

# UVC disinfection of baggage carts and its data transmission to be tested at KIX

Kansai Airports today announced that it will test UVC disinfection of baggage carts and the disinfection data transmission through electronic tags at Kansai International Airport (KIX).

In this test, the airport's baggage carts, which are used by many different individuals, will be sterilized with ultraviolet light, and the carts' disinfection data will be sent to passengers' smartphones through electronic tags. As part of measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19, the test will assess the effectiveness of the disinfection system and safety information traceability.

Kansai Airports will continue to strive for securing a safe traveling environment for airport users.

## Period

Friday, December 11, 2020 to Wednesday, March 31, 2021

## Location

In front of T1 Operation Center, Level 2, Termianal 1

## Description

- <u>UVC disinfection of baggage carts</u>
   The dedicated disinfection machine will sanitize ten baggage carts at a time with UVC light.
   It can speed up the disinfection process and improve cleaning efficiency.
- Transmission of disinfection data through electronic tags When taking the baggage cart, the user can see when it was last disinfected by scanning the QR code displayed on its electronic tag with a smartphone camera.



UVC disinfection machine made by Iwasaki Electric Co., Ltd.

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## **«KANSAI AIRPORTS**



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 : <u>http://www.kansai-airports.co.jp/en/</u>

#### 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: Benoit Rulleau			
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	Representative Director and CEO: Yoshiyuki Yamaya		
Representatives	Representative Director and Co-CEO: Benoit Rulleau		
Business Scope	Operation and management services, etc. of Kobe Airport		

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