

'Barbie' Makes History with \$162M Debut, Drawing Significant Media Attention

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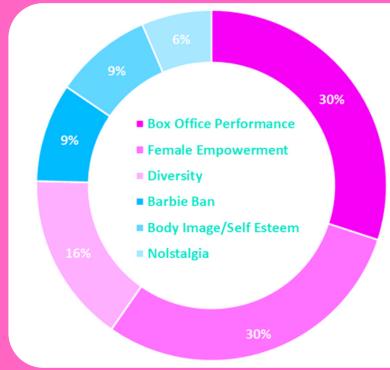
Barbie's cinematic debut earned \$162 million in its opening weekend, propelling Greta Gerwig to become the highest-grossing female director for an opening weekend and significantly contributing to the 'Female Empowerment' coverage.

'Barbie' Triumphs in the 'Barbenheimer' Phenomenon With Positive Quotes

In the 'Barbenheimer' phenomenon, Gerwig's 'Barbie' surpasses Nolan's 'Oppenheimer' with a groundbreaking \$162M debut, boosting the 'Box Office Performance' key tag to claim nearly half of the key topics SOV.

Key Outlets Exclusively Cover Barbie's Sensational Pre- and Post-Launch Journey

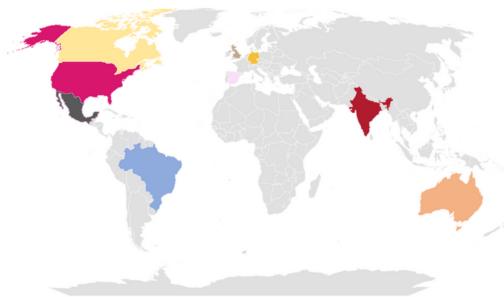
The much-anticipated 'Barbie' film, backed by an extensive pre-launch campaign, reaches a massive audience of 2.8B and achieves 193K in social engagement. Post-launch, 'Barbie' surpasses expectations with an outstanding box office performance, receiving a favorable reception from 72% of key media outlets.



In the U.S., Barbie's marketing campaign

sparked numerous discussions, with **Box Office Performance and Female Empowerment taking the lead. The** exceptional media coverage prevailed, thanks to prominent headlines and an abundance of branded visuals featuring relatable human elements. Moreover, a significant number of outlets exclusively covered the movie and its campaigns, dominating media attention throughout the summer months.

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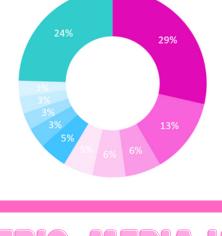


prominent key topic in the region. In the U.K., top coverage focused on exciting collaborations by various brands including makeup, hair tools, clothes, and roller skates. QUALITY METRIC: MEDIA IMPACT SCORE

80

In the U.S., 'Box Office'

emerged as the most



U.S. U.K. India Mexico Germany

Brazil

Australia Canada Spain Italy Other

Overall Media Impact Score

Total Articles: 17,305 Reach: 65,280 M

Sentiment: 46% 6%

Total Articles: 7,875 Reach: 197.967 M Sentiment: 49% 5%

Total Articles: 3,754

Reach: 16,888 M Sentiment: 50% 6%

Total Articles: 3,457

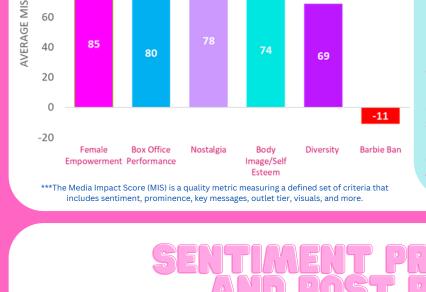
Sentiment: 56% 5%

Reach: 12,563 M

Total Articles: 3,109 Reach: 23,236 M Sentiment: 31% 4%

71.5

100 **Media Impact Score by Key Topic**



Barbie achieves a commendable overall media impact score of 71.5, considering both negative and neutral coverage. Moreover, discussions regarding Female Empowerment and Box Office Performance stand out with remarkably positive

10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100

sentiment, driving higher scores. Following the movie's release (as depicted below), these areas experienced notably amplified positive coverage, further elevating the overall scores.

Overall Sentiment SOV

Post launch

Leading up to the release weekend, media attention revolved around anticipated 13% challenges related to body image/selfesteem, female empowerment, and

negative focus arose from an inaccurate map causing the Barbie Ban incident. Key Topics by Sentiment – Pre-Launch 40 30 20 23 10 0 Box Office Barbie Ban Nostalgia Body Image/Self Performance Empowerment Esteem

diversity. However, the sole significant



Pre launch After its release, Barbie's remarkable box office success commanded attention with Diversity overwhelmingly positive coverage across all major subjects. While the movie

ban was a highly debated

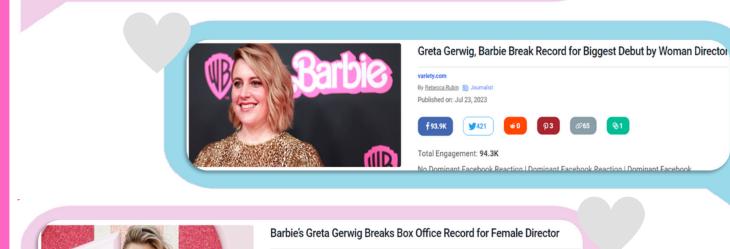
performance effectively

silenced those concerns

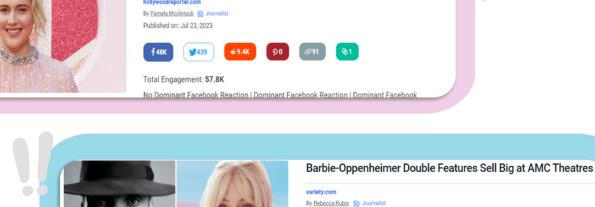
and criticisms - it stood

topic, its triumphant

on its own merits. 'Barbie' Makes History for Female Director, 'Oppenheimer' Surpasses



Total Engagement: 37.6K



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Data sourced from a mix of both automated and human curated & analyzed data between July 1, 2023 to July 25, 2023.