



Ridges of the Shiretoko mountain range photo by MURATA Ryosuke

1. Identification of the Property

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1a. Country

Japan

1b. Region

Hokkaido prefecture

1c. Name of property

Shiretoko

1d. Location and geographical coordinates

The Shiretoko Peninsula is located in the northeast of Hokkaido, the northernmost island of Japan (Figures 1-1 and 1-2). The nominated site includes the terrestrial area from the central part to the tip of the peninsula and the surrounding marine area (Figure 1-3).

The geographical coordinates of the nominated site are:

43° 56' 58" - 44° 21' 08" N

144° 57' 57" - 145° 23' 02" E

The center of the nominated site is latitude 44° 07' 23" north and longitude 145° 09' 36" east.

1e. Maps showing boundary of area proposed for inscription

The boundaries of the nominated site consist of those of existing protected areas. The nominated site is classified into a core area and a buffer area for the management purposes.

Topography and vegetation of the nominated site are shown with the boundaries in Figures 1-4 and 1-5. Also, the official topographic maps are attached separately as reference materials. Legal protection zones are shown in Figure 1-6 as well as in Figures 4-1 in detail.



Shiretoko cape (aerial photograph)
photo by Ministry of the Environment

The list of all the maps included in the nomination documents is shown in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1 List of Maps

Figure No.	Title	Scale
Figure 1-1	Location of Shiretoko Peninsula in Japan	1:15,000,000
Figure 1-2	Location of Shiretoko Peninsula in Hokkaido	1:7,000,000
Figure 1-3	Location of the nominated site in Shiretoko Peninsula	1:300,000
Figure 1-4	Topography of the nominated site	1:300,000
Figure 1-5	Vegetation of the nominated site	1:300,000
Figure 1-6	Zones of legal protection	1:300,000
Figure 4-1-a	Onnebetsudake Wilderness Area	1:300,000
Figure 4-1-b	Shiretoko National Park	1:300,000
Figure 4-1-c	Shiretoko Forest Ecosystem Reserve	1:300,000
Figure 4-1-d	Shiretoko National Wildlife Protection Area	1:300,000
Appendix 4-C	Map of Shiretoko National Park	1:62,500
Reference material	Official topographical maps	1:50,000

1f. Area of property proposed for inscription

Core area: 34,000 hectares

Buffer area: 22,100 hectares

Total area of the nominated site: 56,100 hectares