

Toyama and Japan

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Self-Introduction

- We are first-year master's student at the University of Toyama



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Astroparticle physics (experimental)

Hobbies:

- Reading comics
- Playing video game
- Watching Football



Masaaki Hirohashi

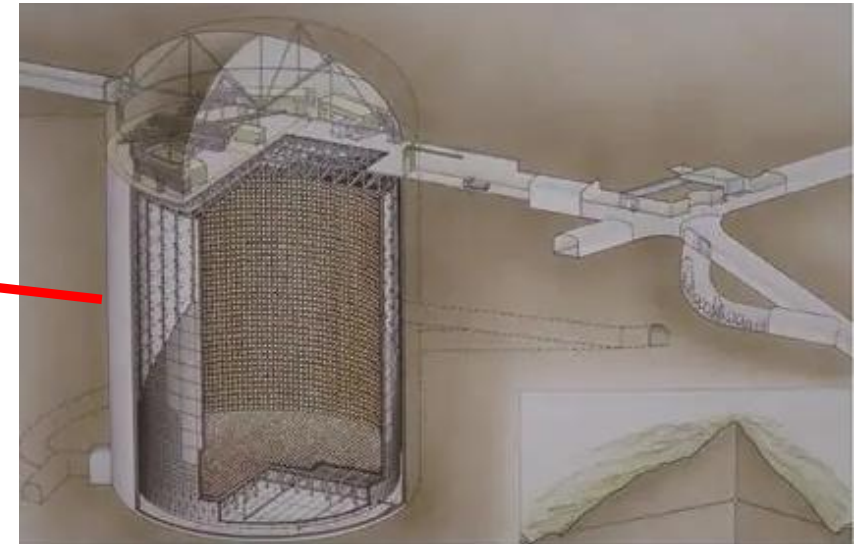
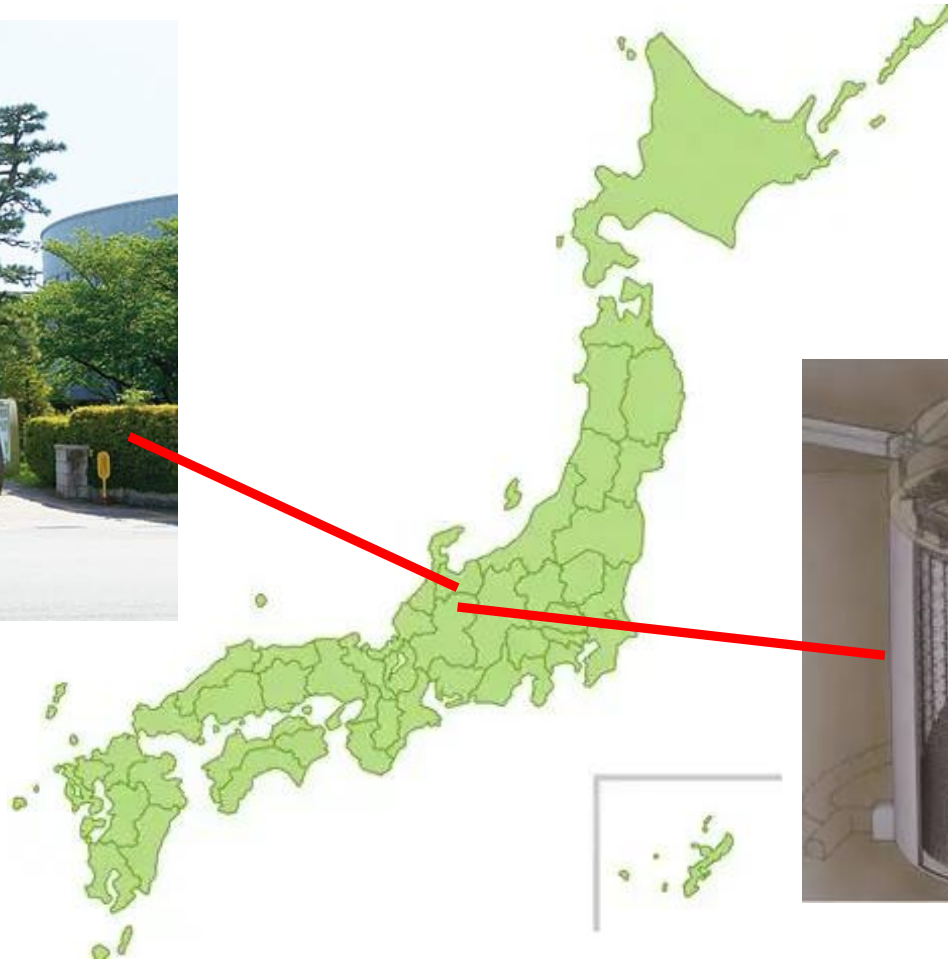
Astroparticle physics (theory)

Hobbies:

- Watching foreign movies
- Watching TV series

University of Toyama

- A national university in Toyama
- Located near Super-Kamiokande, a world-famous neutrino observatory



Toyama

- **Tateyama Mountain Range**

- One of Japan's most famous mountain ranges.
- Snow walls can reach up to 20 meters in spring.

- **Amaharashi Coast**

- A beautiful coastline where you can see the mountains rising behind the sea.

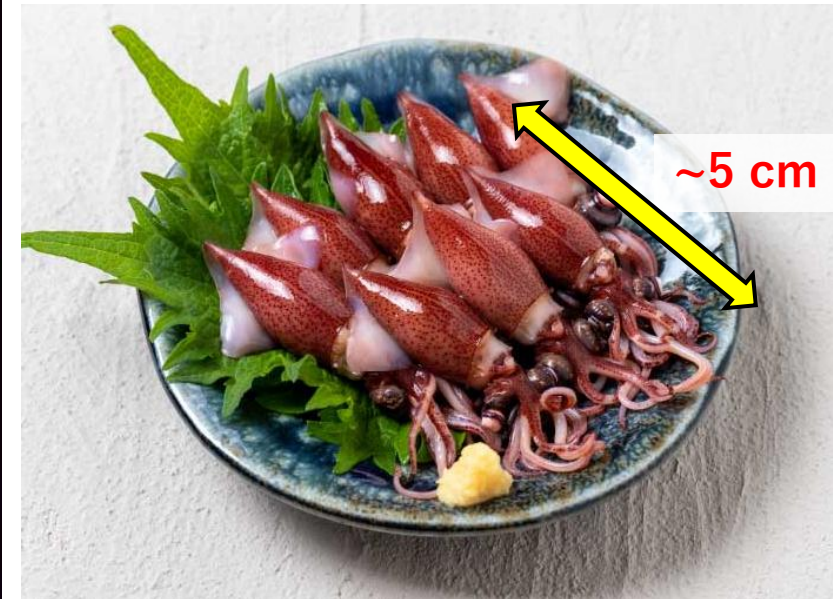
- **Fresh Seafood**

- Toyama Bay is famous for its fresh seafood.
- Popular local specialties include sushi, white shrimp, firefly squid, and yellowtail.



Firefly Squid (Speciality of Toyama)

- Firefly squid emit beautiful blue light at night.



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aB2f8WbcItU>

Anime & Manga

- Popular all over the world.
Examples: *Pokémon*, *Attack on Titan*, *Naruto*, *Jujutsu Kaisen*.



Japanese Food

- Popular dishes in Japan.
Examples: *Sushi*, *Ramen*, *Wagyu beef*, *Sukiyaki*.

In particular, Jiro-style ramen has a cult following.



Itsukushima Shrine in Hiroshima

- A UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Famous for its "floating" torii gate.
 - High tide: The torii gate appears to float on the water.
 - Low tide: Visitors can walk close to the torii gate.
- Ryota's Pick



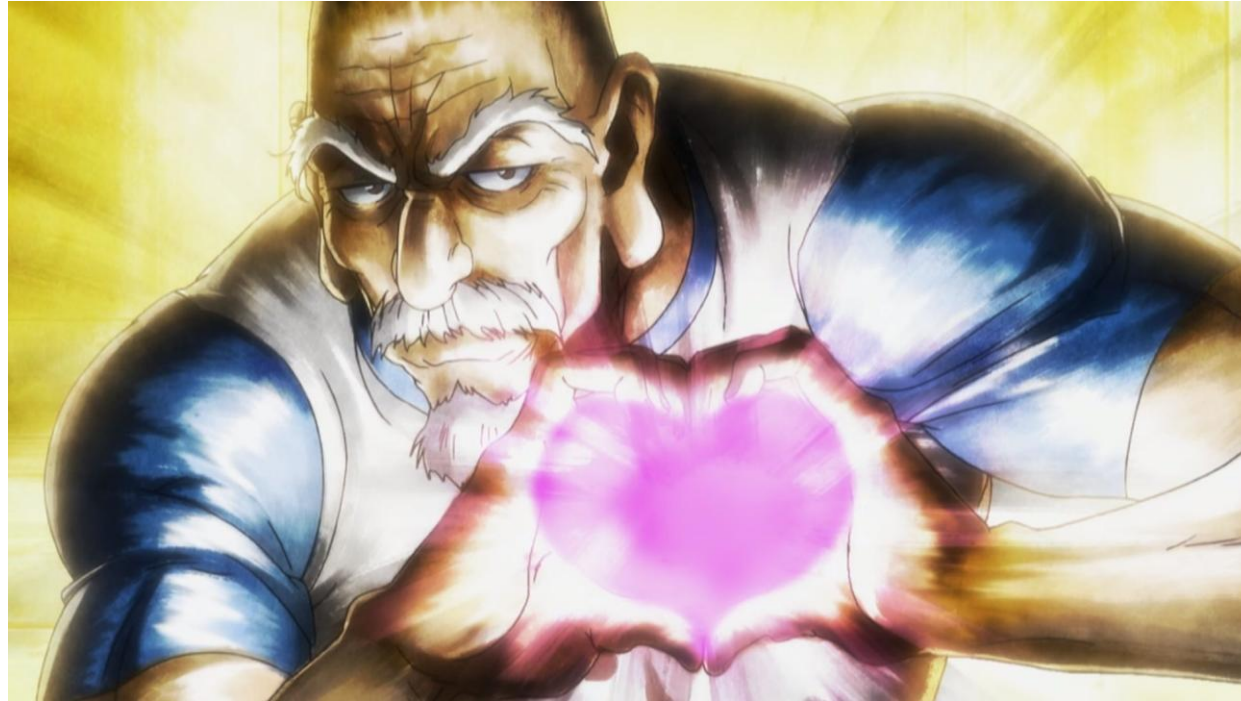
Kinugawa hot spring in Tochigi

- Famous for resort
- Beautiful scenery, delicious food, and relaxing hot springs
- Masaaki's Pick



Summary

- Toyama is famous for its beautiful nature and fresh seafood.
- Japan has a rich culture, delicious food, and many attractive places.
- We hope you will visit Toyama and Japan someday.



Thank you for listening !