

Many analysts claimed top spot in Nikkei Veritas, Extel rankings

A total of 8 of our analysts took top honors in their respective sectors in the Nikkei Veritas Popular Analysts Survey ranking for equities research. Eight of our analysts were also awarded first place in the Extel All-Japan Research Team Survey.

Analysts Voted Top in Sector of Coverage



Autos

Eiji Hakomori

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Machinery

Hirosuke Tai

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Biotechnology & Pharmaceuticals

Kazuaki Hashiguchi

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	1



OTC & Small Companies

Satoru Sekine

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas (Leisure /Entertainment)	1



Construction, Housing & Real Estate

Hideaki Teraoka

Extel	2
Nikkei Veritas	1



Technical Materials

Noritsugu Hirakawa

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Electronics/Components

Takumi Sado

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Thematic Research

Eiji Kinouchi

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Energy & Utilities

Syusaku Nishikawa

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	4



Sustainability (ESG)

Naoki Ieiri

Extel	1
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Daiwa Securities Analyst Directory

Stated rankings as of 2025 announcements.
Sector classifications based on Extel categories.



Auto Parts

Eiji Hakomori

Extel	8
Nikkei Veritas	7



Broadcasting & Media

Masayuki Abe

Extel	9
Nikkei Veritas	4



Autos

Eiji Hakomori

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Broadcasting & Media

Taro Ishihara

Extel	11
Nikkei Veritas	7



Banks

Ken Matsuda

Extel	10
Nikkei Veritas	5



Chemicals

Hidemitsu Umebayashi

Extel	4(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	3



Banks

Kohei Sakamoto

Extel	12
Nikkei Veritas	13



Construction, Housing & Real Estate

Hideaki Teraoka

Extel	2
Nikkei Veritas	1



Banks

Akira Takai

Extel	14
Nikkei Veritas	11



Construction, Housing & Real Estate

Mamoru Masumiya

Extel	10
Nikkei Veritas	4



Beverages, Food & Tobacco

Shun Igarashi

Nikkei Veritas	5
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Cosmetics & Personal Care

Katsuro Hirozumi

Extel	4(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	2



Biotechnology & Pharmaceuticals

Kazuaki Hashiguchi

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	1



Electronics/Components

Takumi Sado

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1

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Electronics/Consumer

Ayaka Inomata

Extel	7
Nikkei Veritas	5



Insurance & Other Non-Bank Financials

Kazuki Watanabe

Extel	2
Nikkei Veritas	2



Electronics/Industrial

Junji Okawa

Extel	5(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	3



IT & Software

Makoto Ueno

Extel	2
Nikkei Veritas	2



Electronics/Precision Instruments

Takeshi Fukuyama

Extel	16
Nikkei Veritas	10



Machinery

Hirosuke Tai

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Energy & Utilities

Syusaku Nishikawa

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	4



Medical Technologies & Services

Anna Kato

Extel	16
Nikkei Veritas	14



Gaming & Internet

Shingo Kumazawa

Extel	20
Nikkei Veritas	7



Medical Technologies & Services

Ei Kyoku

Extel	19
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Gaming & Internet

Kazuki Sakaguchi

Extel	9
Nikkei Veritas	9



Metals

Shinichiro Ozaki

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	3



Gaming & Internet

Marina Oyama

Extel	48
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OTC & Small Companies

Satoru Sekine

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1 (Leisure / Entertainment)

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OTC & Small Companies

Jiro Kojima

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	3



Technical Materials

Noritsugu Hirakawa

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



OTC & Small Companies

Yusuke Miura

Extel	7(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	2



Telecommunications

Kazuki Tokunaga

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	3



OTC & Small Companies

Shun Igarashi

Extel	8(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	8



Trading Companies

Masayuki Nagano

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	2



REITs

Noritaka Hobo

Extel	11
Nikkei Veritas	5



Transportation

Masayoshi Yonezawa

Extel	6
Nikkei Veritas	5



Retailing

Jun Kawahara

Extel	9
Nikkei Veritas	5



Economics

Toru Suehiro

Extel	2
Nikkei Veritas	13



Retailing

Emiri Shigeoka

Extel	15
Nikkei Veritas	10



Economics

Yutaro Suzuki

Extel	25
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Retailing

Kazunori Tsuda

Extel	11
Nikkei Veritas	14



Economics

Masatoshi Kawashima

Extel	29
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Equity Strategy

Kenji Abe

Extel	4(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	2



Quantitative Research

Masahiro Suzuki

Extel	3
Nikkei Veritas	3



Equity Strategy

Takaaki Hironaka

Extel	9
Nikkei Veritas	15



Quantitative Research

Junichi Hashimoto

Extel	4(RU)
Nikkei Veritas	4



Equity Strategy

Shunsuke Ogawa

Extel	48
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Quantitative Research

Rei Katsuragi

Extel	29
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Sustainability (ESG)

Naoki Ieiri

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	11



Quantitative Research

Ginga Nagata

Extel	28
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Sustainability (ESG)

Takahiro Tsuchiya

Extel	9
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Thematic Research

Eiji Kinouchi

Extel	1
Nikkei Veritas	1



Sustainability (ESG)

Rio Sakai

Extel	18
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