

**Various websites collected**(As of the end of March 2010)

Collection Type	Cumulative titles (items)	Cumulative Volume of data(GB)
National government	55	3,219
Prefecture	38	2,277
Government- designated city	15	951
Municipality	1,772	1,485
Corporation*1	180	2,014
University	482	3,534
Event*2	99	34
Online periodical*3	1,958	1,229
Total	4,599	14,743

\*1)Independent administrative agency et al.

\*2)International and cultural event et al.

\*3)Online periodicals published on the internet at no charge

# Web Archiving Project 3

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# The National Diet Library (NDL) has been archiving Internet information.

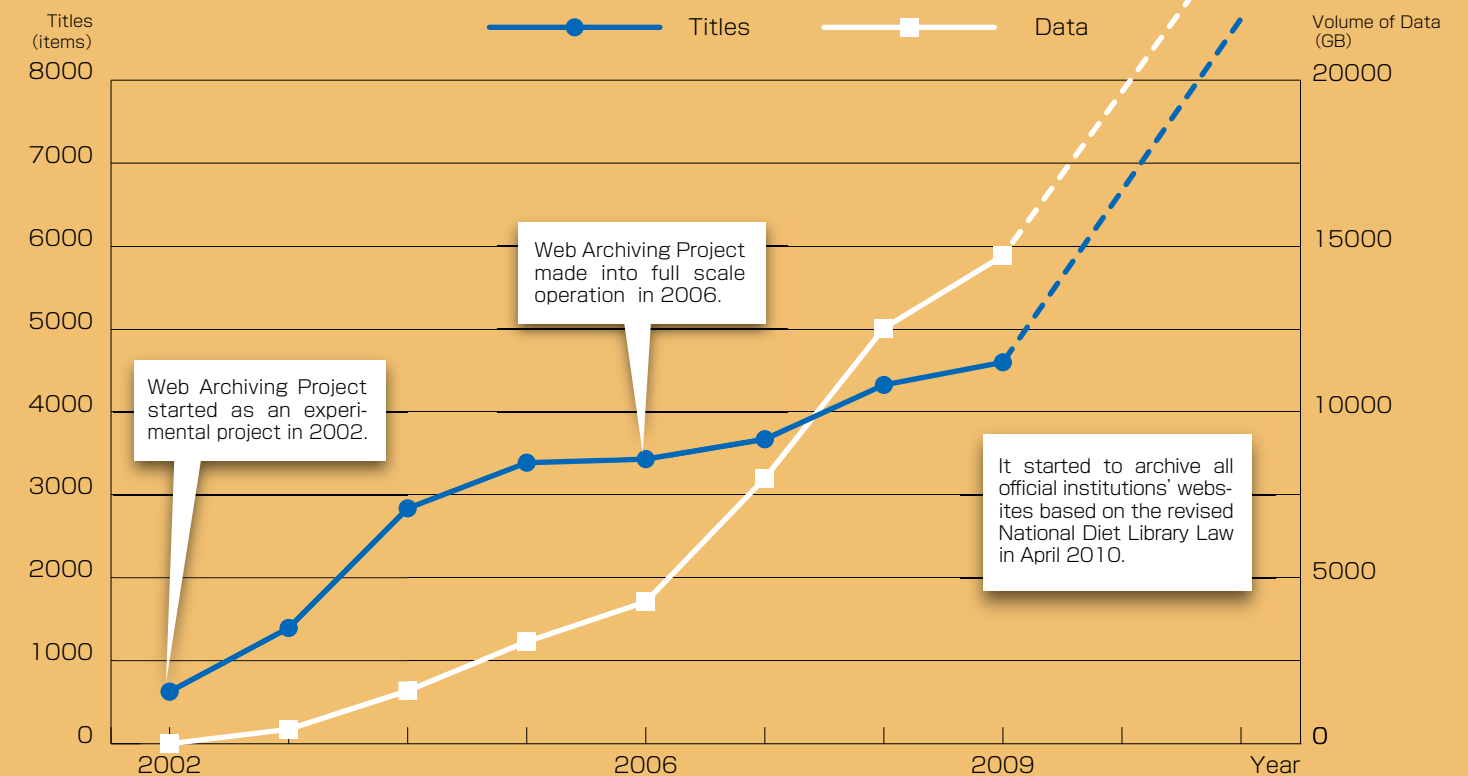
With the rapid spread of the Internet, it has become an essential tool for daily life. Its importance is increasing both in quality and quantity.

Internet resources are useful not only for the present generation but also for the future generations. However, these resources are updated frequently and also can disappear in short time.

NDL has been harvesting and preserving websites on the Internet so that the future generations can access this important cultural heritage.



## History of the NDL Web Archiving Project



## Flow of harvesting, preservation, and access



\*1) The archiving of official institutions' websites is based on article 25-3 of the National Diet Library Law. The harvesting of other websites is based on the permission of the site owners.

\*2) Archived websites are preserved with their original look and feel. Additionally, NDL extracts online publications including White Papers and Year Books from archived websites, and makes them organized with metadata.

\*3) All archived Internet information is accessible on the premises. The archives that the site owners permit access to are accessible off the premises, for example in your house, through the Internet.