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KOBE Biomedical Innovation Cluster

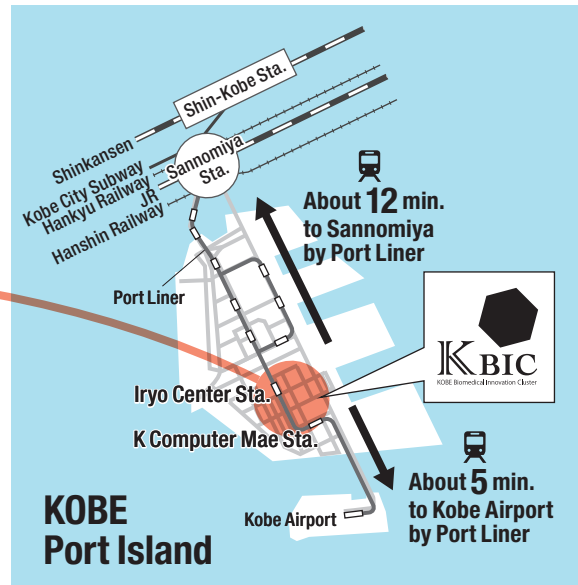
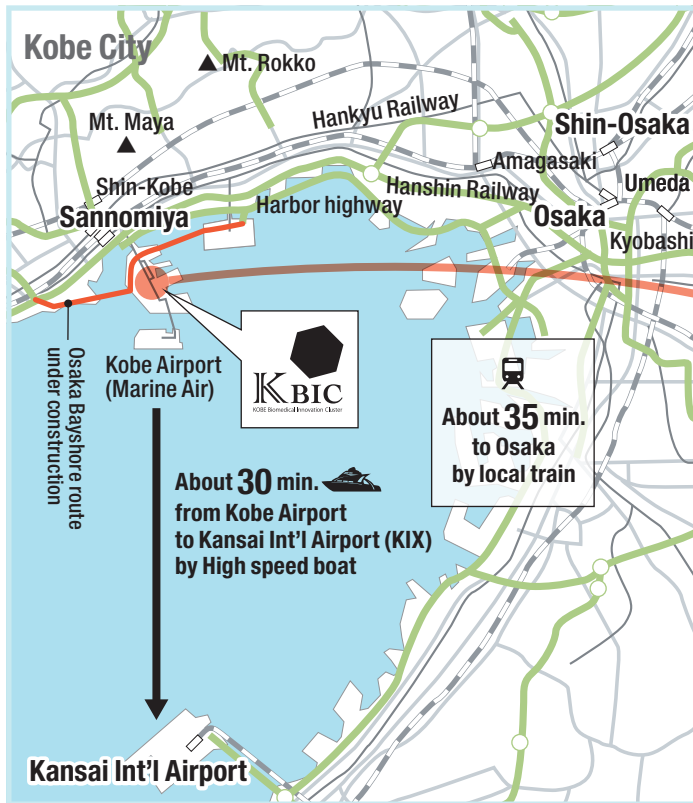
Business Launch Support Guide





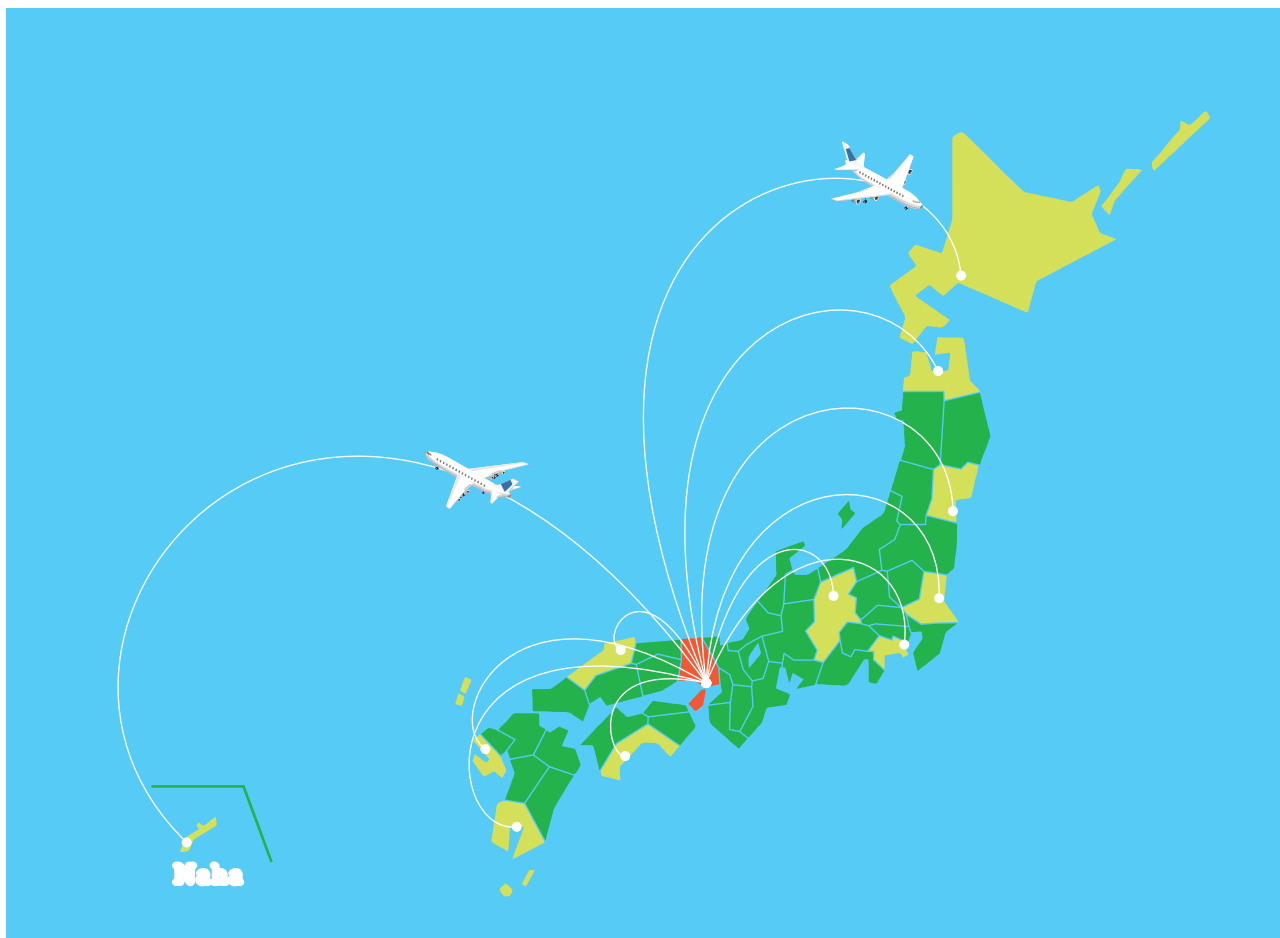
Easy access to cities in Japan and to the world

80 minutes to Haneda Airport in Tokyo from KBIC, and only 12 minutes to Sannomiya, the center of Kobe.



Shinkansen (bullet train)

Tokyo	about 170min.
Nagoya	about 70min.
Hakata	about 140min.
Hiroshima	about 70min.



Living in Kobe

Kobe offers both the convenience of a city and the richness of nature. In this special city, you can enjoy both work and your lifestyle to the fullest



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Quality of Living City Ranking

2nd in Asia 1st in Japan

Mercer's 2019 Quality of Living Survey (Quality of Living Survey) City rankings

Results of Critical Care and Emergency Medical Center

Kobe City Medical Center General Hospital

Ranked 1st for 5 consecutive years

284 facilities nationwide
Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Critical Care and Emergency Center Evaluation (FY 2018)

Park Area per Citizen

(excluding green spaces)

Ranked 1st among major cities in Japan

2017 edition
Comparative Statistical Chronology of Major Cities

Sophisticated Designed City Ranking

Ranked 1st among 1000 municipalities nationwide

Brand Research Institute and Regional Brand Survey 2018

Degree of Desirability for Living

Ranked 2nd among 1000 municipalities nationwide.

Brand Research Institute and Regional Brand Survey 2019

Raising Children in Kobe is Enjoyable

93.2%

2018 Kobe survey

Number of Universities/Jr. Colleges

Ranked 2nd among major cities in Japan

Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, School Basic Survey for 2019

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Moving Expenses Subsidy System

Subsidies for moving expenses of employees who move from outside of Kobe to start working in an industrial complex. (Up to ¥200,000)

Kobe City Official Immigration Portal Site **KOBE address**

Learn what Kobe can offer along with some useful information. This is a website for people who are thinking about moving to Kobe. (Only available in Japanese)

<https://kobeaddress.city.kobe.lg.jp/>



If you are interested in expanding to KBIC, please contact or check our website.

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