



Alert from the NDEWS Web Monitoring Team: Online mentions of Borax Combo

Context: This alert was prompted by algorithmic detection of the Borax Combo and related drugs on Reddit.

What was found? Drug subreddit discussion indicates trends of growing interest in the Borax Combo in late 2020 and late 2021. The drug term was only mentioned sporadically before 2019.

What is the Borax Combo? The Borax Combo is a mix of psychedelic and MDMA-like research chemicals used to mimic the effects of MDMA. The most commonly affiliated substances are the entactogen 5-MAPB and the psychedelic 5-MeO-MiPT.

How the Borax Combo being discussed? Subreddit commenters discuss the drug as a substitute for MDMA. Augmentations of the Borax Combo are often discussed. For instance, the stimulant 2-FMA is commonly recommended as part of the combination.

Drug Terms: Borax Combo, 5-MAPB, 5-MeO-MiPT, 2-FMA.