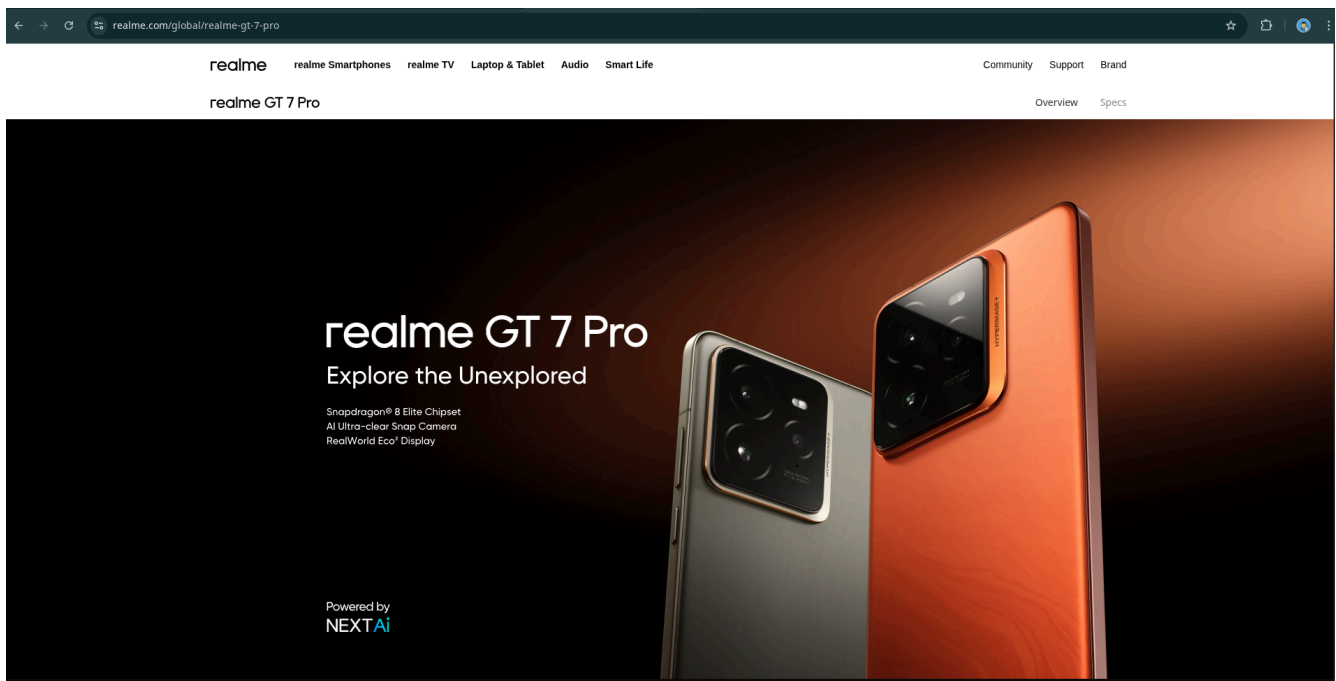


# Exploring the realme GT 7 Pro Homepage: A Multimodal Rhetorical Analysis

Smartphone home pages are not necessarily digital brochures, they are persuasive ecosystems of text, imagery, and interaction in a mesmerized user. The homepage of the realme GT 7 Pro (<https://www.realme.com/global/realme-gt-7-pro>) is an example of multimodal rhetoric that allows displaying a flagship device that is designed futuristically and packed with advanced features such as the Snapdragon 8 Elite and IP69 water resistance. This blog post shows the use of multimodal rhetoric, iconography, form and semiotics in the home page used to make its argument to the audience using Writing and Designing by Wysocki and Lynch and chapters of visual analysis in Visual Culture on visual analysis. It is time to unlock the influence of these factors upon the purpose of the site, persuasion, and context.

## The Multimodal Text: realme GT 7 Pro Homepage

The home page of the realme GT 7 pro starts with a beautiful hero section with the phone photographed in the Mars Orange color and the phone back cover in a textured surface that resembles Mars surface. Its eye-catching name, Explore the Unexplored, comes along with vivid images of the *Eco*<sup>2</sup> OLED Plus display and the AI-enabled camera of the gadget. When you scroll, you get details on specs (e.g., 6500mAh battery, 120W charging), interactive buttons to get started with shopping, and animations displaying the capabilities of taking photos underwater. At the site, there is a combination of text, picture, animation, and interactivity thus the site is multimodal in nature.



*Figure 1: Screenshot of realme GT 7 Pro's homepage.*

## Identifying Multimodal Rhetoric

Ball and others also describe multimodal rhetoric as communicating using several mediums which include; using words, images, sounds, gestures, etc (Ball et al., 2014). Realme GT 7 pro home screen uses:

**Text:** Innovation and performance are highlighted with headlines such as, Explore the Unexplored, and specs (e.g., 6500nits Peak Brightness).

**Images:** The phone has high-resolution pictures, animated graphics (such as when zooming the camera).

**Interactivity:** There are buttons, such as Learn More, and the animations triggered by scrolling that interact with people.

**Structure:** We have a vertical sectioned layout that aids in navigation.

These modes not only combine to convince technology connoisseurs that GT 7 Pro is a flagship device, but also it is powerful and stylish. Realme feature integration scenario makes a story consume the user in a persuasive manner.

## Basic Design Elements

Designed to have a persuasive effect, the details of design (the use of color, typography, space and imagery) in order to reinforce the rhetoric of the homepage:

**Color:** The dark ground, orange and blue outlines capture the reds tones of the colorings named the colorways as the Mars orange and Galaxy grey, which is described as exploration and modernity. According to Howells and Negreiros color has some cultural implications and a realme color scheme follows the futuristic aesthetic of tech (Howells & Negreiros, 2012).

**Typography:** Headlines are big and sans-serif and body text is clean and sharp to send out a message of clarity and energy. Ball and others also point out the idea that typography influences the tone in perception by the reader (Ball et al., 2014).

**Space:** Ample white space around images of products draws attention to the significant points: negative space guides the attention of the viewer (Howells & Negreiros, 2012).

**Imagery:** Imagery used to show the phone with its curved screen display and the back cover which has a Martian-like texture to bring out the design and innovation of quality.

These details create a united visual language making users convinced in the superiority of technology and beautiful design of the GT 7 Pro.

## Iconography: Symbols of Exploration and Innovation

The study of visual symbols known as iconography is the determiner of the homepage persuasion. According to Visual Culture, iconography is taken to mean: The discernment and disclosure of images and their symbolism. Important icons are:

**Mars-Inspired Design:** The back cover of the phone, which has a texture to resemble the Martian landscape, represents exploration to celebrate the indomitable spirit of exploration by the human race.

**Camera Lenses:** The outstanding images of the 50MP periscope camera will proclaim the best pictures, which will attract artistic consumers.

**Snapdragon Logo:** Qualcomm Snapdragon 8 Elite logo is the symbol of time-running performance, frequent technological symbol.

Such icons make GT 7 Pro close to the gear of explorers and innovators, which is true to the realme spirit of “Explore the Unexplored.”

## **Semiotics: Signs and Their Meanings**

The meaning made by the homepage is made clear through the study of signs called semiotics. According to Howells and Negreiros, a sign is simply something that transmits a message and it consists of signifier (form) and signified (concept) (Howells & Negreiros, 2012). There are such indicators as:

**Signifier: MARS ORANGE Colorway**

**Signified:** It connoted adventure and boldness. The Martian texture and orange color indicate exploration, which applies to the theme elaborated by Howells and Negreiros that color schemes may contain the connotations of certain cultural values.

**Signifier: 6500 nits Peak Brightness Text**

**Signified:** High tech. This spec denotes a top level display which is attractive to the performance-oriented consumer.

**Signifier: Sea-Bottom Camera Imagery**

**Signified:** Versatility. Underwater photography animations emphasize the IP69 rating, which means that it is durable and innovative.

Informed by semiotics, the homepage develops a story of adventures, stage, and survival, convincing users to view the GT 7 Pro as the flagship of every situation.

## **Form: Structuring the Persuasive Journey**

Form, according to Visual Culture, is described as the organization of the elements of a work to form a whole (Howells & Negreiros, 2012). The layout of the homepage has led the users through persuasive experience:

**Hierarchical Layout:** The content structure of the page is as follows; the page starts with a hero section, feature highlight (e.g., camera, display) and a footer. Something described as hierarchy is the way in which it directs the experience of the viewer (Howells & Negreiros, 2012).

**Bright fonts:** Text and pictures appear bright on a dark background and make reading easier and more focused, and Ball and others mention it: contrast leads the focus (Ball et al., 2014).

**Repetition:** Even typography, colors, and button forms lead to unity, which strengthens the brand of realme as per Visual Culture: repetition puts together a coherency (Howells & Negreiros, 2012).

The form favors the purpose of realme and that is to market the GT 7 Pro, enhancing its site to become friendly and to the eye that appeals to users to learn and buy its products.

## Purpose, Persuasion, and Context

The role of the homepage is to position the GT 7 Pro with demand as a high-performance and innovative flagship product to make sales amongst the tech-savvy people. It uses its persuasion to:

**Ethos:** Credibility is created by listing technical features (e.g. Snapdragon 8 Elite, Eco 2 OLED Plus), and collaborations (e.g. Samsung Display) which follow Ball and others who regard that visual decisions are made to create authority (Ball et al., 2014).

**Pathos:** The tagline and the imagery of Martians (to explore the unexplored) trigger the impression of the adventure and desire at the emotional level of the user.

**Logos:** Technical details (e.g. 50MP Sony IMX906 OIS Camera, 120W Ultra Charge) give rational justifications to purchase.

Contextually, the location is aimed at universal clients in 2025 where AI enabled smartphones and gaming performance are top priorities. X social media postings featuring the GT 7 Pro emphasise its “2.45+ million AnTuTu score” and “50MP Periscope Camera” performance positioning as well as software flaws, implying that, despite realme having made significant in-roads with this strategy to this point, it must take steps to overcome reliability perception issues going forward. The main page responds to these doubts by presenting the sleek images and specifications, making the GT 7 Pro a paladin of such a sort in the form of a DarkHorseOfAI.

## **The Importance of It**

The given blog post, in its turn, is also multimodal, as it contains text and a screenshot along with some lists to resemble the use of realme. The multimodal texts appeal to the multi-sensory experience (Ball et al., 2014). The screenshot and the link provided in the text engage the audience further as one can interact with the text that is under analysis.

## **Conclusion**

The home page of realme GT 7 Pro is a textile of multimodal rhetoric, which includes text, image, and interactivity to convince people. It tells a story of exploration, performance and innovation by use of iconography (Mars - inspired design, camera lenses), semiotics (colorways, specs), and form (hierarchical layout, contrast). Using Writer/Designer and Visual Culture levels, it is possible to witness how the choice of design influences the mind and leads one into action. When you access a smartphone web server again, do not stop at the specs: the rhetoric is multimodal and ready to be accessed.

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