

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)



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Tango no Sekku (The Boy's Festival)



Hanabi (Fire Works)



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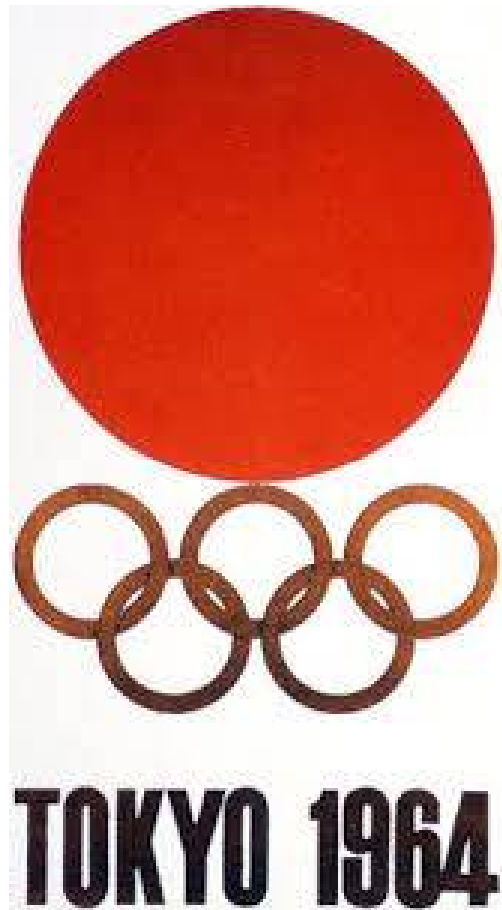


YUKI MATSURI (Snow Festival)



Tokyo Olympics

-Spirit of Omotenashi








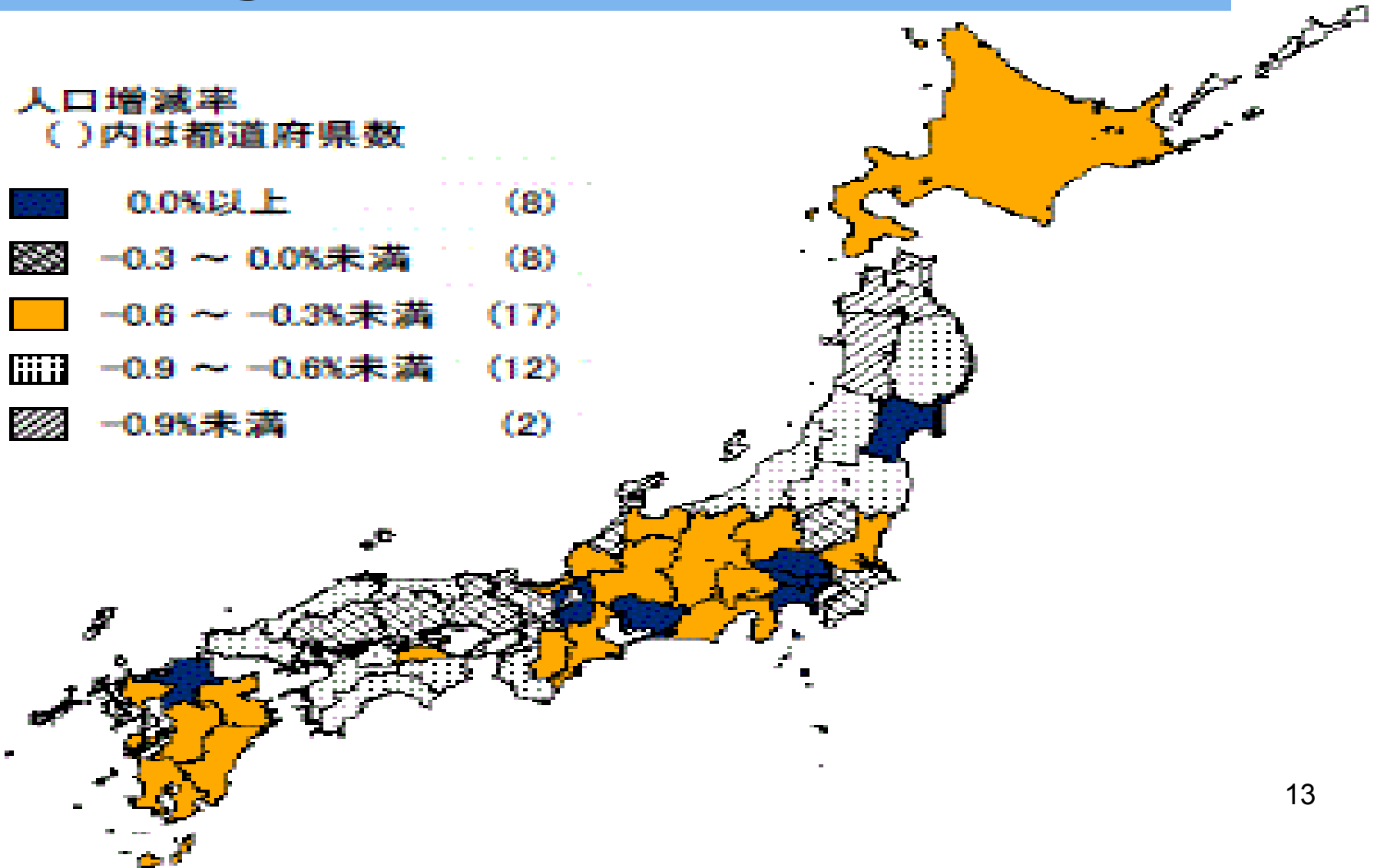
Population of Japan

	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%

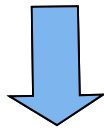
Sugar 69% Fats & Oils 87%

Total 61% (Calorie Basis)

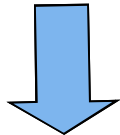
Food Demand > Food Supply

World
Population
(Billion people)

7.2 (2013)



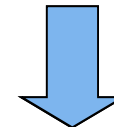
9.6 (2050)



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

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KIZUNA
Strong Bond

This word KIZUNA became more frequently used after the East Japan Great Earthquake.

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 ~

JICA Volunteer Activities (October 2015)

YAP	CHUUK	POHNPEI	KOSRAE
Fisheries Development	Tourism	Nursing Education	Primary School
Welding	Environmental Education	Primary School Education	Education
Primary School Education	Japanese Language	Public Health	Road Construction
Waste Treatment	Nutritionist	Environmental Education	Waste Treatment
Computer system in Hospital	Public Health	Fisheries Processing	Environmental Education
		Hospital Management	
		Home Arts & Life	

Japan's In-Kind Assistance

① General Grant Assistance

- Caroline Voyager**
- Micronesian Navigators**

② Non- Project Grant Assistance

- Heavy equipment**
- Medical equipment**

③ Grassroots Grant Assistance

- Multi Purpose Center**
- Landfill Improvememet(Fukuoka method)**
- School Bus**

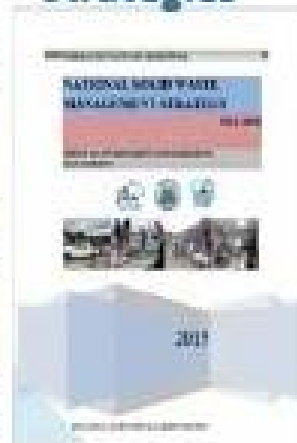
Waste Management Projects



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National and State Solid Waste Management Strategies



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Thank you very much

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