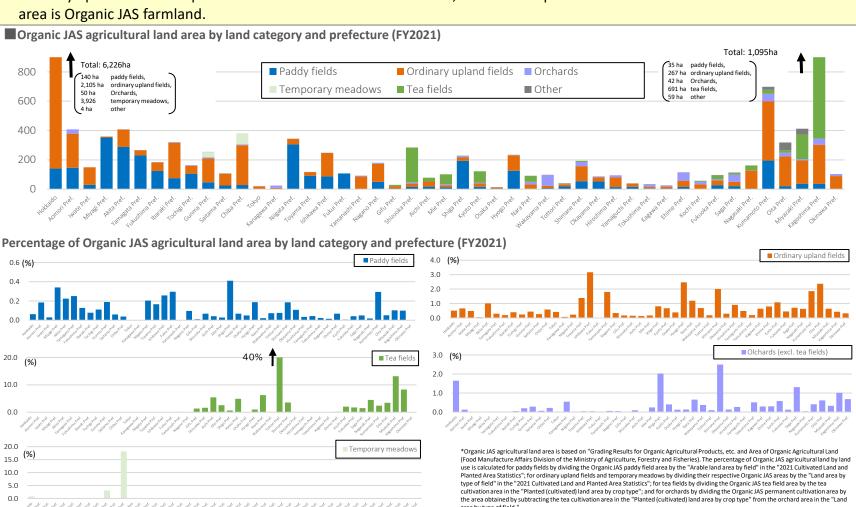
# **Organic JAS Certified Agricultural Land**

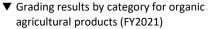
- > As of FY2021, 41% of Organic JAS farmland was located in Hokkaido, 7% in Kagoshima Pref., and 5% in Kumamoto Pref.
- The Tohoku and Hokuriku regions tend to have many paddy fields, the Kyushu region tends to have many ordinary upland fields and tea fields, and the Kanto region tends to have many ordinary upland fields.
- ➤ The proportion of Organic JAS farmland among paddy fields is less than 0.5%, but there are prefectures where the proportion of ordinary upland fields and permanent cultivation fields exceeds 3%, and in some prefectures more than 10% of the tea cultivation area is Organic JAS farmland.

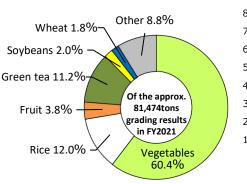


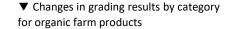
# **Domestic and International Grading for Organic JAS-Certified Agricultural Products**

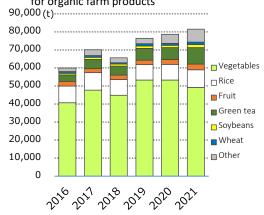
- ➤ In FY2021, <u>an annual approx. 81,000 tons of agricultural products obtained Organic JAS certification in Japan</u> (graded organic farm products), <u>of which 60% were vegetables and 12% were rice.</u>
- ➤ Of Japan's total production of agricultural products, <u>organic farm products have vegetables accounting for 0.36%</u>; <u>rice, wheat, and fruit accounting for around 0.1%</u>; <u>but with tea accounting for over 5%</u>; <u>and soybeans accounting for 0.65%</u>.
- An annual approx. 50,000 tons of organic farm products are imported to Japan from overseas each year (approx. 60% of the domestic graded quantity), with soybeans and fruit accounting for approx. 70%.

### **Grading results by category (domestic)**









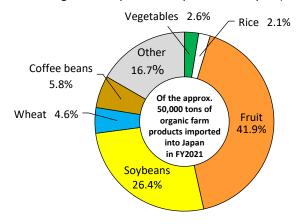
### Proportion of Organic JAS (domestic) to total production\* (FY2021)

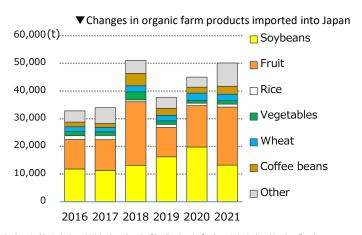
Category	Total production (thousand tons)	Graded quantity (domestic) (tons)	Organic JAS proportion*
Vegetables	13,863	49,239	0.36%
Fruit	2,599	3,131	0.12%
Rice	8,226	9,771	0.12%
Wheat	1,310	1,426	0.11%
Soybeans	247	1,614	0.65%
Green tea (rough tea)	70.7	3,916	5.54%

<sup>\*</sup>Percentage of the amount of Organic JAS-graded products to total domestic production in each category

#### Organic farm products imported into Japan

▼ Breakdown of organic farm products imported into Japan (FY2021)





<sup>\*</sup> Prepared by the Sustainable Agriculture Division based on the "Grading Results for Organic Agricultural Products" and "Area of Organic JAS Farmland in Japan" from the MAFF website.

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