

## Rhetoric X BIG SMASH

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RHETORIC X BIG SMASH release 'Remedy', a 5-TRACK debut EP, 2 April, effortlessly blending upscale production with melodic layers of vocals in English and Portuguese, delivering a sound that straddles rap and RNB genres, to create something a bit different - the lyrics telling a story of relationships, the mess and the healing - with the tracks taking a hard look at the past, essentially finding a better way forward.

RHETORIC is 25-year-old Joe Navaro, an English/ Portuguese rapper, with influences derived from the likes of Brazilian musician Tom Jobim, Stevie Wonder, Kid Cudi and Kano. Rhetoric cut his teeth freestyling with friends - fast-forward to 2021 and the rapper has spent much of the last nine months working with BIG SMASH, exploring, developing and defining a recognisable sound.

BIG SMASH is a Cambridge-based music producer with an unabating work ethic, influenced by J. Dilla, MF DOOM, Erykah Badu, Tracey Chapman, Portishead, and the driver behind BIG SMASH Productions, a new 'no-ties' independent label initiative set up to promote local artists, from rappers to illustrators; a fast-growing collaborative community – with a vision to 'lift each other up' and promote and empower themselves and others.

Recording daily, Rhetoric X BIG SMASH have come up with many as yet unreleased tracks, and January 2021 saw the release of their first video to accompany 'Night' a track they collaborated on in March 2020. Remedy' is out on all streaming services 2 April, 2021.

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