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Yurin-kan

Yurin-kan 有鄰館 is a remarkable complex of historic buildings consisting of former warehouses associated with production and trade. The preserved structures span several periods, from the Edo period to the 20th century. Sake, miso, and soy sauce were once produced here. Today, the site offers an exceptional example of Japanese utilitarian architecture. The thick walls of the warehouses illustrate the importance of storage in pre-industrial and industrial economies. The Yūrinkan serves as a reminder that a textile town does not live by its looms alone. It also depends on networks for the supply, trade, and storage of goods. The buildings demonstrate how local prosperity was embodied in tangible infrastructure. They allow us to observe the connections between food, trade, and industry in a medium-sized Japanese town.

