



Hainan Airlines to launch KIX-Xi'an service - Three weekly-flights starting from July 1-

Kansai Airports is excited to announce that Hainan Airlines (HU) will be launching three-weekly flights between Kansai International Airport (KIX) and Xi'an on July 1, 2019.

This will be the third destination to mainland China offered by Hainan Airlines after Shenzhen and Haikou. The airline is well-reputed and was awarded the Skytrax World 5-Star Airline rating for the eighth consecutive year in 2018.

Xi'an, once known as Changan, is now the largest city in northwest China with various tourist attractions such as the Terracotta Army and the Giant Wild Goose Pagoda. The new route will add up to a total of 18 weekly-flights between KIX and Xi'an (including connecting flights) and is expected to lead to further demand for air travel between the two destinations.

Kansai Airports is committed to expanding the aviation network to deliver a more convenient, comfortable and enjoyable travel experience for all airport guests.

○ Launch Date

Monday, July 1, 2019

○ Flight Schedule

Destination	Flight No.	Schedule (local time)	Frequency
Xi'an	HU409	Xi'an (14:35) → Kansai (19:00)	Mon
	HU409	Xi'an (14:35) → Kansai (18:55)	Fri, Sun
	HU410	Kansai (19:55) → Xi'an (23:45)	Mon, Fri
	HU410	Kansai (20:00) → Xi'an (23:45)	Sun

○ Aircraft Specification

Model: Boeing 737-800

Seats: 164 seats (8 in business class, 156 in economy class)



Courtesy: Hainan Airlines

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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% ¹
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.

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