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ABSTRACT

This research study is exploring the children TV programs broadcast-ed with super heroic themes. The data has been collected from popular children TV channels Nickelodeon, Disney, cartoon Network, PBS kids, Boomerang, and Nick Toon. The researcher has adopted content analysis method to analyze the text of children TV programs with super heroic themes. This study has established in uses and gratification theory. The findings discovered that children TV programs with super heroic themes has presented children performing their role heroically. They are bestowed with magical power. They use this power to protect the earth and fight with evil forces, ghost, villains and magical creature. The results have proven that the children TV programs with heroic themes are apart from reality, cultivating fantasized world and characters. The characterization is exalted and diluting the young minds.

Key Words: Adventure, Super Heroic character, supernatural powers, Aliens, Watches, Weapons, Robots, Fight between good & Evil, Ghost, Villians

1. Introduction

The Detective Comics (DC) is famous for super heroic characters, comedies, detective, voyage stories and Western comics (Wilson, 2019). The DC first super heroic character 'superman', and 'Batman' enjoyed worldwide popularity since its creation (Beatty, 2002). The DC Comics started to broadcast on TV from 1953 with the program title 'Superman'. And initiated another similar character with same heroic traits 'Batman' in 1966. In 1970s, established 'Wonder Woman'. In 2010, the animated series Young Justice started its first season. Now DC Universe and The CW started to broadcast live-action series 'Star girl', (Andreeva, 2017)

The technological advancement has proliferated the availability of super heroic TV series more convenient for audiences. Technological empowerment is executed to meet the emotional and psychological needs of all age groups. Super Heroic characters perform selflessly as a role model and create a positive impact on society. At the same time, super heroic TV program themes often present negative themes, like 'violence, conflict, and drug use. These heroic characters are difficult to label either positive or negative. The exposure of violence on media results in disturbance of emotions. Researches have confirmed that media violence results in aggressive behaviour, desensitization for aggression and 'nightmares' in children (Hogan, 2005). (Anderson, et al, 2003)

A research study has investigated the positive and negative themes presented in children super heroic TV programs & films states that children and teen are exposed to violent acts and super heroic behaviour from watching TV programs unconsciously that parents believe these programs are age appropriate. (Bauer et al, 2017).

A content analysis was conducted to investigate the thirty super hero based films, the researcher explored that the most frequently appeared themes in super heroic cartoon was protecting the citizens, team work and a supportive relationship with family and friends. However; the most frequently presented negative themes were about fighting, war, bullying, torture and excessive use of ammunition like guns, knives & deadly weapons. This research was looking at to identify positive and negative themes in super heroic programs to provide guidelines for parents, pediatricians, doctors and researchers to enliven the importance of co-viewing. Further; to provide instructions and guidelines for researchers, children and teen watch this genre. (Kim et al, 2020).

The presentation of super heroic character is very destructive for teens' mind. Mostly this super heroic character performs exciting roles. Mostly super heroic characters are living in slums and perform illegal acts heroically that results in massive killing. It's difficult to label these characters in their dealing moral or immoral. These characters are living a dual life. The villains are portrayed in a life-threatening role or as criminals. Although; the heroes are performing heroic and honourable acts but in reality they are alluring highly unlawful and corrupt actions. These antihero characters cannot integrate with cultural and societal norms. They are assigned to perform certain characters to achieve the targeted goal. (McMillan, 2009)

This research study is supported by uses and gratification theory. This theory describes that mass media is satisfying social and emotional needs (Blumer, Gurevitch & Katz, 1974). This ideology is borrowed from Herzog (1944) philosophy. This theory helps in determining the role of mass media in an individual's life. TV watching activity provides entertainment, emotional catharsis, motivates, guidelines and directs the audiences. It fulfills all human social

and psychological needs. An individual interacts with larger community with mass media. The production technique and advanced technology reinforces to achieving this goal. (Bulmer & Katz, 1974). Every individual is using mass media for different purposes (West & Turner, 2007).

By and large people watch TV for escaping from harsh realities of life, self-awareness, exploration, surveillance, and to establish a relation with a larger community from TV (McQuail, 1972). TV watching helps in distraction from the bitter realities and circumstances the person is facing in life (Katz et al, 1973). The fundamental requisite attach with TV watching activity is to create awareness for educational, social, and cultural life. The essential purpose of entertainment attached with this medium cannot be neglected (Rubin, 1981; West Turner, 2007, P 426). The audiences can select and rate programs according to their choice easily without any assistance (West & Turner, 2007). TV medium is used to accomplish social and psychological needs (Lariscy et al, 2011).

.Objective

1. To investigate the number of Children TV programs broadcast-ed with super Heroic Themes from popular children TV channels since the establishment of TV till 2023.
2. To identify the distinctive features attached with super heroic children TV program themes.

Hypothesis:

It's more likely that children TV programs with super heroic themes and character are apart from real world.

2. Research Methodology

This research study is based on content analysis method. A coding sheet was designed to collect the data for set objectives. The researcher has collected the data about Children TV programs with super heroic themes broadcasted from popular children TV channels or blocks since the establishment of TV to till 2023. Almost, 76 children TV programs with super heroic themes have broadcasted from top children TV channels. The researcher has included the sample of 10% children TV programs with heroic themes for generalization of results.

'The program titles were shortlisted according to the rating and popularity on bellow mentioned web portals. The data was collected from following websites: 'www.commonstense.com, www.wikipedia.com, www.IMDb.com, [TV tropes.com](http://TVtropes.com), www.wikifandom.com, www.tvdb.com, www.rottentomatoes.com, www.youtube.com, www.netflix.com'. The researcher has adoptive textual analysis method for the search of children TV programs with super heroic themes. *'Textual analysis is a method of study utilized by researchers to examine messages as they appear through a variety of mediums. The data generated for textual analysis can come from documents, films, newspapers, paintings, web pages, and so forth. These forms of data serve as the "texts" under study and are used to assess the meanings, values, and messages being sent through them'* (Smith, 2017).

'Thematic coding is a method of qualitative analysis which comprises record or identifying passages of text or images that are related by a common theme or idea allowing you to 'index the text into categories' and establish a "framework of thematic ideas about it' (Gibbs 2007).

There are different approaches' to conduct content analysis. Commonly it consist on six step; familiarization, coding, generating themes, reviewing themes, defining and naming themes, writing up'' (Caulfield, 2022).

This research study children TV programs with super heroic themes has followed all six steps related to thematic frame study. Firstly the researcher watched all the children TV programs Text broadcasted, secondly reviewed them under the objective of super heroic themes, then named, coded, generated and writing up themes for labeling as super heroic themes. Descriptive method was adopted for the presentation of thematic analysis results. Children TV programs with super heroic thematic analysis will provide a detailed insight to understand the irony of children TV programs characterization .Children TV program themes are designed apart from real life characters. This research study will provide a detailed analysis about the ruling ideology of children TV programs with super heroic themes.

'The thematic analysis was conducted by textual analysis from different sources like IMDb.com, youtube.com and Netflix etc. Some of the portals were free, while a few required subscription charges. A few children TV channels have a tradition to upload broadcast programs on their websites for a limited time duration'.

Coding Sheet

The researcher has designed the following coding sheet to collect the data.

S.N O	Program Title	Time Duratio n	Age Grou p	Genere	Theme	Message

3. Results

Children's TV Programs with Superhero Themes

According to content analysis findings top children TV channels have presented following children TV programs with super heroic themes. The research has presented the 10 % populr children TV programs thematic analysis according to rating and popularity on different web portals.

1. Power Ranger Samurai

This series has presented power rangers struggling to get rule over magical and ancient Samurai symbol. They will have control over after succeeding; water, fire, sky, forest and earth. They could achieved this goal with the instructions of counselor and animal Zords. The series presented Power Rangers Samurai fighting with Netherworld and mysterious warriors.

2. The Power Puff Girls

This animated series presents three power puff girls named Blossom, Bubbles and Buttercups .They are manufactured by a professor in an experiment from spices, sugar, and chemicals. These girls are performing their role heroically to reduce crime. These Power girls are fighting by using their super power to save Towns Ville from evil forces. They achieved their goal with the help of Bolster Robot and protects their town from villains and ghost. Most recurrent themes presented in this series are; witches, super hero, fantasy, siblings bonding, monster ghost and vampires. It has imparted several message for girl's personality development like confidence building, socialization, self-awareness and friendship.

3. Ben 10:

The series is about 10 years old heroic boy Ben Tennyson. Ben 10 is an American animated 'super hero' action comedy TV series. Ben 10 had a wrist watch called omnitrix. This was composed of 10 compounds of different alien species. It allows Ben 10 a power to transform into 10 different alien species. Further; he was bestowed more magical power by enhancing the compound capacity of this omnitrix.

4. Dragon Ball Z

The Dragon Ball Z series is incarnation of Dragon Ball. This series presents Goku's adult life and revolves around the adventures of Goku's son Gohan fights with rival Vegeta. The distinct feature of Dragon Ball Z is that Goku is protecting the earth from evil with the help of Z soldiers. The series theme is discriminatory between good and evil. Further; series imparted the valuable lessons about team work, loyalty and honesty.

5. Avatar the Last Air Bander

The series is presented about Aang a 12 years old boy the last survivor of his nation 'Air Nomads'. Aang is trying to save earth with his three friends Katara, Sokka and Toph. The series portrays the use of Martial Arts. Avatar the last air bender presents some alien characters. They have power to manipulate any single element of water, earth, fire or air telekinetically. Only the 'Avatar' has power to control all four elements (Air, water, earth & fire) to bring order between spiritual and physical world. Avatar with his friends are pursuing to end fire nations intrigues against other nations. They have to defeat fire lord Ozai before conquering the world. The story presents the character of Zuko the deportee prince of fire nation. He wants to restore his throne by capturing Avatar with the help of his uncle Iroh. The show portrayed metaphorically four elements from East Asian, South Asian and Western culture.

6. Steven Universe

The series is about a young boy Steven Universe lives in a fictional town of Beach city. Steve has a magical power 'crystal gem'. Steve has adventures with his friends, they protect the world from their own kind having alien powers. Steve and his friends are living along beach side and protect human beings from beast, fear & super natural creature. They have unusual powers in their belly button. They employ this button powers to protect the world.

7. Jackie Chen Adventures

Jackie Chen adventure series presents the life of Jackie Chan Hong Kong star renowned for martial arts action movies. This series portrays the life of Jackie Chen as an archaeologist, spy fights, defeat the magical and supernatural threats. All the episodes are based on mythological, stories from south East Asia and around the world.

8. Star War

Star war series is designed for kindergarten children aged 3 to 5 years old. The young children go for a mission the exploration of galaxy. They fight with aliens and super natural creatures during their mission. They combat with this alien and supernatural characters with the help of robot in each episode. They roamed from one planet to another. They are bestowed with different powers like telepathy, telekinetic and special physical energy. They investigated a truth that earth is bind together with a magical powers. The show presents the war between two groups light side of the power and dark side of the power. The light side is led by Jedi and works for the ideology of struggle for each other. However; the dark side is led by Sith, who is

opponent of democracy and use terror and anger. These tiny warriors use an unusual gun called light Saber. This gun is cylindrical in shape while grip portion is like a sword that has potential to cut nearly any surface. The series presents normal masses using mechanical working man weapons and poisonous rays. The show is placed in High Republic Era and features a group of Young Jedi embarking for a quest under the supervision of Yoda. The show is designed to teach children the importance of kindness, discipline, team work, patience and empathy. It laid stress to be optimistic in a situation of failure.

9. Mighty Morphin Power Ranger

The series is incarnation of Power Rangers. The Power Rangers are teen agers appointed by Zordon of Elter to fight with Rita Repulsa. They fight using the powers of morphers and coin. Whenever one warrior lost his life, he was replaced by a new one to conquer the quest. Rita Repulsa and her minions are freed from imprisonment on moon. Zordon wants to stop Rita and his companions from invading on earth. He has appointed a team of five teen agers. They use their alien powers to land Rita on earth. They destroyed many schemes of Rita to invasion on earth. The series is presented in imaginary town of 'Angel Grove' California. The Rita was freed from 1000 years imprisonment accidentally from two spaceman on an investigative mission found an interplanetary vessel and mistakenly released alien evil source Rita. Rita and his comrades have strong urge to conquer the earth. Zordon appointing them to protect the earth bestows special powers, Robots and technologically advanced weapons. These arms category was called Zords. Further; these appliances had capability to change into a massive anthropological appliance known as Megazord. These teen age boys face normal real life issues.

Rita employs a new system to destroy power rangers by using her magical skills. Rita hijack a local Martial Art expert boys mind Tommy Olivers. He was appointed to prove him in Jason's martial arts competition going too held in Angel Grove. Further; he has deprogrammed and assigned two portions of the show as a green ranger. They had the tradition to exchange their powers with each other's.

The rangers are joined by Tommy. Once a green ranger designed to fight the evil of Rita. Rita lost her powers accidentally and frees Tommy from Ritas oppression. Now Tommy joins green rangers to protect the earth from evil forces. Tommy's Zord was replaced with a more powerful Dinozord.

Rita is trying to get oppression over Tommy again. Although; Tommy failed at the end but he stopped Rita to regaining them by transporting them to Jason, who feels fault for failing to guard Tommy's Power's, and accept them. Tommy appears in later episodes when Rangers powered coins were offered to Rita in dealing of their kidnapped parents with Zordon's assistance. Tommy restores his controls and set his efforts the other warden's power coins. However Tommy's restored controls are temporary and must be reinvigorated by Zordon, who informs him that the green ranger's power will ultimately fail. Despite this Tommy remains determined to support the other rangers as long as possible. The story, actions and incidents of the show were based in Japanese Heroic tale (action saga). While; the replacement of Villian Zord was pictured in the U.S.

10. Ben10: Ultimate Alien

The series represents Ben 10 sixteen years old and Gwen, along with 17 years old Kevin. Ben 10's secret personality has been revealed to the world. He is international rank

super star with a large number of fan following. Ben 10 has a secretive more powerful gadget ultimatrix. Ben fights with Rogue alian, human threats, armed forces and violence. Ben face certain unusual incident, and he has faced ever.

11. Ben 10: Omnivores

Ben 10 is 16 years old has capacity to transforms into a variety of Alien .Each type is bestowed with distinct talent and skill. The serial presents different themes, when Ben 10 was ten years old or sixteen years old. Now he is a college student and learning the secrets from the book alien plumber titled Rook Blonko .He is appointed to get top secrets of the world.

List of the Children TV programs broadcasted with Super Heroic themes

S.No	Program Title	Channel	Duration of Broadcasting	S.No	Program Title	Channel	Duration of Broadcasting
1	Power Ranger Samurai	Nickelodeon	February 7, 2011 – December 15, 2012	2	Avatar Last Air Bander	Nickelodeon	February 21, 2005 – July 19, 2008
3	Power Puff Girls	Nickelodeon	November 18, 1998 – March 25, 2005	4	Ben 10	Cartoon Network	2005–2008
5	Dragoon Ball Z	Cartoon Network	April 26, 1989 – January 31, 1996	6	Ben 10 Alien Force	Cartoon Network	April 18, 2008 – March 26, 2010
7	Dragon Balll	Cartoon Network	May 2010 - February 2013.	8	Justice League Unlimited	Cartoon Network	July 31, 2004 – May 13, 2006
9	Ben 10 Unlimited Alien	Cartoon Network	April 23, 2010 – March 31, 2012	10	Jackie Chen Adventure	Cartoon Network	September 9, 2000 – July 8, 2005
11	George of the Jungle	Cartoon Network	June 29, 2007 – February 18, 2017	12	Ben 10 Omnivors	Cartoon Network	August 1, 2012 – November 14, 2014
13	Johny Quest	Cartoon Network	September 18, 1964 – March 11, 1965	14	Johny Test	Cartoon Network	Sept 17,2005_December 25,2014

15	Steven Universe	Cartoon Network	November 4, 2013 – January 21, 2019	16	Johny Bravo	Cartoon Network	July 14, 1997 – August 27, 2004
17	Mighty Morphin Power Ranger	Disney	August 28, 1993 – November 27, 1995	18	Star War	Disney	1977 to 2023
19	Pac-Man and the Ghostly Adventures	PBS Kids	June 15, 2013– May 29, 2015	20	X-Men :Evolution 8	PBS Kids	November 4, 2000 – October 25, 2003
21	Spider Man and his Amazing Friends	PBS Kids	September 12, 1981 – November 5, 1983	22	Big Hero 6: The Series	PBS Kids	November 20, 2017 – February 15, 2021
23	Avengers Assemble	PBS Kids	May 26, 2013– February 24, 2019	24	Ultimate Spider Man	PBS Kids	April 1, 2012 – January 7, 2017
25	Wild Krats	PBS Kids	2011_2013	26	The Incredible Hulk	PBS Kids	November 4, 1977 – May 12, 1982
27	X- Men	PBS Kids	October 31, 1992 – September 20, 1997	28	Atomic Puppet	PBS Kids	July 18, 2016 – February 21, 2017
29	Mighty Med	PBS Kids	October 7, 2013 – September 9, 2015	30	Avengers ;United They stand	PBS Kids	October 30, 1999 – February 26, 2000
31	The Spectacular Spider Man	PBS Kids	March 8, 2008 – November 18, 2009	32	Hulk and the Agents of S.M.A.S.H	PBS Kids	August 11, 2013 – June 28, 2015
33	Spider Man Unlimited	PBS Kids	October 2, 1999 – March 31, 2001	34	Tron:Uprisoing	PBS Kids	May 18, 2012 – January 28, 2013
36	Spider _Man	PBS Kids	September 9, 1967 – June 14, 1970	36	Fantastic Four	PBS Kids	November 1961- February 2008

37	Jackie Chan Adventures	PBS Kids	September 9, 2000 – July 8, 2005	38	Max-Steel	PBS Kids	March 25, 2013 – December 6, 2014
39	Dynomutt, Dog Wonder	Boomerang	September 11, 1976 – October 1, 1977	40	EL Tiger : The Adventure of Many Rivera	Nick Toon	February 19, 2007 – September 13, 2008
41	Rise of the Teen Age Mutant Ninja Turtles	Nick Toon	July 20, 2018 – August 7, 2020	42	Fantastic Four:World's Greatest Heroes	Nick Toon	September 2, 2006 – February 25, 2010
43	Power Rangers Samurai	Nick Toon	February 7, 2011 – December 15, 2012	44	Power Ranger Time Force	Nick Toon	February 3 – November 17, 2001
45	Power Ranger Time Force	Nick Toon	February 3,2001 – November 17, 2001	46	Wolverine and the X-Men	Nick Toon	January 23,2009 – November 29, 2009
47	Power Ranger in Space	Nick Toon	February 6 ,1998– November 21, 1998	48	Miracles Leady Bug	Nick Toon	October 19, 2015 – 2023
49	Power Ranger Light Speed Rescue	Nick Toon	February 12,2000 – November 18, 2000	50	Power Ranger Jungle Fury	Nick Toon	February 18,2008 – November 3, 2008
51	Power Rangers Operation Over Drive	Nick Toon	February 26,2007 – November 12, 2007	52	Power Rangers S.P.D	Nick Toon	February 5,2005 – November 14, 2005
53	Power Rangers Dino Change	Nick Toon	February 7, 2015 – December 10, 2016	54	Power Rangers in Turbo	Nick Toon	April 19 ,1997– November 24, 1997
55	My Life as a Teen Age Robot	Nick Toon	August 1, 2003 – May 2, 2009	56	Mighty Morphin Power Rangers	Nick Toon	August 28, 1993 – November 27, 1995

57	Iron Men: Armored Adventure	Nick Toon	April 24, 2009 – July 25, 2012	58	Power Rangers Ninja Steel	Nick Toon	January 21, 2017 – December 1, 2018
59	Myticons	Nick Toon	August 28, 2017 – September 15, 2018	60	Power Ranger Ninja Storm	Nick Toon	February 15, 2003 – November 15, 2003
61	Power Ranger Mega Force	Nick Toon	February 2, 2013 – November 22, 2014	62	Power Rangers Wild Force	Nick Toon	February 9, 2002 – November 16, 2002
63	Power Rangers Zeo	Nick Toon	April 20, 1996 – November 27, 1996	64	Mao Mao Heroes of Pure hear	Cartoon Network	July 1, 2019 – July 17, 2020
65	<u>Rainbow Rangers</u>	Nick Jr	November 5, 2018 – 2023	66	Scooby Doo and Guess Who	Boomerang	June 27, 2019 – October 1, 2021
67	Power Players	Cartoon Network	September 21, 2019 – April 15, 2021	68	The Rocketers	Disney Junior	19 May, 2022_ 1 July, 2022
69	Thunder cats Roar	Cartoon Network	February 22, 2020 – December 5, 2020	70	Steven Universe Future	Cartoon Network	December 7, 2019 – March 27, 2020
71	Hero Elementry	PBS KiDS	June 1, 2020 – January 4, 2022	72	Bird Girl	Cartoon Network	April 5, 2021 – 2023
73	Star Wars : The Bad Batch	Disney	May 4, 2021 – 2023	74	MechaMato	Cartoon Network	4 December 2021 – 2023
75	Hamster & Gretel	Disney Channel	August 12, 2022 – 2023	76	Star War Vision	Disney	September 22, 2021 – 2023

4. Discussion

The thematic analysis of children TV programs has provided the detailed information about the super heroic programs broadcasted for teens. Most of the children TV programs with heroic themes were broadcast-ed from Cartoon Network, Nickelodeon, Disney, Nick Toon, PBS Kids and Boomerang. Almost 76 children TV programs with super heroic themes were broadcasted from top channels since the establishment of TV till 2023.

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student and learning the secrets from the book alien plumber titled 'Rook Blonko'. He is appointed to get top secrets of the world.

5. Conclusion

The thematic investigation of children TV super heroic programs has provided the insight about the characterization and story. The characters are performing their role heroically. The super heroic characters are fighting heroically with their comrades to occupy the symbolic powers of water, fire, air, sky, forest and earth. A group of three girls are fighting heroically with the help of robots against villains to protect their earth from villains and ghost. These girls are manufactured by scientist through sugar syrup and spices by a scientist. A 10 years old boys performs his role heroically. He has a wrist watch named Omnitrix that is composed of different species DNA that provides ability to this heroic character to transform into 10 different alien species that helps to overcome different situations.

The thematic analysis of heroic children TV programs have revealed that father with his son and a team of warriors fighting heroically to protect the earth from evil. The discrimination and fight between good and evil forces is very clear. A twelve years old boy the last survivor from his nation fighting with his three friends by using Martial Arts skills to protect the earth. They have bestowed the power to control any element of earth, water, air and fire ecclesiastically. A boy with his friends is living in a fictional town along beach side. He has magical powers and gem that allows him to perform his role super heroically. These young warriors are fighting to protect their people from fear, beast and supernatural characters.

A superstar is presented heroically as an archeologist and spy fighting with supernatural powers and threats. A team of Kindergarten warriors go for a mission of space exploration. They travels from a planet to another. They are bestowed with powers like telepathy, telekinestically and extra human energy. The unusual weapons are used by these tiny warriors they can cut any metal with the help of their gun blades that looks like sword. An evil space spirit is freed from a space astronauts accidentally from 1000 years imprisonment.

A team of teen age warriors with the help of robot are protecting the earth from this evil space creature from landing on earth. The evil space creature has strong urge to occupy the earth. She uses her all possible means to conquer the earth even magical powers. While; the teenage warriors are trying their best to protect earth from this evil spirit. Some of the series are incarnation of previous series. Now the super heroic character that was presented in his tween is teen ager and international celebrity. His heroic powers are revealed in front of world. He is enjoying his life as a celebrity in a crowd of fans.

The bestowed powered and ultimatrix is more advance with extra super natural heroic powers. These super heroic characters are attending college. They are bestowed with heroic alien powers. They are mastering any new skill and fighting with violence, magical creatures, and armed forces. These super heroic characters are pursuing to get the secrets of the world. These super heroic characters of children TV programs are performing idealistically are far away from the reality of life. They are creating a fantasy world apart from real world in the young minds of children, Tween and teen.

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