(N.B. Only Figure 2 is the content point, the correct English for Figure 1 is provided for the sake of completion)

Figure 1. The Fault and Onuma Pond

Nature Trail Guide Map

Legend:

Wetlands

Forest

Nature trail

Hanawa Fault

Goshogake Onuma Serviced Campground

Sumikawa River

Onuma Pond

Fir trees

Azaleas

Reedbeds

Yellow water lilies

Oak and beech forest

Figure 2. Evolution of the Wetlands

1.Water flows into a depression in the ground; in time, aquatic plants begin to grow.

2. Dead bog moss and aquatic plants accumulate on the bottom.

3. Partially decayed vegetation is compacted into peat. Over time, the accumulation of peat makes the pond smaller.