



MY FIRST HOUR 

# Sony Ericsson Xperia™ mini pro

## Startup guide

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# Welcome

## Digital User guide

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This Startup guide is aimed at getting you through the first hour of using your new phone.

As part of our Greenheart™ initiatives, we have placed a full-length User guide in the phone and on the web. By keeping the full User guide in digital format, we have cut down substantially on the amount of paper we print. You can find more information on how to access the in-phone User guide and other support at the end of this Startup guide.

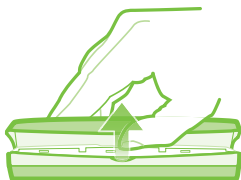
### Important information

Please read the *Important information* leaflet before you use your mobile phone.

## Assembly

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### To remove the battery cover



### To insert the SIM card and the battery

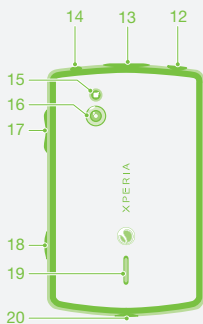
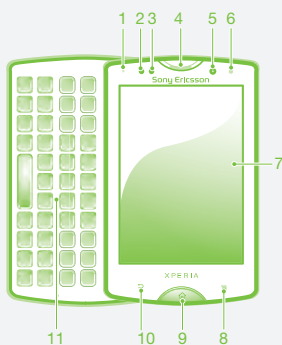


### To attach the battery cover



# Phone basics

## Phone overview

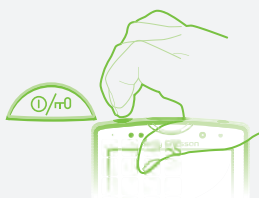


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| 1. Notification LED/<br>Battery status | 11. Keyboard                                    |
| 2. Proximity sensor 1                  | 12. Power key/Screen<br>lock                    |
| 3. Proximity sensor 2                  | 13. Connector for<br>charger/Micro USB<br>cable |
| 4. Ear speaker                         | 14. Headset connector                           |
| 5. Front camera                        | 15. Camera LED light                            |
| 6. Light sensor                        | 16. Camera lens                                 |
| 7. Touch screen                        | 17. Volume key/Zoom<br>key                      |
| 8. Menu key                            | 18. Camera key                                  |
| 9. Home key                            | 19. Speaker                                     |
| 10. Back key                           | 20. Strap hole                                  |

# Turning on the phone

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## To turn on the phone





## To enter your SIM card PIN code

- Tap the numbers on the screen to enter the personal identification number (PIN) for your SIM card.

# Waking up the screen


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## To activate the screen

- Press  or press  briefly.

## To unlock the screen



- Drag the  icon to the right across the screen.

# Using the hardware keys

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Back

- Go back to the previous screen
- Close the on-screen keypad, a dialog box, an options menu, or the Notification panel



Home

- Go to the Home screen or to the Application screen from any application or screen
- Press and hold to open a window showing your most recently used applications



Menu

- Open a list of options available in the current screen or application

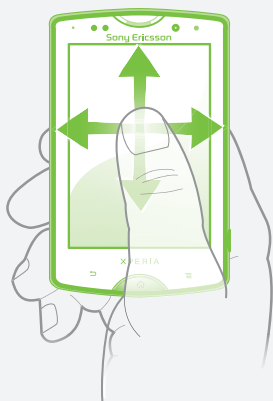
# Using the touch screen

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## To open or highlight an item

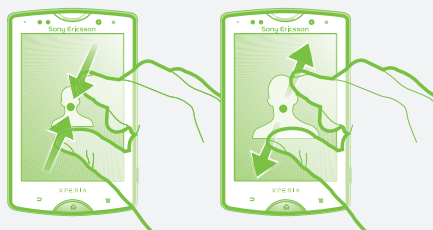
- Tap the item.

## To scroll



- Drag or flick your finger in the direction you want to scroll on the screen.

## To zoom with two fingers



- Place two fingers on the screen at once and pinch them together (to zoom out) or spread them apart (to zoom in).

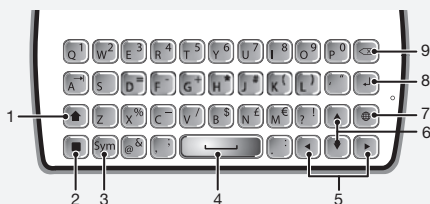
## Typing text

Use one of the following methods to type text containing letters, numbers and other characters:

- Slide-out keyboard
- On-screen keyboard
- Phonepad

- ! When you are using the slide-out keyboard, the on-screen input methods become unavailable.

## Using the slide-out keyboard



- 1 Change the character case and turn on the caps lock. For some languages, this key is used to access extra characters in the language.
- 2 Mode toggle key – Press here to activate associated keys featuring characters of the same colour. For example, press this key once and then press the "Q" key to enter "1".
- 3 Display symbols and smileys
- 4 Enter a space
- 5 Navigate left and right within a text field, or among other word and character options
- 6 Navigate up and down within a text field, across rows, or among other word and character options
- 7 Open the text input settings menu to change, for example, the **Writing languages**.
- 8 Enter a carriage return or confirm text input
- 9 Delete a character before the cursor


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# Set up your phone



The first time you start your phone, a setup guide explains basic phone functions and helps you enter essential settings. You can also access the setup guide later.

## To access the setup guide

- 1 From the Home screen, tap .
- 2 Tap **Setup guide**.

## Android™ – what and why?

An Android™ phone is based on an open source platform, and is pre-loaded with Google™ services. To make the best out of any provided Google™ services, you should create a Google™ account and sign in to it when you first start your phone. With the account, you can extend the functionality of the phone by downloading applications and games from a constantly growing collection at Android Market™. You need to have Internet access for many of the features in Android.

## Accounts and services

Use online services in your phone. Sign in with your existing account or sign up and create an account.

### Google™ account

Use Gmail™ to send emails, Google Talk™ to chat with friends, and Android Market™ to download applications.


### Sony Ericsson account

Store your phone contacts on a secure Sony Ericsson server, and you'll always have a backup online.

### Exchange Active Sync account

Synchronise your phone with your corporate Exchange Active Sync account. This way, you keep your work email, contacts and calendar events with you at all times.

## To add an account

- 1 From your Home screen, tap .
- 2 Tap **Settings > Accounts & sync > Add account**.
- 3 Tap the account type you want to add and then follow the registration wizard.

# Getting contacts into your phone

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The first time you open the Contacts application, you get hints on how to start adding contacts to your phone. This is a good time to choose a method that suits your situation and setup. View all import options on [www.sonyericsson.com/support/contacts](http://www.sonyericsson.com/support/contacts). Here are two recommended options:







Synchronise your phone with contacts already stored with an online synchronisation service, such as Sony Ericsson Sync or Google Sync™.







Import contacts from a SIM card. You may not be able to transfer all information from one phone to another using this method because of limited memory on the SIM card.

## To synchronise your phone contacts with a synchronisation account

- 1 From your Home screen, tap , then tap .
- 2 Press , then tap **Settings > Accounts & sync**.
- 3 To set up a synchronisation account, tap **Add account** and follow the on-screen instructions. If you have already set up a synchronisation account and you want to sync with that account, tap the account, press , and tap **Sync now**.

## To import contacts from a SIM card

- 1 From your Home screen, tap , then tap .
- 2 Press , then tap **Import contacts > SIM card**.
- 3 If you have set up a synchronisation account, you can choose to add the SIM card contacts under that account. Or you can choose to only use these contacts in the phone. Select your desired option.
- 4 To import an individual contact, find and tap the contact. To import all contacts, press , then tap **Import all**.



# Finding your way

## Home screen

Your phone Home screen is the equivalent of the desktop on a computer. You can customise your Home screen with widgets, shortcuts, folders, themes, wallpaper and other items.

The four corners on the Home screen help you access applications or web page shortcuts quickly. The Home screen extends beyond the regular screen display width, so you need to flick left or right to view content in one of the screen's four extensions.




### To go to the Home screen

- Press .

### To browse the Home screen

- Flick right or left.

### To change your Home screen wallpaper

- 1 From your Home screen, press .
- 2 Tap **Wallpaper**, then select a wallpaper.

## Widgets

Widgets are small applications that you can use directly on your Home screen. For example, the **Music player** widget allows you to start playing music directly and the Sony Ericsson Timescape™ widget displays incoming messages.


## Application screen

The Application screen, which you open from your Home screen, contains the applications that come installed with your phone as well as the applications you download.

The Application screen extends beyond the regular screen width, so you need to flick left and right to view all content.

## To open the Application screen



- From your Home screen, tap .

## To open an application

- From your Home screen or the Application screen, tap the application.

## Applications

An application is a phone program that helps you perform a task. For example, there are applications to make calls, take photos and download more applications.

## Status and notifications

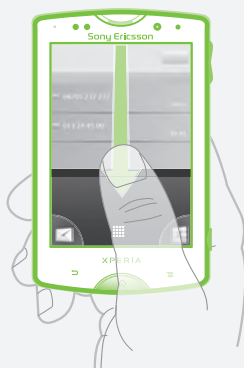
The status bar at the top of your screen shows what's going on in your phone. For example, new message and calendar notifications appear here.



## Checking notifications and ongoing activities

You can drag down the status bar to open the Notification panel and get more information. For example, open a new message or view a calendar event from the Notification panel. You can also open running applications, such as the music player.

## To open the Notification panel




- Drag the status bar downwards.

## Phone settings menu

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View and change your phone settings from the Settings menu.

### To access the phone settings



- 1 From the Home screen, tap .
- 2 Tap **Settings**.

## More basics

### Calling

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#### To make a call by dialling

- 1 From your Home screen, tap .
- 2 Find and tap **Phone**.
- 3 Enter the number of the recipient and tap **Call**. To delete a number, tap .

#### To end a call

- Tap **End call**.

#### To answer a call



- Drag  to the right across the screen.






#### To decline a call

- Drag  to the left across the screen.

### Multimedia and text messaging

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#### To create and send a message

- 1 From your Home screen, tap , then find and tap .
- 2 Tap **New message**.
- 3 Tap **Write message** and enter your message text.
- 4 To add a recipient, tap **Add recipient**, then select a contact or enter the full number manually.
- 5 If you want to add a media file, tap  and select an option.
- 6 If you want to add or remove recipients before sending the message, press . To add a recipient, tap **Add recipient**. To remove a recipient, tap **Edit recipients** and tap  next to a recipient field. When you are finished, tap **Done**.
- 7 To send the message, tap **Send**.

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# Explore more and get support



## Support in the phone

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### User guide

A full-length User guide is available in the support application in your phone and at [www.sonyericsson.com/support](http://www.sonyericsson.com/support).

### Support application

- User guide – read and search the User guide.
- Phone optimizer – enhance battery and software performance, and improve connectivity.
- Educate yourself – read tips and tricks, get the latest news, and watch how-to videos.
- Email support – send an email to our support team.
- Software updates – download the latest software.

### To access the support application

- 1 From your Application screen, find and tap .
- 2 Find and tap the required support item.

## Support on the web

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Visit [www.sonyericsson.com/support](http://www.sonyericsson.com/support) to access a range of support and get the most from your phone.

## Contact center

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Contact center – if all else fails. Access the relevant support number on the Sony Ericsson website by clicking the **Contact us** link at the bottom of the page.