

Quick Start Guide

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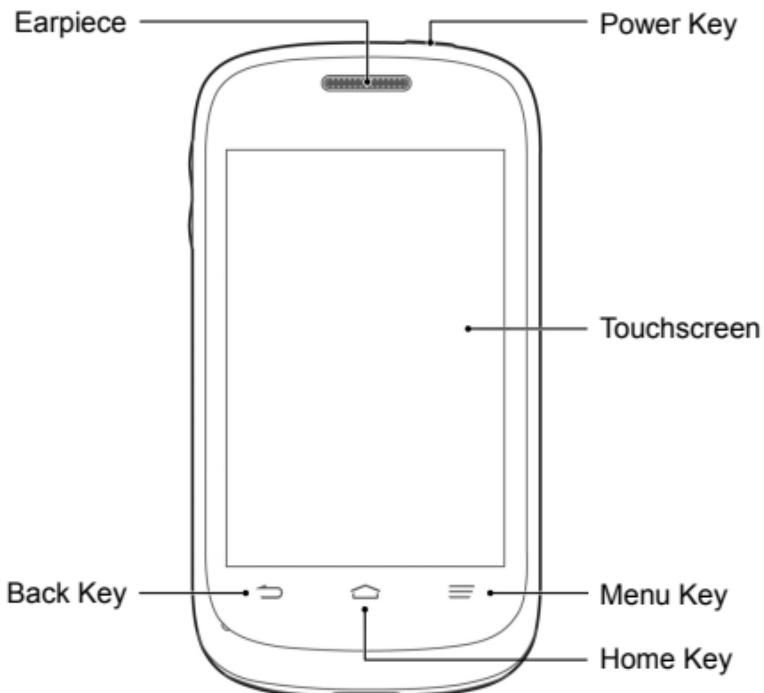
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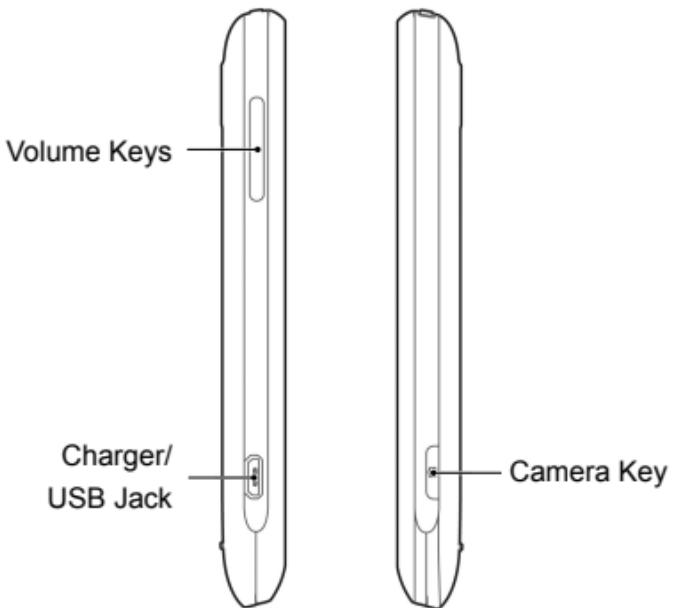
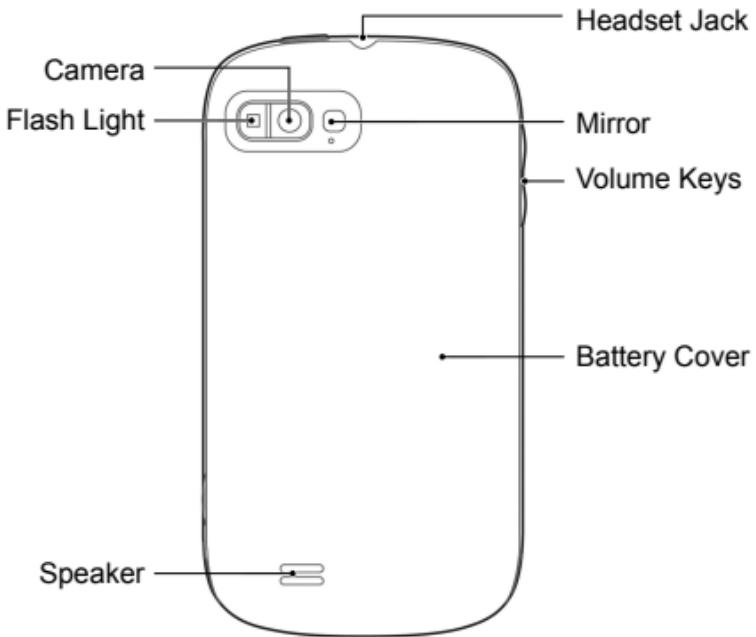
Getting Started

Please read the **Product Safety and Warranty** Information in the box before proceeding.

For additional information about your phone go to uscellular.com.

Overview





Keys Explanation

Power Key

- Press and hold to power on/off your phone, or turn on/off silent, vibration, flight mode.
- Press to switch your phone to sleep mode.
- Press to wake up your phone.

Volume Keys

Press or hold either end of the key to turn the volume up or down.

Camera Key

- Press fully to start the camera.
- When the camera is started, press to take a photo.

Back Key

Touch to go to the previous screen.

Home Key

- Touch to return to the Home Screen from any application or screen.
- Touch and hold to see recently used applications.

Menu Key

Touch to get the options for the current screen.

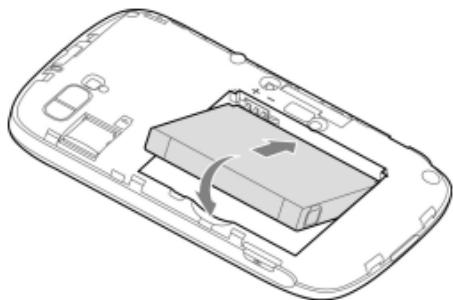
Installing the Battery

Switch off your phone before installing or replacing the battery.

1. Remove the back cover.



2. Insert the battery by aligning the gold contacts on the battery with the gold contacts in the battery compartment. Gently push down on the battery until it clicks into place.

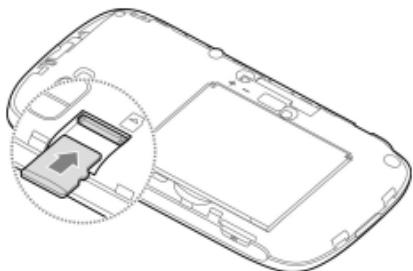


3. Press the cover gently back into place until you hear a click.

Installing the microSD Card

The microSD card can be installed and removed while the phone is turned on. Unmount the microSD card before removing it.

Hold your microSD card with the metal contacts facing down and slide it in.



NOTE:

- microSD logo  is a trademark of the SD Card Association.
- Your phone supports a MicroSD card which you may purchase separately.

Charging the Phone

When you first get your new phone you'll need to charge the battery.

1. Connect the adapter to the charger jack. Ensure that the adapter is inserted with the correct orientation. Do not force the connector into the charger jack.



2. Connect the charger to a standard AC wall outlet.
3. Disconnect the charger when the battery is fully charged.

Switching Your Phone On/Off

Make sure the battery is charged.

- Press and hold the **Power Key** to switch on your phone.
- To switch off, press and hold the **Power Key** and touch **Power off > OK**.

Setting a Screen Lock

You can protect your phone by creating a screen lock. When enabled, you need to draw a pattern or enter a numeric PIN or password to unlock the phone's screen and keys.

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Settings** > **Security** > **Screen lock**.

2. Touch **Pattern, PIN or Password**.

Pattern	You must draw a pattern to unlock the screen. The first time you set this, a short tutorial about creating an unlock pattern appears. Then you're prompted to draw and redraw your own pattern.
PIN or Password	Set a numeric PIN or a password that you must enter to unlock your screen.

Switching to Sleep Mode

To save battery power, Sleep Mode suspends your device to a low-power-consumption state while the display is off. Your device also goes into Sleep Mode by itself when the display is automatically turned off after a certain period of time, which you can set in  > **Settings > Display > Sleep**.

Press **Power Key** to switch to Sleep Mode.

Waking up Your Phone

1. Press **Power Key**. The phone displays the lock screen.
2. Touch and hold  at the center of the screen.

-or-

You can drag  towards any direction to access the application shortcuts. Touch an application or function icon to unlock the screen and open the application or enable the function quickly.

NOTE: If you have set an unlock pattern, PIN or password for your phone, you'll need to draw the pattern or enter the PIN/password to unlock your screen.

Applying New Wallpapers

You can set the wallpaper for the Home Screen.

1. Touch the **Home Key** > **Menu Key** > **Wallpaper**.
2. Select a wallpaper source and choose the image or animation you want to use as the wallpaper for Home or Lock screen. Some cropping may be needed for **Gallery** images.

Adjusting the Volume

1. Touch the  > **Settings** > **Sound** > **Volumes**.
2. Adjust the volume for music, video, games, and other media, the ringtone and notification volume, and the alarm volume.

3. Touch **OK** to save.

TIP: You can adjust the media volume when a media application is in use by pressing the **Volume Keys**. If no media application is active, press the **Volume Keys** to adjust ringtone volume (or the earpiece volume during a call).

Enabling Silent or Vibration

You can set the phone to the silent or vibration mode by using one of the following methods.

- Press and hold the **Power Key** and then touch  to enable the silent mode, touch  to enable the vibration mode, or touch  to disable the silent mode.
- Touch the  > **Settings** > **Sound** > **Silent mode**, and touch **Off**, **Vibrate** or **Mute**.

Opening/Closing the Notification Panel

Notifications report the arrival of new messages, calendar events, and alarms, as well as ongoing events, such as when you are playing music. You can open the notification panel to view the details of notifications.

- To open the notification panel, swipe your finger down from the top of the screen.

- To close the notification panel, swipe your finger up from the bottom of the screen or touch the **Back Key**.



Responding to or Removing a Notification

In the notification panel, you can respond to a notification or remove the notifications.

- To respond to a notification, just touch it.
- To remove a notification, swipe it left or right.
- To remove all notifications, touch in the top right corner.
- Most apps that send notifications, such as Gmail and Google Talk, have notification settings that you can adjust.

TIP: In the notification panel, touch  at the top of notifications list to get to the **Settings** menu quickly.

Adding Shortcuts and Widgets

1. Touch the **Home Key** > .
2. Touch **Widgets** or **All Apps** to view the available widgets and shortcuts.
3. Touch and hold a widget or shortcut and drag it to the Home Screen.

Moving/Removing Shortcuts or Widgets

1. Touch and hold a shortcut or widget on the Home Screen.
2. Drag it to the place you need or drag it to  to remove it.

Making a Call

There are many ways to make a call with your phone. And they're all easy to do.

Calling with the Keypad

1. Touch the **Home Key** > .

2. In the dialer tab  , enter the phone number with the on-screen keypad. Touch  to delete wrong digits.
3. Touch the Phone icon  below the keypad to dial.

TIPS: To make international calls, hold 0 to enter the “+”.

Calling from your Contacts

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  or  and then touch the Contact tab  or .
 2. Flick the screen up or down to view all your contacts.
- TIP:** You can search for a contact by touching  on the screen.
3. Select and touch a contact or  to call.

Calling from the Call Log

1. Open the call log.
2. Touch a number for more information about the call, or touch  beside it to call back.

NOTE: You can touch  on the bottom of the screen and select the call log type you want to view.

Answering or Rejecting a Call

You can answer or reject the call, or reject it with a text message.

- When you receive a phone call, drag  over  to answer the call.

NOTE: To silence the ringer before answering the call, press the **Volume Keys** up or down.

- When you receive a phone call, drag  over  to reject the call.

You can also drag  over  to reject the call and send a preset text message to the caller.

TIP: To edit the text response from within the Phone app, touch the **Menu Key > Settings > Quick responses**.

Creating a Contact

- Touch the **Home Key >**  and touch the all contacts tab .
- Touch  to add a new contact.
- Touch the account field on the top of the screen to choose where to save the contact. If a sync account is selected, the contacts will be synced automatically with your account online.

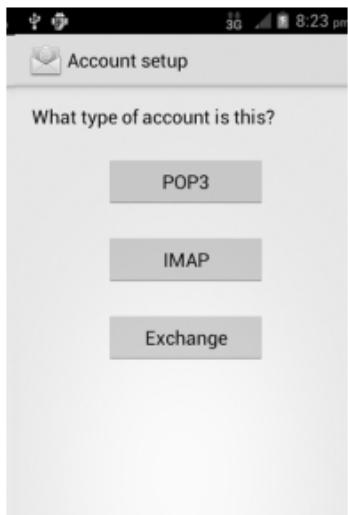
4. Enter the contact name, phone numbers, email addresses, and other information.
5. Touch **DONE** to save the contact.

Sending a Text & MMS Message

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  and touch  at the bottom.
2. Enter the recipient.
3. Enter text of the message, as you do when sending a text message. For MMS, touch the **Menu Key** > **Add subject** to add a message subject.
4. For MMS, touch the paper clip icon  to select the kind of media file to attach to the message.
5. Touch .

Creating an Email Account

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Settings** > **Accounts & sync** > **ADD ACCOUNT** > **Email**.
2. Enter your email address and password
3. For automatic setup, just touch **Next**; for **Manual setup**, select the type of account and then follow the instruction to proceed.
 - ▶ **POP3/IMAP**: Add Personal account.
 - ▶ **Exchange**: Add Business account.



4. After the account is created, your phone will show the inbox of the email account and start to download email messages.

TIP: To add more email accounts, open **Email** to get the **Inbox** screen. Then touch the **Menu Key** > **Account settings** and touch **ADD ACCOUNT** at the top right of the screen.

Writing and Sending an Email

1. Open the email account you want to use.
2. Touch  to open the compose screen.
3. If you have more than one email account on the phone, touch the sender line to select the account you want to use for sending the message.

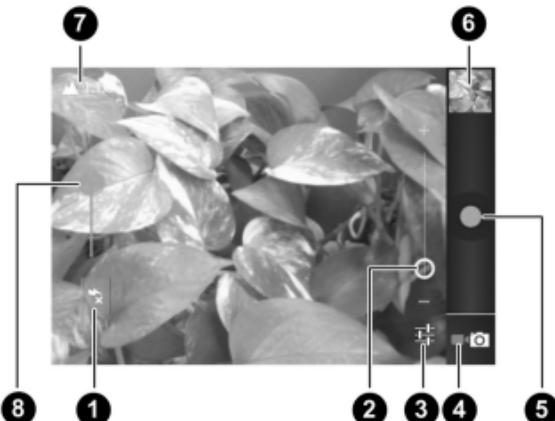
4. Enter a contact name or email address in the 'To' field. Separate each recipient with a comma. You can also touch  to select recipients from your contacts.

NOTE: Touch the **Menu Key > Add Cc/Bcc** to send a carbon copy or blind carbon copy to other recipients.

5. Enter the email subject and compose the email text.
6. Touch the **Menu Key > Attach file** to add audio files, images, videos and other types of files as attachment.
7. Touch  at the top right of the screen to send the message.

Taking Pictures with your Camera

1. Touch the **Home Key >  > Camera**.
2. Aim the camera at the subject and make any necessary adjustment.
3. Hold the circle and slide to zoom in or out.

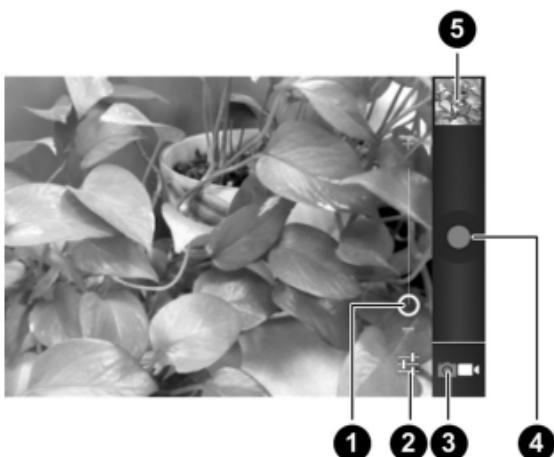


Number	Function
①	Touch to select the flash mode.
②	Hold the circle and slide to zoom in or out.
③	Change the camera settings.
④	Switch to the camcorder.
⑤	Capture a photo.
⑥	View photos and videos you have captured.
⑦	Current settings status.
⑧	Hold the blue dot and slide to adjust brightness.

4. Lightly touch the blue button  to take a picture.
5. You can touch  to open the following camera setting options.

Shooting Videos

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Camera** and switch to the camcorder.
2. Aim the camera at the subject and make any necessary adjustment.
3. Hold the circle and slide to zoom in or out.



Number	Function
①	Hold the circle and slide to zoom in or out.
②	Change the camcorder settings.
③	Switch to the camera.
④	Record a video.
⑤	View photos and videos you have captured.

4. Touch  to start recording.

5. Touch  to stop recording.
6. You can touch  to open the following camcorder setting options.

TIP: While the recording is in progress, you can touch the screen to save the frame as a separate photo.

Using Play Music

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Play Music**.
2. Touch a category, such as Artists or Albums, to find the song you want to play.
3. Touch the song to play.

You can still control the music when you are not in the playback screen.

Watching Videos

Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Video Player**.

Touch a video file to watch it.

Touch the screen to show the video control panel, with which you can pause the video or jump to any part of it.

Connecting to your PC

You can connect your device to a computer with a USB cable and transfer music, pictures, and other files in both directions. Your device stores

these files in internal storage or on a removable microSD card.

1. Connect your phone to the PC with a USB cable.
2. Open the Notification panel and touch **Touch for other USB options**.
3. Select connect type.

To disconnect the device from the computer, simply unplug the USB cable when you're finished.

Browsing the Internet

Touch  in the Home Screen and select **Browser** to view web pages and search for information via a Mobile Network, or Wi-Fi connection.

1. Touch the address box at the top of the web page.
2. Enter the address (URL) of a web page. Or enter terms you want to search for. As you enter text, your web search engine makes suggestions of web pages and queries. You can also touch the microphone icon  to search by voice.
3. Touch a suggestion or touch **Go** on the keyboard.

TIP: Touch the **X** to the left of the address box if you want to stop opening the page.

Play Store

Touch  in the Home Screen and select **Play Store**. You can buy or rent music, books, movies, and applications. You can download and install them in a few easy steps. You can send feedback or comments on an application.

Before you begin, make sure that you have signed in to your Google account.

Browsing and Searching for Apps

You can browse apps by category. Touch a top-level category, such as **GAMES** and touch the app from any subcategory.

You can also search for apps using an app's name or description, or the developer's name.

Just touch  and enter the search terms.

Downloading and Installing Apps

When you find the app you are interested in through browsing or searching, touch it to open its details screen, where more information about the app is displayed.

1. Touch **Download** (free apps) or the price (paid apps) in the app details screen.
2. If the app is not free, you need to sign in to your Google Wallet account and select a payment method.

3. Touch **Accept & download** (free apps) or **Accept & buy** (paid apps) to accept the permissions for the app. Your app will start downloading immediately or once payment is successfully authorized.

Managing your Downloads

After you've downloaded and installed an app, you can rate it, view it in a list with your other downloaded apps, configure it to update itself automatically, and so on.

Viewing your Downloaded Apps

1. On the Apps screen of Play Store, touch the **Menu Key > My Apps**.
2. Your list of installed apps opens, you can touch one to rate it, uninstall it, request a refund, and so on.

Uninstalling an App

1. On the Apps screen of Play Store, touch the **Menu Key > My Apps**.
2. Touch an app to open its details screen.
3. Touch **Uninstall > OK**.

Bluetooth

Bluetooth® is a short-range wireless communication technology. Phones or other devices with

Bluetooth capabilities can exchange information wirelessly within a distance of about 10 meters. The Bluetooth devices must be paired before the communication is performed.

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Settings** > **Bluetooth**.
2. Switch **Bluetooth** to the **ON** or **OFF** position.
When Bluetooth is on, the  icon will appear in the Status bar.
3. Touch the **Menu Key** > **Visibility timeout** to set the Bluetooth visibility timeout of your phone.
4. Touch **SEARCH FOR DEVICES**. Your phone scans for and displays the IDs of all available Bluetooth devices in range.
5. Touch the device you want to pair with.
6. In the list of paired devices, touch a paired but unconnected device to connect.

Your Navigator Deluxe

With Your Navigator Deluxe, get all of the features of an advanced car navigation system on your mobile phone with voice turn-by-turn navigation enabled by GPS. Search for any destination including gas stations, ATMs, restaurants, and more. Get detailed maps of any location.

1. Touch the **Home Key** >  > **Settings** > **Location services**.
2. Touch **Google's location service** or **GPS satellites** to activate/deactivate.
3. From the home screen select **Your Navigator Deluxe** application.
4. From Your Navigator Deluxe home screen you can select
 - “Drive To” for turn by turn direction to an address, airport, contacts addresses and more.
 - “Places” to search for nearby businesses, the cheapest gas prices and more
 - “Maps & Traffic” to see where you currently are located on a map and what traffic is in the area.

Hearing Aid

Your ZTE Director is compliant with the FCC Hearing Aid Compatibility (HAC) requirements. For additional HAC information, including the HAC rating of this product, please refer to www.zteusa-support.com.

Turning on the HAC Setting

To turn on the HAC function, touch the **Home Key** >  > **Settings** > **Call settings** and click the **Hearing aids** check box. For detailed information, refer to “Using Your Phone With a Hearing Aid Device” in the manual.

This section applies to T-Rating only and hearing aids that contain telecoils. When the HAC setting is on, your ZTE Director sends the audio from your phone calls to the telecoil rather than to the microphone of your hearing aid. You are likely to hear calls much better because volume is increased and background noise and feedback are diminished. The HAC setting improves only the calls you listen to through the earpiece. It does not affect calls heard on the speaker or with a headset. HAC requires extra battery power, so watch your battery consumption when it's turned on.

CAUTION: Do not turn on the HAC setting unless you use a hearing aid with a telecoil. Using this setting without a hearing aid or with a hearing aid without a telecoil may be harmful to your hearing.