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By Train

- With the German Railway (www.bahn.de) to Kölner Hauptbahnhof (Main Station Cologne) or station Bonn/Siegburg. There you can take a car, taxi or the public transportation.

By Local Transportation

- The local trains ("S-Bahn") S 12 or S 13 leave from Koeln Hauptbahnhof (Hbf), Siegburg and Troisdorf. The local train S 13 also leaves from Koeln Bonn Airport. Daytime departures take place every 20 min for both trains so that there is a train every 10 minutes. Get off at the railway station "Porz-Wahn" and continue from there by bus, number 162, direction "DLR". See instructions "By bus" below.

- To get to DLR Koeln by bus, take the bus number 162 from Porz-Wahn. The bus sign will show "DLR". Please make sure that you take the one saying "DLR" as there are different routes for bus number 162. Exit at the last stop and you have arrived at the main gate of the German Aerospace Center DLR Koeln.

- Note: Make sure that you have a valid ticket. Tickets for local train routes must be purchased in advance. If you need a ticket, you can get one from the ticket machines. Mit den S-Bahn Linien S 12 und S 13 bis zum Bahnhof „Porz-Wahn“ von dort aus mit der Buslinie 162 zur Haltestelle „DLR“.

By Airplane

Upon arrival at Koeln Bonn Airport there’s two possibilities:

- Take a taxi in front of the terminal and ask the driver to take you to "DLR in Porz-Wahnheide".

- Or take the local train S 13 direction "Troisdorf" from the railway station "Köln/Bonn Flughafen", which is located in the basement of the airport, to the station "Porz-Wahn" which is your first stop after boarding the train. Continue from there by bus, number 162, direction "DLR". See also above instructions "By public transportation".

By Car

- Have a look at the map on the right: Arriving from Frankfurt (A3) or from Bonn (A59): follow the indications to Koeln Bonn Airport (A59) until the exit Porz-Wahn/Wahnheide. At the exit take the right (Porz-Wahnheide) and follow the DLR sign.

- Arriving from Cologne (A59) or Oberhausen/Duesseldorf (A3): follow the indications to Koeln/Bonn Airport (A59), then do not exit at the interchange "Flughafen Köln/Bonn" but take the next exit Porz-Wahn/Wahnheide. At the exit drive left (Porz-Wahnheide) and follow the DLR sign.

- Note: If you use a navigation system, enter your destination as "Planitzweg" instead of Linder Höhe.