



- Prime-time ratings by Nielsen Media Research for Sept 2-Sept 8 2002.
- Top 20 listings include the week's ranking, with rating for the week and season-to-date rankings in parentheses.
- An "X" in parentheses denotes a one-time-only presentation.
- The rating is the percentage of the nation's estimated 105.5 million TV homes.
- Each ratings point represents 1,055,000 households.

- (34) "American Idol-Wednesday," Fox, 12.6, 13.4 million homes.
- (47) "American Idol-Tuesday," Fox, 10.5, 11.2 million homes.
- (X) "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation-10 p.m.," CBS, 9.8, 10.5 million
- (2) "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation," CBS, 9.4, 10.0 million homes.
- (X) "Everybody Loves Raymond," CBS, 9.3, 9.9 million homes.
- (X) "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation-Monday," CBS, 8.9, 9.5 million
- (10) "Law & Order," NBC, 8.5, 9.1 million homes.
- (X) "Becker," CBS, 8.3, 8.9 million homes.
- (25) "Fox NFL Sunday Bonus," Fox, 8.3, 8.8 million homes.
- (20) "60 Minutes," CBS, 7.7, 8.2 million homes.
- (17) "Law & Order: Special Victims Unit," NBC, 7.6, 8.1 million homes.
- (X) "Law & Order-Sunday," NBC, 7.4, 7.9 million homes.
- (3) "Friends," NBC, 7.1, 7.6 million homes.
- (37) "Law & Order: Criminal Intent," NBC, 6.8, 7.2 million homes.
- (39) "Dateline NBC-Tuesday," NBC, 6.7, 7.2 million homes.
- (X) "Yes, Dear," CBS, 6.4, 6.8 million homes.
- (X) "ABC Big Picture-Sun: My Best Friend's Wed....," ABC, 6.3, 6.7 mil
- (78) "Big Brother 3-Thursdays," CBS, 6.2, 6.6 million homes.
- (65) "Big Brother 3-Wednesday," CBS, 6.0, 6.4 million homes.
- (69) "The Simpsons," Fox, 6.0, 6.4 million homes.
- (X) "Will & Grace-Thursdays," NBC, 6.0
- "48 Hours-Wednesday," CBS, 5.9
- (X) "The King of Queens," CBS, 5.9
- (X) "Law & Order: Special Victims Unit-Friday," NBC, 5.8
- "Will & Grace," NBC, 5.8
- (X) "Fox Movie: There's Something About Mary," Fox, 5.7
- "The West Wing," NBC, 5.6
- "60 Minutes II," CBS, 5.5
- "ER," NBC, 5.5
- "Judging Amy," CBS, 5.5
- (X) "40th Anniversary of the Improv," NBC, 5.4
- (X) "Everybody Loves Raymond," CBS, 5.4
- "Monk," ABC, 5.4
- "Scrubs-Thursdays," NBC, 5.4
- "Dateline NBC-Friday," NBC, 5.3
- "Frasier," NBC, 5.3
- (X) "US Open Tennis-Saturday: Women's Final," CBS, 5.2
- "Forensic Files," NBC, 5.1
- "My Wife & Kids-Wednesday," ABC, 5.1

- "ABC Big Picture Show-Thursdays: The Edge," ABC, 4.9
- (X) "ABC College Football: Auburn at USC," ABC, 4.8
- "Dateline NBC-Sunday," NBC, 4.8
- "My Wife and Kids," ABC, 4.8
- (X) "ABC News Special-Thurs: In Search of America-Part 3," ABC, 4.7
- (X) "CSI: Crime Scene Investigation," CBS, 4.7
- "King Of the Hill," Fox, 4.7
- (X) "ABC News Special-Fri: In Search of America-Part 4," ABC, 4.6
- (X) "America's Funniest Home Videos," ABC, 4.6
- "The Guardian," CBS, 4.6
- (X) "Just Shoot Me-Tuesday," NBC, 4.6
- "That '70s Show," Fox, 4.6
- "America's Funniest Home Videos," ABC, 4.5
- (X) "Malcolm in the Middle," Fox, 4.5
- (X) "ABC Big Picture Show-Sunday: Now and Then," ABC, 4.4
- "JAG," CBS, 4.4
- "According to Jim-Tuesday 1," ABC, 4.3
- (X) "Fear Factor," NBC, 4.3
- (X) "60 Minutes II," CBS, 4.2
- "According to Jim-Tuesday 2," ABC, 4.2
- "Malcolm in the Middle," Fox, 4.2
- "Cops 2: Mardi Gras," Fox, 4.1
- (X) "ABC News Special-Tues: In Search of America-Part 1," ABC, 3.8
- (X) "Crossing Jordan," NBC, 3.8
- (X) "Third Watch," NBC, 3.5
- "Beyond Belief: Fact or Fiction," Fox, 3.3
- "Cops: Mardi Gras," Fox, 3.3
- "48 Hours," CBS, 3.2
- (X) "ABC News Special-Wed: In Search of America-Part 2," ABC, 3.2
- "World Wrestling Entertainment Smackdown!," UPN, 3.2
- (X) "ABC News Special-Sat: In Search of America-Pts 5&6," ABC, 3.1
- "The Drew Carey Show," ABC, 3.0
- (X) "Fox Movie: Starship Troopers," Fox, 3.0
- (X) "Meet My Folks-Saturday," NBC, 3.0
- (X) "Dog Eat Dog-Saturday," NBC, 2.7
- "Ed," NBC, 2.6
- "Pulse," Fox, 2.5
- (X) "NBC Fall Preview Show," NBC, 2.4
- "Smallville," WB, 2.3
- "Girlfriends 2-Monday," UPN, 2.2
- (X) "NFL Kick-Off Concert," CBS, 2.2
- (X) "Shyamalan's Signs Of Fear," ABC, 2.2
- (X) "7th Heaven-Monday," WB, 2.1
- "Gilmore Girls," WB, 2.1
- "One On One," UPN, 2.1
- "UPN's Movie Friday: The Glimmer Man," UPN, 2.1
- "Girlfriends 1-Monday," UPN, 2.0
- "The Parkers-Monday," UPN, 2.0
- "Reba," WB, 2.0
- (X) "Reba-Friday," WB, 2.0
- (X) "Spy TV-Saturday," NBC, 2.0

- "Reba-Thursdays," WB, 1.9
- "Sabrina, the Teenage Witch," WB, 1.8
- "Sabrina, the Teenage Witch-Friday," WB, 1.8
- "Charmed-Sunday," WB, 1.7
- (X) "Smallville-Monday," WB, 1.7
- "Buffy the Vampire Slayer," UPN, 1.6
- "Enterprise," UPN, 1.6
- "The Jamie Kennedy Experiment-Thursdays," WB, 1.6
- "Enterprise," UPN, 1.5
- (X) "Off Centre 1-Wednesday," WB, 1.5
- "Diagnosis Murder-Tuesday," Pax, 1.4
- "The Jamie Kennedy Experiment 2-Thursdays," WB, 1.4
- "Charmed 1-Sunday," WB, 1.3
- "Diagnosis Murder-Saturday," Pax, 1.3
- "Off Centre," WB, 1.3
- (X) "Off Centre 3-Wednesday," WB, 1.3
- (X) "Off Centre 4-Wednesday," WB, 1.3
- "The Parkers 2-Tuesday," UPN, 1.3
- "Diagnosis Murder-Wednesday," Pax, 1.2
- (X) "Off Centre 2-Wednesday," WB, 1.2
- "Angel-Sunday," WB, 1.1
- "Diagnosis Murder-Monday," Pax, 1.1
- "The Parkers 1-Tuesday," UPN, 1.1
- "Diagnosis Murder-Thursdays," Pax, 1.0
- (X) "Doc 2-Sunday," Pax, 1.0
- (X) "Mary Higgins Clark Movie: Music, Loves to Dance," Pax, 1.0
- "Touched By an Angel-Monday," Pax, 0.9
- "Touched By an Angel-Thursdays," Pax, 0.9
- "Touched By an Angel-Wednesday," Pax, 0.9
- "Diagnosis Murder-Friday," Pax, 0.8
- (X) "Doc 3-Sunday," Pax, 0.8
- (X) "Doc 4-Sunday," Pax, 0.8
- "Doc-Tuesday," Pax, 0.8
- (X) "Almost an Angel: Almost an Angel," Pax, 0.7
- (X) "Doc 1-Sunday," Pax, 0.6
- "Mysterious Ways-Tuesday," Pax, 0.6
- "Candid Camera-Wednesday," Pax, 0.5
- "It's a Miracle," Pax, 0.5
- "Promised Land-Monday," Pax, 0.5