F953 Mobile Phone User Manual

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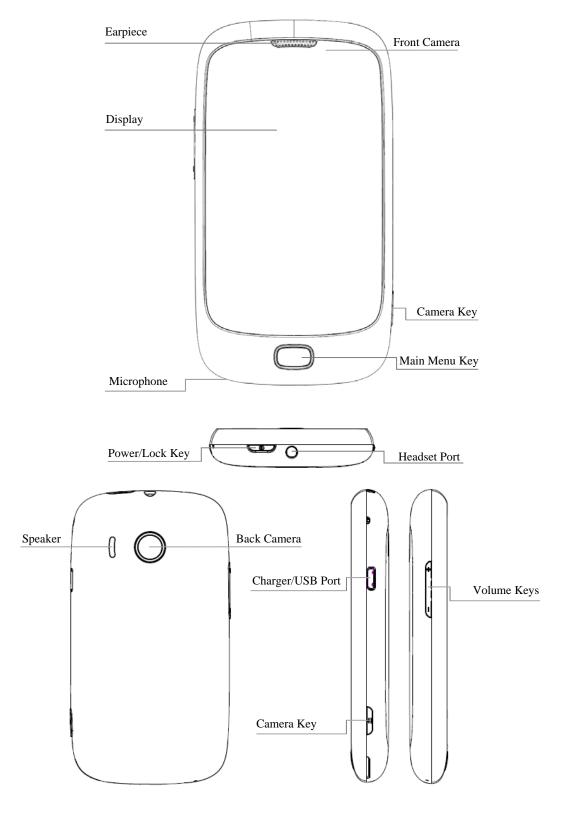
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Chapter 1 Getting Started

Phone Overview



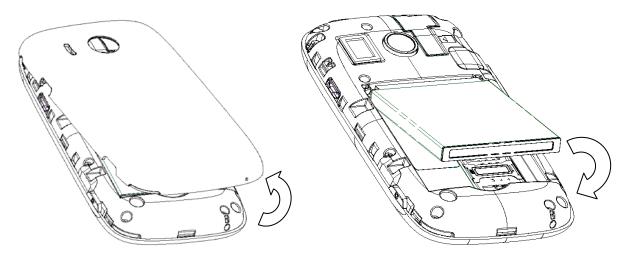
Starting Up

Installing the Battery



Notes:

- ► The phone automatically switches off if the battery power is too low.
- ► If you are not going to use the battery for a long time, remove it from the phone and store it in a cool dry place.
- 1. Press and hold the **Power Key** to turn off the phone.
- 2. Use the thumb catch at the bottom of the handset to open the battery cover.
- 3. Insert the battery carefully with the contacts located against the gold springs.
- 4. Press the battery down flush into the case.
- 5. Line the battery cover up correctly and press gently to close the case.





Caution:

► Do not force the battery cover into place by pressing on it. Doing so will damage the battery cover.

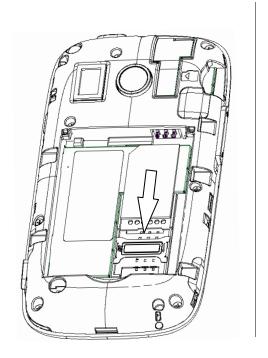
Inserting the SIM card

You can obtain a SIM card from your service provider when you sign on as a subscriber.



Caution:

- ▶ Do not bend or scratch your SIM card. Keep the card away from electricity and magnets.
- ► Do not touch the metal surface of the SIM card. Doing so could cause information on the card to be lost or destroyed.
- ► Make sure to disconnect the charger and other accessories from your phone and remove the battery before inserting and removing your SIM card.
- 1. Press and hold the **Power Key** to turn off the phone.
- 2. Use the thumb catch at the bottom of the handset to open the battery cover.
- 3. Insert the SIM card with the gold contacts facing down and the beveled edge on the top left as shown.
- 4. Carefully slide the card holder and push it until it clicks into position.



Inserting the Memory Card

The external memory card gives your phone a very large memory capacity. This allows you to save multimedia data, including images, photos, MP3 audio files, and ring tones. You can also use this memory card to store other files.



Tips:

- ➤ Your phone can support an external memory card with an up to 8GB capacity.
- 1. Press and hold the **Power Key** to turn off the phone.
- 2. Use the thumb catch at the bottom of the handset to open the battery cover.
- 3. Firmly insert the memory card into the slot until it clicks into place.
- 4. Line the battery cover up correctly and press gently to close the case.





Caution:

▶ Only use approved memory cards for this device. Any use of unapproved memory cards might cause loss of information or damage to your phone.



Tips:

- Do not remove the memory card while reading or writing to the card. Doing so might corrupt the information on the card or phone. If possible, insert and remove the memory card while the phone is turned off.
- If you want to format the memory card on your PC, make sure you select the FAT Formatting type. If this is not done the memory card might not be identified by your phone.

Power On/Off



Notes:

▶ Do not turn your phone on in areas in which wireless phone use is not permitted, or when it could cause interference or danger.

Press and hold the **Power Key** to turn on or off the phone.



Tips:

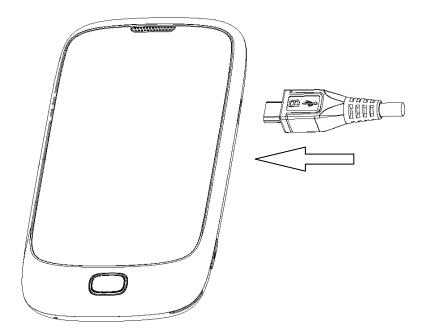
- When prompted, enter your PIN (Personal Identification Number) code or handset code.
- The PIN code is the password provided by your network service provider. You cannot use the SIM card without it.
- When the PIN code or handset code is accepted, the phone automatically searches for the network. After a few seconds, your phone displays standby mode.

Charging Your Phone

Your phone uses a rechargeable battery. When you first unpack the phone, the battery is not fully charged, but there might be enough power to turn on the phone. You should flatten the battery by using all of the available power before charging the battery for the first time.

- 1. Push down the USB port cover.
- 2. Insert the charger's USB adapter into the USB port.

3. Plug the charger into a standard AC wall outlet.



4. When the battery is fully charged, unplug the charger and disconnect it from the phone.



Notes:

- ► Make sure the adapter's connector is inserted correctly. Do not force the connector into the port.
- ► The battery will remain fully charged for 3 to 4 hours.
- ► Only use the charger provided by the original provider. Using an unapproved charger might be dangerous and violate the authorization and warranty rules of the phone.
- ▶ If the phone is used too often when the battery is low or not used for a long time, the screen may not display the charge indicator until the battery has been continuously charged for 10 to 40 minutes.
- ➤ To get the maximum performance out of your battery, it is recommended that you completely charge the battery before using the phone for the first time. A new battery's full performance is only reached after three complete charge and discharge cycles have been finished.
- ▶ When the battery is fully charged, unplug the charger and disconnect it from the phone.
- ▶ You can use the provided charger or the USB data cable to charge the battery.
- ► Charging is only possible within a temperature range of 0° C to 45° C.

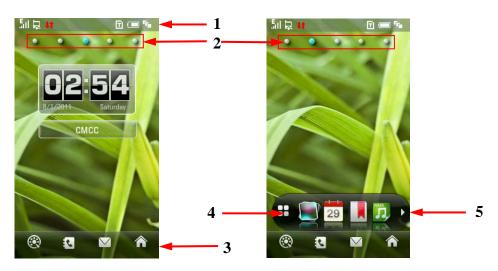
Basic Operation

Standby Mode

After powering on the phone, when the name of network is displayed on the screen, the phone is in the standby mode and ready for use.

Tap anywhere on the screen and drag left or right to scroll the screen. The screen displays Shortcut Icons on the bar.

To add shortcut icon to the standby hidden icon bar, press and hold the submenu button in the main menu.



Standby mode

Hidden icons

1. Indicators bar

2. Hidden pages bar

Tap to display hidden pages.

3. Shortcut icons bar

Tap these icons to enter corresponding function interface.

4. Hidden icons button

Tap this button to show the hidden icons area.

5. Hidden icons bar

- Tap and move the bar to view the icons.
- You can also tap and drag the icon to the right space on the bar.
- Drag the required icon between the space screen and hidden icon area (Hidden icons bar).



Notes:

- ► Tap only the icon on the screen to open the hidden bar.
- ▶ Drag the icon to the space screen area and tap the icon to open the program. Minimize the program window and then drag the icon back the hidden icons bar.

Indicators and Icons

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36	3G Network	В	Bluetooth on
ĬII	DV Signal Strength	Ġ	Headset mode
	New SMS	R	Roaming
	New MMS	Ņ	Silence and vibrate mode
₩.	New Wap Push Message	Ĭ	Vibrate mode
7	Missed voice call	Ŵ	Silent mode
•	Morning	Ŀ	Muti-Task management application
9	Alarm	√	Radio
€ (Airplane mode	•	Memory card
Įĵ	GPRS in use	٥	U-disk
(+)	Call divert		HSDPA mode

Main menu

- 1. Press Menu Key to access Main Menu.
- 2. The main menu may have several pages, click the dot that exits at the bottom of the screen to access the corresponding page.



You can also drag left or right to scroll page to page.

Keypad Lock

Notes:

Use the keypad lock to prevent the keys from being pressed accidentally.

1. To lock keypad manually, in standby mode, press the **Lock Key**.

- 2. To set the keypad to lock automatically, press the **Menu Key**, select **Settings > Screen > Time of Keylock Timeout** and select the time delayed before the keypad is locked.
- 3. To unlock the keypad, press and drag the key at the bottom to match the one at the top.





- ► When the keypad is locked, the key is shown on the display.
- If the call is coming when the keypad is locked, tap the option on the screen to answer. After ending or rejecting the call, the keypad will be locked automatically.
- ▶ When the keypad lock is on, calls might still be possible to the emergency number.

Menu overview

In standby mode, press the **Menu Key** to show the **Main Menu**.

Calls	Messaging	E-mail
·All	·New Message	·New E-mail
·Missed	·Handset Inbox	·Inbox
·Dialed	·Outbox	•Outbox
·Answer	·Drafts	•Drafts
	·Sent	·Sent
	·User Folder	·User folder
	·SIM Inbox	·Settings
	·Settings	·Memory Info.
	Memory Info.	
Download	Dial	Games & Apps
File Manager		Multimedia
·Handset	·Name	·Music Player
·Micro SD Card	·Type	·Video Player
	·Size	·Picture Browser
	·Time	·Voice Recorder
		·Camera
		·FM Radio
Settings	·Handset	·Profiles
·Screen	Language	General
Theme	Time and Date	Meeting
Wallpaper	Menu Display Option	Outdoors
Backlight Duration	Feedback	Silent
Brightness	Default Memory	Airplane

Keylock Timeout	Restore Default Settings	
Greeting		
Touch Screen Calibration		
·Connect	·Call	·Security
Connect Settings	Video Gateway	Activate Security Codes
Access Point Settings	Call Forwarding	Change Security Codes
PC Connection	Call Waiting	Fixed Dial Numbers
Network Settings	Call Barring	
Modem Settings	Send My Number	
	Automatic Answer	
Contacts	Bluetooth	Tools
·All Contacts	·Bluetooth On/Off	·Alarm
·Group	·Visibility	·Calendar
Family	·Find Device	·World Time
Friends	·My Device	·Calculator
Work	·Local Attribute	·Notes
		·Converter
		•Timer
		·USIM
Browser		
Home Page		
baidu		
netease		
google		
sohu		
sina		

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Chapter 2 Text Input

Text Mode

Your mobile phone provides the following input methods: En, ABC, abc and number.

Current Text Mode

Tap the text field, choose the text input mode by pressing # **Key** (ABC, abc, 123) or language button (简体中文, En, Français, Español, Deutsch, Italiano) showed on the screen.



1	Tap to delete character. Tap and hold to delete characters.
2	Tap to enter a new line.
3	Tap to display text input mode.
4	Show the current display language.

Changing the Input Mode

On the screen, tap # key to select the required input method.

ABC/abc Mode

Tap number key (2~9) repeatedly till the desired character appears on the screen.

- ► Tap the **0 Key** to add a space.
- ► Tap the **0 Key** twice quickly to enter 0.

Number Mode

When the input method icon is shown as "123", input numbers directly with the number keys.



► Tap the 0 Key to add a space except for number input ("123").

En mode

"En" text method is based on a built-in dictionary and generates words from the combination of letters

Clicked.

- 1. Tap each key associated with the letter you want to enter only once. The letters you have entered appear on the display. The candidate words change with each key you tap.
- 2. When the candidate word is displayed, tap the desired candidate words to confirm.

Special Symbols

- 1. Tap * **Key**.
- 2. Select the desired symbol.

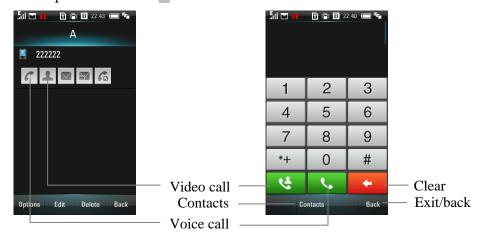
Chapter 3 Calls

Making a Call

1. In standby mode, tap **Dial icon** to enter keypad interface.



- 2. Tap the keypad to enter the required number, or tap **Contacts** icon to choose a number.
- 3. Tap Voice call icon to make a voice call.



3. Tap Video call icon to make a video call.

Icon	Instruction	
Voice call	Tap to make a voice call.	
Video call	Tap to make a video call.	
Contacts	Tap to open contacts application.	
Exit/back	Tap to return to the previous page.	
Clear	Tap to clear input number.	

Setting ring tone for call

- 1. Press Menu Key to enter main menu.
- 2. Select **Settings** > **Profiles**.
- 3. Select the profile.

- 4. Tap **Edit** to edit the selected profile.
- 5. Tap Voice Call/Video Call Ringtone.
- 6. Select the audio file in **File Manager**.

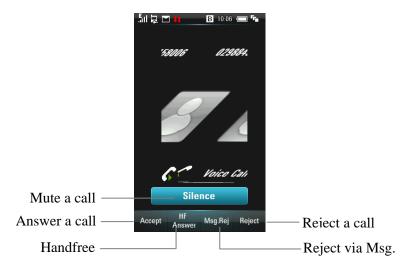
Making a Speed Dial Call

In standby mode, tap and hold the corresponding number key (1~9) in the speed dial list to make the call.

Speed Dial Settings

- 1. In standby mode, tap Contacts icon.
- 2. Select **Options** > **Speed Dial Setting**.
- 3. Tap the desired number.
- 4. Select the required contact.
- 5. Tap **Back** icon to finish the setting.

Call Options



Muting call

When there is an incoming call, tap Silence to block your voice.

Receiving voice calls

When a voice call comes in, tap **Accept** or **LoudSpeaker** icon to answer the call.



► If you have connected the headset to the phone, you can press the button on the headset to answer the call.

Adjusting volume

During a call, press **Volume Key** on side of the phone to adjust the call volume (earpiece or speaker).

Starting handfree

When you answer a call, please tap **HF Answer** icon to active loudspeaker, tap again to cancel loudspeaker.

Receiving a video call

If you want to answer the video call, you must be covered by 3G network.

1. When there is incoming video call, your phone will ring, vibrate, or show the animated cartoon (Please see *Settings > Profiles Setting*). If the caller has the Calling Line Identification (CLI) facility, the caller number appears on the screen.



- If you answer the video call while browsing the internet, enjoying music or playing videos, these applications will be paused. Once you end the call, these applications will be resumed.
- You can press the button on the headset to answer the call when you connect the headset to your phone.
- Please adjust to appropriate volume to avoid injure your ear.
- 2. Press **Call Key** to answer the call.
- 3. Press **End Key** to end the call.

Voice Call Options

Click **Options** during a voice call for more options. Options vary depending on the current situation:



▶ Mute/Unmute: Mute/Unmute current call.

▶ Hold/Active: Hold/Active current call.

► **Record/Stop Recording**: Start/stop recording current call.

▶ **DTMF Off/On**: Enable or disable sending DTMF tone.

Video Call Options

Tap **Options** during a video call for more options. Options vary depending on the current situation:







- ▶ Mute/Unmute: Mute/Unmute current call.
- ▶ **Record**: Record the current call, and you can tap **Stop** to stop recording.
- ► Active/Inactive: Active/Inactive remote image.
- ► Send/Block My Video: Block or send my picture during the call.
- ▶ PIP OFF/ON: Close or open the local image.
- ► Exchange PIP: Switch between the primary and secondary screen.
- ▶ Volume: Adjust volume during the call.
- ▶ **Brightness**: Set the screen brightness.
- ▶ Contrast: Set the screen contrast.
- ▶ **Zoom**: Adjust the image size.
- ► Change Picture for Sending: Change the local image.
- ► Camera Regulation: Set camera related features.

Call History

In standby mode, tap Calls icon (preset shortcut icon) or press Menu key and to check the calls log.



Tips:

• The shortcut icons not available on the screen can be preset in Shortcut Settings.

Viewing Recent Call History

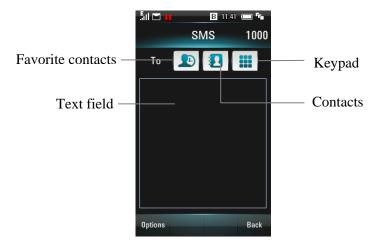
- 1. Tap **All** to view all calls' log.
- 2. Tap **Missed** to view the missed calls' log.
- 3. Tap **Dialed** to view the dialed calls' log.
- 4. Tap **Answer** to view the received calls' log.

Chapter 4 Messages

SMS/MMS

Sending a New SMS





- 1. In standby mode, tap Messaging icon or press Menu Key > Messaging > New Message > SMS.
- 2. Enter the recipient's(s') phone number or tap **Contacts/Favorite Contacts** to choose the recipient(s).
- 3. Tap the text field.
- 4. Edit the message and tap **OK** icon to confirm.



Select Options > My Words to insert my words preformatted.

5. Tap **Send** icon to send the message.

Sending a new MMS

- 1. In standby mode, tap Messaging icon or press Menu Key > Messaging > New Message > MMS.
- 2. Enter the recipient'(s') phone number or tap **Contacts/Favorite Contacts** to choose the recipient(s).
- 3. Tap **Sub** field to enter the title of your MMS message

- 4. Tap **Edit** field to edit your message.
- 5. Tap **Attachments** field to add the required attachments.
- 6. Tap **Send** icon to send the message.



Notes:

- For an unfinished message, tap Save to save it to the Drafts.
- In Outbox/Drafts you can complete and resend the message.

Receiving a SMS/MMS

- 1. The envelope icon will appear on the information bar to indicate new incoming SMS/MMS. The message alert tone and vibrate activate depending on the current profile setting. Click the new SMS/MMS icon to view the message.
- 2. Or in standby mode, tap Messaging icon or press Menu Key > Messaging > Handset Inbox to check the message.

Push messages

Push messages is a formatted SMS that displays a message to the user, giving the option of connecting directly to a particular URL via the mobile's wap browser.

- Use the browser to view push messages
- Set **OFF** to disable push messages.

E-mail

Sending an E-mail

- 1. In standby mode, press Menu Key > E-mail > New E-mail.
- 2. Enter the recipient'(s') Email address or select in contacts.
- 3. Tap **Sub** field to enter the title of your E-mail.
- 4. Tap **Text** and **Attachments** field to edit the E-mail.
- 5. Tap **Options** to add **Cc/Bcc** recipient or **Add Signature**.
- 6. Tap **Send/Save** icon to send/save the E-mail.

Receiving an E-mail

The envelope icon appears in the information bar to indicate that you have received a new mail.

Tap the message to view.

Or in standby mode, select **Menu Key > E-mail > IMAP4 box** to check the mail.

Message Boxes

The Handset Inbox folder contains all of your received messages. In this folder you can view your received messages and reply or forward messages to another recipient.

The **Outbox** folder contains all messages that were unsuccessfully sent during the last attempt. In this folder you can edit or resend your messages.

The **Drafts** folder contains drafts and unfinished messages. In this folder you can complete or resend your messages.

The **Sent** folder contains messages that were sent successfully. From this folder you can edit or forward messages to another recipient.

- ► The **SIM Inbox** contains messages saved in the **SIM** card.
- ▶ You can move your received messages from **Handset Inbox** to **User Folders**.
- ▶ You can check the amount of memory available for messages in the **Memory Info** folder.



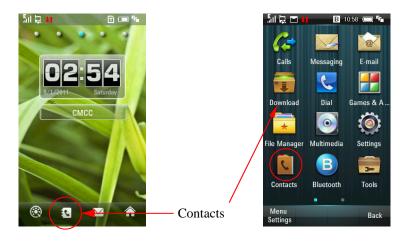
Notes:

- ▶ You cannot receive new messages if memory for messages is full.
- ▶ The total amount of messages is determined by the space of handset and SIM card.

Chapter 5 Contacts

Contacts

You can store contacts with a variety of phone and fax numbers as well as additional address details. The phone can store up to 500 items. The capacity of a phone book in your SIM card depends on the type of SIM card provided by your service provider. The saved location can be identified by the icon before the contacts.





Adding a Contact

- 1. In standby mode, tap Contacts icon.
- 2. Tap New icon.
- 3. Enter the information of contact, such as name, number, etc.
- 4. Tap **Save** icon to save the new contact.

Searching a Contact

- 1. In standby mode, tap Contacts icon.
- 2. Tap **Search** icon.
- 3. Enter the first letter and the phone shows all contacts starting with such a letter.

Eg. To search "John", press the key "5" once for 'J'. All names starting with 'J' are displayed.

4. Refine the search by entering a subsequent letter that can occur anywhere in the name.

Eg. 'Jn' will find 'John' and 'Julian' but not 'James'

Chapter 6 Bluetooth

Your phone includes Bluetooth used to connect your handset to wireless headsets and hands free car kits. You can also transfer files between your phone and other Bluetooth devices such as another phone or a laptop. Not all applications or devices can be supported as Bluetooth is an open forum and different manufacturers adopt different standards and implementation.

Enabling Bluetooth

The default Bluetooth function is disabled for your phone.

If you enable Bluetooth and power off the phone, this function will be disabled. After you restart the phone, this function will be enabled automatically.

- 1. In standby mode, press **Menu Key** to enter main menu.
- 2. Select **Bluetooth** > **Bluetooth On/Off** to open or close Bluetooth function.



MOTE Notes:

- ► Start Bluetooth to allow your mobile phone to be found by other compatible devices
- ▶ You can send files between your phone and another Bluetooth device.

My Devices

- 1. In standby mode, select **Menu Key** to enter main menu.
- 2. Select **Bluetooth** > **Find Device** search the available Bluetooth device.
- 3. Or select **Bluetooth > My Device** to enter the Bluetooth device displayed list.
- 4. Enter the pass code when asked for permission to connect to the device. After the paired device verifies the pass code, the device will be added successfully.

Sending Data

Firstly please confirm following two items:

- Enable Bluetooth function.
- The paired device is visible.
- 1. Select your desired file folder
- 2. Select **Options** > **Send via Bluetooth**.
- 3. Mark the file that you want to send.
- 4. Tap **OK** to confirm.
- 5. Tap the aim device from the device list.

Receiving Data

Firstly please enable Bluetooth function.

- 1. If the paired device tries to send a file to your phone, one popup dialogue will appear in your screen.
- 2. Tap Yes to accept the incoming file, or tap No to reject the incoming file.

Chapter 7 Internet

Surfing the Internet

- 1. Press Menu Key to enter main menu.
- 2. Select **Browser > Home Page** to access the preset home page.
- 3. Or tap http:// (Enter Address) icon to enter new URL address manually, and then tap OK to confirm.
- 4. Or tap the previously saved page to access the page.

Chapter 8 Entertainment

Your phone allows you to use a camera, video camera, voice recorder, etc. to take photos, shoot video clips, record voice memos, etc.

Pictures

Your handset has picture management function. The operation for pictures in handset memory or storage card includes: browsing, transmitting, setting as wall paper, adding to slide, move, rename, copy and delete.



Caution:

▶ The preset pictures in handset can not be transmitted or deleted.

Taking a Photo

Your phone has an integrated digital camera, which allows you to capture images.

- 1. In standby mode, press **Menu Key**.
- 2. Select **Camera** on the second page or select **Multimedia > Camera**.



- 3. Aim the camera lens at a person/place.
- 4. Press the **Camera key** on the phone to take the photo.



• The shortcut icons not available on the screen can be preset in Menu Settings.

Viewing Pictures & Playing a Slide Show

When you have stored image files on your phone, you can use the following methods to view the photos or use them to create a slide show. You can select the order in which the photos are played.

- 1. In standby mode, press Menu Key > Multimedia.
- 2. Select Picture Browser or File Manager > Photos > My Photos.
- 3. Tap (and **Open**) your desired pictures to view.
- 4. Tap **Play Slide** to play the photos in the playlist.

Music

When you have audio files stored in your phone, you can create a playlist. This allows you to set the order in which the audio files are played.

Playing a Music File

- 1. Activate **Voice Recorder** to play the sound file.
- i. In standby mode, press **OK Key [Menu] > Multimedia**.
- ii. Select Voice Recorder or File Manager > Audios.
- iii. Select **My Audio** to view Playlist.
- iv. Tap your desired file to play.
- 2. Activate **Music Player** to play the sound file.
- i. In standby mode, tap **Music Player** icon on the second page (Hidden Icons) or press **OK Key [Menu]** > **Multimedia** > **Music Player**.



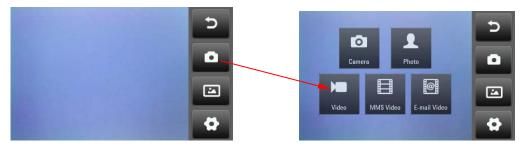
- ii. View and select file in Playlist.
- iii. Tap your desired file to play.

Video

Your phone allows you to record, store and play video files.

Recording a Video

You can use the Video camera to record video clips.



- 1. In standby mode, press Menu Key > Multimedia > Camera > Mode > Video.
- 2. Press the Camera key [Record] on the phone to start/stop recording.

Playing Videos

- 1. In standby mode, press **Menu Key > Multimedia**.
- 2. Select Video Player or File Manager > Videos > My Kinscope to view Playlist.
- 3. Tap your desired file to play.

Streaming URL

TV channels are links to audio or video streaming content that are available through the browser (similar to bookmarks). The streaming content is only available while you are connected to the server, depending on your service provider or available content.

Playing Streaming Media

- 1. In standby mode, press the **Menu Key** to show the **Main Menu**.
- 2. Select Multimedia > Video player > Stream Media.
- 3. Select Add to set the URL and select Network Settings to set the access server.

Recorder

This function allows you to record a voice memo. You can also set the voice memo as a ringtone.

Recording

- 1. In standby mode, press Menu Key > Multimedia > Voice Recorder to start the voice recorder.
- 3. Tap **Start/Pause/Done** to start/ pause/Stop recording the voice memo.

Radio

You need to use headphones or an earphone to listen to the radio on your phone. The radio has an auto-search and channel locking function.



Tips:

- ▶ Be careful to select a suitable volume when listening to the radio.
- ▶ Listening at a continuously high volume may be harmful to your ears.

Chapter 9 Settings

Display setting

In standby mode, press **Menu Key > Settings > Screen**.

- ► Tap Wallpaper, to choose picture saved in File Manager as wallpaper.
- ▶ Tap **Backlight Duration** to adjust backlight duration time.
- ► Tap **Brightness** to adjust the screen brightness.
- ▶ Tap **Keylock Timeout** to set keypad auto lock.
- ► Tap **Keyboard Light** to adjust keypad light time.
- ▶ Tap **Greeting** to input greeting words, displayed in power on screen.
- ▶ Tap Touch Screen Calibration to calibrate.

Basic setting

In standby mode, press **Menu Key > Settings > Handset**.

- ▶ Tap Language to set the current display language.
- ▶ Tap **Time and Date** to set time, date and display mode.
- ▶ Tap Menu Display Option to set the main menu options.
- ► Tap **Feedback** to open or close slight vibration function after each successful operation.
- ► Tap **Default Memory** to set your default save position.
- ► Tap **Restore Default Settings** to reset the phone to the factory settings.

Connect

- 1. Press **Menu Key** to enter main menu.
- 2. Select **Settings** > **Connect**:
 - ▶ Tap Connection Settings to set the connection.
 - ► Tap Access Point Settings to view the access point list.
 - ► Tap **PC Connection** to choose the connection method between your computer and phone.
 - ▶ Tap **Network Settings** to set the access server.
 - ▶ Tap **Modem Settings** to set modem parameters, you can use data cable to connect handset and computer and use handset as modem. The detail parameter can refer to your service provider.

Profiles setting

Your handset supplies several predefined user profiles, and you can choose a certain profile according to your surrounding.

- 1. In standby mode, press Menu Key > Settings > Profiles > General/Meeting/Outdoors/Silent/Airplane according to your current surrounding.
- 2. Tap desired profile and tap **Edit** to edit it.

- ► Tap **Ring Type** to set ring type.
- ► Tap Voice Call Ringtone to set voice call ring tone.
- ► Tap Video Call Ringtone to set video call ring tone.
- ► Tap Message Tone to set SMS ring.
- ► Tap **Ring Volume** to set ring volume.
- ► Tap Earpiece Volume to adjust earpiece volume.
- ▶ Tap **Keytones** to turn off/on the keypad tone.
- ► Tap **Warning Tone** to turn on/off the warning tone.
- ▶ Tap **Missed Calls Tone** to set missed call notification tone.
- ► Tap **Power On/Off Tone** to set the power on/off melody.

Security setting

Phone lock: Phone lock could prevent your phone from illegal use. The default handset password is 0000. Please change it to your own phone password as soon as possible.

PIN Code: PIN code (Personal Identification Code) could prevent your SIM card from illegal use. When PIN lock is on, you should enter the PIN code when power on the handset again, otherwise the handset can only execute emergency call.

PUK Code: Consecutive inputting wrong PIN code for three times can cause locking of UIM card. To unlock, you need PUK code.

- 1. In standby mode, press **Menu Key > Settings > Security**.
- 2. Select **Activate Security Codes** > **Handset Password/PIN Code** to activate/deactivate handset password or PIN code protection.
- 3. Select Change Security Codes > Handset Password/PIN Code/PIN2 code to change handset password or PIN code.



PIN code and PUK code may be offered together with the UIM card. If not, please contact with network operator. Please change default PIN code to your own as soon as possible.

Please remember the password you set, without it your phone cannot be used normally and you will need to contact your service provider to unlock it.

PIN2 is needed for some settings. Proceed as with PIN code.

PUK code can only be inputted continuously for 10 times, if input wrong PUK code for 10 times, SIM card will be locked indefinitely.

Fixed Dial Numbers

If you active this function, you can not dial the numbers out of list.

Call setting

Videophone Gateway Setting

All the fields are preset by your carrier. Contact your Service Provider for more details.

Call Forwarding

Call Forwarding allows you to divert your incoming calls to another phone number. Contact your service provider for more information and availability.

Call Waiting

If a call comes in when you are already on a call, you are notified with a call waiting tone. The phone shows the number/name of the waiting call. Contact your service provider for more information.

Call Barring

Call Barring allows you to restrict the calls that you make or receive. To change the settings, you need to have a network password from your service provider. Contact your service provider for more information.

Send My Number

This function allows you to send or hide your phone number when making calls. You can also select **Automatic**. The network then chooses whether to show/hide the phone number. This function requires network to support.

Automatic Answer

This function allows the phone to answer the incoming call automatically.

Chapter 11 File Manager

Managing Folders

You can create a new folder, rename a folder, check folder attributes and delete unnecessary folders.

Space Management

- 1. In standby mode, press **Menu Key > File Manager**.
- 2. Select a folder in phone or memory card.
- 3. Tap **Delete** icon to delete file in folder.
- 4. Select **Options** to rename folder, check folder information, check the space information, etc.

Chapter 12 PC Client Software

Installing PC Software

- The software is only for Windows 7, Vista, XP, but can not be guaranteed to run on these systems.
- 1. Connect the data cable to your phone and your computer.



- Plug the smaller end of the cable into the connection jack at the left side of the phone, and the bigger end into the USB port of the computer.
- The USB lead is unique and should not be used for other devices. (It is not the same as digital camera leads)
- 2. Your computer will recognize the handset and start the Join ME installation process automatically.



- If the system does not launch installation automatically, you can run the installation program in path of My Computer> JoinME.
- 3. Follow the prompts to complete the software installation. All required drivers are installed at this time.



Once installed the JoinME icon will appear on the desktop.

Uninstalling PC Software

1. Select Start > Program > Join ME > Uninstall Join ME.



Before uninstall, please close the program.

2. Complete the uninstallation according to the prompt information.

Running PC Software

Make sure that you connect the mobile phone to your PC correctly.

1. Switch your phone on.



- 2. Double click the icon on the desktop.
- 3. You will be prompted to connect your device, select **F953** and click **Connect**.
- 4. Your phone will now automatically synchronize the content from the handset, and the Join ME is now ready to use with your connected device.



The icon JoinME

will be on the Windows status bar if the connection is successful when the

program window is minimized.



Notes:

When copying a file from your computer to the memory card or the phone memory, you can drag the file into the corresponding folder.

Chapter 13 Care and Maintenance

General Care

- ▶ Do not allow the phone, battery or accessories to come into contact with liquids or moisture at any time. Do not immerse the phone in any liquid.
- ▶ Do not place the phone next to computer disks, credit cards, travel cards and other magnetic media. The information contained on the disks or cards may be affected by the phone.
- ▶ Do not place anything in the folded phone.
- ▶ Do not paint the phone.
- ▶ Do not leave the phone or battery in places where the temperature could exceed 45° C. For example, on a car dashboard or a Windowsill, behind glass in direct sunlight, etc.
- ▶ Do not remove the phone's battery while the phone is turned on.
- ▶ Do not to allow metal objects, such as coins or key rings, to contact or short-circuit the battery terminals.
- ▶ Do not dispose of the battery packs in a fire. The handset's Li-ION batteries may be safely disposed of at a Li-ION recycling point.
- ▶ Do not put the phone's battery in your mouth. Battery electrolytes may be toxic if swallowed.
- ▶ Do not attempt to dismantle the phone or any of its accessories.
- ► The phone has an internal battery. Take it to a qualified service engineer when battery replacement is required.
- ▶ There is a risk of explosion if the battery is replaced with the incorrect battery type. Dispose of the used battery in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- ▶ Do not put a battery into a microwave oven, dryer or high-pressure container.
- ▶ Do not put the battery in direct contact with an electric outlet or cigarette lighter charger. Use only approved charger units.
- ▶ Do not pierce the battery with a sharp object, such as a needle.
- ▶ When the battery is thrown away, be sure it is non-conducting by applying vinyl tape to the (+) and (-) terminals.
- ▶ Do not disassemble or modify the battery.
- ▶ Do not drop, throw, or subject the handset to rough treatment.
- ▶ Stop using the battery if abnormal heat, odour, discoloration, deformation or any abnormal condition is detected during use, charge or storage.
- ▶ In the unlikely event of a battery leak, keep the battery discharge away from your eyes or skin. If the leakage comes into contact with the eyes or skin, please flush thoroughly in clean water and consult a doctor.
- ▶ Do not use a damaged or deformed battery.
- ▶ Do not directly solder a battery.
- ▶ If the battery's life cycle has expired, remove it from equipment immediately.
- ▶ The earpiece may become warm during normal use. In addition, the phone itself may become warm while the battery is being charged.

- ▶ When a phone is in vibration mode, the vibration can sometimes cause the phone to move.
- ▶ Be careful not to place the phone near heat sources (such as a heater) or too close to the edge of a
- ▶ Use a damp or anti-static cloth to clean the phone. Do not use an ordinary dry cloth or electrostatic cloth. Do not use chemical or abrasive cleaners as these could damage the casing.
- Third party equipment: The use of third party equipment, cables or accessories, not made or authorized by the manufacturer, may invalidate the warranty of your handset and adversely affect the phone's safety/operation.
- ▶ Remember to make backup copies of all of the important data on your handset.
- ▶ Remember to recycle: the cardboard packing supplied with this handset is ideal for recycling.



Caution:

▶ There is a danger of explosion if battery is replaced by with the incorrect type. Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.

Aircraft Safety

- ► Turn off your phone before the airplane takes off. To protect airplane's communication system from interference, using a mobile phone in flight is prohibited. If you want to use mobile phone before the airplane takes off, you should get aircrew's permission according to the safety regulations.
- ▶ If the mobile phone has an automatic timing power-on function, please check your alarm setting to ensure that your phone will not be automatically turned on during the flight.

Hospital Safety

- Switch off your phone and remove the battery in areas where the use of phones is prohibited.
- ▶ Follow the instructions given by the respective medical facility regarding the use of phones on their premises.

General Guidelines

- ► In some countries national law prevents unapproved private copying of copyrighted material. Please check the national legislation of the applicable country concerning the use of such material.
- Many jurisdictions have laws and regulations about taking pictures in public or private areas and regarding the processing and further use of such pictures. The manufacturer encourages its customers to obey all laws and to respect the personal rights of others.
- ▶ Please check the roaming agreement availability with your service provider.
- ▶ The use of mobile phones is not allowed in some radiation sensitive areas, such as hospitals, research centers and airplanes. The user is responsible for turning off the device. If there is any uncertainty, you should remove the battery from the handset.
- ▶ Observe any signs that indicate that you must turn off your phone, such as those near gas stations or explosives and turn off the phone immediately.
- ▶ If you have a heart condition, be careful with the settings for call vibration or tone volume.
- ▶ Do not allow children to play with the phone, charger or batteries.
- ▶ Do not use the phone where blasting is in progress.
- ▶ Do not try to make a call while the temperature of charging battery is above 45°C.

- ► Take care not to put your phone in the back pocket of your trousers or skirt and then sit on it. In addition, do not put your phone at the bottom of a bag where it may subject to excessive weight or pressure. Doing so may damage the LCD and camera lens and cause them to malfunction.
- ► The operation of some medical electronic devices, such as hearing aids and pacemakers, may be affected if a phone is used next to them. Observe any caution signs and the manufacturer's recommendations.
- ▶ Do not leave the phone discharged or without a battery for a long time. Doing so may cause some data to be erased.
- ▶ Your phone contains metal, which may cause you to itch, or have a rash or eczema depending on your physical condition.

Road Safety

- ▶ You must exercise proper control of your vehicle at all times. Give your full attention to driving.
- ▶ Observe all of the recommendations contained in your local traffic safety code.
- ▶ Pull off the road and park before making or answering a call, if driving conditions require this to be done
- ► Check whether local laws and/or regulations restrict the use of phones while driving.
- ➤ You MUST NOT stop on the hard shoulder of a highway to answer or make a call, except in an emergency.
- ▶ Switch off your phone at a refueling point, such as a gas station, even if you are not refueling your own car.
- ▶ Do not store or carry flammable or explosive materials in the same compartment as the phone.
- ▶ Electronic vehicle systems, such as anti-lock brakes, speed control and fuel injection systems are not normally affected by radio transmissions. The manufacturer of such equipment can advise if it is adequately shielded from radio transmissions. If you suspect vehicle problems are being caused by radio transmissions, consult your dealer and do not switch on the handset until it has been checked by qualified approved installers.

Vehicles Equipped with an Airbag

An airbag inflates with great force. Do not place objects, including either installed or portable wireless equipment, in the area over the airbag or in the airbag deployment area. If in-vehicle wireless equipment is improperly installed and the airbag inflates, serious injury could result.

Third Party Equipment

The use of third party equipment, cables or accessories, not made or authorized by the manufacturer, may invalidate the warranty of your handset and also adversely affect the handset's operation. For example, use only the manufacturer's power cable supplied with the AC charger.

Emergency Service



Notes:

► Emergency service numbers vary by country. They help you to get emergency service from the operator.

To make an emergency call in any country:

- 1. Ensure that your handset is on and in service.
- 2. Press the **End Key** as many times as needed to clear the display and ready the device for calls.

- 3. Enter the local emergency number for your current location, for example, 911.
- 4. Press the **Call Key** to dial the number. Follow the instructions you receive and do not end the call until told to do so.

When the (U)SIM card is not inserted, enter the official emergency number directly and press **Call Key** or **OK key [Call]** to dial the number.



Notes:

- ► Tell the operator which service you require: Police, Ambulance, Fire Brigade, Coastguard or Mountain Rescue Service. Tell them where you are and remain stationary to maintain contact if possible.
- ▶ Due to the nature of the cellular system, the connection of emergency calls cannot be guaranteed. You should never rely solely on any wireless device for essential communications, such as medical emergencies.

Declaration of Conformity

We declare under our sole responsibility that the product(s) detailed in this manual, and in combination with our accessories, conform to the essential requirements of European Union Directive 1999/5/EC Radio and Telecommunications Terminal Equipment Directive requirements 3.1(a), 3.1(b), 3.2.

Privacy Information

Camera usage and photo/audio/video recordings carried out with the phone can offend the confidentiality of the subjects. The user therefore is held to respect legislation in matters of confidentiality and remains the only responsible subject in the case of eventual violations of the enforced norm.

Copyright Notice

The video/audio recordings you make/download are protected by copyright laws. They are for personal use only and must not otherwise be used without the permission of the copyright owner.

Battery Use

Do not short-circuit the battery, as this can cause the unit to overheat or ignite.

Do not store battery in hot areas or throw it into fire. Otherwise, it will cause explosion.

Do not disassemble or refit the battery. Otherwise, it will cause liquid leakage, overheating, explosion and and ignition of the battery.

Please store the battery in a cool dry place if you don't use it for a long period.

The battery can be recharged for hundreds of times, but it will eventually wear out. When the operating time (talk time and standby time) is noticeably shorter than normal, it is time to replace it with a new one.

Please stop using the charger and battery when they are damaged or show evidence of aging.

Return the worn-out battery to the provider or dispose of it in accordance with environment regulations.

Do not dispose of it in household rubbish.

Please use original batteries or batteries approved by the phone manufacturer. Using any unauthorized battery may affect your handset performance or may cause danger of explosion, etc.

Warning:

If the battery is damaged, do not discharge it. If the leakage does come into contact with the eyes or skin, wash thoroughly in clean water and consult a doctor.

FCC Compliance

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation. Caution: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the manufacturer could void the user's authority to operate he equipment.

NOTE: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- -Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- -Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- -Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- -Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/ TV technician for help.

Health and safety informationRadio Frequency (RF)Energy

This model phone meets the government's requirements for exposure to radio waves.

This phone is designed and manufactured not to exceed the emission limits for exposure to radio frequency (RF) energy set by the Federal Communications Commission of the U.S. Government:

The exposure standard for wireless mobile phones employs a unit of measurement known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR. The SAR limit set by the FCC is 1.6W/kg. *Tests for SAR are conducted using standard operating positions accepted by the FCC with the phone transmitting at its highest certified power level in all tested frequency bands. Although the SAR is determined at the highest certified power level, the actual SAR level of the phone while operating can be well below the maximum value. This is because the phone is designed to operate at multiple power levels so as to use only the poser required to reach the network. In general, the closer you are to a wireless base station antenna, the lower the power output.

The highest SAR value for the model phone as reported to the FCC when tested for use towards ground is 1.09 mW/g. While there may be differences between the SAR levels of various phones and at various positions, they all meet the government requirement.

The FCC has granted an Equipment Authorization for this model phone with all reported SAR levels evaluated as in compliance with the FCC RF exposure guidelines. SAR information on this model phone is on file with the FCC and can be found under the Display Grant section of http://www.fcc.gov/oet/fccid after searching on FCC ID: Q78-F953

Chapter 14 Troubleshooting and FAQs

If you encounter problems while using the phone, or if it performs erratically, you can consult the information in the chart below. If your particular problem can not be resolved using the information in the chart, contact the dealer of handset.

Problem	Possible causes	Possible solution
Poor reception	The network signal is too weak at your current location, for example, in a basement or near a tall building, because wireless transmissions can not effectively reach it.	Move to a location where the network signal can be properly received.
	The network is busy at the current time (for example, during peak times, there may be too much network traffic to handle additional calls).	Avoid using the phone at such times, or try again after waiting a short time.
	You are too far away from a base station for your service provider.	You can request a service area map from your service provider.
Echo or noise	Poor network trunk quality on the part of your service provider.	Press End Icon and dial again. You may be switched to a better-quality network trunk or phone line.
	Poor local telephone line quality.	Press End Icon and dial again. You may be switched to a better-quality network trunk or phone line.
Unable to select certain features.	Your service provider does not support these features, or you have not applied for services that provide these features.	Contact your service provider.
Battery will not charge.	The battery or battery charger is damaged.	Contact the dealer.
	• The phone's temperature is below 0°C or higher than 45 °C.	Adjust the battery charging environment to avoid extremes of temperature
	Poor contact between the battery and charger.	Check all connectors to make sure all connections have been properly made.



Shortened standby time	The standby time is related to your service provider system configuration. The same phone used with different service providers' systems will not provide exactly the same length of standby time.	If you are located in an area where signaling is weak, temporarily switch off the phone.
	The battery is depleted. In high-temperature environments, battery life will be shortened.	Use a new battery.
	If you are not able to connect to the network, the phone will continue to send out signals as it attempts to locate a base station. Doing so consumes battery power and will consequently shorten standby time.	Change your location to one where the network is accessible, or temporarily turn off your phone.
You cannot switch your phone on.	Battery power has been depleted.	Recharge the phone's battery.
(U)SIM card error	SIM card malfunction or damage.	Take the SIM card to your service provider for testing.
	SIM card inserted improperly.	Insert the SIM card properly.
	Debris on the SIM card contacts.	Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the SIM card contacts.
Unable to connect to the network.	•SIM card invalid.	Contact your service provider.
	You are not within the network's service area.	Check the service area with your service provider.
	• Poor signal.	Move to an open space, or if you are inside a building, move closer to a window.
You cannot answer incoming calls.	You have activated the Call Barring feature.	Go to Settings > Call > Call Barring, and then select Cancel all call barring.
You cannot make outgoing calls.	You have activated the Call Barring feature.	Go to Settings > Call > Call Barring, and then select Cancel all call barring.



	You have activated the Fixed Dial Number feature.	Go to Settings > Security > Fixed Dial Numbers and select OFF to turn this feature off.
PIN code is blocked.	You have entered an incorrect PIN code three consecutive times.	Contact your service provider. If the service provider provides the SIM card's PUK code, use the PUK code to unlock the SIM card.
Unable to enter information into the phone book.	The phone book's memory is already full.	Delete unnecessary data from the Contacts.

Chapter 15 Specifications

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Network Compatibility	UMTS 900/1900/2100+GSM 850/900/1800/1900
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Dimensions (H×W×D)	103.5mm*56mm*12.9mm
Weight	93.8g (with battery)
Display	240*400 pixels, WQVGA TFT Screen, 3.2 inch
Camera	2M pixels camera
Extended memory	Up to 8G memory card
Battery	Li-ion 900mAh
Performance	MP4 video, MP3 audio, 2.0 MPixel camera, Video Phone, USB, MIDP 2.0
	JAVA, 3.2" colour WQVGA TFT display, 240 x 400 pixels touch-screen, MMS, Email, Calendar, Speakerphone, Voice Recorder, Bluetooth 2.1
	Stereo, Supports 8GB Memory card, CTM, FM Radio, USB Mass Storage.
Continuous idle time	GSM 200h, WCDMA 240h
Continuous video talk time	90m
Continuous video talk time Continuous voice talk time	90m GSM180m, WCDMA 210m
Continuous voice talk time	GSM180m, WCDMA 210m
Continuous voice talk time Charge time	GSM180m, WCDMA 210m Approximately 3 hours BMP, GIF, PNG,JEPG, MP3, WAV, AMR, AAC, MIDI,MP4, 3GP, TXT GAP, SDP, HSP, HFP, A2DP, AVRCP, GAVDP, OPP, FTP, GOEP,
Continuous voice talk time Charge time Supported Files	GSM180m, WCDMA 210m Approximately 3 hours BMP, GIF, PNG,JEPG, MP3, WAV, AMR, AAC, MIDI,MP4, 3GP, TXT



Notes:

▶ The phone's talk and idle time are based on ideal working environments. The use of extended backlighting, browser, and network conditions can reduce battery life and talk/idle time.

Chapter 16

Disposing of Your Phone

The symbol Z brought back on the equipment indicates that the refusal must be object of "separate collection".

Therefore, the customer will have to confer (or to make to confer) the refusal to the centers of differentiated collection predisposed from the local administrations, or to deliver it to the retailer in exchange of one new equipment purchased.

The differentiated collection of the refusal and the successive operations of treatment, recovery and waste help the production of equipment with recycle material and limit the hazardous effects on the atmosphere and the health eventually caused from one improper management of the refusal.

The illicit disposal of the product by the customer involves the application of the administrative endorsements of which to article 254 and following of the D.Lgs. 152, April 3rd 2006.

According to the article, the 13, D.Lgs. 25th July 2005, n. 151 "Performance of the Directives 2002/95/CE, 2002/96/CE and 2003/108/CE, relative to the reduction of the use of dangerous substances in the equipment electronic electrical workers and, let alone to the disposal of the refusals".