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The damage caused by the 2011 off the Pacific coast of Tohoku Earthquake in Ibaraki Prefecture

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The magnitude 9.0 earthquake occurred on 11 March 2011, off the Pacific coast of the northeastern part of Tohoku region and Kanto district, causing devastating damages.

This massive earthquake occurred on our country serious damage centering on East Japan, such as an accident of tsunami, liquefaction, and a nuclear power plant. Especially Iwate, Miyagi, and Fukushima prefectures suffered serious damage, and were reported greatly. About Ibaraki Prefecture, there was not much news in the media. But, Ibaraki Prefecture suffered heavy damage like Tohoku.

The purpose of this study is to show the perspective generally what kind of damage occurred because of this earthquake disaster in Ibaraki Prefecture.

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