



National Agriculture and Food Research Organization

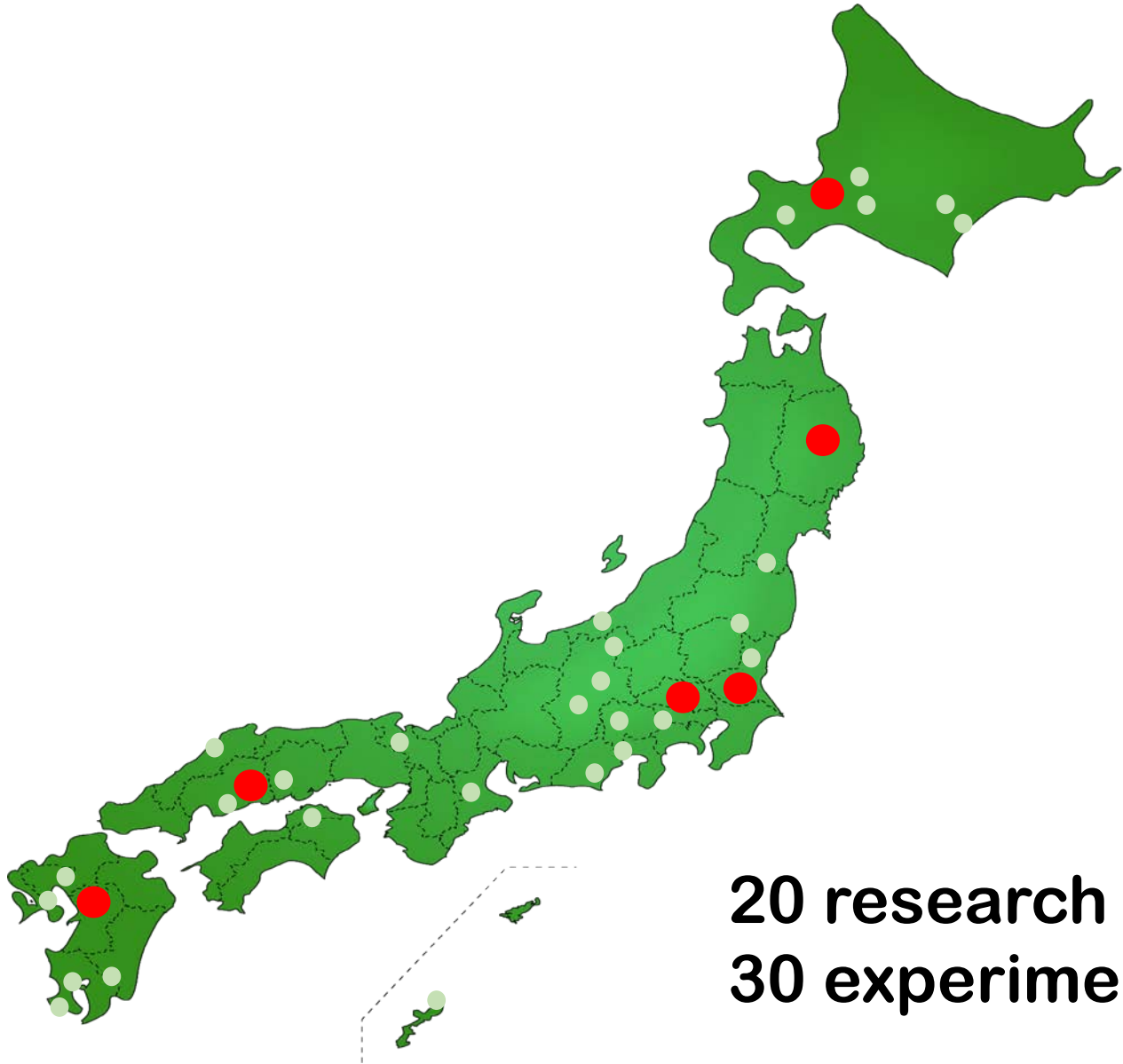
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Food and Agriculture for the Future

The **National Agriculture and Food Research Organization (NARO)** is Japan's core institution for conducting R&D innovations aimed at securing the nation's supply of high-quality and safe foods, reinforcing the competitive power of the agricultural industry, preservation of the environment, increasing the share of agricultural products in the global market, and contributing to the government's policy towards sustainable economic growth.

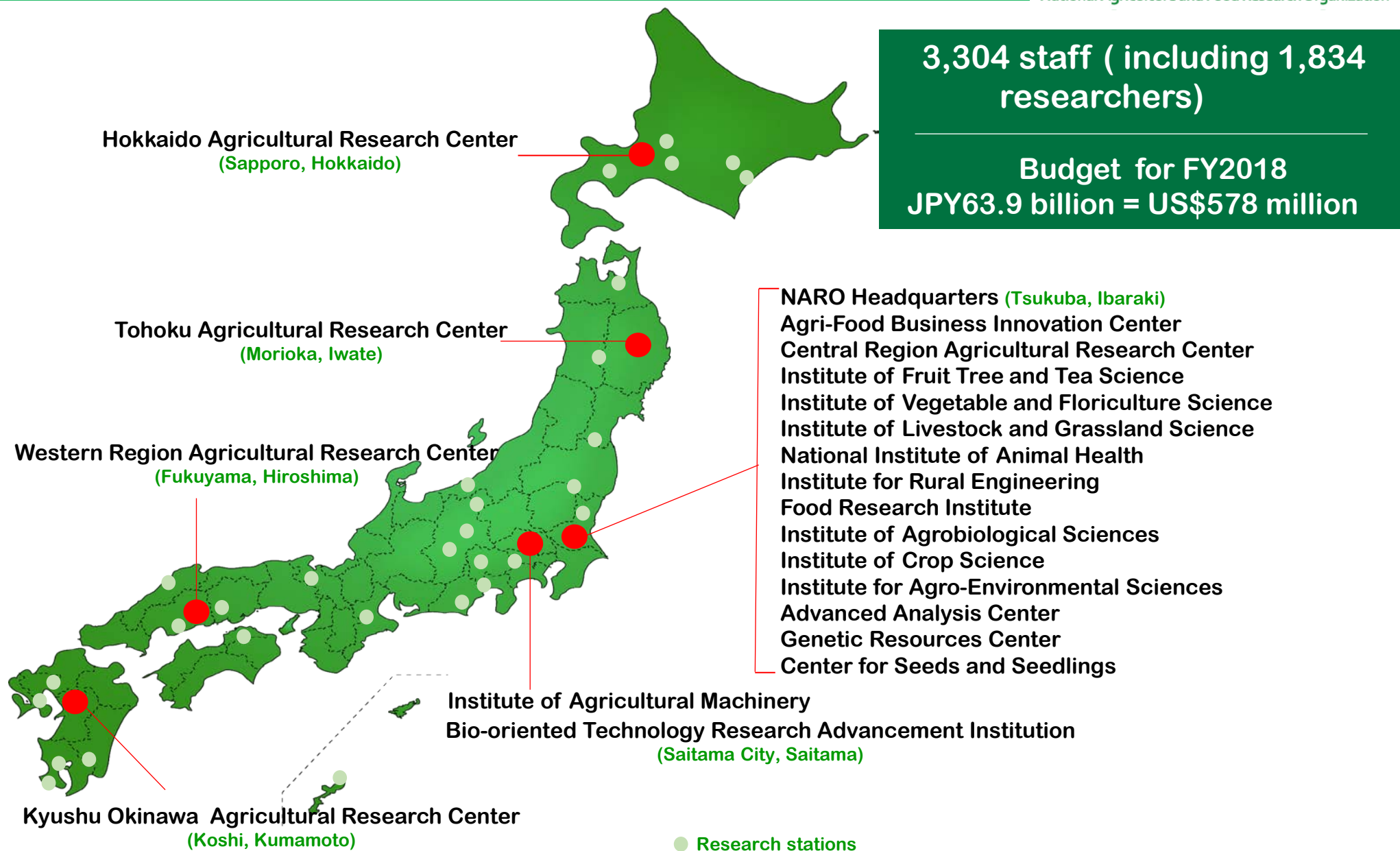


Organizational Structure



20 research centers · institutes
30 experimental stations

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Tsukuba Science City

An aerial photograph of Tsukuba Science City, showing a dense cluster of research and university buildings. In the background, a large mountain (Mount Tsukuba) is visible under a clear blue sky. The city is surrounded by green fields and some industrial areas. A red line, likely a railway, runs through the center of the city. Various research institutions are labeled with green boxes, and the NARO Headquarters is highlighted with a red box.

NCSS

NIFTS

NIRE

NFRI

NIAS

NAAC

NGRC

NICS

NIAH

NIVFS

NARO Headquarters

CARC

NIAES



“Narorin”

**Rice-ball mascot is the symbol
of gender equality of NARO**