



HIGHLIGHT VERSION (30min)

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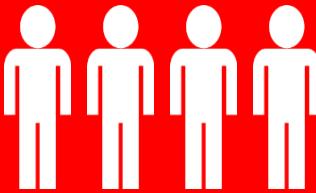
Introduction

20TH
ANNIVERSARY
SINCE 1997

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NANTA IN NUMBERS

12,000,000 + audience views



40,000 + performances



performed in 57 countries 310 cities



1,062,152
average annual audience

From 2011 ~ 2016



20th anniversary
in 2017



6 exclusive theatres in Asia



396,300 cucumbers

277,431 carrots & cabbages

198,165 onions



until Apr. 2017

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WHAT'S NANTA?

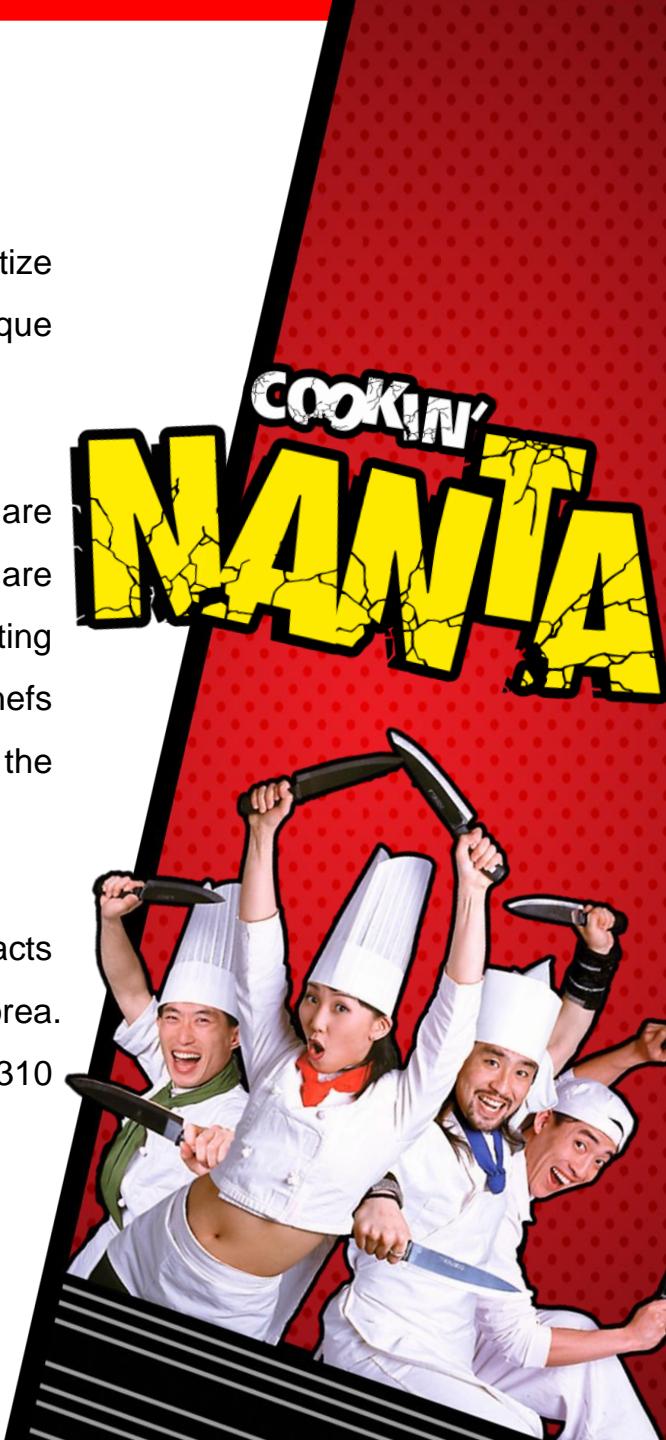
NANTA is a non-verbal musical performance of reckless rhythms that dramatize customary Korean percussion in a strikingly comedic stage show. It integrates unique tempos with a performance style added with a comical twist.

The kitchen is the backdrop of **NANTA** and knives and other kitchen utensils are transformed into musical instruments in the hands of the performers. The audience are entertained with acrobatic cooking shows, a surprise wedding ceremony, and an exciting dumpling challenge. The highlight of the show is the “Drum Sequence” where the chefs beat on drums making the audience confused whether the sound is the beating of the drums or the pounding of their hearts.

As the energetic spectacle for all ages and the landmark of Seoul and Jeju which attracts tourists from all over the world, **NANTA** aims to become the longest-running show in Korea. The exclusive **NANTA** theatres and through the numerous world tours (57 Countries. 310 cities), **NANTA** has entertained more than 10 million audiences.

Celebrating the 20th anniversary in 2017,

NANTA is more than ready for continuous success throughout the decades to come.



WHAT'S NANTA?



Nonverbal Performance!!

Drama!!

Audience Participation!!

Synopsis

Washing vegetables, sorting ingredients, setting fire, chefs at the **NANTA** kitchen are about to begin another busy day. Then the ill-natured manager brings his little nephew and makes him a part of the **NANTA** family. The manager orders the chefs to prepare dishes for an unexpected wedding reception. Savory smells spread all over the kitchen and the smiley faces of the hilarious chefs unite the stage and the audience. The reception is at 6 o'clock and it is at hand! Will the **NANTA** cooks complete the preparation on time?

NANTA IN A GLANCE

- ▲ 1997 Oct. - Premiered at Hoam Art Hall, Seoul
- ▲ 1999 Aug - The Edinburgh Fringe Festival, U.K., all tickets SOLD OUT!
- ▲ 2000 Jul. - Opened first 'NANTA Theatre',
The first exclusive theatre for a single show in Korea
- ▲ 2003 Sep.- The first Asian musical to be staged on Broadway NYC
(New Victory Theatre)
- ▲ 2004 Mar.- The first Asian musical to open its own Off-Broadway Theatre
(Minetta Lane Theatre)
- ▲ 2008 Apr. - NANTA Theatre opened in Jeju Island
- ▲ 2013 Jan.- Opened NANTA Theatre in Bangkok, Thailand
- ▲ 2015 Jan.- 10,000,000th NANTA Audience Event
- ▲ 2016 Jan.- Opened NANTA Theatre in Guangzhou, China
- ▲ 2017 Jan.- Reached a record of performing in 57 countries and 310 cities

**With a mind breaking record of touring
310 cities in 57 countries.**

**NANTA is a global performance that receives performance
requests from all over the globe.**



NANTA HIGHLIGHT PERFORMANCE?

- The highlight performance of **NANTA** comprises the unforgettable scenes from the theatre version of **NANTA** that were most entertaining and interesting to the audience to create one unique dramatic performance.
- The highlight version of **NANTA** is currently performed at various festivals, corporate events and cultural concerts. The **NANTA** highlight performance displays the powerful, entertaining and exhilarating spirit of **NANTA** in a compact form.



• Performance Outline

➤ Performance Composition

Traditional Farmers Dance, Opening, Hand Examination, Soup Tasting, Vegetable Chopping, Chopping Board, Clapping, Drumming, etc.
(Varies by venue and seat layout)

➤ Concert Duration

3 ~ 30 minutes (Performance duration varies by event, composition, location and character)

➤ Characters

Head Chef, Sous-chef (Female Chef), Sexy Guy, Nephew

NANTA HIGHLIGHT PERFORMANCE?

- Procedure Proposal (approx. 30min)

	Show steps	Time (30min)	Specific details
NANTA Highlight Performance	Opening	3 min	- Each NANTA chef makes a unique sound with kitchen tools to play the Korean 'Samulnori' rhythm and gradually raises the tension of the audience.
	Cooking Soup	5 min	- NANTA chefs cook the soup and comical acts are shown while the chefs add final touches to make the perfect taste.
	Soup Tasting	2 min	- The chefs taste the soup and are unable to decide whether the taste is just right.
	Audience Participation	7 min	- Two members from the audience are invited up on stage and are involved in the drama. They get a chance to actually taste the soup and become a part of the show with the chefs.
	Vegetable Chopping and Chopping Board Synchronization	8 min	-The four chefs wildly chop cabbages, cucumbers, carrots, and onions while skillfully showing off some unique techniques using knives.
	Drumming	5 min	- NANTA fever continues as the dynamic drum scene marks the climax of the show.



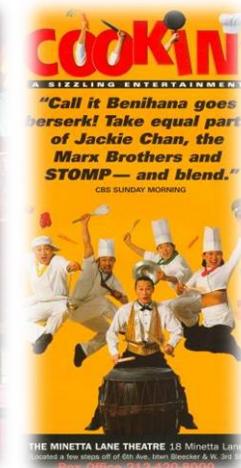
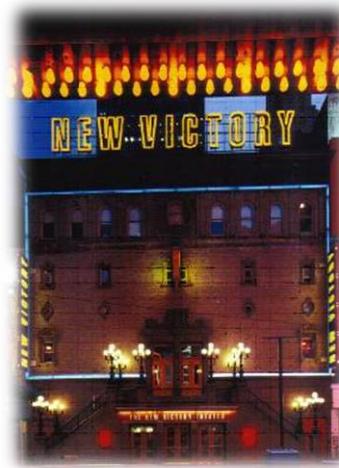
NANTA HIGHLIGHT PERFORMANCE?



NANTA ON BROADWAY

NANTA became the first Asian musical to debut on Broadway in September 2003 at the NEW VICTORY THEATRE on 45nd Ave., New York. Since the premiere in 1997, staging **NANTA** on Broadway was a burning ambition for the cast and crew.

The performance was successful and the audience support was beyond expectations. Just six months after the Broadway debut, **NANTA** became the first Asian musical to stage regular shows, and made it to the MINETTA LANE THEATRE alongside other famous worldwide performances.



- Staged from Sep.22nd to Oct.19th, 2003 (4weeks, Season Opener)
- At the New Victory Theatre
- Staged from February 20th 2004 to August 7th, 2005
- At the Minetta Lane Theater (400 Seats)

NANTA IN THE PRESS

"Great Fun ! Superb!" -The Herald-

"High energy experience with infectious rhythms." -The Guardian-

"Explodes with rhythm, fizzes with acrobatic energy." -Evening News-

"Top Entertainment!" -The Stage-

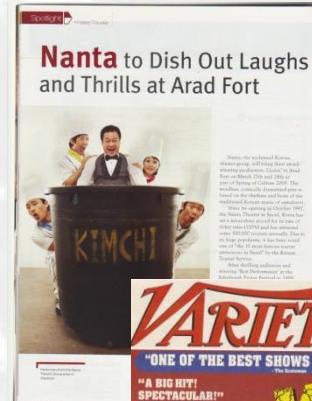
"Toast of 1999 Edinburgh Festival. Completely Sold-out!" -CNN-

"More fun than should legally be allowed" -Korea Herald-

"A Big Hit! Spectacular!" -Newsweek International-

"Chaos of Elation" with the audience... An outstanding score had to be given to this brilliant idea." - Chosun Daily-

"Cookin" blows away the end of this century with the feeling of liberation from its explosive rhythm." - Donga Daily-



If you can't stand the beat, stay out of the kitchen

Lyn Gardner

samp

high-energy culinar



Dancing with knives

THEATRE REVIEW
COOKIN' **★★★½**
BY CLAUDIO RAVASI
FOR THE JAPAN TIMES
TAKESHI KITAGAWA
PERFORMS COOKIN' AT THE
SHIBUYA THEATRE IN TOKYO.
PHOTO BY TAKAHASHI YOSHIO
TOKYO



RECIPE FOR SUCCESS

Korean brew haha

Korean traditional music literally got the souped-up treatment at the Singapore premiere of Cookin'



Health savings of minus and minus from the cast of Cookin'

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GLOBAL NANTA

DENMARK		2005	02.10 02.12	Arhus (Musickhuset) Aalborg	2005	11.26 01.12 01.13 01.14 01.18 01.19 11.24	Bern, Kursaal Loerrach(Burghof) Chur (Stadttheater) Winterthur (theater am Garten) Viersen(Festhalle) Saalbau Casino Zug	POLAND	2013	06.05 06.07	Korea Culture Center Poland Teatr Dramatyczny	2016	06.11	Warsaw Park Agrykola	04.28 - 04.30 05.01 - 05.28 08.15 08.17 09.15 09.28 10.14 10.27 10.29	Biwako Hall - Kyoto Hall - Ana(Jenniku) Hotel Beautiful New Heaven Kazsika Symphony Hill Miyagi Sendai Electricity Hall Akita 秋田民館																															
NETHERLANDS		2000	10.16 10.17 10.19 10.20 10.21 10.22 10.24 10.27 - 10.29 10.31 11.01 11.02 11.03 11.04 - 11.05 11.07 11.08 11.10 11.11 11.12 11.15 11.16 11.17 11.18 - 11.19 11.21 11.22 11.23 11.24 11.25 11.26 11.28 11.29 11.30 12.01 12.02 12.04 - 12.06 12.07 12.07 12.09 2006	Schouwburg De Meerse Stadsschouwburg / Premiere Theater Het Park Schouburg Kunstmijn Cultureel Centrum Schouwburg Theater De Lampgiet Stadsschouwburg Zaantheater Theater De Slop Theater De Lawei Theater De Vest Goudse Schouwburg Stadstheater Schouwburg Leidse Schouwburg Theater De Metropole Schouwburg Orpheus Schouwburg De Meerse Theater De Kolk Theater De Muzeval Schouwburg Theater a/d Schie De Willems Theater De Meervaart Rotterdam(Nieuwe Luxor) Chasse Theater Theater De Veste De Nieuwe Doelen Deventer Schouwburg Theater De Naald Schouwburg De Maaspoort Schouwburg Lochemse Schouwburg Rabotheteater Theater Markant Nieuwe Luxor	2005	05.13 06.28 - 06.29 12.07 - 12.10	- -	CZECH	2003	05.13		2010	12.07 - 12.10	Prague Congress Centre	ASIA	JAPAN	2000	01.06 - 01.16 01.19 - 01.23 11.30 - 12.01	Tokyo Aoyama Theater Osaka Theater Drama City Tokyo Super Expo	2001	03.16 - 03.17 03.20 03.23 - 03.24 03.26 03.29 03.31 - 04.01 04.03 - 04.08 04.10 - 04.22	Nagoya Welfare Hall Joets Citizen Hall Niigata Citizen Hall Sendai Miyagi Theater Hiroshima Aster Plaza Fukuoka Momochi Palace Osaka Geijutsu Hall Tokyo Aoyama Theater	2007	01.26 09.27 09.29	Pacific Venus Cruise Showa Womens University	2008	05.30 06.03 - 06.06 08.16	Pacifico Yokohama	2009	10.24 - 10.26	Pacific Cabinas	2010	03.21 - 03.23 05.31 - 06.01 09.19 - 09.22 09.28 - 09.30 11.25 - 11.30 2011	Kumamoto Nagasaki Aomori Nagasaki Osaka, Tokyo Osaka Sankei Hall Breeze	2012	03.24 - 03.27 03.31 05.27 06.23 - 06.26 06.30 - 07.03 07.06 07.30 10.06 11.16 11.18 12.07 2013	Tokyo Sunshine Theatre Kanazawa-shi Bunka Hiroshima Astel Plaza Morinomiya piloti hall (Osaka)	2014	03.17 - 03.20 03.24 - 03.27 03.31 05.27 06.23 - 06.26 06.30 - 07.03 07.06 07.30 10.06 11.16 11.18 12.07 2015	Tokyo Sunshine Theatre Fukuoka JR KyuShu Hall Chiba Port Park Utsunomiya Isahaya Bunka Kaikan Miyazaki Fukuoka Hilton Resort Sankei Hall Breeze	2016	04.05 - 04.08 05.18 - 05.19	Takamatsu Sunport Hall / Kansai Airport Kansai Airport Sun Plaza 06.14 - 06.17 07.13 11.09 - 11.11 2017	Kansai Airport Kansai Airport Sun Plaza New Pier Hall Shibata City Culture Center Meitetsu Hall Shizuoka Prefecture Fukushima Cultural Center ACROS Fukuoka Conrad Tokyo Hotel Kumamoto Kansai Airport Sunshine Theatre	2018	12.07 - 12.08 12.27 - 12.29	
SWITZERLAND		2002	03.26 - 04.01 11.23 11.24 11.25	Zurich Basel, Messe Lausanne, Beauliv Zurich, Kongresshaus	2013	06.01	Millenaris Teatrum	HUNGARY	2013	06.01		2005	03.23 - 04.01 04.29 05.17 06.13 10.23 10.31 11.03 12.05	Nagoya Labor Hal	FINLAND	2013	05.28	Savoy Teatteri	BULGARIA	2015	10.27	Sofia	MACEDONIA	2015	10.29		2006	12.25 02.18	Sun Palace International Exchange Center NHK Hall	2016	02.18	NHK Hall	2017	02.09 05.17 05.31 09.21 10.22 12.07 - 12.08 12.27 - 12.29													



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CHINA	04.05 04.07 04.09 04.12 04.15 04.17 04.20 04.22 04.24 04.26 04.29 - 04.30 04.30 - 05.02 05.02 05.04 05.07 - 05.08 05.11 05.14 05.17 05.20 - 05.21 05.25 - 05.26 06.24 - 06.26 12.15 - 01.18	Ma'anshan Theatre Changshu Theatre Zhangjiagang Theatre Wenzhou Theatre Ningbo Cultural Center Zhoushan Putuo Theatre Changzhou Theatre Wuxi Theatre Kunshan Theatre Yixing Theatre Xiamen Theatre Chengdu CapitaMall Yichun Culture Center Jian Poly Theatre Chongqing Theatre Wuhan Qintai Theatre Huanggang Huangmei Theatre Handan Theatre Wulanqiaete (Neimenggu) Shanghai Poly Theatre Eastern Suburb Memory (Chengdu) Shanghai Etspace	2012 03.02 09.25 - 09.30 2014 07.10 - 07.13 2016 06.03 - 06.05	Suntec Convention Hall Marina Bay Sands Hotel World Resorts Sentosa World Resorts Sentosa
THAILAND				
	2003 2006 2009 2013	10.14 - 10.15 03.17 07.18 - 07.27 01.31 - 02.01	Bangkok Pattaya Bangkok Royal Paragon Hall OKURA	
INDONESIA				
	2005 2014 2015 2016	12.02 - 12.04 09.06 - 09.14 05.01 - 05.03 10.01 - 10.04 09.30 - 10.03	Jakarta Lotte Shopping Avenue Lotte Shopping Avenue Indonesia Convention Exhibition (ICE) BSD City Lotte Shopping Avenue	
INDIA				
	2013	02.27 - 02.28 03.01	HICC Hyderabad India HICC Hyderabad India	
BRUNEI				
	2014	04.01 - 04.02	Jerudong International School	
MONGOLIA				
	2010	08.12 - 08.15	Ulanbaator	
PAKISTAN				
	2014	11.06 11.07	Serena Hotel Ambassador Residence	
PHILIPPINES				
	2015	11.10 - 11.15	Manila, Theatre at Solaire	
MYANMAR				
	2016	01.09 - 11.12	Yangon / Naypyidaw	
AFRICA				
MOROCCO				
	2009	07.17 - 07.19	Casablanca	
TUNISIA				
	2009	07.10 - 07.13 07.14 - 07.16	Tunis Carthage Amphitheater Kairouan Centre Assad Ibn Al Fourat	
ALGERIA				
	2016	10.08 - 10.10	Algiers / Constantine	
OCEANIA				
AUSTRALIA				
	2001 2007 2008	05.15 - 05.27 09.20 - 09.21 09.20 - 09.21	Theatre Royal Sydney Darling Harbour -	
NEW ZEALAND				
	2004	03.10 - 03.14	Queens Wharf Centre	
MIDDLE EAST				
KUWAIT				
	2013	01.19 - 01.20	Kuwait National Museum Theater Abdolhusain abdulridha theater	
JORDAN				
	2012	05.02 - 05.03	Al Hassan bin Talal Theatre	
BAHRAIN				
	2009 2016	03.25 - 03.29 05.19 05.21	Manama Arad Fort Ritz Carlton Hotel Bahrain Cultural Hall	
OMAN				
	2009	07.20 - 07.24	Muscat	
ISRAEL				
	2008 2012	06.05 - 06.06 06.10 06.11 06.12 - 06.14 05.07 - 05.10	Sherover Theater Yad Lameginim Youth Center Mediatheque Smolarz Auditorium / Rebecca Crwon Hall	

NANTA THEATRES



Myeongdong NANTA THEATRE

Opened October 10th, 2009
Location Unesco 3rd floor, 50-14
Myeongdong 2 ga, Junggu, Seoul
Seats 386 Seats
Schedule Mon - Sun & Holidays 17:00, 20:00



Chungjeongno NANTA THEATRE

Opened February 1st, 2013
Location 476, Chungjeongno 3-ga
Seodaemungu, Seoul
Seats 540 Seats
Schedule Mon - Sun & Holidays 17:00, 20:00

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Hongdae NANTA THEATRE

Opened October 16th, 2015

Location B2F, 357-4, Seokyo-dong, Mapo-gu, Seoul

Seats 331 Seats

Schedule Mon ~ Fri : 20:00

Sat, Sun, and Holidays : 14:00, 17:00



Jeju NANTA THEATRE

Opened January 1st, 2017

Location 56-26, Seondolmokdong-gil, Jeju-si, Jeju-do

Seats 659 Seats

Schedule Mon ~ Sun & Holidays : 17:00, 20:00

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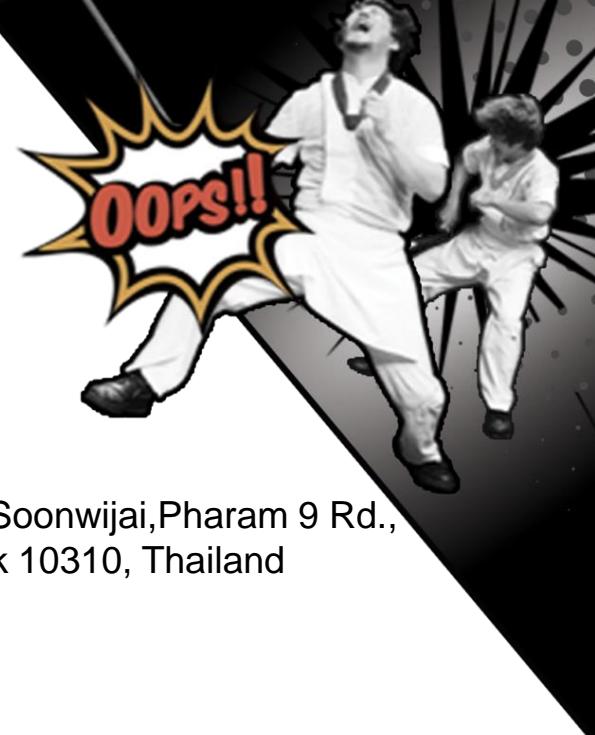
Bangkok NANTA THEATRE

Opened January 16th, 2013
Location 31/6 RCA Plaza Bldg. Fl.1, Soi Soonwijai, Pharam 9 Rd.,
Bangkapi, Huaykwang, Bangkok 10310, Thailand
Seats 524 Seats
Schedule Tue. ~ Sun. 20:00



Guangzhou NANTA THEATRE

Opened January 1st, 2016
Location 7th floor, Grandview mall, No.228 Tianhe
Road, Guangzhou, China
Seats 586 Seats
Schedule Tue. ~ Fri. 20:00
Sat. ~ Sun. 15:00 / 20:00





HOTEL **NANTA**

20 years after its premiere, the world renown show NANTA becomes the theme of an incomparable hotel in Jeju Island.





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