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**\*\*Ratings Report for ABC News' "This Week with George Stephanopoulos"**

*For the 2021-2022 Season, Third Quarter and Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022*

**For the 2021-2022 season, 'This Week' Is America's #1 Sunday Public Affairs Program in Adults 25-54, Leading CBS' 'Face the Nation' and NBC's 'Meet the Press' for the First Time in 7 Years**

**'This Week' Beats CBS' 'Face the Nation' by Its Largest Adults 25-54 Lead in 22 Years**

**'This Week' Leads NBC's 'Meet the Press' in Total Viewers During the Season for the First Time in 8 Years, With Its Largest Lead in 25 Years**

**'This Week' Cuts Its Total Viewers Season Margin With 'Face the Nation' to Its Smallest Gap in 12 Years**

**ABC News' 'This Week' Wins the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter in Adults 25-54 for the First Time in 7 Years**

**'This Week' Outdelivers NBC's 'Meet the Press' in Adults 25-54 by Its Largest Quarter Margin in 7 Years**

**2021-2022 Season:**

For the 2021-2022 season, "This Week" ranked No. 1 in Adults 25-54, leading CBS' "Face the Nation" and NBC's "Meet the Press" to take the top for the first time in 7 years — since the 2014-2015 season. In addition, "This Week" beat CBS' "Face the Nation" by its largest Adults 25-54 lead in 22 years — since the 1999-2000 season.

"This Week" led NBC's "Meet the Press" in Total Viewers the season for the first time in 8 years, with its largest lead in 25 years — since the 2013-2014 and the 1996-1997 seasons, respectively. In addition, "This Week" cut its Total Viewers season margin with "Face the Nation" by 24% (259,000 vs. 343,000) to its smallest gap in 12 years — since the 2009-2010 season.

During the 2021-2022 season, ["This Week"](#) The show featured headliner interviews from anchor George Stephanopoulos with Speaker Nancy Pelosi (D-CA) and co-anchor Jonathan Karl with Rep. Liz Cheney (R) in Wyoming. The show earned an Emmy® nomination for its Jan. 6 coverage. The show also traveled across the world and country for broadcasts anchored by Martha Raddatz from Lviv, Ukraine and London, England.

**3rd Quarter 2022:**

**ABC News' "This Week with George Stephanopoulos" won the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2022 in Adults 25-54 (508,000), based on Most Current Data from Nielsen Media Research. "This Week" ranked No. 1**

during the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter for the first time in 7 years – since 3Q15. Overall, “This Week” ranked as the No. 1 Sunday public affairs program in Adults 25-54 for the fourth quarter in a row – since 4Q21.

“This Week” outdelivered NBC’s “Meet the Press” in Adults 25-54 by its largest quarter margin in 7 years – since 3Q15.

In addition, “This Week” outperformed NBC’s “Meet the Press” in Total Viewers during a 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter for the first time in 8 years – since 3Q14. Further, “This Week” beat the NBC program by its largest Total Viewer margin (+271,000) during any quarter in 25 years – 3Q97.

“This Week” slashed its Total Viewers margin with “Face the Nation” from the previous quarter (-66% - 99,000 vs. 293,000 for 2Q22) and the year-ago quarter (-73% - 66,000 vs. 293,000 for 3Q21) to its smallest gap in 3 years – since 3Q19, respectively.

“This Week” improved on the previous quarter in Total Viewers by 4% (2.621 million vs. 2.519 million for 2Q22), standing as the only Sunday public affairs program to grow its overall audience.

**Sept. 18, 2022:**

“This Week with George Stephanopoulos” averaged 2.569 million Total Viewers and 517,000 Adults 25-54 on Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022, based on Live + Same Day Data from Nielsen Media Research, leading NBC’s “Meet the Press” in both measures.

“This Week” posted week-to-week increases in Total Viewers (+11% - 2.569 million vs. 2.315 million) and Adults 25-54 (+9% - 517,000 vs. 474,000).

George Stephanopoulos is anchor, Martha Raddatz is chief global affairs correspondent and co-anchor, and Jonathan Karl is chief Washington correspondent and co-anchor of “This Week.” Dax Tejera is executive producer of the broadcast.

<u>2021-2022 Season</u>	<u>TOTAL VIEWERS</u>	<u>A25-54 (000)/Rtg</u>
ABC “THIS WEEK”	2,690,000	572,000/0.5
NBC “MEET THE PRESS”	2,567,000	525,000/0.4
CBS “FACE THE NATION”	2,949,000	513,000/0.4
CBS “FACE THE NATION-2”	2,130,000	361,000/0.3
FOX “FOX NEWS SUNDAY”	1,053,000	248,000/0.2

<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter, 2022</u>	<u>TOTAL VIEWERS</u>	<u>A25-54 (000)/Rtg</u>
ABC “THIS WEEK”	2,621,000	508,000/0.4
NBC “MEET THE PRESS”	2,350,000	449,000/0.4
CBS “FACE THE NATION”	2,720,000	471,000/0.4
CBS “FACE THE NATION-2”	1,882,000	323,000/0.3
FOX “FOX NEWS SUNDAY”	962,000	222,000/0.2

<u>Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022</u>	<u>TOTAL VIEWERS</u>	<u>A25-54 (000)/Rtg</u>
ABC “THIS WEEK”	2,569,000	517,000/0.4
NBC “MEET THE PRESS”	2,488,000	507,000/0.4
CBS “FACE THE NATION”	2,789,000	524,000/0.4

CBS "FACE THE NATION-2"	2,071,000	388,000/0.3
FOX "FOX NEWS SUNDAY"	1,012,000	227,000/0.2

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