Himouto! Umaru-chan Vol. 4
by Sankakuhead

The basis for the hit anime about a lovable brat in a hamster suit, in English at last!

In public, Umaru Doma appears to be the perfect high school student: hard-working, refined, and totally responsible. But the minute she gets home to her older brother Taihei - and dons her famous hamster hoodie - she devolves into the ultimate bratty little sister! She's happy to roll around all day in an otaku cloud of games and junk food while her exhausted older brother takes care of everything in the house. In this hilarious comedy about family, friendship, and the nonsense we put up with (from the people we love), Umaru and Taihei will find a way to make it work!

Author Bio

Sankakuhead is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Himouto! Umaru-chan.
Mononoke Sharing Vol. 4
by coolkyousinnjya

A slapstick comedy about demonic roommates from the creator of Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid!

Living with a bunch of roommates is always a learning experience - especially when those roommates are demons! Due to her family’s unfortunate circumstances, high schooler Yuta has to find a new and inexpensive place to live which is how she ends up boarding with a bunch of wacky, big-breasted fiends. Chaos ensues as Yuta makes a new home and learns to live with the devilish hijinks of her new roommates!

Author Bio

Coolkyoushinja is a Japanese creator best known for his works Komori-san Can’t Decline, I Can’t Understand What My Husband Is Saying, and Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid - all of which have received anime adaptations.
No Game, No Life Vol. 2 (Manga Edition)
by Yuu Kamiya, illustrated by Mashiro Hiiragi

For fans of Sword Art Online, a brother and sister become transported into a fantasy game world and must fight to survive!

Sora and Shiro - brother and sister - are brilliant (but unemployed) gamers whose fame has spawned urban legends all over the Internet. One day, they are summoned by a boy named God to an alternate world. There, God has prohibited war and declared this to be a world where "everything is decided by games" - even national borders. Humanity has been driven back into one remaining city by the other races. Will Sora and Shiro, the good-for-nothing brother and sister, become the "Saviors of Humanity" in this alternate world?

Author Bio

Location: Yuu Kamiya - Japan

Yuu Kamiya is the author of No Game, No Life and one of the authors of Clockwork Planet.

Mashiro Hiiragi is the artist of No Game, No Life

Notes

Promotion
Plus-Sized Elf Vol. 2
by Synecdoche

The story of an elf struggling to lose weight - after she discovered human French fries!

Naoe-kun, a massage therapist, is about to head home for the day when he's saddled with a rather strange patient. This lovely lady has emerald eyes, pointy ears, and grew up in the forest-everything about her screams elf," except for one thing: her bodacious body. It turns out she left her world but loves junk food in this one, and now her obsession has caught up with her. Can Naoe-kun help this lovable elf girl lose the weight-and keep it off?

Author Bio

Synecdoche is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Plus-Sized Elf.
Captain Harlock: Dimensional Voyage Vol. 7
by Leiji Matsumoto, illustrated by Kouiti Shimaboshi

Harlock leads the way to a world of new ideas." - James Cameron (Film Director)

An all-new series featuring a contemporary take on one of the most revered and recognizable characters in science fiction history!

When Tadashi Daiba's father is murdered by invaders known as the Mazon, he becomes frustrated in the face of the Earth government's flippant attitude. Landing himself in prison, Tadashi finds himself invited aboard the battleship Arcadia, controlled by none other than the legendary Captain Harlock. Joining his crew on their journey through space, Tadashi's future will lead him to confront not only the Mazon, but the many other forces across the universe threatening humanity's very existence.

"Harlock leads the way to a world of new ideas." - James Cameron (Film Director)

Author Bio

Leiji Matsumoto is one of Japan's most influential manga creators. He is best known for Galaxy Express 999, Captain Harlock, and an animated collaboration with Western musical duo, Daft Punk. Kouichi Shimahoshi is a Japanese manga artist who made his debut on the highly-acclaimed remake of Captain Harlock.
Drum Goes House-Hunting Vol. 2
by Kawo Tanuki, illustrated by Choco Aya

The hilarious story of a dragon trying to find his perfect lair!

When a dragon fails to live up to the fearsome standards set for him, his family kicks him out. He embarks on a quest to find a new home, but soon finds that life on the road is no place for a cowardly beast of legend. In a fantasy world full of elves, dwarves, and other mythical creatures, where everyone wants a piece of him - literally! - the frustrations of house-hunting reach a whole new level.

Author Bio

Kawo Tanuki is a Japanese manga author best known for Dragon Goes House-Hunting.

Choco Aya is a Japanese manga artist best known for Dragon Goes House-Hunting.
Spirit Circle Vol. 6
by Satoshi Mizukami

Spirit battles, cultural-spanning reincarnations, and mysterious curses abound in this highly-anticipated manga by Satoshi Mizukami.

Fuuta Okeya can see dead people. Besides that - and the bandage he always keeps on his cheek - he's a perfectly normal 14-year-old boy who thinks the new transfer student is pretty cute. But to his dismay, Kouko Ishigami wants little to do with him. Strangely enough, it's the ghost that follows her around that seems glad to see Fuuta. Just when Fuuta thinks he's won Kouko over, she catches a glimpse of the birthmark beneath the bandages on his cheek, and has a change of heart. Not only does she denounce him as her enemy, but she claims that the birthmark is a curse she engraved upon his face during one of the many past lives they shared together. Just what does Kouko have against him - and who is her enigmatic, ghostly shadow?

A cast of characters that allows Mizukami to once again couple his own deep understanding of the ambiguities of emotion and desire and loneliness with his totally particular brand of wry humor to tell a story authentic and revealing." - Austin Price, Anime News Network

"Satoshi Mizukami's Spirit Circle is about destiny and reincarnation. More meaningfully, it's about forgiveness and compassion - how to heal your blood rift. It's a series that warns the reader implicitly against binge reading, while also acknowledging that the reader, like the main character, will be way too invested to listen." - Claire Napier, Comics Alliance

Author Bio

Satoshi Mizukami is a Japanese artist best known as the creator of Lucifer and the Biscuit Hammer, Sengoku Youko, and his critically-acclaimed Spirit Circle. He also provided a one-shot story for the Trigun: Multiple Bullets anthology released by Dark Horse.
Lord Marksman and Vanadis Vol. 9
by Tsukasa Kawaguchi, illustrated by Nobuhiko Yanai

The fantasy epic that inspired the fan-favorite anime series is now an ongoing manga series!

The country of Zhcted is ruled by seven women known as the Vanadis, a group of warriors who are given powerful weapons and dominion over the country's seven territories. Taking advantage of its neighboring nations' civil unrest, Zhcted goes to war against the country of Brune. In a battle that decimates Brune's army, the brave, young Brune nobleman Tigrevurmund Vorn meets the beautiful Eleonara Viltaria - one of the Vanadis. Impressed with his skill as an archer, Elen allows Tigre to live in exchange for his servitude. But the battle is far from over, and extends further than either of them could have imagined.

Author Bio

Location: Tsukasa Kawaguchi - Japan; Nobuhiko Yanai - Japan

Tsukasa Kawaguchi is a Japanese light novel author, best known for his series Lord Marksman and Vanadis. Nobuhiko Yanai is a manga artist best known for Lord Marksman and Vanadis.
I Want to Eat Your Pancreas (Manga)
by Yoru Sumino, illustrated by Izumi Kirihara

The manga version of the coming-of-age tearjerker that inspired two films!

Also known as Let Me Eat Your Pancreas, this deeply moving first-person story is about a high school boy who finds the diary of his classmate - and discovers that she’s dying. Yamauchi Sakura has been silently suffering from a pancreatic disease in school, and now exactly one person outside her family knows. He swears to her that he won’t tell anyone what he learned, and the shared secret brings them closer together. The two have very little in common, but they find themselves drawn to each other in Sakura’s final months to live.

Author Bio

Yoru Sumino is a Japanese writer best known for I Want to Eat Your Pancreas.

Izumi Kirihara is a Japanese manga artist best known for the manga adaptation of I Want to Eat Your Pancreas.

Notes
Satoko and Nada Vol. 2
by Yupechika, contributions by Marie Nishimori

A charming fictional manga about the friendship between a Japanese woman and her Muslim roommate!

Satoko, who is Japanese, has a new roommate in America: a Saudi Arabian woman named Nada, who practices Islam and wears a hijab. While under the same roof, Satoko and Nada learn how to live together with very different customs and still have all the fun young women crave! Through mutual respect - and the hilarious adventures of their daily life - Satoko and Nada prove that friendship knows no borders.

Author Bio

Yupechika is a Japanese manga artist best known for Satoko and Nada.

Marie Nishimori (supervisor) is a Japanese-Dutch Muslim journalist, author, and translator.
Shimana Kameko lives in a home where she feels she doesn't belong. Her mother is dead, her father has remarried, and her six-month-old baby brother takes up everyone's attention. Kameko skips school and runs away to a nearby park where she literally stumbles over a mysterious man in a kimono.

The stranger, Fujiwara Taiga, offers Kameko a place to stay - on three conditions. The first condition is that Kameko tell him why she ran away from home. The second is that she fetch the stranger's lost apartment key (he is locked out!). The third condition is to have a dream. Kameko meets the conditions, moves in, and begins a journey of romance and self-discovery.

Author Bio

Ichigo Takano, a Japanese manga-ka who specializes in shoujo manga, is best known as the creator of New York Times bestseller *O Range*.
How a Realist Hero Rebuilt the Kingdom (Light Novel) Vol. 2
by Dojyomaru, illustrated by Fuyuyuki

Summoned to another world to slay the mighty beast of governance!

When the aggressively pragmatic Kazuya Souma is summoned to another world as a hero, he's not given a quest—he's given a kingdom to rule. On top of that, he's betrothed to the previous king's daughter! To get the country back in order, Souma gathers a group of gifted individuals to his side. Will their impressive talents and his own knack for logistics be enough to get the country on its feet again?

Author Bio

Dojyomaru is a Japanese author best known for How a Realist Hero Rebuilt the Kingdom.

Fuyuyuki is a Japanese artist best known for the illustrations in How a Realist Hero Rebuilt the Kingdom.

Notes

Promotion
Magical Girl Site Vol. 8
by Kentaro Sato

The new series by Magical Girl Apocalypse creator Kentaro Sato, with an anime debuting in spring 2018!

Asagiri Aya is a young girl who has fallen victim to bullies at her school. Looking for a way to escape her troubles, she looks to the internet for distraction, when a mysterious website called Magical Girl Site\textsuperscript{e} appears. Simply viewing the page is all it takes to hurtle Aya headlong into the deadly world of the Magical Girl Apocalypse. There, it's fight or die, against a seemingly endless array of savagely adorable, frilly-skirted killing machines, each armed with magical powers and an unquenchable thirst for blood and chaos.

Author Bio

Kentaro Sato is best known as the author and artist of Magical Girl Apocalypse and its spin-off series Magical Girl Site
Magical Girl Spec-Ops Asuka Vol. 5
by Makoto Fukami, illustrated by Seigo Tokiya

When the Earth was threatened by the sudden appearance of undead creatures, a group of young women blessed with powers from a mysterious source rose to defeat them. Now, after three years of apparent peace, the same malevolent creatures have resurfaced. Five magical girls are once again conscripted to war as the Magical Girl Special Ops force, to defend mankind from an unholy nemesis!

Author Bio

Location: Makoto Fukami - Japan; Seigo Tokiya - Japan

Makoto Fukami is a Japanese manga and light novel author best known for her series Magical Girl Spec-Ops Asuka.

Seigo Tokiya is a Japanese manga artist best known for Magical Girl Spec-Ops Asuka and his contribution to the Tales of the Abyss anthology collection.
The Voynich Hotel Vol. 3
by Seiman Douman

You can check in anytime you like, but you can never leave in this dark comedy about a twisted hotel!

Staffed by murderous maids and situated on a war-ravaged island, the Voynich Hotel is far from your run-of-the-mill vacation destination - but it's not such a bad place to lie low for ex-yakuza Kazuki Taizou, who's on the run from his so-called family. As he settles into his weird new life, this darkly comedic manga winds through plots both nefarious and romantic, delving ever deeper into the island's witchy - and sometimes demonic - strangeness.

Author Bio

Seiman Douman is a prolific Japanese manga creator best known for The Voynich Hotel.
Beauty and the Beast Girl
by Neji

A sweet yuri manga about a lonely monster and the girl she loves!

A lonely monster, living in seclusion in the forest, wishes she could live amidst humans despite her frightening appearance. Everything changes when she starts getting a visitor - a blind human girl who's fascinated with her mysterious forest friend. As the monster and the girl grow attached in their secluded world, their love proves that beauty is in the eye of the beholder.

Author Bio

Neji is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Beauty and the Beast Girl.
Bloom into You Vol. 6
by Nakatani Nio

A charming love story about two young women who together discover that their dreams of a heart-pounding romance can indeed come true - now with an anime!

Yuu has always loved shoujo manga and fantasizes about the day that she too will get a love confession that will send her heart a-flutter. Yet when a male classmate confesses his feelings for her she feels nothing. Disappointed and confused, Yuu enters high school still unsure how to respond. That's when Yuu sees the beautiful student council president Nanami turn down a suitor with such maturity and finesse that Yuu is inspired to ask her for advice. But when the next person to confess to Yuu is the alluring Nanami herself, has Yuu's shoujo romance finally begun?

For anyone that's looking for a good romance comic that defies expectations and is relatively chaste, Bloom Into You is a good choice " Alex Hoffman, Sequential State

"[ ] the story and characters here are excellent, and while it may seem like your typical high-school yuri romance, I was surprised several times throughout. Definitely recommended." - Sean Gaffney, Manga BookShelf

Author Bio

Nakatani Nio is a Japanese manga creator best known for Bloom Into You
Now Loading...!
by Mikanuji

Two ladies playtest love in this yuri one-shot about the video game industry!

Takagi Suzu has a lot of ups (and downs) working in the video game industry, but she's about to level up: Sakurazuki Kaori, a powerful director in the company who made Takagi's favorite game, has come to guide Takagi on her next mission. Sakurazuki can be a bit harsh, but she's also an experienced leader who will help Takagi gain advanced skills - and the two women might just unlock a new romance along the way!

Author Bio

Mikan Uji is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series *Now Loading.*
After the failure of his uncle's business, the brilliant realist William Twining finds himself penniless. To make matters worse, demons appear before him, insisting he has the power to appoint the next King of Hell! The demons offer to pay his school tuition in exchange for his help. While his principles as a staunch realist prevent him from believing in them, how can William resist such a generous offer?

"Legends surrounding angels and demons seem to be a particularly rich source of inspiration. Series like Devils and Realist take that inspiration, but then spins the stories and their interpretations to create something entirely different." - Ash Brown, Experiments in Manga

Author Bio

Location: Madoka Takadono - Japan

Madoka Takadono is a Japanese author best known as the writer of Gun Princess and Devils and Realist.

Utako Yukihiro is a Japanese manga artist whose works include Uta no Prince-sama and Devils and Realist.
Extraterrestrial beings have invaded our garden world, hellbent on wiping humanity off the face of the planet. The only hope is a specialized force of genetically-engineered female "Pandoras" and their male partners known as "Limiters," who represent the last line of defense against a horrific alien force.

Kazuya Aoi is a Limiter who enrolls in a prestigious academy that trains genetically-engineered soldiers. Having made a promise to his Pandora sister who died in battle, Kazuya must overcome his sadness and become the best he can be. His first major obstacle is a frigid second-year student known as Satellizer el Bridget, who has remained undefeated in combat simulation. Does Kazuya have what it takes to beat her while readying himself for an impending war?

**Author Bio**

Dall-Young Lim is a Korean author best known as the creator of *Black God* and *Freezing*. Kwang-Hyun Kim is a Korean artist best known for his work on *Freezing*.
Holy Corpse Rising Vol. 6
by Hosana Tanaka

A supernatural fantasy about witches, for fans of Blood Lad and Witchcraft Works!

In fifteenth century Rome witches have declared war against humanity. A young man named Nikola, whose parents were cruelly murdered by a witch before his eyes, discovers that he is now the key to winning the war. Using sorcery skills acquired through years of careful study, Nikola must revive twelve witches known as the First Witches who will become his allies and weapons to defeat the other evil witches. But there is one small hitch: to revive them from their eternal slumber, Nikola must form a marriage contract with each witch. Just how many witches can Nikola marry in order to save the world?

Author Bio

Location: Japan

Hosana Tanaka is best known as the author and artist of Holy Corpse Rising

Notes

Promotion
Toradora! (Light Novel) Vol. 4
by Yuyuko Takemiya, illustrated by Yasu

The original light novel that inspired the hit manga and anime series!

Takasu Ryuuji has learned the hard way that appearances can be deceiving. For despite his inwardly sweet personality, his unintentionally sharp gaze and aggressive features give him the air of a delinquent thug, putting his chances at making new friends, let alone a girlfriend, next to zero.

It's Ryuuji's first day of his second year of high school and it seems as if things are looking up. He gets to sit in between his only friend, Yuusaku, and more importantly, the girl he's secretly crushing on, Kushieda Minori. But just when he thinks the stars are aligned in his favor, he unwittingly crosses the most feared girl in school, Aisaka Taiga, making her into his arch enemy. To top it off, Taiga has moved in right next door to Ryuuji and happens to be Minori's best friend! Can this school year possibly get any worse?!

With a heartwarming story and two interesting protagonists, the series is well worth giving your time to. Whether you're new to the series or a Toradora! veteran, this one belongs in your collection. - Anime UK News

"I feel like we've been waiting forever for this series, and luckily it's been worth it: Yuyuko Takemiya's slice-of-life romance is just as charming as its anime adaptation." - Anime News Network

Author Bio

Yuyuko Takemiya is the author of Toradora!, Golden Time, and Evergreen. Yasu is an illustrator best known for the art in the Toradora! light novels.
Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid: Kanna’s Daily Life Vol. 4
by coolkyousinnjya, illustrated by Mitsuhiro Kimura

The brand new *Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid* spin-off series starring the fan favorite dragon, Kanna!

After leaving her otherworldly home to find her fellow dragon, Tohru, young Kanna found herself unofficially adopted by Tohru and her human companion, Miss Kobayashi. From attending elementary school to making new friends, Kanna learns to adjust to the human world with the curiosity and cuteness that only a young dragon could have!

Author Bio

Coolkyoushinjya is a Japanese creator best known for his works *Komori-san Can’t Decline*, *I Can’t Understand What My Husband Is Saying*, and *Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid* - all of which have received anime adaptations. Mitsuhiro Kimura is a Japanese manga artist best known for *Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid: Kanna’s Daily Life*
Boogiepop Omnibus Vol. 4-6 (Light Novel)
by Kouhei Kadono, illustrated by Kouji Ogata

The next three novels of Kouhei Kadono's modern classic that sparked the light novel craze in Japan - including two novels never-before-released in English!

There is an urban legend that children tell one another about a shinigami that can release people from the pain they may be suffering. This Angel of Death* has a name: Boogiepop. And the legends are true. Boogiepop is real.

Told in a non-linear fashion that asks the reader to piece together the sequence of events to solve the mysteries alongside the characters, Kouhei Kadono's first Boogiepop novel took First Place in Media Works' Dengeki Game Novel Contest in 1997 and ignited the Japanese "light novel" trend. Today, there are over 2 million Boogiepop novels in print, a feature film and manga adaptation based on the first book, an original manga entitled Boogiepop Dual, and the unforgettable original anime series Boogiepop Phantom.

"Kadono has proven that his series is one that should be on everyone's shelf."
- ANIMEONDVD.COM

"Boogiepop rips the rules of narrative wide open."
- ANIME NEWS NETWORK

"Boogiepop and Others is something that should attract and interest any fans of the supernatural and of mysteries of any sort."
- MANGANEWS.NET

Author Bio

Kouhei Kadono is an influential Japanese author best known for the Boogiepop series, which, after winning Media Works' Dengeki Game Novel Contest in 1997, is credited with sparking the modern light novel craze in Japan.

Kouji Ogata is a Japanese manga artist best known for the illustrations in the Boogiepop series.
Grimgar of Fantasy and Ash (Light Novel) Vol. 9
by Ao Jyumonji, illustrated by Eiri Shirai

The light novel fantasy epic that inspired a critically-acclaimed anime!

Haruhiro awakens to darkness and amnesia, among a group of strangers who can only remember their own names and nothing else. When they make it into the light, they discover Grimgar - a fantasy world that’s like something out of an RPG game. Without apparent skills or knowledge of their surroundings, Haruhiro and his newfound friends band together to form an adventuring party. Only by cooperating, using their wits, and learning new skills can they hope to survive in this dangerous land of monsters and magic.

Author Bio

Ao Jyumonji is a Japanese author best known for the Grimgar of Fantasy and Ash light novels. Eiri Shirai is a Japanese manga artist best known for the illustrations in Grimgar of Fantasy and Ash

Notes
How NOT to Summon a Demon Lord Vol. 3
by Yukiya Murasaki, illustrated by Naoto Fukuda

Fake it 'til you make it in this fantasy harem series - now with an anime!

An elite, but socially-stunted gamer finds himself in another world, inhabiting the body of his character Diablo! But despite his powers, his awkwardness keeps getting in the way - so he decides to pretend to be a Demon Lord and soon finds himself with a pair of slaves: a well-endowed elf and a cat girl. Together, they struggle with everything from interpersonal relationships to diabolical beast battles!

Author Bio

Location: Yukiya Murasaki - Japan; Naoto Fukuda - Japan

Yukiya Murasaki is a Japanese author best known for the Another World Demonlord and the Slavemagic of Two Summoner Girls light novels. Naoto Fukuda is a Japanese manga artist best known for the manga adaptation of Another World Demonlord and the Slavemagic of Two Summoner Girls.

Notes

Promotion
My Solo Exchange Diary Vol. 2
by Nagata Kabi

The sequel to the viral sensation *My Lesbian Experience with Loneliness!*

In this follow-up to the critical and commercial hit, Nagata Kabi uses engaging diary comics to explore her personal issues surrounding mental health, identity, and intimacy. Her relationship with her parents is growing more difficult than ever, and she struggles with the idea of living alone for the first time. Join her on her heart-wrenching, relatable journey through the challenges of adulthood.

Critical acclaim for *My Lesbian Experience with Loneliness:*


While the subject matter is by no means light, this moving and honest slice of life will resonate with anyone who has questioned themselves or ever been conflicted in their lives. And let's face it: that is all of us." - Judith Utz, *Teen Vogue*

"The self-discovery that follows is utterly fascinating." - Abraham Riesman, *Vulture*

"Sheds light on the complicated emotional and mental dynamics involved in lesbian relationships. Her story is an open, honest, and deeply personal look at her struggles to fight back against her eating disorder, stop self-harming, and learn more about her sexuality." - Ana Valens, *The Mary Sue*

"� this is a comic that (...)"

**Author Bio**

Kabi Nagata is a manga artist best known for her autobiographical comic, *My Lesbian Experience with Loneliness*
Saint Seiya: Saintia Sho Vol. 5
by Masami Kurumada, illustrated by Chimaki Kuori

The newest iteration of the genre defining Saint Seiya series - now with an anime adaptation!

In the wake of a space-wide civil war, instigated by Saga - the Gemini Gold Saint - a new team of Saints comes together with the goal of protecting their goddess Athena. This first all-women team of armored warriors, powered by the Zodiac, will use all their cunning, strength, and compassion to defend their worlds and oppose their very destinies.

As a comforting reminder or a bid to tap into 1980s nostalgia, it's perfect: the fights are brisk, hot-blooded, flashy affairs full of posturing, and the melodrama is loud and teary, exactly as Kurumada would have drawn it." - Otaku USA Magazine

"Saint Seiya: Saintia Sho has the appearance of a shojo series, but it's got the spark and spirit of a shonen. Drawn beautifully on every page, the characters and the worlds they're surrounded in feel very reminiscent of Chiho Saito's Revolutionary Girl Utena." - Boston Bastard Brigade

"Overall I really enjoyed this opening bravado to Saintia Sho. Shoko is the kind of female lead I like to follow in an action series: she adapts quickly to new situations, she already has some martial arts prowess so she isn't completely helpless when attacked by supernatural forces, and she's not a hot-headed idiot who gets herself into more trouble than she gets herself out of." - The OASG

"Saint Seiya: Saintia Sho Volume 1 is a (...)"

Author Bio

Masami Kurumada became globally renown through his popular Saint Seiya manga and anime, also known as Knights of the Zodiac in North America.

Chimaki Kuori is a Japanese manga creator best known for contributions to Persona 4 and Gundam Seed anthologies. Saint Seiya: Saintia Sho is Chimaki Kuori's most recent series.

Chimaki Kuori is a Japanese manga creator best known for contributions to Persona 4 and Gundam Seed anthologies. Saint Seiya: Saintia Sho is Chimaki Kuori's most recent series.
Fairy Tale Battle Royale Vol. 2
by Soraho Ina

In this new survival horror series, which fairy tale will be the last one standing?

Kuninaka Aoba is the target of bullies at school and wishes for nothing more than to be on good terms with her classmates. Her wish is granted, but at what cost? Suddenly, she's thrust down a rabbit hole, into a strangely familiar world from children's stories—only this version comes with a dark and gruesome twist. It's kill or be killed, in a fairy tale fight to the finish!

Author Bio

Soraho Ina is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Fairy Tale Battle Royale.
Inspired by Alice in Wonderland, a horror manga about humans shrinking - and learning to survive in their suddenly frightening world.

When humans en masse shrink down to a tiny size, a girl named Alice and her pup Poco find themselves struggling to survive. Surrounded by strange yet familiar sights, they work to make a new life. That's easier said than done, however, in a world that's bigger-and more dangerous-than ever.

Author Bio

Yugo Ishikawa is a veteran Japanese manga creator who has been publishing works since the 1980s, best known for the series Wonderland.
For fans of *High School of the Dead* comes an all-new zombie massacre!

Akira is your typical student living a conventional high school life. He has dreams and aspirations like everyone else, and an unrequited crush on his childhood friend, Kurumi. Unfortunately for him she seems more interested in Akira's best friend, Umezawa. And yet their innocent love triangle pales in comparison to what the three friends are about to experience, even if it may yet be their saving grace.

Students are suddenly turning into frenzied zombies, attacking and gorging themselves upon each other's flesh. The school is being torn apart until suddenly they stop. With the zombies apparently back to normal, the school is now divided between the previously turned and the unbitten. But how long will this peace last? And what caused students to turn in the first place? When any of your classmates could suddenly decide to have you for lunch, a friendly face can become the scariest thing in the room.

**Author Bio**

Tsukasa Saimura is a Japanese artist best known as the creator of *Hour of the Zombie*.
**Nameless Asterism Vol. 4**
by Kina Kobayashi

A charming series of romance and friendship where love is as boundless as space!

Shiratori, Washio, and Kotooka have been inseparable since they began junior high. However, Shiratori has a secret she’s been keeping from her best friends—she actually has a big crush on Washio! Not wanting to risk their friendship, she planned to keep it a secret forever, but when Shiratori learns that Washio has a crush on Kotooka, her desire to support her friends now conflicts with her own feelings. First love blossoms in unexpected ways for these three young women and their circle of friends in this charming new romance!

**Author Bio**

Location: Japan

Kina Kobayashi is a Japanese creator best known for *Nameless Asterism*.
Made in Abyss Vol. 5
by Akihito Tsukushi

Explore endless possibilities in this fantasy series - now with an anime adaptation!

In an age when the corners of the world have been scoured for their secrets, only one place remains unexplored - a massive cave system known as the Abyss. Those who traverse its endless pits and labyrinth-like tunnels are known as Cave Raiders. A young orphan named Rico dreams of following in her mother's footsteps as a Cave Raider, and when she meets a strange robot when exploring the Abyss, she's one step closer to achieving her goal!

♦ the start of a fascinating story that should deliver plenty of emotion. Whether you're already a fan of the anime version or not, Made in Abyss’ manga is a journey worth undertaking." - Rebecca Silverman, Anime News Network

Author Bio

Akihito Tsukushi is a Japanese manga artist best known for Made in Abyss

Notes

Promotion
The Ancient Magus' Bride Vol. 10
by Kore Yamazaki

The New York Times bestselling series about a gifted young girl and the demonic sorcerer who takes her in - now with an anime adaptation!

Hatori Chise has lived a life full of neglect and abuse, devoid of anything resembling love. Far from the warmth of family, she has had her share of troubles and pitfalls. Just when all hope seems lost, a fated encounter awaits her. When a man with the head of a beast, wielding strange powers, obtains her through a slave auction, Chise's life will never be the same again. The man is a magus," a sorcerer of great power, who decides to free Chise from the bonds of captivity. The magus then makes a bold statement: Chise will become his apprentice - and his wife!

"Bride has what you might call a humdinger of a premise." - Glenn Kenny, New York Times

"the execution is so strong that I'm ready to follow wherever it leads. The Ancient Magus' Bride is a generous work, full of magic and mystery." - Anime News Network

Author Bio

Kore Yamazaki is best known as the author and artist of The Ancient Magus’ Bride
Machimaho: I Messed Up and Made the Wrong Person Into a Magical Girl! Vol. 2
by  Souryuu

A naughty, delinquent twist on the magical girl genre!

While searching for a brave candidate to become a magical girl and defend the world from evil, a mythical creature finds Kayo Majiba, a cute young lady who seems like the perfect fit. But when this newly turned magical girl proves to be a crude delinquent who goes berserk in a conflict, it becomes clear that this may have been a terrible mistake. Now evil - and any innocent bystanders - will face the rage of a magical girl gone wrong!

Author Bio

Souryuu is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Machimaho: I Messed Up and Made the Wrong Person Into a Magical Girl!
Every so often, a child is born with the features of a legendary being. From long, graceful elvish ears, to burly dwarven muscles, or an oni's horns, you never quite know who, or what, you'll see walking down the street these days. However, none of these individuals are born with the inherent traits their species are known for, and no one is more painfully aware of this than Kazamori. Born with the appearance of an elf, everyone expects her to wield magic, but she just can't do it! Kazamori has managed to hide this fact until now, but when an ordinary human who can use his own science-based version of magic learns the truth about her, what's a young elf girl in high school to do?

Author Bio

Location: Japan

Noro Shunsuke is a Japanese manga creator best known for his debut work, *Species Domain.*
Precarious Woman Executive Miss Black General Vol. 3
by Jin

The slapstick superhero comedy that inspired hilarious animated shorts!

It's not easy being a supervillain when you're crushing hard on your superhero nemesis. Miss Black General is the evil executive of the secret organization RX and dreams of world domination. Problem is, Brave Man - the hero that gives her warm fuzzies - is set on thwarting all of her dastardly plots. To make matters even more complicated, Miss Black General has a habit of misinterpreting Brave Man's counterattacks - as flirtation. This slapstick comedy puts a romantic twist on the age-old battle of good vs. evil!

Author Bio

Jin is a Japanese manga artist best known for Precarious Woman Executive Miss Black General.

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Promotion
Alice & Zoroku Vol. 5
by Tetsuya Imai

A group of young girls possesses a mysterious power known as "Alice's Dream," which gives them the ability to turn their thoughts into reality. Detained and experimented upon, these youths are locked away in secret until one of them manages to escape. Her name is Sana—a girl with the power to ignore the very laws of physics. When this willful powerhouse crosses paths with a stubborn old man named Zoroku, his carefully-ordered life will never be the same again!

Author Bio

Location: Japan

Tetsuya Imai is a Japanese manga creator best known for Alice & Zoroku

Notes

Promotion
A young man begins life anew as a lowly goblin in this action-packed *shonen* fantasy manga!

Tomokui Kanata has suffered an early death, but his adventures are far from over. He is reborn into a fantastical world of monsters and magic - but as a lowly goblin! Not about to let that stop him, the now renamed Rou uses his new physical prowess and his old memories to plow ahead in a world where consuming other creatures allows him to acquire their powers.

**Author Bio**

Location: Kanekiru Kogitsune - Japan; Kobayakawa Haruyoshi - Japan

Kanekiru Kogitsune is a Japanese author best known as the creator of the *Re:Monster* series of light novels and manga. Kobayakawa Haruyoshi is a manga artist best known for his work on *Re:Monster* and a manga adaptation of the video game, *BlazBlue*
The planet is in a constant state of tumult. Rival countries vie for power and resources while racing to create the latest technological breakthroughs; robots and cyborgs have become commonplace. What hope is left for a jaded humanity in an age of advances in cybernetics and artificial intelligence? Enter two cyborg girls outfitted with insurmountable combat capabilities. This is their story.

Author Bio

Rikudou Koushi is a Japanese manga author and artist best known as the creator of Excel Saga
The Girl From The Other Side: Siuil A Run Vol. 6
by Nagabe

An ethereal fantasy from the editorial team behind the New York Times bestselling series The Ancient Magus' Bride.

In a land far away, there were two kingdoms: the Outside, where twisted beasts roamed that could curse with a touch, and the Inside, where humans lived in safety and peace. The girl and the beast should never have met, but when they do, a quiet fairytale begins.

This is a story of two people - one human, one inhuman - who linger in the hazy twilight that separates night from day.

♦ The Girl from the Other Side is a masterfully told comic." - J. Caleb Mozzocco, School Library Journal: Good Comics for Kids

"One of the most fulfilling aspects of Siuil is this conveyance of comics as language, of words and pictures as unified text. ♦ It's been a while since I loved a book as unequivocally as I loved The Girl from the Other Side, and I'm eager to see where it goes next." - Zainab Akhtar, Comics & Cola

♦ the dread and mystery that permeate The Girl from the Other Side are so remarkable that there seems little point in doubting; it remains poised to continue as one of the most fascinating works of graphic fiction in recent memory." - Austin Price, Unwinnable

Author Bio

Nagabe is a manga creator best known for their series The Girl from the Other Side: Siuil, a Run.
How to Treat Magical Beasts: Mine and Master's Medical Journal Vol. 3
by Kaziya

The young mage Ziska, along with her mentor - a very unusual veterinarian - aim to save the mystical creatures disappearing from their world!

In an age of science and forgotten magic, mythic beasts are beginning to disappear from the world. A young girl named Ziska, born into a line of mages, becomes the apprentice to a veterinarian of regular animals-but Ziska's interests lie with beasts of a more magical nature. Can she help these creatures of legend survive in a world that is leaving them behind?

Author Bio

Kajiya is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series How to Treat Magical Beasts

Notes

Promotion
Boyish high school girl Aizawa Tomo finally manages to tell her childhood friend Jun that she’s got a crush on him. Unfortunately, her confession goes right over his head—he didn’t even realize she was a girl until middle school, and even now, Jun still thinks of her as a bro! How can Tomo-chan possibly convince him otherwise and win Jun’s heart?

Author Bio

Fumita Yanagida is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Tomo-chan is a Girl!
The Ideal Sponger Life Vol. 1
by Tsunehiko Watanabe, illustrated by Neko Hinotsuki

Summoned to another world to bed a sexy queen?!

One day, average salaryman Yamai Zenjirou has an out-of-this-world experience - literally! He's pulled from Earth and dragged to another world where magic thrives and a gorgeous, powerful queen needs a consort. Now he's being pressured to marry that very monarch and help her bear a child. Will Zenjirou accept this life of lazy, luxurious love at the cost of leaving his home behind?

Author Bio

Tsunehiko Watanabe is a Japanese author best known for The Ideal Sponger Life.

Neko Hinotsuki is a Japanese manga artist best known for the manga adaptation of The Ideal Sponger Life.
The Bride & the Exorcist Knight Vol. 3
by Keiko Ishihara

Monsters and marriage await in this new supernatural shojo series!

Demons have been attracted to Anne her entire life. At age seventeen, she learns that a demon lord wants to marry her-and literally drag her into hell! Luckily, she's got a talented young exorcist to keep her safe from the powerful fiend. There's just one issue: the brash exorcist is in love with her, too.

Author Bio

Keiko Ishihara is a Japanese manga artist best known for her series, The Bride & The Exorcist Knight.

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Promotion
The Ancient Magus' Bride: The Silver Yarn (Light Novel) 2
by Kore Yamazaki

A self-contained novel collection of stories for The Ancient Magus' Bride!

The Ancient Magus' Bride: The Golden Yarn and The Ancient Magus' Bride: The Silver Yarn are collections of prose short stories that expand the beloved world and characters from The Ancient Magus' Bride. In addition to stories by Kore Yamazaki herself, the books include works by prominent authors such as Yuuichirou Higashide, writer on Fate/Apocrypha and Fate/Grand Order, and Yoshinobu Akita, author of Sorcerous Stabber Orphen. Each self-contained volume is a unique and magical addition to any bookshelf.

What conflict all these lovely details might be leading towards is a mystery so far, but the execution is so strong that I'm ready to follow wherever it leads. "The Ancient Magus' Bride is a generous work, full of magic and mystery." - Anime News Network

Author Bio

Kore Yamazaki is best known as the author and artist of The Ancient Magus' Bride

Notes

Promotion
Total Eclipse of the Eternal Heart
by Syundei

A Boy’s Love drama about dark connections by the creator of Go For It, Nakamura!

High schooler Hoshino Terumichi has been haunted by a recurring dream: a young man, a century earlier, dying at the hands of another man he calls Sensei.” This dream - or curse - is about to merge with reality when a mysterious, attractive classmate named Yamada Omihito steps into Terumichi's life.

Author Bio

Syundei is a manga artist best known for Go For It, Nakamura!
Citrus Vol. 9
by Saburouta

For fans of Girl Friends and Strawberry Panic! comes the New York Times bestselling yuri series - now with an anime adaptation!

Yuzuko Aihara, a high school girl whose main interests are fashion, friends, and having fun, is about to get a reality check. Due to her mom's remarriage, Yuzu has transferred to a new, all-girls school that is extremely strict. Her real education is about to begin.

From day one, happy-go-lucky Yuzu makes enemies, namely the beautiful yet stern Student Council President Mei. So what happens when a dejected Yuzu returns home and discovers the shock of her life: that Mei is actually her new step-sister who has come to live with her? Even more surprising, when Mei catches Yuzu off guard and kisses her out of the blue, what does it all mean?

Author Bio

Saburouta is a Japanese artist best known as the author and artist of Citrus.
Didn't I Say to Make My Abilities Average in the Next Life?! (Light Novel) Vol. 5
by FUNA, illustrated by Itsuki Akata

Be careful what you wish for in this magical comedy about the pitfalls of rebirth!

When she turns ten years old, Adele von Ascham is hit with a horrible headache - and memories of her previous life as an eighteen-year-old Japanese girl named Kurihara Misato. That life changed abruptly, however, when Misato died trying to aid a little girl and met god. During that meeting, she made an odd request and asked for average abilities in her next life. But few things - especially wishes - ever go quite as planned.

♦ I found reading this book an absolute hoot, and it was also nice to see a standard "other world" series where the focus is on a girl and her friendships and not possible romantic interests." - Sean Gaffney, A Case Suitable for Treatment (Manga Bookshelf)

"If you missed this one when it was released as an e-book back in February, it's worth picking up in hard copy - it works well within its subgenre and is also a nice break from the general tendency towards bringing over isekai works with heroes rather than heroines." - Anime News Network

Author Bio

Funa is a Japanese author best known for the light novel series In the Next Life, Make My Abilities Average! and its spin-off series. Itsuki Akata is a Japanese manga artist best known for the art in the In the Next Life, Make My Abilities Average! light novel series.
Versailles of the Dead Vol. 2
by Kumiko Suekane

The French Revolution with zombies?! A slick, gender-bending twist on history!

While en route from Austria to marry Louis XVI and become the Queen of France, Marie Antoinette’s carriage is intercepted by bloodthirsty zombies. The sole survivor of the attack is Marie’s twin brother, Albert. He heads for Versailles in his sister’s gown—and instead of continuing life as himself, decides to take his sister’s place. Now at the heart of the French royal court, Albert must face the undead horrors as the man who would be queen.

Author Bio

Kumiko Suekane is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Versailles of the Dead and a spin-off manga for Blood: The Last Vampire.
Arifureta: From Commonplace to World's Strongest (Manga) Vol. 4
by Ryo Shirakome, illustrated by RoGa

The manga adaptation of the fan-favorite light novel series - with an anime coming in 2019!

When a classroom of students is transported to another world to act as its saviors, Hajime Nagumo finds himself the weakest link. As his friends and classmates are granted strong classes and impressive abilities due to their existing skills, he is given the weak title of Synergist. When a dungeon quest leaves him separated from his group, Hajime must discover his own talents or be left to rot in this world forever.

Author Bio

Ryo Shirakome is a Japanese author best known for Arifureta: From Commonplace to World's Strongest. RoGa is a Japanese manga artist best known for the manga adaptation of Arifureta: From Commonplace to World's Strongest.
New Game! Vol. 5
by Shotaro Tokuno

The original manga about making it in the video game industry that inspired the hit anime!

Aoba Suzukaze may look like a middle schooler, but she's actually a character designer fresh out of high school. Not only is she working for the company that put out one of her favorite games, she also gets to spend her days modeling and creating characters. Follow her adorable shenanigans in this 4-panel slice-of-life as she learns the ropes of the industry and gets to know her co-workers.

Author Bio

Shoutarou Tokunou is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series New Game!
Getter Robo Devolution Vol. 3
by Ken Ishikawa and Eiichi Shimizu, illustrated by Tomohiro Shimoguchi

A modern reimagining of a genre classic, by the creators who brought you the Ultraman manga!

When strange alien creatures known as the Devolved begin attacking our universe through distortions in space, three young pilots are recruited to combat them. The trio are connected by Getter Rays - a mysterious cosmic radiation - and with its power are capable of piloting the most powerful robot known to mankind: Getter Robo!

Author Bio

Ken Ishikawa was a Japanese manga author best known for Getter Robo and Maju Sensen. Eiichi Shimizu is a Japanese manga author best known for Getter Robo and the manga adaptation of Ultraman. Tomohiro Shimoguchi is a Japanese manga artist best known for Getter Robo and the manga adaptation of Ultraman.

Notes

Promotion
Ultra Kaiju Humanization Project feat.POP Comic code
Vol. 3
by POP and Shun Kazakami

The sidesplitting gag manga that reimagines the monstrous kaiju from Ultraman as adorable high school girls!

When evil aliens arrive on Earth seeking its destruction, it’s up to the planet’s kaiju monsters to save the day! But things aren’t exactly as you’d expect. These kaiju may be adorable young women, but they’re no less ready to kick some alien butt!

Author Bio

Location: POP - Japan; Shun Kazakami - Japan

POP is a Japanese artist known for their design work on a variety of manga, merchandise, and illustrated children’s novels. Shun Kazakami is a Japanese manga artist best known for Ultra Kaiju Anthropomorphic Project feat.POP

Notes

Promotion
The popular science-fiction series of naval strategy and political drama continues!

It's been seventeen long years since the Fleet of Fog - a mysterious, unmanned fleet of powerful vessels that appeared out of nowhere - took control of the oceans, barring humanity from traveling between continents or islands.

Now, a weapon powerful enough to damage the Fog's vessels has finally been invented, and there's just one way of getting the critical information and prototypes from Japan to America, where the weapon can be produced. The submarine I-401, with its humanoid avatar - a mental model named Iona, who's taken the shape of a young girl - was once part of the Fleet of Fog, but has chosen to side with humanity. Captained by Chihaya Gunzo and his crew, the I-401 is the only ship under human control that can move freely through the seas. But she answers only to her captain, and he answers to no one.

"an interesting, exciting story of mysterious vessels and warfare on the high seas." - Rebecca Silverman, Anime News Network

"an excellent mix of sci-fi and naval combat backed up with an exploration of human emotions through an entertaining cast of sentient battleships." - Richard Eisenbeis, Kotaku

**Author Bio**

Location: Japan

Ark Performance is a Japanese author/artist duo responsible for *Arpeggio of Blue Steel* with Seven Seas, as well as the series *Samurai Commando*; they are also a contributor to the *Trigun: Multiple Bullets* anthology.
A Centaur's Life Vol. 16
by Kei Murayama

Now an anime on Crunchyroll! Being a teenager is never easy—especially for a centaur!

Himeno is a sweet, shy girl, who, like many teens her age, struggles with the trials and tribulations of attending high school. The difference is she's a centaur; but she's not alone. In fact, all of her classmates are supernatural creatures, sporting either horns, wings, tails, halos, or some other unearthly body appendage. Yet despite their fantastical natures, Himeno and her best friends - the dragon-winged Nozomi, and Kyoko with her spiraled horns - are down to earth, fun-loving teenagers who grapple with issues of life and love in a mostly normal daily school setting.

Author Bio

Kei Murayama is a Japanese manga author and artist whose A Centaur's Life won the eighth Comic Ryujin Award in Japan.
My Monster Secret Vol. 15
by Eiji Masuda

A monster-filled high school rom-com - now a New York Times bestseller and a hit anime series!

High school student Kuromine Asahi is the kind of guy who literally cannot tell a lie. Whether it's trying to maintain a poker face in a simple game of cards or keeping scurrilous gossip to himself, Asahi is a total failure when it comes to the art of deception.

So what happens when he stumbles upon the most shocking secret of his life? When Asahi learns that Shiragami Youko, a beautiful girl of few words, is actually a vampire, can Asahi possibly keep his lips sealed?

*My Monster Secret is comfort food done right.* - Nick Creamer, Anime News Network

Author Bio

Eiji Masuda is a Japanese manga-ka best known as the creator of *My Monster Secret.*
An exciting spin on the world of beach volleyball - now with an anime!

When high schooler Haruka moves to Okinawa, she finds herself enamored with the beach right outside her front door and resolves to form a volleyball team with her cousin, Kanata. However, because she's so short, Kanata gave up on volleyball ages ago. Can Haruka get her to take up the sport again in time for the junior tournament?

**Author Bio**

Nyoijizai is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series *Harukana Receive*.
Akashic Records of Bastard Magic Instructor Vol. 6
by Hitsuji Tarou, illustrated by Tsunemi Aosa

Based on a popular light novel comes one girl’s story of trying to become the strongest magic user - despite having the laziest of instructors!

Sisti is a young magic-user in training who attends prestigious magical academy where she hopes to be trained by the best of the best. However, when her instructor suddenly retires, his replacement is anything but what Sisti had hoped for - lazy, incompetent, and always late! Can Sisti still learn magic and unravel the mystery of Sky Castle with such a terrible teacher to lead her?

Author Bio

Tarou Hitsuji is a Japanese light novel author best known for Akashic Records of Bastard Magical Instructor. Aosa Tsunemi is a Japanese manga artist best known for his manga adaptation of Akashic Records of Bastard Magical Instructor

Notes
Arifureta: From Commonplace to World’s Strongest (Light Novel) Vol. 5
by Ryo Shirakome, illustrated by Takaya-ki

The bestselling fantasy light novel comes to print for the first time!

Seventeen-year-old Hajime Nagumo is your average, everyday *otaku*. However, his simple life of pulling all-nighters and sleeping in school is suddenly turned upside down when he, along with the rest of his class, is summoned to a fantasy world! They’re treated like heroes and tasked with the duty of saving the human race from utter extinction. But what should have been any *otaku*’s paradise quickly turns into Hajime’s nightmare. While the rest of his class are blessed with godlike powers, Hajime’s job, Synergist, only has a single transmutation skill. Ridiculed and bullied by his classmates for being weak, he soon finds himself in despair. Will he be able to survive in this dangerous world of monsters and demons with only a glorified blacksmith’s level of strength?

… Hajime has to *learn* how to become superpowered and how to become a hero all on his own. It’s a good twist on the genre conventions and really points out (through the parallel character of the class prince) that just having the powers isn’t enough to make you a real warrior, much less hero." - Rebecca Silverman, *Anime News Network*

**Author Bio**

Ryo Shirakome is a Japanese author best known for *Arifureta: From Commonplace to World’s Strongest*. Takaya-ki is a Japanese artist best known for their illustrations in *Arifureta: From Commonplace to World’s Strongest*.
Clockwork Planet (Light Novel) Vol. 4
by Yuu Kamiya and Tsubaki Himana, illustrated by Shino

From the creator of No Game, No Life comes an all-new steampunk light novel series that inspired an anime!

The Earth has died, but the entire planet has been reconstructed using gears and clockwork. One thousand years later, a mysterious black box crashes into the house of a high school gearhead named Naoto Miura, a machine otaku who is obsessed with tinkering. The box contains the broken body of an automaton girl. When Naoto repairs the automaton and she becomes his clockwork companion, Naoto's world will never be the same again.

Author Bio

Yuu Kamiya is a Japanese author best known for No Game, No Life.

Tsubaki Himana is a Japanese author best known for Clockwork Planet.

Shino is a Japanese manga artist best known for the illustrations in the Clockwork Planet light novel, and as a contributor to a variety of anthology series.

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Non Non Biyori Vol. 11
by Atto

The manga series that inspired a hit anime adaptation, for fans of *Yotsuba!*

Welcome to the countryside village of Asahigaoka, a quaint town far removed from the hustle-and-bustle of the big city. You couldn’t imagine a more isolated setting in all of Japan. So when Tokyo-raised elementary school student Hotaru Ichijo transfers to the tiny Asahigaoka Branch School due to her father’s job, she’s in for the culture shock of her life!

Join Hotaru and her new friends, the eccentric Renge and the mischievous sisters Natsumi and Komari, as they share daily adventures in the idyllic Japanese countryside.

Author Bio

Atto is a Japanese artist best known as the creator of *Non Non Biyori*
What do world governments do when they learn that fantastical beings are not merely fiction, but flesh and blood - not to mention feather, hoof, and fang? Why, they create new regulations, of course! The Interspecies Cultural Exchange Accord ensures that these once-mythical creatures assimilate into human society or else!

When hapless human twenty-something Kurusu Kimihito becomes an involuntary "volunteer" in the government homestay program for monster girls, his world is turned upside down. A reptilian lamia named Miia is sent to live with him, and it is Kimihito's job to tend to her every need and make sure she integrates into his everyday life. While cold-blooded Miia is so sexy she makes Kimihito's blood boil with desire, the penalties for interspecies breeding are dire.

Even worse, when a buxom centaur named Centorea and a scantily clad harpy named Papi move into Kimihito's house, what's a full-blooded young man with raging hormones to do?!

"Monster Musume is a fun, sexy harem story. If you're in the mood for a raunchy comedy that still has a brain, look no further than this."
- Anime News Network

Author Bio

Location: Japan

OKAYADO is a Japanese manga artist best known for his New York Times best selling series Monster Musume and 12 Beast. He recently visited North America for the first time as a special guest at Anime Expo 2016.
Himouto! Umaru-chan Vol. 5
by Sankakuhead

The basis for the hit anime about a lovable brat in a hamster suit, in English at last!

In public, Umaru Doma appears to be the perfect high school student: hard-working, refined, and totally responsible. But the minute she gets home to her older brother Taihei - and dons her famous hamster hoodie - she devolves into the ultimate bratty little sister! She's happy to roll around all day in an otaku cloud of games and junk food while her exhausted older brother takes care of everything in the house. In this hilarious comedy about family, friendship, and the nonsense we put up with (from the people we love), Umaru and Taihei will find a way to make it work!

Author Bio

Sankakuhead is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Himouto! Umaru-chan.
An adventurer discovers treasure of a different kind - becoming a father to a young demoness!

While on a job deep in the forest, Dale - a young, but famed adventurer - comes across a little devil girl who's almost wasted away. Unable to just leave her there to die, Dale takes her home and becomes her adoptive father. Devil or not, Latina is beyond adorable, and the adventurer soon finds himself head over heels with being a parent. But why was she out in the forest in the first place - and why does she carry the mark of a criminal?

Author Bio

Chirolu is a Japanese author best known for the light novel and manga series If It's for My Daughter, I'd Even Defeat a Demon Lord. Hota is a Japanese manga artist best known for the artwork in the If It's for My Daughter, I'd Even Defeat a Demon Lord manga adaptation.
Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid Vol. 8
by coolkyousinnjya

A comedic tale of a young woman's relationship with a magical transforming dragon maid - now with an anime adaptation!

Miss Kobayashi is your average office worker who lives a boring life alone in her small apartment - until she saves the life of a female dragon in distress. The dragon, named Tohru, has the ability to magically transform into an adorable human girl (albeit with horns and a long tail!), who will do anything to pay off her debt of gratitude, whether Miss Kobayashi likes it or not. With a very persistent and amorous dragon as a roommate, nothing comes easy, and Miss Kobayashi's normal life is about to go off the deep end!

◊ a book that's both touching and laugh-out-loud funny at once." - Rebecca Silverman, Anime News Network

Author Bio

Coolkyoushinja is a Japanese creator best known for his works Komori-san Can't Decline, I Can't Understand What My Husband Is Saying, and Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid - all of which have received anime adaptations.

Notes

Promotion
The story of an elf struggling to lose weight - after she discovered human French fries!

Naoe-kun, a massage therapist, is about to head home for the day when he's saddled with a rather strange patient. This lovely lady has emerald eyes, pointy ears, and grew up in the forest—everything about her screams elf," except for one thing: her bodacious body. It turns out she left her world but loves junk food in this one, and now her obsession has caught up with her. Can Naoe-kun help this lovable elf girl lose the weight—and keep it off?

Author Bio

Synecdoche is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Plus-Sized Elf.
Accomplishments of the Duke's Daughter Vol. 3
by Reia, illustrated by Suki Umemiya

It's hard to get a happy ending when you're stuck in a game - as the antagonist!

Iris, an otome game addict with no time for romance, gets hit by a truck after getting out of work one day - but instead of dying, she finds herself in the world of a game she'd played just hours earlier. However, she's not reborn as the game's protagonist, the main heartthrob of the harem. Instead, she starts her new life as the antagonist, right at the moment she's being sent to live in a nunnery - for the rest of her life!

Author Bio

An all-new series featuring a contemporary take on one of the most revered and recognizable characters in science fiction history!

When Tadashi Daiba’s father is murdered by invaders known as the Mazon, he becomes frustrated in the face of the Earth government’s flippant attitude. Landing himself in prison, Tadashi finds himself invited aboard the battleship Arcadia, controlled by none other than the legendary Captain Harlock. Joining his crew on their journey through space, Tadashi’s future will lead him to confront not only the Mazon, but the many other forces across the universe threatening humanity’s very existence.

Harlock leads the way to a world of new ideas."
- James Cameron (Film Director)

Author Bio

Leiji Matsumoto is one of Japan's most influential manga creators. He is best known for Galaxy Express 999, Captain Harlock, and an animated collaboration with Western musical duo, Daft Punk. Kouichi Shimahoshi is a Japanese manga artist who made his debut on the highly-acclaimed remake of Captain Harlock.
Little Devils Vol. 3
by Uuumi

Prepare for one hell of a babysitting job in this slice of life comedy about a dozen little devils!

After the defeat of the demon king, twelve adorable demons were born into the world. God orders Byron, a hero, to raise the little devils into paragons of virtue - for the sake of peace across the land. Now Byron must summon household powers and slay domestic chores in the life-or-death struggle of raising little kids!

Author Bio

Uuumi is a Japanese manga creator best known for the series Little Devils.
Sorry for My Familiar Vol. 4
by Tekka Yaguraba

A quirky comedy about a young demoness and her human familiar!

When the demon girl Patty finds she's too weak to summon an animal familiar, she chooses an old man named Norman to be her companion instead. Norman has a quirky appreciation for life in all its many forms and is quite the unconventional familiar for a demon like Patty. Together, they embark on an adventure driven by their shared weirdness!

Author Bio

Tekka Yaguraba is a Japanese manga creator best known for Sorry for My Familiar.
Dreamin' Sun Vol. 10
by Ichigo Takano

The latest manga series from the New York Times bestselling author Ichigo Takano!

Shimana Kameko lives in a home where she feels she doesn't belong. Her mother is dead, her father has remarried, and her six-month-old baby brother takes up everyone’s attention. Kameko skips school and runs away to a nearby park where she literally stumbles over a mysterious man in a kimono.

The stranger, Fujiwara Taiga, offers Kameko a place to stay – on three conditions. The first condition is that Kameko tell him why she ran away from home. The second is that she fetch the stranger’s lost apartment key (he is locked out!). The third condition is... to have a dream. Kameko meets the conditions, moves in, and begins a journey of romance and self-discovery.

Author Bio

Ichigo Takano, a Japanese manga-ka who specializes in shoujo manga, is best known as the creator of New York Times bestseller o range

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In the world of *Generation Witch*, 1% of the population are witches. Most non-magical people look up to these witches and envy their power, but as witches already know, sometimes these abilities can be more of a curse. When growing up already requires all the luck and effort a teenager can muster, what happens when you throw spells, brooms, and bubbling cauldrons into the mix?

**Author Bio**

Location: Japan

Isaki Uta is a manga creator best known for *Generation Witch.*
A comedy about two high school weirdos who find each other, from the creator of Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid!

Jigokumeguri Haru is rich, famous, and friendless. Thanks to her cold, stuck-up personality, she goes from school to school, looking for a place to fit in - but with no luck. When she crosses paths with Kawayanagi Tsurezure, she discovers that he gives her antisocial tendencies a run for their money. Has she finally found a kindred spirit?

Author Bio

Coolkyoushinjya is a Japanese creator best known for his works Komori-san Can't Decline, I Can't Understand What My Husband Is Saying, and Miss Kobayashi’s Dragon Maid - all of which have received anime adaptations.
Holy Corpse Rising Vol. 7
by Hosana Tanaka

A supernatural fantasy about witches, for fans of Blood Lad and Witchcraft Works!

In fifteenth century Rome witches have declared war against humanity. A young man named Nikola, whose parents were cruelly murdered by a witch before his eyes, discovers that he is now the key to winning the war. Using sorcery skills acquired through years of careful study, Nikola must revive twelve witches known as the First Witches who will become his allies and weapons to defeat the other evil witches. But there is one small hitch: to revive them from their eternal slumber, Nikola must form a marriage contract with each witch. Just how many witches can Nikola marry in order to save the world?

Author Bio

Hosana Tanaka is best known as the author and artist of Holy Corpse Rising.
True Tenchi Muyo! (Light Novel) Vol. 3
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Light novels based on the popular Tenchi Muyo! anime series - available in English for the first time!

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Author Bio

Location: Masaki Kajishima - Japan; Yousuke Kuroda - Japan

Masaki Kajishima is a Japanese anime artist best known for Tenchi Muyo!. Yousuke Kuroda is a Japanese anime screenwriter and author best known for Tenchi Muyo!, Excel Saga, and Mobile Suit Gundam 00.

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