

*JAPAN – JAPON*

# **GRAND CHAMPION**

**1971 – 1989**

**19 Championships**

***19 Championnats***

**19 Championships detailed by winners**  
***19 Championnats détaillés par vainqueurs***

# 1971 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Tadashi **SAKAI** (JAP)

*Tadashi Sakai*

25/04	300 km de Fuji	Kenjiro <b>TANAKA</b>	Lola T 160 – Ford
06/06	300 miles de Fuji	Moto <b>KITANO</b>	Nissan Fairlady 240 Z
15/08	500 km de Fuji	Tadashi <b>SAKAI</b>	McLaren M 12 – Chevrolet
05/09	200 miles de Fuji	Tadashi <b>SAKAI</b>	McLaren M 12 – Chevrolet
10/10	250 km de Fuji	Hiroshi <b>KAZATO</b>	Porsche 908

## 1972 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion : Hitoshi FUSHIDA (JAP)**

*Hitoshi Fushida*

20/03	300 km de Fuji	Tadeshi <b>SAKAI</b>	McLaren M 12 – Chevrolet
04/06	300 miles de Fuji	Haruhito <b>YANAGIDA</b>	Nissan Fairlady 240 ZG
03/09	200 miles de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	Lola T 280 – Ford
10/10	250 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	Lola T 280 – Ford
23/11	200 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	Lola T 280 – Ford

## 1973 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Motoharu **KUROSAWA** (JAP)  
*Motoharu Kurosawa*

18/03	300 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	Lola T 292 – Ford
03/06	300 km de Fuji	Motoharu <b>KUROSAWA</b>	March 73 S – BMW
02/09	200 miles de Fuji	Motoharu <b>KUROSAWA</b>	March 73 S – BMW
10/10	250 km de Fuji	Hiroshi <b>KAZATO</b>	Chevron B 23 – Ford
23/11	200 km de Fuji	Seiichi <b>SUZUKI</b>	Lola T 292 – Ford

## 1974 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Masahiro **HASEMI** (JAP)  
*Masahiro Hasemi*

05/05	300 km de Fuji	Masahiro <b>HASEMI</b>	March 73 S – BMW
02/06	300 km de Fuji	Kunimitsu <b>TAKAHASHI</b>	March 73 S – BMW
01/09	200 miles de Fuji	Hiroshi <b>FUSHIDA</b>	Chevron B 21 P – Ford
10/10	250 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
24/11	200 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW

## 1975 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion** : Noritake **TAKAHARA** (JAP)

*Takahara Racing*

23/03	300 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
08/06	250 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
07/09	200 miles de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
19/10	250 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
23/11	200 km de Fuji	Kunimitsu <b>TAKAHASHI</b>	March 73 S – BMW

## 1976 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion** : Noritake **TAKAHARA** (JAP)

*Takahara Racing*

21/03	300 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
06/06	250 km de Fuji	Noritake <b>TAKAHARA</b>	March 74 S – BMW
05/09	200 miles de Fuji	Tetsu <b>IKUZAWA</b>	GRD S 74 – BMW
10/10	250 km de Fuji	Tetsu <b>IKUZAWA</b>	GRD S 74 – BMW
21/11	200 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	March 74 S – BMW

## 1977 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Tetsu **IKUZAWA** (JAP)  
*Tetsu International*

20/03	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	March 74 S – BMW
26/06	250 km de Fuji	Tetsu <b>IKUZAWA</b>	GRD S 74 – BMW
04/09	200 miles de Fuji	Takashi <b>YORINO</b>	March 76 S – Mazda
08/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	March 74 S – BMW
27/11	200 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	March 74 S – BMW

## 1978 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Kazuyoshi **HOSHINO** (JAP)  
*Heroes Racing*

26/03	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	March 74 S – BMW
04/06	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	Nova 53 S – BMW
03/09	200 miles de Fuji	Takashi <b>YORINO</b>	March 76 S – Mazda
08/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	Nova 53 S – BMW
26/11	200 km de Fuji	Yoshimi <b>KATAYAMA</b>	March 75 S – Mazda

## 1979 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Satoru **NAKAJIMA** (JAP)  
*Team Italya with Tetsu*

25/03	300 km de Fuji	Satoru <b>NAKAJIMA</b>	GRD S 74 – BMW
03/05	250 km de Fuji	Kazoyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	Nova 54 S – BMW
02/09	200 miles de Fuji	Takashi <b>YORINO</b>	MCS – Mazda
21/10	250 km de Fuji	Yoshimi <b>KATAYAMA</b>	KR-1 – Mazda

# 1980 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Masahiro **HASEMI** (JAP)  
*Heroes Racing*

30/03	300 km de Fuji	Masanori <b>SEKIYA</b>	MCS – Mazda
03/05	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS – Mazda
07/09	200 miles de Fuji	Yoshimi <b>KATAYAMA</b>	KR-1 – Mazda
12/10	250 km de Fuji	Masahiro <b>HASEMI</b>	MCS – BMW

# 1981 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Naohiro **FUJITA** (JAP)  
*Speed Star Wheel Racing Team*

29/03 300 km de Fuji                      Kunimitsu **TAKAHASHI**                      Royce RM 1 – BMW

03/05 250 km de Fuji                      Kunimitsu **TAKAHASHI**                      Royce RM 1 – BMW

06/09 200 miles de Fuji                      Naohiro **FUJITA**                      MCS 2 – BMW

11/10 250 km de Fuji                      Keiji **MATSUMOTO**                      MCS 2 – BMW

# 1982 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Kazuyoshi **HOSHINO** (JAP)  
*Heroes Racing*

28/03	300 km de Fuji	Naohiro <b>FUJITA</b>	MCS 3 – BMW
03/05	250 km de Fuji	Keiji <b>MATSUMOTO</b>	MCS 3 – BMW
24/10	250 km de Fuji	Naohiro <b>FUJITA</b>	MCS 3 – BMW
28/11	200 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>FUJITA</b>	MCS 2 – BMW

# 1983 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Keiji MATSUMOTO (JAP)  
*Racing Mate Project Team*

27/03	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 4 – BMW
03/05	250 km de Fuji	Keiji <b>MATSUMOTO</b>	MCS 4 – BMW
04/09	200 miles de Fuji	Satoru <b>NAKAJIMA</b>	MCS 3 – Mazda
23/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 4 – BMW

# 1984 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Kazuyoshi **HOSHINO** (JAP)  
*Heroes Racing*

10/06	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 5 – BMW
03/05	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 5 – BMW
02/09	200 miles de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 5 – BMW
21/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 5 – BMW

# 1985 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Kazuyoshi **HOSHINO** (JAP)  
*Heroes Racing*

31/03	300 km de Fuji	Satoru <b>NAKAJIMA</b>	MCS 6 – BMW
09/06	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 6 – BMW
08/09	200 miles de Fuji	Keiji <b>MATSUMOTO</b>	MCS 6 – BMW
20/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 6 – BMW

# 1986 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Geoff **LEES** (GB)  
*Yura Takuya Team*

30/03	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 7 – BMW
08/06	250 km de Fuji	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 7 – Yamaha
07/09	200 miles de Fuji	Keiji <b>MATSUMOTO</b>	MCS7 – Yamaha
19/10	250 km de Fuji	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 7 – Yamaha

# 1987 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Kazuyoshi **HOSHINO** (JAP)  
*Hoshino Racing*

29/03	300 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 7 – Ford
07/06	250 km de Fuji	Keiji <b>MATSUMOTO</b>	MCS 7 – Ford
06/09	200 miles de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 7 – Ford
18/10	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 7 – Ford

# 1988 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Geoff **LEES** (GB)  
*Team Le Mans*

27/03	300 km de Fuji	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 8 – Mugen Honda
24/04	200 km de Sugo	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 8 – Mugen Honda
15/05	250 km de Fuji	Takao <b>WADA</b>	Mad House F4 – Mugen Honda
26/06	200 miles de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 8 – Mugen Honda
17/07	200 km de Suzuka	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 8 – Mugen Honda
04/09	250 km de Fuji	Kazuyoshi <b>HOSHINO</b>	MCS 8 – Mugen Honda

## 1989 Fuji Grand Champion Series

**Champion :** Geoff **LEES** (GB)  
*Kawai Steel Racing Team Le Mans*

02/04	300 km de Fuji	Takao <b>WADA</b>	Mad House F4 – Mugen Honda
23/04	200 km de Sugo	Geoff <b>LEES</b>	MCS 9 – Mugen Honda
04/06	250 km de Fuji	Emanuele <b>PIRRO</b>	MCS 9 – Mugen Honda
09/07	200 km de Suzuka	Masanori <b>SEKIYA</b>	March 89 GC – Mugen Honda
03/09	200 miles de Fuji	Emanuele <b>PIRRO</b>	MCS 9 – Mugen Honda
29/10	250 km de Fuji	Masanori <b>SEKIYA</b>	March 89 GC – Mugen Honda