

EXPO 2025 - “MUSASHI of the World” Solo Exhibition  
Collaboration Project -  
minalab. Selected as Saitama Representative for the MUSASHI × 47  
Prefectures Collaborative Art Project

Minaminihon Total Logistics Service Inc. (Head Office: Nakano-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director and President: Keiichiro Ozono; hereinafter, “our company”), which transports chilled and frozen foods, and DENBA DISS Inc. (Head Office: Toda City, Saitama Prefecture; Representative Director and President: Keiichiro Ozono; hereinafter, “DENBA DISS”), jointly operate the Type B continuous employment support office “minalab.”, which was selected as the representative of Saitama Prefecture for the collaborative project “MUSASHI × 47 Prefectures Collaborative Art Project,” a collaboration held as part of the “MUSASHI of the World” solo exhibition at the Osaka-Kansai Expo, and exhibited its work in the project exhibition.



Solo Exhibition of MUSASHI of the World

This participation in the special exhibition was made possible by an offer from the Expo MUSASHI Solo Exhibition Secretariat to *minalab.*, a Type B continuous employment support office, requesting participation in a collaboration project with “MUSASHI of the World,” a para-artist.

The MUSASHI × 47 Prefectures Collaborative Art Project was held over two days, July 9 and 10, at the Expo 2025 Osaka-Kansai Gallery WEST. The total number of visitors over the two days reached approximately 20,000, reflecting MUSASHI’s popularity and the high level of interest in this special exhibition.



The exhibited work by *minalab.*, selected as the Saitama Prefecture representative

On the day of the event, instead of a physical exhibition of the artwork, a method was used in which visitors scanned a QR code to view the work online. This piece was created by a minalab. user who enjoys graphic art as a hobby. With support from the facility staff, the work was somehow completed in time for the opening of the special exhibition.

minalab. is a Type B continuous employment support office that, through hydroponics, connects agriculture and welfare, provides learning of the knowledge necessary for employment, conducts training to improve abilities, and aims for general employment together. Recently, in addition to “hydroponic cultivation and management” and “vegetable sales,” it has been expanding into various initiatives such as online sales of the “Veg Bottle” (a hydroponics starter kit). Employment training is conducted for each task in accordance with the characteristics of the users.

At minalab., we will continue to actively engage in new businesses, enrich our operations, and work on employment support and skill development that match the abilities and characteristics of each user, aiming together for general employment.

#### ■DENBA DISS Inc.

A joint venture between DENBA JAPAN Inc., which develops the “freshness preservation device: DENBA,” and Minaminihon Total Logistics Service Inc., DENBA DISS is a solution company with the corporate mission of “temperature control + freshness control = building and operating the next-generation cold chain.” The company actively engages in SDGs initiatives such as solving food loss through freshness preservation and building optimal food logistics systems.

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Minaminihon Total Logistics Service Inc., founded in 1975, recently celebrated its 50th anniversary. With the mission of “We deliver it at its best.”, the company is an expert in food transportation, and focuses particularly on the field of chilled and frozen low-temperature transportation. In addition, in the next-generation cold chain using DENBA DISS’s freshness retention device, the company contributes to solving the food loss problem, which is a social issue, and contributes to the efforts of client companies to achieve the SDGs.

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