# How to trigger Jenkins downstream build job with a delay?

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From the `test-upstream` Pipeline job, I call `test-downstream` as below:

```
build job: "test-downstream", parameters: [[$class: 'LabelParameterValue', name:
'computer', label: env.NODE_NAME]]
```

it works, but is there a way to delay the start, or schedule it to run 30 minutes later?

Looking for something like:

```
build job: "test-downstream", delayStart: 30m, parameters: [[$class:
'LabelParameterValue', name: 'computer', label: env.NODE_NAME]]
```

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`quietPeriod: <number in seconds>` is the parameter I was looking for, it works!

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```
quietPeriod (optional)
Optional alternate quiet period (in seconds) before building. If unset, defaults to
the quiet period defined by the downstream project (or finally to the system-wide
default quiet period).
```

Reference - https://www.jenkins.io/doc/pipeline/steps/pipeline-build-step/

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