



34 Weekly Prime-Time Ratings

Week of May 29-June 4, 2006

MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2006 **TelevisionWeek**

Household ratings and shares (18-49 rating in parentheses) Time-slot winner by households Nightly winner by households

Monday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			4.0/7 (2.0)	NBA Playoffs: Detroit Pistons at Miami Heat 5.3/9 (3.1)	6.5/11 (3.8)	5.3/9 (3.1)
			4.3/8 (1.9)	How I Met/Mother 3.4/6 (1.5)	Old Christine 6.0/10 (2.9)	6.1/10 (2.8)
			7.4/13 (3.3)	The Apprentice 5 5.8/9 (3.4)	CSI: Miami 7.7/13 (3.5)	6.2/10 (3.3)
			3.1/6 (2.0)	3.8/6 (2.4)	4.2/7 (2.7)	3.7/6 (2.3)
			1.3/2 (0.7)	Everwood 2.2/3 (1.2)	Medium 4.3/7 (2.2)	1.7/3 (0.9)
			1.1/2 (0.7)	Girlfriends 1.4/2 (0.9)	Half & Half 1.3/2 (0.9)	1.3/2 (0.8)
			1.4/3 (0.9)	Barrera de Amor 1.9/3 (1.5)	Cristina 1.4/2 (1.1)	1.7/3 (1.3)

Tuesday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			3.4/6 (1.8)	According to Jim 3.6/6 (2.0)	Boston Legal 3.7/6 (1.6)	3.5/6 (1.8)
			7.2/13 (2.4)	The Unit 6.1/10 (2.3)	48 Hours Mystery 6.5/10 (2.9)	6.7/11 (2.6)
			4.7/8 (2.9)	5.8/9 (4.1)	6.1/10 (4.4)	5.5/9 (3.5)
			2.9/5 (1.6)	3.4/5 (1.9)	3.6/6 (2.1)	3.2/5 (1.8)
			1.3/2 (0.9)	Pepper Dennis 1.3/2 (0.7)	Veronica Mars 0.8/1 (0.4)	1.4/2 (0.8)
			1.4/2 (0.7)	Barrera de Amor 2.0/3 (1.6)	Ver Para Creer 1.5/2 (1.2)	1.1/2 (0.6)
			1.6/3 (1.0)	2.0/4 (1.8)	2.1/3 (1.6)	1.8/3 (1.4)

Wednesday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			2.9/5 (1.4)	Freddie 2.7/5 (1.6)	Lost 2.5/4 (1.5)	3.1/5 (1.5)
			5.4/10 (2.3)	5.5/9 (2.3)	6.6/11 (2.7)	6.2/10 (2.6)
			5.4/10 (2.4)	6.2/11 (3.0)	6.0/10 (3.0)	6.2/10 (3.0)
			3.6/7 (1.6)	4.0/7 (1.8)	5.3/9 (3.4)	4.7/8 (2.7)
			1.6/3 (1.0)	1.7/3 (1.0)	0.8/1 (0.4)	1.2/2 (0.7)
			1.2/2 (0.8)	1.1/2 (0.8)	1.3/2 (0.9)	1.2/2 (0.8)
			1.5/3 (1.1)	2.2/4 (2.0)	2.1/3 (1.8)	2.0/3 (1.6)

Thursday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			5.5/10 (2.2)	8.7/14 (3.6)	9.8/16 (4.3)	7.8/13 (3.1)
			3.2/6 (1.9)	3.2/5 (2.4)	3.0/5 (2.5)	3.3/6 (2.2)
			3.6/6 (2.4)	4.1/7 (2.8)	6.0/10 (4.0)	5.1/9 (3.5)
			1.4/3 (0.8)	1.6/3 (0.9)	1.2/2 (0.7)	1.4/2 (0.8)
			1.7/3 (1.1)	1.1/2 (0.7)	1.1/2 (0.7)	1.2/2 (0.8)
			1.4/3 (1.0)	2.1/4 (1.8)	2.0/3 (1.7)	1.8/3 (1.5)

Friday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			3.8/8 (1.7)	3.9/7 (1.7)	2.6/5 (1.1)	3.8/7 (1.7)
			3.9/8 (1.4)	4.1/8 (1.6)	5.1/9 (1.6)	5.1/10 (1.7)
			4.5/9 (1.5)	5.1/10 (1.9)	3.1/6 (1.7)	3.6/7 (1.8)
			2.2/4 (1.4)	2.4/4 (1.5)	2.8/5 (1.7)	2.6/5 (1.6)
			1.0/2 (0.6)	1.0/2 (0.6)	1.4/3 (0.7)	1.1/2 (0.6)
			2.0/4 (1.1)	2.4/4 (1.2)	2.6/5 (1.4)	2.4/4 (1.3)
			1.4/3 (0.9)	1.5/3 (1.1)	1.8/4 (1.6)	1.4/3 (1.2)

Saturday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			1.8/4 (1.0)	1.8/4 (1.1)	2.2/4 (1.5)	2.1/4 (1.4)
			3.0/6 (0.9)	3.3/7 (1.0)	4.3/8 (1.4)	4.3/8 (1.5)
			3.0/6 (1.0)	3.4/7 (1.1)	2.2/4 (0.9)	3.0/6 (1.1)
			3.0/6 (1.8)	3.6/7 (2.2)	3.9/7 (2.2)	3.7/7 (2.1)
			0.9/2 (0.6)	0.9/2 (0.5)	1.1/2 (0.6)	1.2/2 (0.8)

Sunday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
			3.1/6 (1.7)	3.6/7 (2.1)	3.1/6 (1.7)	3.8/7 (2.4)
			6.0/12 (1.4)	7.0/13 (1.7)	6.0/11 (1.8)	5.5/10 (2.0)
			4.7/9 (1.6)	4.2/8 (1.4)	5.6/10 (1.8)	5.4/9 (1.8)
			1.7/3 (1.1)	2.2/4 (1.7)	3.5/6 (2.8)	2.8/5 (2.1)
			0.9/2 (0.6)	1.3/2 (0.8)	1.0/2 (0.6)	1.0/2 (0.6)
			1.0/2 (0.8)	1.2/2 (1.0)	1.5/3 (1.2)	1.5/3 (1.2)

Source: Nielsen Media Research

RATINGS Wizard

BY NAOMIE WORRELL

Monday, May 29-Sunday, June 4, 2006
TV Season Week No. 37

NBC won the week in adults 18 to 49 with a 2.4/7. CBS won in total viewers with 8.7 million.

TOP SHOWS

For the Week

Adults 18 to 49: "So You Think You Can Dance" (Fox, Thursday) 4.4 /12
Total viewers: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC, Monday) 14 million

By Day

MONDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC) 4.1/13
Total viewers: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC) 14 million

TUESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Last Comic Standing" (NBC) 3.7/11
Total viewers: "NCIS" (CBS) 11.2 million

WEDNESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "So You Think You Can Dance" (Fox) 3.6/10
Total viewers: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC) 10.2 million

THURSDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "So You Think You Can Dance" (Fox) 4.4/12
Total viewers: "CSI" (CBS) 13.5 million

FRIDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "20/20" (ABC) and "Numb3rs" (CBS), 2.0/7
Total viewers: "Numb3rs" (CBS) 8.7 million

SATURDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "America Most Wanted" (Fox) 2.2/8
Total viewers: "48 Hours Mystery" (CBS) 7.2 million

SUNDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "The Simpsons" (Fox) 2.8/9
Total viewers: "Cold Case" (CBS) 9 million

Cable Ratings

May 29-June 4, 2006

Ranked by household audience projections	Household rating	Coverage rating	Households (000)
1. The Sopranos, Sun., 9:03 p.m. (HBO)	5.3	18.4	5,812
2. NBA Playoffs, Wed., 8 p.m. (ESPN)	4.5	5.5	4,990
3. NBA Playoffs, Fri., 8:09 p.m. (ESPN)	4.4	5.3	4,851
4. NBA Playoffs, Thur., 8:49 p.m. (TNT)	4.2	5.1	4,639
5. NBA Playoffs, Tue., 9:02 p.m. (TNT)	4.1	5.0	4,513
6. NBA Playoffs, Sat., 8:34 p.m. (TNT)	3.9	4.7	4,295
7. Nextel Cup Race, Sun., 2:11 p.m. (FX)	3.7	4.6	4,108
8. WWE Raw, Mon., 10 p.m. (USA)	3.3	4.0	3,603
9. Movie: Blue Collar Tour, Sun., 8 p.m. (Comedy)	3.1	3.8	3,404
10. SpongeBob SquarePants, Sat., 9:30 a.m. (Nick)	3.0	3.6	3,283

Note: Coverage area ratings are within each cable network's universe. Total U.S. ratings and household projections are based on 108.4 million TV homes. Ranking does not include programs under five minutes. Audience estimates are based on average minute tuning.

Source: Nielsen Media Research

Top 10 Cable Network Ratings

May 29-June 4, 2006

Households	Prime Time		Total Day	
	Rating	(000)	Rating	(000)
1. TNT	2.1	2,304	1. Nickelodeon	1.5 1,604
2. ESPN	1.9	2,058	2. Disney	1.1 1,237
t. USA	1.9	2,057	t. TNT	1.1 1,200
4. Disney	1.7	1,859	t. Nick at Nite	1.1 1,188
5. Cartoon	1.2	1,345	5. USA	1.0 1,112
t. Nick at Nite	1.2	1,284	6. Cartoon	0.9 1,037
7. Comedy Central	1.1	1,263	t. Adult Swim	0.9 979
t. TBS	1.1	1,207	8. Lifetime	0.7 792
t. Lifetime	1.1	1,203	t. ESPN	0.7 791
10. FX	1.0	1,053	t. TBS	0.7 761

