

CODING LIST

OBJECTID

An autonumber field used to assign the item a record number within the database.

Media Type

- TorStar = The Toronto Star
- MingPao = Ming Pao Daily News (Chinese newspaper)
- KoreaTimes = The Korea Times Daily (Korean newspaper)
- PunjabiPost = Canadian Punjabi Post (Punjabi newspaper)
- RussianExp = Russian Express (Russian newspaper)
- Openfile = OpenFile.ca (Toronto local news website)

Edition

Each issue of the newspaper is assigned a number for identification purposes. Edition numbers are provided in the tables below.

2008 Toronto Star & Ming Pao Editions	
Edition ID	Date of Issue
1	1/9/2008
2	1/17/2008
3	1/25/2008
4	2/2/2008
5	2/10/2008
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9	3/13/2008
10	3/21/2008
11	8/23/2008
12	4/6/2008
13	4/14/2008
14	4/22/2008
15	4/30/2008
16	5/8/2008
17	5/16/2008
18	5/24/2008
19	6/1/2008
20	6/9/2008
21	6/17/2008
22	6/25/2008
23	7/3/2008
24	7/11/2008
25	7/19/2008
26	7/27/2008

27	8/4/2008
28	8/12/2008

2011 Toronto Star	
Edition ID	Date of Issue
30	5/12/2011
31	1/4/2011
32	1/12/2011
33	1/20/2011
34	1/28/2011
35	2/5/2011
36	2/13/2011
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39	3/9/2011
40	5/20/2011
41	5/28/2011
42	6/5/2011
43	6/13/2011
44	6/21/2011
45	6/29/2011
46	7/7/2011
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49	7/31/2011
50	8/8/2011

Canadian Punjabi Post	
Edition ID	Date of Issue
101	1/5/2011
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103	1/20/2011
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106	2/15/2011
107	2/22/2011
108	3/1/2011
109	3/9/2011
110	5/12/2011
111	5/20/2011
112	5/28/2011

113	6/6/2011
114	6/13/2011
115	6/21/2011
116	6/29/2011
117	7/7/2011
118	7/15/2011
119	7/23/2011
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121	8/8/2011

Russian Express	
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201	1/14/2011
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321	8/8/2011

OpenFile.ca	
Edition ID	Date of Issue
401	January, 2011
402	February, 2011
403	March, 2011
404	May, 2011
405	June, 2011
406	July, 2011
407	August, 2011
408	April, 2011

UID

- Each local item in the issue will be assigned a unique number for identification purposes.
- The UID will consist of three numbers separated by periods. The first number is the edition number. The second number is the local item number (as the local articles are coded, each will be assigned a number starting at 1 to represent the article within that edition). The third number represents the different elements within an article (the article text will always be number 1 followed by other elements such as an accompanying photo). For instance, 11.02.3 means edition 1, local item #2 from that issue (the second local news article appearing in that edition), and the 3rd object associated with that local item (such as pictures or sidebars). These numbers will be the unique reference for the item.

Item origin (ItemOrigin)

COM	Community contributors (submissions/surveys featuring reader opinion and non-staff columnists with expertise in the field)
FRE	Freelance
LTO	Letter writer who lives outside the GTA (Non GTA)
LTL	Letter writer who lives locally
STA	Staff
STF	Staff Photographer
SWC	Staff and wires combined
UKN	Unknown
WIR	Wire service/Photo service
EXP	Excerpt (from book, document, etc.)
TVI	Television/Internet photo

Item form (ItemForm)

NEWS	News
FEAT	Feature (including profiles)
COLM	Column
EDIT	Editorial/editorial cartoons
FOTO	Photograph
RE VW	Review
LETR	Letter
COMC	Community contribution (submissions/surveys featuring reader opinion)
SIDE	Sidebar
SSPS	School Sports Summary

Interactive1 and Interactive 2 – FOR OPENFILE ITEMS ONLY

None	Article contains no interactive elements.
Interactive Map	A map that readers can interact with to view additional information
Video	A video file
Photo Gallery	A slideshow of photos
Soundclip	An audio file
Chart/graph	A chart or graph image

Number of hyperlinks (No. of Links) – FOR OPENFILE ITEMS ONLY

A count of the number of hyperlinks that are included within the online article.

Photo Status (FotoStatus)

AC	Photo goes with story
SA	Stand-alone photo
NA	Not applicable (Text - No accompanying photo)
SP	Story is accompanied by a photo

General Photograph Content (GenFotoCont)

HMF	Humans: Male and female
FEM	Human: Female
MAL	Human: Male
GNI	Human; Gender is not identifiable
NHA	No humans or animals in the photo
ANM	Animals
NA	Not applicable (ie item form is not a photo)

Race/Ethnicity (R/E1, R/E2, R/E3 and R/E4)

A race or ethnicity mentioned in a story or photo

Aboriginal
Afganistan
Asian - general references to “Asian” (East Asian, South East Asian, South Asian) in news stories or photos of people of Asian background where specific information is lacking
Bangladesh
Black community
Brunei
Burma (Myanmar)
Cambodia
Caribbean community
Chilean community
Chinese
East Asian - general references to “East Asian” (China, Japan, Korea, Taiwan) in news stories or photos of people of Asian background where specific information is lacking
East Timor
El Salvadorian community
Estonia
French (France)
French (Quebec)
Guatemalan
Haitian community
Hispanic community
India
Indonesia
Iran
Israeli
Italian

Jamaican community
Japanese
Jewish
Korea (South)
Korea (North)
Laos
Latvia
Lithuania
Mexican community
Middle Eastern
Morocco
Nepal
Pakistan
Palestinian
Philippines
Poland
Russia
Singapore
South Asian - general references to “South Asian” (India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Afganistan, Iran, Sri Lanka, Nepal) in news stories or photos of people of South Asian background where specific information is lacking
South East Asian - general references to “South East Asian” (Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Singapore, Cambodia, Brunei, Indonesia, Laos, Myanmar, East Timor)in news stories or photos of people of Asian background where specific information is lacking
South Pacific (Cook Islands, etc.)
Sri Lanka
Taiwan
Thailand
Trinidad
Ukraine
Vietnam
White
Other
Multiple ethnic groups (> 1 group)(TEXT ONLY – general references to ethnic groups where no specific groups are identified, e.g. “ethnic communities”, “new immigrants”, etc.)
General community (TEXT ONLY - no identifiable racial/ethnic group)
Not Identifiable - PHOTOS ONLY!!!
Not applicable (eg Tree, hospital, house) - PHOTOS ONLY!!!

Religion

A religion mentioned in a story or photo

Buddhist
Christian
Ecumenical
Hindu
Jewish
Muslim
Sikh
Other
Multiple religious groups (> 1 group)
N/A -Not applicable

Minority Community (MinorityCmnty)

A minority community mentioned in a story or photo

Cross-Dresser/Transvestite
Disabled Community
Gay/Lesbian Community
Transsexual
N/A - Not applicable

General Subject (GenSubj)

PO	Police/crime/legal/courts/local public safety
ED	Education
HE	Health/health protection/medical
TR	Transit/gridlock/sprawl/traffic/cycling issues
SO	Social supports/Affordable housing/poverty/social justice
LU	Land use/urban design/development/redevelopment
MU	Municipal politics/services/budget
EW	Environment/weather
FA	Fire/accident
RI	Religious-cultural diversity/multiculturalism/immigration
AE	Arts/entertainment/local attractions
BU	Business
SP	Sports
NS	Local impact of national security/terrorism/foreign policy/foreign disasters/human rights/ Canadian soldiers/casualties
FP	Federal or provincial politics/initiatives – local angle
OT	Other/pets/travel/human interest

Subject Detail (SubjDetail)

The specific subject of the story. Subject detail is listed below by General Subject category.

PO: Police/crime/legal/courts/local public safety (excluding terrorism and court cases related to minority rights)

PO01	School-safety/violence in schools/bullying/sexual harassment
PO02	Murder/manslaughter/assault/violent crime/charges - investigations/trials (general, no religious , racial or cultural overtones)
PO03	Murder/manslaughter/assault/violent crime/charges - investigations/trials (with religious , racial or cultural overtones)
PO04	Non-violent crime - Racism/hate incidents/charges/investigations/trials
PO05	Non-violent crime - charges/investigations/trials (fraud/regulatory/white collar crimes/gambling/prostitution)
PO06	Drug possession and trafficking
PO07	Crime rates/trends/incarceration rates/crime prevention
PO08	Driving-related crime/charges/investigations/trials
PO09	Animal-related crime/charges/investigations/trials
PO10	Domestic disputes/charges/investigations/trials
PO11	Child pornography/pedophile crime/charges/investigations/trials
PO12	Bicycle related criminal/legal proceedings
PO13	Police conduct /procedures, SIU investigations
PO14	Police budgets/labour relations
PO15	Community/neighborhood policing and safety
PO16	Pedestrian safety
PO17	
PO18	Prisons/Jail conditions, treatment of prisoners
PO19	Courts/Administration of justice
PO20	Guns – Possession/availability/regulation/control
PO21	Gangs
PO22	Other

ED: Education/training

ED01	Student/Teacher academic performance (elementary)
ED02	Student/Teacher academic performance (high school)
ED03	Student/Teacher academic performance (college, university, other)
ED04	Education funding – elementary and secondary
ED05	Education funding – post-secondary
ED06	ESL students (School Services)
ED07	School programs for marginalized/at risk student/Afro-centric schools
ED08	Integrity/conduct – teacher (reference to School-safety/violence in schools/bullying/sexual harassment should go under PO01)
ED09	Integrity/conduct – students (reference to School-safety/violence in schools/bullying/sexual harassment should go under PO01)
ED10	Integrity/conduct – trustees (reference to School-safety/violence in schools/bullying/sexual harassment should go under PO01)
ED11	Integrity/conduct – multiple players (some combination of teacher, student, trustee) (reference to School-safety/violence in schools/bullying/sexual harassment should go under PO01)

ED12	School board governance/School governance
ED13	Enrolment/school closure issues
ED14	Infrastructure - elementary and secondary
ED15	Infrastructure - post secondary
ED16	School programs/curriculum including disputes over content
ED17	Extracurricular activities
ED18	Student activism/activists
ED19	Philanthropy – education related
ED20	Other

HE: Health/health protection/medical

HE01	Hospitals (safety, construction, funding, operation, performance, etc.)
HE02	Health-related research/discovery/new technology
HE03	Health policy/health funding (general)
HE04	Health promotion/education, food and nutrition
HE05	Health services – mental health, sexual health, public health/disease/pandemic preparation, addiction/food safety/EMS/ambulance services
HE06	Home care
HE07	Long-term care
HE08	Philanthropy – medical related
HE09	Mental health services/research
HE10	Other

TR: Transit/gridlock/sprawl/traffic/cycling issues

TR01	New transit projects/construction/funding
TR02	Delays, problems with existing transit services or stations, including labour related issues
TR03	Public transit prices
TR04	Road tolls
TR05	Car culture, traffic patterns, and gridlock
TR06	Other/Green cars etc.
TR07	Cycling (including accidents), electric bikes, motorcycles, scooters, bike lanes (see PO12 for cycling incidents involving charges)

SO: Social supports/affordable housing/poverty/social justice/childcare

SO01	Health indicators and poverty
SO02	Social/affordable housing/availability/quality/rental issues
SO03	Homelessness (general)
SO04	Homeless shelters
SO05	Housing standards (rooming houses)
SO06	Housing for marginal populations: mental health issues, drug dependency, half-way houses (Disputed projects should go under land use, section LU05)
SO07	Anti-poverty activism/reports

SO08	Disability issues/programs
SO09	Daycare services (provision and availability)
SO10	Gentrification: displacement of poor residents
SO11	Poverty/Income inequality – general/welfare
SO12	Other
SO13	Child welfare (Criminal charges/investigations go under PO)/Child rearing issues
SO14	Food banks
SO15	Non-board of education programs aimed at marginalized communities (e.g. Youth, single parents, recently released prisoners)

LU: Land use/urban design/development/redevelopment

LU01	Parking-related item
LU02	Dispute over parking-related issue
LU03	Big box or other retail/commercial/industrial development/operations
LU04	Dispute over big box or other retail/commercial industrial development/operations
LU05	Dispute over housing for marginal populations: mental health issues, drug dependency, half-way houses. (General interest stories on this topic should go under section SO06)
LU06	Residential developments (urban/suburban) excluding condos
LU07	Dispute over residential developments (urban/suburban)
LU08	Gentrification – displacement of local businesses by chains/high rents.(see SO10 for displaced poor residents)
LU09	Property development/redevelopment: condos
LU10	Architecture – buildings (public & private)
LU11	Heritage issues
LU12	Public space/streetscapes (street/neighbourhood profiles) / urban core
LU13	OMB issues/decisions
LU14	Other
LU15	Home Renovation/Décor/Special Homes
LU16	Property Redevelopment (non-residential)

MU: Municipal politics/services/budget (excluding social housing which goes in section SO and transit which goes in section TR)

MU01	City government structure/governance
MU02	Road maintenance/construction (Snow removal stories go under MU11)
MU03	User fees for community services
MU04	Bylaw enforcement/including animal bylaws
MU05	Parking enforcement
MU06	Parks
MU07	Community services/programs
MU08	Utilities (water, electricity, gas)
MU09	Integrity/conduct of councillors and/or staff
MU10	City appearance (litter/gardens/flags)

MU11	Response to extreme weather (snow, rain, wind, heat)
MU12	Budget/finance/taxes
MU13	Privatization of city services
MU14	Sale of city assets
MU15	Budget/finance/tax story - mentions multiple municipalities/regions
MU16	Other
MU17	Garbage reduction – Recycling/Blue-box/Compost
MU18	Garbage – Incineration/Landfill
MU19	Street life regulation – Food/furniture/entertainment
MU20	Taxis regulation/services
MU21	Libraries

EW: Environment/weather

EW01	Air quality
EW02	Water quality/conservation
EW03	Energy conservation/efficiency/generation
EW04	Tree/Tree health
EW05	Environmental education/awareness
EW06	Weather/weather impact/storms/preparedness
EW07	Other
EW08	Environmental research
EW09	Wildlife/Endangered Species
EW10	Climate Change

FA: Fire/accidents including major weather-related accidents/death by natural causes

FA01	Fire
FA02	Vehicle crash (weather related) – not including bicycles
FA03	Vehicle crash (unrelated to weather) – not including bicycles
FA04	Work accident
FA05	Other accidents including drowning/boating/suicide
FA06	Death-natural causes
FA07	Home accident (tripping, falling, etc.)
FA08	Fire prevention
FA09	Accident prevention including water safety & road/vehicle safety

RI: Religious-cultural diversity/multiculturalism/immigration as main story topic

RI01	Minority rights including court/human rights commission decisions (General)
RI02	Immigration/refugee/migrant workers policies/settlement
RI03	Social services for immigrants
RI04	ESL services
RI05	Religious practices/accommodation
RI06	Celebrating individual achievement (not business or education related)*see BU06 or ED01-03/Criticizing individual or community

	achievements
RI07	Political activism on local issues (related to RI)
RI08	Immigrant employment/underemployment, illegal employment
RI09	Cultural festivals, celebrations, anniversaries, and practices
RI10	Ethnic foods
RI11	Integration - general
RI12	Racism/discrimination-related/sexism controversies (no police involvement) (including sexism)/gender issues
RI13	Private school serving ethnic/religious communities

AE: Arts/entertainment/local attractions

AE01	Books/literature/poetry (local writer/subject, reviews of books by local writers, visiting celebrity authors)
AE02	Celebrities (local personalities or stars visiting the GTA)
AE03	Classical music
AE04	Local club scene
AE05	Dance (local performances by visiting companies/local performers)
AE06	Fashion (local designers, models, retailers, shows etc.)
AE07	Festivals and competitions (excluding immigrant community festivals which are included in Section RI, and excluding festivals covered by AE08, AE17, AE18)
AE08	Film – all aspects (including entertainment, business, and festivals)
AE09	General exhibits
AE10	
AE11	Local attractions
AE12	Museums
AE13	Painting/sculpture/new media
AE14	Philanthropy (arts and culture related)
AE15	Photography
AE16	Popular music/Jazz
AE17	Radio – all aspects (including entertainment, business, and festivals)
AE18	Television – all aspects (including entertainment, business, and festivals)
AE19	Theatre & Opera – all aspects (including entertainment, business, and festivals)
AE20	Other
AE21	Government policy related to arts, media and public broadcasting
AE22	Proposals for new attractions
AE23	Comedy
AE24	Restaurant reviews/openings and food (general - stories focusing on ethnic foods go under RI10)

BU: Business

BU01	Locally based company/entrepreneur (non-financial sector) – specific company
BU02	General local economic/retail conditions

BU03	Labor relations/wage issues and worker safety (public transit-related labour issues go under TR02)
BU04	Real estate market
BU05	Layoff/closures/bankruptcies – specific company
BU06	Other (including awards)
BU07	Consumer (recalls/protection)
BU08	Tourism - Local travel/tourism/amenities/services/hotels
BU09	International/national competitiveness of GTA
BU10	Landlord-tenant dispute/issue
BU11	TSX/GTA-based companies in financial services sector

SP: Sports

SP01	Pro sports - Raptors
SP02	Pro sports – Leafs
SP03	Pro Sports - Argonauts
SP04	Pro Sports – Toronto FC (TFC)
SP05	Pro Golf (local events/local athletes)
SP06	Pro sports – other - including local events/local athletes
SP07	Curling (local events/local athletes)
SP08	Olympics – local athletes/events/organization (human rights issues go into the national security section)
SP09	Amateur sports – teams (local events/local teams)
SP10	
SP11	Amateur sports – individual performance
SP12	Amateur sports – college/university
SP13	Amateur sports – facilities
SP14	School Sports Summary
SP15	Sports personalities
SP16	Auto-Racing
SP17	Skiing
SP18	Sports and drug use
SP19	Pro-sports – Blue Jays
SP20	Other

NS: Local impact of national security/terrorism/foreign policy/foreign disasters/human rights/ Canadian soldiers/casualties

NS01	Terrorism related item-local players/local angle/local court proceedings
NS02	Foreign disaster/event affecting local community
NS03	Local response to Canada’s foreign/defence policy/international developments
NS04	Canadian military (local training and recruiting/ casualties of home-town soldiers)
NS05	Local resident abroad witnesses foreign news events
NS06	International human rights including Olympic-related protests – local activists

FP: Federal or provincial politics/initiatives – local angle

FP01	Provincial budget/Finances – local impact/local events related to it
FP02	Local provincial MPPs/candidates for MPP – activities/comments
FP03	Federal budget/Finances – local impact/local events related to it
FP04	Local federal MPs – activities/comments
FP05	Local angle/announcement on provincial policy/local visit by provincial MPP/minister
FP06	Local angle/announcement on federal policy/local visit by federal MP/minister
FP07	
FP08	Nuclear power

OT: Other – Pets, Travel, Human Interest

OT01	Pet related item (not crime or bylaw related) (Wildlife/endangered species go under EW09)
OT02	Human interest (general)
OT03	Urban life-miscellaneous
OT04	Travel – experience of local GTA residents abroad
OT05	Scientific research – excluding health and environmental research
OT06	Media ethics/practices
OT07	Local history
OT08	Other
OT09	Internet/high-tech innovations impact on human relationships (e.g. online dating, cell phones, Facebook, YouTube, social networking)/Gaming

Number of Spatial References (NoSptlRef)

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Canadian Press Stylebook consistent (CP Style)

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