## Vending machines in a landscape

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## Abstract

Vending machines standing in the outdoors now could be the targets of noisy colors if its colors were not in accordance with the environment. In the present article, the photos of vending machines found in from Hokkaido to Okinawa were shown, and discussed with regards to noisy color pollution.

The followings were concluded:

- a. A vending machine standing alone in the outdoors is not a good shape. It could be out of context of the environment.
- b. As a result, setting more than two in a line could be in context of the environment giving better impression of harmony.
- c. Decreased saturation of color, cold or neutral colors, instead of vivid warm colors, curvilinear shapes and designs, being enclosed by something like a wall were recommended in order to keep them in harmony with the environment.