

# THE TOP TENS OF 2017

## MOST WATCHED CHRISTMAS DAY

- 1** Call The Midwife  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
9.57 millions (avg)
- 2** Mrs Brown's Boys  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
9.04
- 3** Strictly Come Dancing  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
8.28
- 4** EastEnders  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
8.13
- 5** Doctor Who  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
7.92
- 6** Coronation Street  
ITV 25/12/17  
6.70
- 7** The Queen's Christmas Message  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
6.23
- 8** The Highway Rat  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
5.96
- 9** Victoria  
ITV 25/12/17  
5.13
- 10** Emmerdale  
ITV 25/12/17  
4.92



## TOP FILMS

- 1** Jurassic World  
ITV 26/12/17  
5.47 millions (avg)
- 2** Far From The Madding Crowd  
BBC 1 20/08/17  
4.95
- 3** Fearless  
ITV 17/07/17  
4.66
- 4** Guardians Of The Galaxy  
BBC 1 17/04/17  
3.88
- 5** Cinderella  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
3.88
- 6** Monsters University  
BBC 1 01/01/17  
3.72
- 7** Harry Potter & The Deathly Hallows  
ITV 20/08/17  
3.65
- 8** Avengers: Age Of Ultron  
BBC 1 30/12/17  
3.43
- 9** Gone Girl  
BBC 1 29/12/17  
3.39
- 10** Harry Potter & The Goblet Fire  
ITV 27/12/17  
3.04



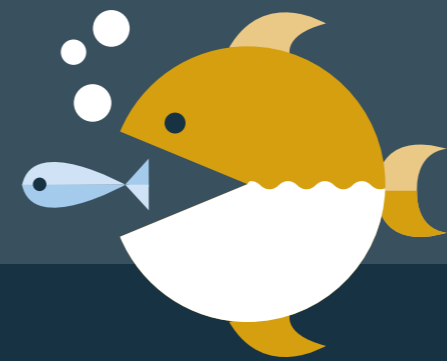
## TOP DRAMA PROGRAMMES

- 1** Sherlock  
BBC 1 01/01/17  
11.33 millions (avg)
- 2** Broadchurch  
ITV 17/04/17  
11.21
- 3** Call The Midwife  
BBC 1 19/02/17  
10.63
- 4** The Moorside  
BBC 1 14/02/17  
10.23
- 5** Line Of Duty  
BBC 1 30/04/17  
9.92
- 6** Doctor Foster  
BBC 1 03/10/17  
9.78
- 7** Death In Paradise  
BBC 1 05/01/17  
9.26
- 8** Coronation Street  
ITV 01/06/17  
8.76
- 9** Silent Witness  
BBC 1 16/01/17  
8.56
- 10** Liar  
ITV 16/10/17  
8.51



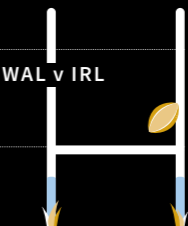
## MOST WATCHED 2017

- 1** Blue Planet II  
BBC 1 29/10/17  
14.01 millions (avg)
- 2** Strictly Come Dancing  
BBC 1 16/12/17  
13.01 millions (avg)
- 3** I'm A Celebrity - Get Me Out Of Here!  
ITV 19/11/17  
12.21
- 4** Strictly Come Dancing: The Results  
BBC 1 10/12/17  
11.76
- 5** One Love Manchester  
BBC 1 04/06/17  
11.63
- 6** Sherlock  
BBC 1 01/01/17  
11.33
- 7** Broadchurch  
ITV 17/04/17  
11.21
- 8** Britain's Got Talent  
ITV 06/05/17  
10.94
- 9** Call The Midwife  
BBC 1 19/02/17  
10.63
- 10** New Year's Eve Fireworks  
BBC 1 31/12/17  
10.40



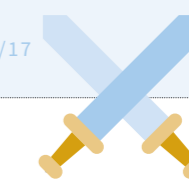
## MOST WATCHED SPORT EVENTS

- 1** MOTD Live: Arsenal v Chelsea  
BBC 1 27/05/17  
7.50 millions (avg)
- 2** Athletics: World Championships  
BBC 1 12/08/17  
6.66
- 3** Six Nations Rugby: WAL v ENG  
BBC 1 11/02/17  
6.51
- 4** FA Cup MOTD Live: Chelsea v Man Utd  
BBC 1 13/03/17  
6.43
- 5** World Cup 2018 Qualifier: ENG v SVK  
ITV 04/09/17  
5.71
- 6** England Friendlies: ENG v GER  
ITV 22/03/17  
5.71
- 7** Six Nations Live 2017: ENG v SCO  
ITV 11/03/17  
5.63
- 8** BBC Sports Personality Of The Year  
BBC 1 17/12/17  
5.48
- 9** Six Nations Rugby: WAL v IRL  
BBC 1 10/03/17  
5.40
- 10** Wimbledon 2017  
BBC 1 07/07/17  
4.86



## MOST WATCHED MULTICHANNEL

- 1** Game Of Thrones  
Sky Atlantic 27/08/17  
3.53 millions (avg)
- 2** Love Island  
ITV2 24/07/17  
2.86
- 3** The Big Bang Theory  
E4 19/10/17  
2.29
- 4** Film: Moana (2016)  
Sky Cinema Premiere 29/07/17  
2.22
- 5** Live PL: Man Utd v Liverpool  
Sky Sports Main Event 15/01/17  
2.05
- 6** Love Island: The Reunion  
ITV2 30/07/17  
1.98
- 7** UEFA Europa League: Ajax v Man Utd  
BT Sport 2 24/05/17  
1.87
- 8** The Walking Dead  
FOX 23/10/17  
1.85
- 9** Live PL: Man City v Liverpool  
Sky Sports Main Event 19/03/17  
1.85
- 10** Live EFL Cup: Man Utd v Southampton  
Sky Sports Main Event 26/02/17  
1.78



## TOP FACTUAL PROGRAMMES

- 1** Blue Planet II  
BBC 1 29/10/17  
14.01 millions (avg)
- 2** The Great British Bake Off  
Channel 4 31/10/17  
9.54
- 3** Diana, Our Mother: Her Life & Legacy  
ITV 24/07/17  
8.82
- 4** The Apprentice: The Final  
BBC 1 17/12/17  
7.99
- 5** Countryfile  
BBC 1 19/02/17  
7.67
- 6** The Apprentice  
BBC 1 15/11/17  
7.19
- 7** Diana, Seven Days  
BBC 1 27/08/17  
6.43
- 8** Rio Ferdinand: Being Mum And Dad  
BBC 1 28/03/17  
6.34
- 9** Spy In The Wild  
BBC 1 12/01/17  
6.22
- 10** The Real Marigold Hotel  
BBC 1 15/02/17  
6.00



## MOST WATCHED BY 4-15 YEAR OLDS

- 1** Britain's Got Talent  
ITV 06/05/17  
1.42 millions (avg)
- 2** The Highway Rat  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
1.37
- 3** New Year's Eve Fireworks  
BBC 1 31/12/17  
1.35
- 4** Strictly Come Dancing  
BBC 1 28/10/17  
1.11
- 5** Ant and Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway  
ITV 25/02/17  
1.10
- 6** Blue Planet II  
BBC 1 05/11/17  
1.01
- 7** I'm A Celebrity - Get Me Out Of Here!  
ITV 19/11/17  
0.98
- 8** One Love Manchester  
BBC 1 04/06/17  
0.98
- 9** Film: Moana (2016)  
Sky Cinema Premiere 29/07/17  
0.91
- 10** Doctor Who  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
0.87



## MOST WATCHED BY 16-24 YEAR OLDS

- 1** I'm A Celebrity - Get Me Out Of Here!  
ITV 19/11/17  
1.50 millions (avg)
- 2** One Love Manchester  
BBC 1 04/06/17  
1.03
- 3** Sherlock  
BBC 1 01/01/17  
1.02
- 4** Blue Planet II  
BBC 1 29/10/17  
0.96
- 5** The Great British Bake Off  
Channel 4 05/09/17  
0.96
- 6** Love Island  
ITV2 04/07/17  
0.85
- 7** Britain's Got Talent  
ITV 15/04/17  
0.84
- 8** The Apprentice: The Final  
BBC 1 17/12/17  
0.83
- 9** Doctor Who  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
0.78
- 10** EastEnders  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
0.77



## TOP TIMESHIFT PROGRAMMES 0-7 DAYS

- 1** Sherlock  
BBC 1 01/01/17  
5.60 millions (avg)
- 2** Blue Planet II  
BBC 1 29/10/17  
5.44
- 3** The Moorside  
BBC 1 14/02/17  
4.94
- 4** The Great British Bake Off  
Channel 4 05/09/17  
4.84
- 5** Broadchurch  
ITV 27/03/17  
4.82
- 6** Doctor Foster  
BBC 1 03/10/17  
4.73
- 7** Call The Midwife  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
4.70
- 8** Line Of Duty  
BBC 1 30/04/17  
4.52
- 9** Doctor Who  
BBC 1 25/12/17  
4.29
- 10** Three Girls  
BBC 1 16/05/17  
4.16



## TOP TIMESHIFT PROGRAMMES 8-28 DAYS

- 1** Gunpowder  
BBC 1 21/10/17  
1.69 millions (avg)
- 2** Apple Tree Yard  
BBC 1 22/01/17  
1.67
- 3** Line Of Duty  
BBC 1 26/03/17  
1.65
- 4** The Replacement  
BBC 1 28/02/17  
1.51
- 5** Doctor Foster  
BBC 1 05/09/17  
1.45
- 6** Sherlock  
BBC 1 08/01/17  
1.44
- 7** The Moorside  
BBC 1 07/02/17  
1.30
- 8** Taboo  
BBC 1 07/01/17  
1.29
- 9** Trust Me  
BBC 1 08/08/17  
1.27
- 10** Strike: The Silkworm  
BBC 1 10/09/17  
1.25





# THE TOP TENS OF 2017

Our instincts were right last year that we aren't the only ones in the industry that like a ranking or two. This is why we've put together this centrefold again, featuring the most popular programmes in 2017.

Here you'll find the definitive list of the top ten programmes of the year; you might be surprised by which show has taken the top spot. We've also picked out the most watched multichannel programmes, dramas, factual programmes, sports events and films.

You can find out which were the most popular programmes among children and young people, as well as which shows attracted the highest levels of timeshifting within a week and up to four weeks after broadcast. We've also listed the top Christmas Day programmes.

You'll see that the vast majority of the audience numbers remain in the millions. This illustrates the mass appeal of television and highlights the enduring role the medium has in driving the UK's communal entertainment experience.

So, how did your favourite shows fare in the Top Tens of 2017?