ScoutAsia Web App

User Guide

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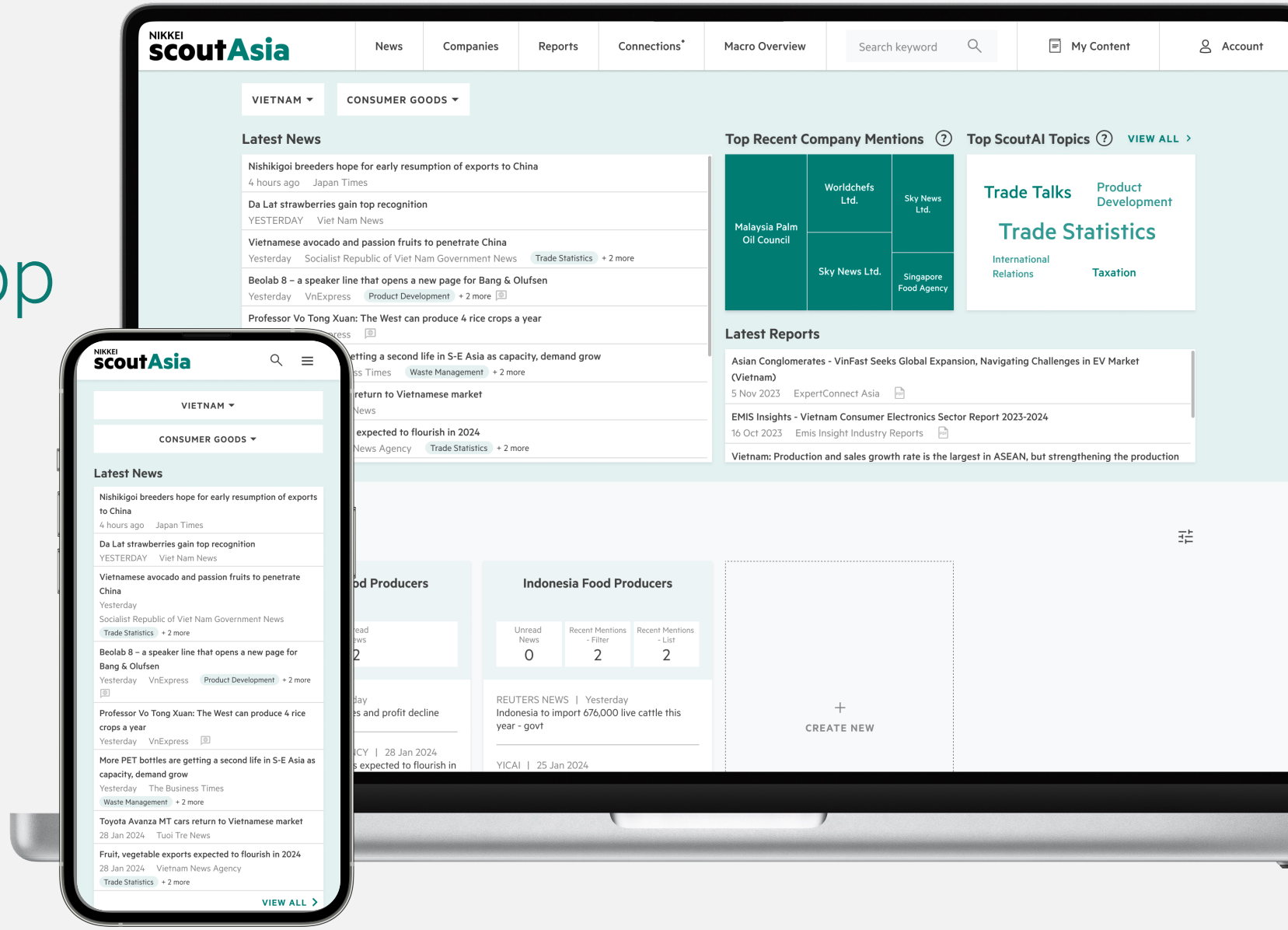

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Welcome to ScoutAsia,
Your One-stop Platform for Asian Corporate Data and News.

26
Countries & Regions

100+
Content Sources

4 million+
Companies

Comprehensive Coverage

Enjoy full access to 50+ business, financial and specialist titles

Get reliable up-to-date data for public and private companies in Singapore, Malaysia, China and Vietnam

AI-News Processing

Glance through more articles quickly with 3-point summaries

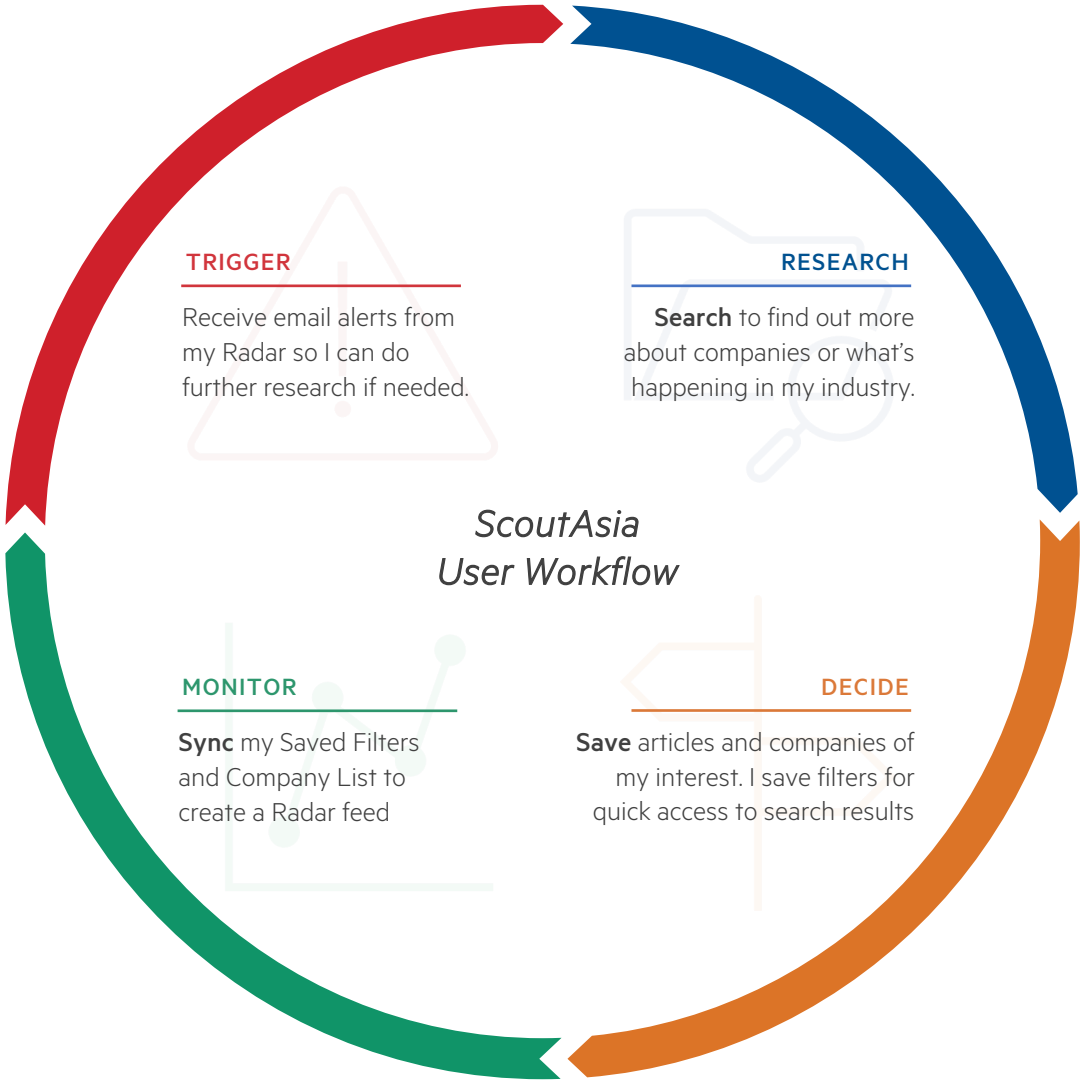
Derive insights from news with Scout AI, Company Mentions, and Locations

AI-Powered Monitoring

Receive daily emails about topics and companies you care about through Radar Alerts

Browse Trending Topics and Recommended Articles for further research and discovery

Whether you're using ScoutAsia for **Research**, **Lead Generation,** or **Monitoring,** we have designed our features to meet your needs.



Let’s log into app.scout.asia

Activate your account

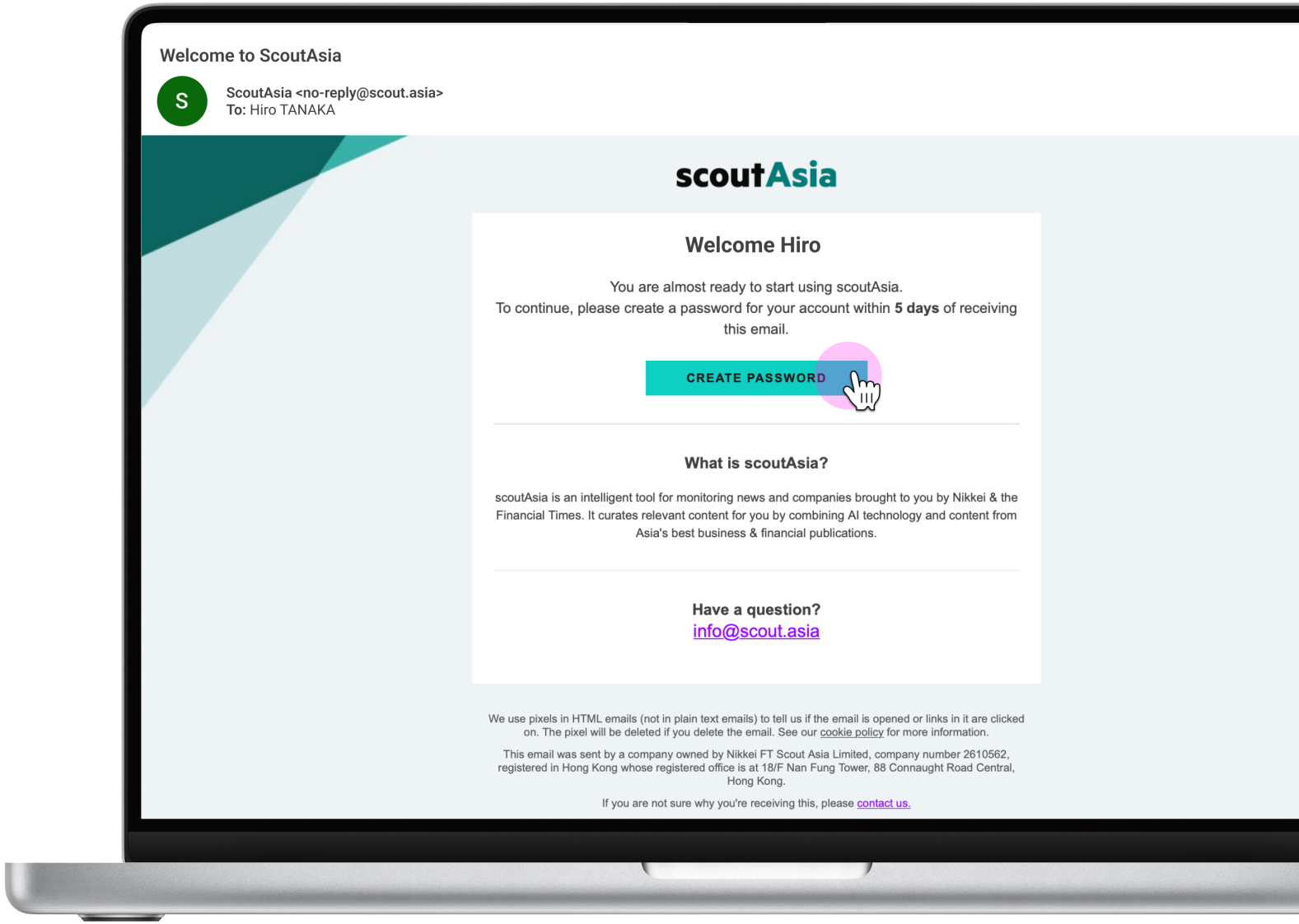
To complete account setup, click the “Create Password” button in the Welcome email.

The link is valid for **5 days** from the date the email was sent.

If you have trouble signing in, please contact our support team at support@scout.asia for assistance.

Supported browsers

We support the latest version of Chrome, Firefox, Edge and Safari.



ScoutAsia at a Glance

1. **Search & Browse News**

   View news on ScoutAsia and use the filters to refine your search criteria

2. **Search & Browse Companies**

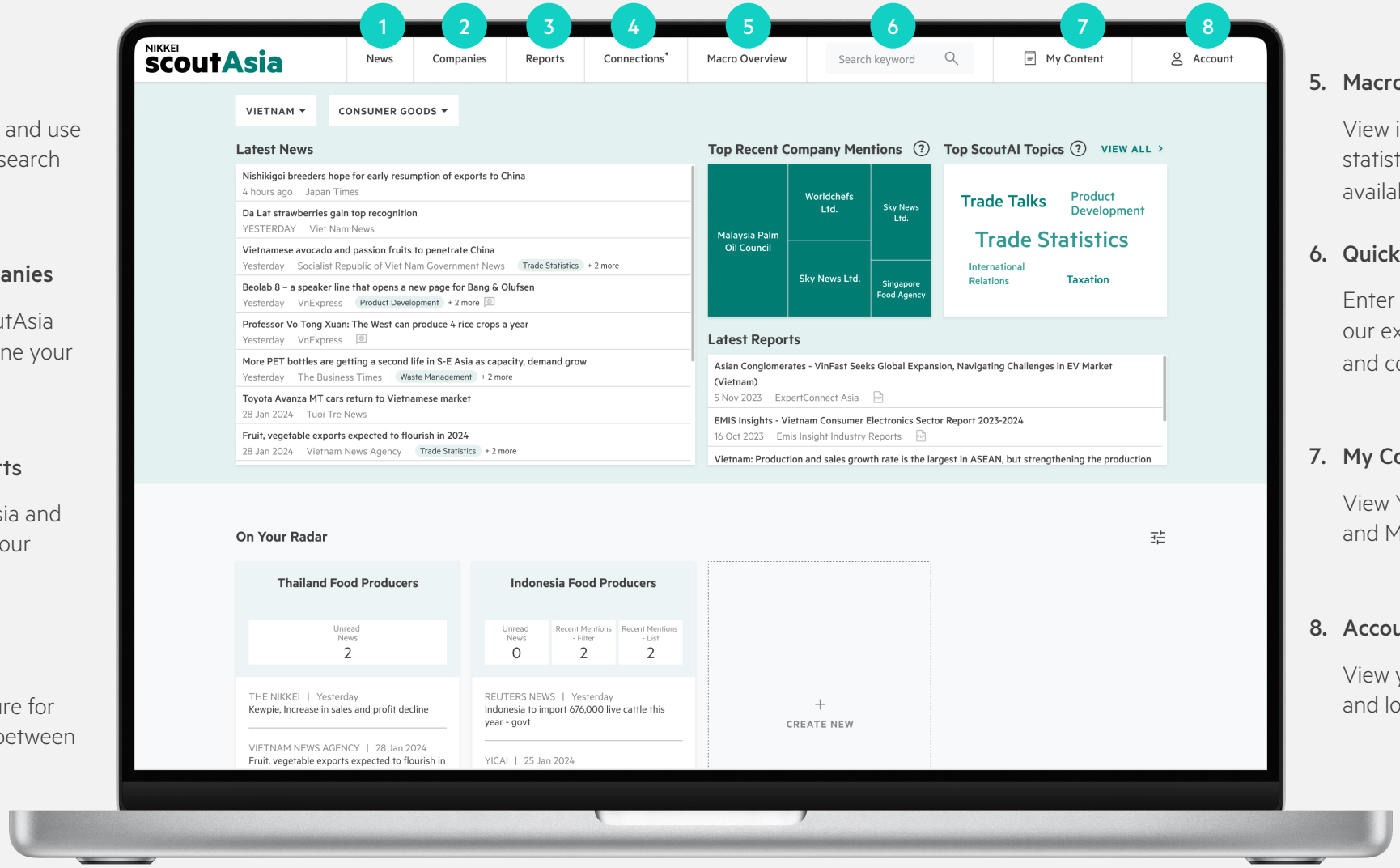
   View companies on ScoutAsia and use the filters to refine your company search criteria

3. **Search & Browse Reports**

   View reports on ScoutAsia and use the filters to refine your search criteria

4. **Connections+**

   A premium add-on feature for visualising connections between businesses.



5. **Macro Overview**

   View information and macro statistics of countries and regions available on ScoutAsia.

6. **Quick Search**

   Enter words to search through our extensive database of news and company profiles.

7. **My Content**

   View Your Radar, Saved Items, and Manage your Email Alerts

8. **Account**

   View your Account Details, FAQs and log out.

Need help?

Learn more

Get detailed guidance and explore how various features within ScoutAsia can support your day-to-day needs be it for Research, Lead Generation, or Monitoring.

FAQ

Find answers to Frequently Asked Questions on the webapp.

Email Us

Need to speak to someone? Please don't hesitate to contact our Support and Customer Success teams directly or email us at support@scout.asia.

Discover

Search

Save

Monitor

with ScoutAsia

Use the links below to view relevant sections of the guide, based on what you're using ScoutAsia for.

I am using ScoutAsia to...

RESEARCH

Refer to **Discover** to get an overview of what's in ScoutAsia

Refer to **Search** to see how you can use ScoutAsia's search tools to find what you want

Refer to **Save** to see how you can keep news, company profiles, or search filters handy for your projects

GENERATE LEADS

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Discover

Access & explore what's in ScoutAsia

- Landing Page
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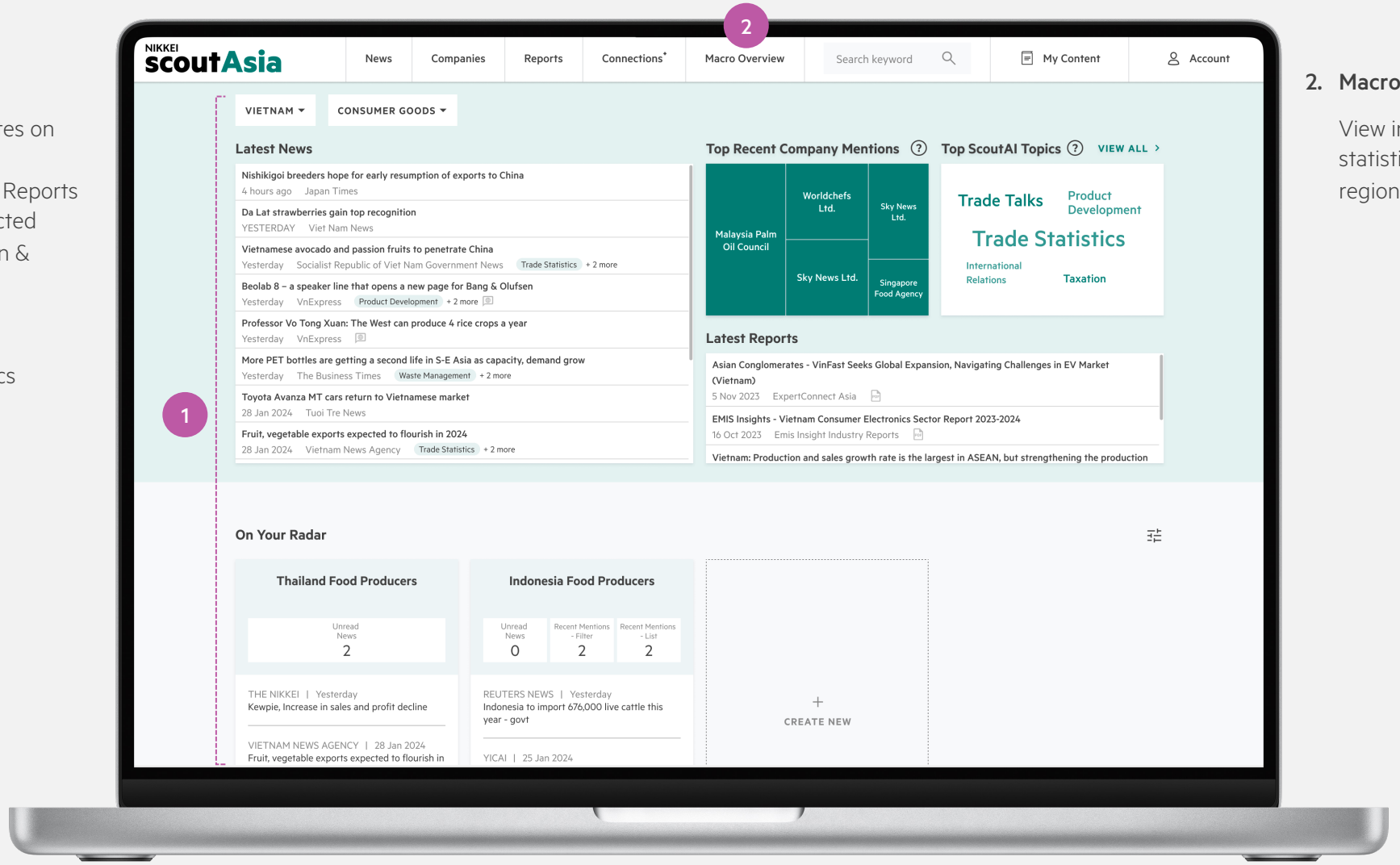
Discovering Data & Content in ScoutAsia

1. **Landing Page**

   Access your latest updates on ScoutAsia:

   - Latest News & Reports from your selected Country/Region & Sector
   - On Your Radar
   - Quick Access
   - Trending Topics

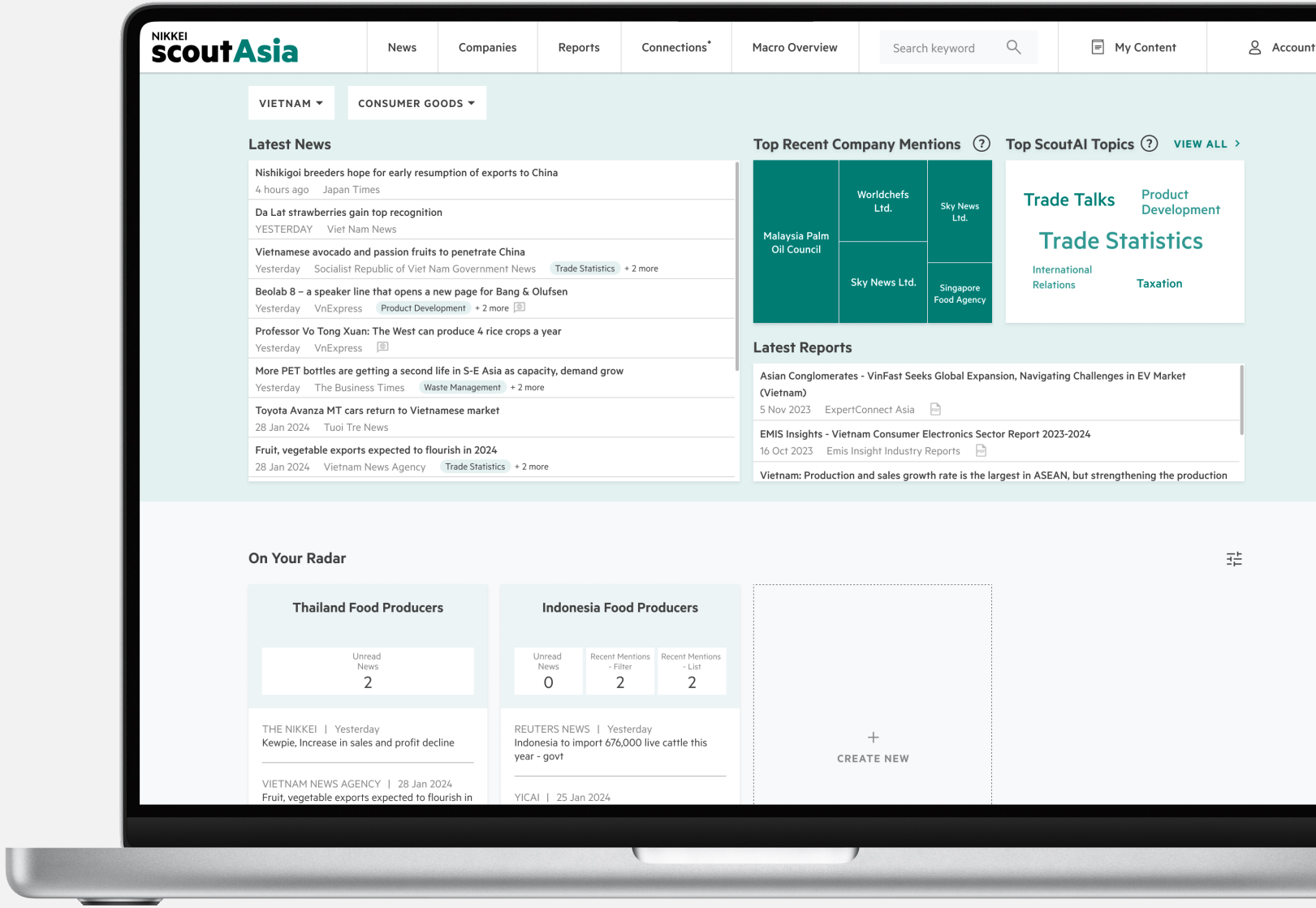


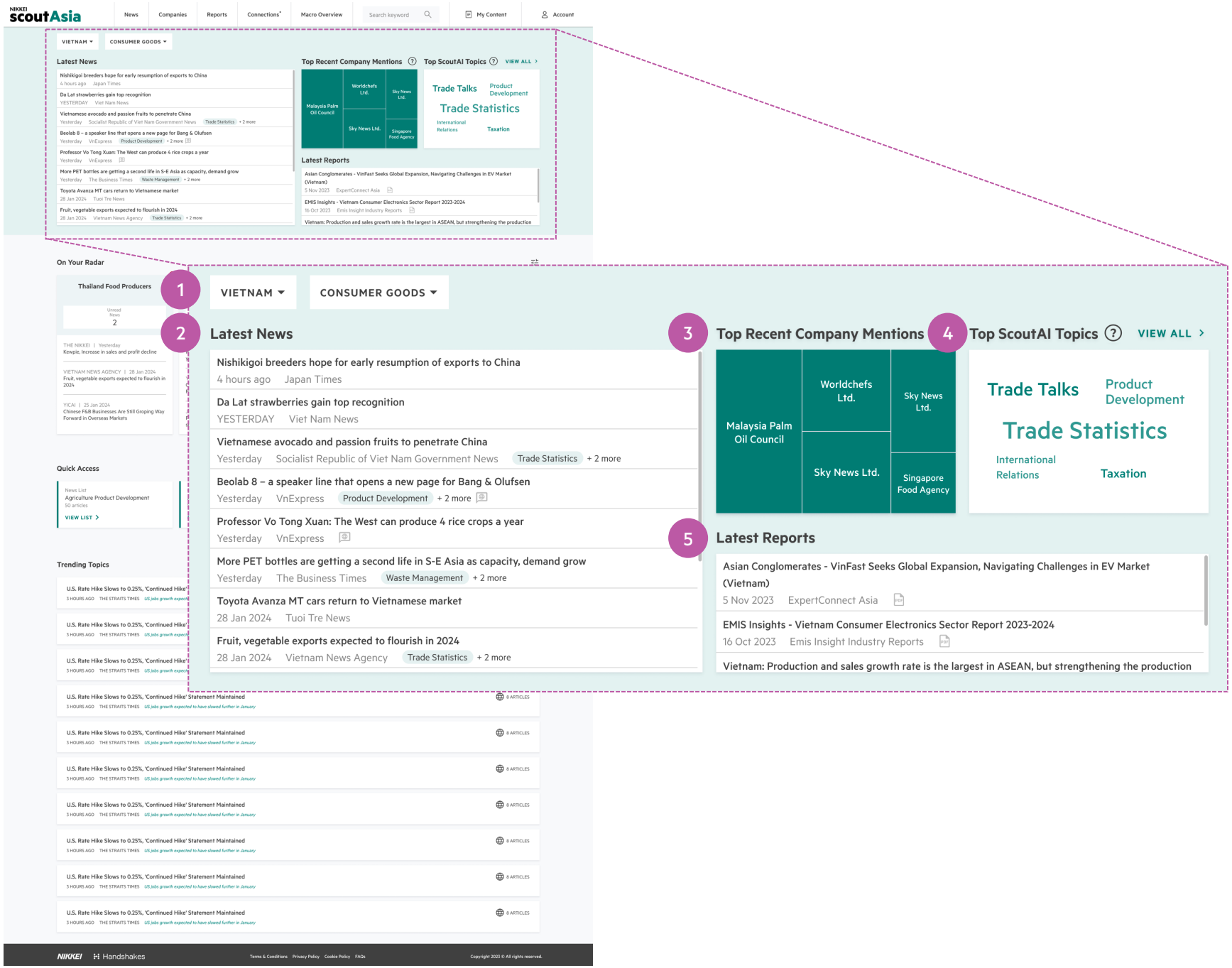
2. **Macro Overview**

   View information and macro statistics of countries and regions.

Landing Page

- **Latest News & Reports** from your selected Country/Region & Sector
- **On Your Radar** brings you updates on what you are monitoring
- **Quick Access** brings you to selected Saved Items (Lists & Filters)
- View the top 10 most widely-reported topics across sources with AI-powered **Trending Topics**





Latest News & Reports from Selected Country/Region & Sector

Get Latest News and insights based on your selected Country/Region and Sector combination.

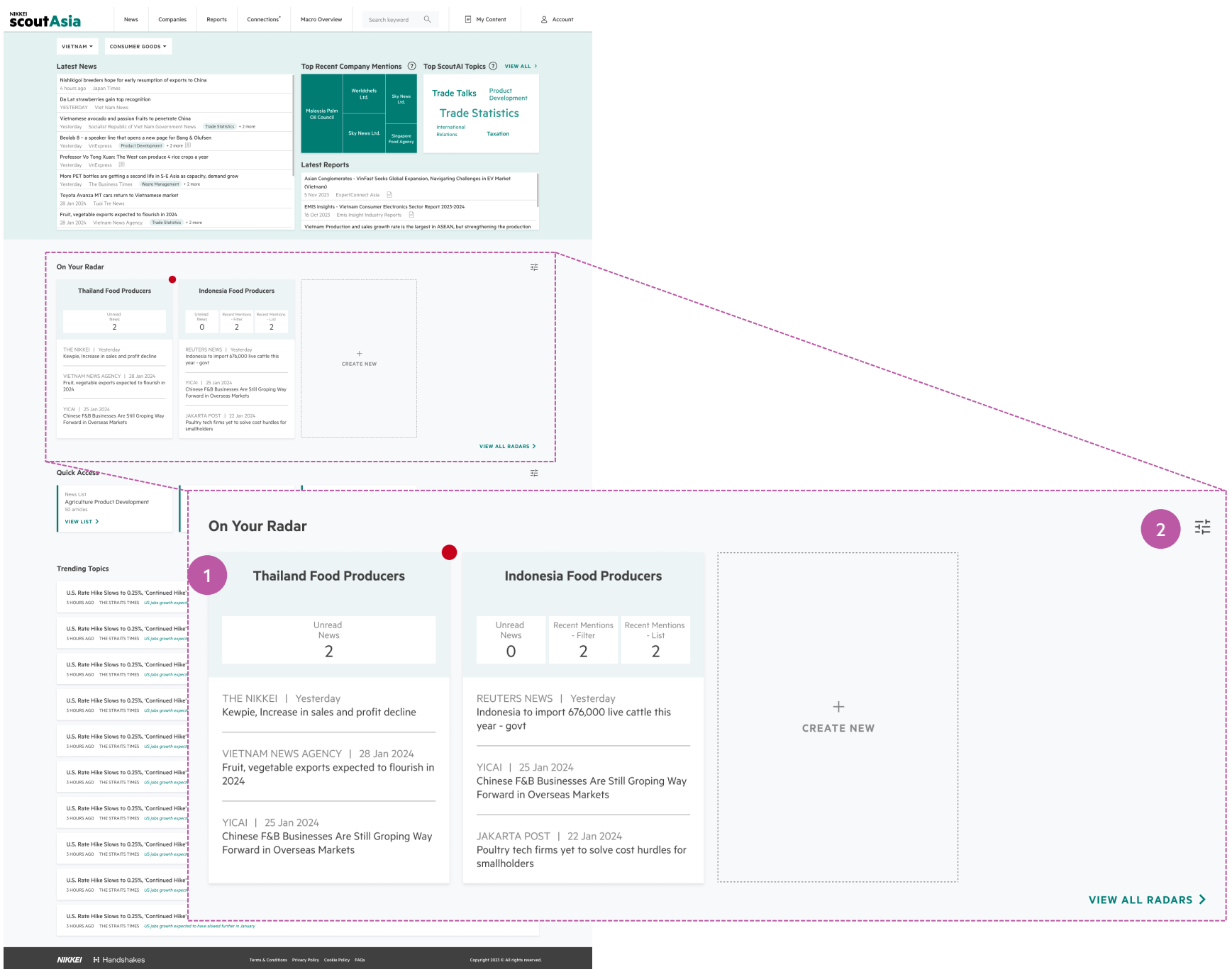
1. **Country/Region & Sector Selector**
   Select a country/region and sector to view its related news and insights.

2. **Latest News**
   View latest headlines and click through to the article; or click on your desired publisher or ScoutAI Topics to add more definition to your News Search criteria.

3. **Top Recent Company Mentions**
   View top recent company mentions derived from the latest news.

4. **Top ScoutAI Topics**
   View top ScoutAI Topic mentions derived from the latest news.

5. **Latest Reports**
   View all latest reports filtered by your selected country/region and sector.



On Your Radar

On Your Radar brings you the latest updates from what you have set up for monitoring. Click here to learn more about Radar.

1. **Radar Card**
   For each Radar on the landing page, you can view:

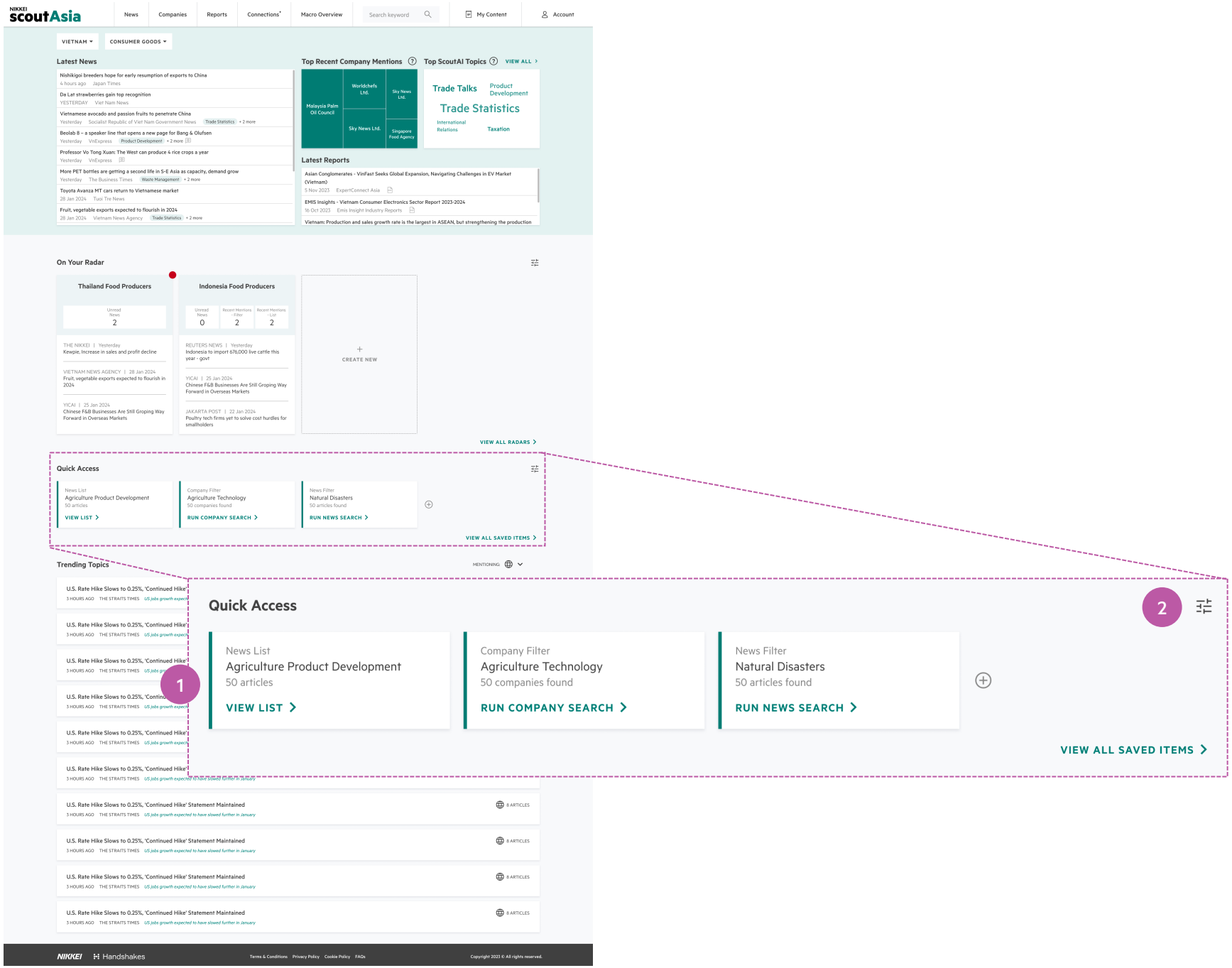
   - **Unread News:**
     The number of unread news since your last visit to the Radar

   - **Recent Mentions:** The number of companies in the Radar mentioned in the news today
     - **Company List:** Based on companies saved by you
     - **Company Filter:** Based on companies from filter criteria set up by you

   - **Latest Headlines:**
     The latest news headlines to date

2. **Choose Important Radar to display**
   Click the Settings button to select which Radar to be displayed on the landing page, up to 12

Tip Quickly create a Radar from the landing page by clicking “Create New”



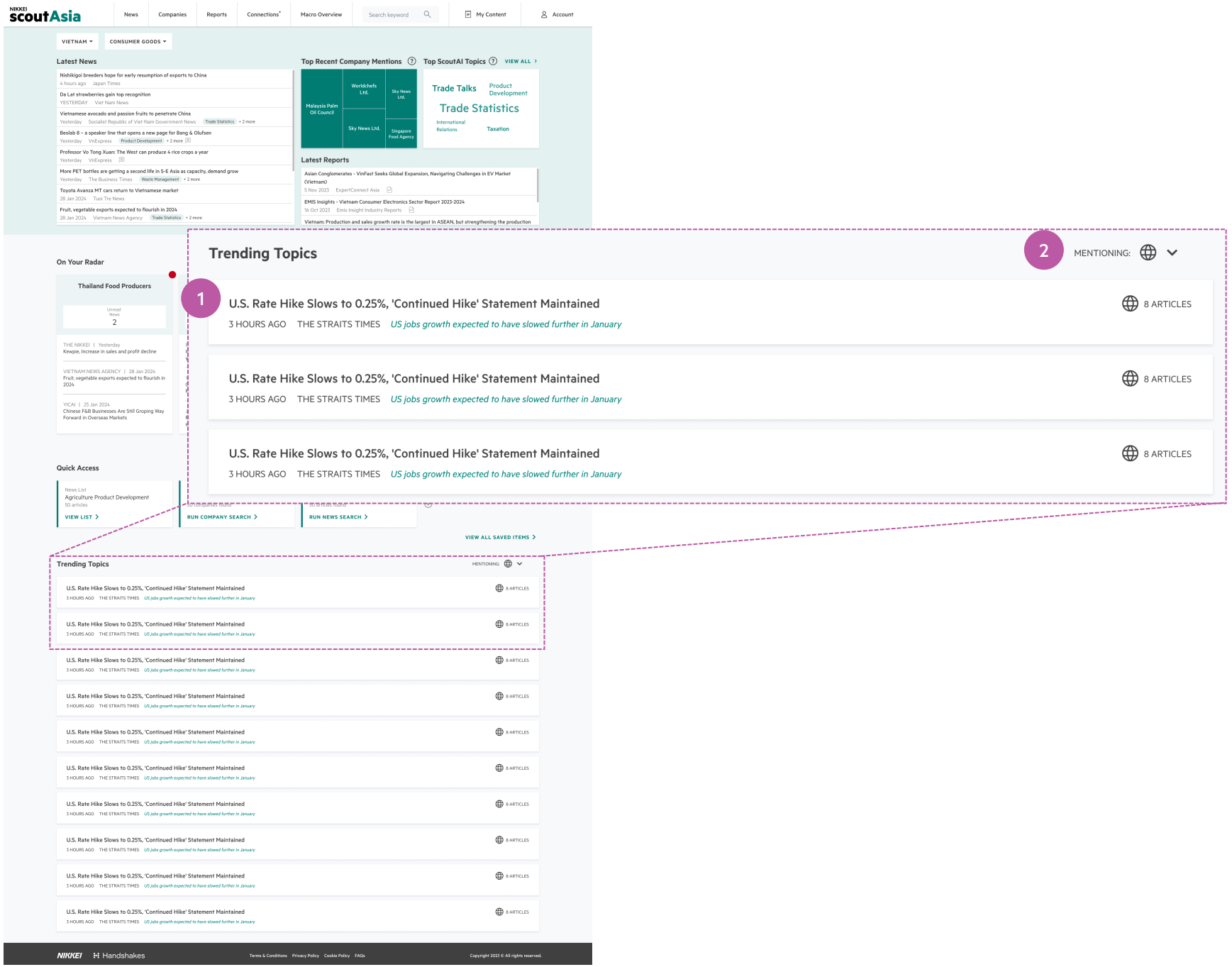
Quick Access

Quickly access your favourite Saved Items from the landing page. Click here to learn more about Saved Items.

1. **Saved Items – View Details**
   Get shortcuts to view your Lists and/or Filter Pages in Saved Items.

2. **Saved Items – Special Actions**
   This is a shortcut to
   - **Company List:** View news mentioning companies in the list
   - **Company Filter:** Run the search and get the latest result
   - **News List:** View the detail page of the news list
   - **News Filter:** Run the search and get the latest result

3. **Choose which Saved Items you want to see**
   Click the settings button to select which Saved Items to be displayed. You can choose up to 12 Saved Items of any type.



Trending Topics

Trending Topics showcases the Top 10 most widely-reported topics across the sources.

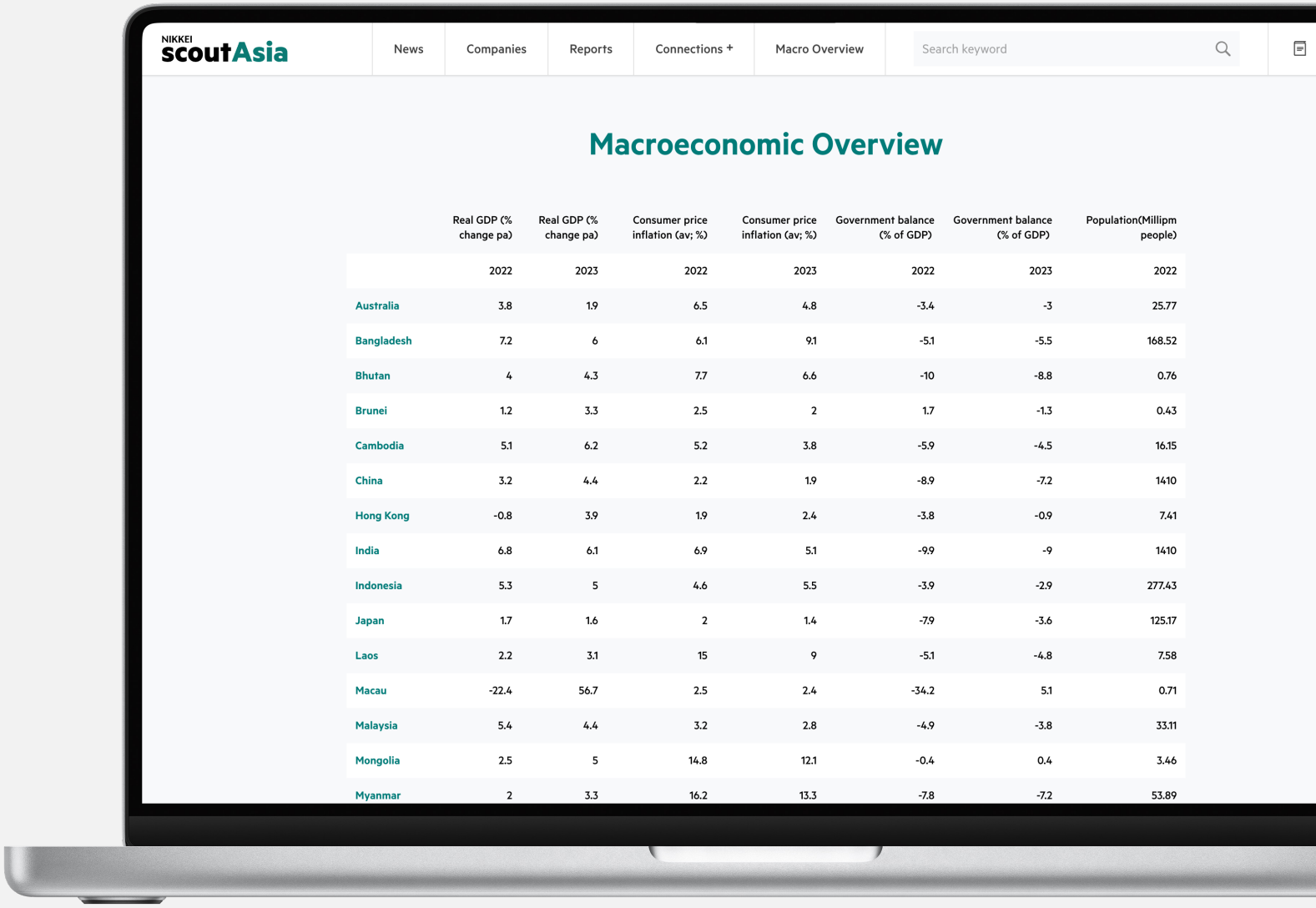
The list is curated by our AI technology and updated every hour.

1. **Topic Cluster**
   Click into a topic cluster to view all articles related to the topic.

2. **Country/Region Mention Filter**
   Filter trending topics by the mentions of a selected country/region. Clusters will contain articles that contain majority of articles mentioning it.

Macro Overview

Get a macroeconomic overview of the various countries/regions on ScoutAsia. Click on the country/region of your interest to view Country/Region & Sector Insights.



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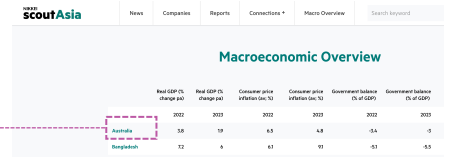
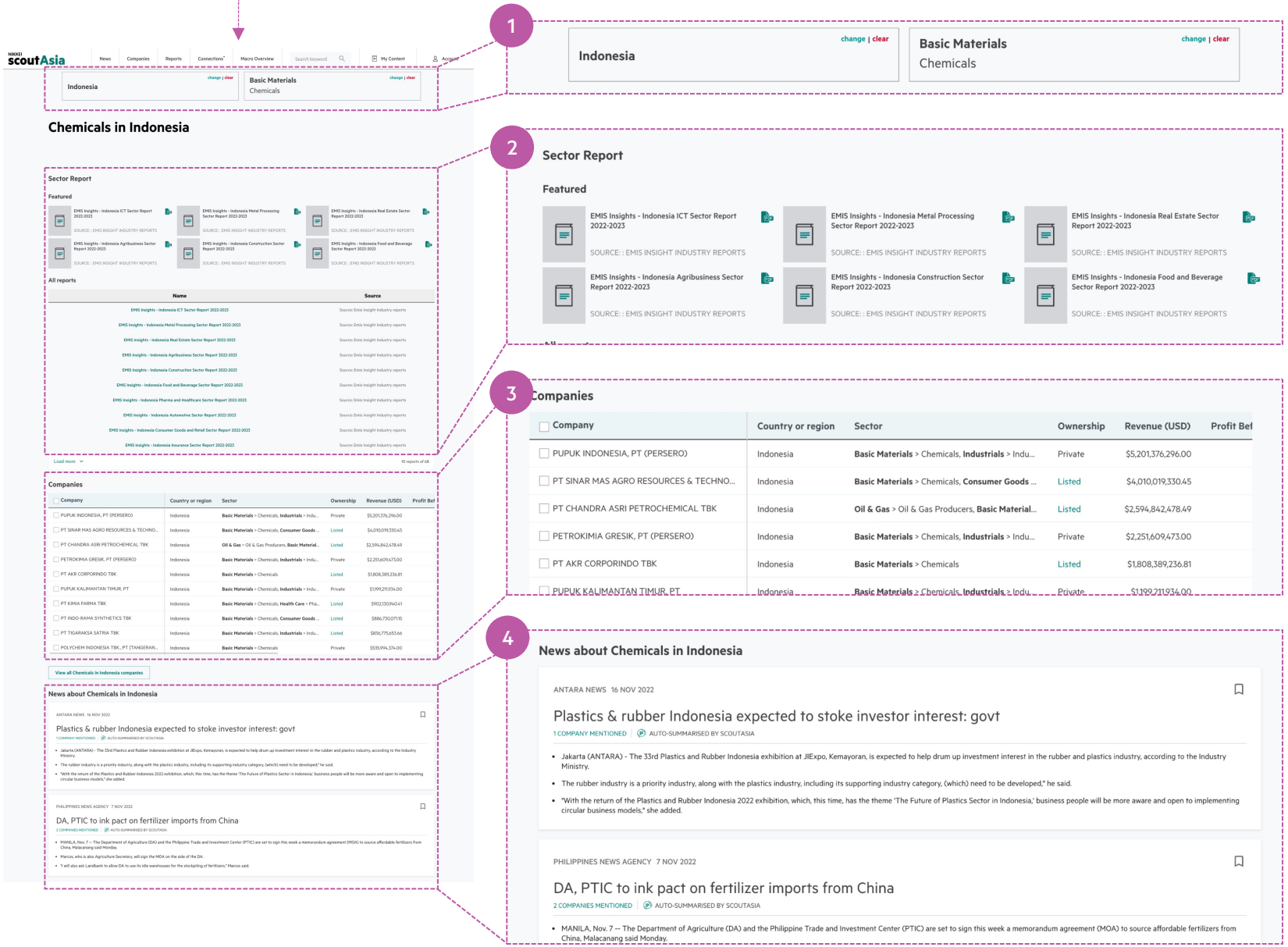
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
Australia	3.8	1.9	6.5	4.8	-3.4	-3	25.77
Bangladesh	7.2	6	6.1	9.1	-5.1	-5.5	168.52
Bhutan	4	4.3	7.7	6.6	-10	-8.8	0.76
Brunei	1.2	3.3	2.5	2	1.7	-1.3	0.43
Cambodia	5.1	6.2	5.2	3.8	-5.9	-4.5	16.15
China	3.2	4.4	2.2	1.9	-8.9	-7.2	1410
Hong Kong	-0.8	3.9	1.9	2.4	-3.8	-0.9	7.41
India	6.8	6.1	6.9	5.1	-9.9	-9	1410
Indonesia	5.3	5	4.6	5.5	-3.9	-2.9	277.43
Japan	1.7	1.6	2	1.4	-7.9	-3.6	125.17
Laos	2.2	3.1	15	9	-5.1	-4.8	7.58
Macau	-22.4	56.7	2.5	2.4	-34.2	5.1	0.71
Malaysia	5.4	4.4	3.2	2.8	-4.9	-3.8	33.11
Mongolia	2.5	5	14.8	12.1	-0.4	0.4	3.46
Myanmar	2	3.3	16.2	13.3	-7.8	-7.2	53.89



Access Countries & Regions & Sectors Insights from Macroeconomic Overview



Country/Region & Sector Insights

1. **Country/Region & Sector Selector**
   You can look into a country/region, sector, or both by selecting your desired combination.

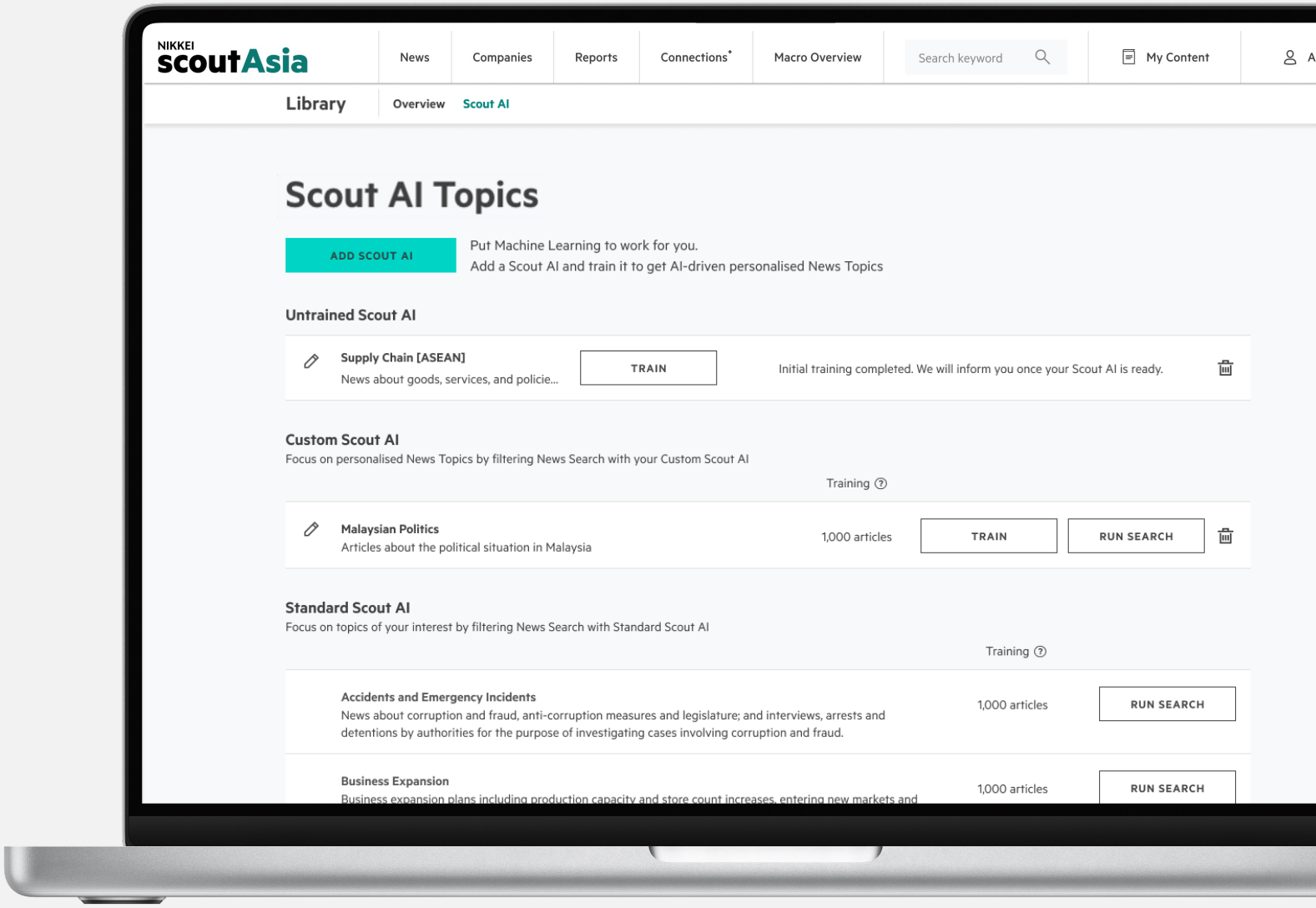
2. **Sector Reports**
   Shows a list of reports relating to your selection.

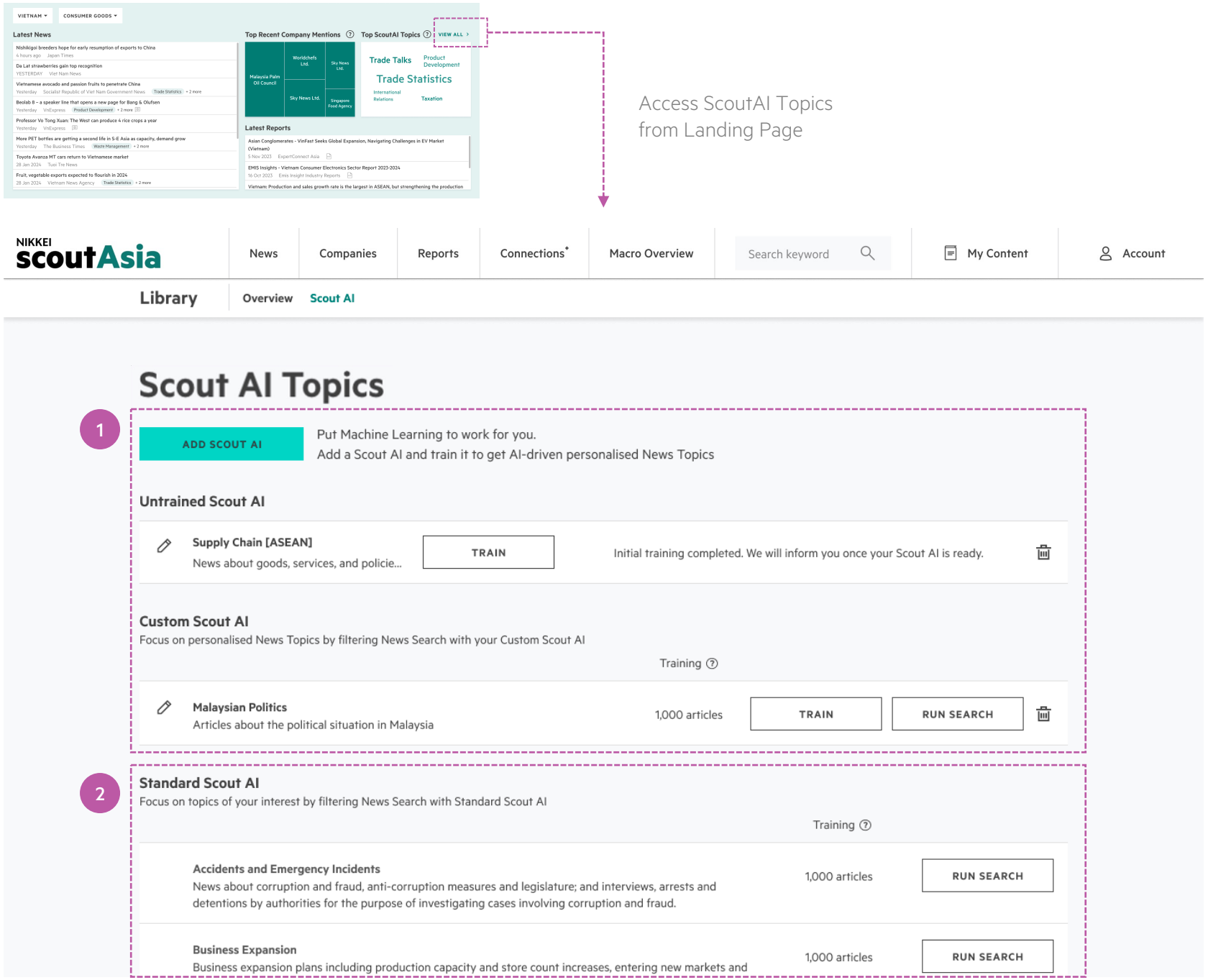
3. **Companies**
   Shows a list of companies relating to your selection.

4. **News**
   Shows the latest news relating to your selection.

Scout AI Topics

Scout AI Topics is an AI-driven tagging capability to enable efficient news search and monitoring.





ScoutAI Topics

ScoutAI Topics uses machine learning to monitor news and assigns tags when it finds relevant content. It can recognise articles about a topic even if specific keywords are not present.

1. **Custom ScoutAI**
   Create your own AI-driven personalised News Topics by creating your own Scout AI and training it using articles on ScoutAsia.

   For further assistance, reach out to your Sales Representative or support@scout.asia

2. **Standard ScoutAI**
   From Blockchain to Petrochemicals, ScoutAsia has over 50 news topics to help you focus on topics of your interest.

   To view the latest articles in a topic, click “Run Search”. You will be taken to the News Search page, where you can further drill down on the topic by combining the ScoutAI with our search filters.

Tip Learn the technology behind how Standard ScoutAI works in Tips & Tricks.

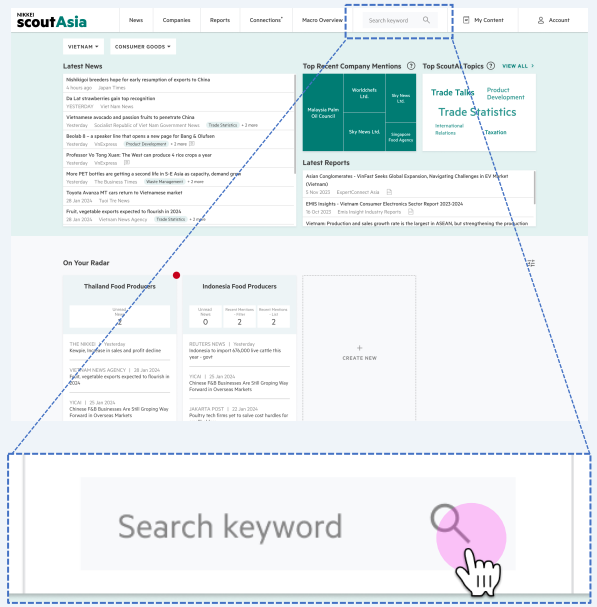
Search

Use ScoutAsia's search tools to find what you want

- Quick Search
- Company Search
- News Search

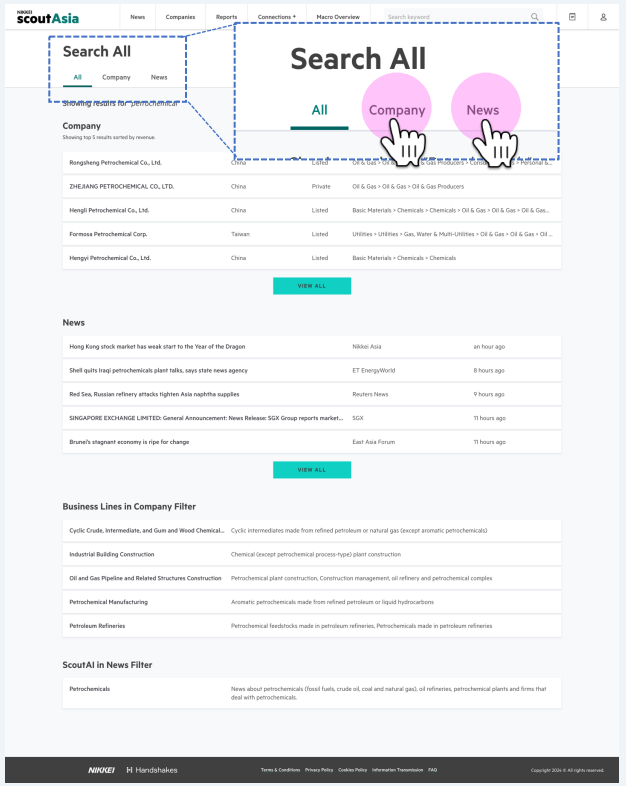
Searching on ScoutAsia

1 Quickly search using keywords



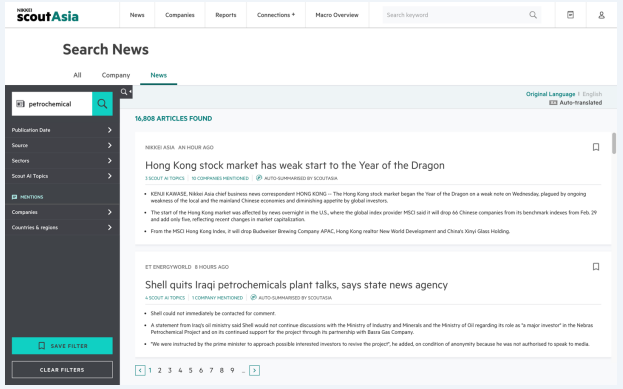
Use the **Quick Search** Bar to begin your search using a keyword.

2 Get results across ScoutAsia

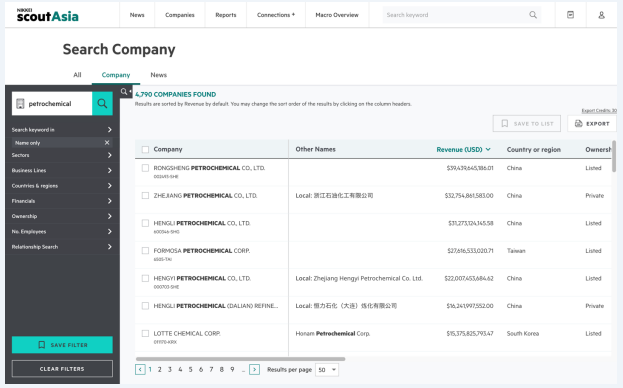


The **Search All Results Page** brings you to the top relevant results across ScoutAsia's news and companies database.

3 Dive deeper into Companies & News



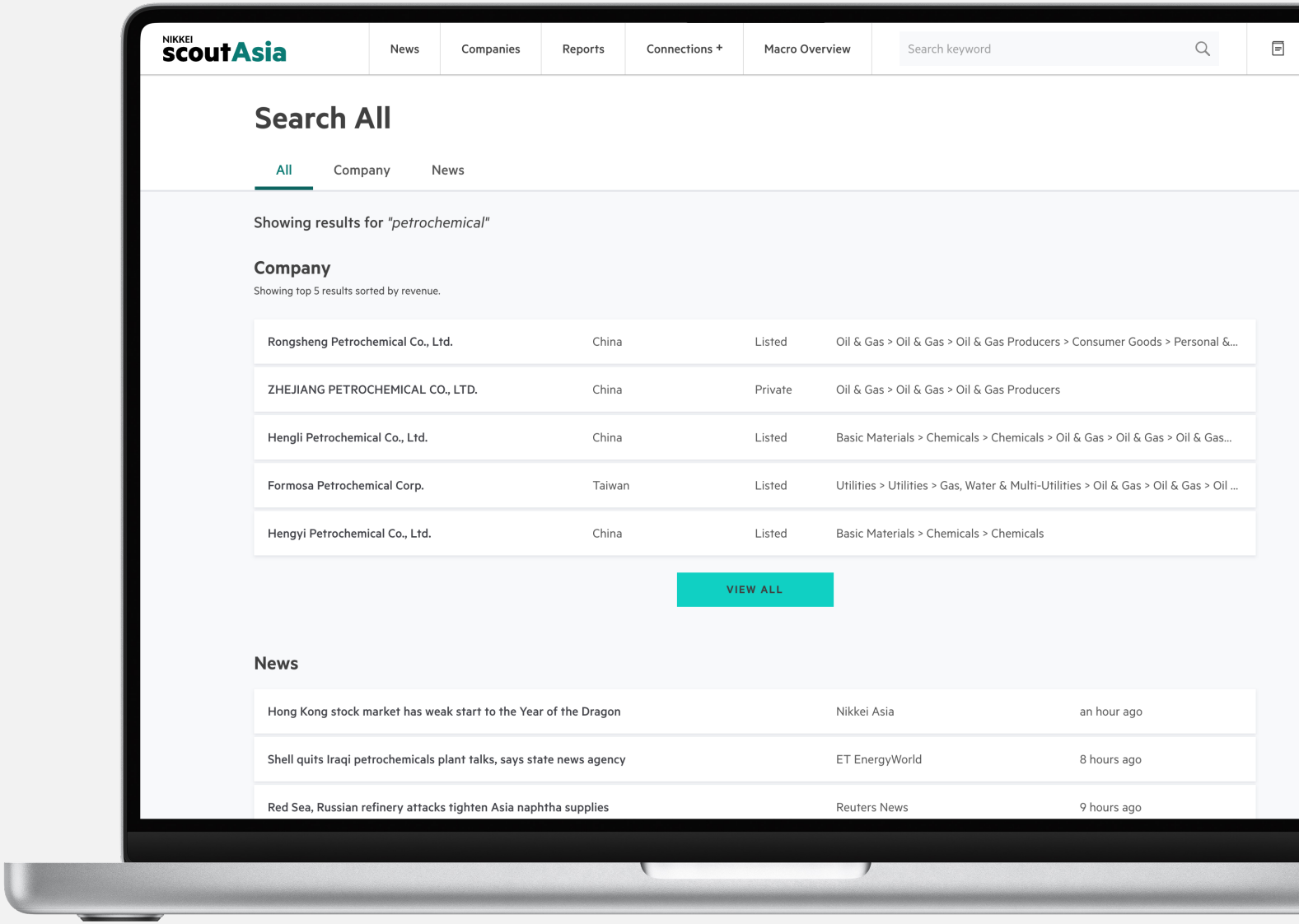
Go to the **News Search** tab to further focus your news results using ScoutAsia's news filters.

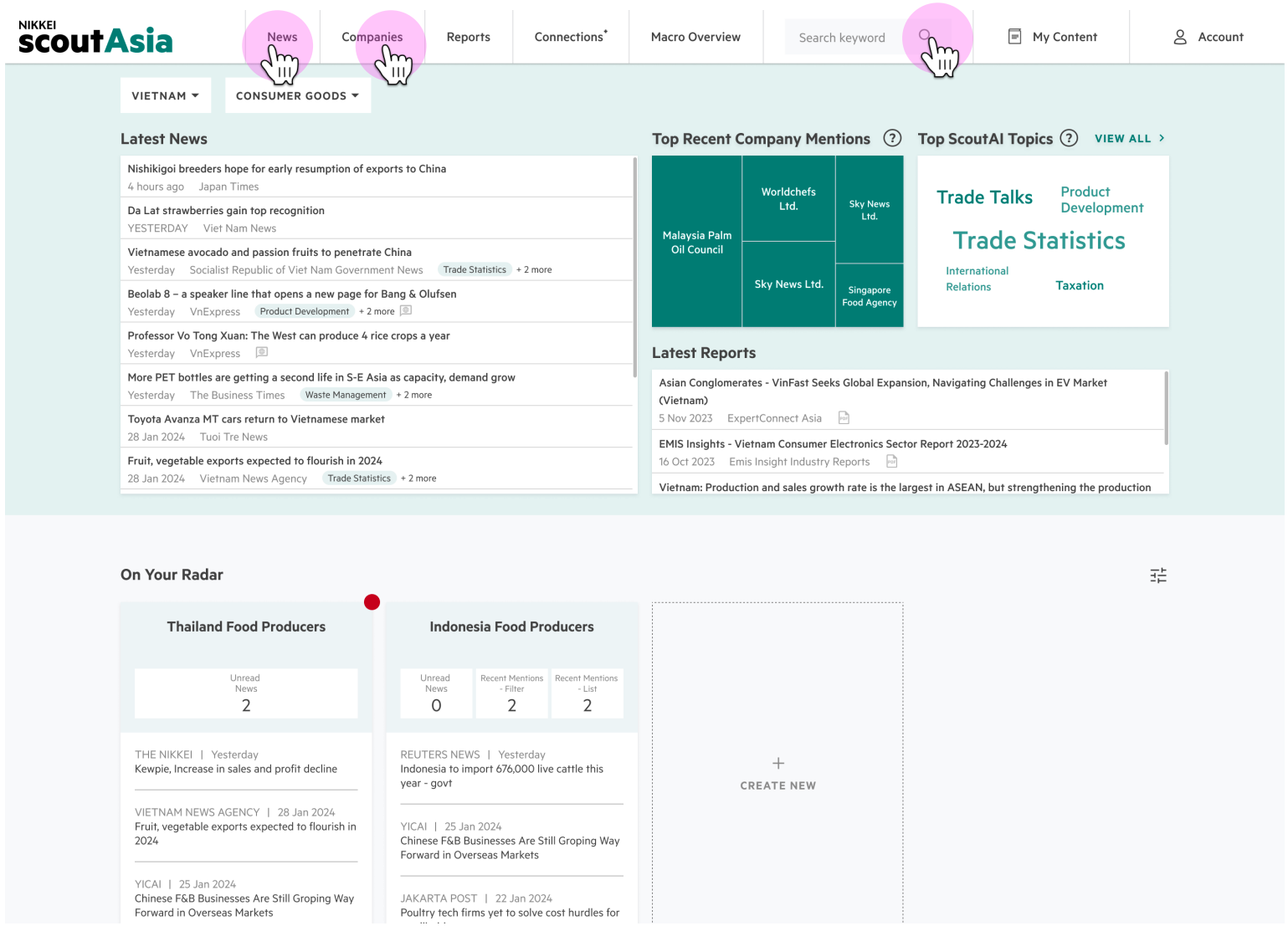


Go to the **Company Search** tab to discover companies using ScoutAsia's company filters.

Quick Search

- Search News & Companies all at once
- Do a straightforward initial search – no need to decide your filters upfront





Access Search Quickly from Anywhere

Keyword Quick Search

Entering a keyword on the main navigation allows you to search across both News and Companies at the same time.

Search News

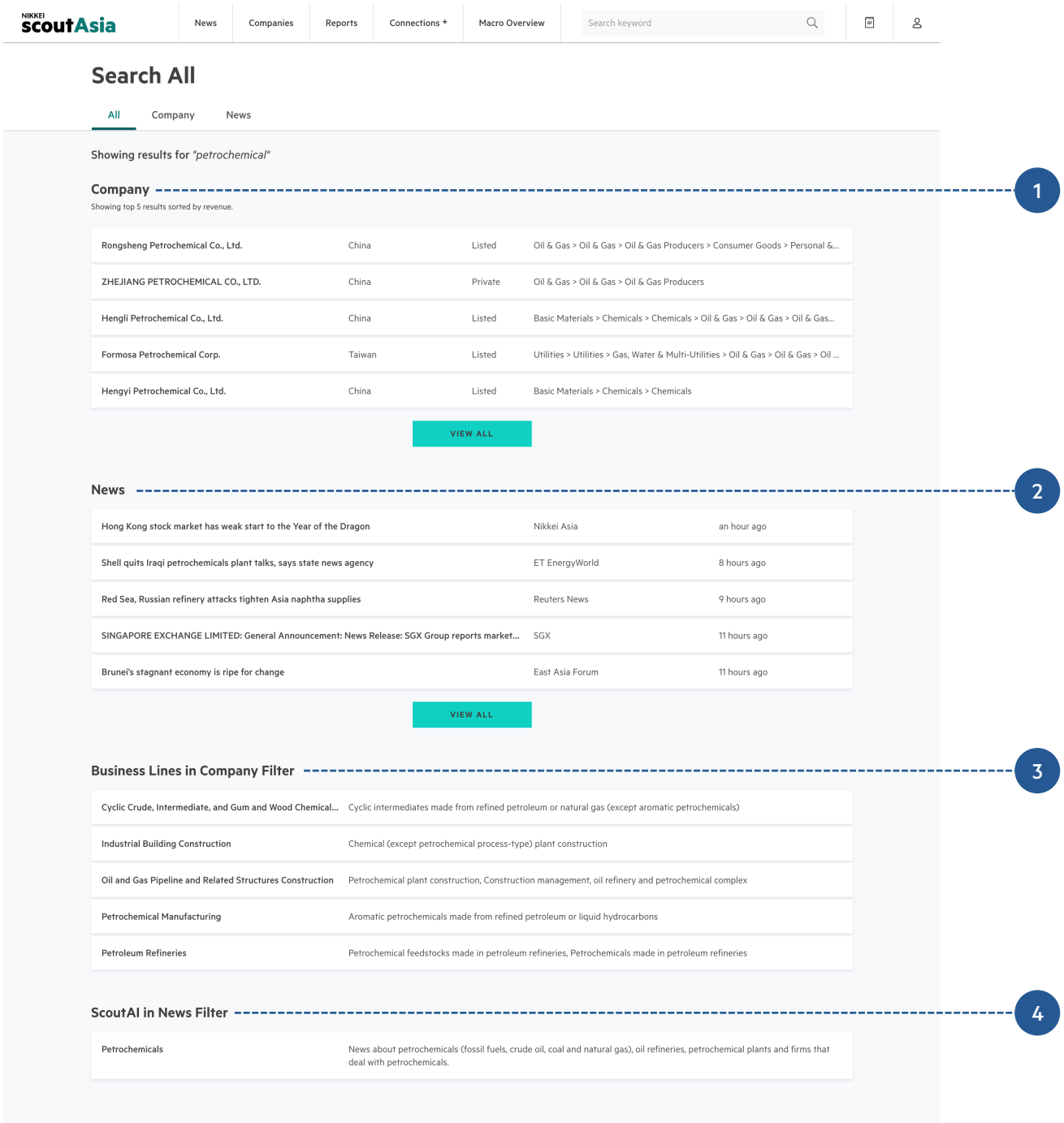
Access News Search quickly through clicking on “News” on the main navigation bar.

Search Companies

Access Company Search quickly through clicking on “Companies” on the main navigation bar.

Search Reports

Access Reports Search quickly through clicking on “Reports” on the main navigation bar. This filters the News search sources to Reports only.



'Search All' Results Page

When you use a keyword search on the main navigation bar, you will be taken to the 'Search All' results page.

1. **Company Results**
   Shows the top 5 Companies with names matching your entered search term, sorted by revenue. Click on "View All" to see all results in the Company Search Results page.

2. **News Results**
   Shows the top 5 latest news articles matching your entered search term. Click on "View All" to see all results in the News Search Results page.

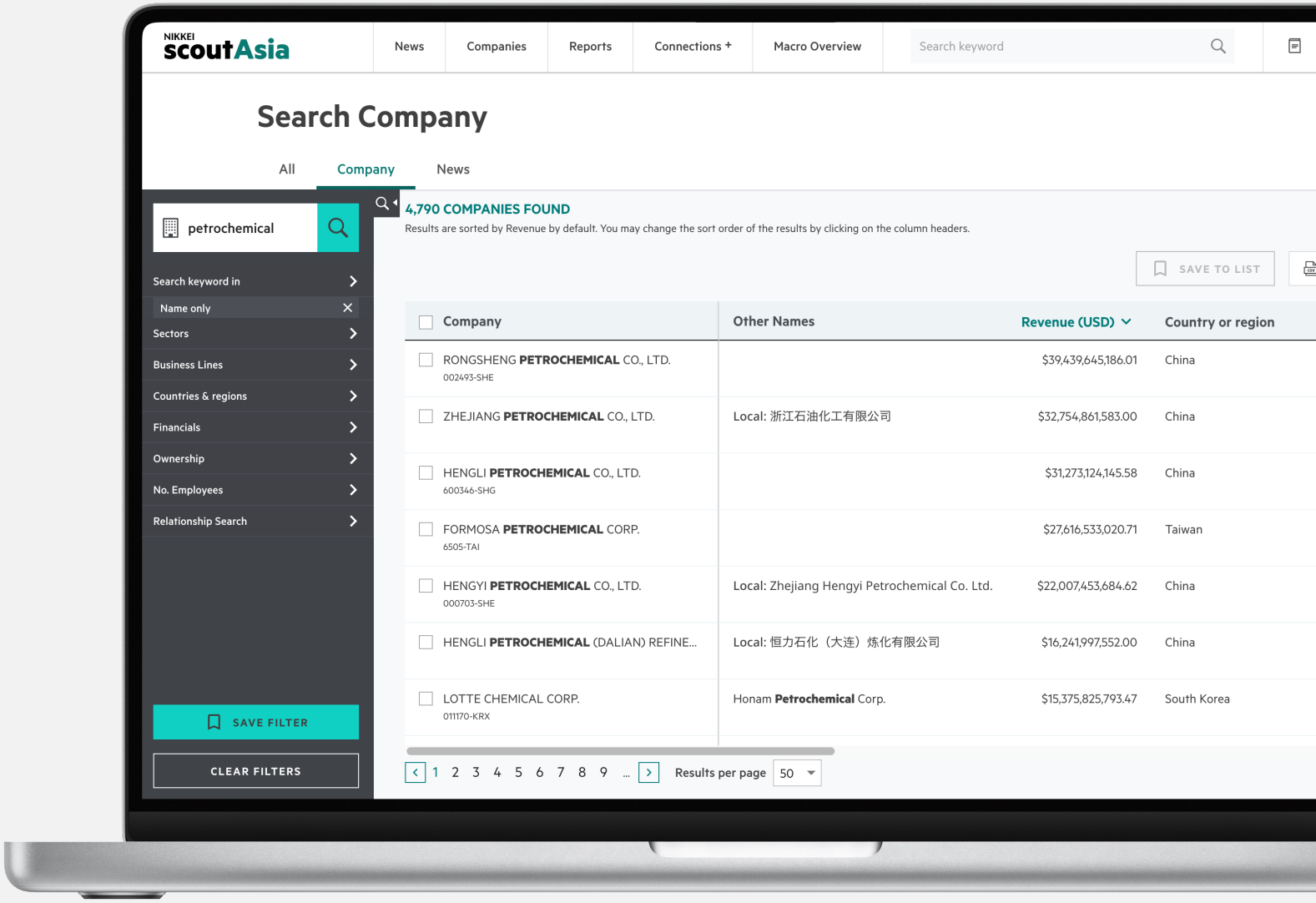
3. **Business Lines in Company Filter**
   Surfaces Business Lines that match your search term. Click on a Business Line to view companies matching this Company Search filter.

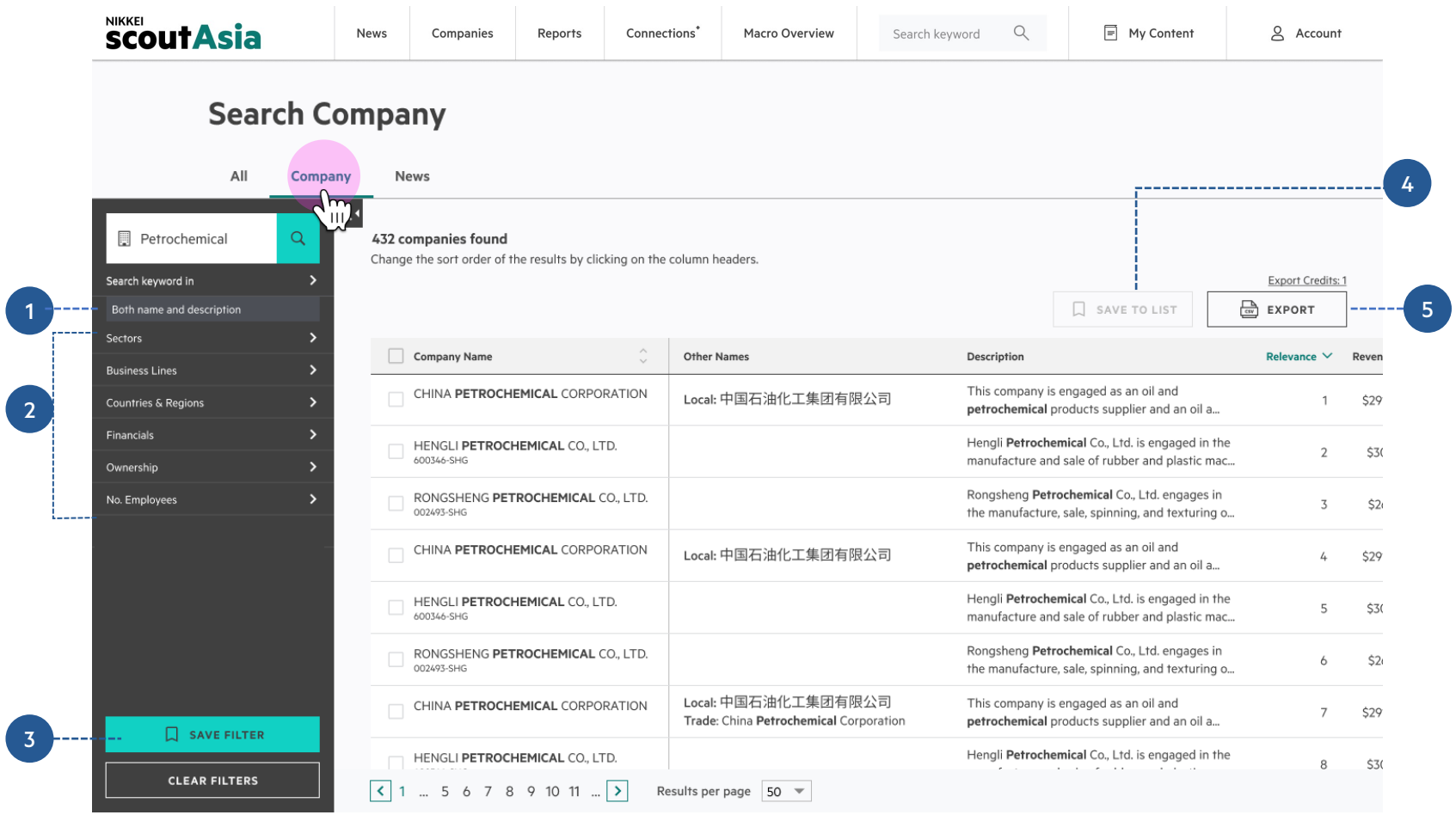
4. **ScoutAI in News Filter**
   Surfaces ScoutAI that matches your search term. Click on a ScoutAI to view news matching this News Search filter.

Tip Learn how to use Business Lines, ScoutAI and other filters to get better results

Company Search

ScoutAsia brings you a comprehensive database of public and private companies in Asia. Our quality data sources include Bureau Van Dijk, CreditSafe, FactSet, FiinGroup (Vietnam) and Venture Intelligence (India).





Company Search Results Page

Results are sorted by Revenue by default. Change the sort order of the results by clicking on column headers.

1. **Search Keyword in**
   Search your selected keyword in Company name, or description, or both.
   (Note: this searches Company name by default)

2. **Advanced Filters**
   Further define your results by using the advanced filtering options.

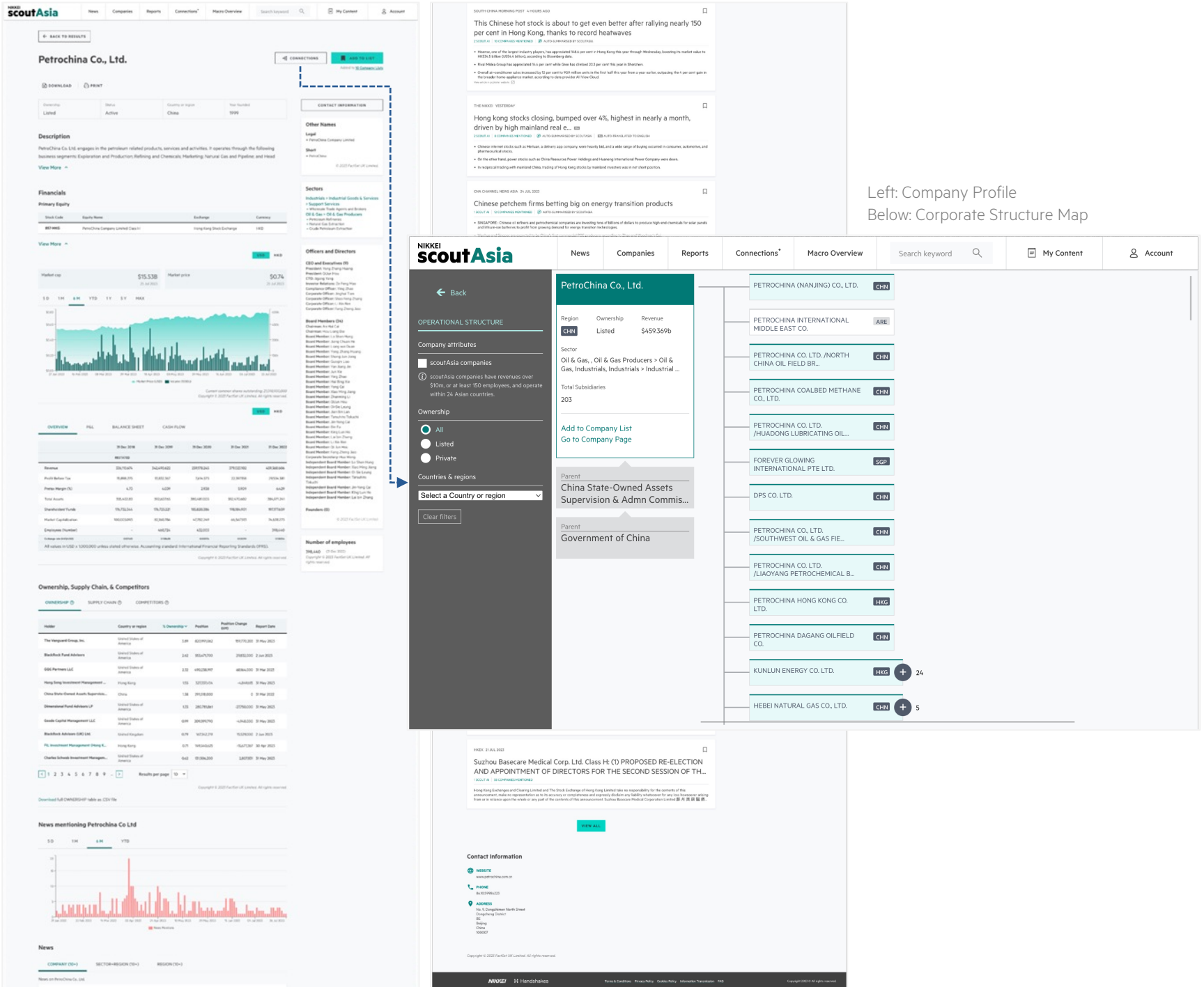
3. **Save Filter**
   Save your Company Search to run searches with your preferred filter settings again. Learn more about Company Filters here.

4. **Save to List**
   Select Companies to save to a Company List to refer to again later, or monitor. Learn more about Company Lists here.

5. **Export**
   Select up to 100 companies to export and download as a CSV file.
   Each download will deduct 1 export credit.

Tip Learn how to get better results using filters.

Company Profiles



Left: Company Profile
Below: Corporate Structure Map

From the "Add to" button on the top right, you can add the company to a Company List. Click here to find out more about Company Lists.

A Company Profile provides you with:

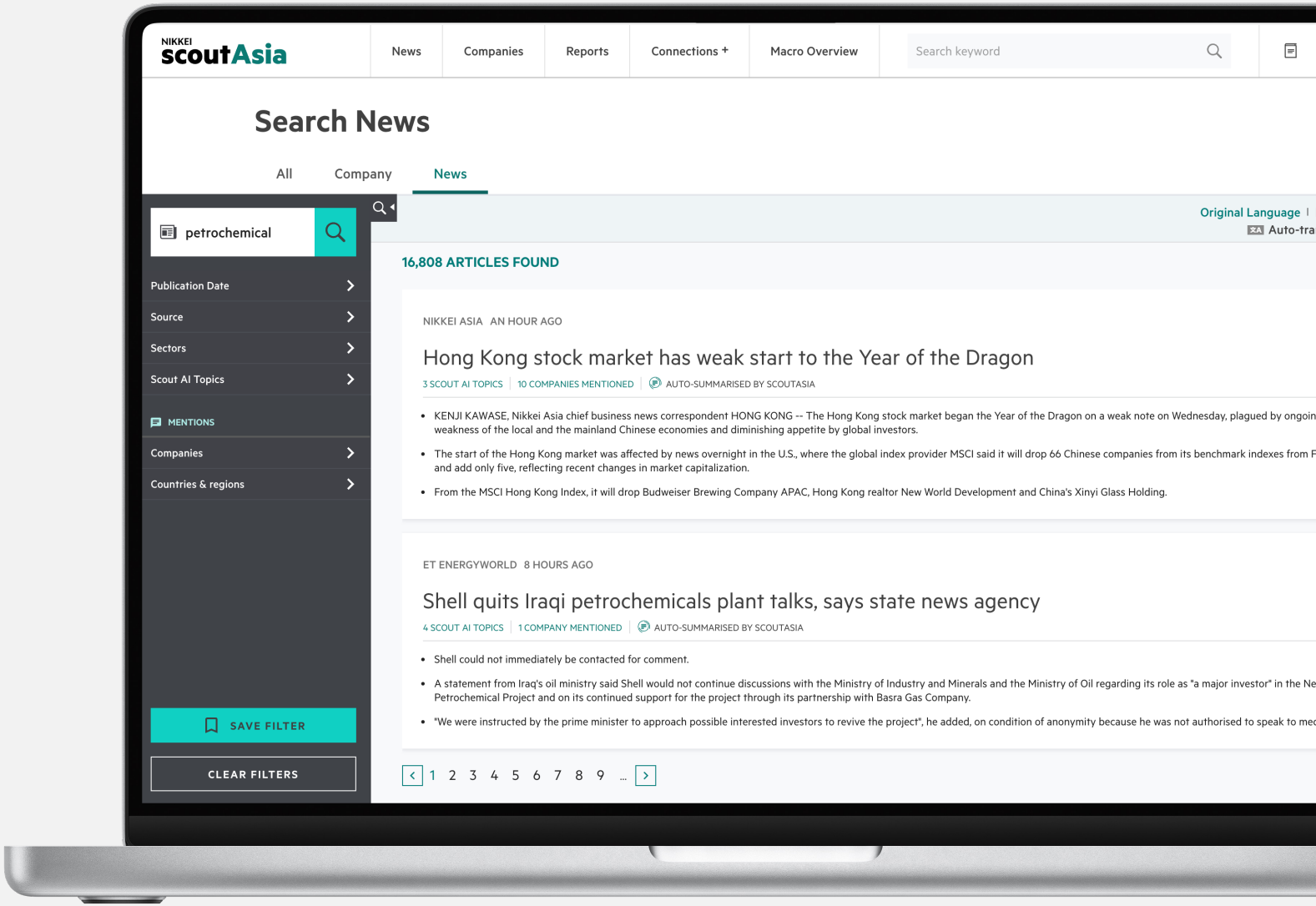
- Description, Other Names, Sectors,
- Officers and Directors
- Contact Information
- Financials (Up to 5 years)
- Ownership, Supply Chain, & Competitor information
- Trend of number of mentions in the news
- News on the Company, and its related sectors, and regions

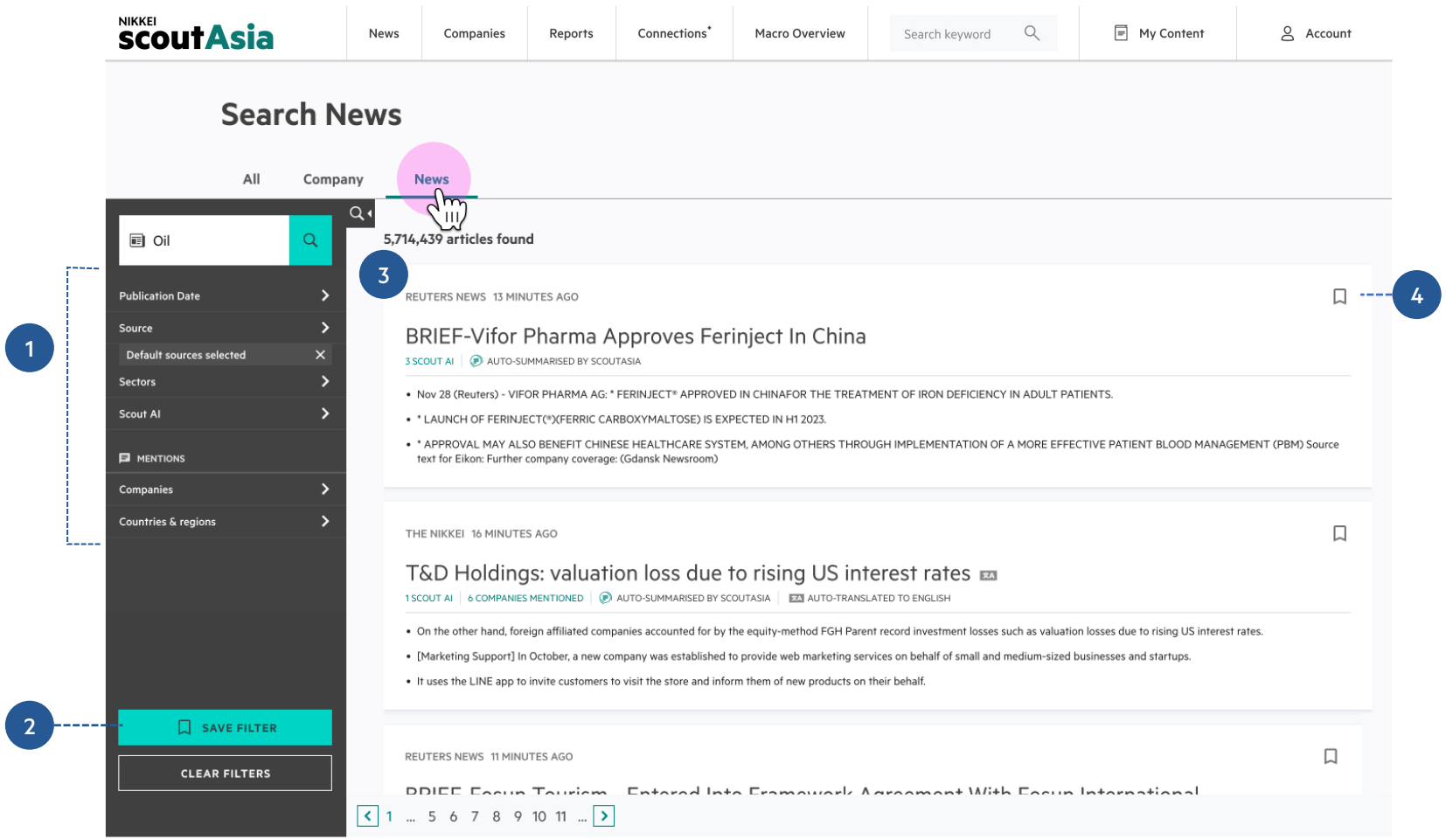
Other features:

- Download and Print
- Corporate structure ("Connections")

News Search

From international/national newspapers, exchange filings, sector reports to specialist publications, ScoutAsia gives you a consolidated news subscription in one convenient platform





News Search Results Page

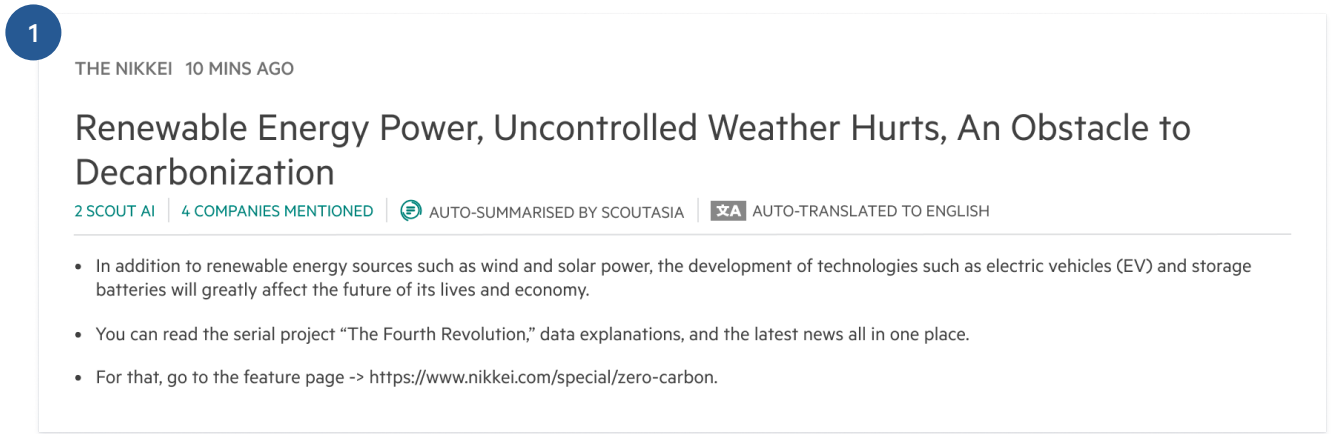
1. **Advanced Filters**
   Further define your results by using the advanced filtering options.

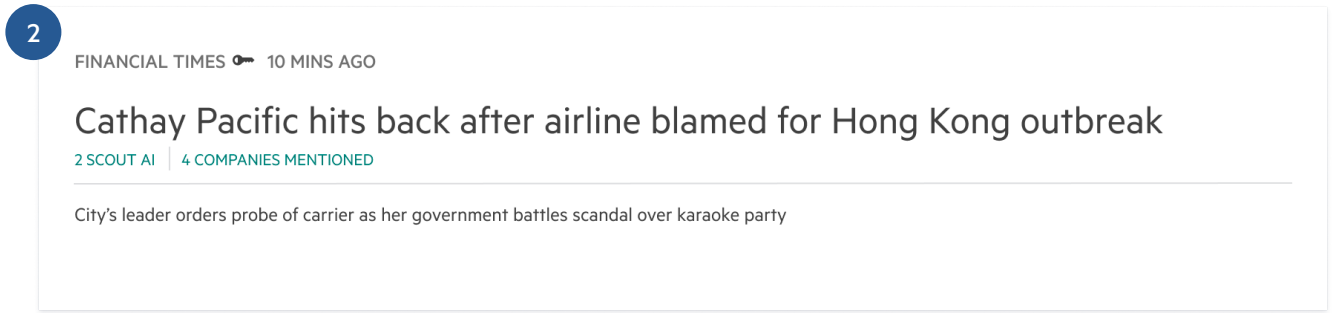
2. **Save Filter**
   Save your News Search to run searches with your preferred filter settings again. Learn more about News Filters here.

3. **News Cards**
   Our News cards features:
   - 3-point automated summary of content
   - Automated translation from Japanese to English.
   - Hover over Company Mention tags to view which Companies have been mentioned.

4. **Save to List**
   Save News to a List to refer to later. Learn more about News Lists here.

Tip Learn how to get better results using filters.



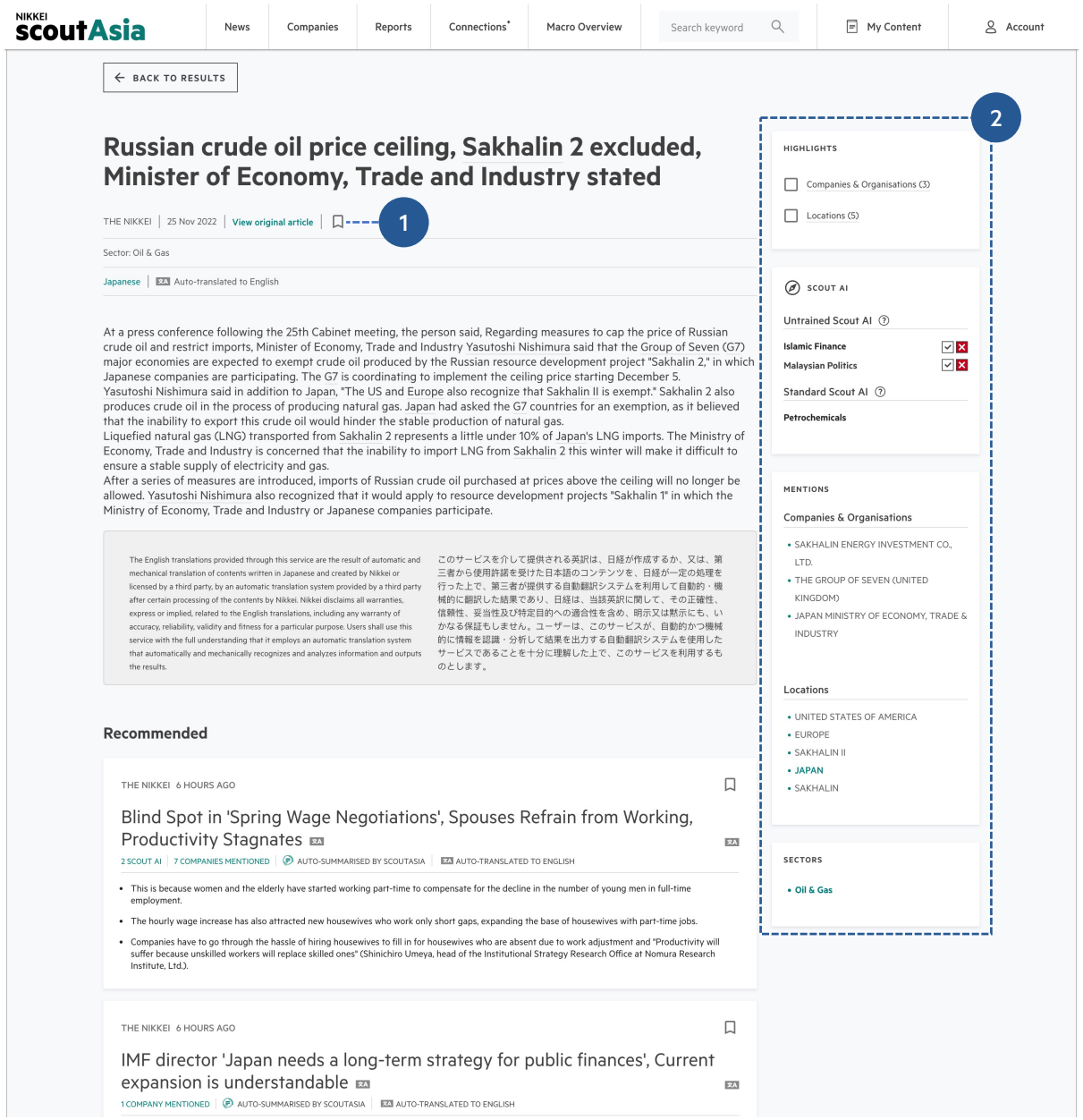


News Article Access Types

1. **Default**
   These are the standard News cards you will see.

2. **Restricted Publishers**
   Due to certain publisher requirements, SA can only display the standfirst in the article card. Articles can only be accessed through the respective publisher’s platform.

3. **Locked Articles**
   These are articles from sources which are not in your subscription. If you would like to access these articles, please contact your Sales Representative or support@scout.asia for further assistance.



News Article Page

Access article pages by clicking on the article card.

1. **Save to List**
   To save the article to a List, click on the bookmark icon below the headline. Click here to know more about News List.

2. **ScoutAI Tags & Mentions**
   The right column indicates mentioned companies and locations, as well as relevant ScoutAI topics.

   Company names & locations are clickable and provide links to respective Company profile pages or Country/Region pages.

Tip Learn how ScoutAsia tags articles in Tips & Tricks.

Save

Keep news and company profiles handy for your projects

- News List
- Company List
- News & Company Filters

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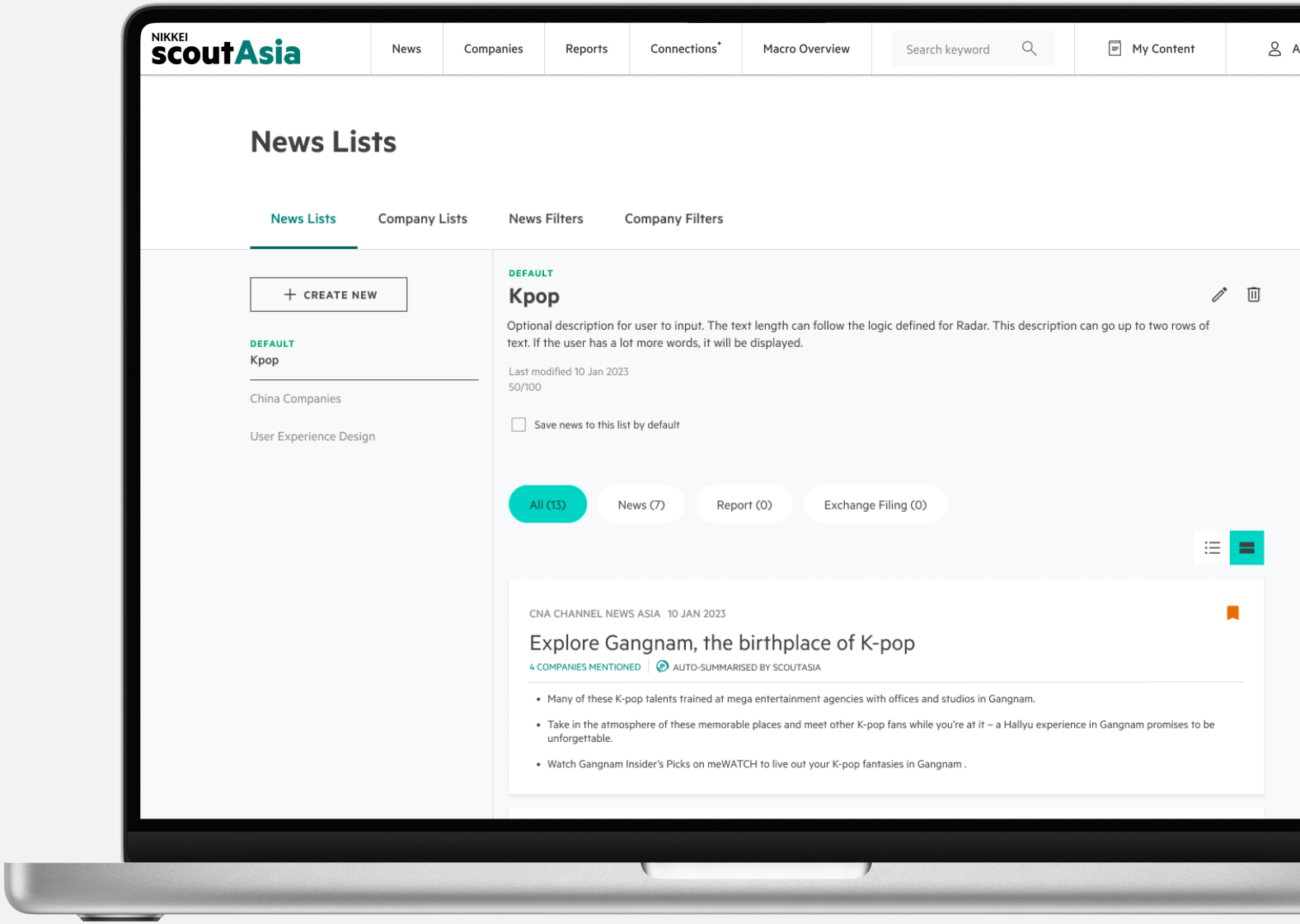
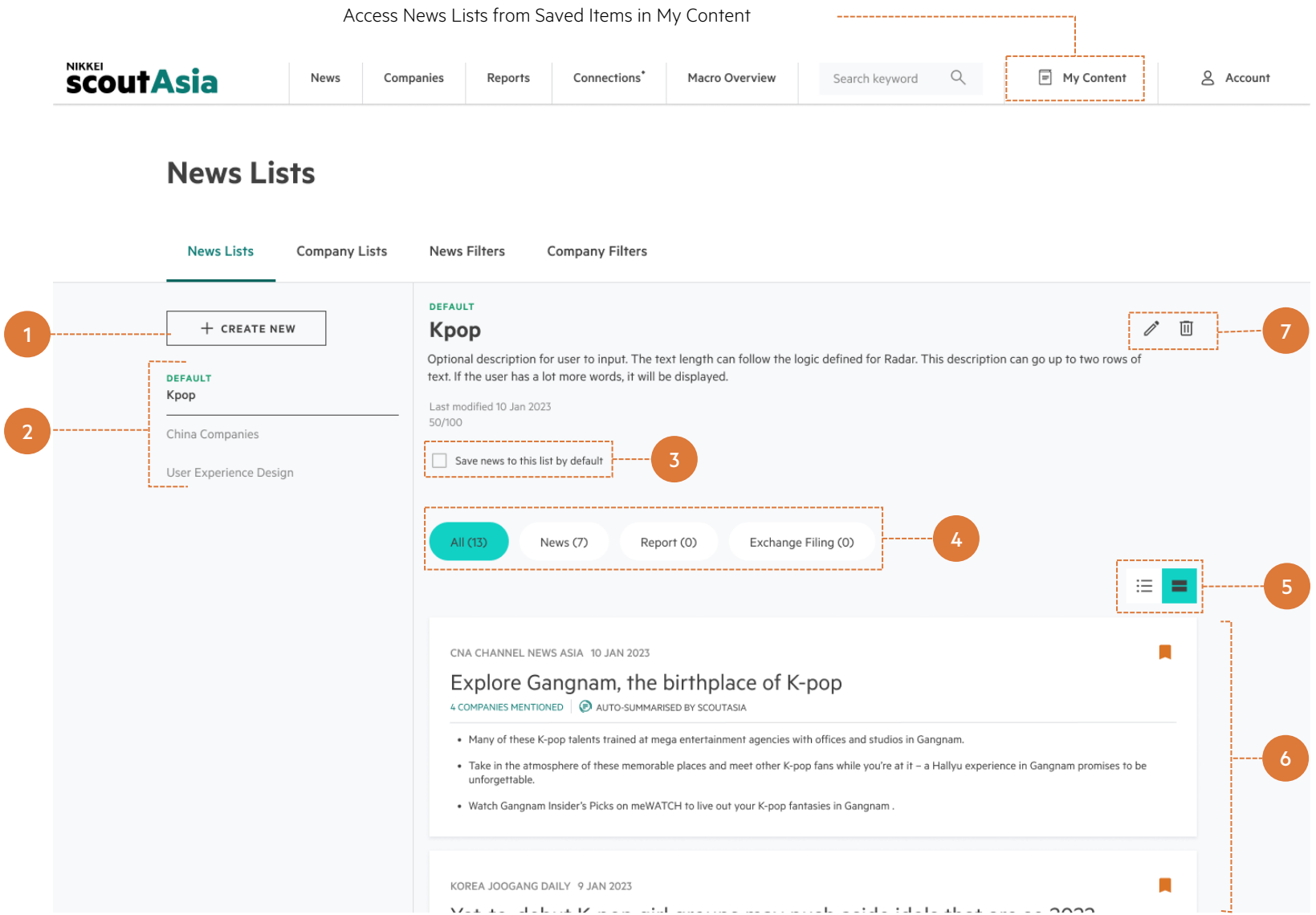
News Lists

- Keep your news handy for projects
- 1-click saving to Default News List from anywhere on ScoutAsia
- Filter by different News types
- View news as headlines or summaries
- Organise lists with name and description for easy reference





Inside a News List

1. **Create new News List**
   Click to name and create your new News List.

2. **Sidebar of News Lists**
   Find all of your News Lists in this sidebar. Select to view its details.

3. **Set List to Default**
   Save News to this list by default when you click the icon on a news cards anywhere in ScoutAsia.

4. **Filter by different News Types**
   View only News, Reports, or Exchange Filings using the filter.

5. **View News in Cards or List View**
   Choose between Cards (summaries) or List (headlines).

6. **Saved News**
   All your News saved in a list will be shown here. Select the checkbox to move, duplicate, or remove selected News Articles.

7. **Rename , Delete**
   Rename or delete the News List.

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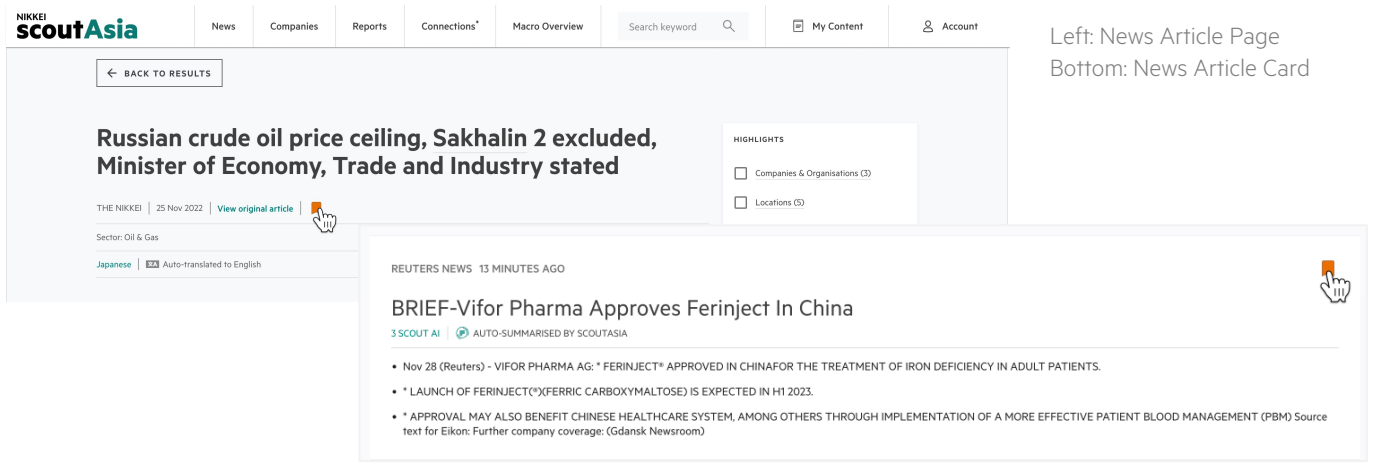

Left: News Article Page
Bottom: News Article Card

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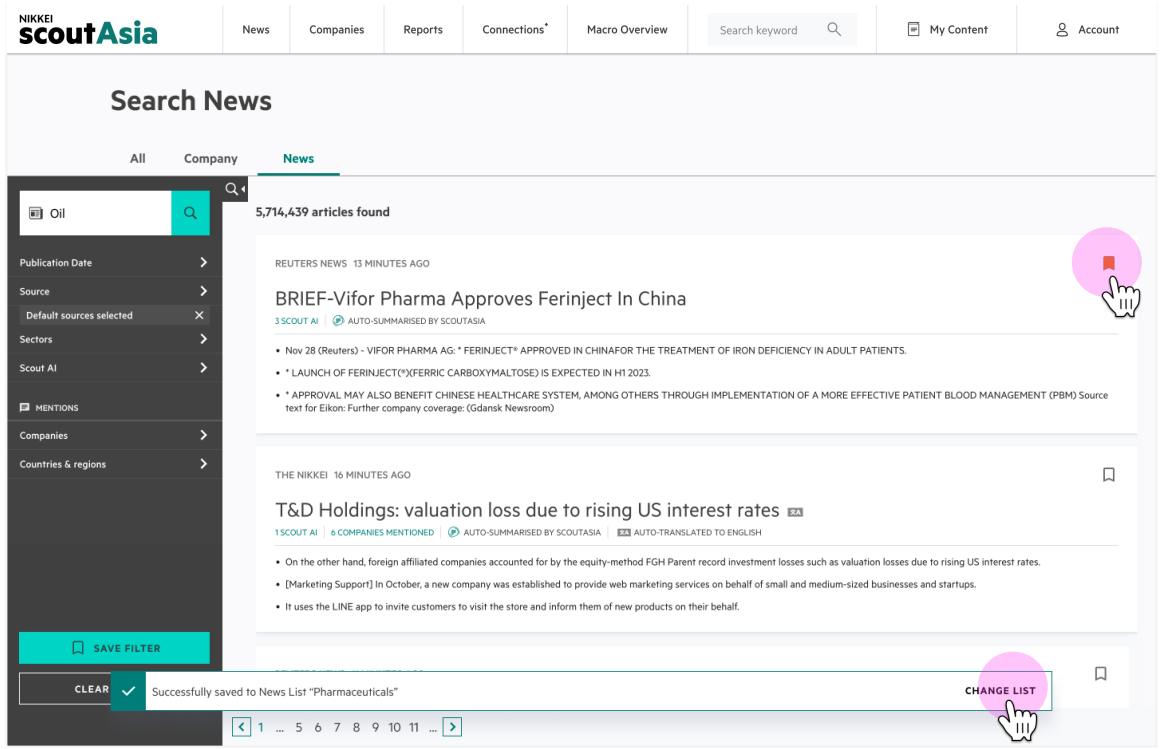


Successfully saved a News Article

Save News to a List Anywhere from ScoutAsia

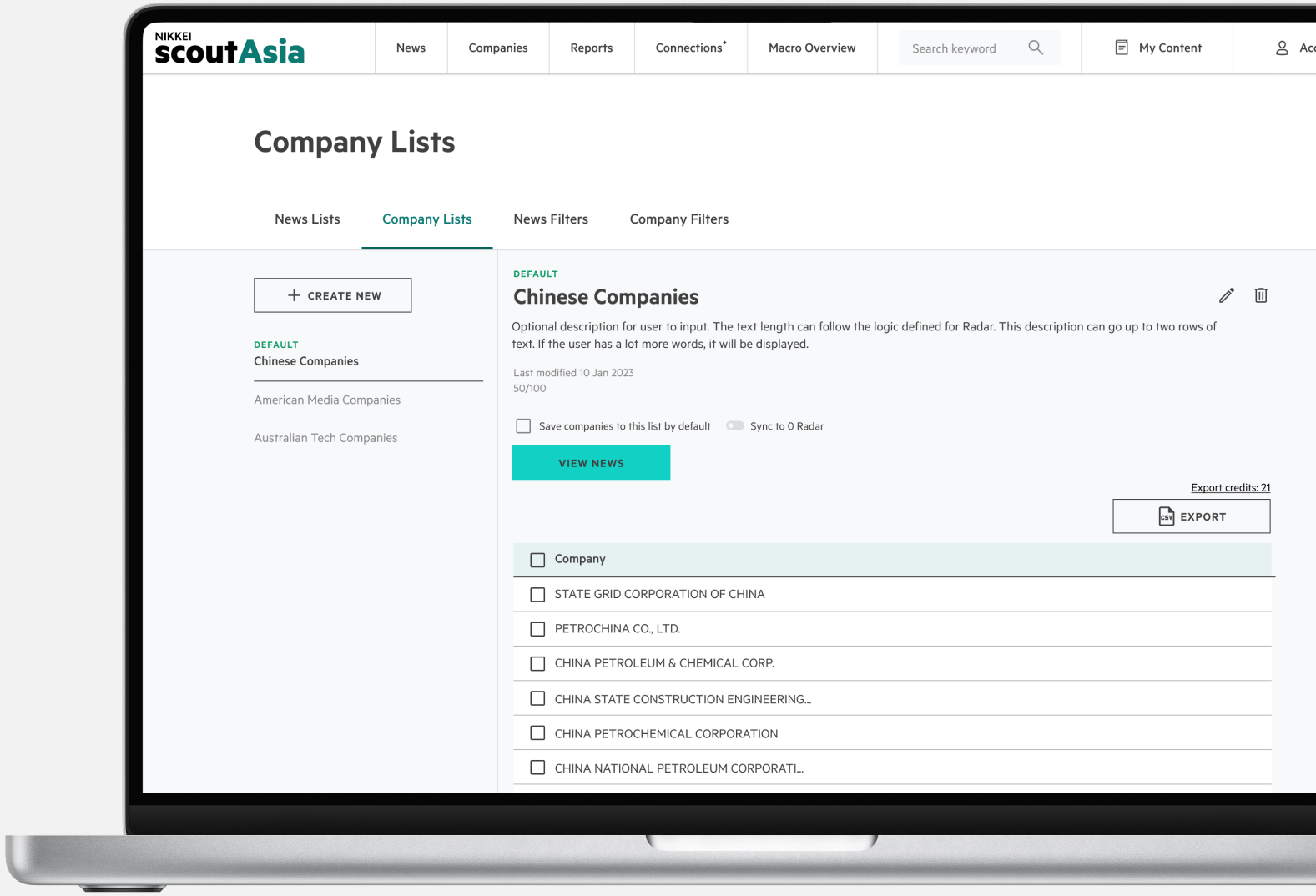
Save News from any News Article card and News Article Page in ScoutAsia.

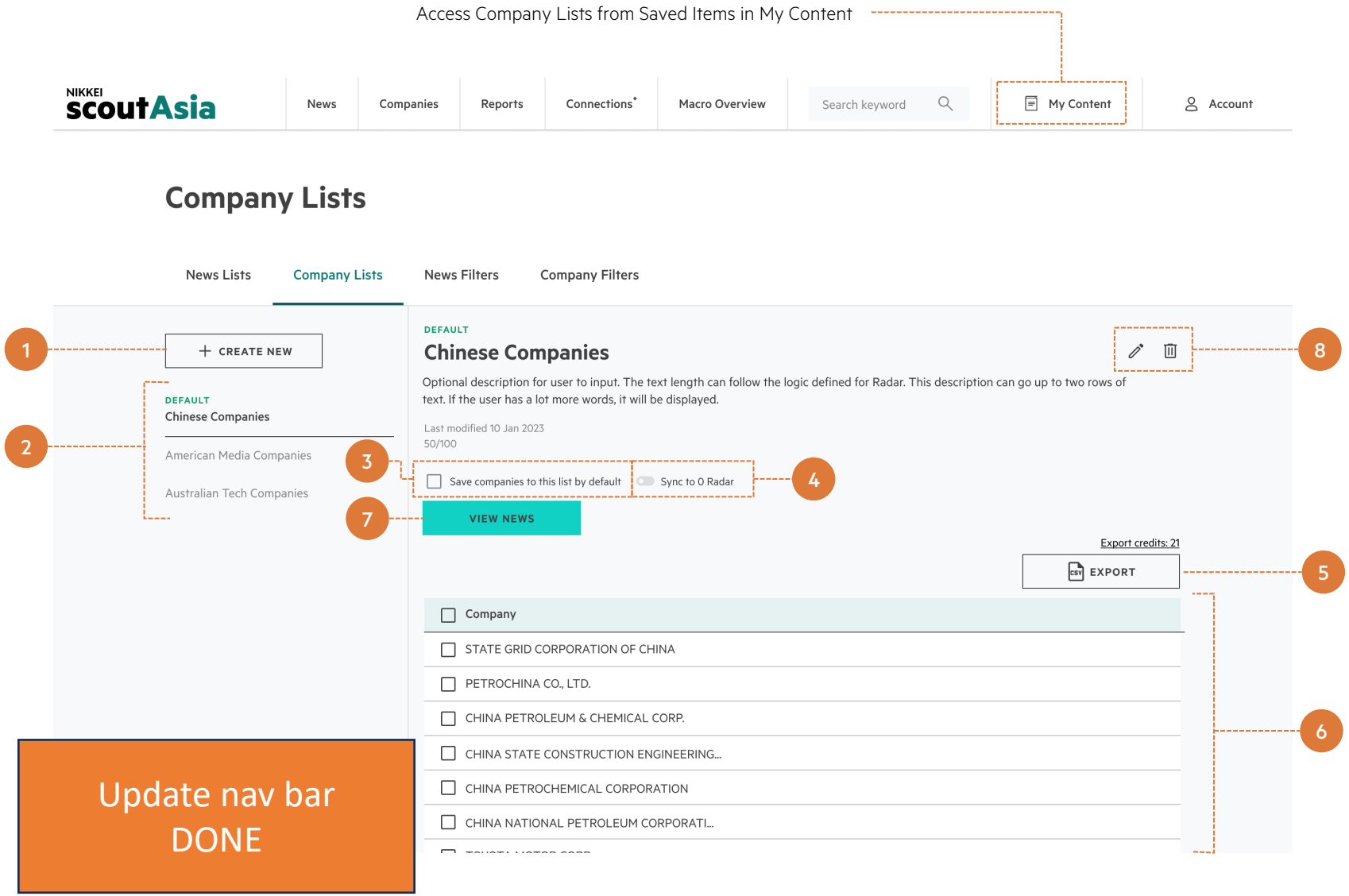
1. **Click to save a News Article**
   The article will automatically be saved to the default News List.

2. **Change which List a News Article gets saved to**
   - **Bookmark Icon**: Click on the saved News Article's icon again to add or remove News Article from different News Lists.
   - **Success message:** Click "Change List" on the success message to add or remove News Article from different News Lists.

Company Lists

- 1-click saving to Default Company List from anywhere on ScoutAsia
- Organise lists with name and description for easy reference
- View News in Search
- 1-click sync to Radar
- Export list as CSV





Update nav bar
DONE

Inside a Company List

1. **Create new Company List**
   Click to name and create your new Company List.

2. **Sidebar of Company Lists**
   Find all of your Company List in this sidebar. Select to view its details.

3. **Set List to Default**
   Save Companies to this list by default when you click the icon on a Company Profile page.

4. **Sync to Radar**
   Sync a List to a Radar to get email updates. Click here to find out more about Radar.

5. **Export as CSV**
   Export selected or all Companies in the list as CSV. Each CSV export will deduct 1 export credit.

6. **Saved Companies Details Table**
   Use the checkboxes to move, duplicate, or remove selected Companies.

7. **View News in Search**
   Quickly find News Articles mentioning any Companies in your List by clicking “View News in Search” under

8. **Rename , Delete**
   Rename or delete the Company List

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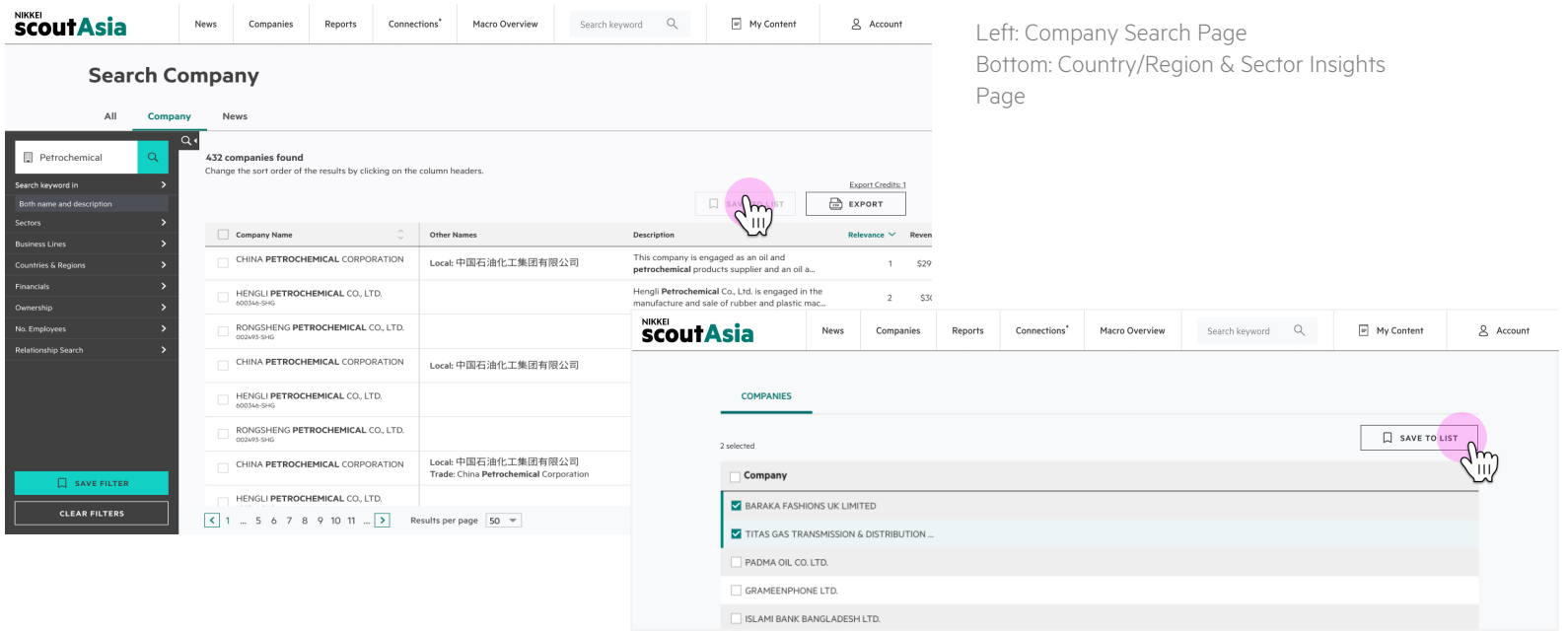

Left: Company Search Page
Bottom: Country/Region & Sector Insights Page

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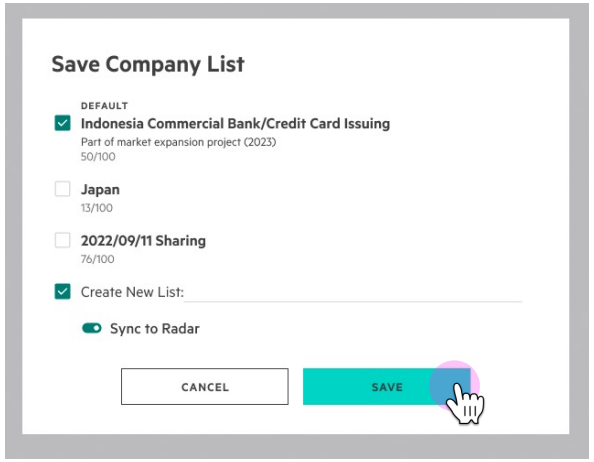

Modal to choose which List(s) to save Company to

Save Multiple Companies

Save one or more Companies from the Company Search Page and Country/Region & Sector Insights Page.

1. **Click 🔖 to save selected Companies**
   Once you select the Companies you want to save, click the “Save to List” button.

2. **Select which List(s) to save to**
   - You can save to multiple Lists.
   - If you choose to create a new List, you have the option to automatically sync it to a Radar.

Tip Add your new Company List directly to a Radar by turning on ”Sync to Radar” in the Save Company List Modal.

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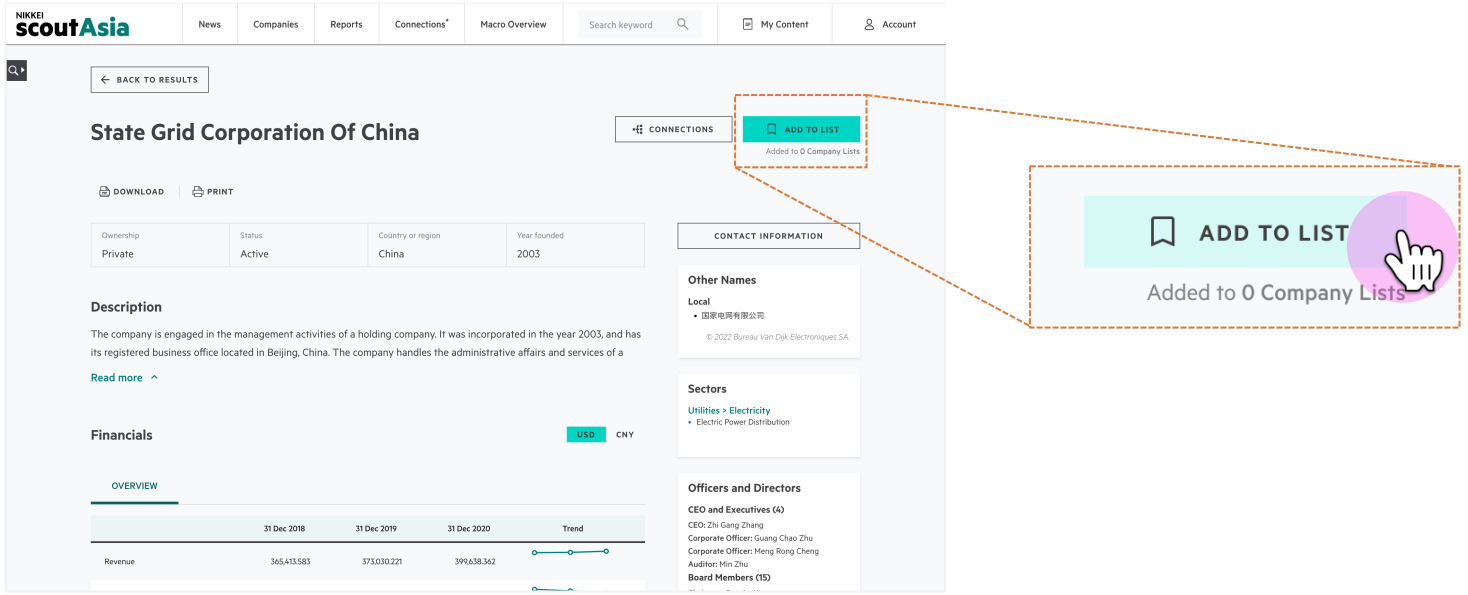

Company Profile Page

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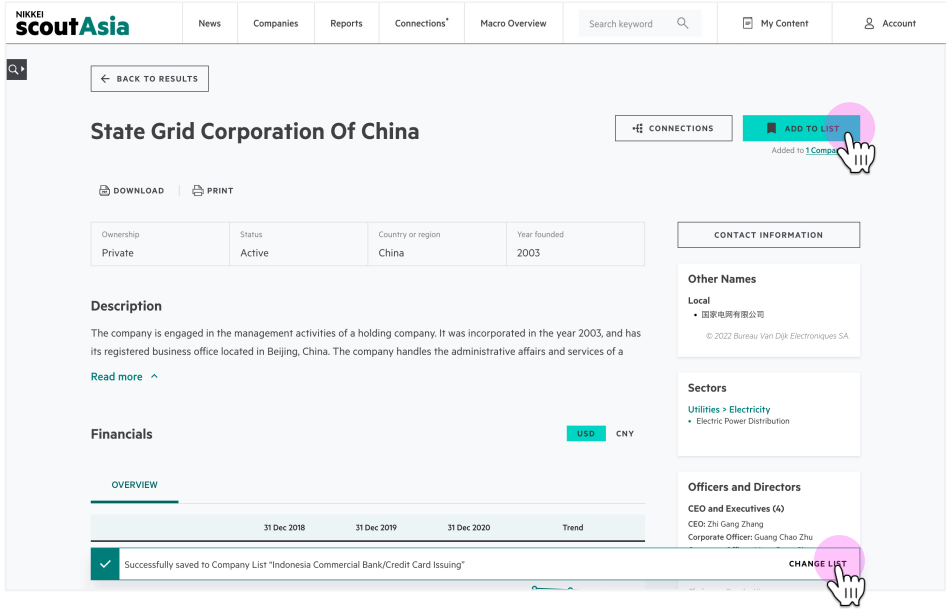


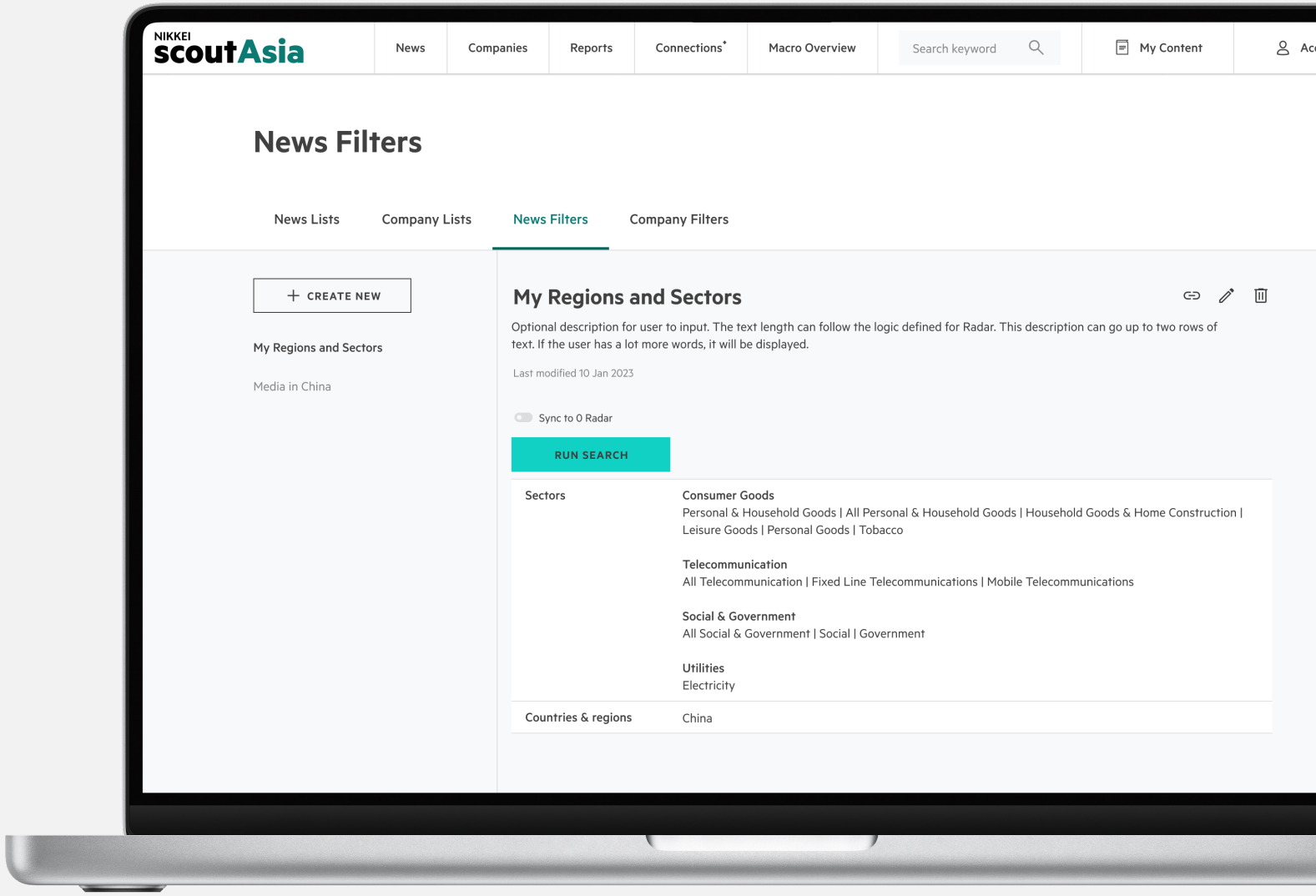
Save Company from Company Profile Page

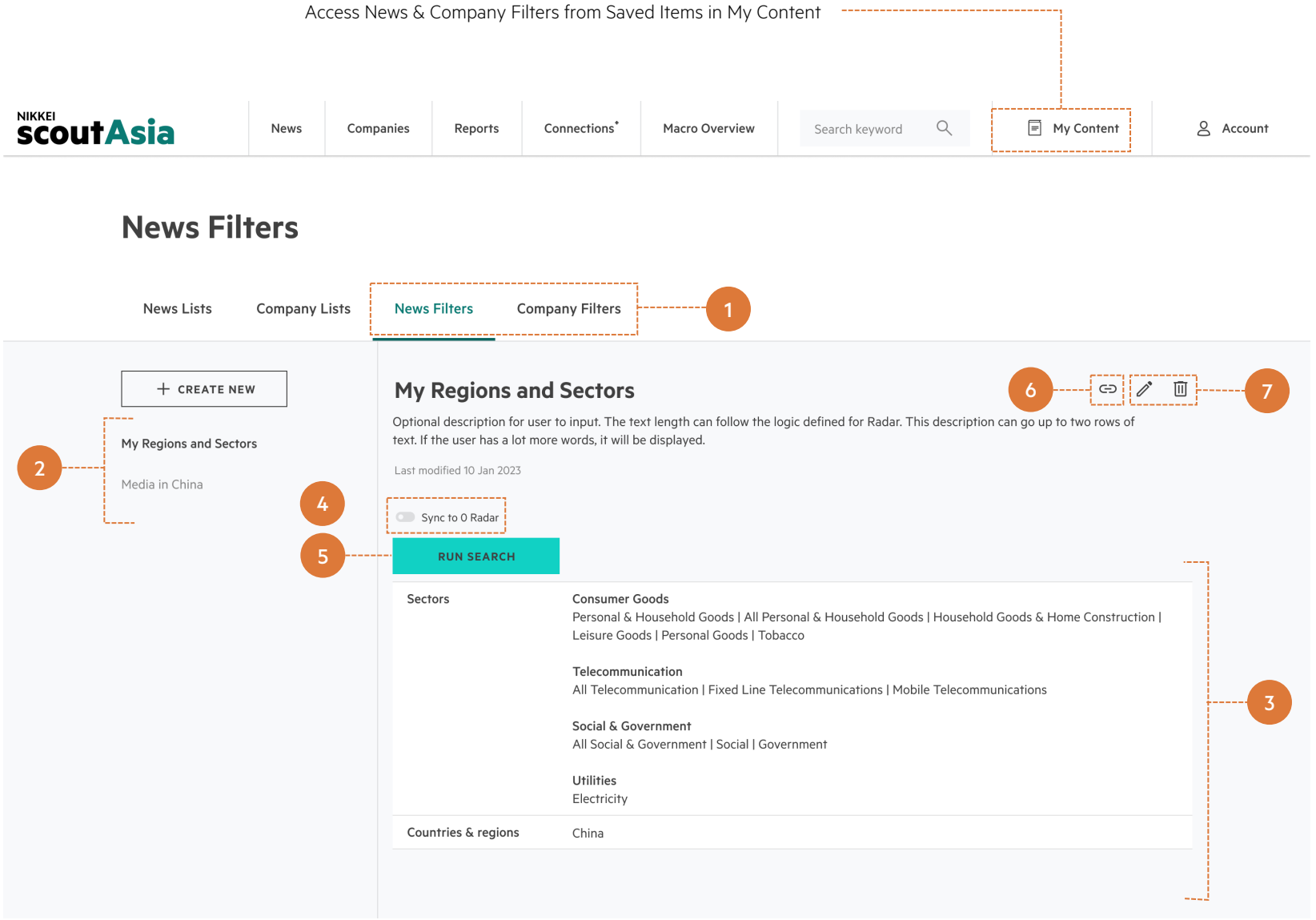
1. **Click 🔖 to save Company**
   The Company will automatically be saved to the default Company List.

2. **Change which List a Company gets saved to**
   - **Success message:** Click “Change List” on the success message to add or remove Company from different Company Lists
   - **“Add to List” Button**: Click on the saved “Add to List” button again to add or remove Company from different Company Lists.

News & Company Filters

- View details of News & Company Filters
- Organise filters with name and description for easy reference
- Run Search to get latest results
- 1-click sync to Radar for monitoring and alerts





Inside a News & Company Filter

From News / Company Search, save filters for reuse later

1. **News & Company Filters Tab**
   Find News & Company Filters under their respective tabs.

2. **Sidebar of Saved Filters**
   Find all of your News/Company Filter in this sidebar. Select to view its details.

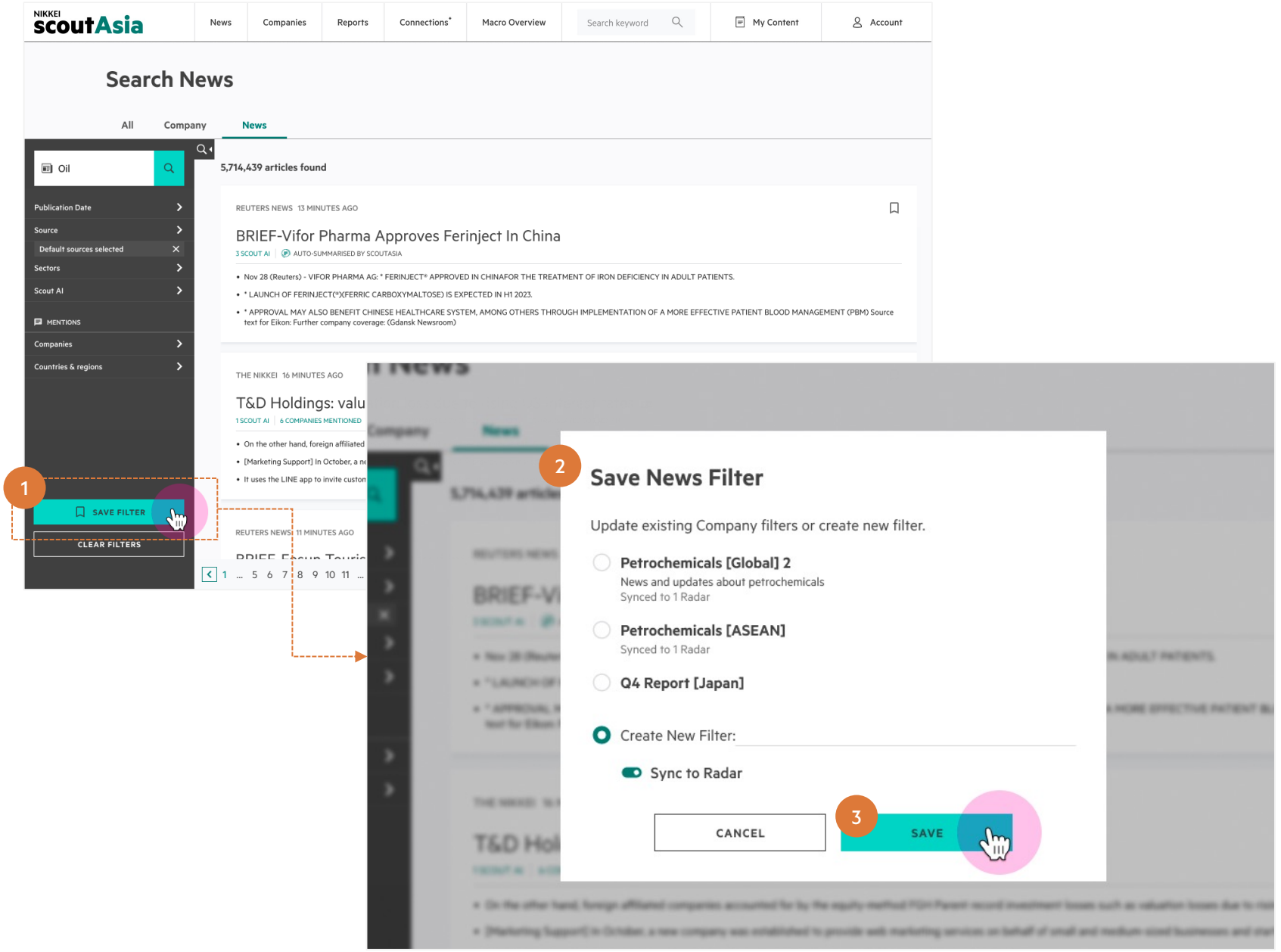
3. **Filter Details**
   View all of the keywords and search filters that was used to create this News/Company Filter.

4. **Sync to Radar**
   Sync a filter to a Radar to get email updates. Click here to find out more about Radar.

5. **Run Search**
   Run the Filter in News/Company Search and view its results.

6. **Get News Filter Link**
   Share the link of a saved news filter with another ScoutAsia user so that they can access it.

7. **Rename , Delete**
   Rename or delete the Filter.



Creating & Updating a News/Company Filter

Save Filters from News or Company Search

Step 1: Click “Save Filter”
After running your News/Company Search, click ”Save Filter”.

Step 2: Create or Update Existing Filters
A Save Filter modal will open. Choose from:

- **Creating a New Filter**: Name your new News/Company filter to reuse later.
- **Updating Existing Filters:** Choose an existing Filter to overwrite and update.

Step 3: Click “Save”
Find your new Filter in the Saved Items page.

Tip Add your new Filter directly to a Radar by turning on ”Sync to Radar” in the Save Filter Modal.

Monitor

Monitoring made easy with ScoutAsia's Radar

- Radar

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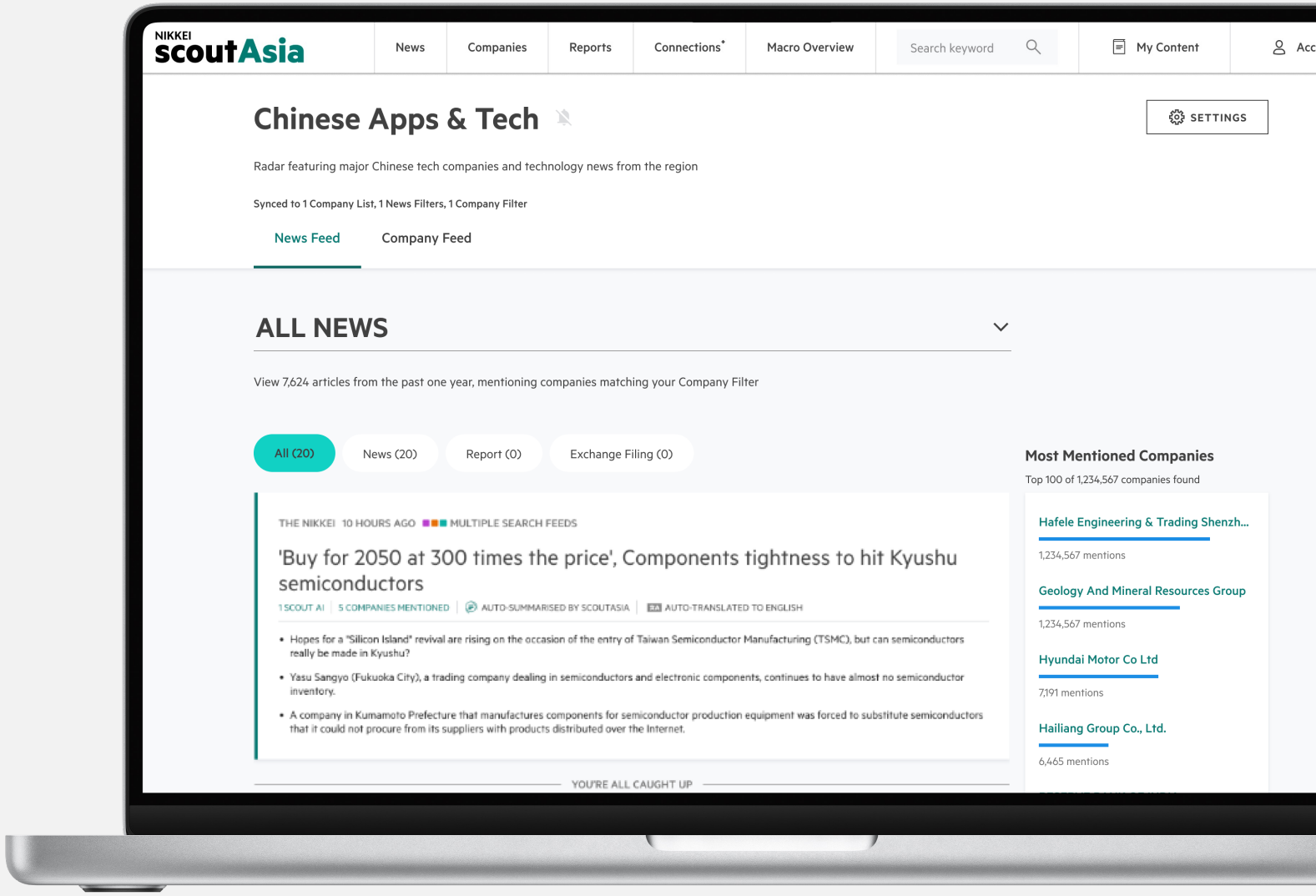
Radar

- Surfaces signals and insights on topics from non-traditional angles with the help of AI technology.
- Sync your filter and lists, to monitor and derive insights from multiple angles



Monitor Filters & Company Lists with Radar

Sync Saved Items

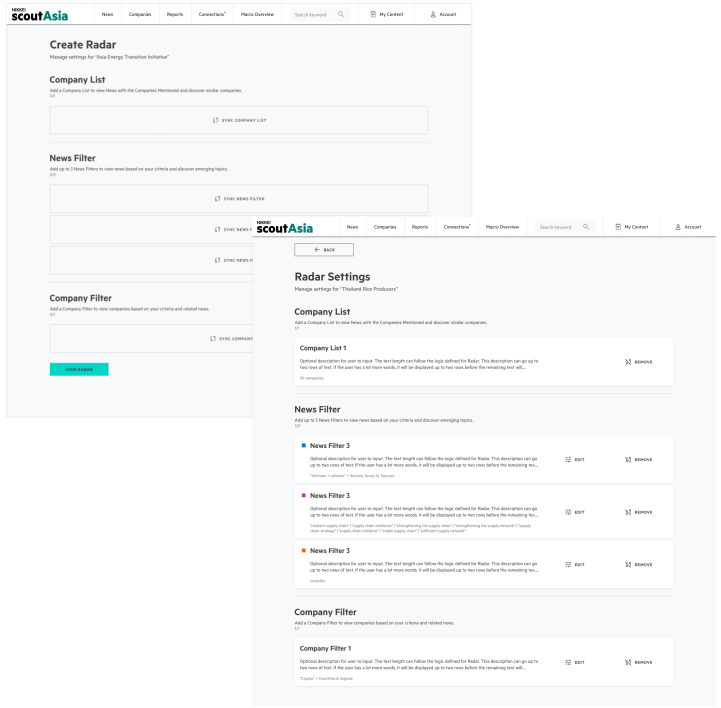
Sync your Filters & Company List into a Radar

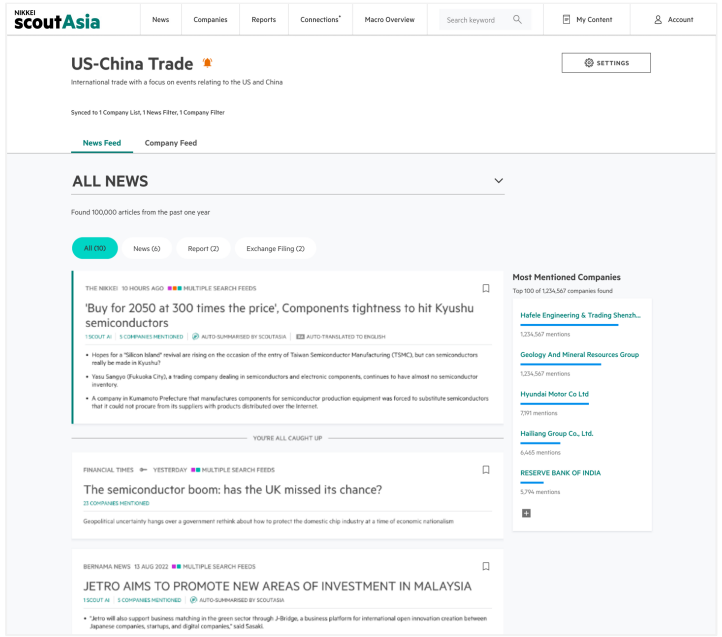
Monitor with Radar

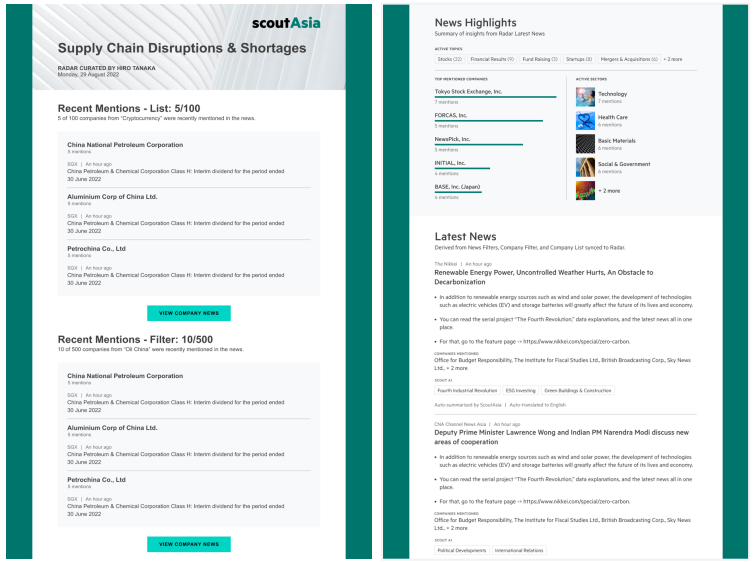
Monitor Topics & Companies from Multiple Angles

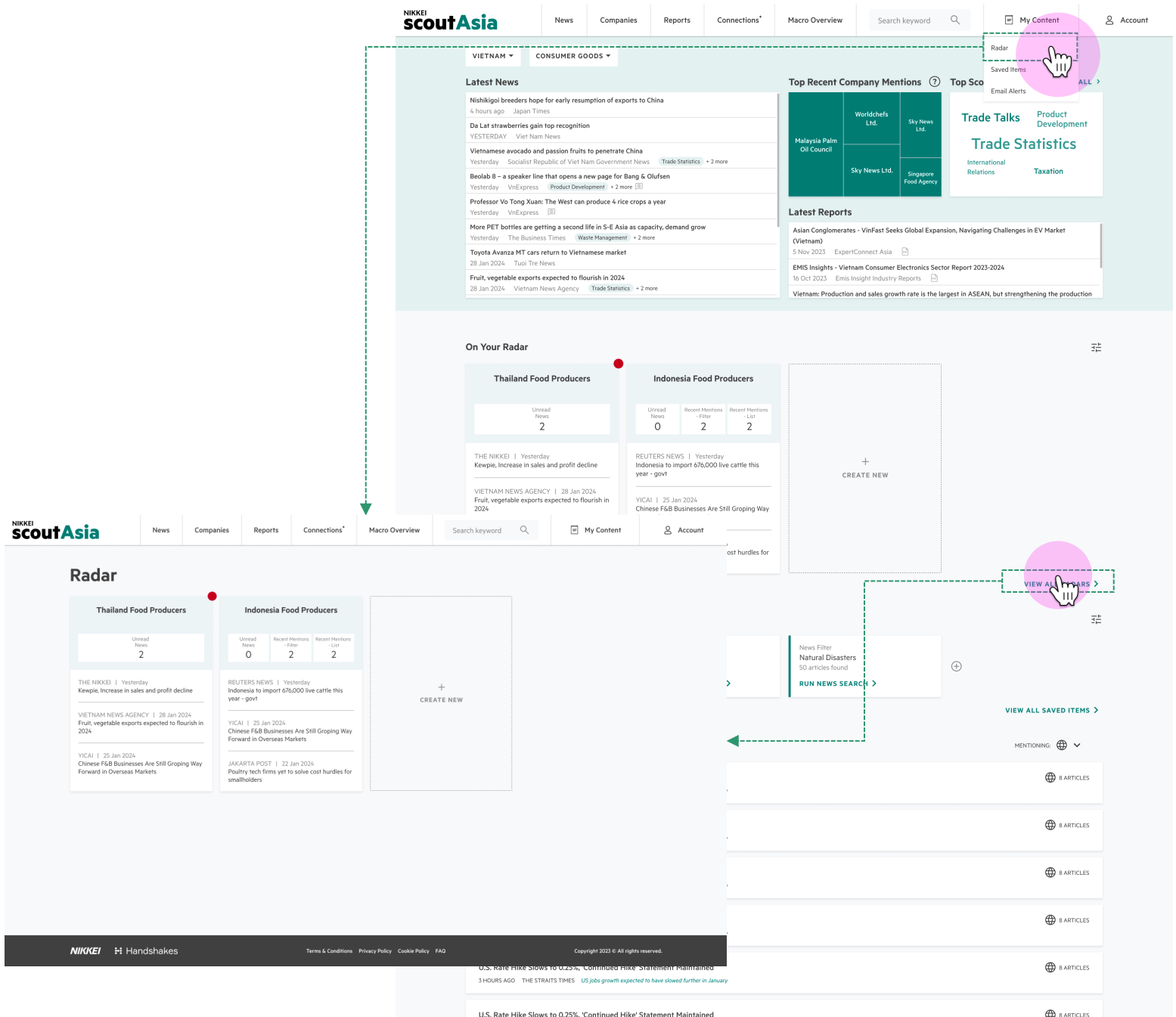
Stay Alert

Get daily email alerts on your Radar





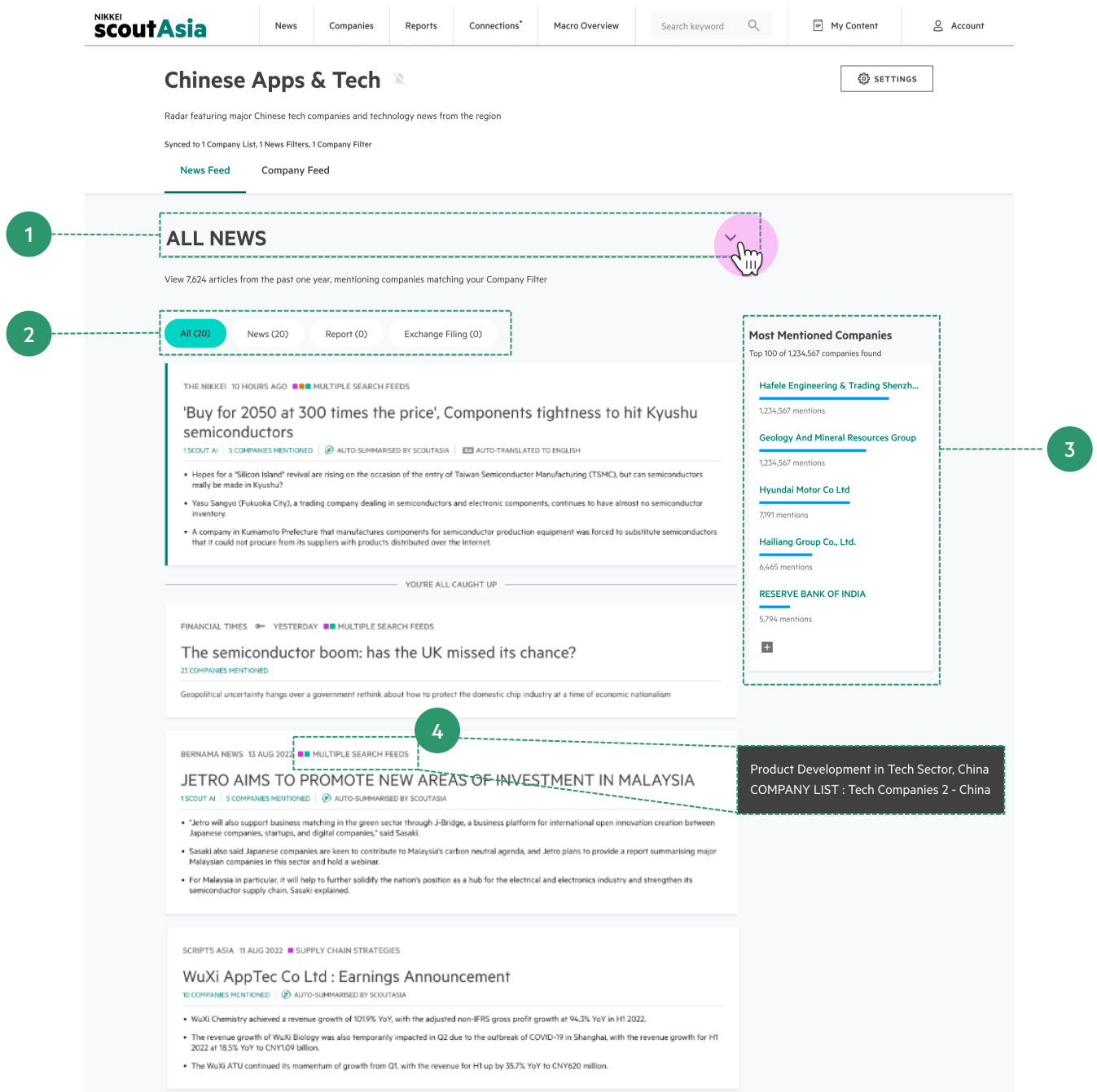




Accessing Radar

Access individual Radars from the Main Landing Page.

Clicking “View All Radar” or “Radar” on the navigation bar will bring you to the Radar Landing Page



News Feed

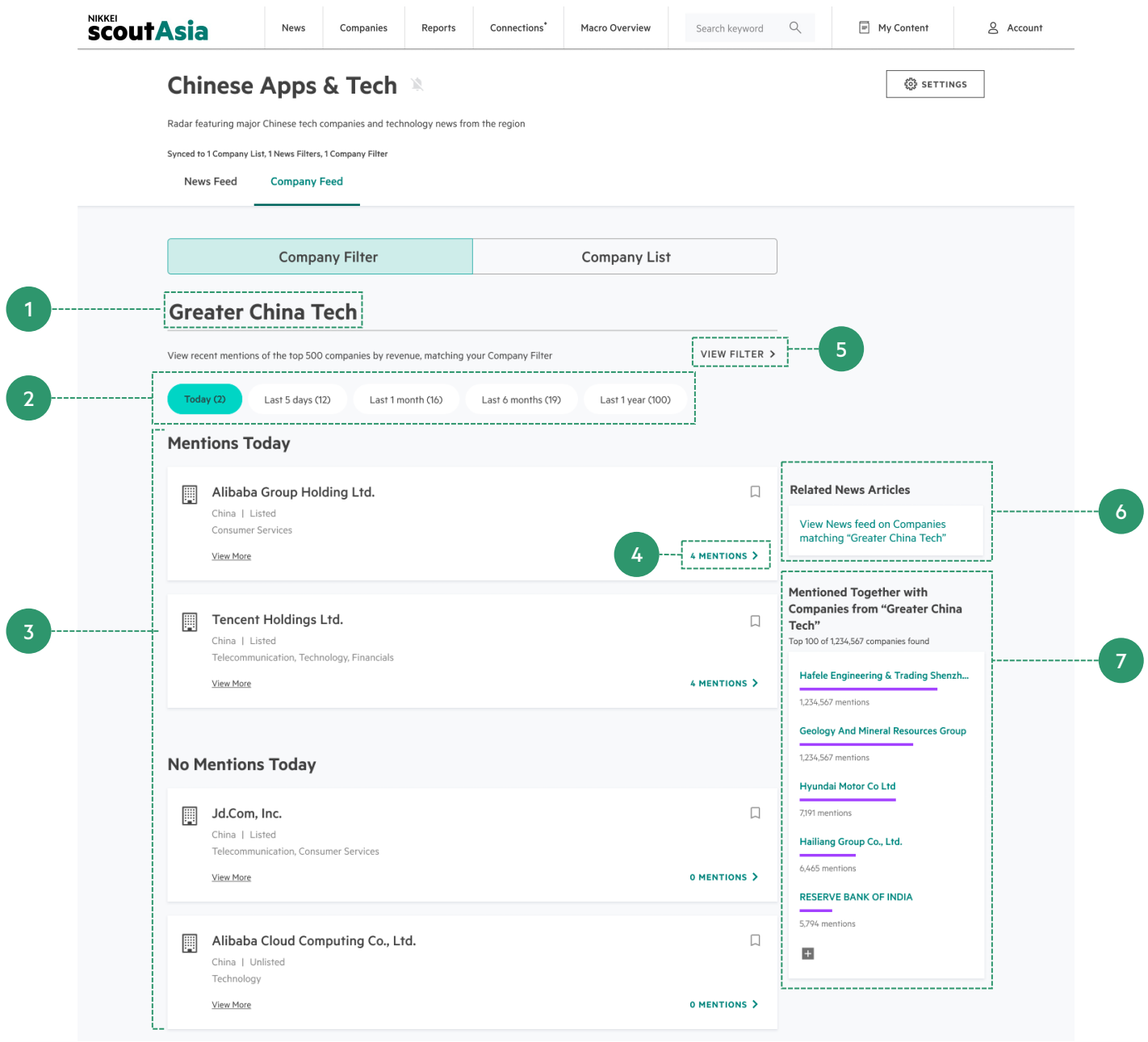
Combining news across all inputs (News Filters, Company Filter, Company List) synced to the Radar.

1. **Consolidated News Feed**
   Choose to view collated feed of all News based on the Filters and List synced to Radar. Or, view them individually by selecting from the dropdown menu.

2. **Filter by News Type**
   Filter News feed by News Article, Reports or Exchange Filings.

3. **Most Mentioned Companies**
   Based on the selected News Feed, view a ranked list of Companies most mentioned in the News from the past year.

4. **Which Filter/List News Article is from**
   Shows which Filter(s) and/or Company List the News Article matches, and overlaps.



Companies Feed: Company Filter

Insights based on the Top 500 Companies by Revenue, which match the Company Filter

1. **Name of Company Filter**
   Shows the name of the synced Company Filter.

2. **Select Time Period of News Mentions**
   Selection tells Radar which time period of News Mentions to consider for sorting companies in 3

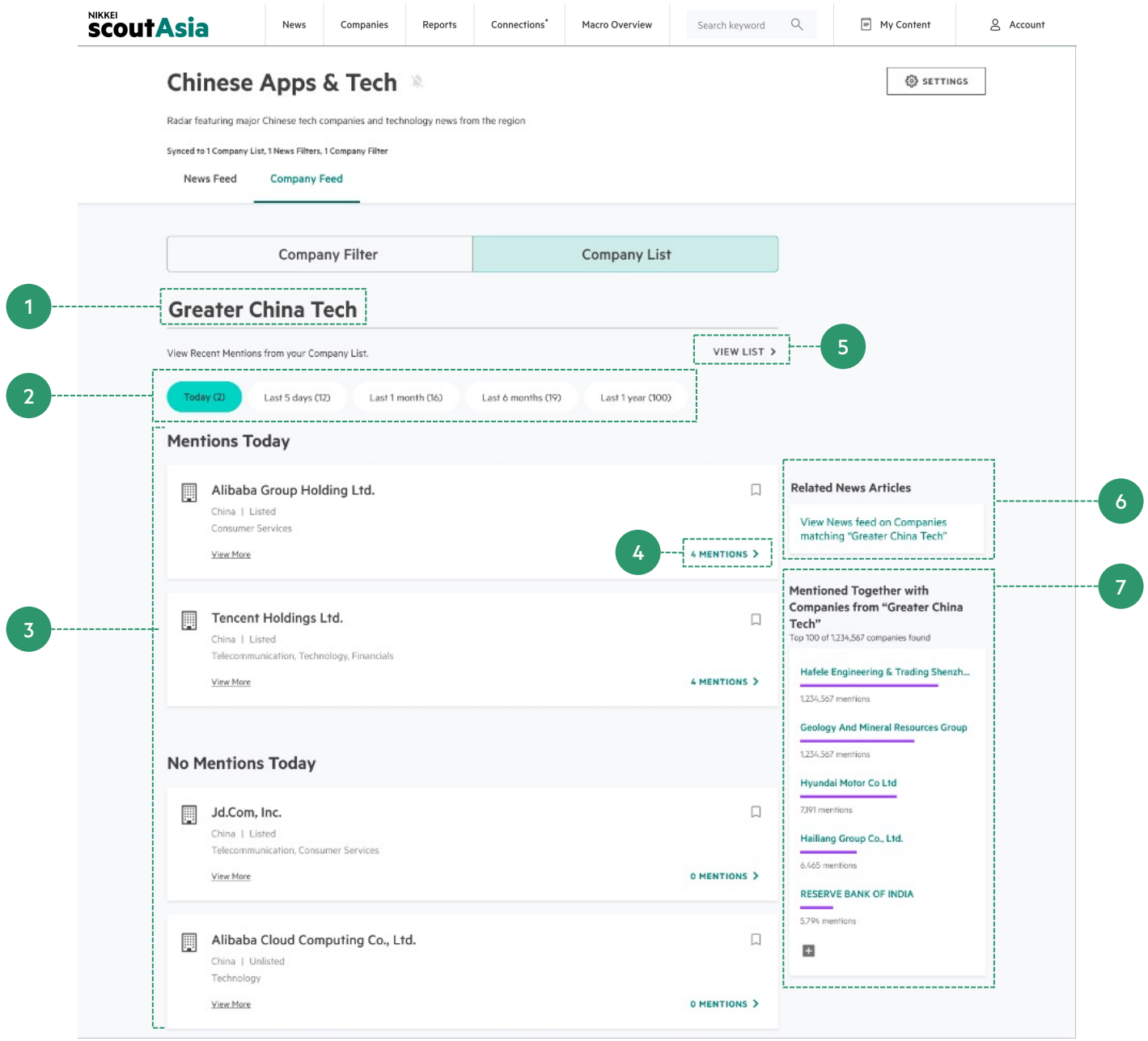
3. **Matching Companies (By Recent Mentions)**
   List of Companies matching Filter, ranked by News Mentions, in the selected time period.

4. **View News Articles on a Specific Company**
   Click on the mention count to view News Articles mentioning the Company in the selected time period.

5. **View Filter in Company Search**
   Click to view the synced filter's detail page.

6. **Related News Articles (Run Search)**
   View news articles with Matched Companies mentioned in selected time period in Search.

7. **Mentioned Together With**
   View a ranked list of companies that are mentioned together with companies matching your company filter and time period selected.



Companies Feed: Company List

This is a list of Recent Mentions of companies from your Company List, ranked by News mentions in the selected time period.

1. **Name of Company List**
   Shows the name of the synced Company List

2. **Select Time Period of News Mentions**
   Selection affects Recent Mentions of saved companies in Company List shown

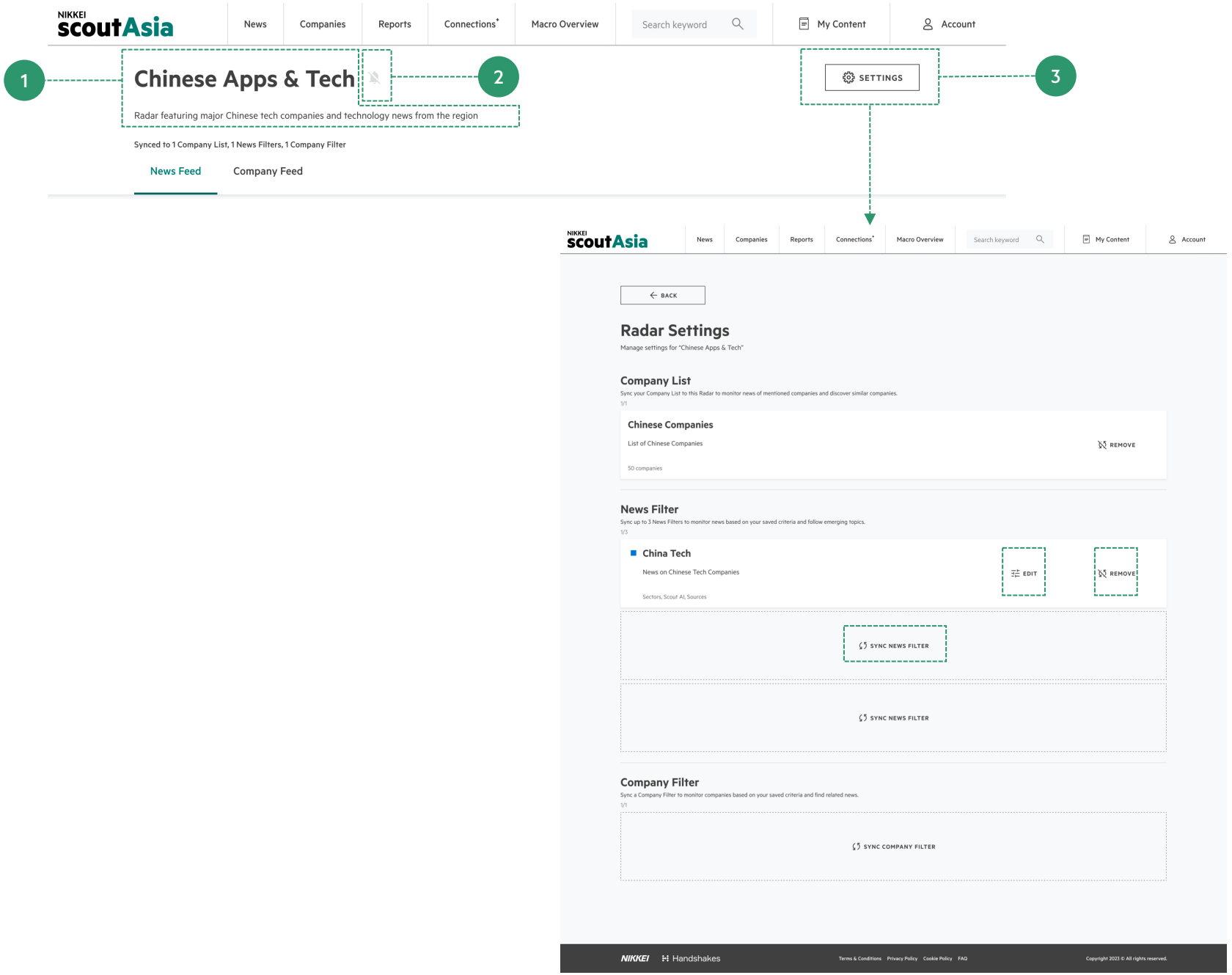
3. **Recent Mentions in Company List**
   Saved Companies ranked by recent mentions of the Company in the News, in the selected time period

4. **View News Article on Specific Company**
   Click on the mention count to view News Articles mentioning the Company in the selected time period.

5. **View List in List Detail Page**
   View list of companies in Saved Items Page so you can make changes to your list

6. **Related News Articles**
   View News Feed with Companies from your List mentioned

7. **Companies Mentioned Together**
   View a ranked list of companies that are usually mentioned together with Companies from your List



Making changes to your Radar

1. **Change Name & Description**
   Click on the Radar Name or Description to make edits

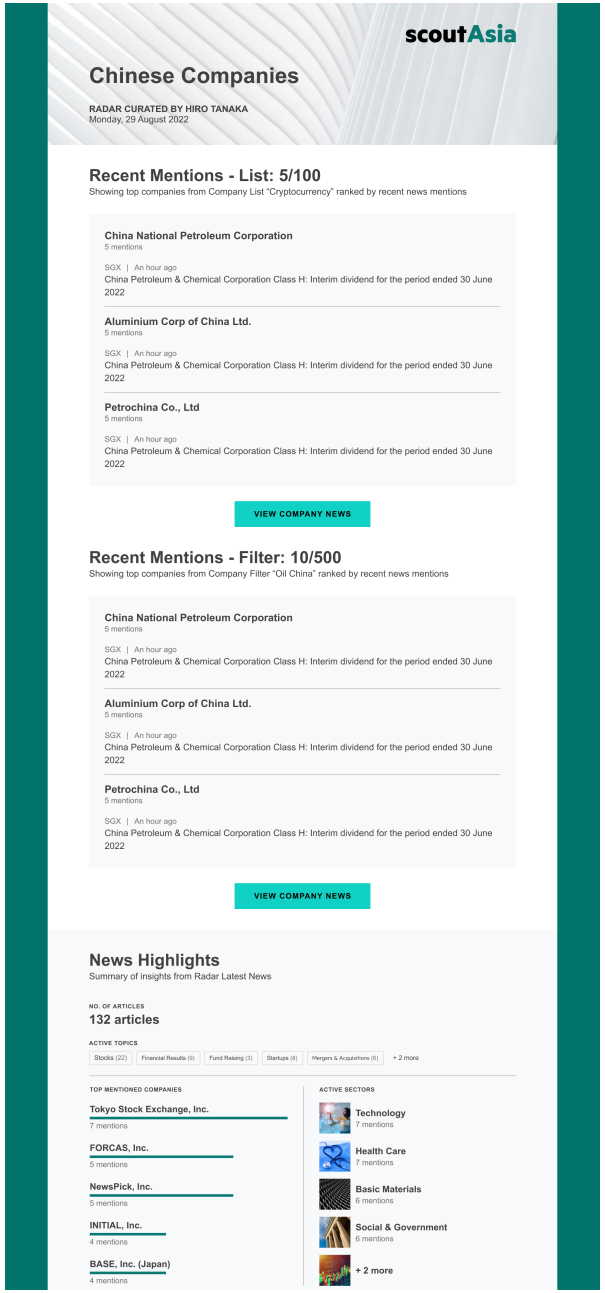
2. **Turn ON/OFF Email Alerts**
   Click on the icon to turn Email Alerts ON/OFF

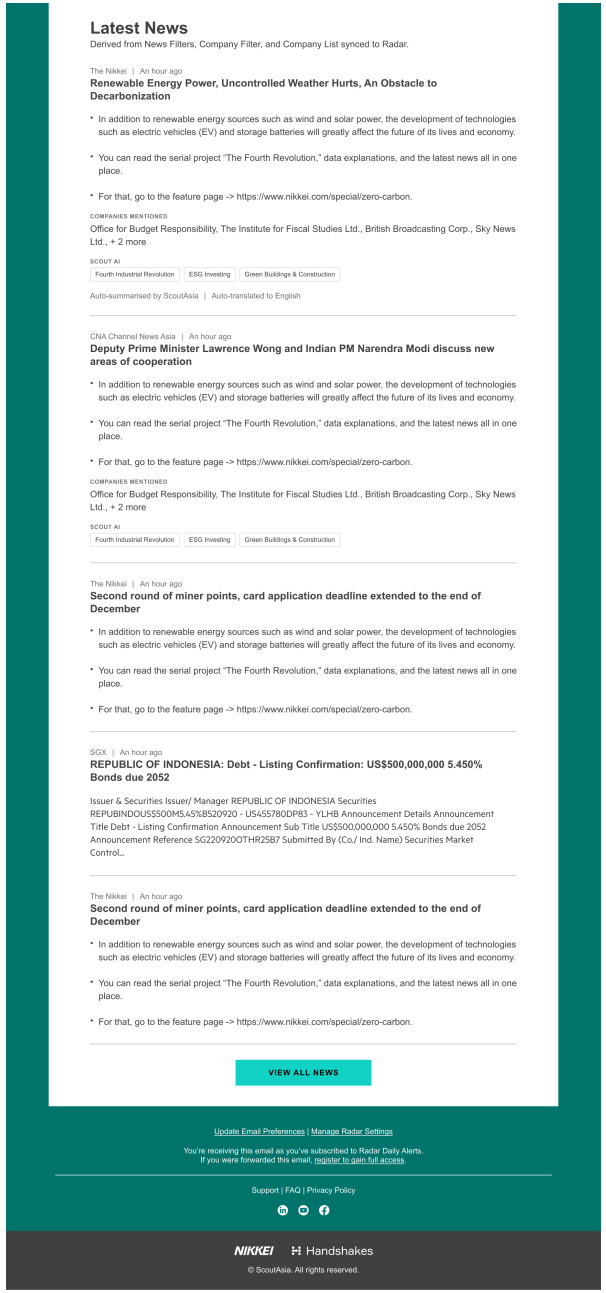
3. **Radar Settings**
   Click on "Settings" to view all the Filters & Company List synced to your Radar.

   - **Sync Filters & Company List**
     Just like when you create a Radar, you can sync more items if you see available slots

   - **Edit Filter**
     Click "Edit" to make changes to your Filter. Note that this change will be reflected in all Radars that you have synced this Filter with.

   - **Remove Filter/List**
     Click "Remove" on the Filter/List to remove it from this Radar. You will no longer receive updates on this Filter/List from this Radar.





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Radar Email Alerts

Receive daily updates and insights for every Radar.

1. **Recent Mentions**
   This section is featured if your Radar has either item type synced for monitoring
   - **List**: tells you if saved companies in your list were mentioned recently
   - **Filter**: tells you if companies matching your filter were mentioned recently

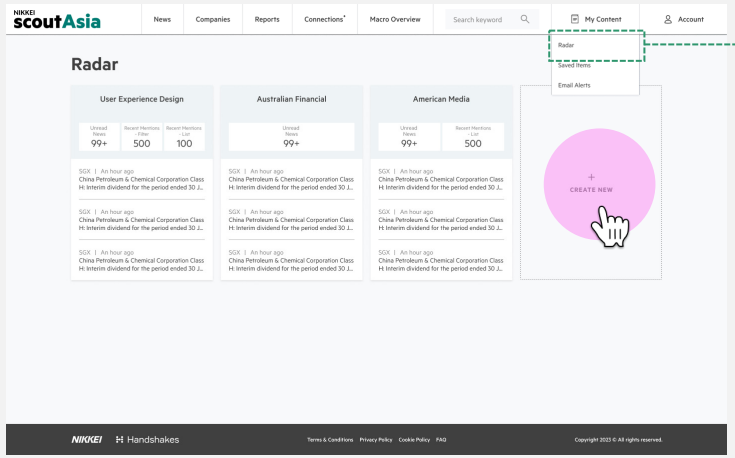
2. **News Highlights**
   Quick statistics on your news feed – top mentioned sectors, topics, and companies

3. **Latest News**
   The 5 most recent News Articles from your News Feed (All News)

Radar Tip 1: Building a Radar from Scratch

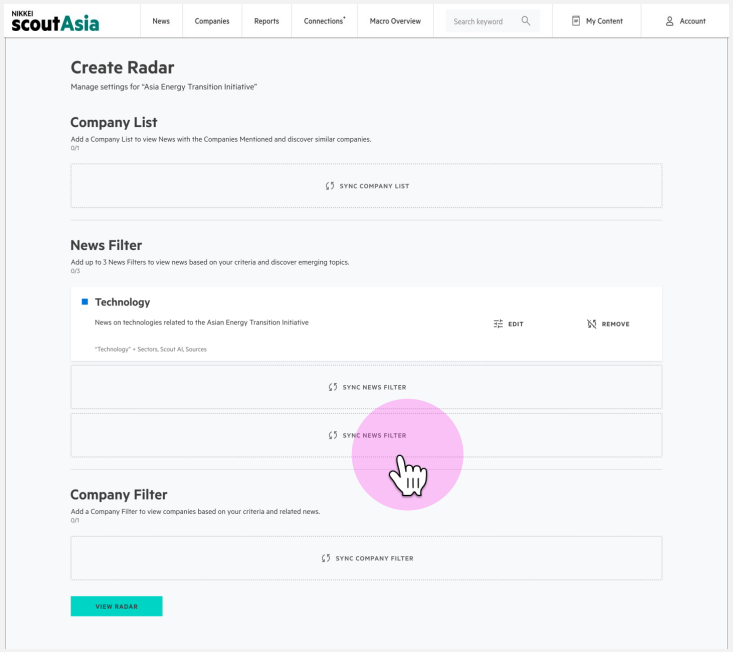
1 Create a new Radar

Access Radar Landing Page from Navigation Bar



From the Radar Landing Page, click “Create New”. Name your Radar and optionally add a description. Then, click “Create”.

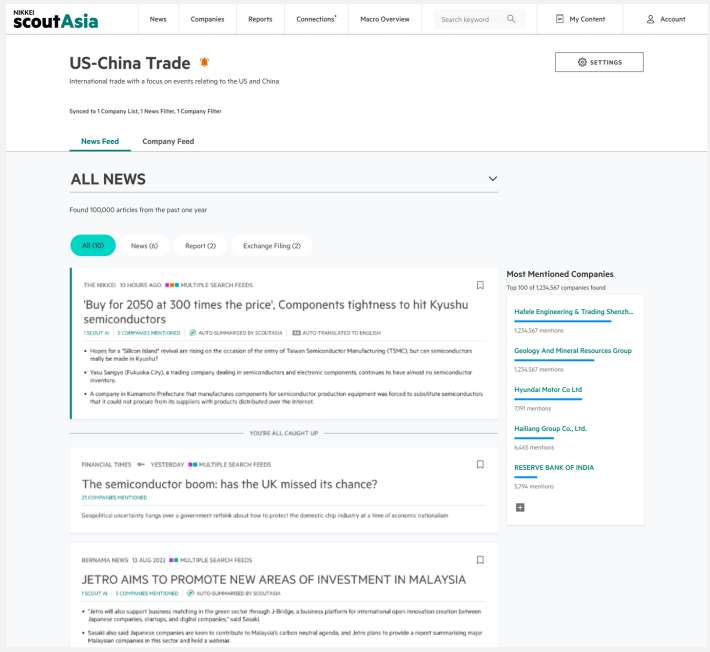
2 Sync Saved Items



Get multiple angles of a topic by syncing existing or creating more Filters & Company List.

When you are ready, click “View Radar”

3 Your Radar is Ready!



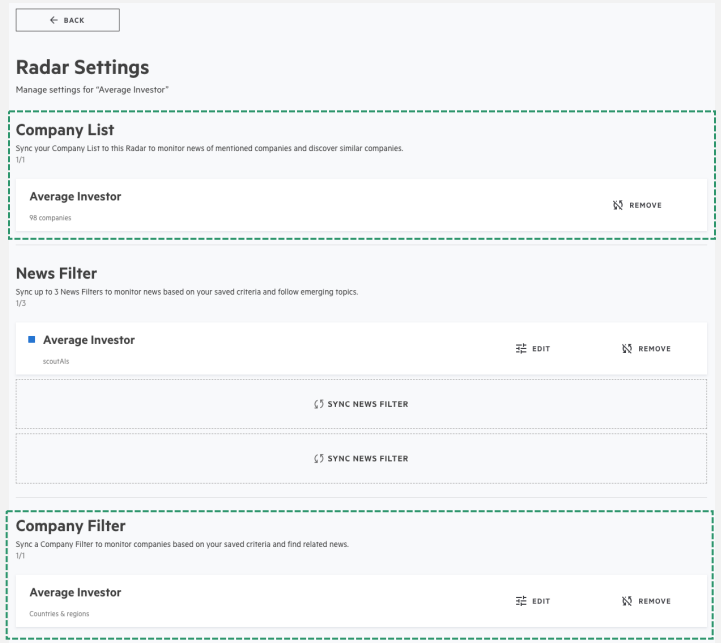
When you create a Radar, you will automatically receive daily Radar email alerts.

Tip See examples of how you can use Radar to monitor Topics, Industries, or Specific Companies

Radar Tip 2: Using Recent Mentions on Companies Effectively

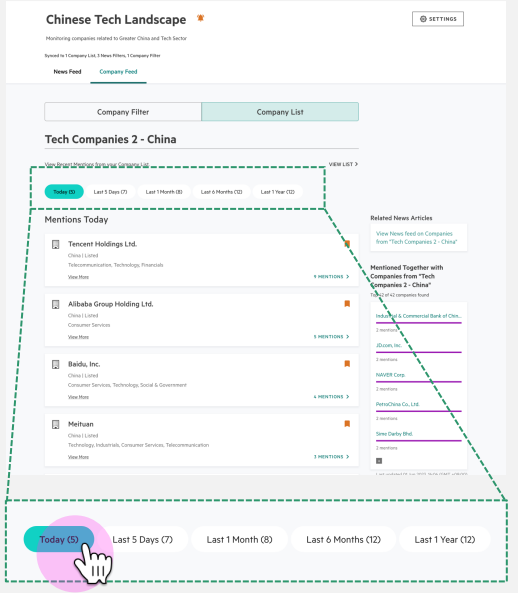
1 Sync a Company List or Company Filter

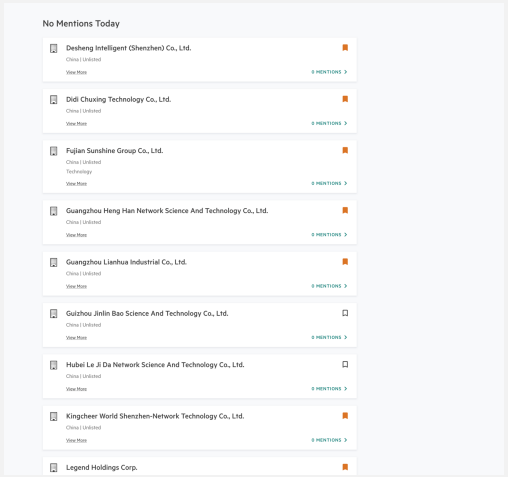
If you have specific companies or companies in an industry to monitor, curate a Company List or Company Filter respectively and sync it to Radar via Radar Settings.



With this, you will be able to monitor these companies' daily updates.

2 Check Radar Company Feed Daily





The time toggle allows monitoring of companies over your preferred time period

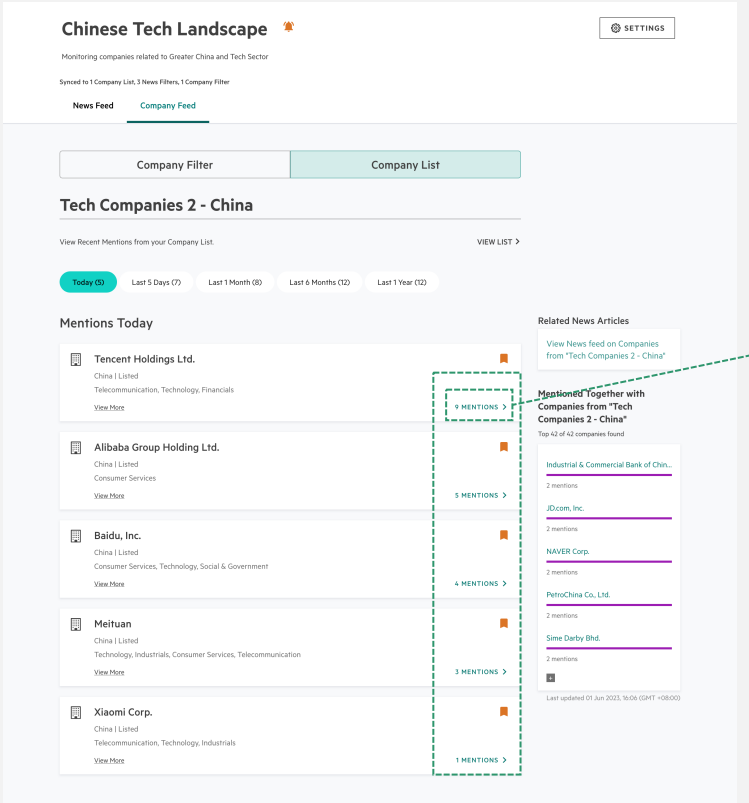
If I'm interested in the time period "Today":

- **"Mentions Today"** will tell you which companies have been in the news since 00:00 today, suggesting some activity to watch.
- **"No Mentions Today"** will display the rest of the companies in your Filter or List that have not been mentioned.
- **"Mentioned Together with"** widget finds companies outside Radar also mentioned with the companies in Radar today.

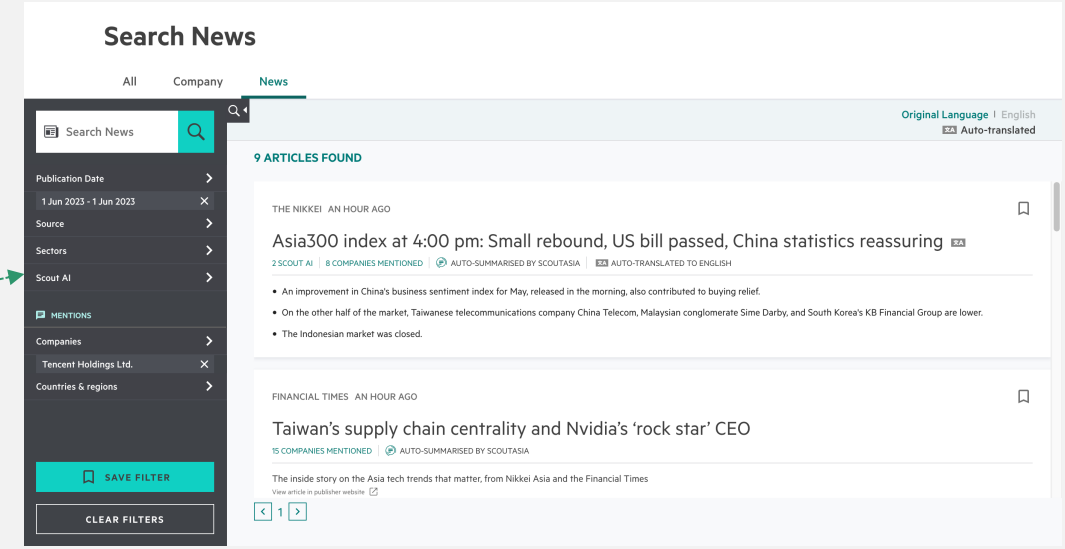
How to use Radar's Recent Mentions Effectively (Real Example)

3 Check Rankings of Companies in the selected Time Period

Companies in the sections with Mentions are **ranked by highest to lowest**, allowing you to know which are most prominent.



4 View News on the Company in the selected Time Period

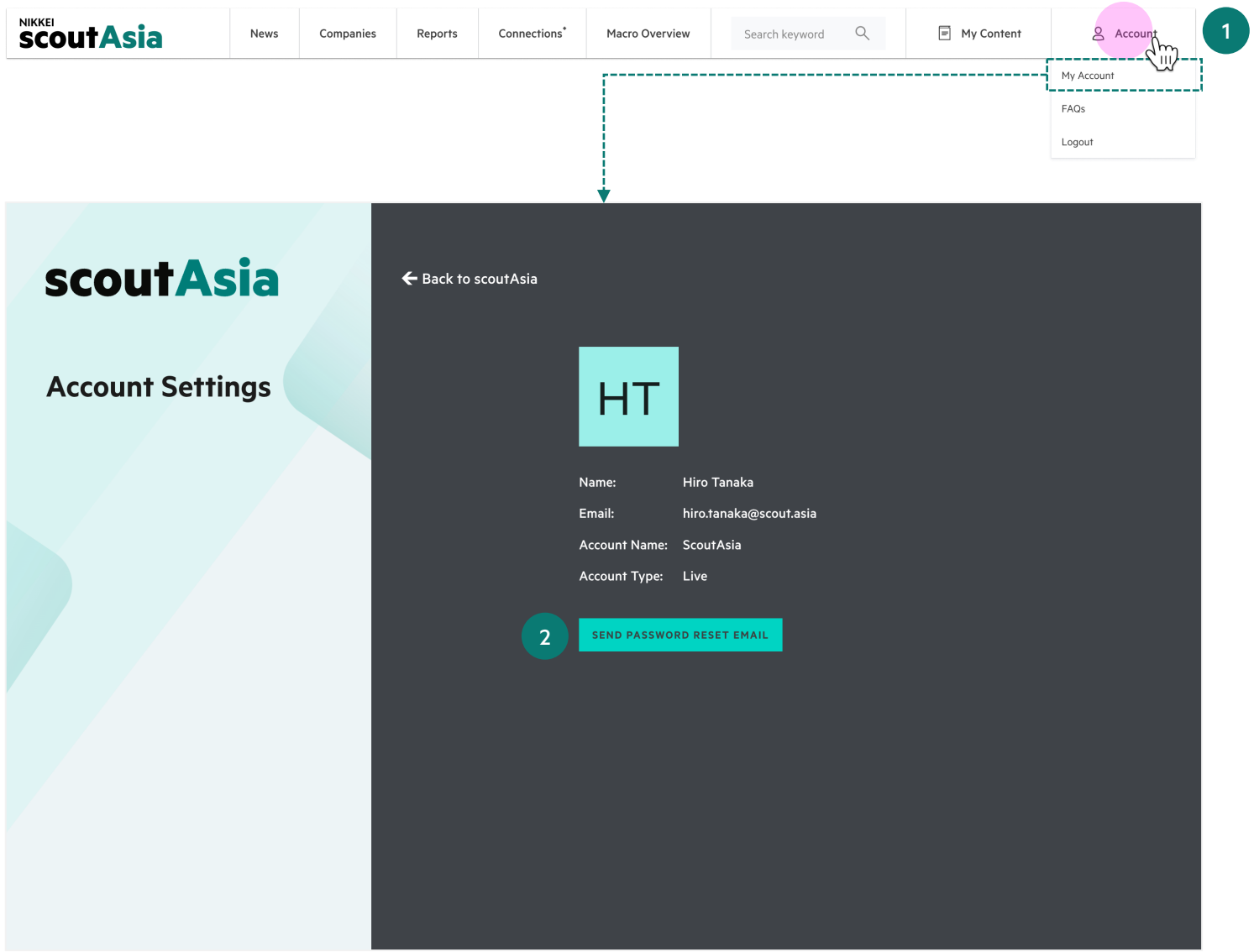


Clicking the **Mention Count of the company** allows you to view the articles on the company for that time period in News Search.

At this point, you may dive deeper into the articles and gain more insights on the target company.

User Settings

- Account Settings
- Email Alert Settings
- Language Toggle Settings

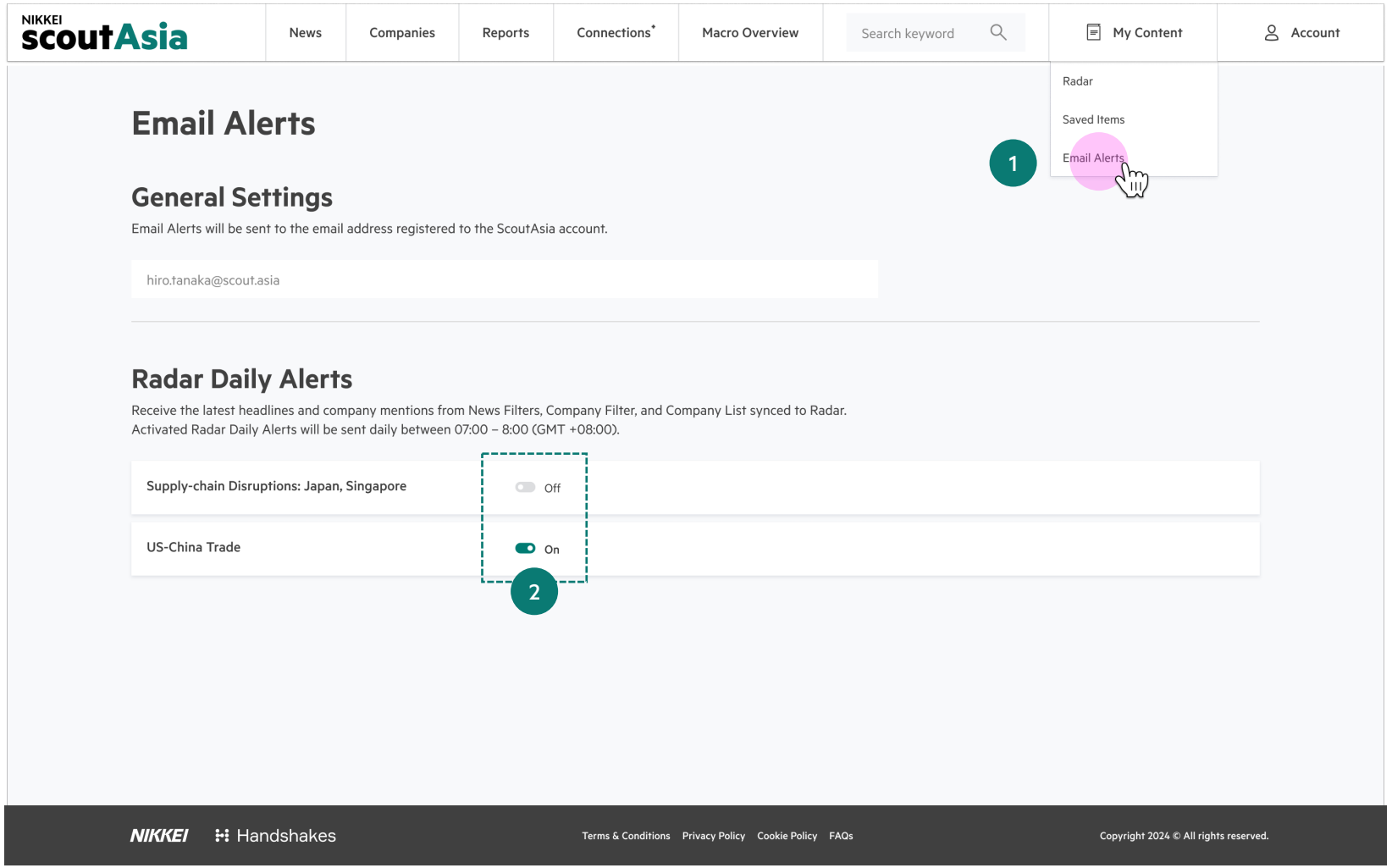


Account Settings Page

Account Settings

1. **Accessing Account Settings**
   From the Navigation Bar, click on your initials > My Account. You will be taken to the Account Settings page.

2. **Resetting your password**
   On the Account Settings page, click on “Send Password Reset Email”. A password reset email will be sent to the account’s registered email address. Follow the instructions on the email to complete resetting your password.

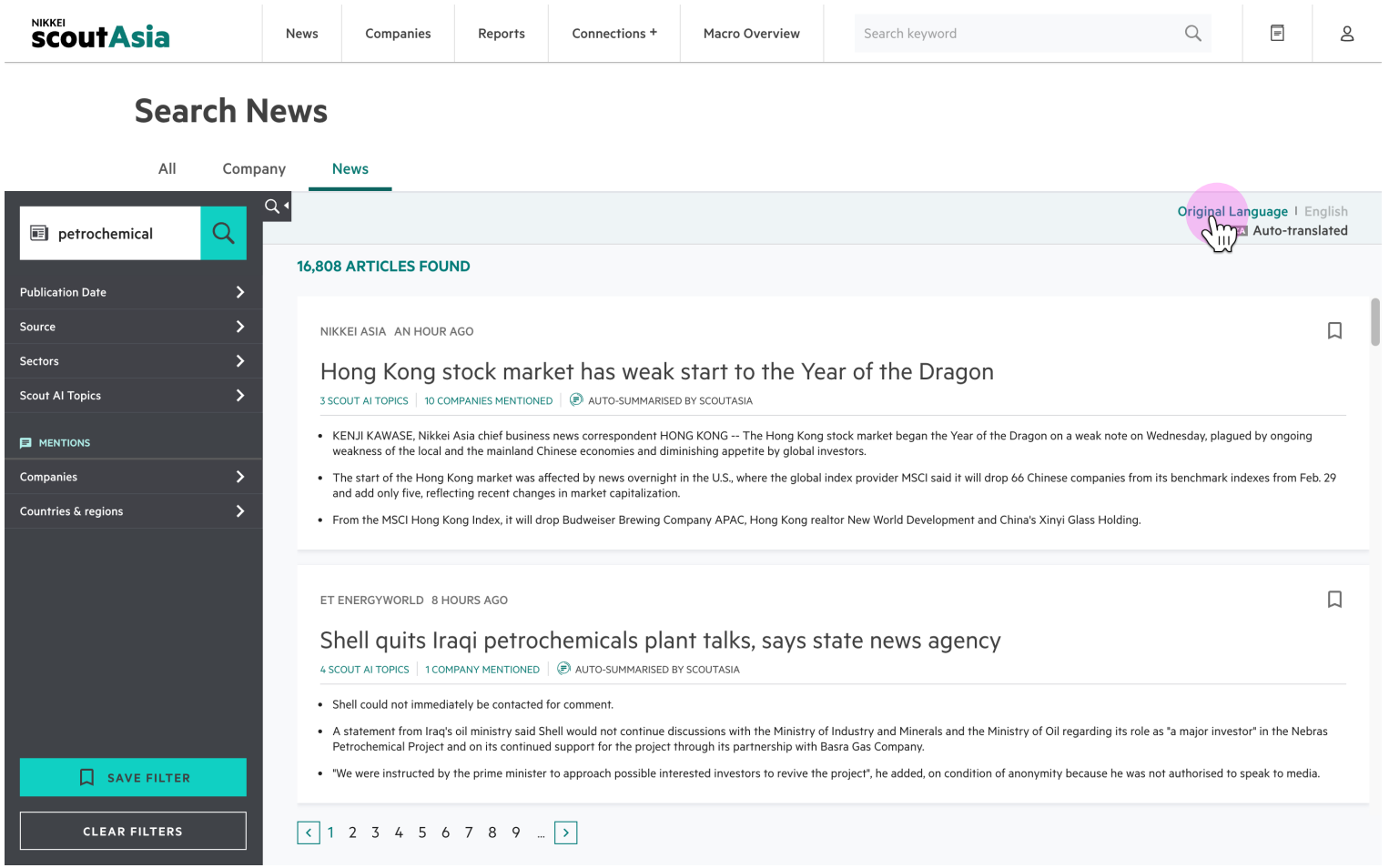


Email Alerts Settings Page

Email Alerts Settings

1. **Accessing Email Alerts Settings**
   From the Navigation Bar, click on “Email Alerts”

2. **Turning Radar Daily Alerts ON/OFF**
   Click on the ON/OFF button to start/stop receiving Email Alerts for that particular Radar.



Landing Page

Language Toggle Settings

The Language Toggle can be accessed on the Landing Page. Choose between:

- **Original Language**
  This will show non-English articles in its original language

- **English**
  This will auto-translated non-English articles to show in English

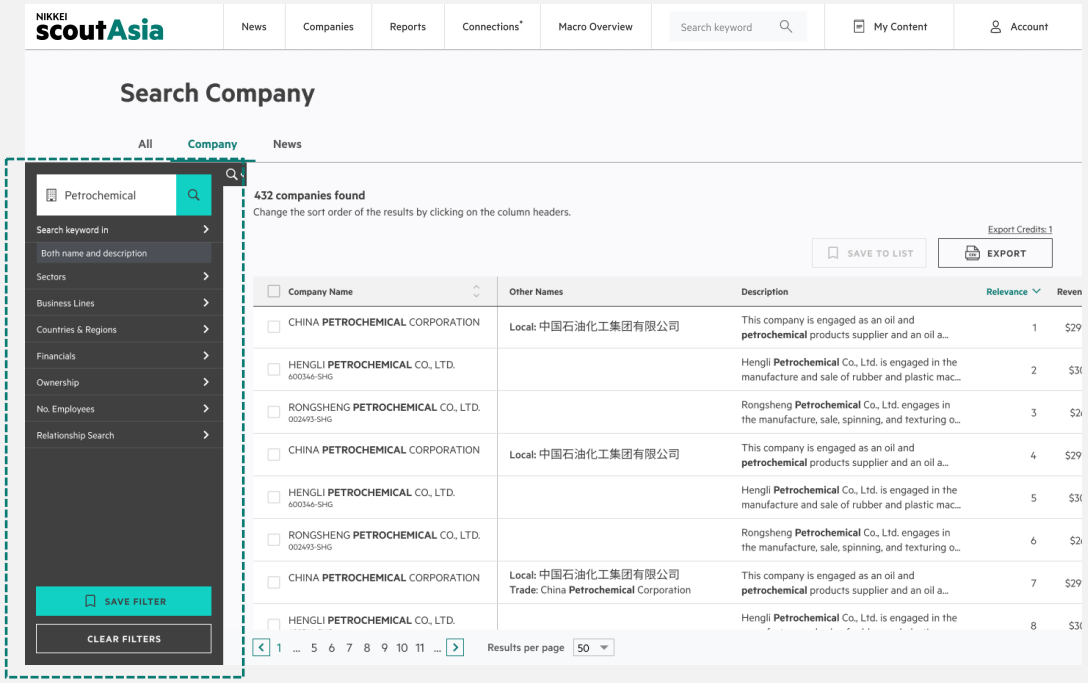
Tips & Tricks

Learn how to make ScoutAsia's powerful features work for you

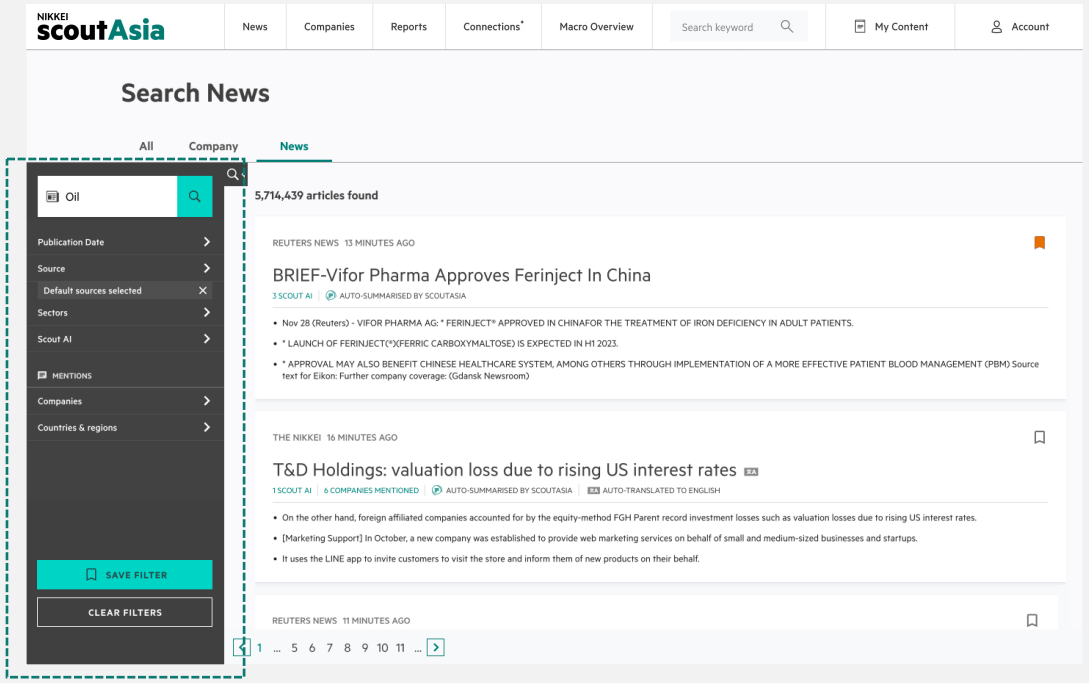
Search Filters, ScoutAI, Sector Tags & Export Credits

Building a Good Search: Search Filters

Get better search results by using a combination of Filters to refine your search results.



Company Search Page



News Search Page

Building a Good Search: Search Filters

Filters available in News and Company Search. Multiple selection of any Filters below works as "OR" condition – finds any article/company matching selected filters

Filter	Description	News Search	Company Search
Keyword	Selects articles containing words in the items (In News Search: based on article bodies; In Company Search: based on either Name, Description, or Both)	✓	✓
Publication Date	Refine the publication date range of articles in your search results.	✓	
Source	Find news articles, research reports, and exchange filings from international newspapers to specialist publications.	✓	
Sectors	Selects articles/companies tagged to specific sectors. Selecting a "parent" higher level sector will select all related "child" sectors	✓	✓
Business Lines	Allows you to dive deeper into each sector to find more specific companies. It is developed based on The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). *Tip: Use Sector filters to get recommended Business Lines.*		✓
ScoutAI	Selects articles tagged to ScoutAI, which AI-driven news topics.	✓	
Mentions - Company	Selects articles which mention companies you specify.	✓	
Mentions - Countries & Region	Selects articles with mentions of the chosen location(s).	✓	
Countries & Regions	Finds companies which are registered in the chosen location(s).		✓
Financials	Specify the range of a company's revenue, profit before tax, market cap, total assets and shareholder's funds.		✓
Ownership	Select between companies which are private, or public.		✓
No. of Employees	Specify the number of employees in a company		✓
Relationship Search	Shows companies that have selected relationships with companies registered in selected location		✓

Building a Good Search: Using Boolean Operators

Use a combination of Boolean Operators within your keywords to narrow down your results.

Basic Operators

Boolean Operators	Boolean Symbol	Examples	Expected Results
No Boolean (AND) Adding spaces between words or between exact phrases		Singapore Airlines	Articles with both words **Singapore** and **Airlines** mentioned.
Exact Phrase Use quote marks (not “curly quotes”) for exact phrases	**" "**	**"**Singapore Airlines**"**	Articles that contain the exact phrase "**Singapore Airlines**".
NOT To exclude particular words from a search, put a minus sign before the word.	**-**	Singapore **-**Airlines	Articles that contain the word **Singapore**, but do not have the word **Airlines**.
OR (vertical pipe character) To search for articles with any words mentioned, use the vertical bar to separate them.	**|**	Singapore **|** Airlines **|** Changi **|** Airport	Articles that contain any of the words **Singapore** or **Airlines** or **Changi** or **Airport**, but not necessarily all of them.

Note that multiple Boolean operators can be combined in your search — see the next page for examples.

Building a Good Search: Using Boolean Operators

Use a combination of Boolean Operators within your keywords to narrow down your results.

Combining Operators

Approach	Boolean Symbol	Examples	Expected Results
AND for Exact Phrases Used to search for exact phrases among articles	"phrase one" "phrase two"	"Singapore Airlines" "Changi Airport"	Articles that mention the exact phrases **Singapore Airlines** and **Changi Airport** in the title or body. *Note: This is different from searching Singapore Airlines Changi Airport, as that searches for individual words only
BRACKETS with OR To group keywords and use Boolean operators among groups	**( )**	Singapore **(**Changi **|** Airport**)**	Articles that contain the words **Singapore** and **Changi**, or **Singapore** and **Airport**.
BRACKETS with OR and Exact Phrases To expand the example above to include an exact phrase	**( )**	Singapore **(**Tourism **|** "Changi Airport"**)**	Articles that contain either the words **Singapore** and **Tourism**, or the words **Singapore** and "**Changi Airport**".

How do Standard ScoutAI & Sector Tags work?

STANDARD SCOUTAI GROUPS

Conflict, War and Peace

COVID-19

Crime, Law and Justice

Disasters and Accidents

Economy, Business and Markets

Environmental, Social and Governance

Healthcare

Petrochemicals

Political Developments

Science and Technology

SECTOR TAGS GROUPS

Oil & Gas

Basic Materials

Industrials

Consumer Goods

Health Care

Social & Government

Consumer Services

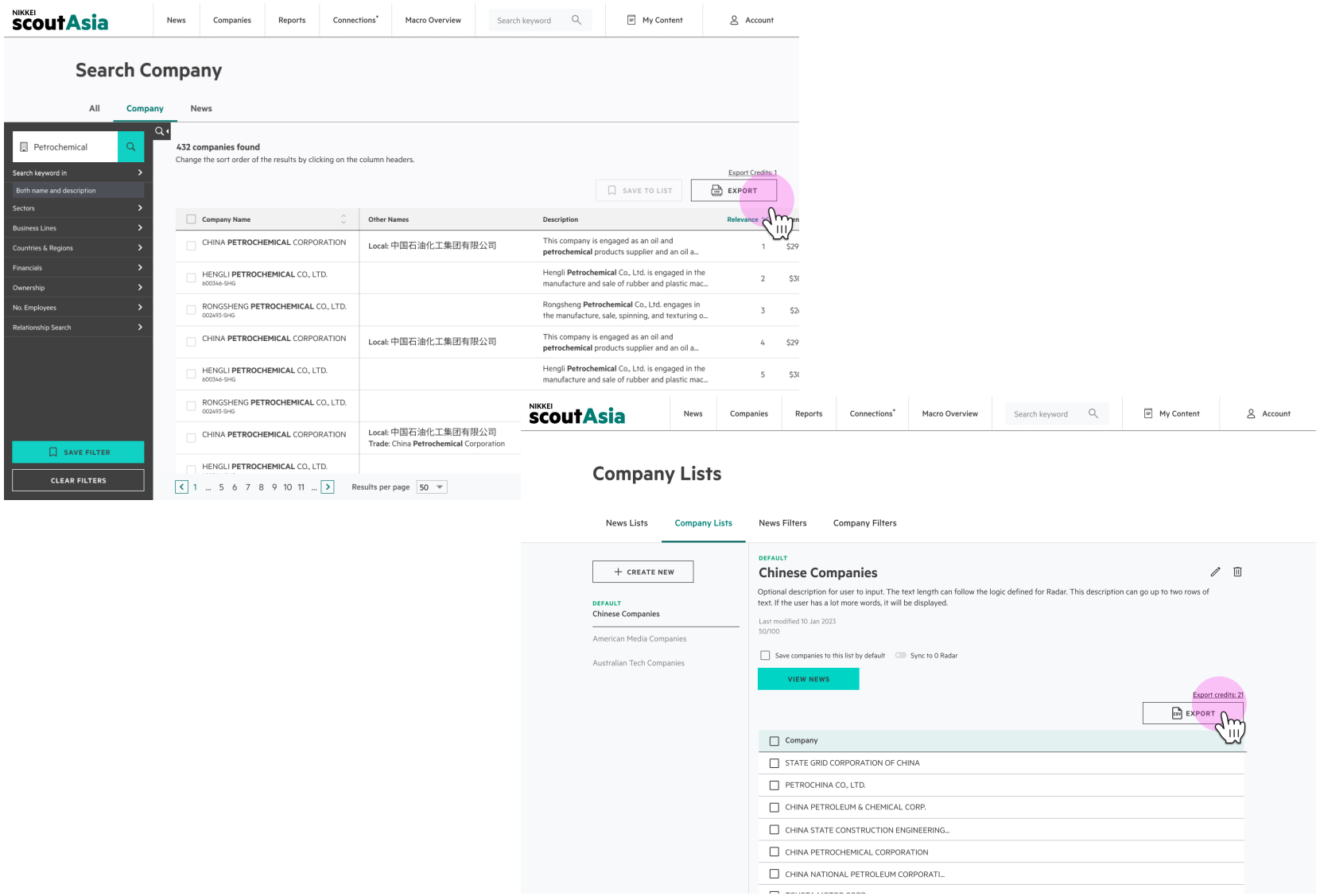
Telecommunication

Utilities

Financials

Technology

- All articles in ScoutAsia are tagged according to AI models.
- These AI models understand the meaning and interpretation of words, signs, and sentence structure.
- We also have our own customisations on training and article-classifying design to achieve better performance at scale.
- During the training process, ScoutAsia Machine Learning Experts labels a set of articles either as 'Positive', 'Negative', or 'Neutral' to indicate how relevant the text is to the topic being trained. The machine then learns patterns and structures of the text and tries to classify articles it has not seen before.



Top: Company Search Results Page
Bottom: Company List Page

Export Credits

Export Credits enables you to export a collection of Companies as a CSV. Each CSV export cost 1 Export Credit.

You can currently export Companies on the:

- Company Search Results Page
- Company List Page

ScoutAsia Users with a Standard subscription have 20 Export Credits per month.

Definitions

Definitions: Company Financial Data

Term	Definition
Revenue	Turnover, Net Sales or total Operating Revenue for each company according to their industry type as disclosed in their Income/Profit & Loss statement in their Annual Filing. Where Annual Filing is not available we will use a Local Registry submission.
Profit Before Tax	Profit (or Loss) Before Tax reflects the absolute value of a company's profit margin. Where we don't receive this value directly we calculate it from the company's profit margin expressed as a percentage of Revenue. Where a company has recorded a loss, this number will be negative.
Market Cap	Market Capitalisation is an expression of the company's value at a particular time. For public companies this is calculated from the number of shares outstanding and their market price. Within scoutAsia, we use the primary listing value in local currency and convert this to USD for comparative search purposes.
Total Assets	Where available, we show the Balance Sheet value disclosed by each company as part of the Local Registry Filing. This value should encompass each company's current assets, long-term assets and intangible assets. For publicly traded companies, this represents the total value of resources the company uses for its operations. Most of these assets can be liquidated and used to cover obligations, therefore this value is equivalent to the company's liabilities and total equity. Each industry type has variations in which resources they will apply within their asset calculation and that are compliant with their applicable accounting standards.
Shareholders' Funds	Where available, we show the disclosed value of all existing share financing, reserves and retained profits, drawn from each company's Local Registry or Annual Filing as appropriate. This is equivalent to a company's net worth, in other words all assets minus all liabilities.

Radar Case Studies

Monitor Filters & Company Lists with Radar

Sync Saved Items

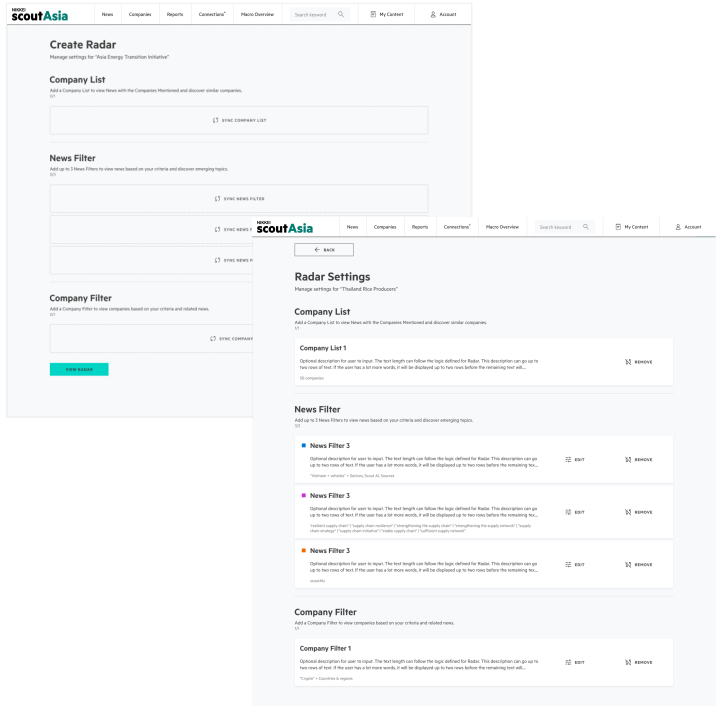
Sync your Filters & Company List into a Radar

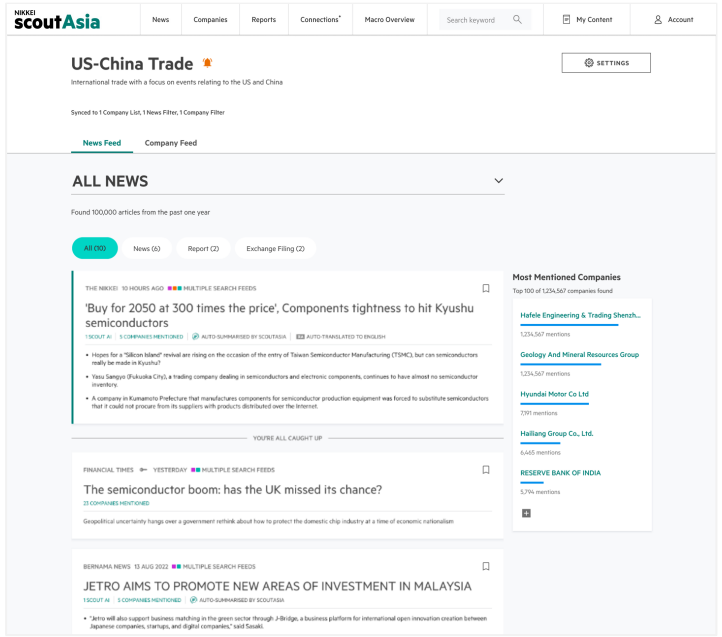
Monitor with Radar

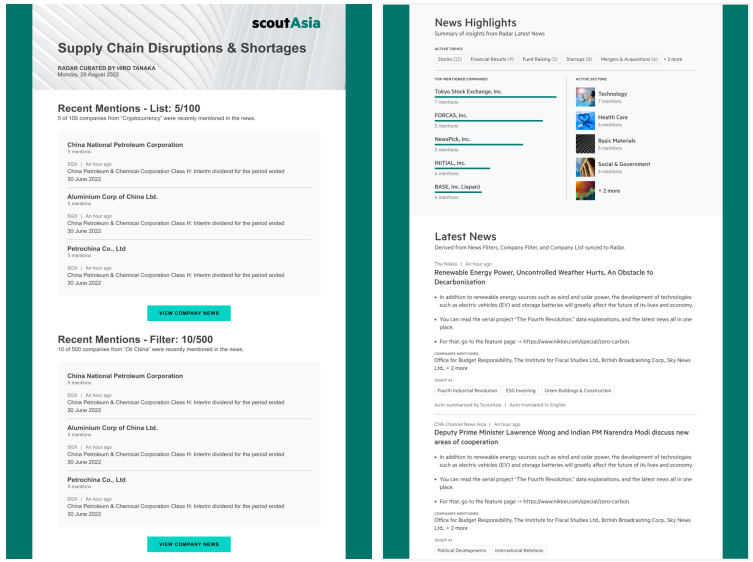
Monitor Topics & Companies from Multiple Angles

Stay Alert

Get daily email alerts on your Radar







How does Radar Generate Leads & Insights?

Perhaps you are a...

Stakeholder in...	**Industry Landscape**	**Deep Sector Topics**	**Portfolio**
On the topic...	**Chinese Tech Landscape**	**Food & Beverage Sector**	**Start-Ups Portfolio**
Need to know...	Market Conditions • Politics in Tech Sector • Product Development • Startups, Fundraising, IPOs	Opportunities & Potential Risks • F&B Sector – Product Development and Digitalization • F&B Sector – Disruptions • F&B Sector – Supply Shortages	Updates on Companies • Positive events (innovation, expansion etc.) • Fundraising activities • ESG-related events

Chinese Tech Landscape: Creating the Radar

I want to know...

Are there any updates to politics or regulatory issues revolving around the Chinese Tech Industry?

Might there be emerging technology coming from the tech sector in China?

How are start-ups in this industry doing?

So I created...

News Filter

Politics in Tech Sector, China

- **Sector Filters:**
  Technology | Software & Computer Services | Technology Hardware & Equipment |
- **ScoutAI Filters:**
  International Relations | Political Developments | Regulatory Actions | Trade Talks
- **Countries:** China

News Filter

Product Development in Tech Sector, China

- Sector Filters:
  Technology | Software & Computer Services | Technology Hardware & Equipment
- ScoutAI Filters:
  3D Printing | Artificial Intelligence | Blockchain | Cryptocurrencies | Digitalisation | Electric Vehicles | Extended Reality | Fourth Industrial Revolution | Product Development
- Countries: China

News Filter

Start-ups, Fundraising, IPOs (Tech Sector in China)

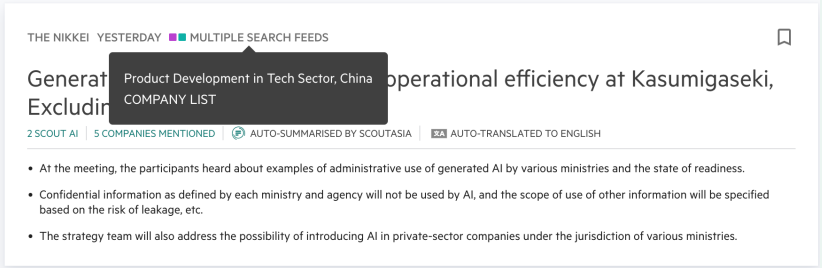
- Sector Filters:
  Technology | Software & Computer Services | Technology Hardware & Equipment
- ScoutAI Filters:
  Fund Raising | Initial Public Offering | Startups
- Countries: China

Sync to Radar ▶

In my Radar I discover...

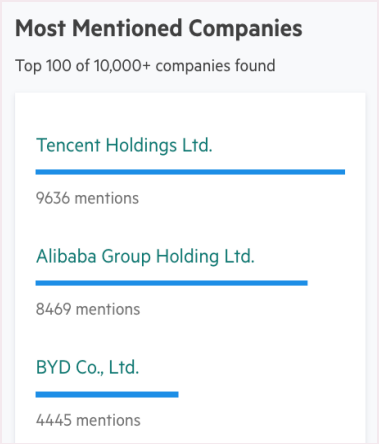
Auto-curated Feeds

I get all the latest news from all my Filters & Company List and compare where they overlap.



Leads & Insights

I can identify potential peers, suppliers, competitors from this list



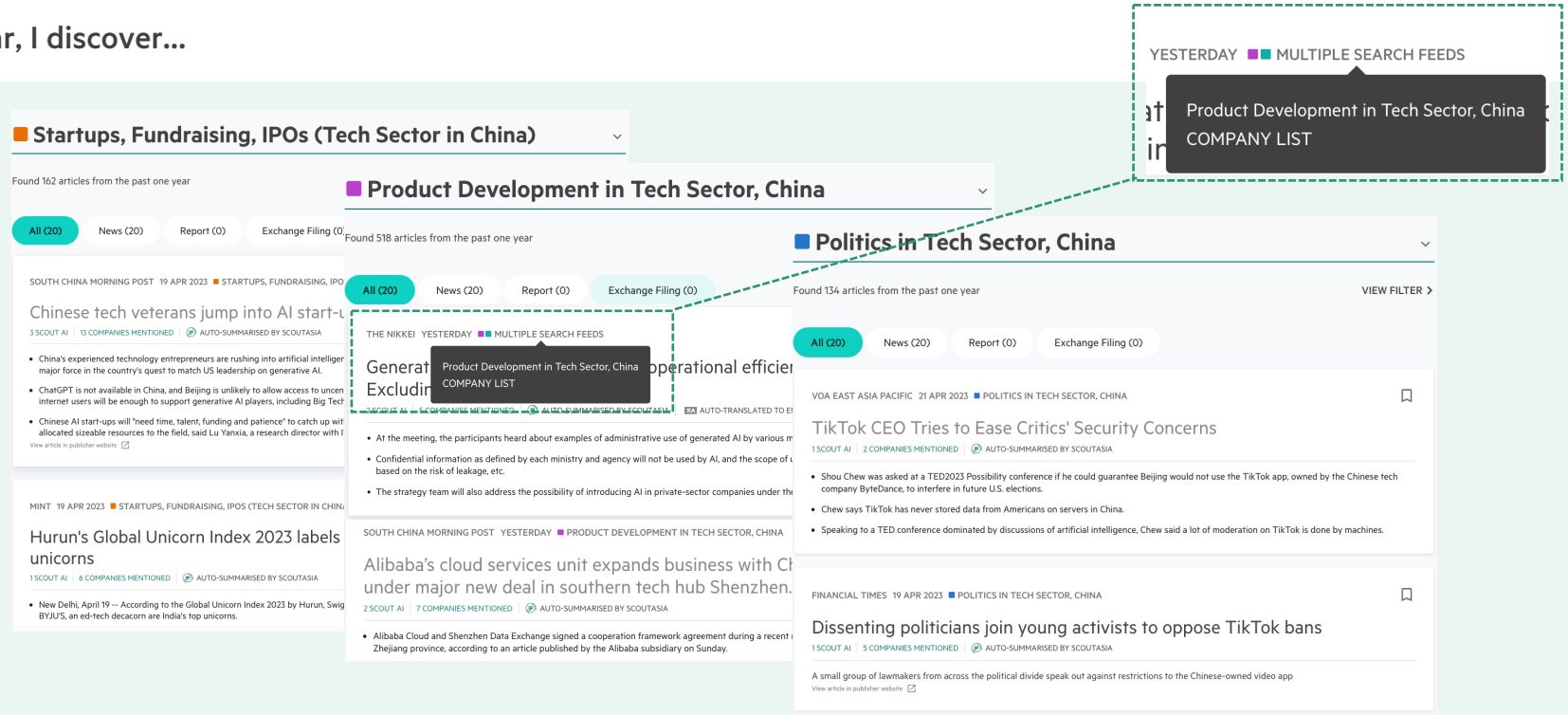
Chinese Tech Landscape: Discovering New Companies

Once I sync my Filters to Radar, I discover...

News Feeds focused on different perspectives

Each feed allows me to focus on an angle and identify overlaps.

For example, an article could be picked up by both Product Development (News Filter) and my curated Company List.



Most Mentioned Companies

I've found interesting peer companies from each feed to explore

Tiger Global Management	Baidu, Inc.	DOUYIN VISION CO., LTD.
5 mentions	229 mentions	30 mentions
JD.com, Inc.	Alibaba Group Holding Ltd.	Tencent Holdings Ltd.
5 mentions	177 mentions	13 mentions
Temasek Holdings (Pvt) Ltd.	Tencent Holdings Ltd.	HUAWEI TECHNOLOGIES CO., LTD.
5 mentions	116 mentions	12 mentions

Chinese Tech Landscape: Daily Updates on Companies

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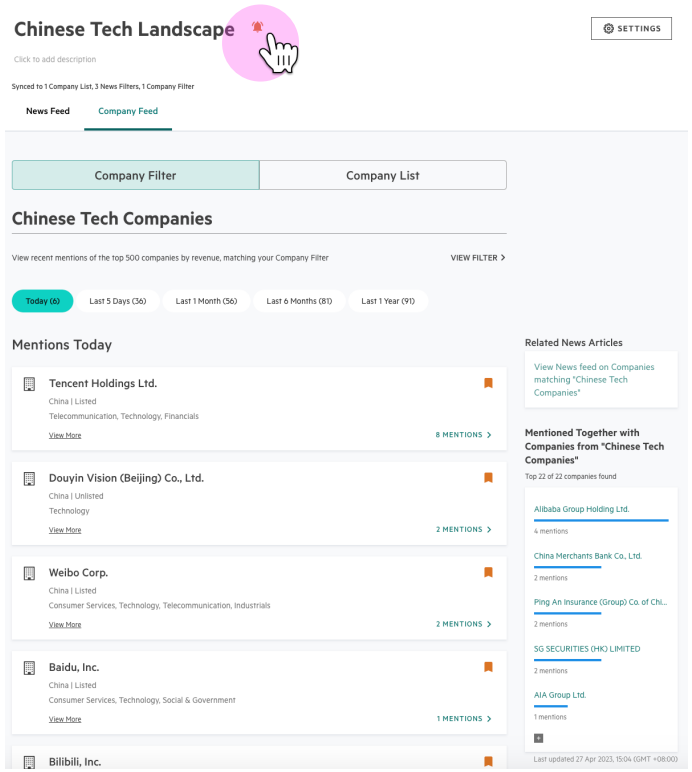

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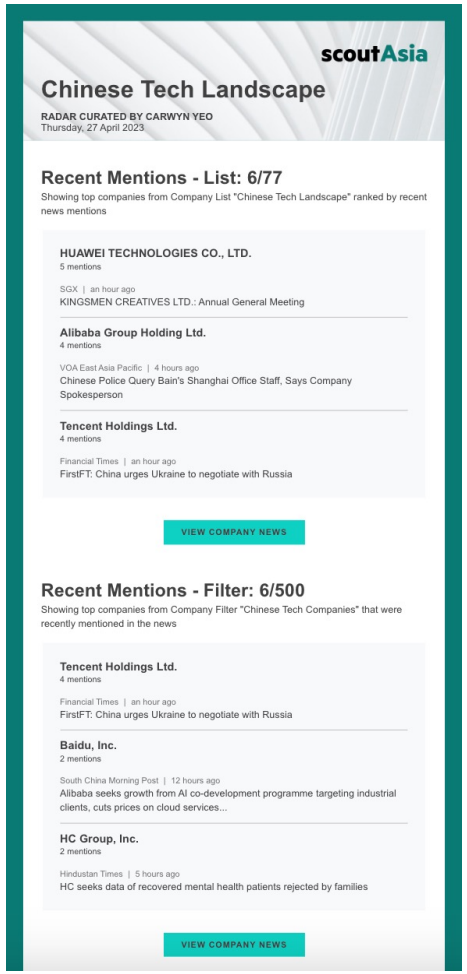
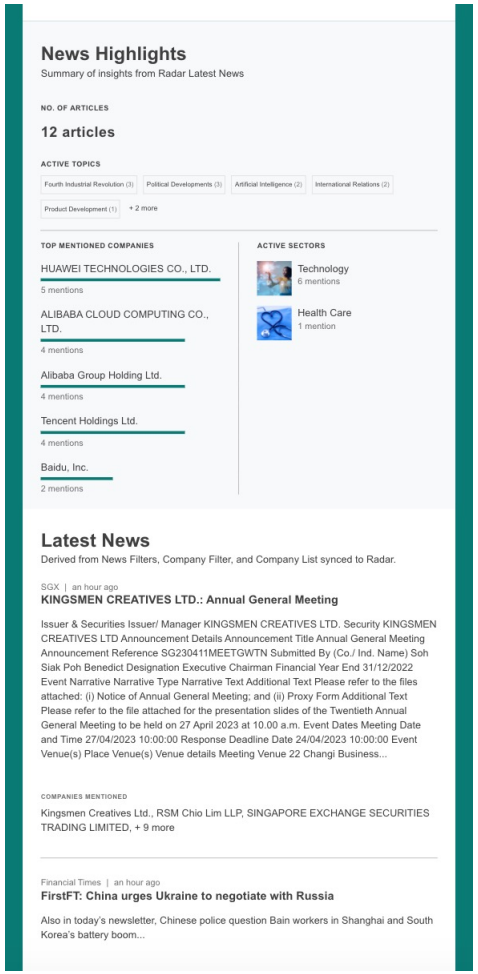




News Highlights tells me for the past 24h:

- Huawei and Alibaba were mentioned most in the news
- "Fourth Industrial Revolution" is the top topic
- "Technology" is the top sector

Latest News

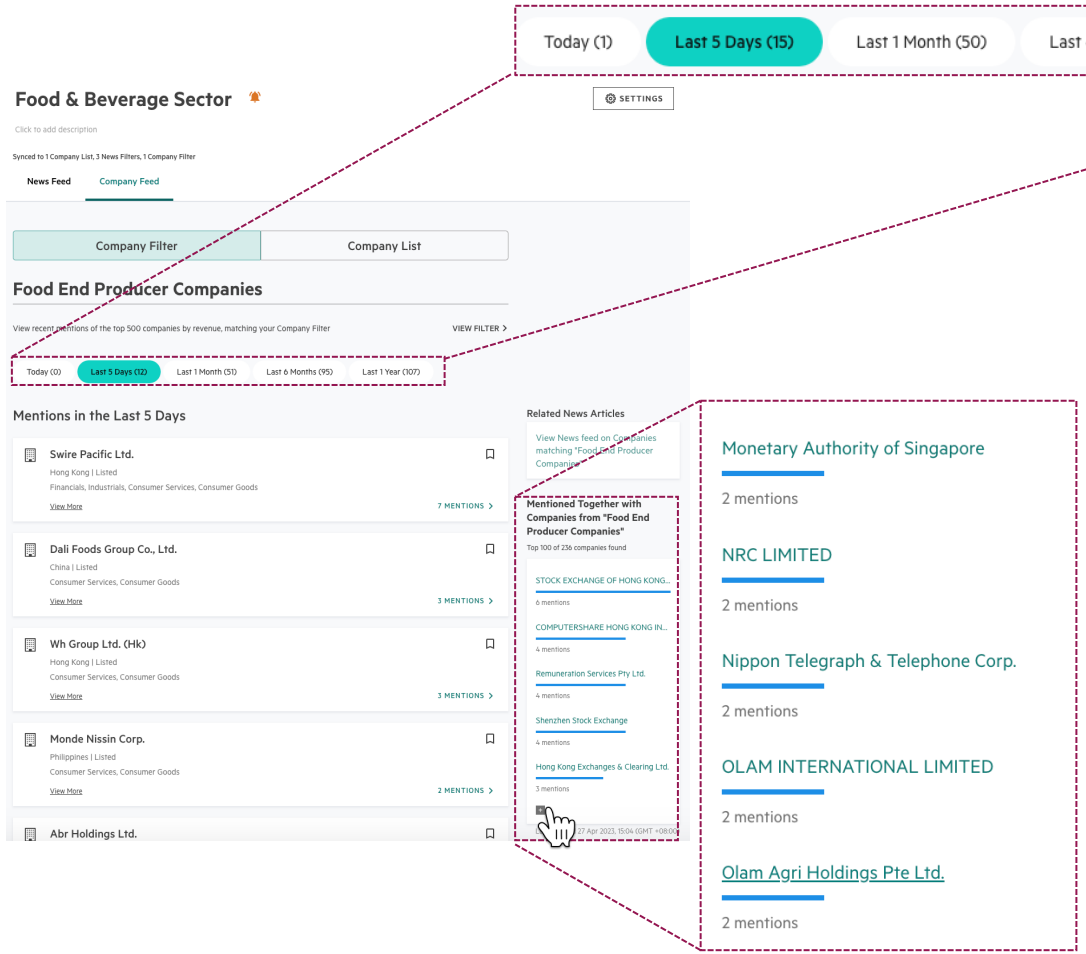
- Receive 5 latest articles from the last 24 hours every morning

F&B Sector: Creating Radar Inputs

I want to know...	So I created...
The updates to the products development in F&B sector Companies?	News Filter **F&B Sector – Product Development and Digitalization** • **Sector Filters:** Consumer Goods | Food & Beverage | Beverages | Food Producers • **ScoutAI Filters:** Product Development
The updates about the Business Disruptions within the F&B industry	News Filter **F&B Sector – Disruptions** • **Sector Filters:** Consumer Goods | Food & Beverage | Beverages | Food Producers • **ScoutAI Filters:** Severe Business Disruption
The updates regarding supply shortages in the F&B industry	News Filter **F&B Sector – Supply Shortages** • **Sector Filters:** Consumer Goods | Food & Beverage | Beverages | Food Producers • **ScoutAI Filters:** Supply Shortages

I want to know...	So I created...
What is the macro sense of Food end Producer companies in the industry	Company Filter **Food End Producer Companies** • **Sectors:** Consumer Services | Retail | Food & Drug Retailers • **Business Lines:** Baked Goods Stores | Confectionery Merchant Wholesalers | Packaged Frozen Food Merchant Wholesalers | Grain and Field Bean Merchant Wholesalers | Fruit and Vegetable Markets | Fish and Seafood Markets
I know a few large corporations that I specifically want to watch – Are there any smaller players in the limelight with them?	Company List **Food & Beverage Companies In the Company List:** • FUJIAN DALI FOODS TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD. • KAGOME CO., LTD. • FOOD CORPORATION OF INDIA • Pakistan Dairy Association • Coca Cola Bottlers Philippines, Inc. • Robinsons Supermarket Corporation • Kirin Holdings Co., Ltd.

F&B Sector: Monitoring Companies



Click the “plus sign “ to view more companies

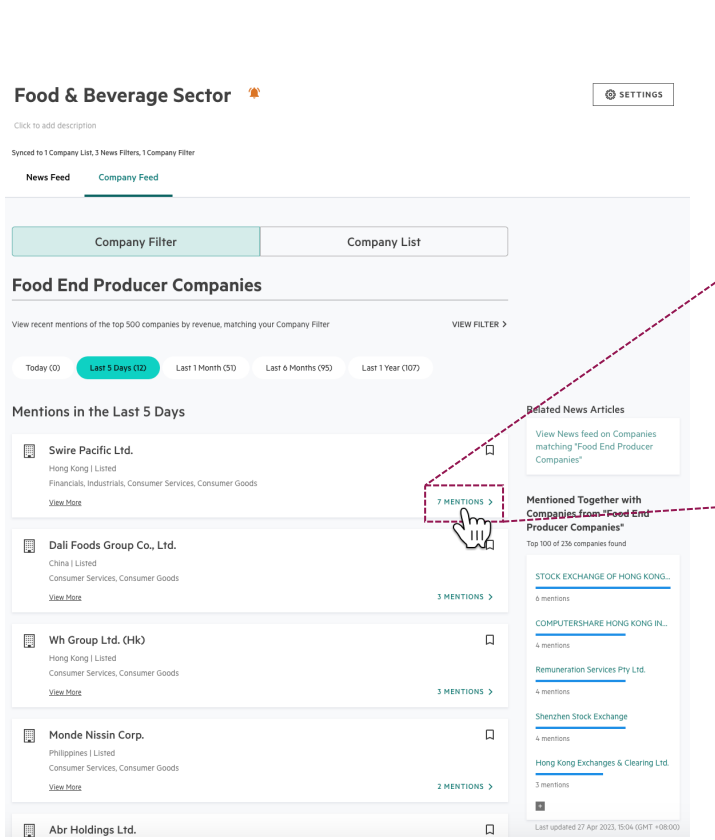
Using the Time Toggle, I can monitor companies in my Radar based on the Last 5 Days of news

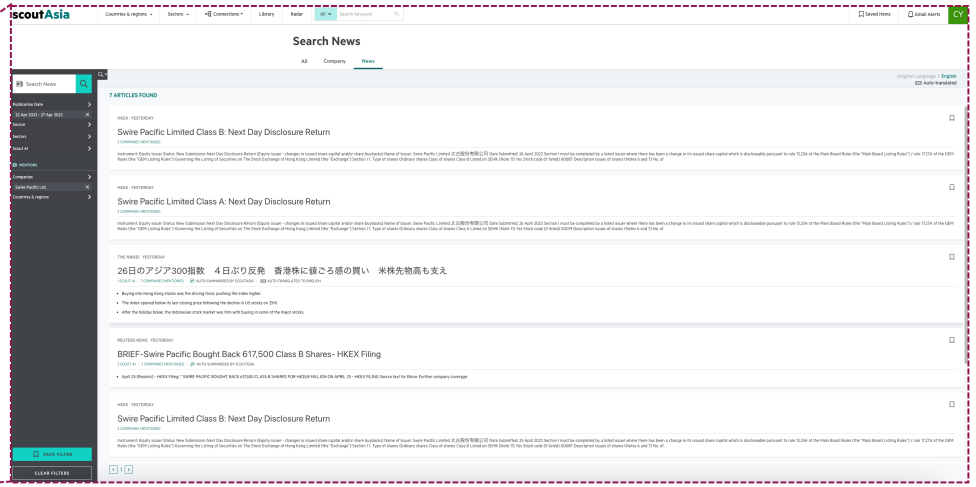
The “Mentioned Together” Widget allows me to discover smaller players in the F&B industry that are mentioned with bigger companies but are not significant enough to have a stand-alone news mention.

For Example, let’s zoom into “Olam Agri Holdings Pte Ltd”

- Checking the company profile, this is a Singapore-registered company in the business of wholesale agricultural products.
- It was acquired by Saudi Agricultural & Livestock Investment Co. from Olam Group Ltd. on December 23, 2022 for $913.44 million

F&B Sector: Monitoring Companies





Clicking on the “7 Mentions” button allows me to view the articles on the company for that time period in News Search.

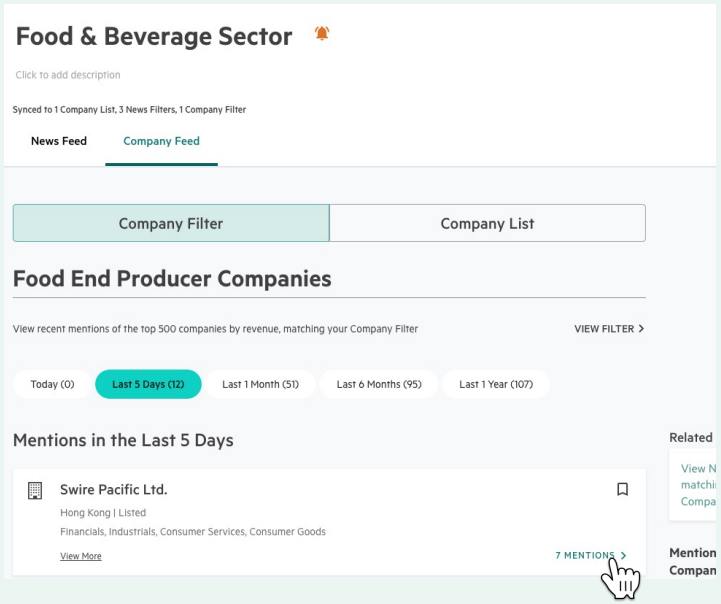
At this point, I can dive deeper into the articles and gain more insights on the target company.

F&B Sector: Discovering New Companies

Once I sync my Filters & Company List to Radar, I discover...

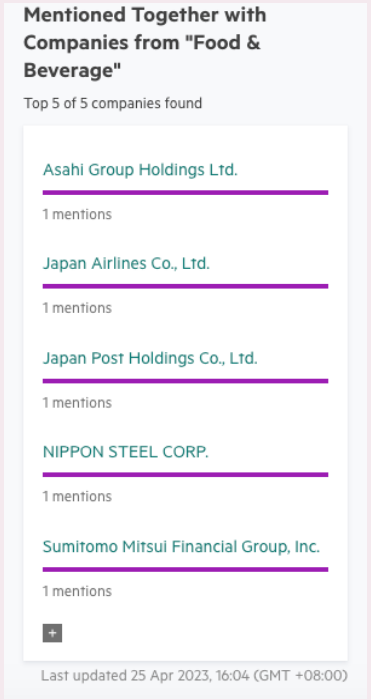
Auto-curated Feeds: Matching Company Filter

Companies in the sections with Mentions are **ranked by highest to lowest**, allowing me to know which are most prominent.



Leads: Mentioned Together With Company List

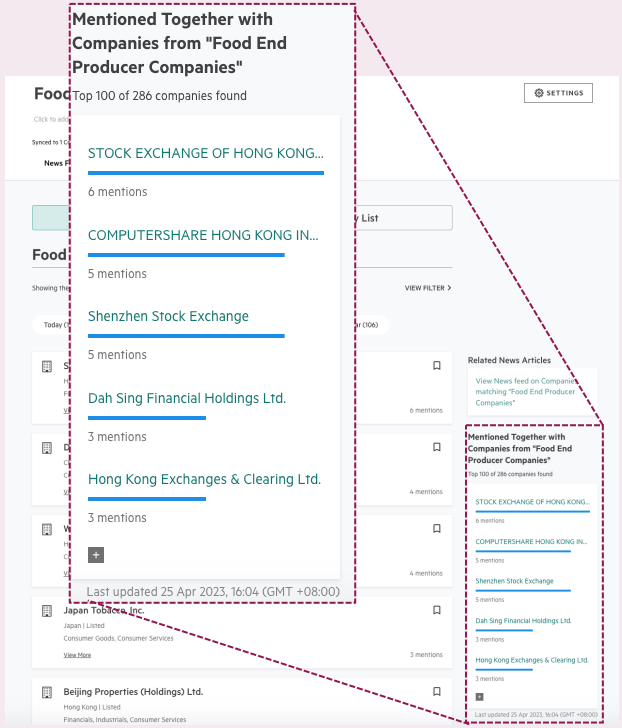
The "Mentioned Together with" widget shows some companies from other industries, which are mentioned in the news with Companies in my List.



Why does Japan Airlines & NIPPON STEEL CORP appear under Food & Beverage Search?
-They are logistics players serving this industry

Leads: Most Mentioned in the News

Looking at my News Filter about Chinese Social Media Apps, – I got clues to find parent companies, competitors, suppliers etc.



F&B Sector: Daily Updates on Companies

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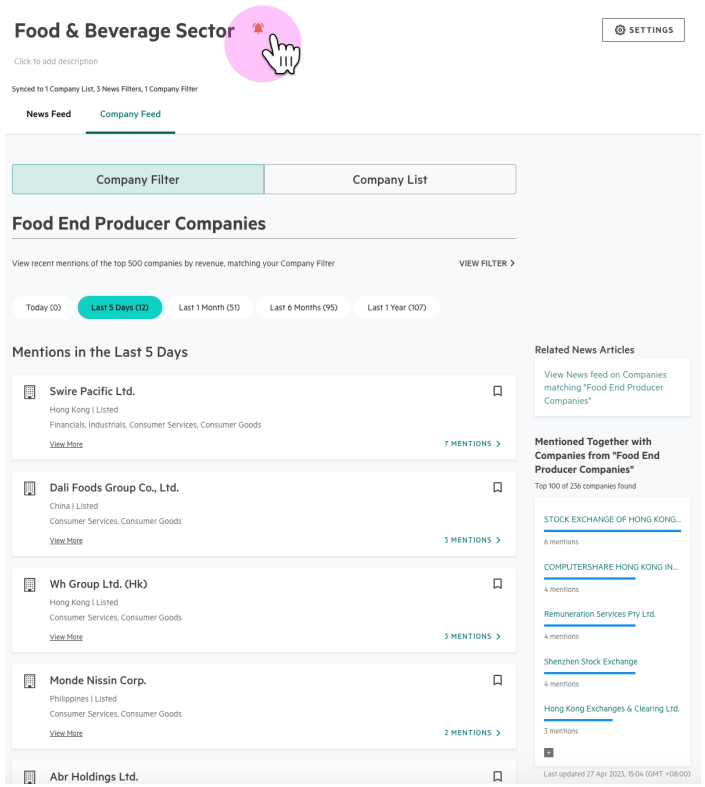

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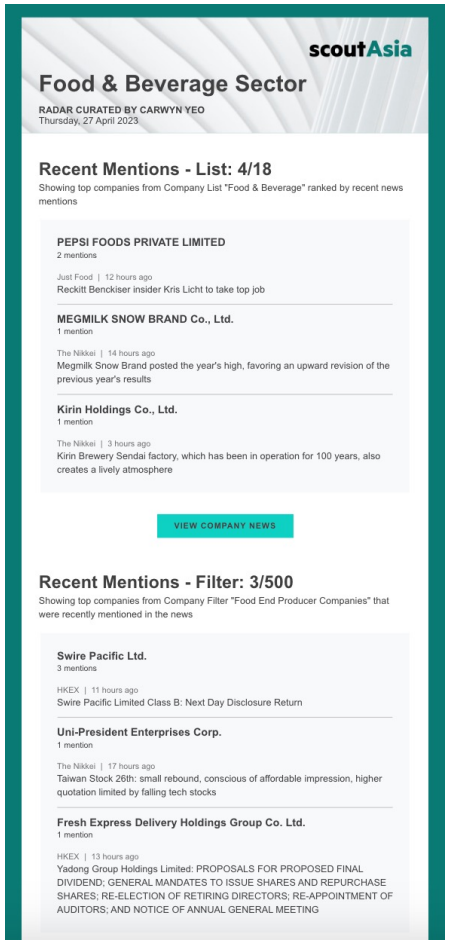
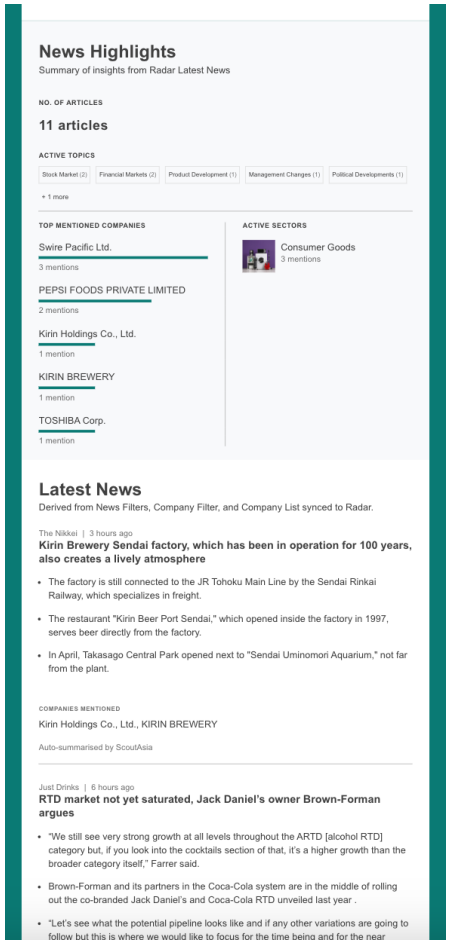
Recent Mentions (Company List) in the past 24h:

- 4 companies were mentioned
- Pepsi Foods is the top company by mentions

Recent Mentions (Company Filter) in the past 24h:

- 3 companies were mentioned
- Swire Pacific Ltd. Is the top company by mentions





Start-ups Portfolio

I want to know...

Leads and insights on specific start-ups I have curated

So I created...

Company List

Start-Ups

Companies incorporated from 2017 onwards

Inside List:

- Affindi
- Trustana
- Aicadium
- Aspire FT PTE LTD
- Mogul Singapore
- Endowus PTE LTD

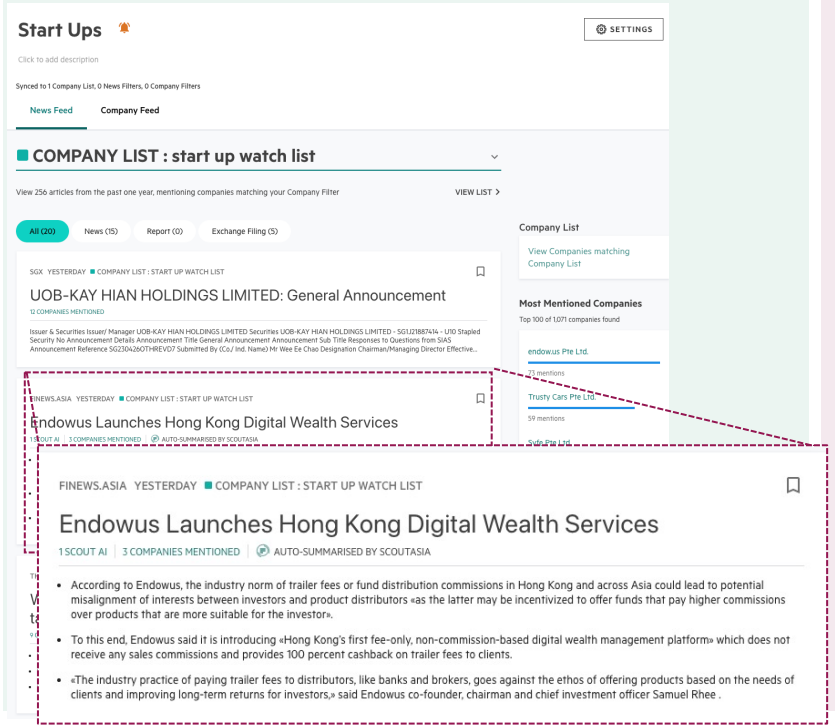
(and more)

Sync to Radar ►

In my Radar I discover...

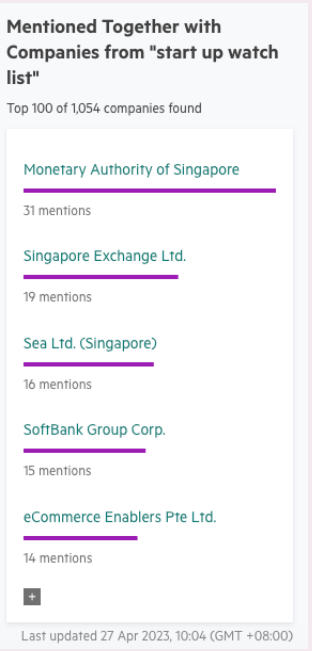
Auto-curated Feeds: News

I get the latest news mentioning the Start-Up Companies Looks like there is alot financial news generated and Endowus is getting the most number of mentions

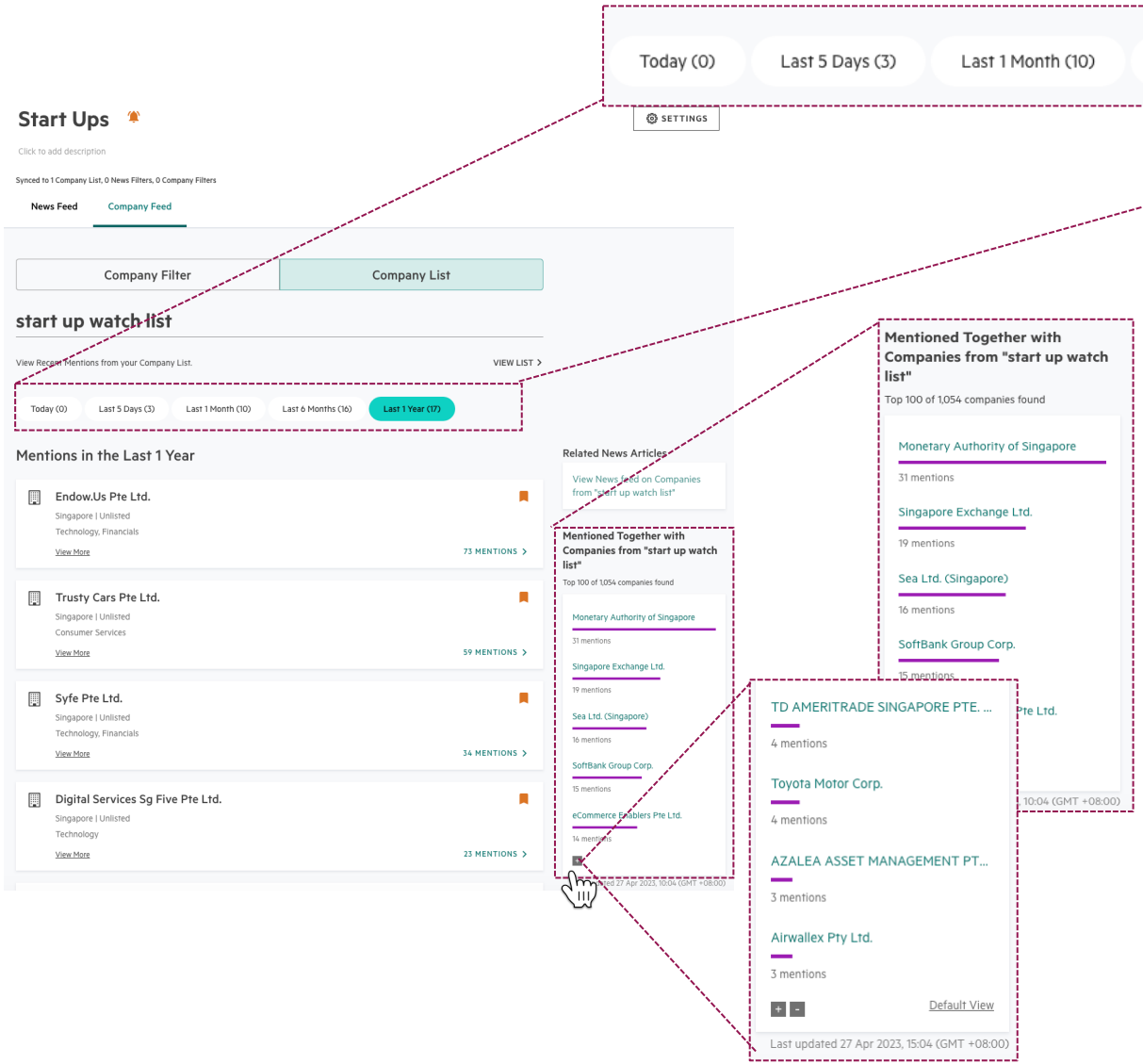


Leads & Insights

These Start Up Companies have media mentions with other Companies outside of its sector. These are leads I can start with.



Start-ups Portfolio: Monitoring Companies

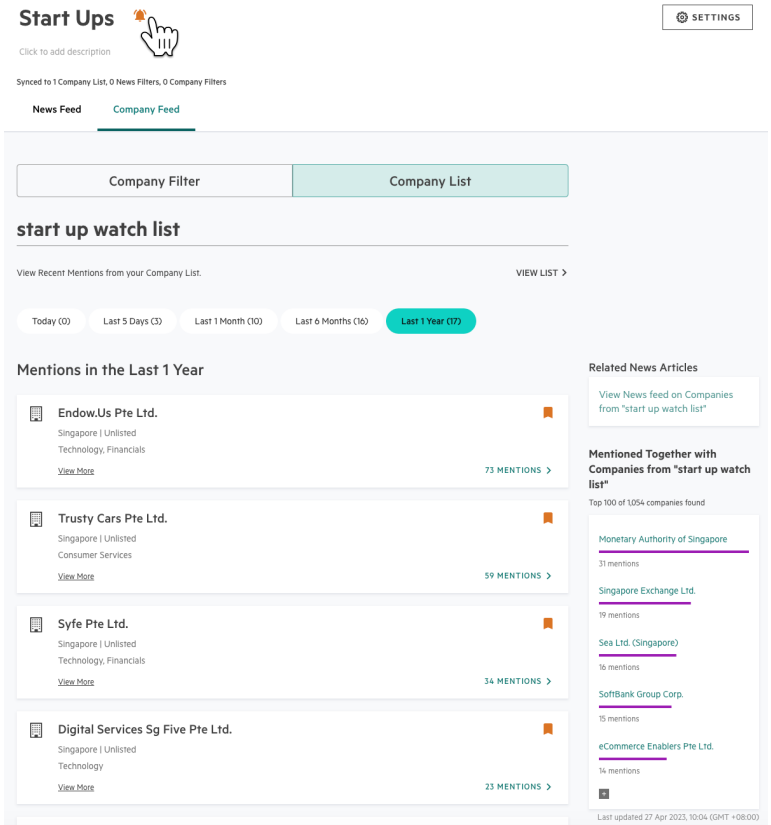


Using the Time Toggle, I can monitor the activity of these emerging companies in my Radar based on a few pre-set time periods

The “Mentioned together” widget finds other companies that are not in the list but could be of interest.

For example, we are able to find an asset management company (e.g. Azalea Asset Management), and also a financial services startup (Airwallex).

Start-ups Portfolio: Daily Updates on Companies



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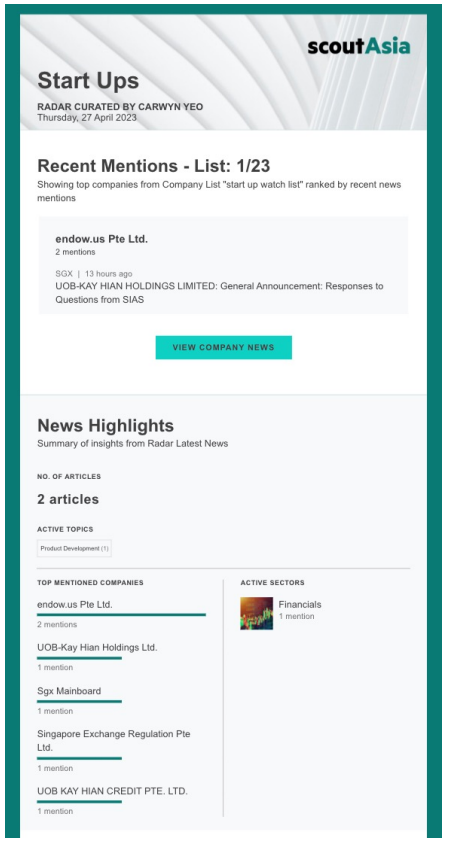
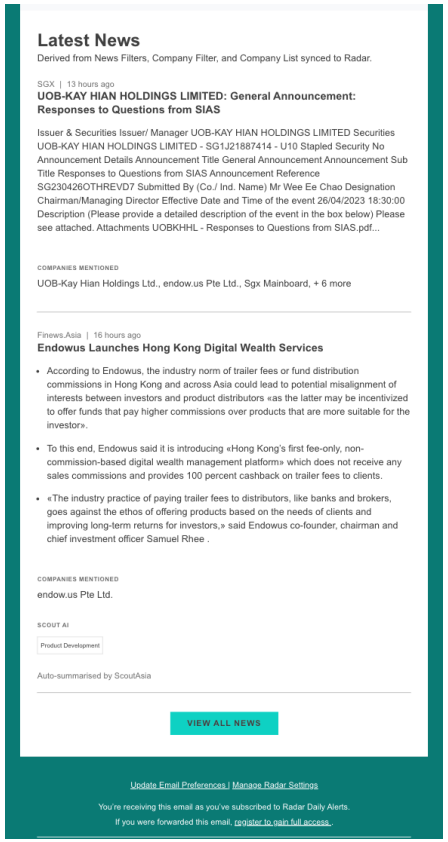
Zooming into Endow.us being mentioned in the news today:

- Endow.us officially launched digital wealth management services in Hong Kong
- The platform is backed by financial and tech leaders including UBS, Prosus (Naspers), and Samsung.

With this information, we can infer that this company is likely in a phase of business expansion





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