

Passenger Traffic for Golden Week 2009

- 5% more international passengers, domestic hold steady -

TOKYO May 7, 2009 ANA Group airlines carried 1,189,270 passengers during the Golden Week holiday period, April 28 to May 6, inclusive.

The number of passengers taking international flights rose by 5.3% year-on-year. Asia and Europe proved to be the most popular destinations, with increases of 12.6% and 8.6% respectively.

Domestic passenger numbers remained almost the same as the previous year, showing a slight increase of 0.6%. With 5.1% more passengers travelling to Itami, Kansai and Kobe airports, the Kansai area was the most popular destination. This was followed by Okinawa with a 2.5% increase.

Domestic

Available Seats		Passengers		Load Factor
	cf 2008		cf 2008	
1,635,369	-5.2%	1,074,674	+0.6%	65.7%

International

Available Seats		Passengers		Load Factor
	cf 2008		cf 2008	
161,300	-10.5%	114,596	+5.3%	71.0%

Notes for editors

1) Golden Week is one of Japan's most famous holiday periods and encompasses a series of four national holidays in more or less succession: Showa Day (April 29), Constitution Day (May 3), Green Day (May 4), and Children's Day (May 5). As May 3 fell on Sunday this year, May 6 was a substitute holiday.

2) ANA Group consists of the following six airlines: ANA (All Nippon Airways), Air Nippon (ANK), Air Japan (AJX), Air Nippon Network (A-Net), Air Next (NXA) and Air Central (CRF).

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