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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

TVC: Television Commercials

HC: High Context Culture

LC: Low Context Culture

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Comparative analysis of advertising betweenhigh-context and low-context countries may reveal specific similarities or differences in manifest cultural values, standards and stereotypes inaccordance with the values or differences between countries. Such information can be used toaddress the issue of cultural imperialism and how advertising reflects, strengthens and affects cultural value of target group.

Cross-cultural understanding is imperative from the point of view of international marketing and companies in order to formulate effective localized advertising that reflects the cultural values and standards of its intended audience. This research examines cultural differences from the point of view of advertisers who create advertisements rather than from the point of view of consumers. It also studies the standardization policies of advertising agencies in all nations where advertisements are present and customized, taking into account the cultural differences between nations. The study highlights the need for localized solutions that make communication more efficient. In this report, the cultural values of mainly six countries have been specified in detail pertaining to localized advertising and different economic strata: USA, India, China, Switzerland, Germany and UAE (Saudi Arabia).

CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 INDUSTRY PROFILE: BEVERAGE INDUSTRY

India's food processing industry has a total turnover of approximately USD 65billion, including value added products of approximately USD 20.6billion. Coca cola, Pepsi and Nestle are the leading beverage brands in the Indian beverage market for decades. Tea andcoffee are produced and heavily exported in international markets among all drinks to meet the individual demands around the world. The beverage industry in India represents approximately USD 230million in the food processing

industry of USD 65 billion. The main sectors in India's beverage industry are tea and coffee, which are not only heavily sold on the domestic market, but also exported to a number of leading markets abroad. Half of theproducts for tea and coffee are available unpacked or loose. Among the hot drinks produced in India, tea is still the most dominant drink on the domestic and international markets. Tea and coffee supply in the Indian beverage industry is insurmountable. The soft drink market, such as carbonated drinks and juices, accounts for approximately USD 1 billion, producing 284 million crates per year. Consumption in the high season reaches 25 million creates per month and during off season the same goes down to 15 million crates in a month. The two leading brands in the Indian market are Pepsi and Coca cola. India's mineral water market is a 50million-dollar industry that produces 65million crates. Every month, about 4.9 million crates are usually consumed, but in the peak season it rises to 5.2 million crates. Since its inception, coca cola has been a thriving growth among India's leading drink companies. It occupies approximately 60percent of the Indian beverage industry's carbonated beverage sector. Nestle India Limited, which accounts for 61.85percent of the total Nestle S.A. Switzerland, is another predominant beverage brand.

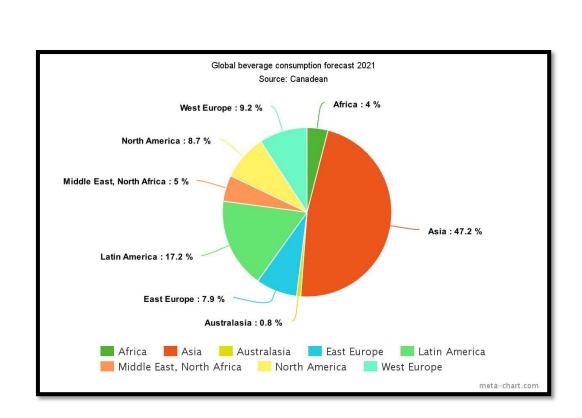


Fig 1:Global Beverage Consumption Forecast 2021 (Source: Canadean)

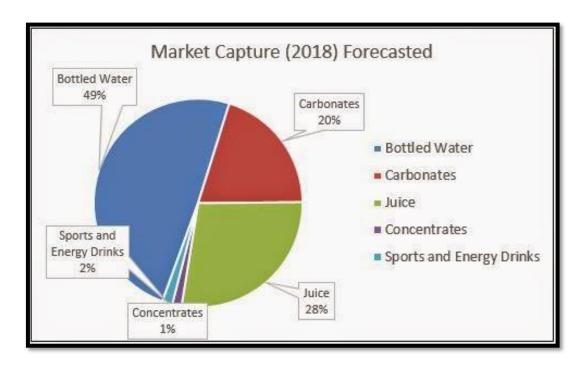
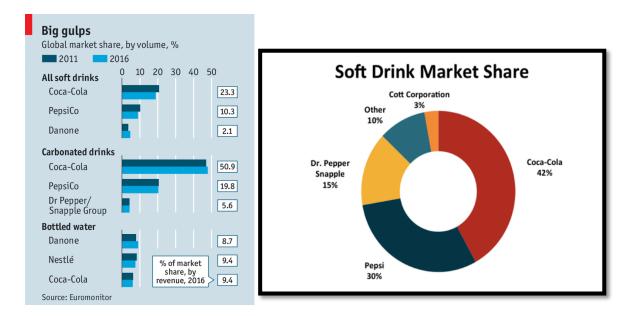


Fig 2:Market Capture (2018) Forecasted

1.2COMPANY PROFILE: THE COCA-COLA COMPANY

The Coca-Cola Company is a beverage company with more than 500brands in over 200countries and territories. In addition to the Coca-Cola brands, the portfolio includes some of the most valuable beverage brands in the world.

Coca-Cola India is one of the leading drink companies in the country. The company has established an unparalleled beverage portfolio. The Coca-Cola Company manages six operating segments. Its geographical operating segments mainly produce and sell concentrate and syrups for beverages. The largest beverage company in the world sells products in some 200 countries and generates about 40% of its sales in the US. In Mexico, China, Brazil and Japan, the volume of unit cases is highest outside the US.





1.3 COMPETITOR ANALYSIS

The main competitors for The Coca-Cola Company that exist in the beverage market include:

- PepsiCo, Inc.
- Dr Pepper Snapple Group
- Mondelez International, Inc.
- Citrus World, Inc.
- ➤ Tree Top, Inc.

Out of these, there are mainly 3 rival companies competing for the market share with Coca-Cola:

- PepsiCo is Coca-Cola's #1 competitor. PepsiCo's headquarters is in Purchase, New York, and was founded in 1898. Like Coca-Cola, PepsiCo also works within the Soft Drinks sector. PepsiCo generates 195% of Coca-Cola's revenue.
- 2. Dr Pepper Snapple Group is one of the top rivals of Coca Cola. Dr Pepper Snapple Group was established in 2008 in Plano, Texas. In the non alcoholic beverages industry, Dr Pepper Snapple Group is competing. Dr Pepper Snapple Group generates \$ 26.3 billion less revenue than Coca -Cola.
- Mondelez Internationalis one of the top competitors of Coca Cola, founded in 1903. In the field of food processing, Mondelez International is. Mondelez International has 21,200 more employees than Coca - Cola.

1.4 LITERATURE REVIEW

With globalization, the opportunity for multinationals to gain a larger market share has increased. Although opportunities have increased, multinationals must create effective advertising strategies so that the opportunity is well monetized. The essence of advertising persuades people that a product is intended for them and they receive some benefit by buying it. There are different values and perceptions of what improves status or gives convenience when an advertising campaign is carried out abroad. These differences cause the original campaign to die. In cross-cultural advertising, communication style also plays a role. The advertisement understands how potential customers from different regions communicate and what they value. This is where the concept of Emotions Marketing can be utilized effectively to communicate the brand message across segments.

1.4.1 EMOTIONS MARKETING

Products ' emotional power has never been questioned. In marketing and advertising, emotions play an important role. Skilled designers understand the powerful appeal of emotions and have taken advantage of this appeal with their intuitions and artistic skills. Emotions are mental readiness states resulting from assessments of events or one's own thoughts.

On the basis of content, most of the advertisements are categorized into two parts: (a) Thinking advertisements - The focus is only on the factual information (e.g. product attributes)

(b) Feeling advertisements - Concentration is on the emotions

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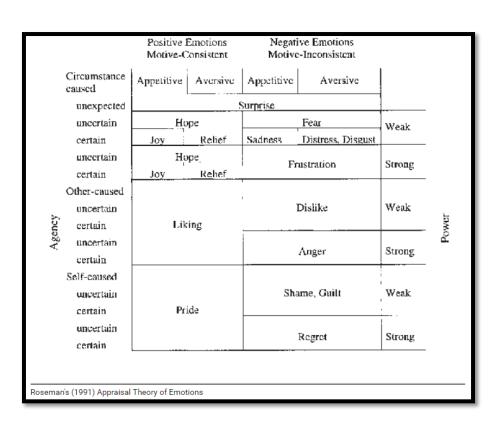


Fig 4:Appraisal Theory of Emotions (Source: Roseman, 1991)

In successful advertising campaigns, emotions play an important role. It's a known fact, for example, that sugar snacks and drinks are bad for you, but Pepsi and Coca-Cola ads don't talk about fat, calories and diabetes. The focus is on young people, vitality and good times. Luxury, indulgence and sensuality are associated with chocolate. Everywhere marketers aim to tap into consumers ' emotions to make profits.Research suggests that there are **six universal emotions** we all feel: **HAPPINESS, ANGER, DISGUST, SADNESS, FEAR, and SURPRISE.** These are frequently used in advertising campaigns to tap into the target segment.

HAPPINESS makes you feel good and encompasses everything we talked about above (youth, luxury, etc.) plus other positive concepts like romance, adventure, playfulness, and family bonding



Fig 5.1: Types of Emotions in Advertising: Happiness

ANGER

It is often seen in advertisements which are designed to upset people about problems like environment, government policies and about the political candidates.



Fig 5.2: Types of Emotions in Advertising: Anger

DISGUST

It is used to make people feel bad about themselves. The objective can be to sell medications, and "miracle" remedies.



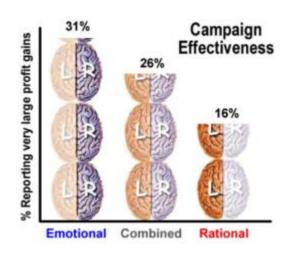
Fig 5.3 & 5.4: Types of Emotions in Advertising: DisgustandSadness

A sense of compassion or empathy is used to evoke SADNESS. Ads such as these can help to raise awareness of social problems. Fear is often used to prevent harmful behaviors such as smoking or drug abuse from people.



Fig 5.5: Types of Emotions in Advertising: Fear

SURPRISE It can be used with support of other emotions. It can be both either negative or positive.



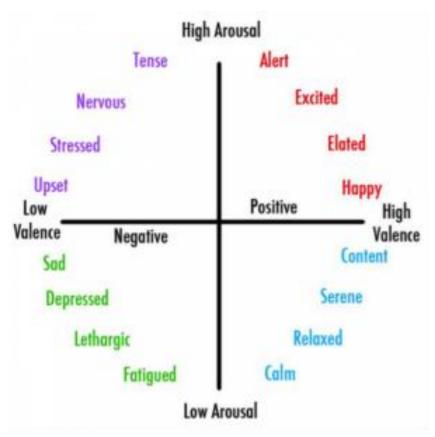


Fig 6: What Makes an Ad Memorable

Excitement refers to the intensity of an emotion (how calming or exciting it is), while valence deals with the emotion's positive or negative character. It is said that an ad with positive connotations (such as joy, love or pride) has a high or "positive" value.Negative connotations have low or"negative"valence (including death, anger and violence). The more exciting, inspiring or angry something, the higher theexcitement. Soothing orcalming information produces little excitement. Studies show that ads with high-level arousal are the most memorable for consumers. The effect becomes even stronger when combined with valence -either low or high -but positive valence creates pleasant associations that our brains are hard-wired for longer periods of time. The right combination of valence and excitement is a key factor in the perception of your brand.

1.4.3 HIGH CONTEXT & LOW CONTEXT COUNTRIES

Cultures of <u>High Context</u>(including much of the Middle East, Asia, India, Africa and South America) are related, collectivist, intuitive and contemplative. This means that people emphasize interpersonal relationships in these cultures. Trust development is an important first step in any business transaction. These cultures are collectivist, preferring group harmony and consensus to achieve individually. And people in these cultures are less motivated than intuition or sentiment. Words are not as important as context, which could include the voice, facial expression, gestures, posture of the speaker

Low-context cultures (including North America and much of Western Europe) are logical, linear, individualistic, and action-oriented.

People from cultures with a low context value logic, facts and directness. Solving a problem means bringing the facts together and evaluating each other. Decisions are based not on intuition but on fact. The talks end with action. And it is expected that communicators will be simple, concise and efficient to tell what action is expected. They try to use precise words and want them to be taken literally, to be absolutely clear. The negotiations are concluded with explicit contracts

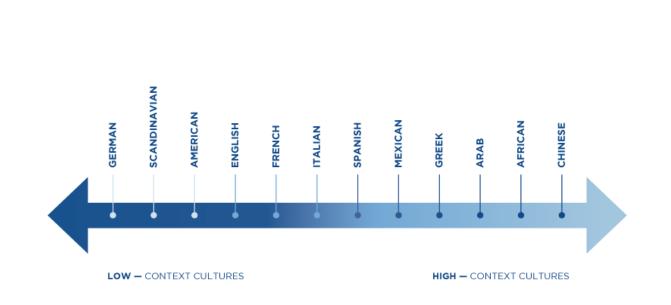


Fig 8: High Context & Low Context Countries

The uniquefeatures of a particular market (E.g.: India)which call for special attention and thus, subsequent changes in the application of marketing concepts are as follows:

a) Cultural Outlook

b) Literacy Rate

c) Lack of Proper Communication and infrastructure facilitie

d) Many Languages and Dialects

1.4.4 CULTURAL ASPECTS

Such cross-cultural understanding is imperative from the point of view of international marketing and advertising professionals in order to formulate effective localized advertising that reflects the cultural values and standards of its intended

audience. The issue of "cultural imperialism" has drawn much attention to the impact of western advertising and other media productions on the cultures of developing nations.

Blackwell and Miniard (1986) define culture as complex values, ideas, attributes and other significant symbols that serve people as members of society to communicate, interpret and evaluate. In addition, the authors believe that socialization and acculturation develop human values. The process of absorbing one's culture is socialization.

Culture influences advertising, free trade policies, brand effectiveness, strategy decisions on localization and standardization, international negotiations, business relations, international business management, consumer behavior and international marketing

1.4.5High/ Low Context Cultures (w.r.t Advertising)

Advertising language can reflect the context of culture. Considering the differencesbetween high-context communication and low-context communication, different advertisements will be demonstrated in each context.

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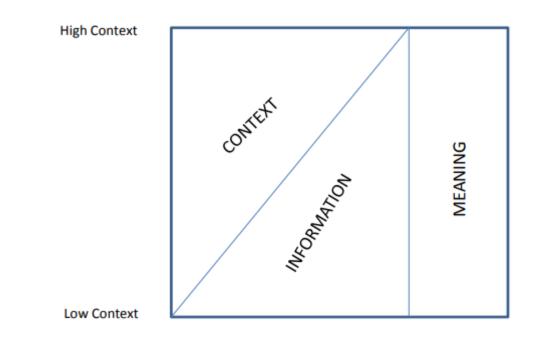


Figure 9: HC and LC transaction, Source: Hall (1976)

A number of theoretical models have been developed to help understand how culture affects communication. Two of the most cited theoretical frameworks in communication are the cultural dimensions of Hofstede and the context theory of Hall (Hall, E. T. (1976). As Hall states: "A high-context (HC) communication or message is one in which most of the information is either in the physical context or internalized in the person, while very little is in the coded, explicit, transmitted part of the message. A low-context (LC) communication is just the opposite; i.e., the mass of the information is vested in the explicit code." The perspective of context theory is very relevant for the processing of complex messages.

Many scholars claimed that the comprehension and interpretation of visual metaphors in particular may differ between cultures (e.g., Kövecses, Kövecses, Z. (2005); Le Pair & Van Mulken, Le Pair, R., & Van Mulken, M. (2008). Perceived complexity and appreciation of visual metaphors by consumers with different cultural backgrounds.

Factor	High-context culture	Low-context culture		
Overtness of messages	Many covert and implicit messages, with use of metaphor and reading between the lines.	Many overt and explicit messages that are simple and clear.		
Locus of control and attribution for failure	Inner locus of control and personal acceptance for failure	Outer locus of control and blame of others for failure		
Use of non-verbal communication	Much nonverbal communication	More focus on verbal communication than body language		
Expression of reaction	Reserved, inward reactions	Visible, external, outward reaction		
Cohesion and separation of groups	Strong diistinction between ingroup and outgroup. Strong sense of family.	Flexible and open grouping patterns, changing as needed		
People bonds	Strong people bonds with affiliation to family and community	Fragile bonds between people with little sense of loyalty.		
Level of commitment to relationships	High commitment to long-term relationships. Relationship more important than task.	Low commitment to relationship. Task more important than relationships.		
Flexibility of time	Time is open and flexible. Process is more important than product	Time is highly organized. Product is more important than process		

Table 1: High Context vs Low Context Cultures

1.4.6) CULTURAL COMPARISON OF THE COUNTRIES BASED ON HIGH AND

LOW

CONTEXT

	Low-Context	High-Context		
Example Countries	US, UK, Canada, Germany, Denmark, Norway	Japan, China, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, France, Italy, Spain		
Business Outlook	Competitive	Cooperative		
Work Ethic	Task-oriented	Relationship-oriented		
Work Style	Individualistic	Team-oriented		
Employee Desires	Individual achievement	Team achievement		
Relationships	Many, looser, short-term	Fewer, tighter, long-term		
Decision Process	Logical, linear, rule-oriented	Intuitive, relational		
Communication	Verbal over Non-verbal	Non-verbal over Verbal		
Planning Horizons	More explicit, written, formal	More implicit, oral, informal		
Sense of Time	Present/Future-oriented	Deep respect for the past		
View of Change	Change over tradition	Tradition over change		
Knowledge	Explicit, conscious	Implicit, not fully conscious		
Learning	Knowledge is transferable (above the waterline)	Knowledge is situational (below the waterline)		

1.5 RELEVANCE OF STUDY

In this era of globalization, organizations want to increase their international presence by entering new business markets, so that communication continues to play an important role in linking markets through the flow of information, images and ideas. In view of this information, this thesis examines how culture can influence a global organization's international advertising strategy. The global organisation being considered in this dissertation is **The Coca-Cola Company.**

Research Question:

To identify how the advertising approach of Coca-Cola used in the High context and Low Context countries differ from each other w.r.t cultural aspects: Global/ Local Approach?

1.6 RESEARCH OBJECTIVES

- a) Difference in Advertising elements w.r.t High Context & Low Context Cultures.
- b) Role of Culture in Advertising Campaigns
- c) To Study the Importance of Emotional Appeal in Ads for Consumers

CHAPTER 2: METHODOLOGY

This research is based on a qualitative approach to gain more in-depth knowledge and to clearly describe existing data and analyse similarities and differences. Following Patel & Davidson (2003), I use a deductive case study approach by analysing the advertisements & using an Expert Rating Mechanism to validate the findings.

2.1) PROJECT STRUCTURE

The project is divided into the following phases:

Phase 1: Advertisement Selection for each country.

Total Advertisements: 2 Ads X 6 countries= 12 advertisements.

Phase 2:Selection of Advertisement Analysis Parameters w.r.t High Context & Low Context Countries.

Phase 3: Expert Rating Mechanism w.r.t Parameters Chosen (3 evaluators).

Phase 4: Analysis w.r.t Cultural Encoding/Decoding – Parameter Based.

2.2) RESEARCH DESIGN

Expert Rating Mechanism based on 5 domains of observation (Claude & Lee: 2009) have been used to address the research question. Cultural Encoding&Hofstede Dimensions have been employed to understand the company's approach towards advertising globally.Countries selected for the study are:

High Context Cultures: India, China, Saudi Arabia (UAE)

Low Context Cultures: USA, Germany & Switzerland

TABLE II: The Domains of Observation (Claude & Lee: 2009) include:

1.	Language	Local vs. international				
2.	Humour vs. emotion	situations, words				
3.	Characters & roles	Gender roles, endorsement styles (celebrity vs. character building)				
4.	Influence of Culture	Reflection of religion, history, national heroes& culture.				
5.	Visual elements	Sight, image, movement				

2.3) PARAMETERS CONSIDERED FOR STUDY:

Five Parameters pertaining to High Context and Low Context cultures have been chosen to further analyse the advertisements and rate them on the basis of Advertisement characteristics that reflect them. These Parameters are:

- 1. Relationships (Level of Cohesion/ Separation)
- 2. Communication (Overtness/ Covertness of Messages in the Ad.)
- 3. Decision Process (Logical & Linear / Intuitive & Relational)
- 4. View of Change
 - HC: Tradition focus over Change
 - LC: Change focus over Traditions
- 5. Sense of Time

HC: Deep Respect for Past

LC: Present/ Futuristic Orientation

2.4) PARAMETERS MAPPED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT CHARACTERISTICS:

S.NO.	PARAMETERS	ADVERTISEMENT CHARACTERISTICS
1.	Relationships	Bandwagon effect, Emotional appeal, Testimonials, Direct order, Family Ties.
2.	Communication	Facts & Figures, Repetition, Testimonials, Direct appeal/ Brand connect building, Slogans, Humour element.
3.	Decision Process	Product features/ benefits emphasized, USP, Humour, Building Human connect.
4.	View of Change	Focus of Change vs Focus on Tradition.
5.	Sense of Time	Deep respect for past traditions vs Present/ Futuristic Appeal.

Table III: HC/LCParameters & Advertisement Characteristics

2.5) DATA COLLECTION

Secondary Research has been used for the purpose. Judgemental Sampling technique has been used to separate the commercials according to different countries. Two television advertisement campaigns by The Coca-Cola Company have been selected from each country namely: India, China, USA & Saudi Arabia. (UAE), Germany & Switzerland.

Total Sample Size: 12 advertisements.

No. of Evaluators: 3

Total No. of Response sheets: 36

2.6) ANALYSIS

The advertisement analysis was done on the basis of Low Context/ High Context Countries & the cultural dimensions associated with them. Also, parameters were combined with the 5 Domains of Observation.Meanings are created for each characteristic chosen for High/Low context culture by correlating them to attributes assigned for advertising strategies and global branding. Expert Rating Mechanism was applied to validate the results. Three evaluators from the Advertising Industry were chosen to analyse and rate the characteristics based on the various parameters pertaining to High Context & Low Context Cultures.

A Questionnaire was administered to the evaluators which has been enclosed in Appendix-I.

2.6.1) List of Advertisements

COUNTRY		YEAR	
INDIA	1.	Share A Coke this Diwali!	Oct, 2018
	2.	Coca-Cola Small World Machines - Bringing India & Pakistan Together: Happiness without Borders Campaign	March,2013

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USA	1.	Heist:Coca-Cola Commercial	Aug, 2009
	2.	Coca Cola Super Bowl Commercial 2018 The Wonder of Us	2018
CHINA	1.	Coca-Cola Chinese New Year 2017 TVC	Dec, 2016
	2.	Bring Me Home Ad	April, 2007
SAUDI ARABIA (UAE)	1.	Coca Cola Ramadan	2018
	2.	Change has a taste campaign	2017
GERMANY	1.	Coke Zero Commercial-Manuel Neuer	2015
	2.	Coke Zero Commercial	2007
SWITZERLAND	1.	Taste the Feeling Commercial	2016
	2.	Coca Cola- Magician Advert	2017

TABLE-IV

2.6.2) Expert Rating: Validation & Verification

The rating validation was done by referring to 3 evaluators who have worked with global advertising agencies with a rich body of work that included advertisements for some major brands like: FCB Ulka, Bang in The Middle & Dentsu Aegis Network.

Evaluator 1: Mr Vivek Subramanian (FCB Ulka)

Evaluator 2: Shweta Tandon (Bang in The Middle)

Evaluator 3: Mr. Harsh Kataria (Dentsu Aegis Network)

2.6.3) Parameter Based Advertising Rating

Rating has been done by the evaluators on a scale of 1-5 wherein:

1 – Strongly Disagree; 2 – Disagree; 3 – Neutral; 4 – Agree; 5 – Strongly Agree

Also: HC – High Context Culture / LC – Low Context Culture

COUNTRY I: INDIA

Advertisement 1-

EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY	-	-	-	COUNTRY I: IND ADVERTISEMENT		tu.be/WkGBy0xAkZg (Diwali)
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5.0	Cohesiveness of relationships is emphasized
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	2	1	2	1.7	and human bonding is shown in the advert
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	5	4	5	4.7	which indicates High Context culture.
	Q4	5	5	5	5.0	which multares righ context culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5.0	The communication rating is found to be
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	3	2	2	2.3	inclined towards covertness and the language
Parameter 2. communication	Q3	4	5	4	4.3	used was local. Hidden & indirect
	Q4	2	3	2	2.3	communication is used in HC cultures.
	Q1	1	1	1	1.0	Character roles focus on emotional connect
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	2	1	2	1.7	rather than facts & figures which indicates HC
Parameter 5: Decision Process	Q3	4	5	5	4.7	culture.
	Q4	2	2	2	2.0	culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5.0	There is focus on tradition pertaining to the
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	5	5	5	5.0	country (Indian Traditions) during a festival
Parameter 4: view of Change	Q3	2	1	2	1.7	and the ad reflects the religion. This is
	Q4	1	1	1	1.0	prevalent in HC culture.
	Q1	1	1	1	1.0	
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	5	4	4.3	Deep respect for past and religious traditions
Parameter 5, Sense of time	Q3	3	2	2	2.3	is shown which reflects HC culture.
	Q4	4	5	4	4.3	

COUNTRY I: INDIA ADVERTISEMENT 2 : https://youtu.be/ts_4vOUDImE (India-Pak)						
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Coloring of coloring birds in a second of
Devenue de Deletiensking	Q2	2	1	2	1.666666667	Cohesiveness of relationships is promoted &
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	5	5	5	5	cross-border bonding is shown. This reflects
	Q4	5	5	5	5	HC culture as emotional appeal is being used.
	Q1	2	1	2	1.666666667	The communication is completely covert in
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	3	2	2	2.3333333333	nature and the message has a deeper
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	4	5	4	4.3333333333	meaning reflected indirectly. International
	Q4	4	4	3	3.666666667	language is used here. It reflects HC culture.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is neither any mention of facts/ figures
	Q2	1	2	1	1.3333333333	nor product benefits are shown directly.
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q3	5	5	5	5	Character roles completely focus on
	Q4	4	3	4	3.666666667	emotional connect & bonding with reflects H culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	There is equal focus on tradition as well as
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	4	3	3	3.3333333333	change in this ad to promote emotional
Farameter 4. view of change	Q3	4	4	4	4	connect across borders. HC culture with a mix
	Q4	2	2	3	2.3333333333	of change is shown.
	Q1	2	2	2	2	
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	3	4	3.666666667	Deep-rooted Past is used for present &
Parameter 5: Sense of time	Q3	4	4	5	4.3333333333	futuristic appeal which indicates HC culture.
	Q4	3	3	3	3	

COUNTRY II: CHINA

Advertisement 1-

EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY			COUNTRY II: CHI ADVERTISEMENT		u.be/M5Jd_IcUd-	k (New Year 2017)
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Family ties and bonding has been
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	2	1	1	1.3333333333	emphasized in ad which reflects HC
	Q3	4	4	4	4	culture.
	Q4	5	5	5	5	
	Q1	5	5	5	5	The message is indirect and through
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	3	2	2	2.3333333333	emotional appeal, hence it reflects
	Q3	4	4	4	4	covertness & HC culture.
	Q4	4	3	4	3.666666667	
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Character roles focus on emotional
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	1	1	2	1.3333333333	connect and there is no mention of facts/
Furtherer 5. Decision Frocess	Q3	5	5	5	5	figures which shows that the TG
	Q4	4	4	4	4	comprises of HC culture group.
	Q1	4	4	4	4	There is focus on tradition (Chinese New
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	5	5	5	5	Year) and visual elements focus on the
ratanieter 4. view of change	Q3	2	1	1	1.3333333333	Asian culture. This reflects HC culture.
	Q4	1	2	1	1.3333333333	Asian curtare, mis relieus ne tuiture.
	Q1	2	1	1	1.3333333333	Past traditions have been utilized in the
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	4	4	4	ad for appeal. Slow paced imagery has
ranneter 5. Sense of fille	Q3	5	4	5	4.666666667	been used. This indicates focus towards
	Q4	5	5	4	4.666666667	HC culture.

COUNTRY II: CHINA

Advertisement 2-

COUNTRY II: CHINA ADVERTISEMENT 2 : https://youtu.be	/5Ith7KvAESI (Bring Me Home)					
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5	
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	2	1	1	1.3333333333	Human Bonding and Family Ties are shown
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	5	5	5	5	in the ad which reflects HC culture.
	Q4	5	5	5	5	
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Emotional Appeal is used through the use
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	2	2	2	2	of a celebrity (Liu Xiang: Chinese athlete)
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	4	5	4	4.3333333333	& the message is inclined towards
	Q4	2	4	2	2.666666667	covertness. HC culture is indicated.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Character roles focus on emotional
	Q2	1	1	1	1	connect and humor element in the form
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q3	5	5	5	5	of two animated characters is shown. This
	Q4	3	4	3	3.3333333333	helps to build brand connect & indicates HC culture.
	Q1	4	3	4	3.666666667	Traditional family bonding over food is the
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	5	4	5	4.666666667	focus over any changes in life. This strongly
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q3	2	1	1	1.3333333333	reflects HC culture.
	Q4	1	1	1	1	reliects AC culture.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Family focus is shown instead of future
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	4	4	4	orientation that is a characteristic of HC
Parameter 5, Sense of fime	Q3	4	4	4	4	culture.
	Q4	4	4	4	4	cuiture.

COUNTRY III: SAUDI ARABIA (UAE)

COUNTRY III: SAUDI ARABIA (UAR ADVERTISEMENT 1 : https://you	:) tu.be/hmHhCUydd3U (Ramadan Ad)					EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Human Bonding is emphasized during a cultural
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	2	2	1	1.666666667	festival and empathy is shown. This indicates
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	5	4	5	4.666666667	HC culture.
	Q4	5	5	5	5	He culture.
	Q1	3	3	3	3	There is no language used, only actions which
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	2	2	2	2	are covert in nature. Bonding is shown
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	5	5	4	4.666666667	indirectly. HC culture attribute.
	Q4	2	2	2	2	indirectly. HC culture attribute.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is no mention of facts & figures or any
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	1	1	1	1	product USP. Emotional connect is the main
Parameter 5: Decision Process	Q3	5	5	5	5	focus that reflects HC culture.
	Q4	3	2	2	2.3333333333	focus that reflects HC culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Ad reflects the national culture through
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	5	5	5	5	Ramadan and traditional focus. This reflects HC
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q3	2	2	2	2	culture.
	Q4	1	2	1	1.3333333333	culture.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Door const for most too ditions is shown
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	4	5	4.3333333333	Deep respect for past traditions is shown
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	: Sense of Time Q3 2 1 2 1.666666667	combined with slow paced imagery that indicates HC culture.				
	Q4	4	4	5	4.3333333333	indicates AC culture.

COUNTRY III: SAUDI ARABIA (UAE)

Advertisement 2-

COUNTRY III: SAUDI ARABIA (UAE ADVERTISEMENT 2 : https://you	:) tu.be/5dcksBDOcTI (Change has a taste)					
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	5	5	5	5	The ad reflects bonding between father &
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	4	4	4	4	daughter and family ties which reflects it is
Parameter 1. Nelationships	Q3	5	4	5	4.666666667	aimed at a HC culture.
	Q4	5	5	4	4.666666667	anneu at a HC culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Local language is used and the message is
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	2	2	2	2	equally overt and covert in terms of "courage
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	4	5	4	4.3333333333	factor" & family support. It reflects HC culture.
	Q4	2	2	2	2	factor & family support. It reflects HC culture.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Product related data is not mentioned and the
	Q2	2	2	2	2	main focus is on the emotional connect with
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q3	4	5	4	4.3333333333	audience & brand recall through product
	Q4	2	3	2	2.3333333333	placement in the ad- HC culture reflected.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Change is endorsed through the use of
Deserved as Manual Channel	Q2	4	5	4	4.3333333333	prevalent traditions in the country- Women
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q3	4	4	4	4	don't drive. Traditional elements like hijab are
	Q4	2	3	2	2.3333333333	kept intact- HC culture.
	Q1	3	4	2	3	
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	4	4	4	4	Deep respect for past traditions as well as fast
Parameter 5: Sense of time	Q3	5	4	5	4.666666667	paced imagery to emphasize future appeal is used in the ad to cater to a HC audience.
	Q4	4	4	5	4.3333333333	used in the ad to cater to a HC audience.

COUNTRY IV: GERMANY

COUNTRY IV: GERMANY ADVERTISEMENT 1 : https://youtu.	.be/FseQVTnhz4w					EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY			
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)			
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is no emphasis of human			
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	4	5	5	4.666666667	relationships. Product focus & individual			
Parameter 1: Kelationships	Q3	2	1	1	1.3333333333	progress is highlighted that reflects a LC			
	Q4	3	2	2	2.3333333333	culture.			
	Q1	5	5	5	5	The message was very direct and overt in			
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	5	4	5	4.666666667				
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	2	1	2	1.666666667	nature. Local language has been used. Lu culture is identified.			
	Q4	2	2	2	2	culture is identified.			
	Q1	5	5	5	5	Facts related to the product (Zero Coke			
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	5	5	5	5	are shown & main product USP/benefit			
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q3	2	1	1	1.3333333333	are highlighted in the ad which shows a I			
	Q4	1	2	1	1.3333333333	are shown & main product USP/bend are highlighted in the ad which shows culture.			
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is no reference to national culture			
Description (1.) General Change	Q2	1	1	1	1				
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q3	3	3	3	3	traditions. Character roles endorse lifesty			
	Q4	4	3	4	3.666666667	change that reflects LC culture.			
	Q1	5	5	5	5	There is Future Orientation shown i			
Deservation F. Comm. of Time	Q2	1	2	1	1.3333333333				
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q3	4	5	5	4.666666667	ad and fast paced imagery is used to put			
	Q4	2	1	1	1.3333333333	across the main point: LC culture prevaler			

COUNTRY IV: GERMANY

Advertisement 2-

COUNTRY IV: GERMANY ADVERTISEMENT 2 : https://youtu	.be/GymSQlOnMFg (Coke ZERO)							
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)		
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is no cohesion of relationships		
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	4	4	5	4.3333333333	shown. The ad focusses on individual		
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	1	2	1	1.3333333333	progress through the product which		
	Q4	1	1	2	1.3333333333	reflects LC culture.		
	Q1	1	1	1	1	The language used in the ad is local and the		
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	4	5	5	4.666666667	message is completely direct and overt in		
arameter 2: Communication	Q3	1	2	2	1.666666667			
	Q4	2	2	2	2	nature which indicates LC culture.		
	Q1	4	4	4	4	The main product benefits are highlighted		
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	5	4	5	4.666666667	in the ad and no emotional connect is		
ranameter 5. Decision Process	Q3	2	1	2	1.666666667	shown which reflects LC culture.		
	Q4	2	2	2	2	shown which relieus te culture.		
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is no reference to national culture or		
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	1	2	1	1.3333333333	traditions and the visual elements show		
Parameter 4. view of change	Q3	3	4	4	3.666666667	transformation and is product focussed		
	Q4	4	5	5	4.666666667	which reflects LC culture.		
	Q1	4	4	5	4.3333333333	The character roles is focussed towards		
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	2	1	1	1.3333333333	futuristic appeal after product use and		
r drameter 5. Sense of fille	Q3	5	5	5	5	there is no mention of past. Fast paced		
	Q4	2	1	1	1.3333333333	imagery is used - reflects LC culture.		

COUNTRY V: USA

COUNTRY V: USA ADVERTISEMENT 1 : https://youtu	ı.be/icV7fGqPZ2I (Superbowl Heist Ad)					EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY		
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)		
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There was no emotional appeal used in		
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	4	3	3	3.3333333333	the storyline and there was individual		
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	2	1	2	1.666666667	focus that reflected LC culture.		
	Q4	1	1	1	1	locus that reliected to culture.		
	Q1	3	3	3	3	The communication was direct and overt		
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	4	3	4	3.666666667	in nature through the product focus and		
	Q3	4	4	4	4	there was no language used, only actions		
	Q4	4	3	4	3.666666667	which reflected LC culture.		
	Q1	2	2	2	2	The decision process inclines towards		
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	3	3	3	3	logical more than relational due to the		
Parameter 5. Decision Process	Q3	1	1	1	1	focus on product aspect that indicates LC		
	Q4	4	4	4	4	culture audience.		
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There was no focus on any cultural or		
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	1	1	2	1.3333333333	traditional elements. Humor/ Light		
Furthered 4. Frew of change	Q3	3	3	3	3	element was shown through animated		
	Q4	4	5	4	4.3333333333	characters and product benefits.		
	Q1	5	5	5	5	There was future orientation in the ad in a		
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	2	1	1	1.3333333333	dramatic storyline and fast paced imagery		
and the second of the	Q3	4	4	4	4	is used which shows LC culture.		
	Q4	2	1	2	1.666666667	is used which shows to culture.		

COUNTRY V: USA

Advertisement 2-

COUNTRY V: USA ADVERTISEMENT 2 : https://youtu	ı.be/-R-EEdvDrUU (Superbowl 2018)					
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	2	2	2	2	There is no focus on family ties. Individual
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	5	5	5	5	progress is emphasized and differences
Parameter 1. Relationships	Q3	4	2	2	2.666666667	celebrated which reflects less cohesion
	Q4	3	3	2	2.666666667	and LC culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	5	5	5	5	The message clarity is sharp, direct and
Parameter 2. communication	Q3	2	2	2	2	overt in nature which reflects LC culture.
	Q4	3	4	4	3.666666667	
	Q1	4	4	4	4	Product focus with individualism is
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	3	3	3	3	highlighted in the ad and there is no
Tarameter 5. Decision Process	Q3	2	1	2	1.666666667	emotional appeal used which indicates LC
	Q4	2	3	3	2.666666667	culture.
	Q1	3	3	3	3	There is no reference of any religious
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	3	3	3	3	elements in particular or tradition.
randineter in their of change	Q3	4	5	5	4.666666667	Individiual transformation & growth is the
	Q4	4	4	4	4	main focus that reflect LC culture.
	Q1	5	4	5	4.666666667	Present & Futuristic orientation is
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	2	2	1	1.666666667	highlighted with a mix of slow paced and
r and letter 51 dense of fille	Q3	4	5	5	4.666666667	fast paced imagery that indicates LC
	Q4	2	1	1	1.3333333333	culture.

COUNTRY VI:SWITZERLAND

COUNTRY VI: SWITZERLAND ADVERTISEMENT 1 : https://you	tu.be/pmlHrrW4h6I (Taste the Feeling)		_			EVALUATOR RATINGS : SUMMARY
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	1	1	1	1	There is emotional/ human connect used
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q2	3	3	3	3	in the ad and it directly focusses on the
Parameter 1. Nelationships	Q3	1	2	1	1.3333333333	product reflecting LC culture.
	Q4	1	1	1	1	product reliecting to culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	The communication is very direct-
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	5	4	5	4.666666667	refreshing element of Coke shown which
Parameter 2. communication	Q3 2 1 2 1.666666667	indicates LC culture.				
	Q4	3	2	2	2.3333333333	multares ee culture.
	Q1	3	3	3	3	The main focus in the ad is on product
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	4	4	4	4	and the main TG: Youth. There is no use
runditeter 5. becision rocess	Q3	1	2	1	1.3333333333	of emotional appeal which indicates LC
	Q4	1	2	2	1.666666667	Culture audience.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	Product and transformation focus over
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q2	1	1	1	1	tradition. No use of cultural elements
Parameter 4. view of change	Q3	3	3	3	3	that reflects LC culture.
	Q4	3	3	3	3	that reneeds to culture.
	Q1	3	3	2	2.666666667	
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q2	2	1	1	1.3333333333	Fast paced and sharp imagery used for
rarameter 5. Sense of Time	Q3	4	5	5	4.666666667	direct message. This shows LC audience.
	Q4	2	1	1	1.3333333333	

COUNTRY VI:SWITZERLAND

Advertisement 2-

COUNTRY VI: SWITZERLAND ADVERTISEMENT 2 :https://yout	tu.be/HqyMsbkgbJw (Coke Zero Magician Ad)					
PARAMETERS	RATING QUESTIONS	EVALUATOR 1	EVALUATOR 2	EVALUATOR 3	Rating Average	INFERENCE (High Context/ Low Context)
	Q1	2	2	2	2	There is no focus on family ties or human
	Q2	3	3	2	2.666666667	bonds. Magician -main character role
Parameter 1: Relationships	Q3	1	1	1	1	focusses on product. No cohesion of
	Q4	2	3	2	2.3333333333	relationships shown which means LC culture.
	Q1	5	5	5	5	
Parameter 2: Communication	Q2	4	4	4	4	The communication is direct and overt
Parameter 2: Communication	Q3	2	2	2	2	which indicates LC culture.
	Q4	3	4	4	3.666666667	
	Q1	2	2	2	2	The descent sector disclose the sector t
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q2	4	4	4	4	The character role displays the product
Parameter 3: Decision Process	Q3	2	2	2	2	features/benefits that indicate LC
	Q4	4	3	4	3.666666667	culture. No use of emotional appeal.
	Q1	1	1	1	1	al a fair a fair a fair a
	Q2	1	1	1	1	Change focus over Tradition focus as no
Parameter 4: View of Change	Q3	2	1	2	1.666666667	cultural elements have been used and it
	Q4	4	3	3	3.3333333333	is direct in nature- product focus only.
	Q1	4	4	4	4	
	Q2	2	2	2	2	The ad is future oriented and fast paced
Parameter 5: Sense of Time	Q3	4	4	5	4.3333333333	imagery is used to highlight just the main
	Q4	1	1	2	1.3333333333	product bottle. This reflects LC culture.

2.7) Interpretation

The following are the attributes observed during the analysis of these advertisements w.r.t. High/Low Context culture. The differences in the ratings is mainly due to subjectivity regarding the aspects involved in the advertisements.

The observations made from the advertisement ratings for countries like India, China & Saudi Arabia (UAE) indicate the following:

- Cohesiveness of relationships is emphasized and human bonding is shown in the advert which indicates High Context culture.
- The communication rating is found to be inclined towards covertness and the language used was local. Hidden & indirect communication is used in HC cultures.
- Character roles focus on emotional connect rather than facts & figures which indicates HC culture.
- There is focus on tradition pertaining to the country and the ad reflects the religion. This is prevalent in HC culture.
- Deep respect for past and religious traditions is shown which reflects HC culture.

High rating on these attributes indicate that the advertisement belongs to a High Context Culture.

And hence we can say that- India, China and Saudi Arabia (UAE) are countries that follow High-Context culture.

The observations made from the advertisement ratings for countries like USA, Germany & Switzerland indicate the following:

- There is no cohesion of relationships shown. The ad focusses on individual progress through the product which reflects LC culture.
- The language used in the ad is local/international and the message is completely direct and overt in nature which indicates LC culture.

- The main product benefits are highlighted in the ad and no emotional connect is shown which reflects LC culture. Also, facts & figures are repetitively highlighted in the ad.
- There is no reference to national culture or traditions and the visual elements show transformation and is product focussed which reflects LC culture.
- The character roles are focussed towards futuristic appeal after product use and there is no mention of past. Fast paced imagery is used - reflects LC culture.

High rating on these attributes indicate that the advertisement belongs to a Low Context Culture.

And hence we can say that- USA, Germany & Switzerland are countries that follow Low-Context culture.

2.8) FINDINGS:

From the above Ratings for the six countries namely India, China, Saudi Arabia(UAE), USA, Germany & Switzerland; it has been found that the advertisement characteristics reflect specific parameters that help to decide whether the advertisement is targeted towards a High Context culture or a Low Context Culture.

CHAPTER 3: CONCLUSION

The main inference from this study is that cultural values play a very important role in global advertising. High-Context cultures and Low-Context cultures differ in varying degrees and the companies to adjust their approach at a local level in order to reach the mass audience within the country. Coca-Cola as a global brand has leveraged every possible opportunity to appeal to different cultures in unique manner through it's TVC's across different countries. Coca-Cola as a brand builds emotional connect & trust building to engage the consumers for such a low-involvement product.

This global advertising strategy adopted by The Coca-Cola company has been hugely successful due to it's localized cultural targeting towards the segments.

CHAPTER 4: LIMITATIONS

There are two limitations of this study:

- The study is based on secondary research & no direct interaction with the company is involved.
- Subjectivity of Analysis w.r.t different cultural viewpoints of individuals.

CHAPTER 5: FUTURE SCOPE

- Future research related to this study of context culture can further focus on the nonlinear relationship between comprehension of advertisements and persuasion factor.
- Coca-Cola can further expand some of their innovative marketing campaigns like:
- Share a Coke Campaign
- Taste the Feeling Campaign
- > Open Happiness Campaign
- Remove Labels Campaign
- > Together Is Beautiful Campaign

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ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE-1

DISSERTATION: ANALYSIS

EVALUATOR QUESTIONNAIRE

On the basis of the Advertisement shown, kindly rate the following parameters on a scale of 1-5 wherein:

- 1 Strongly Disagree
- 2 Disagree
- 3 Neutral
- 4 Agree
- 5 Strongly Agree

Tick the column with the appropriate rating.

Parameter 1: RELATIONSHIPS (Level of Cohesion/ Separation)

Q1.)	The ad focussed on family ties.	1	2	3	4	5
Q2.)	The character roles focussed on individual progress.	1	2	3	4	5
Q3.)	The ad expressed emotional appeal through the storyline.	1	2	3	4	5
Q4.)	The ad had visual imagery/ elements emphasizing human bonds.	1	2	3	4	5

Parameter 2: COMMUNICATION

(Level of Overtness/ Covertness of Messages)

Overt – The ad message is direct and open

Covert – The ad message is hidden and indirect.

Q1.)	The language used was local/ international.	1	2	3	4	5
Q2.)	Message clarity was overt in nature.	1	2	3	4	5
Q3.)	Message clarity was covert in nature.	1	2	3	4	5
Q4.)	Humour is used to convey the message.	1	2	3	4	5

Parameter 3: DECISION PROCESS

(Logical & Linear / Intuitive & Relational)

Logical & Linear – The ad message was based on rules/ rationale.

Intuitive & Relational – Based on emotions/ rapid actions without any solid proof.

Q1.)	Facts & Figures shown in the advertisement.	1	2	3	4	5
Q2.)	Product features/ benefits/ main USP emphasized in the advertisement.	1	2	3	4	5
Q3.)	Character roles focus on emotional connect.	1	2	3	4	5
Q4.)	Humour element used to build instant brand recall.	1	2	3	4	5

Parameter 4: VIEW OF CHANGE

(Focus on Change over Tradition/ Tradition over Change)

Q1.)	Ad reflects religion/ national culture.	1	2	3	4	5
Q2.)	Ad focus on traditions pertaining to the country.	1	2	3	4	5
Q3.)	Character roles endorse change.	1	2	3	4	5
Q4.)	Visual elements show transformation of any kind. (E.g.: Women driving in UAE ads)	1	2	3	4	5

Parameter 5: SENSE OF TIME

(Present/Future Orientations VS Deep Respect for Past)

Q1.)	Character roles focus on future outcomes/	1	2	3	4	5
	appeals.					
Q2.)	Historical cultural elements used. (Visually/	1	2	3	4	5
	Verbally)					
Q3.)	Fast paced imagery used in the ad.	1	2	3	4	5
Q4.)	Past Traditions utilized for storyline.	1	2	3	4	5
ANN	EXURE-2:					

Hard Sell Advertisement Appeals	Soft Sell Advertisement Appeals
Thinking -Rational -Logical -Analytic -Factual -Concrete	Feeling -Creative -Instinctive -Imaginative -Abstract
Explicitness -Precise -Explanation -Convincing -Persuasion -Instructive	Implicitness -Insinuation -Appealing -Subjective -Expressive
Fact -Educational -Descriptive -Realistic -Informative -Evidence based	Image -Entertaining -Interpretive -Playful -Impression based

ANNEXURE-3:

Testimonial	The use of a famous person to endorse a product or service. (Movie stars, sports athletes, etc.)
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Bandw agon	Convincing the audience that everyone is doing it. So if a member of the audience wants to be social
	acceptable, they will also do it
Attractive	Convincing the audience that purchasing the product or service will make them attractive too.
Models	
Time/Money Savers	Convincing the audience that purchasing a product or service will save them time or money.
Savers	
Fear	Making the consumer feel insecure or unprotected.
Buzz Words	Popular w ords or phrases. Quoting Paris Hilton "That's Hot"
Slogans	Short phrases to help the consumer remember a product.
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Direct Order	Convincing the audience to respond to authority. "You must protect your home and family with bran smoke detectors."
Repetition	Repeating a word or phase to gain the audience's attention.
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Name	Judging the competition. "Brand X detergent makes your whites whiter than brand Y."
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Snob /	Appeal for the desire to achieve status.
Popularity Appeal	
Facts and	Statistics about a product or service. "Car Y has the highest government safety rating, five stars"
Figures	
Deception	Simplification, half-truths, or exaggerated comments.
Loaded	Words with and emotional appeal.

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