



# 22 Weekly Prime-Time Ratings

Week of May 8-14, 2006

MONDAY, MAY 22, 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			
			4.8/8 (2.6)	David Blaine: Drowned Alive 4.9/7 (3.0)	7.0/10 (4.9)	8.3/12 (6.1)	What About Brian 4.7/7 (3.4)	4.1/7 (3.1)	5.6/9 (3.8)
			King of Queens 5.3/9 (2.6)	How I Met/Mother 5.3/8 (2.8)	Two/Half Men 9.7/14 (4.6)	Old Christine 7.9/12 (3.7)	CSI: Miami 12.9/20 (6.6)	13.2/22 (6.6)	9.0/14 (4.5)
			Deal or No Deal 8.6/14 (4.0)	10.7/16 (5.5)	The Apprentice 5 6.0/9 (3.5)	6.2/9 (3.8)	Medium 7.7/12 (4.1)	7.7/13 (4.2)	7.9/12 (4.2)
			Prison Break 5.2/9 (3.7)	6.0/9 (4.3)	24 8.2/12 (5.7)	8.4/12 (5.8)			7.0/11 (4.9)
			7th Heaven 4.6/8 (2.7)	5.3/8 (3.2)	Everwood 3.1/5 (1.7)	2.7/4 (1.4)			3.9/6 (2.3)
			One on One 1.7/3 (1.0)	All of Us 2.0/3 (1.2)	Girlfriends 2.2/3 (1.6)	2.4/4 (1.8)			2.1/3 (1.4)
			"24" (Fox) 1.5/3 (0.9)	Pelegrina 1.6/3 (1.2)	Barrera de Amor 2.1/3 (1.5)	2.1/3 (1.5)	All of Us (UPN) 1.6/2 (1.2)	Cristina 1.3/2 (1.0)	1.8/3 (1.3)

Tuesday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share			
			3.7/6 (1.5)	Movie: Fatal Contact 3.6/5 (1.7)	Bird Flu in America 4.0/6 (1.9)	4.0/6 (1.9)	Boston Legal 6.2/10 (2.7)	6.5/11 (2.8)	4.7/7 (2.1)
			NCIS 9.7/16 (3.4)	10.5/16 (3.7)	The Unit 9.0/14 (3.6)	9.1/14 (3.9)	The Unit 8.1/13 (3.8)	7.9/13 (3.6)	9.1/14 (3.7)
			Outrag./Moments 3.3/5 (1.6)	Outrag./Moments 3.4/5 (1.8)	Scrubs 3.8/6 (2.8)	3.6/5 (2.5)	Law & Order: SVU 8.4/13 (4.5)	9.1/15 (5.1)	5.3/8 (3.1)
			American Idol 15.8/25 (10.8)	17.8/27 (12.5)	House 14.7/22 (9.5)	14.5/22 (9.4)			15.7/24 (10.5)
			Gilmore Girls 3.4/5 (2.2)	3.9/6 (2.5)	Pepper Dennis 1.8/3 (1.0)	1.5/2 (0.8)			2.7/4 (1.6)
			America's Next Top Model: Cycle 6 1.4/2 (0.8)	1.6/2 (1.0)	Veronica Mars 1.5/2 (1.1)	1.5/2 (1.1)	Pepper Dennis (The WB) 1.5/2 (1.2)	1.3/2 (0.9)	1.5/2 (1.0)
			"The Unit" (CBS) 1.5/3 (1.0)	Pelegrina 1.7/3 (1.3)	Barrera de Amor 2.0/3 (1.6)	2.0/3 (1.6)	Ver Para Creer 1.5/2 (1.2)	1.3/2 (0.9)	1.8/3 (1.4)

Wednesday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share			
			4.0/7 (2.0)	Alias 4.4/7 (2.4)	Lost 9.1/13 (6.4)	10.2/15 (7.3)	Invasion 5.3/8 (3.3)	4.8/8 (2.8)	6.5/10 (4.2)
			Amazing Race 9 5.4/9 (2.9)	5.4/8 (3.1)	Criminal Minds 7.7/11 (3.3)	9.0/13 (3.9)	CSI: NY 9.7/15 (4.9)	10.1/17 (5.1)	7.9/12 (3.9)
			Deal or No Deal 8.8/15 (4.4)	10.2/16 (5.4)	Dateline 6.0/9 (2.9)	7.8/12 (4.2)	Law & Order 8.6/13 (4.1)	8.9/15 (4.2)	8.4/13 (4.2)
			Bones 5.6/9 (3.2)	6.5/10 (3.9)	American Idol 16.1/24 (11.2)	Unanimous 8.3/12 (6.0)			9.1/14 (6.1)
			The Bedford Diaries 0.9/1 (0.4)	0.7/1 (0.4)	The Bedford Diaries 0.8/1 (0.3)	2.4/4 (1.4)			0.8/1 (0.4)
			America's Next Top Model: Cycle 6 3.1/5 (2.2)	3.7/6 (2.7)	Girlfriends 1.7/3 (1.1)	2.4/4 (1.4)	Bones (Fox) 1.8/3 (1.3)	1.6/3 (1.2)	2.5/4 (1.7)
			"Lost" (ABC) 1.4/3 (1.0)	Pelegrina 1.5/3 (1.1)	Barrera de Amor 1.9/3 (1.4)	2.0/3 (1.5)	Don Francisco Presenta 1.8/3 (1.3)	1.6/3 (1.2)	1.8/3 (1.3)

Thursday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share			
			American Inventor 3.3/6 (1.5)	3.6/6 (1.7)	American Inventor 4.4/7 (2.4)	4.8/7 (2.9)	Primetime 4.8/8 (2.9)	4.2/7 (2.6)	4.2/7 (2.3)
			Survivor: Panama-Exile Island 9.5/16 (5.3)	10.5/17 (6.2)	CSI 16.1/25 (7.8)	17.9/27 (8.9)	Without a Trace 13.0/21 (5.9)	12.8/21 (5.7)	13.3/21 (6.7)
			Will & Grace 6.2/11 (3.4)	5.8/9 (3.9)	My Name Is Earl 6.0/9 (4.5)	The Office 4.7/7 (3.8)	ER 8.4/13 (5.4)	9.2/16 (5.7)	6.7/11 (4.4)
			That '70s Show 4.1/7 (3.0)	4.8/8 (3.6)	That '70s Show: Goodbye 5.0/8 (3.8)	5.4/8 (4.1)			4.8/8 (3.6)
			Smallville 2.9/5 (2.0)	3.1/5 (2.3)	Smallville 1.9/3 (1.3)	1.6/2 (1.0)			2.4/4 (1.6)
			Everybody/Chris 2.2/4 (1.3)	Love, Inc. 1.4/2 (0.8)	Eve 1.3/2 (0.8)	Cuts 1.4/2 (0.8)	American Inventor (ABC) 1.8/3 (1.5)	Aqui y Ahora 1.5/3 (1.2)	1.6/2 (0.9)
			"Smallville" (The WB) 1.5/3 (1.0)	Pelegrina 1.7/3 (1.2)	Barrera de Amor 2.1/3 (1.7)	2.1/34 (1.7)			1.8/3 (1.5)

Friday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share			
			America's Funniest Home Videos 3.5/7 (1.4)	3.7/7 (1.7)	20/20 4.2/7 (1.8)	4.4/8 (1.9)	20/20 5.7/10 (2.7)	6.1/11 (3.0)	4.6/8 (2.1)
			Keith Barry: Extraordinary 3.7/7 (1.8)	3.7/7 (1.8)	Close to Home 5.7/10 (2.1)	6.3/11 (2.4)	Numb3rs 7.7/14 (3.3)	8.2/15 (3.6)	5.9/11 (2.9)
			Deal or No Deal 7.4/14 (3.2)	8.4/15 (4.0)	Las Vegas 6.2/11 (3.1)	6.1/11 (3.3)	Conviction 4.5/8 (2.0)	4.2/7 (1.8)	6.1/11 (2.9)
			Movie: Legally Blonde 2 2.2/4 (1.3)	2.1/4 (1.2)	2.3/4 (1.3)	2.5/4 (1.5)			2.3/4 (1.3)
			Movie: How to Deal 0.9/2 (0.6)	0.9/2 (0.5)	0.9/2 (0.5)	0.8/1 (0.5)			0.9/2 (0.5)
			Friday Night Smackdown! 2.3/4 (1.1)	2.4/4 (1.3)	2.6/5 (1.6)	2.8/5 (1.7)	Close to Home (CBS) 1.9/3 (1.6)	Historia Para Contrar 1.9/3 (1.5)	2.5/5 (1.4)
			"Friday Night Smackdown!" (UPN) 1.3/3 (0.8)	Pelegrina 1.4/3 (1.0)	Barrera de Amor 1.9/3 (1.5)	2.0/4 (1.7)			1.7/3 (1.4)

Saturday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share			
			2.0/4 (1.0)	NBA Playoffs: San Antonio Spurs vs. Dallas Mavericks 2.4/5 (1.2)	2.8/5 (1.4)	2.7/5 (1.4)	3.5/7 (1.9)	4.0/7 (2.3)	2.9/6 (1.5)
			Crimetime 4.1/8 (1.6)	4.8/9 (1.9)	Crimetime 5.0/9 (2.0)	5.4/10 (2.2)	48 Hours 4.9/9 (1.9)	5.4/10 (2.1)	4.9/9 (1.9)
			Dateline 4.1/8 (1.6)	4.9/10 (2.0)	Law & Order: SVU 4.1/8 (1.4)	4.6/8 (1.7)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent 5.5/10 (2.2)	5.8/11 (2.4)	4.8/9 (1.9)
			Law & Order: SVU (NBC) 4.5/10 (2.6)	4.6/9 (2.8)	NASCAR: Nextel Cup Dodge Charger 500 4.9/9 (2.9)	5.0/10 (3.1)	5.5/10 (3.4)	5.5/10 (3.4)	5.0/10 (3.0)
			Casos Familia 0.7/2 (0.5)	0.7/2 (0.6)	Sabado Gigante 1.4/3 (1.1)	1.4/3 (1.1)	1.4/3 (1.1)	1.4/3 (1.1)	1.2/3 (0.8)

Sunday		7 p.m.	8 p.m.	9 p.m.	10 p.m.	Avg. Rtg./Share					
			America's Funniest Home Videos 4.2/8 (2.1)	5.0/9 (2.8)	Extreme Makeover: Home Edition 5.8/10 (3.7)	7.3/12 (4.7)	Desperate Housewives 12.2/18 (7.7)	13.5/20 (8.8)	Grey's Anatomy 13.8/21 (9.5)	14.4/23 (9.9)	9.5/16 (6.2)
			60 Minutes 7.4/15 (2.1)	8.7/16 (2.7)	Survivor: Panama-Exile Island 9.1/16 (5.7)	9.2/15 (6.2)	9.3/14 (6.5)	9.2/14 (6.4)	Survivor: Reunion 6.9/11 (4.9)	6.4/10 (4.5)	8.4/14 (2.9)
			The West Wing 3.6/7 (1.7)	3.8/7 (1.8)	The West Wing 5.8/10 (2.7)	6.5/10 (3.1)	7.0/11 (3.2)	Law & Order: Criminal Intent 7.7/11 (3.5)	8.4/13 (3.8)	8.4/14 (3.7)	6.4/11 (2.9)
			The Simpsons 2.4/5 (1.9)	King of the Hill 3.1/6 (2.5)	The Simpsons 4.8/8 (4.0)	Malcolm/Middle 4.3/7 (3.4)	Family Guy 4.7/7 (3.8)	American Dad 4.2/6 (3.2)			3.9/7 (3.1)
			Reba 1.3/3 (0.8)	Reba 1.6/3 (1.0)	Charmed 2.3/4 (1.6)	2.5/4 (1.7)	Charmed 1.1/2 (0.7)	1.1/2 (0.7)			1.6/3 (1.1)
			Hora Pico 0.7/1 (0.6)	Chiquitibum 0.8/1 (0.7)	1.4/2 (1.4)	1.8/3 (1.7)	Reyes de la Pista 2.0/3 (2.0)	2.2/3 (2.0)	The West Wing (NBC) 2.2/3 (1.9)	2.0/3 (1.8)	1.6/2 (1.5)

Source: Nielsen Media Research

# WIZARD RATINGS

BY NAOMIE WORRELL

Monday, May 8, 2006-Sunday, May 14, 2006  
TV Season Week No. 34

Fox won the week in adults 18 to 49 with a 4.5/13.  
CBS won in total viewers with 13.2 million.

## TOP SHOWS

### For the Week

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol" (Fox, Tuesday) 11.6/31  
Total viewers: "American Idol" (Fox, Tuesday) 28.8 million

### By Day

#### MONDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "CSI: Miami" (CBS) 6.6/17  
Total viewers: "CSI: Miami" (CBS) 19.9 million

#### TUESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol" (Fox) 11.6/31  
Total viewers: "American Idol" (Fox) 28.8 million

#### WEDNESDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "American Idol" (Fox) 11.2/27  
Total viewers: "American Idol" (Fox) 27.8 million

#### THURSDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "CSI" (CBS) 8.4/22  
Total viewers: "CSI" (CBS) 27 million

#### FRIDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC) 3.6/13  
Total viewers: "Deal or No Deal" (NBC) 12.6 million

#### SATURDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "NASCAR: Nextel Cup" (Fox) 2.9/11  
Total viewers: "Law & Order: Criminal Intent" (NBC) 8.2 million

#### SUNDAY

Adults 18 to 49: "Grey's Anatomy" (ABC) 9.7/23  
Total viewers: "Grey's Anatomy" (ABC) 22.6 million

# Cable Ratings

May 8-14, 2006

Ranked by household audience projections	Household rating	Coverage rating	Households (000)
1. The Sopranos, Sun., 9:05 p.m. (HBO)	4.9	17.2	5,454
2. WWE Raw, Mon., 10 p.m. (USA)	3.5	4.3	3,897
3. SpongeBob SquarePants, Sat., 9:30 a.m. (Nick)	3.3	4.0	3,583
4. WWE Raw, Mon., 9 p.m. (USA)	3.2	3.9	3,555
5. The Fairly OddParents, Sun., 10 a.m. (Nick)	2.8	3.4	3,090
6. NBA Playoffs, Tue., 9:49 p.m. (TNT)	2.7	3.3	3,012
t. NBA Playoffs, Fri., 10:52 p.m. (ESPN)	2.7	3.3	2,994
t. The Fairly OddParents, Sat., 10 a.m. (Nick)	2.7	3.3	2,986
t. SpongeBob SquarePants, Sat., 9 a.m. (Nick)	2.7	3.3	2,947
10. SpongeBob SquarePants, Sun., 9:30 a.m. (Nick)	2.7	3.2	2,927

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 8-14, 2006

Households	Prime Time		Total Day	
	Rating	(000)	Rating	(000)
1. TNT	2.0	2,156	1. Nickelodeon	1.5 1,600
2. USA	1.7	1,834	2. TNT	1.1 1,175
3. Disney	1.5	1,672	3. Nick at Nite	1.0 1,104
4. Lifetime	1.2	1,356	4. Disney	0.9 1,019
t. Cartoon	1.2	1,273	t. USA	0.9 970
6. ESPN	1.1	1,237	t. Adult Swim	0.9 942
7. Nick at Nite	1.0	1,071	t. Cartoon	0.9 937
t. TBS	1.0	1,066	8. Lifetime	0.7 793
9. Fox News	0.9	1,020	9. TBS	0.6 714
t. Spike	0.9	962	t. ESPN	0.6 674

