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# Introduction

Congratulations on your purchase of a Mæstro 4525 cordless telephone.

## **Walking and talking with cordless technology**

With the Mæstro 4525 you are no longer tied to your phone. You can move from room to room, or even outside while on a call. Now you're mobile!

## **Secure to roam your home**

Mæstro 4525 provides 1 million different security codes so that only your handset will work with your base.

## **Access to Advanced Features**

In addition, Mæstro 4525 provides you with advanced features to save you time, and provide you with information. Some of these features are:

### **Name and number directory**

stores up to 30 personal numbers for easy dialing.

### **Number and name display**

shows you the number you're dialing. With Caller ID service (available from your telephone company), see the incoming caller's name and number before you answer the call.

**Caller's list** works with Caller ID service to keep track of everyone who called (up to 30 entries), and allows you to easily return their call.

**Intercom** allows you to call the base from outside a room, or ring the handset so that you can find it.

**Redial** key remembers the last 3 numbers you dialed.

**Backlit display and lighted dial pad** lets you know who's calling even in the dark.

**Any** key answer makes answering calls quick and easy.

**25 Channel Autoscan** allows you to achieve optimum clarity.

## **By the way...**

Cordless telephones transmit conversations using radio waves, so there is a possibility that your conversations will be overheard by others. They should not be treated as totally confidential.

The base must be located where the signals will not be blocked by large metal objects (metal fencing, large appliances, etc), or interfered with by electronic devices (microwave ovens, computers, stereos, etc).

Your handset is powered by rechargeable batteries, which must be charged and maintained as described in the Installation chapter.

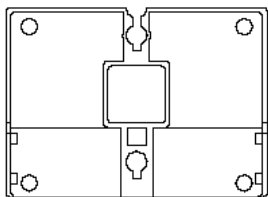
## **This guide covers**

- a tour of your telephone
- installation and setup
- using your Mæstro 4525

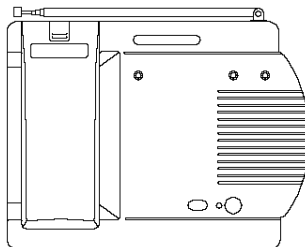
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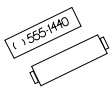
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Stand



Base



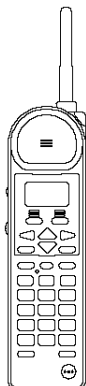
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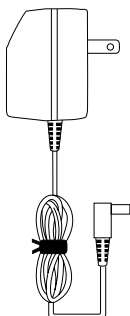
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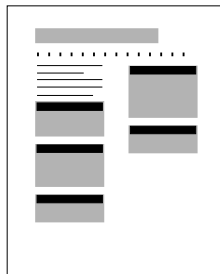
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Handset

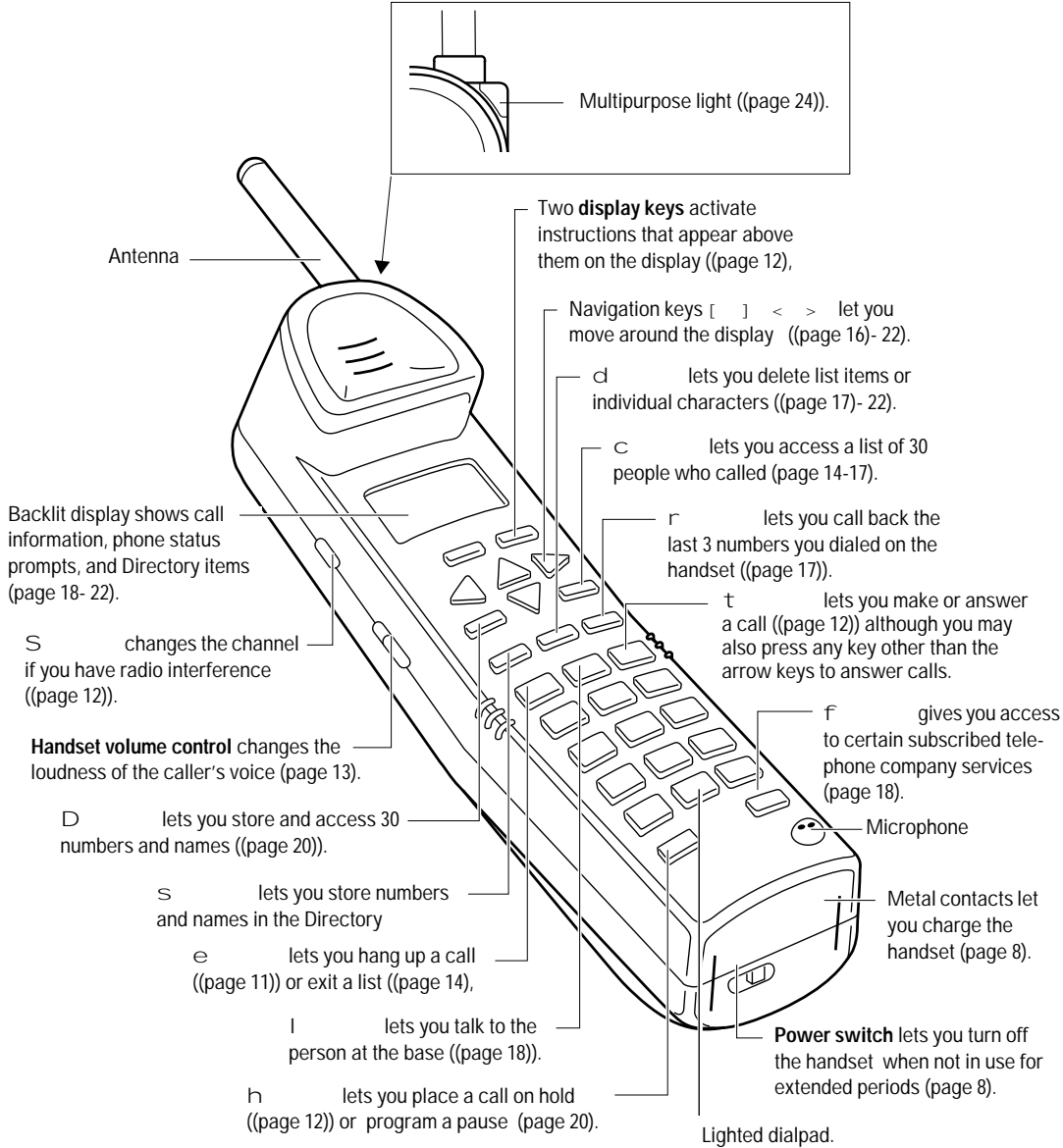


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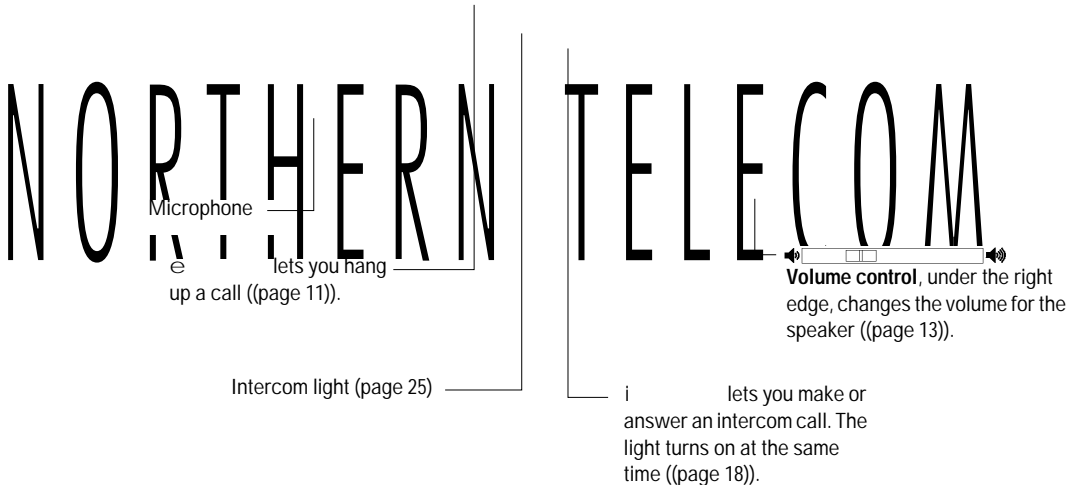
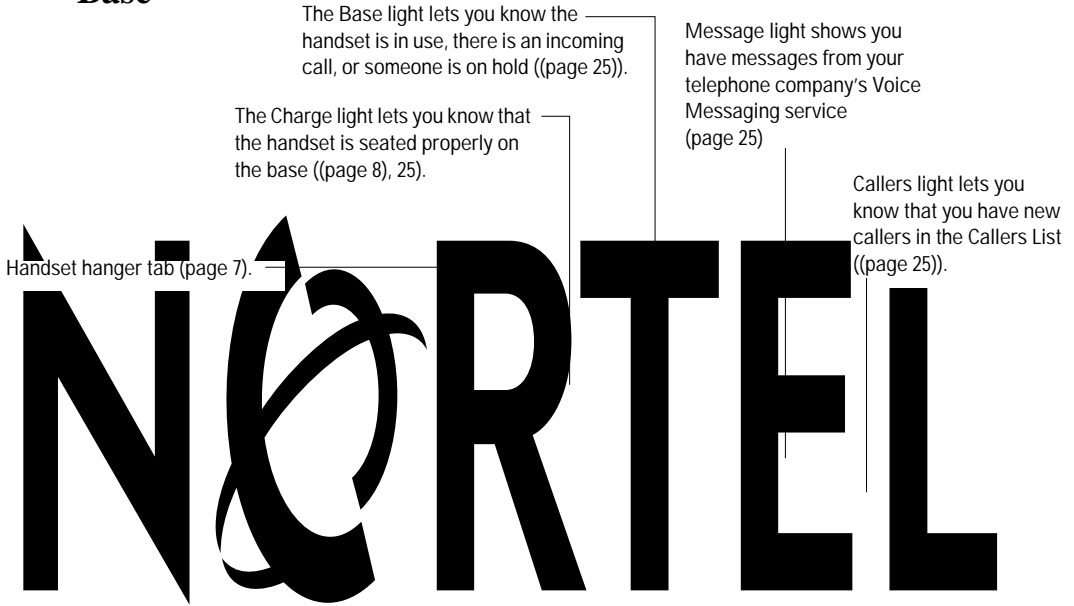


Quick Reference Card

# Handset



## Base





# Installation


## Choosing the best location

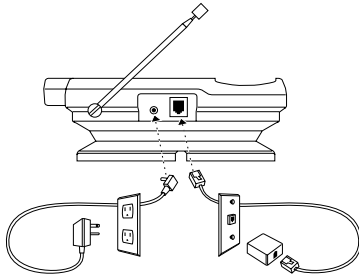
For best results:

- the base should be the only item plugged into the wall outlet
- the antenna should be fully extended
- the base should be centrally located, away from electrical equipment such as computers, refrigerators, fluorescent lights, stereos, etc.
- locate the base on an upper floor
- the handset should be kept as close to normal room temperature as possible


## Connecting the telephone

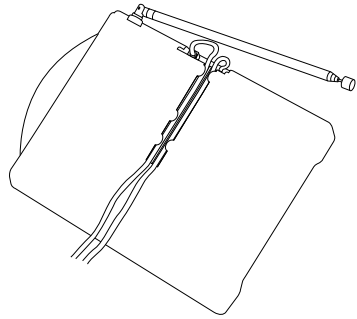
**Caution:** For eye safety, do not extend the antenna until installation is complete.

1. Plug the AC adaptor into a 120 V AC outlet and insert the small plug into the DC 12 V jack  on the back of the base (see (page 30)).



**Note:** The AC outlet should not be controlled by a switch or connected to a power bar.

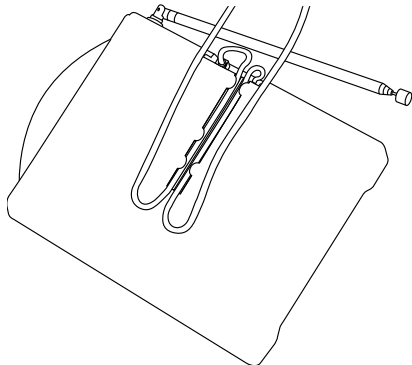
2. Plug one end of the telephone cord into a telephone wall jack and the other end into the jack  on the back of the base.
3. To keep the cords from being pulled out, route the cords in the channel under the base.



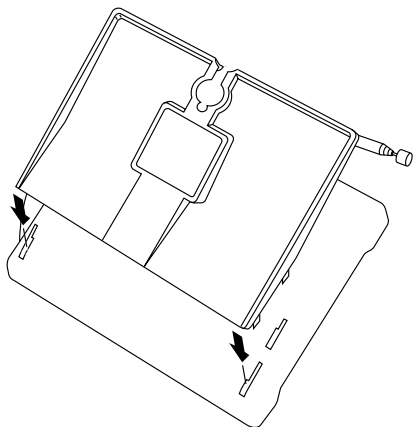
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## Attaching the stand in the desk mount position

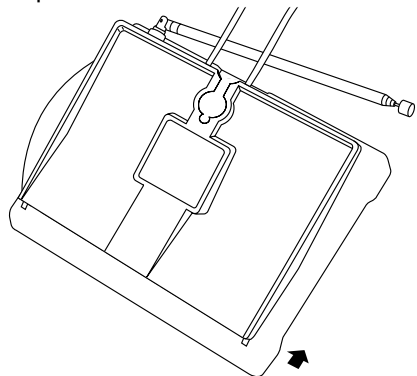
1. Fold the cords back as shown.



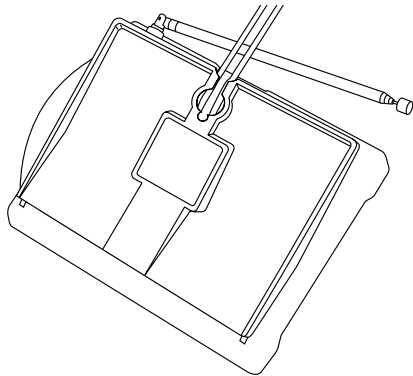
2. Lower the stand into the slots on the base, as shown below.



3. Slide the stand into the locked position.



4. Continue routing the cords in the channels on the stand.



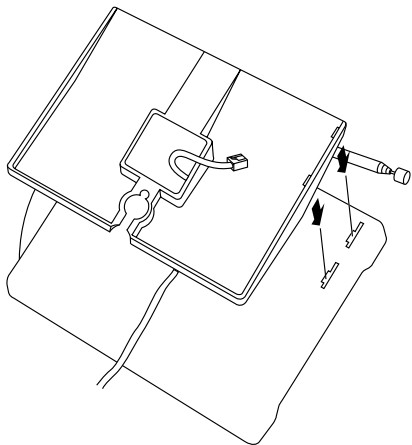
5. Place the phone on a desk.

6. Pull the base antenna vertical and extend it all the way up.

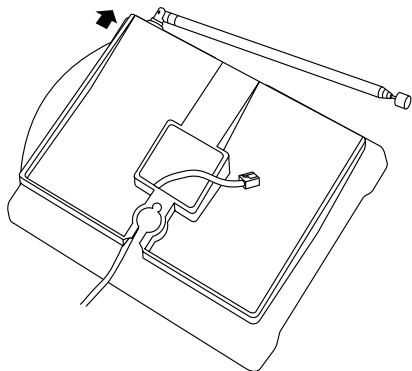
7. Plug the AC adaptor into a 120 V AC outlet, which is not controlled by a switch or power bar.

## Attaching the stand in the wall mount position

1. Bring the line cord through the opening in the stand, then lower the stand into the slots on the base.

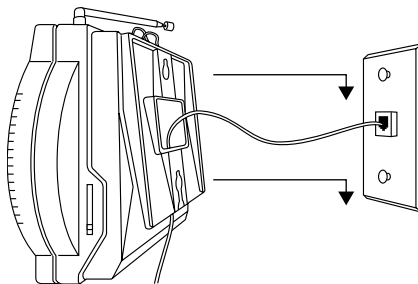


2. Slide the stand into the locked position, as shown below.



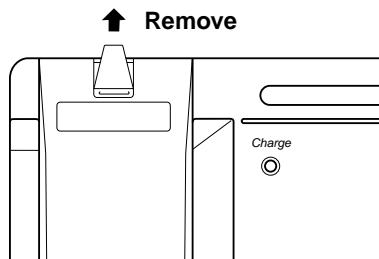
\* We recommend that you use a wall mounting plate (available at your phone retailer). If wall mounting without a plate, use the stand as a template for positioning screws in the wall.

3. Plug the line cord into the wall jack. Line up the screws on the wall mount plate with the openings in the stand and slide the phone down until the mounting screws hold firmly.



4. Continue routing the cords in the channels on the stand.

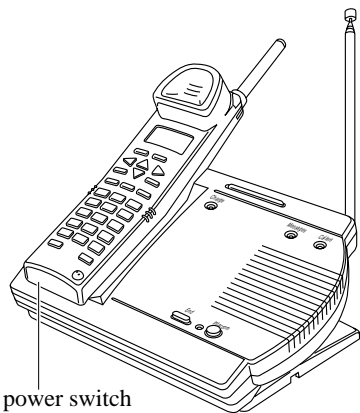
5. Remove the tab from the base and reinsert it with the point up. **Make sure the tab is in all the way.** Hang the handset on the tab. If the charge light does not light up, and the handset is switched on, the tab has not been locked into position.



6. Pull the base antenna vertical and extend it all the way up.

## Charging the handset battery

When you first plug in your phone, you will need to **charge the battery for at least 5 hours** before you can use the handset. This is best done by charging overnight.



1. Leave the phone on the base as shown, with the charge light on and the **handset power switch off**.

**Note:** The handset power switch is on the bottom of the handset.

2. After the battery is charged, **turn the handset power on**. The display will show:

```
NORTEL  
Maestro  
ENG     ESPAÑOL
```

3. Select the language you want on the display by pressing the key under ENG for English or the key under ESPAÑOL for Spanish.

Once you've selected your preferred language, the display will show:

```
Ready for  
use...  
NEXT
```

This idle display message will appear from now on unless other messages take priority, you're using the handset, or the handset is sleeping (see Battery saver mode (page 10)). You can press the key under NEXT to view other display messages.

Now you're ready to use the handset!

If the handset is not working or the display keeps showing **Sorry! Try again**, reset the handset. To do this, follow the procedure for changing the security code ((page 12)).

**Note:** The next time you charge the handset, simply put it on the base. It is not necessary to turn the power OFF after the first charging session (see (page 9)).

**Note:** The handset should be stored off the base. **The battery will last longer if you allow it to run down completely between charges** . (Leave it off the base until the **Battery Low** prompt appears on the display.)

## Quick charge

The Mæstro 4525 comes with a reduced charge time feature called “Quick charge”. Simply place the handset on the base (no need to turn the handset switch off). The Mæstro 4525 is able to determine how long the handset battery needs to recharge. When the handset is in the base and Quick charge is activated, the display message **battery charging...** will be displayed.

A completely empty battery will only take 4-5 hours to fully recharge. The handset may be left on the base even after Quick charge is finished. A “trickle” charge will keep the battery fully charged. During trickle charge you may view the Battery level indicator by pressing the **NEXT** display key.

We recommend that you keep the handset as close to normal room temperature as possible. In cases of extreme heat or cold (outside in the heat or cold), the Battery level indicator may not display accurately. To ensure a fully charged battery, charge the handset for at least 5 hours. Battery life may be affected by continued exposure to extreme heat or cold.

**Note:** Its recommended that you only charge the battery once the **Battery low** message is displayed.

## Battery level indicator

You may check the battery level of your handset by pressing the NEXT display key when at the idle display. You may check this indicator when the handset is in or out of the base.

Battery  
[■ ■ ■] - Battery is fully charged  
NEXT

Battery  
[■ ■ -] - Battery is 2/3 charged  
NEXT

Battery  
[■ - -] - Battery is 1/3 charged  
NEXT

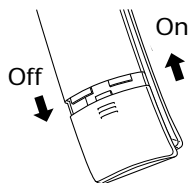
## Battery saver mode

The handset saves battery power by going into battery saver mode 45 seconds after the last key press. In this mode, the display “sleeps” (goes blank), but the handset still receives calls. When you use the handset again the display automatically “wakes up” (shows information). If it doesn’t, make sure the handset power switch is on.

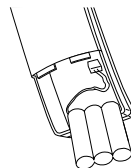
## Changing the battery

If you’ve charged the battery and the display still says **BATTERY LOW** or the handset will not wake up, it’s time to replace the battery. New batteries are available from your phone retailer. Use either the GES-PCH01 or the 3N-270AA Sanyo battery.

1. Move the handset power switch to OFF.
2. Slide the cover off the battery compartment.



3. To remove a dead battery, pull firmly on the battery cords.
4. To install the new battery, insert the battery plug, making sure the black wire is on the left.



5. Slide the battery into the compartment.
6. Replace the cover of the battery compartment.
7. Charge the new battery, as described on (page 8).

# Making basic calls

## Range of operation

The actual operating range of your Mæstro 4525 can vary with the construction of your home, interference from household appliances, weather conditions, and other factors.

For best results:

- the base should be the only item plugged into the wall outlet
- the antenna should be fully extended
- the base should be centrally located, away from electrical equipment such as computers, refrigerators, fluorescent lights, stereos, etc.
- locate the base on an upper floor
- the handset should be kept as close as possible to room temperature

## Using the handset

When you receive a call, the display shows caller information.

**Note:** You must subscribe to Caller ID service from your local telephone company.

The handset power switch must be ON in order to receive or make calls.

### To answer a call

When you hear the phone ring and see the multipurpose light flash:

1. Press **t** or any key on the dial pad. The **>**, **<**, and **MORE** display key will not answer a call.
2. Press **e** to hang up or put the handset on the base.

**Note:** The message **Long distance** will alternate on the display with the callers incoming name. Press the **MORE** display key to view the long distance number.

### To dial a number

1. Press **t**.
2. Dial the number.
3. Press **e** to hang up or put the handset on the base.

# Personalizing your telephone

## Putting a call on hold

The hold feature keeps your caller on the line so you can talk privately to someone in the room. If you forget that someone is on hold, the Mæstro 4525 releases the line after five minutes.

### To put a call on hold

1. Make or answer a call.
2. Press **h**.
3. To take the call off hold, press **t**.

## Using display keys to access features

Display keys are the two keys below the display on the handset.



The function of these keys is written above them in the display, and will depend on what feature you are using.

When a command (such as **DIAL** or **CHANGE**) appears on the display, press the display key below to activate that command.

## Improving call reception

The handset communicates with the base using one of a combination of 25-channels. Your Mæstro 4525 automatically scans for a clear channel each time you use the handset.

If you hear interference, static, or the message **Sorry! Try again**, press **S** and the Mæstro 4525 will automatically find a new clear channel. The **S** key is on the left side of the handset.

## Changing the security code

The security code ensures that someone else with a cordless handset cannot use your telephone line. There are 1 million different codes, of 6 digits in length.

**Note:** When the message **Sorry! Try again** won't disappear, try recharging the battery.



### To change the security code

1. Place the handset on the base.
2. On the base, press and hold **i** while also pressing **l** on the handset. Hold both keys for 5 seconds.
3. When the display shows **Security Code**, press the **CHANGE** display key.
4. Enter the new security code (6 digits).
5. Press the **DONE** display key once the new code has been entered.

## Alternate language

You can choose between English and Spanish for the handset display. English is the factory setting.

### To change to Spanish

1. Turn **OFF** the power switch on the handset.
2. After a few seconds, turn the power switch back **ON**.
3. Press the **ESPAÑOL** display key.

## Handset ringer volume

You can choose from three volume settings for the handset ringer: **OFF**, **LOW**, and **HIGH** (the factory setting).

### To change the ringer volume

1. If the **Handset Ring** prompt is not on the display, press the **NEXT** display key until the prompt appears.
2. Press the **CHANGE** display key. Each time you press it, you hear the next ring setting.
3. Press **e**.

## Handset receiver volume

The sliding volume control on the left side of the handset adjusts the volume level for what you hear on the handset. There are three settings: low volume **◀**, medium (middle position), and high volume **▶▶**.

## Base volume

The sliding volume control under the right edge of the base sets the volume level for the base ringer and the base speaker. It can be set anywhere between **Off**, low volume **◀**, and high volume **▶▶**.

## Setting the area code

You can enter one area code so that incoming local calls appear in the **Callers List** without it. This lets you

# Using the Callers List

dial local numbers directly from the Callers List without having to remove the area code first.

## To add or change the area code

1. Press **C**.
2. Press the **CODE** display key.
3. Press the **ADD** or **CHANGE** display key (whichever appears on the display).
4. You can use **<** or **>** to move to a specific digit.
5. Press **d** to remove any existing digits.  
**OR**  
Enter the three-digit number using the dial pad.
6. Press the **DONE** display key.

## To delete your area code

1. Press **C**.
2. Press **CODE**.
3. Press **d**.
4. If you want to delete the item, confirm it by pressing the **OK** display key or press **d** again. If you don't want to delete the item, press **C** or **e**.

Times are changing; there are more things to do that take you out of your home. You probably receive a lot of calls when you go out. When you get home, just scroll through your list of callers to see who called. You can find and respond to the important calls quickly (see (page 16)).

If you want to call one of the numbers as it appears on your display, you can save time just by pressing **t** or pressing the key under **DIAL** on the display (see (page 16)). A **#** will appear on the Time and Date screen for all entries you have called from the Callers List. You'll know at a glance which calls you've returned.

To save time looking up a number in the future, you can permanently save numbers from the Callers List into your Directory ((page 17)). Once a number is in the Directory, it's simple to retrieve it!

**Note:** You must subscribe to Caller ID service in order for the calls to register with the Callers List.

The Callers List holds up to 30 calls and is accessed using the handset.

Callers List information is sorted from oldest to newest. When the list is full, the oldest items are deleted to make room for the new callers.

When new calls come in, the Callers light on the base flashes and the handset's multipurpose light flashes.

When you enter the Callers List, the display may show the following:

- XX New Callers
- XX Callers bumped
- Callers = XX items

**Note:** For an example and explanation of what might appear on your display, see (page 22).

You can set up your Callers List to log all calls, no calls, or only those calls which you do not answer (see (page 15)).

To exit the Callers List at any time, press  $\ominus$  or  $\odot$ .

If you are not sure what to do when you get into the Callers List, press HELP for some hints.

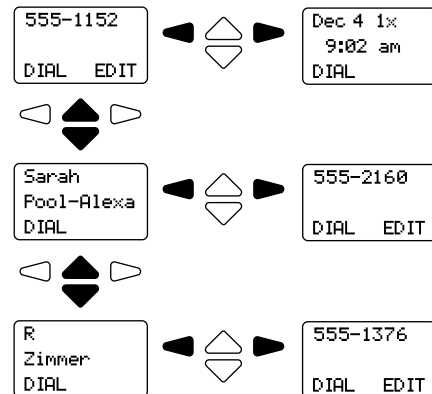
## Setting up the Callers List

You may set up the Callers List to:

1. Log all calls  
(Call Log=All)
2. Log only those calls you didn't answer  
(Call Log=Unanswered)
3. Log no calls  
(Call Log=None)

### Setting up the Callers List

1. Press  $\odot$ .
2. Press LOG.
3. Press CHNGE until the second line of the display shows the set up you want:  
  
all, none, OR unanswered.
3. Press  $\ominus$ .



## Viewing the Callers List

### To view the Callers List

1. To see the Callers List heading, press **C**.
2. Use the **[** and **]** keys to move between callers.
3. Use the **<** and **>** keys to move between name, number, and time and date information.
4. To leave the Callers List at any time, press **C** or **e**.

The illustration below shows how the arrow keys move you up and down between callers, and left and right between name, number, and time and date screens.

## Dialing from the Callers List

You can return a call when it is displayed in the Callers List. A **☎** will appear on the Time and Date screen for all entries you've called from the Callers List.

### To dial from the Callers List

1. Press **C**.
2. Use the **[** and **]** keys to find the caller.
3. Press the **DIAL** display key or **t**.

Sometimes you must edit a number before it can be dialed (for example, you may have to add "1" to dial long distance). Changes are not saved in the Callers List. You may only edit numbers in the Callers List.

### To edit before dialing

1. Press **C**.
2. Use the **[** or **]** keys to find the caller. Press **<** or **>** to view the number.
3. Press the **EDIT** display key.
4. To erase digits, press **d**. To add digits, use the dial pad. To move sideways, press the **<** and **>** keys.
5. Press the **DONE** display key. You see the updated number.
6. Press the **DIAL** display key or **t**.

# Using advanced features

## Copying a number to the Directory

### To copy a number to the Directory

1. Press **C**.
2. Use the **[** and **]** keys to find the caller.
3. If the number requires editing, make the required changes.
4. Press the **DONE** display key.
5. Press **S**.
6. If there is no name for the number, you may enter a name. See "Saving numbers" on page 20 or press the **NO** display key.
7. Press the **DONE** display key.

## Deleting items in the Callers List

### To delete in the Callers List

1. Press **C**.
2. If you want to delete everything in the list, go to step 3. If you want to delete just one item, use the **[** and **]** keys to find the caller.
3. Press **d**.
4. Confirm by pressing the **OK** display key or by pressing **d** again. If you've changed your mind, press **C** or **e**.

## Other dialing methods

Predial lets you view the number first, before you dial it. It helps prevent dialing errors.

### To predial a number

1. Enter the number using the dial pad.
2. If required, use **>** or **<** to move to a specific digit. Use **d** to erase digits.
3. Press the **DIAL** display key or **t**.

If you want to redial someone you last spoke with on the handset, you can use the Redial key.

## Redial List

The Redial List lets you view the last 3 outgoing numbers. The last number dialed will automatically move to the 1st position in the list.

### To redial a number

1. Press **r**.
2. Press **[**, **]** or the **MORE** display key to move to the number you wish to dial.
3. Press **t** or the **DIAL** display key to dial that number.

**Note:** To delete a number in the Redial List, press **r**, press **d**, then press the **OK** display key or press **d** again.

## Using the Call Timer

When you're on a call, the display shows the channel you're using in the lower left corner. After ten seconds on the call, it then begins to show how much time has passed in minutes and seconds. The timer starts counting as soon as you press **t** , **l** or the **DIAL** display key. It stops counting when you press **e** , although the elapsed time will be displayed for an additional 5 seconds.

## Making an intercom call

The intercom will let you make a call between the base and the handset. You cannot make any other type of call with the intercom feature. It also functions as a handset "beeper", to help you locate the handset no matter where it may be hiding.

If you are on a regular call you can make an intercom call to the base. Your regular call will automatically be placed on hold.

### To call on the intercom

1. Press **i** on the base or **l** on the handset.

### To answer on the intercom

1. When you hear the handset or base ring and you see the Intercom light flashing, press **i** or **l** . On the handset, the display also indicates **Pa9in9 You....**

Meanwhile, if a call comes in, just press **t** .

**Note:** If you call the base from the handset, the handset display will read **Pa9in9 base.**

# Using the Directory

## Call Waiting and Three Way Calling

If you subscribe to Call Waiting or Three-Way Calling (not available in some areas), read the information from your telephone company for the exact procedures. Whenever it says to press the hook-switch, receiver button or Link, press **f** instead. This appears as **L** on the display.

You can store up to 30 frequently-called names and numbers in the Directory. When someone who is in your Directory calls, that person's name and number appear on the display as you entered it into the Directory.

**Note:** You must subscribe to Caller ID service, available from your local telephone company.

All Directory items are sorted alphabetically by the first word. If you want your Directory sorted by last name, enter the last name first.

You can enter a name if you want. If you don't enter a name, the item is sorted by number. All number items are sorted numerically at the beginning of the Directory listing.

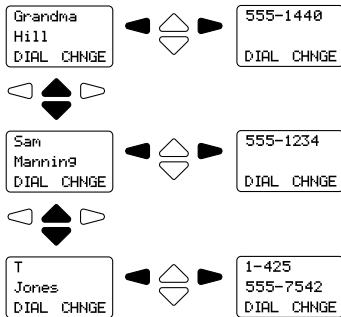
When you are viewing items in the Directory, the list is circular. This means you can keep moving in one direction and come around to the beginning again.

## Dialing in the Directory

### Dialing from the Directory

1. Press **D** .
2. Use the **[** and **]** keys to find the number you wish to dial.
3. Press the **DIAL** display key or **t** .

The following illustration shows how the arrow keys move you to different screens in the Directory.



## Viewing the Directory

### To find items in the Directory

- To see the Directory list heading, press **D**.
- To go directly to the items that begin with a particular letter, press the dial pad key that matches that letter. (The letters are printed on the dial pad keys.) Then, to see the other listings under that letter, press the **]** key. (For example: **J** takes you to the first "J" listing, then the down arrow key takes you to the next "J" listing. **J** takes you to the first "K" listing.)

- Use the **[** and **]** keys to move up and down between items.

Use the **<** and **>** keys to move left and right between names and numbers.

- To leave the Directory at any time, press **D** or **e**.

## Saving numbers

### To save a new number

- Press **S**.
- Enter the number using the dial pad. Numbers can have up to 16 digits. If you require a pause (for example, between a telephone number and an access code), press **h** where you want the pause.

**Note:** Each pause is 2 seconds. Enter as many pauses as you need. A **P** indicates a pause has been entered.

- Press the **DONE** display key.
- If you don't want to enter a name press **DONE**.

To enter a name, use the dial pad. (See Rules for entering names, on this page.)

If you make a mistake, use the **d**, **<**, and **>** keys.

- To quit and start over, press **e**.
- Press the **DONE** display key.

### To save a number from the display

- Ensure that a number is on the display. It can be a predialed, redialed, or dialed Callers List number.
- Press **S**.
- Follow the instructions on the display.
- If you entered a name, press the **DONE** display key.



## Entering names

### Rules for entering names

1. Press the key with the desired letter repeatedly until that letter appears on the display. The letters are printed on the dial pad keys. Names can have up to 16 characters.
2. Advance to the next letter by pressing the > key or the SKIP display key.
3. Use < to move backward to insert or delete letters.
4. Press  $\square$  to delete a letter.
5. Press the [ or ] to change the case for each letter.
6. Press the SPACE display key to enter a space between letters.
7. When you have finished, press the DONE display key.

**Note:** You don't always have to press the > key if the next letter is on a different key.

### Example:

To enter the name Ruth, press:

$\square\square\square$ ,  $\square\square$ , > ,  $\square$ ,  $\square\square$ .

### Chart for special characters

The following symbols are not shown on your dial pad keys.

Symbol	
& ' ( ) , - .	Press $\square$ until the desired symbol is displayed.

## Editing the Directory

### To change a number

1. Press D .
2. Use the [ and ] keys to find the number you wish to change.
3. Press > to view the number.
4. While the number is on the display, press the CHANGE display key. The cursor appears under the first digit.
5. To insert digits, use the dial pad. (The existing digits will move to the right.)  
  
To move the cursor sideways, press the < and > keys. To erase digits, press  $\square$  .
6. Press the DONE display key.

### To add a name to an existing Directory item

1. Press D .
2. Use [ or ] to find desired entry.
3. Press > .
4. Press the ADD display key.
5. Follow the rules for entering names (page 21).
6. Press the DONE display key once name has been entered.

# Display and indicators

## To change a name

1. Press **D** .
2. Use **[** and **]** to find the name that you wish to change.
3. While the name is on the display, press the **CHNGE** display key. The cursor appears under the first character.
4. To move the cursor left, press the **<** arrow key. To move the cursor right, press the **>** arrow key. To erase letters, press **d** . To insert letters, use the dial pad. To insert a space, press the **SPACE** display key.

## To delete a Directory item

1. Press **D** .
2. Find the Directory item that you wish to delete.
3. Press **d** .
4. If you want to delete the item, confirm it by pressing the **OK** display key or by pressing **d** again. If you don't want to delete the item, press **D** or **e** .

## Display prompts

Your handset display gives you instructions and information. If you want to know what to do about a particular display prompt, look it up in the following table. The prompts are listed in alphabetical order.

For other helpful hints, see (page 25).

Prompt	Meaning
Battery Low	<b>WARNING:</b> You must recharge the handset.
Battery Full	Indicates battery is fully charged
Battery 2/3 Full	Indicates battery is 2/3 full
Battery 1/3 Full	Indicates battery is 1/3 full
Battery charging...	Displayed when Quick charge is active.
Callers=XX items LOG CODE	Callers List information: XX is the number of callers listed. Press <b>LOG</b> to change set up; press <b>CODE</b> to change area code.
Directory is full	You are trying to add an item to the Directory and it is full. Delete an item that you no longer use.
Long distance	Caller information: The incoming call is from outside your local calling area.

Prompt	Meaning
No info available	Caller information: The telephone company is unable to send caller information.
No name	The Directory item has a number but no name. You may leave it as it is or add a name by pressing the ADD display key.
No number to save	You have tried to copy a number to the Directory, but the Callers List item has an unknown or private number. These numbers cannot be saved. See "Private name / number" on page 23
Oct 12 2x 2:54 PM DIAL	Callers List information: This is the time and date display. The caller called twice (2x), the last time was at 2:54 pm. Press the DIAL display key to call.
Out of Range  (and the handset beeps)	<b>WARNING:</b> You have 30 seconds to move closer to the base before you lose the call. If you were making changes in the Directory or Callers List when you went out of range, those changes are lost after 30 seconds.
Paging Base	You (on the handset) are calling the base.
Paging You	The base is calling the handset. Press 1 to answer the call.

Prompt	Meaning
Private name / number	Caller information: The incoming caller has requested that the name (or number) not be shown.
Ready to use... NEXT	Usual idle display prompt.
Redial empty	There are no numbers stored in the Redial key. Either you have deleted the items, have not dialed out, the handset has recently been turned on, or the power has been out. Dial using the dial pad, Callers List, or Directory instead.
Rick Brown DIAL CHNGE	Directory information: This is the name display of someone in the Directory. Press the DIAL display key to call, or press the CHNGE display key to edit.
Ringer is High NEXT CHNGE	This is the volume level (High, Low, or Off) of the handset ringer.

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Prompt	Meaning
Sorry! Try again	Make sure you are within range of the base, then repeat the procedure. If the prompt remains, reset the telephone by following the procedure for changing the security code (see (page 12)).
Unknown number ✓ name	Caller information: The telephone company is unable to provide the number (or name) of this caller.
XX Callers bumped	XX callers were removed from the Callers List to make room for new callers.
XX New Callers	XX new calls have been added to the Callers List since you last checked it. Press <b>C</b> to access the list.
555-1440 DIAL EDIT	Callers List information: Press the <b>DIAL</b> display key to call, or press the <b>EDIT</b> display key to edit.
555-1234 DIAL CHNGE	Directory information: This is the number display of someone in the Directory. Press the <b>DIAL</b> display key to call, or press the <b>CHNGE</b> display key to edit.

## Handset lights

### Multipurpose light (top right corner)

Flash quickly	You have an incoming call.
Flash	You have a call on hold.
Flash slowly	You have new callers.
Flash periodically	If the handset is on battery saver mode, you have new callers.

### Intercom light

Flash quickly	You are sending or receiving an intercom call.
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# Helpful hints

## Base lights

### Base light

Flash quickly	You have an incoming call.
Flash	You have a call on hold.
Solid	The handset is busy.

### Charge light

Solid	The handset battery is charging.
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### Callers light

Flash slowly	You have a new caller in your Callers List.
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### Intercom light

Flash quickly	The base is calling the handset or the handset is calling the base.
Solid	You are on an intercom call.

### Message light

Flash slowly	You have new messages.
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## Locating the base.

For the best performance, locate the base centrally in your house, preferably in an open area, away from refrigerators, fluorescent lights, TV's, etc. In addition, the base should be plugged directly into a wall outlet that is not controlled by a switch. Do not use a power bar. Do not use a telephone line cord extension cord. Keep the handset in a location where it will be as close to standard room temperature as possible.

## The phone doesn't work.

Make sure the battery is installed properly in the handset. Make sure the battery is charged. Test the AC outlet; make sure it isn't a switched outlet. Make sure the base is the only item plugged into the power outlet. Do not use a power bar. Reset the phone by changing the security code (see page 11).

## You cannot get a call through.

You must subscribe to tone service from your local telephone company.

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**The battery is low even after charging.**

The battery of your telephone can be recharged and reused many times. If the battery fails even after charging for 5 hours, replace it with a new Sanyo battery pack GES-PCH01 or a 3N-270AA. The use of other battery packs may cause serious damage or malfunctions.

**There is static on the handset.**

There may be interference. Press S to change channels. If any electrical equipment (such as a baby monitor) is in use, move away from it.

**You pressed the Scan key and still have interference.**

Keep pressing S until you find a channel that is clear. You may have moved to a channel that is busy on another phone (especially if you have more than one cordless phone).

The base should be plugged directly into a wall outlet, do not use a power bar.

**The handset display says you're out of range, but you haven't moved.**

The base may have lost power. Check that the power adaptor is plugged in. If it's a power failure, you will lose your call after 30 seconds.

There may be radio interference caused by fluorescent lights, electric motors, or computers. Turn these devices off, or move away from them.

**The handset display is blank.**

The handset may be in battery saver mode. Press any key to turn the display on. If that doesn't work, the power may be off. Make sure the handset power switch is On and the battery is installed.

**The display is in the other language.**

Turn the handset power off, then on. Press the ENG display key for English and the ESPAÑOL display key for Spanish.

**The Charge light isn't on when the handset is on the base.**

The metal contacts on the handset aren't touching the contacts on the base. Place the handset on the base with the display facing up. Make sure the handset hanger tab has been inserted all the way.

**Your held call is gone.**

The telephone only holds a call for five minutes.

# Regulatory information

Language, ringer volume, and area code have changed back to the defaults.

The base has been without power for more than three days. Follow the procedures in the Personalizing your telephone section.

## You can't call on an extension phone.

Make sure that you haven't left the line on hold at the cordless phone. To release the line, press **t** and then **e**.

## The handset beeps.

Look at the display and do what is indicated.

## What is a display key?

There are two keys below the display. When a command (such as **DIAL** or **CHANGE**) appears on the bottom line of the display, press the key below it to activate the command.

## Radio/TV interference

Telephones equipped with electronic push-key dials generate and use radio frequency energy, and if not installed and used properly and in strict accordance with the manufacturer's instructions, may cause interference to radio and television reception.

These telephones have been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device in accordance with the specifications in Part 15 of the FCC rules. While these rules are designed to provide reasonable protection, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. You can determine whether interference occurs by monitoring your radio or television reception while placing a call.

If your telephone causes interference, one of the following measures may correct the problem:

- Re-orient or relocate the receiving TV or radio antenna, where this may be done safely.
- To the extent possible, move the telephone and the radio or television farther away from each other, or connect the telephone and the radio or television to outlets on separate circuits.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for additional suggestions.

**Note:** FCC registration does not constitute an expressed or implied guarantee of performance.

## **Rights of the telephone company**

If your telephone causes harm to the telephone network, the telephone company may stop your service temporarily or ask you to remove your equipment until the problem is resolved. If possible, they will notify you in advance. If advance notice is not practical, you will be notified as soon as possible and be given the opportunity to correct the situation. You will also be informed of your right to file a complaint with the FCC.

Your telephone company may make changes in its facilities, equipment, operations or procedures that could affect the proper function of your telephone. If they do, you will be notified in advance to give you an opportunity to maintain uninterrupted telephone service.

Call 1-800-574-1611 for information on Aastra Telecom products.

## **Federal Communications Commission (FCC) notice**

### **FCC registration number**

This telephone equipment complies with Part 68, Rules and Regulations, of the FCC for direct connection to the Public Switched Telephone Network. (The FCC registration number appears on a sticker affixed to the bottom of the telephone.)

Your connection to the telephone line must comply with these FCC rules:

- Use only an FCC standard RJ11W/RJ14W or RJ11C/RJ14C network interface jack and FCC-compliant line cord and plug to connect this telephone to the telephone line. (To connect the telephone, press the small plastic tab on the plug at the end of the telephone's line cord. Insert into a wall or baseboard jack until it clicks. To disconnect, press the tab and pull out.)
- If a network interface jack is not already installed in your location, you can order one from your telephone company. Order RJ11W/RJ14W for wall-mounted telephones or RJ11C/RJ14C for desk or table use. In some states, customers are permitted to install their own jacks.
- Your telephone may not be connected to a party line or coin telephone line. Connection to Party Line Service is subject to state tariffs. (Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission, or corporation commission for information.)
- It is no longer necessary to notify the telephone company of your telephone's Registration and REN numbers. However, you must provide this information to the telephone company if they request it.
- If you make changes or modifications not expressly approved by the manufacturer, you could void your authority to operate the equipment.



- Equipment cannot be used on public coin phone service provided by your telephone company. Connection to party line service is subject to state tariffs. (Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission or corporation commission for information.)

### **Signaling method**

This unit's push-key dial pad allows it to signal in tones (DTMF). It can complete calls to local and long-distance lines and can also complete long-distance calls using computer telephone systems such as MCI™ or SPRINT™.

MCI is a trademark of MCI.  
SPRINT is a trademark of United Telecommunications.

### **Ringer Equivalence Number**

The FCC Registration label (on bottom of telephone) includes a Ringer Equivalence Number (REN), which is used to determine the number of devices you may connect to your telephone line. A high total REN may prevent telephones from ringing in response to an incoming call and may make placing calls difficult. In most areas, a total REN of 5 should permit normal telephone operation. To determine the total REN allowed on your telephone line, consult your local telephone company.

### **Hearing aids**

This telephone is compatible with hearing aids equipped with an appropriate telecoil option.

## Programming emergency numbers

When programming emergency numbers or making test calls to emergency numbers:

1. Remain on the line and briefly explain to the dispatcher the reason for calling before hanging up.
2. Perform such activities in the off-peak hours, such as early morning or late evenings.

## UL installation instructions

**Warning:** To avoid electrical shock hazard to personnel or damage to equipment, observe the following precautions when installing telephone equipment:

1. Never install telephone wiring during a lightning storm.
2. Never install telephone jacks in wet locations unless the jack is specifically designed for wet locations.
3. Never touch uninsulated telephone wires or terminals unless the telephone line has been disconnected at the network interface.
4. Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.



The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying the product.

This symbol on the product is used to identify the following important information. Use only with:

— Aastra Telecom model  
SPA-3545A-82 (Salom Electric)  
power adaptor.

OR

— CSA-NRTL certified or UL listed,  
CLASS 2 power source (12 Vac/200  
mA max/50 or 60 Hz).



This product contains a  
NICKEL-CADMIUM  
RECHARGEABLE BATTERY

WHICH MUST BE RECYCLED OR  
DISPOSED OF PROPERLY. Recycling  
facilities may not be available in all  
areas. The enclosed battery is labeled  
indicating its type.

## Important safety instructions

1. **Read and understand all instructions .**
2. Follow the warnings and instructions marked on the product.
3. Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol cleaners. Use a damp cloth for cleaning.

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4. Do not use the base near water; for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink, laundry tub, swimming pool, or in a wet basement.
5. Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, or table. The product may fall, causing serious damage to the product.
6. This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation unless proper ventilation is provided.
7. Do not allow anything to rest on the power cord. Do not locate this product where the cord will be abused by people walking on it.
8. Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords as this can result in the risk of fire or electric shock.
9. Never spill liquid of any kind on the product.
10. To reduce the risk of electric shock, do not disassemble this product. Have it sent to a qualified service person when some service or repair work is required.
11. Unplug the base from the wall outlet and refer servicing to qualified service personnel under the following conditions:
  - a. when the power supply cord or plug is damaged or frayed.
  - b. if the product has been exposed to rain or water, or other liquid has been spilled on the product: disconnect and allow the product to dry out to see if it still operates; but do not open up the product.
  - c. if the product housing has been damaged.
  - d. if the product exhibits a distinct change in performance.
12. Avoid using the base during an electrical storm. There may be a remote risk of electric shock from lightning.
13. Do not use the telephone to report a gas leak in the vicinity of the leak.
14. **CAUTION:** To eliminate the possibility of accidental damage to cords, plugs, jacks, and the telephone; do not use sharp instruments during the assembly procedures.
15. Save these instructions.



## Coverage

Aastra Telecom warrants this product against defects in quality and workmanship for a period of twelve (12) months from the date of original purchase. Aastra Telecom shall, at no charge and at its option, repair or replace a defective telephone set or component thereof with a new or factory rebuilt telephone set or component, if returned within the warranty period.

If replacement parts are used in making repair, these parts may be refurbished or may contain refurbished materials. If it is necessary to replace the product, it may be replaced with a refurbished product of the same design and color. If it should become necessary to repair or replace a defective or malfunctioning product under this warranty, the provisions of the warranty shall apply to the repaired or replaced product until the expiration of ninety (90) days from the date of pickup, or the date of shipment to you of the repaired or replacement product or until the end of the original twelve (12) month warranty period, whichever is later. Proof of the original purchase date is to be provided with all telephone sets returned for warranty repair.

## Exclusions

Aastra Telecom does not warrant this product to be compatible with the equipment of any particular telephone company. This warranty does not extend to damage to the product resulting from improper installation or

operation, alteration, accident, neglect, abuse, misuse, fire or natural causes such as storms and floods, after the product is in your possession.

Aastra Telecom shall not be liable for any incidental or consequential damages, including but not limited to loss, damage, or expense directly or indirectly arising from the customer's use of or inability to use this product, either separately or in combination with other equipment. This paragraph, however, shall not apply to consequential damages for injury to the person in the case of telephones used or bought for use primarily for personal, family, or household purposes.

The warranty sets forth the entire liability and obligations of Aastra Telecom with respect to breach of warranty, and the warranties set forth or limited herein are the sole warranties and are in lieu of all other warranties, expressed or implied, including warranties or fitness for particular purpose and merchantability.

## Repair information

If you have several telephones and you are having problems with all of them, or if your telephone works in some outlets and not in others, your problem may originate with the local telephone lines or with central office equipment. Contact your local telephone company repair service listed in the front of your phone book.

Should your telephone fail during the twelve-month warranty period, please return it for repair to the place of purchase. You will be responsible for shipping charges, if any, and for presenting proof of your telephone's date of purchase.

If the terminal is covered by a Telephone Company Maintenance Agreement, follow the procedure set forth in the Maintenance Agreement for obtaining repair or replacement of the terminal.

If the terminal is no longer covered by the Aastra Telecom Inc. warranty, and is not covered by a Telephone Company Maintenance Agreement, you may return the terminal to the manufacturer for repair or refurbishment. You will be billed for any repairs.

Repair to this equipment may only be made by Aastra Telecom Inc. and its authorized agents, and by others who may be authorized by the FCC.

Questions about the warranty or repairs, or the manufacturer's policy on repair and refurbishment should be directed to by calling (toll free) 1-800-574-1611.

## **State law provisions**

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may have other rights which vary from state to state. Some states do not allow the exclusion of incidental or consequential damages or allow limitation of implied warranties or their duration, so that above exclusions or limitations may not apply.

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