

#### THE GLOBAL SOLAR ULTRAVIOLET INDEX



**EXTREME** 

VERY HIGH

HIGH

11+

10

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7

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### Be extra careful outdoors!

Lighter skin will burn in minutes without protection. Avoid exposure from 10:00 to 4:00 and shield skin and eyes.

# UV levels are dangerous.

A change in skin color means UV radiation has damaged your skin. White sand and water increase your UV exposure.

## Sunburn can happen quickly.

Children are especially sensitive to UV exposure. Cover up, use sunscreen, and play in the shade.

# It may *seem* safe but....

Up to 80% of solar UV radiation can penetrate light cloud cover. Use UV-blocking sunglasses and protect your skin.

# Always protect yourself from the sun.

Even with a low index rating, you can be overexposed. On a sunny day, snow reflects enough UV radiation to damage eyes and skin.

MODERATE 5

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