

KIZUNA, Japan & FSM

**Official Visit to Chuuk State
in December, 2015**

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Japanese Ambassador to the FSM**

Japanese words used in the FSM

Futon (布団)	Okashi(お菓子)
Sashimi(刺身)	Bento(弁当)
Hanabi(花火)	Denki(電気)
Kaeru(蛙)	Jidosha(自動車)
Jyanken(じゃんけん)	Sensei(先生)
Rakkasan(落下傘)	Yoidon(ヨーイドン)
Hanzubon(半ズボン)	Oendan(応援団)
Syoyu(醤油)	Senshu(選手)

JAPAN Today

Neighbouring country

Traveling time from Chuuk

	8 h		15h		22h		28h
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Safe country

Murder per 100000 people

	0.35		1.00		1.08		4.67
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Country of longevity

	83		82		79		76
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HATSUMODE (New Year's Shrine Visit)

<http://web-japan.org/>



SAKURA (Cherry Blossoms)



Photo/AFLO

HINAMATSURI (The Doll's Festival)



Tango no Sekku (The Boy's Festival)



Hanabi (Fire Works)



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MOMIJI



SNOW

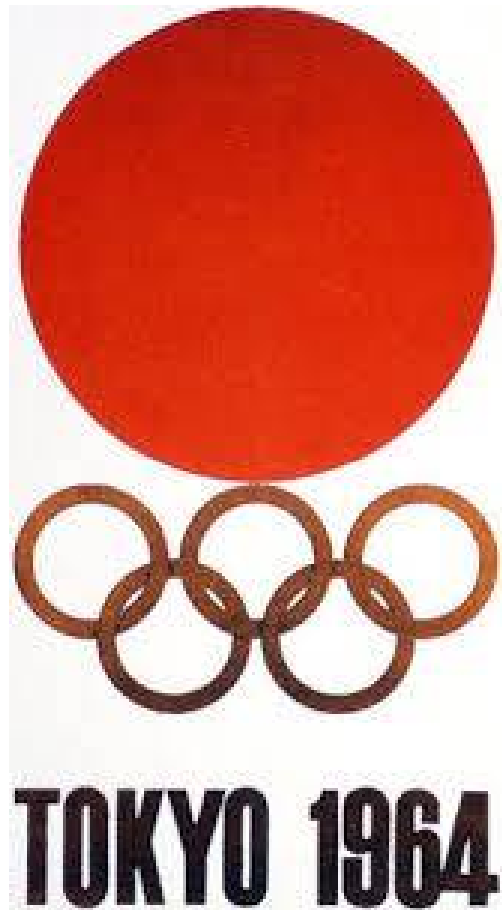


YUKI MATSURI (Snow Festival)



Tokyo Olympics

-Spirit of Omotenashi








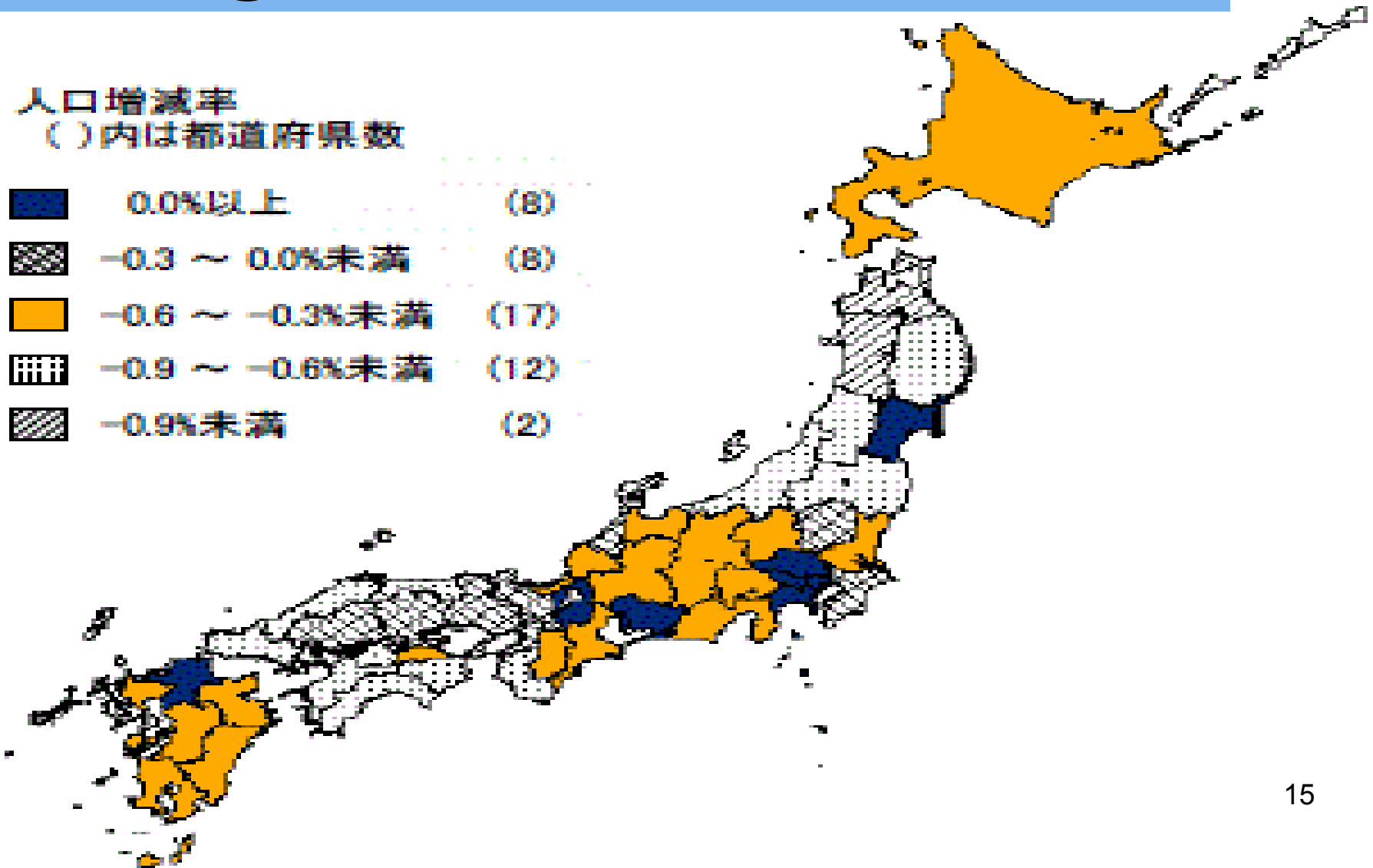
Population of Japan

	Million	65 yrs old and over
1919	56	5%
1965	99	6%
2010	128	23%
2015	127	27%
2020	124	29%
2065	81	40%
2105	46	41%

Population concentration on the large cities

人口増減率
()内は都道府県数

	0.0%以上	(8)
	-0.3 ~ 0.0%未満	(8)
	-0.6 ~ -0.3%未満	(17)
	-0.9 ~ -0.6%未満	(12)
	-0.9%未満	(2)



Japan's Food Import Dependency

Rice 3% Wheat 87%

Vegetable 20%

Beef 58% Pork 49% Chicken 33%

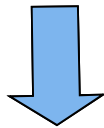
Sugar 69% Fats & Oils 87%

Total 61% (Calorie Basis)

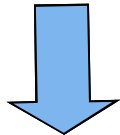
Food Demand > Food Supply

World
Population
(Billion people)

7.2 (2013)



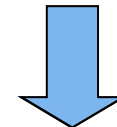
9.6 (2050)



10.3 (2070)

Farmland
Area
(million ha)

650 (1960's)



670 (2000's)

Common Challenges

- Decreasing Population
in remote areas
 - Revitalizing Local Economy
- Food Import Dependency
 - Enhancing Food Security

Strengthen KIZUNA & Go Local !

Substituting Imported Foods with Local Foods

- 1 Stimulate Local Economy
& Creating Employment
- 2 Good for People's Health
- 3 Protecting Environment
- 4 Ensuring Food Security

East Japan Great Earthquake(March 11, 2011)

Dead and missing 18466
Number of Evacuees 207132 (June 2015)

Benefit Concert in Pohnpei unites people of all ages in support of Japan (March 30, 2011)

"We don't have much but we wanted to send the message that the people of Micronesia really care about the people of Japan. We wanted to do it. It was something we could do."



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KIZUNA



~Activities of JICA Volunteers ~

Waste Management Projects



Waste Management Projects



National and State Solid Waste Management Strategies



Japanese Government Scholarship Program for

- Undergraduate Students
 - Specialized Training College Students
 - Research Students
- For further details, please visit “ Japanese Government Scholarship Program” of our HP at**
[-http://www.micronesia.emb-japan.go.jp](http://www.micronesia.emb-japan.go.jp)

Japan Foundation Japanese Language Program for

- Overseas Students (Outstanding Students) (15 days)
- Foreign-Service Officers/ for Public Officials (8 months)

Global 30: Japanese universities with English degree courses HP: <http://www.uni.international.mext.go.jp/> 23

Arigato (ありがとう)
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Thank you very much

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