



Project Name	Da Nang International Airport
Project Location	Da Nang city, Vietnam
Alucobond Materials	ALUCOBOND® PLUS / Silver Metallic 500
Architect	ZCPG Consultants
Developer	AHT Group (Ministry of Transportation)
Year of Completion	2017

Da Nang International Airport is located in the city of Da Nang, the largest city in central Vietnam. It is the third international airport in the country, besides Noi Bai International Airport (Hanoi) and Tan Son Nhat International Airport (Ho Chi Minh City), and is an important gateway to access central Vietnam as this has become a big tourist attraction in Vietnam because of the beautiful beaches and many hotels and resorts opening up.

Da Nang International Passenger Terminal officially came into operation on 19th May 2017, has helped boost the capacity of Da Nang International Airport by 6 million passengers per year contributing to the vigorous development of tourism and economy of the city.

The main developer of this project is AHT alongside other leaders in the aviation, construction and financial investment industry in Vietnam, namely the Thang Long Air Service Corporation (TASECO), Hanoi Construction Corporation JSC. (HANCORP), and AOV Investment Corporation.

Architects chosen for this project were CPG Consultants from Singapore who have made a name for themselves in designing some of the world class airports including the Changi Airport in Singapore, Wuhan Airport in China, Ahmedabad airport in India, Seychelles Airport, Nadi airport in Fiji apart from some of the landmark projects in Hospitality and Education sector.

Their mandate was to design the terminal building with a differentiated and futuristic look and at the same time making sure that the safety is taken into consideration.

CPG considered many products for the exterior cladding of the terminal as well for interior columns and wall cladding. ALUCOBOND® team in Vietnam led by our partners – Viethomeland who were based in HCM city, made several trips to the site in Da Nang to provide all the samples, technical data, and references of Airport projects done by ALUCOBOND® worldwide. Designers wanted to make sure that the panel can withstand **wind load pressures**, will not have rust or delamination due to saline air being close to the sea, had the right **fire retardancy** factor and still be formed in **shapes and design** to give the desired aesthetics to the project.

After having seen many mockups done by the ALUCOBOND® team, they were convinced that this is the right product for this project and for the applications they had designed. Designers chose to go with the **silver metallic finish** which gives a radiant look during the day and serene look during the night with the ambient lights around.

In the past 50 years of its existence, ALUCOBOND® has been one of the most preferred brands of Aluminium composite materials to be used at Airports. It provides the freedom of design to an architect and at the same time is one of the safest products to be used.

Tastefully designed with its roof in form of a seagull, Da Nang International Terminal is now becoming a new icon for the youthfulness and dynamism of Da Nang city – one of the most fantastic tourist destinations in Asia.

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This new international terminal, covering 48,000m² of the area, with a total investment sum of US\$154 million and a designed capacity of 4 million passengers per year has now become a benchmark for other upcoming airports in Vietnam.

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