

Kids' TV

CMPT 481

The Problem:

The Miami News Friday, May 29, 1987

Tonight's TV programs at a glance

	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30
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2 KTBC	American Juniors	Paradise Hotel	
3 KVUE	George Lopez (Repeat)	Drew Carey	Drew Carey
4 KXAN	*Fame	Law & Order (Repeat)	
5 KEYE	*60 Minutes II	Perfect Murder, Perfect Town (Repeat)	
6 INFO	*Information Channel	Information Channel	
8 HSN	*24 Hour Jewelry Celebration	24 Hour Jewelry Celebration	
9 KLRU	*Ken Burns American Stories (Repeat)	West Point (Repeat)	
10 TBN	International Intelligence Briefing	Gaither Homecoming	Jack Van Impe Presents
12 KNVA	*Boarding House: North Shore	Jamie Kennedy Experiment (Repeat)	Jamie Kennedy Experiment (Repeat)
14 WGN	*Basic Instinct		
15 CNN	*Live from the Headlines	Larry King	
16 TBS	Seinfeld	Ripley's Believe It or Not	

sky Home

4:00pm Doctor Who
Father's Day: 08/13. Sci-fi fantasy with Christopher Eccleston as the time-travelling hero, Rose goes back to 1987 to witness the day her father died. Can she leave the past alone?

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TV Guide 4:05pm Mon 17/03

All Channels	HD & 3D	Entertain	Docs	Lifestyle	Movies	Sports	News
109 Watch HD	Today	4:00pm	4:30pm			5:00pm	ch+
110 GOLD		As Time Goes...	Goodnight Sweetheart			One Foot in the Gra.	
111 Dave HD		Man v. Food	Man v. Food			Top Gear	
112 Comedy Cen HD		Two And A Half Men	Two And A Half Men			Friends	
113 Universal HD		Law & Order				Without A Trace	
114 Syfy HD		Warehouse 13				Buffy the Vampire S.	
115 BBC Three HD		...programmes start at 7:00pm					
116 BBC Four HD		...programmes start at 7:00pm					

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Press SELECT to view or to record

Tags!



- - recorded
- - set to be recorded
- ♥ - favorite

go in and
browse, ~~add~~
remove

^{recorded:}
- make rules (like inbox rules) for
tv shows that can be set per
show or globally

- blocked ^{by} show
by rating
by station
- favorite list
- recorded shows

My Shows

- folder by season

Disliking shows you never watch

Searching with tags (narrow down list)

- station genre, when do you want to
start watching?
now - 7:00

9:00 - 11:00

All Time.

now - forever



T.V. shows



KIDS

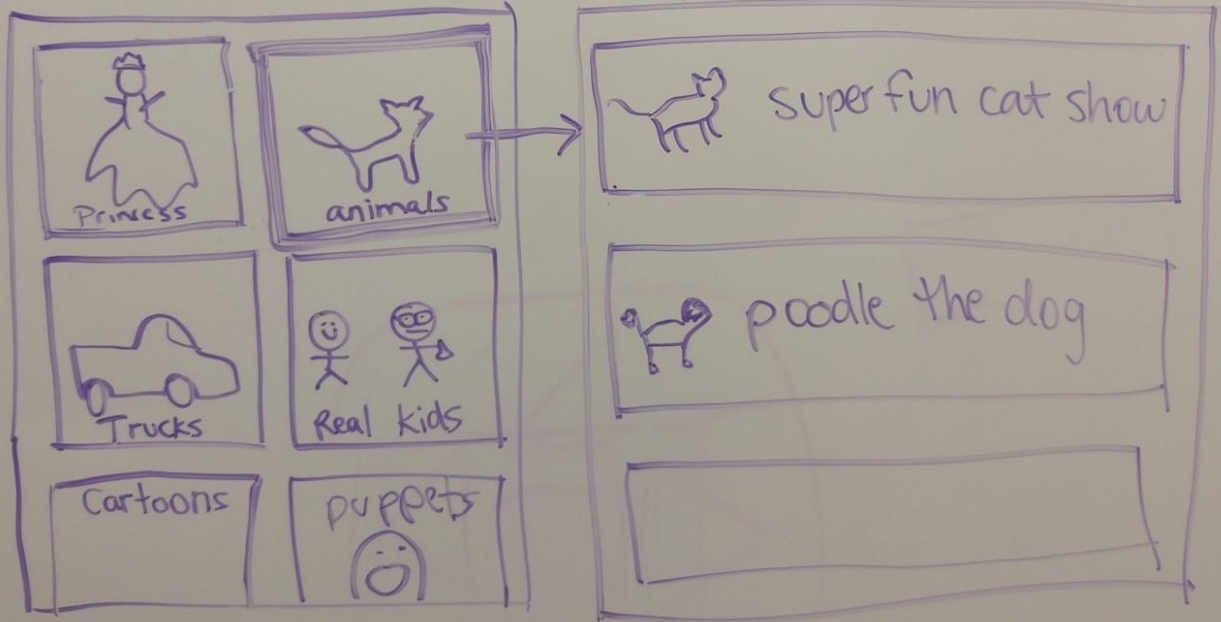
Feature Focus = Easy for Kids to Use & Understand

- Minimal: text & scrolling
- Appealing aesthetics to children
- Straight forward navigation
- Live TV and recorded shows on the same screen for children
- Recording controls for parents
- Live TV: See what is on all children's channels at once
- Recorded Shows: Easy to add new, edit, and view recording

Only show categories with something to watch

Order by most watched

auto record after 3+ watches live



Show that are On



Arthur



Dragon Tales



Franklin



Tele Tubbies

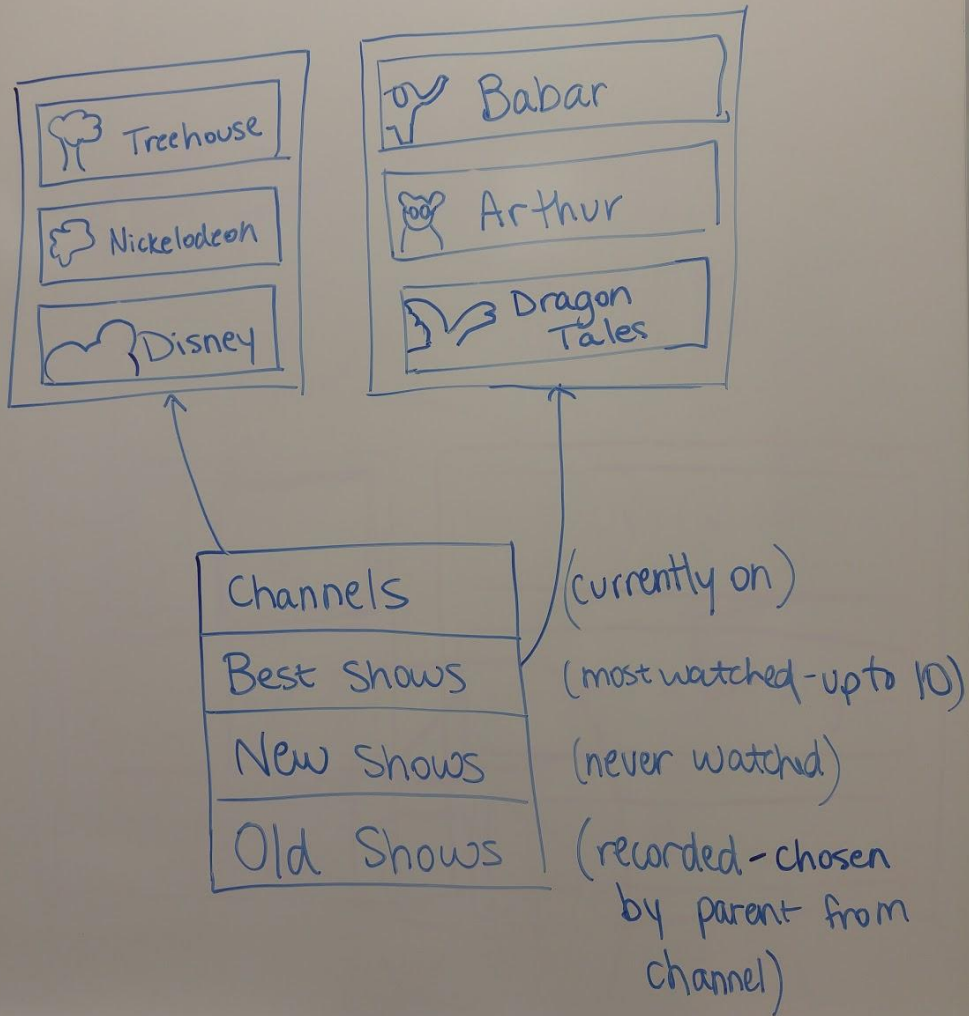


Thomas
+ the
Train



Care bears

Currently selected show
plays a catch phrase from the
show.



Search

New
recess!

Prerecord/current
Hot Picks



On Going

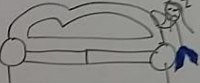


2 musketeers

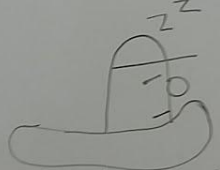


Care bears

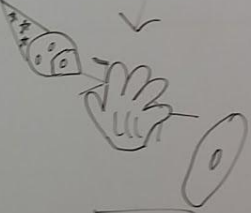
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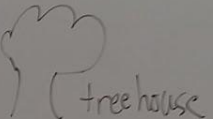
Big Comfy Couch



Thomas the tugboat



By Category



treehouse

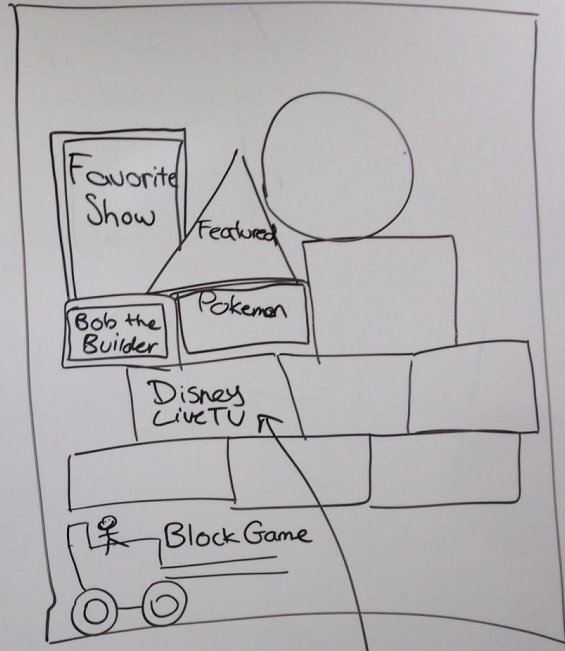
Disney



Recorded shows
get their own shape
& are bolded

Featured Theme

changes every week (day?)
- special themes for specific shows on special
& holidays



All TV channels are
listed with background
picture of show currently
on (if same show watched
3+ times then ask if
they want to record)

KID T.V.

Babar
Episodes

more recordings

My Little
Pony
Episodes.

Arthur
Episodes

Care Bears
Episodes.

BBC
Kids

Family
Channel

Cartoon
Network

Discovery
Kids

Disney
Channel

Family
Jr.

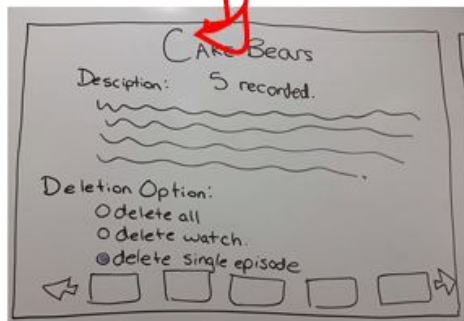
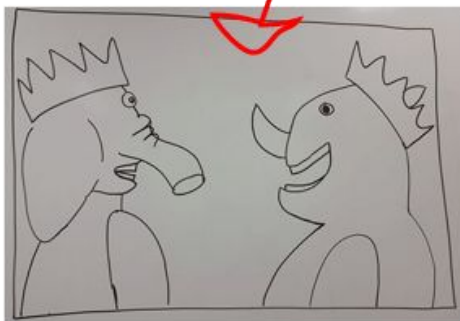
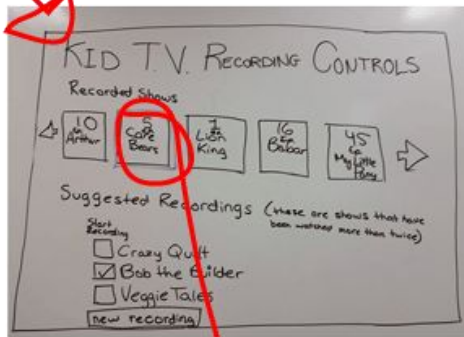
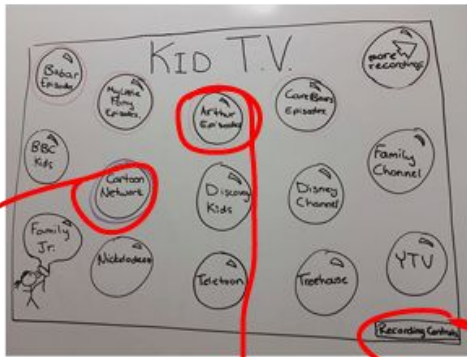
Nickelodeon

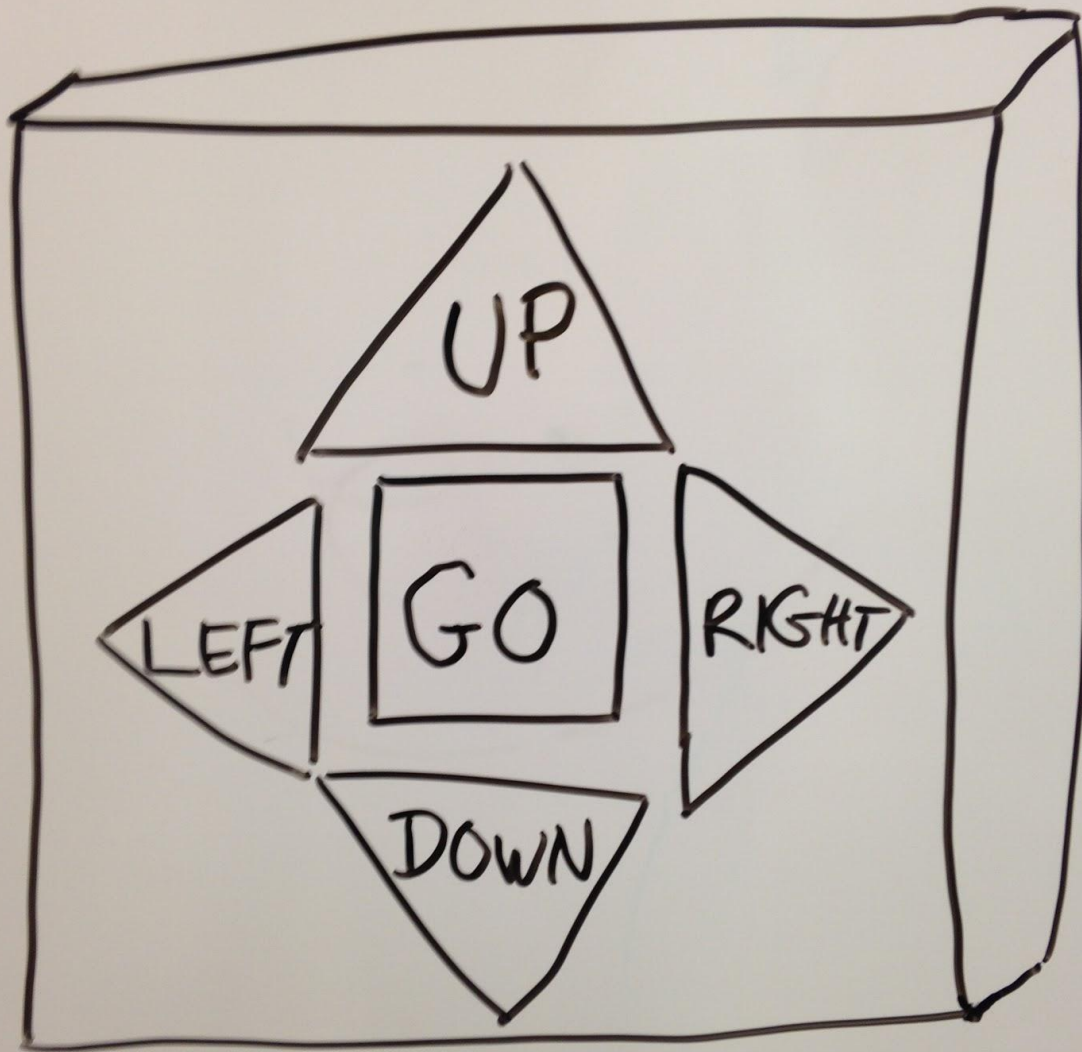
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YTV

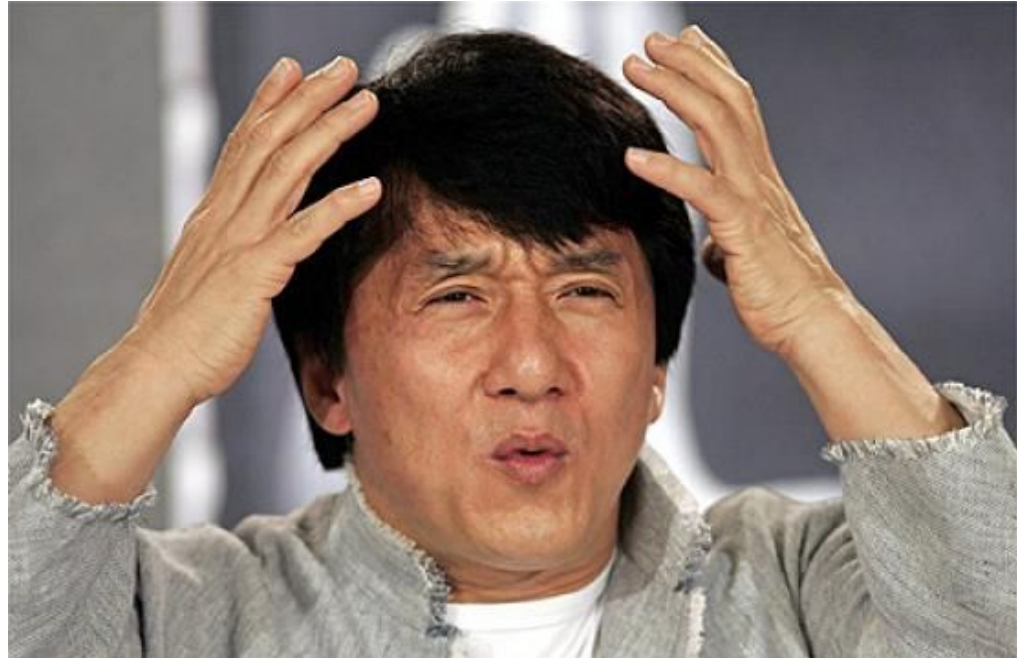






Heuristic Evaluation Results

- We didn't have a back button
- We didn't have a power button
- Had button that didn't lead anywhere
- Inconsistent style
- Recording controls had radio buttons that didn't make sense

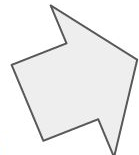
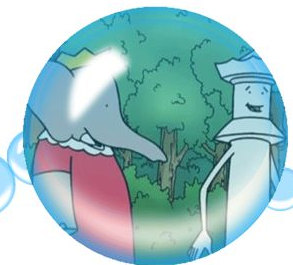
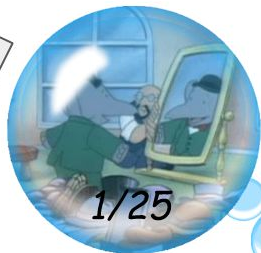
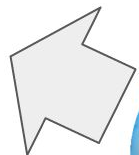


Kids' TV



Babar

The Elephant king Babar and his family of Celestville join together for so many adventures that teaches them moral issues about life, friendship and love. Episode 21/30 recorded.



Play

Shuffle Play

Favourite

Delete Episode

Delete All Babar

Kids' TV

Shuffle Play Recorded

Recording Controls





Kids' TV

Evaluation

- Think aloud: Series of tasks and post questions
- 4 participants
 - Machinist (Male in 20s)
 - Veterinary Medicine student (Female in 20s)
 - Computer Science student (Male in 20s)
 - Middle-aged elementary school teacher (Female)

Example Tasks

- Turn on/off system.
- Watch whatever is currently on *Nickelodeon*.
- Play random episodes of *Babar*.
- Play some recorded episodes of various TV shows.
- How many episodes of *Babar* have been recorded?
- Delete an episode of *Babar*.
- Start recording all episodes of *Caillou*.
- Stop recording a show.

Kids' TV

Shuffle Play Recorded

Recording Controls



Babar

Recording 1/50:

The Elephant king Babar and his family of Celestville join together for so many adventures that teaches them moral issues about life, friendship and love.

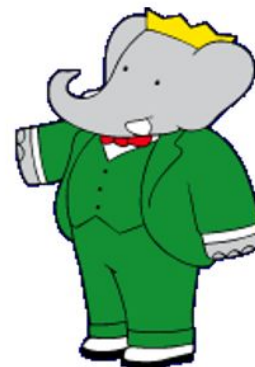
Favourite Episode

Delete Episode



Shuffle Play All Babar

Delete All Babar



Babar

Recording 21/58:

The Elephant king Babar and his family of Celestville have had so many adventures that they have learned many moral issues about friendship and love.

Favourite

Delete Ep



Shuffle Play All Babar

Delete All Babar

Are you sure you want to delete all (50) episodes of Babar?

No, Keep Them



Yes, Delete All



Recording Controls

Currently Recording



View Episodes

Stop Recording

Available to Record



Record Next Episode

Record All

Recording Controls

Currently Recording



View Episodes

Stop Recording

Available to Record



Record Next Episode

Record All

Regular TV



Kids' TV

