

Directions For Reaching the Place of Accommodation

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IWPSD Help Desk

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If your accommodation arrangements have been made by us, then you would have already been intimated about your place of stay.

If you are staying in one of the *hotels, or the MTNL Guest House (GH), or the IITB Vanvihar/Jalvihar GH, or the NITIE GH, or the SAMEER GH*, then please proceed directly to the reception desk of your respective place of stay.

REACHING IIT BOMBAY

We list below the recommended ways to get to IIT Bombay from some of the common arrival points. For more information, please read the section titled *General local travel*

information at the end of the document that describes in greater detail the various local transit options within Mumbai.

Recommended ways to get to IIT Bombay in Powai from:

Kurla Railway Station (Lokmanya Tilak Terminus) or Bandra Railway Station:

Take an auto rickshaw, which would cost about Rs 120.

Dadar, Chatrapati Shivaji Terminus (commonly known as VT), or Mumbai Central Railway Stations:

Take a taxi, which would cost about Rs 250, Rs 350 and Rs 300 respectively from the 3 places respectively.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport domestic terminal (Santa Cruz airport):

Both taxis and auto rickshaws are available from the airport. A taxi will charge around Rs 250 while an auto rickshaw will charge around Rs 100.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport international terminal (Sahar airport):

Take a pre-paid taxis from *within* the terminal itself. Tell the person at the pre-paid booth that you wish to go to IIT Bombay in Powai. Alternately, taxis or auto rickshaws are also an option. A taxi will charge around Rs 200/- while a rickshaw will charge around Rs 80/-.

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> PRE-PAID taxis are AVAILABLE at INTERNATIONAL Terminal, but **NOT** at DOMESTIC-Terminal.

OTHER INFORMATION

Auto rickshaw fares:

Approximate auto rickshaw fare from Kanjur Marg (West) station to IIT Bombay: Rs 30

Approximate auto rickshaw fare from Vikhroli (West) station to IIT Bombay: Rs 35

Approximate auto rickshaw fare from Andheri (East) to IIT Bombay: Rs 80

When you reach IITB, please enter the campus from the main gate. If you are carrying a laptop, it is recommended that you declare it to the security staff at the main gate, so that you don't have problems when taking it back .

REACHING IITB Guest House (VAN VIHAR / JAL VIHAR) /SAMEER Guest House

There are three gates to IIT Bombay. It is advisable to enter through the main gate. If you are coming by an auto rickshaw/taxi, enquire from the security at the main gate for directions to IITB Guest house (Van Vihar/Jal Vihar)/ SAMEER Guest House. You may not want to alight from the auto rickshaw at the main gate.

REACHING IITB HOSTELS

There are three gates to IIT Bombay. It is advisable to enter through the main gate. If you are coming by an auto rickshaw/taxi, enquire from the security at the main gate for directions to IRCC room IC1 in the SOM building inside the IITB campus (School of Management). Do NOT alight from the auto rickshaw at the main gate itself. Then please pick up the hostel room keys from IC1 and proceed towards the allotted Hostel. You can pick up the keys anytime between 8am on Dec 15th up to 10am on Dec 20th, including night hours. You will be asked to pay a refundable security deposit of Rs 500 (cash only) *per key issued*, and a receipt will be issued to you. Upon your departure from the conference, you will need to produce the receipt and surrender the key to get the deposit refunded.

REACHING CETTM Hostel (MTNL Guest House)

Address:

Center For Excellence in Telecom Technology And Management (CETTM)

Also commonly know as **MTNL Training Hostel**

Office of the Chief General Manager (Training), CETTM, MTNL,

Technology Steet, Hiranandani Gardens,

Powai, Mumbai-400076

Phone(s): +91-22-25704466/45

Email(s): contact@cettm.mtnl.in

Fax: +91-22-25714895

Website: <http://cettm.mtnl.in/>

CETTM Hostel (MTNL) is located in Hiranandani Gardens, Powai, It is a five minutes' drive away from IIT Bombay.

Recommended ways to get to MTNL Guest House in Powai from various places:

Kurla Railway Station (Lokmanya Tilak Terminus) or Bandra Railway Station:

Take an auto rickshaw, which would cost about Rs 130.

Dadar, Chatrapati Shivaji Terminus (commonly known as VT) or Mumbai Central Station:

Take a taxi, which would cost about Rs 260, Rs 360 and Rs. 350 respectively from these 3 places.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport domestic terminal (Santa Cruz airport):

Both taxis and auto rickshaws are available from the airport. A taxi will charge around Rs 250 while an auto rickshaw will charge around Rs 100.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport international terminal (Sahar airport):

Take a pre-paid taxis from *within* the terminal itself. Tell the person at the pre-paid booth that you wish to go to IIT Bombay in Powai. Alternately, taxis or auto rickshaws are also an option. A taxi will charge around Rs 200/- while a rickshaw will charge around Rs 80/-.

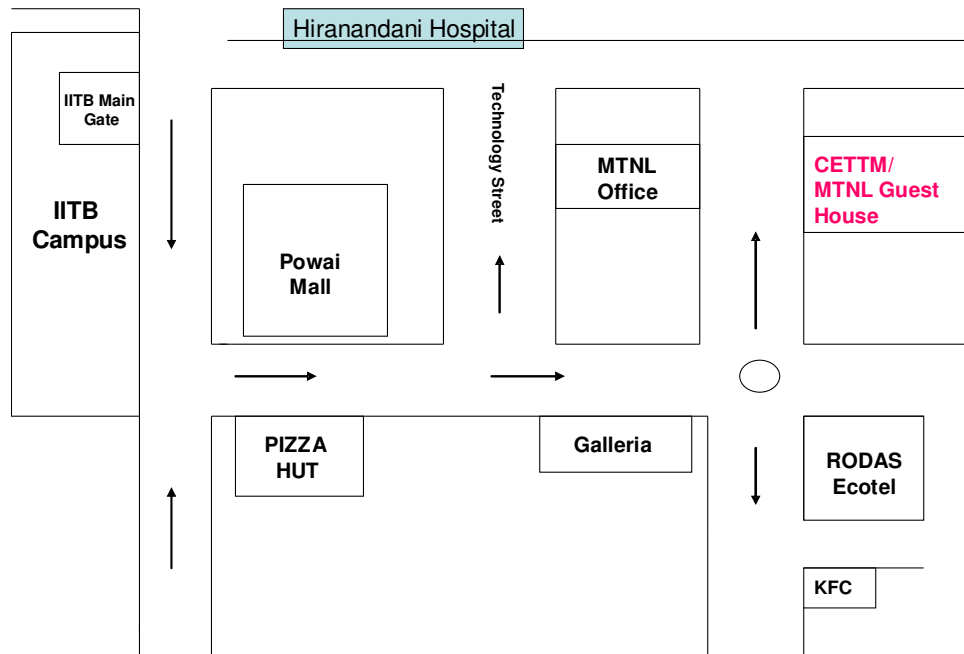
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Tell the auto / taxi driver that you want to go Hiranandani in Powai.

(Hiranandani exists in other parts of Mumbai. So Hiranandani at Powai is important. (The driver will not know the MTNL GH). In Hiranandani, the Hiranandani hospital and Rhodas hotel in Hiranandani are landmarks. Please see the map. If you are staying in MTNL GH, Please print these directions and the map and carry with you. This will help you reach.

The road map of Hiranandani, powai (includes only important locations)



Those coming from the Kurla Railway Station (Lokmanya Tilak Terminus), Dadar, Chatrapati Shivaji Terminus (ie. VT) follow the above instructions to get near IIT Bombay, powai. Continue straight till you reach Pizza Hut. Turn left into this lane-go straight, take the second left from the circle. The MTNL guest house is located on the right side of this road. It is a five minutes' drive away from IIT Bombay.

Those traveling by road from the Western route (Andheri/Borivali/Bandra/Bombay Central), should turn right into the Pizza Hut lane and follow the above instructions to get to the MTNL Guest House, Hiranandani Gardens, powai. Do not come up to IIT Bombay.

REACHING NITIE Guest House

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING (NITIE)

Address:

MDP Hostel

NITIE Campus,

Near Vihar Lake,

Mumbai 400087

Maharashtra, India

Phone : +91-022-28573371 (Ext:290/221)

Fax : +91-022 28575670

Website: <http://www.nitie.edu>

How to Reach NITIE Guest House?

IIT Bombay (4 km), L&T Powai (1.5 km) and Hotel Renaissance (1 km) are landmarks nearest to NITIE.

Recommended ways to get to NITIE Guest House in Powai from:

Kurla Railway Station (Lokmanya Tilak Terminus) or Bandra Railway Station:

Take an auto rickshaw, which would cost about Rs 180.

Dadar, Chatrapati Shivaji Terminus (commonly known as VT) or Mumbai Central Station:

Take a taxi, which would cost about Rs 310, Rs 400, Rs 350 from these places.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport domestic terminal (Santa Cruz airport):

Both taxis and auto rickshaws are available from the airport. A taxi will charge around Rs 300 while an auto rickshaw will charge around Rs 150.

Chatrapati Shivaji airport international terminal (Sahar airport):

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For people coming via Western Railway, all trains halt at Borivali and Mumbai Central Terminus, and some halt at Dadar too. If possible, it is suggested to alight at Andheri or Bandra. Then you can take an auto rickshaw from Andheri Station East to NITIE (Near

Vihar Lake) - should cost something around 60-70 Rupees. Also, travellers with light luggage can take BEST buses numbers 184 and 186 that run very frequently from Andheri Station East to NITIE and cost 10 - 12 Rupees.

NOTES:

- **Once you reach NITIE gate, ask the driver to take you to 'MDP Hostel.'**

- Visit BEST Bus Information Online

(<http://www.bestundertaking.com/transport/index.htm>)

- Taxis / Autos in Mumbai run according to meter and carry meter conversion cards. Normally the amount payable = Meter reading - 1.00

- Additional night fares are applicable from 12am to 5am



General local travel information to reach IITB

This section has general information about the various travel options within Mumbai. IIT Bombay is located at Powai, which is an eastern suburb in the North-Eastern part of Mumbai. Mumbai is in the form of a long narrow island, almost a peninsula, thrusting

south wards into the Arabian Sea. It can be broadly divided into four zones:

South Bombay (Colaba, CST, Fort, Churugate, Nariman Point etc.)

Central Bombay (Dadar, Bombay Central, Worli etc.)

The Western suburbs (Bandra, Juhu, Andheri, Borivali etc.)

The Eastern Suburbs (Kurla, Chembur, Ghatkopar, Mulund, Kanjur Marg, Vikhroli etc.)
and TIFR is located in south Mumbai (downtown).

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply and Transport (BEST) organization provides the local bus transit in the city of Mumbai. It is a very efficient bus service, and its route information is available at:

<http://www.bestundertaking.com/transport/Area.asp>

Buses to IIT Bombay:

Buses from Kanjur Marg (West) station to IIT Bombay (main gate): 409 ltd, 396 ltd, 403 ltd, 425 ltd, 398 ltd, 425, 424, 422, 307, 346 ltd, 496 ltd, 459 ltd, 461 ltd, 460 ltd

Buses from Vikhroli (West) station to IIT Bombay (main gate): 337, 392

Note: If you are coming by bus, you will have to take an auto rickshaw from the main gate of IIT Bombay to the IITB Guest house/ SAMEER Guest house/ hostel where you are staying. Auto rickshaw fare will be a minimum of Rs 10-15.

In the suburbs, taxis are less common but they will nevertheless be available at important places like railway stations and airports.



Suburban trains (also called *local* trains) are also widely available.

A map of the Mumbai suburban rail network is shown below.



Central Railway

If you are coming on the central railway line (e.g. Kalyan, Thane, Kurla, Dadar, VT) you may take a local train and get down at Kanjur Marg (West) station or Vikhroli (West) station which are the nearest stations to IITB and take a bus (there are several buses to IIT) or auto rickshaw to IIT (main gate).

Western Railway

If you are coming on the western railway line (e.g. Borivali, Andheri, Bombay Central, or Churchgate), get off at Dadar station and change to the central railway line and take a local train to Kanjur Marg (West) station or Vikhroli (West) station and then take a bus (there are several buses to IIT) or auto rickshaw to IIT (main gate).

Alternatively, if you are coming from Andheri (East), you can take an auto rickshaw or bus no. 396 Ltd, 496 Ltd, 403 Ltd, 409 Ltd, 445 Ltd, 336, 337, 392, 185 to IIT Bombay (main gate).

HOTELS:

Host Inn Pvt. Ltd.

Opp. Marol Fire Brigade, Andheri Kurla Road,

Andheri (East), Mumbai - 400 059.

Website: <http://www.hotelhost-inn.com/index.html>

The Residence Hotel & Convention Centre

Before Vihar Lake, Powai,

Mumbai 400 087. INDIA

email : roombookings@theresidencehotel.com

Website: <http://www.theresidencehotel.com/>

The Peninsula Grand Hotel

Sakinaka Junction,

Mumbai - 400 072.

India

E-mail: info@peninsulagrand.com

Website: <http://www.peninsulagrand.com/about.html>

Renaissance® Mumbai Hotel & Convention Centre

#2 & 3B, Near Chinmayanand Ashram, Powai

Mumbai, 400 087 India

Website: <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/bombr-renaissance-mumbai-hotel-and-convention-centre>

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