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TRANSLATIONAL SHIFTS IN THE TRANSLATIONS OF RECIPE MIXES IN PAKISTAN

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Abstract

Viney and Darblenet's model indicates the translation processes used by the translators to complete the process of translation from one language to another. Various researchers have applied this model to different translations in order to identify the translation shifts. In the current paper, researchers apply Viney and Darblent's model to the translations of the recipe mixes available in Pakistan. They perform the qualitative technique to analyze the translation. It is concluded that the most common shifts are the structural shift and borrowing. Structural shift owes to the difference in the sentence structure of the two concerned languages and borrowing indicates the lack of replaceable term in the target language and shows the infiltration of English Vocabulary into Urdu. Few terms have been borrowed in English,like haleem, seekh kabab has been kept same as there is no possible translation existing in English for these. Moreover, translators have used equivalence, adaptation and Transpositioning to convey the meaning efficiently.

Introduction

Translation studies is an offshoot of comparative literature and contrastive analysis. Translation "by its nature" "is multilingual and also interdisciplinary" (Munday 2001,p.1). It is the process to transmit a message between two different language systems, cultures and situations. Other disciplines work together to minimize the difficulties faced in the process oftranslation. These include language systems, linguistics, communications studies and cultural studies. Due to the diversity inherent in translation studies, it becomes interesting for readers from different cultures and communities. It also helps people understand the works of different authors from other languages, which plays a significant role in the world of knowledge. The translation is an old process beginning with the translation of the Bible; later on, literatures, philosophies, and many other materials of the renowned scholars have been translated. It paves the path for the readers of one community to comprehend and enjoy the works of another culture and language without learning a new foreign language. In general, one sees translation as text represented and reproduced in another language (House 2001:247). Translation shifts are critical and complicated in translation studies, making it an area of interest for researchers to explore. Vinay and Darbelnet introduced linguistic changes as translationprocesses that occur during translation from the source language to the target language in 1958.

The same translation processes were, later on, proposed the term'Translation Shifts' for the above-mentioned term 'Translation processes' introduced Vinay and Darbelnet as Translation shifts by Catford (1965). Considering the fundamental changes that emerge during the translation process Vinayand Darbelnet proposed two global translation techniques, named as direct translationtechnique and oblique translation technique. These two translation techniques areclassified into borrowing, claque, literal, equivalence, transposition, modulation, etc. The main objective of the present study is to find out the recurrence various translation methods employed by the translator in the existing text. The sample chosen here is the recipe text printed on the recipe mixes in Pakistan. Interestingly, translation research has focused on the translation shifts being located in the translations of literary texts. But the present paper aims to take a step ahead and explore the translations involved in the daily lives of ordinary people.

Research Questions:

- 1. What are the translation shifts identified in the translations of recipe mixes?
- 2. How do the translators use the theory of Viney and Darbelnet in their translation?
- 3. Howdo the two languages differ in manner and style?

Significance of the Research

Viney and Darblenet's model has been applied to various genres of literature, including poetry, novel and film. Still, the researchers did not research the translations that a layman comes across every other day. Therefore, this paper serves to pave a path for the researchers of translation studies to look and explore beyond the field of fiction.

Conceptual Framework

Translation, as already defined above, is perceived as a written transmission of a message from one language into another. Dubois formally defines translation in the following words, "translation is the expression in another language (or target language) of what has been expressed in another, source language, preserving semantic and stylistic equivalences" (in Bell, 1991: 5). The comprehension and understanding of the translation depend on the framework of translation theories; it also helps establish the validity for application in real-life translation. Whether the translator has met all the textuality standards and assesses the changes devised by the translator, different theories and models are applied to the text. These approaches assist the researchers in checking the legitimacy of the translated text. Furthermore, these theories also guide regarding the difference that originates while writing in a different language. While doing a comparative stylistic analysis of French and English, Viney and Darbelnet highlighted different translation strategies and identified different processes in the texts of both source and target. The two general strategies identified by them are 1. Direct translation 2. Oblique translation. These are further divided into their sub-categories. According to Viney and Darbelnet's model, translation techniques differ depending on the requirements of the text. They split these techniques into the following seven categories (Munday 2008, 56-59):

1. Direct Translation

I. Borrowing

Borrowing refers to the technique that involves using the same word in the target text as in the original text. In some instances, the borrowed word is written in italics and in others; it is not. There can be different reasons to use this technique. It might be that the target language doesn't have a suitable word to translate the borrowed word or that the translator wishes to reproduce a similar expression in the TT as in ST. Interestingly, it is the translation technique that doesn't translate. Example: I go to school is translated in Urdu as Main School jata hu. Here we see that school is borrowed from the English language.

II. Calque

Calque relates to neologism. While maintaining the structure of the source language, a new word is coined in the target language. This is the work of the creativity of the translator. Nanliciousis an example of neologism where the –icious structure of English is maintained, but an Urdu term Nan is attached with it to give social and cultural recognition.

2. Oblique Translation

III. Literal Translation

A literal translation is a word for word translation. It is also known as metaphrase. According to Viney and Darbelnet, and rightly so, a literal translation is only possible in the languages which follow similar sentence structure and are closer socially as well as culturally. Literal translation can only be acceptable if TT keeps the same syntax, style, and meaning as the ST. It is challenging to find literal translation in Urdu- English translation English is SVO, whereas Urdu is SOV language. For instance, I go to market will be translated in Urdu as "Main jata ko Bazar", which looks absurd if the sentence structure is not accommodated.

IV. Transposition

The transposition technique is used when one grammatical category is shifted to another, but the meaning remains unaltered. Here the change in grammatical structure occurs, but the meaning remains the same.

V. Modulation

In modulation, the form of the text is changed by making semantic changes. It may serve to shift the point of view without altering the meaning. In English, if it's said that"it isn't expensive", it can be translated into Urdu as ye sasta hay instead of Ye mehnga nahi hay. Here we can note that the meaning of the two sentences remains the same, but a shift has occurred at the syntactic level.

VI. Equivalence

In equivalence, an utterly different expression is used to convey a similar fact. This technique is used primarily to translate idioms and proverbs. It will not be wrong to say that this technique involves the context and culture of target audiences. As an idiom, Barking dogs seldom bite is translated as Jo garajtay hain wo barastay nahi.

VII. Adaptation

Adaptation is also known as cultural equivalent. Here, the original text is replaced by the better-suited text according to the target language's culture. This technique helps in providing comprehensive translation. In Persian, the weekend is translated as Majma.

In this research, we shall examine how many of the above stated strategies comprising seven procedures can be found in the translation of the recipe mixes easily available and used in routine .in Pakistan.

METHODOLOGY:

Translation techniques have been analyzed in literature to a certain extent, but everyday mediums where the translation is involved have not gained much attention until now. This paper uses the qualitative method to analyze the translation processes visible in the translations of recipe mixes. We have taken a random sampling of the most common brands of recipe mixes available in Pakistan. To name a few, we looked into National, Shan, Rafhan and Laziza brands. Choosing random sampling, three mixes of sweet dishes and two salted ones are under analysis in this project. The recipes mentioned on the back of the recipe boxes are analyzed line to line, highlighting the shifts as spotted by the researchers. This is categorized according to theories and strategies put forward by Viney and Darbelnet. It has been interesting to note that National does not translate recipes in English though they sell them internationally; this remains open to interpretation whether they leave it to their users to comprehend the text or supply different boxes for the international users.

LITERATURE REVIEW:

Koster (2002) proposes a relation between TT and ST, which can be seen as a network of shifts and correlations. It can be said that shifts are commonalities and differences between the translated and original text. In "A Linguistic Theory of Translation", Catford (1965) proposes formal communication as system-based translations during the textual equivalence as the context-based translation. Catford (1965) stressed the category shift and divided it into four major categories. These major categories are named by Catford (1965) as structural shifts, rank

shifts, class shifts and intra-system shifts (Catford, 1965).Much work has been done on Viney and Darblenet's model; most of the work has been done on the different genres of literature, whether it be novels, short stories, poetry or film. Nasir Mehmood and Hazrat Umar (2020) also explore the invariant core among the three English translations of selected poetry from Iqbal's Shikwah under the umbrella of Viney and Darbelnet's model of translational analysis. Their study identifies that the complex nature of poetry makes it difficult for translators to transfer the ST in terms of both content and form. Their analysis of the translations has shown that in rendering the original text, the translators have used different procedures and strategies,resulting in various losses, specifically in terms of form; however, the invariant core, which comprises both theme and tone, remains almost the same.

Asif Aziz et al.investigate translation strategies in the English novel "Being from Wisconsin" written by Tim Daugherty, translated into target text (TT) Urdu by Khalid Hassan. Here they have applied the both qualitative and quantitative methodology to scrutinize the superiority of translation techniques. Their findings indicate that Urdu translators used literal translation strategies with the highest percentage marked by 29% in the direct type of translated corpus. As for the oblique translated corpus is concerned, the most frequently used translated strategies are amplification and equivalence, marked by 19% equally.

Interestingly, a theory was propounded by Kammer Tuahman Sipayung in "The Impact of Translation Shift and Method on Translation Accuracy Found at Bilingual History Textbook" in 2018. According to him, Translational shifts help propagate the message eloquently in the target language, but they can also be poisonous for language knowledge. Their research investigated the dominant translation shifts and the impacts of those shifts on the methods and accuracy. Sipayung's (2018) findings showed that the most dominant translation shift was a unit shift. It was also found that 60% of the textbooks lacked the accuracy of the translation.

Alqunaibet has carried out a descriptive analysis of the two chapters of Ghassan Kanafani's novel Men in the Sun. This novel has been translated from Arabic to English. This research has identified that the most systematic process used in this translation is Literal translation followed by transposition and modulation according to the model. Moreover, the findings highlighted two types of translation problems, including lexical and cultural issues. According to Alqunaibet, transposition, modulation and equivalence has been used in the translation to overcome these problems.

Esmail Zare Behtash and Masoumeh Yazdani Moghadam conducted another research by applying an oblique translational process on the "Animal Farm" target language novel. Saleh Hosseini and Massumeh Nabizadeh have translated animal farm. Both quantitative and qualitative data were analyzed, and it was found that the oblique process of translation governed translation.

Vahideh Sharei (2017) compared the source language text with the two Persian translations (TL) of the novella The Old Man and the Sea. Interestingly her findings showed that Daryabandari had followed oblique translation, whereas Farmarzi's translation was based on the direct method of the translation. Vahideh concludes that Farmarzi's translation is more faithful to the source text. Yuni Arifiani (2016) used a different medium of film to analyze the translation strategy; he found the use of four types of oblique translation: transposition, equivalence, modulation, and adaptation. Nur Atmiyati and Achmad Basari (2015) have conducted similar research on the use of the oblique technique on the children storybook highest frequency was found to be the modulation strategy of translation to be 54.5 percent. The findings also showed that there is no frequency of transposition in the translation.

While translating from SL to TL, translation shifts help describe culturally specific items to make them more acceptable for the readers. The study conducted by Ammar Fouad and Ramadhan M. Sadkhan in 2015 tried to assess the role of translational shifts in communicating the meanings of culture-specific items concerning the story "The Swing" written by Muhammad Khodair. The story "AlUrjuha" (The Swing) is in the Arabic language and translated into English (TL) by Kadhinsa'adedin. This study focused on lexical shifts while analyzing the 2168 words short story and found a lexical translational strategy to make the meanings and words easier and fairer for the readers in the target language (Fouad, 2015).

Translational shifts are the necessary changes done in the structure or sometimes in the meaning during translation. These changes are required to be carried out to convey vivid and comprehendible meanings. Herman, M.Pd researched Translational shifts of Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone Movie Subtitle into Indonesia in 2014. This research shows that it was concluded that the translator uses each type of translational shift, but the unit translational shift is more in frequency. The structural shift is also found because of the variation of head-modifier and modifier-head in English and Indonesian languages (M.Pd, 2014).

Data Analysis

In this paper, researchers are analyzing the data of five of the recipe mixes of different brands. The translation shifts are identified and elaborated upon in this section of the data analysis.

Rafhan Custard



Urdu Text	English Translation	Shift	s Identified	Translation Process
Rafhan custard	Add 2 tablespoons of	i.	Rafhan custard	Borrowing
powder kay 2	Rafhan custard		has not been	Structural Shift
khanay k chamach	powder in ½ cup		translated into	
¹ / ₂ cup dood main	milk and make a		Urdu.	
shamil kar kay paste	paste	ii.	Cup remains	
bana lain			cup in Urdu	
			too.	
		iii.	Paste remains	Borrowing
			paste in both	SS
			languages	
		iv.	Change in	
			sentence	
			structure	
			Shamil kar kay	
			has been	
			replaced by one	Equivalence
			word- Add in	SS

			English.	
2 cup doodh main 4 khanay kay chamach cheeni dal kar ubal lain	Mix 4 tablespoons of sugar in 2 cups milk and bring to boil.	i. ii.	Khanay kay chamach translated as a tablespoon. Change in	Equivalence SS
			sentence structure.	
Ub custard paste ko ubaltay huay doodh main shamil kar kay musalsil hilatay	Add custard paste to boiling milk and cook while stirring until texture is thick	i.	Custard paste remains the same in both languages	Borrowing SS
rahain Jub tak kay garha na ho jaye	and smooth.	ii.	Shamil kar kay has been translated as	
		iii.	add instead of after adding. Garha na ho jaye is	Modulation SS
			translated as until texture is thick and smooth avoid	
			the negation marker in Urdu.	Equivalence SS
		iv.	Garha has been translated into thick and smooth	Adaptation SS
Refrigerator main thanda kar kay paish karain	Refrigerate and serve chilled.	i. ii.	Refrigerator is used in Urdu Refrigerate	Borrowing SS
			(verb) replaces the whole phrase refrigerator (noun)main	Transpositioning SS
		iii.	thanda kar kay Thanda kar kay is changed into chilled	Transpositioning SS

In Rafhan Custard's recipe, the most common shift is the structural shift, which occurs due to the difference in the sentence structure of the two languages in consideration. English has syntax as

Subject- Verb- Object, whereas Urdu follows the Subject – object – Verb order, making the structural shift mandatory. Moreover, other than the structural shift, the most prominent translation processes are borrowing, which indicates that Pakistanis, a multilingual community, have borrowed some words from the English language whose translation is no longer available in Urdu. Cup and Paste have no equivalent term in the Urdu language. It also indicates the penetration of the English language into Urdu. After borrowing equivalence, transpositioning and adaptation have been used to a certain extent. The least used process in this recipe is modulation.

Gulab _{Ja}			a con
 Sugar Ghee / Oil 			deep frying)
 Milk Laziza Gulab Jamun M 	lix	4 to 5 tables 1 Packet	spoons
In a small pot dissolve	sugar in 15 cup (33	20 ml) of water and	boil for 1 – 2
minutes. Put off flame a Beat ghee / oil in a small	all (karahi) or deep	frying pan and put	
Add 3 – 4 teaspoons or well. Now add 4 – 5 tab			
and knead well with the	e help of spoon to r	nake soft & smooth	dough.
Make 18 – 20 small rou be any big cracks on th	he surface of dough	i or balls).	
O Deep fry the balls on lo shake the utensil also t	w flame till they be till all jamuns rise to	come light golden t	rown and gently
very hot oil / ghee & to	check this first put	one ball in oil / ghe	e and if it rises
immediately and becom little otherwise the jam			
Dip and soak the jamur (If sugar syrup become	is in hot sugar syru	p for 30 minutes an	id keep covered.
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Urdu text	English Translation	Shifts Identified	Translation Process
ajzaa	ingredients	Direct translation	Equivalence
Cheeni1 ^{1/2} cup (taqreebn 300 grams)	Sugar1 ^{1/2} cup (about 300 grams)	 Cheeni is replaced by sugar by direct translation. Cup remains the same in Urdu and 	Literal translation Equivalence
		English. 3.Taqreeban has been directly translated into	Literal translation Equivalence
		'about, 4.Gram will remain the same in both languages	Borrowing
Ghee/teil1 ^{1/2} cup (talney key lie	Ghee/oil1 ^{1/2} cup (for deep frying)	1.Ghee remains the same in both	Borrowing
)	(<i>i jb</i>)	languages. 2.Teil has been	Equivalence
		directly transited into oil 3. Talney key lie is also directly translated by for deep frying	Equivalence
Dhoodh 4 sey 5 khaney key	Milk 4 to 5 tablespoons	1.Dhoodh has been replaced by milk	Equivalence
chamach	uerespeens	2.Khnaey key chamach has been replaced by one word-table spoon	Equivalence Literal translation
Laziza gulab jamun mix1 packet	Laziza gulab jamun mix1 packet	Laziza gulab jamun mix remains the same in both languages.	Calque
		The packet is not translated into Urdu	Borrowing
Chotey barten mei n cheeni aur 1 ¹ / ₂ (320 ml) pani mila kar bl kartey	In a small pot, dissolve sugar in 1 ¹ / ₂ cup (320m) of water and boil for 1-2	1.Chotey barten mei is translated by in a small pot. 2.cheeni aur 1 ½	Structural shift Direct translation Equivalence 61
mila kar hl kartey hue pakaye 1-2 minute ubaal ker	minutes. Put off the flame.	(320 ml) pani mila kar hl kartey hue	Adaptation

aanch bnd kr dey —		pakaye is replaced by sugar in 1 ¹ / ₂ cup (320m) of water and boil for 1-2 minutes. Minute is not translated as lamha 3. aanch band kr dey is directly translated into put off the flame.	Literal translation Borrowing Direct translation Equivalence
		on the name.	
sheera tayaar hai -	syrup is ready	Word for word translation	Equivalence
Chooti karahi ya	Heat ghee/oil in a	Chooti karahi ya	Structural shift
gehrey frying	small (karahi) or	gehrey frying pein	
pein mei ghee /teil grm kr key aur aanch bnd kr dey	deep frying pan and put off the flame	mei ghee /teil grm kr key is replaced by Heat ghee/oil in a small (karahi) or deep frying pan.	Literal translation
		The frying pan is not translated into Urdu	Borrowing
		aanch bnd kr dey is a direct translation into put off the flame	Literal translation
Packet key agzaa mein 3-4 chaye key chamchey teil	Add 3-4 tablespoons of ghee/oil in GulabJamun Mix's	1.mein 3-4 chaye key chamchey is literally translated	Literal translation
ya ghee mila kr mix kr ley-	contents and mix well.	into 3-4 teaspoons2. Packet key agzaamein is translatedas the contents ofGulab Jamun Mix	Modulation Structural shift
Ab 4-5 tablespoon	Now add 4-5	Directly translated	Literal translation
(khaney waley chmchy) dhoodh ya pani (behtre	tablespoons of milk or water (for better results, use milk and	word for word Tablespoon has not	Equivalence
zaaiqey key lie dhoodh milaaye)mila kr	kneed well with the help of a spoon to make a soft and	been translated into khanay kay chamach as has	Borrowing

chamchey ki	smooth dough.	been done in other	
madded sey achi		recipes	
trah goondh kar			
nrm aata bna ley			
18-20 choti	Make 18-20 sall	1.18-20 choti	Equivalance
			Equivalence
gooliya	round or oval shaped	gooliya banaye is	Transposition
banaye(khyal	ball.(Ensure that	replaced by	
rahey key aata	here should not be	Make 18-20 small	T :::
achi trah goondha	any big cracks on	round or oval	Transposition
hua ho aur	the surface of dough	shaped ball.	
gooliyo ki sataah	or balls)	2.khyal rakhye is	
pey brey cracks		directly translated	~
na hoo		into ensure	Structural shift
		3. aata achi trah	Literal translation
		goondha hua is	
		skipped from TT.	
		4.gooliyo ki sataah	
		pey brey cracks na	
		hoo is literaly	Borrowing
		translated.	
		Cracks has not been	
		translated into urdu.	
Gooliyo ko halki	Deep fry the balls on	1.Word for word	Structural shift
aanch per talley	low flame	translation from	Literal translation
is dorran barten	till they become	ST-TT	
ko hilaye bhi	light golden brown		
	and gently shake the	2.is dorran barten	
taa key sari	utensils also till all	ko hilaye bhi is	Adaptation
gooliya teil key	jamuns rise to the	translted into gently	Structural shift
ooper aa jaye	surface.	shake the utensils	
		also	
		3. taa key sari	
		gooliya teil key	
		ooper aa jaye is	
		replaced by they	
		become light	
		golden brown and	
		rise to the surface.	
(khyal rahey key	Do not put the balls	There is negation in	Modulation
gooliya daaley	in very hot oil/ghee.	the TT	modulation
waqtteil/ghee			
zyada grm na ho-			
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Is key lie pehley aik goli daaley agr teizi sey ooper aa jaye aur foran brown honey lagey to teil/ghee ko thunda honey dey	To check this first put one ball in oil/gee and if it rises immediate lt and becomes brown too quickly then allow the oil/ghee to cool a little	 1.Is key lie pehley is replaced by to check this first 2. aik goli daaley is replaced by put one ball Brown remains brown in Urdu 3. agr teizi sey ooper aa jaye aur foran brown honey lagey is translated into if it rises immediatelt and becomes brown too quickly 4. to teil/ghee ko thunda honey dey Is replaced by then allow the oil/ghree to cool a little 	Literal translation Equivalence Borrowing Direct word for word translation Literal translation Literal translation
Qukey teiz aanch per talney ya zyada grm ghee/teil mei gooliya daalney sey gulab jamun under sey kachi or sakht rahey gey)	Do not fry they balls on flame Otherwise the jamuns will remain un-cooked from the center.	Negation of opposition	Structural shift Modulation
Hlaka sabza honey per grm sheerey mei daal ker 30 minutes key liye dhakn bnd kr key chor dey	Dip and soak the jamuns in hot sugar syrup for 30 minutes and keep covered.		Structural shift
(agr sheera tinda ho gya ho to gulab jamun talney key dooran hi grm kr ley	(if sugar syrup becomes cold then heat it to make hot while frying the jamuns).	Word for word translation	Structural change Literal translation

In Laziza Gulab Jamun mix's recipe it is observed that while translating from one language to another the most common change is structural change because of the different sentence structure.

Dueto thisconsiderable syntactic difference this structural shift is mandatory. Besides structural shift the most common and prominent process while translating is borrowing which is the identification of unavailability or lack of sufficient vocabulary in Urdu language. For instance in above mentioned translation even the title laziza Gulab Jamun mixhas no equivalent word for replacement in English. Similarly, words like minute,grams identify the process of borrowing. Most common phenomena here intranslation after borrowing isequivalence, transpositioning and adaptation has been used in translation of Laziz Gulab Jamun mix recipe.



English language	Urdu language	Shift identified	Translation process
			•
Heat half oil/ghee, add meat, garlic paste and	Adhe grm ghee /teil mein gosht,lehsan aur	Word for direct word translation	Literal translation
Shan Haleem Mix Stir fry for few minutes.	shaaan haleem masalah daal kr chandh minute bhooney	Minute shan haleem mix	Borrowing
Then add 15 cups of water, lentil, wheat and bones.	Phr 15 cup pani ,daal anaaaj aur hadiya daal dey	Direct translation	Literal translation Equivalence
Cover and simmer on low heat until meat is tender.	Dhaak kr halki aanch per gosht glney tk pakaye	Structural change Literal translation	Transposition
Separate bones from curry and discard	Hadiya aleehda nikaal kr zaya kr dey	From curry is a connector	Equivalence Amplification
Coarsely grind the curry with a wooden spoon or grind in a	Haleem ko lakri key chamchey sey ya blender mei mota pees	Blender is used in both languages	Borrowing
blender.	ley	Oblique translation	Structural change
(Avoid grinding into a paste)	Bohat bareek peesne sey gureiz kry	Bohat bareek is replaced by paste as a whole.	Equivalence
Cook on low heat for 1 hour	halki aanch pr aik ghantey tk pakaye	Syntactic order is changed	Structural change
Add additional water, if needed.	Agr zaroort ho to pani shaamil kr ley	Syntactic order is changed	Structural change
Heat remaining oil/ghee and fry the onion until golden.	Baqiya ghee/teil ko grm kr key katti hui payaaz ko sunehra taleey	Word for word translation, but katti hui payaaz is a connector	Literal translation Amplification
Pour into the haleem.	haleem mein mila dey	Direct translation	Literal translation

Cover and simmer on low heat for 20-30 minutes.	Dhaak kr hlki aanch per 20-30 minute tk mazeed pakaye	Literal translation while mazeed pakaye is a connector	Structural shift Amplification

In the recipe of Shan Haleem, a description is available in both Urdu and English languages.In order to find out some translational process, a detailed analysis has been done during which it is observed that most of the vocabulary words are translated as word for word, which deals with a direct and literal translation. Still, with direct translation, a minor structural change is noticed in Urdu description words like blender and minute are borrowed from English. At the same time, Haleem and ghee remain the same in English. The process of equivalence is commonly adopted. Equivalence, structural shifts, literal translations are widely found in translations, but transposition is least followed in the above example.



Urdu text	English	Shifts identified	Translation process
	translation		

2 cup pani ko sauce	Boil 2 cups of	i. Cup is translated	Borrowing
pan me ubalain.	water in a	as a cup in	
	saucepan.	English too	
		ii. The saucepan is	
		also the same in	
		English	Borrowing
		translation.	
Rafhan jelly pack ke	Empty all the	i. Rafhan jelly is	Borrowing
tmam ajza ubalte	contents of the	translated as	
hoye pani me dal kr	Rafhan jelly	rafhan jelly in the	
achi trhan hal kr lain.	packet into	Urdu language.	
	boiling water, stir	ii. Empty is	
	till dissolved.	translated as dal	adaptation
		kr in Urdu.	
		iii. Hal kr lain is	
		translated as stir.	
			Adaptation
Ab jami hui jelly ko	Now separate	i. Ki madad se is	Adaptation
churi ki mdad se	jelly from sides of	taken as used in	Equivalence
saanche ke kinaron se	mould using a	the English	-
alehda kr k ehtiyat se	knife, gently	language.	Borrowing
plate me ulat lain.	shake and invert	ii. Plate and jelly	C
Mzedar jelly ka lutuf	mould carefully	remain the same	Equivalence
uthain. 4 afrad k lie.	over serving dish.	in Urdu.	1
	Enjoy delicious	iii. Invert is	
	jelly. serves 4.	translated as ulat	Adaptation/equivalence
	5 5	lain in English.	1 1
		iv. Lutuf uthain is	
		translated as	
		enjoy.	Trans positioning
		v. Afrad ke lie is	r0
		translated as afrad	
		k lie, which is a	
		complete phrase	
		in the Urdu	
		language.	

The most common shifts in the Rafhan jelly pack recipe arethe primary difference in Urdu and English language structure. English has syntax as subject-verb-object while Urdu follows the subject-object-verb order. Due to which this is obvious that there will be structural shifts. Other than structural shifts, borrowing, equivalence and adaptation are also vivid. This can indicate that in the Pakistani context, we translate according to our cultural values and context. And Pakistanis being multilingual culture, have borrowed a lot of terms and words from other languages and, in

this case, from the English language because these particular words are not present in the Urdu language.



Urdu Text	English Translation	Shifts Identified	Translation Process
Ooper diye gye	Mix all the above	i. Mila lain has	Equivalence
tmam ajza (ilawa	ingredients except oil	been replaced	
tel) ko achi trhan	and put it in the	with one word-	
mila lain or chopar	chopar for 1 minute.	mix in	
me dal kr aik mint		translation.	
chlain.		ii. Ooper diye gye	
		has been	Equivalence
		replaced with	
		one word-	
		above in	
		English.	
		iii. Chopper	Borrowing
		remains chopar	
		in Urdu,too,	
		though with	Borrowing
		different	

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		spellings.
		iv. Minute remains
		minute in Borrowing
		English.
Phir 2, 3 ghante k	Then set aside for	i. Direct translation Direct translation
lie rkh dain	two to three hours	ii. Sentence structure
		changed
Tel shamil kr k achi	Add oil and mix well	i. Shamil kar kay has Adaptation
trhan goondh lain		been translated as
		add instead of
		adding.
		ii. Goondh lain is Adaptation
		translated as a mix Equivalence
		which is a different
		word in English.
Qeeme k chote gole	Make small round	i. Bna kr is translated Equivalence
bna kr seekhon pr	meatballs thread each	as make. These are
piro lain. Geele hath	through a skewer.	two different
se geeme ko	Flatten the grounded	words. Equivalence
seekhon pr ptla ptla	meat in a thin layer	ii. Qeema is translated
phela dain.	around the skewer	as grounded meat
pileta daili.	with a wet hand.	in English. Adaptation
	with a wet fiant.	iii. Piro lain is
		translated as
Seekh kabab ko	Parhagua on low hast	thread.i. Barbeque isTrans positioning
	Barbeque on low heat	
koyle k bht halki	of coal/gas grill or in	replaced with the
aanch pr ya grm	a hot oven.	whole phrase in the
ovan me rang	Periodically turn	Urdu language.
badalne tuk senkain	skewer until the	ii. oven Borrowing
waqfe waqfe se	kababs change	iii. Periodically is used Equivalence
seekhon ko pltain.	colour. Do not over	in the place of
Seekh kababon ko	grill/brown the kabab.	waqfe waqfe se in
zyada senkne se		the Urdu language.
gurez krain.		

In the Shan Seekh kabab recipe, the most shifts are because of the fundamental difference in Urdu and English language structure. Due to which this is obvious that there will be structural shifts. The most common structural changes seen in this analysis are borrowing, equivalence, Trans positioning and adaptation, which shows that we translate according to our cultural values and context in the Pakistani context. And Pakistanis being multilingual culture, have borrowed a lot of terms and words from other languages and, in this case, from the English language because these particular words are not present in the Urdu language. For example, barbeque, saucepan, chopper and minute. The least used process is a transposition. And as well as there is a literal translation which is the word to word translation or direct translation.

CONCLUSION

Translation serves as a link between different cultures by bridging the gap of the difference of language. The translator uses different types of translation shifts during the translation process, which Viney and Darblenet first identified. Some of the translators use Direct translation and, at other times, oblique translation. It can be said that different processes are used as per the cultural, semantic and linguistic needs. The present study indicates that the most common used shift is structural shift due to the sentence structure difference. Then borrowing, equivalence, adaptation, transpositioning and modulation have been used. So, one can say that translators have made most use of the Direct Translation method, but the Oblique technique has been used equally. This paper serves to pave the way for the researchers to explore translation analysis of texts other than literature and see how we are surrounded by the field of translation, which goes unnoticed. There is room to explore the translations provided on Menu cards, bank broachers and other advertisements. It is also interesting that the national recipe mixes kept their recipes in Urdu only though it's also used internationally. Some Arabic brands like Mehran kept their recipes only in English, catering to international audiences.

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