

## Important Information

Before you use your device, please read the *Important Information* provided in your device regarding warranty, safety and handling information.

## Protecting your device from water and dust

Your device has IP (Ingress Protection) ratings of IP65 and IP68. These ratings mean that your device is dust tight and is protected against low pressure water stream as well as against the effects of submersion for 30 minutes in fresh (non-saline) water up to 1.5 metres deep.

Always firmly attach all covers to ensure the water and dust resistance of the device. If liquid is detected inside the device, for example, underneath one of the covers, your warranty will be void.

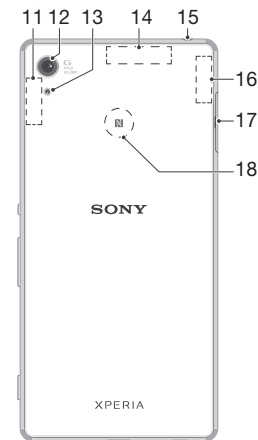
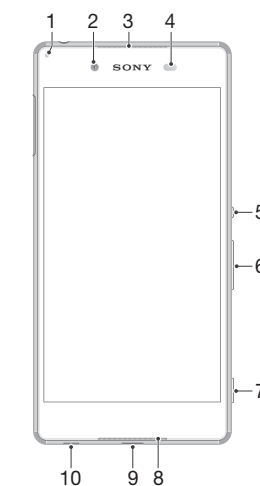
Before using your device in water and in dusty conditions, refer to the relevant section of the User guide for your device for more detailed information. An online User guide as well as a downloadable version is available at [www.sonymobile.com/support](http://www.sonymobile.com/support).

After using your device in water, wait for the USB port to dry before you insert a cable into the port.

## Protecting the screen

At purchase, there are two layers of plastic film on both the front and back of your device. You can peel off the outer, or disposable, layer of film on the front and back but do not peel off the inner, or second, layer of film. The second layer of film protects both sides of your device from damage and scratching. Only remove a sheet of protective film if you are replacing it with another.

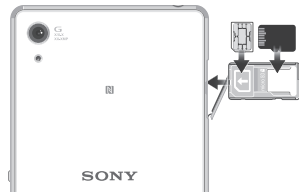
## Overview



1. Charging light/ Notification light
2. Front camera lens
3. Ear speaker
4. Proximity/Light sensor
5. Power key
6. Volume/Zoom key
7. Camera key
8. Speaker
9. Charger/USB cable port
10. Strap hole
11. Main Wi-Fi/Bluetooth antenna area
12. Main camera lens
13. Camera light
14. GPS antenna area
15. Headset jack
16. Second Wi-Fi antenna area
17. Nano SIM/Memory card slot cover
18. NFC™ detection area

## Assembly

Your device only supports nano SIM cards.



The nano SIM card and the memory card share the same holder but have separate slots in the holder. Make sure you don't confuse the two.

## To insert the nano SIM card

If you insert the nano SIM card while the device is powered on, the device restarts automatically.

- 1 Detach the cover for the nano SIM card and memory card slot.
- 2 Using a fingernail or other similar object, drag out the holder for the nano SIM card and memory card.
- 3 Place the nano SIM card in the nano SIM card slot in the holder, then re-insert the holder.
- 4 Re-attach the cover.

Make sure you re-insert the holder for the nano SIM card and memory card in the correct orientation. When you

drag out the holder to insert the nano SIM card, do not turn the holder around.

## To insert the memory card

- 1 Detach the cover for the nano SIM card and memory card slot.
- 2 Using a fingernail or other similar object, drag out the holder for the nano SIM card and memory card.
- 3 Place the memory card in the memory card slot in the holder, then re-insert the holder.
- 4 Re-attach the cover.

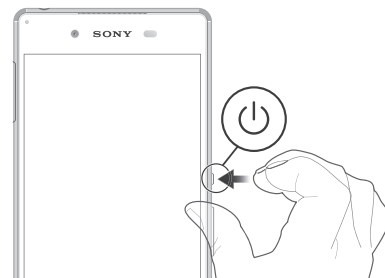
Make sure you re-insert the holder for the nano SIM card and memory card in the correct orientation. When you drag out the holder to insert the memory card, do not turn the holder around.

## Basics

### Turning on the device

Make sure that the battery is charged for at least 30 minutes before you turn on the device for the first time.

### To turn on the device



- 1 Press and hold down the power key until the device vibrates.
- 2 Wait a while for the device to start.

### Waking up the screen

#### To activate the screen

- Briefly press the power key.

### Setting up your device

#### Setup guide

The first time you start your device, a setup guide opens to help you configure basic settings, sign in to some accounts (for example, your Google™ account), and personalise your device. You can also manually access the setup guide at a later stage.

#### To access the setup guide manually

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

## Accessing settings

View and change settings for your device from the Settings menu. The Settings menu is accessible from both the Application screen and the Quick settings panel.

### To access your device settings

- 1 From your Home screen, tap .
- 2 Find and tap .

## Transferring your contacts

Xperia™ Transfer is an application that helps you to collect contacts from your old device and transfer them to your new device. Xperia™ Transfer, which you can access from within the PC Companion and the Sony Bridge for Mac computer programs, supports mobile devices that run on several operating systems, including iOS, Android™, Windows® and BlackBerry™.

To use Xperia™ Transfer, you need:

- An Internet-connected computer.
- A USB cable for your old device.
- A USB cable for your new Android™ device.
- Your old device.
- Your new Android™ device.

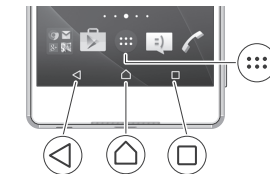
### To transfer contacts to your new device

- 1 Search and download PC Companion (on a PC) or Bridge for Mac (on a Mac computer) from [www.sonymobile.com](http://www.sonymobile.com) if the application is not already installed.
- 2 After successful installation, open the PC Companion application or the Sony Bridge for Mac application, then click *Xperia™ Transfer* and follow the relevant instructions to transfer your contacts.

## Finding your way



## Using the keys



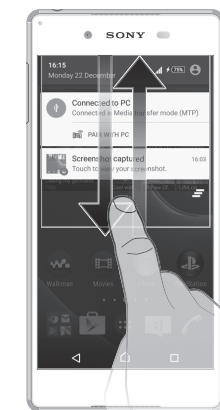
- ◀ Back navigation key
  - Go back to the previous screen within an application or close the application.
- 🏠 Home navigation key
  - Exit an application and go back to the Home screen.
- ☐ Task navigation key
  - Open the recently used applications window and the small apps bar.
- ⋮ Application screen
  - Open the Application screen.

## Basic applications and settings

- ☎ Make phone calls by dialling the number manually or by using the smart dial function.
- ✉ Use the Messaging application to send and receive text and multimedia messages.
- 📄 Go to Google Play™ to download free and paid applications for your device.
- ⚙ Optimise the device settings to suit your own requirements.

## Notifications and quick settings

### To open or close the Notification panel



- 1 To open the Notification panel, drag the status bar downwards.
- 2 To close the Notification panel, drag the panel upwards.

## Support on the web



Visit [www.sonymobile.com/support](http://www.sonymobile.com/support) to access a range of support options for your device, including downloads, troubleshooting tips and a User guide.

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### To view the CE mark and the FCC ID



- 1 Detach the cover for the nano SIM and memory card slot.
- 2 Place a fingernail under the right or left edge of the label tray, then drag the tray outwards. The CE mark and FCC ID are displayed on the tray.

### To view the regulatory compliance mark

- Open the phone dialer, then enter \*#07#.



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