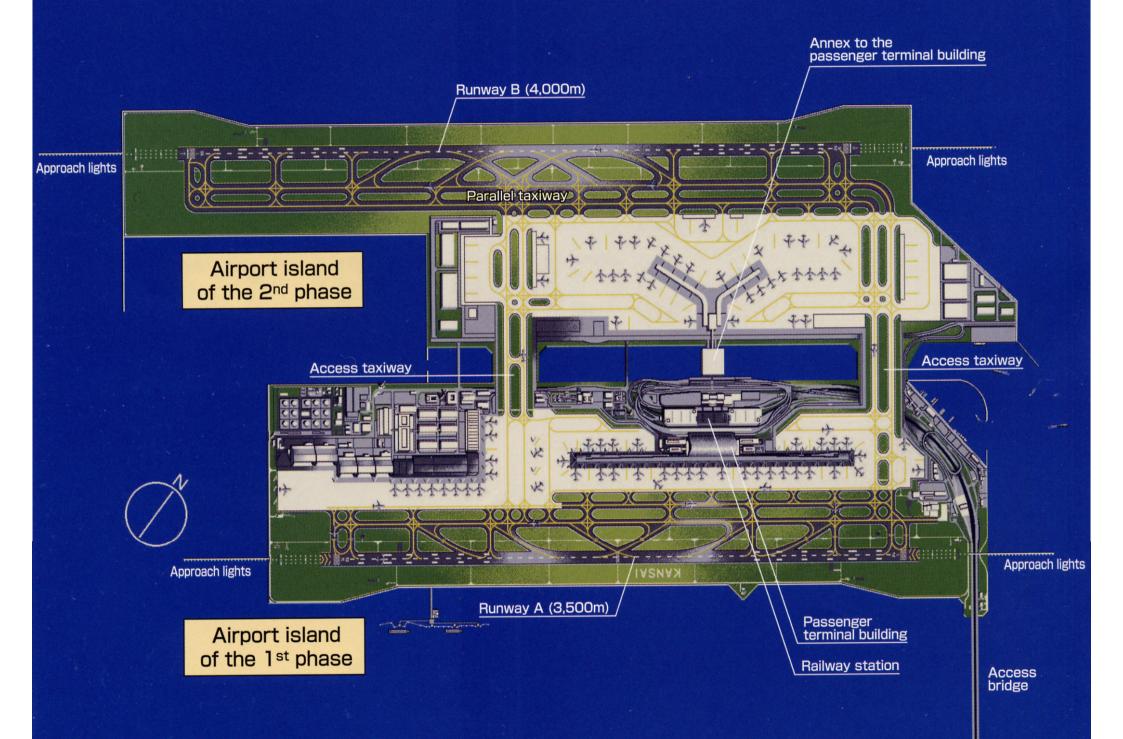


Conceptual Plan of Kansai International Airport (after completion of the 2nd phase)



Geology around the airport island

Landside, , Offshore side Airport island Airport island of the 1st phase Depth of the 2nd phase approx. 19.5m Alluvium(about 18m) Alluvium(about 25m) Upper diluvium(about 140m) Upper diluvium (about 180m) Lower diluvium(about 200m) Lower diluvium(about 300m~500m)

quaternary deposit

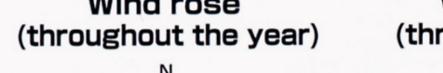
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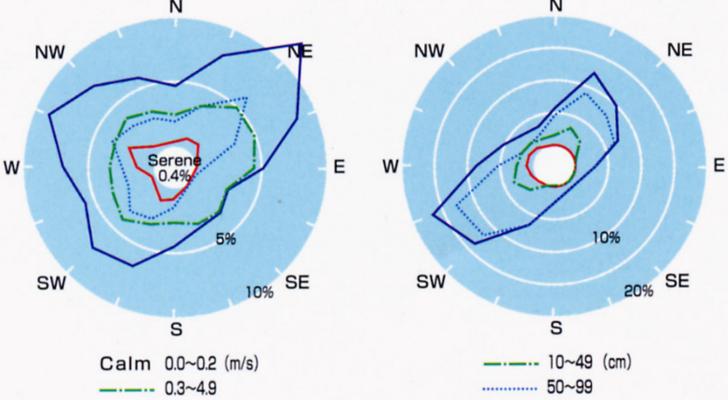
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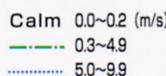
Wave climate (throughout the year)

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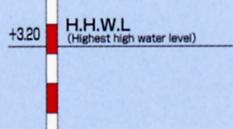
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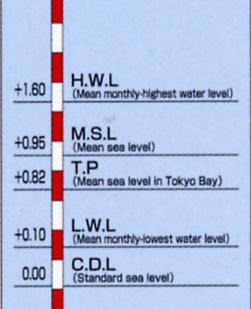


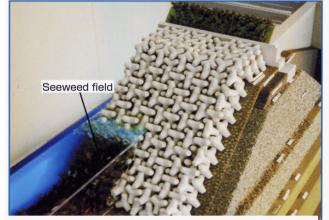
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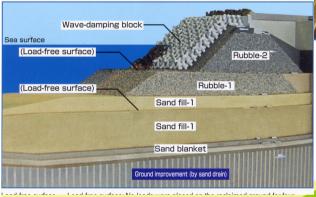


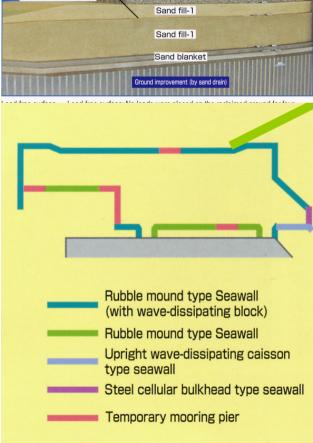
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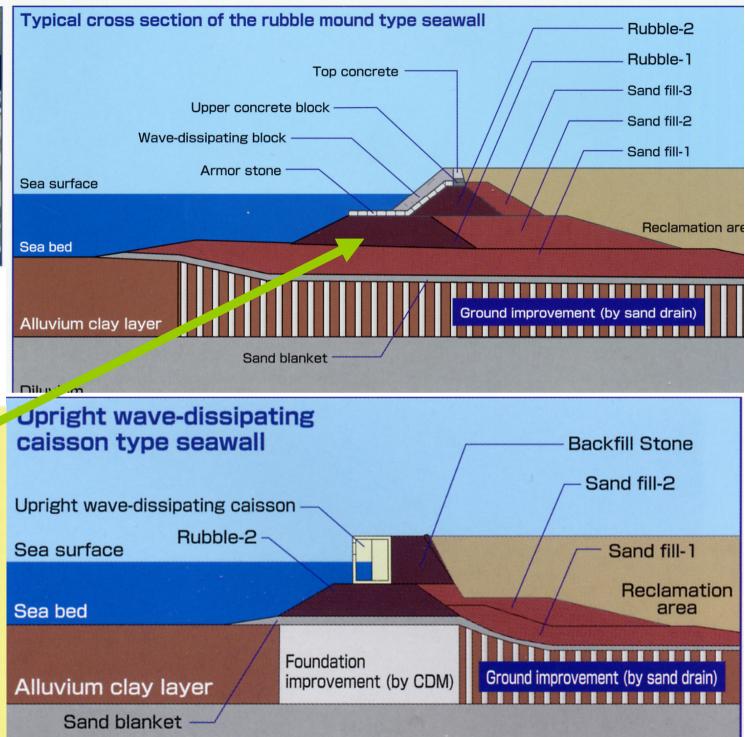








Diluvium





Specifications	
Hull Dimensions:	
Length	57.00m
Breadth	32.00m
Depth	4.00m
Draft	2.30m
Number of Casing Pipe	12lines
Displacement Tonnage	3,900tons
Type of Engine	DIESEL
Engine Horsepower:	
for Hydraulic Equipme	ent 1,800p.s.
for Generator	1,800p.s.
Pipe Diameter of Sand Pile	0.40m
Max. Depth of Sand Pile	45m
Driving Pitch of Sand Pile	2.00m, 2.50m
	3.00m, 3.50m
Height of Leader	62.30m
Date of Manufacture	1986
Manufacturer	ISHIBASHI SANGYO CO., LTD.

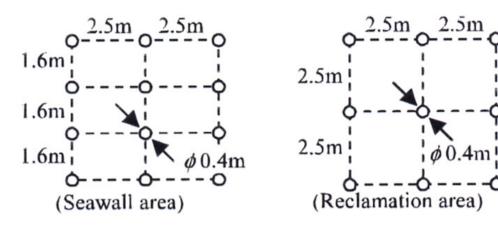
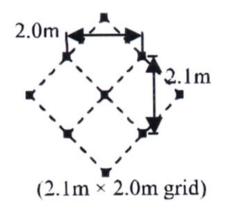
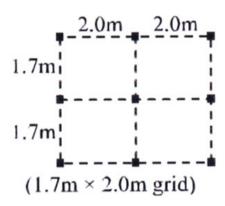


Figure 9. Spacing of sand drain piles









1 Start of construction 3 Sand-spreading construction 5 Sand drain (August 1999)



The second phase construction began with installing light markers to indicate the construction area.



Sand-spreading vessels began laying 1.5m thick sand layer to drain water contained in the sea bottom ground through sand drains piled into the ground.



Approximately 1,200,000 sand piles are driven into the alluvial clay layer on the sea bottom to drain water through the piles for ground improvement.

(7) Sand fill work (December 1999)



Sand fill work began using large sand carriers. Sand was transported by barges from the pier at the sand production pit to the construction site where sand was dumped directly on the sea floor.





preventive sheets (July 1999)



Contamination-prevention sheets of both hanging type and independent type were laid to prevent contaminated seawater from spreading outside the construction area due to reclamation work.

2 Setup of contamination-preventive sheets 4 Deep-ground treatment by mixing with coagulants (August 1999)



Ground improvement started using clay and cement. Clay and cement were injected into the sea bottom ground and mixed with an agitator previously penetrated into the ground.

6 Import of overseas sand (November 1999)



Chinese marine sand was imported, which was directly transported to the site, to compensate the insufficient domestic supply of sand required for sand spreading.

8 Rubble placement work



Rubble was placed with a grab bucket vessel to form foundation, on which concrete blocks were installed.

Compaction management system

For reclamation-2, ground compaction by heavy vibration rollers was performed eight times. The vibration rollers were equipped with the accelerometer and GPS, and which confirmed whether the compaction was achieved as designed. Thus, the number of rolling times performed for compaction and deviation of compaction were confirmed.



The display of measurement using GPS car



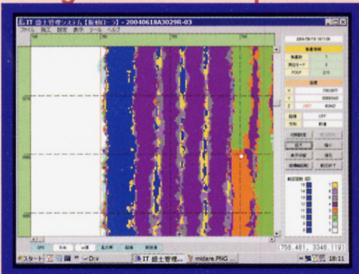




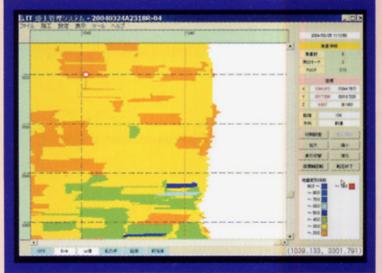


Accelerometer mounted on the roller

The display of the Number of rolling times for compaction

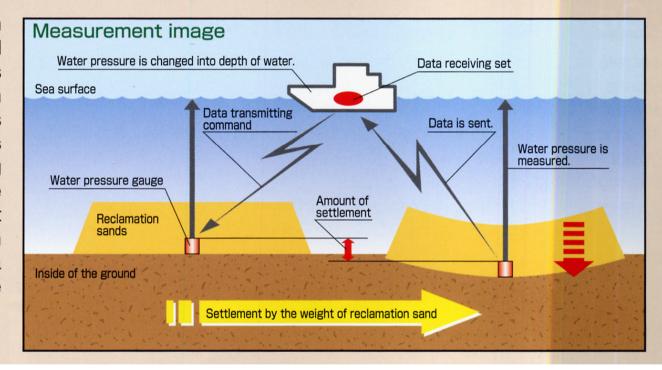


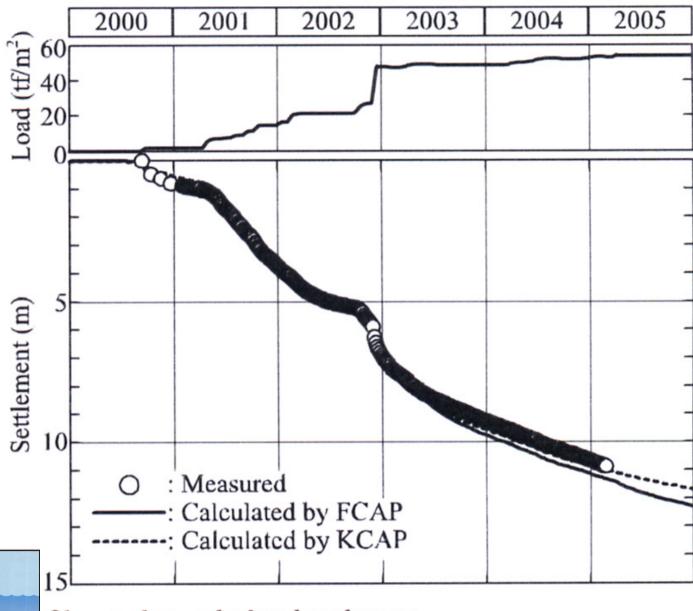
The display of compaction measurement with the accelerometer



Magnetic-transmission type water pressure gauge for measuring settlement

With this system, settlement data can be acquired on board from the seabed by magnetic data transfer. For this reason, measurements can be taken even if the measuring apparatus is buried in sand. Moreover, since it does not obstruct construction, measuring devices can be installed much more densely than in the case of settlement plates. In the 2nd phase construction, in order to measure the settlement of a reclamation area, the gauges are installed at 37 points.





Water pressure is changed into depth of water.

Sea surface

Data receiving set

Data is sent.

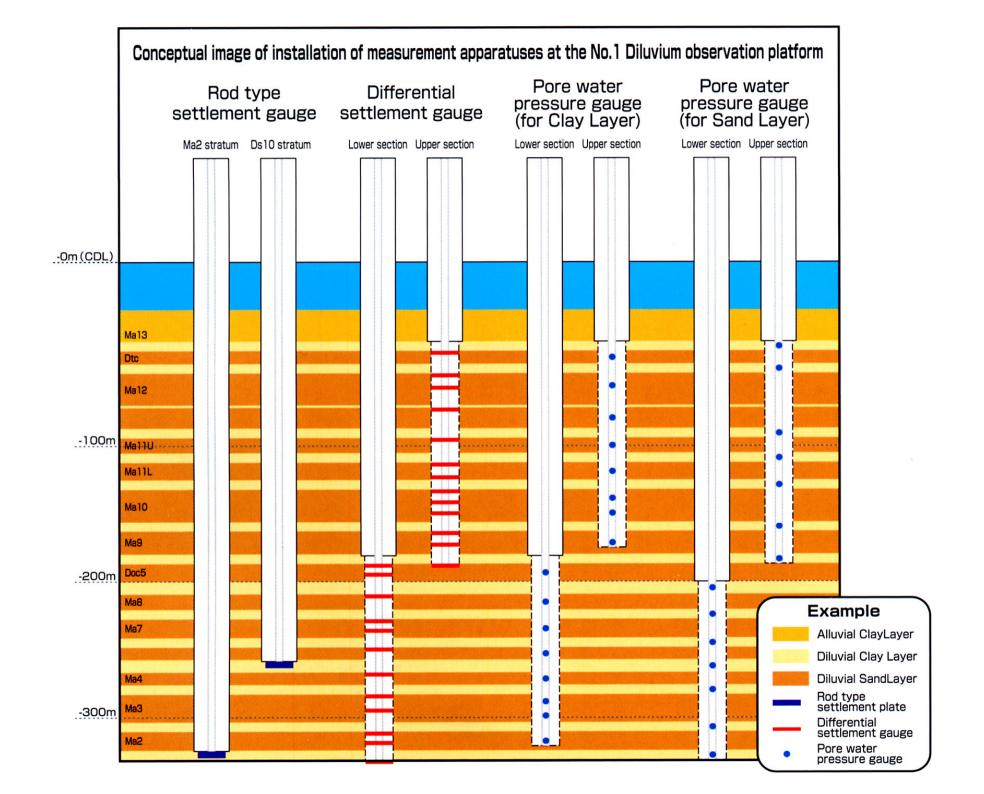
Water pressure gauge

Reclamation sands

Inside of the ground

Settlement by the weight of reclamation sand

Observed vs. calculated settlement



Differential settlement gauge

By measuring the magnetized elements that are installed in each diluvia layer, changes in thickness of each layer can be determined.

