

SUMMER INTERNSHIP WITH CHANNEL [V] AND RAFEY MAHMOOD



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ABOUT CHANNEL [V]



- Brand name for multiple international music television networks owned by STARTV
- India's trend-setting music channel
- Reflects the tastes and attitudes of its huge youth audience
- Features a range of shows and animations
- Freedom of creative expression is an integral part of the channel

PROMO DEPT.





- Id's
- Animations
- Promos
- Packaging
- Graphic Over
- Logo Design
- Graphics

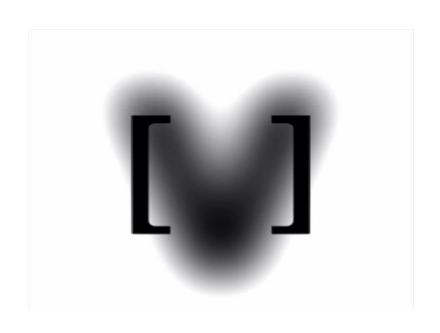




ANIMATED ID

- Executed in the long lost form of hand drawn & hand painted treatment
- Animation represents the wackiness in channel [V]
- Soon to be on-air





ANIMATED ID

- This was my first task in Channel [V]
- Idea behind the ID is "capturing [V]"
- Brackets of the logo tries to click the picture of V





PROMOTIONAL VIDEO

- Task was to make a promotional video of Get Gorgeous 5 for the online streaming
- I tried to make it look like an authentic amateur video
- Video got its publicity by the social networking websites









GRAPHIC OVERS

- Graphic Overs are the promotional strips which covers lower part of the screen
- Task was to make GO's for the forthcoming movie "Sarkar Raj"
- Tilak has a special significance in GO's





- I experienced the atmosphere of a live shoot
- Interaction with the director,
 DOP & technical staff
- Learnt about studio lighting & other technical details





CASTING

- New show which debuts a Gangster Qawwal, talking about Mumbai problems
- My task was to cast an actor in the role of Gangster Qawwal
- Content of this project cannot be disclosed as it is still in preproduction stage





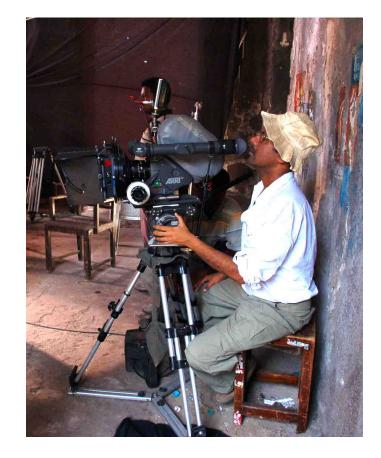
BAI EDITS

- Already existing "Bai" animation was edited using Final Cut Pro
- It was made 2-5 sec shorter
- Used to show sponsors of a particular show
- Learnt FCP in the process

ABOUT RAFEY MAHMOOD



- FTII graduate, Rafey is one of the leading cinematographer in the film industry
- His works include Haasil, Raghu Romeo, Mixed doubles, Mithya and numerous commercials
- Recently won best short film award at New York Festivals



MY LEARNING IN CINEMATOGRAPHY



Project

- Bose Commercial
- Kodak Vision Series test shoot for the company's internal use
- Pre-production work and shoots of Rajat Kapoor's forthcoming film "A Rectangular LoveStory"







Shutter Speed 1/60s F stop f/5.6 Focal length 55mm E Compensation +3 ISO Speed 400





Shutter Speed 1/60s F stop f/5.6 Focal length 35mm E Compensation +3 ISO Speed 400





Shutter Speed 1/60s F stop f/5.6 Focal length 42mm E Compensation +3 ISO Speed 400





Shutter Speed 1/60s F stop f/5.6 Focal length 55mm E Compensation +3 ISO Speed 400



BRIGHT SCENE

Objective

Latitude

Sharpness

Granularity

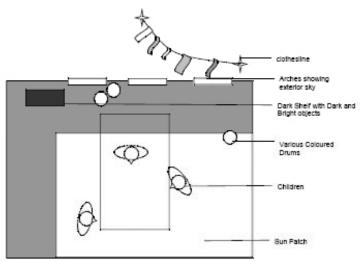
Contrast

Color Saturation, Hue, Fleshtone

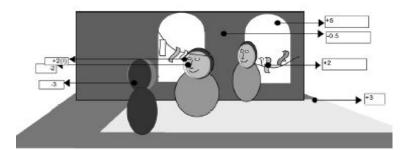


BRIGHT SCENE

Scene Plan



Lighting Aim

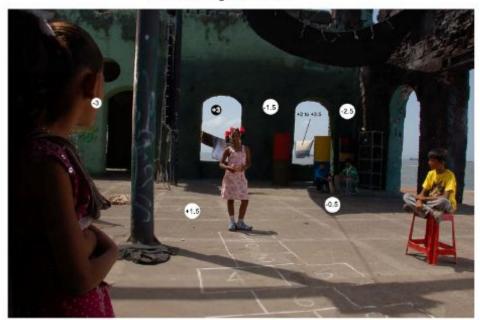


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DOP: Rafey M

Date: 2nd June 2008 Location: Mukesh Mills, Mumbai, India

Scene 1: Bright Situation



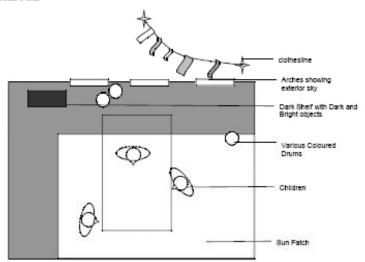
Shot 1 f-stop: 16.0 Lens: 20mm

Sun (incident from top left of camera) 32.0 Key (right of camera): 16.0 Fill: from behind camera: 8.0 Note: Reflected (1 degree Spot) readings are mentioned on the picture in over and under values

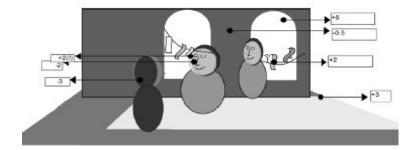


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Scene 1: Bright Situation



Cross light (incident from left of camera) 22.0 Key (right of camera): 16.0 Fill: from behind camera: 5.6 ½ Note: Reflected (1 degree Spot) readings are mentioned on the picture in over and under values



DARK SCENE

Objective

Shadow Details

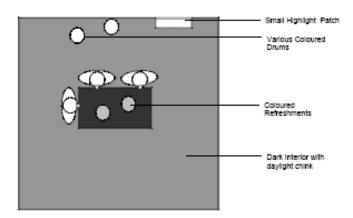
Hue/ Fleshtone

Under Exposure

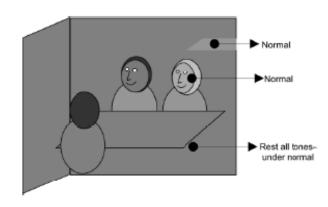


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Lighting Aim



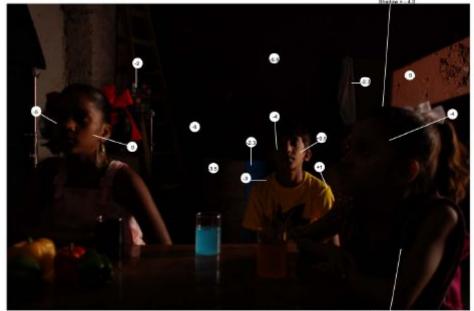
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Scene 1: Dark Situation

Note: The Boy behind the Girl (Right of careers) Reflected Key = -1.3 F FB = -3 Shirt highlight = -2.3 Sharper = -2.9



Shot 1 f-stop: 4.0 Lens: 40mm

Back cross(key)

Note: Key on the girl (right of camera) to +0.5 (reflected) when she turns to the camera.

(incident from right of camera) 4.0

Over all fill: 0.7 1/2
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MIXED LIGHT

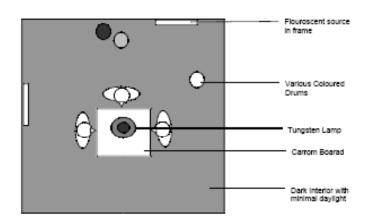
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Mixed Light Tone Renditions

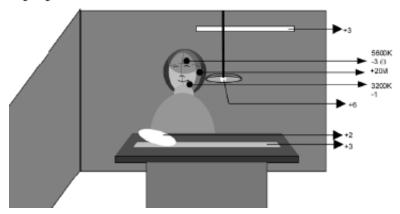


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Lighting Aim



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Scene 3: Mixed Light



Shot 2 Green Cross I f-stop: 2.8 + Daylight Cross

Green Cross Light (incident from top left of camera): 5400K 23G 2.8

Daylight Cross Light (right of camera): 5300K 2.8

Lens: 40mm Bounce of Toplight on Carrom Board (incident on face): 2600K 1.4

Incident light on hand placed on Carrom Board: 2600K 8.0

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PRE-PRODUCTION

Study on 3 strip Technicolor

It involved a brief study on 3 strip Technicolor and applying the same on the stills

For the Screen test of the movie, pictures were taken and converted to 3 Strip Technicolor format on the spot

It became a reference for the shot, background, clothes etc.





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Normal Color

3 Strip Technicolor



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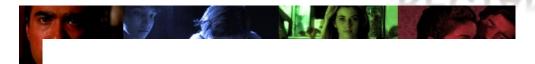
















LEARNING

Lighting Style

Functions of Lighting considered for filming -

- •Selective Visibility
- •Establish time and place
- Mood and Atmosphere
- Composition



- Intensity
- Angle
- Distribution
- Quality
- Color







LEARNING

4 Basic Lights

Key Light -

- The subject's main light source
- Produces the brightest results of the four lights.

Fill Light -

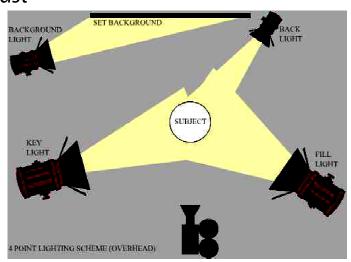
- Light used to reduce subject shadows and contrast
- Relatively soft

Back Light -

- Light placed behind the subject
- Separates the subject from the background

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LEARNING

Lighting in Outdoor Shoots

- Sun is used as a key light but sometimes used as backlight too
- Bounce cards are often the most practical way of creating Fill light
- Reflectors are used to fill in shadows
- Outdoor lighting can be very difficult as the contrast between the sun and the shadows it casts is far to extreme even for a high quality film
- High power daylight lamps or diffuser b/w sun & the subject are used to tackle this problem



LEARNING

Stop, Light Meter & Gray Card

Stop -

- Measurement of the change in light from the source
- Increasing by one stop is doubling the amount of light, Increasing by two stops is quadrupling the amount of light.

Light Meter -

• Tool used to measure both the actual amount of light and the relative amount of light (stops)

Gray Card -

- Flat object of a neutral gray color
- Consistent exposure by placing Gray Card in the scene to be photographed & taking a reading of it with a reflected light meter
- Provides a reference for white balance too.

THANK YOU