

Futago Sugi (Twin Sugi)

Futago Sugi consists of two *kosugi* trees that have grown from the same felled tree trunk. The two trees then merged together in a natural phenomenon known as inosculation. The left tree is 22 m tall with a 1.7 m trunk circumference, while the right tree is 22.7 m tall and has a 2.1 m trunk circumference. The twins are estimated to be only around 150 years old, and so are known as *kosugi* rather than *yakusugi*, a term only for *sugi* more than one thousand years old. Futago Sugi can be found at Yakusugi Land, where all the walking trails pass it.