Information for Local Transport in Korea (May 2016)

If you arrive in Incheon International Airport (IIA)

- and try to use a domestic airline to Pohang (KPO), you have to go to Gimpo Airport (GMP). You may use a subway or bus to go Gimpo Airport. There are two flights per day by Korean Air:

KE1531 GMP 08:40 > KPO 09:30 KE1533 GMP 17:00 > KPO 19:15

- and use KTX (high speed train) to Pohang, there are two ways: (1) Direct connection from IIA to Pohang (one train per day) and (2) via Seoul station to Pohang. From Pohang Station to POSCO International Center, a taxi is a convenient way. It will take about 30 minutes, and the fare will be about 10,000 Won (~10 USD).

Upon arrival at IIA, follow the sign to go KTX / AREX / Metro platform.

Pohang	Seoul	Incheon	Incheon	Seoul	Pohang
5:25	7:55			5:45	8:15
7:15	9:55	10:52		6:50	9:26
9:50	12:23			8:40	11:07
10:43	13:12			9:45	11:58
13:00	15:26		12:07	13:00	15:30
14:08	16:24			14:35	17:01
17:00	19:32			16:10	18:35
18:50	21:25			16:55	19:14
20:00	22:21			19:10	21:42
21:50	0:22			22:10	0:35

There are two types of trains between IIA to Seoul Station: (a) AREX (nonstop railroad express) and (b) Metro. AREX brings you to Seoul Station in 43 minutes. Metro will take about 60 minutes.

Time Table for AREX and Metro

	AREX	Metro
Hour	Minute	Minute
5	20	23, 33, 43, 52
6	00, 30	02, 10, 17, 22, 31, 37, 47
7	20	00, 07, 12, 24, 31, 43, 54
8	02, 35	07, 14, 22, 37, 53
9	20, 54	11, 23, 41, 46, 57
10	32, 56	06, 14, 23, 35, 43, 58
11	30, 56	12, 22, 36, 51
12	30	10, 16, 22, 36, 53
13	01, 32	06, 14, 24, 35, 42, 52
14	00, 34	02, 12, 26, 41, 52
15	00, 26	05, 13, 29, 37, 54, 59
16	07, 41	10, 16, 33, 47, 58
17	15, 59	06, 20, 31, 40, 51
18	47	06, 16, 21, 39, 53
19	15, 54	06, 18, 26, 36, 46, 58
20	16	08, 21, 38, 47
21	00, 45	02, 13, 23, 32, 49
22		06, 20, 35, 52
23		08, 25, 42

♦ Useful Tip

When you use a taxi, please show the following text in Korean to taxi driver. It means "Please take me to Pohang Accelerator Laboratory."

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If you arrive Busan Gimhae International Airport (GIA),



There is a limousine bus service (Geum-A Bus Co.) from GIA to Pohang Bus Terminal. This bus stops at Gyeongju Bus Terminal prior to Pohang. There are 16 bus services a day and the fare is 11,000 Won. The travel time is about 2 hours. The schedule is following:

Departure from Gimhae: 07:05 / 07:35 / 08:35 / 09:35 / 10:35 / 11:35 / 12:35 / 13:35 / 14:35 / 15:35 / 16:35 / 17:35 / 18:35 / 19:35 / 20:45 / 22:05 (Domestic Terminal)

Bus may leave earlier than above schedules from International Terminal.
Departure from Pohang: 05:00 / 05:40 / 06:20 / 07:20 / 08:20 / 09:20 / 10:20 / 11:20 / 12:20 / 13:20 / 15:20 / 15:20 / 16:20 / 17:20 / 18:20 / 19:20

From Pohang bus terminal to POSTECH, a taxi is convenient way to get POSTECH. It will take about 15 minutes, and the fare will be about 5,000 Won.

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