The following date code applies to lamps branded with the stamp shown on specifications SII-CL-002 and SII-CL-003.

The date code is made up of an upper and lower row of dots, which are for the month and year respectively and a dash over the letter W (for watts) which indicates the first half of the year.

The arrangement is as follows:

**Upper row of dots:**
- 6 dots: January or July
- 5 dots: February or August
- 4 dots: March or September
- 3 dots: April or October
- 2 dots: May or November
- 1 dot: June or December

**Lower row of dots:**
- 5 dots: 1971
- 4 dots: 1972
- 3 dots: 1973
- 2 dots: 1974
- 1 dot: 1975

First half of any year with the dash over the letter W.
Second half of any year without the dash over the letter W.

The date code is made up of an upper row of 6 dots, and lower row of 5 dots and a dash - as shown.

Upper row denotes month of manufacture.
Lower row denotes year of manufacture, dash representing the 1st half of the year, dash removed - 2nd half of year.

The group of 4 dots represents the week of manufacture.

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The first half of any year includes the "dash".

Group of 4 dots:
- 4 dots - First week of factory month
- 3 dots - Second week of factory month
- 2 dots - Third week of factory month
- 1 dot - Fourth week of factory month
- 0 dots - Fifth week of factory month