

Azuma-Cho Fishing Cooperative

item	Seafood (Yellowtail)
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Main Export Countries	United States, Hong Kong, etc.	Export Value	1.8 billion JPY
Sourcing Region	Nagashima Town in Izumi District, Kagoshima Prefecture		

Overview of Export Production Areas

- Located at the northernmost tip of Kagoshima Prefecture, the Yatsushiro Sea is rich in nature and has gentle waves as its main fishing ground. The fishermen's cooperative has been improving facilities such as refrigeration and freezing facilities, ice making facilities, and processing plants, gradually establishing a consistent system from production to sales.
- The cooperative works with 112 members to promote exports.

Actions for Compliance with Export Regulations

- Acquired HACCP certification for the United States and certification for facilities handling marine products for export to the EU and China. Acquired certification for facilities in Vietnam, South Korea, and other countries.
- Acquired MEL certification (distribution processing) and ISO22000 certification for processing plants.

Promotional Points

- The number of fish tanks is 2,170, of which about 80% are yellowtail. By maintaining a production system of two million yellowtail per year, the company boasts the largest yellowtail aquaculture in Japan as a single fishery cooperative.
- In terms of regulations, the company has established a system of cooperation with various organizations, including the government, to promote the export of yellowtail by frequently cooperating with the health department.



on October 21, 2024.
Participated in the English and French Restaurant Show



held on October 14, 2024
German Restaurant Promotion