

JAL to Expand Code Share Flights with Vietnam Airlines

Tokyo June 3, 2008: Japan Airlines (JAL) will start code sharing on flights operated by Vietnam Airlines (VN) between Nagoya (Chubu) and Hanoi from August 14, 2008. The number of flights JAL offers from Japan to Vietnam, including code shares, will increase to 39 flights per week on 6 routes.

From August 14, JAL will offer four round-trip code share flights a week between Nagoya (Chubu) and Hanoi. Flight operations will be handled by Vietnam Airlines Boeing A321 aircraft and crew.

JAL has been expanding its operations between the two countries in line with Vietnam's sustained high economic growth which has resulted in increased foreign investment particularly from Japanese enterprises.

Including codes shares, JAL's route network now provides direct flights to Hanoi from Nagoya, Osaka, and Tokyo and direct flights to Ho Chi Minh City from Fukuoka, Osaka and Tokyo.

Code share cooperation between JAL and Vietnam Airlines goes back to April 1996 when the two airlines inaugurated code share flights on the Osaka (Kansai)-Ho Chi Minh route.

Tickets are now on sale.

New Nagoya – Hanoi Code share Flights

Sector	Flight number	Days of operation	Departure time	Arrival time	Operated by	Aircraft
Nagoya-Hanoi	JL5127	Tue, Thu, Sat, Sun	10:30	13:50	VN	A321
Hanoi-Nagoya	JL5128	Tue, Thu, Sat, Sun	00:05	06:30	VN	A321

VN = Vietnam Airlines

Routes from Japan to Vietnam	Days of operation	Operated by
Tokyo (Narita) - Ho Chi Minh	13 flights per week	JL (6) VN (7)
Tokyo (Narita) – Hanoi	7 flights per week	JL (3) VN (4)
Osaka (Kansai) - Ho Chi Minh	Daily service	VN
Osaka (Kansai) – Hanoi	4 flights per week	JL
Nagoya – Hanoi	4 flights per week	VN
Fukuoka (Kansai) - Ho Chi Minh	4 flights per week	VN

JL = Japan Airlines, VN = Vietnam Airlines

() = breakdown of flight frequency by airline.

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