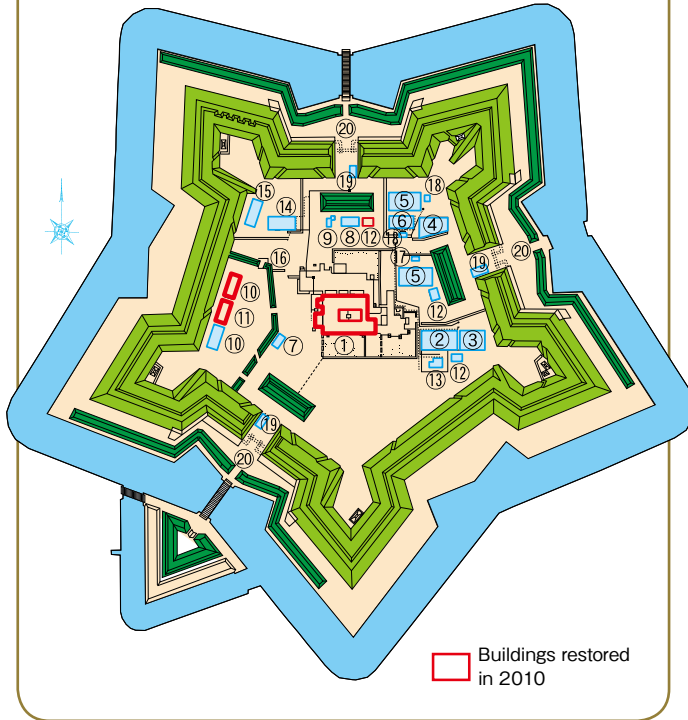


## Lost buildings in Goryokaku

Literatures and excavation research revealed that more than 20 annexes (Fig.2 to 20) stood around Hakodate Magistrate's Office building (Fig.1) in the Goryokaku.



## Reconstruction of Hakodate Magistrate's Office

The reconstruction of Hakodate Magistrate's Office took four years from 2006 to 2010. In approximately 1,000 square meters site, "Miyadaiku" carpenters gathered from all over the country. Their arts of building Japanese traditional architectures reproduced these historic buildings in the way it used to be.

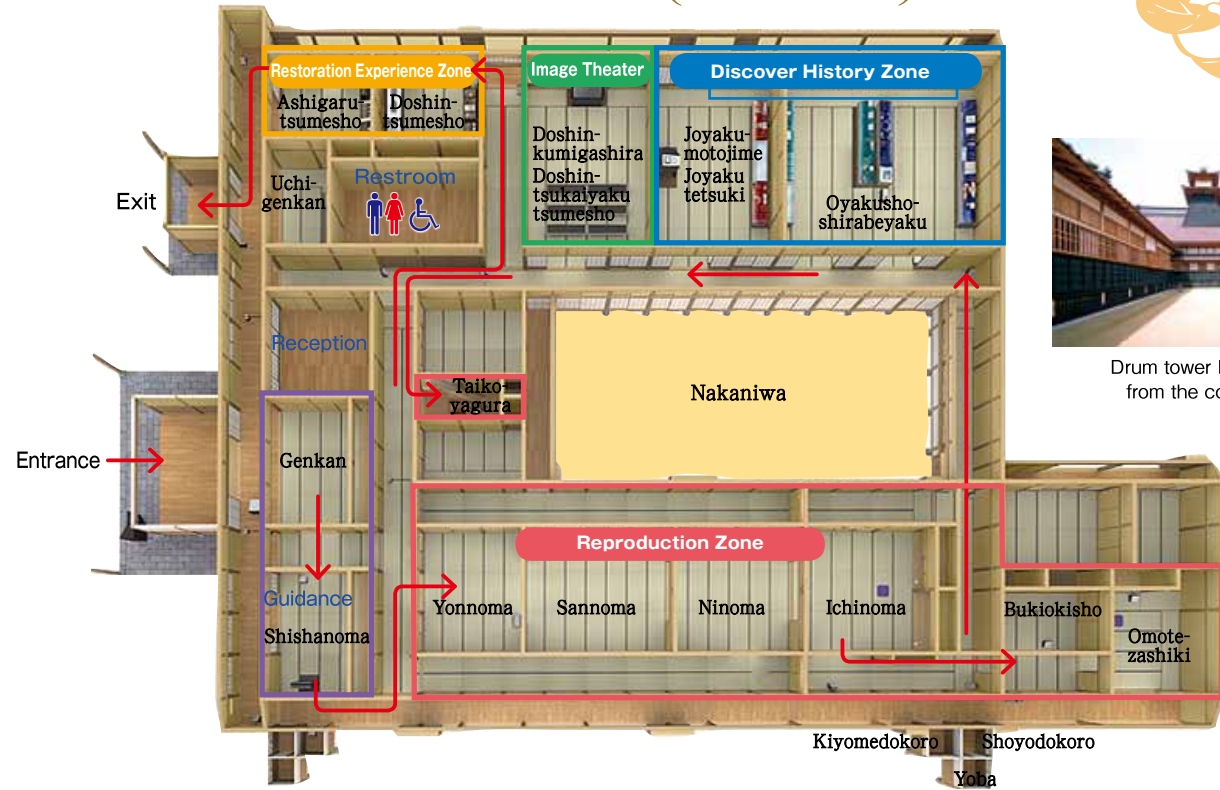


Half-built magistrate's office building (2008)



Completed tile roofing (2009)

## HAKODATE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE Interior (Tour Route)



Drum tower looked up from the courtyard

### Reproduction Zone



### Hakodate Magistrate's Office with an atmosphere of the end of Edo period

The sweeping stateroom and the magistrate's own office room were recreated as authentically as possible to convey the delicacy of the Japanese traditional architecture.

### Discover History Zone



### Histories of Goryokaku and Hakodate Magistrate's Office

The opening of the port of Hakodate, the construction of the Hakodate Magistrate's Office and the Battle of Hakodate are chronologically illustrated here. Some of the important figures from this era are also presented.

### Image Theater



### Reconstruction - On the film

Every process of the reconstruction of Hakodate Magistrate's Office was captured on HDTV. The film displays arts and craftsmanship of Japanese traditional architectures demonstrated by Miyadaiku carpenters in every reconstruction work.

### Restoration Experience Zone



### Restoration works for Hakodate Magistrate's Office

We will present the restoration project of the Hakodate Magistrate's Office which is an embodiment of the mastery of the Japanese traditional architecture based on the combining results of the excavation research and the 20-year-long diligent study on old photographs, documents and drawings.