

Municipalities area and ranking, the 20 largest and smallest

– For municipalities, the villages in the Northern Territories (six villages) and the special wards of the metropolitan area of Tokyo (23 wards) are included, and an ordinance-designated city was calculated as one city.

– The area value of the municipality whose borderline is not yet fixed is shown with a mark “*”. The value is given for reference as an estimated value for the sake of convenience.

Municipalities with the largest areas

As of October 1st, 2016

Rank	Municipality Code	Prefecture Name	Municipality Name	2016 Area (km ²)
1	21203	Gifu Prefecture	Takayama City	2,177.61
2	22130	Shizuoka Prefecture	Hamamatsu City	* 1,558.06
3	09206	Tochigi Prefecture	Nikko City	1,449.83
4	01698	Hokkaido Prefecture	Rubetsu Village	* 1,442.82
5	01208	Hokkaido Prefecture	Kitami City	1,427.41
6	22100	Shizuoka Prefecture	Shizuoka City	* 1,411.90
7	01647	Hokkaido Prefecture	Ashoro Town	1,408.04
8	01206	Hokkaido Prefecture	Kushiro City	1,362.90
9	01555	Hokkaido Prefecture	Engaru Town	* 1,332.45
10	01691	Hokkaido Prefecture	Betsukai Town	1,319.63
11	06203	Yamagata Prefecture	Tsuruoka City	* 1,311.53
12	03202	Iwate Prefecture	Miyako City	1,259.15
13	03209	Iwate Prefecture	Ichinoseki City	1,256.42
14	34210	Hiroshima Prefecture	Shobara City	1,246.49
15	16201	Toyama Prefecture	Toyama City	* 1,241.77
16	07204	Fukushima Prefecture	Iwaki City	1,232.02
17	05210	Akita Prefecture	Yurihonjo City	1,209.59
18	15212	Niigata Prefecture	Murakami City	* 1,174.26
19	05213	Akita Prefecture	Kitaakita City	1,152.76
20	01610	Hokkaido Prefecture	Shinhidaka Town	1,147.55

Municipalities with the smallest areas

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Rank	Municipality Code	Prefecture Name	Municipality Name	2016 Area (km ²)
1	16321	Toyama Prefecture	Funahashi Village	3.47
2	47356	Okinawa Prefecture	Tonaki Village	3.87
3	27341	Osaka Prefecture	Tadaoka Town	3.97
4	29362	Nara Prefecture	Miyake Town	4.06
5	13362	Tokyo Metropolis	Toshima Village	4.12
6	31384	Tottori Prefecture	Hiezu Village	4.20
7	29345	Nara Prefecture	Ando Town	4.31
8	11223	Saitama Prefecture	Warabi City	5.11
9	21421	Gifu Prefecture	Kitagata Town	5.18
9	47348	Okinawa Prefecture	Yonabaru Town	5.18
11	27362	Osaka Prefecture	Tajiri Town	5.62
12	40642	Fukuoka Prefecture	Yoshitomi Town	5.72
13	30422	Wakayama Prefecture	Tajiri Town	5.81
14	29361	Nara Prefecture	Kawanishi Town	5.93
15	13402	Tokyo Metropolis	Aogashima Village	5.96
16	26303	Kyoto Prefecture	Oyamazaki Town	5.97
17	24343	Mie Prefecture	Asahi Town	5.99
18	29424	Nara Prefecture	Kanmaki Town	6.14
19	23342	Aichi Prefecture	Toyoyama Town	6.18
20	13219	Tokyo Metropolis	Komae City	6.39