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You can search Japanese doctoral dissertations in a centralised and comprehensive way.

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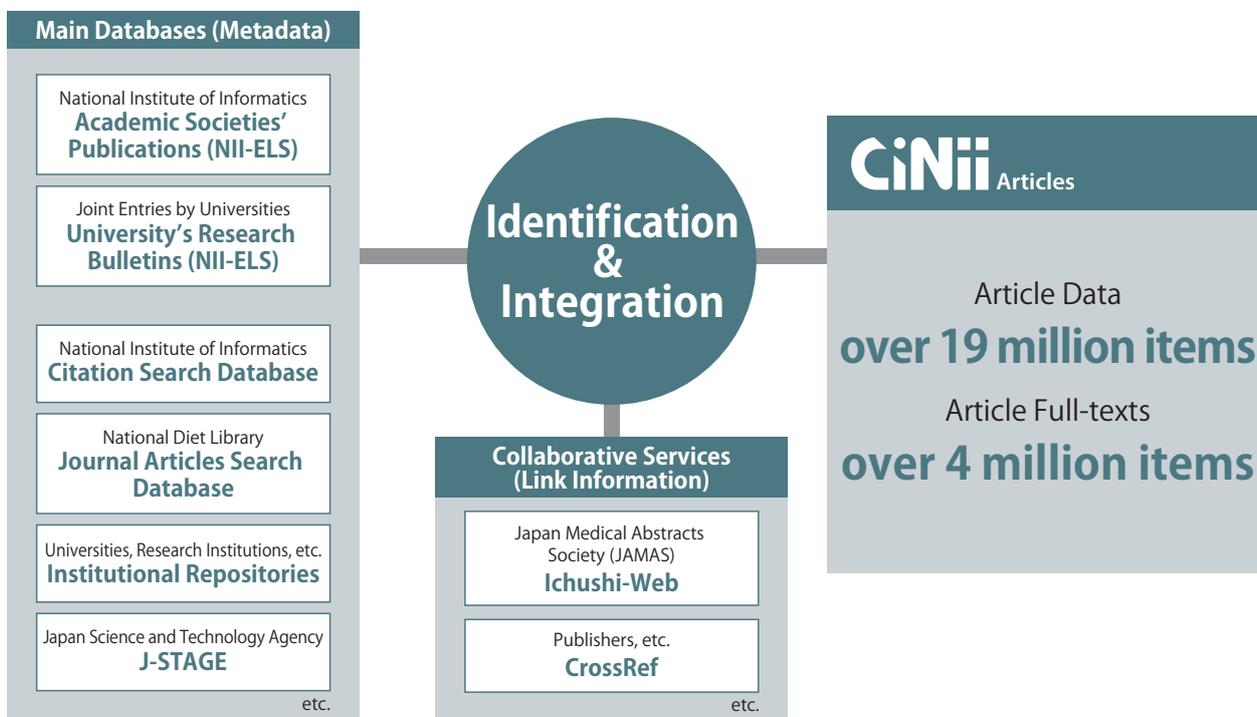
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## Extensive Articles & Journals Database

You can search with ease more than 19 million Japanese items for extensive article information, including academic journals and research bulletins.



### Powerful Search Function

By entering keywords, you can search an article's title, author or journal information.

CiNii Articles also provides a "Detailed Search", in which you can specify search items, as well as an "Author Search", and a "Full-text Search", in which you can search full-texts of articles.

### From Bibliography to Full-text

You can view full-texts of some articles as PDF files.

These articles are offered as either free-of-charge or fee-based. Most of the fee-based articles can be viewed by subscribing to the Institutional Fixed-Price Service.

CiNii Articles is also linked to full-texts on other sites (e.g. institutional repositories, J-STAGE, etc). Where a full-text is not available, you can search the libraries that hold a printed version via CiNii Books and other services.

### Citations & Being Cited

CiNii Articles displays the number of articles that an article cites, as well as the number of articles in which the article is cited.

By subscribing to the Institutional Fixed-Price Service, you can back track the citation links.

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#### Institutional Fixed-Price Service I

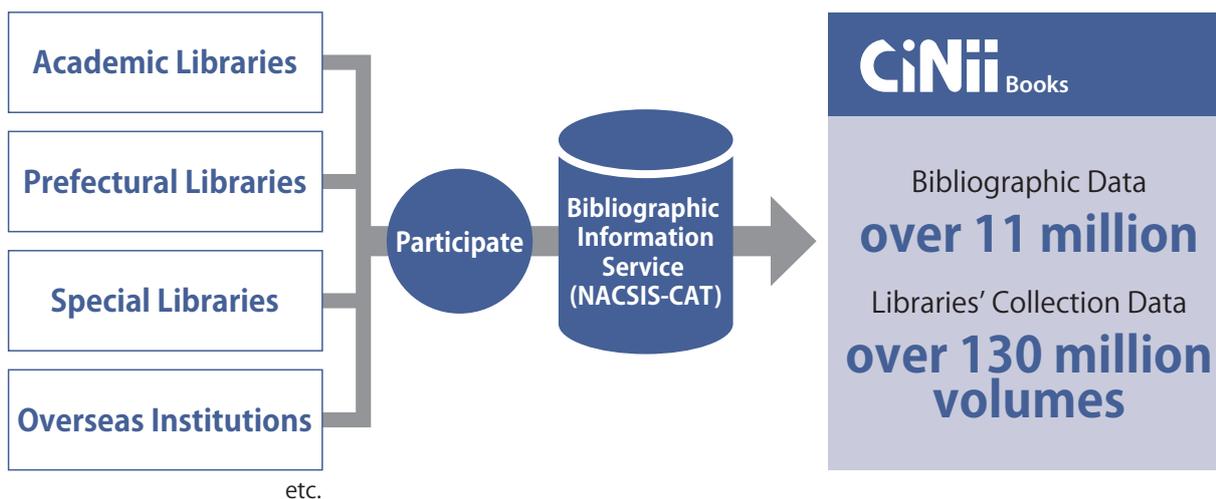
By subscribing to the Institutional Fixed-Price Service, you can use all the functions of CiNii and view the full-texts of "flat-rate access" articles in academic societies' journals.

There are also options in which you can create your own institutional settings.



## Extensive Data Held by Libraries

NACSIS-CAT, Bibliographic Information Service operated by National Institute of Informatics, has been accumulating data of about 11 million items (i.e. over 130 million volumes) that approximately 1200 academic libraries across the country hold. Using this, you can search information on books and authors.



### Expansive Search Function

CiNii Books provides a simple and easy to use “Simple Search” as well as a “Detailed Search” in which you can specify title, author, publisher, notes and category, etc. It also allows you to search by the “author” or “contents” of a book.

### Searching Specific Library

CiNii Books allows you to search items by narrowing down to specific areas, libraries, etc.

### Viewing “List of Holding Libraries” and Narrowing Search

CiNii Books displays a list of libraries that hold the book you are looking for. You can narrow your search by area or other conditions such as availability via ILL (i.e. Inter-Library Loan).

You can also check the details of a book by clicking the **OPAC** button and transferring to each library’s OPAC screen.

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### Institutional Fixed-Price Service II

By subscribing to the Institutional Fixed-Price Service, you can create your own institutional settings for transferring links such as a priority display of your institution on “List of Holding Libraries”, link resolver via Open URL, etc.

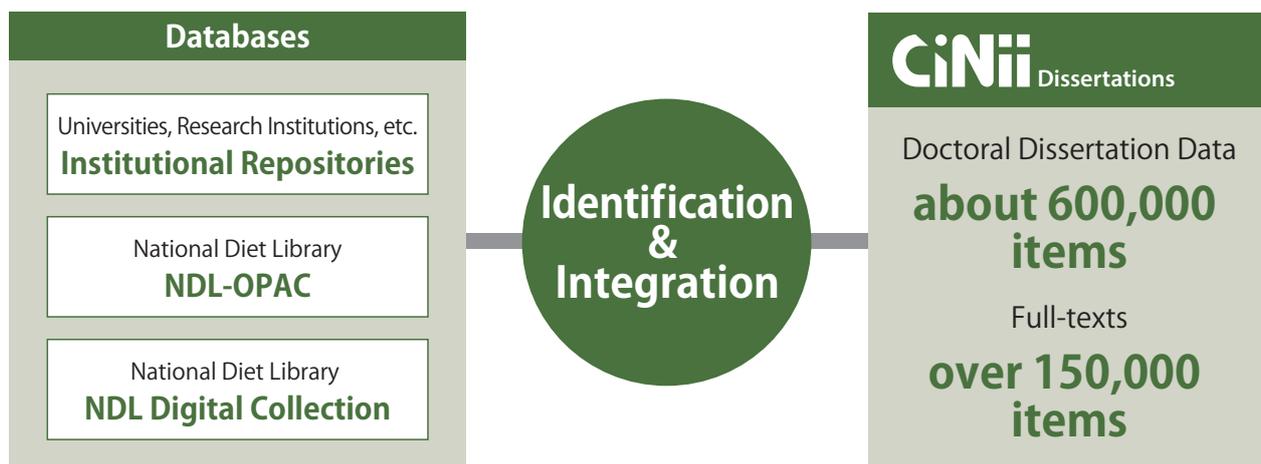
By utilising Academic Access Management Federation (GakuNin), you can also use the Institutional Fixed-Price Service from outside of your institution, such as your home.

For details of GakuNin, please refer to the following site: <https://www.gakunin.jp/>



# The Only Centralised Search Service for Japanese Doctoral Dissertations

CiNii Dissertations allows you to search, in a centralised way, Japanese doctoral dissertations held and digitised by the National Diet Library, as well as the doctoral dissertations held by each university's institutional repository.



## Substantial Search Function

CiNii Dissertation has search items that are specific to doctoral dissertations. It allows you to search by various items including title, author, award-giving universities' name, degree title, etc.

## Exhaustive Collection System

You can search by combining the following three databases:

- About 600,000 Japanese doctoral dissertations collected after September 1923, which are held by the National Diet Library
- About 150,000 items (including digitised full-text data) in the "National Diet Library Digital Collection", which the National Diet Library received between 1991 and 2000 and has digitised
- About 190,000 items of data registered in each university's institutional repository

## Revision of the Degree Regulation (April 2013)

For those who were granted a doctoral degree, it has become mandatory to publish their doctoral dissertations on the Internet. The method of publication, in principle, is to publish it either on the institutional repository, of which the award-giving university operates, or an equivalent server.

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## Useful Functions (for all CiNii)

You can download search results in TSV format or copy them directly onto various reference management tools such as RefWorks, EndNote (including EndNote Web) and Mendeley. You can also acquire search results via RSS.