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Majority of Online News Aggregators Retain Lean Left Bias: Updated AllSides Analysis

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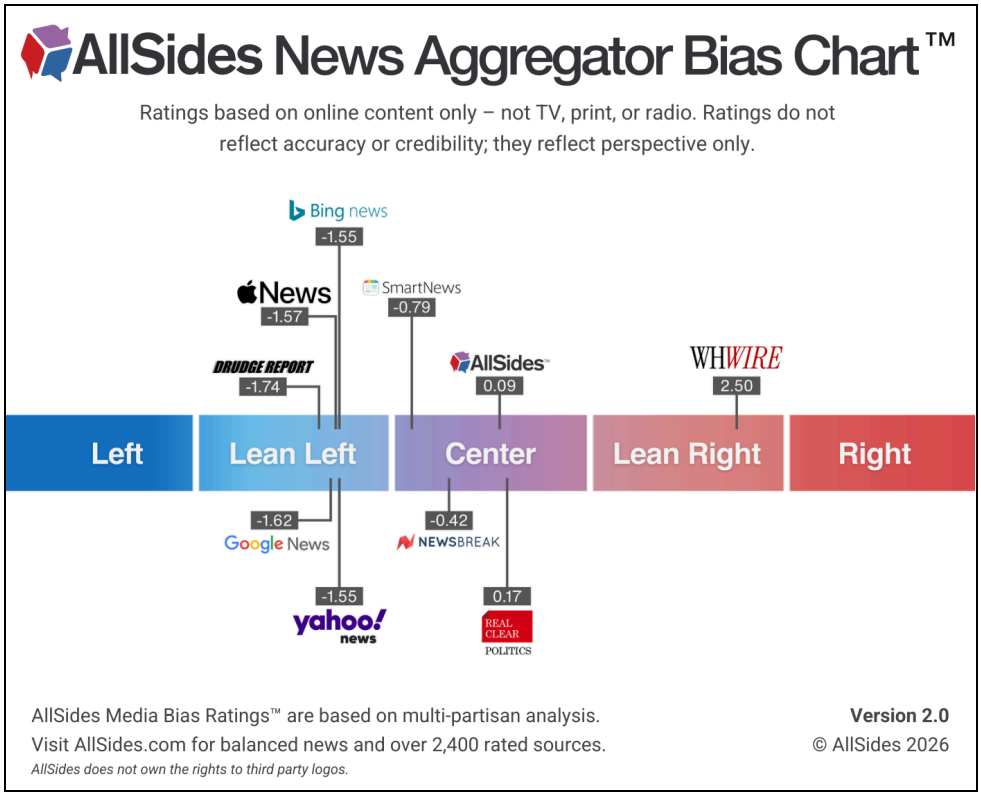
DENVER, COLORADO — AllSides, a leading provider of bias analysis and balanced information technologies, today announced brand-new data on the bias of top news aggregators, including Google News, Apple News, Bing News, Yahoo! News and more.

Among the most biased news aggregators, audited in 2025, are Google News (Lean Left), which curated 73% of articles from outlets with a bias on the left and just 1% of articles from outlets on the right, and Apple News (Lean Left), which curated 50% from the left and just 2% from the right.

AllSides, which is known for its Media Bias Charts, summarizes the data in its News Aggregator Bias Chart Version 2.0.



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AllSides has been auditing major news aggregators for bias since 2022. Most news aggregators analyzed remain biased to the left — however, some news aggregators have grown more balanced over the years. SmartNews and NewsBreak moved from Lean Left to Center, though both still curate modestly from the right — 8% and 20%, respectively.

“While these tools may promise variety, readers can still find themselves trapped in one-sided information bubbles when relying on popular news aggregators,” said Julie Mastrine, AllSides Director of Communications and Bias Services. “The impact of this bias is both concerning and immeasurable, as these aggregators enjoy massive reach and tens of millions of users. Readers may feel confident they are being informed on current events, when really, they are being veiled from perspectives that may challenge their beliefs or sharpen their grasp of the truth.”

The AllSides News Aggregator Bias Chart™ shows the bias of the following news aggregators: Apple News (Lean Left bias), Bing News (Lean Left bias), Google News (Lean Left bias), Yahoo News (Lean Left bias), Drudge Report (Lean Left bias), RealClearPolitics (Center bias), Newsbreak (Center bias), SmartNews (Center bias), White House Wire (Lean Right), and AllSides itself.

The aggregator analysis looked at what portion of articles appearing on major aggregators were from sources AllSides rates as Left, Lean Left, Center, Lean Right, or Right. AllSides Media Bias Ratings™ reflect the average judgment of all Americans, not just a panel of insiders. AllSides balances the input of experts and ordinary people across the political spectrum so that its bias ratings reveal the average judgment of all Americans, not one elite group. AllSides' bias ratings are fueled by multi-partisan Editorial Reviews by trained experts and Blind Bias Surveys in which participants rate content without knowing the source.

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