



Ofunato, Iwate

The Republic of Sanriku Ofunato

Located in the southern coastal area of Iwate Prefecture, Ofunato is a town of approximately 32,000 people blessed with abundant nature and scenic beauty.

With a coastal area that features a ria coastline and the flourishing natural harbor that is Ofunato Port, the town has built itself around the sea, with such industries as fisheries with abundant catches offshore of Sanriku, one of the world's top three fishing grounds, a port open to cruise ships, and tourism with such scenic spots as the Goishi Coast.

JAXA Facility: Sanriku Balloon Center (closed in 2007)



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