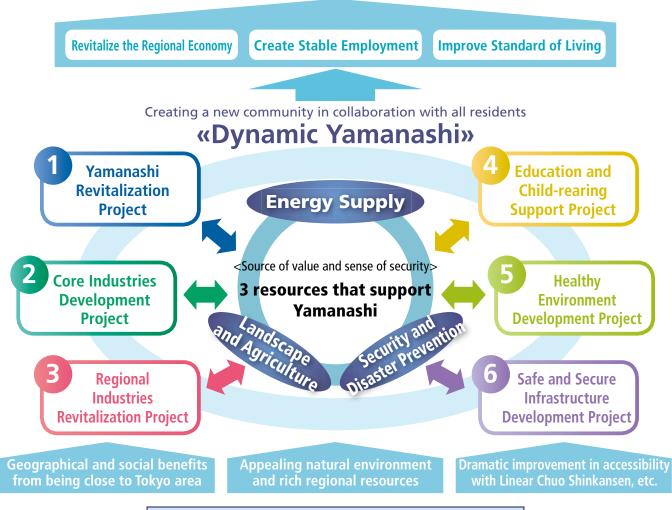
# Basic Strategy for Creating a New Community

Yamanashi is developing 6 projects in collaboration with residents in order to achieve a "Bright and Secure Community." This concept is based on 3 resources that support Yamanashi: "Energy Supply," "Landscape and Agriculture" and "Security and Disaster Prevention." By focusing on development in these resources, all residents can fulfill their aspirations and have a brighter and more secure lifestyle.

### **Regional community goal: "Bright and Secure Community"**

<Vision of Future> platform for vigorous lifestyles, lively activities and exchanges

Yamanashi population: 1 million



### **3 resources that support Yamanashi**

#### Energy Supply [The driving force of the regional economy]

A more vibrant regional economy and lively community for residents can be achieved by reinforcement of supplying energy and providing a stable and lowcost energy supply.

### Landscape and Agriculture

## [The appeal and attraction of regional resources]

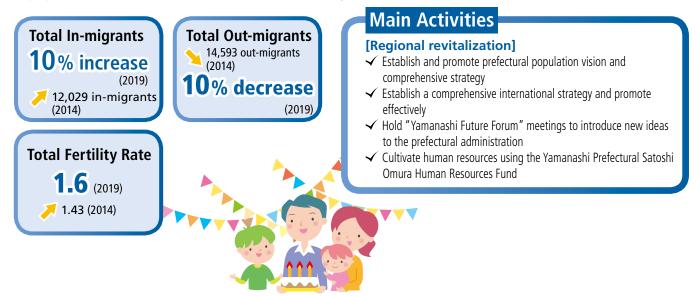
The appeal and attraction of Yamanashi can be increased, for example, by making the rural landscape more beautiful to attract people and by creating new value assets. This can be achieved by strengthening the link between industries and regions as well as by maintaining and developing regional industries that are unique to Yamanashi, such as agriculture, for the future.

### **Security and Disaster Prevention**

#### [Protecting the community and economic activities]

Yamanashi can continue to ensure safety and security of its community for all residents by making steady improvements and preparing for potential natural disasters, and by working together with the community, businesses, administrative bodies, etc., to offer a good balance in resources such as education, childrearing, health care and social services. **Yamanashi Revitalization Project** 

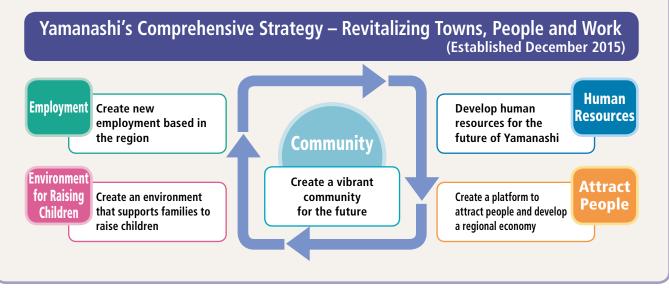
The prefecture has taken an active role as a catalyst and is strongly promoting regional revitalization policies while reinforcing cooperation and collaboration with various entities in order to stop the negative spiral of depopulation and reverse this trend into a virtuous cycle.



### Yamanashi's Population Vision – Revitalizing Towns, People and Work (Established September 2015)

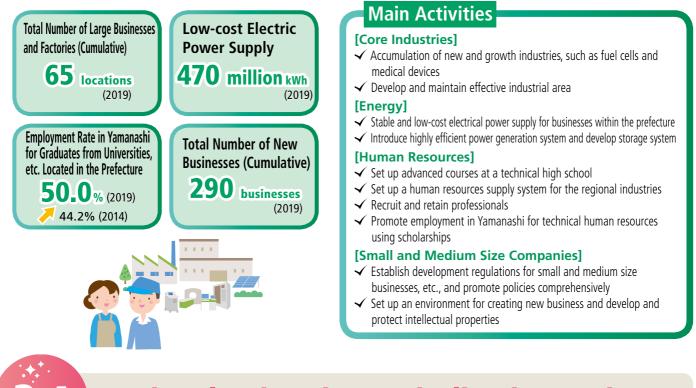
The total population of Yamanashi peaked in September 2000, and thereafter the population declined and is currently above 830,000 people as of January 2016. There is concern that if the population declines at the current rate, it would have a significant impact on the regional economy, social services and etc.

As a result, the vision's goal is a population of 750,000 in 2060. The plan is to use the appeal of the prefecture's rich natural surroundings and close proximity to the Tokyo area, take full advantage of new services like the Linear Chuo Shinkansen and develop policies which continue to maintain and increase regional vitality. Furthermore, the goal is for a population of 100,000 people when considering the "population that is mutualistic and cooperative to Yamanashi," which essentially combines the resident population with the "linkage population," or that population with ties to Yamanashi.



**Core Industries Development Project** 

This project aims to maintain, develop and expand the core industries by strengthening energy and human resources and creating new industries that use Yamanashi's strengths, in order to create a new regional community and reinforce the essential economic infrastructure.



## **Regional Industries Revitalization Project**

This project aims to strengthen networks among industries like agriculture, forestry, fisheries, processing and tourism. It also aims to link different communities in the prefecture and form collaborations among various industrial, academic, government and financial groups in order to create industries that are both lucrative and unique as well as to revitalize communities in the prefecture.

