

Weekly Primetime Ratings

Week of May 18-May 24

Household ratings and shares (18-49 rating in parentheses)

Timeslot winner by households

Nightly winner by households

Monday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc		Dancing With the Stars 11.3/19 (4.0)		The Bachelorette 6.2/10 (3.1)	8.1/13 (3.5)
cbs		Rules/Engagement 4.7/8 (2.7)	How I Met/Mother 5.4/9 (3.7)	Two and a Half Men 9.9/15 (5.3)	
nbc		Deal or No Deal 2.8/5 (1.2)		Deal or No Deal 3.4/5 (1.4)	3.5/6 (1.5)
fox				CSI: Miami 8.9/14 (3.8)	
fox				Medium 4.3/7 (1.9)	5.7/9 (3.1)
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	1.7/3 (1.2)
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	0.8/1 (0.5)
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	2.4/4 (1.8)
fox				24 6.1/10 (3.3)	

Tuesday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc		Dancing With the Stars 4.7/8 (1.6)		Dancing With the Stars Results Show 13.2/21 (5.5)	10.1/16 (4.0)
cbs		NCIS 10.0/17 (3.3)	The Mentalist 10.1/16 (3.6)	Without a Trace 7.5/12 (2.5)	
nbc		Most Outrageous 1.9/3 (0.8)	Most Outrageous 1.9/3 (1.0)	Law & Order: SVU 4.5/7 (2.4)	3.0/5 (1.5)
fox				Law & Order: SVU 4.9/8 (2.6)	
fox				American Idol 13.0/22 (8.1)	9.7/15 (6.3)
fox				Glee 6.1/10 (4.4)	
fox				Reaper 1.1/2 (0.7)	1.2/2 (0.9)
fox				90210 1.2/2 (1.1)	
fox				Street Patrol 0.7/1 (0.4)	0.8/1 (0.4)
fox				Jail 0.8/1 (0.4)	
fox				Jail 0.8/1 (0.4)	2.2/3 (1.6)
fox				Jail 0.8/1 (0.4)	

Wednesday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc			Movie: Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest 2.2/4 (1.2)		2.2/4 (1.2)
cbs			Adv./Old Christine 3.7/7 (1.6)	Criminal Minds 9.2/15 (3.6)	
nbc			Gary Unmarried 3.7/6 (1.7)	Law & Order 4.2/7 (1.7)	7.0/12 (2.9)
fox				Law & Order 5.0/9 (2.2)	
fox				Law & Order 5.0/9 (2.2)	3.7/6 (1.3)
fox				Law & Order 5.0/9 (2.2)	
fox				American Idol Results Show 14.9/25 (8.9)	16.1/27 (10.0)
fox				Movie: Take the Lead 0.8/2 (0.4)	
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.5/1 (0.3)	0.9/1 (0.4)
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.4/1 (0.3)	
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.4/1 (0.3)	0.4/1 (0.3)
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.4/1 (0.3)	
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.4/1 (0.3)	2.0/4 (1.5)
fox				World's Funniest Moments 0.4/1 (0.3)	

Thursday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc			Ugly Betty 4.1/7 (1.8)	Grey's Anatomy 2.7/5 (1.2)	3.6/6 (1.6)
cbs			NCIS 4.7/9 (1.2)	Flashpoint 4.7/9 (1.7)	
nbc			My Name Is Earl 2.2/4 (1.1)	Southland 4.0/7 (1.8)	2.8/5 (1.5)
fox				Southland 4.4/8 (2.1)	
fox				So You Think You Can Dance 5.3/10 (3.3)	5.3/9 (3.4)
fox				Supernatural 5.5/9 (3.8)	
fox				Supernatural 5.5/9 (3.8)	0.9/2 (0.5)
fox				Supernatural 5.5/9 (3.8)	
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	0.9/2 (0.4)
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	0.9/2 (0.4)
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	2.0/3 (1.6)
fox				Movie: Lethal Weapon 0.9/2 (0.4)	

Friday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc		Wife Swap 2.2/5 (1.0)	Supernanny 1.7/3 (0.7)	20/20 2.9/6 (1.3)	2.3/4 (1.0)
cbs				20/20 3.0/6 (1.3)	
nbc				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	4.1/8 (1.2)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	2.8/6 (0.9)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	2.0/4 (1.0)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	0.7/1 (0.4)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	1.6/3 (0.9)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	1.8/4 (1.4)
fox				Flashpoint 4.2/8 (1.2)	

Saturday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc		NBA Pre-game 1.8/4 (0.9)		Basketball: Lakers at Nuggets 4.8/10 (3.0)	4.5/9 (2.9)
cbs				Basketball: Lakers at Nuggets 4.8/10 (3.0)	
nbc				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	2.7/6 (0.9)
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	2.3/5 (0.7)
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	2.3/5 (1.2)
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	1.3/3 (0.7)
fox				48 Hours Mystery 3.6/7 (1.1)	

Sunday

	7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share
abc		America's Funniest Home Videos 2.6/6 (1.1)	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition 2.7/5 (1.2)	Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	2.7/5 (1.0)
cbs				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	
nbc				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	4.1/8 (1.1)
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	2.8/5 (0.9)
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	1.7/4 (1.2)
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	0.5/1 (0.2)
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	1.0/2 (0.8)
fox				Diamonds 2.7/5 (0.9)	

Source: Nielsen Media Research

WIZARD RATINGS

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Monday, May 18-Sunday, May 24, 2009
TV Season Week No. 35

Fox won the week in adults 18 to 49 with a 3.6/12.
Fox won in total viewers with 10.2 million.

TOP SHOWS

For the Week

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol Results" (Fox) 10.0/28
Total viewers: "American Idol Results" (Fox) 28.8 million

By Day

MONDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Two and a Half Men" (CBS) 5.3/14
Total viewers: "Dancing With the Stars" (ABC) 19.2 million

TUESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol" (Fox) 8.6/25
Total viewers: "American Idol" (Fox) 23.8 million

WEDNESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol Results" (Fox) 10.0/28
Total viewers: "American Idol Results" (Fox) 28.8 million

THURSDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "So You Think You Can Dance" (Fox) 3.4/11
Total viewers: "CSI" (CBS) 9.9 million

FRIDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "20/20" (ABC) 1.3/4
Total viewers: "Flashpoint" (CBS) 6.5 million

SATURDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Basketball: Lakers/Nuggets" (ABC) 3.5/13
Total viewers: Basketball: Lakers/Nuggets" (ABC) 8.7 million

SUNDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Cold Case" (CBS) 1.5/5
Total viewers: "60 Minutes" (CBS) 8.1 million

Cable Ratings

May 18-May 24

Rank	Program	Household rating	Coverage rating	Households (000)
1.	NBA: Cavaliers-Magic, Sun., 8:36 p.m. (TNT)	5.4	6.3	6,205
2.	NBA: Nuggets-Lakers, Tue., 8:57 p.m. (ESPN)	5.0	5.8	5,688
3.	NBA: Nuggets-Lakers, Thu., 8:56 p.m. (ESPN)	4.9	5.7	5,640
4.	NBA: Magic-Cavaliers, Wed., 8:36 p.m. (TNT)	4.6	5.3	5,219
5.	NBA: Magic-Cavaliers, Fri., 8:35 p.m. (TNT)	4.4	5.1	5,019
6.	WWE RAW, Mon., 10 p.m. (USA)	3.1	3.7	3,603
7.	WWE RAW, Mon., 9 p.m. (USA)	3.0	3.5	3,450
8.	NCIS, Sat., 10 p.m. (USA)	2.8	3.3	3,258
9.	NCIS, Mon., 7 p.m. (USA)	2.6	3.1	3,002
10.	NCIS, Mon., 8 p.m. (USA)	2.5	3.0	2,911

Note: Coverage area ratings are within each cable network's universe. Total U.S. ratings and household projections are based on 114.5 million TV homes. Ranking does not include programs under five minutes. Audience estimates are based on average minute tuning.

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Top 10 Cable Network Ratings

May 18-May 24

Rank	Network	Rating (000)	Rating (000)
1.	TNT	2.1	2,440
2.	USA	1.9	2,166
3.	ESPN	1.4	1,654
4.	Disney	1.3	1,533
5.	Fox News	1.3	1,475
6.	TBS	1.0	1,178
7.	Nick at Nite	1.0	1,174
8.	FX	0.9	977
9.	AGE	0.8	898
10.	HGTV	0.8	888