Reconstructed Chronology of the Five Kings of Wa Based on Nihon Shoki Analysis

This table shows the reconstructed timeline of the "Five Kings of Wa" based on the hypothesis that the Nihon Shoki employed a double-year calendar until the late 5th century.

The first regnal year of Emperor Ōjin is considered identical to that of Emperor Nintoku. A "Spring-Autumn double-year system" (counting each spring and autumn as one year) appears to have been applied until the 13th year of Emperor Yūryaku (AD 469).

天皇名	在位年数(日本書紀)	倍暦だった場合の実年	即位の想定年	崩御の想定年	倭の五王中国史書の記録年
Emperor Name	Years in office (Nihon Shoki)	Adjusted actual years (based on double-year system)	Estimated Year of Enthronement	Estimated Year of Death	Record years in Chinese official histories
(応神天皇) (Emperor Ōjin)	(41)	(20)	(391)	(411)	
仁徳天皇 Emperor Nintoku	87	43	391(413)	434	讚 San (413)421 425 (430)
履中天皇 Emperor Richū	6	3	435	437	
反正天皇 Emperor Hanzei	5	2.5	438	440	珍 Chin 438
允恭天皇 Emperor Ingyō	42	21	441	461	済 Sei 443 451 (460)
安康天皇 Emperor Ankō	3	1.5	462	463	興 Kou 462
雄略天皇 Emperor Yūryaku	23	13+6.5=19.5	463	479	武 Bu (477) 478 479?
清寧天皇 Emperor Seinei	5		480	484	rarentheses indicate years where
顕宗天皇 Emperor Seinei	3		485	487	the name of the King of Wa is not recorded in Chinese dynastic histories.
仁賢天皇 Ninken	10		488	498	and the second s
武烈天皇 Buretu	8		498	506	
継体天皇 Keitai	25		507	531	

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