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****Ratings Report for ABC News' "World News Tonight with David Muir"**

For the week of Aug. 1, 2022

FOR 17TH CONSECUTIVE WEEK, 'WORLD NEWS TONIGHT WITH DAVID MUIR' IS THE #1 PROGRAM ON ALL OF TELEVISION – AMERICA'S #1 NEWSCAST, LEADING IN TOTAL VIEWERS, ADULTS 25-54 AND ADULTS 18-49

'World News Tonight' Leads NBC by 1.4 Million and CBS by 2.9 Million Viewers

Season to Date, 'World News Tonight' Is Seeing Its Largest Adults 25-54 Lead in 26 Years

'World News Tonight' Is Ranking #1 in Total Viewers for the 6th Consecutive Season



"World News Tonight with David Muir" stood as the No. 1 program of the week in Total Viewers (7.435 million) on all of television during the week of Aug. 1, 2022, based on Live + Same Day Data from Nielsen Media Research. "World News Tonight" has ranked as the week's No. 1 program for 17 weeks in a row (excluding sports).

"World News Tonight" finished as the No. 1 evening newscast in all of broadcast and cable in Total Viewers (7.435 million), Adults 25-54 (1.278 million) and Adults 18-49 (871,000), leading "NBC

Nightly News” (6.022 million, 927,000 and 634,000, respectively) by 1.413 million Total Viewers, by 351,000 Adults 25-54 and by 237,000 Adults 18-49.

“World News Tonight” has won the last 192 of 193 weeks in Total Viewers and 121 of the last 123 in Adults 25-54 (including the last 52 weeks/1 year).

Season to date, “World News Tonight” (8.241 million) **is ranking No. 1 in Total Viewers for the 6th consecutive year**, based on Most Current Data. “World News Tonight” is **leading “NBC Nightly News” (6.953 million) by 1.288 million and “CBS Evening News” (5.001 million) by 3.240 million.**

“World News Tonight” is **ranking No. 1 in Adults 25-54 and Adults 18-49 for the 3rd season in a row.** “World News Tonight” is **surpassing NBC in both Adults 25-54 (+279,000 - 1.496 million vs. 1.217 million) and Adults 18-49 (+167,000 – 1.024 million vs. 857,000).** In fact, “World News Tonight” is posting its **largest Adults 25-54 lead in 26 years – since the 1995-1996 season.** In addition, “World News Tonight” is **leading “CBS Evening News” (848,000 and 592,000, respectively) by 648,000 Adults 25-54 and by 432,000 Adults 18-49.**

For the week, “World News Tonight” (7.435 million, 1.278 million and 871,000, respectively) **beat “CBS Evening News” (4.502 million, 751,000 and 494,000, respectively) by 2.933 Total Viewers, by 527,000 Adults 25-54 and by 377,000 Adults 18-49.**

NOTE: On Thursday (8/4/22), “NBC Nightly News” was retitled to “NBC Nitely News” due to NFL preseason football. On Friday (8/5/22), “CBS Evening News” was retitled to “CBS Evening Nws.” The retitled telecast is excluded from the weekly and season averages. CBS’ (Monday-Thursday) and NBC’s (Monday-Wednesday and Friday) weekly averages are based on four days.

ABC’s “World News Tonight with David Muir” airs 6:30-7:00 p.m. EDT on ABC. Almin Karamehmedovic is the senior executive producer of the broadcast.

EVENING NEWS (Week of Aug. 1, 2022):

	TOTAL VIEWERS	ADULTS 25-54	ADULTS 18-49	HOUSEHOLDS	
ABC WORLD NEWS TONIGHT	7,435,000	1.1/10; 1,278,000	0.7/ 9; 871,000	4.7/15	
NBC NIGHTLY NEWS	6,022,000	0.8/ 7; 927,000	0.5/ 7; 634,000	3.8/12	
CBS EVENING NEWS	4,502,000	0.6/ 6;	751,000	0.4/ 5; 494,000	2.8/ 9

Source: The Nielsen Company, NTI Total Viewers, Adults 25-54 and Adults 18-49 Live + SD Current Week (w/o 8/1/22), Previous Week (w/o 7/25/22) and Year-Ago Week (w/o 8/2/21). Most Current: 2021-2022 Season (9/20/21 – 8/7/22) and 2020-2021 Season (9/21/20 – 8/8/21). Nielsen ratings for ABC, NBC and CBS include additional airings in select markets. Beginning 8/31/20, national ratings also include Out of Home (OOH) viewing. Averages based on regular telecasts.

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