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The Android Advantage

MINT M250 comes with Android version 5.1 that offers optimized system performance resulting in a faster, simpler and smoother Android experience. At the Google Play Store, you can download from millions of apps, games, movies, and books. M250 also has the best of Google built-in, including your favorite apps like Google Search, Maps,   and YouTube.

Read Me First

- Please read all safety precautions and this manual carefully before using your device to ensure safe and proper use.

- The descriptions in this manual are based on the default settings of your device.

- Available features and additional services may vary by device, software, or service provider.

- Applications and their functions may vary based on the country, region, software or hardware specifications. MINT is not liable for performance issues caused by third-party applications.

Understand Your Phone

Earphone

Receiver

Front camera

Back camera

Flash light

Volume+/-

Power

Menu   Home   Back

USB port   Speaker

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Insert SIM and Memory Card

1. Switch off your phone, remove the rear cover and battery

2. Insert SIM card and Memory card correctly in the card slot(s),

3. Place back the battery and rear cover.

⚠	Please keep the SIM Card out of the reach of children.
⚠	Be careful when inserting or removing the SIM card, as it is vulnerable to damage due to scratching or bending.
⚠	Use only compatible memory cards. Incompatible memory cards may damage the device and corrupt the data stored in the card.

Turning Your Phone On/Off

Press and hold the Power key for a few seconds and select **Power off** to switch on/off the phone.

ⓘ	To restart your phone, long press the Power key and select **Reboot**.

Handset Keys

Keys	Functions
Power	• Long press to switch on or switch off the phone. • Press once to turn off the screen or to wake up the screen. • Press for 2 seconds to view quick options to turn off, reboot, switch to airplane mode
Volume+/-	• Adjust the volume using the volume keys.

Menu	• Opens a menu with items that affect the current screen or application. • If tapped when on the home screen, opens options to personalize the home screen.
Home	• Opens the Home screen. • On long tap, opens the most recently used applications.
Back	• Opens the previous screen you were working on. • If the onscreen keyboard is open, closes the keyboard.

Charging the Battery

Before using the device for the first time, we recommend you to charge the battery for a minimum of 4 hours。

In the case of a full charge, the battery using the best state:

state	Using time
Talk Time	GSM:9H,WCDMA:2.5H
Standby Time	450H
Browsing Time	3H

> ⓘ You can charge the device with a travel adapter or connecting the device to a PC via a USB cable.

Home Screen

(1) Read your notifications

When you see a notification in the status bar, touch the bar and slide your finger down the screen to open the list of notifications displayed in the sliding window.

Ongoing notifications report activities such as call forwarding ON, current call status, song playing.

Notifications report the arrival of new messages, calendar events, and alarms. You can clear notifications list by selecting 'Clear' notifications at the top of the notifications window.

To open the message, reminder or other notification, you can touch the items. To close the notifications window, slide your finger up the screen.

(2) Create Home screen shortcuts and widgets:

From the Home screen, touch and hold the blank screen, or click MENU Key and select 'Wallpaper'. Enter the main menu screen, slide your fingertip left to reveal the widget, select a shortcut to some of your saved information (such as a play list), a widget (a clock) for your Home screen.

(3) Move objects on the Home screen

•To move an icon or other item on the Home screen, you must first touch & hold i t to enter move mode. The object will magnify when it's ready to be moved.

Calling and Messaging

Make a Call

Tap 📞 on the menu screen or the home screen. By default, the dialer will display a list of contacts on which calls have been made very often .

Tap ⦂⦂⦂ to view the dialer

Contacts

Store, use, and synchronize contact details in your contact list. You can now create contact groups or mark contacts as favorites in your phonebook. Use tabs or swipe through to view the list of contacts, and favorite contacts list.

Airplane Mode

Some locations may require you to disable all wireless features of your device. Airplane Mode enables you to disable all incoming and outgoing calls, Wi-Fi, and Bluetooth connections.

To activate the airplane mode:

1. Press and hold the Power button and then select **Airplane mode**. Or,

   Drag notification panel down, and then select **AIRPLANE MODE**.

Send Message

1. Tap 😊 on the menu screen or home screen and then tap
   ⬛₊ to compose a message.

1. Tap ➕ icon to view the types of files that can be attached and select the desired type of multimedia file.

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2. Tap to select the composition text box and enter your message body in it.

3. Enter the contact name (if it exists) or enter the phone number. You can also tap the 🧑₊ icon to view and select contact(s) from the contact list.

4. Tap ➤ to send the message.

Multimedia

Camera

Go to 🞋 → 📷

All the pictures you can capture or view on your phone are stored on a memory card, which must be installed in your phone. Before you can use the Camera or view pictures in Pictures, make sure you have a card installed

Gallery

Go to 🞋 → 🖼

You can view pictures, play videos and share files from the Gallery. Tap an album to open and view its contents.

Music Player

Go to 🞋 → 🔘
Music supports various audio formats, including: MP3, arm, ogg,

and wav, etc.

The songs are categorized by Artist, Albums and Songs. You can make your favorite playlist by long taping on a song and selecting Add to Playlist.

FM Radio

Go to →

You can listen to your favorite FM channels using the inbuilt FM receiver of your phone. Before starting the FM, plug-in the headset as it works as antenna for the FM radio. Use the intuitive buttons and icons on the phone in the radio interface to enjoy the features of your inbuilt FM radio.

Settings, Networks, and Applications

Your phone can connect to various networks and devices, including Internet, Wi-Fi, GPRS, Bluetooth, devices, such as headsets. You can also transfer files to/from your PC through the data cable.

Connect to the Internet

Go to → → **Data usage** and select the SIM on which data connection is to be enabled.

You may also need to configure the access point name for the data connection to work.

To configure the access point name:

Go to → → **More** →**cellular networks** → **Access Point Names** and select the SIM for which access point name is to be configured. Select the access point name from the list.

	By default, the access point name gets configured once you insert the SIM, Or, your network provider sends the access point name settings via SMS. You may need to install these settings. If the access point names are not listed by default, please contact your network provider for the same.

Tethering & Portability

You can use your device as a modem and connect your PC or laptop to the Internet, when required. Start using your SIM data pack on your PC or Laptop now!

Go to → → **More** → **Tethering & portable hotspot**

USB Tethering

1. Connect your phone with your PC/Laptop via USB cable.

2. Select the **USB tethering** option.

3. Select your phone network as the network connection in your PC/laptop and get access to the Internet.

Bluetooth Tethering

1. Pair your phone with the Bluetooth enabled PC/laptop via Bluetooth pairing option.

2. Select the **Bluetooth tethering** option in your phone.

3. On the paired PC/laptop, select the Bluetooth device (your

phone) and choose to connect to the internet.

Wi-Fi Hotspot

1. Turn on the **Wi-Fi hotspot** option in your phone.

2. On the other Wi-Fi enabled PC/laptop/handset, choose your phone as a Wi-Fi network to connect with it.

3. View and configure Wi-Fi hotspot settings by tapping the **Wi-Fi hotspot** option.

ⓘ	Your mobile operator will charge you based on your GPRS data usage.

Pair With Bluetooth Devices

Go to ⬤ → ⚙ → **Bluetooth**

1. If Bluetooth is off, turn it on and then tap **Bluetooth**. Your phone scans and displays the Bluetooth devices in range.

2. Tap the ID of the other device in the list to pair with it.

3. You will be prompted to confirm passkey on both devices.

4. Tap **Pair** to confirm the passkey and pair the devices. On successful pairing, your phone connects to the device.

ⓘ	If the device you want to pair with is not in the list, make it discoverable and then search. If your phone stops scanning before you make the other device discoverable, tap **SEARCH FOR DEVICES**.

Google Maps

Google Maps is a web-based service offered by Google Inc. which offers you access to various map-based services. You can view various streets, landmarks and can even plan your routes with the help of Google Maps. It comes with a navigation system (GPS required) which gives step-by-step route guidance while driving or walking. You can even download maps for offline usage. This serves as a useful application for your day-to-day usage.

Settings required for Google Maps access include:

Enable location access from ⊞ → ⚙ → **Location**.

Go to ⊞ → 🗺 to start using Google Maps.

Play Store

Your Android phone lets you access unlimited entertainment sources. You can download applications, games, movies, and books from the ever increasing Play Store. New items get added almost daily to the store to give users a never ending fun experience.

To view and manage the list of all inbuilt, downloaded, and running applications, go to ⊞ → ⚙ → **Apps**.

To download applications, games, movies, and books from the Play Store, go to ⊞ → ▶ to access the Google Play Store. View the details and download items, as desired.

⊘	Not all items are free of cost in the Play Store.
ⓘ	You need to enable internet connection and configure Google account on your device to get access to the Play Store.

Taking Care of your device

Your device is a product of superior design and craftsmanship and should be handled with care. The following suggestions will help you protect your phone.

- Keep the device dry. Precipitation, humidity, and all types of liquids or moisture can rust the electronic circuits. If your device gets wet, remove the battery, wipe it with a dry cloth and take it to an authorized service center.
- Do not store the device in high or cold temperature. Extreme temperatures can shorten the life of electronic devices and damage batteries.
- Do not use or store the device in dusty, dirty areas. Its moving parts and electronic components can get damaged.
- Do not attempt to open the device other than as instructed in this guide.
- Do not drop, knock, or shake the device. Rough handling can break internal circuit boards and fine mechanics.
- Do not use harsh chemicals, cleaning solvents, or strong detergents to clean the device. Only use a soft, clean, dry cloth to clean the surface of the device.
- Do not store your device near magnetic fields or allow your device to come in contact with magnetic fields for extended period of time.

Battery Recommendations

- Please put the battery in a cool and well-ventilated place out of direct sunlight. We recommend you to charge the battery at room temperature range.

- Batteries have life cycles. After a full charge, if the power reserve of the battery tend to deplete inordinately faster than usual, the battery life is at an end. Replace the battery with a new battery of the same make and specification.

- Do not discard the battery with household trash. Please dispose of used battery according to your local environmental laws and guidelines.

Recycle your Phone

The WEEE logo (shown at the left) appears on the product (battery, handset, and charger) to indicate that this product must not be disposed off or dumped with your other household wastes. You are liable to dispose of all your electronic or electrical waste equipment by relocating over to the specified collection point for recycling of such hazardous waste.

Collection and proper recovery of your electronic waste equipment at the time of disposal will allow us to help preserve the environment. Recycling of the electronic waste equipment will ensure safety of human health and environment.

Note: MINT will not bear any responsibility for any incompliance with the above mentioned guidelines or improper usage of the mobile phone.

Disclaimer

- The colors, specifications, functions and graphics shown/mentioned in the user manual may differ from the actual product. In such a case, the latter shall govern. Images shown are for representation purpose only. Specifications are subject to change without prior notice. MINT keeps the right to modify the content in this user guide without prior notice.

- Talk and standby times are affected by network preferences, type of SIM cards, connected accessories and individual usage patterns. Services and some features may be dependent on the network,

service/content providers, SIM cards, compatibility of the devices used

and the content formats supported.

- Other product logos and company names mentioned herein may be

  trademarks or trade names of their respective owners.

FCC Regulations:

This mobile phone complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

This mobile phone 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 radiated 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 will not occur in a particular installation If this equipment does cause harmful 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.

FCC Note:

Caution: Changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

RF Exposure Information (SAR)

This phone is designed and manufactured not to exceed the emission limits for exposure to radio frequency (RF) energy set by the Federal Communications Commission of the United States.

During SAR testing, this device was set to transmit at its highest certified power level in all tested frequency bands, and placed in positions that simulate RF exposure in usage against the head with no separation, and near the body with the separation of 10 mm. Although the SAR is determined at the highest certified power level, the actual SAR level of the device while operating can be well below the maximum value. This is because the phone is designed to operate at multiple power levels so as 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.

The exposure standard for wireless devices employing a unit of measurement is known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR.

The SAR limit set by the FCC is 1.6W/kg.

This device is complied with SAR for general population /uncontrolled exposure limits in ANSI/IEEE C95.1-1992 and had been tested in accordance with the measurement methods and procedures specified in IEEE1528.

The FCC has granted an Equipment Authorization for this model phone with all reported SAR levels evaluated as in compliance with the FCC RF exposure guidelines. SAR information on this model phone is on file with the FCC and can be found under the Display Grant section of www.fcc.gov/oet/ea/fccid after searching on FCC ID: WVB250M.

For this device, the highest reported SAR value for usage against the head is 0.54 W/kg, for usage near the body is 0.63 W/kg.

While there may be differences between the SAR levels of various phones and at various positions, they all meet the government requirements.

SAR compliance for body-worn operation is based on a separation distance of 10 mm between the unit and the human body. Carry this device at least 10 mm away from your body to ensure RF exposure level compliant or lower to the reported level. To support body-worn operation, choose the belt clips or holsters, which do not contain metallic components, to maintain a separation of 10 mm between this device and your body.

RF exposure compliance with any body-worn accessory, which contains metal, was not tested and certified, and use such body-worn accessory should be avoided.

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