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of premiere week
ster of the World Se-
worn off, the prime-
seems to have set-
a close contest.

CBS still has a com-
lead seven weeks
season, NBC had a
performance Hallow-
giving the longtime
only its second vic-
t of the season. But
rence between first
d third place was a
of a rating point.

as boosted by strong
— *The Gambler Re-*
No. 6 and *She Says*
ocent at No. 17 — as
ngular series such as
No. 4 and *Unsolved*
s at No. 5, its best
his year.

ored the top-rated
h *60 Minutes*; ABC
runner-up with *Rose-*
d *Coach* at No. 3, its
ormance ever.

ABC is stumbling —
ve-day old sweeps it
eager 10.7 rating/18
d its big Sunday mov-
False Arrest, placed
it is having the best
with new series.

Home Improvement
o-rated of all new se-
ranks eighth out of
s. *Step by Step* is the
reshman and ranks
of 102. But both series
ed by strong lead-ins.

l fall entry, *The Car-*
rett show, premiered
d won the time peri-
ng 52nd.

World News Tonight
vening news race, fol-
y NBC and CBS. But
ke a 9 rating for the
e since March.

Using this chart

► Ratings information comes from the A.C. Nielsen Co.

► A ratings point represents 921,000 TV households; shares are the percentage of sets in use; number of viewers is in millions.

► (*) indicates a Nielsen ratings tie.

► (r) indicates a repeat episode.

► (s) indicates a special broadcast.

Monday, October 28, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Major Dad (CBS)	23.6	16.3	24	11
SNL Halloween (NBC)	20.5	13.5	20	*29
MacGyver (ABC)	13.4	9.1	14	67
Frankenstein (Fox)	9.1	6.1	9	88
8:30 Last Halloween (CBS) (s)	20.7	13.6	20	28
9:00 Murphy Brown (CBS)	25.1	17.8	26	8
Monday Night Football (ABC)	22.7	16.2	28	*12
She Says She's Innocent (NBC)	20.4	15.0	23	*16
9:30 Designing Women (CBS) (r)	22.2	16.2	24	*12
10:00 Northern Exposure (CBS)	20.4	14.9	25	18

Tuesday, October 29, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Full House (ABC)	26.9	17.7	28	9
Rescue 911 (CBS)	20.2	12.5	20	36
I'll Fly Away (NBC)	16.0	11.4	18	49
8:30 Home Improvement (ABC)	27.5	17.9	28	7
Locked Up (CBS)	17.3	12.4	20	37
9:00 Roseanne (ABC)	36.7	23.1	35	2
In the Heat of the Night (NBC)	20.1	13.9	21	27
9:30 Coach (ABC)	30.1	19.8	30	3
10:00 Law and Order (NBC)	18.5	13.5	24	*29
Homefront (ABC)	14.8	10.7	19	54

Wednesday, October 30, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Unsolved Mysteries (NBC)	26.8	18.2	29	5
Dinosaurs (ABC)	20.4	12.3	20	38
Royal Family (CBS)	14.4	10.2	16	*57
8:30 Wonder Years (ABC)	20.5	13.4	21	31
Great Pumpkin (CBS) (r)	16.3	9.8	15	62
9:00 Doogie Howser, M.D. (ABC)	21.8	14.5	22	22
Night Court (NBC)	18.4	12.9	20	33
Jake and the Fatman (CBS)	16.9	12.0	19	*42
9:30 Seinfeld (NBC)	17.0	12.0	19	*42
Sibs (ABC)	14.6	10.2	16	*57
10:00 48 Hours (CBS)	16.0	11.8	21	*44
Quantum Leap (NBC)	16.6	11.2	20	50
Anything but Love (ABC)	12.3	9.2	16	66
10:30 Good & Evil (ABC)	9.2	7.0	13	83

Thursday, October 31, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 The Cosby Show (NBC)	21.0	14.8	25	*19
The Simpsons (Fox)	20.0	12.1	20	*39
Top Cops (CBS)	14.4	10.1	17	*60
Pros and Cons (ABC)	11.8	8.6	14	71
8:30 A Different World (NBC)	20.7	14.3	23	*24
Drexell's Class (Fox)	13.4	9.0	15	68
9:00 Cheers (NBC)	28.2	19.3	30	4
Beverly Hills, 90210 (Fox)	16.6	10.9	17	53
Trials of Rosie O'Neill (CBS)	11.8	8.9	14	69
FBI: The Untold Story (ABC)	11.7	8.1	13	*76
9:30 Wings (NBC)	21.3	15.1	24	15
American Detective (ABC)	13.4	9.3	15	65
10:00 L.A. Law (NBC)	20.1	14.7	26	21
Knots Landing (CBS)	16.1	11.8	21	*44
PrimeTime Live (ABC)	13.0	9.5	17	64

Top 10

1	60 Minutes (CBS)
2	Roseanne (ABC)
3	Coach (ABC)
4	Cheers (NBC)
5	Unsolved Mysteries (NBC)
6	Gambler, Pt. 1 (NBC)
7	Home Improvement (ABC)
8	Murphy Brown (CBS)
9	Full House (ABC)
10	Murder, She Wrote (CBS)

Network ratings

	For the week:	Season to date:
NBC	12.9	CBS 14.4
CBS	12.5	NBC 12.6
ABC	12.1	ABC 12.0
Fox	7.3	Fox 7.7

Evening news

	For the week:	Last week:
ABC	10.8	ABC 10.3
NBC	9.3	CBS 8.6
CBS	9.0	NBC 8.3

Friday, November 1, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Family Matters (ABC)	23.1	14.3	25	*24
Matlock (NBC)	14.0	9.7	17	63
Rescue 911 (CBS)	11.0	7.7	14	*80
America's Most Wanted (Fox)	9.0	6.2	11	87
8:30 Step by Step (ABC)	20.0	12.6	22	35
9:00 Carol Burnett Show (CBS)	15.5	11.0	19	52
Perfect Strangers (ABC)	17.0	10.6	18	55
Flesh 'n Blood (NBC)	11.5	8.3	14	*74
Ultimate Challenge (Fox) (r)	5.7	3.8	7	95
9:30 Baby Talk (ABC)	16.1	10.3	18	56
Real Life/Jane Pauley (NBC)	11.2	8.1	14	*76
10:00 20/20 (ABC)	21.2	14.8	28	*19
Reasonable Doubts (NBC)	10.5	7.7	15	*80

Saturday, November 2, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 The Golden Girls (NBC)	18.7	12.7	22	34
'Crocodile' Dundee II (CBS)	20.0	12.1	21	*39
Who's the Boss? (ABC)	11.4	7.6	13	82
Cops (Fox)	10.1	6.9	12	84
8:30 The Torkelsons (NBC)	15.0	10.1	18	*60
Growing Pains (ABC)	12.9	8.3	14	*74
Cops (Fox) (r)	11.8	7.8	14	79
9:00 Empty Nest (NBC)	22.5	15.0	26	*16
Commish (ABC)	11.8	7.9	14	78
Totally Hidden Video (Fox)	7.2	4.9	8	93
9:30 Nurses (NBC)	19.3	13.1	23	32
Best of the Worst (Fox)	5.5	4.0	7	94
10:00 Sisters (NBC)	14.5	10.2	19	*57
P.S.I. Luv U (CBS)	12.8	8.4	16	73

Sunday, November 3, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
7:00 60 Minutes (CBS)	33.1	23.3	36	1
Life Goes On (ABC)	19.6	11.8	18	*44
Mark & Brian (NBC)	7.8	5.3	8	92
True Colors (Fox)	9.1	6.4	10	86
7:30 Parker Lewis (Fox)	9.7	6.5	10	85
Eerie, Indiana (NBC)	9.7	5.8	9	89
8:00 Murder, She Wrote (CBS)	23.5	16.7	24	10
Home Videos (ABC)	29.1	15.7	23	14
In Living Color (Fox)	19.9	12.1	18	*39
Unsolved Mysteries (NBC)	17.3	11.1	16	51
8:30 Funniest People (ABC)	25.9	14.0	20	26
Roc (Fox)	13.7	8.5	12	72
9:00 Gambler Returns, Pt. 1 (NBC)	28.2	18.0	28	6
The Rape of Dr. Willis (CBS)	20.4	14.4	23	23
Married... With Children (Fox)	18.5	11.8	17	*44
False Arrest (ABC)	17.6	11.5	18	48
9:30 Herman's Head (Fox)	12.6	8.8	13	70
10:00 Sunday Comics (Fox)	7.1	5.5	9	91