

Aichi 愛知 (Nagoya City 名古屋

A white stylised hiragana character of Aあ of Aichi on a wine red field



Chiba 干 葉

The emblem is made up of the stylised katakana characters of Chibaチバ.



ukuoka 福 岡

A white plum flower emblem on a ight blue field. Plum is the refecture's flower.



Gunma 群 馬 (Maebashi City前

A white stylised kanji character of

Gun of Gunma and three white

橋)

crescents which stand for three mountains Mt. Akagi, Mt. Haruna and Mt. Myougi on a purple field. Hyogo 兵庫 (Kobe City 神戸) A white stylised kanji character of Hyo of Hyogo in wavy shape on a blue field. Blue stands for the



Japan Sea and Setouchi Sea. wate 岩 手 (Morioka City 盛 岡) A white stylised kanji character of

wa of Iwate on a blue field.



Kanagawa 神奈川

(Yokohama City 横 浜)

A red stylised kanji character of Ka of Kanagawa on a white field.



Kyoto 京都

A white-fringed red-outlined kanji character of Kyo of Kyoto on a vine red field.



Miyazaki 宮 崎

A yellow stylised katakana character of Mi ミ of Miyazaki on a light green field. The emblem is shaped like steps symbolising progress of Miyazaki.



Nara 奈 良

A wine red stylised katakana character of Na+ of Nara on a white field



Okayama 岡 山

A gold stylised kanii character of Oka of Okayama on a dark purple ield.



Saga 佐 賀

A white camphor tree flower with red stamen on a dark green field. camphor tree is the prefecture's



Shimane 島根 (Matsue City 松

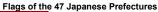
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Four gold stylised katakana characters of Maマ of Shimane in a circle on a wine red field



Tokushima 徳 島

Yellow stylised hiragana characters of Toku とく of Tokushima on an indigo blue field. The emblem is shaped like a flying





Akita 秋 田

A white stylised katakana character of Aア of Akita on a wine red field. The emblem represents the rapid progress of Akita.



Ehime 愛 媛 (Matsuyama City 松

Three horizontal stripes of yellow, green and yellow with a white orange flower.



Fukushima 福 鳥

A white stylised hiragana character of Fuふ of Fukushima on an orange field



Hiroshima 広島

A white stylised katakana character of Hi≿ of Hiroshima on wine red field.



Ibaraki 茨城 (Mito City 水戸)

A blue rose bud on a white field. The rose is the prefecture's flower. Blue stands for the Pacific Ocean and Mt. Tsukuba.



Kagawa 香 川 (Takamatsu City

高松)

A white stylised katakana character of Ka∄ of Kagawa on a areen field.



Kochi 高 知

The emblem is a combination of a wine red stylised katakana character of Ko⊐ of Kochi and white kanji character of To \pm of Tosa土佐 (old name of Kochi).



Mie 三重 (Tsu City 津)

A white stylised hiragana character of Mi& of Mie on a green field. Green stands for green mountains.



Nagano 長野

Orange stylised katakana character of Na + of Nagano in a white disc on an orange field. The emblem represents a mountain reflected in a lake as well.



Niigata 新 潟

A gold stylised kanji character of Nii of Niigata and the katakana characters of Gataガタ of Niigata on a red field.



Okinawa 沖縄 (Naha City 那覇)

A white O letter in a red disc on a white field. The inner small red disc stands for progress of Okinawa and outer red circle for the sea surrounding Okinawa.



Saitama 埼玉

16 red ornamental beads on a white field. Saitama means ornamental bead and 16 beads in a circle represent the sun, development and strength.



Shizuoka 静 岡

A white stylised map of Shizuoka with an orange Mt. Fuji inside on a blue field. Blue stands for the sky and the Pacific Ocean



Tokyo 東京

A white sun with 6 rays on a dark purple field. The sun is a stylised kanji character of To of Tokyo.



Aomori 青森

A stylised map of the prefecture in green on a white field.



Fukui 福井

White stylised katakana characters of Fukuiフクイ on a dark blue field.



Gifu 岐阜

A green stylised kanji character of Gi of Gifu in a green circle on a white field



łokkaido 北海道 (Sapporo 札

幌)

A white-fringed red 7-point star on a blue field. Blue stands for the sea and sky, red for the people's energy and white for light and snow.



Ishikawa 石 川 (Kanazawa City

金沢)

White stylised kanii characters of Ishikawa on a light blue field.



Kagoshima 鹿児島

A white flag with the emblem of a stylised map of Kagoshima, land part in black and Sakurajima island in red



Kumamoto 熊 本

A white stylised katakana character of Ku $\,{\cal D}\,$ of Kumamoto on a wine red field. It also represents a map of Kvushu island in white of which Kumamoto is a part.



Miyagi 宮 城 (Sendai City 仙 台)

A white stylised bush clover as the prefecture's tree on a green field. lt also shows a stylised hiragana character of Miみ of Miyagi.



Nagasaki 長崎

A light blue stylised prefecture initial N on a white field. Blue stands for the sky and sea surrounding Nagasaki and N shaped like a dove for peace.



Oita 大分

Three red stylised kanji characters of O of Oita in a circle on a white



Osaka 大 阪

Blue represents the international city of Ösaka. Osaka is called water city in Japan because it has a lot of rivers and faces two seas which blue also represents.



Shiga 滋 賀 (Otsu City 大 津)

White stylised katakana characters of Shigaシガ on a light blue field. The emblem represents Japan's largest lake, the Biwako, in light blue.



Tochigi 栃 木

(Utsunomiya City 宇都宮) A white stylised kanji character of Tochi of Tochigi and an ancient Chinese character of Gi with three arrows on a light green field.



Tottori 島 取

A white stylised hiragana character of Toと of Tottori in a bird shape on a dark blue field. Tottori means many birds.





Toyama 富山

Combination of a brilliant green stylised hiragana character of To & of Toyama and shape of Mt. Tateyama (a famous mountain in Toyama) on a white field.



Yamaguchi 山 □

White stylised kanji characters of Yamaguchi on a dark wine red field. The emblem is shaped like a bird fluttering towards the sun.



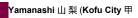
Wakayama 和歌山

A marine blue stylised katakana character of Wa not work of Wakayama on a white field.



Yamagata 山 形

Three white stylised mountains on a blue field. Yamagata means a shape of mountain. These also represent the Mogami river running through Yamagata.



府) Yellow stylised kanji character of Yama of Yamanashi in the centre of a white outlined Mt. Fuji on a purple field.