

Shinkansen
"bullet trains"



Joetsu Shinkansen "Max"



Yamagata Shinkansen "TSUBASA"



Akita Shinkansen "SUPER KOMACHI"



Tohoku Shinkansen "HAYABUSA," "HAYATE," etc.



Nagano Shinkansen "ASAMA"

Joetsu Shinkansen (333.9 km)
Train Names: TOKI, TANIGAWA
Max-TOKI, Max-TANIGAWA

Nagano Shinkansen
(222.4 km)
Train Name: ASAMA

Yamagata Shinkansen
(421.4 km)
Train Name: TSUBASA

Akita Shinkansen (662.6 km)
Train Name: SUPER KOMACHI



Tohoku Shinkansen "HAYATE," "YAMABIKO," etc.

Tohoku Shinkansen (713.7 km)
Train Names: HAYABUSA, HAYATE,
YAMABIKO, NASUNO



San'yo & Kyushu Shinkansen "SAKURA"

San'yo Shinkansen (622.3 km)
Train Names: NOZOMI, MIZUHO, HIKARI (incl. HIKARI Rail Star),
SAKURA, KODAMA



Tokaido & San'yo Shinkansen "HIKARI"

Tokaido Shinkansen (552.6 km)
Train Names: NOZOMI, HIKARI, KODAMA
(Tokyo thru Hakata, 1,174.9 km)

Hakata Kokura Hiroshima Okayama Shin-Osaka Kyoto Nagoya Shin-Yokohama Shinagawa

Note: There are six types of train services, "NOZOMI," "MIZUHO," "HIKARI," "SAKURA," "KODAMA" and "TSUBAME" on the Tokaido, Sanyo and Kyushu Shinkansen, and the stations at which trains stop vary with train types. The JAPAN RAIL PASS is only valid for "HIKARI," "SAKURA," "KODAMA" and "TSUBAME" trains, and not valid for any seats, reserved or non-reserved, on "NOZOMI" and "MIZUHO" trains. To travel on the Tokaido, Sanyo and Kyushu Shinkansen, the pass holders must take "HIKARI," "SAKURA," "KODAMA" or "TSUBAME" trains, or pay the basic fare and the Shinkansen express charge to take "NOZOMI" and "MIZUHO" trains (see p.5 for details).

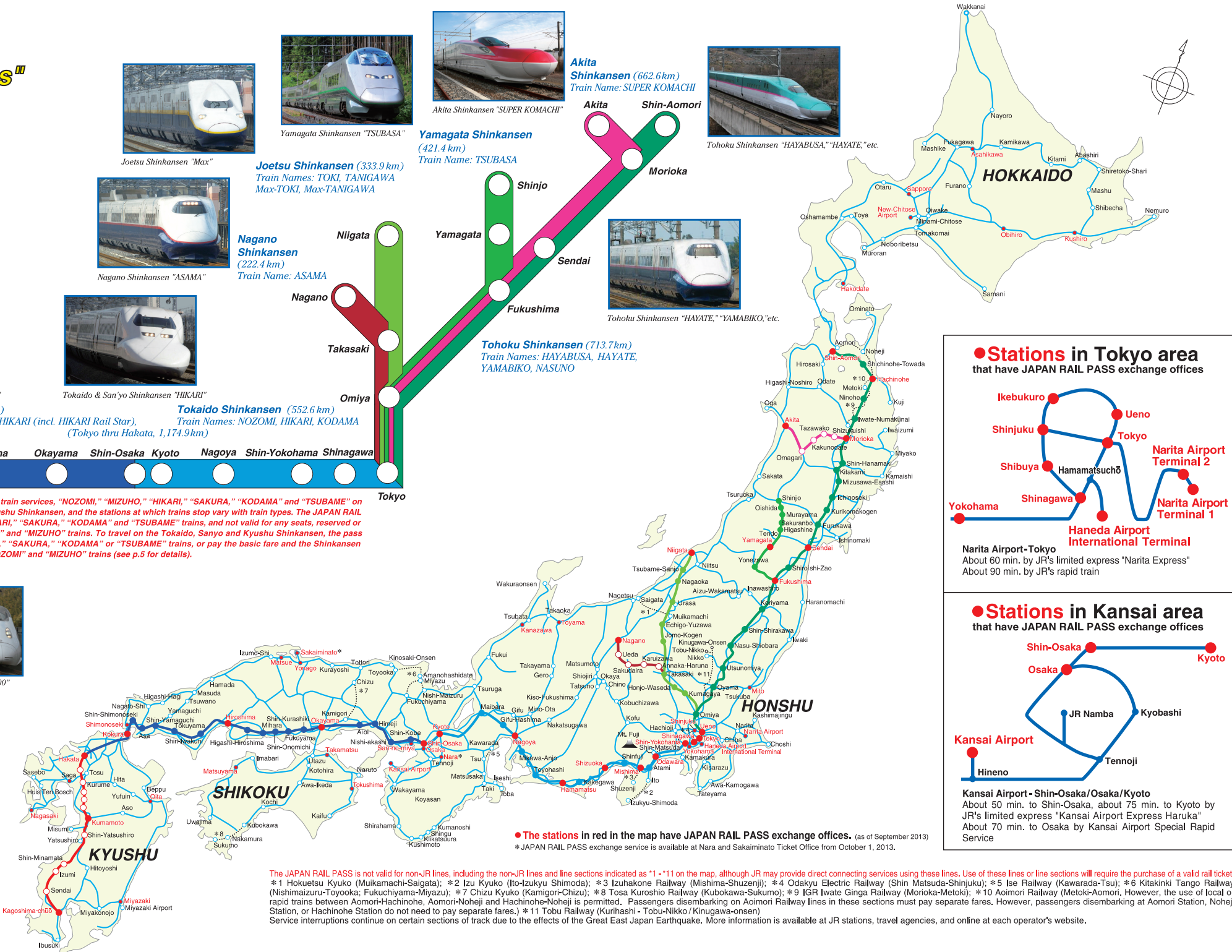


Kyushu Shinkansen "Series 800"

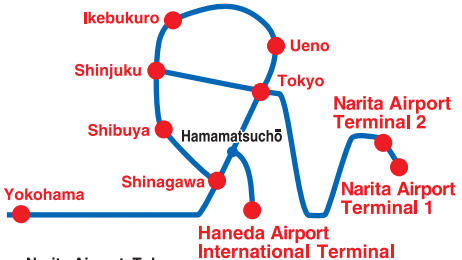
Kumamoto

Kyushu Shinkansen
(288.9 km)
Train Names: MIZUHO, SAKURA,
TSUBAME

Kagoshima-chūō



Stations in Tokyo area
that have JAPAN RAIL PASS exchange offices



Narita Airport-Tokyo
About 60 min. by JR's limited express "Narita Express"
About 90 min. by JR's rapid train

Stations in Kansai area
that have JAPAN RAIL PASS exchange offices



Kansai Airport - Shin-Osaka/Osaka/Kyoto
About 50 min. to Shin-Osaka, about 75 min. to Kyoto by
JR's limited express "Kansai Airport Express Haruka"
About 70 min. to Osaka by Kansai Airport Special Rapid
Service

The stations in red in the map have JAPAN RAIL PASS exchange offices. (as of September 2013)
* JAPAN RAIL PASS exchange service is available at Nara and Sakaiminato Ticket Office from October 1, 2013.

The JAPAN RAIL PASS is not valid for non-JR lines, including the non-JR lines and line sections indicated as *1 - *11 on the map, although JR may provide direct connecting services using these lines. Use of these lines or line sections will require the purchase of a valid rail ticket.
*1 Hokutsu Kyuko (Muikamachi-Saigata); *2 Izu Kyuko (Ito-Izukyu Shimoda); *3 Izu Hakone Railway (Mishima-Shuzenji); *4 Odakyu Electric Railway (Shin Matsuda-Shinjuku); *5 Ise Railway (Kawarada-Tsu); *6 Kitakinki Tango Railway (Nishimaizu-Toyooka; Fukuchiyama-Miyazu); *7 Chizu Kyuko (Kamigori-Chizu); *8 Tosa Kuroshio Railway (Kubokawa-Sukumo); *9 IGR Iwate Ginga Railway (Morioka-Metoki); *10 Aomori Railway (Morioka-Aomori). However, the use of local or rapid trains between Aomori-Hachinohe, Aomori-Noheji and Hachinohe-Noheji is permitted. Passengers disembarking at Aomori Railway lines in these sections must pay separate fares. However, passengers disembarking at Aomori Station, Noheji Station, or Hachinohe Station do not need to pay separate fares. *11 Tobu Railway (Kurhashi - Tobu-Nikko / Kinugawa-onsen)
Service interruptions continue on certain sections of track due to the effects of the Great East Japan Earthquake. More information is available at JR stations, travel agencies, and online at each operator's website.