

YAMANASHI JAPAN

GI Yamanashi

Yamanashi is the first wine region awarded Geographical Indication (GI) by the Japanese government. It is an inland valley bearing a classic valley climate that enjoys long hours of sunshine, daytime temperature variation and relatively little rain, conditions paramount for growing quality wine grapes. It is located in the center of Japan, surrounded by a series of mountains 2,000 – 3,000m high, including Mt. Fuji.

Region

600 hectares of growing area

Production

7 million bottles of wine produced annually

People

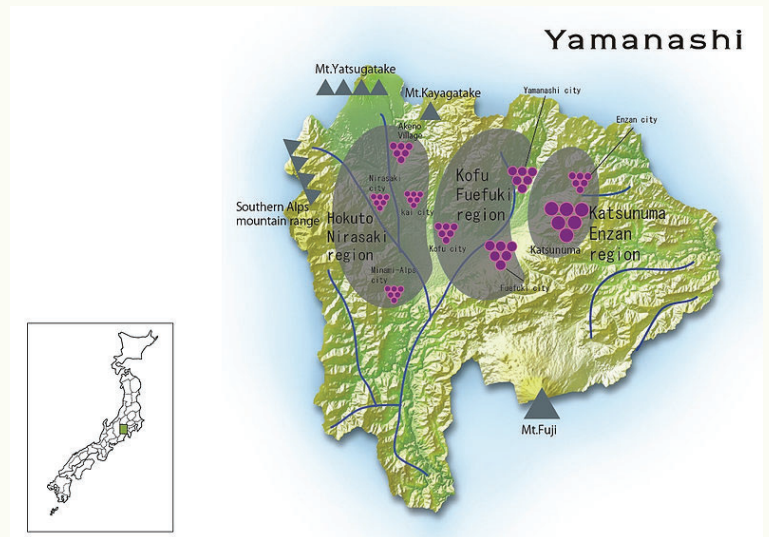
89 wine companies
7,600 grape growers

Impact

37,000 bottles exported annually
5.6 million tourists annually

Primary Grape Varietals

Koshu
Muscat
Bailey A
Chardonnay
Merlot



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