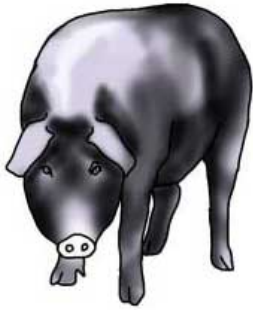


# Chinese and Western Combinations

## Scorpio (Boar) Month

### Combination with Dog Year:

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**"Form"** Mars, Water, Fixed  
Yin-Positive Metal

**Characteristics:** Tastelessness, Intelligence, Morality, Heroism, Tenderness, Respectability, Mercilessness, Self-Righteousness, Sovereignty, Intransigence, Cynicism, Suspicion, Discipline, Uneasiness, Fanaticism, Revenge, Magnetism, Inspiration, Sadism, Dedication, Constancy, Criticism, Duty, Unsociability



**"Concerned"**

While there are some very different aspects to the Scorpio and the Dog, they are similar in that they are committed and loyal individuals. The sexual and confident nature of the Scorpio can get the Dog a little mixed up however, especially when they are young. The dialectic involved with the Scorpio-Dog is perhaps an unusual one. It has the potential to lead to a rather confused individual. The Dog is a soft-hearted and giving individual. They are open and speak their minds. A heavy dose of the green monster is added to the combination in the form of jealousy. Another shared trait is direct speech on all manner of topics. The Scorpio tends to be somewhat loquacious. Dogs tend to bite, but Scorpions are snipers. The result here is someone who can do some serious damage with his or her use of the language. That frequently comes in the form of sarcasm. That is only half the picture though, because this combination is sincerely nice and sincerely kind. The point is not to provoke this combination to anger. Only regret will be the result. Scorpio-Dogs do not hold back on their opinions of anything. The Dog portion tends to speak from on high a bit more than the Scorpio. They believe they know almost everything.

**Romance:** Love for them is a two way street. They will happily provide their share but it must be reciprocated. They are sensitive and careful in the event that their heart is broken. If they fail and have a serious emotional pain, they will never take a chance again. The Scorpio-Dog is very likable in spite of the vicious tongue. They have big hearts and can be wonderful to everyone. Respect is important for this combination. They must have someone to look up to and admire. They do not want someone who wants to be ordered around, but rather a partner, someone to share their insights with.

**Relationships:** On the negative side of the list are Gemini and Aquarius-Dragons. Poor choices for compatibility in this combination include the Taurus-Rooster or Boar. It is possible that the Aquarius-Ram has an attraction, but that combination should be avoided. Cancer, Virgo, Capricorn and Pisces-Tigers are great choices in the romance area. Additional good selections are Cancer, Capricorn and Pisces-Rabbits and Horses.

**Family Life:** This combination practically worships their children. Everything possible will be done to insure that the children have a good and successful future. Education is therefore paramount. The home of the Scorpio-Dog needs to be comfortable and secure. Wanting others to feel welcome and at ease is more important to this combination than making a show. Things need to be designed to create a relaxed ambience. Books lining the walls, easy chairs, quilts and perhaps a wood stove are in the home. The house does not look expensive and that is why there is money in the bank.

**Likelihood:** This combination is responsible, but the environment must be suitable. They work hard and are seldom out of work. Freedom is the key to happiness in the work life of the Scorpio-Dog. They are easy to get along with but do have that tendency to snap at people. They do not mind authority per se, but will not tolerate people who restrain them. Routine also annoys them. There needs to be some variety in their professional life.

**Famous Scorpio/Dogs:** *Voltaire, Magritte, Carl Sagan, Kurt Vonnegut, Sally Field, David Stockman.*