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Comments: In addition to being harmful to reefs, oxybenzone-based sunscreens don't fully protect against damaging UV radiation. Zinc oxide, which is an active ingredient in sunscreens safe for reefs, protects against the broadest spectrum of UV radiation by reflecting the sun's rays. Oxybenzone-based sunscreens are also absorbed into the bloodstream and allow UV radiation to be absorbed into the skin, and neither is safe for long-term human consumption. Zinc-based sunscreens are popular for those who spend a lot of time in the sun -- surfers, other outdoors athletes-- and would be easily accessible to tourists and residents!

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