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2014 AFL Grand Final dominates on Seven

Over 4 million Australians watched the Hawks claim back-to-back premierships on Channel 7 in a convincing 63-point win over Sydney.

Seven's live and exclusive coverage of the 2014 AFL Grand Final has drawn massive TV audiences around the country, with the match broadcast averaging a combined 3.718m viewers including regional areas, up 87,000 viewers on last year, and peaking at 4.251m viewers.

The audience in metro areas averaged 2.813m viewers, up 96,000 viewers on last year, and peaked at 3.128m viewers, while the share for the match was a huge 88.6 per cent.

In individual markets, the audiences were also outstanding. In Melbourne, an average of 1.310m fans tuned in, up 31,000 on last year, peaking at 1.431m, with a staggering share of 96.4%. On the Swans home turf in Sydney the match averaged 551,000, peaked at 632,000 and the share was an enormous 81.2%.

2014 AFL Grand Final ratings

COMBINED (METRO + REGIONAL)	COMBINED		
	AV. AUD	Peak AUD	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: HAWTHORN V SYDNEY	3,718,000	4,251,000	

METRO	METRO		
	AV. AUD	Peak AUD	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: SYDNEY V HAWTHORN	2,813,000	3,128,000	

Average AFL audience for each city

GAME	SYD	MELB	BRIS	ADEL	PERTH
	7mate	Ch7	7mate	Ch7	7mate
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: HAWTHORN V SYDNEY	551,000	1,310,000	275,000	302,000	376,000

Peak AFL audiences for each city

GAME	SYD 7mate	MELB Ch 7	BRIS 7mate	ADEL Ch 7	PERTH 7mate
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: HAWTHORN V SYDNEY	632,000	1,431,000	310,000	346,000	409,000



Other 2014 AFL Grand Final program ratings

COMBINED (METRO + REGIONAL)	COMBINED		
	AV. AUD	Peak AUD	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: GAME DAY	414,000	632,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PREVIEW	938,000	1,776,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PRE-MATCH ENTERTAINMENT	2,185,000	2,679,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: ON THE GROUND	2,829,000	3,167,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PRESENTATIONS	3,380,000	4,017,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: POST MATCH	2,486,000	3,224,000	

METRO	METRO		
	AV. AUD	Peak AUD	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: GAME DAY	285,000	385,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PREVIEW	701,000	1,335,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PRE-MATCH ENTERTAINMENT	1,698,000	2,034,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: ON THE GROUND	2,174,000	2,393,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: PRESENTATIONS	2,557,000	3,021,000	
SEVEN'S AFL: GRAND FINAL: POST MATCH	1,835,000	2,371,000	

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