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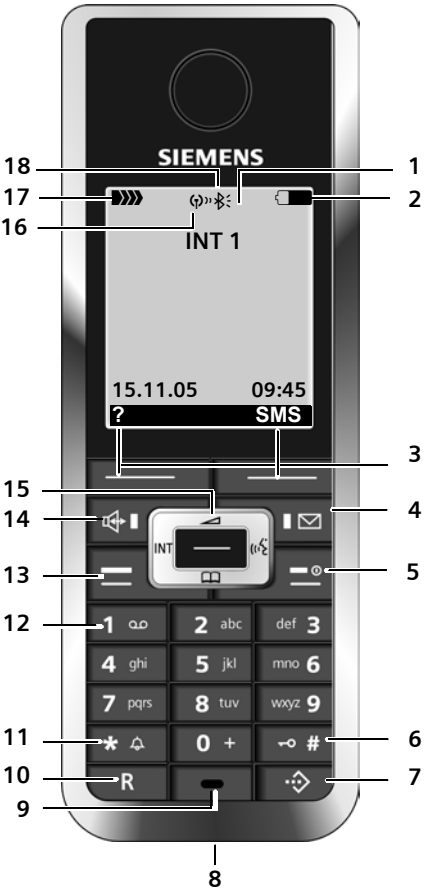
Handset at a glance



1 **Display** in idle status
2 **Battery pack charge status**
(flat to full)
flashes: battery pack almost flat
flashes: battery pack charging
3 **Display keys** (page 14)
4 **Message key**
Access to calls and message lists
Flashes: new message or new call
5 **End call key, On/Off key**
End call, cancel function, go back one menu level (press briefly), back to idle status (press and hold), activate/deactivate handset (press and hold in idle status)
6 **Hash key**
Key lock on/off (press and hold in idle status),
Toggle between upper/lower case and digits
7 **Call-by-call list key**
Open call-by-call list
8 **Connection socket** for headset and PC interface
9 **Microphone**
10 **Recall key**
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- Insert a dialling pause (press and hold)
11 **Star key**
Ringtones on/off (press and hold), with an open connection: switching between pulse dialling/touch tone dialling (press briefly)
Open table of special characters
12 **Key 1**
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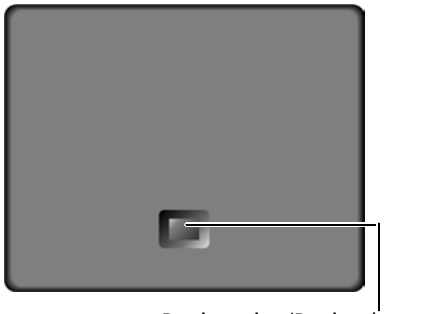

Registration/Paging key (page 40)

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Safety precautions

Caution:
Read the safety precautions and the user guide before use.
Explain their contents to your children, and the potential hazards associated with using the telephone.

Only use the mains adapter supplied, as indicated on the underside of the base station or the back of the charging cradle.

Fit only the **approved rechargeable battery pack**! Never use a conventional (non-rechargeable) battery pack as this could damage your health and cause injury. Use the battery pack as directed in this user guide (page 58).

The operation of medical appliances may be affected. Be aware of the technical conditions in your particular environment, e.g. doctor's surgery.

Do not hold the rear of the handset to your ear when it is ringing or when the handsfree function is activated. This can cause severe, permanent hearing damage.

The handset may cause an unpleasant humming noise in hearing aids.

Do not install the base station or charging cradle in bathrooms or shower rooms. The base station and the charging cradle are not splash proof (page 56).

Do not use the phone in environments with a potential explosion hazard, e.g. auto paint shops.

If you give your Gigaset to someone else, make sure you also give them the user guide.

All electrical and electronic products should be disposed of separately from the municipal waste stream via designated collection facilities appointed by the government or the local authorities.
This crossed-out wheeled bin symbol on the product means the product is covered by the European Directive 2002/96/EC.
The correct disposal and separate collection of your old appliance will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health. It is a precondition for reuse and recycling of used electrical and electronic equipment.
For more detailed information about disposal of your old appliance, please contact your local council refuse centre or the original supplier of the product.

Please remove faulty base stations from use or have them repaired by Siemens, as they could interfere with other wireless services.

Please note:
Not all of the functions described in this user guide are available in all countries.

Gigaset SL565 – more than just a telephone

Your telephone has a clearly laid out colour display (65K colours) and not only makes it possible for you to send and receive SMS over the fixed network, but also to store up to 250 phone numbers and e-mail addresses (page 18) – it can do a whole lot more:

- You can reduce the transmission power by activating the eco mode (page 16).
- You can programme the keys of your phone with important numbers or frequently used functions. The number is then dialled or the function started by simply pressing a key (page 43).
- You can designate important people as VIPs so you can tell important calls by the ringtone (page 19).
- Assign pictures to your callers. You will then know who is calling you by the picture on your handset display. Precondition: Calling Line Identification (CLIP, page 12).
- Store a voice pattern for important directory entries – the telephone will dial on voice command (page 21).
- You can store appointments (page 49) and anniversaries (page 21) in your phone and it will remind you of them in advance.

Have fun using your new telephone!

First steps

Pack contents

- one Gigaset SL565 base station,
- one Gigaset SL56 handset,
- one charging cradle,
- one mains adapter,
- one phone cord,
- one battery pack,
- one battery cover,
- one belt clip,
- one user guide.

Installing the base station and charging cradle

Base station and charging cradle are designed for use in closed, dry rooms with a temperature range of +5 °C to +45 °C.

Set up the base station at a central point in the apartment or house.

You can find instructions for mounting the base station on the wall at the end of this user guide.

Please note:

- Never expose the telephone to heat sources, direct sunlight, other electrical appliances.
- Protect your Gigaset from moisture, dust, corrosive liquids and vapours.

Range and reception strength

Range:

- Up to 300 m in the open
- Up to 50 m in buildings

The range is reduced when eco mode is on (see page 16).

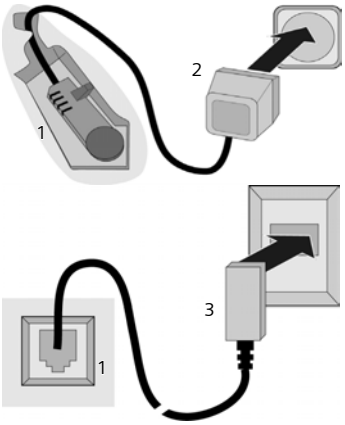
Reception strength:

The display shows the quality of the radio contact between the base station and handset:

- Good to poor: ▮▮▮› ▮▮› ▮» ▮›››,
- No reception: D››› flashes.

Connecting the base station

- **First** connect the mains adapter and **then** the phone jack as shown below- and place the cables in the cable recesses.

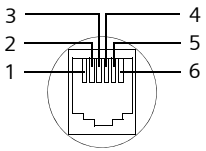


1 Back of the base station (detailed view)
2 Mains adapter 230 V
3 Phone jack with phone cord

Please note:

- The mains adapter must be **always connected**, as the phone will not operate without mains connection.
- If you buy a replacement phone cord from a store, ensure that the phone jack is connected correctly.

Correct phone jack assignment



1 unused
2 unused
3 a
4 b
5 unused
6 unused

Setting up the handset for use

The display is protected by a plastic film. **Please remove the protective film!**

Fitting the battery pack

Caution:
Use only the rechargeable Siemens Original battery pack (page 58). Never use a conventional (non-rechargeable) battery pack, as this may cause significant damage to health and property. For example, the outer casing of the battery pack could be destroyed or the battery pack could explode. The phone could also malfunction or be damaged as a result of using batteries that are not of the recommended type.

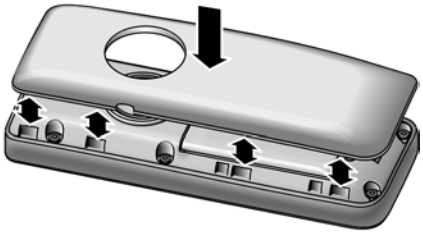
- Insert the battery pack at an angle from the right introducing the lugs into the cavity first.
- Then push the casing from the top, until the retaining clip on the side of the battery pack clicks securely into place in the casing.

Please note:

You must press the retaining clips down in order to remove the battery pack.

Closing the battery cover

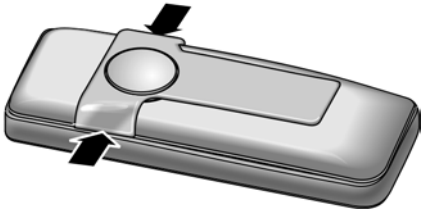
- Align the notches on the side of the battery pack with the lugs on the inside of the casing.
- Then close the cover so that it clicks into place.



Attaching belt clip

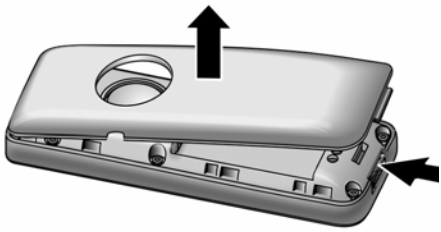
There are notches for attaching the belt clip on the side of the handset at approximately the same height as the display.

- Press the belt clip onto the back of the handset so that the lugs on the belt clip click into the notches.



Opening the battery cover

- Remove the belt clip if the phone is mounted.
- Pick the device up with the keypad facing the palm of your hand.
- Insert your forefinger into the notches on the lower edge.
- Gently lift the cover up out of the notches.



Placing the handset in the charging cradle

- Plug the charging cradle mains adapter into a mains power socket.
- Place the handset in the charger with the **display facing forward**.

The handset is already registered with the base station at the factory. **INT 1** appears in the display. You do not have to re-register. If, however, you have to register your handset with the base station, please see page 40.

Note
You can change the name of the handset (page 42).

Leave the handset in the charging cradle to charge the battery pack.

Please note:
- If the handset has switched itself off because the battery pack is flat and is then placed in the charging cradle, it will switch itself on automatically.
- The handset must only be placed in the designated charging cradle.

For questions and problems see page 56.

Initial charging and discharging of the battery pack

If the handset is activated, the flashing battery icon in the top right of the display indicates that the battery pack is being charged.

During handset operation, the battery icon indicates the charge status of the battery pack (page 1). The correct charge status can only be displayed if the battery pack is first fully charged **and** discharged.

- To do this, leave the handset in the charging cradle **continuously** for **ten** hours. Your handset need not be switched on for it to charge.
- Afterwards, remove the handset from the charging cradle and do not put it back again until the battery pack is fully discharged.

Please note:
After the initial charge **and** discharge you may replace your handset in the charging cradle after every call.

Please remember:

- Always repeat the charging and discharging procedure if you remove the battery pack from the handset and insert it again.
- The battery pack may warm up as it is charging. This is not dangerous.
- After a time the charge capacity of the battery pack will decrease for technical reasons.

Setting the date and time

You should set the date and time, in order, e.g. to ensure that the correct time is recorded for incoming calls and in order to use the alarm clock and calendar.

- If you have not yet set the date and time, press the display key **Time** to open the input field.

To change the time, open the input field via:

→ → **Date/Time**

- Change multiple line input:

Date:
Enter day, month and year in 8-digit format.

Time:
Enter hours and minutes with 4 digits, e.g. 0 + 7 pqrs 1 ∞ 5 jkl for 07:15 a.m.

Save Press the display key.

Once the phone is registered and the time set, the idle display looks as shown here (example):

Your answering machine is set with a pre-recorded announcement.

Your phone is now ready for use.

Menu tree

Instead of scrolling to locate a menu function, you can select a menu function faster by opening the menu and keying in the digit combination ("shortcut").

Example: [■] [8 tuv] [2 abc] [1] [1] for "Set ringtone for external calls".

With the telephone in **idle status**, press [■] (open main menu):

1 SMS

You have activated an SMS mailbox (general or private) without a PIN

1-1	New SMS	(page 26)
1-2	Incoming 0	(page 28)
1-3	Outgoing 0	(page 27)

You have activated an SMS mailbox with a PIN or 2-3 mailboxes

1-1	Mailbox	1-1-1	New SMS	(page 26)
		1-1-2	Incoming 0	(page 28)
		1-1-3	Outgoing 0	(page 27)
1-2 to 1-4	Mailbox 1 Mailbox 2 Mailbox 3	1-2-1 to 1-4-1	New SMS	(page 26)
		1-2-2 to 1-4-2	Incoming 0	(page 28)
		1-2-3 to 1-4-3	Outgoing 0	(page 27)
1-6	Settings	1-6-1	Service Centres	(page 31)
		1-6-2	SMS Mailboxes	(page 30)
		1-6-3	Notify Number	(page 29)
		1-6-4	Notify Type	(page 29)

2 Sel. Services

2-3	Withhold No.	(page 17)		
2-6	All Calls	2-6-1	Call Divert	(page 17)
		2-6-3	Call Waiting	(page 17)
2-7	Ringback Off	(page 17)		

3 Data transfer

3-2	Bluetooth	3-2-1	Activation	(page 51)
		3-2-2	Search Headset	(page 51)
		3-2-3	Search Data Device	(page 51)
		3-2-4	Known Devices	(page 51)
		3-2-5	Own Device Name	(page 52)
3-3	Directory	(page 20)		

4 Add. Features

4-4	Missed Alarms	(page 50)

5 Alarm Clock (page 49)

6 Calendar (page 49)

7 Resource Dir.

7-1	Screensavers	(page 48)
7-2	Caller Pictures	(page 48)
7-3	Sounds	(page 48)
7-4	Capacity	(page 48)

8 Settings

8-1	Date/Time	(page 8)		
8-2	Audio Settings	8-2-1	Ringer Settings	(page 46)
		8-2-2	Advisory Tones	(page 48)
		8-2-3	Silent Alert	(page 46)
8-3	Display	8-3-1	Screen Saver	(page 44)
		8-3-2	Colour Scheme	(page 44)
		8-3-3	Contrast	(page 44)
		8-3-4	Backlight	(page 45)
8-4	Handset	8-4-1	Language	(page 44)
		8-4-2	Area Codes	(page 47)
		8-4-3	Auto Answer	(page 45)
		8-4-4	Add. Emerg. No	(page 44)
		8-4-5	Register H/Set	(page 40)
		8-4-6	Select Base	(page 40)
		8-4-7	Reset Handset	(page 52)

8-5	Base	8-5-2	Music on hold	(page 53)
		8-5-3	System PIN	(page 53)
		8-5-4	Base Reset	(page 53)
		8-5-5	Add. Features	(page 16, page 42, page 54)
		8-5-6	Preselection	(page 25)
		8-5-7	Calls List Type	(page 23)
8-6	Voice Mail	8-6-1	Set Key 1	(page 37)
		8-6-2	Ans Machine	(page 33)
		8-6-3	Call Screening	(page 36)
		8-6-4	Announcements	(page 33)
		8-6-5	Message Length	(page 37)
		8-6-6	Record Quality	(page 37)
		8-6-7	Ring Delay	(page 36)

Making calls

Making an external call

External calls are calls using the public telephone network.

Enter the number and press the talk key.

Or:

Press **and hold** the talk key and then enter the number.

You can cancel the dialling operation with the end call key.

You are shown the duration of the call while the call is in progress.

Please note:
Dialling using the directory, call-by-call list (page 1, page 18) or call and last number redial list (page 23) saves time re-entering numbers and network provider prefixes ("call-by-call numbers").
With voice dialling, you can dial numbers simply by saying the name (page 21).

Continuing a call on a Bluetooth headset

Precondition: Bluetooth is activated; connection has been established between Bluetooth headset and the handset (see page 51).

Press the talk key on the headset; it can take up to 5 seconds to establish a connection to the handset.

For further details on your headset, see the user guide issued with it.

Ending a call

Press the end call key.

Answering a call

The handset indicates an incoming call in three ways: by ringing, by a display on the screen and by the flashing handsfree key.

You can accept the call by:

- Pressing the talk key.
- Pressing the handsfree key.
- Pressing the display key to divert the call to the answering machine (page 36).

If the handset is in the charging cradle and the **Auto Answer** function is activated (page 45), the handset will take a call automatically when you lift it off the charging cradle.

If the ringtone is intrusive, press the display key **Silence**. You can take the call as long as it is displayed on the screen.

Answering a call on a Bluetooth headset

Precondition: Bluetooth is activated; connection has been established between Bluetooth headset and the handset (see page 51).

Press the talk key on the headset.

For further details on your headset, see the user guide issued with it.

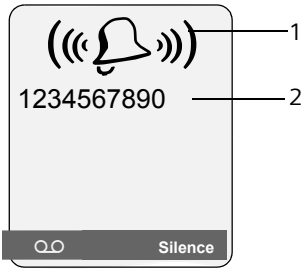
Calling Line Identification

When you receive a call, the caller's number and/or name is displayed on the screen if the following conditions are met:

- Your network provider supports CLIP, CLI and CNIP.
  - CLI (Calling Line Identification): number of the caller is transmitted.
  - CLIP (Calling Line Identification Presentation): number of the caller is indicated.
  - CNIP (Calling Name Identification Presentation): name of the caller is indicated.
- You have arranged CLIP or CNIP with your network provider.
- The caller has arranged CLI with the network provider.

Call display with CLIP/CLI

If the number of the caller is stored in your directory, you will see their name, if you have assigned a CLIP picture to the caller, this will also be displayed.



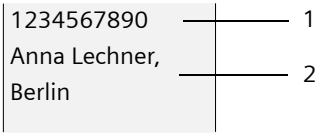
1 Ring symbol
2 Number or name of caller

The following is displayed in place of the number:

- **External**, if no number is transmitted.
- **Withheld**, if the caller has withheld Calling Line Identification (page 17).
- **Unavailable**, if the caller has not arranged Calling Line Identification.

Screen display with CNIP

If you have CNIP, then the name (town) that is registered with your network provider for the calling number will **also** be displayed. If the number of the caller is stored in your directory, the CNIP display is replaced by the corresponding directory entry.



1 Caller's number
2 Name and town

The display shows:

- **External**, if no number is transmitted.
- **Withheld**, if the caller has withheld Calling Line Identification (page 17).
- **Unavailable**, if the caller has not arranged Calling Line Identification.

Handsfree operation

In handsfree mode, instead of holding the handset to your ear you can put it down e.g. on the table in front of you to allow others to participate in the call.

Activating/deactivating handsfree

Activating while dialling

Enter the number and press the handsfree key.

▶ You should inform your caller before you use the handsfree function so that they know someone else is listening.

Switching between earpiece and handsfree mode

Press the handsfree key.

During a call and when listening to the answering machine, switch handsfree on or off.

If you wish to place the handset in the charging cradle during a call:

▶ Press and hold the handsfree key while placing the handset in the base station. If handsfree key does not light up, press the key again.

For how to adjust the volume, see page 45.

Muting

You can deactivate the microphone in your handset during an external call. The other party hears the hold music.

Press the control key on the left to mute the handset.

Press the display key to reactivate the microphone.

You can switch the hold music on and off (page 53).

Operating the handset

Activating/deactivating the handset

Press and **hold** the end call key in idle status (confirmation tone).

Activating/deactivating the keypad lock

Press and **hold** the hash key.

You will hear the confirmation beep. The icon appears in the display when the keypad lock is activated.

The keypad lock is deactivated automatically if someone calls you. It is re-activated when the call is finished.

If the auto key lock is activated, you will only be able to dial the emergency numbers, see page 44.

Control key

In the description below, the side of the control key (up, down, right, middle left) which you have to press in the different operating situations is marked in black, e.g. for "press right on the control key".

The control key has a number of different functions:

When the handset is in idle status

- Open the directory.
- Open main menu.
- Open list of handsets.
- Set the ringtone on the handset (page 45).
- Initiate voice dialling, press and **hold** (page 22); Main menu, press **briefly**.

In the main menu and in input fields

You can use the control key to move the cursor up, down, right or left.

In lists and submenus

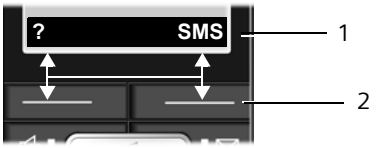
- / Scroll up/down line by line.
- Open submenu or confirm selection.
- Go back one menu level, or cancel.

During an external call

- Open the directory.
- Initiating internal enquiry call and muting.
- Adjust loudspeaker volume for earpiece and handsfree mode.

Display keys

The function of the display keys changes depending on the particular operating situation. Example:



1 The display keys' current functions are shown in the bottom display line.
2 Display keys

The most important display symbols are:

?	Left display key, as long as it has not been assigned a function (page 43).
	Open the main menu.
Options	Open a context-dependent menu.
C	Delete key: deletes one character at a time from right to left.
	Go back one menu level or cancel operation.
E-Mail	Retrieve an e-mail address from the directory.
	Copy number into directory.
	Divert external call to answering machine.
	Open the last number redial list.

Returning to idle status

You can revert to idle status from anywhere in the menu as follows:

▶ Press and **hold** the end call key .

Or:

▶ Do not press any key: after 2 minutes the display will **automatically** revert to idle status.

Changes that you have not confirmed or saved by pressing OK, Yes, Save, Send or Save Entry OK will be lost.

An example of the display in idle status is shown on page 1.

Menu guidance

Your telephone's functions are accessed using a menu that has a number of levels.

Main menu (first menu level)

▶ Press with the handset in idle status to open the main menu.

The main menu functions are shown in the display as a list with coloured icons and names.

To access a function, i.e. open the corresponding submenu (next menu level):

▶ Navigate to the function using the control key / . The name of the function is displayed in the display header. Press the display key OK.

Submenus

The functions in the submenus are displayed as lists.

To access a function:

- Scroll to the function with the control key [▲▼] and press OK.

Or:

- Enter the corresponding digit combination (page 9).

Pressing **briefly** on the end call key [end] returns you to the previous menu level / cancels the operation.

Correcting incorrect entries

You can correct incorrect characters in the text by navigating to the incorrect entry using the control key. You can then:

- press C to delete the character to the left of the cursor,
- insert characters to the left of the cursor,
- overwrite the character (flashing) when entering the time and date etc.

You will find examples of symbols used, menu entries and multiple line input in the appendix to this user guide, page 60.

ECO DECT

ECO DECT reduces power consumption by using a power supply with low power consumption and also reduces the transmission power of the base station.
You can set this **manually** with your handset. It can be used by several handsets at the same time.

Your handset also reduces the transmission power depending on the distance to the base station.

Activating/deactivating eco mode:

[menu] → [settings] → Base → Add. Features → Eco Mode

OK Press the display key ([✓] = activated).

When eco mode is activated, the ((ψ)) icon is displayed at the top of the screen.

Please note:

- Activating eco mode reduces the range of the base station.
- Eco mode and any repeater support (see page 53) cancel each other out, i.e. both functions cannot be used at the same time.
- If external handsets (GAP) and handsets from earlier Gigaset versions are used, your handset will **not** automatically reduce the transmission power to the base station.

Network services

Network services are functions that your network provider makes available to you. You have to request these services from your network provider.

- **If you require assistance, please contact your network provider.**

Setting functions for the next call

Withhold No.
Withhold Calling Line Identification for the next call (CLIR).

→ → **Withhold No.**

Enter number.

Press talk key.

Setting functions for all subsequent calls

If you have completed one of the following procedures, a code is sent.

- After confirmation from the telephone network, press the end call key .

You can set the following features:

General call diversion

→ → **All Calls** → **Call Divert**

- Change multiple line input:

When:
All Calls / **No Answer** / **When Busy** dialling.

Call No.:
Press the display key **Edit**. Enter number to which call is to be diverted, and press **Save Entry** **OK**.

or:

Press . Select number from the directory and press **OK**.

Press **Save** to save.

Status:
Activating/deactivating call diversion.

- Press the display key **Send**.

After the announcement, press the end call key.

Activating/deactivating call waiting

→ → **All Calls** → **Call Waiting**

Status: Activating/deactivating.

Send Press the display key.

Functions during a call

Initiating callback

You hear the busy tone.

Options → **Ringback**

Press the end call key.

Consultation

During a call:

Ext.Call Press the display key.

Enter number.

You have the following options:

- Toggling:
  - Use to toggle between the participants.
- End call with both participants:
  - Press the end call key .

Accepting a waiting call

Accept Press the display key.

You have the option of toggling or holding a conference call.

> **Please note:**
> Without CLIP a waiting call is only announced with a beep.

Accept call waiting

Options → **Accept waiting call**

Functions after a call

Cancelling callback

→ → **Ringback Off**

Using the directory and lists

The options are:

- Directory,
- Call-by-Call list,
- Last number redial list,
- SMS list,
- Calls list,
- Answering machine list.

You can store a total of 250 entries in the directory and call-by-call list.

You create the directory and call-by-call list for your own individual handset. You can also send lists/entries to other handsets (page 20).

Directory/call-by-call list

Please note:
For quick access to a number from the directory or the call-by-call list (quick dial), you can assign the number to a key.

Directory

In the **directory** you can store

- up to three numbers and the corresponding first names and surnames,
- VIP identifier and VIP ringtone (optional),
- e-mail address (optional),
- CLIP pictures (optional)
- Anniversaries with signal.

▶ With the handset in idle status, open the directory by pressing the [▭] key.

Length of entries (directory)

3 numbers: max. 32 digits

First name and surname: max. 16 characters each

E-mail address: max. 60 characters

Call-by-Call list

In the **Call-by-Call list** you can store prefixes for network providers ("call-by-call numbers").

▶ Open the call-by-call list in idle status by pressing the [⇨] key.

Length of entries

Number: max. 32 digits
Name: max. 16 characters

Storing a number in the directory

[▭] ➜ **New Entry**

▶ Change multiple line input:

First Name / Surname:
Enter a name in at least one of the fields.

Phone (Home) / Phone (Mobile) / Phone (Office)
Enter a number in at least one of the fields.

E-mail
Enter E-mail address.

Annivers.:
Select **On** or **Off**.

With setting **On:**
enter **Anniversary (Date)** and **Annivers. (Time)** (page 21) and select reminder type: **Annivers. (Signal)**.

Caller Picture
If necessary, select the picture that should appear when the user is making a call (page 47). Precondition: Calling Line Identification (CLIP).

▶ Save changes: (page 61).

Storing a number in the call-by-call list

[⇨] ➜ **New Entry**

▶ Change multiple line input:

Name:
Enter name.

Number:
Enter number.

Selecting entries in the directory and call-by-call list

[▼] / [⇨] Open directory or call-by-call list.

You have the following options:

- Use [▼] to scroll through the entries until the required name is selected.
- Enter the first character of the name (in the directory: the first character of the surname or of the first name if **only** the first name is entered), if necessary use [▼] to scroll to the entry.

Dialling with the directory/ call-by-call list

[▼] / [⇨] → [▼] (select entry)

[=] Press the talk key. The number is dialled.

Managing entries in the directory/ call-by-call lists

[▼] / [⇨] → [▼] (select entry)

Viewing an entry

View Press the display key. The entry is displayed. Back with OK.

Editing entries

View Edit Press display keys one after the other.

▶ Carry out changes and save.

Using other functions

[▼] / [⇨] → [▼] (select entry) → Options (open menu)

The following functions can be selected with [▲▼]:

Display Number
To edit or add to a saved number, or to save it as a new entry, press [→📖] after the number is displayed.

Edit Entry
Edit selected entry.

Delete Entry
Delete selected entry.

VIP Entry (directory only)
Mark a directory entry as **VIP** (Very Important Person) and assign it a specific ringtone. You will then be able to recognise VIP calls by the ringtone.

Precondition: Calling Line Identification (page 13).

Record Pattern (directory only)
Speak the name of the selected entry and store as a voice pattern (page 21).

Play Pattern (directory only)
Play voice patterns (page 22).

Delete Pattern (directory only)
Delete voice patterns (page 22).

Copy Entry
Send a single entry to a handset (page 20).

Delete List
Delete **all** entries in the directory/call-by-call list.

Copy List
Send complete list to a handset (page 20).

Available Memory
Display the available entries in the directory and call-by-call list (page 18).

Using quick dial keys

▶ Press and **hold** the required quick dial key (page 18).

Sending the directory/call-by-call list to another handset

Preconditions:

- The sending and receiving handsets must both be registered to the same base station.
- The other handset and base station can send and receive directory entries.

[ ] / [ ] → [ ] (select entry) → Options (open menu) → Copy Entry / Copy List → to Internal

Enter the internal number of the receiver handset. You see Copying entry.

Yes / No Press the display key.

A successful transfer is confirmed by a message and confirmation tone on the receiver handset.

Please note:
You can send the complete **directory** via the data transfer without opening the directory: [ ] → [ ] → Directory.

Please remember:

- Entries with identical numbers are not overwritten on the receiver handset.
- The transfer is cancelled if the phone rings or if the memory of the receiver handset is full.

Transferring the directory as a vCard with Bluetooth

In Bluetooth mode (see page 51) you can transfer directory entries in vCard format, e.g. to exchange entries with your mobile.

[ ] → [ ] (Select entry) → Options (Open menu) → Copy Entry / Copy List → vCard via Bluetooth

The list of "Known Devices" (see page 51) is displayed.

[ ] Select device and press OK.

Receiving a vCard with Bluetooth

If a device from the "Known Devices" list (see page 51) sends a vCard to your handset, this occurs automatically and you are informed about it via the display.

If the sending device does not appear in the list, you will be asked on the display to enter the device PIN for the sending device:

Enter the PIN for the **sending** Bluetooth device and press OK.

The transferred vCard is available as a directory entry.

Adding a displayed number to the directory

Numbers that appear in a list, e.g. the calls list or the last number redial list, in a text message or displayed during a call can be added to the directory.

If you have CNIP, the first 16 characters of the transmitted name are copied to the Name line.

A number is displayed:

Options → Copy to Directory

▶ Complete the entry, see page 18.

While the number is being transferred from the answering machine list, the message playback is interrupted.

Selecting a number or e-mail address from the directory

There are many operating situations in which you can open the directory, e.g. to copy a number or e-mail address. Your handset need not be in idle status.

▶ Depending on the operating situation, open the directory with [ ] or [ ] or [ ] Directory.

[ ] Select an entry (page 19).

Saving an anniversary in the directory

You can store an anniversary for every number in the directory and specify a time when you will receive a reminder call on the anniversary (Default settings: **Annivers.: Off**).

Anniversaries will be copied automatically into the calendar. (page 49).

[▭] ➔ [▭] (Select entry; page 19)

View **Edit** Press display keys one after the other.

[▭] Scroll to the **Annivers.:** line.

[▭] Select **On**.

▶ Change multiple line input:

Anniversary (Date)
Enter the day/month/year in 8 digits.

Annivers. (Time)
Enter the hour/minute for the reminder call in 4-digit format.

Annivers. (Signal)
Select the type of signal.

▶ Save changes (page 61).

Please note:
Reminder calls require a time stamp. If you select a visual signal, then a time stamp is not required and is automatically set to 00.00.

Deactivating an anniversary

[▭] ➔ [▭] (Select entry; page 19)

View **Edit** Press display keys one after the other.

[▭] Scroll to the **Annivers.:** line.

[▭] Select **Off**.

Save Press the display key.

Reminder call on an anniversary

A reminder call is signalled on the handset using the selected ring tone.

Silence Press the display key to acknowledge and stop the reminder call.

Viewing missed anniversaries

When an anniversary has elapsed without being acknowledged, you will be reminded **once** by the display icon **Appoint.** when the handset is in idle status.

▶ Viewing appointments:

Appoint. Press the display key.

You now have the following options:

SMS Write an SMS.

Delete Delete reminder.
After deleting, press the ↩ or **Go Back** display key:
Back to idle status, **Appoint.** is no longer displayed.

You will then also be able to view missed anniversaries (see page 50).

Voice dialling

You can dial numbers from the directory by speaking the name. In order for your telephone to be able to "recognise" you, you must record a voice pattern for each name, i.e. say the name loudly into the handset microphone and store it.

You can also set your phone so that it announces the name of a caller for an external call instead of ringing, see page 45.

You can store voice patterns for a **total** of 30 directory entries. Entries with voice patterns are marked with ⌓.

You can also perform voice dialling functions via an activated Bluetooth headset.

Recording voice patterns

Record your voice pattern in quiet surroundings. Your mouth should be around 25 cm away from the handset. The voice pattern can be 1.5 seconds long.

[▭] ➔ [▭] (select entry; page 19)

Options Open menu.

Record Pattern
Select.

OK Press the display key to start the recording.

(On the Bluetooth headset: instead of pressing the headset's talk key; it can take up to 5 seconds to establish a connection to the handset)

You will hear a short beep. The display will prompt you accordingly. Speak the name. Repeat the name after being prompted to do so by the display and by a further beep.

In the list you can see ⌯ next to the name.

Please note:
If the memory cannot accommodate a new voice pattern, a message will appear on the display. The phone automatically returns to the directory. Delete a voice pattern and select **Record Pattern** again.

To **change** a voice pattern, you must record over it.

Using voice dialling

Press and **hold**.

Speak the name after the beep. If the name matches the recorded voice pattern, it is repeated. The number is dialled.

Playing voice patterns

→ (select entry with ⌯)

Options Open menu.

Play Pattern

Select and press **OK**. The voice pattern will be played in handsfree mode.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Deleting voice patterns

→ (select entry with ⌯)

Options Open menu.

Delete Pattern

Select and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

The directory entry is retained.

Last number redial list

The last number redial list contains the ten numbers last dialled with the handset (max. 32 numbers). If one of the numbers is in the directory, then the corresponding name will be displayed.

Manual last number redial

Press the key **briefly**.

Select entry.

Press the talk key again. The number is dialled.

When displaying a name, you can have the respective phone number displayed by using the display key **View**.

Managing entries in the last number redial list

Press the key **briefly**.

Select entry.

Options Open menu.

The following functions can be selected with :

Automatic Redial

The selected number is automatically dialled at fixed intervals (at least every 20 seconds). The handsfree key flashes and "handsfree" is activated.

- Participant answers: press the Talk key . The function is ended.
- Participant does not answer: the call is terminated after approx. 30 seconds. The function is ended after pressing any key or ten unsuccessful attempts.

Display Number (as in the directory, page 19)

Delete Entry (as in the directory, page 19)

Delete List (as in the directory, page 19)

Opening lists with the message key

You can use the message key to open the following list options:

- SMS list

  If **several** mailboxes are set up (page 30), several lists are displayed.
- Answering machine list or Network mailbox

  If your network provider supports this function and the network mailbox is configured for fast access (page 39).
- Calls list

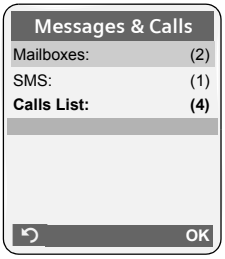
An advisory tone sounds as soon as a **new entry** appears on a list. The key flashes (it goes off when the key is pressed). In idle status, the displays shows an icon for the new message.

Icon	New message...
	... in answering machine list
	... in calls list
	... in SMS list
	... Internet calls (Voice data)

The number of new entries is shown beneath the corresponding icon.

List options

After pressing the message key only those lists that contain messages will be shown (exception: network mailbox). Lists with new messages are identified in bold:



Internet calls received via your connected PC are identified in the list by **INT** .

Select a list with . Press or OK to open.

If entries are only available from one list, the other list options are not needed and only the relevant list will be shown.

SMS incoming message list

All received SMS messages are saved in the incoming message list, see page 28.

Calls list

Precondition: Calling Line Identification (CLIP, page 13)

Depending on the type of list set, the calls list contains

- accepted calls (√)
- missed calls
- calls recorded by the answering machine ( )

Depending on the type of list set, all the numbers of the last 30 incoming calls will be stored or just those of the missed calls.

Setting list type for calls list

→ → **Base** → **Calls List Type**

Missed Calls / All Calls

Select and press OK (√ = on).

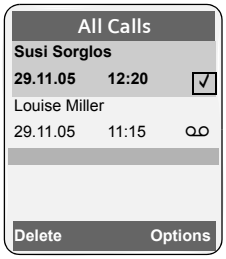
Press and **hold** (idle status).

The entries in the calls list are retained when you change the list type.

List entry

New messages are at the top.

Example of list entries:



- List type (in header)
- Status of entry
  Bold: new entry
- Number or name of caller
  You can add the number of the caller to the directory (page 20).
- Date and time of call (if set, page 8)
- Type of entry:
  - accepted calls (✓)
  - missed calls
  - calls recorded by the answering machine (∞)

Pressing the display key **Delete** deletes the marked entry.

After pressing the display key **Options** you can select more functions with ⊡:

Copy to Directory
Add a number to the directory.

Delete List
Delete complete list.

Information
See following section "Displaying CNIP information".

When you leave the calls list all entries are set to the status "old", i.e. the next time you call the list up they will no longer be shown in bold.

Answering machine list

You can use the **answering machine list** to listen to the messages that are on the answering machine.

Displaying CNIP information

If you have CNIP, you can display the name and town that is registered with your network provider for this number.

You have selected a list entry.

Options Open menu.

Information Select and press **OK**.

If the name and town are not shown, it means that the caller has not requested caller display or that caller display has been withheld.

Press **OK** to return to the list.

Making cost-effective calls

Sign up with a network provider who offers particularly low-cost call rates (call-by-call). You can manage the numbers in the call-by-call list.

Linking call-by-call numbers with one number

You can insert the dialling code of a network provider in front of the number ("linking").

⊡ Open call-by-call list.

⊡ Select entry (call-by-call number).

Options Press the display key.

Display Number
Select and press **OK**.

Enter number or select number from the directory (page 20).

Press talk key. Both numbers are dialled.

Automatic network provider code (preselection)

You can specify a call-by-call number (preselection number), which is **automatically** placed in front of numbers according to two lists.

- The list "**with preselection**" contains the "rule" for dialling code numbers or the first digits of dialling code numbers with which you wish the preselection number to be used.
- The list "**without preselection**" contains the "exception to the rule".

  Example:

  You have entered 08 for "with preselection". Now all numbers that start with 08 will be dialled with preselection.

  However, if you require, for example, that 081 is still dialled without preselection, enter 081 for "without preselection".

When dialling, after pressing the talk/handsfree key the **first** digits of the dialled number are compared with both lists:

- The preselection number is not inserted in front if the dialled number
  - matches **no** entry in either list
  - matches an entry in the list "**without preselection**"
- The preselection number is inserted in front if the first digits of the dialled number match with **only** one entry in the list "**with preselection**".

Storing preselection numbers

→ → **Base** → **Preselection** → **Preselect No.**

Enter or edit preselection number (call-by-call number).

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Saving/editing entries in the preselection lists

Each of the two lists can contain 20 entries, each with 6 digits.

Numbers may be prefixed according to the country in the "**with preselection**" list. This means, for example, that all national calls or calls into the mobile phone network will **automatically** be linked to the preselection number which you have previously stored.

→ → **Base** → **Preselection** → **With Preselect / Without Presel.**

Select entry.

Edit Press the display key.

Enter or edit first digits of number.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Temporarily cancelling preselection

(press and **hold**) → **Options** → **Aut Preselct off**

Permanently deactivating preselection

▶ Delete the preselection number (page 25).

SMS (text messages)

Your unit is supplied ready for you to send text messages immediately.

Preconditions:

- Calling Line Identification (page 13)is enabled for your phone connection.
- Your network provider supports SMS in the fixed network (information on this can be obtained from your network provider).
- You are registered with your service provider to send and receive text messages.

Text messages are exchanged between SMS centres that are operated by service providers. You must enter the SMS centre in the unit through which you wish to send and receive. You can receive SMS from **every** SMS centre that is entered if you have registered with your service provider. Your SMS is sent through the SMS centre that is entered as the send centre (page 31). Only one SMS centre can be the send centre at any one time.

If no SMS Service Centre is entered, the SMS menu only consists of the entry **Settings** . Enter an SMS Service Centre (page 31).

- Entering text, see page 61.
- Writing using the predictive text tool EATONI, see page 62.

Rules

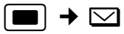
- An SMS can be up to 612 characters long.
- If there are more than 160 characters or a lot of image data, the text message is sent as a **linked** SMS (up to 4 messages with 153 characters each).

Please remember:

- Each incoming SMS is signalled by a single ring (ringtone as for external calls). If you accept such an SMS "call" on the first ring, the SMS will be lost. To prevent this ringing, suppress the first ringtone for all external calls (page 47).
- If your phone is connected to a PABX, please read page 31.
- To receive text messages you must be registered with your service provider.

Writing/sending an SMS

Writing an SMS

 →

Mailbox 2 Select mailbox if necessary and press **OK**.

Enter mailbox PIN if necessary and press **OK**.

New SMS Select and press **OK**.

Write an SMS.

Sending an SMS

Press the talk key

or:

Options Press the display key.

Send Select and press **OK**.

SMS Select and press **OK**.

/ / Select number with area code (even if you are in that area) from the directory or call-by-call list or enter it directly. For SMS to an SMS mailbox: put the mailbox ID at the **end** of the number.

Send Press the display key. The SMS is sent.

Please note:
- If you are interrupted by an external call while writing an SMS, the text is automatically saved in the draft message list.
- If the memory is full, or if the SMS function on the base station is being used by another handset, this cancels the operation. An appropriate message appears in the display. Delete SMS messages you no longer require or send the SMS later.

Setting input language

▶ You are writing an SMS (page 26).

Options — Press the display key.

Select Language — Select and press OK.

Select input language and press OK.

Press the end call key **briefly** to return to the text panel.

The input language setting only applies to the current SMS.

Draft message list

In the draft message list, you can save, edit later and send an SMS.

Saving an SMS in the draft message list

▶ You are writing an SMS (page 26).

Options — Press the display key.

Save Entry — Select and press OK.

Opening the draft message list

→ → (Mailbox, mailbox PIN) → Outgoing (3)

The first list entry is displayed, e.g.:

```
1234567890
21.11.05  09:45
```

Reading or deleting individual SMS

▶ Open the draft message list and then:

Select SMS.

Read — Press the display key. The entry will be displayed. Scroll line by line using .

Or delete the SMS with Options Delete Entry OK.

Writing/editing an SMS

▶ You are reading an SMS in the draft message list.

Options — Open menu.

You have the following options:

New SMS
Write and then send a new SMS (page 26) or save.

Edit
Edit the text of the saved SMS and then send (page 26).

Character Set
Text is shown in the selected character set.

Deleting draft message list

▶ Open the draft message list and then:

Options — Open menu.

Delete all — Select, press OK and confirm with Yes. The list is cleared.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Receiving an SMS

All received text messages are saved in the incoming message list. Linked text messages are displayed as **one** message. If this is too long or has not transferred completely, it will be split into individual messages. Since an SMS remains in the list even after it has been read, you should **regularly delete SMS messages from the list**.

The display tells you if the message memory is full.

▶ Deleting text messages you no longer require (page 28).

Incoming message list

The incoming message list contains:

- all received text messages, starting with the most recent.
- messages that could not be sent on account of an error.

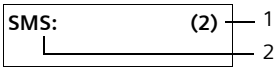
New text messages are signalled on all Gigaset SL56 handsets by the ✉ icon in the display, the flashing message key and an advisory tone.

Opening the incoming message list with the key

Press.

Select mailbox if necessary and enter mailbox PIN.

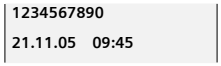
The incoming message list is displayed as follows (example):



1 **bold:** number of new entries
not bold: number of read entries
2 name of mailbox, here: general mailbox

Open list with OK.

An entry in the list is displayed e.g as follows:



Opening the incoming message list via the SMS menu

→ ✉ → (Mailbox, mailbox PIN) → **Incoming (2)**

Reading or deleting individual SMS messages

▶ Open the incoming message list.

▶ Continue as described at "Reading or deleting individual SMS", page 27.

A new message which you have read acquires the status **Old**.

Deleting incoming message list

All **new and old** SMS in the list are deleted.

▶ Open the incoming message list.

Options Open menu.

▶ To continue, see "Deleting draft message list", page 27.

Replying to or forwarding text messages

▶ Read the SMS (page 28):

Options Press the display key.

You have the following options:

Reply
Write and send a reply SMS directly (page 26).

Edit
Edit the text in the SMS and then send it (page 26).

Forwarding an SMS

▶ You are reading an SMS (page 28):

Options Press the display key.

Forward Select and press OK.
To continue see page 26.

Adding a number to the directory

Adding the sender's number

▶ Open incoming message list and select entry (page 28).

Options — Press the display key. Continue see page 20.

Please note:
- You can create a special directory for text messages within your main directory by putting a star (*) before the names.
- An attached mail box identifier is added to the directory.

Copying/selecting numbers from an SMS text

▶ Read SMS (page 28) and scroll to the telephone number.

The digits are reverse-highlighted.

→ Press the display key. Continue see page 20.

Or:

Press the talk key to dial the number.

If you wish to use the number to send an SMS:

▶ Save the number with the area code (dialling code) in the directory.

Changing the character set

▶ Read the SMS (page 28):

Options — Press the display key.

Character Set
Text is shown in the selected character set.

Notification by SMS

You can be notified by SMS about missed calls or new messages on the answering machine.

Precondition: For missed calls, the caller's number (CLI) must have been transmitted.

Notification is sent to your mobile phone or another phone with SMS functionality.

You only need to set the phone number to which notification should be sent (notification number) and the notification type.

Storing the notification number

→ → **Settings** → **Notify Number**

Enter the number to which the SMS should be sent.

Save — Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Caution:
Do **not** enter your own fixed network number for the notification of missed calls. This can lead to chargeable endless looping.

Setting the notification type

→ → **Settings** → **Notify Type**

▶ Change multiple line input if necessary:

Missed Calls:
Set **On** if you want SMS notification.

Ans Machine:
Set **On** if you want SMS notification.

▶ Save changes (page 61).

SMS mailboxes

The **General Mailbox** is the default setting. Anyone can access this mailbox and it cannot be protected by a PIN. You can also set up three **personal mailboxes** and protect these with a **PIN**. Each mailbox is identified by a name and a "Mailbox ID" (a kind of extension number).

Please note:

- If you operate a number of devices (base stations) with SMS functionality on a single phone line, then each SMS mailbox ID may only occur once. In this case you must also change the preset ID of the general mailbox ("0").
- You can only use personal mailboxes if your service provider supports such a function. You can tell that this is supported by the fact that a star (*) is added to the number of a (preset) SMS centre.
- If you have forgotten your mailbox PIN, you can reset it by restoring the base station's factory settings. This will **delete all messages from all mailboxes**.

Setting up and changing a personal mailbox

Setting up a personal mailbox

→ → **Settings** → **SMS Mailboxes**

Select a mail box, e.g. **Mailbox 2**, and press **OK** .

▶ Change multiple line input:

On/Off:
Activate or deactivate mailbox.

ID:
Select mailbox ID (0–9). You can only select the available numbers.

Protection:
Activate/deactivate PIN protection.

PIN
Enter 4-digit PIN, if necessary.

▶ Save changes (page 61).

Active mailboxes are marked with ☑ in the mailbox list. They are shown in the SMS list and can, if necessary, be displayed by pressing the message key .

Deactivating a mailbox

▶ Set **On/Off:** to **Off** . Confirm message with **Yes** if necessary.

All SMS saved in this mailbox will be deleted.

Deactivating PIN protection

▶ Set **Protection:** to **Off** .

The mailbox PIN is reset to "0000".

Changing the name of a mailbox

→ → **Settings** → **SMS Mailboxes** → (Select mailbox)

Edit Press the display key.

Enter new name.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Changing a mailbox's PIN and ID

→ → **Settings** → **SMS Mailboxes** → (Select mailbox)

Enter mailbox PIN if necessary und press **OK**.

▶ Set **ID:**, **Protection:** and **PIN** (page 30).

Sending a text message to a personal mailbox

To send a text message to a personal mailbox, the sender must know your ID and enter it after your number.

▶ You can send your SMS contact an SMS via your personal mailbox.

Your SMS contact will receive your SMS number with current ID and can save it in their directory. If the ID is invalid, the SMS will not be delivered.

Setting SMS centre

Entering/changing SMS centres

- You should find out about the services and special functions offered by your service provider **before you make a new application** and/or before you delete pre-configured call numbers.

[■] → [✉] → **Settings** → **Service Centres**

[▼] Select SMS centre (e.g. **Service Centr. 1**) and press **OK**.

- Change multiple line input:

Active Send:
Select **Yes** if the text messages are to be sent via the SMS centre.

SMS:
Press the display key **Edit**. Enter the number of the SMS service and insert a star if your service provider supports personal mailboxes.

- Save changes (page 61).

Please note:
Ask your service provider for details of how you should enter service numbers if you wish to use personal mailboxes (Precondition: your service provider supports this function).

Sending an SMS through another SMS centre

- Activate the SMS centre (2 to 4) as **send centre**.
- Send the SMS.

SMS to a PABX

- You can only receive an SMS when the **Calling Line Identification** is **forwarded to the extension of the PABX (CLIP)**. The CLIP of the phone number for the SMS centre is evaluated in your **Gigaset**.
- If required, you must prefix the number for the SMS centre with the access code (depending on your PABX).

  If in doubt, test your PABX e.g. by sending a text message to your own number: once with and once without the access code.
- When you send SMS messages, your sender number may be sent without your extension number. In this case the recipient cannot reply to you directly.

Sending and receiving SMS **on ISDN PABXs** is only possible via the MSN number assigned to your base station.

Activating/deactivating the SMS function

When you deactivate the SMS function you cannot send or receive any SMS with your phone.

The settings which you have made for sending and receiving SMS (e.g. the call numbers of the SMS centres) and the entries in the incoming and draft message lists are saved when you switch off your phone.

[■] Open menu.

[8 tuv] [5 jkl] [wxyz 9] [2 abc] [mno 6]
Enter the digits.

[0 +] **OK** Deactivate the SMS function.

Or:

[1 ⌂] **OK** Activate SMS function (default settings).

SMS troubleshooting

Errors when sending

E0	Calling Line Identification permanently withheld (CLIR) or Calling Line Identification not activated.
FE	Error occurred during SMS transfer.
FD	Connection to SMS centre failed, see self-help.

Self-help with errors

The following table lists error situations and possible causes and provides notes on troubleshooting.

You cannot send messages.

1. You have not requested the CLIP service (Calling Line Identification Presentation).
   ▸ Ask your service provider to enable this service.
2. Text message transmission has been interrupted (e.g. by a call).
   ▸ Re-send the text message.
3. Feature is not supported by network provider.
4. No number or an invalid number is entered for the SMS centre activated as the send centre.
   ▸ Enter the number (page 31).

You receive a message whose text is incomplete.

1. Your phone memory is full.
   ▸ Delete old messages (page 28).
2. The provider has not yet sent the rest of the message.

You have stopped receiving messages.

1. You have changed the ID of your mailbox.
   ▸ Tell your SMS contacts your new ID or undo the change (page 30).
2. You have not activated your mailbox.
   ▸ Activate your mailbox (page 30).
3. Call diversion is activated with **When: All Calls** or the call diversion **All Calls** is activated for the network mailbox.
   ▸ Change your call diversion.

The message is played back.

1. The "display call number" service is not activated.
   ▸ Have your service provider enable this service (there is a charge for this).
2. Mobile phone operator and network SMS service provider have not agreed on a cooperation.
   ▸ Obtain information from your network SMS service provider.
3. Your terminal is recorded in the records of your SMS provider as having no fixed network SMS functionality, i.e. you are no longer registered with the provider.
   ▸ Register the terminal (again) for SMS reception.

Messages are only received during the day.

1. The terminal is stored in your SMS provider's database as having no fixed network SMS functionality, i.e. you are no longer registered with the provider.
   ▸ Register the terminal (again) for SMS reception (see above).

Operating the answering machine

You can operate the answering machine that is integrated in the base station via the handset or via remote operation (other phone/mobile phone). You can also listen to messages via remote operation using voice commands (page 38).

Announcement mode

You can use the answering machine in two different modes.

- In **Ans. & Record** mode, the caller hears the announcement and can then leave a message.
- In **Announce Only** mode, the caller hears your announcement but cannot leave a message.

Operation via the handset

The handset loudspeaker activates **automatically** if you receive an acoustic prompt or message while operating. You can switch it off with the handsfree key .

Switching answering machine on/off

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Ans Machine** (☑ = on)

After switching on, the remaining memory time is announced. If the time has not yet been set (page 8), an appropriate announcement is then made. The ∞ icon is displayed on the screen.

The phone is supplied with a pre-recorded announcement for the answer and record mode or announce only mode. If a personal announcement has not been recorded, the corresponding pre-recorded announcement is used.

Recording a personal announcement/ announce only

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Announcements** → **Record Announce** / **Record Anc Only**

OK Press the display key to start the recording.

You hear the ready tone (short tone).

▶ Now speak your announcement (at least 3 secs.).

End Press the display key to end the recording.

Cancel the recording with or . Restart the recording with **OK**.

After recording, the announcement is played back for you to check. You can re-record the announcement with **New**.

Please note:

- Recording ends automatically if the maximum recording time of 170 seconds is exceeded or there is a break in speech for more than 2 seconds.
- If you cancel the recording, the pre-recorded announcement is then used.
- The recording is cancelled if the answering machine memory is full.
  - ▶ Delete old messages and repeat recording if required.

Playing back announcements

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Announcements** → **Play Announce** / **Play Anc Only**

If no personal announcement has been recorded, the corresponding pre-recorded announcement is played.

Record a new announcement while playing back announcement:

New Press the display key.

The recording is cancelled if the answering machine memory is full.

▶ Delete old messages and repeat recording if required.

Deleting announcements

→ Voice Mail → Announcements → Del Announce / Del Anc Only

Yes — Press the display key to confirm the prompt.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

After deletion, the corresponding pre-recorded announcement is then used.

Selecting announcement mode

You can choose between Ans. & Record and Announce Only.

→ Voice Mail → Announcements → Set Ans. Mode → Ans. & Record / Announce Only (☑ = on)

Press and **hold** (idle status).

The selected mode is saved even after the answering machine is deactivated.

If in Ans. & Record mode the memory for messages is full the selection is interrupted and you will receive an instruction to delete old messages.

▸ Delete old messages.

The answering machine **automatically** switches back to the set mode once deletion is complete or else you can reselect the required recording mode.

Setting 'answer and record' or 'announce only' by toggling

You can use the Ans Mode Time setting to change over the announcement mode for a specific period.

Example: The Ans. & Record mode is set. If you activate Ans Mode Time and set a period (e.g. 18.00 to 8.00 h) the answering machine switches to Announce Only mode for this period. Outside this period (08.01 to 17.59), the Ans. & Record is active.

→ Voice Mail → Announcements → Set Ans. Mode → Ans Mode Time (☑ = on)

▸ Change multiple line input:

From:
Enter hours/minutes for the start of the period in 4-digit format.

Until:
Enter hours/minutes for the end of the period in 4-digit format.

Activation:
Select On or Off .

▸ Save changes with Save.

If the memory for messages is full and Activation: On has been selected, saving is interrupted and you will receive an instruction to delete old messages.

▸ Delete old messages and repeat the setting.

As soon as you change the announcement mode (page 34), the function Ans Mode Time is automatically deactivated.

Playing back messages

The date and time of each message is logged (provided this has been set, page 8) and displayed during the playback. If Calling Line Identification is activated, then the caller's number or name is displayed. If the caller's number is stored in the directory, the respective name is displayed.

Playing back new messages

New messages that have not yet been heard are indicated by the ∞ icon in the display and by the ✉ key flashing on the handset.

✉ — Press the message key.

Ans M.: — Select and press OK.

An announcement informs you if there are new messages or just old ones or no messages.

If there are new messages playback then begins with the first new message. After the last new message you will hear the end tone and an announcement about how much recording time remains.

If the message concerned has been saved with the date and time you will hear an appropriate announcement before playback begins.

Playing back old messages

You can listen to old messages if there are no more new messages. Start the playback as described under "Listening to new messages".

After the entry time and date have been played back (after approx. 3 seconds) a new message assumes the status "old".

Stopping and controlling playback

During message playback:

2 abc — Pause playback. Press 2 abc again to resume

↑ or 1 — To previous message.

↓ or 3 def — To next message.

2 x ↓ — To the next message but one.

After an interruption of over one minute, the answering machine returns to idle status.

Reading CNIP information of a message

▶ Please read page 24.

Marking a message as "new"

A previously played back "old" message is displayed as a "new" message again.

During message playback:

* — Press the star key.

An announcement informs you of the message's new status.

Or:

Options — Open menu.

Mark as New — Select and press OK.

Playback of the current message is cancelled. Playback of next message starts, if applicable.

The ✉ key on the handset flashes.

Adding the telephone number of a message to the directory

See also "Adding a displayed number to the directory", page 20.

Deleting messages

You can delete old messages either all together or individually.

Deleting all old messages

During playback or pause:

Options — Press the display key.

Del All Old Msgs — Select and press OK.

Yes — Press the display key to confirm the prompt.

Deleting individual old messages

During playback or pause:

Delete — Press the display key.

Picking up a call from the answering machine

You can pick up a call while the answering machine is recording it or being operated via remote operation:

📞 / Accept — Press the talk or display key.

Recording stops and you can speak to the caller.

If 2 seconds of the call have already been recorded when you pick it up, the call will be displayed as a new message. The ✉ key on the handset flashes.

You can accept the call even if it is not signalled on the handset.

Diverting an external call to the answering machine

You can divert an incoming external call to the answering machine even if it is switched off.

Requirement: sufficient storage space is available on the answering machine.

An external call is signalled on the handset:

Press the display key.

The answering machine starts immediately in recording mode and records the call. The set time for the call acceptance (page 36) is ignored.

Activating/deactivating two-way recording

You can record an **external** call with the answering machine.

- Inform the caller that the call is being recorded.

Options Open menu.

Two Way Record
Select and press **OK**.

The two-way recording is indicated on the display by an advisory text and is added to the answering machine list as a new message.

End Press the display key to stop the two-way recording.

The max. recording time depends on the available memory of the answering machine. If the memory is full you will hear an end tone, the recording is aborted, and the call recorded up to that point is listed in the answering machine list as a new message.

Activating/deactivating listen in

During recording of a message you can listen in via the loudspeaker of registered handsets.

Permanently activating/deactivating listen in

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Call Screening** → **Handset**
(☑ = on)

Press and **hold** (idle status).

You can switch off the **Call Screening** function on the handset during the recording.

Switching off listen in for the current recording

Press the end call key.

Setting up the answering machine

The answering machine has already been preset at the factory. Make individual settings using the handset.

Call acceptance/charge saving function for remote operation

You can set when you want the answering machine to accept a call.

The options are: **0 sec.**, after **10 sec.**, **20 sec.** or **30 sec.** and the cost-saving setting **Automatic**.

On **Automatic** the following applies for call acceptance:

- If no new messages are present, the answering machine accepts a call after **20 seconds**.
- If new messages are present, the answering machine accepts a call after **10 Seconds**.

When operating remotely you then know after approx. 15 seconds that there are no new messages (otherwise the answering machine would already have accepted your call). There will be no call charges if you hang up now.

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Ring Delay**

Select **0 sec.** / **10 sec.** / **20 sec.** / **30 sec.** / **Automatic**.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Please remember:

You can set your telephone so that on all calls the **first** ringtone is **suppressed** (page 47). Therefore, the time set for the call acceptance does not indicate how long the phone rings before the answering machine accepts the call.

Setting the recording time

You can set the maximum recording time of a message. The options are: **30**, **60**, **120 seconds** or **Maximum**.

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Message Length**

Select recording time.

Save Press the display key.

Setting recording quality

Set the quality you require for your recordings. The options are: **Standard**, **High**, **Excellent**. If the quality is higher the max. recording time is reduced.

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Record Quality**

Select the recording quality.

Save Press the display key.

Resetting fast access on the answering machine

The integrated answering machine is factory-set for fast access. However if you have set the network mailbox for fast access (page 39) you can reset this setting.

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Set Key 1**
Answer Machine / **Network Mailb.**

Select and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

After you have selected the network mailbox or the answering machine, press and **hold** key 1 ∞. You will be connected directly.

The setting for fast access applies to all Gigaset SL56 handsets.

Operating when on the move (remote operation)

You can check or activate the answering machine from any other telephone (e.g. hotel, pay phone) or initiate callback from the answering machine through an SMS.

Requirements:

- You have set a system PIN other than 0000 (page 53).
- The phone you are using for remote operation has tone dialling (DTMF), i.e. you hear different tones when you press the keys. Alternatively, you can use a code transmitter (available from your mobile phone retailer).

Calling the answering machine and playing back messages

Dial your own number.

9 While you listen to your announcement, press the 9 key and enter the system PIN.

You will be informed whether any new messages have been recorded. The messages are now played back. You can now operate the answering machine via the keypad or by voice prompts.

Operating the answering machine via the keypad

The following keys are used for operation:

1 Go to the start of the previous message.

2 Stop playback. Press again to resume.

3 Go to the next message.

* Mark message as "new".

0 Delete current message.

Number codes for operation:

1	2	3
Previous	Stop/cont.	Next
4	5	6
7	8	9
		Begin
*	0	#
New	Delete	

Operating the answering machine with voice prompts

You can control message playback using the voice commands **"BACK"** und **"FORWARD"**. You can delete individual messages during playback using the voice command **"DELETE"**.

- Before each voice command, press 9 and then speak the command when you hear the ready tone.

When deleting a message you are prompted to repeat the command.

- **Repeat "DELETE"**, without first pressing the 9.

Activating the answering machine

Phone home and allow to ring until you hear: "Please enter PIN".

Enter system PIN.

Your answering machine is activated. It tells you how much memory time is left.

The messages are now played back.

The answering machine cannot be deactivated remotely.

Initiating call back from the answering machine with SMS and listening to messages

Requirement: You must have stored a notification number (see page 29).

You can use the telephone (mobile phone or any other device with SMS functionality) whose notification number is stored in your phone to send an SMS to your answering machine when you are away from home. It will then call you back. When you accept the call the message playback begins.

The SMS must contain the following:

<System PIN><Callback number>*

The callback number is optional.

Examples:

4711 or *4711*089123456*

If a callback number is entered then it is dialled; otherwise the notification number is dialled.

You can now operate the answering machine via the keypad or by voice prompts as described in the previous sections.

Using the network mailbox

The network mailbox is your network provider's answering machine within the network. You cannot use the network mailbox unless you have **requested it** from your network provider.

Configuring the network mailbox for fast access

With fast access, you can dial either the network mailbox or your integrated answering machine directly.

The integrated answering machine is preconfigured for fast access. You can configure the network mailbox instead. Ask your network provider about this.

Configuring the network mailbox for fast access and entering the network mailbox number

→ → **Voice Mail** → **Set Key 1**

Network Mailb.

Select and press **OK** (☑ = on).

Enter the number for the network mailbox.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

The setting for fast access applies to all Gigaset SL56 handsets.

Calling the network mailbox

Press and **hold**.
You are connected straight to the network mailbox.

Press handsfree key if required. You hear the network mailbox announcement.

Viewing the network mailbox message

If a message arrives for you, you receive a call from the network mailbox. If you have requested Calling Line Identification, the displays shows the network mailbox number. If you accept the call, the new messages are played back. If you do not accept the call, the network mailbox number will be stored in the missed calls list and the message key flashes (page 22).

Using several handsets

Registering handsets

You can register up to a total of six handsets to your base station.

A Gigaset SL56 handset can be registered to up to four base stations.

You must activate manual registration of the handset at both the handset and the base station.

After it has registered, the handset returns to idle status. The internal number of the handset appears in the display, e.g. INT 1. If it does not, repeat the procedure.

On the handset

→ → Handset → Register H/Set

Select base station, e.g. Base 1 and press OK.

Enter the system PIN of the base station (the default is 0000) and press OK. The screen will display, e.g. Base 1.

On the base station

Within 60 secs. press and **hold** the registration/paging key on the base station (page 1) (approx. 3 secs.).

Registering other handsets

You can register other Gigaset handsets and handsets for other devices with GAP functionality as follows.

On the handset

- Start to register the handset as described in its user guide.

On the base station

Press and **hold** the registration/paging key on the base station (page 1) (approx. 3 secs.).

De-registering handsets

You can de-register any registered handset from any registered Gigaset SL56 handset.

Open list of internal users. The handset you are currently using is indicated by **<**.

Select the internal user you wish to de-register.

Options Open menu.

De-reg. H/Set No.

Select and press OK.

Enter current System PIN and press OK.

Yes Press the display key.

Locating a handset ("paging")

You can locate your handset using the base station.

- Press the registration/paging key on the base station **briefly**.
- All handsets will ring at the same time ("paging"), even if the ringers are switched off.

Ending paging

- **Briefly** press the registration/paging key on the base station or press the talk key on the handset.

Changing the base station

If your handset is registered to more than one base station, you can set it to a particular base station or to the base station that has the best reception (Best Base).

→ → Handset → Select Base

Select one of the registered base stations or Best Base and press OK.

Making internal calls

Internal calls to other handsets registered on the same base station are free.

Calling a specific handset

Initiate internal call.

Enter the number of the handset.

Or:

Initiate internal call.

Select handset.

Press the talk key.

Calling all handsets ("group call")

Initiate internal call.

Press the star key. All handsets are called.

Ending a call

Press the end call key.

Transferring a call to another handset

You can transfer an external call to another handset (connect).

Open list of handsets.
The external caller hears the hold music if activated (see page 53).

Select a handset or **Call All** and press **OK**.

When the internal participant answers:

▶ If necessary announce the external call.

Press the end call key.

The external call is transferred to the other handset.

If the internal participant does **not** answer or is busy, press the display key **End**, to return to the external call.

When diverting a call you can also press the end call key before the internal participant lifts the receiver.

Then, if the internal participant does not answer or is busy, the call will automatically return to you (the display will show **Recall**).

Internal consultation calls

When you are speaking to an **external** participant you can simultaneously call an **internal** participant for consultation.

Open list of handsets.
The external caller hears the hold music if activated (see page 53).

Select handset and press **OK**.

Ending an enquiry call

End Press the display key.

You are reconnected with the external caller.

Accepting/rejecting call waiting

If you get an **external** call while conducting an **internal** call, you will hear the call waiting tone (short tone). The caller's number or name will appear in the display if phone number identification is enabled.

Ending an internal call, accepting an external call

Accept Press the display key.

The internal call is **ended**. You are connected to the external caller.

Rejecting external call

Reject Press the display key.

The call waiting tone is turned off. You remain connected with the internal participant. The ringtone can still be heard at other registered handsets.

Listening to an external call

Important: The Listening In function must be activated.

You are conducting an external call. An internal caller can listen in on this call and take part in the conversation. All the participants are made aware of the 'listening-in' by a signal tone.

Activating/deactivating internal listening in

→ → Base → Add. Features → Listening In

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Internal listening in

The line is engaged with an external call. Your screen will display information to that effect You want to listen in to the existing external call.

Press and **hold** the talk key.

You are linked into the call. All participants hear a signal tone. During this time, this handset displays the Conference message and it is not possible to dial another number from this handset.

Ending listening in

Press the end call key.

All participants hear a signal tone.

If the **first** internal participant presses the end call key , the handset that has 'listened-in' remains connected to the external caller.

Changing the name of a handset

The names "INT 1", "INT 2" etc. are assigned automatically at registration. You can change these names. The name must be no more than 10 characters. The changed name is displayed in every handset's list.

Open list of handsets. Your own handset is indicated by <.

Select handset.

Edit Press the display key.

Enter name.

Save Press the display key.

Changing a handset's internal number

A handset is **automatically** assigned the lowest unassigned number when it is registered. If all the numbers have been assigned, number 6 is overwritten, provided the handset is in idle status. You can change the internal number of all registered handsets (1–6).

Open list of handsets. Your own handset is indicated by <.

Options Open menu.

Edit H/Set No.

Select and press OK. The list of handsets is displayed.

The current number flashes. Select a handset.

Enter the new internal number(1–6). The handset's old number is overwritten.

Save Press the display key to save the input.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

You will hear the error tone (descending tone sequence) if you assign an internal number twice.

▶ Repeat the process with an unused number.

Handset settings

Your handset is preconfigured but you can change these settings to suit your individual requirements.

Shortcuts for functions and numbers

You can assign the left display key and each of the number keys 0 + and 2 abc to wxyz 9 a number or a function.

The number is then dialled or the function started by simply pressing a key.

Assigning a digit key/left display key

Precondition: The digit key or the left display key has not yet been assigned a number or a function.

▶ Press the display key ? or press and **hold** the digit key.

The list of possible key assignments is opened. The following can be selected:

Quick Dial / Call-by-Call
Assign key to a number from the directory or call-by-call list.

The directory or call-by-call list is opened.

▶ Select an entry and press OK.

If you delete or edit an entry in the directory or call-by-call list, this has no effect on the assigned digit/display key.

SMS Notific.
Assign key with the menu for activating SMS notification (page 29):

✉ → **Settings** → **Notify Type**

Alarm Clock
Assign key with the menu for setting and activating the alarm clock (page 49): 🕑 **Alarm Clock** .

Calendar
Open the calendar/enter new appointments.

Withhold No.
Suppress Calling Line Identification for the next call (page 17).

Bluetooth
Assign the Bluetooth menu to a key: ▬ → ✣ → **Bluetooth** .

If the left display key has been assigned a shortcut, the selected function or name of the phone number in the directory or call-by-call list is displayed (abbreviated if necessary) in the bottom display line.

Starting the function, dialling the number

If the handset is in idle status, press and **hold** the digit key or press the display key **briefly**.

Depending on the key assignment:

- Numbers are dialled directly.
- The function menu is opened.

Changing key assignments

Display key

▶ Press and **hold** the left display key.

The list of possible key assignments is opened.

▶ Proceed as is described when first assigning the key a shortcut (page 43).

Digit key

▶ Press the digit key **briefly**.

Change — Press the display key. The list of possible key assignments is displayed.

▶ Proceed as is described when first assigning the key a shortcut (page 43).

Setting emergency numbers

When the auto key lock is activated, only emergency numbers can be called. You can set emergency numbers.

→ → **Handset** → **Add. Emerg. No**

Enter emergency number.

Save number.

Changing the display language

You can view the display texts in different languages.

→ → **Handset** → **Language**

The current language is indicated by √.

Select a language and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

If you accidentally choose a language you do not understand:

8 tuv 4 ghi 1 ∞

Press keys one after the other.

Select the correct language and press **OK**.

Setting the display

You have a choice of four colour schemes and several different contrasts.

→ → **Display**

Colour Scheme

Select and press **OK**.

Select a colour scheme and press **OK** (√ = current colour).

Press **briefly**.

Contrast Select and press **OK**.

Select contrast.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Setting the screensaver

In idle status you can select a picture from the Resource Dir. (page 47) as a screensaver. This will replace the idle status display. The date, time and name can be concealed.

The screensaver is not displayed in certain situations, e.g. during a call or when the handset has been deregistered.

If a screensaver has been activated, the menu item **Screen Saver** is marked with √.

→ → **Display** → **Screen Saver**

The current setting is displayed.

▶ Change multiple line input:

Activation:
Select **On** (screensaver is shown) or **Off** (no screensaver).

Selection:
Change the screensaver if necessary (see below).

▶ Save changes: (page 61).

If the screensaver conceals the display, **briefly** press to show the idle display with time and date.

Changing your screensaver

→ → **Display** → **Screen Saver**

Scroll to the **Selection** line.

View Press the display key. The current screensaver is showing.

Select screensaver and press **Change**.

▶ Save changes: (page 61).

Setting backlight

Depending on whether the handset is in the charging cradle or not, you can activate or deactivate the backlight. If the charging cradle is switched on, the display is permanently dimmed.

→ → **Display** → **Backlight**

The current setting is displayed.

▶ Change multiple line input:

In Charger
Select **On** or **Off**.

Without Charger
Select **On** or **Off**.

> **Please note:**
> When set to **On** the handset's standby time is reduced considerably.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Activating/deactivating auto-answer

If you have activated this function, when you get a call you can simply lift the handset out of the charging cradle without having to press the talk key .

→ → **Handset**

Auto Answer
Select and press **OK** (✓ = on).

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Adjusting the loudspeaker volume

You can set the loudspeaker volume for handsfree speaking to five different levels and the earpiece volume to three different levels. You can only make these adjustments during an external call.

The handsfree volume can only be adjusted when this function is set.

You are conducting an external call.

Press the control key.

Select volume.

Save Press display key if necessary to save the setting permanently.

If is assigned a different function, e.g. when toggling (page 17):

Options Open menu.

Volume Select and press **OK**.

Configure setting (see above).

Changing ringtones

- Volume:
  You can choose between five volumes (1–5; e.g. volume 2 =) and the "Crescendo" ring (6; volume increases with each ring =).
- Ringtones:
  You can select various ringtones, melodies or any sound from My stuff (page 47).

You can configure the following functions with different ringtones:

- **Ext. Calls**: for external calls
- **Internal Calls**: for internal calls
- **Appointments**: for set appointments (page 49)
- **All**: the same for all functions

Settings for individual functions

Set the volume and melody depending on the type of signalling required. With external calls, you can also set the phone so that it announces the name of the caller after the first ring. However, the relevant voice pattern must have been previously recorded (page 21).

→ → **Audio Settings** → **Ringer Settings**

	Select setting, e.g. **Ext. Calls** and press **OK**.
	Set volume (1–6).
	Scroll to the next line.
	Select melody.
	Only in **Ext. Calls**setting: scroll to the next line.
	Activate or deactivate **Announce**. **Precondition:** Calling Line Identification (page 12).
Save	Press the display key to save the setting.

In idle status, you can also open the menu **Ringer Settings** by pressing **briefly**.

Settings for all functions to ring the same

→ → **Audio Settings** → **Ringer Settings** → **All**

- Set volume and ringtone (see "Settings for individual functions").

Save	Press the display key to confirm the prompt.
	Press and **hold** (idle status).

Activating/deactivating the ringtone

You can deactivate the ringtone on your handset before you answer a call or when the handset is in idle status; the ringtone can be deactivated permanently or just for the current call. The ringtone cannot be re-activated while an external call is in progress.

Deactivating the ringtone permanently

*	Press the star key and hold until you can no longer hear the ringtone.

The icon appears in the display.

Re-activating the ringtone

*	Press and **hold** the star key.

Deactivating the ringtone for the current call

Silence	Press the display key.

Activating/deactivating the alert tone

In place of a ringtone you can activate an alert tone. When you get a call, you will hear **a short tone** ("Beep") instead of the ringtone.

*	Press and **hold** the star key and **within 3 seconds:**
Beep	Press the display key. A call is now signalled by **one** brief alert tone. You will now see in the display.

Vibration alarm

Incoming calls and other messages will be identified by vibration.

→ → **Audio Settings**

Silent Alert	Select and press **OK** (✓ = on).

Activating/deactivating first ring muting

Open menu.

8 tuv 5 jkl wxyz 9 1 ∞ wxyz 9
Press keys.

0 + OK First ring audible.

Or:

1 ∞ OK First ring muted.

Setting your own dialling code

In order to transfer phone numbers between Bluetooth connections and phone, it is essential that your dialling code (country and area code) is stored on the phone.

Some of these numbers are already preset.

→ → **Handset** → **Area Codes**

Check that the (pre)set dialling code is correct.

▶ Change multiple line input:

Select/change input field.

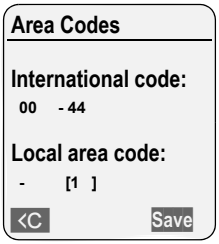
Navigate in the input field.

C If necessary, delete number: press the display key.

Enter number.

Save Press the display key.

Example:



My stuff

My stuff on your handset manages sounds you can use these as ringtones and pictures (CLIP pictures und screensavers) that you can use as caller pictures or screensavers; Precondition: Calling Line Identification (CLIP). My stuff can manage the following media types:

Icon	Sound	Format
	Ringtones; monophonic	Standard
	Polyphonic	Standard
	Polyphonic	.mid
	Picture (CLIP picture, screensaver)	BMP (128 x 100 or 128 x 160 pixels)

The icon is displayed in front of the name in My stuff. Various mono- and polyphonic sounds and pictures are preconfigured on your handset. The pre-configured sounds and pictures are labelled with . You cannot rename or delete these or send them by SMS.

You can download sounds in .mid format and pictures from a PC (page 61).

You can listen to the existing sounds and, in My stuff, you can rename and delete sounds that you have downloaded onto your handset via a data cable (max. 32 KB).

Playing back sounds/viewing CLIP pictures

→ → **Screensavers** / **Caller Pictures** / **Sounds** (Select entry)

Play / **View** Press the display key. Sounds are played or pictures are shown. Press the key to switch between entries.

End / Press the display key. Playback of sounds or picture display is ended.

When playing sounds, you can also stop the playback with the key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

If you have saved a sound or picture in an invalid data format, you will see an error message after selecting the entry. You can cancel the operation with . You can delete the sound or picture with **Delete**.

Sounds: Set volume

During playback:

Options / Open menu.

Volume Select and press **OK**.

Set volume.

Save Press the display key.

Rename/delete a sound/picture

You have selected an entry .

Options Open menu.

If a sound/picture cannot be deleted (🔒), this option is not available. Depending on the situation, you can select the following functions:

Rename
Rename (max. 16 characters) and press **Save**. The entry is stored with the new name.

Delete Entry
The selected entry is deleted.

Delete List
All list entries that can be deleted are deleted.

A deleted ringtone is automatically replaced.

Checking the memory

You can view both the memory space available and the proportion of memory used by the screensavers, CLIP pictures and sounds.

→ → **Capacity**

Back: press the display key.

Activating/deactivating advisory tones

Your handset uses 'advisory tones' to tell you about different activities and statuses. The following advisory tones can be activated and deactivated independently of each other:

- **Key beep**: Each key press is acknowledged.
- **Acknowledge tones**:
  - **Confirmation tone** (ascending tone sequence): at the end of an entry/setting and when an SMS or a new entry arrives in the answering machine list or calls list
  - **Error beep** (descending tone sequence): when you make an incorrect entry
  - **Menu end tone**: when scrolling at the end of a menu
- **Battery low beep**: the battery pack requires charging.

→ → **Audio Settings** → **Advisory Tones**

▸ Change multiple line input:

Key Tones:
Select **On** or **Off**.

Confirm.:
Select **On** or **Off**.

Battery:
Select **On**, **Off** or **In Call**. The battery warning tone is activated/deactivated or only sounds during a call.

▶ Save changes (page 61).

You cannot deactivate the confirmation tone for placing the handset in the base station.

Setting the alarm clock

Precondition: The date and time have already been set (page 8).

Activating/deactivating and setting the alarm clock

▭ → ⏲

▶ Change multiple line input:

Appoint.:
Select **On** or **Off**.

Time:
Enter the wake-up time in 4-digit format.

Occurance :
Select **Daily** or **Monday-Friday**.

Volume:
Set the volume (1-6).

Melody:
Select melody.

▶ Save changes (page 61).

You will see the icon ⏰.

A wake-up call with the selected ringer melody (page 45) is signalled on the handset. The wake up call sounds for 60 seconds. The display shows ⏲. If no key is pressed the wake-up call is repeated twice at five minute intervals and then switched off.

During a call, the wake-up call is signalled by a short tone.

Deactivating the wake-up call/ repeating after a pause (slumber mode)

Precondition: A wake-up call is sounding.

OFF Press the display key. The wake-up call is deactivated.

or

Snooze Press the display key or any key. The wake-up call is deactivated and then repeated after 5 minutes. After the second repetition the wake-up call is deactivated completely.

Setting an appointment (Calendar)

You can receive reminders for up to 30 appointments from your handset (volume and melody, see page 45).

Saving appointments

Precondition: The date and time have already been set (page 8).

▭ → 1

◁▷/△▽ Select a day in the graphic calendar and press **OK** or ▭. (Days that already have appointments stored are highlighted in black)

The day's stored appointments are listed. If you have already saved 30 appointments, then you must delete an existing one.

<New Entry>
Select and press **OK**.

▶ Change multiple line input:

Appoint.:
Select **On** or **Off**.

Date:
Enter day/month/year in 8-digit format.

Time:
Enter hours/minutes in 4-digit format.

Notes:
Enter the text (max. 16 characters) . The text appears as the appointment name in the list and will be displayed on the screen during the appointment reminder. If no text is entered, you will only see the date and time of the appointment.

Save Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

The appointment is marked with ✓ in the appointment list. The appointments are sorted according to the date in the list.

An appointment is signalled with the selected ringtone (page 45) . The appointment reminder sounds for 60 seconds. It will display the entered text, date and time.

During a call, the appointment reminder is only signalled by a short tone.

Managing appointments

→ 1

/ Select a day in the graphic calendar and press OK or . (Days that already have appointments stored are highlighted in black in the calendar.)

Select the day's appointments.

Options Open menu
Back with .

You have the following options:

View Entry
View selected appointments,
Options Open menu to edit, delete and activate/deactivate.

Edit Entry
Edit selected appointment.

Delete Entry
Delete selected appointment.

Activate / Deactivate
Activate/deactivate selected appointment.

Delete List
Delete **all** appointments.

Switching off or answering an appointment reminder

Precondition: An appointment reminder is sounding.

Off Press the display key to switch off the appointment reminder.

Or:

SMS Press display key to answer the appointment reminder with an SMS.

Displaying missed appointments, anniversaries

Missed appointments/anniversaries (page 21) are displayed in the **Missed Alarms** list if:

- You do not accept an appointment/ anniversary.
- The appointment/anniversary was signalled during a phone call.
- The handset is deactivated at the time of the appointment/anniversary
- Automatic last number redial was activated at the time of the appointment/ anniversary (page 22).

The most recent entry is at the start of the list.

If there is a new appointment/anniversary in the list, the display shows Appoint.. Pressing the display key will also open the **Missed Alarms** list.

To open the list from the menu:

→ → **Missed Alarms**

Select appointment/ anniversary.
Information about the appointment/anniversary is displayed. A missed appointment is displayed with the appointment name and a missed anniversary is displayed with the last name and first name. The date and time will also be given.

Delete Delete appointment

SMS Write an SMS.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

If 10 entries are already stored in the list, the oldest entry will be deleted to make way for the next appointment reminder.

Using Bluetooth devices

Your Gigaset SL56 handset can communicate wirelessly via Bluetooth™ with other devices using this technology.

Before you can use your Bluetooth devices, you must first activate Bluetooth and then register the devices to the handset. You can register 1 Bluetooth headset to the handset.

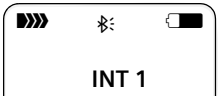
You will find a description of how to operate your Bluetooth devices in the user guides for these devices.

Please note:
If the handset is in Bluetooth mode, any connection via the data cable (page 61) that is already connected will be interrupted. Bluetooth must be deactivated in order for you to be able to use a connected data cable.

Activating Bluetooth mode

→ → Bluetooth → Activation

In idle status, the symbol on the handset shows that Bluetooth mode is activated:



Registering Bluetooth devices

The distance between the handset in Bluetooth mode and the activated Bluetooth device (headset or data device) should be no more than 10 m.

Please note:
If you register a headset, any headset that is already registered will be overwritten.

→ → Bluetooth → Search Headset / Search Data Device

The search can take up to 30 seconds.

Once the device has been found, its name will be shown on the display.

Options Press the display key.

Trust Device
Select and press OK.

Enter the PIN for the Bluetooth device you want to **register** and press OK.

The device is saved in the list of known devices.

Cancelling/repeating current search

To cancel search:

Cancel Press the display key.

Repeat search if necessary:

Options Select and press OK.

Repeat Search
Select and press OK.

Editing the list of known (trusted) devices

Open list

→ → Bluetooth → Known Devices

A corresponding symbol appears next to each device name in the list displayed:

Icon	Meaning
	Bluetooth headset
	Bluetooth data device

Viewing entries

Open list → (select entry)

Options Press the display key.

View Entry Select and press OK.
Device name and address are displayed.
Back with OK.

Changing the name of a Bluetooth device

Open list → (select entry)

Options Press the display key.

Rename Select and press OK.

Change name.

Save Press the display key

Back: Press and **hold** key.

Deregistering a Bluetooth device

Open list ➜ (select entry)

Options — Press the display key.

Delete Entry — Select and press OK.

Back: Press and **hold** key.

Please note:
If you deregister an activated Bluetooth device, it may try to reconnect as an "unregistered device".

Rejecting/accepting an unregistered Bluetooth device

If a Bluetooth device that is not registered in the list of known devices tries to connect with the handset, you will be prompted on the display to enter the PIN for the Bluetooth device (bonding).

◆ **Reject**

Go Back — Press the display key.

◆ **Accept**

Enter the PIN for the Bluetooth device you want to **accept** and press OK.

If you have accepted the device, you can use it temporarily (i.e. as long as it is within receiving range or until you deactivate the handset) or save it to the list of known devices.

Once the PIN has been confirmed, save to the list of known devices:

– Press the display key Yes.
– Press the display key No: use temporarily.

Changing the Bluetooth name of the handset

You can change the handset name used to identify it on the display of another Bluetooth device.

➜ ➜ Bluetooth ➜ Own Device Name

Change — Press the display key

Change name.

Save — Press the display key

Back: Press and **hold** key.

Restoring the handset default settings

You can reset any individual settings and changes that you have made. This will not affect entries in the directory, the call-by-call list, calls list, SMS lists or the handset's registration to the base station nor will it affect the content of My Stuff.

➜ ➜ Handset ➜ Reset Handset

Yes — Press the display key.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Base station settings

The base station settings are carried out using a registered Gigaset SL56 handset.

Protecting against unauthorised access

Protect the system settings of the base station with a PIN known only to yourself. The system PIN must now be entered when, for example, registering/de-registering a handset to/from the base station or when restoring the default settings.

Changing the system PIN

You can change the 4-digit system PIN set on the base station (default setting: 0000) to a 4-digit PIN known only to yourself.

Please note:
Memorise the new system PIN well! If you forget it, the phone will require specialist attention (page 53).

Setting a system PIN facilitates remote operation of the answering machine (page 37).

→ → **Base** → **System PIN**

Enter current System PIN and press **OK**.

Enter new system PIN. For security the PIN is shown as four stars (****).

Scroll to the next line, re-enter new system PIN and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Activating/deactivating the hold music

→ → **Base** → **Music on hold**

Press **OK** to activate or deactivate the wait melody (☑ = on).

Repeater support

With a repeater you can increase the range and reception strength of your base station. First you must activate the repeater mode. This will terminate any calls currently running through the base station.

Precondition: A repeater is registered. Eco mode is disabled.

→ → **Base** → **Add. Features** → **Repeater Mode**

Yes Press the display key.

When repeater mode is active, the menu item is marked with ☑.

Please note:
Repeater support and eco mode (see page 16) cancel each other out, i.e. both functions cannot be used at the same time.

Restoring default settings to base station

When the settings are restored

- handsets are still registered,
- the system PIN is not reset,
- the SMS information services are not reset.

→ → **Base** → **Base Reset**

Enter the system PIN and press **OK**.

Yes Press the display key.

Cancel the restoring process by pressing or the display key **No**.

If you have forgotten the system PIN, you can reset the base station without it.
In addition, all handsets are de-registered and the System PIN is reset to 0000:

- Disconnect the base station from the power supply.
- Press and hold the registration/paging key on the base station.
- Connect the base station to the power supply.
- Continue to press and hold the registration/paging key on the base station.
- Release the key.

The base station is reset to its default settings.

Connecting the base station to the PABX

The following settings are only needed when your PABX requires them. Please refer to the user guide for your PABX.

You cannot send or receive SMS on PABXs that do not support Calling Line Identification.

Dialling modes and flash time

The current setting is indicated by ✓.

Changing the dialling mode

The following dialling modes can be selected:

- Tone dialling (DTMF),
- Pulse dialling (DP).

→ → **Base** → **Add. Features** → **Dialling Mode**

Select dialling mode (✓ = on) and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Setting the flash time

→ → **Base** → **Add. Features** → **Recall**

Select flash time (✓ = on) and press **OK**.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

Save access code

Precondition: You may have to enter an access code for external calls in your PABX, e.g. "0".

→ → **Base** → **Add. Features** → **Access Code**

Enter or change access code, max. 3 digits.

▶ Save changes: see page 61.

If an access code is stored:

- The access code is prefixed automatically when you select from the following lists: numbers of the SMScentres, calls list, answering machine list.
- You must enter the access code when dialling manually and when entering directory, emergency/quick dial numbers and number for SMS centres manually.
- When sending an SMS, if you copy the number of the recipient from the directory, you must delete the access code.
- You can delete an existing access code by pressing ◁C.

Setting pauses

Changing pause after line seizure

You can change the length of pause that is inserted between pressing the talk key and sending the number.

Open menu.

8 tuv 5 jkl wxyz 9 1 mno 6

Press keys.

Enter digit for the pause length (**1** = 1 sec.; **2** = 3 secs.; **3** = 7 secs.) and press **OK**.

Changing the pause after the recall key

You can change the length of the pause if your PABX requires this (refer to the user guide for your PABX).

Open menu.

8 tuv 5 jkl wxyz 9 1 ␣ 2 abc
Press keys.

Enter a digit for the length of the pause (**1** = 800 ms; **2** = 1600 ms; **3** = 3200 ms) and press OK.

Changing a dialling pause (pause after access code)

Precondition: You have saved an access code (page 54).

Open menu.

8 tuv 5 jkl wxyz 9 1 ␣ 1 ␣
Press keys.

Enter a digit for the length of the pause (**1** = 1 sec.; **2** = 2 secs.; **3** = 3 secs.; **4** = 6 secs.) and press OK.

To insert a dialling pause: press R for 2 seconds. A P appears in the display.

Switching temporarily to tone dialling (DTMF)

If your PABX still operates with dial pulsing (DP), but you need tone dialling (DTMF) for a connection (e.g. to listen to the network mailbox) you must switch to tone dialling for the call.

Precondition: You are conducting a call or have already dialled an external number.

* ⇧ Press the star key.

When you end the call, pulse dialling is automatically activated.

Appendix

Care

Wipe the base station, charging cradle and handset with a **damp** cloth (do not use solvent) or an antistatic cloth.

Never use a dry cloth. This can cause static.

Contact with liquid ⚠

If the handset has come into contact with liquid:

1. **Switch off the handset and remove the battery pack immediately**.
2. Allow the liquid to drain from the handset.
3. Pat all parts dry, then place the handset with the battery compartment open and the keypad facing down in a dry, warm place **for at least 72 hours** (**not** in a microwave, oven etc.).
4. **Do not switch on the handset again until it is completely dry.**

When it has fully dried out, you will normally be able to use it again.

Questions and answers

If you have any queries about the use of your telephone, you can contact us at any time at www.siemens.com/gigasetcustomercare. The table below contains a list of common problems and possible solutions.

The display is blank.

1. The handset is not switched on.
   - Press and **hold** the end call key.
2. The battery pack is flat.
   - Charge/replace the battery pack (page 8).

The handset does not respond to a key press.

The keypad lock is activated.
- Press and **hold** the hash key # (page 14).

"Base station x" is flashing **in the display.**

1. The handset is outside the range of the base station.
   - Reduce the distance between handset/base station.

   The base station's range is reduced because eco mode is activated.
   - Deactivate eco mode (page 16) or reduce the distance between the handset and the base station.
2. The handset has been de-registered.
   - Register the handset (page 40).
3. The base station is not switched on.
   - Check the base station mains adapter (page 6).

Base Search is flashing in the display.

The handset is set for **Best Base** and no base station is switched on or within range.
- Reduce the distance between handset/base station.
- Check the base station mains adapter (page 6).

Handset does not ring.

1. The ringtone is switched off.
   - Activate the ringtone (page 46).
2. Call diversion set to **All Calls**.
   - Switch off Call Diversion (page 17).

You cannot hear a ringtone/dialling tone.

Base station's phone cord has been replaced.
- When purchasing a new cord, ensure that it has the correct pin connections (page 6).

The other party cannot hear you.

You have pressed the (INT) key. The handset is "muted".
- Switch on the microphone again (page 13).

The incoming call number is not displayed although CLIP is set.

Phone number identification is not enabled.
- **Caller** should ask network provider to activate phone number identification (CLI).

You hear an error tone when keying an input (a descending sequence of tones).

Action has failed/invalid input.
- Repeat the operation.
  Watch the display and refer to the operating instructions if necessary.

You cannot listen to messages on the network mailbox.

Your phone system is set for pulse dialling.
- Set your phone system to tone dialling.

The calls list does not indicate a time for a message.

Date/time are not set.
- Set the date/time (page 8).

The answering machine reports "PIN is incorrect" during remote operation.

1. System PIN entered is incorrect
   - Repeat input of system PIN,
2. System PIN is still set to 0000.
   - Change system PIN to a number other than 0000 (page 53).

The answering machine does not record any messages/has switched over to 'announce only'.

Its memory is full.
- Delete old messages.
- Play back new messages and delete.

Service (Customer Care)

We offer you support that is fast and tailored to your specific needs!

Our Online Support on the Internet can be reached any time from anywhere.
http://www.siemens.com/gigasetcustomercare
It provides you with 24/7 support for all our products. It also provides a list of FAQs and answers plus user guides and current software updates (if available for the product) for you to download.

You will also find frequently asked questions and answers in the appendix of this user guide.

For personal advice on our range of products and assistance with repairs or guarantee/warranty claims you can contact us on:

UK helpdesk: 0 84 53 67 08 12.

Please have your proof of purchase ready when calling with regard to guarantee/ warranty claims.

Replacement or repair services are not offered in countries where our product is not sold by authorised dealers.

Authorisation

This device is intended for analogue phone lines in the UK.

Country-specific requirements have been taken into consideration.

We, Siemens Home and Office Communication Devices GmbH & Co. KG, declare that this device meets the essential requirements and other relevant regulations laid down in Directive 1999/5/EC.

A copy of the 1999/5/EC Declaration of Conformity is available at this Internet address:
http://www.siemens.com/gigasetdocs.

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Bluetooth Qualified Design Identity

The Bluetooth QD ID for your Gigaset SL56 is: B011264.

Specifications

Recommended battery pack

(Valid at the time of going to press)

Lithium-Ion (Li-Ion):
700 mAh
V30145-K1310-X250

The handset is supplied with the recommended battery pack. Only the original battery pack must be used.

Handset operating times/charging times

Capacity	700 mAh
Standby time	Approx. 250 hours (10 days)
Calling time	Approx. 10 hours
Charging time	Approx. 3.5 hours

Please note:
Reduced handset standby time when Bluetooth is activated: approx. 180 hours.
Reduced talk time via Bluetooth headset: approx. 7 hours.

The operating and charging times apply only when using the recommended battery pack.

Base station power consumption

In standby mode: approx 3 watts

During a call: approx. 3 watts

General specifications

DECT standard	is supported
GAP standard	is supported
No. of channels	60 duplex channels
Radio frequency range	1880–1900 MHz
Duplex method	Time multiplex, 10 ms frame length
Channel grid	1728 kHz
Bit rate	1152 kbit/s
Modulation	GFSK
Language code	32 kbit/s
Transmission power	10 mW, average power per channel
Range	up to 300 m outdoors, up to 50 m indoors
Base station power supply	230 V ~/50 Hz
Environmental conditions for operation	+5 °C to +45 °C; 20 % to 75 % relative humidity
Dialling mode	DTMF (tone dialling)/ DP (dial pulsing)
Display	Colour display (65K colours)
Base station dimensions	approx. 133 x 106 x 46 mm (W x H x D all together)
Handset dimensions	approx. 47 x 131 x 23 mm without belt clip (W × H × D)
Base station weight	approx. 131 g
Handset weight	approx. 111 g
Charging cradle dimensions	Cross section dimension: approx. 67 mm Height (up to upper edge sockets): approx. 24 mm
Charging cradle weight	approx. 138 g

Guarantee Certificate United Kingdom

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Notes on the operating instructions

This section explains the meaning of certain symbols and typographical conventions that are used in this user guide.

Symbols used

Copy Entry / **Copy List** (example)
Select one of the two menu functions specified.

Enter digits or letters.

Save
The display keys' current functions are shown reverse highlighted in the bottom display line. Press the display key below to launch the function.

Press the top or the bottom of the control key: scroll up or down.

Press the right or left of the control key: e. g. select setting.

Press the control key in the middle: Open main menu in idle status.
When setting: confirm selection.

/ 0 + / * ⇧ etc.
Press the corresponding key on the handset.

Example: menu input

In the user guide, the steps you need to perform are shown in abbreviated form. This is illustrated below using the example of "Setting the contrast for the display". The things you have to do are explained in the boxes.

→ → **Display**

- When the handset is in idle status press the control key **in the middle** ( ) to open the main menu.
- Select the icon using the control key / .

In the display header, **Settings** is displayed.

- Press or the display key **OK** to confirm the **Settings** function.

The **Settings** submenu is displayed.

- Press the bottom of the control key repeatedly until **Display** is selected.
- Press or the display key **OK** to confirm your selection.

Contrast Select and press **OK**.

- Press the bottom of the control key repeatedly until **Contrast** is selected.
- Press or the display key **OK** to confirm your selection.

Select Contrast and press ,or press the display key **Save**.

- Press on the right or left of the control key to select the contrast.
- Press or the display key **Save** to confirm your selection.

Press and **hold** (idle status).

- Press and hold the end call key until the handset returns to idle status.

Example: multiple line input

There are many situations in which you can change the settings of a display or enter data in several lines.

In this user guide symbols are used to guide you step by step through multiple line input. This is illustrated below using the example of "Setting the date and time". The things you have to do are explained in the boxes.

You will see the following display (example):

Date:

Enter day, month and year in 8-digit format.

The second line is marked with [ ] to show it is active.

▸ Enter the date using the digit keys.

Time:

Enter hours/minutes in 4-digit format.

▸ Press the key.

The fourth line is marked with [ ] to show it is active.

▸ Enter the date using the digit keys.

▸ Save changes.

▸ Press the **Save** display key.

▸ Then press and **hold** the key.

The handset changes to idle status.

PC Interface

You can connect your handset to your computer using the data cable (page 63). Your handset can communicate with a computer via a program (free download at www.siemens.com/gigasetSL565).
You can access your handset's directory and load sounds (.mid) and screensaver pictures (.bmp) onto the handset from your computer.

During the transfer of data between handset and PC, you will see **Data Transfer** on the display. During this time, it is not possible to use the keypad and incoming calls will be ignored.

Please note:
If the handset is in Bluetooth mode (page 51), any connection via the data cable that is already connected will be interrupted. Bluetooth must be deactivated in order for you to be able to use a connected data cable.

Writing and editing a text message

The following rules apply when writing a text message:

- Control the cursor with .
- Characters are added to the left of the cursor.
- Press the star key to show the table of special characters.
- The first letter of the name of directory entries is automatically capitalised, followed by lower case letters.

You can call up the table of special characters when writing an SMS using the key. Select the required character and insert it with **Insert**.

Writing an SMS/name (without predictive text)

Press the hash key [-o #] and **hold** it to switch from "Abc" mode to "123" and from "123" to "abc" and from "abc" to "Abc" (upper case: 1st letter upper case, all others lower case). Press the hash key [-o #] **before** entering the letter.

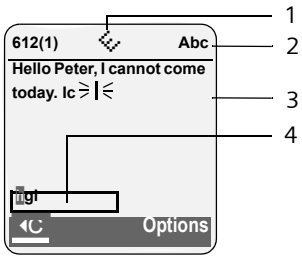
The following applies when writing an SMS:

- The display shows whether upper case, lower case or digits is selected. "Abc", "abc" or "123" appears at the top right of the display.
- When you press a key and **hold** it, the characters of that key appear in the **bottom display line** and are highlighted one after the other. When you release the key the highlighted character is inserted into the input field.

Writing an SMS (with predictive text)

EATONI predictive text helps you when you are writing an SMS.

Each key between [0 +] and [wxyz 9] is assigned several letters and characters. These appear in a selection line immediately under the text panel (above the display keys) as soon as you press a key. The letter you are most likely looking for is reverse-highlighted and is at the beginning of the selection line. It is copied into the text panel.



1 SMS text
2 Selection line
3 EATONI is activated
4 Upper/lower case or digits

If this letter is the one you want, confirm it by pressing the next key. If it is not the one you want, **briefly** press the hash key [-o #] repeatedly until the required letter is reverse-highlighted on the display line and copied into the text panel.

If you press and **hold** the hash key [-o #] you switch from "Abc" mode to "123" and from "123" to "abc" and from "abc" to "Abc".

Deactivating/activating predictive text

Precondition: You are writing an SMS.

Options — Press the display key.

Predictive Text — Select and press OK ([√] = on).

Press the end call key **briefly** to return to the text panel. Enter the text.

Order of directory entries

Directory entries are generally listed alphabetically. Spaces and digits take first priority. If only the first name was entered in the directory, this will take the place of the surname in the list.

The sort order is as follows:

1. Space
2. Digits (0–9)
3. Letters (alphabetical)
4. Other characters

To circumvent the alphabetical order of the entries, insert a space or digit before the first letter of the surname. These entries will then move to the beginning of the directory. Names which you have preceded with an asterisk will move to the end of the directory.

Accessories

Gigaset Handsets

Turn your Gigaset into a cordless telephone system:

Gigaset handset SL56

- Illuminated graphical colour display (65k colours)
- Illuminated keypad
- Handsfree operation
- Polyphonic ringer melodies
- Directory for around 250 entries
- Picture CLIP
- SMS (CLIP must be enabled)
- Voice dialling
- PC interface, e.g. for managing directory entries, ringtones and screen savers
- Headset socket
- Bluetooth

www.siemens.com/gigasetsl56

Mobile handsfree set with PTT key

With the mobile handsfree set you can make a call while keeping your hands free.

In addition, conversations can be heard on the handset.

Data Cable DCA-500

For connecting your phone to the serial RS232 interface of your computer.

Data Cable USB DCA-510

For connecting your phone to the USB interface of your computer.

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Use the Gigaset M34 USB for wireless connections between your PC and your Gigaset. Then you can:

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- Send and receive texts from messenger services (IMS)
- Operate your PC remotely via the handset (e.g. operating the Windows Media Player)

www.siemens.com/gigasetm34usb

All accessories and batteries are available from your mobile phone retailer.

SIEMENS Original Accessories

Only use original accessories. This will avoid possible health risks and damage, and also ensure that all the relevant regulations are complied with.

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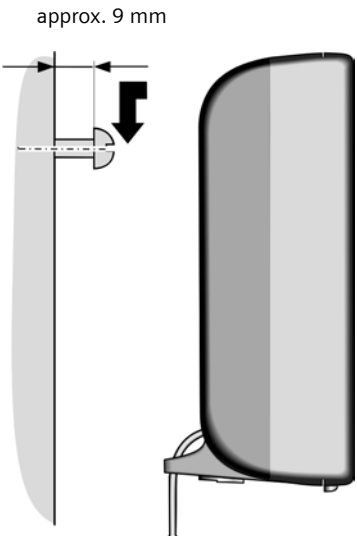
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