

# Yamanashi Prefectural Maglev Exhibition Center

Experience what **500km/h**  
feels like!

The Yamanashi Prefectural Maglev Exhibition Center is the only facility in Japan where visitors can see up-close a Maglev train running at a speed of 500 km/h.

The test train that recorded the fastest speed in the world (at that time) in 2003 is on display here as a symbol of this facility, alongside various other exhibits including a diorama featuring a Maglev train and a miniature Maglev which allows visitors to experience a levitated run.

In the Maglev Exhibition Hall, you can experience how 500 km/h feels on the "Learn about Maglev," "Experience Maglev," and "See the future of Yamanashi" floors.

Visitors can see a running Maglev train from all floors and even experience the wind pressure from the Observation Terrace located on the second floor.

In addition, the adjacent Yamanashi Pavilion, equipped with a gift shop, a Yamanashi tourism and product information counter, and an observation room, shows visitors the appeal of Yamanashi and Maglev technology.

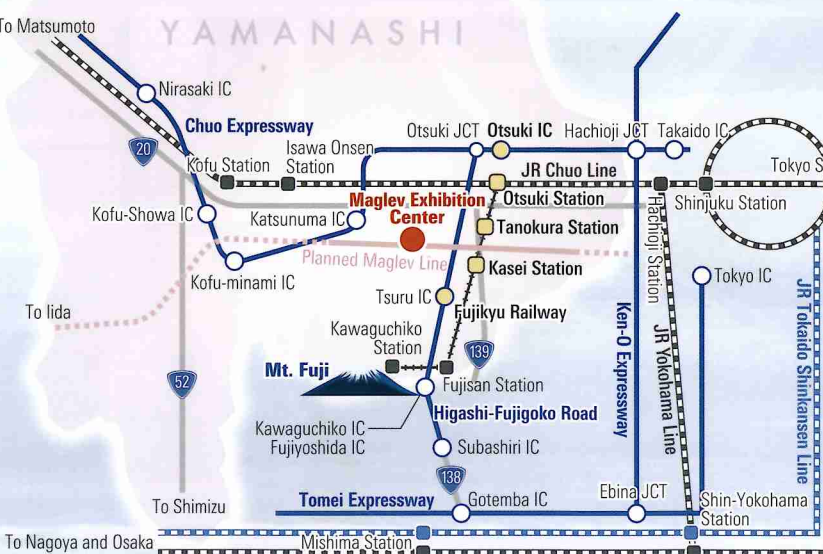
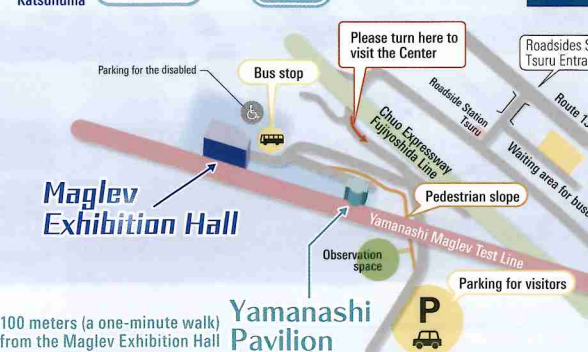
## Access

\*See the Center's website below for more information about access to the Center, including the bus timetables.

## By car



## By train/bus



\*An interchange (IC) refers to an expressway entrance and/or exit in Japan.  
A junction (JCT) refers to a place where multiple expressways meet.

**Opening hours** 9 a.m.-5 p.m. (Admission until 4:30 p.m.)

**Closed** Every Monday (Tuesday if the preceding Monday is a national holiday.  
The center opens on Monday if the following Tuesday is a national holiday.)  
The day following a national holiday  
(The center opens if the day following a national holiday falls on Friday, Saturday or Sunday.)  
Year-end and New-year period (Dec. 29-Jan. 3)

**Admission fee**

\*Admission is free for the Yamanashi Pavilion

## Individuals

- Adults/ College students... ¥420
- High school students... ¥310
- Middle/Primary school students... ¥200

## Groups (20 people or more)

- Adults/ College students... ¥340
- High school students... ¥250
- Middle/Primary school students... ¥170

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The Yamanashi Prefectural Maglev Exhibition Center website  
<http://www.linear-museum.pref.yamanashi.jp>



\*Test runs are not carried out every day. Refer to the Maglev Exhibition Center website or the information provided at the center for the test run schedule.

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## Introduction to the Maglev Exhibition Hall



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Watch it!

**Maglev Theater**  
Experience what 500 km/h feels like by the combined effect of images and vibrations!



## Maglev Diorama

A large diorama shows a landscape of Yamanashi Prefecture in the near future when the Maglev Chuo Shinkansen Line is already in operation.



## Observation Lounge

Get a close look at test runs on the Yamanashi Maglev Test Line!



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Experience it!

## Superconducting Laboratory

Let's Go, Maglev!

## Superconducting Roller Coaster

## Superconducting Maglev Concept

## Miniature Maglev

Video shows how Maglev works

## Outdoor Observation Terrace

## Workshop Room

Workshop room where you can enjoy hands-on learning experiences (seats 40)

## Miniature Maglev

Experience the feeling of floating on air!



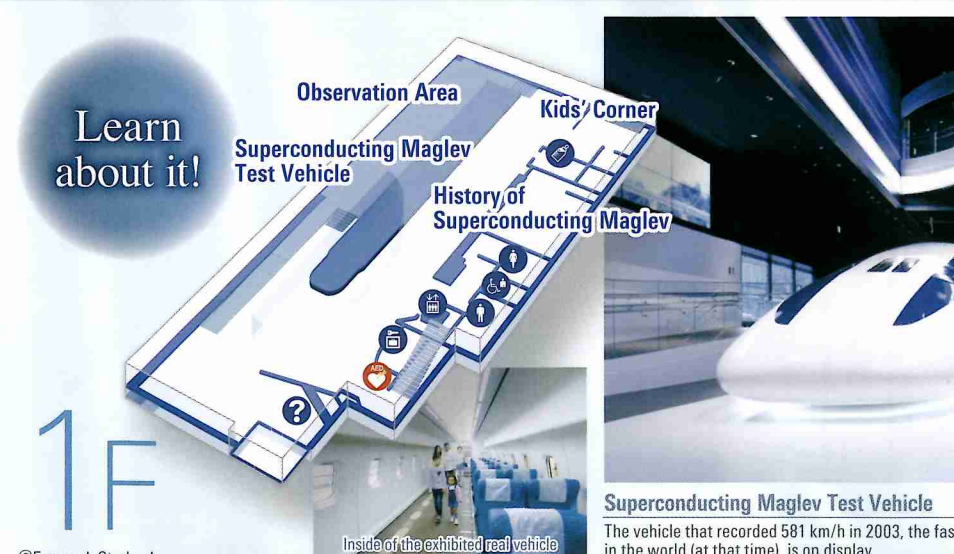
## Outdoor Observation Terrace

Feel the air pressure caused by Maglev test runs!



## Superconducting Roller Coaster

Experiments show superconductors' characteristics.



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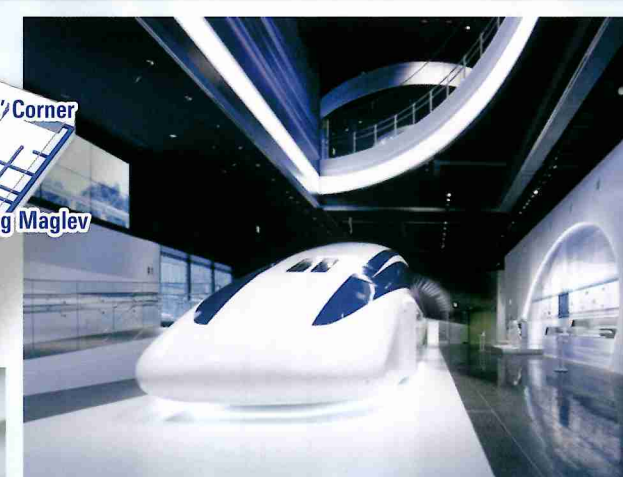
Learn about it!

## Observation Area

## Superconducting Maglev Test Vehicle

## History of Superconducting Maglev

Inside of the exhibited real vehicle



## Superconducting Maglev Test Vehicle

The vehicle that recorded 581 km/h in 2003, the fastest train speed in the world (at that time), is on display.



## Observation Area

You can see test runs right beside the course



## History of Superconducting Maglev

The process of developing the Maglev train over the past 50 years is shown.

## Introduction to the Yamanashi Pavilion

In the Yamanashi Pavilion, visitors can buy items featuring the Maglev train only available here, as well as Yamanashi specialty products. Visitors can also get useful information on tourism in and products of Yamanashi Prefecture. You can also watch Maglev test runs from the Observation Room on the third floor.



## Some popular items featuring the Maglev



Gift Shop 2027

