Koukaku Kidoutai 2.0

Ghost in the Shell 2.0

Score: **7.96**   Rank: **#707**

Set in the year 2029 and following World Wars III and IV, a Japanese-led Asian block dominates world affairs. The alliance maintains its international supremacy through its elite security force whose cybernetically enhanced operatives tackle an array of hi-tech terrorists and other threats to international security. These augmented agents can "ghost hack" (i.e., download their consciousness) via the now omnipresent internet into other machines and human/machine cross breeds.

Major Motoko Kusanagi, a cybernetically augmented female agent, has been tracking a virtual entity known as the Puppet Master with her crack squad of security agents. The shape-shifting Puppet Master, a rogue creation of a rival agency of the security apparatus, has concluded that it is a life form in its own right, "born in sea of information," and requested political asylum and true physical existence in defiance of its creators.

Anime Details

Episodes	1
Status	Finished Airing
Aired	Jul 12, 2008
Licensors	Manga Entertainment
Studios	Production I.G
Source	Manga
Genres	Action, Mystery, Sci-Fi, Suspense
Demographic	Seinen
Duration	1 hr. 23 min.

Characters

Kusanagi, Motoko	**Project 2501**
Main	Main
Tanaka, Atsuko — Japanese	**Sakakibara, Yoshiko** — Japanese
Batou	**Aramaki, Daisuke**
Main	Supporting
Ootsuka, Akio — Japanese	**Ooki, Tamio** — Japanese
Togusa	**Akafuku**
Main	Supporting
Yamadera, Kouichi — Japanese	**Touchi, Hiroki** — Japanese

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