# **OWNER'S MANUAL**

# **DRAFT**

DCT5260 SERIES (FCC ID: AMWUP300)

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# Welcome

Congratulations on your purchase of the Uniden DCT5260 series Multi Handset Cordless System telephone. This unit is different from conventional cordless telephones. When the base unit is connected to AC power and a telephone line, it can support up to 8 handsets. Using extra handsets, you can establish a 3-way conference (2 handsets and an outside line), while two other handsets are making an intercom call. You can now place a fully featured cordless handset anywhere in your home or office where AC power is available to connect the handset chargers.

Note: Some illustrations in this manual may differ from the actual unit for explanation purposes.



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# Features

- 2.4 GHz Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum
- Multi Handset Expandability (Max 8 handsets)
- Hands Free Speakerphone in the Handset
- Call Waiting Deluxe
- Caller ID on Call Waiting
- Dynamic Memory Location for Caller ID Messages and Phonebook Locations (up to 100 numbers in total)
- Trilingual Language Option
- 6 Hour Talk Time
- 14 Day Standby Battery Life
- 4-Line, 16 Character Backlit Handset Display/Backlit Handset Key
- Intercom/Call Transfer
- 32 Digit Redial / 3 Last Number Redial Locations (handset only)
- 16 Distinctive Ring Options (8 ringers and 8 melodies)
- Mute Feature
- Flash and Pause
- Find Handset

- Hearing Aid Compatible
- Tone/Pulse Dialing
- Handset Earpiece, Handset Speaker, and Ringer Volume Control
- 88 Channel Auto Scan
- DirectLink Mode
- Voice Mail Access
- Banner Display
- Battery Level Indicator
- Clock Display
- Call Timer
- 3-way Conference Operation

The DCT5260 series features include  $AutoTalk^{\text{TM}}$  and  $AutoStandby^{\text{TM}}$ . AutoTalk allows you to answer a call by just removing the handset from the base so you don't have to waste time pushing buttons. AutoStandby allows you to hang up by simply returning the handset to the base.

To protect you against mis-billed calls, which might result from your phone being activated by other equipment, the DCT5260 series has *Random Code*™ digital security, which automatically selects one of over approx. 130,000 digital security codes for the handset and base.

Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS) technology improves calling range and clarity, and eliminates cross talk. Because it rapidly changes transmission frequencies within the 2.4 GHz badwidth, this cordless phone helps reduce the possibility of eavesdropping.

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#### Step 1 Charging the Battery

#### INSTALL THE HANDSET BATTERY





2 Install the battery supplied with your phone. Check for correct + - polarity.

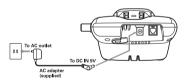


Replace the cover.



#### PLUG INTO AC POWER

Plug the AC adapter cord into the base unit and then to a 120V AC outlet.



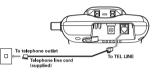
Place the handset in the base.

Note: You must charge the battery pack continuously for 15-20 hours before using the phone.

#### Step 2 Connecting

#### CONNECT TO A PHONE LINE

When the handset battery pack is fully charged, plug the telephone cord into the base unit and then into a telephone wall jack.



Your phone is set for tone dialing. If your local network requires pulse dialing, please see "Dial Mode Setting" on page 24.

#### Step 3 Using the Phone

#### TO ADJUST HANDSET RINGER



- Press the **MENU** soft key in the standby mode.
- Press ▲ or ▼ to select "Handset Setup", then the OK soft key.
- Press ▲ or ▼ to select "Ringer Volume", then the OK soft key.
- Press ▲ or ▼ to select a ringer setting, then the **OK** soft key.

#### TO MAKE A CALL



- Press talk/flash and listen for the dial tone.
- Dial the desired number (for phonebook dial feature, see "Phonebook" on page 33 in the owner's manual.
- Press end or return the handset to the base.

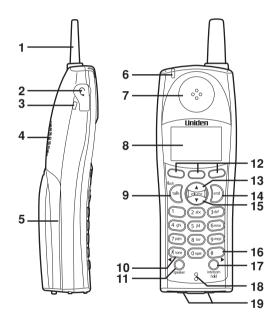
#### TO ANSWER A CALL

Press **talk/flash** and speak. Adjust handset volume louder or softer.

Louder - press volume ▲
Softer - press volume ▼

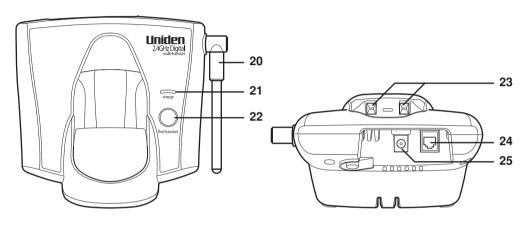
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# Controls and Functions

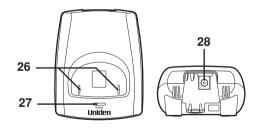


- 1. Handset Antenna
- 2. Headset Jack Cover
- 3. Beltclip Hole
- 4. Hands Free Speaker
- 5. Handset Battery Compartment
- 6. Voice Mail LED
- 7. Handset Earpiece
- 8. LCD Display
- 9. Talk/flash Key
- 11. Speaker Key
- 12. Soft Keys
- 13. ▲ (up)/Volume Key
- 14. End Key
- 15. ▼ (down)/Volume Key
- 16. #/▶ Key
- 17. Intercom/hold Key
- 18. Handset Microphone
- 19. Handset Charging Contacts

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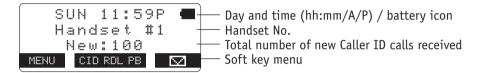


- 20. Base Antenna
- 21. Charge LED
- 22. Find handset Key
- 23. Base Charging Contacts
- 24. Telephone Line Jack
- 25. DC Power Input
- 26. Charging Contacts (DCT5260-2 only)
- 27. Charge LED (DCT5260-2 only)
- 28. DC Power Input (DCT5260-2 only)

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# Display and Icons

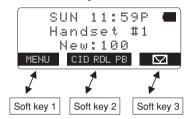
Example of the standby mode display



ICON	DESCRIPTION
OFF	Ringer off icon indicates that ringer is set to off.
M	Mute icon appears when you mute the handset.
	Battery icons indicate the handset battery status. This icon cycles depends on the battery status (empty, low, medium, and full).  [X] indicates that the battery inserted is not available to the phone.
리	Speaker icon appears when the handset speaker phone is used.
	Voice mail soft key is used to access the voice mail.  (You will need to program the voice mail number to use this feature)

# About Soft Key Function

In the standby mode



In the Talk mode



Soft key function consists of soft key icons and soft keys (No.1, 2, and 3). Each soft key correspond to the icon displayed above, and each icon will be changed depending on the operation. Press the corresponding soft key to enter a menu, select an item, or make your selection. In this manual, we refer to this combination of icons and keys as the soft key.

For example, you will use the soft keys when you want to:

- Set up CIDCW options
- Access Caller ID messages stored
- Store or edit phone numbers
- Redial the last numbers dialed from the handset
- Register an extra handset
- etc....

# Terminology

Throughout this manual, terms such as Standby and Talk Mode are used. Below is the terminology explanation.

**Standby Mode** - The handset is not in use, is off the base, and *talk/flash* or *speaker* has not been pressed. A dial tone is not present.

**Talk Mode** - The handset is not in the base and **talk/flash** or **speaker** has been pressed enabling a dial tone. "Talk" appears on the display.

ABOUT SOFT KEY FUNCTION [9]

# Read this First

This cordless telephone must be set up before use. Follow these steps:

# Step 1 (page 11)

Unpack the telephone and accessories.

### Step 2 (page 12)

Next, choose the best location to set up the base unit.

# **Step 3** (page 13 to 15)

Then, insert the battery pack into the handset. Connect the base unit. You must charge the battery pack for 15-20 hours before plugging into the phone line and using the phone. Then set the dial mode.

# Step 4 (page 16 to 25)

Finally, set the menu. You can set, for example clock, CIDCW setting, area code, and Autotalk from the menu.

### About the digital security code

This cordless telephone uses a digital security code to prevent unauthorized access to your base unit. This security code prevents other cordless handsets from making calls through your base unit. If you want to change the security code, see page 51.

# Checking the Package Contents

Make sure you have received the following items in the package. If any of these items are missing or damaged, contact the Uniden Parts Department.

- Base unit (1)
- Handset [DCT5260 (1) / DCT5260-2 (2)\*]
- AC adapter [DCT5260 (1) / DCT5260-2 (2)\*]
- Rechargeable battery [DCT5260 (1) / DCT5260-2 (2)\*]
- Telephone cord (1)
- Beltclip [DCT5260 (1) / DCT5260-2 (2)]
- Charger (1) [DCT5260-2 only]

#### Also included:

- This Owner's Manual
- Other Printed Material
- \* For operations and restrictions on using multi handsets, read "Expanding your phone" on page 46.

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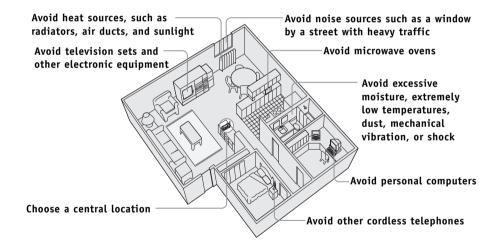
# Setting up the Phone

# Do the following steps:

- A. Choose the best location
- C. Connect the base unit
- B. Install the battery pack
- D. Choose the dialing mode

### A. Choose the best location

Before choosing a location for your new phone, read "Installation Considerations" on page 58. Here are some important guidelines you should consider:



# B. Install the battery pack

Charge the battery pack for at least 15-20 hours before plugging the phone line into your base unit.

- 1) Press down on the battery cover release and slide the cover down until it comes off.
- 2) Install the batteries supplied with your phone observing correct + polarity.

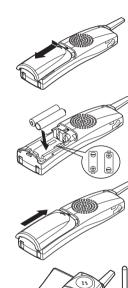
If you put any battery which is not available to the phone, "use rechargeable battery only" appears on the display.

- 3) Securely close the battery compartment cover by sliding it up until it snaps into place.
- 4) Place the handset in the charging cradle with the keypad facing up.

# Battery use time (per charge)

Fully charged (15-20 hours charge time)

- 6 hours continuous use
- 14 days when the handset is in the standby mode





- Use only the Uniden battery (BT-xxx) supplied with your phone. Replacement batteries are also available through the Uniden Parts Department. (See page 11.)
- Recharge your phone on a regular basis by returning the handset to the base after each phone call.

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# Low battery alert

When the batteries are very low and need to be charged, the phone is programmed to eliminate functions in order to save power.

The battery pack needs to be charged when:

- The battery icon  $\square$  appears.
- "Low Battery" appears on the LCD, or a beep tone sounds.

Low Battery

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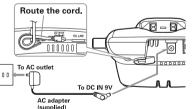
If the phone is in the standby mode, none of keys will operate. If you are making a call, complete your conversation as quickly as possible, and return the handset to the base.

Cleaning the battery charging contacts
To maintain a good charge, it is important to
clean the charging contacts on both the handset
and the base unit once a month. Use a dry
cloth or pencil eraser to clean. If the contacts
become very dirty, use water only, dampen a
cloth to clean the charging contacts. Then make
sure to go back over the charging contacts with
a dry cloth before returning the handset to the
base to charge.

#### C. Connect the base unit

- 1) Connect the AC adapter to the DC IN 9V jack and to a standard 120V AC wall outlet.
- 2) Set the base on a desk or tabletop, and place the handset in the base unit as shown.





3) Make sure the charge LED illuminates. If the LED does not illuminate, check to see that the AC adapter is plugged in and that the handset makes good contact with the base charging contacts.



- Use only the supplied AD-xxx AC adapter.
  Do not use any other AC adapter.
- Connect the AC adapter to a continuous power supply.
- Place the base unit close to the AC outlet so that you can unplug the AC adapter easily.



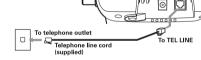
After installing the battery pack in the handset, charge your handset at least 15-20 hours before plugging into the phone line. Once the handset battery pack is fully charged, connect the telephone line cord to the base and telephone wall outlet.

4) Connect the telephone line cord to the TEL LINE jack and to a telephone outlet once the handset is fully charged.



If your telephone outlet isn't modular type, contact your telephone company for assistance.





# D. Choose the dialing mode

Most phone systems use tone dialing, which sends DTMF tones through the phone lines. However some phone systems still use pulse dialing such as in rural areas. The default setting is tone dialing. Depending on your dialing system, set the mode. To set up the dial mode, see page 24.



- If you are not sure of your dialing system, set the unit to tone dialing. Make a trial call. If the call connects, leave the setting as is, otherwise set the unit to pulse dialing.
- If your phone system requires pulse dialing and you need to send DTMF tones in certain situations during a call, you may "switch-over" to tone dialing. (Refer to "Tone Dialing Switch-over" on page 30.)

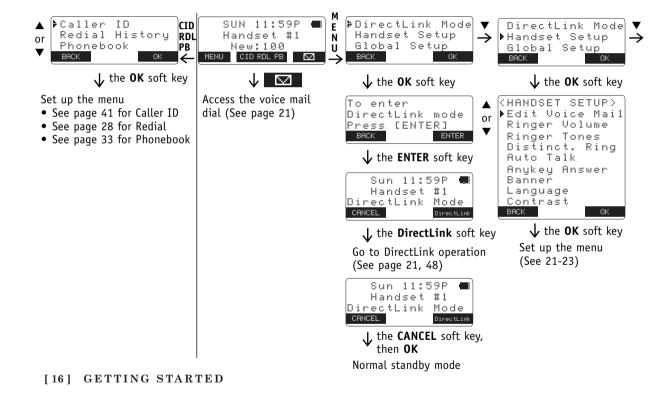


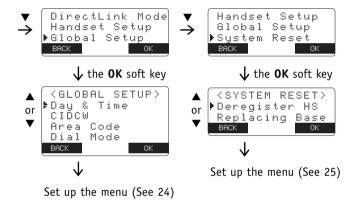
Place the power cord so that it does not create a trip hazard or where it could become chafed and create a fire or electrical hazard.

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# DCT5260 Flow Chart

• From the standby mode





#### • From the Talk mode



- Press the **MUTE** soft key to mute a call.
- Press the MENU soft key to view Caller ID list, Redial history, and phonebook locations.
- Press the CWDX soft key to use CWDX feature.

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# About Menu

Most of the handset settings are set from Menu. Menu has 4 main menus (DirectLink Mode, Handset Setup, Global Setup, and System Reset) and submenus respectively.

# Summary of the Main Menu and Submenu

#### DIRECTLINK MODE

Select this menu to enter the handset into directlink mode. If you have 2 or more handsets, a pair of handsets works as transceivers. To use this feature, you must set the two handsets to the DirectLink mode first (see page 21).



This menu is only apply when you have 2 or more handsets.

### **HANDSET SETUP**

This is the menu for setting specific to the handset. All settings must be set separately for each handset.

Submenu name	Description
Edit Voice mail	Program or delete the voice mail access number (see page 21).
Ringer Volume	Adjust the ringer volume (see page 21).
Ringer Tone	Adjusting the ringer tone (see page 22).
Distinct. Ring (Distinctive ring)	Set the Distinctive ring (see page 22). "Distinctive Ringer" allows you to preset memory locations with a designated ring tone. When an incoming call is received and the Caller ID information matches the information in one of the memory locations, the Distinctive Ring that has been stored for that particular Caller will sound.  If you have set multiple memory locations with distinctive rings, switching the setting to "Distinctive Off" will result in no distinctive ringing. All incoming calls will have a normal ring tone. Switching to "Distinctive On" will activate all programmed distinctive ring memory locations.

Submenu name	Description
AutoTalk	Allows you to answer the phone without pressing <i>talk/flash</i> or <i>speaker</i> . When the AutoTalk is set to On, simply remove the handset from the base and the phone automatically answers the call (see page 22).
Anykey Answer	Allow you to answer the phone without pressing <i>talk/flash</i> or <i>speaker</i> . When the Anykey Answer is On, you can answer a call by pressing any number key, <i>X</i> / <i>tone</i> / ◀, or #/▶ on the handset. (see page 22).
Banner	Customize the name of your handset, and display it in the LCD in the standby mode. For example, you can name the handset "MAM" (see page 23).
Language	Language option can be used to choose the language of your display. You can select from English, French, or Spanish (see page 23).
Contrast	Adjust the handset LCD brightness for better viewing (10 levels). (see page 23)

# **GLOBAL SETUP**

This is the menu for global settings. If you change the setting in one of the handsets, you change settings for all handset(s). Only one handset can change a setting at a time.



Make sure the line is not used, and the handset is within the range limit of the base.

Submenu name	Description
Day and time	Set the day and time of your display (see page 24).
CIDCW	Set the Caller ID on Call Waiting (CIDCW) setting. CIDCW performs the same as regular Caller ID on call waiting number (see page 24). CW Deluxe allows you to handle call waiting calls in seven different ways (see page 45).
Area Code	Store or edit the area code. If you enter a 3-digit area code number in the "Area Code" option, your local area code does not appear in Caller ID message. For calls received from outside your local area code, you will see a full 10-digit number. (see page 24).  Note: If your calling area requires 10-digit dialing, do not program this option.
Dial Mode	Set the dial mode to tone or pulse (see page 24)

#### SYSTEM RESET

This menu is used to clear the handset ID from the base, or the base ID from the base.

Submenu name	Description
Deregister HS	Clear the handset ID from the base. Use this menu, for example when you change the digital security code (see page 25).
Replacing Base	Clear the base ID. Use this menu, for example, if you replace the base of the same model. (see page 25).

# Setting up the Menu

#### How to Use the Menu Function

- 1) Press the **MENU** soft key in the standby mode.
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to a desired main menu (DirectLink Mode, Handset Setup, Global Setup, and System Reset).
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key to enter the submenu. To return to the previous menu screen, press the BACK soft key.

In the submenu,  $\triangle$  or  $\nabla$  is used to select an item. Press the the **OK** soft key to confirm your setting.

To return to the main menu, press the BACK soft key. For detailed instructions, see the following sections for the desired submenu.

- 4) To exit the menu, press end.
  - If any of the following occurs during the menu operation, the operation will be cancelled.

  - Press talk/flash or speaker.
    Charge the handset.

  - Receive an outside/intercom call or page.
     If the handset remains idle for 30 seconds, the phone will return to the standby mode.







#### DIRECTLINK MODE

#### Using the DirectLink Mode

- In the DirectLink Mode menu, press the ENTER soft key to enter the DirectLink mode. You will hear a confirmation tone.
- To back to the normal mode, exit the DirectLink mode.
   To exit the DirectLink mode, press the CANCEL soft key, then the OK soft key, or return the handset to the cradle.

# To enter DirectLink mode Press [ENTER] BACK ENTER

#### HANDSET SETUP

# Programming your Voice Mail Access Number

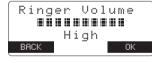
- 1) Enter the "Edit Voice Mail" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20)
- Enter your personal access number using the number keypad (0-9), \*/tone/ ◀, #/▶, or the DELETE soft key.
- Edit V\_mail No. 1234567890# DELETE PAUSE OK
- 3) Press the  ${\bf 0K}$  soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone and "Done!" appears.

To delete the current Voice Mail Access Number, delete all numbers in Step 2 using the **DELETE** soft key and press the **OK** soft key.

## Setting a Ringer Volume

- 1) Enter the "Ringer Volume" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to adjust the ringer settings (Ringer volume Off, Ringer volume Low, or Ringer volume High).

  You will hear a ringer or melody at the selected volume (if you select "Ringer volume Off", no ringer or melody will sound).



3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.

note

If you select "Ringer volume off", icon appears on the display.

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### Selecting a Ringer Tone

1) Enter the "Ringer Tone" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).

You can choose from 8 ringers or 8 melodies:

- Ringers [Flicker, Clatter, Soft Alert, Wake Up, Light Bug, Beep Boop, Tone Board, Chip Chop]
- Melodies [Beethoven's Symphony#9 (Beethoven9),
   For Elise (Elise), We wish a Merry Christmas (Merry-Xmas), Home Sweet Home (Hm Swt Hm),
   Lorri Song#6 (Lorri Song), When the Irish eyes are smiling (Irish eyes), Oura Lee, Let me call you sweet heart (Sweetheart)]
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer. You will hear the ringer of melody as you scroll through the options.
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.



If you set the ringer to Off, the ringer tone will not sound.

## Distinctive Ringer Setup

- Enter the "Distinct. Ring" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to select "On" or "Off".
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.

## Setting the AutoTalk

- 1) Enter the "Auto Talk" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to change the selection, "On" or "Off".
- Press the **OK** soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.

Ringer Tones ⊧Flicker Clatter Soft Alert Wake Up Light Bug Beep Boop Tone Board Chip Chop Beethoven9 Elise Merry-Xmas Hm Swt Hm Lorri Song Irish Eyes Aura Lee Sweetheart





### Setting the Anykey Answer

- 1) Enter the "Any Answer" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to change the selection, "On" or "Off".
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.

### Setting the Banner

- 1) Enter the "Banner" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Use the number keypad (0-9),  $\frac{1}{2}$ /tone/ $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ , or the **DELETE** soft key to enter the name.
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.

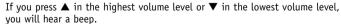
To delete the current banner, press the **DELETE** soft key and then press the **OK** soft key.

### Selecting a Language

- 1) Enter the "Language" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to choose English, French (Français), or Spanish (Español).
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.

### Setting the LCD Contrast Setting

- 1) Enter the "Contrast" submenu of the "Handset Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to adjust the contrast of the LCD (10 levels).
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.





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• Off BACK





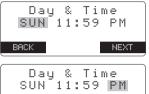
#### **GLOBAL SETUP**

#### Setting Day and Time

- Enter the "Day & Time" submenu of the "Global Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to select the day, then press the **OK** soft key.
- 3) Press the number keypad (*0-9*) to change the time, then press the **OK** soft key.
- 4) Press ▲ or ▼ to choose "AM" or "PM", then press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.

#### CIDCW setting

- Enter the "CIDCW" submenu of the "Global Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to select "CW On/CWDX On", "CW On/CWDX Off", or "CW Off/CWDX Off", then press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.





BACK

### Area Code setting

- 1) Enter the "Area Code" submenu of the "Global Setup" menu (see page 20).
- 2) Press the number keypad (**0-9**) to enter a 3-digit area code.
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.



When the area code has already been stored in memory, the stored area code will be displayed. To change it, use the **DELETE** soft key and number keys to enter the new area code.

## Dial Mode setting

- Enter the "Dial Mode" submenu of the "Global Setup" menu (see page 20).
- Press ▲ or ▼ to change the selection, "Tone" or "Pulse" (The initial setting is Tone).
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.



# SYSTEM RESET De-register HS

- 1) Enter the "Deregister HS" submenu of the "System Setup" menu (see page 20).
- Press ▲ or ▼ to select the handset to be de-registered from the list.
- 3) Press the  ${\bf 0K}$  soft key and you will hear a confirmation tone.

Are you sure to deregister Handset #1?

Which Handset? Handset #1

When de-registration is complete, "Deregistration Complete!" appears, and the handset returns to the standby mode.

### Replacing base setting

 Enter the "Deregister HS" submenu of the "System Setup" menu (see page 20). "Do you want to replace Base?" appears.



2) Press the **OK** soft key. The base information will be deleted.

When replacing the base is complete, "Please Register" appears, register the handset(s) to the new base (see page 47).



- To set "Autotalk" or "Anykey Answer" ⇒ see page 22.
- The handset microphone is located at the bottom of the handset (see "Controls and Functions" on page 6). Position yourself as near to the handset as possible and speak clearly.
- If the line is used by DCT5260 or DCX520 handsets, "Line in use" appears in another idle handsets display.
- Only one handset can make an outside call at a time.

# Making and Receiving Calls

On the handset, you may also use the speakerphone while talking to an outside call. Using the handset speakerphone is called "hands-free conversation". This feature allows you to easily communicate while performing other tasks, such as cooking.

¶ appears during hands-free conversation.

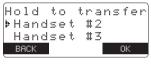
You can easily switch a call from normal conversation to "hands-free conversation". To switch a call, press **speaker** during the call.

	From the Handset				
	Normal conversation	Hands-free conversation			
To answer a call	Handset On the Base Pick up the handset (AutoTalk) or pick up the handset and press talk/flash.				
	Handset Off the Base Press any number key, */tone/◀, or #/▶ (Any Key Answer), or press talk/flash.	Handset Off the Base Press <i>speaker</i> .			
To make a call	Handset Off the Base  1) Press talk/flash.  2) Listen for the dial tone.  3) Dial the number.  OR  Dial the number, then press talk/flash.  Note: If a call is not established, ye				
<del>-</del> -	and "Unavailable" will appear in the display.				
To hang up	Press <b>end</b> , or return the handset to	the base (AutoStandby).			
To enter a pause within the dialing sequence	When you dial the number, press the <b>PAUSE</b> soft key. "P" appears in the display, which represents a pause.				

# Holding a Call



- While an outside line is on hold, "Line on Hold press talk key for call" appears on the idle handset(s).
  You can hold a call for 5 minutes, when 5 minutes passed, the call is disconnected and the phone return to the standby.
- If another handset(s) make a call, holding operation is canceled.
- While holding a call, CIDCW can not be received.
- 1) During a call, press intercom/hold.
- 2) After 10 seconds has passed or press end, the call will be put on hold.
- 3) To talk to the caller, press talk/flash or speaker on a handset. The phone will back to the call.







- If the number exceeds 32 digits. only the first 32 digits are retained in redial memory.
- If the redial memory is empty, you will hear a beep.

# Redialing a Call

The last three phone numbers dialed can be quickly redialed.

## Redialing from Standby Mode

- 1) Press the CID RDL PB soft key in the standby mode.
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to select "Redial History", then press the **OK** soft key. The phone number that was last dialed appears on the display.
- 3) Press ▲ or ▼ to toggle through last three phone numbers dialed.
- 4) Press talk/flash. The selected number is dialed.
- 5) To hang up, press end.



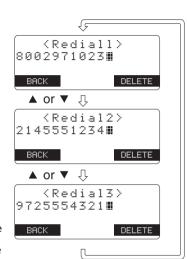
- If you have not pressed any key for 30 seconds, the phone returns to the standby mode.
  If you press *end*, the operation is canceled and the phone will return to the standby mode.

# Redialing from Talk Mode

- 1) Press the **MENU** soft key during a call.
- 2) Select the number you dialed by following steps 2-3 in "Redialing from the standby mode". To go back a call, press the **BACK** soft key.
- 3) Press the **DIAL** soft key
- 4) To hang up, press end.

# Deleting a Redial Record

- 1) In the standby mode, while the desired name appears, press the **DELETE** soft key.
- 2) Press the **OK** soft key and the redialed number is deleted.



# Ringer Mute (temporarily)

You can temporarily mute the ringer tone. When the handset is off the base and the phone is ringing, press **end**. The ringer tone will return to the previous setting starting with the next incoming call.

# Adjusting the Earpiece and Handset Speaker Volume

You can select different volume levels for the handset earpiece and the handset speaker (6 levels: Low to Max). The volume can only be adjusted during a call. Press  $\triangle$  or  $\nabla$  to select the volume settings. When you hang up, the phone keeps the last volume setting selected.



If you press  $\blacktriangle$  in the maximum volume level or  $\blacktriangledown$  in the lowest volume level, you will hear a beep.

# Mute Microphone

You can temporarily turn Off the microphone so that the person you are talking with cannot hear you.

During a telephone call press the **MUTE** soft key to turn Off the microphone, and "Mute" appears in the display. Press the **MUTE** OFF soft key to cancel muting.



If you press *end* to cancel muting, the call is disconnected and the phone will return to the standby mode.

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- The tone feature only applies when the dial mode is set to pulse.
- This special number can be stored in a memory location.
   This is referred to as Chain Dialing. (See page 40.)

# Tone Dialing Switch-over

Some telephone companies use equipment that requires pulse dialing (sometimes referred to as rotary dialing). If you need to enter tone dialing digits, you can switch-over to tone dialing during the call. For example, entering your bank account number after you have called your bank.

Initially make your call with the pulse dialing mode. Once your call connects, press  $\mathscr{K}/tone/\blacktriangleleft$ . Enter the desired number. These digits will be sent as tone dialing. Once the call ends, the tone mode is canceled and pulse dialing mode resumes.



# Traveling Out-of-Range

During a call, as you begin to move your handset too far from your base unit, noise increases. If you pass the range limits of the base unit, you will hear a beep and "Out of Range" appears, then the handset return to the standby mode within 5 seconds. You may back to the call, if you move your handset within the range limits of the base, you can return the call by pressing talk/flash or speaker shortly.

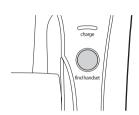
# Clarity Booster

If you encounter interference while using your phone, you can manually improve the sound quality for clear operation. This works only when the phone is in use.

- 1) Press MENU.
- 2) Select "Booster On", then **OK**. "Clarity Booster" appears in the display. To turn off the booster, press **MENU**. Select "Booster Off", then **OK** again.

To locate the handset, press *find handset* on the base when the base is in the standby mode. The handset beeps for 60 seconds, and "Paging" appears on the handset display.

Paging is canceled when pressing the **STOP** soft key or any key on the handset or *find handset* on the base. Additionally, if you receive an outside/intercom call or intercom, page is canceled.



• If the handset batteries are completely drained, the handset will not beep when paging.

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Flash and Call Waiting

If you have Call Waiting service and a call waiting tone sounds while you are on a call, press *talk/flash* to accept the waiting call. There is a short pause, then you will hear the new caller. To return to the original caller, press *talk/flash* again.



• You must subscribe through your local telephone company to receive Call Waiting Service. RASIC

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You must subscribe to voice mail service from your telephone company in order to use this feature. The voice mail service company will provide you with the access number.

# Using One Touch Voice Mail Access

If you subscribe to voice mail service, you can use your phone to access your voice mailbox. The **voice mail** LED flashes whenever you have messages waiting in your voice mailbox. Just program the handset with your access number and you can get your messages at the touch of a button. (The voice mail service provider will supply you with the access number. This number may be simply a phone number. Refer to the provider's literature.)

- To program your Voice Mail Access Number ⇒ See page 21.
- To delete your Voice Mail Access Number ⇒ See page 21.

# Dialing your Voice Mail Service

Once you've programmed your personal access number, you can dial your mailbox with the touch of a button. When you have messages, simply pick up the handset and press the soft key. If you have not entered the access number or it has been deleted, when you press the soft key, you will hear a beep and the phone returns to the standby mode.

### **Voice Mail Access**

The voice mail LED on the handset is designed to work with your voice mail service provided by your local telephone company. The LED flashes when you have new incoming messages in the voice mail service.

You may need to occasionally reset the indicators if they remain On after you've retrieved your messages. To reset the indicators, when the phone is in the standby mode press and hold *find handset* on the base until the paging sound stops (about 5 seconds).

# Phonebook

Phonebook allows you to dial a number using just a few key presses. Your phone stores names/numbers in the phonebook memory location, and you can search names in alphabetical order. You have a total of 100 locations that can be used for the phonebook (including the Speed dials) and Caller ID messages.

If any of the following occurs during a phonebook operation, the operation will be canceled.
 -Press end. The phone will return to the standby mode (or the call will be disconnected).



- -Press *talk/flash* or *speaker*. -Receive an outside/intercom call or page.
- -Charge the handset
- -Receive a CIDCW (Caller ID on Call Waiting) (during a call only).
- If the handset remains idle for 30 seconds, the phone will return to the standby mode (or back to the call).

# Storing Phone Numbers, Names, Distinctive Rings, and Speed Dial

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, press the CID RDL PB soft key.
- 2) Press ▲ or ▼ to move pointer to "Phonebook", then press **OK** soft key. The handset displays the following items:
  (1st line) The number of the phonebook locations used
  (2nd line) How to search (press the number keypad, ▲ or ▼)
  (3rd line) How to enter the storing operation (press the **STORE** soft key)
  (4th line) The **BACK** and the **STORE** soft keys.

Phonebook :100 Search [A-Z/†/↓] Store [STORE]



- When the memory is full, you will hear a beep and "Memory Full" appears. You cannot store names and numbers.
- The pause key counts as one digit. Pressing the PAUSE soft key more than once increases the length of pause between numbers.
- Selecting a speed dial location where a number is already stored, release the old number's speed dial setting. New number will be stored in the speed dial location.

- 3) Press the **STORE** soft key, "Store/Edit Name" appears.
- 4) Enter the name (up to 16 characters) by using the number keypad. (See the "Steps for entering names and special characters" on page 35).

If a name is not required, go to step 5. <No Name> will be stored as the name.

- 5) Press the **OK** soft key to store the name, "Store/Edit No." appears.
- Press the number keypad to enter the phone number (up to 20 digits), press the **OK** soft key to store the number.
- 7) "Distinctive Ring" appears. Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to one of the Distinctive Ring options, then press the **OK** soft key.

note If you choose not to store a "Distinctive Ring", simply select the "No Selectn" option.

8) "Speed Dial" appears. Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to select the Speed dial location (10 locations: SPD1-SPD0).

If you choose not to store the name/number as a Speed Dial, simply select the "No Selector" option.

9) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone and "Done!" appears on the display.







Speed Dial DNo Selectn SPD1:(Empty) BACK

Speed Dial No Selectn >SPD1:(Empty) BACK

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# Steps for Entering Names and Special Characters

Refer to the letters on the number keys to select the desired characters. With each press of a number key (0-9), the displayed character appears in the following order: Upper case letters first, lower case letters next and finally the number corresponding to the key.

	Number of times key is pressed								
keys	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1								
2abc	Œ	В	C	a	Ь	C	2		
3def	D	E	F	d	⊜	f	3		
(4ghi)	G	Н	I	9	h	i	4		
5jkl	۳.,	K	L	j	k	1	5		
6mno	M	М	0	m	n	0	6		
7pqrs	P	Q	R	5	FF.	q	F"	s	7
8tuv	<b>-</b>	J	Ų	t	u	V	8		
9wxyz	W	Х	Υ	Z	W	×	У	Z	9
(Ooper)	*	#		8	(	)	(blank)	0	



If the next character uses the same number key, you must press #/\rightarrow to move the cursor over. Otherwise the next time you press the number key, it changes the character that was previously set.

#### If you make a mistake while entering a name

Use \*/tone/ or #/ to move the cursor to the incorrect character.

Press the **DELETE** soft key to erase the wrong character, then enter the correct character. To delete all characters, press and hold the **DELETE** soft key.

For example, to enter **John**:

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, recall the "Phonebook" menu by following step1-2 in the "Storing Phone Numbers, Names, Distinctive Rings, and Speed Dial" on page 33.
- 2) Press the **STORE** soft key, "Stone/Edit Name" appears.
- 3) Press 5 once.
- 4) Press 6 six times.
- 5) Press 4 five times.
- 6) Press 6 five times.
- 7) When finished, press the **OK** soft key.

To continue to store the telephone number, proceed to step 6 on page 34.

# Viewing the Phonebook

Your phone stores names/numbers in the phonebook memory locations, and you can search names in alphabetical order. You can view the phonebook even while the phone is in use.

- 1) Press the **CID RDL PB** soft key. (or the **MENU** soft key during a call).
- Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to "Phonebook", then press the **OK** soft key.

If you recall the phonebook during a call, the following screen appears.

Phonebook :100 Search [A-Z/†/↓] Store [STORE]

Phonebook :100 Search [A-Z/↑/↓]

BACK

3) Press ▲ or ▼, or the number keypad to scroll through the phonebook locations. Phonebook locations appear in alphabetical order (from first to last when you press ▼, from last to first when you press ▲).

Or, refer to the letters on the number keys to select the first letter of the desired name. (See the table in "Steps for Entering Names and Special Characters" on page 35). Press a number key (2-9 and 0) once for the first letter, press twice for the second letter, and so on. The first location that begins with the letter you entered appears.

For example, to search for "John", press  $\mathbf{5}$  once. Press  $\mathbf{\Delta}$  or  $\mathbf{\nabla}$  until the phonebook location is displayed.

4) To finish the viewing operation, press the **BACK** soft key (if you view the phonebook during a call) or **end**.



"/SPDn" appears when you view a speed dial.

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# Making Calls Using the Phonebook

### From Standby Mode

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, view the phonebook location to dial. (see "Viewing the Phonebook" on page 37).
- 2) Press talk/flash or speaker. The displayed number is dialed.
- 3) To hang up press end.

### From Talk Mode

- 1) Press talk/flash or speaker.
- 2) View the phonebook location to dial. (see "Viewing the Phonebook" on page 37).
- Press the **DIAL** soft key. The number in the displayed phonebook location is dialed.
- 4) To hang up press end.

# Speed Dialing

If you store a phone number in a speed dial memory location (10 locations: SPD1 - SPD0), you can use the speed dialing feature. When the phone is in the standby mode, press and hold a number key (*0-9*) associated with the speed dial. The number stored in the speed dial (SPD1 - SPD0) is dialed.

# Editing or Erasing a Stored Name, Phone Number, Distinctive Ring, and Speed Dial

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, press the **CID RDL PB** soft key.
- Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to "phonebook", then press the OK soft key.
- Press ▲ or ▼, or the number keypad to view the phonebook locations (see "Viewing the Phonebook" on page 37).

### a. Editing the Stored Data

- When the phonebook location to be edited appears, press the EDIT soft key. "Store/Edit Name" appears.
- 2) Follow the steps 4 to 8 under "Storing Phone Numbers, Names, Distinctive Rings, and Speed Dial" on page 34 to complete the editing operation.
- 3) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.

### b. Deleting the Stored Data

- 1) When the phonebook location to be deleted appears, press the **DELETE** soft key. "Delete Memory?" appears.
- 2) Press ▲ to move the pointer to "Yes".
- Press the **OK** soft key. You hear a confirmation tone. "Deleted!" appears in the display.



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# Chain Dialing

The memory locations in the handset are not limited to phone numbers. You can also store a group of numbers (up to 20 digits), that you need to enter once your call connects. This is referred to as Chain Dialing.

An example of this is a bank account number. Store a special number in the phonebook location (refer to "Storing Phone Numbers, Names, Distinctive Rings and Speed Dial" on page 33). Once you have called your bank, and when you are prompted to enter the account number, just as you do when viewing the phonebook location, view the special number, then press the **OK** soft key.

### Caller ID

### You must subscribe to Caller ID service to use this feature.

When the telephone rings, the Caller ID feature allows you to view the caller's name and phone number on the display before you answer the phone. Additionally, you can dial the displayed number and store the information for memory dialing. Make sure you have turned on the CIDCW feature. (See page 24.)

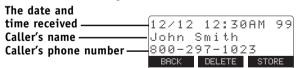
### Important:

Memory locations for Caller ID messages and Phonebook locations (including Speed Dials) are common, you can store up to 100 in total. A Caller ID message is not stored when you have stored 100 of the phonebook locations. The earliest Caller ID message is overwritten when you have stored 100 of the phonebook locations and Caller ID messages in total.

- If any of the following occurs during Caller ID operation, the operation will be canceled.
- -Press *end*. The phone will return to the standby mode (or the call will be disconnected).
- -Press talk/flash or speaker.
- -Receive an outside/intercom call or page.
- -Receive a CIDCW (Caller ID on Call Waiting) (during a call only).
- -Charge the handset.
- If the handset remains idle for 30 seconds, the phone will return to the standby mode (or back to the call).
- 1) When the Caller ID message is received, the display shows the caller's phone number along with the date and time. The incoming call information is stored in

the Caller ID record. If the Caller ID service includes the caller's name, the name will appear on the display. (up to 15 characters.)

The date and time received — Caller's name — Caller's phone of the control of th





- If you answer a call before the Caller ID message is received (Example: before the second ring), the Caller ID message will not appear.
- When the call is received via a telephone company that does not offer Caller ID service, the caller's phone number and name do not appear. (This includes some international calls.)
- When the call is via a private branch exchange (PBX), the caller's phone number and name may not appear.



The number of calls from the same Caller ID appears next to the received time. Once you have reviewed the new message, the number will be cleared and disappears.

You may receive any one of the following messages:

When invalid data is received "Incomplete Data"
When a private name is received "Private Name"
When a private number is received "Private Number"
When a unknown name is received "Unknown Name"
When a unknown number is received "Unknown Number"

2) When you receive the call, the display changes to "Talk".

## Viewing the Caller ID List

The Caller ID list stores information for incoming calls – even unanswered calls. You can store 100 of the Caller ID messages and Phonebook locations (including Speed Dials) in total. You can view the Caller ID list during a call or when the phone is in the standby mode.

- 1) Press the CID RDL PB soft key (or the MENU soft key during a call).
- Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to "Caller ID", then press the OK soft key. The screen shows the number of new messages and the total number of messages.

Caller ID New :100 Total:100 BACK DELETE

3) To view the Caller ID messages in historical order (from new to old or from old to new), repeatedly press ▼ to scroll through the messages from the latest to the earliest, or ▲ to scroll back through the messages.

Or, to view the Caller ID messages with alphabetical search, press the number key pad (2-9 and 0) with the letter associated with the first letter of desired message.



Once you view the Caller ID list with alphabetical search, you cannot switch back to historical order (from new to old or from old to new) unless you exit and re-enter the operation.

 To finish the viewing operation, press the BACK soft key (if you view the Caller ID list during a call) or end.

# Deleting Information from the Caller ID List

### Deleting a Caller ID message

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, view the Caller Delete Message?

  ID information to be deleted.
- 2) Press the DELETE soft key.
   "Delete Message?" appears.
- 3) Press ▲ or ▼ to choose "Yes".
- 4) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.

### Deleting all Caller ID names/numbers

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, press the **CID RDL PB** soft key.
- Press ▲ or ▼ to move the pointer to "Caller ID", then press the OK soft key. The total number of the new and total records appear.
- 3) Press the **DELETE** soft key.
- 4) Press ▲ or ▼ to choose "Yes".
- 5) Press the **OK** soft key. You will hear a confirmation tone.





Once the Caller ID data has been deleted, the information cannot be retrieved.



Caller ID New :100

Total:100

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- You cannot make a call from the Caller ID list if your phone is connected to a private branch exchange (PBX)
- When a long distance call has been set, "1" appears in the display.
- If a call comes in via a telephone system that does not offer Caller ID service, no information is stored.
- If the Caller ID message was received as private/unknown number, or the message does not have the number, you cannot store the message, or it was received as private/unknown name, the message will be stored as <No Name>.
- Even if the memory locations are full, the message will be stored in the Phonebook, however, the message will be erased from the Caller ID List.

### Using the Caller ID Message List

# Calling a party from the Caller ID list

### From Standby mode

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, view the Caller ID message.
- Press talk/flash or speaker. The displayed phone number dials automatically.

### From Talk mode

- 1) Press talk/flash or speaker.
- 2) View the Caller ID message you want to dial.
- 3) Press the DIAL soft key. The displayed phone number will be dialed.

# Long Distance calls and Area Code Setting/Cancellation While the present Caller ID information is displayed, pressing \*/tone/ ■ will place or remove the prefix "1" in the display to set the call for a long distance call, or pressing #/▶ will set or cancel an area code. (See page 24.)

### Storing Caller ID messages in the Phonebook

Messages shown in the Caller ID list can be stored in the phonebook. The phone number and name of the party on the Caller ID list can be stored in memory.

- 1) When the phone is in the standby mode, view the Caller ID message to be stored. Then press the **STORE** soft key. "Store/Edit Name" appears.
- 2) To complete the setting, follow the steps 5-9 in "Storing Phone Number, Names, Distinctive Rings, and Speed dial" on page 33.



## Call Waiting Deluxe Features

Your phone gives you new options for call waiting. At the touch of a button, you can place the caller on hold, send them to your voice mail service, or conference them into your current call. You may be required to subscribe to Call Waiting and Call Waiting Deluxe to use these features. Not all features are available in all areas. Check with your local telephone company for details.

- 1) When you receive a Call Waiting call, press the CWDX soft key for a list of options.
- 2) Press  $\triangle$  or  $\nabla$ , or the number keypad (1-7) to select an option. For example:



3) Press the **OK** soft key. A confirmation screen will appear, and returns back to the call.

Your phone is pre-programmed with seven call waiting options. You may select to ask the calling party to hold, send them a busy message, forward them to your voice mail, or answer and drop the first caller. You may also select to conference them into the current call or, at any time, choose to drop the first or drop the last caller. Check with your local telephone company for a full list of options.



- To activate features, select "CW On/CWDX On" in the Caller ID setup. See page 24.
- You can also answer a waiting call immediately by pressing talk/flash, the first caller will be placed on hold. To return to the original caller, press talk/flash again.
- To return back to a call, press the BACK soft key.



- To use a DCX520, register it to the DCT5260 series base.
- Save this manual for detailed operation.
- All of the handset ring when calls are received.

# **Expanding Your Phone**

Your phone supports up to 8 handsets (including the handset(s) supplied with your phone). You can now place a fully featured cordless handset anywhere AC power is available to connect the handset charger.

You can register up to 8 handsets at the base, and 4 handsets can be used for outside/intercom call. For the DirectLink call, you can enjoy it regardress of the number of the handsets in use.

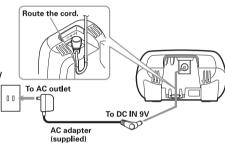
For example, the phone permits 3-way conferencing (2 handsets and an outside line), while one intercom call using other 2 handsets.

Settings in the global set up menu are global settings. If you change a setting in one of the handsets, you change settings for all the handsets.

For all other features they must be set separately through each handset.

## Setting up an Extra Handset

- 1) Plug the AC adapter into an outlet.
- Remove the handset battery cover by pressing on the indent and sliding downward.
- Place the new battery pack supplied with your phone. Check for correct + - polarity (see page 13).
- 4) Replace the battery cover by sliding it upward.
- 5) Place the handset in the charge cradle, and allow it to charge for 15-20 hours.



# Registering an Extra Handset

If you purchase extra handsets, you need to register the handsets before use. Only one handsets can be registered at a time.

An extension number for the supplied handset(s) was assigned at the factory, which has #1 (#1 and #2 for DCT5260-2) on the display. When you register additional handset to the base, handset ID will be assigned



An extra handset can be registered when the base is in the standby mode.

- 1) After charging the handset, remove the handset form the charger and place it in the base.
- Registration starts automatically.
   While registering "Handset Registrating" appears.
- 3) When the registration is complete, "Registration complete" appears.

If the registration fails, "Registration Failed" appears. Try the steps above again.

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# Using the Transceiver

If you have 2 or more handsets, 2 of the handsets work as transceivers. To use this feature, you must enter the two handset to the DirectLink mode first.

### To enter the DirectLink mode ⇒ See page 21



- During DirectLink mode, battery use time when fully charged is as follows:
   6 hours continuous use.
- 35 hours when the handset is in the standby mode with DirectLink mode.

   Charging the handset in the cradle cause the handset exit the DirectLink mode.

### Transceiver call

- When the phone is in the DirectLink standby mode, press the **DirectLink** soft key. (example of DirectLink from the handset #1)
- 2) Select the party by pressing the number keys (1-8). Your handset will page the other handset.
- On the receiving handset, press the ANSWER soft key, or any number key, \*/tone/ ◀, or #/▶ (when any key answer is On).





4) To finish your conversation, press end key on either handset. When you finish your conversation, or to return to normal mode, return the handset to the base. Or press the CANCEL soft key, then the OK soft key.

# 3-Way Conferencing

The phone permits 3-way conversations between 2 handsets, and an outside line.

- During a call, press talk/flash on another handset to initiate the 3-way conversation.
- To remove either caller from your conversation, press end on either of the handset. The other handset will still be connected to the call.

### Intercom / Call Transfer Feature

If you have one or more extra handset, you can enjoy an intercom call between handsets. Also, you can place a outside call on hold and transfer the call to another handset.

- If the party is busy or is in the out of range, the handset returns to the standby mode.
- If any of the following occurs while selecting the other handset, the operation will be canceled.



- Press talk/flash or speaker.

- Receive an outside/intercom call or page.
- When the party does not answer within 1 minute, the operation is canceled. If a call transfer is canceled due to the out of range, to back to the call, press talk/flash on the initiated handset shortly.

### Intercom

- 1) Press *intercom/hold* in the standby mode.
- Select the handset you want to talk with from the selection list within 10 seconds. To select the handset, press ▲ or ▼, then press the OK soft key.

If you select "All", all handsets will be paged. An intercom tone sounds.

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- 3) On the receiving handset, to answer the call, press talk/flash, intercom/hold, or the ANSWER soft key. If you set the AutoTalk On, pick up the handset from the base. If Anykey Answer is On, press any number key,  $\frac{1}{2}$ /tone/ $\frac{1}{4}$ , or  $\frac{1}{4}$ /.
- 4) To finish the intercom call, press end or the END soft key on either handsets.

### **Call Transfer Feature**

- 1) During a call, press *intercom/hold*. The call will automatically be placed on hold, and an intercom tone sounds.
- 2) Select a handset to transfer the call to. (refer to step 2 <code>Hold to transfer</code> in the intercom section).

To cancel the transfer, press talk/flash or speaker on the initiating handset.



- 3) On the receiving party handset, to answer the page, press talk/flash, intercom/hold, or the ANSWER soft key. If you set the AutoTalk On, pick up the handset from the base. If Anykey Answer is On, press any number key, \* /tone/ ◀, or #/▶. The intercom mode is activated, but the caller is still on hold.
- 4) To transfer the call, press end or the END soft key on the initiating handset, and press talk/flash or speaker on the receiving party handset.

## Replacing the Base

When you replace the base with the different base of the same model, you need to clear the handset(s) and base ID. To do this, perform "Deregister HS"option (see page 25) and "Replacing Base" option (see page 25), then register all the handsets you have. (See page 47).

# Changing the Digital Security Code

The digital security code is an identification code used to connect the handset and the base unit. Normally, setting the code is not necessary. The first time you charge your handset, the security code is automatically set. (See "About the digital security code", page 10.) In the rare situation that you suspect another cordless telephone is using the same security code, you can change the code. To change the digital security code, deregister the handset ID of all handset(s), then register all handset(s) for a different code.

### To de-register the code ⇔ See "Deregister HS" on page 25

### Change the security code

- 1) Place all handsets in the base.
- Registration starts automatically.
   While registering "Handset Registrating" appears.
- 3) When the registration is complete, "Registration complete" appears.

If the registration fails, "Registration Failed" appears. Try the steps above again.

# Installing the Beltclip

#### To attach the beltclip

Insert the beltclip into the holes on each side of the handset. Press down until it clicks.

### To remove the beltclip

Pull both sides of the beltclip to release the tabs from the holes.

### **Headset Installation**

Your phone may be used with an optional headset, the Uniden HS910. To use this feature, insert the headset plug into the headset jack. Your phone is ready for hands-free conversations. (Headset may be purchased by calling the Uniden Parts Department or visiting the web site. See page 11.)







YOU WILL NEED TO RE-REGISTER ALL HANDSETS EACH TIME YOU CHANGE THE DIGITAL SECURITY CODE OF THE BASE.

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### Note on Power Sources

### Battery replacement and handling

When the operating time becomes short, even after a battery is recharged, please replace the battery. With normal usage, your battery should last about one year.

Please contact your place of purchase or the Uniden Parts Department for a replacement battery. (See page 11)

### Warning

To avoid the risk of personal injury or property damage from fire or electrical shock, only use the Uniden battery model and Uniden adapter model specifically designated for this product.

### **Power Failure**

During the period that the power is off, you will not be able to make or receive calls with the telephone.

### Caution

- Use the specified Uniden battery pack (BT-xxx).
- Do not remove the battery from the handset to charge it.
- Never throw the battery into a fire, disassemble it, or heat it.
- Do not remove or damage the battery casing.

### Maintenance

# When the charging terminals become very dirty on both the handset and base unit

Use water only, dampen a cloth to clean the charging terminals. Then make sure to go back over the charging terminals with a dry cloth before returning the handset to the base unit to charge.

### Caution

Do not use paint thinner, benzene, alcohol, or other chemical products.

Doing so may discolor the surface of the telephone and damage the finish.

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### General Information

The phone complies with FCC Parts 15 and 68. Operating temperature: 0 °C to +50 °C (+32 °F to +122 °F)

### **AC Adapter Information**

AC Adapter part number: AD-xxx for the base AD-xxx for the charger (DCT5260-2 only)
Input Voltage: 120V AC 60Hz 120V AC 60Hz

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**Battery Information** 

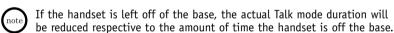
Battery part number: BT-446

Capacity: 1300 mAh, 1.2V

Battery use time (per charge)

From fully charged

Talk mode duration: 14 hours (6 hours in DirectLink mode) Standby mode duration: 6 days (35 hours in DirectLink mode)



Recharge your phone on a regular basis by returning the handset to the base after each phone call. When the operating time becomes short, even after the battery is recharged, please replace the battery. With normal usage, the battery should last about one year.

A replacement Uniden adapter and battery may be purchase Uniden accessories at your local Uniden dealer or by contacting the Uniden Parts Department (800) 554-3988. Hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST, Monday through Friday. We can also be reached on the web at www.uniden.com.

Specifications, features, and availability of optional accessories are all subject to change without prior notice.

# Troubleshooting

If your phone is not performing to your expectations, please try these simple steps first.

Symptom	Suggestion
The <b>charge</b> LED won't illuminate when the handset is placed in the base.	<ul> <li>Make sure the AC adapter is plugged into the base and wall outlet.</li> <li>Make sure the handset is properly seated in the base.</li> <li>Make sure the charging contacts on the handset and base are clean.</li> </ul>
The audio sounds weak and/or scratchy.	<ul> <li>Move the handset and/or base to a different location away from metal objects or appliances and try again.</li> <li>Make sure that you are not too far from the base.</li> </ul>
Can't make or receive calls.	<ul> <li>Check both ends of the base telephone line cord.</li> <li>Make sure the AC adapter is plugged into the base and wall outlet.</li> <li>Disconnect the AC adapter for a few minutes, then reconnect it.</li> <li>Remove the base ID (see "Replacing the base" on page 50) and place the handset in the base.</li> <li>Make sure that you are not too far from the base.</li> <li>If more than one user is using the line, you may not be able to make a call.</li> </ul>
The handset doesn't ring or receive a page.	Charge the battery in the base unit for 15-20 hours     The battery pack may be weak. Charge the battery.     The handset may be too far away from the base unit.     Place the base unit away from appliances or metal objects.     Remove the base ID (see "Replacing the base" on page 50) and place the handset in the base.     If more than one other user is using the line, you may not be able to page.

Symptom	Suggestion
Severe noise interference.	<ul> <li>Keep the handset away from microwave ovens, computers, remote control toys, wireless microphones, alarm systems, intercoms, room monitors, fluorescent lights, and electrical appliances.</li> <li>Move to another location or turn off the source of interference.</li> </ul>
The Caller ID does not display.	<ul> <li>The handset was picked up before the second ring.</li> <li>The call was placed through a switchboard.</li> <li>Call your local telephone company to verify your Caller ID service is current.</li> </ul>
You cannot register the handset at the base .	• Charge the battery pack in the charge for 15-20 hours • Remove the base ID (see "Replacing the base" on page 50).
The handset doesn't communicate with the base or other handsets.	<ul> <li>Remove the base ID (see "Replacing the base" on page 50) and place the handset in the base.</li> <li>Make sure that you have registered all handsets (DCX520 only).</li> </ul>
An extra handset can't join the conversation.	•Only one handset at a time can talk with an outside caller (up to 2 handsets during 3 way conference).
If you still have a problem.	•Call our customer hotline at 1-800-297-1023.

# Liquid Damage

Moisture and liquid can damage your cordless phone. In case of accidental submersion, please read the following steps.

Case	Action
If the handset or base is exposed to moisture or liquid, but only affects the exterior plastic housing.	Wipe off the liquid and use as normal.
If moisture or liquid has entered the plastic-housing (i.e. liquid can be heard in the phone or battery compartment).	1) Remove the battery cover of the handset and leave it off for ventilation. 2) Remove the battery pack by disconnecting. 3) Leave the battery cover off and the battery pack disconnected for 3 days for maximum drying time. 4) Once completely dry, reconnect the battery pack and the battery cover. 5) Recharge the handset's battery pack for 20 hours in the base unit before using the phone.  IMPORTANT: You must unplug the telephone line while recharging the battery pack to avoid charge interruption.
If the base unit or the handset is submerged or covered in a sticky substance, such as juice.	Handset:  1) Remove the battery cover of the handset and the battery pack by disconnecting.  2) Rinse the handset in warm distilled water.  3) Let dry for at least 3 days.  4) Once completely dry, reconnect the battery pack and the battery cover.  5) Recharge the handset's battery pack for 20 hours in the base unit before using the phone.  Base:  1) Disconnect the AC adapter from the base unit, ending power supply.  2) Disconnect the telephone cord from the base unit.  3) Rinse the base in warm distilled water.  4) Let dry for at least 3 days.  CAUTION:  DO NOT use a microwave oven to speed up the drying time. This will cause permanent damage to the handset and the microwave oven.

#### Precautions!

Before you read anything else, please observe the following:  $\dots$ 

#### Warning!

Uniden America Corporation DOES NOT represent this unit to be waterproof. To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, or damage to the unit, DO NOT expose this unit to rain or moisture.

#### Rechargeable Nickel-Metal-Hydride Battery Warning

- This equipment contains a rechargeable Nickel-Metal-Hydride battery.
- Nickel is a chemical known to state of California to cause cancer.
- The rechargeable Nickel-Metal-Hydride battery contained in this equipment may explode if disposed of in a fire.
- · Do not short-circuit the battery.
- Do not charge the rechargeable Nickel-Metal-Hydride battery used in this equipment in any charger other than the one designed to charge this battery as specified in the owner's manual. Using another charger may damage the battery or cause the battery to exolde.

#### Rechargeable Nickel-Metal-Hydride Batteries Must Be Recycled or Disposed of Properly





The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the appliance.

#### **Important Safety Instructions**

When using your telephone equipment, these basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, and injury to persons:

- Read and understand all instructions.
- 2. Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.
- Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Use a dry cloth for cleaning without liquid or aerosol cleaners.
- Do not use this product near water; for example, near a bathtub, wash bowl, kitchen sink or laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming nool.
- 5. Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, or table.

  The telephone may fall, causing serious damage to the unit.
- 6. Slots and openings in the cabinet and the back or bottom are provided for ventilation. To protect the product from overheating, these openings must not be blocked or covered. This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation unless proper ventilation is provided.
- This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your dealer or local power company.
- Do not allow anything to rest on the power cord. Do not locate this product where the cord will be damaged by persons walking on it.
- Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords, as this can result in the risk of fire or electrical shock.
- 10. Never push objects of any kind into this product through cabinet slots, as they may touch dangerous voltage points or short out parts that could result in a risk of fire or electric shock. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.
- 11. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble this product. Take it to qualified service personnel when service or repair work is required. Opening or removing covers may expose you to dangerous voltages or other risks. Incorrect reassembly can cause electric shock when the appliance is subsequently used.
- Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:

   A. When the power supply cord is damaged or frayed.
  - A. When the power supply cord is damaged or frayed.

    B. If liquid has been spilled into the product.
  - C. If the product has been exposed to rain or water.
- D. If the product does not operate normally when following the operating instructions. (Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operating instructions. Improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and will often require extensive repair work by a qualified technician.)
- E. If the product has been dropped or the cabinet has been damaged.
- F. If the product exhibits a distinct change in performance.
- Do not use the telephone to report a gas leak in the vicinity of the leak.

#### Additional Battery Safety Precautions

Caution! To reduce the risk of fire or injury to persons by the battery, read and follow these instructions:

- Use only the Uniden battery pack specified in the owner's manual.
- Do not dispose of the battery pack in a fire. The cell may explode. Check the Nickel Metal Hydride battery disposal package insert for disposal instructions.
- Do not open or mutilate the battery pack. Released electrolyte is corrosive and may cause damage to the eyes or skin. It may be toxic if swallowed.
- Exercise care in handling the battery in order not to short the battery with conducting materials such as rings, bracelets, and keys. The battery or conductor may overheat and cause burns.
- Charge the battery pack provided with or identified for use with this product only in accordance with the instructions and limitations specified in the owner-s manual provided for this product.
- Observe proper polarity orientation between the battery pack and battery charger.

#### SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

### Important Electrical Considerations

Unplug all electrical appliances when you know an electrical storm is approaching. Lightning can pass through your household wiring and damage any device connected to it. This phone is no exception.

#### Warning!

Please do not attempt to unplug any appliance during an electrical storm.

#### The FCC Wants You To Know

Changes or modifications to this product not expressly approved by Uniden, or operation of this product in any way other than as detailed by the owner's manual, could void your authority to operate this product. The equipment cannot be used on public coin phone service provided by the telephone company. Connection to party line service is subject to state tariffs. (Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission or corporation commission for information.)

#### Range

Your new phone is designed to achieve the maximum possible range by transmitting and receiving according to the highest specification set forth by the FCC. We have rated this phone to operate at a maximum distance with the qualification that the range depends upon the environment in which the telephone is used. Many factors limit range, and it would be impossible to include all the variables in our rating. The Maximum Range rating of this phone is meant to be used as a means of comparison against other range claims.

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#### Telephone Line Problems

The FCC has granted the telephone company the right to disconnect service in the event that your phone causes problems on the telephone line. Also, the telephone company may make changes in facilities and services which may affect the operation of your unit. However, your telephone company must give adequate notice in writing prior to such actions to allow you time for making necessary arrangements to continue uninterrupted service.

If you are having trouble with your telephone service, you must first disconnect your phone to determine if it is the cause of your problem. If you determine that it is the cause, you must leave it disconnected until the trouble has been corrected.

#### Radio Interference

Radio interference may occasionally cause buzzing and humming in your cordless handset, or clicking noises in the base. This interference is caused by external sources such as TV, refrigerator, vacuum cleaner, fluorescent lighting, or electrical storm. Your unit is NOT DEFECTIVE. If these noises continue and are too distracting, please check around your home to see what appliances may be causing the problem. In addition, we recommend that the base not be plugged into a circuit that also powers a major appliance because of the potential for interference. Be certain that the antenna on the unit is fully extended when needed.

In the unlikely event that you consistently hear other voices or distracting transmissions on your phone, you may be receiving ratio signals from another cordless telephone or other source of interference. If you cannot eliminate this type of interference, you need to change to a different channel.

Finally, it should be noted that some cordless telephones operate at frequencies that may cause interference to nearby TVs and VCRs. To minimize or prevent such interference, the base of the cordless telephone should not be placed near or on top of a TV or VCR. If interference is experienced, moving the cordless telephone farther away from the TV or VCR will often reduce or eliminate the interference.

#### More than One Cordless Telephone

If you want to use more than one cordless telephone in your home, they must operate on different channels. Press the channel key to select a channel that provides the clearest communication.

#### Cordless Telephone Privacy

Cordless telephones are radio devices. Communications between the handset and base of your cordless telephone are accomplished by means of radio waves which are broadcast over the open airways. Because of the inherent physical properties of radio waves, your communications can be received by radio receiving devices other than your own cordless telephone unit. Consequently, any communications using your cordless telephone may not be private.

### Installation Considerations

#### Selecting a Location

Before choosing a location for your new phone, there are some important guidelines you should consider:

• The location should be close to both a phone jack and continuous

- The location should be close to both a phone jack and continuous power outlet. (A continuous power outlet is an AC outlet which does not have a switch to interrupt its power.)
- Keep the base and handset away from sources of electrical noise such as motors or fluorescent lighting.
- The base can be placed on a desk or tabletop or mounted on a standard telephone wall plate.
- You should charge your new phone for 15-20 hours before completing the installation or using the handset.

#### Telephone Line Outlets

There are two types of phone outlets:

#### Modular Jack

Most phone equipment available now uses modular jacks. Phone cords are fitted with a molded plastic connector which plugs into this type of jack. If you do not have modular phone jacks, contact you local stellarbone company for information about

contact your local telephone company for information about their installation.

#### Hardwired Jack

Some equipment is wired directly to a phone jack, and these types of installations require a modular jack converter. This type of installation is not difficult; however, you should contact your Uniden telephone dealer or a telephone supply store for advice about the proper adapter or converter for your particular situation.

#### Connecting the Telephone Cords

Consider these safety guidelines before connecting the telephone cords:

#### Caution!

- Never install telephone wiring during a lightning storm.
- Never touch uninsulated telephone wires or terminals unless the telephone line has been disconnected.
- Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.

#### Applying Power to the Base

This phone requires an AC outlet, without a switch to interrupt power, and the included AC adapter. To relieve strain on the DC plug when the phone is placed on a desk or table, wrap the power cord around the strain relief notch on the bottom of the base.

NOTE: Place the power cord so that it does not create a trip hazard, or where it could become chafed and create a fire or other electrical hazards.

Plug the AC Adapter into a standard 120 VAC wall outlet.

Do not use an outlet controlled by a wall switch.



Use only the Uniden AC Adapter supplied with this phone.

#### One Year Limited Warranty

Important: Evidence of original purchase is required for warranty service.

WARRANTOR: UNIDEN AMERICA CORPORATION ("Uniden")

ELEMENTS OF WARRANTY: Uniden warrants, for one year, to the original retail owner, this Uniden Product to be free from defects in materials and craftsmanship with only the limitations or

WARRANTY DURATION: This warranty to the original user shall terminate and be of no further effect 12 months after the date of original retail sale. The warranty is invalid if the Product is

- (A) damaged or not maintained as reasonable or necessary,
  (B) modified, altered, or used as part of any conversion kits,
- subassembles, or any configurations not sold by Uniden, (C) improperly installed, (D) serviced or repaired by someone other than an authorized Uniden service center for a defect or malfunction covered by this warranty, (E) used in any conjunction with equipment or parts or as part of any system not manufactured by Uniden, or (F) installed or programmed by anyone other than as detailed by the

(F) installed or programmed by anyone other than as detailed by the owner's manual for this product.

STATEMENT OF REMEDY: In the event that the product does not

exclusions set out below.

conform to this warranty at any time while this warranty is in effect, warranty will either, at its option, repair or replace the defective unit and return it to you without charge for parts, service, or any other cost (except shipping and landling) incurred by warranty or its repeated by the service, or any other cost (except shipping and landling) incurred by warranty or its repeated by the service of this contains the service of the part of the service of the serv

LEGAL REMEDIES: This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. This warranty is void outside the United States of America.

PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING PERFORMANCE OF WARRANTY: If, after following the instructions in the owner's manual you are certain that the Product is defective, pack the Product carefully (preferably in its original packaging). The Product should include all parts and accessories originally packaged with the Product. Include evidence of original purchase and a note describing the defect that has caused you to return it. The Product should be shipped freight prepaid, by traceable means, to warrantor at:

Uniden America Corporation
Parts and Service Division
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
Fort Worth. TX 76155

1-800-297-1023, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. CST, Monday through Friday

### I.C. Notice

### TERMINAL EQUIPMENT

**NOTICE:** This equipment meets the applicable Industry Canada Terminal Equipment Technical Specifications. This is confirmed by the registration number. The abbreviation, IC, before the registration number signifies that registration was performed based on a Declaration of Conformity indicating that Industry Canada technical specifications were met. It does not imply that Industry Canada approved the equipment.

**NOTICE:** The Ringer Equivalence Number (REN) for this terminal equipment is marked on the equipment itself. The REN assigned to each terminal equipment provides an indication of the maximum number of terminals allowed to be connected to a telephone interface. The termination on an interface may consist of any combination of devices subject only to the requirement that the sum of the Ringer Equivalence Numbers of all the devices does not exceed five.

### RADIO EQUIPMENT

The term "IC:" before the radio certification number only signifies that Industry Canada technical specifications were met.

Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device. "Privacy of communications may not be ensured when using this telephone".

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### At Uniden, we'll take care of you!

If you need any assistance with this product, please call our Customer Hotline at

### 1-800-297-1023

### PLEASE DO NOT RETURN THIS PRODUCT TO THE PLACE OF PURCHASE.

Our Uniden representatives will be happy to help you with any matters regarding the operation of this unit, available accessories, or any other related matters.

Thank you for purchasing a Uniden product. Hours: M-F 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM CST.



For information on the accessibility features of this product, please call 1-800-874-9314 (V/TTY)

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