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## Happiness in Roofscape

万田発酵株式会社 HAKKO ゲート Manda Fermentation Co., Ltd. HAKKO Gate 瀬戸内海に浮かぶ因島の豊かな自然の中にある、万田発酵のHAKKOパークや工場を訪れる人々のための施設である。屋根の形は因島の山のゆるやかな曲線と呼応し、山なりへと溶け込む。木架構の3枚の屋根が伸びやかに連なり、風景に寄り添う。屋根の隙間から差し込んでくる光は、木漏れ日のように心地よい。屋根以外はできるだけ透明にすることで、背景の山の木々をガラス越しに感じられる。海側から眺めると、屋根が山並みの一部のように浮かび、風景に調和する姿を目指した。万田発酵の理念である「自然との調和」を体現し、これからも因島の風景を守ろうとする人々と訪れる人々の幸せに寄り添うだろう。

HAKKO Gate is a facility for visitors to Manda Fermentation's HAKKO Park and factory, located on Innoshima, an island lush with greenery in the Seto Inland Sea. The roofs, designed in response to the soft curves of the island's mountains, blend into the mountains behind them. Three flowingly-tiered wood-framed roofs harmonize with the scenery. The light coming through the gaps on the roofs gives comfort, as if it were shining through trees. Most of the structure other than the roofs has been made transparent so that trees and mountains in the background can be sensed through the glass. The goal was to create harmony with the landscape; the roofs look as if they are a part of the mountains when seen from the seaside. The architectural work embodies Manda Fermentation's corporate philosophy, "harmony with nature," and will continue to be there for the happiness of visitors and people protecting the island's landscape.