

Important! Before using this telephone, please read the **Important safety instructions** on page 39 of this manual.

NEED HELP?

This manual has all the feature operations and troubleshooting necessary to install and operate your new VTech telephone. Please take the time to review thoroughly to ensure proper installation of this VTech innovative and feature rich product.

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Installation

Parts checklist

Remember to save your sales receipt and original packaging in case it is necessary to ship your telephone for warranty service. Check to make sure the telephone package includes the following:

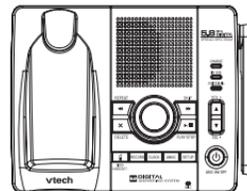
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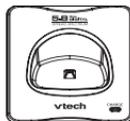
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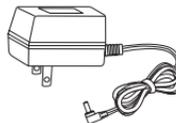
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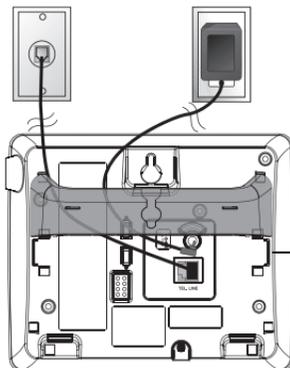
Telephone base installation

It is recommended to install the telephone base away from any electronic equipment and appliances such as personal computers, computer routers, television sets, microwave ovens, and refrigerators. Avoid excessive heat, cold, dust or moisture. When a location is selected, install the telephone base and the charger as shown below.

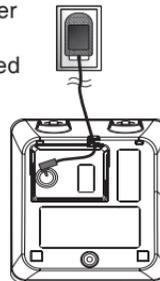
- Plug the connector into the power jack at the bottom of the telephone base and charger. Route cords through slots and plug the power adapter into an electrical outlet not controlled by a wall switch.
- Plug one end of the telephone line cord into the telephone line jack at the bottom of the telephone base. Route the telephone line cord through slot, then plug the other end of the cord into the modular wall telephone outlet.

Your telephone base comes with the bracket installed for desktop use. If you prefer to mount your telephone on the wall, plug in the telephone line cord and the power adapter to the telephone base as instructed above before changing it to a wall mount position (see page 7 for bracket installation).

Plug the telephone line cord into a telephone jack.



Plug power adapter into an electrical outlet not controlled by a wall switch.



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- Use only the AC power adapter supplied with this telephone.
- This power unit is intended to be correctly oriented in a vertical or floor mount position. The prongs are not designed to hold the plug in place if it is plugged into a ceiling or an under-the-table/cabinet outlet.

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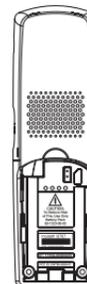
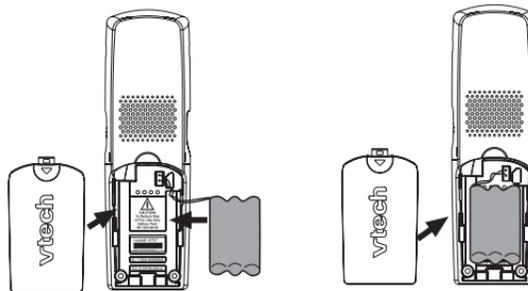
- If the handset will not be used for a long period, remove the battery to prevent possible leakage.
- To order a replacement battery go to www.vtechphones.com or call VTech Communications, Inc. at 1 (800) 595-9511 in the United States. In Canada, go to www.vtechcanada.com or call 1 (800) 267-7377.
- After you install the battery, there may be enough power for short calls.

Installation

Install handset battery

- Align the two holes of the battery plug with the socket pins in the handset battery compartment, matching the red and black wires to the color-coded label.
- Place the battery in the compartment with the wires in the upper left corner.
- Position the battery compartment cover and slide it towards the unit until it clicks into place.
- For optimal performance, we recommend that you charge the handset for 16 hours.

You can keep the battery charged by returning the handset to the telephone base after each use. When the battery power is fully depleted, a full recharge takes about 16 hours.



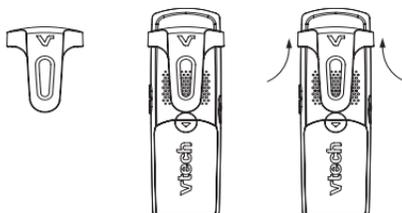
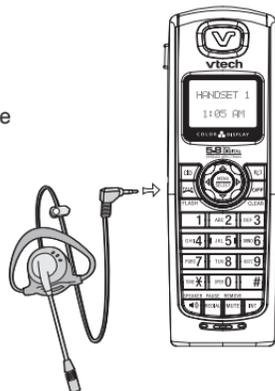
Installation

Belt clip & headset (optional)

For hands-free telephone conversations, use any industry standard 2.5mm headset (purchased separately). For best results, use a VTech 2.5mm headset.

Headset

Plug the 2.5 mm headset into the jack on the side of the handset (beneath the small rubber flap).



Belt clip

Align the pins on the inside edge of the clip with the notches on the sides of the handset.

note

- To purchase a headset, visit us on the web at www.vtechphones.com or call VTech customer service at 1 (800) 595-9511. In Canada, go to www.vtechcanada.com or call 1 (800) 267-7377.
- Whenever a compatible headset is connected to the cordless handset, the microphone on the handset will be muted. This reduces background noise and improves the sound quality.
- If the sound quality of the headset is poor, try unplugging it, and firmly plugging it in again.

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About caller ID

The caller ID with call waiting features in this telephone lets you see the name and telephone number of the caller before answering the call, even when you're already on a call. These features require services provided by your local telephone company.

Contact your telephone company if:

- You have both caller ID and call waiting, but as separate services (you may need combined service),
- You have only caller ID service, or only call waiting service, or
- You do not subscribe to any caller ID or call waiting services but wish to try these services.

You can use this telephone with regular caller ID service, and you can use its other features without subscribing to either caller ID or combined caller ID with call waiting service. There may be fees for these services, and they may not be available in all areas.

The caller ID features will work only if both you and the caller are in areas offering caller ID service, and if both telephone companies use compatible equipment.

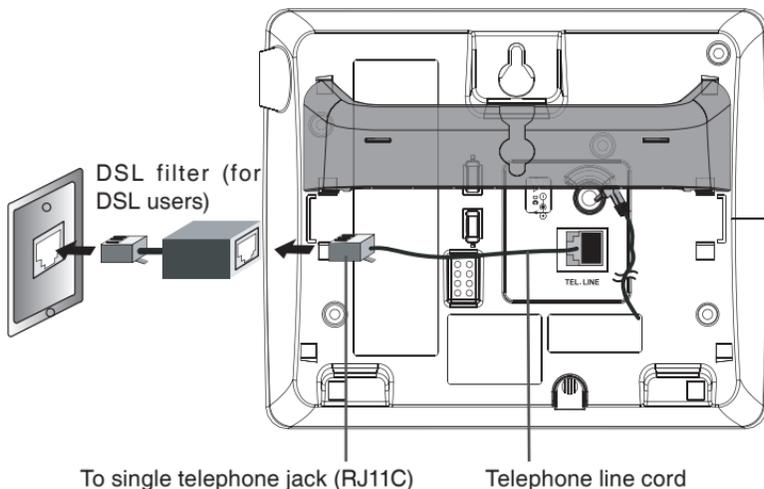
Voicemail service

If you subscribe to voicemail service provided by your telephone company, you can receive voicemail left by the caller. When you have new voicemail, the handset will display **NEW VOICE MAIL** .

Installation

If you subscribe to DSL service

If you receive high speed internet through your telephone line (commonly referred to as DSL), and you are experiencing interference during telephone conversations and/or your caller ID features are not functioning properly, install a DSL filter to the telephone line between the telephone base and the telephone wall jack. To obtain a DSL filter and more information about DSL interference, contact your DSL service provider.



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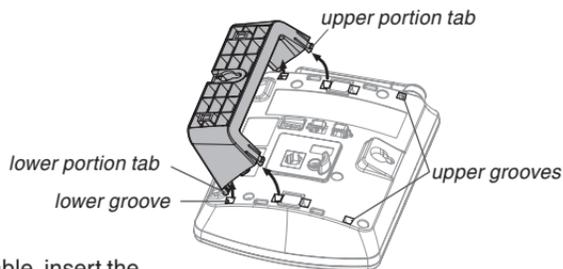
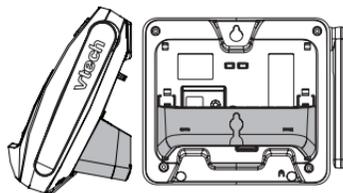
- Most DSL providers recommend installing a DSL filter in every telephone jack. Your DSL service provider may provide more information regarding telephone interference.

Installation

Wall mounting bracket installation (optional)

Your telephone base comes with the wall mounting/desktop bracket installed, ready for desktop use. If you prefer to mount your telephone on the wall (optional), it is designed to mount on a standard telephone wall plate. For wall mounting, follow these instructions:

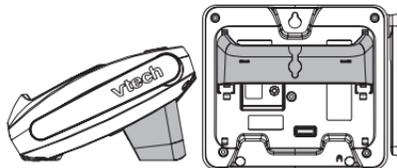
- First, insert the lower portion tabs of the wall mounting/desktop bracket into the lower grooves in the telephone base, then snap the upper portion tabs of the bracket into place.
- Mount the telephone base on the wall by positioning it so the mounting studs will fit into the holes on the telephone base and wall mounting/desktop bracket. Slide the telephone base down on the mounting studs until it locks into place.
- To remove the bracket, press both upper portion tabs firmly inward and pull the bracket downward until it release from the grooves.



Desk/table bracket installation

To place your telephone base on a desk or table, insert the wall mounting/desktop bracket.

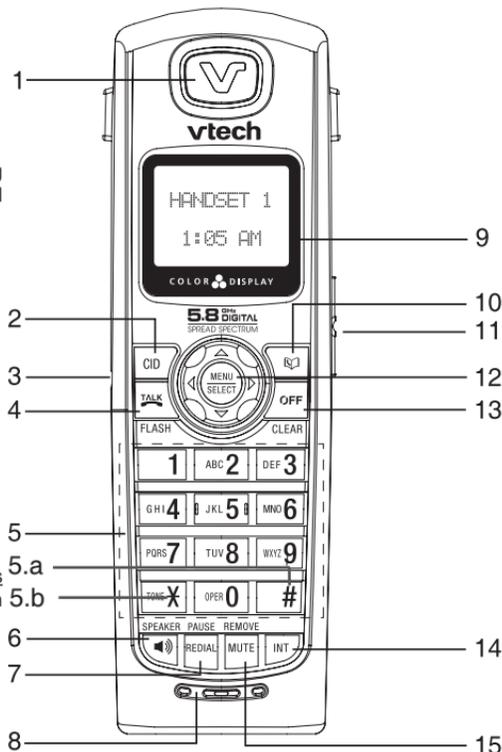
- Insert the lower portion tabs of the bracket into the upper grooves of the telephone base.
- Snap the upper portion tabs of the bracket into place.
- To remove the bracket, press both upper portion tabs firmly inward and pull the bracket upward until it is released from the grooves.



Telephone settings

Handset layout

1. Earpiece
2. **CID** (caller ID)
3. Headset jack (2.5mm)
4. **TALK/FLASH**
Press to make or answer a call. During a call, press to receive an incoming call if call waiting is activated.
5. Dial pad keys (**0-9, *, #**)
 - a. Press # repeatedly to display other dialing options when reviewing the call log (page 23).
 - b. Press * to switch to tone dialing temporarily when using the pulse service.
6. **SPEAKER**
Press to activate the handset speakerphone. Press again to resume normal handset use.
7. **REDIAL/PAUSE**
Press to view the redial memory. Press and hold to insert a dialing pause when entering numbers.
8. Microphone
9. Handset display
10.  (Directory)
11. Volume ( / )



12. **NavKey**
Press the center NavKey  to display menus.
Press the up or down NavKey  or  to navigate through menus (see page 10).
Press the left or right NavKey  or  to navigate through menus (see page 10).
Press the center NavKey  to select a highlighted menu item.

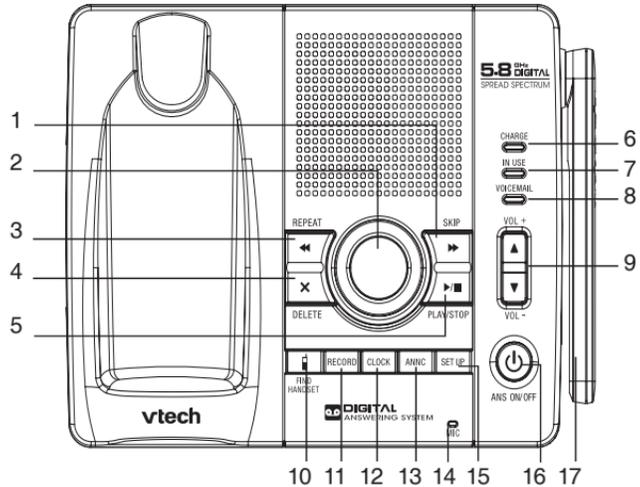


13. **OFF/CLEAR**
During a call, press to hang up. While using the menus, press to return to the previous menu.
14. **INT** (intercom)
Press to initiate an intercom conversation between handsets.
15. **MUTE/REMOVE**
While on a call, press to mute the microphone. While reviewing the call log, press to delete an individual entry, or press and hold to clear the entire call log. While entering or editing a name or number, press to delete a character.

Telephone settings

Telephone base layout

1. ► /SKIP
2. Message window
3. ◀ /REPEAT
4. DELETE
5. ► /PLAY/STOP
6. CHARGE light
7. IN USE light
8. VOICEMAIL light
9. VOLUME
10. FIND HANDSET
11. RECORD
12. CLOCK
13. ANNC (announcement)
14. Microphone
15. SETUP
16. ANS ON/OFF
17. Antenna



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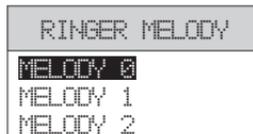
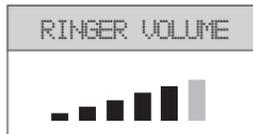
Ringer volume

Your telephone has seven volume levels to choose from. You can adjust ringer volume either by the volume control on the right side of the handset, or in the handset menu. To change the ringer volume:

- Make sure the handset is in idle mode.
- Press the volume button to display the current volume level on the screen.
- Press **VOL ▲** or **▼** to choose the desired volume level. When finished, the new volume level will be saved.

-OR-

- Press the center NavKey  in idle mode to display the menu.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **RINGER VOLUME** then press the center NavKey .
- Press the left or right NavKey  or  to adjust the volume. A sample of each ringer volume will be played when scrolling through the choices.
- Press the center NavKey  to save. There will be a confirmation tone.



- The ringer will be turned off if the volume is set to zero, and a ringer off icon will be displayed.
- If the ringer volume is turned off while scrolling through the options in **Ringer melody**, the sample of the ringer will not be heard.

Ringer melody

This feature allows you to choose from ten ringer melodies for incoming calls. To choose a ringer melody:

- Press the center NavKey  in idle mode to display menu.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **SOUNDS**, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the center NavKey  to choose **RINGER MELODY**.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose the desired ringer melody. A sample of the ringer tone will be played when scrolling through the options.
- Press the center NavKey  to save. You'll hear a confirmation tone.

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- When the telephone is in pulse dial mode, it is possible to switch to temporary tone dial mode during an ongoing call by pressing ***TONE**. Once pressed, tone dial mode will be used for the rest of the call. After you hang up, the telephone will return to pulse dialing for the next call.

Telephone settings

Key tone

The key tone is programmed to be on. When the key tone option is enabled, a tone will sound when any key is pressed on the handset.

- Press the center NavKey  in idle mode to display menu.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **SOUNDS** then press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **KEY TONE** then press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to select **ON** or **OFF** then press the center NavKey .



Settings menu

In the settings menu, you can change the language, dial type, clock, and clear voicemail. To enter the settings menu, press the center NavKey  in idle mode. Then press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **SETTINGS**, then press the center NavKey  to confirm.



Language

The language menu allows you to select between **ENGLISH**, **FRANÇAIS** or **ESPAÑOL** to be used in all menus and screen displays. To change the language:

- When in the **SETTINGS** menu, press the center NavKey  to select **LANGUAGE**.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll through the choices, then press **CENTER** NavKey  to save your selection.



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Telephone settings

Dial type

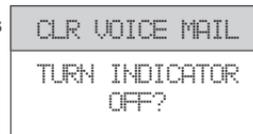
The dial type is preset to touch tone. If you would like to change this setting to dial pulse (rotary):

- When in the **SETTINGS** menu, press the down NavKey  to choose **DIAL TYPE**. Press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose **TONE** or **PULSE**, then press the center NavKey .

Clock setting

In this menu, you can set the clock for the handset.

- When in the **SETTINGS** menu, press the down NavKey  until you reach **CLOCK SETTING**. Press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to change the hour, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to change the minute, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose **AM** or **PM**, then press the center NavKey  to save.



Clear voicemail

If you have checked all of your new voicemail messages and the handset indicates that you still have new voicemail, you can clear the voicemail indication.

- From the **SETTINGS** menu, press the down NavKey  until you reach **CLR VOICE MAIL**. Press the center NavKey  to confirm.
- **TURN INDICATOR OFF?** will display. Press the center NavKey  to confirm or press **OFF/CLEAR** to cancel.

- When in the **CLOCK SETTING** menu the digit keys on the handset can also be used to change the hour and minute.
- If you subscribe to caller ID services, the clock will be set automatically with the next incoming call.
- If the date and time on one handset are changed, they will not be automatically updated on all other handsets.
- Clear voicemail is a temporary function. The light will turn on again after a new message is left.

Telephone settings

Display menu

In the display menu, you can change the wallpaper and contrast. To enter the display menu, press the center NavKey  in idle mode. Then press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **DISPLAY**, then press the center NavKey  to confirm.

Wallpaper

The handset is preset with background pictures (wallpaper) that will display when the handset is in idle mode. To change the wallpaper:

- Press the center NavKey  in idle mode to display the menu.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **DISPLAY**, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the center NavKey  to select **WALLPAPER**, then press the up or down NavKey  or  to scan through the choices. Press the center NavKey  to save.

Contrast

To change the contrast of the selected wallpaper:

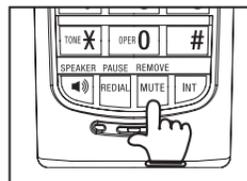
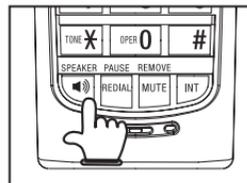
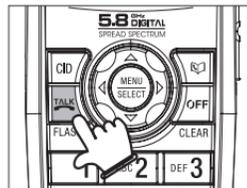
- Press the center NavKey  in idle mode to display the menu.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to reach **DISPLAY**, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the down NavKey  to reach **CONTRAST**, then press the center NavKey .
- Press the left or right NavKey  or  to change the setting, then press the center NavKey  to save.

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Basic operation

Make, answer, and end calls with the handset

- To make a call press **TALK/FLASH** or **SPEAKER**, then dial the number.
-OR-
- Dial the number, then press **TALK/FLASH** or **SPEAKER**.
- To answer a call, press **TALK/FLASH**, **SPEAKER** or any of the dial pad keys (**0-9, #, ***).
- To end a call, press **OFF/CLEAR**, or put the handset in the telephone base or charger.



Handset speakerphone

- During a call, press **SPEAKER** to select between speakerphone and normal handset use.

Mute

The mute function allows you to hear the other party, but they will not be able to hear you. To use the mute function:

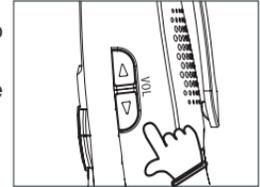
- During a call, press **MUTE/REMOVE** on the handset.
- The screen will display the **MUTE** icon.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** again to return to normal conversation.

- The screen displays the elapsed time as you talk (in hours, minutes and seconds).
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** or **OFF/CLEAR** to backspace, and **press and hold REDIAL/PAUSE** for at least three seconds to insert a pause.

Basic operation

Volume

- During a call, use the volume button on the right side of the handset to adjust the listening volume.
- Press the ▲ or ▼ volume control key to adjust the volume to a comfortable level.



Ringer mute

This feature allows you to mute the ringer temporarily when the telephone is ringing.

- Press **OFF/CLEAR** or **MUTE/REMOVE** on the handset to temporarily silence the ringer. The next call will ring normally.

Call waiting

If you have call waiting service, there will be a tone if there is an incoming call during a telephone conversation. Press the **TALK/FLASH** on the handset to answer the new incoming call.

Intercom

The intercom feature allows conversation between handsets.

- Press **INT** to display menu while in idle mode.
- The screen will display **INTERCOM TO:**
- Use the dial pad to select the destination handset.
- The screen of the originating handset will display **CALLING HANDSET X**.
- The destination handset will ring, and the screen will display **HANDSET X IS CALLING**.



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Basic operation

- To answer the intercom call on the handset, press **TALK/FLASH**, **📞/SPEAKER**, **INT** or any dialing keys (**0-9,#,***) on the handset.
- To end an intercom call, press **INT**, **OFF/CLEAR**, or place the handset back in the telephone base or charger.

Conference call

You can conference up to two registered handsets on an external line. If one handset is on the line, press **TALK/FLASH** or **📞/SPEAKER** on another handset to join the call.

Transfer an external call

Your phone allows you to transfer an external call from one handset to any other handset.

- During a call, press **INT** to put the call on hold at the originating handset. The screen will display **TRANSFER TO:**
- Use the keypad to select the number of the destination handset and the screen will display **CALLING HANDSET X**.
- The destination handset will ring and the screen displays **HANDSET X IS CALLING**.
- To answer the call at the destination handset, press **TALK/FLASH**, **📞/SPEAKER**, **INT** or any dial pad keys (**0-9, #, ***) on the destination handset.
- Now the party at the originating handset can have a conversation with the party at the destination handset, and the screen displays **INTERCOM**.
- Press **OFF/CLEAR** on the originating handset to transfer the call.



INTERCOM

- If the destination handset does not pick up the intercom call in 100 seconds, the originating handset can return to the external call by pressing **TALK/FLASH**, or **OFF/CLEAR**.
- If a call remains on hold for about 100 seconds, the screen of the originating handset shows **UNABLE TO CALL. TRY AGAIN** and reconnects to the external call automatically. The destination handset returns to idle mode.

Basic operation

Answering intercom and external calls

When on an external call and you wish to intercom another handset without dropping the external call:

- Press **INT**.
- Press the handset number you wish to reach. The screen will display **CALLING HANDSET X**.
- After the destination handset has answered the intercom call, press **INT** on the originating handset to select between the external call (outside) and intercom call.

Answer an incoming call during an intercom call

- During an intercom call, there will be an alert tone signaling an incoming call.
- To answer the incoming call, press **TALK/FLASH** or **SPEAKER** on the handset, and the intercom call will end automatically.
- To end the intercom call without answering the incoming call, press **OFF/CLEAR** on the handset.

Find handset

This feature allows the telephone base to page all the handsets.

- Press **FIND HANDSET** on telephone base, all the handset(s) will ring and the screens display **PAGING**.
- To stop paging, press **FIND HANDSET** again on the telephone base, **TALK/FLASH**, **SPEAKER** or any dial pad keys (**0-9, #, ***) on the handset.

Voicemail

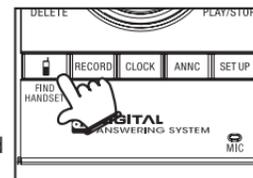
If you subscribe to voicemail service and you have a new voicemail message, the **VOICEMAIL** indicator on the telephone base will flash and the handset will display **NEW VOICE MAIL** . Please contact your local telephone company for more information about voicemail service.



INTERCOM



OUTSIDE



PAGING

Advanced operation

Directory

The directory on the handset can store up to 50 entries, with each entry consisting up to 32 digits and 16 characters.

- The directory can be accessed while in idle mode by pressing  or the center NavKey  twice.
- Press **OFF/CLEAR** to exit the menu without saving any changes.
- **DIRECTORY EMPTY** is displayed on screen when there are no entries in the directory.

Store a directory entry

- From the directory menu, press the center NavKey  twice then press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose **STORE**. Press the center NavKey .
- The screen displays **ENTER NUMBER**. Use the dial pad to enter the number.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace, or **press and hold REDIAL/PAUSE** for at least three seconds to insert a pause. Press the center NavKey  to save.
- The screen displays **ENTER NAME**. Use the dial pad (see the **Chart of characters** on page 19) to enter the name.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace, or press **#** to insert a space. Press the center NavKey .
- When the directory is full and you attempt to save an entry, **LIST FULL** will display.
- If you attempt to save a number already stored in the directory, **ALREADY SAVED** will display.



note

- Since the directory is shared by all the handsets, only one handset can review the directory at a time.
- If a handset attempts to enter the directory while the other handset is in the directory, **NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME** will be displayed.

note

- When you enter a name, the handset will automatically capitalize the first character of each word.
- Press the left or right NavKey  or  to move the cursor one space to the left or right.
- Press # to enter a space.

Advanced operation

Directory

Chart of characters

Use the dial pad and the chart below to enter a name (up to 16 characters). Each press of a particular key causes characters to be displayed in the following order:

Number Key	Characters by number of key presses								
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1	#	'	,	-	.	&		
2	A	B	C	2	a	b	c		
3	D	E	F	3	d	e	f		
4	G	H	I	4	g	h	i		
5	J	K	L	5	j	k	l		
6	M	N	O	6	m	n	o		
7	P	Q	R	S	7	p	q	r	s
8	T	U	V	8	t	u	v		
9	W	X	Y	Z	9	w	x	y	z
0	0								
*	*	?	!	/	()	@		
#	space								

- When entering characters, press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace. To remove the entire name or number, press and hold **MUTE/REMOVE**.
- To insert a dialing pause when entering a telephone number, press and hold **REDIAL/PAUSE** for at least three seconds until a **p** appears on the handset screen.

Advanced operation

Directory

Search the directory

Entries are sorted alphabetically, and names beginning with numbers are presented first. An alphabetical search can be done after entering the directory.

For example, press **5 (JKL)** once to find Jenny, twice to find Kristen, or three times to find Linda.

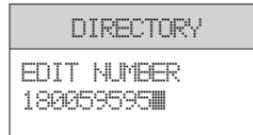
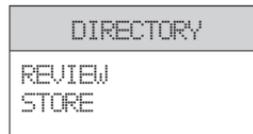
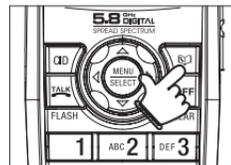
- Press  to enter the directory, or press the center NavKey  when in the directory to choose **REVIEW**.
- Use the dial pad to display the first name beginning with a letter associated with that key.

Dial a directory entry

- Press  to enter the directory, or press the center NavKey  when in the directory to choose **REVIEW**.
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry, or use the alphabetical search to find it.
- Press **TALK/FLASH** or /**SPEAKER** to dial the entry.

Edit a directory entry

- Press  to enter the directory, or from the directory press the center NavKey  then press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose **REVIEW**. Press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry, or use the alphabetical search to find the number. Press the center NavKey .
- The screen displays **EDIT NUMBER**. Use the dial pad to enter the number.



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- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace, or press and hold **REDIAL/PAUSE** for at least three seconds to insert a pause. Press the center NavKey .
- The screen displays **EDIT NAME**. Use the dial pad (see the **Chart of characters** on page 19) to enter the name.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace, or press # to insert a space. Press the center NavKey  to confirm.



Delete a directory entry

- Press  to enter the directory, or when in the directory menu, press the center NavKey  twice then press the up or down NavKey  or  to choose **REVIEW**. Press the center NavKey .
- Press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry, or use the alphabetical search to find the number.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to delete the entry, there will be a confirmation tone.

note

- When saving or deleting a number on one handset, it will automatically update all other handsets.
- Only one handset can review the directory or call log at a time. If another handset attempts to enter the call log, it will display **NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME**.

Advanced operation

Call log

Make CID entries ready to dial

Although the call log entries you receive are 10 digits, (the area plus the 7-digit number,) in some areas, you may need to dial only the seven digits, or a 1 plus the seven digits, or a 1 plus the area code plus the seven digits. You can change the number of digits that you dial or store from the call log.

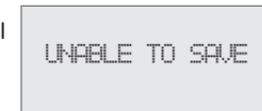
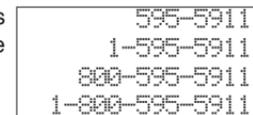
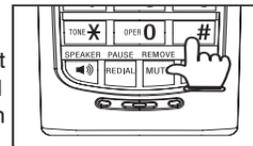
While reviewing the call log, press # repeatedly to display these dialing options for local and long distance numbers before dialing or saving the telephone number. See an example at right.

Dial a call log entry

- When in the call log, press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry.
- If necessary, press # repeatedly until you see the correct dialing option.
- Press **TALK/FLASH** or **SPEAKER** to dial the entry.

Save an entry to the directory

- When in the call log, press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry.
- If necessary, press # repeatedly until you see the correct dialing option.
- Press the center NavKey  to save the entry.
- If the entry has a name and a number, the screen displays **SAVED**.
- If the entry only has a name or a number, **EDIT NAME** or **EDIT NUMBER** will display on screen. Use the dial pad to enter the name or number, and press the center NavKey  to save the entry.
- If the entry does not have a name and a number, **UNABLE TO SAVE** will display on screen.



Advanced operation

Call log

Delete one or all entries

- While in the call log, press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the desired entry.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to delete an entry. Press and hold MUTE/REMOVE to delete all entries, the screen display **DELETE ALL CALLS?** then press the center NavKey , there will be a confirmation tone.



Handset display screen messages

Display:	Means:
PRIVATE NAME	The other party is blocking the name information.
PRIVATE NUMBER	The other party is blocking the telephone number information.
PRIVATE CALLER	The other party is blocking the name and number information.
UNKNOWN NAME	This caller's name is unavailable.
UNKNOWN NUMBER	This caller's number is unavailable.
UNKNOWN CALLER	No call information is available about this caller.
LONG DISTANCE	This is a long distance call.

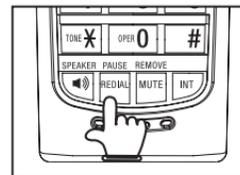
Advanced operation

Redial list

The telephone stores the five most recently dialed numbers in the redial list. You can review, redial, or save numbers into the directory.

- When there are already five entries in the redial list, the oldest entry is deleted to make room for the newest entry.
- Entries are displayed in order from the oldest entry to the most recent entry.

The redial list can be accessed on the handset by pressing **REDIAL/PAUSE** while in idle mode.



Dial from redial

- While in the redial list, press **REDIAL**, or press the up or down  or  to scroll to the desired number.
- Press **TALK/FLASH** or  **SPEAKER** to dial the number.
- To change the number before dialing, press the center NavKey  to select the number, and use the keypad to change the number.
- Press **MUTE/REMOVE** to backspace, or press and hold **REDIAL/PAUSE** for at least three seconds to insert a pause. Press **TALK/FLASH** or  **SPEAKER** to dial the number.

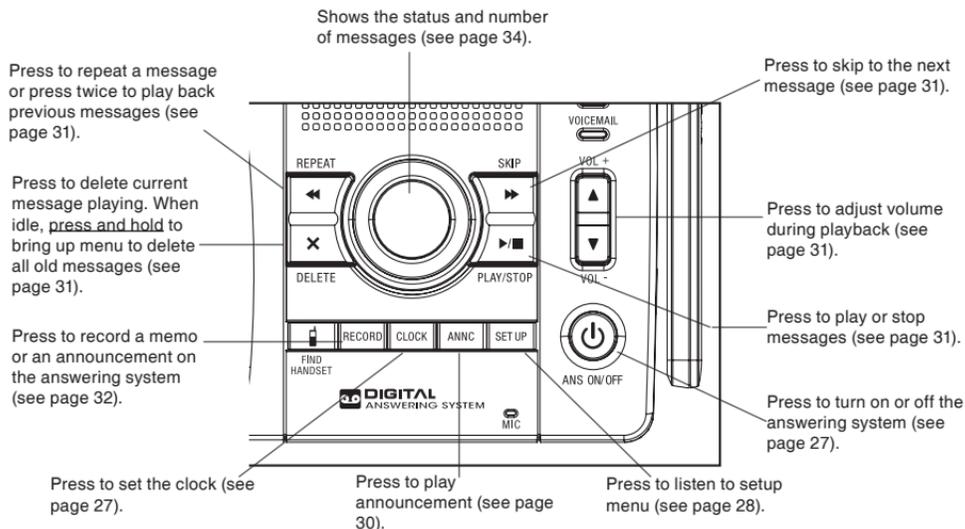
Delete a redial entry

- When in the redial list, press **REDIAL**, or press the up or down NavKey  or  to scroll to the number to be deleted.
- Press and hold **MUTE/REMOVE** to remove the redial entry. There will be a confirmation tone.

Answering system operation

Message capacity

The answering system can record up to 99 messages, depending on the length of each message. Individual messages can be up to four minutes in length, but the total maximum recording time is approximately 15 minutes. Messages will remain available for replay until they are deleted.



note

- Press and hold ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT during setting the minutes or year by increments of ten.
- Incoming caller ID data sets the time and date. You'll need to set the year so the day of the week can be determined from the caller ID information. The time will be set automatically only if you subscribe to caller ID service provided by your local telephone company.
- Setting this clock will not affect the handset clock (see page 12), they are individual settings.

Answering system operation

Answering system setup

Activate the answering system

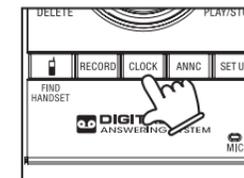
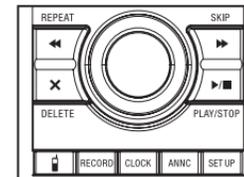
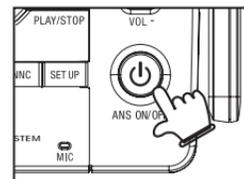
The answering system must be turned on to answer and record messages. If the answering system is turned off, the telephone base **ANS ON/OFF** light will be off.

- To turn the answering system on or off, press **ANS ON/OFF**.

Set the clock

Before playing each message, the answering system announces the day and time the message was received. You should set the day and time before using the answering system so messages are dated correctly. If the clock has not been set before you receive messages on your answering system, it will announce "Time and day not set." To set the clock:

- Press **CLOCK**, the system will announce the current clock setting. The system will then announce "To set the clock, press **CLOCK**."
- Press **CLOCK** again and the system will announce the year.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT until the system announces the correct year, then press **CLOCK**. The system will announce the hour.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT, until the system announces the correct hour, then press **CLOCK**. The system will announce the minute.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT until the system announces the correct minutes, then press **CLOCK**. The system will announce the day.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT until the system announces the correct day, then press **CLOCK**. The system will announce the new clock setting and return to idle mode.



Answering system operation

Answering system setup

The answering system uses voice prompts to guide you through the set up of the answering system. Press ►/■/PLAY/STOP at any time to save and exit the setup menu.

Set number of rings

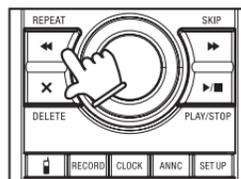
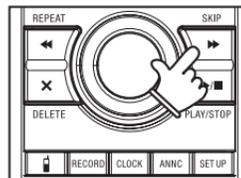
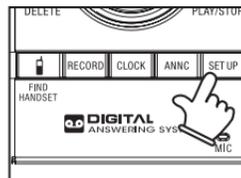
This feature allows you to select the number of rings before the answering system answers. You can choose from two, four or six rings or toll saver. With toll saver active, the answering system answers after two rings when there are new messages, and after four rings when there are no new messages. To set the number of rings:

- Press **SETUP** in idle mode, and the system announces the current number of rings setting.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT until the system announces the desired setting, then press **SETUP** to save the setting and go to the next setting or press ►/■/PLAY/STOP to save and return to idle mode.

Set base ringer

This feature allows you to select from three telephone base ringer volume levels: high, low or off. To set the base ringer:

- Press **SETUP** in idle mode until the system announces the base ringer setting.
- Press ►/SKIP or ◀/REPEAT until the system announces the desired base ringer volume level, then press **SETUP** to save the setting and go to the next setting or press ►/■/PLAY/STOP to save and return to idle mode.



note

- When calling remotely to check for messages, selecting toll saver in number of rings setting will help to save long distance charges because the answering system will answer the incoming call after two rings when there are new messages.

note

- The answering system must be turned on for the message alert tone to function.

Answering system operation

Answering system setup

Set remote access code

A two-digit security code is required to access the answering system from any touch tone telephone. The factory default code is **19**. To set the remote access code:

- Press **SETUP** in idle mode until the system announces the remote access code setting.
- Press **▶/SKIP** or **◀/REPEAT** to change the remote access code by one, or **press and hold ▶/SKIP** or **◀/REPEAT** to change by increments of 10. Press **SETUP** to save the setting and go to the next setting or press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to save and return to idle mode.

Set message alert tone

This feature programs the system to beep every 10 seconds to alert you of new messages. The beeping will stop when all new messages have been reviewed. To set the message alert tone:

- Press **SETUP** in idle mode until the system announces the message alert tone setting.
- Press **▶/SKIP** or **◀/REPEAT** to select between on or off, then press **SETUP** to save the setting and go to the next setting or press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to save and return to idle mode.

Answering system operation

Outgoing announcement

The outgoing announcement is the message callers hear when calls are answered by the answering system.

The telephone is preset with a greeting that answers calls with *“Hello, please leave a message after the tone.”* You can use this factory announcement, or replace it with your own outgoing announcement. While in the **ANNC** menu, press **ANNC** again at any time to exit.

Record your announcement

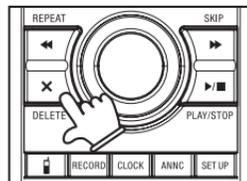
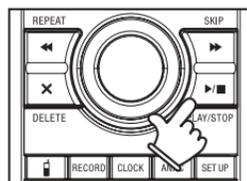
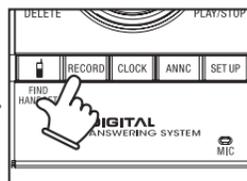
- While in idle mode, press **ANNC** and the system will announce *“Announcement, press **PLAY** or press **RECORD**.”*
- Press **RECORD** and the system announces *“Record after the tone, press **STOP** when you are done.”*
- After the tone, speak towards the microphone at the right front of the telephone base from about nine inches away.
- Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** when finished.
- The answering system will automatically playback the newly recorded announcement. Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to stop the playback anytime. Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to listen to the recorded announcement again. Press **RECORD** to record another new announcement again (follow the steps above). Press **ANNC** to exit the announcement menu.

Play your announcement

- While in idle mode, press **ANNC** and the system will announce *“Announcement, press **PLAY** or press **RECORD**.”*
- Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to play, press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** again to stop the playback.

note

- Your announcement can be up to 90 seconds in length.
- When your announcement is deleted, calls will be answered with the pre-programmed announcement.
- If you receive calls when the memory is full, the phone will ring 10 times, then answer and announce *“Please enter remote access code.”*
- Announcements less than three seconds will not be recorded.



note

- If the system has less than five minutes of recording time left, the remaining time will be announced.
- If **F** is flashing in the message window, memory is full. You will have to delete some messages before new ones can be received.
- Only old messages can be deleted. Messages can only be deleted after they are played.

Answering system operation

Delete your announcement

- While in idle mode, press **ANNC** and the system will announce *“Announcement, press **PLAY** or press **RECORD**.”*
- Press **DELETE** to delete, and the system will announce *“Announcement deleted.”*

Message playback

- Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to listen to messages. Press **▶/■/PLAY/STOP** to stop playback.
- If you have new messages waiting, you will hear only the new message (oldest first). If there are no new messages, the system will play back all messages (oldest first).
- When playback begins, the total number of messages and the day and time it was received will be announced.

New message indication

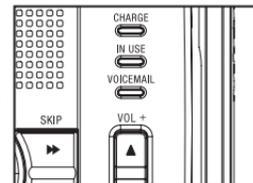
- The message display counter will flash when there are new answering system messages.
- If the new message alert tone is turned on, the telephone base will beep every ten seconds when there are un-reviewed messages.

Options during playback

- Press **▼/▲/VOLUME** to adjust the speaker volume.
- Press **▶/■/SKIP** to skip to the next message.
- Press **◀/■/REPEAT** to repeat the message currently playing. Press twice to listen to the previous message.
- Press **DELETE** to delete the current message. The system will advance to the next message.

Delete all messages

- When in idle mode, press and hold **DELETE** to delete all old messages.
- The system will announce *“All old messages deleted.”*



Answering system operation

Record and play memos

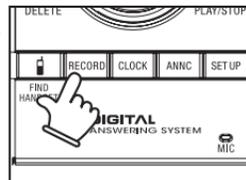
Memos are your own recorded messages used as a reminder for yourself or other household members who use the same answering system. They are saved, played back and deleted the same way as incoming messages.

Record a memo

- While in idle mode, press **RECORD**. The system announces *“Record after the tone, press **STOP** when you are done.”* After the tone, speak towards the microphone at the right front of the telephone base from about nine inches away.
- Press **▶/■ /PLAY/STOP** when you finish recording.

Memo playback

- While in idle mode, press **▶/■ /PLAY/STOP**.
- See **Options during playback** on page 31 for other options.



note

- Memos less than one second will not be recorded.
- *“Memory is full”* will be announced if you press **RECORD** when the memory is full.
- Your memo can be up to four minutes in length.

note

- If no key is pressed after entering remote access, any new messages will be played automatically.
- Once the new messages have been played, the system will announce the help menu options. If no key is pressed within 20 seconds, the remote access call is automatically disconnected.
- If you access the answering system remotely when the memory is full, the system will announce *"Memory is full, enter your remote access code from any touch tone telephone."*

Answering system operation

Remote access

You can access many features of your answering system remotely from any touch tone telephone. A two-digit security code is required to access the system and the factory default code is **19**; see page 29 to change it. To access remote access:

- Dial your telephone number from any touch tone telephone.
- When the system answers and announces the greeting, enter the two-digit security code.
- After hearing a double beep, enter one of the remote commands in the following table.
- Hang up or press **8** to end the call.

Commands in remote standby mode:

Hang up	Saves all messages
1	Plays all messages
2	Plays new messages only
3 (twice)	Deletes all old messages while no message is currently playing
4	Repeats the currently playing message
*5	Plays help menu
5	Stops
*7	Records the outgoing announcement
8	Disconnects the call
0	Turns answering system on or off

Commands during playback mode:

3	Deletes the message currently playing and announces <i>"Message deleted."</i>
4 (twice)	Plays the previous message
6	Skips to the next message

Answering system operation

Message window

The message counter usually displays the total number of memos and incoming messages. See the list below for explanations of other displays in this counter.

0	No messages.
1-98	Total number of old message(s) recorded.
0-98 (flashing)	Total number of new message(s) recorded in idle mode.
99 & F (alternating)	Memory is full with total number of messages recorded.
1-99 (counting)	Elapsed time while recording memo or announcement.
99 (flashing)	Recording time exceeds 99 seconds.
1-99 (flashing)	Current message number during new message playback.
1-99	Current message number during old message playback.
1-8	Current volume level while adjusting.
10-99	Current remote access code while setting.
ON (or) OF	Current answering system status (on or off).
02, 04, 06, tS	Current number of rings while setting.
--	System is answering a call, or being set the time and date, or being accessed remotely.
-- (flashing)	System is being programmed or initialized.

Handset display screen messages

ALREADY SAVED	The telephone number you have entered is already stored in the directory.
CALL LOG EMPTY	There are no call log entries.
CALLING HANDSET X	Calling another handset.
CONNECTING.....	The cordless handset is searching for the telephone base.
DIRECTORY EMPTY	There are no directory entries.
HANDSET X IS CALLING	Other handset is calling.
INTERCOM	The handset is on an intercom call.
INCOMING CALL	There is an incoming call.
INTERCOM ENDED	The handset is terminating an intercom call.
LIST FULL	The directory is full.
LOW BATTERY	The battery needs to be recharged.
NO SIGNAL, CALL ENDED	Communication between handset and telephone base is lost.
OUTSIDE	Connected to the external call during call transfer.
PAGING	The handset locator has been activated or the handset is being paged.
PLACE IN CHARGER	Battery power is low. The handset should be placed in the telephone base or charger.

Handset display screen messages

RINGER MUTE	The ringer is muted temporarily during incoming call.
SAVED	Your setting has been saved.
UNABLE TO CALL TRY AGAIN	Destination handset is out of range, or on an external call during intercom call.
UNABLE TO SAVE	You are attempting to save caller ID entry with no name or number.
WARNING CHECK BATTERY!	The battery is not installed or not installed properly in the handset. -OR - The battery needs to be replaced. -OR - An incorrect battery has been installed by mistake. Use only the supplied VTech battery.
XX MISSED CALLS	There are un-reviewed calls in your call log.
MICROPHONE ON	MUTE has been turned off and the person on the other end can hear you.
LINE IN USE	A handset on the telephone line is in use.
ENDED	You have just ended a call.
NO LINE	There is no telephone line connected.
NEW VOICE MAIL	There are new voice mail message(s).
PHONE	The handset is in use.
SPEAKER	The handset speakerphone is in use.

Handset and base indicators

Handset indicator lights

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• On when the handset speakerphone is in use.
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Base lights

IN USE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flashes when there is an incoming call.• On when the handset is in use.
VOICEMAIL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flashes when you have a new voicemail message (subscription to voicemail with your local telephone provider is required).
CHARGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• On when the handset is in the telephone base.
ANS ON/OFF	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• On when the answering system is on.

Handset icons

MUTED	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Microphone is muted.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ringer off.
NEW	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New call log entries.
NEW VOICE MAIL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New voicemail received (a subscription service from your local telephone company is required).
SPEAKER	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• In speakerphone mode.
Battery indicator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cycles (low, medium, and full) when handset battery is charging.• Flashes when a low battery condition is detected.

Battery

After the battery is fully charged, you can expect the following performance:

Operation	Operating time
While in use (talking)	8 hours
While not in use (standby*)	96 hours (4 days)

*Handset is off the telephone base but not in use.

The battery needs charging when:

- A new battery is installed in the handset.
- The telephone beeps when taken off the telephone base.
- Battery indicator on the handset display is flashing.

CAUTION:

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

1. Use only the battery(ies) provided or their equivalent.
2. Do not dispose of the battery(ies) in a fire. They may explode. Check with local waste management codes for special disposal instructions.
3. Do not open or mutilate the battery(ies). Released electrolyte is corrosive and may cause burns or injury to the eyes or skin. The electrolyte may be toxic if swallowed.
4. Exercise care in handling battery(ies) in order not to create a short circuit with conductive materials such as rings, bracelets, and keys. The battery and/or conductor may overheat and cause burns.
5. Charge the battery(ies) provided with or identified for use with this product only in accordance with the instructions and limitations specified in this manual.

WARNING:

TO PREVENT FIRE OR SHOCK HAZARD, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS PRODUCT TO RAIN OR ANY TYPE OF MOISTURE.

Important safety instructions

When using your telephone equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury, including the following:

1. Read and understand all instructions.
2. Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.
3. Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth for cleaning.
4. Do not use this product near water (for example, near a bathtub, kitchen sink, or swimming pool).
5. Do not place this product on an unstable table, shelf, stand or other unstable surface.
6. Slots and openings in the back or bottom of the telephone base and handset are provided for ventilation. To protect them from overheating, these openings must not be blocked by placing the product on a soft surface such as a bed, sofa or rug. This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be placed in any area where proper ventilation is not provided.
7. 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 in your home, consult your dealer or local power company.
8. Do not allow anything to rest on the power cord. Do not install this product where the cord may be walked on.
9. Never push objects of any kind into this product through slots in the base or handset 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.
10. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble this product, but take it to an authorized service facility. Opening or removing parts of the base or handset other than specified access doors may expose you to dangerous voltages or other risks. Incorrect reassembling can cause electric shock when the product is subsequently used.
11. Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords as this can result in the risk of fire or electric shock.
12. Unplug this product from the wall outlet and refer servicing to an authorized service facility under the following conditions:
 - A. When the power supply cord or plug is damaged or frayed.
 - B. If liquid has been spilled onto the product.
 - C. If the product has been exposed to rain or water.
 - D. If the product does not operate normally by following the operating instructions. Adjust only those controls that are covered by the operation instructions, as improper adjustment of other controls may result in damage and often requires extensive work by an authorized technician to restore the product to normal operation.
 - E. If the product has been dropped and the base and/or handset has been damaged.
 - F. If the product exhibits a distinct change in performance.
13. Avoid using a telephone (other than cordless) during an electrical storm. There is a remote risk of electric shock from lightning.
14. Do not use the telephone to report a gas leak in the vicinity of the leak.
15. Only put the handset of your telephone next to your ear when it is in normal talk.
16. This power unit is intended to be correctly oriented in a vertical or floor mount position. The prongs are not designed to hold the plug in place if it is plugged into a ceiling or an under-the-table/cabinet outlet.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Troubleshooting

If you have difficulty operating your telephone, please try the suggestions below. For Customer Service, visit our website at www.vtechphones.com, or call VTech Communications at 1 (800) 595-9511; in Canada, visit our website at www.vtechcanada.com, or call VTech Telecommunications Canada Ltd. at 1 (800) 267-7377.

Problem	Suggestion
My telephone does not work at all.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the battery is installed and charged correctly (see pages 3 and 38). For optimum daily performance, return the cordless handset to the telephone base after use.• Make sure the power adapter is securely plugged into an outlet not controlled by a wall switch.• Make sure the telephone line cord is plugged firmly into the telephone base and the modular wall jack.• Unplug the unit's electrical power. Wait for approximately 15 seconds, then plug it back in. Allow up to one minute for the cordless handset and base to synchronize.• Charge the battery in the cordless handset for at least 16 hours.• Remove and re-insert the battery. If that still does not work, it may be necessary to purchase a new battery.• Disconnect the telephone base from the modular jack and plug in a working telephone. If this telephone does not work, the problem is probably in the wiring or the local service. Call the local telephone company.
LOW BATTERY is displayed on screen.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Place the handset in the telephone base or charger for recharging.• Remove and re-install the battery and use it normally until fully discharged, then recharge the handset on the telephone base or charger for 16 hours.• If the above measures do not correct the problem, the battery may need to be replaced.

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Problem	Suggestion
The battery does not charge in the handset or the handset battery does not accept charge.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the handset is placed in the charger correctly. The CHARGE light on the telephone base or charger should be on.• Remove the battery from the handset. Then re-install the battery and let it charge for 16 hours.• If the cordless handset is in the charger or in the telephone base but the CHARGE light is not on, refer to The CHARGE light is off in this section.• It may be necessary to purchase a new battery. Please refer to the Battery section (see page 38) of this user's manual.• The telephone might be malfunctioning. Please refer to the Warranty section (see page 50) of this user's manual for further instruction.
The CHARGE light is off.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Clean the charging contacts on the cordless handset(s) and telephone base each month using a pencil eraser or a dry non-abrasive fabric.• Make sure the power adapter and telephone line cords are plugged in correctly and securely.• Unplug the power adapter. Wait for 15 seconds before plugging it back in. Allow up to one minute for the cordless handset and telephone base to reset.• The telephone might be malfunctioning. Please refer to the Warranty section (see page 50) of this user's manual for further instruction.
The CHARGE Indicator on the telephone base is flashing.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• This is a signal that the battery is very low, completely depleted, or when there is no electrical contact between the battery and the telephone base.• Ensure the connector of the battery is securely plugged into the handset and place the handset in the telephone base for charging.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Suggestion
There is no dial tone.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First, try all the above suggestions.• Move the cordless handset closer to the telephone base. It might be out of range.• The telephone line cord might be malfunctioning. Try installing a new telephone line cord.• Disconnect the telephone base from the telephone jack and connect a different telephone. If there is no dial tone on the telephone either, the problem is in your wiring or local service. Contact your local telephone company.
The telephone does not ring when there is an incoming call.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the ringer is on. (See page 10 for handset and page 28 for telephone base).• Make sure the telephone line cord and power adapter are plugged in properly (see page 2).• The cordless handset may be too far from the telephone base. Move it closer to the telephone base.• There may be too many extension phones on the telephone line to allow all of them to ring simultaneously. Try unplugging some of them.• If the other telephones in your home are having the same problem, the problem is in the wiring or local service. Contact the local telephone company (charges may apply).• Other electronic products can cause interference to your cordless telephone. Try installing your telephone as far away as possible from the following electronic devices: wireless routers, radios, radio towers, pager towers, cellular telephones, digital telephones, intercoms, room monitors, televisions, VCRs, personal computers, kitchen appliances, and other cordless telephones.• Test a working telephone at the telephone jack. If another telephone has the same problem, the problem is in the telephone jack. Contact your local telephone company (charges may apply).• The telephone line cord might be malfunctioning. Try installing a new telephone line cord.• Re-install the battery and place the cordless handset in the telephone base.• Wait for the cordless handset to synchronize with the telephone base. Allow up to one minute for this to take place.

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Problem	Suggestion
I cannot dial out.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First, try all the above suggestions.• Make sure there is a dial tone before dialing. It is normal if the cordless handset takes a second or two to synchronize with the telephone before producing a dial tone. Wait an extra second before dialing.• Make sure the telephone is set to the correct dial mode (pulse dial or tone dial) for the service in your area. Refer to the Dial type section of this user's manual (page 12) to set the dial mode.• If the other telephones in your home are having the same problem, the problem is in the wiring or local service. Contact your local telephone company (charges may apply).• Eliminate any background noise. Noise from a television, radio, or other appliances may cause the telephone to not dial out properly. If you cannot eliminate the background noise, first try muting the cordless handset before dialing, or dialing from another room in your home with less background noise.
My cordless handset beeps five times and is not performing normally.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the power cord is securely plugged into the telephone base. Plug the unit into a different working electrical outlet not controlled by a wall switch.• Move the cordless handset closer to the telephone base. It may be out of range.• Reset the telephone base by unplugging the unit's electrical power. Wait for 15 seconds and plug it back in again. Allow up to one minute for the cordless handset and the telephone base to synchronize.• Other electronic products can cause interference to your cordless telephone. Try installing your telephone as far away from these electronic devices as possible: wireless routers, radios, radio towers, pager towers, cellular telephones, intercoms, room monitors, televisions, personal computers, kitchen appliances and other cordless telephones.

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Problem	Suggestion
<p>There is noise or interference during a telephone conversation.</p> <p>My calls fade out or cut in and out when I am using the cordless handset.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The handset may be out of range. Move it closer to the telephone base.• Appliances or other cordless telephones plugged into the same circuit as the telephone base can cause interference. Try moving the appliance or telephone base to another outlet.• Other electronic products can cause interference to your cordless telephone. Try installing your telephone as far away as possible from the following electronic devices: wireless routers, radios, radio towers, pager towers, cellular telephones, digital telephones, intercoms, room monitors, televisions, VCRs, personal computers, kitchen appliances, wireless routers, and other cordless telephones.• Microwave ovens operate on the same frequency as your telephone. It is normal to experience static on your telephone while the microwave oven is operating. Do not install this telephone in the same outlet or near a microwave oven.• If your telephone is plugged in with a modem or a surge protector, plug the telephone (or modem/surge protector) into a different location. If this solves the problem, re-locate your telephone or modem farther apart from each other, or use a different surge protector.• The layout of your home or office might be limiting the operating range. Trying moving the telephone base to another location, preferably a higher location for better reception.• Disconnect the telephone base from the modular jack and plug in a corded telephone. If calls are still not clear, the problem is probably in the wiring or local service. Contact your local service company (charges may apply).• If the other telephones in your home are having the same problem, the problem is in the wiring or local service. Contact the local telephone company (charges may apply).• Do you have DSL service? If yes, you need to have a DSL filter installed at every telephone jack that has a telephone connected to it. Contact your DSL service provider for filter information.

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Problem	Suggestion
I hear other calls when using the telephone.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Disconnect the telephone base from the telephone jack. Plug in a different telephone. If you still hear other calls, the problem is probably in the wiring or local service. Call your local telephone company.
I hear noise in the cordless handset, and none of the keys or buttons work.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the telephone line cord is plugged in securely.
My caller ID features are not working properly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Caller ID is a subscription service. You must subscribe to this service from your local telephone company for this feature to work on your telephone.• The caller may not be calling from an area which supports caller ID.• Both you and the caller's telephone companies must use equipment which are compatible with caller ID service.• If you subscribe to DSL service, install a DSL filter to the telephone line between the telephone base and the telephone line jack. Contact your DSL service provider for filter information.
The system does not receive caller ID or the system does not display caller ID during call waiting.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure you subscribe to caller ID with call waiting features services provided by the local telephone company.• The caller may not be calling from an area which supports caller ID.• Both you and the caller's telephone companies must use equipment which are compatible with caller ID service.• If you subscribe to DSL service, install a DSL filter to the telephone line between the telephone base and the telephone line jack. Contact your DSL service provider for filter information.

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Problem	Suggestion
<p>Caller ID entries do not match the numbers I need to dial.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Although the call log entries you receive are 10 digits, (the area plus the 7-digit number,) in some areas, you may need to dial only the seven digits, or a 1 plus the seven digits, or a 1 plus the area code plus the seven digits. You can change the number of digits that you dial or store from the call log. While reviewing the call log, press # repeatedly to display these dialing options for local and long distance numbers before dialing or saving the telephone number.
<p>CONNECTING... is shown in the handset display window. Why don't I get a dial tone when I try to use this telephone?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> De-register all handsets and then register the handsets again (only one handset can be registered at a time). To de-register all handsets: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Press and hold</u> FIND HANDSET on the main telephone base for four seconds. When the IN USE light starts to flash, release the FIND HANDSET button. Press and release FIND HANDSET again. The IN USE light will turn off and in a few seconds, all handsets will be de-registered. All handsets will show NOT REGISTERED. To register a handset (register one handset at a time): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Place the handset in the telephone base or a charger that is connected to a power outlet. If PRESS FIND HNDST 4 SEC ON BASE does not appear on the screen after a few seconds, lift up the handset and place it in the telephone base or charger again. On the telephone base, press and hold FIND HANDSET for four seconds. Release FIND HANDSET once the IN USE light comes on. After a while, the handset will emit a series of tones. The newly registered handset will be assigned the lowest handset number not previously assigned to another system handset when successfully registered. Repeat steps 1 and 2 if the handset is not successfully registered to the telephone base within two minutes. Repeat the registration procedure for each system handset.

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Problem	Suggestion
The answering system does not answer after the correct number of rings.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the answering system is on. When the answering system is on, the red light on the ANSWER ON/OFF key should be lit.• If Toll Saver is activated, the number of rings changes to two when there are new messages waiting (see page 28).• If the memory is full or if the answering system is off, the system will answer after ten rings.• In some cases, the answering system be affected by the ringing system used by the local telephone company.
The announcement message is not clear.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• When recording the announcement, make sure you speak in a normal tone of voice about nine inches from the telephone base.• Make sure there is no background noise (television, music, traffic, etc.) when recording.
The answering system does not record message.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure the answering system is on.
The messages on the answering system are incomplete.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If a caller leaves a very long message, part of it may be lost when the system disconnects the call after 90 seconds.• If the memory on the system becomes full during a message, the system stops recording and disconnects the call.• If the caller's voice is very soft, the system may stop recording and disconnect the call.
The messages on the system are very difficult to hear.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Press VOL▲/▼ on the side of the handset or on the telephone base to increase the speaker volume.

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Problem	Suggestion
The answering system does not respond to remote commands.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sure your remote access code is correct (see page 29).• Make sure you are calling from a touch-tone telephone. When dialing a number, you should hear tones. If you hear clicks, then it is not a touch-tone telephone and cannot activate the answering system.• The answering system may not detect the remote access code when your announcement is playing. Wait until the announcement is over before entering the code.• There may be interference on the telephone line you are using. Press the dial pad keys firmly when dialing.
Common cure for electronic equipment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the unit is not responding normally, trying putting the cordless handset in the telephone base or the charger. If it does not seem to respond, try the following (in the order listed):• Disconnect the power to the telephone base.• Disconnect the battery on the cordless handset.• Wait a few minutes before connecting power to the telephone base.• Re-install the battery and place the cordless handset into the telephone base or charger.• Wait for the cordless handset to synchronize its connection with the telephone base. Allow up to one minute for this to take place.

Operating range

This cordless telephone operates with the maximum power allowed by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Even so, this handset and telephone base can communicate over only a certain distance ----which can vary with the locations of the telephone base and handset, the weather, and the layout of your home or office.

When the handset is out of range, the handset will display **Searching**. The user can access the handset directory, and certain parts of the menu system, i.e. handset setting and registration, but not the time setting and base setting. **Not possible** will be displayed if access is tried.

If there is a call while the handset is out of range, it might not ring, or if it does ring, the call might not connect well when you press TALK/FLASH. Move closer to the telephone base, then press TALK/FLASH to answer the call.

If the handset moves out of range during a telephone conversation, there might be interference.

To improve reception, move closer to the base.

Maintenance

Taking care of your telephone

Your cordless telephone contains sophisticated electronic parts, so it must be treated with care.

Avoid rough treatment

Place the handset down gently. Save the original packing materials to protect your telephone if you ever need to ship it.

Avoid water

Your telephone can be damaged if it gets wet. Do not use the handset outdoors in the rain, or handle it with wet hands. Do not install your telephone base near a sink, bathtub or shower.

Electrical storms

Electrical storms can sometimes cause power surges harmful to electronic equipment. For your own safety, use caution when using electric appliances during storms.

Cleaning your telephone

Your telephone has a durable plastic casing that should retain its luster for many years. Clean it only with a soft cloth slightly dampened with water or a mild soap. Do not use excess water or cleaning solvents of any kind.

Remember that electrical appliances can cause serious injury if used when you are wet or standing in water. If your telephone base should fall into water, DO NOT RETRIEVE IT UNTIL YOU UNPLUG THE POWER CORD AND TELEPHONE LINE CORDS FROM THE WALL. Then pull the unit out by the unplugged cords.

About cordless telephones

- **Privacy:** the same features that make a cordless telephone convenient create some limitations. Telephone calls are transmitted between the base and the cordless handset by radio waves, so there is a possibility that your cordless telephone conversations could be intercepted by radio receiving equipment within range of the cordless handset. For this reason, you should not think of cordless telephone conversations as being as private as those on corded telephones.
- **Electrical Power:** The telephone base of this cordless telephone must be connected to a working electrical outlet. The electrical outlet should not be controlled by a wall switch. Calls cannot be made from the cordless handset if the telephone base is unplugged or switched off, or if the electrical power is interrupted.
- **Potential TV Interference:** Some cordless telephones operate at frequencies that may cause interference to televisions and VCRs. To minimize or prevent such interference, do not place the telephone base of the cordless telephone 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. (Applies to 25 channel cordless telephones only).
- **Rechargeable Battery(ies):** This product contains either Nickel-Cadmium or Nickel-Metal Hydride rechargeable battery(ies). Exercise care in handling battery(ies) in order not to short the battery with conducting material such as rings, bracelets, and keys. The battery or conductor may overheat and cause harm. Observe proper polarity between the battery and the battery charger.
- **Nickel-Metal Hydride Rechargeable Battery(ies):** Dispose of these battery(ies) in a safe manner. Do not burn or puncture. Like other battery(ies) of this type, if burned or punctured, they could release caustic material which could cause injury.

Warranty

What does this limited warranty cover?

The manufacturer of this VTech Product warrants to the holder of a valid proof of purchase ("Consumer" or "you") that the Product and all accessories provided in the sales package ("Product") are free from defects in material and workmanship, pursuant to the following terms and conditions, when installed and used normally and in accordance with the Product operating instructions. This limited warranty extends only to the Consumer for Products purchased and used in the United States of America and Canada.

What will VTech do if the Product is not free from defects in materials and workmanship during the limited warranty period ("Materially Defective Product")?

During the limited warranty period, VTech's authorized service representative will repair or replace at VTech's option, without charge, a Materially Defective Product. If we repair the Product, we may use new or refurbished replacement parts. If we choose to replace the Product, we may replace it with a new or refurbished Product of the same or similar design. We will retain defective parts, modules, or equipment. Repair or replacement of the Product, at VTech's option, is your exclusive remedy. VTech will return repaired or replacement Products to you in working condition. You should expect the repair or replacement to take approximately 30 days.

How long is the limited warranty period?

The limited warranty period for the Product extends for ONE (1) YEAR from the date of purchase. If VTech repairs or replaces a Materially Defective Product under the terms of this limited warranty, this limited warranty also applies to repaired or replacement Product for a period of either (a) 90 days from the date the repaired or replacement Product is shipped to you or (b) the time remaining on the original one-year warranty; whichever is longer.

What is not covered by this limited warranty?

This limited warranty does not cover:

1. Product that has been subjected to misuse, accident, shipping or other physical damage, improper installation, abnormal operation or handling, neglect, inundation, fire, water or other liquid intrusion; or
2. Product that has been damaged due to repair, alteration or modification by anyone other than an authorized service representative of VTech; or

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3. Product to the extent that the problem experienced is caused by signal conditions, network reliability, or cable or antenna systems; or
4. Product to the extent that the problem is caused by use with non-VTech accessories; or
5. Product whose warranty/quality stickers, Product serial numbers plates or electronic serial numbers have been removed, altered or rendered illegible; or
6. Product purchased, used, serviced, or shipped for repair from outside the United States of America or Canada, or used for commercial or institutional purposes (including but not limited to Products used for rental purposes); or
7. Product returned without valid proof of purchase (see item 2 below); or
8. Charges for installation or set up, adjustment of customer controls, and installation or repair of systems outside the unit.

How do you get warranty service?

To obtain warranty service in the United States of America, please call 1-800-595-9511; In Canada, please dial 1 (800) 267-7377. NOTE: Before calling for service, please review the user's manual - a check of the Product controls and features may save you a service call.

Except as provided by applicable law, you assume the risk of loss or damage during transit and transportation and are responsible for delivery or handling charges incurred in the transport of the Product(s) to the service location. VTech will return repaired or replaced Product under this limited warranty to you, transportation, delivery or handling charges prepaid. VTech assumes no risk for damage or loss of the Product in transit. If the Product failure is not covered by this limited warranty, or proof of purchase does not meet the terms of this limited warranty, VTech will notify you and will request that you authorize the cost of repair prior to any further repair activity. You must pay for the cost of repair and return shipping costs for the repair of Products that are not covered by this limited warranty.

What must you return with the Product to get warranty service?

1. Return the entire original package and contents including the Product to the VTech service location along with a description of the malfunction or difficulty; and
2. Include "valid proof of purchase" (sales receipt) identifying the Product purchased (Product model) and the date of purchase or receipt; and
3. Provide your name, complete and correct mailing address, and telephone number.

Other Limitations

This warranty is the complete and exclusive agreement between you and VTech. It supersedes all other written or oral communications related to this Product. VTech provides no other warranties for this Product. The warranty exclusively describes all of VTech's responsibilities regarding the Product. There are no other express warranties. No one is authorized to make modifications to this limited warranty and you should not rely on any such modification.

State/Provincial Law Rights: This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights, which vary from state to state or province to province.

Limitations: Implied warranties, including those of fitness for a particular purpose and merchantability (an unwritten warranty that the Product is fit for ordinary use) are limited to one year from date of purchase. Some states/provinces do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you. In no event shall VTech be liable for any indirect, special, incidental, consequential, or similar damages (including, but not limited to lost profits or revenue, inability to use the Product or other associated equipment, the cost of substitute equipment, and claims by third parties) resulting from the use of this Product. Some states/provinces do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

Please retain your original sales receipt as proof of purchase.

FCC, ACTA and IC regulations

FCC Part 15

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the requirements for a Class B digital device under Part 15 of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules. These requirements are intended 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.

Changes or modifications to this equipment not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

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. Privacy of communications may not be ensured when using this telephone.

To ensure safety of users, the FCC has established criteria for the amount of radio frequency energy that can be safely absorbed by a user or bystander according to the intended usage of the product. This product has been tested and found to comply with the FCC criteria. The handset may be safely held against the ear of the user. The telephone base shall be installed and used such that parts of the user's body other than the hands are maintained at a distance of approximately 20 cm (8 inches) or more. If you choose to use a clipping device, please make sure to only use the supplied VTech belt clip.

This Class B digital apparatus complies with Canadian ICES-003.

FCC Part 68 and ACTA

This equipment complies with Part 68 of the FCC rules and with technical requirements adopted by the Administrative Council for Terminal Attachments (ACTA). The label on the back or bottom of this equipment contains, among other things, a product identifier in the format US:AAAEQ#TXXXX. This identifier must be provided to your local telephone company upon request.

The plug and jack used to connect this equipment to premises wiring and the telephone network must comply with applicable Part 68 rules and technical requirements adopted by ACTA. A compliant telephone cord and modular plug is provided with this product. It is designed to be connected to a compatible modular jack that is also compliant. An RJ11 jack should normally be used for connecting to a single line and an RJ14 jack for two lines. See Installation Instructions in the user's manual.

The Ringer Equivalence Number (REN) is used to determine how many devices you may connect to your telephone line and still have them ring when you are called. The REN for this product is encoded as the 6th and 7th characters following the US: in the product identifier (e.g., if ## is 03, the REN is 0.3). In most, but not all areas, the sum of all RENs should be five (5.0) or less. For more information, please contact your local telephone company.

This equipment may not be used with Party Lines. If you have specially wired alarm dialing equipment connected to your telephone line, ensure the connection of this equipment does not disable your alarm equipment. If you have questions about what will disable alarm equipment, consult your telephone company or a qualified installer.

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If this equipment is malfunctioning, it must be unplugged from the modular jack until the problem has been corrected. Repairs to this telephone equipment can only be made by the manufacturer or its authorized agents. For repair procedures, follow the instructions outlined under the Limited Warranty.

If this equipment is causing harm to the telephone network, the telephone company may temporarily discontinue your telephone service. The telephone company is required to notify you before interrupting service. If advance notice is not practical, you will be notified as soon as possible. You will be given the opportunity to correct the problem and the telephone company is required to inform you of your right to file a complaint with the FCC. Your telephone company may make changes in its facilities, equipment, operation, or procedures that could affect the proper functioning of this product. The telephone company is required to notify you if such changes are planned.

If this product is equipped with a corded or cordless handset, it is hearing aid compatible.

If this product has memory dialing locations, you may choose to store emergency telephone numbers (e.g., police, fire, medical) in these locations. If you do store or test emergency numbers, please:

Remain on the line and briefly explain the reason for the call before hanging up.

Perform such activities in off-peak hours, such as early morning or late evening.

Industry Canada

Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

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

The Ringer Equivalence Number (REN) for this terminal equipment is 0.1. The REN is an indication of the maximum number of devices 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 RENs of all the devices does not exceed five.

This product meets the applicable Industry Canada technical specifications.

The RBRC® Seal



The RBRC® Seal on the nickel-metal-hydride battery indicates that VTech Communications, Inc. is voluntarily participating in an industry program to collect and recycle these batteries at the end of their useful lives, when taken out of service within the United States and Canada.

The RBRC® program provides a convenient alternative to placing used nickel-metal-hydride batteries into the trash or municipal waste, which may be illegal in your area.

VTech's participation in RBRC® makes it easy for you to drop off the spent battery at local retailers participating in the RBRC® program or at authorized VTech product service centers. Please call **1-800-8-BATTERY™** for information on Ni-MH battery recycling and disposal bans/restrictions in your area. VTech's involvement in this program is part of its commitment to protecting our environment and conserving natural resources.

RBRC® is a registered trademark of Rechargeable Battery Recycling Corporation.

Technical specifications

Frequency control	Crystal controlled PLL synthesizer
Transmit frequency	Telephone base: 5725-5850 MHz Handset: 2400-2483.5 MHz
Receive frequency	Telephone base: 2400-2483.5 MHz Handset: 5725-5850 MHz
Channels	95
Nominal effective range	Maximum power allowed by FCC and IC. Actual operating range may vary according to environmental conditions at the time of use.
Size	Handset: 158.7mm X 52.7mm X 41.3mm Telephone base: 128.4mm X 174.6mm X 77.5mm
Weight	Handset: 145.0 grams (including battery) Telephone base: 423.8 grams
Power requirements	Handset: 3 cells AAA 3.6V @ 600mAh NiMH battery Telephone base: DC 9V @ 600mA Charger: DC 9V @ 200mA
Memory	Directory: 50 memory locations; up to 32 digits, 16 characters per location Call log: 50 memory locations

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