UVA/UVB PROTECTION BY INGREDIENT

UV TYPE WAVELENGTH 320-400 nanometers

(Longest UV wavelength; penetrates deepest layers of skin; plays key role in aging; can lead to skin cancer)

290-320 nanometers

Padimate 0 (Octyldimethyl PABA),

BLOCKERS / ABSORBERS *

Avobenzone

(Parsol 1789),

zinc oxide, and

ecamsule (mexoryl)

BLOCK UVA and UVB

(PHYSICAL BLOCKERS)*

Octocrylene, titanium dioxide

and zinc oxide

(Mid-range of UV; responsible for burning, tanning, acceleration of aging; plays key role in development of skin cancer) homosalate, octisalate, and octinoxate

* Active ingredients listed are those approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for this purpose.

UVB

UVA