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OBJECTIVES

- TO ASCERTAIN THE EXTENT OF PIJ PROGRAMME VIEWING AMONG THE TELEVISION VIEWERS OF KHEDA
- TO FIND OUT THE REASONS FOR NOT VIEWING PIJ PROGRAMMES

METHODOLOGY

- DATA COLLECTED FROM 30 TV-VILLAGES OF 6 TALUKAS FROM KHEDA WITHIN PIJ RANGE
- RANDOM TABLE USED FOR SELECTION OF VILLAGES FROM RBO TV-VILLAGE LIST (1988) BY PPS TECHNIQUE
- 9 DAYS OF DATA COLLECTION BETWEEN AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 11, 1989
- SURVEY OF ALL TV- INSTITUTIONS AND TV OWNERS AVAILABLE IN THE VILLAGE ON STRUCTURED SCHEDULE
- INFORMATION ABOUT 46 TV INSTITUTIONS AND 1223 PRIVATE SETS FOR THIS STUDY
- FOR LOCKED HOUSES BASIC INFORMATION ON TV FROM NEIGHBOURS
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IMPORTANT FIGURES AT A GLANCE

VIEWERSHIP OF PIJ PROGRAMMES ON INSTITUTIONAL SETS

No. of Sample Villages covered - 30
No. of Institutional sets - 46

- Installed in Dairy offices - 30 - 65.2%
- Installed in Panchayats - 6 - 13.0%
- Installed in Seva Mandalis - 2 - 4.4%
- Installed in Schools - 8 - 17.4%

No. of single channel sets - 21 - 45.7%
No. of sets functioning - 10 - 21.7%
No. of sets viewing only Ahmedabad - 7 - 15.2%
No. of sets viewing A'bad and Pij - 3 - 6.5%

Details of those viewing Pij:

- Time they switch on the set: 1900 (1), 1800 (2)
- Average no. of viewers on Pij days - 60
- Programmes they see:
  - Haaji Naaji
  - Akkalbaji
  - Lo Doctor Aapo Jabab
IMPORTANT FIGURES AT A GLANCE
VIEWERSHIP OF KHEDA ON PRIVATE SETS

No. of Talukas covered - 6
No. of sample villages surveyed - 30
No. of private sets censused - 1223
No. of Respondents interviewed - 1080
Castegroup wise holding of TV sets :

* High Caste - 63.1%
  (Patels alone holds 54.1)
* Mid Caste - 16.9
* Low Caste - 11.6
* Minorities - 8.4

Timings of switching on the sets
1800 - 15.6
1830 - 5.1
1900 - 45.2
1930 - 23.8
2000 - 9.4
2030 onward - 0.3
0 - 0.6

Viewers watching Gujarati News - 89.8

Days wise viewing of Gujarati News
1 - 2 = 6.4
3 - 5 = 15.3
6 - 7 = 65.2
0 = 1.0

Average no. of persons watching Gujarati Programmes
* family members - 6.5 persons per set
* outsiders - 14.5 ,, per set

No. of viewers watching Ahmedabad Programmes only - 56.4
No. of viewers watching Pij programmes also - 43.6

First 6 Programmes they view (according to frequency)

1. Huto Huti (95.7)
2. Jyoti (70.6)
3. Kaka Chale Banka (53.2)
4. Bela Roy (38.8)
5. Manas Ek Ukhan (27.5)
6. Gram Jagat (10.6)

Important reasons for not viewing Pij :

1. Problem of reception (20.9)
2. Programme Quality (9.2)
3. Electricity (4.3)
4. fear of getting spoiled (3.8)
5. time not suitable (3.1)

(for all calculations n=1080)
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programmes they watch more frequently:
Naaji (18.4) 2. Akkalbaji (14.4)
Doctor (4.9) 4. Ma Baap Thvu (1.6)
Ijabab Akaru Chhe
No Kh (1.4) 6. Parichay (1.1)