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# Quick Start Guide

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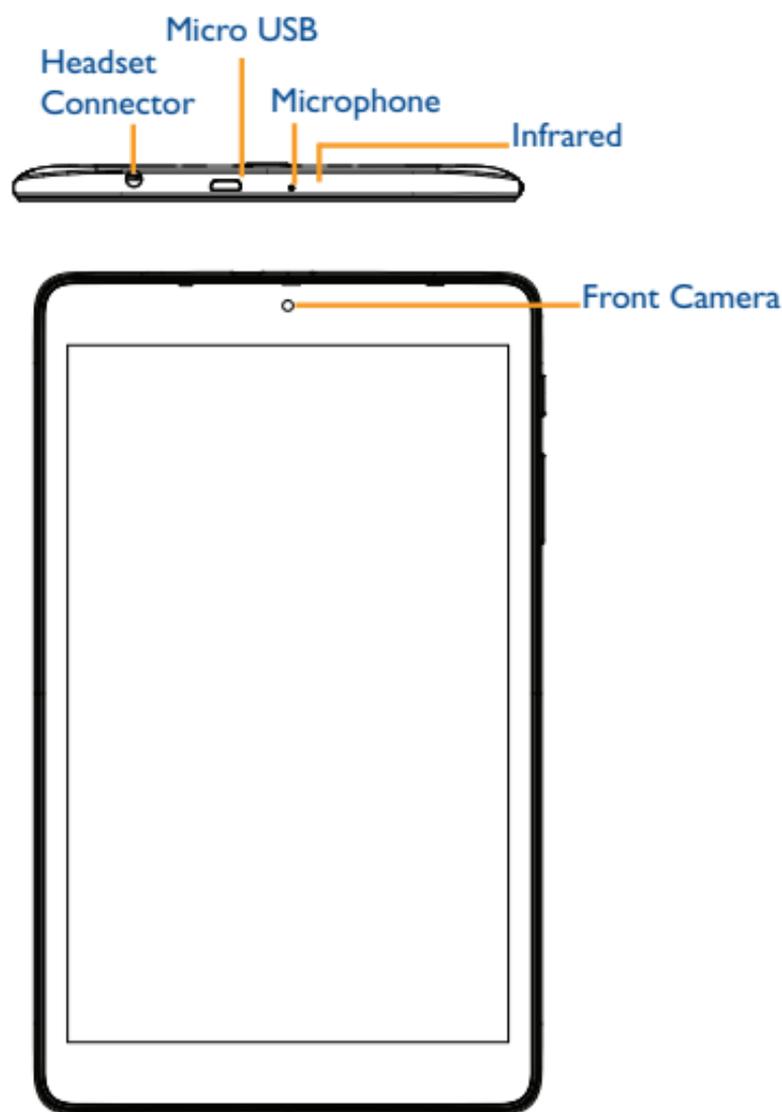


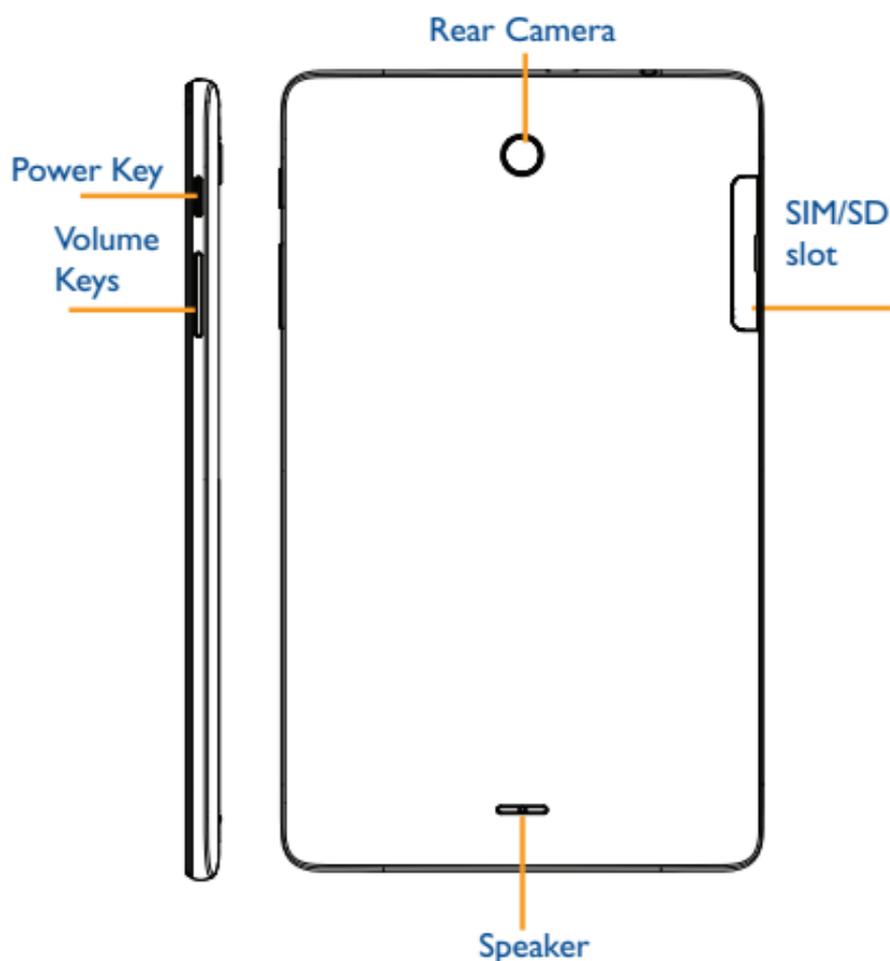
This product meets applicable national SAR limits of 1.6 W/kg. The specific maximum SAR values can be found on page 24 of this user guide. When carrying the product or using it while worn on your body, either use an approved accessory such as a holster or otherwise maintain a distance of 15 mm from the body to ensure compliance with RF exposure requirements. Note that the product may be transmitting even when not in use.

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# Your Device

## 1.1 Keys and Connectors





### **Recent Apps**

- Touch to open a card view of applications you've worked with recently.



### **Home**

- From any application or screen, touch to return to the Home screen.
- Long press to turn on Google Assistant. You can get help such as getting directions and restaurant information based on the content detected on the screen.



## Back

- Touch to go back to the previous screen, or close a dialog box, options menu, the Notification panel, etc.



## Power key

- Press: Lock the screen/Light up the screen.
- Press and hold: Show the popup menu to select from Power off, Restart or screenshot.
- Press and hold the **Power** key and **Volume** key to take a screenshot.
- Press and hold the **Power** key for at least 10 seconds to force reboot.



## Volume Keys

- In call mode, adjusts the earpiece or headset volume.
- In Music/Video/Streaming mode, adjusts the media volume.
- In general mode, adjusts the ringtone volume.
- Mutes the ringtone of an incoming call.
- In camera preview mode, press **Volume** key to take a photo or press and hold to take a burst shot.

## 1.2 SIM Card

The SIM (Subscriber Identity Module) card identifies your device to the wireless network. A SIM card or Wi-Fi connection is required to browse the Internet. Your device includes a pre-inserted Nano SIM card. For instructions on how to remove or insert the SIM, please see the Insert/Remove the Nano SIM and microSD Cards section below.

You don't need to power off your device before inserting or removing the SIM card.

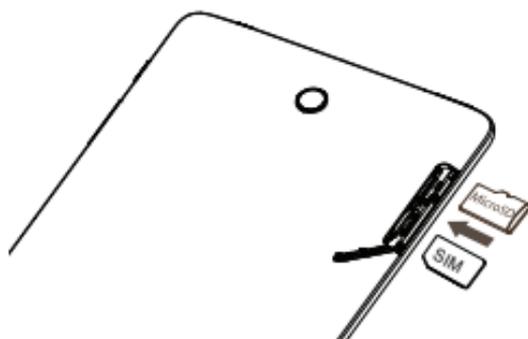
**Note:** Your device only supports Nano SIM cards. To avoid damage to your device, do not attempt to insert any other SIM types.

### 1.2.1 Insert/Remove the Nano SIM and microSD Cards

1. Open the slot.



2. Insert/Remove the SIM card and microSD card.



**Note:** microSD cards are sold separately.

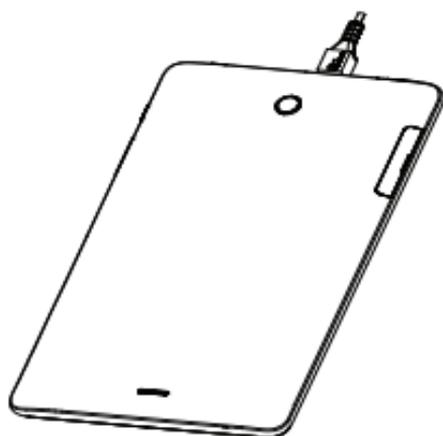
## 1.3 Battery

To optimize battery performance, be sure to fully charge your device before using it for the first time.

The back cover and battery are not removable. Disassembling the device may damage your battery.

### 1.3.1 Charging the Device

1. Insert the small end of the charging cable into the charge port as shown.



2. Connect charger to power outlet.

**Note:** Please use the cable that came with your device. Using other cables may damage the charging port or reduce battery performance.

### 1.3.2 Optimize Battery Life

To optimize battery life, adjust your screen brightness and display timeout.

1. Adjusting brightness level: Lowering your screen brightness level can optimize your battery level. To adjust the brightness level, swipe upward from the Home screen, touch **Settings > Display > Brightness level**. To lower the brightness level, move the wheel to the left.
2. Power Saving Mode: Power Saving mode minimizes battery usage to extend battery life. To turn on your Power Saving mode, swipe upward from the Home screen, touch **Settings > Battery**. Then turn on **Standby intelligent power saving** and **Battery saver**.

## 1.4 Home Screen

You can bring all of the items (applications, shortcuts, folders and widgets) you use most frequently to your Home screen for quick access. Touch the **Home** key to get instant access to the Home screen.



### Status bar

- Touch and drag down to open the notifications panel.

### Search bar

- Touch ① to enter text search screen.
- Touch ② to enter voice search screen.

### Favorite applications tray

- Touch to enter the applications.
- Touch and hold to move or change applications.

### Home key

### Back

- Touch to go back to last screen.

### Recent apps

- Touch to view recent apps.

Home screen is provided in an extended format to allow more space for adding applications, shortcuts etc. Slide all Home screens horizontally left and right to get a complete view of the Home screens. The white line at the lower part of the screen indicate which screen you are viewing.

## 1.4.1 Status Bar

The Status bar appears at the top of your Home screen. You will find icons indicating your device's status and new notification alerts appear in the Status bar.

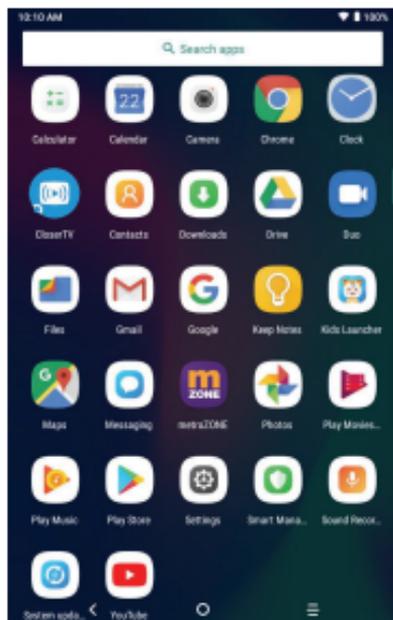


Icon	Status
	Bluetooth® active
	Wi-Fi® active
	Network (full signal)
	Network (roaming)
	4G LTE data service
	3G data service
	Airplane mode
	Alarm set
	Battery (charging)
	Battery (fully charged)
	New message

## 1.5 Applications

### 1.5.1 App List

Swipe upward from the Home screen to view the App list.



### 1.5.2 Add/Remove Application

1. **Add:** You can touch and hold a folder, an application, or a widget to activate the Move mode and drag the item to any Home screen you prefer.
2. **Reposition:** Touch and hold the item to be repositioned to activate the Move mode, drag the item to the desired position and then release.

You can move items on both the Home screen and the Favorite tray. Hold the icon on the left or right edge of the screen to drag the item to another Home screen.

3. **Remove:** Touch and hold the item to be removed to activate the Move mode, drag the item up to the top of the Remove icon and release.

4. **Create folders:** To improve the organization of items (shortcuts or applications) on the Home screen, you can create a folder by stacking one app on top of another. To rename a folder, open it and touch the folder's title bar to input the new name.
5. Wallpaper customization:

You can change your wallpaper in two different ways:

1. Touch and hold an empty area on the **Home screen** and then select **Wallpapers** from bottom options. Slide left and right to view and select one Wallpaper image option, select **Set wallpaper** on top left bar and then select **Home screen** to set image as Home screen. You can set different wallpapers for Lock screen and Home screen.
2. Change your wallpaper by going to **Settings > Display > Wallpaper**.

## 2 CloserTV™

This function provides universal access to both live TV and Over The Top content and gives you complete control of both mobile and TV screens, as well as easily switching between live TV channels and OTT<sup>(1)</sup> content:

Swipe upward from the home screen and touch CloserTV™



1. Touch  to search the video you want to watch.
2. Touch  to search content by voice.
3. Touch  to control the TV content.

**Note:** you need to set the Remote control by touching  and following the instructions before using it for the first time.

## 3 Contacts

### 3.1 Create a New Contact

1. Swipe upward from the Home screen and select Contacts .
2. Touch  to create a new contact.
3. Enter contact's name and other contact information.
4. When finished, touch  to Save.

<sup>(1)</sup> OTT: The delivery of film and TV content provided via high-speed Internet connection rather than a cable or satellite provider. OTT does not mean free, some of OTT services require a subscription, i.e. one does not have access to Netflix without a subscription.

# 4 Gmail

## 4.1 Set up Gmail Accounts

1. Swipe upward from the Home screen, touch **Gmail** . An email wizard will guide you through the steps to set up an email account.
2. Enter the email address and password of the account you want to set up.
3. If the account you entered is not provided by your service provider in the device, you can touch **MANUAL SETUP** after entering the email address, select an account type, enter the password for your email, then correctly fill in server and port in both **Incoming server settings** and **Outgoing server settings** interfaces. Finally, touch **FINISH** to complete setup.

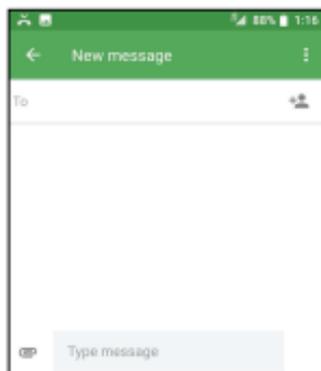
# 5 Messaging

Use the messaging feature to send and receive text (SMS) and multimedia (MMS) messages.

## 5.1 Create and Send a Message

1. From the Home screen, touch **Messaging**  to enter.
2. Touch  to create a new text message.
3. Enter the phone number of the recipient in the bar at the top of the page or touch  to add recipients.
4. Press the **Type message** bar to enter the text of the message.

5. Press ➤ to send.



An SMS message of more than 160 characters will be charged as several SMS. A counter will be on the right of the text box to remind you how many characters are allowed to be entered in one message.

**Note:** Specific letters (accented) will also increase the size of the SMS, this may cause multiple SMS to be sent to your recipient.

## 5.2 Send a Multimedia Message

MMS enables you to send video clips, images, animations, slides and sounds to other compatible mobile devices and e-mail addresses.

An SMS will be converted to MMS automatically when media files (image, video, audio, etc.) are attached or subject or email addresses are added.

To send a multimedia message, enter the recipient's phone number in the **To** bar and touch the **Type message** bar to enter the text of the message. Touch  to attach a picture, video, audio and so on.

When finished, touch ➤ to send the multimedia message.

**Note:** Data must be turned on to successfully send MMS messages.

# 6 Getting Connected

## 6.1 Web Browser

From the **Home** screen, touch **Chrome**  to use the Browser.

Your bookmarks, browsing history, and settings across all devices with the browser installed can be synchronized with your Google Account.

## 6.2 Accessing Files

To access media files and photos saved on your device or to transfer files from your device's microSD card (sold separately) to your computer, follow these steps:

### To connect device to PC

1. Use the USB cable that came with your device to connect the device to a USB port on your computer. You will receive a notification that the USB is connected.
2. If you use **File transfer** or PTP, your device will be automatically connected. Note: Before using PTP, make sure that the driver (Windows Media Player 11 or higher version) has been installed.

### To locate data you have transferred or downloaded to your microSD card/internal storage:

- Swipe upward from the Home screen to open the applications list.
- Touch Files .

All data you have downloaded is stored in Files. Here you can view media files (pictures, videos, audio, etc.), rename files, install applications on your device, etc.

## 6.3 Data Sharing

You can share your device's mobile data connection with a single computer via USB cable (USB tethering) or with up to eight devices at once by turning your device into a portable Wi-Fi hotspot.

To turn on USB tethering or Wi-Fi Hotspot:

1. Touch **Settings > Network & Internet > Tethering & Mobile Hotspot**.
2. Touch the **USB tethering** switch to activate this function.
3. Touch **Mobile Hotspot** then touch the switch to activate this function.

**Note:** These functions may incur additional network charges from your network operator. Extra fees may also be charged in roaming areas.

## 6.4 Bluetooth®

Your device comes with Bluetooth connectivity, a wireless technology that enables a data connection between your device and a Bluetooth headset or other Bluetooth device (sold separately).

### 6.4.1 Connect to Bluetooth

1. From the Home screen, touch **Settings**  > **Connected devices > Connection preferences > Bluetooth**.
2. Touch the **Bluetooth** switch to activate this function.
3. Touch **Pair new device** and the device will automatically search for device.
4. Select the desired **Bluetooth** device to pair with your device.

# 7 Volume & Ringtone

## Adjust Ringtone and Volume

1. From the Home screen, touch **Settings** , and then select **Sound**.
2. Position the slider to adjust volume for **Media**, **Alarm**, or **Notification** separately.
3. Set sound for Notification and Alarm separately.
4. Touch a named switch to turn its sound on or off

# 8 Software Updates

To access Software Updates, follow these steps:

1. Connect your device to a Wi-Fi network and make sure it has a strong data connection.
2. Ensure your battery is fully charged before starting the software update. Your device's current battery level can be found on your device under **Settings > Battery**.
3. From the Home screen, select **Settings**  **> System > System updates**.
4. Touch **CHECK FOR UPDATES** and the device will search for the latest software.
5. If software update is available, click on **Download update**. Once the software is downloaded, touch **Install update > Install**.
6. Now your device has the latest version of the software.

# 9 Security

To help prevent others from using your device without your permission, activate the following security options:

From the Home screen, touch **Settings**  > **Security & location** > **Device security**

## 9.1 Screen Lock

- **None:** Touch to disable screen unlock security.
- **Swipe:** Touch to enable slide unlock mode.
- **Pattern:** Touch to draw a pattern to unlock screen.
- **PIN:** Touch to setup a numeric PIN to unlock screen.
- **Password:** Touch to setup a password to unlock screen.

## 9.2 Smart Lock

Your device can be automatically unlocked if at least one of the following specified conditions is met:

- Your device is connected to a trusted device over Bluetooth.
- Your device is in a trusted place.
- A trusted face is detected.
- A trusted voice is detected.
- On-body detection is enabled.

You need to set a lock pattern, password, or PIN on your device before using this feature.

# Safety and Use

We recommend that you read this chapter carefully before using your mobile device. The manufacturer disclaims any liability for damage, which may result as a consequence of improper use or use contrary to the instructions contained herein.

## Traffic Safety

Given that studies show that using a mobile device while driving a vehicle constitutes a real risk, even when the hands-free kit is used (car kit, headset...), drivers are requested to refrain from using their mobile device when the vehicle is not parked. Check the laws and regulations on the use of wireless mobile devices and their accessories in the areas where you drive. Always obey them. The use of these devices may be prohibited or restricted in certain areas.

When driving, do not use your mobile device and headset to listen to music or to the radio. Using a headset can be dangerous and forbidden in some areas.

When switched on, your mobile device emits electromagnetic waves that can interfere with the vehicle's electronic systems such as ABS anti-lock brakes or airbags. To ensure that there is no problem:

- Do not place your mobile device on top of the dashboard or within an airbag deployment area,
- Check with your car dealer or the car manufacturer to make sure that the car's electronic devices are shielded from mobile device RF energy.

## Conditions of Use

You are advised to switch off the mobile device from time to time to optimize its performance.

Remember to abide by local authority rules of mobile device use on aircrafts.

**Operational Warnings:** Obey all posted signs when using mobile devices in public areas.

- Turn off your mobile device in any location where posted notices instruct you to do so. In an aircraft, turn off your mobile device whenever instructed to do so by airline staff. If your mobile device offers an airplane mode or similar feature, consult airline staff about using it in flight.
- Switch the mobile device off when you are in health care facilities, except in designated areas. As with many other types of equipment now in regular use, mobile devices can interfere with other electrical or electronic devices, or equipment using radio frequency.
- Switch the mobile device off when you are near gas or flammable liquids. Strictly obey all signs and instructions posted in a fuel depot, gas station, or chemical plant, or in any potentially explosive atmosphere.
- When the mobile device is switched on, it should be kept at least 15 cm from any medical device such as a pacemaker or insulin pump. In particular when using the mobile device you should hold it against the ear on the opposite side to the device, if any.

**Note:** Using your device in landscape mode with polarized sunglasses on may cut light from the screen. Take your polarized sunglasses off or use your device in portrait orientation to continue use.

Read and follow the directions from the manufacturer of your implantable medical device. If you have any questions about using your mobile device with your implantable medical device, consult your healthcare provider.

It is recommended to have proper supervision while small children use your mobile device.

Do not attempt to disassemble your device. If you disassemble your device, the warranty will not apply.

Always handle your mobile device with care and keep it in a clean and dust-free place.

Do not allow your mobile device to be exposed to adverse weather or environmental conditions (moisture, humidity, rain, infiltration of liquids, dust, sea air, etc.). The manufacturer's recommended operating temperature range is 0°C (32°F) to +50°C (122°F)

**Note:** The max value depends on the device condition, materials around it, and the housing paint and texture.

Over 50°C (122°F) the legibility of the mobile device's display may be impaired, though this is temporary and not serious.

Do not open or attempt to paint or repair your mobile device.

Do not drop, throw or try to bend your mobile device.

Do not use the mobile device if the screen is damaged, cracked, or broken to avoid any injury.

Use only batteries, battery chargers, and accessories that are recommended by TCL Communication Technology Holdings Limited and its affiliates and are compatible with your mobile device model. TCL Communication Technology Holdings Limited and its affiliates disclaim any liability for damage caused by the use of other chargers or batteries.

Your mobile device should not be disposed in municipal waste. Please check local regulations for disposal of electronic products.

Remember to make back-up copies or keep a written record of all important information stored in your mobile device.

Some people may suffer epileptic seizures or blackouts when playing video games. These seizures or blackouts may occur even if a person never had a previous seizure or blackout. If you have experienced seizures or blackouts, or if you have a family history of such occurrences, please consult your doctor before playing video games on your mobile device. Parents should monitor their children's use of video games or other features that incorporate flashing lights on the mobile devices. All persons should discontinue use and consult a doctor if any of the following symptoms occur: convulsion, eye or muscle twitching, loss of awareness, involuntary movements, or disorientation. To limit the likelihood of such symptoms, please take the following safety precautions:

- Play at the farthest distance possible from the screen.

When you play games on your mobile device, you may experience occasional discomfort in your hands, arms, shoulders, neck, or other parts of your body. Follow these instructions to avoid problems, such as tendinitis, carpal tunnel syndrome, or other musculoskeletal disorders:

- Take a minimum of a 15-minute break every hour of game playing.
- If your hands, wrists, or arms become tired or sore while playing, stop and rest for several hours before playing again.
- If you continue to have sore hands, wrists, or arms during or after playing, stop the game and see a doctor.



## **PROTECT YOUR HEARING**

To prevent possible hearing damage, do not listen at high volume levels for long periods. Exercise caution when holding your device near your ear while the loudspeaker is in use.

## **Privacy**

Please note that you must respect the laws and regulations of your jurisdiction or other jurisdiction(s) where you will use your mobile device regarding taking photographs and recording sounds with your mobile device. Pursuant to such laws and regulations, it may be strictly forbidden to take photographs and/or to record the voices of other people or any of their personal attributes, and reproduce or distribute them, as this may be considered an invasion of privacy.

It is the user's sole responsibility to ensure that prior authorization be obtained, if necessary, in order to record private or confidential conversations or take a photograph of another person; the manufacturer, the seller or vendor of your mobile device (including the operator) disclaim any liability which may result from the improper use of the mobile device.

## **Battery and Accessories**

Following air regulation, if the battery of your product is not charged, please charge first.

Observe the following precautions for battery use:

- Do not attempt to open the battery (due to the risk of toxic fumes and burns).
- Do not puncture, disassemble or cause a short-circuit in a battery.

- Do not burn or dispose of a used battery in household garbage or store it at temperatures above 60°C.
- Do not disassemble or open crush, bend or deform, puncture or shred.
- Do not modify or remanufacture, attempt to insert foreign objects into the battery, immerse or expose to water or other liquids, expose to fire, explosion or other hazard

Products that have the below symbol must be taken to collection points at the end of their life:



- Municipal waste disposal centers with specific bins for these items of equipment.
- Collection bins at points of sale.



They will then be recycled, preventing substances being disposed of in the environment, so that their components can be reused.

### **In European Union countries:**

These collection points are accessible free of charge. All products with this symbol must be brought to these collection points.

### **In non-European Union jurisdictions:**

Equipment with this symbol are not be thrown into ordinary bins if your jurisdiction or your region has suitable recycling and collection facilities; instead, they are to be taken to collection points for them to be recycled.

In the United States, you may learn more about CTIA's Recycling Program at <https://www.ctia.org/news/how-to-recycle-your-mobile-device>

**CAUTION:** RISK OF EXPLOSION IF BATTERY IS REPLACED BY AN INCORRECT TYPE. DISPOSE OF USED BATTERIES ACCORDING TO THE INSTRUCTIONS.



**WARNING:** Cancer and Reproductive Harm - [www.P65Warnings.ca.gov](http://www.P65Warnings.ca.gov)

## Chargers

Home A.C. / Travel chargers will operate within the temperature range of: 0°C (32°F) to 45°C (113°F).

The chargers designed for your mobile device meet with the standard for safety of information technology equipment and office equipment use. Due to different applicable electrical specifications, a charger you purchased in one jurisdiction may not work in another jurisdiction. They should be used for this purpose only.

Characteristics of power supply (depending on the country):

Travel charger: Input: 100-240V, 50/60Hz, 0.5A

Output: 5V, 2A

## Radio Waves

THIS MOBILE DEVICE MEETS THE GOVERNMENT'S REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPOSURE TO RADIO WAVES.

Your mobile device is a radio transmitter and receiver. It is designed and manufactured not to exceed the emission limits for exposure to radio-frequency (RF) energy. These limits are part of comprehensive guidelines and establish permitted levels of RF energy for the general population. The guidelines are based on standards that were developed by independent scientific organizations through periodic and

thorough evaluation of scientific studies. These guidelines include a substantial safety margin designed to ensure the safety of all persons, regardless of age and health.

The exposure standard for mobile devices employs a unit of measurement known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR. The SAR limit set by public authorities such as the Federal Communications Commission of the US Government (FCC), or by Industry Canada, is 1.6 W/kg averaged over 1 gram of body tissue. Tests for SAR are conducted using standard operating positions with the mobile device transmitting at its highest certified power level in all tested frequency bands.

The FCC has granted an Equipment Authorization for this model device with all reported SAR levels evaluated as in compliance with the FCC RF exposure guidelines. SAR information on this model device is on file with the FCC and can be found under the Display Grant section of [www.fcc.gov/oet/ea/fccid](http://www.fcc.gov/oet/ea/fccid) after searching on FCC ID: 2ACCJBT16.

Although the SAR is determined at the highest certified power level, the actual SAR level of the mobile device while operating can be well below the maximum value. This is because the mobile device is designed to operate at multiple power levels to use only the power required to reach the network. In general, the closer you are to a wireless base station antenna, the lower the power output of the mobile device. Before a mobile device model is available for sale to the public, compliance with national regulations and standards must be shown. The highest SAR value for this model mobile device when tested is 1.31 W/kg for use close to the body.

While there may be differences between the SAR levels of various mobile devices and at various positions, they all meet the government requirement for RF exposure. For body-worn

operation, the device has been tested when positioned a minimum of 15 mm from the body without any metal parts in the vicinity of the device or when properly used with an appropriate accessory and worn on the body. Use of other accessories may not ensure compliance with FCC RF exposure guidelines. Additional information on SAR can be found on the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association (CTIA) Web site: <https://www.ctia.org>

The World Health Organization (WHO) considers that present scientific information does not indicate the need for any special precautions for use of mobile devices. If individuals are concerned, they might choose to limit their own or their children's RF exposure by limiting the length of calls, or using "hands-free" devices to keep mobile devices away from the head and body. (fact sheet n°193). Additional WHO information about electromagnetic fields and public health are available on the following website: <http://www.who.int/peh-emf>.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference 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 not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

For the receiver devices associated with the operation of a licensed radio service (e.g. FM broadcast), they bear the following statement:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the condition that this device does not cause harmful interference.

For other devices, they bear the following statement:

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
- (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Your mobile device is equipped with a built-in antenna. For optimal operation, you should avoid touching it or degrading it. As mobile devices offer a range of functions, they can be used in positions other than against your ear. In such circumstances the device will be compliant with the guidelines when used with headset or USB data cable. If you are using another accessory ensure that whatever product is used is free of any metal and that it positions the mobile device at least 15 mm away from the body.

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- **Hotline Number:** In the United States, call 855-368-0829 for technical support.

On our Internet site, you will find our FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions) section. You can also contact us by e-mail to ask any questions you may have.

An electronic version of this user guide is available in English and other languages according to availability on our website: <https://us.alcatelmobile.com>

Your device is a transceiver that operates on GSM in quad-band (850/900/1800/1900 MHz), UMTS in tri-band (B2/4/5), LTE in TMO: B2/4/5/7/12/17/25/26/41 (Support HPUE)/66/71.

## Disclaimer

There may be certain differences between the user manual description and the device's operation, depending on the software release of your device or specific operator services.

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# Metro<sup>®</sup> by T-Mobile Information

## Service

You will need the following information when activating service:

- Your name, address and an eight-digit number that you will use to access your account (your personal identification number "PIN").
- Your serial number (IMEI) and SIM card number. If your device has a removable battery, to locate the serial number, remove the device from the box and remove the battery cover from the device. The serial number is located near the bar code. It will be 14 to 18 digits. If your device does not have a removable battery, check the box label or device settings to locate the serial number. The SIM card number can be located below the bottom bar code on the back of the SIM card holder.
- Your choice of Metro<sup>®</sup> by T-Mobile plan and services including unlimited data, talk and text plans.
- Install the battery, if applicable, and SIM card in your new device by following the step by step instructions in this device's User Guide.
- Once your device is powered up, dial 1.888.8metro8 (1.888.863.8768) to connect with an activation representative who will assist you in activating your device. You can also activate your device online by visiting [metrobyt-mobile.com](http://metrobyt-mobile.com). (As soon as your service is activated, be sure to fully charge the device's battery before using it again.)

Don't hesitate to ask your Metro representative for more information on additional features and services or visit [metrobyt-mobile.com](http://metrobyt-mobile.com).

## Account Detail:

- **Text Message Reminder.** Metro provides a text message reminder on your device before payment is due.
- **E-statement.** View your statement summary online. (Only available in select states.)

## Payment Options:

There are several ways to pay for your Metro service.

- **Auto Pay.** Your credit or debit card is automatically debited two days before payment is due.
- **Express Pay.** Pay by credit or debit card online at metrobyt-mobile.com.
- **By Mail.** Include your account number and phone number on your check or money order and mail to: Metro by T-Mobile, P.O. Box 5119, Carol Stream, IL 60197-5119.
- **By Phone via Automated System.** Pay by credit or debit card from your Metro phone by dialing 1.888.8metro8. (Convenience fee applies.)
- **Store Payment Machine.\*** Accepts cash, debit or credit card (with PIN). (Convenience fee applies.)
- **Over the Counter.\*** Pay at an Authorized Payment Location with cash, check, credit or debit card.
- **eWallet.** Sign up for MyAccount through metrobyt-mobile.com and create your own secure eWallet where you can safely store cards for quick payment and set up auto pay.
- **Text to Pay.** The secure and easy way to pay your monthly Metro service. Register your credit or debit card with the Metro eWallet service and simply respond to a text from PAYNOW (729699) to pay.

\* Not available at all locations.

## MyMetro®

- Manage your Metro account right on your device.

By dialing any of the customer service numbers you can change your rate plan, change your features and pay for service. Just follow the instructions on your device.

### For Assistance:

Please visit your local Metro store or refer to the following options if you need additional assistance.

- Sign up for MyAccount to view account details, check your balance, make a payment, manage eWallet and more.
- Metro automated customer service from any phone 1.888.8metro8 and follow the prompts (1.888.863.8768)
- Online information [metrobyt-mobile.com](http://metrobyt-mobile.com)

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Your device may not work if you alter its original software. This device will only operate with firmware versions that have been approved for use by Metro and the device manufacturer. If unauthorized firmware is placed on the device, it will not function.

If you have questions about return or exchange policies, consult your service provider or device retailer.

Your device's GPS system is enabled by default in order to permit use of planned future services; see your device's manual for instructions should you wish to disable your GPS for non-911 purposes.

## **Metro Terms and Conditions of Service**

For the most recent and up-to-date version of the Metro Terms and Conditions of Service to which you agree and will be bound when you activate, use, change or pay for your Metro service, please visit [metrobyt-mobile.com/terms](http://metrobyt-mobile.com/terms).

Welcome to Metro. We are pleased that you have selected us as your wireless carrier. Our Terms and Conditions of Service are available at <https://www.metrobyt-mobile.com/terms-conditions/terms-conditions-service.html>. These Terms and Conditions of Service apply to all devices and wireless services provided by us to you and consist of several parts, which may be amended from time to time.

In the event that the terms and conditions relating to a feature you may have selected or may be included in your Rate Plan conflict with the Metro Terms and Conditions of Service, the Metro Terms and Conditions of Service shall control.

By: (a) giving us a written or electronic signature or telling us orally that you accept the Metro Terms and Conditions of Service; (b) activating Service (if you are a new subscriber); (c) using your Service after your Service is activated or after you make a change or addition to your Service; (d) paying for the Service; or (e) failing to activate Service within 30 days after the purchase of your wireless device, unless you return your wireless device within Metro's applicable return period, you agree to the Metro Terms and Conditions of Service and the terms and conditions of service and use related to any feature

you may have selected or may be included in your Rate Plan, including, but not limited to:

- You waive your right to a jury trial in disputes with Metro;
- Your disputes with Metro will be decided by an arbitrator;
- You waive your right to institute or participate in class action litigation against Metro;
- You will provide Metro with accurate information about yourself;
- Metro may communicate with you from time to time about your Service;
- You will pay all taxes and regulatory fees even if your rate plan is inclusive of taxes and regulatory fees; and
- Metro may terminate your Service if you fail to timely pay for your Service or violate the Terms and Conditions of Service in any way, including abuse of the Service or violations of applicable laws.

**Customer Service.** If you have any questions regarding your Service or information in this Agreement, you may call our activation center at 1-888-8metro8 (1.888.863.8768).

## **Billing for Premium and Third-Party Services**

### California Residents Only

Certain parties besides Metro have the ability to place charges on your bill for premium services. You may access these services and authorize the placement of charges on your bill through your device or online account. Metro also provides customers, at no additional cost, with the ability to restrict the placement of charges for premium and third-party services on your account. Contact customer care or go to [www.metrobyt-mobile.com/blocking](http://www.metrobyt-mobile.com/blocking) for more information.

# 12 Month Limited Warranty

For Warranty information and support, please visit <https://us.alcatelmobile.com/warranty/>.

## Recycling Information

For more information on Electronic Recycling:

- 1) Visit Alcatel Electronic Recycling Program website at <https://us.alcatelmobile.com/accessibility-compliance/electronic-recycling-program/>, or
- 2) Call Alcatel US Customer Support at 1-855-368-0829.

Battery Recycling (USA & Canada):

Alcatel partners with Call2Recycle® to offer a safe and convenient battery recycling program. For more information on our Battery Recycling Program, please visit the USA and Canada website at <https://us.alcatelmobile.com/accessibility-compliance/battery-recycling/> and <https://ca.alcatelmobile.com/accessibility-compliance/battery-recycling/>.



# Troubleshooting

Before contacting the service center, here are some instructions to help you troubleshoot your device:

- You are advised to fully charge the battery for optimal operation.
- Avoid storing large amounts of data on your device as this may affect its performance.
- Update your device's software via the **Updates** application. Or you can touch **Settings > System > Advanced > System Updates** to update software.
- Reset your device via **Factory reset**. You can touch **Settings > System > Advanced > Reset options > Erase all data (Factory reset)**, and then touch **RESET TABLET**.

The following are the most asked questions:

## **My device can't be switched on or is frozen**

- Check the battery power level and charge for at least 10 minutes.
- If it still does not work, please reset the device by pressing and holding the Power key.

## **My device has not responded for several minutes**

- Restart your device by pressing and holding the Power key.

## **My device turns off by itself**

- Check that your screen is locked when you are not using your device, and make sure the **Power** key is not mis-contacted due to unlocked screen.
- Check the battery charge level.

## **My device can't charge properly**

- Make sure that your battery is not completely discharged; if the battery power has been empty for a long time, it

may take around 10 minutes to display the battery charger indicator on the screen.

- Make sure charging is carried out under normal conditions: 0°C (32°F) to +55°C (131°F).
- When abroad, check that the voltage input is compatible.

### **My device can't connect to a network or "No service" is displayed**

- Try connecting in another location.
- Verify the network coverage with your service provider.
- Check with your service provider that your SIM card is valid.
- Try selecting the available network(s) manually.
- Try connecting at a later time if the network is overloaded.

### **My device can't connect to the internet**

- Check that the IMEI number is the same as the one printed on your warranty card or box.
- Make sure that the internet access service of your SIM card is available.
- Check your device's internet connection settings.
- Make sure that you are in a place with network coverage.
- Try connecting at a later time or another location.

### **Invalid SIM card**

- Make sure that the SIM card has been correctly inserted (see "Insert/Remove the Nano SIM microSD Cards").
- Make sure that the chip on your SIM card is not damaged.
- Make sure that the service of your SIM card is available.

### **I can't find my contacts**

- Make sure that your SIM card is not broken.
- Make sure that your SIM card is inserted properly.
- Import all contacts stored in SIM card to device.

### **I can't use the features described in the manual**

- Check with your operator to make sure that your subscription includes this service.
- Make sure that this feature doesn't require an Alcatel accessory.

### **I can't add a contact**

- Make sure that your SIM card contacts are not full; delete some files or save the files to the device.

### **I can't send and receive MMS**

- Check your device memory as it might be full.
- Contact your network operator to check service availability and MMS parameters.
- Verify the server center number or your MMS profile with your operator.
- The server center may be swamped. Try again later.

### **SIM card PIN locked**

- Contact your network operator to obtain the PUK (Personal Unblocking Key) code.

### **I can't connect my device to my computer**

- Check that your USB driver is installed properly.
- Check that you have marked the USB debugging checkbox.
- Make sure that you're using the right cable from the box.

### **I can't download new files**

- Make sure that there is sufficient device storage space for your download.
- Select the microSD card as the location to store downloaded files.
- Check your subscription status with your operator.

### **The device can't be detected by others via Bluetooth**

- Make sure that Bluetooth is turned on and your device is visible to other users.
- Make sure that the two devices are within Bluetooth's detection range.

### **The battery drains too fast**

- Make sure that you follow the complete charge time with default charger (minimum 200 minutes).
- After a partial charge, the battery level indicator may not be exact. Wait for at least 20 minutes after removing the charger to obtain an exact indication.
- Adjust the brightness of the screen as appropriate.
- Extend the email auto-check interval for as long as possible.
- Update news and weather information on manual demand, or increase their auto-check interval.
- Exit background-running applications if they are not being used for extended periods of time.
- Deactivate Bluetooth, Wi-Fi, or GPS when not in use.

### **The device becomes warm following prolonged calls, game playing, internet surfing, or running other complex applications**

- This heating is a normal consequence of the CPU handling excessive data. Ending the above actions will make your device return to normal temperature.

### **After Factory reset is performed, I can't use my device without entering Google Account credentials**

- After reset is performed, you must enter the original Google Account credentials that were used on this device.
- If you don't remember your Google Account credentials, complete Google Account recovery procedures.

- If you still cannot access your device, apply to the authorized repair center, but remember that it will not be regarded as warranty case.

### **The device doesn't ring when a message arrives**

- Make sure that Do Not Disturb mode (go to **Settings > Sound > Do Not Disturb**) is not activated.
- Press the **Volume up/down** key to adjust volume.

### **I forget some passwords/codes/keys on device**

- Perform **Factory reset**.
- If you still cannot access your device, apply to the authorized repair center, but remember that it will not be regarded as warranty case.

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