



We have compiled visual representations to illustrate the efforts toward the revitalization of Fukushima.

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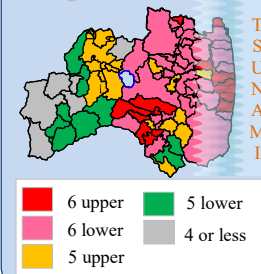
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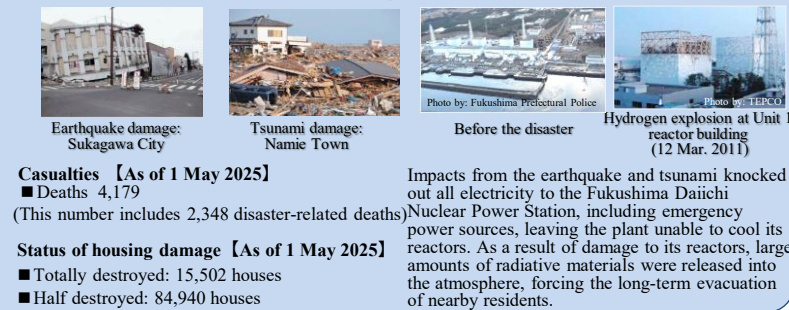
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The Extent of the Damage

◆ Seismic Intensity throughout the Prefecture

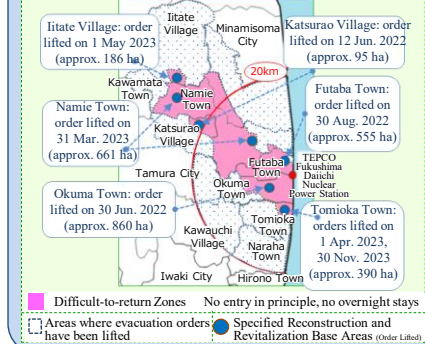


◆ Earthquake Damage ◆ Tsunami Damage ◆ Nuclear disaster



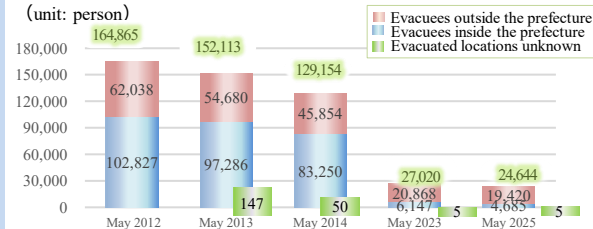
Situation Surrounding Evacuation

Lifting of evacuation orders for Evacuation-Designated Zones & Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas



Evacuation orders are being lifted as the environment improves for the return of residents. The number of evacuees within and outside the prefecture, once marked at about 160,000 as its highest, has decreased to about 24,000.

◆ Transition of evacuees: Earthquake, Tsunami, NPS accident

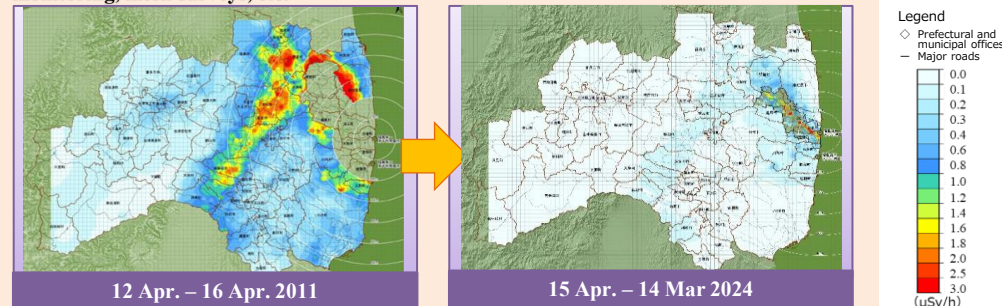


◆ Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas (Evacuation Order Lifted)

Act on Special Measures on Reconstruction and Revitalization of Fukushima was amended in May 2017 to establish an area where residents in Difficult-to-return Zones are allowed to return home and relocate, as a result of the lifting of evacuation orders. All evacuation orders were lifted by Nov. 2023.

Environmental Recovery

◆ Air radiation dose rate map based on the results of Fukushima Prefecture environmental radiation monitoring, mesh surveys, etc.

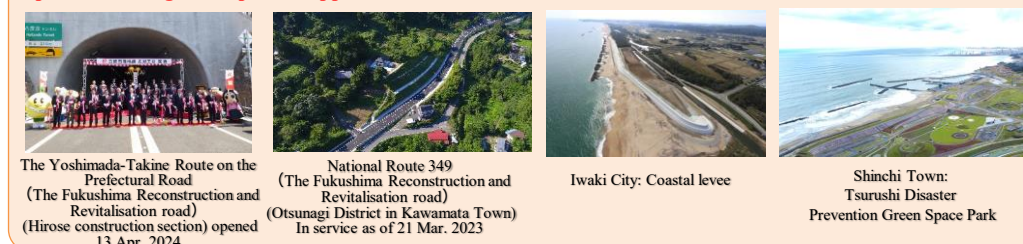


※ Added the measurement results of the car-borne survey conducted in Difficult-to-return Zones from 18 Sep. to 11 Oct. 2024.



Public Infrastructure Development

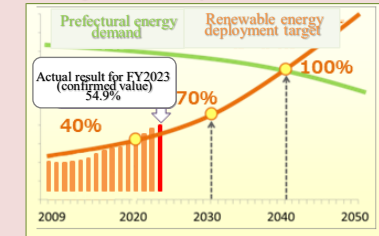
Public infrastructure such as the Fukushima Reconstruction Roads, levees, and disaster-prevention green spaces are being developed to support revitalisation.



Promotion of Renewable Energy

Aiming to become a pioneer in renewable energy, efforts are underway to expand the deployment of renewable energy and achieve a Hydrogen-based Society.

◆ Renewable Energy Deployment Target (aiming for 100% by around 2040)



Aizu Aizu Region and Minami-Aizu District

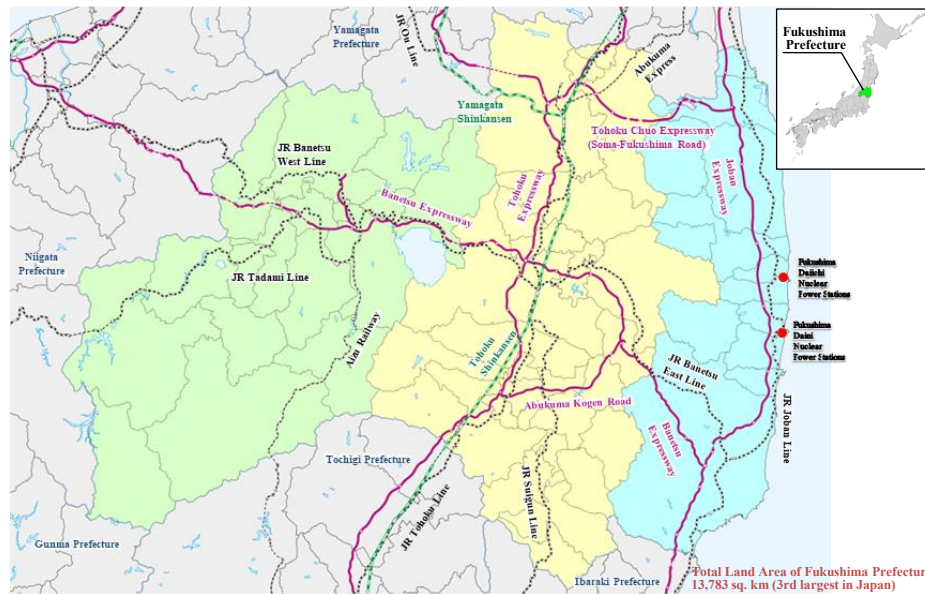
Climate: The region sees heavy snowfall in winter, known for having a very distinct four seasons.
Culture: Traditional industries, agriculture, forestry, and other industries that take advantage of the unique characteristics across the region are thriving.

Central Region Ken-poku (northern), Ken-chu (central) and Ken-nan (southern) Districts

Climate: Some areas in the basin get hot and humid in summer, moderate snowfall in winter.
Culture: Blends both urban and rural nature with a well-developed transportation network.

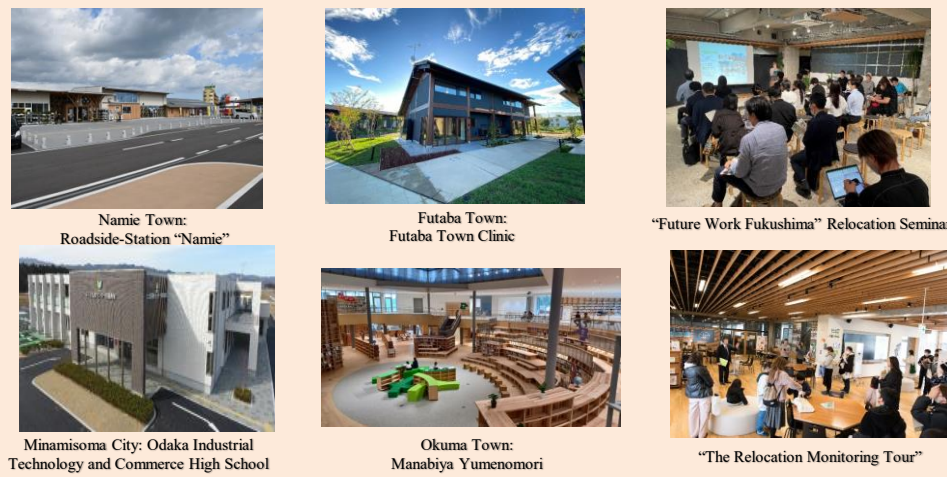
Coastal Region Soso and Iwaki Districts

Climate: Summers are not too hot and winters are the warmest in the prefecture with very little snowfall.
Culture: Hydrogen-related industries are expanding. The robotics and renewable energy industries also stand out as national projects.



Improvement of Living Conditions & Promotion of Relocation

While working to improve the living environment for evacuees to return, efforts will also be made to increase exchange and related populations, and to promote relocation and permanent settlement.



Promoting the Fukushima Innovation Coast Framework

A national project that aims to build a new industrial infrastructure to regain the lost industries in the region. The Fukushima Innovation Coast Framework Promotion Organization plays a pivotal role in the implementation of the initiative. On 1 Apr. 2023, The Fukushima Institute for Research, Education and Innovation (F-REI) was established in Namie Town as a world-renowned "central institute for creative reconstruction."

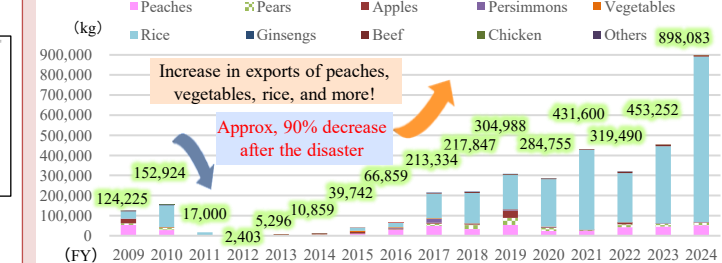
◆ 6 priority fields



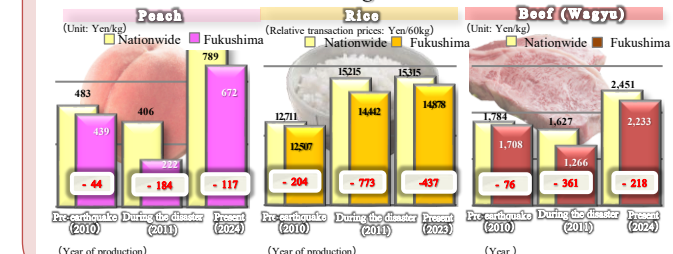
Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries

Exports exceeded pre-disaster levels, reaching the highest export volume ever in FY2024. On the other hand, while the price of locally produced agricultural products of Fukushima generally shows signs of recovery, the price difference from the national average has not yet been restored for some items.

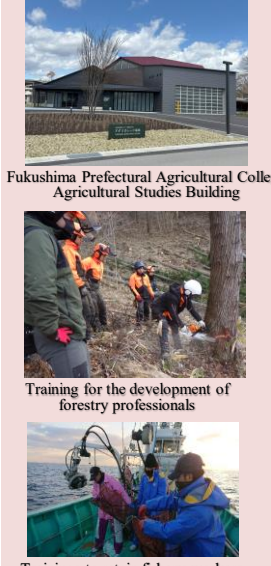
◆ Agricultural product exports



◆ Transition of prices of major agricultural products and price differences from the national average



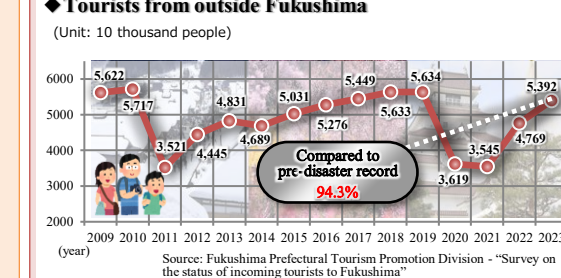
◆ Human Resource Development in Agriculture, Forestry, and Fisheries



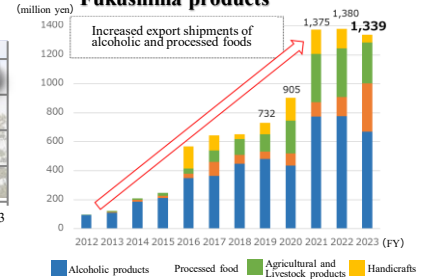
Recovery of Tourism & Prefectural Products

The number of inbound tourists has recovered from the impacts of COVID-19 pandemic. Exports of prefectural products reached a record high in FY2023.

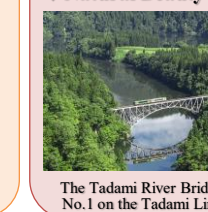
◆ Tourists from outside Fukushima



◆ Transition of export shipments of Fukushima products



◆ Natural Beauty



◆ Hope Tourism



◆ Promoting Prefectural Product Exports



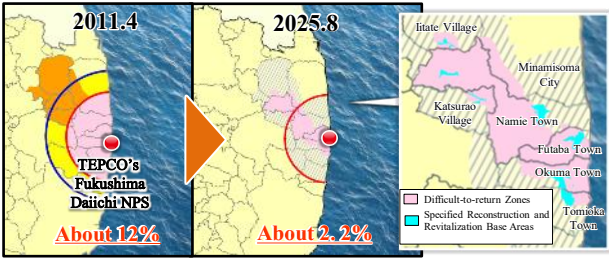
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Steady Reconstruction and Revitalisation of Evacuation Zones

◆Development Status of Living Environment in 15 Municipalities (Residential rate As of 1 Jun. 2025)

Medical ... ● Education... ● Welfare... ● Commerce ... ● Other... ●

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Evacuation-Designated Zones, which accounted for approximately 12% of the total prefectural land immediately after the disaster, have been reduced to about 2.2%.

Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas and Specified Living Areas for Returnees have been established within the Difficult-to-return Zones for further development of the living environment.

Shinchi Town

- Sep. 2016 ● Completion of Shinchi Town Fire and Disaster Prevention Centre
- Dec. 2016 ● Resumption of the JR Joban Line between Soma and Hamayoshida
- Nov. 2018 ● Completion of Shinchi Energy Centre
- Apr. 2019 ● Reopening of Shinchi Marine Fishing Park
- Apr. 2019 ● Completion of commercial complex
- Jul. 2019 ● Reopening of Tsurushihama Swimming Beach
- Oct. 2019 ● Unveiling of Great East Japan Earthquake Cenotaph
- Dec. 2019 ● Opening of Tsurushi Disaster Prevention Green Space Park [Photo]
- Aug. 2020 ● Opening of Shinchi Cultural Exchange Centre
- Dec. 2020 ● Reopening of Shinchi Regional Wholesale Market (Tsurushi Fishing Port)



Soma City

- Apr. 2015 ● Opening of the Soma City Heritage and Memorial Hall
- Apr. 2017 ● Matsukawaura Bridge placed in service, resumption of illumination
- Feb. 2018 ● Resumption of nori seaweed harvest and shipment (first time since the disaster)
- Mar. 2018 ● Commencement of operations at Soma LNG Terminal and other facilities
- Oct. 2020 ● Grand opening of Matsukawaura Seaside Station [Photo]



Minamisoma City

- Apr. 2014 ● Odaka Municipal Hospital resumes outpatient services three days a week
- Jul. 2016 [Evacuation order lifted, excluding the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Apr. 2017 ● Reopening of Odaka Dispensary
- Apr. 2017 ● Opening of Odaka Industrial Technology and Commerce High School
- Mar. 2018 ● Opening of Yagisawa Tunnel of Prefectural Road No. 12 Haramachi—Kawamata Line
- Apr. 2018 ● Resumption of “Umenoka”, an intensive care home for the elderly
- Dec. 2018 ● Reopening of Yosshi-i Land, a long-term care health facility
- Dec. 2018 ● Opening of public-founded commercial facility “Odaka Store”
- Jan. 2019 ● Opening of Odaka District revitalisation hub facility “Odaka Exchange Centre”
- Mar. 2020 ● Full-scale opening of Fukushima Robot Test Field
- Apr. 2020 ● Opening of Odaka Certified Childcare Centre
- Apr. 2021 ● Opening of Odaka Children's Playground “NIKO Park”
- Dec. 2021 ● Opening of Odaka Clinic
- Jul. 2023 ● Opening of Odaka Horticultural Park
- Apr. 2024 ● Opening of TSUMUGI Future Agriculture Exchange Space
- Apr. 2020 ● Opening of Mirai Agriculture School [Photo]
- Mar. 2025 [Certification of the Plans for the Reconstruction and Revitalization of Specified Living Areas for Returnees of Minamisoma City]



(Odaka District, etc.) Residential rate 65.3%

Namie Town

- Mar. 2017 [Evacuation order lifted excluding the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Mar. 2017 ● Opening of Namie Clinic within the town
- Apr. 2017 ● Reopening of Namie Station on JR Joban Line
- Dec. 2017 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Namie Town]
- Apr. 2018 ● Opening of elementary, junior high schools and certified childcare centres
- Mar. 2020 ● Opening of Fukushima Hydrogen Energy Research Field
- Mar. 2021 ● Grand opening of Michi-no-Eki (Roadside Station) “Namie”
- Aug. 2021 ● Grand opening of public accommodation facility “Koi no Mura Namie”
- Oct. 2021 ● Opening of Disaster Remains: Namie Municipal Ukedo Elementary School
- Jun. 2022 ● Opening of complex facility “Fureai Centre Namie”
- Mar. 2023 [Evacuation order lifted in the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas]
- Apr. 2023 ● Opening of Fukushima Institute for Research, Education and Innovation (F-REI) [Photo]
- Oct. 2023 ● Opening of Namie Dispensary
- Jan. 2024 [Certification of the Plans for the Reconstruction and Revitalization of Specified Living Areas for Returnees of Namie Town] (Certification of Changes, Mar. 2025)
- Apr. 2024 ● Opening of Namie Town Disaster Prevention Exchange Centre
- Apr. 2024 ● Completion of Kamome Mirai Suisan Co., Ltd.'s “Land-Based Aquaculture Innovation Centre”
- Aug. 2025 ● Completion ceremony of Takase Baseball Field (Reopening)



Residential rate 16.3%

Futaba Town

- Sep. 2017 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Futaba Town]
- Sep. 2019 ● Experimental cultivation of spinach and other vegetables began in Morotake District
- Mar. 2020 [Evacuation order lifted, excluding the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Mar. 2020 ● Reopening of service and opening of new station building for Futaba Station on JR Joban Line
- Sep. 2020 ● Opening of The Great East Japan Earthquake and Nuclear Disaster Memorial Museum
- Oct. 2020 ● Opening of Futaba Business Incubation and Community Centre
- Aug. 2022 [Evacuation order lifted in the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas]
- Feb. 2023 ● Opening of Futaba Town clinic
- Apr. 2023 ● Grand Opening of “Futaba Super Zero Mill”
- Sep. 2023 [Certification of the Plans for the Reconstruction and Revitalization of Specified Living Areas for Returnees of Futaba Town] (Certification of Changes, Apr. 2024)
- Mar. 2024 ● Reopening of Futaba Post Office
- Apr. 2024 ● MOU signed with AEON TOHOKU Co., Ltd. for commercial facility development
- Jun. 2024 ● All 86 units of “Ekinishi” Public Housing Complex completed [Photo]
- Nov. 2024 ● Opening of Futaba Town Immigration and Settlement Consultation Centre
- Feb. 2025 ● Opening of community activity centre, “FUTAHOME”



Residential rate 3.6%

Okuma Town

- Nov. 2017 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Okuma Town]
- Apr. 2019 [Evacuation orders lifted excluding the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Apr. 2019 ● Completion of New Town Hall in Ogawara District
- Aug. 2019 ● First shipment from Nexus Farm Okuma strawberry farm
- Mar. 2020 ● Reopening of Ono Station on JR Joban Line
- Apr. 2020 ● Opening of group home for the elderly “Okuma Mominoki-en”
- Feb. 2021 ● Opening of Okuma Town clinic
- Apr. 2021 ● Opening of commercial facility “Okumart”
- Oct. 2021 ● Opening of accommodation facility with hot spring “Hot Okuma” and a community facility “Linkru Okuma”
- Apr. 2022 ● Opening of an integrated elementary and junior high school for compulsory education in Aizuwakamatsu City
- Jun. 2022 [Evacuation order lifted in the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas]
- Jul. 2022 ● Opening of Okuma Incubation Centre for start-ups
- Jul. 2022 ● Opening of National Road Route 288 Nogamikotsuka construction section
- Apr. 2023 ● Okuma Municipal “Manabiya Yumenomori” (compulsory education school and certified childcare centre) opened within the town, later moved into a new school building in August at the same year
- Sep. 2023 [Certification of the Plans for the Reconstruction and Revitalization of Specified Living Areas for Returnees of Okuma Town] (Certification of Changes, Feb. 2024)
- Mar. 2024 ● Grand opening of “CREVA Okuma” industrial exchange facility, “Kuma SUN Terrace” commercial facility and a station-front square, in Ono Station west. [Photo]

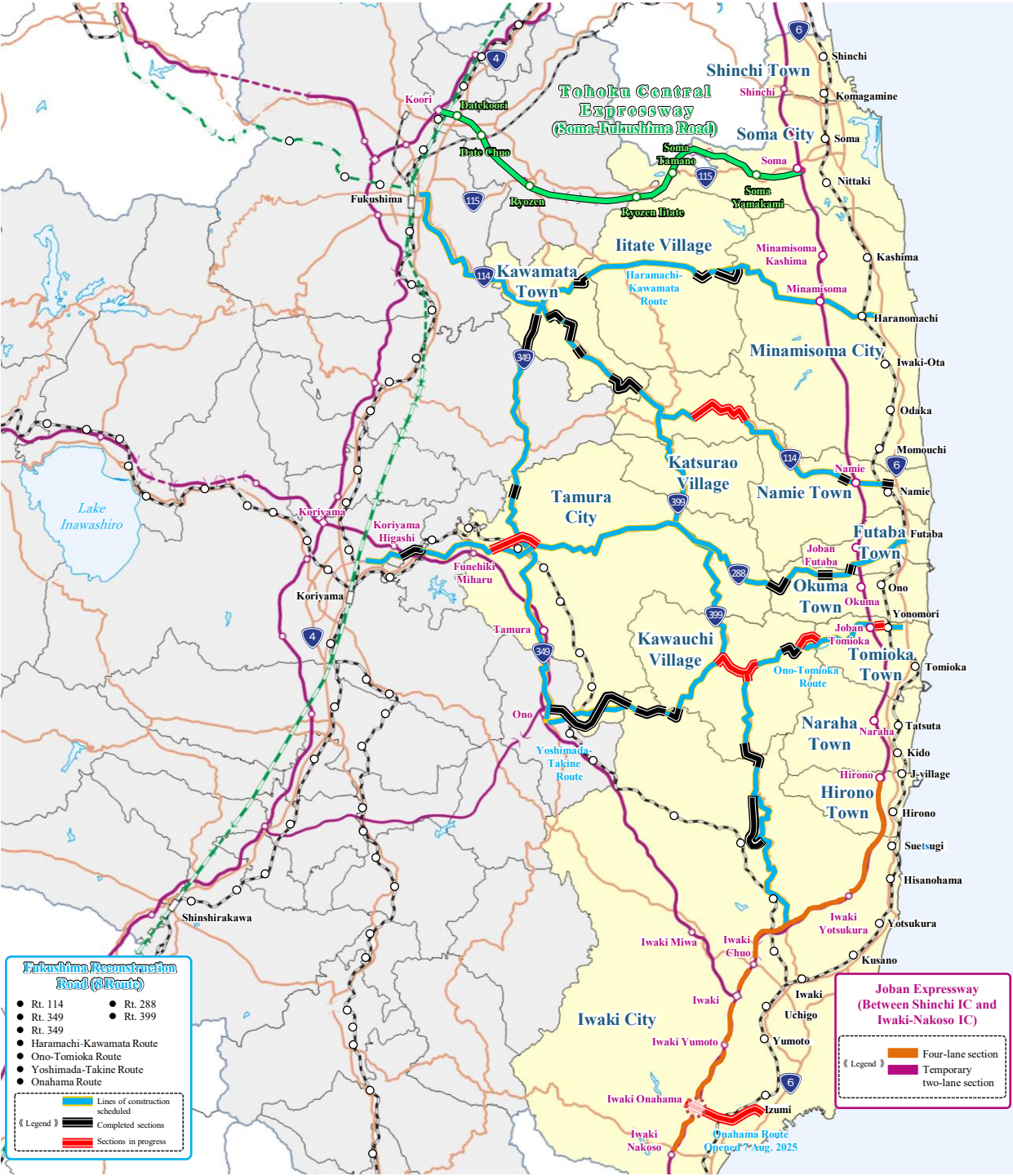


Residential rate 10.3%

Tomioka Town

- Mar. 2017 ● Grand Opening of “Sakura Mall Tomioka”
- Apr. 2017 [Evacuation orders lifted, excluding the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Oct. 2017 ● Reopening of service and opening of new station building for Tomioka Station on JR Joban Line
- Sep. 2020 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Tomioka Town]
- Apr. 2018 ● Opening of Futaba Medical Centre-affiliated Hospital
- Apr. 2018 ● Resumption of elementary and junior high schools within the town
- Apr. 2019 ● Opening of certified childcare centre
- Mar. 2020 ● Reopening of service and opening of new station building for Yonomori Station on JR Joban Line
- Mar. 2021 ● Opening of community centre, “Wanpaku Park” [Photo]
- Jul. 2021 ● Establishment of the Historical Archive Museum of Tomioka
- Jul. 2021 ● Opening of Fukushima 12 Municipalities Relocation Support Centre
- Apr. 2022 ● Opening of Co-living Support Centre “Sakura no Sato”
- Apr. 2023 [Evacuation order lifted in the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas]
- Sep. 2023 ● Opening of “TomiokaWorkingBase” satellite office
- Nov. 2023 [Lifting of evacuation order for cemeteries and meeting places (specific sites) as well as access routes (specific routes)] in the Difficult-to-return Zone
- Feb. 2024 [Certification of the Plans for the Reconstruction and Revitalization of Specified Living Areas for Returnees of Tomioka Town]
- Apr. 2024 ● Opening of an after-school children's club
- May. 2025 ● Opening of the Tomioka Winery

Residential rate 23.8%



Naraha Town

- Jun. 2014 ● Reopening of Tatsuta Station on JR Joban Line
- Sep. 2015 [Evacuation order completely lifted]
- Feb. 2016 ● Establishment of Futaba Medical Centre-affiliated Futaba Revitalization Clinic
- Mar. 2018 ● Reopening of “Lily Garden”, an intensive care home for the elderly
- Apr. 2017 ● Opening of elementary, junior high schools and certified childcare centres within the town
- Jun. 2018 ● Grand opening of “Kokonara Shopping Mall” and “Naraha CANvas”
- Jul. 2018 ● Partial reopening of J-Village
- Apr. 2019 ● Opening of an indoor sports facility, “Naraha Sky Arena”
- Apr. 2019 ● Grand opening of J-Village
- Apr. 2019 ● Reopening of a hot-spring and health facility at Michi-no-Eki (Roadside Station) “Naraha”
- Jun. 2020 ● Reopening of Michi-no-Eki Naraha Product Promotion Centre
- Jun. 2020 ● Reopening of Naraha Pharmacy
- Dec. 2020 ● Opening of new station building for Tatsuta Station on JR Joban Line
- Jun. 2022 ● Opening of “CODOU”, a support centre for relocation and living
- Apr. 2023 ● Opening of Community Activity Centre “Mazarasse” [Photo]
- Jan. 2025 ● Futaba Support School relocated to a new building

Residential rate 70.4%



Iitate Village

- Aug. 2016 ● Opening of Fureai-kan community centre
- Sep. 2016 ● Resumption of medical services at Iitate Clinic
- Mar. 2017 [Evacuation order lifted except for the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Aug. 2017 ● Opening of the Iitate Village Michi-no-Eki (Roadside Station) “Madeikan” [Photo]
- Apr. 2018 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Iitate Village]
- Apr. 2018 ● Reopening of elementary, junior high school and certified childcare centre within the village
- Sep. 2018 ● Resumption of community bus service
- Apr. 2020 ● Opening of a 9-year compulsory education school “Iitate Kibo-no-Sato Gakuen”
- May 2023 [Evacuation order lifted for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas & Nagadoro Magata Park]
- Jul. 2024 ● Opening of Kirari Agricultural Training Hall
- Mar. 2025 [Evacuation order lifted for areas within the Difficult-to-return Zone, including sites for compost production facilities]
- May. 2025 ● Opening of Iitate Village commercial facility (Hashi Drug Iitate Store)



Residential rate 34.0%

Kawamata Town

- Jul. 2015 ● Commencement of Yamakiya District Revitalisation Mega Solar Power Generation Project
- Oct. 2016 ● Resumption of medical service at Yamakiya Clinic
- Mar. 2017 [Evacuation order completely lifted]
- Jul. 2017 ● Opening of a reconstruction hub and commercial facility “Tonya no Sato” [Photo]
- Apr. 2018 ● Reopening of elementary and junior high schools in the Yamakiya District
- Mar. 2023 ● Completion of National Road Route 114 Yamakiya section and National Road Route 349 Otsunagi section



(Yamakiya District) Residential rate 52.6%

Katsurao Village

- Jun. 2016 [Evacuation order lifted excluding areas with the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- Nov. 2017 ● Resumption of medical services at Katsurao Village Clinic
- Apr. 2017 ● Reopening of Maruichi Store
- Jul. 2017 ● Reopening of Ishii Shokudo restaurant, Yamazaki Y Shop Yamasa
- Apr. 2018 ● Resumption of kindergartens, elementary and junior high schools within the village
- May 2018 [Certification of the Plans for the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas of Katsurao Village]
- Jun. 2018 ● Opening of Katsurao village community revitalisation centre “Azalea”
- Jun. 2022 [Evacuation order lifted in the Specified Reconstruction and Revitalization Base Areas]
- Mar. 2024 ● Restaurant Masa tavern opened at Katsurao Village Accommodation & Exchange Facility Saseragi-so [Photo]
- Mar. 2025 [Evacuation order lifted for wind power generation site within the Difficult-to-return Zone]
- May. 2025 ● Commencement of operations by Katsurao Furiyoku and Fukushima Fikko Furiyoku wind power companies



Residential rate 38.5%

Tamura City

- Jul. 2011 ● Resumption of medical service at Miyakoji Clinic and Dental Clinic
- Mar. 2012 ● Reopening of Miyakoji Madoka-So, an intensive care home for the elderly
- Apr. 2014 [Evacuation order completely lifted]
- Apr. 2014 ● Reopening of elementary and junior high schools within Miyakoji Machi
- Apr. 2014 ● Opening of a publicly-funded commercial facility “Domo”
- Mar. 2016 ● Opening of confectionery “Miyakoji Sweets Yui”
- Apr. 2017 ● Opening of Miyakoji Elementary School
- Jul. 2019 ● Opening of Tamura Municipal Hospital
- Apr. 2023 ● Opening of Ohisama Dome
- Jun. 2024 ● Opening of Challenge House Miyakoji [Photo]
- Oct. 2024 ● Completion of Tamura City Eastern Industrial Park (Yamane Area, Tokiwa Town)



(Miyakoji District) Residential rate 87.0%

Kawauchi Village

- Apr. 2012 ● Reopening of the municipal health, welfare and medical facility “Yufune”
- Apr. 2012 ● Reopening of elementary and junior high schools, nurseries within the village
- Oct. 2014 [Evacuation order lifted for the Preparation Area for Lift of Evacuation Orders]
- Nov. 2015 ● Opening of “Kawauchi”, an intensive care home for the elderly
- Mar. 2016 ● Opening of commercial facility “Shopping Centre YO-TASHI”
- Apr. 2016 ● Opening of “Moritaro Pool” [Photo]
- Jun. 2016 [Evacuation order completely lifted]
- Apr. 2021 ● Opening of an integrated elementary and junior high school
- Apr. 2021 ● Opening of a certified daycare centre
- Jun. 2021 ● Opening of “Kawauchi Winery”
- Nov. 2024 ● Opening of Craft Gin Distillery “naturadistill”



Residential rate 83.9%

Hirono Town

- Aug. 2011 ● Reopening of Baba Clinic
- Jan. 2012 ● Reopening of Hirono Pharmacy
- Mar. 2012 [Return of Town Hall, lifting of mayor's evacuation order] (Emergency Evacuation Preparation Zone (national designation) lifted on 30 Sep. 2011)
- Apr. 2012 ● Reopening of “Hanabusaen”, an intensive care home for the elderly
- Aug. 2012 ● Reopening of elementary and junior high schools within the town
- Apr. 2015 ● Opening of Futaba Future High School
- Mar. 2016 ● Grand opening of a commercial facility, “Hirono Terrace”
- Apr. 2019 ● Opening of Futaba Future Junior High School
- Apr. 2019 ● Opening of a certified childcare centre
- Apr. 2019 ● Grand opening of J-Village
- Mar. 2022 ● Elevator installed on Bridge to the Future
- Mar. 2023 ● Developed Higashi-machi Industrial Park
- May. 2023 ● Developed East side of Hirono Station (Hirono Station East New Town) [Photo]
- Nov. 2024 ● Opening of new station building for Hirono Station on JR Joban Line



Residential rate 91.5%

Iwaki City

- Apr. 2017 ● Opening of Iwaki Green Base
- Jul. 2017 ● Opening of Iwaki FC Park
- Jun. 2018 ● Grand opening of “AEON Mall Iwaki Onahama”
- Dec. 2018 ● Establishment of Iwaki Medical Centre
- Sep. 2019 ● Training camp for Samoa national team for Rugby World Cup
- May 2020 ● Opening of Iwaki 3.11 Memorial and Revitalization Museum [Photo]
- Apr. 2022 ● Operation of the largest domestic wood biomass power generation
- Sep. 2022 ● Opening of National Road Route 399 Jumonji construction section
- Nov. 2022 ● Iwaki FC won J3 championship and promoted to J2
- Apr. 2023 ● Establishment of Iwaki Office of Fukushima Institute of Research, Education and Innovation (F-REI)
- Dec. 2024 ● CIFAL Japan International Training Centre established

