

	Print Newspapers	Newspaper Archives	Electronic Newspapers	
		Microfilm	Internet	Databases
Free of charge		✓		✓
Accessible from home	✓	✓	✓	
Archives kept for longer than 7 days		✓		✓
Search can be done by date	✓	✓	✓	✓
Search can be done using keywords (e.g. Title, author, subject)			✓	✓
Use this to access the whole newspaper	✓	✓		
Articles can be saved as soft copy			✓	✓
Articles can be emailed			✓	✓
Articles can be printed	✓	✓	✓	✓

## Which is better?



### Print Newspapers

- Provide timely current day's news at a low cost
- Lightweight and easy to carry around to read
- Searching is by date only



### Online Newspapers

- Easy to search using multiple search terms (e.g. keywords, title, subject, author)
- Information and "breaking news" can be made available much faster to people wherever they are and anytime of the day
- Requires a computer
- Requires skills in searching for the newspaper resources or sites
- Too much information available and this may result in information overload