

FX's 'Fargo' Debuts Strong With More Than 4 Million Viewers

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There was no icy reception for FX's new limited-run series "Fargo."

The 10-part limited series starring Billy Bob Thorton and Colin Hanks drew 4.15 million total viewers and 1.79 million Adults 18-49 for its first installment.

"We are incredibly proud of the towering creative achievement by Noah Hawley and everyone involved with 'Fargo,'" John Landgraf, chief executive officer of FX Networks and FX Productions, said in a ratings release. "The performances by Billy Bob Thornton, Martin Freeman, Allison Tolman, Colin Hanks, and the entire stellar cast are nothing short of extraordinary. This is truly one of the best shows we've ever had on the network. We're thrilled with the initial viewership last night and really excited for audiences to see the rest of the miniseries."

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