

Tomamu

Ski Season

November to April

Average Snowfall

8 metres

Snow

Light and dry

Accommodation

Ski-in/ski-out, slopeside,
& hotels

Top Tip

Reserve dinner well ahead,
popular restaurants book
out quickly. – Claire Martin



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Getting There

Take the JR Tohoku bullet train to Morioka (3 hours), then a 50-minute ride on the JR Hanawa Line to Appi Kogen Station, 3.5km from the resort.



Powder, Tree Runs, and Après Splash Fun!

With terrain for all levels and reliably dry, long-lasting Hokkaido powder, Tomamu is a paradise for powder hounds and families alike. Runs stretch up to 4,200 metres, with a good balance of terrain, plus off-piste and backcountry access for those chasing something more.

Off the slopes, is where Tomamu truly sets itself apart. Wander through the Ice Village, an entire town built from ice, complete with an bar, hotel and slide, or warm up at Mina-Mina Beach, one of Japan's largest indoor wave pools, kept above 30°C even when it's -20°C outside. Add snowmobiling, snow rafting and a dedicated ski school, and there's enough here to fill several days without repeating yourself. With two distinctive hotels, Tomamu The Tower and Risonare, plus over 20 restaurants, it's a mountain escape families and couples return to again and again.

Top Reasons to Visit

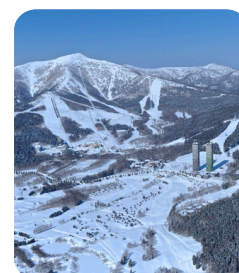
Long, Cruisy Runs

Tomamu's slopes stretch up to 4.2km, giving skiers and riders long, satisfying descents rather than short, choppy runs. With terrain balanced across all levels and dry, long-lasting Hokkaido powder underfoot, it's a genuinely relaxed mountain to lap again and again without ever feeling repetitive or rushed.



Beautifully, Deliberately Isolated

Surrounded by 1,000 hectares of untouched Hokkaido wilderness, with no real town nearby, Tomamu feels like its own self-contained world. Four striking towers rise straight out of the snow and forest, giving the whole resort a quiet, almost otherworldly beauty found nowhere else in Japan.



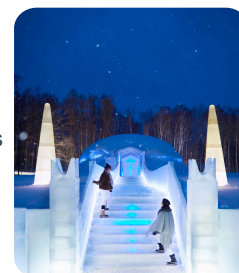
Endless Reinvention

Ski all morning, swim through a 30°C tropical wave pool by afternoon, wander an entire village built from ice by night, then soak in an outdoor onsen under falling snow. Few resorts let you shift mood and setting so completely, all without ever leaving the property.



Favourite for Families

From a private kids' ski school starting at age three to the Ice Village and Mina-Mina Beach's wave pool, Tomamu gives non-skiing days just as much appeal as time on the mountain. It's an easy, low-stress choice for family groups, with genuinely something for every age.



Mountain Stats

Annual Snowfall 8 metres
Skiable Terrain 306 acres
Ability Level Beg: 30% | Int: 40% | Adv: 30%
Vertical Drop 699 metres

Ski Runs 29
Lifts/Gondolas 6
Max Altitude 1,239 metres (4,068 feet)
Terrain Park Yes

Winter Experiences

Snow-rafting, snowmobiling, ice fishing, snowshoeing, Mina-Mina Beach indoor pool, onsen, snowcat tours, Ice Village (ice hotel, bar, rink, restaurant and slide), and more.

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