



## Kobe Airport to hold a ceremony to celebrate the 40 millionth passenger milestone!

Kansai Airport Kobe is delighted to announce that Kobe Airport will soon surpass the 40 million passenger mark and hold a ceremony to celebrate the achievement.

We would like to thank all passengers who have flown out from our airport. Thanks to you, we will reach the 40 millionth mark in about 15 years and ten months since the opening. With this 40 millionth passenger milestone, we will continue our efforts to ensure that you can use our airport safely, securely, and comfortably.

Together with our business partners, Kansai Airports Group strives to create a safer, securer, and more comfortable travel experience.

### ■ Ceremony for 40 million Passengers at Kobe Airport

Date: Wednesday, December 15, 2021, 10:10 to 10:40

Place: 3F Open Space, Kobe Airport Terminal Building

Content: Presentation of certificate of recognition and commemorative item to the 40 millionth passenger and the pinata style celebration ceremony

Sponsor: Kansai Airport Kobe

Co-sponsor: Kobe Airport Promotion Council

Support: Skymark Airlines Inc., All Nippon Airways Co., Ltd., Solaseed Air Inc., AIRDO Co., Ltd., Fuji Dream Airlines Co., Ltd.



(Photo: Ceremony held last time at the 30 million mark)

Location: 3F Open Space, Kobe Airport Terminal Building



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



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(As of March 31, 2021)



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<sup>1</sup> ASICS Corporation; Iwatani Corporation; Osaka Gas Co., Ltd.; Obayashi Corporation; OMRON Corporation; The Kansai Electric Power Company, Incorporated; Kintetsu Group Holding Co., Ltd.; Keihan Holdings Co., Ltd.; Suntory Holdings Limited; JTB Corp.; Sekisui House, Ltd.; Daikin Industries, Ltd.; Daiwa House Industry Co., Ltd.; Takenaka Corporation; Nankai Electric Railway Co., Ltd.; NIPPON TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE WEST CORPORATION; Panasonic Corporation; Hankyu Hanshin Holdings, Inc.; Rengo Co., Ltd.; The Senshu Ikeda Bank, Ltd.; Kiyo Holdings, Inc.; The Bank of Kyoto, Ltd.; THE SHIGA BANK, LTD.; The Nanto Bank, Ltd.; Nippon Life Insurance Company; Mizuho Bank, Ltd.; Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited; MUFG Bank, Ltd.; Resona Bank, Limited; and the Private Finance Initiative Promotion Corporation of Japan.