

## Safe Driving in Hokkaido

Before driving, take the time to learn Japanese traffic rules and road conditions.

## **S**top Signs

If there is a stop sign your vehicle must be at a complete stop at the stop line.



During winter driving conditions in Hokkaido are very poor! When driving on icy or snowy roads, the stopping distance can be 10 times greater than on dry roads. Sudden actions will often cause loss of control over your vehicle. Slow down and keep a safe distance.



Hokkaido has a vast land and long roads that connect into the cities. Although these roads generally have wide traffic lanes and few traffic lights in the suburbs, do not exceed the maximum speed limits. Remember slower driving allows you the benefit of viewing Hokkaido's beautiful landscapes longer!







## Basic knowledge of traffic safety

http://www.pref.hokkaido.lg.jp/ks/dms/kat/safety-drive/en/index.htm





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