Shinmura Bridge Construction Update

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Karasawa Cirque reached peak autumn colors in early October, and the surrounding mountains remained colorful through late October. Now, the peaks are snow-covered, and temperatures often fall below freezing.

Concrete work has been completed, and steel tower assembly is now underway. The dark brown towers blend naturally into Kamikochi's mountain landscape.

On-Site Construction Progress

Each tower member is approximately 5 m long and weighs up to 6.2 tons.

The members were transported from our equipment center in Tsu City, Mie Prefecture, and assembled using a 50-ton crane.

The members are connected using high-strength bolts, with up to 120 bolts used at a single connection.

Because the clearance between the bolts and bolt holes is only 2.5 mm, assembly requires a high degree of precision.


Tower Assembly


Tower Foundation


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Blending with the Mountain Scenery!

Key Schedule for November

Steel Tower Assembly (A2 Side)
: From Mon., Nov. 2
Construction Road Improvement
: From Mon., Nov. 2

*Schedule is subject to change depending on weather and work progress.
* Work for this season will end on Nov. 20.

【Comments and Inquiries Regarding Construction】

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