

The Inventory of Intangible Cultural Heritage
in Japan
as of March 2013

I Designated or selected elements based on the Law for the Protection of Cultural Properties

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(i) Performing Arts

Genre	Name of Property	Date of Selection	Holders Name	Other Name	Date of Designation	
Noh-gaku	Noh Shite-kata	February 15, 1955	Katayama Hirotarou	Katayama Yusetzu	July 12, 2001	
			Mikawa Izumi		July 10, 2003	
			Tomoeda Akiyo		September 11, 2008	
	Noh Waki-kata	June 27, 1994	Houshou Kan		June 27, 1994	
	Noh Hayashi-kata Fue	September 2, 2009	Isso Hisayuki		September 2, 2009	
	Noh Hayashi-kata Kotsuzumi	June 8, 1998	Sowa Hiroshi		June 8, 1998	
	Noh Hayashi-kata Ohtsuzumi	June 8, 1998	Yasufuku Tatsuo		June 8, 1998	
			Kamei Tadao		July 8, 2002	
	Noh Hayashi-kata Taiko	May 15, 1992	Komparu Souichi	Komparu Souemon	May 15, 1992	
	Kyougen	April 10, 1967	Sigeyama Shime	Shigeyama Sensaku	May 6, 1989	
Nomura Taro			Nomura Man	June 6, 1997		
Nomura Jiro			Nomura Mansaku	September 6, 2007		
Yamamoto Tojiro				October 4, 2012		
Bunraku	Ningyo Jyoruri Bunraku Tayu	April 23, 1971	Kishimoto Kinichi	Takemoto Sumitayu	May 6, 1989	
			Ozaki Tadao	Takemoto Gendayu	September 6, 2007	
	Ningyo Jyoruri Bunraku Shamisen	April 13, 1985	Shirai Yasuo	Tsuruzawa Kanji	June 6, 1997	
			Nakanoshima Hiroshi	Turusawa Seiji	September 6, 2007	
	Ningyo Jyoruri Bunraku Ningyo	April 25, 1977	Tsukamoto Kazuo	Yoshida Bunjaku	June 27, 1994	
			Hirao Katsuyoshi	Yoshida Minosuke	June 27, 1994	
Kabuki	Kabuki Tachi-yaku	April 19, 1960	Hayashi Koutaro	Sakata Toujuro	June 27, 1994	
			Terajima Hideyuki	Onoe Kikugoro	July 10, 2003	
			Namino Tatsujiro	Nakamura Kichiemon	September 5, 2011	
	Kabuki Onnagata	October 4, 2012	Morita Shin'ichi	Bando Tamasaburo	October 4, 2012	
	Kabuki Wakiyaku	June 6, 1997	Yamanaka Muneo	Sawamura Tanosuke	July 8, 2002	
	Kabuki Ongaku Nagauta	June 8, 1998	Kawahara Toshio	Tobaya Richou	July 8, 2002	
			Miyazawa Masayuki	Kineya Mitaro	September 6, 2007	
Kumiodori	Kumiodori Tachikata	September 15, 2006	Tokumura Masakichi	Miyagi Nohou	September 15, 2006	
	Kumiodori Ongaku Uta-sanshin	August 30, 2005	Shiroma Tokutaro		August 30, 2005	
			Nishie Kishun		September 5, 2011	
Ongaku	Shakuhachi	April 20, 1982	Aoki Shizuo	Aoki Reibo	June 21, 1999	
			Yamamoto Yasumasa	Yamamoto Houzan	July 8, 2002	
	Soukyoku	April 25, 1966	Kihara Shizuko	Yamase Shouin	July 12, 2001	
			Yonekawa Misao	Yonekawa Fumiko	September 11, 2008	
	Jiuta	September 2, 2009	Hatta Kiyotaka	Tomiyama Seikin	September 2, 2009	
	Nagauta Uta	April 20, 1974	Kineya Yasuhiro	Kineya Kisaburo	June 6, 1997	
			Miyata Tetsuo		June 8, 1998	
	Nagauta Narimono	April 15, 1993	Abe Yasumasa	Katada Kisaku	June 21, 1999	
	Gidayubushi Jyoruri	June 21, 1999	Ueda Etsuko	Takemoto Komanosuke	June 21, 1999	
	Gidayubushi Shamisen	June 8, 1998	Miyazaki Kimiko	Turuzawa Tomoji	June 8, 1998	
	Icchubushi Jyoruri	June 21, 1999	Umetsu Fuji	Uji Shibun	June 21, 1999	
	Icchubushi Shamisen	July 12, 2001	Higashi Mineko	Uji Bunchou	July 12, 2001	
	Miyazonobushi Jyoruri	September 9, 2007	Sato Sakiko	Miyazono Senroku	September 6, 2007	
	Shinnaibushi Jyoruri	July 12, 2001	Takahashi Yukimichi	Tsuruga Wakasanojo	July 12, 2001	
	Shinnaibushi Shamisen	July 12, 2001	Tsunoda Tomiaki	Shinnai Nakasaburo	July 12, 2001	
	Tokiwazubushi Jyoruri	May 31, 1995	Aketa Akira	Tokiwazu Ichihadayu	May 31, 1995	
	Tokiwazubushi Shamisen	May 15, 1992	Suzuki Eiji	Tokiwazu Eijyu	May 15, 1992	
	Kiyomotobushi Jyoruri	July 10, 2003	Sagawa Yoshitada	Kiyomoto Seijudayu	July 10, 2003	
	Kiyomotobushi Shamisen	July 10, 2003	Koyanagi Yasukazu	Kiyomoto Eizo	July 10, 2003	
	Katobushi Jyoruri	June 27, 1994	Kobayashi Mineko	Yamabiko Setsuko	June 27, 1994	
	Katobushi Shamisen	September 2, 2009	Hatta Michiyo	Yamabiko Senko	September 2, 2009	
	Ryukyu Koten Ongaku	June 6, 2000	Simabukuro Masao		June 6, 2000	
			Terukina Chouichi		June 6, 2000	
	Buyou	Kabuki Buyou	February 15, 1955	Nishikawa Senzo		June 21, 1999
				Shibazaki Teruko	Hanayagi Toshinami	September 2, 2004
	Engei	Koten Rakugo	May 31, 1995	Nakagawa Kiyoshi	Katsura Beichou	May 10, 1996
		Koudan	July 8, 2002	Asano Seitaro	Ichiryusai Teisui	July 8, 2002

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Togei	Iroe-jiki	April 28, 1986	Sakaida Kakiemon	Sakaida Kakiemon the Fourteenth	July 12, 2001
	Yuri-kinsai	July 12, 2001	Yoshita Minoru	Yoshita Minori	July 12, 2001
	Hakuji	May 31, 1995	Inoue Manji		May 31, 1995
	Seiji	September 6, 2007	Nakashima Hiroshi		September 6, 2007
	Tetsuyu-touki	August 30, 2005	Hara Kiyoshi		August 30, 2005
	Mumyoui-yaki	July 10, 2003	Itoh Yoichi	Itoh Sekisui the fifth	July 10, 2003
	Shino	June 27, 1994	Suzuki Osamu		June 27, 1994
	Setoguro	September 6, 2010	Katoh Kozo		September 6, 2010
	Bizen-yaki	September 2, 2004	Isezaki Atsushi	Isezaki Jun	September 2, 2004
Senshoku	Yusoku-orimono	June 21, 1999	Kitagawa Hyoji		June 21, 1999
	Ra	May 31, 1995	Kitamura Takeshi		May 31, 1995
	Tate-nishiki	June 6, 2000			June 6, 2000
	Monsha	September 6, 2010	Tsuchiya Yoshinori		September 6, 2010
	Tsumugi-ori	April 25, 1990	Shimura Fukumi		April 25, 1990
			Sasaki Sonoko		August 30, 2005
	Saga-nishiki	June 27, 1994	Nishiyama Fumi	Koga Fumi	June 27, 1994
	Seigou-Sendai-hira	July 8, 2002	Koda Yoshio		July 8, 2002
	Kenjou-Hakata-ori	July 10, 2003	Ogawa Kisaburo		July 10, 2003
	Shuri-no-orimono	June 8, 1998	Miyahira Hatsuko		June 8, 1998
	Bashou-fu	June 6, 2000	Taira Toshiko		June 6, 2000
	Yuzen	May 12, 1955	Tajima Hiroshi	Tajima Hiroshi	June 21, 1999
			Moriguchi Kunihiro		September 6, 2007
			Futatsuka Osao		September 6, 2010
	Edo-komon	April 26, 1978	Komiya Yasutaka		April 26, 1978
Mokuhanzuri Sarasa	September 11, 2008	Suzuta Shigeto		September 11, 2008	
Bingata	May 10, 1996	Tamanaha Yuko		May 10, 1996	
Sishu	June 6, 1997	Fukuda Kiju		June 6, 1997	
Shitsugei	Makie	February 15, 1955	Murose Kazumi		September 11, 2008
			Nakano Koichi		September 6, 2010
	Raden	June 21, 1999	Kitamura Ken'ichi	Kitamura Shosai	June 21, 1999
	Chinkin	June 21, 1999	Mae Fumio		June 21, 1999
	Kinma	April 13, 1985	Isai Masami		April 13, 1985
			Ota Hitoshi		June 27, 1994
	Kiyusitsu	April 20, 1974	Onishi Isao		July 8, 2002
Komori Kunihiro			Komori Kunie	September 15, 2006	
Masumura Kiichiro				September 11, 2008	
Kinko	Chukin	April 15, 1993	Saito Akira		April 15, 1993
			Ozawa Yukimasa	Ozawa Komin	August 30, 2005
	Choukin	April 26, 1978	Nakagawa Mamoru		September 2, 2004
			Katsura Takeshi	Katsura Morihito	September 11, 2008
	Tankin	May 31, 1995	Okuyama Kizo	Okuyama Hoseki	May 31, 1995
			Taguchi Toshichika		September 15, 2006
			Tamagawa Norio		September 6, 2010
Dora	July 8, 2002	Uozumi Yasuhiko	Uozumi Iroku the third	July 8, 2002	
Nihontou	May 12, 1955	Amata Seiichi	Amata Akitsugu	June 6, 1997	
Mokuchikukou	Moku-kougei	April 9, 1984	Kawagita Ryozo		June 27, 1994
			Osaka Hiromichi		June 6, 1997
			Nakagawa Kiyotsugu		July 12, 2001
			Murayama Akira		July 10, 2003
			Haisoto Tatsuo		October 4, 2012
	Chiku-kougei	April 20, 1982	Katsushiro Ichiji	Katsushiro Soho	August 30, 2005
		Fujinuma Noboru		October 4, 2012	
Ningyo	Ishou-ningyou	April 28, 1986	Imai Nobuko	Akiyama Nobuko	May 10, 1996
	Touso-ningyou	July 8, 2002	Hayashi Komao		July 8, 2002
Tesuki Washi	Echizen-housho	June 6, 2000	Iwano Ichibe	Iwano Ichibe the Ninth	June 6, 2000
	Najio-ganbishi	July 8, 2002	Tanino Takenobu	Tanino Takenobu	July 8, 2002
	Tosa-tengu-joushi	July 12, 2001	Hamada Sajio		July 12, 2001

(b) Holders (Collective Recognition) / Holding Groups
(i) Performing Arts (Holders (Collective Recognition))

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Name	Name of Group or Institution	Date of Designation
Gagaku	Music Department of the Imperial Household Agency	May 12, 1955
Ningo Joruri Bunraku	Ningyo Joruri Bunraku Theatre	May 12, 1955
Nohgaku	Japan Nohgaku Association	December 4, 1957
Kabuki	Organization for the Preservation of Kabuki	April 20, 1965
Kumiodori	Traditional Kumiodori Preservation Society	May 15, 1972
Gidayubushi	Gidayubushi Preservation Society	April 21, 1980
Tokiwazubushi	Tokiwazubushi Preservation Society	April 20, 1981
Icchubushi	Icchubushi Preservation Society	April 15, 1993
Katobushi	Katobushi Preservation Society	April 15, 1993
Miyazonobushi	Miyazonobushi Preservation Society	April 15, 1993
Ogiebushi	Ogiebushi Preservation Society	April 15, 1993
Ryukyu Buyou	Ryukyu Buyou Preservation Society	September 2, 2009

(b) Holders (Collective Recognition) / Holding Groups
(ii) Craft Techniques (Holding Groups)

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Name	Name of Group or Institution	Date of Designation
Kakiemon (Nigoshide)	Association for the Preservation of Kakiemon Porcelain Techniques	April 23, 1971
Iro-Nabeshima	Association for the Preservation of Imaemon Iro-Nabeshima Porcelain Techniques	April 30, 1976
Onta-yaki	Association for the Preservation of Onta-yaki Pottery Techniques	May 31, 1995
Yuki-tsumugi	Association for the Preservation of Honba Yuki-tsumugi Weaving Techniques	April 24, 1956
Ojiya-chijimi, Echigo-jofu	Association for the conservation of techniques for Echigo-jofu, Ojiya-chijimi-fu	May 12, 1955
Kurume-kasuri	Association for the Preservation of techniques for Important Intangible Cultural Property Kurume-kasuri Dyeing	April 25, 1957
Kijoka no Bashoufu	Association for the Preservation of Bashoufu of Kijoka	April 20, 1974
Miyako-joufu	Holding Group for Miyako-joufu	April 26, 1978
Ise-katagami	Association for the Preservation of Ise-katagami making Techniques	April 15, 1993
Kumejima-tsumugi	Holding Group for Kumejima Tsumugi	September 2, 2004
Wajima-nuri	Association for the Preservation of Wajima-nuri Laquer Techniques	April 25, 1977
Hosokawa-shi	Hosokawa-shi Craftsmen's Association	April 26, 1978
Hon-minoshi	Association for the Preservation of Hon-minoshi Papermaking	April 15, 1969
Sekishu-Banshi	Sekishu-Banshi Craftsmen's Association	April 15, 1969

2. Important Intangible Folk Cultural Properties

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Prefecture	Title	Location	Protection Association	Date of Designation
Hokkaido	Traditional Ainu Dance	Sapporo City; Chitose City; Asahikawa City; Shiraai-gun, Shiraai-cho; Yufutsu-gun, Mukawa-cho; Saru-gun, Biratori-cho; Saru-gun, Hidaka-cho; Niikappu-gun, Niikappu-cho; Hidaka-gun, Shinhidaka-cho; Urakawa-gun, Urakawa-cho; Samani-gun, Samani-cho; Obihiro City; Kushiro City; Kawakami-gun. Teshikaga-cho and Shiranuka-gun, Shiranuka-cho	Hokkaido Association for the Preservation of Traditional Ainu Dance	January 21, 1984
			Sapporo <i>Upopo</i> Preservation Association	
			Chitose Association for Preservation and Transference of Traditional Ainu Culture	
			Asahikawa Chikappuni Preservation Association for the Ainu People's Culture	
			Shiraai Preservation Association for People's Entertainment	
			Mukawa Association for Preservation and Transference of Traditional Ainu Culture	
			Biratori Preservation Association for Ainu Culture	
			Monbetsu Preservation Association for Utari Culture	
			Niikappu Preservation Association for People's Culture	
			Shizunai Preservation Association for People's Culture	
			Mitsuishi Preservation Association for People's Culture	
			Urakawa Preservation Association for Utari Culture	
			Samani Preservation Association for People's Culture	
			Obihiro Preservation Association for Kamuitou Upopo	
			Kushiro Preservation Association for Harutori Traditional Ainu Dances <i>Rimuse</i>	
Teshikaga-cho Kussharo Kotan Preservation Association for Ainu Culture				
Akan Preservation Association for Ainu People's Culture				
Shiranuka Preservation Association for Ainu Culture				
Aomori	Hachinohe no Enburi	Hachinohe City; Sannohe-gun	Hachinohe Regional Federation of Enburi Associations	February 3, 1979
	Aomori no Nebuta	Aomori City	Aomori Association for the Preservation of the Nebuta Festival	January 28, 1980
	Hirosaki no Neputa	Hirosaki City	Hirosaki Association for the Preservation of Neputa	January 28, 1980
	Iwakisan no Tohai Gyoji	Aomori City; Hirosaki City; Kuroishi City; Goshogawara City; Higashi Tsugaru -gun; Nishi Tugaru -gun; Tsugaru City; Nakatsugaru -gun; Minami Tsugaru -gun; Hirakawa City and Kitatsugaru -gun	Association for the Preservation of Mountain Pilgrimages	January 21, 1984
	Shimokita no Noh-Mai	Shimokita -gun; Mutsu City and Kamikita -gun	Shimokita Federation for the Preservation of Noh-Mai Higashidoori-mura Federation for the Preservation of Hometown Performing Arts, Noh-Mai Division Mutsu City Association for the Preservation of Noh-Mai	March 20, 1989

			Yokohama-cho Association for the Preservation of Hometown Performing Arts, Noh-Mai Division	
	Izumiyama no Tohai Gyoji	Sannohe-gun, Sannohe-machi, Izumiyama	Association for the Preservation of Izumiyama no Nanasaiji-Hatsumairi	December 15, 1997
	Hachinohe Sansha Taisai no Dashi Gyoji	Hachinohe City	Association for the Preservation of the Hachinohe Sansha Taisai Festival Parade of Floats	February 6, 2004
	Techniques from the Tsugaru Straits and Surrounding Area for Making Japanese Boats	Area surrounding Tsugaru Straits	Association for the Preservation of Techniques from the Tsugaru Straits and Surrounding Area for Making Japanese Boats	March 15, 2006
Iwate	Hayachine Kagura	Hanamaki City	Association for the Preservation of Hayachine Kagura	May 4, 1976
			Association for the Preservation of Otsugunai Kagura	
			Association for the Preservation of Take Kagura	
	Motsuji no Ennen	Nishiiwai-gun, Hiraizumi-cho, Aza Osawa	Association for the Preservation of Motsuji Ennen no Mai	May 17, 1977
	Nagai no Dainenbutsu Kenbai	Morioka City, Nagai	Association for the Preservation of Nagai Dainenbutsu Kenbai	January 28, 1980
	Yamaya no Taue Odori	Shiwa-gun, Shiwa-cho, Yamaya	Association for the Preservation of Yamaya Taue Odori	January 21, 1981
	Murone Jinja Sai no Maturiba Gyoji	Ichinoseki City; Ofunato City; Miyagi Prefecture, Kesenuma City	Association for the Preservation of the Murone Shrine Festival	January 12, 1985
	Onikenbai	Kitakami City; Oshu City	Federation for the Preservation of Onikenbai	December 13, 1993
			Association for the Preservation of Iwasaki Onikenbai	
			Association for the Preservation of Nameshida Onikenbai	
Association for the Preservation of Honokisawa Nenbutsu Kenbai				
Yoshihama no Suneka	Ofunato City, Sanriku-cho, Yoshihama	Association for the Preservation of Yoshihama Suneka	February 6, 2004	
Kuromori Kagura	Miyako City	Association for the Preservation of Kuromori Kagura	March 15, 2006	
Miyagi	Akiu no Taue Odori	Sendai City, Taihaku-ku, Akiu-machi	Association for the Preservation of Akiu no Taue Odori	May 4, 1976
			Association for the Preservation of Yumoto no Taue Odori	
			Association for the Preservation of Nagafukuro no Taue Odori	
			Association for the Preservation of Baba no Taue Odori	
	Obasama no Ennen	Kurihara City, Tsukumo Aza Obasama	Association for the Preservation of Obasama Ennen	February 3, 1979
	Ogatsu Houin Kagura	Ishinomaki City	Association for the Preservation of Ogatsuhouin Kagura	December 20, 1996
	Hata no Oyamagake	Kesenuma City, Aza Akaiwahata	Hata Shrine Representatives Association	December 27, 2000
Yonekawa no Mizukaburi	Tome City	Association for the Preservation of Yonekawa no Mizukaburi	December 27, 2000	
Tsukihama no Enzunowari	Higashimatsushima City	Association for the Preservation of Enzunowari	March 15, 2006	
Akita	Dainichido Bugaku	Kazuno City, Hachimantai	Association for the Preservation of Dainichido Bugaku	May 4, 1976

	Horohasan no Shimotsuki Kagura	Yokote City, Yazawagi	Association for the Preservation of Horohasan Shimotsuki Kagura	May 17, 1977
	Oga no Namahage	Oga City	Association for the Preservation of the Oga no Namahage	May 22, 1978
	Akita no Kanto	Akita City	Akita City Kanto Association	January 28, 1980
	Nishimonai no Bon Odori	Ogachi -gun, Ugo-machi, Nishimonai	Association for the Preservation of Nishimonai Bon Odori	January 21, 1981
	Rokugo no Kamakura Gyoji	Senboku -gun, Misato-cho	Association for the Preservation of the Rokugo-machi Kamakura	January 14, 1982
	Kariwano no Otsunahiki	Daisen City, Kariwano	Association for the Preservation of the Kariwano Otsunahiki	January 19, 1984
	Tokoyasaka Jinjya no Tounin Gyoji	Katagami City: Oga City, Funakoshi	Tokoyasaka Shrine Association Funakoshi-cho Federation	January 14, 1986
	Kakunodate Matsuri no Yama Gyoji	Senboku City	Association for the Preservation of the Kakunodate Festival	February 21, 1991
	Tsuchisaki Shinmeishasai no Hikiyama Gyoji	Akita City	Tsuchisaki Shinmeisha Association	December 15, 1997
	Kemanai no Bon Odori	Kazuno City, Towada, Kemanai	Association for the Preservation of Kemanai Bon Odori	December 16, 1998
	Kamigou no Koshougatsu Gyoji	Nikaho City, Yokooka	Association for the Preservation of Yokooka Sae no Kami Association for the Preservation of Omori Sae no Kami	December 16, 1998
	Nekko Bangaku	Kitaakita City, Nekko	Association for the Preservation of Nekko Bangaku	February 6, 2004
	Kotaki no Choukuraire Mai	Nikaho City, Kotaki	Association for the Preservation of Mt. Choukai Kotaki Bugaku	February 6, 2004
	Akita no Itayami Seisaku Gijutsu	Akita City, Taihei Kurosawa Senboku City, Kakunodate-machi, Kumoshikari	Association for the Preservation of Oedarani Techniques Association for the Preservation of Kakunodate Itaya Work Techniques	March 11, 2009
	Honkai Shishi-mai Bangaku	Yurihonjo City, Chokai-machi	Association for the Transmission of Honkai Shishi-mai Bangaku (Kamimomoyake-kouchu, Shimomomoyake-Kouchu, Kamihitane-kouchu, Nakahitane-kouchu, Maenosawa-kouchu, Shimohitane-kouchu, Sarukura-kouchu, Kouya-kouchu, Nikai-kouchu, Amaike-kouchu, Yakiyama-kouchu, Hirane-kouchu, Sagenabe-kouchu)	March 9, 2011
Yamagata	Kurokawa Noh	Tsuruoka City	Association for the Preservation of Kurokawa Noh	May 4, 1976
	Sugisawahiyama	Akumi -gun, Yuza-machi, Sugisawa	Association for the Preservation of Sugisawahiyama	May 22, 1978
	Hayashike Bugaku	Sagae City, Oaza Jionji; Nishimurayama -gun, Kahokucho, Yachi	Association for the Preservation of Yachi Bugaku	January 21, 1981
	Yuza no Koshogatsu Gyoji	Akumi -gun, Yuza-machi, Mega; Taki no Ura; Torizaki	Association for the Preservation of Yuza Amahage	December 21, 1999
	Shinjo Matsuri no Yatai Gyoji	Shinjo City	Association for the Preservation of Shinjo Festival Floats	March 11, 2009
Fukushima	Gohoden no Chigo Dengaku, Fuyu	Iwaki City, Nishiki-machi, Gohoden	Association for the Preservation of Gohoden Kumano Shrine Dengaku	May 4, 1976

	Soma Nomaoi	Soma City, Minami Soma City, Soma -gun, Shinchi-machi; Iitate-mura; Futaba -gun, Namie-machi; Katsuraomura; Futaba-machi; Okuma-machi	Association for the Preservation of the Soma Nomaoi	May 22, 1978
	Kanezawa no Hayamagomori	Fukushima City, Matsukawa-machi, Kanezawa	Association for the Preservation of Hayamagomori	January 28, 1980
	Tajima Gion Matsuri no Otoya Gyoji	Minami Aizu -gun, Minami Aizu-machi	Association for the Preservation of the Tajima Gion Festival Otoya Event	January 21, 1981
	Ishii no Shichifukujin to Taue Odori	Nihonmatsu City, Suzuishi Azuma-cho; Nishiki-machi; Kita Toromi	Association for the Preservation of Ishii Performing Arts	December 26, 1995
	Kohata no Hata Matsuri	Nihonmatsu City, Kohata	Association for the Preservation of the Kohata Hata Festival	February 6, 2004
	Tsutsukowake Jinjya no Otaue	Higashi Shirakawa -gun, Tanagura-machi, Yatsuki	Association for the Preservation of Yatsuki Tsutsukowake Shrine Otaue	February 6, 2004
	Mishima no Sainokami	Onuma-gun, Mishima-machi	Association for the Preservation of Mishima Annual Events	March 13, 2008
Ibaraki	Tsunabi	Tsukuba Mirai City	Federation for the Preservation of Tsunabi	May 4, 1976
			Takaoka-ryu Tsunabi Preservation Group	
			Association for the Preservation of Obari Matsushita-ryu Tsunabi	
	Hitachi Fuyumono	Hitachi City, Miyata-cho	Association for the Preservation of Hitachi Hometown Performing Arts	May 17, 1977
Tochigi	Karasuyama no Yama-age Gyoji	Nasu Karasuyama City	Association for the Preservation of Karasuyama Yama-age	February 3, 1979
	Kawamata no Genpukushiki	Nikko City, Oaza Kawamata	Kawamata Local Council	January 8, 1987
	Hokkoji no Gohanshiki	Kanuma City, Kamikasuo Aza, Hokkoji	Hokkoji Myoken Shrine Youth Society	December 20, 1996
	Kanuma Imamiya Jinjya Sai no Yatai Gyoji	Kanuma City	Association for the Preservation of the Kanuma Imamiya Festival	February 20, 2003
Gunma	Annaka Nakajuku no Toroningyo	Annaka City, Nakajuku	Association for the Preservation of Nakajuku Itoayatsuri Toroningyo	May 17, 1977
	Joshu Shirakubo no Ocha-ko	Agatsuma -gun, Nakanojo-machi, Oaza Gotanda aza Shirakubo	Association for the Preservation of Shirokubo Ocha-ko	March 29, 1990
	Katashina no Saruoi Matsuri	Tone -gun, Katashina Mura, Oaza Hanasaku	Association for the Preservation of the Saru-Oi Festival	December 27, 2000
	Higoshi Shinmeigu no Harukuwa Matsuri	Sawa -gun, Tamamura-machi, Higoshi	Association for the Preservation of the Shinmeigu Harukuwa Festival	February 12, 2002
Saitama	Washinomiya Saibara Kagura	Kuki City	Association for the Preservation of Saibara Kagura	May 4, 1976
	Chichibu Matsuri no Yatai-Gyoji to Kagura	Chichibu City	The Committee for the Preservation of the Chichibu Festival	February 3, 1979
	Inomata no Hyakuhatto	Kodama -gun, Misato-machi, Oaza Inomata	Association for the Preservation of Inomata Hyakuhatto	January 8, 1987
	Kawagoe Hikawa Matsuri no Dashi Gyoji	Kawagoe City	Association for the Preservation of Kawagoe Hikawa Festival Parade of Floats	February 21, 2005
	Iwatsuki no Koshiki Dohyo Iri	Saitama City	Association for the Preservation of Kagiage Children's Sumo Entering the Ring Ceremony	February 21, 2005
			Association for the Preservation of Sasakubo Koshiki Children's Entering the Ring	
	Tamashiki Jinjya Kagura	Kazo City	Association for the Preservation of Tamashiki Jinjya Kagura	March 13, 2008
Konosu no Akamono Seisaku Gijutsu	Konosu City	Association for the Preservation of Konosu no Akamono	March 9, 2011	
Chiba	Kiraigo	Sanbu -gun, Yokoshibahikari-machi, Musho	Association for the Preservation of Kiraigo	May 4, 1976

	Shiramazu no Omachi Gyoji	Minamiboso City, Chikura-cho, Shiramazu	Shiramazu-ku	March 11, 1992
	Sawara no Dashi Gyoji	Katori City	Association for the Preservation and Transmission of the Sawara Festival of Floats	February 6, 2004
	Mona no Satoimo Matsuri	Tateyama City, Mona	Mona-ku	February 21, 2005
	Kazusa-bori no Gijyutsu	Kazusa Region	Association for the Study and Transmission of Kazusa-bori Techniques	March 15, 2006
	Kizumi no Fujimi Seisaku Gijyutsu	Sosa City, Kizumi	Association for the Preservation of Kizumi-mi Works	March 11, 2009
Tokyo	Itabashi no Ta-asobi	Itabashi-ku	Federation for the Preservation of Itabashi Ta-asobi	May 4, 1976
			Association for the Preservation of Tokumaru Ta-asobi	
			Association for the Preservation of Shimoakatsuka Ta-asobi	
	Ogouchi no Kashima Odori	Nishi Tama -gun, Okutama-machi	Association of Preservation Groups for Ogouchi Hometown Performing Arts	January 28, 1980
	Edo no Sato Kagura	Tokyo-to	The Taneo Wakayama Group, The Mamiya Group, The Gennosuke Matsumoto Group, The Yorinobu Yamamoto Group	December 13, 1994
	Kouzushima no Katsuo Tsuru Gyoji	Kouzushima-mura	Association for the Preservation of the Monoiminanomikoto Shrine Katsuo Tsuru	December 21, 1999
	Nijjima no O-odori	Nijjima-mura, Honson, Wakagou	Association for the Preservation of Nijjima O-odori	February 21, 2005
			Association for the Preservation of Wakagou O-odori	
Shimohirai no Hou-ou no Mai	Nishi Tama -gun, Hinode-machi	Association for the Preservation of Hou-ou no Mai	March 15, 2006	
Kanagawa	Chakkirako	Miura City, Misaki-machi	Association for the Preservation of Chakkirako	May 4, 1976
	Sagami Ningyo Shibai	Atsugi City, Odawara City	Sagami Ningyo Shibai Federation	January 28, 1980
			Hayashi-za, Hase-za, Shimonaka-za	
	Yamakita no Omine Iri	Ashigarakami -gun, Yamakita-machi, Minasegawa	Association for the Preservation of Omine-iri	January 21, 1981
	Kibune Jinjya no Funa-Matsuri	Ashigarashimo -gun, Manazuru-machi	Association for the Preservation of Kibune-Matsuri	December 20, 1996
	Oiso no Sagicho	Naka -gun, Oiso-machi	Association for the Preservation of Oiso-machi Sagicho	December 15, 1997
Mito no Oshoro Nagashi	Miura City, Hatsuse-machi	Association for the Preservation of Mito Oshoro Nagashi	March 9, 2011	
Niigata	Ayakomai	Kashiwazaki City, Onadani	Association for the Preservation and Promotion of Kashiwazaki City Ayakomai	May 4, 1976
	Sado no Ningyo Shibai(Bun-ya Ningyo, Sekkyo Ningyo, Noroma Ningyo)	Sado City	Association for the Preservation of Sado Ningyo Shibai	May 17, 1977
			Association for the Promotion of Sado Bun-ya Ningyo	
			Association for the Preservation of Niibomura Ningyo	
	Yahiko Jinjya no Toro Oshi to Bugaku	Nishikanbara -gun Yahiko-mura	Association for the Preservation of Yahiko Shrine Toro Oshi and Bugaku Ritual	May 22, 1978
	Ushi no Tsunotsuki no Shuzoku	Nagaoka City, Uonuma City, Ojija City	Association for the Preservation of Nijumura Hometown Ushino Tsunotsuki Shuzoku	May 22, 1978
	Sado no Kuruma Daue	Sado City, Kitaushima	Association for the Preservation of Sado Kuruma Daue	February 3, 1979
Itoigawa, Nou no Bugaku	Itoigawa City, Oaza Ichinomiya, Itoigawa City Nou	Amatsu Shrine Bugaku Association	January 28, 1980	

			Hakusan Shrine Association for the Preservation of Cultural Properties	
	Nechiyamadera no Ennen	Itoigawa City Oaza, Yamadera	Hiyoshi Shrine Association	January 28, 1980
	Oumi no Take no Karakai	Itoigawa City, Aza Oumi	Association for the Preservation of Oumi Take no Karakai	December 28, 1987
	Dai no Saka	Uonuma City	Dai no Saka Association	December 16, 1998
	Sanpoku no Botamochi Matsuri	Murakami City, Nakahama, Sugitaira, Ganjiki	Association for the Preservation of the Nakahama Botamochi Festival	December 21, 1999
Association for the Preservation of the Sugitaira Botamochi Festival				
Association for the Preservation of the Ganjiki Botamochi Festival				
	Ogi no Tarai Bune Seisaku Gijutsu	Sado City	Association for the Preservation of Techniques for making Ogi Taraibune	March 7, 2007
Toyama	Mikurumayama, the Float Ceremoy of the Takaoka Mikurumayama Festival	Takaoka City	Association for the Preservation of Takaoka Mikurumayama Floats	February 3, 1979
	Ecchu no Chigomai	Imizu City, Kamochubu; Kurobe City, Akebi; Toyama City, Nakanomyou	Association for the Preservation of Kamo Shrine's Shinji Ritual (Chigomai Section)	January 14, 1982
			Association for the Preservation of Akebi Chigomai	
			Association for the Preservation of Kumano Shrine Chigomai	
	Uozu no Tatemon Gyoji	Uozu City	Association for the Preservation of Uozu Tatemon	December 15, 1997
	Namerikawa no Nebuta Nagashi	Namerikawa City	Nakagawara, Tokiwa-cho Ward 1, Ward 2, Ward 3	December 21, 1999
	Johana Shinmeigusai no Hikiyama Gyoji	Nanto City	Association for the Preservation of Johana Hikiyama Festival	February 12, 2002
	Techuniques from Ecchu Fukuoka for making Sugegasa	Takaoka City, Fukuoka-machi	Association for the Preservation of Techniques from Ecchu Fukuoka for making Sugegasa	March 11, 2009
	Muramachi no Sainokami	Simoniikawa-gun, Nyuzen-machi	Association for the Presevation of Sainokami Matsuri	March 11, 2010
Ronden Kumanashi no Fujimi Seisaku Gijutsu	Himi City	Association for the Preservation of Ronden Kumanashi Fujimi-Making Technique	March 12, 2013	
Ishikawa	Oku-noto no Aenokoto	Suzu City; Wajima City; Hosu -gun, Noto-cho, Anamizu-machi	Association for the Preservation of Okunoto Aenokoto	May 4, 1976
	Oguchi no Dekumawashi	Hakusan City	Association for the Preservation of Fukase Dekumawashi	May 17, 1977
			Association for the Preservation of Oguchi-mura Higashi Futakuchi -ku Bunya Ningyo Joruri	
	Noto no Amamehagi	Wajima City, Hosu -gun, Noto-cho	Association for the Preservation of Noto Amamehagi Mensamanento	February 3, 1979
			Association for the Preservation of Uchiuramachi Amamehagi	
			Association for the Preservation of Monzen-machi Amamehagi	
			Association for the Preservation of Wajima-shi Mensamanento	
Kumakabuto Hatsuka-Sai no Wakubata Gyoji	Nanao City	Okumakabuto Festival Association	January 21, 1981	
Seihaku Sai no Hikiyama Gyoji	Nanao City	Association for the Preservation of Seihaku Festival Dekayama	January 11, 1983	
Keta no U Matsuri no Shuzoku	Hakui City, Jike-machi; Nanao City, Unoura-machi	Keta Shrine, Unoura-machi Town Association	December 27, 2000	

	Noto no Agehama Shiki Seien no Gijutsu	Suzu City, Shimizu-machi	Association for the Preservation of Noto Agehama Salt-Making Technique	March 13, 2008
Fukui	Mizu-umi no Dengaku, Noh Mai	Imadate -gun, Ikeda-cho, Mizu-umi	Association for the Preservation of Mizu-umi Dengaku Noh Mai	May 4, 1976
	Mutsuki Shinji	Fukui City, Omori-cho	Kamo Shrine Mutsuki Shinji Association	May 22, 1978
	Tsuruga Nishi-machi no Tsunahiki	Tsuruga City, Aioicho, Nishi-machi-dori	Association for the Preservation of Ebisu Daikoku Tsunahiki	January 14, 1986
	Echizen Manzai	Echizen City, Ajimano-cho	Association for the Preservation of Echizen Manzai	December 26, 1995
	Itosaki no Hotoke no Mai	Fukui City, Itosaki-cho	Association for the Preservation of Hotoke no Mai	February 6, 2004
Yamanashi	Tenzushi Mai	Kofu City, Kose-machi	Association for the Preservation of Tenzushi-Mai	May 4, 1976
	Mushono no Dainenbutsu	Uenohara City, Mushono	Association for the Preservation of Mushono Dainenbutsu	December 26, 1995
	Yoshida no Himatsuri	Fujiyoshida City, Kamiyoshida	Association for the Preservation of Yoshida no Himatsuri	March 8, 2012
Nagano	Yuki Matsuri	Shimoina -gun, Anan-cho, Niino	Association for the Preservation of Izu Shrine Snow Festival	May 17, 1977
	Tenryumura no Shimotsuki Kagura	Shimoina -gun, Tenryumura, Oaza Kamihara, Aza Sakabe, Aza Mukaigata, Aza Ogouchi	Sakabe Omori Suwa Shrine Association	May 22, 1978
			Association for the Preservation of Mukaigata Okiyome Festival	
Ikedai Shrine Association				
Toyama no Shimotsuki Matsuri	Iida City	Association for the Preservation of the Minami Shinano-mura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival	February 3, 1979	
		Ono Shrine Association		
		Sanjo Shrine Association		
		Association for the Preservation of the Yaegochi Sho Hachiman Shrine Toyama Shimotsuki Festival		
		Jo Shrine Association		
		Atago Shrine Association		
		Association for the Preservation of the Wada Suwa Shrine Toyama Shimotsuki Festival		
		Jitsugetsu Shrine Association		
		Inari Shrine Association		
		Association for the Preservation of Kizawa Hachiman Shrine Toyama Shimotsuki Festival		
		Shiroyama Shrine Association		
		Okumano Shrine Association		
		Usa Hachiman Shrine Association		
		Toyama Tenmangu Shrine Association		
Association for the Preservation of Kamimura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival				

			Association for the Preservation of Kamimura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival, Kamimachi Branch	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamimura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival, Nakasato Branch	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamimura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival, Hodoya Branch	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamimura Toyama Shimotsuki Festival, Shimokuri Branch	
	Amenomiya no Shinji Geino	Chikuma City, Amenomiya	Association for the Preservation of Amenomiya-za Hiyoshi Shrine Goshinji	January 21, 1981
	Nozawa Onsen no Dosojin Matsuri	Shimotakai -gun, Nozawa Onsen Mura	Cooperation/Nozawagumi	December 13, 1993
	Niino no Bon Odori	Shimoina -gun, Anancho, Niino	Niino Kogen Bon Odori Association	December 16, 1998
	Atobe no Odori Nenbutsu	Saku City, Atobe	Association for the Preservation of Atobe Odori Nenbutsu	December 27, 2000
	Kosuge no Hashiramatsu Gyoji	Iiyama City	Association for the Preservation of Kosuge Hashiramatsu	March 9, 2011
Gifu	Nogo no Noh, Kyogen	Motosu City, Nogo	Association for the Preservation of Noh and Kyogen	May 4, 1976
	Nagataki no Ennen	Gujo City, Nagataki	Association for the Preservation of Nagataki Ennen	May 17, 1977
	Takayama Matsuri no Yatai Gyoji	Takayama City	Association for the Preservation of Hie Shrine Sanno Festival	February 3, 1979
			Association for the Preservation of Hachiman Shrine Hachiman Festival	
	Nangu no Shinji Geino	Fuwa -gun, Tarui-cho, Miyashiro	Association for the Preservation of Nangu Shrine Shinji Geino	February 3, 1979
	Furukawa Matsuri no Okoshi Daiko, Yatai Gyoji	Hida City	Association for the Preservation of Furukawa Festival	January 28, 1980
	Gero no Tanokami Matsuri	Gero City, Mori	Association for the Preservation of Gero Tanokami Festival	January 21, 1981
	Makuwa Ningyo Joruri	Motosu City, Kamimakuwa, Aza Hongo	Association for the Preservation of Makuwa Bunraku	January 21, 1984
	Gujo Odori	Gujo City	Association for the Preservation of Gujo Odori	December 20, 1996
Enako Bandori no Seisaku Gijyutsu	Takayama City, Enako-machi	Association for the Preservation of Enako Bandori	March 7, 2007	
Shizuoka	Nishiure no Dengaku	Hamamatsu City, Tenryu-ku, Misakubo-cho, Okuryoke, Nishiure	Association for the Preservation of Nishiure Dengaku	May 4, 1976
	Fujimori no Ta-asobi	Yaizu City, Fujimori	Association for the Preservation of Fujimori no Ta-asobi	May 17, 1977
	Totoumimori-machi no Bugaku	Shuchi -gun, Mori-machi, Ichinomiya, Iida; Amenomiya	Association for the Preservation of Oguni Shrine Ancient Bugaku	January 14, 1982
			Association for the Preservation of Yamana Shrine Tenno Festival	
			Association for the Preservation of Amenomiya Shrine Junidan Bugaku	
	Tokuyama no Bon Odori	Haibara -gun, Kawanehoncho, Tokuyama	Association for the Preservation of Tokuyama Classical Performing Arts	December 28, 1987
Totoumi no Hiyondori to Okunai	Hamamatsu City, Kita-ku, Inasacho, Shibukawa Terano; Hamamatsu City, Kita-ku, Inasacho, Kawana; Hamamatsu City, Tenryu-ku, Futokoroyama	Association for the Transmission of Terano Traditions	December 13, 1994	
		Association for the Preservation of Kawana Hiyondori		
		Association for the Preservation of Futokoroyama Okunai		

	Utogi no Bon Odori	Shizuoka City, Aoi-ku,Utogi	Association for the Preservation of Utogi Performing Arts	December 21, 1999
	Oe Hachiman Jinjya no Ofune Gyoji	Makinohara City, Oe	Oe Shrine Association	December 21, 1999
	Mitsuke Tenjin Hadaka Matsuri	Iwata City	Association for the Preservation of Mitsuke Tenjin Hadaka Matsuri	December 27, 2000
	Hirugaya no Ta-asobi	Makinohara City, Hirugaya	Association for the Preservation of Hirugaya no Taasobi	March 8, 2012
Aichi	Hana Matsuri	Kitashitara -gun, Toei-cho, Toyone-mura, and Shitara-cho	Association for the Preservation of Kitashitara Hanamatsuri	May 4, 1976
			Association for the Preservation of Futto Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Shimoawashiro Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Kobayashi Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Nakashitara Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Tsuki Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Fukawa Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Ashikome Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Misono Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Higashisonome Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Kouchi Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Nakazaiki Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Misawa Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Makuro Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Sakauba Hanamatsuri	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamikurogawa Hanamatsuri	
Association for the Preservation of Shimokurogawa Hanamatsuri				
Association for the Preservation of Tsugu Hanamatsuri				
	Mikawa no Dengaku	Kitashitara -gun, Shitara-cho, Damine, Shinshiro City, Kadoya Aza, Horaiji, and Nanasato Isshiki Aza Kurosawa	Federation for the Preservation of Mikawasan Dengaku	May 22, 1978
			Association for the Preservation of Damine Dengaku	
			Association for the Preservation of Houraiji Dengaku	
			Association for the Preservation of Kurosawa Dengaku	
	Owari Tsushima Tenno Sai no Danjiribune Gyoji	Tsushima City, Aisai City	Owari Tsushima Tenno Matsuri Association, Ichieguruma Association	January 28, 1980
	Toyohashi Shinmeisha no Oni Matsuri	Toyohashi City	Association for the Preservation of the Toyohashi Oni Festival	January 28, 1980
	Chiryu no Dashi Bunraku to Karakuri	Chiryu City	Association for the Preservation of Chiryu Dashi Bunraku	March 29, 1990

			Association for the Preservation of Chiryu Karakuri	
	Mikawa Manzai	Anjo City, Nishio City, Nukata -gun Kota-cho	Federation for the Preservation of Mikawa Manzai	December 26, 1995
			Association for the Preservation of Anjo Mikawa Manzai	
			Association for the Preservation of Nishio City Mikawa Manzai	
			Association for the Preservation of Kota-cho Mikawa Manzai	
	Owari Manzai	Chita City	Association for the Preservation of Owari Manzai	December 20, 1996
	Ayado no Yonenbutsu to Bon Odori	Toyota City, Ayado-cho	Association for the Preservation of Ayado Yonenbutsu and Bon-Odori	December 15, 1997
	Toba no Himatsuri	Hazu -gun, Hazu-cho, Toba	Toba -ku	February 6, 2004
	Inuyama Matsuri no Yama Gyoji	Inuyama City	Association for the Preservation of the Inuyama Festival	March 15, 2006
	Kamezaki Shiohi Matsuri no Dashi Gyoji	Handa City	Association for the Preservation of the Kamezaki Shiohi Festival	March 15, 2006
	Sunarimatsuri no Danjiribunegyoji to Miyoshinagashi	Ama-gun, Kanie-cho, Sunari	Cultural Properties Protection Committee of Sunari	March 8, 2012
Mie	Okashira Shinji	Ise City, Misono-cho, Takabuku	Takabuku -ku	May 17, 1977
	Anori no Ningyo Shibai	Shima City, Ago-cho, Anori	Association for the Preservation of Anori Ningyo Shibai	January 28, 1980
	Ise Dai Kagura	Kuwana City, Tayu	Ise Dai Kagura Kosha	January 21, 1981
	Shimakamo Gogo no Bon Matsuri Gyoji	Toba City, Matsuo-cho, Kochi-cho	Matsuo Jige	December 28, 1987
			Kochi Jige	
	Isobe no Omita	Shima City, Isobe-cho	Isobe no Omita Association	March 29, 1990
	Whaling Ships Festival at Toridejinja Shrine	Yokkaichi City, Tomida	Federation for the Preservation of Tomida Kuzira-bune	December 15, 1997
	Ueno Tenjin Matsuri no Danjiri Gyoji	Iga City	Association for the Preservation of Ueno Arts and Culture	February 12, 2002
	Kuwana Ishidori Matsuri no Saisha Gyoji	Kuwana City	Association for the Preservation of the Kuwana Ishidori Festival	March 7, 2007
Shiga	Nagahama Hikiyama Matsuri no Hikiyama Gyoji	Nagahama City	Nagahama Hikiyama Culture Association	February 3, 1979
	Omi Nakayama no Imo Kurabe Matsuri	Gamo -gun, Hino-cho, Oaza Nakayama	Association for the Preservation of the Imo Kurabe Festival	February 21, 1991
	Mikami no Zuiki Matsuri	Yasu City	Association for the Preservation of the Zuiki Festival	February 21, 2005
Kyoto	Mibu Kyogen	Kyoto City, Nakagyo-ku, Bukkoji Bojo Agaru	Mibu Dainenbutsu Association	May 4, 1976
	Yamahoko, the Float Ceremony of the Kyoto Gion Festival	Kyoto City	Foundation for Gion Festival Preservation Associations	February 3, 1979
	Kyoto no Rokusai Nenbutsu	Kyoto City	Federation of Groups for the Preservation of Kyoto Rokusai Nenbutsu	January 11, 1983
Association for the Preservation of Umezu Rokusai				
Association for the Preservation of Kisshoin Rokusai				
Association for the Preservation of Kuya Nenbutsu Kori				
Association for the Preservation of Kuze Rokusai				

			Association for the Preservation of Koyamago Rousai	
			Association for the Preservation of Sain Rokusai Nenbutsu	
			Association for the Preservation of Saihoji Rokusai Nenbutsu	
			Association for the Preservation of Sagano Rokusai Nenbutsu	
			Senbon Rokusai Association	
			Kyoto-Chudoji Rokusai Association	
			Mibu Rokusai Nenbutsu Association	
			Kamitoba Hashigami Kane Association	
			Association for the Preservation of Rokuharamitsuji Kuya Nenbutsu Dance	
			Enkakuji Rokusai Nenbutsu Association	
			Association for the Preservation of Katsura Rokusai Nenbutsu	
	Saga Dainenbutsu Kyogen	Kyoto City, Ukyo-ku, Saga Shakado Fujinoki-cho	Association for the Preservation of Saga Dainenbutsu Kyogen	January 14, 1986
	Wakidenomiya no Miyaza Gyoji	Kizugawa City, Yamashiro-cho, Hirao, Kabata	Association for the Preservation of the Wakidenomiya Miyaza Event	January 14, 1986
	Yasuraibana	Kyoto City, Kita ku	Federation of Groups for the Preservation of Yasurai Dance	January 8, 1987
			Imamiya Yasurai Association	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamigamo Yasurai Dance	
			Association for the Preservation of Kawakami Yasurai Dance	
			Association for the Preservation of Genbu Yasurai Dance	
	Kuta no Hanagasa Odori	Kyoto City, Sakyo-ku, Kuta	Association for the Preservation of Kuta Hanagasa Dance	December 15, 1997
	Tawara no Onda	Nantan City, Hiyoshi-cho, Tawara	Association for the Preservation of Taji Shrine Folk Performing Arts	December 27, 2000
	Matsuno'o-dera no Hotokemai	Maizuru City	Association for the Preservation of Matsuno'o-dera Hotokemai	February 6, 2004
	Saeki Dourou	Kameoka City	Association for the Preservation of Saeki Dourou	March 11, 2009
Osaka	Shoryoe no Bugaku	Osaka City, Tennoji-ku, Shitennoji	Tennoji Bugaku Association	May 4, 1976
	Sumiyoshi no Otaue	Osaka City, Sumiyoshi-ku, Sumiyoshi	Association for the Preservation of the Otaue Ritual	February 3, 1979
Hyogo	Awaji Ningyo Joruri	Minami Awaji City	Awaji Ningyo Association	May 4, 1976
	Kamikamogawa Sumiyoshi Jinja Shinji Mai	Kato City, Kamikamogawa	Association for the Preservation of Sumiyoshi Shrine Shinji Mai	May 17, 1977
	Tajima Kutani no Shobu Tsunahiki	Mikata -gun, Shin Onsen-cho, Kutani	Association for the Preservation of Kutani Shobu Tsuna	March 20, 1989
	Kuruma Otoshi Jinja no Okina Mai	Kobe city, Suma-ku, Kuruma	Association for the Preservation of Kuruma Otoshi Shrine Okina Mai	December 27, 2000
	Tokoji no Onie	Kasai City	Association for the Preservation of Tokoji Tsuina Ritual and Ta Asobi	March 15, 2006
	Ama no Furyu O-odori Ko-odori	Minamiawaji City, Amakami-machi	Association for the Preservation of Ama Furyu O-odori	March 9, 2011

	Sakoshi no Funamatsuri	Ako City, Sakoshi	Association for the Preservation of Sakoshi no Funatogyosai	March 8, 2012
Nara	Daimokutate	Nara City	Association for the Preservation of Daimokutate	May 4, 1976
	Kasuga Wakamiya On Matsuri no Shinji Geino	Nara City, Kasugano-cho	Association for the Preservation of Kasuga Wakamiya On Matsuri	February 3, 1979
	Totsukawa no O-odori	Yoshino -gun, Totsukawa-mura	Association for the Preservation of Ohara Odori	March 20, 1989
			Association for the Preservation of Musashi Odori	
			Association for the Preservation of Nishikawa Odori	
	Dadado no Onihashiri	Gojo City	Association for the Preservation of Nenbutsuji Oni Hashiri	December 26, 1995
	Narazuhiko Jinja no Okina Mai	Nara City, Narazaka-cho	Narazuhiko Shrine Okina Association	December 27, 2000
	Yoshino no Tarumaru Seisaku Gijutsu	Yoshino-gun	Association for the Preservation of Techniques for making Yoshino Tarumaru	March 13, 2008
Ettsumi Onishi no Otsuna	Sakurai City, Ettsumi Sakurai City, Onishi	Association for the Preservation of Ettsumi Onishi no Otsuna Matsuri	March 8, 2012	
Wakayama	Nachi no Dengaku	Higashi Muro -gun, Nachi Katsuura-cho	Association for the Preservation of Nachi Dengaku	May 4, 1976
	Hanazono no Ondamai	Ito -gun, Katsuragi-cho, Hanazono Yanase	Association for the Preservation of Hanazono Hometown Classical Performing Arts	January 21, 1981
	Suginohara no Ondamai	Arida -gun, Aridagawa-cho, Suginohara	Association for the Preservation of Suginohara Ondanomai	December 28, 1987
	Kochi Matsuri no Mifune Gyoji	Higashi Muro -gun, Kushimoto-cho, Higashi Muro -gun, Kozagawa-cho	Association for the Preservation of the Kozagawa Kochi Festival	December 21, 1999
			Association for the Preservation of Koza Shishimai	
Ao no Omoko to Dotoshiki	Arida -gun, Aridagawa-cho	Association for the Preservation of Aono Omoko and Dotoshiki	February 21, 2005	
Tottori	Inaba no Shobu Tsunahiki	Tottori City, Ketaka-cho, Hogi, Mizushiri; Tottori City, Aoya-cho, Aoya; Iwami-gun, Iwami-cho, Obaneo	Association for the Preservation of Hogi Shobu Tsuna	January 8, 1987
			Association for the Preservation of Mizushiri Shobu Tsuna	
			Federation of Groups for the Preservation of the Aoya Shobu Tsuna	
			Association for the Preservation of Obaneo Shobu Tsuna	
	Sakenotsu no Tondou	Tottori City, Ketaka-cho, Sakenotsu	Association for the Preservation of Sakenotsu Tondou Festival	March 7, 2007
Misasa no Jinsho	Touhaku-gun, Misasa-cho, Misasa	Association for the Preservation of Misasa-ku Jinsho	March 11, 2009	
Shimane	Sada Shin Noh	Matsue City, Kashima-cho	Association for the Preservation of Sada Shin Noh	May 4, 1976
	Oki Kokubunji Rengee Mai	Oki-gun, Okinoshima-cho, Ikeda	Association for the Preservation of Okikokubunji Rengee Mai	May 17, 1977
	Omoto Kagura	Ochi-gun; Hamada City; Gotsu City	Association for the Preservation of Ochi-gun Omoto Kagura	February 3, 1979
	Oki no Dengaku to Niwa no Mai	Oki-gun, Nishinoshima-cho, Mita and Urago	Association for the Preservation of Oki no Dengaku and Niwa no Mai	March 11, 1992
Association for the Preservation of Mita Hachimangu Dengaku (Mita)				
Association for the Preservation of Hiyoshi Shrine Niwa no Mai (Urago)				

	Tsuwano Yasaka Jinjya no Sagi Mai	Kanoashi-gun, Tsuwano-cho, Ushiroda	Association for the Preservation of Yasaka Shrine Sagi Mai	December 13, 1994
	Isotake no Guro	Oda City, Isotake-cho, Oura	Association for the Preservation of Oura Guro	February 21, 2005
	Odochi Kagura	Izumo City, Taisha-cho, Kizukinishi	Association for the Preservation of Odochi Kagura, Kagura Performers	February 21, 2005
Okayama	Shiraishi Odori	Kasaoka City, Shiraishijima	Shiraishi Odori Association	May 4, 1976
	Bicchu Kagura	Takahashi City; Niimi City; Oda-gun; Ibara City; Maniwa City; Kaga-gun, Kibichuo-cho; Soja City	Nariwa Association for the Preservation of Bicchu Kagura	February 3, 1979
	Omiya Odori	Maniwa City	Association for the Preservation of Omiya Odori	December 15, 1997
Hiroshima	Mibu no Hana Taue	Yamagata-gun, Kita Hiroshima-cho	Association for the Preservation of Mibu no Hana Taue	May 4, 1976
	Hiba Kojin Kagura	Shobara City	Association for the Preservation of Hiba Kojin Kagura	February 3, 1979
	Aki no Hayashida	Yamagata-gun, Kita Hiroshima-cho, Shinjo; Akitakata City, Harada	Federation for the Preservation of Aki no Hayashida	December 15, 1997
			Association for the Preservation of Shinjo Hometown Performing Arts	
			Association for the Preservation of Harada Hayashida	
Shiohara no Daisen Kuyo Taue	Shobara City	Association for the Preservation of Onuka Region Performing Arts	February 12, 2002	
Yamaguchi	Iwakuni Yukaba no Kanmai	Iwakuni City, Yukaba	Association for the Preservation of Iwakuni Yukaba no Kanmai	February 3, 1979
	Suo So no Hashiramatsu Gyoji	Iwakuni City, Sonakamura, Yamada, Ochiai	Association for the Preservation of So Hashiramatsu Event	March 20, 1989
			Association for the Preservation of Nakamura Hashiramatsu	
			Association for the Preservation of Yamada Hashiramatsu	
			Association for the Preservation of Ochiai Hashiramatsu	
	Mitsukuri Kagura	Shunan City, Oaza Natsukiri	Association for the Preservation of Mitsukuri Kagura	December 27, 2000
	Atsuki no Shinmei Matsuri	Yanai City, Oaza Atsuki	Association for the Recognition of Shinmei Festival	March 11, 2009
Jifuku no Toitoei	Yamaguchi City, Ato Jifukukami, Ato Jufukushimo	Association for the Preservation of Jifuku Toitoei	March 8, 2012	
Tokushima	Nishiiya no Jindai Odori	Miyoshi City	Association for the Preservation of Jindai Odori	May 4, 1976
	Awa Ningyo Joruri	Tokushima City; Naruto City; Anan City; Katsuura-gun, Katsuuracho; Myozai-gun, Kamiyama-cho; Naka-gun, Naka-cho; Itano-gun, Matsushige-cho	Association for the Promotion of Awa Ningyo Joruri (Foundation)	December 21, 1999
Kagawa	Ayako Odori	Nakatado-gun, Manno-cho, Sabumi	Association for the Preservation of Sabumi Ayako Odori	May 4, 1976
	Takinomiya no Nenbutsu Odori	Ayauta-gun, Ayagawa-cho	Association for the Preservation of Takinomiya Nenbutsu Odori	May 17, 1977
Ehime	Iyo Kagura	Uwajima City	Iyo Kagura Kannagi Association	January 21, 1981
Kochi	Kiragawa no Onda Matsuri	Muroto City, Kiragawa-cho	Association for the Preservation of Onda Matsuri	May 17, 1977
	Tosa no Kagura	Kami City; Nagaoka-gun Otoyo-cho; Agawa-gun, Ino-cho; Agawa-ryu Go-kito	Association for the Preservation of Izanagiryu Go-kito	January 28, 1980

		gun, Niyodogawa-cho; Iakaoka-gun, Yusu-hara-cho, Tsuno-cho, Shimanto-cho	Association for the Preservation of Iwahara, Nagabuchi Kagura Association for the Preservation of Honkawa Kagura Association for the Preservation of Yasui Kagura Association for the Preservation of Ikegawa Kagura Association for the Preservation of Tanokawa Iwato Kagura Association for the Preservation of Yusu-hara-cho TsunoYama Kagura Association for the Preservation of Tsunoyama Koshiki Kagura Association for the Preservation of Hata Kagura	
Fukuoka	Kouwaka Mai	Miyama City, Setaka-machi, Oe	Kouwakamai Association	May 4, 1976
	Yamefukushima no Toro Ningyo	Yame City	Association for the Preservation of Cultural Properties, Fukushima Toro Ningyo	May 17, 1977
	Hakata Gion Yamakasa Gyoji	Fukuoka City, Hakata-ku	Gion Yamakasa Promotion Association	February 3, 1979
	Hachiman Kohyo Jinja no Kugutsu no Mai to Sumo	Chikugo-gun, Yoshitomi-machi, Oaza Koinumaru	Association for the Preservation of Kuwashionomai	January 11, 1983
	Tobata Gion Oyamakasa Gyoji	Kitakyushu City, Tobata-ku	Association for the Promotion of Tobata Gion Oyamakasa	January 28, 1980
	Daizenji Tamataregu no Oniyo	Kurume City, Daizenji	Association for the Preservation of Daizenji Tamataregu Oniya	December 13, 1994
	Kasuga no Muko Oshi	Kasuga City, Kasuga	Kasuga Sanki Association	December 26, 1995
	Tokakuji no Matsue	Miyako-gun, Kanda-machi, Oaza Yamaguchi	Association for the Preservation of Tokakuji Matsue	December 16, 1998
Saga	Takeo no Araodori	Takeo City	Association for the Preservation of Koze Araodori Association for the Preservation of Nakano Araodori Association for the Preservation of Utode Araodori	May 17, 1977
	Karatsu Kunchi no Hikiyama Gyoji	Karatsu City	Karatsu Hikiyama Executive Committee	January 28, 1980
	Takezaki Kanzeonji Shujo-e Oni Matsuri	Fujitsu-gun, Tara-cho, Oaza Oura, Aza Takezaki	Association for the Preservation of Takezaki Kanzeonji Shujo-e Oni Festival	January 12, 1985
	Shirahige Jinja no Dengaku	Saga City, Kuboizumi-machi, Oaza Kawakubo	Association for the Preservation of Shirahige Shrine Dengaku	December 27, 2000
	Mishima no Kasedori	Saga City, Hasuike-machi	Association for the Preservation of Kasedori	February 20, 2003
	Yobuko no Otsunahiki	Karatsu City	Association for the Promotion of Yobuko Otsunahiki	March 12, 2013
Nagasaki	Nagasaki Kunchi Dedicatory Dance	Nagasaki City	Association for the Promotion of Nagasaki's Traditional Performing Arts	February 3, 1979
	Shimosakiyama no Hetomato Gyoji	Goto City, Shimosakiyama-cho	Shimosakiyama-cho Association	January 8, 1987
	Iki Kagura	Iki City	Association for the Preservation of Iki Kagura	January 8, 1987
	Hirado Kagura	Hirado City	Association for the Promotion of Hirado Kagura	January 8, 1987
	Hirado no Jangara	Hirado City	Association for the Promotion of Hirado City Jangara Nenbutsu	December 15, 1997
Kumamoto	Aso no Noko Saiji	Aso City	Association for the Preservation of the Aso Noko Festival	January 14, 1982

	Kikuchi no Matsubayashi	Kikuchi City, Oaza Waifu	Association for the Preservation of On-Matsubayashi O-Noh	December 16, 1998
	Yatsushiro Myokensai no Shinko Gyoji	Yatsushiro City	Association for the Preservation of Yatsushiro Myoken Sai	March 9, 2011
	Kuma Kagura	Hitoyoshi City; Kuma-gun, Nishiki-machi; Kuma-gun, Asagiri-cho; Kuma-gun, Taragi-cho; Kuma-gun, Yunomae-machi; Kuma-gun, Mizukami-mura; Kuma-gun, Sagara-mura; Kuma-gun, Itsuki-mura; Kuma-gun, Yamae-mura; Kuma-gun, Kuma-mura	Association for the Preservation of Kuma Kagura	March 12, 2013
Oita	Shujo Oni-e	Bungotakada City, Oaza Nagaiwaya; Kunisaki City, Kunisaki-machi, Oaza Iwadoji, Oaza Jobutsu	Association for the Preservation of Nagaiwaya Shujo Oni-e	May 17, 1977
			Association for the Preservation of Iwadoji Shujo Oni-e	
			Association for the Preservation of Jobutsuji Shujo Oni-e	
	Kohyo Jinja no Kugutsu no Mai to Sumo	Nakatsu City, Oaza Idoda	Association for the Preservation of Kohyo Kugutsu	January 11, 1983
	Hita Gion no Hikiyama Gyoji	Hita City, Kuma area, Takeda area, Mameda area	Association for the Promotion of the Hita Gion Parade of Floats	December 20, 1996
	Yoshihirogaku	Kunisaki City, Musashi-machi, Oaza Yoshihiro	Association for the Preservation of Yoshihirogaku	December 20, 1996
	Beppu Myoban Onsen no Yunohana Seizo Gijutsu	Beppu City	Association for the Preservation of Techniques for making Myoban Onsen Yu no Hana	March 15, 2006
Ondake Kagura	Bungo Ono City, Kiyokawa-machi	Association for the Preservation of Ondake Kagura	March 7, 2007	
Miyazaki	Mera Kagura	Saito-shi, Oaza Shiromi	Association for the Preservation of Shiromi Kagura	May 17, 1977
	Takachiho no Yokagura	Nishi Usuki-gun, Takachiho-cho	Association for the Preservation of Takachiho Area Kagura	May 22, 1978
			Association for the Preservation of Iwato Area Kagura	
			Association for the Preservation of Tabaru Area Kagura	
			Association for the Preservation of Kamino Area Kagura	
	Gokase no Araodori	Nishiusuki-gun, Gokase-cho, Oaza Sankasho	Association for the Preservation of Araodori	January 8, 1987
	Shiiba Kagura	Higashi Usuki-gun, Shiiba-son	Association for the Preservation of Shiiba Kagura	February 21, 1991
	Yamanokuchi no Bunya Ningyo	Miyakonojo City	Association for the Preservation of Yamanokuchi Fumoto Bunya Bushi Ningyo	December 26, 1995
Takaharu no Kanme	Nishimorokata-gun, Takaharu-cho	Association for the Preservation of Sano Kagura	March 11, 2010	
		Association for the Preservation of Haraigawa Kagura		
Kagoshima	Shodon Shibaya	Oshima-gun, Setouchi-cho, Shodon	Association for the Preservation of Shodon Shibaya	May 4, 1976
	Koshikijima no Toshidon	Satsumasendai City	Association for the Preservation of Koshikijima Toshidon	May 17, 1977
			Association for the Preservation of Teuchi Minato Toshidon	
			Association for the Preservation of Teuchi Fumoto Toshidon	
			Association for the Preservation of Teuchi Motomachi Toshidon	

		Association for the Preservation of Katanoura Toshidon		
		Association for the Preservation of Aose Toshidon		
		Association for the Preservation of Sesenoura Toshidon		
Ichiki no Tanabata Odori	Ichiki Kushikino City, Osato	Association for the Preservation of Tanabata Odori	January 21, 1981	
Minami Satsuma no Jugoya Gyoji	Makurazaki City, Minami Kyushu City, Minami Satsuma City	Association for the Preservation of Makurazaki City Jugoya Event	January 21, 1981	
		Association for the Preservation of Chiran-cho Jugoya Event		
		Association for the Preservation of Bonotsu-cho Jugoya Event		
Akina no Arassetsu Gyoji	Oshima-gun, Tatsugo-cho, Akina	Association for the Preservation of Akina Hirase Mankai	January 12, 1985	
Yoron no Jugoya Odori	Oshima-gun, Yoron-cho, Aza Gusuku	Association for the Preservation of Yoron Jugoya Odori	December 13, 1993	
Togo Bunya Bushi Ningyo Joruri	Satsumasendai City	Association for the Preservation of Togo Bunya Bushi Ningyo Joruri	March 13, 2008	
Okinawa	Tarama no Honensai	Miyako-gun, Tarama-son	Association for the Preservation of Tarama-son Folk Performing Arts	May 4, 1976
	Taketomi-jima no Tanderu	Yaeyama-gun, Taketomi-cho, Aza Taketomi	Association for the Preservation of Taketomi Folk Performing Arts	May 17, 1977
	Ada no Shinugu	Kunigami-gun, Kunigami-son, Aza Ada	Association for the Preservation of Ada Ancient Cultural Properties	May 22, 1978
	Yonagunjima no Saiji no Geino	Yaeyama-gun, Yonaguni-cho	Association for the Preservation of Yonaguni Folk Performing Arts	January 12, 1985
			Association for the Preservation of Higashi Area Performing Arts	
			Association for the Preservation of Nishi Area Performing Arts	
			Association for the Preservation of Shimanaka Area Performing Arts	
			Association for the Preservation of Higawa Area Performing Arts	
	Iriomote-jima no Shichi	Yaeyama-gun, Taketomi-cho, Aza Iriomote, Sonai; Hoshitate	Association for the Preservation of Iriomote Folk Performing Arts	February 21, 1991
Miyakojima no Paantou	Miyakojima-City, Aza Shimajiri; Miyakojima-City, Aza Nobaru	Hirara Shimajiri Self-governing Association	December 13, 1993	
		Ueno Nobaru Association		
Shioyawan no Ungami	Kunigami-gun, Ogimi-son, Aza Taminato; Yako; Shioya; Shirahama	Taminato-ku, Yako-ku, Shioya-ku, Shirahama-ku	December 15, 1997	
Iejima no Mura-odori	Kunigami-gun, Ie-son	Association for the Preservation of Ie-son Folk Performing Arts	December 16, 1998	
Kohamajima no Sora, Shichii, Tananderu no Geino	Yaeyama-gun, Taketomi-cho, Kohama	Association for the Preservation of Kohama Folk Performing Arts	March 7, 2007	

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Woodworking Techniques for Structures (May 4, 1976)	Matsuura Shoji		June 21, 1990
Cypress Bark Roofing and Wooden Shingle Roofing (May 4, 1976)	Onishi Yasuo		July 12, 2001
Production and Restoration of Gagaku Wind Instruments (May 4, 1976)	Yamada Zenichi	Yamada Raizen	June 21, 1999
	Yawata Takemasa	Yawata Takumi	September 2, 2004
Production of Nohgaku Ootuzumi [Kawa] (head of drums for Nohgaku theater) (May 4, 1976)	Kimura Yukihiko		May 4, 1976
Making Dye from Ryukyu-Ai (May 11, 1977)	Inoha Seisho		May 11, 1977
Production of Steel for Japanese Swords (<i>Tatara-buki</i>) (May 11, 1977)	Kihara Akira		April 28, 1986
	Watanabe Katsuhiko		July 8, 2002
Production of Handmade Paper for Mountings (<i>Udagami</i>) (May 9, 1978)	Fukunishi Hiroyuki		May 9, 1978
Production and Restoration of <i>Noh-kan</i> (flutes for Nohgaku theater) (May 9, 1978)	Hayashi Hoju		May 9, 1978
Production of <i>Hogakki Ito</i> (the strings for Japanese traditional stringed instruments) (April 21, 1979)	Ozasa Hiroyuki		April 21, 1979
Production of Paulownia Boxes for Storing Works of Fine Arts and Crafts (April 21, 1980)	Maeda Yuichi	Maeda Yusai	April 21, 1980
	Thatching (April 21, 1980)	Sumida Ryuzo	July 8, 2002
<i>Kiku-Jutsu (Kinsei-Kiku)</i> (March 3, 1993)	Mochida Takeo		March 3, 1993
Restoration of Lacquerware (June 27, 1994)	Kitamura Kenichi	Kitamura Shosai	June 27, 1994
<i>Yane-gawarabuki (Hon-kawarabuki)</i> (June 27, 1994)	Yamamoto Kiyokazu		June 27, 1994
	Teramoto Mitsuo		July 10, 2003
Production of Charcoal for Polishing (June 27, 1994)	Higashi Asataro		June 27, 1994
Production of Fixtures for Mounting (May 31, 1995)	Takada Mitsuo		May 31, 1995
	Yamagishi Mitsuo		May 10, 1996
Production and Restoration of <i>Nohgaku Kotuzumi</i> (drums for Nohgaku theater) (May 31, 1995)	Suzuki Masayuki		May 31, 1995
Production of <i>Ubai</i> Mordant for Safflower Dye (May 31, 1995)	Nakanishi Yoshihisa		September 5, 2011
Production of Tools for Collecting Lacquer Sap (May 31, 1995)	Nakahata Fumitoshi		May 31, 1995
Indigo Dyeing (May 10, 1996)	Mori Yoshio		May 10, 1996
Restoration of Woodwork (June 6, 1997)	Sakurai Hiroshi		June 6, 1997
Production of Pounding Brushes for Mounting (June 8, 1998)	Fujii Genjiro		June 8, 1998

Restoration of Armour (June 8, 1998)	Ozawa Masami		June 8, 1998
Production of Brushes for Lacquerwork (June 8, 1998)	Izumi Seiji	Izumi Seikichi the Nineth	June 8, 1998
Production of <i>Karakami</i> Paper (June 21, 1999)	Senda Kenkichi		June 21, 1999
Production of Joinery (June 21, 1999)	Suzuki Tadashi		June 21, 1999
Production of Cast Metalwork for Architecture (June 21, 1999)	Otani Shuichi		June 21, 1999
Production of Shuttles (June 21, 1999)	Hasegawa Junichi		June 21, 1999
Production of Paper Filters for Japanese Lacquer (<i>Yoshino-gami</i>) (June 21, 1999)	Konbu Takao		June 21, 1999
<i>Sakan</i> Plastering (<i>Kyo Kabe</i>) (July 12, 2001)	Sato Haruo		July 12, 2001
Forging of Metal Parts for Architecture (July 8, 2002)	Yokoyama Yoshio		July 8, 2002
Bunraku Ningyo Katura, Tokoyama (wig making and hairdressing of puppets for Bunraku puppet theater) (July 8, 2002)	Nagoshi Shoji		July 8, 2002
Production of Hemp for "Kurume-kasuri" (July 10, 2003)	Yawata Masakado		July 10, 2003
Production of Manual Looms (July 10, 2003)	Nishimura Taneichi		July 10, 2003
	Oshiro Yoshimasa		September 11, 2008
Kabuki Tokoyama (hairdressing of actor's wigs for Kabuki theater) (July 10, 2003)	Kamoji Toshikazu		July 10, 2003
Production of Brushes for Mountings (September 2, 2004)	Nishimura Kazuki		September 2, 2004
	Tanaka Shigemi		September 6, 2010
Production of <i>Tatami</i> (September 2, 2004)	Nakamura Yuzo		September 2, 2004
Production of Gold Embossed Wallpaper (<i>Kinkara-kami</i>) (August 30, 2005)	Ueda Takashi		August 30, 2005
Slate Shingle Roofing (August 30, 2005)	Sasaki Shinpei		August 30, 2005
Production and Restoration of Biwa (Japanese stringed instrument) (September 15, 2006)	Ishida Katsuo	Ishida Fushiki the Fourth	September 15, 2006
Production of Handmade Paper for Mountings (<i>Hoshushi</i>) (September 6, 2007)	Ebuchi Eikan		September 6, 2007
Production of <i>Kodaigire</i> Cloth for Mountings (<i>Kinran</i> etc.) (September 6, 2007)	Hirose Kenji		September 6, 2007
Keppatu (Hairdo Techniques for Okinawan Traditional Performance) (September 11, 2008)	Kohagura Sukenori	Konami Norio	September 11, 2008
Production of Handmade Paper for Mountings (<i>Misugami</i>) (September 2, 2009)	Uekubo Ryoji		September 2, 2009
Conservation Techniques for Stone Walls as Cultural Property (September 2, 2009)	Awata Junji		October 4, 2012
Production of Brushes for Makie (September 6, 2010)	Murata Shigeyuki		September 6, 2010
Production of Wooden Shingle (<i>Yaneita</i>) (September 5, 2011)	Kuriyama Mitsuhiro		September 5, 2011

(b) Preservation Organizations

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Name of Technique (Date of Selection)	Name of Group or Institution	Date of Designation
Restoration Techniques for Wooden Statues (May 4, 1976)	Bijyutsuin	May 4, 1976
Architectural conservation (May 4, 1976)	Japanese Association for Conservation of Architectural Monuments (JACAM)	May 4, 1976
Woodworking Techniques for Structures (May 4, 1976)	Japanese Association for Conservation of Architectural Monuments (JACAM)	May 4, 1976
	Japanese Association for the Conservation of Techniques for Traditional Architecture	September 2, 2009
Cypress Bark Roofing and Wooden Shingle Roofing (May 4, 1976)	National Association for Conservation of Roofing Techniques for Temples and Shrines	May 4, 1976
Thatching (April 21, 1980)	National Association for Conservation of Roofing Techniques for Temples and Shrines	April 21, 1980
Production and Refinement of Urushi (Lacquer) (May 4, 1976)	Japan Association for Urushi Cultural Heritage	May 4, 1976
	Association for Conservation of Lacquer Collecting Techniques	May 10, 1996
Production of Tools for Handcrafted Paper (May 4, 1976)	National Association for Conservation of Tools for Handcraft Papermaking	May 4, 1976
Production of Steel for Japanese Swords (<i>Tamahagane</i>) (May 11, 1977)	The Society for Preservation of Japanese Art Swords	May 11, 1977
Production of Ryukyu Indigo (May 11, 1977)	Association for The Conservation of Ryukyu Indigo Manufacturing Techniques	July 8, 2002
Wood Print Techniques for Ukiyoe (May 9, 1978)	Association for Conservation of Techniques for Ukiyoe Woodblock Prints	May 9, 1978
Production of Awa Indigo (May 9, 1978)	Association for Preservation of Producing Techniques of Awa Indigo	May 9, 1978
Traditional Colouring for Architecture (April 21, 1979)	Nikko Cultural Assets Association for the Preservation of Shrines and Temples	April 21, 1979
Cultivation and Production of Dye (<i>Beni, Shikon</i>) (April 21, 1979)	Japan Association for Conservation of Folk Craft Techniques	April 21, 1979
Cultivation of Karamushi (Ramie) and Extracting Fibre (November 16, 1991)	Showa Village Association for Conservation of Karamushi (Ramie) Production Techniques	November 16, 1991
Production of <i>Hogakki Gensi</i> (silk thread for the strings of Japanese stringed instruments) (November 16, 1991)	Kinomoto-cho Association for the Conservation of Production of Hogakki Gensi	November 16, 1991
Restoration Techniques for Mounting (May 31, 1995)	The Association for Conservation of National Treasures	May 31, 1995
Production of Kabuki Kodougu (props for Kabuki theater) (May 10, 1996)	Association for the Conservation of Production Techniques for Kabuki Kodougu	May 10, 1996
Production and Restoration of Floats for Festivals (July 8, 2002)	Society of Artisans for Production and Restoration of Floats for Festivals	July 8, 2002
Conservation Techniques for Historic Gardens (July 8, 2002)	Japanese Society of Artisans for Conservation of Historic Gardens	July 8, 2002

<i>Sakan</i> Plastering (<i>Nihon Kabe</i>) (July 8, 2002)	National Cultural Property Wall Technical Preservation Meeting	July 8, 2002
Production and Restoration of Kabuki Ishou (costumes for Kabuki theater) (July 8, 2002)	Association for Conservation of Techniques for Production and Restoration of Kabuki Costumes	July 8, 2002
Production of Kabuki Oodougu [<i>Haikeiga</i>] (sets backdrops) for Kabuki theater) (July 8, 2002)	Association for the Conservation of Techniques for the Production of Kabuki Oodougu (<i>Haikeiga</i>)	July 8, 2002
Cultivation and Thread making of Ramie (July 10, 2003)	Miyako Association for the Conservation of Buunmi	July 10, 2003
Decoration for Traditional Architecture (September 6, 2007)	Japan Art Association of Shrines and Temple Buildings	September 6, 2007
<i>Yane-gawarabuki</i> (<i>Hon-kawarabuki</i>) (June 27, 1994)	Japan Association for the Preservation of Traditional Techniques in Kawara (Roofing Tile)	September 6, 2007
Production of Joinery (June 21, 1999)	Japanese Association for the Conservation of Traditional Joinery Techniques	September 11, 2008
Production of <i>Tatami</i> (September 2, 2004)	Association for the Conservation of Tatami for Cultural Properties	September 11, 2008
Conservation Techniques for Stone Walls as Cultural Property (September 2, 2009)	Association for the Conservation of Stone Walls as Cultural Property	September 2, 2009
Production and Restoration of Costumes and Props for Kumiodori (September 2, 2009)	Association for the Conservation of Techniques for the Production and Restoration of Kumiodori Costumes and Props	September 2, 2009

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Name	Date of Inclusion
WASHOKU; Traditional Dietary Cultures of the Japanese	February 17, 2012