

"The benefits of marijuana are becoming more legal and accessible."

Many people look for ways to relax their mind, ease their body, loosen up. Cannabis in its many forms has helped people through difficult times for millenia. Now legalization, science, and persistence have resulted in a range of fun weed products you can have delivered to your home. If you've heard of Delta-8, Delta-9, Delta-10 THC, or HHC, or THCO or TCHP, or CBD, or if you haven't, this guide will help you make sense of your options in this brave new world of bud:

A Brave New World of Bud

Most people associate cannabis with getting high and getting high results in some large part from the delta-9 THC compound in cannabis. Most legal delta-9 THC is still grown and sold under tightly controlled circumstances.

Fortunately, some phytochemical freedom fighters are liberating an increasingly wide range of cannabinoids – the stuff in marijuana that might make you high, or hungry, or calm, or social, or sleepy, and so forth. Delta-8 THC is a sibling of Delta-9. HHC is created an entirely different way and might not even be a cannabinoid exactly. THCO, CBG, CBN, there's many to study and explore.

By growing industrial hemp, processing it, and distilling it down into raw materials, these cannabinoids are then infused into flowers, gummies, or used to fill up vape pens, or left as concentrate for dabbing.

Some of these are suited for specific purposes. For example, CBN seems to help some people with sleep. But most people are looking for a head change, a way to take their mind off pain or maybe put their mind to music.

The Cannabis Psychoactivity Spectrum

Here we're looking at the most immediate effects of cannabis, referred to as psychoactivity: altering our perception, mood, consciousness, cognition, or behavior. We're sharing our sense of the psychoactivity of these new cannabinoids, from least psychoactive (CBD) to most psychoactive (THCO). Everyone has their own dose and reaction for cannabis. Start small and build up to find yours. Strongly psychoactive cannabis is more likely to make your brain feel busy and may make some people feel paranoid. If you like a calm

body high, an easier good time, look a little further down the psychoactivity scale.

Here's our current analysis, from Less Psychoactive to More Psychoactive, on the chart pictured here, or spelled out below running low on the left to higher on the right:

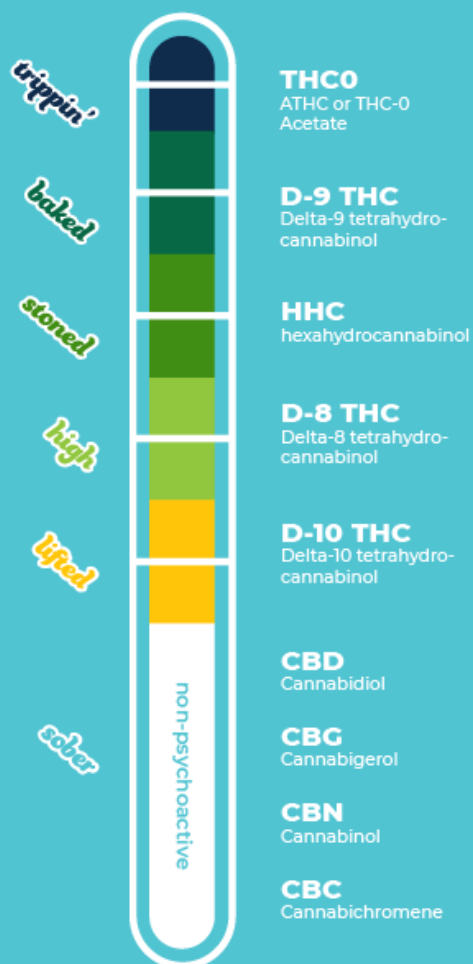
CBG, CBN, CBD, Delta-8 THC, HHC, Delta-9 THC, THCO.

Now let's take a more detailed look at a few of these different cannabinoid options starting with the gentlest and building to the most intense:

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Cannabinoids are compounds found naturally in the cannabis plant that produce various effects when they interact with receptors in the human central nervous system. There are over 100 cannabinoids, and here are some of the ones you can find in the trusted & 3rd-party lab tested products on Hemp Shop.

your high guide to hemp cannabinoids



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*Anecdotal scale based on a single dose for recreational users, effects vary with dosage. These products are intended for people 21 years of age or older. These products are not intended to diagnose, treat, cure or prevent any disease & have not been evaluated by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Hemp Shop only ships products in compliance with the 2018 Farm Bill.

What is Delta 8?

D8 or Delta-8 is short for Delta-8 tetrahydrocannabinol: a psychoactive cannabinoid found in the Cannabis sativa plant, which includes both marijuana and hemp varieties. Delta-8 THC is one of many dozens of naturally-occurring cannabinoids occurring in cannabis, though it is not found in significant amounts. Accordingly, concentrated amounts of delta-8 THC are typically produced from hemp-derived cannabidiol (CBD).

Is Delta 8 Legal?

Because it is derived from the hemp plant, Delta 8 is considered Federally legal. This is due to the 2018 Farm Bill, which allowed hemp production and does not expressly ban THC isomers. Unlike its sibling cannabinoid Delta 9 THC, Delta 8 It is not prohibited under the Controlled Substances Act.

Does Delta-8 get me high?

Delta 8 flower can produce a euphoric or 'high' effect when smoked. Delta 8's psychoactive effect is milder than delta-9 THC.

Is Delta-8 Safe?

Reading this [March 2022 delta-8 update from the US Food & Drug Administration](#) the basics seem clear: these products seem to work. Some people take too much or have a bad reaction. Go slow. Keep these products out of reach of pets and children.

Delta-9 THC

Delta-9 THC is the root cannabinoid in cannabis, creating that high feeling in conjunction with any other cannabinoids or terpenes present. Since the 2018 Farm Bill, weed engineers have figured out how to create products with Delta-9 THC from hemp that does not contain more than 0.3% of Delta-9 THC on a dry weight basis. This allows people to enjoy the delta-9 experience with convenient ordering.