

# PHAPLU AIRPORT



## Brief Description

Phaplu Airport is situated at Solu Dudhkund Municipality of Solukhumbu District, Province No. 1. The airport is in close proximity to District Headquarter, Salleri. This airport is the gateway to Khumbu Trekking Route.

## General Information

Name	PHAPLU	
Location Indicator	VNPL	
Aerodrome Reference Code	1 'A' Type 3	
Aerodrome Reference Point	273053N/0863510E	
Province/District	1(One)/Solukhumbu	
Distance and Direction from City	1 Km North West	
Elevation	2468 m. /8097 ft. (Ref. Topographical base map of Survey Dept.)	
Contact	Off: 977-38520153 Tower: 977-38520153 Fax: 977-38520153 AFS: VNPLYDYX E-mail: phaplu_cao@caanepal.org.np	
Operation Hours	Jan, Feb, Nov, Dec	0645LT-1230LT
	Mar, Apr, Sept, Oct	0615LT-1230LT
	May, Jun, July, Aug	0600LT-1230LT
Status	Operational	
Year of Start of Operation	October, 1976	

Serviceability	All weather
Land	Approx. 79800.57 m <sup>2</sup>
Re-fueling Facility	Not Available
Service	AFIS
	Visual Flight Rules (VFR)
Type of Aircraft	D228, DHC6, L410, Y12, C208
RFF Category	Not Available

### Infrastructure Condition

#### Airside

Runway	Type of Surface	Bituminous Paved (Asphalt Concrete)
	Runway Dimension	680 m x 20 m
	Runway Designation	02/20
Parking Capacity	Three Small Aircrafts	

#### Passenger Facilities

Hotels	Yes (city area)
Restaurants	Yes
Transportations	Jeep, Tractor, Van
Banks/ATMs	No
Internet Facility	Wi-Fi
Cable TV	Yes
Baggage Trolley	No

#### Airport Facilities

<b>Console</b>	One Man Position Tower Console with Associated Equipment and Accessories	
<b>Communication, Navigation &amp; Surveillance Systems</b>		
	Communication	HF SSB, VHF
	Navigation	None
<b>Security and Facilitations</b>		
	X-Ray	No
	Metal Detector	Hand Held
	CCTV Surveillance System	No
	UHF Band Communication System	No
	FIDS	No
<b>Meteorological Services</b>		Yes [Tower Observation]
<b>Electro-Mechanical Facilities</b>		
	Supply Condition	Single Phase Dual Supply without AGL
	PAPI/APAPI Light	No
	Stand -by-supply	Solar/Invertor
	Air Conditioner	No
<b>Rescue and Fire Fighting Services</b>		No