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ALCATEL T50

USER'S GUIDE
Read this manual before to use your phone

INTRODUCTION

Your Caller ID phone stores and displays specific information, provided by your local telephone company, to subscribers of Caller ID or similar caller identification services.

Your Caller ID phone enables you to:
• Identify callers before you answer the phone.
• View the time and date of each incoming call.
• Record up to 68 Caller ID messages sequentially.

MAIN FEATURES

• FSK/DTMF Caller ID auto detect
• Numerical backlit display
• Incoming call log records up to 68 calls
• Outgoing call log records up to 15 last dialed numbers
• 10 two-touch memories
• On hook pre-dialing
• Prefix Code
• Redial
• Pulse or Tone dialing mode
• Mute function
• Speakerphone

To get the most from your new phone, you are suggested to take a few minutes right now to read through this user guide.

### SHORT GLOSSARY OF TERMINOLOGY USED IN THIS MANUAL

Hook switch. The part of the phone that pops up to activate the phone line when the handset is lifted from the base.
Off-hook. A term used to describe the phone in its active mode when the handset is off of the base cradle or when the **SPEAKER** button is pressed.
On-hook. A term used to describe the phone in an inactive mode.

PARTS CHECKLIST

Make sure your package includes the items:

Base   Handset   Coil cord   User's Guide

Line cord
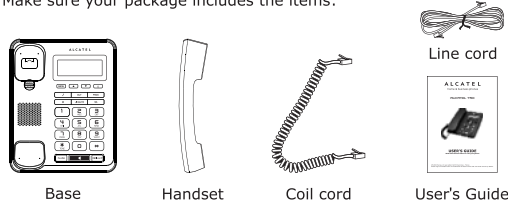
> **NOTE:** If you find any of the parts missing, please contact your local shop where you buy this product right away.

TELEPHONE JACK REQUIREMENTS

To use this phone, you need a RJ11C type modular telephone jack, which might look like the one pictured here, installed in your home. If you don't have a jack, call your local phone company to find out how to get one installed.

Wall plate

Modular telephone line jack
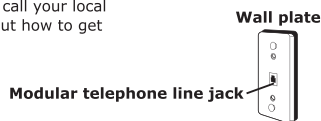
INSTALLATION

> ⚠ **CAUTION:** Disconnect the phone cord from the wall outlet before installing or replacing the batteries.

• Never install telephone wiring during lightning storm.
• Never touch un-insulated telephone wires or terminals, unless the telephone line has been disconnected at the network interface.
• Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.
• Never install telephone jack in wet location unless the jack is specifically designed for wet locations.
• Temporarily disconnect any equipment connected to the phone, such as faxes, other phones or modems.

INSTALLING AND REPLACING THE BATTERIES

Your Caller ID phone uses 3 AA-Size alkaline batteries for receiving and storing Caller ID records and for storing the numbers you use frequently.

> **IMPORTANT:** If you are not going to use the telephone for more than 30 days, remove the batteries because they may leak and damage the unit.

BATTERY

1. If the telephone line cord is connected, disconnect it from the base unit.
2. Carefully turn over the phone, use a pen or paper clip to loosen the battery cover. Open the battery compartment by pushing on the battery cover and sliding it away from the unit.
3. Insert 3 AA-size alkaline batteries (not included) as shown on the diagram in the battery compartment.
4. Snap the battery compartment door back into place.
5. If the line cord was previously connected, reattach it to the unit and check your memory locations.

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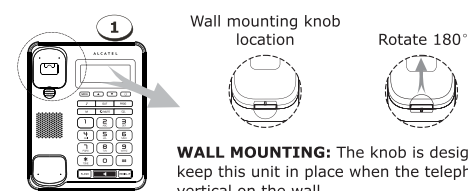SIZE AA
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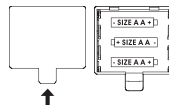
INSTALLING THE PHONE

Your phone should be placed on a level surface, such as a desk or table top, or you can mount it on a wall.
1. Connecting the handset.
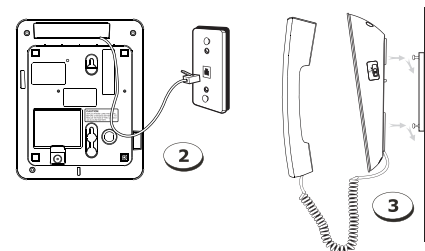2. Connecting the telephone line.
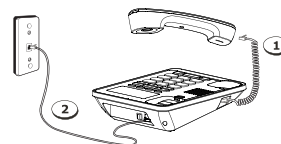
WALL MOUNTING

1. Rotate the wall mounting knob as shown in the following layout:
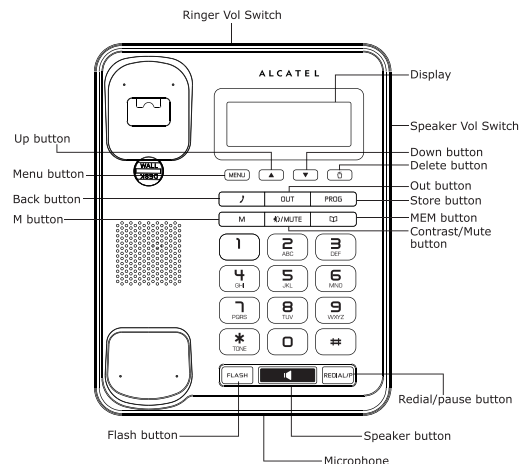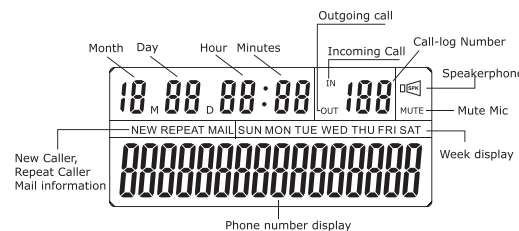
Wall mounting knob location   Rotate 180°

WALL MOUNTING: The knob is designed to keep this unit in place when the telephone is vertical on the wall.

2. Install the base unit to the wall and then plug one end of line cord into the junction box and the other end into modular telephone line jack marked "☎".
3. Fix the telephone in the wall as the following layout.
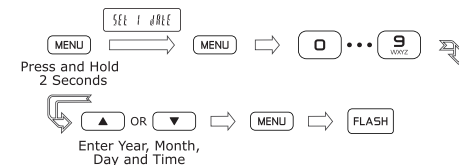
OPTIONS MENU

Month Day   Hour Minutes   Outgoing call
                              Incoming Call   Call-log Number
                                               Speakerphone
New Caller,   Mute Mic
Repeat Caller
Mail information
NEW REPEAT MAIL SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT
                                               Week display

Phone number display

Ringer Vol Switch

Up button   Display
Menu button   Speaker Vol Switch
Back button   Down button
M button   Delete button
                                               Out button
                                               Store button
                                               MEM button
                                               Contrast/Mute button
                                               Redial/pause button
Flash button   Speaker button
                                               Microphone

SETTING THE PHONE

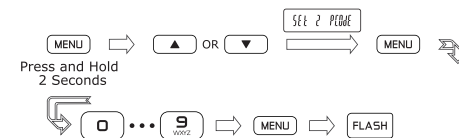> **NOTE:** Proceed immediately to change any of the following factory preset as required.

There are 4 options to set:

SEt 1 dAtE Date and Time Setting.

SEt 2 PCOdE Pcode is a prefix code that user may add to the front of the number before dialing.

SEt 3 t-P Select the dialing mode. This is dependent of the telephone company you are connected to.

SEt 4 FLASh Timing setting. This timing is to allow user to momentary access telephone services such as call waiting when **FLASH** button is pressed.
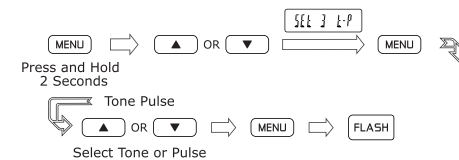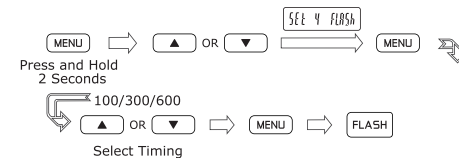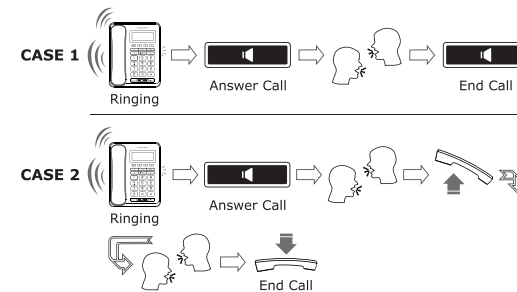
SETTING DATE/TIME

MENU ⇒ MENU ⇒ 0 ⋯ 9
Press and Hold 2 Seconds

▲ OR ▼ ⇒ MENU ⇒ FLASH

Enter Year, Month, Day and Time

SETTING PCODE

MENU ⇒ ▲ OR ▼ ⇒ SEt 2 PCOdE ⇒ MENU
Press and Hold 2 Seconds

0 ⋯ 9 ⇒ MENU ⇒ FLASH

SETTING TONE/PULSE

MENU ⇒ ▲ OR ▼ ⇒ SEt 3 t-P ⇒ MENU
Press and Hold 2 Seconds

Tone Pulse
▲ OR ▼ ⇒ MENU ⇒ FLASH
Select Tone or Pulse

SETTING FLASH

MENU ⇒ ▲ OR ▼ ⇒ SEt 4 FLASh ⇒ MENU
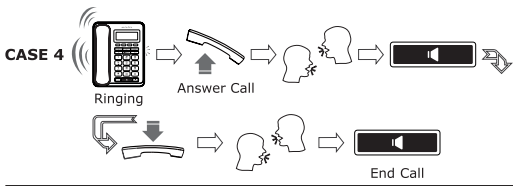Press and Hold 2 Seconds

100/300/600
▲ OR ▼ ⇒ MENU ⇒ FLASH
Select Timing

PHONE OPERATION

RECEIVING A PHONE CALL

CASE 1
Ringing ⇒ Answer Call ⇒ End Call

CASE 2
Ringing ⇒ Answer Call

End Call

CASE 3

Ringing — Answer Call — End Call

CASE 4

Ringing — Answer Call — End Call

MAKING A PHONE CALL

CASE 1

Dial number — OR

The number shown will be dialed

CASE 2
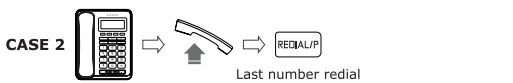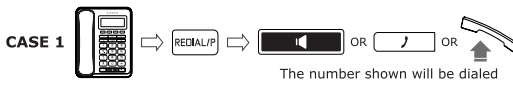
OR — Dial number
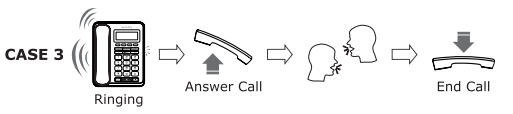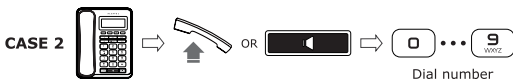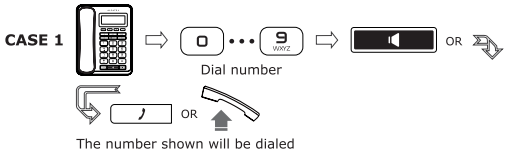
CONTRAST LEVEL ADJUSTMENT

In on-hook state, press the **CONTRAST/MUTE** button to adjust the display contrast level.

P=>T DIAL MODE

In PULSE dialing mode, press[*] button to access TONE service.

REDIAL

CASE 1

REDIAL/P — OR OR

The number shown will be dialed

CASE 2

REDIAL/P

Last number redial

CONTRAST/MUTE

In off-hook state, user can press the **CONTRAST/MUTE** button to access mute function, when **CONTRAST/MUTE** is on, the **CONTRAST/MUTE** indicator will show on the screen.
Press the **CONTRAST/MUTE** button to exit mute function and resume normal conversation.
In on-hook state, user can press the **CONTRAST/MUTE** button to selection the LCD Contrast (1~5 chioce,default 3).
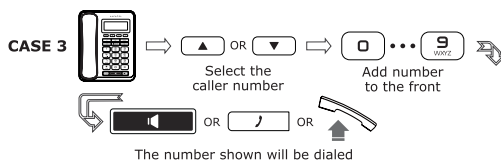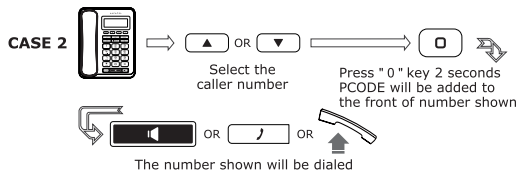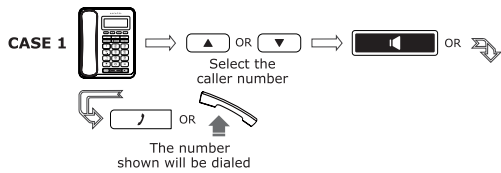
CALLER ID FEATURES

Caller ID (CID) is a service available from your local telephone company. For Caller ID to work on this system, you must subscribe to Caller ID service. This unit can receive caller ID without any setting. Your Caller ID information may include the phone number, date and time.
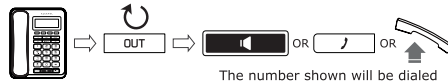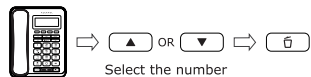
REVIEWING INCOMING CALLS

▲ OR ▼

Reviewing Incoming
Call Log

DIAL BACK A CALLER ID NUMBER

CASE 1

▲ OR ▼ — OR

Select the
caller number

OR

The number
shown will be dialed

CASE 2

▲ OR ▼ — 0

Select the
caller number

Press " 0 " key 2 seconds
PCODE will be added to
the front of number shown

OR OR

The number shown will be dialed

CASE 3

▲ OR ▼ — 0 ... 9

Select the
caller number

Add number
to the front

OR OR

The number shown will be dialed

REVIEWING OUTGOING NUMBERS

OUT

DIAL BACK AN OUTGOING NUMBER

OUT — OR OR

The number shown will be dialed

DELETING A CALLER ID NUMBER

▲ OR ▼

Select the number

MEMORY OPERATIONS

STORING A TELEPHONE NUMBER

PROG — 0 ... 9 — PROG — 0 ... 9

Dial number — Memory location

STORING INCOMING CALL NUMBER

PROG — ▲ OR ▼ — PROG — 0 ... 9

Select the number — Memory location

STORING OUTGOING NUMBERS INTO MEMORY

PROG — OUT — PROG — 0 ... 9

Select the number — Memory location

DIALING A MEMORY LOCATION

CASE 1

0 ... 9 — OR

Select a Memory Location

OR

CASE 2

OR — 0 ... 9

Memory Location

DELETING A MEMORY LOCATION

0 ... 9

Select a Memory
Location

Press and Hold
2 Seconds

M Key OPERATION

STORING A TELEPHONE NUMBER

PROG — 0 ... 9 — PROG — M

Dial number

STORING INCOMING CALL NUMBER

PROG — ▲ OR ▼ — PROG — M

Select the number

STORING OUTGOING NUMBERS INTO MEMORY

PROG — OUT — PROG — M

Select the number

DIALING A M KEY LOCATION

CASE 1

M

Hold 3 Seconds, the
number shown will be dialed

CASE 2

M — OR

Hold 3 Seconds, the
number shown will be dialed

DELETING A M KEY LOCATION

M

Press and Hold 2 Seconds
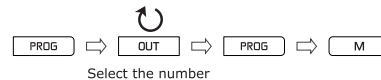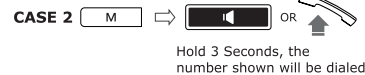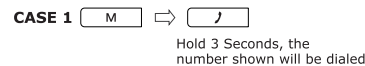
TROUBLESHOOTING TIPS

No Dial Tone
• Check all cabling to make sure that all connections are secure and not damaged
• Check hook switch: Does it fully extend when handset is lifted from cradle?

No Display
• Replace the batteries.
• Check for proper battery installation.

No Information is Shown After the Phone Rings
• Have you subscribed to Caller ID service from your local telephone company?
• Be sure to wait until the second ring before answering.

Phone Dials in Pulse with Tone Service
• Make sure T/P DIAL MODE is set to TONE DIAL.

Phone Won't Dial Out with Pulse Service
• Make sure T/P DIAL MODE is set to PULSE DIAL.

Phone Does Not Ring
• You may have too many extension phones on your line. Try unplugging some extension phones.
• Check for dial tone. See troubleshooting tips for no dial tone.

Incoming and Outgoing Voice Volume Low
• Are other phones off hook at same time? If so, this is normal condition as volume drops when additional phones are used at once.
• Check the handset receiver or speaker volume.

GENERAL PRODUCT CARE

To keep your phone working and looking good, follow these guidelines:
• Avoid putting it near heating appliances and devices that generate electrical noise (for example. Motors or fluorescent lamps).
• DO NOT expose to direct sunlight or moisture.
• Avoid dropping and other rough treatment to the unit.
• Clean with a soft cloth.
• Never use a strong cleaning agent or abrasive powder because this will damage the finish.
• Retain the original packaging in case you need to ship it at a later date.

Used equipment must be disposed of in compliance with current environment protection regulations. You should return it to your reseller or disposes of it in an approved recycling center.