



# **Hong Kong & Japan**

**including APDXC 2014**

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# Hong Kong: double-decker tram



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# Getting around by Underground (MTR System)



# Causeway Bay street scene



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# *Protest camp, Admiralty district*



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# Protest camp, Causeway Bay



# Old telecom, HK Science Museum





# *Russian imperial coach, HK Historical Museum*



# *Traditional grocer's shop exhibit, HK Historical Museum*



# *Traditional teahouse exhibit, HK Historical Museum*



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# ***Kowloon Mosque:** Kowloon is a district on the mainland, across the harbour from Hong Kong Island*



# *Great Buddha above Lin Po Monastery, Lantau Island*



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# *Lin Po Monastery & Hall of 10,000 Buddhas*



# *Lin Po temple interior*

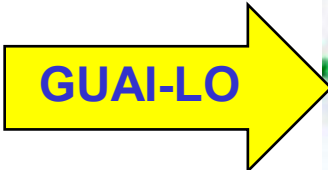


# Hall of 10,000 Buddhas, interior





# Riding in the famous Peak Tram

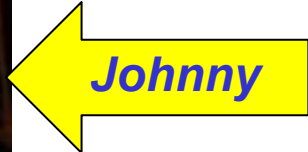


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# Street market, New Territories



# *View of pier from old government Building, New Territories*



# *Kobe: arrival at Sannomiya Station*



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# *Kobe: street near station*



# Our Kobe Beef lunch is near!



*Mmmm...*



*\$\$\$\$...but worth it !!*

# *Grilled at your table*





# *Two happy (& hungry) campers!*



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# Off to Arima Onsen (Arima Hot Springs)



# *Arima village centre*



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# Arima street scene



# *Mt. Rokkō, above Arima*



# *Traditional meals in our room at Arima Gyōzen Spa*



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# *Panorama of Arima town centre*



# *Baking Arima Tansan Senbei* *a local wafer cookie – it's addictive!*





# *Kobe Maritime Museum at the harbour*



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# ***Oriental Hotel & cruise ship, Kobe Harbour***



# *Kobe harbour cruise ship*



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# Kobe, Harborland Park



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# Modern Kobe architecture



# *View of Kobe from cable car*



# *At the Herb Garden above Kobe*



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# *Kobe Harborland at night*





# *A study in hotel rooms: Kobe & convention hotel (Osaka)*



# *Nipponbashi: Osaka's electronics district (Similar to Tokyo's Akihabara)*



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# *Icom factory, Wakayama*

## *automated production lines*



# Test station on factory floor



# NC machine populates radio boards



# Test stations on factory floor



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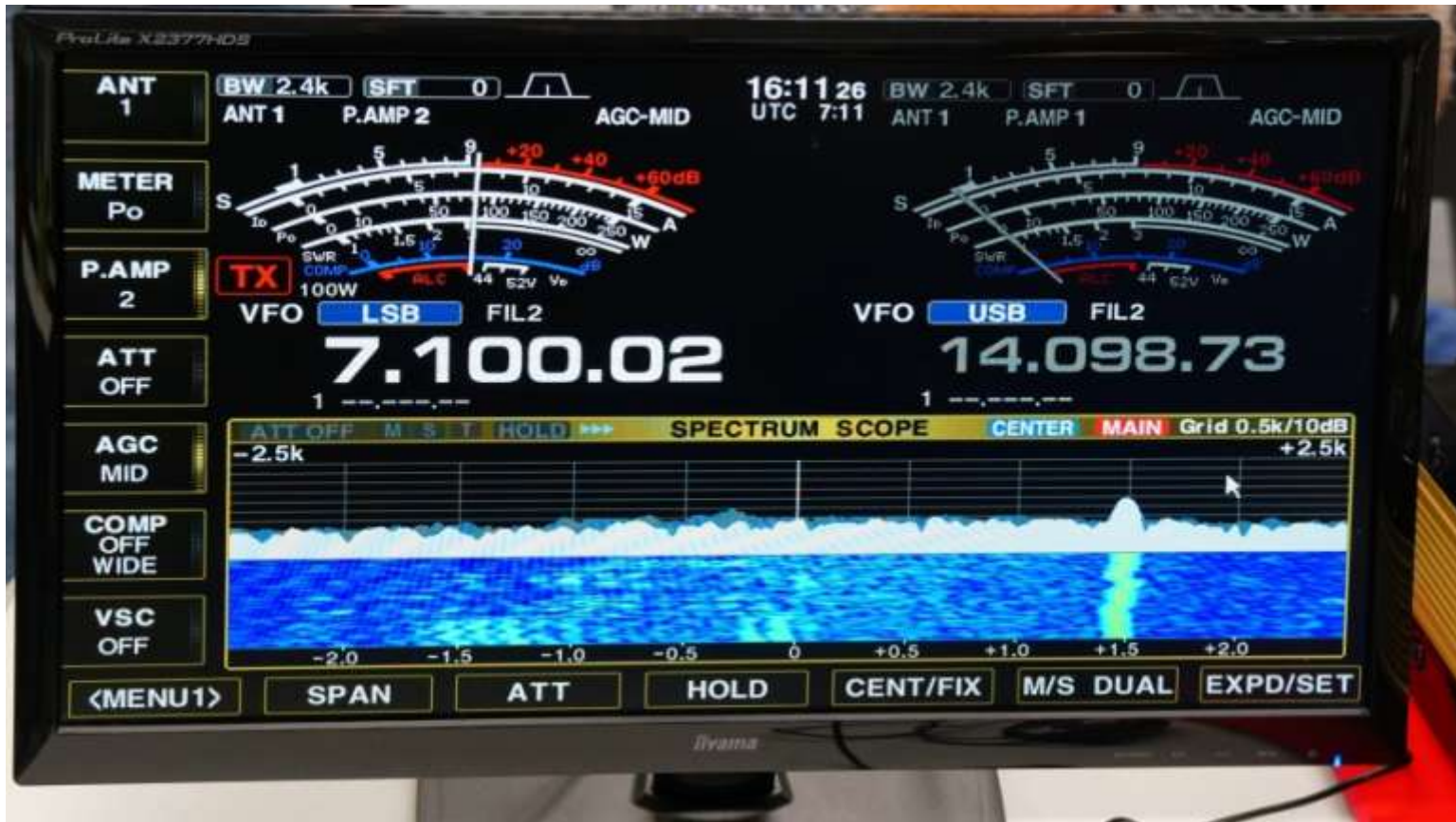
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# The IC-7850 at Icom HQ





# IC-7850 display on big screen



# Antenna tower at Icom HQ, Osaka



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# *Ramen (cup noodles) museum tour*

## *The world's first Ramen shop*



*Ramen production line: these ladies make up the cup of noodles with ingredients selected by the museum guest*



*Lunch break at a denzushi: one picks one's sushi off a conveyor belt (rear).*



# Visit to plastic food model factory (Restaurants display models in windows)



# *Good enough to eat?*

## *No, it's all plastic!*



***“I did it!”***  
***(but I still can’t eat it.)***





# At the APDXC DX Banquet



***Mr. Inoue (r.) accepting an award***  
***Mr. Inoue , JA3FA, is the founder of Icom.***



***Surprise speaker! I had the honour of giving one of my NSARC HF Group programs.***



*Thanks for watching!*



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