

OVERSEAS NEWS

Library of Congress

From October 1989, the Library of Congress discontinued its Chinese-Japanese-Korean catalogue card distribution service. Reasons given were high production costs and decreasing demand as more CJK records were catalogued online. The CJK catalogue cards held printed East Asian script as well as romanised fields.

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Union list of Japanese Periodicals

A second edition of *Union List of Japanese Periodicals in the East Asian Libraries of Columbia, Harvard, Princeton, and Yale Universities* has been published. It is a printed version of the online catalogue and updates the 1985 union list. The union list has entries for 2,286 titles covering trade periodicals and non-trade academic journals published in Japan in the humanities and social sciences. Science and technology periodicals are not included.

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LC's Japanese collection

The Japanese Section of the LC Asian Division has released an illustrated brochure, written in Japanese and English, about its history and holdings. The illustrations include works of art held by the Section and a fold-out colour poster of a traditional woodcut book cover. Copies may be obtained by writing to the Japanese Section, Library of Congress, Washington DC 20540, USA.

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