

Fight, Flight, and Full Body Paralysis

Disability
in
Comics



Implicit Bias



**Are Physically Disabled Characters
in Marvel and DC Comics More
Likely to Have Certain Abilities
Based on Their Disability?**

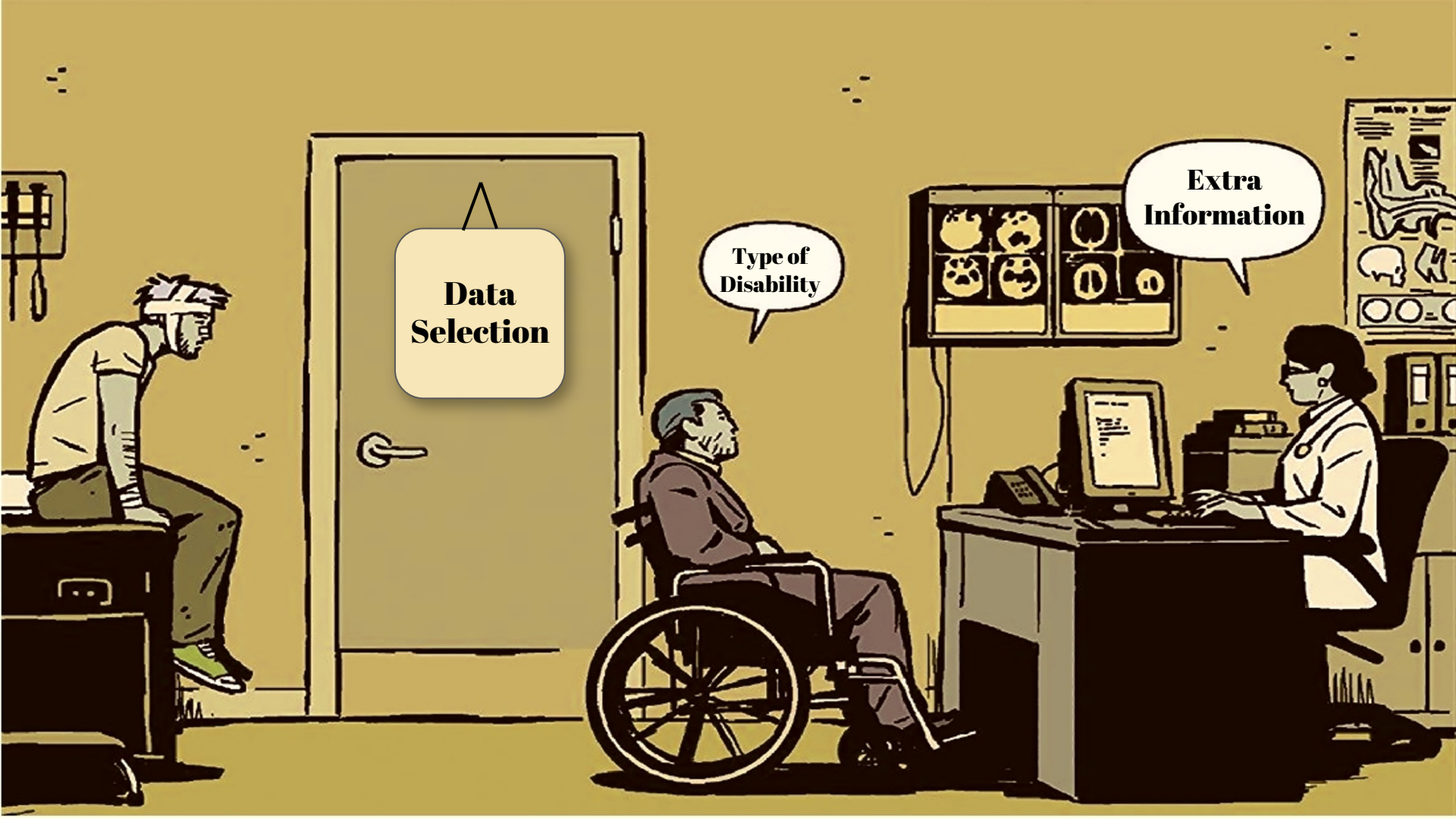


Methodology

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and
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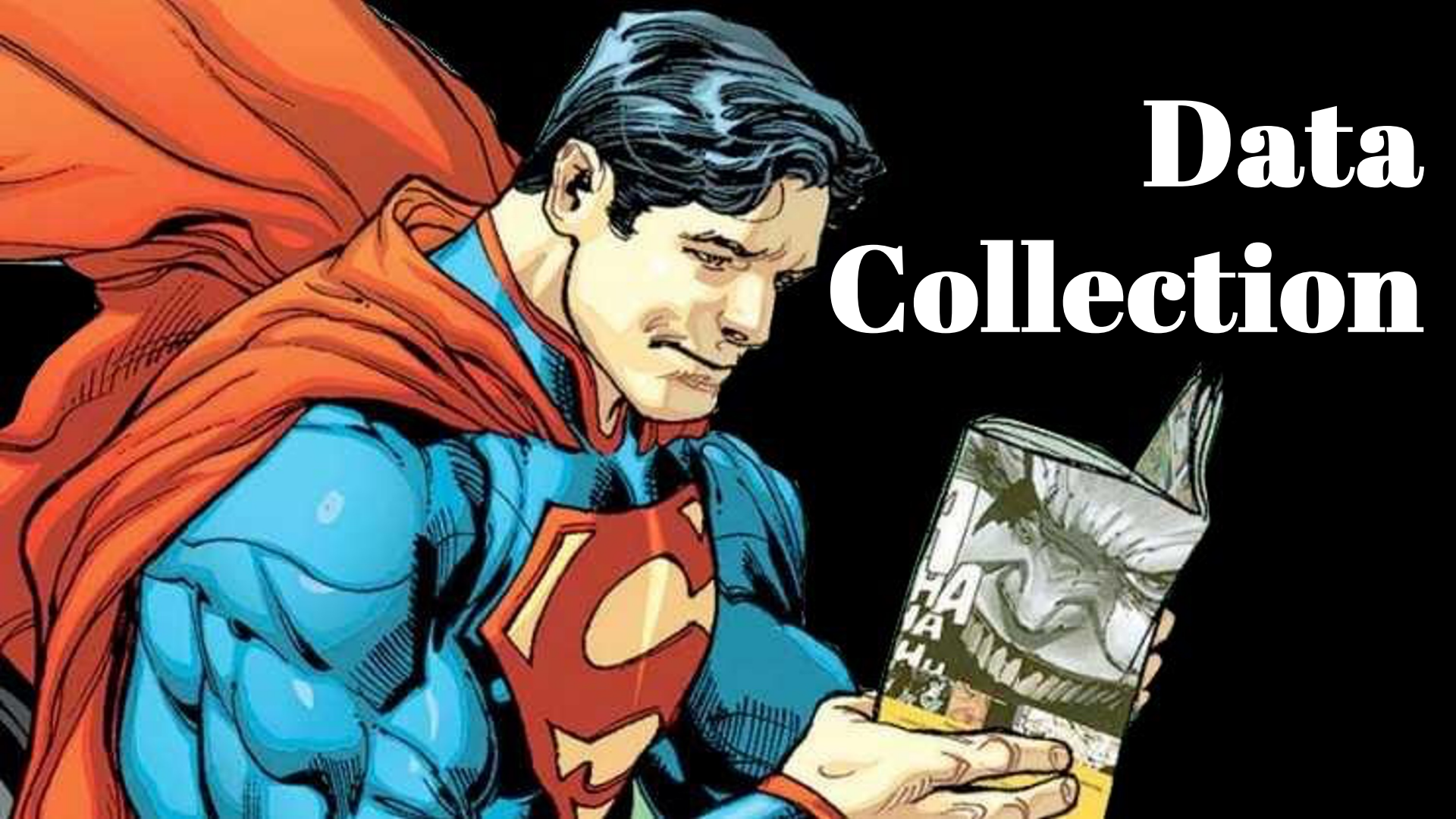
**Data
Analysis**



**Data
Selection**

**Type of
Disability**

**Extra
Information**



Data Collection

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**Data
Organization**

**Data
Analysis**



Merging
Power

**Data
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**Enhanced Physical
Ability**

No Ability

Mind Ability **Enhanced
Senses**

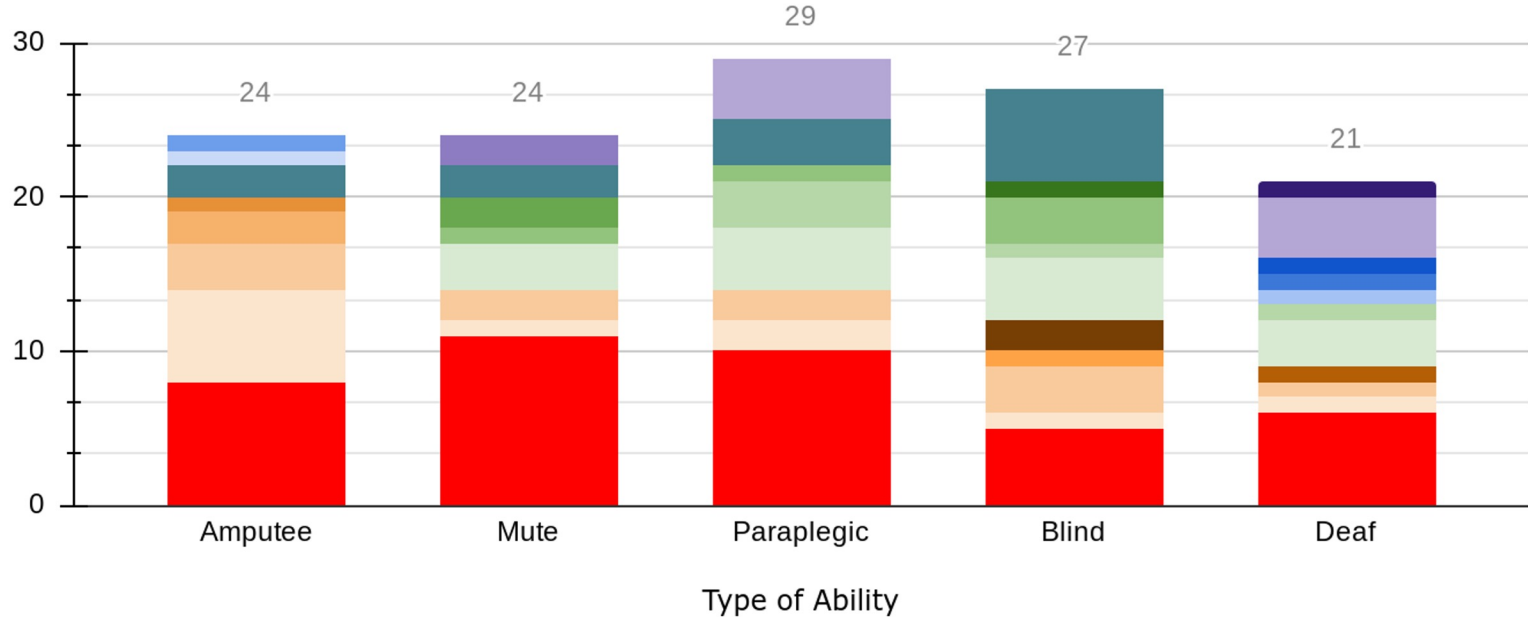
Other

**Manipulation of a
Specific Matter**

- 1. N/A**
- 2. Enhanced Strength**
- 3. Overall Increased Abilities**
- 4. Sharpened Teeth**
- 5. Wall-crawling**
- 6. Invulnerability**
- 7. Photographic Reflexes**
- 8. Scotopic Vision**
- 9. Telepathy**
- 10. Telekinesis**
- 11. Precognition**
- 12. Mind Control**

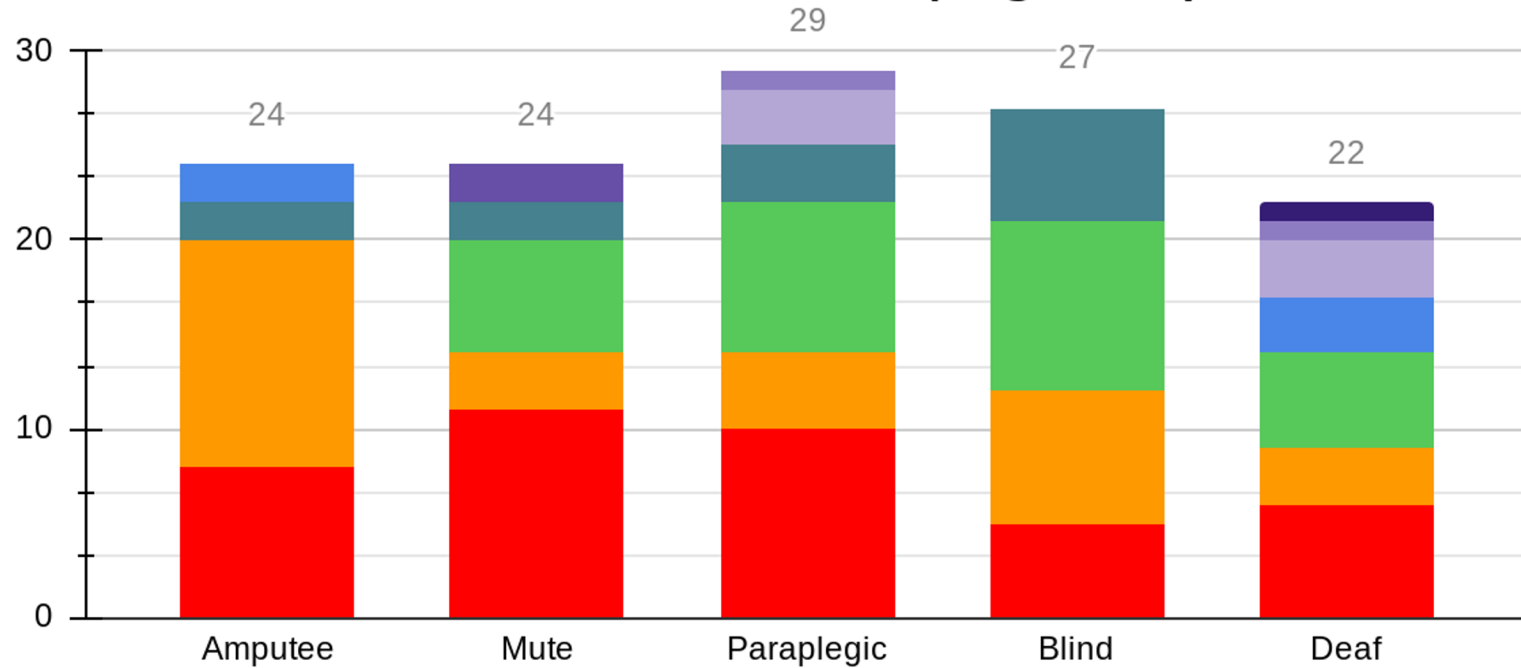
- 1. Vision Displacement**
- 2. Enhanced Senses**
- 3. Manipulation of Limited Matter**
- 4. Temperature Manipulation**
- 5. Energy Manipulation**
- 6. Cosmic Energy Manipulation**
- 7. Light Manipulation**
- 8. Flight**
- 9. Teleportation**
- 10. Magic**
- 11. Healing**

Expanded Abilities V Disabilities (Together)



- Healing
 Magic
 Teleportation
 Flight
 Light Manipulation
 Cosmic Energy Manipulation
- Energy Manipulation
 Temperature Manipulation
 Manipulation of Limited Matter
 Enhanced Senses
- Vision Displacement
 Mind Control
 Precognition
 Telekinesis
 Telepathy
 Scotopic Vision
- Photographic Reflexes
 Invulnerability
 Wall Crawling
 Sharpened Teeth
- Overall Increase Abilities
 Enhanced Strength
 N/A

Condensed Abilities V Disabilities (Together)



Type of Ability

- Healing
- Magic
- Teleportation
- Flight
- Manipulation of Specific Matter
- Enhanced Senses
- Mind Ability
- Enhanced Physical Ability
- N/A

Real Life

Amputees





Conclusio

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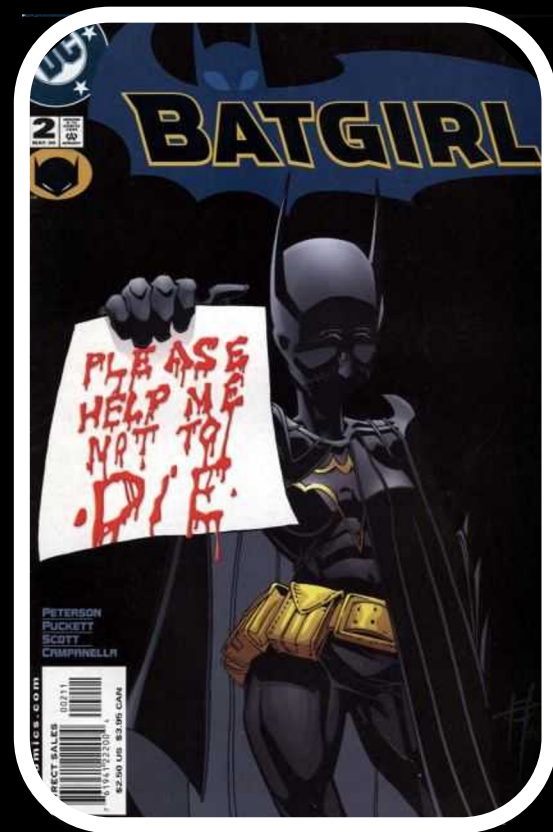
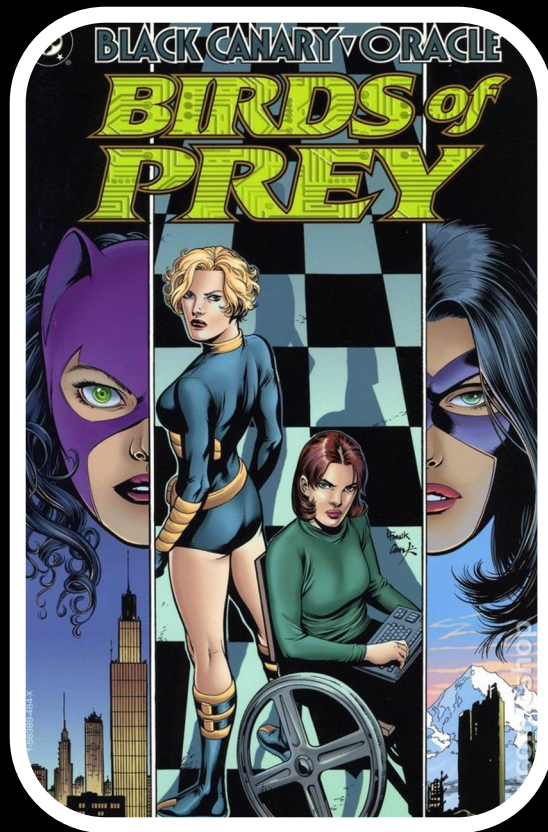
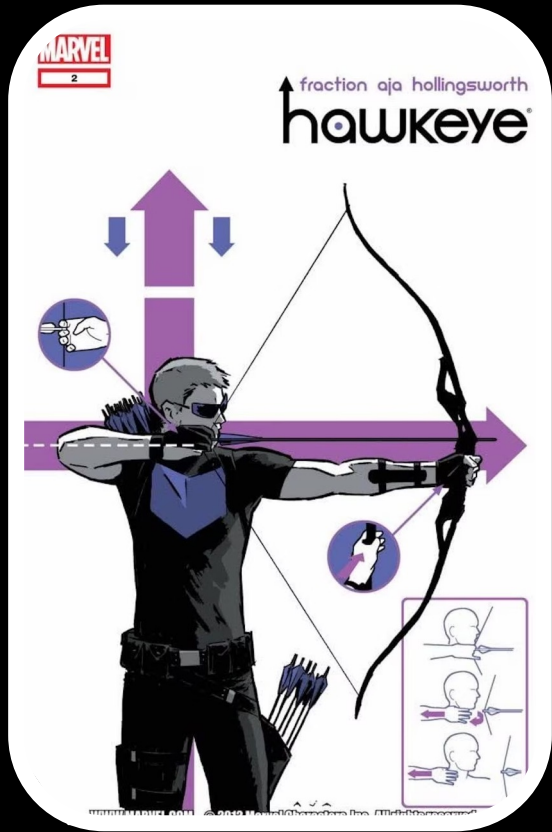




Limitations



What Does This Mean?



**"INJUSTICE ANYWHERE IS A THREAT
TO JUSTICE EVERYWHERE."**

Martin Luther King, Jr.



**What Can We
Do To Fix This?**





**In
Conclusion...**

Oral Defense

