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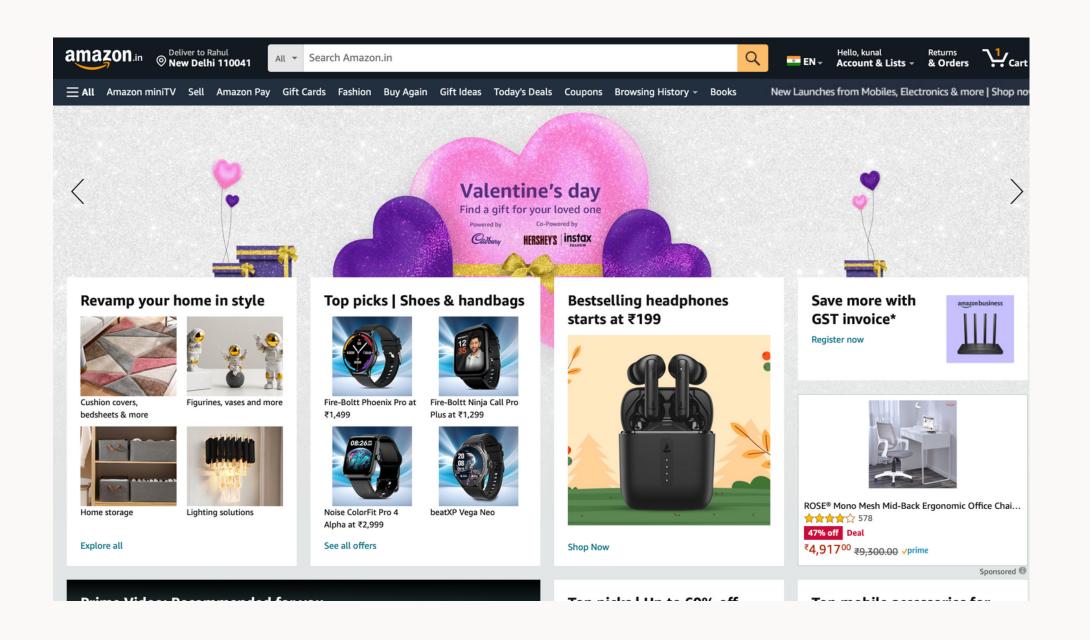
COGNITION AND INFORMATION PROCESSING IN DESIGN

WEBSITE CHOSEN

Amazon: https://www.amazon.in/

ASSIGNMENT 02

LANDING PAGE OF THE WEBSITE



GROUPING OF UI ELEMENTS

Positive:

- Clear sections: The page is divided into distinct sections such as the header, navigation bar, search bar, product listings, and footer, making it easy for users to find what they are looking for.
- Mega menu: The navigation bar groups a wide range of categories under a single dropdown menu, allowing for easy access to a large variety of products without cluttering the interface.
- Account section: The account section groups together elements related to the user's account, such as their orders, wish list, and address book, making it easy for them to manage their account information.

- Product listing clutter: The product listings can be overwhelming, especially for new users, due to the sheer amount of information and the lack of visual breaks within categories.
- Information overload: The inclusion of additional sections like "Valentine's Day" and "Sponsored products" might introduce information overload, distracting users from their primary tasks.

PLACEMENT OF UI ELEMENTS

Positive:

- Hero banner: The prominent banner showcasing current deals and promotions effectively grabs attention and highlights special offers.
- Search bar: The search bar's central placement reinforces its importance and encourages users to search for specific products.
- Call to action buttons: The brightly colored "Add to Cart" and "Buy Now" buttons stand out, prompting users to take action.

- Banner size: The large size of the hero banner might push important sections like the navigation bar and search bar below the fold on smaller screens, reducing their visibility.
- Sponsored products: The placement of sponsored products directly below the search bar could be misconstrued as search results, potentially confusing users.

STRUCTURING OF UI ELEMENTS

Positive:

- Consistent layout: The consistent layout across pages with the same header, navigation, and footer reinforces familiarity and aids navigation.
- Product information: Each product listing clearly displays the product image, title, price, and rating, providing essential information at a glance.
- Breadcrumbs: The breadcrumbs at the top of the page indicate the user's current location within the website hierarchy, promoting clarity and orientation.

- Visual clutter: The product listings can appear visually cluttered due to the density of text and images, making it challenging to scan and absorb information.
- Information hierarchy: The hierarchy of information within product listings could be improved, with less important details like sponsored promotions deemphasized to prioritize key product attributes.

LAYOUT OF UI - AESTHETIC

Positive:

- White space: The use of white space throughout the page creates a clean and modern aesthetic, enhancing readability and product focus.
- High-quality images: The high-quality product images showcase the products in detail and contribute to a visually appealing presentation.
- Color scheme: The primary color scheme of white, orange, and black creates a balanced and professional look.

- Color monotony: The predominantly white background can appear slightly monotonous, and the orange accents might not be visually appealing to everyone.
- Font inconsistency: The use of different fonts for various elements can create a visually cluttered and less polished look.

LOW-LEVEL FEATURES

Positive:

- Button clarity: The buttons use clear and concise labels and have sufficient contrast with the background, making their purpose easy to understand.
- Iconography: The use of icons for elements like the shopping cart and wishlist is simple and universally understood, enhancing usability.
- Image quality: The high resolution and quality of product images effectively showcase product details and create a positive impression.

- Text size: The text size in some areas, particularly product listings on mobile devices, might be too small for comfortable reading.
- Font hierarchy: The use of different fonts without a clear hierarchy can make the page appear visually cluttered and reduce its perceived quality.

LOW-LEVEL FEATURES

The logo, search bar, call to action buttons, product images, and product titles are designed to stand out from the background. This is achieved using:

- Color: High-contrast colors like orange and black are used for these elements.
- Whitespace: Elements are surrounded by whitespace to create visual separation.
- Size and hierarchy: Larger fonts and prominent placement are used for important elements.

ELEMENTS THAT MERGE WITH THE BACKGROUND

- The background of the page is white, and the navigation bar and footer also use light colors. This creates a clean and uncluttered look, but it can also make it difficult for some elements to stand out, especially for users with visual impairments.
- Text labels within product listings can blend in with the white background if they lack sufficient contrast, making them harder to read.
- Less important information like sponsored promotions might use muted colors and smaller fonts, intentionally blending into the background to prioritize key product details.

NOTE

For the explanation of the bullet points i have taken help from chatgpt (It is an Al tool) keeping the time constraint into consideration. The Bullet points of both positive and negative aspects are being written by myself.

Kindly consider my response.

THANK YOU!

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