



## Kansai Airports Group introduces new payment options at KIX, ITAMI and KOBE

- WeChat Pay becomes available with a special promotion -




Kansai Airports Group is introducing new payment options in series – WeChat Pay, UnionPay QR, UnionPay mobile QuickPass, and JCB Contactless – as an effort to promote cashless transactions at its three airports, Kansai International Airport (KIX), Osaka International Airport (ITAMI) and Kobe Airport (KOBE).

In recent years, KIX has been bustling with passengers from all around the world and there have been growing needs for a wide range of payment methods. Crowded cash registers have also been a problem at the three airports that serve, when combined, nearly 50 million passengers a year. To address these situations and provide airport guests with a stress-free shopping environment, Kansai Airports Group has been actively pushing forward cashless payment services.

Kansai Airports Group will introduce more payment services including WeChat Pay to further enhance customer convenience, adding up to a total of 20 payment options available at the three airports. Along with that, it will unify payment terminals across these airports, making payment processes more user-friendly. This is expected to help simplify shop operations, ease congestion at cash registers and meet diversifying payment needs. The airports are further planning to implement cashless transaction promotions such as campaigns jointly organized with payment service brands.

Kansai Airports Group is committed to actively introducing state-of-the-art technology and services to create a comfortable and convenient airport environment for all airport guests.

### • New payment services

Brand	Details of services	Timing of introduction
<b>WeChat Pay</b> (微信支付) 	QR Code payment solution incorporated into WeChat, China's most used messaging apps. Users can make quick and safe mobile payments. A special promotion will be offered at KIX from May 20 to June 20.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Available at KIX from May 20 (Available from summer on the pre-order website of KIX DUTY FREE stores)</li> <li>- Available soon at ITAMI and KOBE</li> </ul>
<b>UnionPay QuickPass</b> 	Contactless payment via a mobile payment app jointly developed by China UnionPay and commercial banks.	Available from April
<b>UnionPay QR</b> 	UnionPay's QR Code payment service with excellent security, which complies with the specifications of EMVCo, an organization comprised of six international companies – American Express, Discover, JCB, Mastercard, UnionPay and Visa.	Available from around the end of June
<b>JCB Contactless</b> 	JCB's contactless payment solution. Users simply need to tap their JCB card or smartphone on a reader.	Available from April

### • Payment services available at KIX, ITAMI and KOBE from May 20

Brand
Visa, Mastercard, JCB, American Express, Diners, UnionPay, Alipay, transportation IC cards such as ICOCA, iD, Rakuten Edy, WAON, PiTaPa, QUICPay, VISA contactless, Mastercard Contactless, American Express Contactless, WeChat Pay (only available at KIX), UnionPay mobile QuickPass, UnionPay QR, JCB Contactless

New payment methods will be rolled out in phases from May 20, 2019.

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**KIX ITAMI KOBE**



Kansai Airports was established by a consortium made up of VINCI Airports and ORIX Corporation as its core members. Kansai Airports took over the operations of Kansai International Airport (“KIX”) and Osaka International Airport (“ITAMI”) from New Kansai International Airport Company (“NKIAC”) and has been operating the two airports since April 1, 2016.

Kansai Airports Kobe, Kansai Airports’ wholly-owned subsidiary, took over the operations of Kobe Airport (“KOBE”) from Kobe City and started its business as an operating company on April 1, 2018.

Under the concept of “One Kansai Airports Group”, Kansai Airports group strives to continuously improve its services for all airport guests through appropriate investments and efficient operations, with safety and security being the top priority. Kansai Airports group aims to maximize the potential of the three airports, for the benefit of the communities they serve.

For more information, please visit : <http://www.kansai-airports.co.jp/en/>

### Kansai Airports

Location	1-banchi, Senshu-kuko kita, Izumisano-shi, Osaka	Shareholders	ORIX 40%, VINCI Airports 40%, Other investors 20% <sup>1</sup>
Company Representatives	Representative Director and CEO:Yoshiyuki Yamaya Representative Director and Co-CEO: Emmanuel Menanteau		
Business Scope	Operation and management services, etc. of Kansai International Airport and Osaka International Airport		

### Kansai Airports Kobe

Location	1-ban, Kobe-kuko, Chuo-ku, Kobe-shi, Hyogo	Shareholder	Kansai Airports 100%
Company Representatives	Representative Director and CEO: Yoshiyuki Yamaya Representative Director and Co-CEO: Emmanuel Menanteau		
Business Scope	Operation and management services, etc. of Kobe Airport		



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VINCI Airports, as the leading private airport operator in the world, manages the development and operation of 46 airports located in France, Portugal, the United Kingdom, Sweden, Serbia, Cambodia, Japan, the United States, Dominican Republic, Costa Rica, Chile and Brazil. Served by around 250 airlines, VINCI Airports’ network handled 240 million passengers in 2018.

Through its expertise as a comprehensive integrator, VINCI Airports develops, finances, builds and operates airports, leveraging its investment capability, international network and know-how to optimize the management and performance of existing airport infrastructure, facility extensions and new-build construction projects. In 2018, its annual revenue for managed activities amounted to €3.6 billion, for consolidated revenue of €1.6 billion.

More comprehensive information is available on [www.vinci-airports.com](http://www.vinci-airports.com)

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