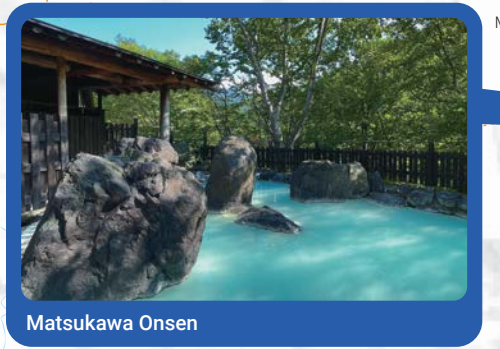
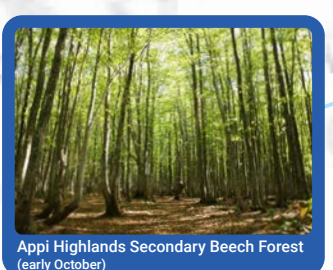
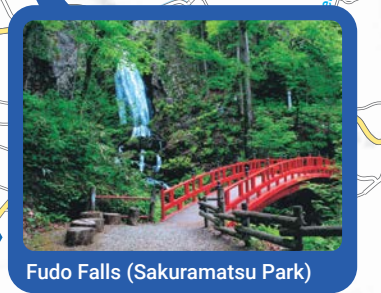
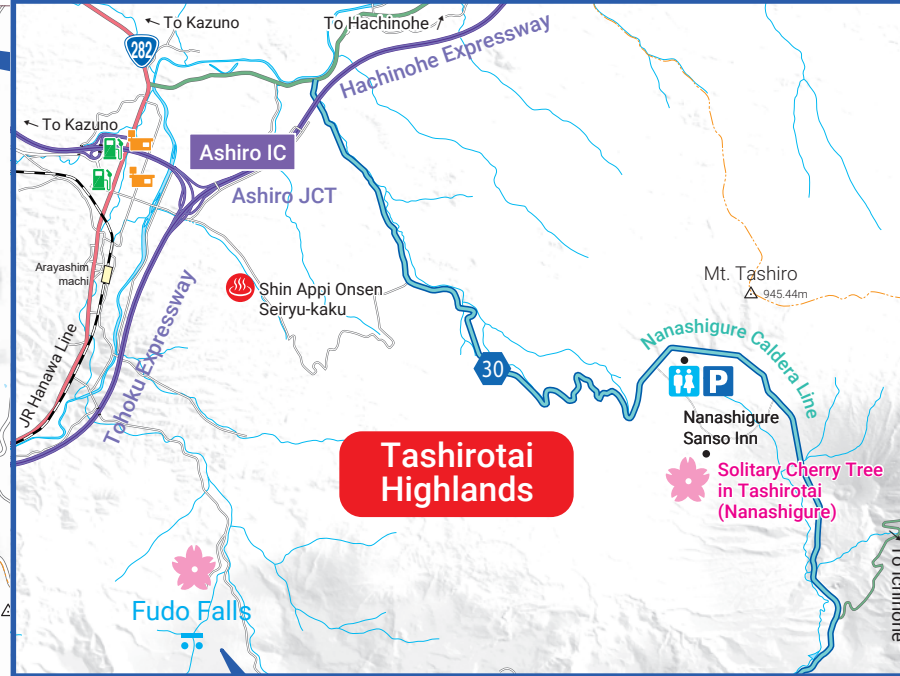




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- Hiking Trail
 - P Parking Lot
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 - ⛽ Gas Station
 - 🛒 Convenience Store
 - 1 Must-See Spot (Explorations on the back)
 - 📷 Scenic Spot
 - ♨️ Onsen
 - 🌊 Waterfall
 - 🌸 Cherry Blossom Spot

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Hachimantai Highlights Course



Driving Distance: 99.4 km

 249 547 480



① Prefectural Road No.233

Taking Prefectural Road No.233 (Yakehashiri Line) toward the Yakehashiri Lava Flow, you can enjoy a close-up view of Mt. Iwate looming before you. In spring, cherry blossoms line both sides of the road, delighting drivers with their beauty. Nearby is the Solitary Cherry Tree of Uwabo Pasture.

 249 481 689



③ Mt. Iwate Panorama Line

Heading along the Mt. Iwate Panorama Line toward Hachimantai Onsen Village, you can take in sweeping views of the gently rolling Ura-Iwate Mountain Range ahead, along with Mt. Chauzu, Appi Highlands, Mt. Nanashigure to the right, and Mt. Himekami directly behind you.

 657 049 535



⑤ Gentaiwa Rocks

Long ago, Kiriga-Genta Tadayoshi and Tadaharu, brothers who served under the legendary general Sakanoue-no Tamuramaro, used this rock as a lookout point, giving rise to its name. The striking rock makes for a great photo together with Mt. Chauzu. (*Closed in winter, accessible approximately mid-April to early November)



⑦ Ihatov Volcano Museum

A hub for information about Mt. Iwate's volcanic activity. The facility introduces the volcano's geological history through dioramas and video, and features live footage from the summit as well as exhibits on disaster preparedness.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-4881 (Closed on Mon.)

Campground  249 425 654



② Yakehashiri Lava Flow

In 1732, a volcanic eruption of Mt. Iwate sent a massive flow of magma streaming down the mountainside, forming what is now known as the Yakehashiri Lava Flow – 4 km long and 1.5 km wide. It has been designated a Nationally Designated Special Natural Monument. Visitors can walk along an observation path.

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④ Matsuo Mine Site

Once known as the "Paradise in the Clouds," the ruins of the Matsuo Mine – East Asia's largest sulfur mine – can be seen from the Hachimantai Aspite Line.

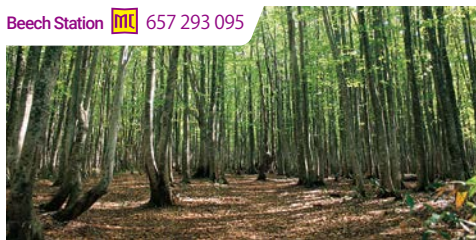
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⑥ Basalt of Matsukawa Gorge

The beautiful columnar jointing and scenic Matsukawa Gorge can be enjoyed year-round. Majestic rocks rise from the blue-tinged river and are reflected on the water's surface. The autumn foliage in mid-October is absolutely stunning! (*Not cleared of snow in winter)

Beech Station  657 293 095



⑧ Appi Highlands Secondary Beech Forest

Long ago, this land was left bare by natural disasters and logging. Today, nature has reclaimed it in the form of a regenerated secondary forest that provides abundant water and a sense of peaceful tranquility. A walking trail is also available.

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① 8.7km

② Yakehashiri Lava Flow

③ 8.8km

⑫ Local Product Shop Aspite

⑳ Matsuo Hachimantai Visitor Center

④ 8.6km

Gozaisho (Midorigaoka Gate)

⑤ 11.3km

⑬ Hachimantai Summit Rest House

17.2km

⑮ Matsukawa Onsen

⑥ 7.4km

Hachimantai Onsen Village

8.7km

⑦ Ihatov Volcano Museum

12.7km


Appi Highlands

⑧ 16.0km

Matsuo-Hachimantai IC

Hachimantai Aspite Line  Hachimantai Jukai Line  Mt. Iwate Panorama Line  Hiking Trail  Prefectural Road 

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Onsen & Farmers' Market Course



Driving Distance: 71.7 km



11 Macchan Ichiba

Look for the dome-shaped roof along the road. The market carries locally harvested fresh vegetables, fruits, and mochi sweets, with mountain vegetables in spring and mushrooms in autumn. A dining area is also on-site.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-3002



12 Matsuo Hachimantai Local Product Shop Aspite

Located at the foot of the Hachimantai Aspite Line, this facility offers direct sales of locally grown vegetables and crafts, along with an attached dining area. It is a popular stop for rest breaks and meetups during drives.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-3480



13 Hachimantai Summit Rest House

Located on the border between Iwate and Akita prefectures, this rest stop offers beautiful views of Hachimantai and features a relaxation area, a shop, and a light meal corner. The popular "Genta Curry Inaniwa Udon" is highly recommended!

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-3500 (Hachimantai City Tourism Association)



14 Toshichi Onsen

A hidden hot spring gem featuring outdoor baths at 1,400 meters above sea level — the highest elevation in eastern Japan. Guests can soak in the sulfurous waters and fully enjoy the secluded hot spring atmosphere while taking in the breath of untouched nature. Popular with hikers and climbers as well.

■ Inquiries: Satellite phone 090-1495-0950



15 Matsukawa Onsen

A secluded hot spring retreat nestled along the Matsukawa River. Three quiet inns welcome guests with wisps of rising steam. With a history stretching back 280 years, these are traditional free-flowing natural hot springs.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-3500 (Hachimantai City Tourism Association)



16 Prefectural Citizens' Forest: Forest i

A hands-on learning facility where visitors can experience the importance of forests and their role in nature through working with wood. From exhibits to creative workshops, there is something for all ages, children and adults alike.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-2092 (Closed on Tue.)

Campground 249 425 654



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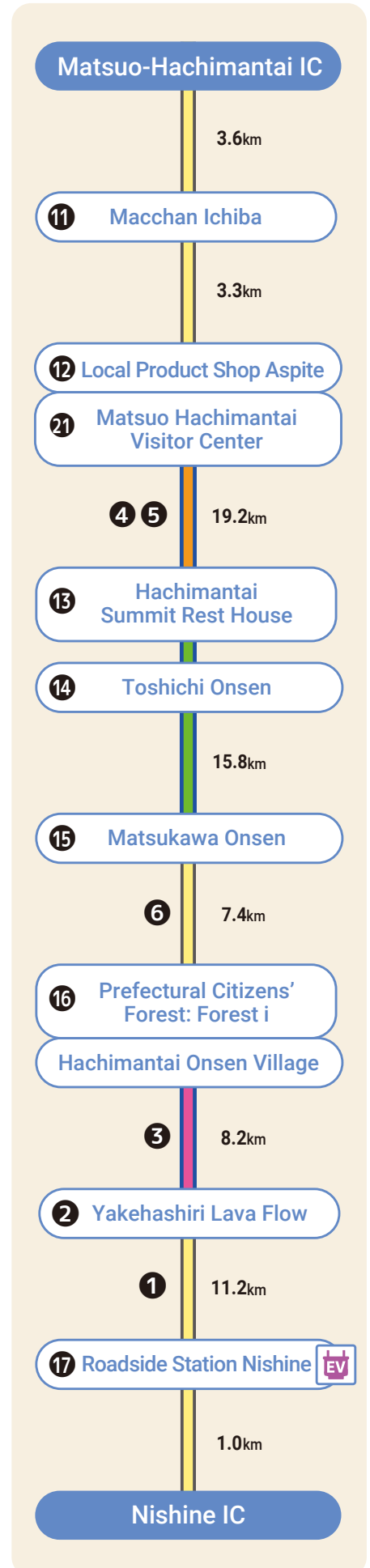
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17 Roadside Station Nishine

Sells fresh local vegetables and specialty products. The limited-edition oversized fluffy steamed pork bun is especially popular. At the restaurant, dishes featuring locally grown spinach and soft-serve ice cream are highly recommended!

■ Inquiries: 0195-75-0070



Hachimantai Aspite Line

Hachimantai Jukai Line

Mt. Iwate Panorama Line

Hiking Trail

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Iwate-Akita Border Drive & Onsen Course



Driving Distance: 99.4 km



13 Hachimantai Viewing Parking Lot

From this parking area situated on the border between Iwate and Akita prefectures, visitors can enjoy sweeping views of Mt. Iwate, the surrounding mountains, and the expanse of coniferous forest below.

■ Inquiries: 090-2270-8205
(Natural Parks Foundation Hachimantai Branch)



19 Hachimantai Visitor Center Akita Pref.

A facility that serves as a guide to the entire area, featuring high-definition footage of alpine plants native to Hachimantai and volcanic phenomena, introductions to distinctive walking trails, and hands-on events such as hiking and craft-making.

■ Inquiries: 0186-31-271



20 Fukenoyu Onsen

This hot spring takes its name from its history as a "steaming bath" that made use of geothermal heat, drawing many guests seeking therapeutic soaks. Several types of hot spring water with different mineral compositions are available, with a total of five outdoor baths as well as an underfloor geothermal heating area.

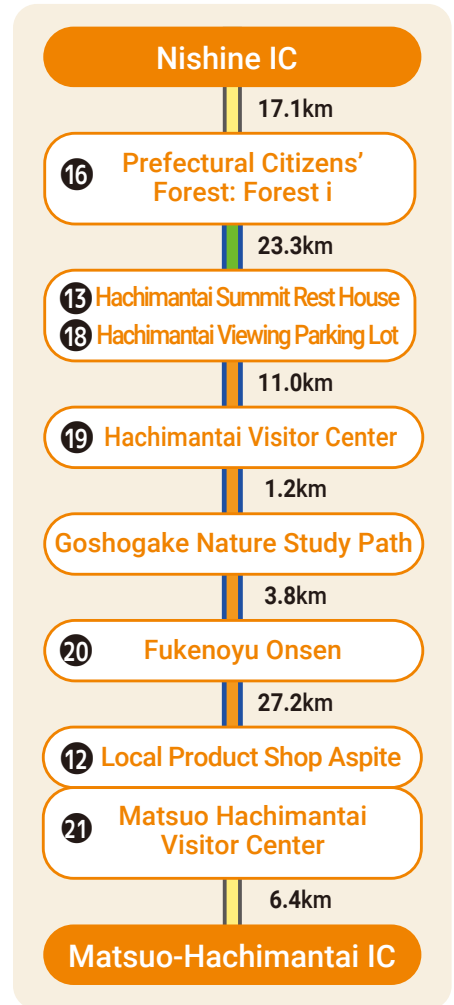
■ Inquiries: 0186-31-2131



21 Matsuo Hachimantai Visitor Center Iwate Pref.

A comprehensive information hub for Hachimantai and Mt. Iwate, featuring a high-definition video corner along with specimens and scale models. Inside, staff from the Hachimantai City Tourism Association can provide the latest updates and information.

■ Inquiries: 0195-78-3500



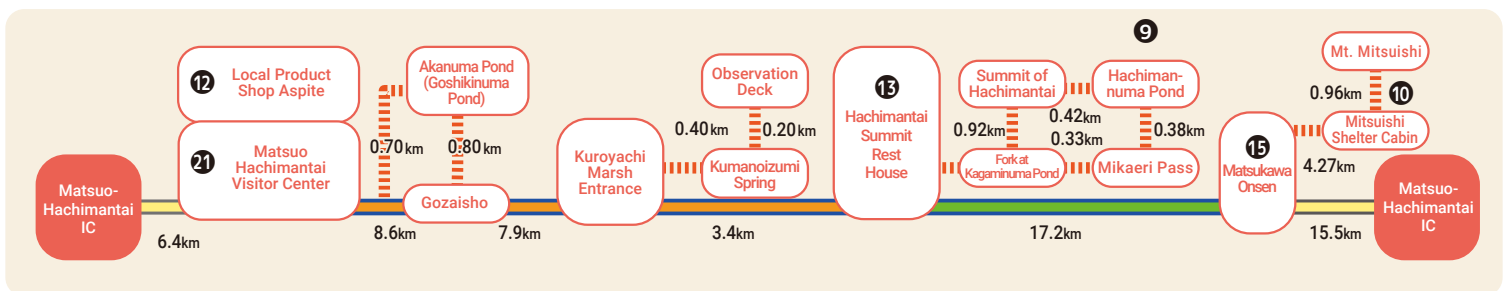
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Drive & Recommended Hiking Trails



Driving Distance: 59.0 km



Hachimantai Summit Rest House MC 657 103 575



9 Hachiman-numa Pond

Hachimantai is home to numerous crater lakes, the largest of which is Hachiman Pond. Measuring 600 meters east to west and 200 meters north to south, with a maximum depth of 22.4 meters, it is a composite crater lake formed by a chain of 5 to 7 craters. (*Closed in winter; accessible mid-April to early November)

Mt. Mitsuishi Trailhead MC 435 741 224



10 Mt. Mitsuishi

From the trailhead just before Matsukawa-So, a steep staircase-like climb of approximately 300 meters gives way to a gentler slope, leading to Mitsuishi Shelter Cabin in about 2 hours. From there, it is another 30 minutes to the summit of Mt. Mitsuishi, which becomes a prime spot for autumn foliage in late September. A recommended trekking course that can be enjoyed as a day trip.

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