News Release

June 23, 2025 Odakyu Hakone Co., Ltd.

Amendments to Fares and Prices for the Hakone Ropeway, the Hakone Sightseeing Cruise, and Discount Passes

Odakyu Hakone Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Odawara City, Kanagawa Prefecture; President: Hidehiro Mizukami) submitted a notice to the Kanto District Transport Bureau of the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism of fare amendment for its ropeway and shipping businesses on Thursday June 19, 2025. Amended fares for the Hakone Ropeway and the Hakone Sightseeing Cruise will go into effect on Wednesday, October 1, 2025. Prices for discounted passes will be amended at the same time.

Reasons for and description of fare amendments are detailed below.

We will continue making every effort to enhance the appeal of Hakone area tourism and look forward to customers' cooperation and understanding.

Details

1. Reasons for Fare Amendment

In keeping with Odakyu Hakone Co., Ltd.'s mission of providing enjoyable recreation, the company works to improve touring in the Hakone area using a variety of transportation modes along the so-called Hakone Golden Route. While business performance is recovering since travel restrictions imposed during the COVID-19 pandemic were lifted, rising prices, labor shortages, and other issues are expected to persist over the long term. These circumstances, together with measures taken to maintain and improve safety given the ever-present risk of natural disasters, and capital improvements to ensure the sustained appeal of tourism in and around Hakone, make it necessary for us to amend fares.

2. Effective Date

The changes below will take effect on Wednesday, October 1, 2025.

3. Description of Changes

- (1) Normal passenger fares
 - Hakone Ropeway (Sounzan Station–Owakudani Station–Ubako Station–Togendai Station: Single price for the route)

Туре		Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	One way	1,500 yen	2,000 yen	Up 500 yen
	Round	2,500 yen	3,000 yen	Up 500 yen
	trip			
Child	One way	500 yen	700 yen	Up 200 yen
	Round	800 yen	1,000 yen	Up 200 yen
	trip			

② Hakone Sightseeing Cruise (from Togendai-ko to Hakonemachi-ko and Motohakone-ko)

Туре		Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	One way	1,200 yen	1,700 yen	Up 500 yen
	Round	2,220 yen	3,000 yen	Up 780 yen
	trip			
Child	One way	600 yen	850 yen	Up 250 yen
	Round	1,110 yen	1,300 yen	Up 190 yen
	trip			

Hakone Sightseeing Cruise (from Hakonemachi-ko to Motohakone-ko)

Туре		Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	One way	420 yen	600 yen	Up 180 yen
Child	One way	210 yen	300 yen	Up 90 yen

(2) Group fares

Fares for the Hakone Ropeway and the Hakone Sightseeing Cruise remain unchanged, but group size requirements for the Hakone Ropeway will change, from 15 or more persons to 25 or more persons per group.

(3) Discount passes

① Hakone Freepass (departing from Odawara, Hakone area [Hakone-Yumoto, etc.], Gotemba or Mishima)

Туре	Validity	Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	2-day	5,000 yen	6,000 yen	Up 1,000 yen
	pass			
	3-day	5,400 yen	6,400 yen	Up 1,000 yen
	pass			
Child	2-day	1,000 yen	1,500 yen	Up 500 yen
	pass			
	3-day	1,250 yen	1,750 yen	Up 500 yen
	pass			

② Owakudani 2-Day Pass (departing from Odawara, Hakone area [Hakone-Yumoto, etc.])

Note: This ticket's validity on the Hakone Ropeway will be extended from Sounzan–Owakudani to Sounzan–Togendai (full route).

Туре	Validity	Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	2-day	3,700 yen	5,000 yen	Up 1,300 yen
	pass			
Child	2-day	980 yen	1,300 yen	Up 320 yen
	pass			

③ Sightseeing Cruise & Ropeway Pass

Туре	Validity	Current fare	New fare	Change
Adult	1 day	4,000 yen	5,000 yen	Up 1,000 yen
Child	1 day	980 yen	1,400 yen	Up 420 yen

The Hakone Sightseeing Cruise and Hakone Ropeway All-you-can-ride 2-day Pass and the Hakone Public Transports Single-Way Pass will be discontinued after September 30, due to changes in passenger demand.

(4) Other

- For information on the Hakone Freepass, Owakudani 2-Day Pass, and Fuji Hakone Pass/Hakone Kamakura Pass with a discount round-trip fare on the Odakyu Line, please see the information on the Odakyu Electric Railway Co., Ltd. website (https://www.odakyu.jp/english/index_after/).
- Amended fares for the ropeway and cruise and discount passes, etc. apply to both physical and digital tickets sold at stations and other outlets.
- The amended fare for the Hakone Freepass also applies to the Hakone Freepass "Hako Ticket" Plus digital-only ticket.
- Tickets purchased prior to October 1 valid for dates after that date can be used for the current price even after October 1.
- Information about fares for the ropeway and cruise, and prices for passes can be checked on the Hakone Navi website (https://www.hakonenavi.jp/international/en/).

4. For information, contact:

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Hakone Ropeway



The Hakone Ropeway covers the approx. 4-kilometer distance between Sounzan and

Togendai. Between Sounzan and Owakudani, passengers enjoy breathtaking views of the valley 130 meters below, and continuing on toward Togendai, stunning vistas of Mt. Fuji and Lake Ashi. The new Ropester open gondola, the first of its kind in Japan, began operating in March, and the new Owakudani Earth Valley (Chikyu no Tani) observation area, whose theme is "Black, Geo, and Wind," opened in April.

Hakone Sightseeing Cruise



Hakone Pirate Ships sail from Togendai-ko to Hakonemachi-ko and Motohakone-ko, with

magnificent lake views providing an out-of-theordinary experience. Special Cabins aboard the ships offer a luxury cruise experience. Hakone Pirate Ship *Victory*'s special cabin was renovated in April 2025, with the design concept "A luxurious cruise experience inspired by British tradition and culture." The Motohakone-ko ticket center was also revamped with a pirate-themed interior.