



1-1E How to read references

When you write a paper or thesis, you will need to read related journal articles and books. To do this, an important step is to collect related articles and books from references that are usually listed at the end of an article, thesis or book. Please note that there are some differences in terms of ordering the descriptions and abbreviations of an article due to the different requirements for references in each journal. In This guide sheet provides brief guidance on how to read a reference list.

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Ex.1. 【Journal articles】

Author. (Year). Article title(sometimes omitted). Journal title, Volume number, Page numbers.

<u>Su, L.K., Kinzler, K.W., Bogelstein, B., Preisinger, A.C., Moser, A.R., Luong, C., Gould, K.A. and Dove, W.F.</u>		
<i>Author</i>		
<u>(1992).</u>	<u>Multiple intestinal neoplasia caused by a mutation in the murine homolog of the APC gene.</u>	
<i>Year</i>	<i>Article title</i>	
<u>Science,</u>	<u>256,</u>	<u>668-670.</u>
<i>Journal title</i>	<i>Volume</i>	<i>Page</i>

★Attention

- ① The format of references varies according to journals.
- ② Journal title is usually written by abbreviations.

To find journal title abbreviations you can use.

<Example>

ABBREVIATIONS <https://www.abbreviations.com/> (accessed 2021.1.27)

NCBI – NLM Catalog <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/?db=journals> (accessed 2021.1.27)

- ③ Several abbreviations are used in references.

frequently used abbreviation

anon.	anonymous
diss.	dissertation
do.	ditto (=the same as before)
et al.	et alii, et aliae (=and others)
etc.	et cetera
ib., ibid.	ibidem, to indicate the same source as in the previous reference
id.	idem, to indicate the same source as previously mentioned.
op. cit.	opere citato, in the work already cited.

Ex.2. 【Book】 Article author, Article title. In: Book author, Book title. Publisher, Place Year, Page.

<u>R.R. Williams, P.N. Hopkins, S.C. Hunt, M.C. Schumacher, B.M. Stults, L.L. Wu, S.J. Hasstedt,</u>			<u>Inherited susceptibility</u>
<i>Article author</i>			<i>Article title</i>
<u>to metabolic complications of obesity.</u>			<u>In: C. Bouchard (Ed.), The Genetics of Obesity. CRC Press,</u>
			<i>Book author</i> <i>Book title</i> <i>Publisher</i>
<u>Bock Raton, FL,</u>	<u>1994,</u>	<u>pp. 147-159.</u>	
<i>Place</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Page</i>	

