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GSM 850/1800/1900

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## Instruction Symbols

The following appear in the User guide.

 Note


 Tip


 Warning


 A service or function is network- or subscription-dependent. Contact your network operator for details.


> Use a selection or navigation key to scroll and select. See *Navigation* on page 13.

 Press the navigation key center.

 Press the navigation key up.

 Press the navigation key down.

 Press the navigation key left.

 Press the navigation key right.

## Getting Started

### Assembly

Before you start using your phone, you need to insert a SIM card and the battery.

#### To insert the SIM card



- 1 Remove the battery cover.
- 2 Slide the SIM card into its holder with the contacts facing down.

#### To insert the battery



- 1 Insert the battery with the label side up and the connectors facing each other.
- 2 Replace the battery cover.

## Turning on the Phone

### To turn on the phone



- 1 Press and hold down **(⓪)**.
- 2 Enter your SIM card PIN, if requested.
- 3 Select a language.
- 4 Select **Yes** to use the setup wizard.

! *If you make a mistake when you enter your PIN, you can press **(⓪)** to delete numbers from the screen.*

#### SIM card

The SIM (Subscriber Identity Module) card, which you get from your network operator, contains information about your subscription. Always turn off your phone and detach the charger before you insert or remove the SIM card.

! *You can save contacts on the SIM card before you remove it from your phone. See *To copy names and numbers to the SIM card* on page 21.*

#### PIN

You may need a PIN (Personal Identification Number) to activate the services in your phone. Your PIN is supplied by your network operator. Each PIN digit appears as \*, unless it starts with emergency number digits, for example, 112 or 911. You can see and call an emergency number without entering a PIN.

#### To delete numbers from the display

- Press **(⓪)**.

! *If you enter the wrong PIN three times in a row, **PIN Blocked** appears. To unblock it, you need to enter your PUK (Personal Unblocking Key). See *SIM card lock* on page 58.*

#### Startup screen

The startup screen appears when you turn your phone on. See *Using pictures* on page 38.



### Standby

After you have turned your phone on and entered your PIN, the name of the network operator appears on the screen. This is called standby.

### Making and Receiving Calls

You must turn on your phone and be within range of a network.

#### *To make a call*

- 1 From standby enter a phone number (with international country code and area code, if applicable).
- 2 Select **Call**.

#### *To answer a call*

- Select **Answer**.

#### *To reject a call*

- Select **Busy**.

### Help in your Phone

Help and information is available in your phone at any time. See *Navigation* on page 13.

#### *To use the setup wizard*

- 1 From standby select **Menu > Settings > the General tab > Setup Wizard**.
- 2 Select an option.

#### *To view information about functions*

- Scroll to a function and select **Info**, if available. In some cases, **Info** appears under **More**.

#### *To view the phone demonstration*

- From standby select **Menu > Entertainment > Demo Tour**.

#### **Settings download**

You can download settings to your phone. These settings let you use functionality that require Internet accounts, for example, picture messaging and email.

#### *To download settings*

- From standby select **Menu > Settings > the General tab > Setup Wizard > Settings Download**.

! *Contact your network operator or service provider for more information.*

### Charging the Battery

The phone battery is partly charged when you buy it.

#### To charge the battery

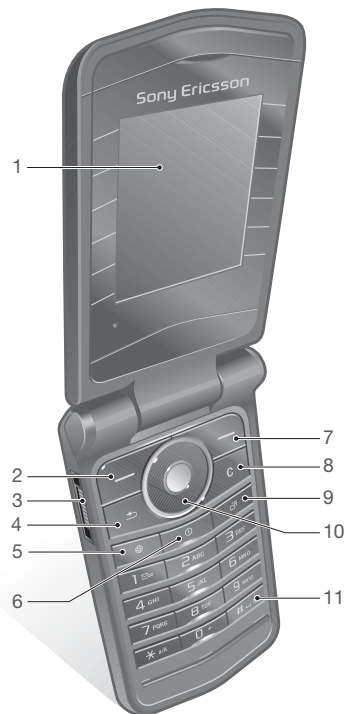


- 1 Connect the charger to the phone. It takes approximately 2.5 hours to fully charge the battery.
- 2 Remove the charger by tilting the plug upwards.

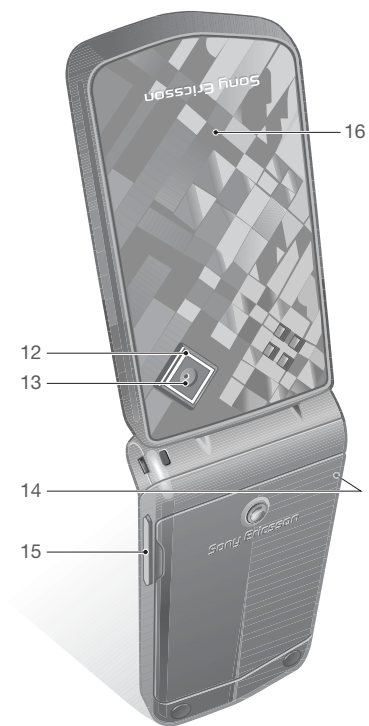
💡 *You can use your phone while it is charging. You can charge the battery at any time and for more or less than 2.5 hours. You can interrupt the charging without damaging the battery.*

## Phone Overview

- 1 Screen
- 2 Selection key
- 3 Connector for charger, handsfree and USB cable
- 4 Back key
- 5 Internet key
- 6 On/off key
- 7 Selection key
- 8 Clear key
- 9 Activity menu key
- 10 Navigation key
- 11 Silent key



- 12 Gesture control light
- 13 Camera
- 14 Memory card slot (under the cover)
- 15 Volume buttons
- 16 External display



## 10 Getting Started

## Menu Overview



PlayNow™\*



Internet\*



Entertainment

Online Services\*  
Games  
Video Player  
MusicDJ™  
Record Sound  
Demo Tour



Camera



Messaging

Write New      Sent Messages  
Inbox            Saved Messages  
Email            My Friends\*  
RSS Reader    Call Voicemail  
Drafts           Templates  
Outbox           Settings



Music Player



File Manager\*\*



Contacts



Radio



Calls\*\*



All



Answered



Dialed



Missed



Organizer

Alarms  
Applications  
Calendar  
Tasks  
Notes  
Synchronization  
Timer  
Stopwatch  
Calculator  
Code Memo



## Settings\*\*



### General

- Profiles
- Time & Date
- Language
- Update Service
- Gesture control
- New Events
- Shortcuts
- Security
- Setup Wizard
- Phone Status
- Master Reset



### Sounds & Alerts

- Ring Volume
- Ringtone
- Silent Mode
- Increasing Ring
- Vibrating Alert
- Message Alert
- Key Sound



### Display

- Wallpaper
- Themes
- Startup Screen
- Screen Saver
- Brightness
- Edit Line Names\*



### Calls

- Speed Dial
- Forward Calls
- Switch to Line 2\*
- Manage Calls
- Time & Cost\*
- Show/Hide My No.
- Handsfree
- Open to Answer



### Connectivity

- Bluetooth
- USB Connection
- Synchronization
- Device Mgmt.
- Mobile Networks
- Data Comm.
- Internet Settings
- Accessories

\* Some menus are operator-, network- and subscription-dependent.

\*\* You can use the navigation key to scroll between tabs in submenus. For more information, see Navigation on page 13.

## Navigation

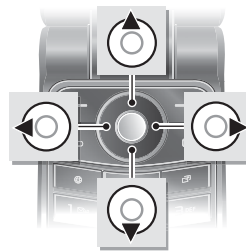
The main menus are shown as icons.  
Some submenus include tabs.

### To navigate the phone menus










- 1 From standby select **Menu**.
- 2 Use the navigation key to move through the menus.

### To scroll between the tabs

- Scroll to a tab by pressing the navigation key left or right.



### Key

|   |   |
|---|---|
|  | Go to the main menus or select items  |
|  | Scroll between the menus and tabs   |
|  | Select options shown immediately above these keys on the screen   |
|  | Go back one level in the menus.<br>Press and hold down to return to standby or end a function                       |
|  | Delete items, such as pictures, sounds and contacts.<br>Press and hold down to silence the microphone during a call |
|  | Open the browser  |
|  | Turn the phone on/off   |
|  | Open the activity menu  |
|  | Press and hold down to call your voicemail service (if set)   |