On KINOSAKI
ALG GEOM SYMP
1974 - 2014

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- Oda-san: history and excellent introduction to Nagata-Miyata spirit
- Miyanishi-san: organiser’s reflections
- me: ？
A word of thanks

- to the original ideas of Nagata-Miyata and their successors (Oda,...)
- to the organizers of the present as well as all the past symposia (Miyanishi, ....)

- on behalf of all the participants, today and past.

THANK YOU!
Around 1974

- 1973  International conf. Tokyo: Manifolds and related topics in topology (Kodaira)
- 1974  Arcata Alg Geom summer school: (Mumford, ...)
- 1974  ICM Vancouver

1974 Kinosaki

- speakers:
  - 12/3: Sumihiro, Tango, Mori, ..
  - 12/4: Fujita, Miyaoka, Yamada,
  - 12/5: Koizumi, Umemura,...
a span of 40 years is not short

Example

- 1974: was the youngest speaker at the 1st Kinosaki symp.
- 2014: is President of IMU.

Who is this?

- This example suggests also that Kinosaki, a local place, has a possibility to be more global place in the mathematical world!
More personal example:

- 1974: I proved unirationality of Fermat quartic surface in char \( p = 3 \mod 4 \).
- Hence, it is a supersingular K3.
- This was earlier shown by Tate by a different method.

- Then Artin and I asked the following question:

- Question: Is a ss K3 unirational?
- This question is now solved by the 1st speaker tomorrow morning!
some refreshments

- outside mathematics,
- eating or drinking
- spa, ....
- or
Thank you!

The end