then -30 degrees)	Aligned with constellation	Sun's declination	Comments
Feb 19th	0 degrees	Pisces			11 degrees South	
20th	1				10	
21st	2					
22nd	3					
23rd	4				9	
24th	5					
25th	6					
26th	7				8	
27th	8					
28th	9				7	
29th	10					
March 1st	10					
2nd	11					
3rd	12				6	
4th	13					
5th	14					
6th	15				5	
7th	16					
8th	17				4	
9th	18					
10th	19					
11th	20				3	
12th	21					
13th	22				2	
14th	23					
15th	24					
16th	25				1	
17th	26					
18th	27				0	
19th	28					
20th	29					