

Choosing the Correct DHA %

When you go out in the sun how long does it typically take before you burn?

Type 1 Skin	<p>Rarely tans, if so it takes a lot of work, tan is a light beige or just pink. Always burns easily, burns in less than 15 min, face is sun sensitive and burns very easily, Normally has freckles. When you burn you have pain, blistering, peeling, redness. You will not see a suntan immediately after UV exposure. (within 24 hours)</p>	<p>Revive 7% (Light), Tan Extraordinaire 5%, Rapid Tan 2 hr</p>
Type 2 Skin	<p>Can tan lightly, takes work, usually burns easily within 15 – 25 minutes, face burns easily When you burn you have pain, peeling, and redness. You will not normally see a UV tan immediately after UV exposure (within 24 hours)</p>	<p>Revive 7% (Light), Tan Extraordinaire 5% or 8%, Rapid Tan 2-4 hrs</p>
Type 3 Skin	<p>Tans easily but still can burn but not super easy. Your tan turns to a light to medium brown. Most common skin type in the US. You may have some freckles. Usually you will see a tan right after tanning (within 24 hours). Tan color is usually beige or light brown. Face can burn in the sun. Body takes 25-40 min in the sun before burning. (if you have no tan) If you burn you get pinkness, some redness, and some peeling.</p>	<p>Revive 9% (Medium), Tan Extraordinaire 8% or 10%, Rapid Tan 4 hrs</p>
Type 4 Skin	<p>Tans easily, burns rarely. No freckles. A few hours in the sun and you are very tan, not generally burned. It is much easier for you to tan, and tan darkly quickly compared to a type 3. Always sees a tan after tanning (within 24 hours). Tan color is usually brown to olive. Face rarely burns in the sun. Body Takes more than 40 minutes in the sun before burning. If you burn you never peel, rarely get red.</p>	<p>Revive 9-11% (Medium – Dark), Tan Extraordinaire 10% or 12%, Rapid Tan 6 hrs</p>

Please remember, choosing a higher DHA% and thinking you will be darker or browner does not always work. Off color development (orange), rapid and uneven fade off, crackled fading, dryness can result.

It is always better to apply a lower concentration product if you are unsure. If your resulting tan is too light **after 24 hours**, you may reapply a second light coat if needed.

Too dark a tan can be difficult to remove.