Myth of idealized patriotic world order

Where each superhero represents an aspect of the current status quo society’s government or ruling structure: American industry (Tony stark), American might (Captain America), American Intelligence Services (Black Widow), American Skill (hawkeye), American Scientific Achievement and Advanced Weaponry (Bruce Banner, the hulk)

Obstacles are solved by how awesome they are because they are superheroes

Star Wars mimic score

MacGuffin at the start which is the reason the bad guys are here

Group them together in twos and go thru the HGS group by group

Group altogether between ordeals for downtime until the finale when they come together on their own

Avengers entity (group) is the main character

The influence character is “the missing component in the form of the next group member”

Relationship throughline always takes place with all avengers present

Their command center soars through the air representing the extreme optimism towards the future

Comedy, drama developments as bridging out

B story is the development of interpersonal relationship between the avengers (not only the pairs but still mainly them)

False defeat midpoint

All is lost

* Notion of The Avengers Initiative is dead
* Need to get team back together
* Influence character decides to power up and join team in spirit but not officially
* Everyone powers up because they’re avengers
* Dialogue with the bad guy
  + Surprise attack first wave of bad guys
  + Avengers assemble
  + And fight to save the world
  + Bad guy hurts the influence character
  + Avengers use their individuality to overcome various obstacles to get to the bad guy while protecting people
  + And start to work together
  + Stunning surprise 2 happens and is a big mob that precipitates bigger, second wave of bad guys
  + The plan is put together
  + Everyone does their super power to the minions and each defeat an entire wave’s worth by themselves
    - While interweaving helping each other out
    - Sequences change by endangering larger and larger numbers of people
  + Stakes are raised, ticking clock
  + Bad guy appears
  + Everyone works together to confront the big bad
  + Finally, once everyone gets there, as a team, they confront the big bad and solve their arcs through their actions
  + The idea of the MacGuffin that solves the problem of the minions is stated
  + Finale threat arrives from the ticking clock
  + Final hero in the group solves their arc
    - Which solves the overall story
    - And brings the avengers closer together
    - But seems like they sacrificed themself (death)
    - But the team saves them (resurrection)
      * Comedic resurrection beat
  + Win the day
  + Arrest the cosmic bad guy
  + 9/11 metaphor as attack is remembered and people thank the avengers
  + Reveal the MacGuffin is safe in our hands
  + Bad guy brought to Justice
  + Promise of the Future

Theme: technology will destroy the world if it falls into the wrong hands and will do so if there isn’t a heroic world order