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01 Mainichi Shimbun Articles

- Access over 10 million articles from the first issue in 1872, fully searchable by keyword or date
- Includes regional news published by prefecture
- Coverage period: 1872 to the present



*Please search that only the headlines of main articles are available for the period from 1872 to 1986.

02 Mainichi Shimbun Page Search

- Newspaper pages from 1872 to December 31, 1999 are available in PDF format
- All issues of the Tokyo head office edition are stored without a single missing issue, serving as important historical materials.
- Coverage period: 1872 to 1999



03 Mainichi Shogakusei Shimbun

- Includes the daily "Mainichi Shogakusei Shimbun" (Children's Newspaper), designed to help children learn about society and general knowledge
- In addition to article search, full-color newspaper page images are available
- Coverage period: From April 1, 2026



*Images are for illustrative purposes only. You can only search for issues published from April 2026.

04 Mainichi News Encyclopedia

- Major historical events from 1901 to the present are clearly organized in a timeline format
- Includes article commentary, original newspaper articles, and photographs for a deeper understanding of the historical context



05 Mainichi Yoron Public Opinion Polls

- Access results from opinion polls conducted by The Mainichi Newspapers, fully searchable by keyword or date
- An invaluable resource for political science and statistical research
- Coverage period: October 1945 to the latest survey (updated twice a year)



06 The Mainichi

- Access articles from the English-language news site, fully searchable by keyword or date
- Ideal for use as English learning material
- Coverage period: June 2008 to the present



07 Weekly Economist Articles

- Access articles and pages from Weekly Economist articles, fully searchable by keyword or date
- Perform detailed searches by article type, including academic papers, columns, and interviews
- Coverage period: October 31, 1889 to the present



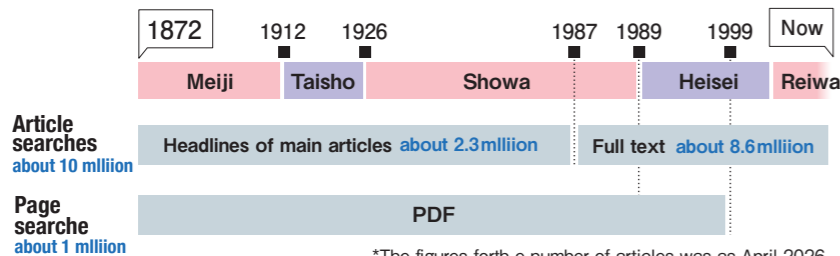
08 History of The Mainichi Newspapers

- You can search the articles carried in the "History of Mainichi Newspapers Co., Ltd" (Images are not included)



Archive the articles and pages of Mainichi Shimbun spanning the Meiji era to the Reiwa era.

Recording period



*The figures for the number of articles was as April 2026.

The dates of the oldest articles carried on Maisaku

Main pages

head office	oldest articles
Tokyo morning edition	Jan.1,1987
Tokyo evening edition	Jan.1,1987
Osaka morning edition	Oct.15,1990
Osaka evening edition	Oct.15,1990
Seibu morning edition	Nov.1,1995
Seibu evening edition	Nov.1,1995
Chubu morning edition	April.1,1994
Chubu evening edition	April.1,1994
Hokkaido morning edition	Dec.10,1994
Hokkaido evening edition	Dec.9,1994

Local news pages

prefecture	oldest articles	prefecture	oldest articles	prefecture	oldest articles
Hokkaido	Dec.10,1994	Tokyo (23wards)	Jan.1,1994	Mie	Sept.30,1998
Aomori	Aug.1,1998	Tokyo (Tama)	Feb.1,2008	Shiga	Jan.10,1996
Iwate	Aug.1,1998	Kanagawa	Jan.1,1994	Kyoto	April 1,1994
Miyagi	Jan.1,1996	Nigata	Jan.1,1996	Osaka	Jan.1,1994
Akita	Aug.1,1998	Toyama	Jan.5,1999	Hyogo	April 1,1994
Yamagata	Aug.1,1998	Ishikawa	Nov.1,1996	Nara	Jan.11,1996
Fukushima	Aug.1,1998	Fukui	June 1,1996	Wakayama	May 1,1996
Ibaraki	April 1,1994	Yamanashi	Jan.1,1996	Tottori	Jan.1,1999
Tochigi	April 1,1994	Nagano	April 1,1994	Shimane	Nov.1,1996
Gunma	April 1,1994	Gifu	Oct.5,1998	Okayama	March 1,1997
Saitama	Jan.1,1994	Shizuoka	April 1,1994	Hiroshima	June 1,1996
Chiba	Jan.1,1994	Aichi	Oct.1,1994	Yamaguchi	Jan.1,1999
				Okinawa	no local news page

Changes of titles

