



A BIBLIOMETRIC STUDY OF INDIA PRESS: FREE ONLINE E-NEWSPAPERS

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Abstract:-The "India Press" (<http://www.indiapress.org>) provides read free online newspapers links to all Indian different language daily newspapers without downloading their fonts including all regional newspapers of India. In this research paper author made an effect to study the total number of 101 full texts read free online newspapers were accesses through "India Press" and analyzed based on title/alphabetical word wise, state wise, languages wise published in India their accessibility of archives of read free online newspapers.

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1.INTRODUCTION

A newspaper plays an important role in disseminating current information and events and keeps its readers up-to-date. The electronic newspaper or e-newspaper is a self-contained, reusable and refreshable version of a traditional newspaper that acquires and holds information electronically. Moreover, electronic newspapers retrieve information electronically from online databases, process it electronically with word processors, desktop publishing packages and a variety of more technical hardware and software, and transmit it electronically to the end-users. Broadly speaking, e-news items which evolve from 'online newspaper', 'PDF newspaper', and 'e-news via e-devices' may not be taken synonymously since they are different from each other in terms of developments and use. In order to avoid the confusion, the terms that are perceived little differently may be described as:

BRIEF HISTORY OF NEWSPAPERS IN INDIA

Newspapers in India started with William Bolts, an ex-employee of the British East India Company who attempted to start the first newspaper in India in 1776. In 1780, James Augustus Hicky started Bengal Gazette, a two-sheet newspaper that publicized the private lives of the 'sahibs' of the Company. In the newspaper, Hicky even dared to mount insulting attacks on the governor-general and chief justice, for which he was sentenced to one year in prison and fined Rs 5,000, which finally drove him to poverty. These were the first tentative steps of journalism in India. B. Messink Welby and Peter Reed were workable publishers of the India Gazette, unlike their infamous predecessors. The colonial establishment started the Calcutta Gazette. It was followed by another private initiative, the Bengal Journal. The Madras Courier was started in 1785 in the southern stronghold of Madras. Richard Johnson, its founder, was a government printer. Madras got its second newspaper when, in 1791, Hugh Boyd, who was the editor of the Courier quit and founded the Hurkaru. Tragically for the paper, it ceased publication when Boyd passed away within a year of its founding. It was only in 1795 that competitors to the Courier emerged with the founding of the Madras Gazette followed by the India Herald. The latter was an 'unauthorized' publication, which led to the deportation of its founder Humphreys. The Madras Courier was designated the purveyor of official information in the Presidency. In 1878, The Hindu was founded, and played a vital role in promoting the cause of Indian independence from the colonial yoke. Its founder, Kasturi Ranga Iyengar, was a lawyer, and his son, K Srinivasan assumed editorship of this pioneering newspaper during the first half of the 20th century. Bombay surprisingly was a late starter. The Bombay Herald came into existence in 1789. Significantly, a year later a paper called The Courier

started carrying advertisements in Gujarati. The first media merger of sorts happened with The Bombay Gazette, which was started in 1791, merging with The Bombay Herald the following year. Like, The Madras Courier, this new entity was recognized as the publication to carry 'official notifications and advertisements'. Compared with many other developing countries, the Indian press has flourished since independence and exercises a large degree of independence (Stephens 2008). Among the newspapers from Bengal, Yugantar and Amritbazar Patrika played a crucial role in freedom struggle. Today India has more than 2000 daily newspapers with a combined circulation of 88 million and some of leading dailies are The Times of India, Hindustan Times, The Telegraph, Asian Age, Indian Express, The Economic Times, The Pioneer and many more. With the introduction of the internet, web-based 'newspapers' have also started online-only publications. In India, major newspapers went online to provide latest and most updated news from them. Some newspapers even provide e-paper which is regarded as the digital replica of the newspaper.

The demand for online newspapers has been increasing for the past few years with the growing reach of internet. According to the data, more than half the world's adult population read a newspaper: more than 2.5 billion in print and more than 600 million in digital form. That represents more readers and users than total global users of the internet (<http://www.wan-ifra.org>).

WHAT IS E-NEWSPAPER

An online e-newspaper is the online version of a newspaper, either as a stand-alone publication or as the online version of a printed periodical (Wikipedia).

An electronic newspaper is a serial publication containing news on current events of special or general interest, issued in a machine-readable format, and 'accessed via input/output devices connected electronically to a computer' (AACR-2).

E-newspapers are accessed most frequently via the Internet-online newspapers. E-newspapers are often associated with an existing newspaper in print. Most e-newspapers do not have enumeration, though they do have chronology, and many maintain archives of back issues online.

Newspaper is a publication containing news, information, and advertising. General-interest newspapers offer feature articles on political events, crime, business, art, entertainment, society and sports. Most traditional papers also feature an editorial page containing columns that express the personal opinions of writers. Supplementary sections mostly contain advertising, comics and coupons. A wide range of material has been published in newspapers, including editorial opinions, criticism, arguments, obituaries' amusement features such as crosswords, Sudoku and horoscopes; weather news and forecasts; advice, gossip, food and other columns; critical reviews of movies, plays and restaurants; classified advertisements; display advertisements, editorial cartoons and comic strips (Wikipedia).

ADVANTAGE OF E-NEWSPAPER

1. The style and presentation of e-newspapers are much better than their printed equivalents;
2. In E-news papers, readers scroll the front page to get an overview of the contents of the news site which is not possible through the printed news papers;
3. E- news papers offer links to available sections as well guide the readers to other relevant supplementary information details for further information;
4. Provide easy options for turning pages, linking to dynamic indexes, searching, saving and printing, setting personal preferences, closing news papers etc.; and
5. E-newspapers offer multimedia and hyperlink features.

Additionally, the authors feel that, e-newspapers have got other benefits like, cost-effectiveness, time saving utility, easy to use, and more.

PROBLEMS OF FREE ONLINE E-NEWSPAPERS

Today Indian online newspapers are facing many problems. Some of these are;

1. The number one problem with online newspapers published from India is the font problem. Basically the problem arises in the case of Indic languages. Sometimes people need special software to read these newspapers. It is not possible for everyone to download software for each newspaper in a particular language.
2. The second problem is the presence of loud and stylistically unpredictable advertisements on the main page. Readers don't visit these sites to be overwhelmed by hectic colours and dizzying arrays of advertisements. Rather, they visit to read news and be informed. These ads distract and they destroy the design and the layout of the pages. The worst offenders are animated advertisements. Trying to read the headlines with one of these animated advertisements next to it is like trying to read the headlines of a real newspaper within a fish market.

3. In almost every case the layout and design of online newspapers is very poor. Very few online newspapers employ intelligent use of grid, colour and content hierarchy. Most have a flat aspect with no visual clues as to how the page and its information are supposed to be consumed.
4. With most online newspapers, the site navigation is horribly confusing and inconsistent. Furthermore, the link text on the page is often disguised, easily confused with non-link text, and provides little or no visual feedback when used.
5. Although the internet can help online publishers save the cost of printing and delivering the hardcopy newspaper, online newspapers have yet to generate sizeable revenues by charging their readers.
6. In India, ICT infrastructure is very poor. To access online newspaper the first thing we need is a computer with internet connection. It has been found that most of the villages in our country do not have any internet connection. Electrical power supply is also erratic.

INDIA PRESS: AN OVERVIEW

The “India Press” (<http://www.indiapress.org>) provides free online newspapers links to all Indian language newspapers without downloading their fonts including all regional newspapers of India in 14 languages like Tamil, Hindi, Urdu, Telugu, Malayalam, Punjabi, Marathi, Bengali, Kannada, Gujarati, Konkani, Oriya, Assamese and English, etc.

India Press E-newspaper through have 4 basic functions – to inform, to interpret the news, to provide a service to readers, and to entertain. These functions explain what the e-newspaper does, and they are why people read it.

OBJECTIVE OF THE PAPER

- To know the number of free online daily e-newspapers offered by “India Press”.
- To know the state wise distribution of free online e-newspapers.
- To know each free online e-newspaper published of no. of State & no. of City edition published in all over India
- To find out the language wise distribution of free online e-newspapers.
- To know the accessibility of archives of free online e-newspapers.

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

“India Press” website (<http://www.indiapress.org>) is browsed for the present paper. Indian 101 free online daily e-newspapers were analyzed based on Title/Alphabet wise, State wise, Languages and accessibility of archives of free online e-newspapers.

ANALYSIS AND INTERPRETATIONS

Total 101 Indian daily free online e-newspapers were analyzed based on title/alphabet wise, languages, state wise and accessibility of archives of free online E-newspapers and presented in the form of tables.

Table No: 1- List of free online E-Newspapers Title wise, each e-newspapers Published of No. States and No. of City Edition Published in India

Sr. No	Name of free online e-newspaper	Language	E-newspaper Website/ URL	Publisher	Place of Publication	No. of State Published	No. of City Edition Published
1	Aaj Kaal	Bengali	http://www.aajkaal.net	Aajkaal Publishers Limited	Kolkata	1	1
2	Aaj Kaal Daily Newspaper	Gujarati	http://www.aajkaaldaily.com	Dhanraj News & Media Pvt. Ltd.	Rajkot	1	6
3	Accommodation Times	English	http://accommodationtimes.com	Accommodation Times	Mumbai	1	1
4	Ajionnet	Assamese	http://ajionnet.com.domlike.com	Ajionnet Pvt. Ltd.	Aassam	1	1
5	Amar Ujala	Hindi	http://www.amarujala.com/	Amar Ujala Publications Ltd.	Noida, U. P.	4	10

6	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Bengali	http://www.anandabazar.com/	ABP Group	Kolkata	1	1
7	Andhra Bhoomi	Telugu	http://epaper.andhrabhoomi.net/	Deccan Chronicle Holdings Ltd.	Secunderabad	1	1
8	Andhra Jyothi	Telugu	http://epaper.andhrajyothy.com/	ABN Live	Hyderabad	1	4
9	Andhra Prabha	Telugu	http://www.prabhanews.com/	Andhraprabha Publications Ltd.	Hyderabad	3	5
10	Asomiya Pratidin	Assamese	http://www.asomiyapratidin.in/	Asomiya Pratidin Pvt. Ltd.	Guwahati	1	1
11	Bikeler Pratidin	Bengali	http://epratidin.in/	Pratidin Prakashani Ltd	Kolkata	1	1
12	Bombay Smachar	Gujarati	http://www.bombaysamachar.com/	Bombay Samachar Ltd.	Bombay	1	1
13	Business Line	English	http://www.thehindubusinessline.com	Kasturi & Sons Ltd.	Chennai	1	1
14	Business Standard	English	http://epaper.business-standard.com	Business Standard Ltd.	New Delhi	1	1
15	Central Chronicle	English	http://epaper.centralchronicle.in	Central Chronicle Press	Chhattisgarh	4	7
16	Century Sangbad	Bengali	http://www.suprovat.com/	Century Sangbad	Bengal	1	1
17	Daily Ajit	PunjabI	http://www.ajitjalandhar.com/	Ajit Publications	Punjab	1	1
18	Daily Excelsior	English	http://epaper.dailyexcelsior.com/	Excelsior Printer Pvt Ltd	Jammu	1	1
19	Daily Kesari	Marathi	http://www.dailykesari.com/	Daily Kesari News Paper	Pune	1	5
20	Dainik Aikya	Marathi	http://www.dainikaikya.com/	Dainik Aikya	Satara	1	1
21	Dainik Bhaskar	Hindi	http://epaper.bhaskar.com/	D B Corp Limited	Noida, U. P.	4	12
22	Dainik Jagran	Hindi	http://epaper.jagran.com/	Jagran Prakashan Limited	Hisar	6	16
23	Dainik Sonar Cachar	English	http://www.indiapress.info/dainiksonarcachar.english.htm	Dainik Sonar Cachar	Silchar	1	1
24	Deccan Chronicle	English	http://epaper.deccanchronicle.com/	Deccan Chronicle Holdings Ltd.	Secunderabad	2	2
25	Deepika	Malayalam	http://epaper.deepika.com/	Rashtra Deepika Ltd	Kerala	1	5
26	Deshabhimani	Malayalam	http://www.deshabhimani.com/	Deshabhimani Publications	Kerala	1	6
27	Deshonnati	Marathi	http://www.deshonnati.com/	Deshonnati	Nagpur	1	10
28	Dharitri	Oriya	http://www.dharitri.com/epaper/	Dharitri Newspaper	Bhubaneswar	1	1
29	Dinamalar	Tamil	http://epaper.dinamalar.com/	Dinamalar Publications	Madurai	2	10
30	Dinamani	Tamil	http://epaper.dinamani.com/	Dinamani Publications	Chennai	2	4
31	Economics Times	English	http://economictimes.indiatimes.com/	The Times Group	Mumbai	7	7
32	Eenadu	Telugu	http://www.eenadu.net/	Ushodaya Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.	Hyderabad	6	21
33	Gomantak	English	http://epaper.dainikgomantak.com/	Gomantak	Goa	1	1
34	Greater Kashmir	English	http://epaper.greaterkashmir.com/	Greater Kashmir	Srinagar	1	1

35	Gujarat Samachar	Gujarati	http://www.gujaratsamachar.com/	Gujarat Samachar Press	Ahmedabad	2	6
36	Hari Bhoomi	Hindi	http://epaper.haribhoomi.com/	Haribhoomi Press	Rohtak	1	2
37	Hindi Milap	Hindi	http://www.webmilap.com/	Hindi Milap News Paper	New Delhi	1	1
38	Indian Express	English	http://epaper.indianexpress.com/	The Indian Express Online Media (Pvt) Ltd.	New Delhi	4	5
39	Inquilab	Urdu	http://epaper.inquilab.com/	Mid-Day Infomedia Ltd.	Mumbai	1	1
40	Kala Kaimudi	Malayalam	http://www.keralakaumudi.com/	keralakaumudi	Calicut	1	1
41	Kannada Prabha	Kannada	http://epaper.kannadaprabha.in/	Kannada Prabha	Bangalore	1	3
42	Kashmir Times	English	http://epaper.kashmirtimes.com/	Kashmir Times	Jammu & Kashmir	1	1
43	Kaumudi Jalakam	Malayalam	http://www.kaumudi.com/	keralakaumudi	Trivandrum	1	1
44	Kerala Kaumudi	Malayalam	http://www.keralakaumudi.com/news/print/	keralakaumudi	Calicut	2	7
45	Kranti Kannada Daily	Kannada	http://www.krantiindia.com/	Manipal Media Network Ltd.	Samyukta	1	1
46	Lok Tej	Hindi	http://loktej.com/	Loktej Hindi Daily	Surat	1	1
47	Lokmat	Marathi	http://epaper.lokmat.com/	Lokmat Media Ltd	Mumbai	1	13
48	Lokmat Times	English	http://epaper.lokmat.com/lokmattimes/	Lokmat Media Ltd	Mumbai	1	2
49	Loksatta	Marathi	http://epaper.loksatta.com/	The Indian Express Ltd.	Mumbai	1	4
50	Maharashtra Times	Marathi	http://maharashtratimes.indiatimes.com/	Bennett Coleman & Co. Ltd.	Mumbai	1	1
51	Malayala Manorama	Malayalam	http://epaper.manoramaonline.com/	Malayala Manorama Newspaper	Mumbai	1	7
52	Mangalam Daily	Malayalam	http://epaper.mangalam.com/	Mangalam Publications (I) Pvt. Ltd	Kottayam	1	1
53	Mathurubhumi	Malayalam	http://epaper.mathrubhumi.com/	Mathurubhumi P. & P. Co. Ltd.	Kochi	1	1
54	Mid Day	English	http://www.mid-day.com/	Mid-Day Infomedia Ltd.	Mumbai	1	1
55	Munsif Daily	Urdu	http://munsifdaily.in/epaper/	Munsif Daily	Hyderabad	1	1
56	Naiduniya	Hindi	http://naiduniaepaper.jagran.com/	Nav Dunia	Bhopal	1	1
57	National Duniya	Hindi	http://www.nationalduniya.com/	National Duniya	New Delhi	1	1
58	Nava Bharat	Hindi	http://epaper.navabharat.org/	COG IT Solutions Pvt. Ltd.	Mumbai	4	9
59	Navbharat Times	Hindi	http://epaper.navbharattimes.com/	Navbharat Times	New Delhi	2	2
60	Prabhat Khabar	Hindi	http://epaper.prabhatkhabar.com/	Neutral Pub.House Ltd	Ranchi	1	2
61	Praja Shakti	Telugu	http://epaper.prajasakti.com/	Praja Shakti	Hyderabad	1	4
62	Prajavani	Kannada	http://prajavaniepaper.com/	Prajavani	Bangalore	1	1

63	Pratah Kal	Hindi	http://www.pratahkal.com/epaper/	Pratahkal Multimedia Limited	Mumbai	2	3
64	Pudhari	Marathi	http://epaper.pudhari.com/	Pudhari Bhavan	Kolhapur	1	1
65	Punjab Express	Punjabi	http://www.punjabexpress.info/	Punjab Express Newspaper	Punjab	1	1
66	Rajasthan Patrika	Hindi	http://epaper.patrika.com/	Rajasthan Patrika P. Ltd.	Jai pur	4	14
67	Ranchi Express	Hindi	http://ranchiexpress.com/	Ranchi Prakashan Pvt. Ltd	Ranchi	1	2
68	Ranchi Express	English	http://ranchiexpress.com/	Ranchi Prakashan Pvt. Ltd	Ranchi	1	1
69	Rastriya Sahara	Hindi	http://www.rashtriyasahara.com/	Rastriya Sahara	New Delhi	2	3
70	Sakal	Marathi	http://epaper4.esakal.com/	Sakal Media Group	Pune	1	5
71	Sambad	Bengali	http://sambadepaper.com/	Eastern Media Limited	Bhubaneswar	1	1
72	Sanbhaav	Gujarati	http://www.abhiyaanmagazine.com/index.php/sambhaav-metro/	Sambhaav Media Ltd	Mumbai	1	1
73	Sandesh	Gujarati	http://epaper.sandesh.com/	The Sandesh Limited	Ahmedabad	2	6
74	Sandhyanand	Marathi	http://m4marathi.in/forum2/sandhyanand-marathi-newspaper	Aaj Ka Anand Papers Ltd.	Pune	1	1
75	Sanjevani	Kannada	http://www.sanjevani.com/today/epaper.html	Karnataka News Publications Pvt. Ltd	Bangalore	1	1
76	Star of Mysore	English	http://www.starofmysore.com/	Academy Newspapers Pvt. Ltd.	Mysore	1	1
77	Tarun Bharat	Marathi	http://epaper.tarunbharat.com/	Tarun Bharat	Goa	1	3
78	The Afternoon Dispatch & Courier	English	http://www.afternoon.in/epaper/	Afternoon Despatch & Courier Mumbai	Mumbai	1	1
79	The Asian Age	English	http://onlinepaper.asianage.com/	Deccan Chronicle Holdings Ltd.	Secunderabad	6	6
80	The Assam Tribune	English	http://www.assamtribune.com/	The Assam Tribune	Guwahati	1	1
81	The Financial Express	English	http://epaper.financialexpress.com/	The Indian Express Group	Mumbai	7	7
82	The Hindistan Times	English	http://paper.hindustantimes.com/epaper/	HT Media Limited	New Delhi	3	3
83	The Hindu	English	http://www.thehindu.com/todays-paper/	Kasturi & Sons Ltd	Chennai	5	8
84	The Indian Express	English	http://epaper.indianexpress.com/	The Indian Express Online Media (Pvt) Ltd.	New Delhi	1	1
85	The New Indian Express	English	http://epaper.newindianexpress.com/	Express Network Pvt. Limited	Chennai	3	4
86	The Oriya Samaja	Oriya	http://samajaeppaper.com/epaper/	Sri Niranjan Rath	Cuttack	1	2

87	The Pionner	English	http://www.dailypioneer.com/	The Pionner	New Delhi	2	2
88	The Satyam Times	English	https://www.google.com/#q=The+Satyam+Times+	The Satyam Times	Surat	1	1
89	The Sentinel	English	http://www.sentinelassam.com/	The Sentinel	Guwahati	1	1
90	The Siasat Daily	Urdu	http://epaper.siasat.com/	The Siasat Daily	Hyderabad	2	2
91	The Statesman	English	http://119.82.71.49/thestatesman/	The Statesman Limited	New Delhi	2	2
92	The Sunday Observer	English	http://www.sundayobserver.lk/2014/09/28/main_News.asp	The Associated Newspapers of Ceylon Ltd.	New Delhi	2	2
93	The Telegraph	English	http://epaper.telegraphindia.com/paper/1-0-30@09@2014-1001.html	ABP Pvt. Ltd	Kolkata	1	1
94	The Times of India	English	http://epaperbeta.timesofindia.com/	Bennett Coleman & Co. Ltd	Mumbai	6	6
95	The Tribune	English	http://epaper.tribuneindia.com/	The Tribune House	Chandigarh	2	2
96	Thinaboomi	Tamil	http://www.thinaboomi.com/	Thinaboomi	Madurai	2	6
97	Udayavani	Kannada	http://epaper.udayavani.com/	Manipal Media Network Ltd	Manipal	1	1
98	Urdu Times	Urdu	http://www.urdutimes.net/	The Urdu Times Daily	Mumbai	1	1
99	Vaaritha	Telugu	http://epaper.vaaritha.com/	GA Publications Ltd.	Hyderabad	2	10
100	Vauraddeancho	Konkani	http://www.vixtt.com/client/epaper.asp	Vavraddeancho Ixtt	Goa	1	1
101	Viduthalai	Tamil	http://www.viduthalai.in/e-paper.html	Viduthalai offset	Chennai	1	1

Table no.1 enumerates the Indian free online e-newspaper title wise with their Website/URL, So that any user can browse the e-newspaper directly by entering the website/URL in its address bar and also table show that the each free online e-newspaper published of how many states and also each free online e-newspaper city edition published/ available of how many cities in the all over India.

Table: 2- Language wise published of free online e-newspaper

Sr. No	Language	No. of e-newspapers	Rank
1	Assamese	2	8
2	Bengali	5	6
3	English*	33	1
4	Gujarati	5	6
5	Hindi*	15	2
6	Kannada	5	6
7	Konkani	1	9
8	Malayalam	8	4
9	Marathi	10	3
10	Oriya	2	8
11	Punjabi	2	8
12	Tamil	4	7
13	Telugu	6	5
14	Urdu	4	7
		102*	

Table 2 gives the information about the language wise published/ available of free online e-newspapers on in the all over India. Table no. 2 show that 102* free online e-newspapers published/available in the different 14

Indian languages in the all over India. 1st rank English language 33 free online e-newspapers published, 2nd rank Hindi language 15 free online e-newspapers published and 3rd rank Marathi language 10 free online e-newspapers published/available in the all over India.

*Note: Ranchi Express free online e-newspapers published/ available in the both languages Hindi & English.

Table: 3- Analysis of State wise published/available of free online e-newspapers

Sr. No	State Name	No. of free online e-newspapers	Percentage %	Rank
1	Andhra Pradesh	13	7.30	4
2	Assam	5	2.81	10
3	Bihar	3	1.69	11
4	Chandigarh	7	3.93	8
5	Chhattisgarh	3	1.69	11
6	Delhi	16	9.00	3
7	Goa	2	1.12	12
8	Gujarat	13	7.30	4
9	Haryana	1	0.56	13
10	Jammu Kashmir	3	1.69	11
11	Jharkhand	2	1.12	12
12	Karnataka	20	11.24	2
13	Kerala	11	6.18	6
14	Madhya Pradesh	6	3.37	9
15	Maharashtra	31	17.42	1
16	Orissa	3	1.69	11
17	Pondicherry	1	0.56	13
18	Punjab	5	2.80	10
19	Rajasthan	3	1.69	11
20	Tamil Nadu	12	6.75	5
21	Uttaranchal	2	1.12	12
22	Uttar Pradesh	6	3.37	9
23	West Bengal	10	5.62	7
	Total	178	100 %	

Above mentioned Table: 3 clearly show that the “India Press” provides of free online e-newspapers published in 23 States in the all over India. 1st rank Maharashtra state publishers more and more 31 (17.42 %) free online e-newspapers published, 2nd rank Karnataka state publishers 20 (11.24 %) free online e-newspapers published, and 3rd rank Delhi state publishers 16 (9.00 %) free online e-newspapers published for the society benefits.

Table: 4- Analysis of State wise no. of languages published/ available of free online e-newspapers

Sr. No	State Name	Language Name	No. of languages free online e-newspapers published in the every states
1	Andhra Pradesh	Telugu, English, Hindi, Urdu	4
2	Assam	Assamese, English	2
3	Bihar	English, Hindi	2
4	Chandigarh	English, Hindi, Panjabi	3
5	Chhattisgarh	English, Hindi	2
6	Delhi	English, Hindi, Telugu	3
7	Goa	English, Konkani	2
8	Gujarat	English, Gujarati, Hindi	3
9	Haryana	Hindi	1
10	Jammu Kashmir	English	1
11	Jharkhand	Hindi, English	2
12	Karnataka	English, Kannada, Tamil, Urdu, Hindi, Telugu, Marathi	7
13	Kerala	Malayalam, English	2
14	Madhya Pradesh	English, Hindi	2
15	Maharashtra	Marathi, English, Gujarati, Hindi, Tamil, Urdu, Telugu	7
16	Orissa	English, Oriya	2
17	Pondicherry	Tamil	1
18	Punjab	English, Hindi, Telugu, Panjabi	4
19	Rajasthan	Hindi	1
20	Tamil Nadu	English, Tamil, Hindi, Telugu	4
21	Uttaranchal	Hindi	1
22	Uttar Pradesh	English, Hindi	2
23	West Bengal	English, Bengali	2

Above mentioned Table: 4 clearly show that how many language free online e-newspapers published/available of each states in the all over India.

MAJOR FINDINGS OF THE STUDY

- It is observed that the “India Press” provides link 101 free online e-newspapers published/available in the 23 states in India.
- The “India Press” provides free online newspapers links to all Indian language newspapers without downloading their fonts including all regional newspapers of India in 14 languages like Tamil, Hindi, Urdu, Telugu, Malayalam, Punjabi, Marathi, Bengali, Kannada, Gujarati, Konkani, Oriya, Assamese and English, etc.
- Only one Ranchi Express free online e-newspapers published/ available in the both languages Hindi & English.
- It is observed that in the India Maharashtra state was in 1st rank with 31 free online e-newspapers, Karnataka state was in 2nd rank with 20 free online e-newspapers, and Delhi was 3rd rank with 16 free online e-news papers published every day.
- English are the most common communication language for the society 33 English language free online daily newspapers published/available in the all over India.

CONCLUSION

Newspaper is the most popular of document and is read by almost all types of library users. General-interest newspapers typically publish news articles and feature articles on national and international news as well as local news. The news includes political events and personalities, business and finance, crime, severe weather, and natural disasters; health and medicine, science, and technology; sports; and entertainment, society, food and cooking, clothing and home fashion, and the arts.

The “India Press” (<http://www.indiapress.org>) provides free online newspapers links to all Indian language newspapers without downloading their fonts including all regional newspapers of India in 14 languages like Tamil, Hindi, Urdu, Telugu, Malayalam, Punjabi, Marathi, Bengali, Kannada, Gujarati, Konkani, Oriya,

Assamese and English, etc.

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