

# LG-P875

# User Guide

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# Important Notice

Please check to see if any problems you have encountered with your phone are described in this section before taking the phone in for service or calling a service representative.

# **1. Phone Memory**

In order to make more memory available, you will have to manage your applications and delete some data, such as applications or messages.

#### Managing Applications

- 1 From the Home screen, tap the **Menu Key** and tap **Settings** > **Apps**.
- 2 Tap one of the available tabs at the top of the screen and select the application you want to uninstall.
- 3 Tap Uninstall and then tap OK to confirm that you want to uninstall the desired application.

# 2. Optimizing Battery Life

You can extend your battery's life between charges by turning off features that you don't need to run constantly in the background. You can also monitor how applications and system resources consume battery power.

#### To extend the life of your battery

- Turn off radio communications that you aren't using, such as Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, or GPS.
   Wi-Fi will be set to On the first time you use your newly purchased phone.
- Lower screen brightness and set a shorter screen timeout.
- Turn off automatic syncing for Gmail™, Calendar, Contacts, and other applications.
- Some applications you have downloaded may cause your battery power to be reduced.
- While using downloaded applications, check the battery charge level.

#### To view the battery charge level

- From the Home screen, tap the Menu Key
   and tap Settings > About phone
   > Battery.
- 2 The battery status (charging or discharging) and level are displayed.

# To monitor and control what uses the battery

From the Home screen, tap the Menu Key
 and tap Settings > Power saver >
 Battery use.

#### Important notice

2 The top of the screen displays battery usage time. It lists all of the applications or services using battery power from the greatest amount of energy used to the least amount.

# 3. Installing an Open Source Operating System

Installing an open source operating system on your phone and not using the operating system provided by the manufacturer can cause your phone to malfunction.

#### Warning

- If you install and use an operating system other than the one provided by the manufacturer, your phone is no longer covered by the warranty.
- To protect your phone and personal data, download applications only from trusted sources, such as Play Store. If some applications are not properly installed on your phone, your phone may not work properly- or serious errors may occur. You will need to uninstall those applications and all of its data and settings from the phone.

# 4. Using the Swipe, Face Unlock, Pattern, PIN, or Password

Set Swipe, Face unlock, Pattern, PIN, or Password to secure your phone. To set the screen lock, follow the process below. From the Home screen, tap the **Menu Key** (a), tap Lock screen settings > Select screen lock and select a desired screen lock from Swipe, Face Unlock, Pattern, PIN and Password.

#### NOTE

In case that you have trouble with Face Unlock, you can unlock the screen with a PIN as a backup. Please note that this feature is only available after you set up your Google account on your device.

## Warning

Take precautions when using an unlock Pattern, PIN, or Password. It is very important that you remember the screen unlock information you set. You are allowed 5 attempts to enter your screen unlock information. If you used up all 5 opportunities, you will have to wait 30 seconds to attempt unlocking the phone again.

#### When you can't recall your Unlock Pattern, PIN, or Password:

If you logged into a Google account on the phone and failed to use the correct pattern 5 times, tap **Forgot pattern?** You will be required to sign in with your Google account and prompted to create a new unlock pattern.

If you have set a backup PIN, you can unlock the screen by entering the backup PIN.

If you haven't created a Google account on the phone or you forgot your PIN , Password, and the backup PIN, you need to perform a hard reset.

#### Caution

If you perform a hard reset, all user applications and user data will be deleted. Please remember to back up any important data before performing a hard reset. Read ALL steps before attempting.

- 1 Turn the phone off.
- 2 At the same time press and hold Volume Down Key | + Power/Lock Key |.
- 3 Release the keys when the FACTORY HARD RESET screen appears.
- 4 Read the warning and press the Power/ Lock Key () to confirm. Press any other key to cancel.
- 5 Press the Power/Lock Key to confirm once more or press any other key to cancel.
- 6 Your device will perform a hard reset.

# 5. Using Safe Mode

To recover your phone when malfunctioning.

- 1 Turn off your phone and reboot. When you see the booting animation (Rethink Possible <sup>SM</sup>) press and hold the **Volume Down Key (**. Your main screen will then be displayed with the words "Safe mode" in lower left corner.
- 2 From the Home screen, tap the **Menu Key** and tap **Settings** > **Apps**.
- 3 Tap one of the available tabs at the top of the screen and select the application you wish to uninstall.

#### Important notice

- 4 Tap Uninstall and OK to confirm.
- 5 After uninstalling the application, turn off and reboot your phone.

# 6. Using a microSD Card

Pictures, Music and Video files, can be saved to external memory. Before saving these files to external memory, you need to insert a microSD card. If you have not inserted a microSD card, you will not be able to save these items on external memory.

#### Warning

Do not remove the microSD card without unmounting it first. Otherwise, it may damage the microSD card as well as your phone, and the data stored on the microSD card may be corrupted. To unmount the microSD card, from the Home screen, tap the **Menu Key (**) and tap **Settings** > **Storage** > **Unmount SD card** > **OK**.

# 7. Connecting your phone to a computer via USB

- 1 Use the USB cable that was provided with your phone to connect the phone to a USB port on your computer. You'll receive a notification that the USB is connected and can see USB connection mode screen.
- 2 Tap Media sync (MTP) or Camera (PTP) to confirm that you want to transfer files between your phone and the computer.

When the phone is connected as USB storage, you receive a notification. Your phone is recognized as a device on your computer. You can now copy files to and from the phone.

# \rm IP

You can access your phone's storages including the microSD card from your phone while connected as USB storage. So you cannot use applications that rely on the storages, such as Music.

# 8. Unlock screen when using data connection

Your screen will go dark if untouched for a period of time. To turn on your LCD screen, press the **Power/Lock Key ()**. To change the lenght of time the screen takes to turn off, tap the **Menu Key ()** > **All Settings** > **Display** > **Screen timeout** and select the desired amount.

# 9. Hold the phone straight up

#### Please hold the mobile phone straight up as a regular phone.

While making/receiving calls or sending/ receiving data, try to avoid holding the lower part of the phone where the antenna is located. It may affect call quality.

## 10. When the screen freezes

# If the phone does not respond to user input or the screen freezes:

Press and hold the **Power/Lock Key ()** for 10 seconds to turn it off. Then, press and hold the **Power/Lock Key ()** again for 3 seconds to reboot the phone.

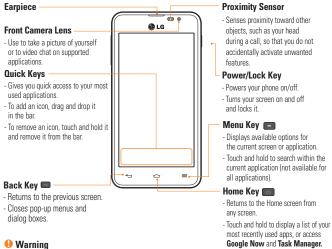
### 11. Do not connect your phone when you power on/off your PC

Make sure to disconnect your phone from the PC when powering your PC on or off as it might result in PC errors.



To turn on the phone, press and hold the **Power/Lock Key** () on the right side of the phone for 3 seconds. To turn off the phone, press the **Power/Lock Key** () on the right side of the phone for 3 seconds and tap **Power** off and **OK** to confirm.

# **Front view**



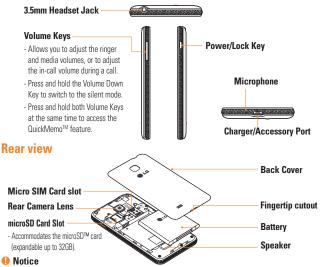
Placing a heavy object on the phone or sitting on it can damage its LCD and touch screen functionalities. Do not cover the LCD's proximity sensor with a protective film.

This can cause the sensor to malfunction.

#### \rm IPS

- Tap the Menu Key 🔳 whenever you open an application to check what options are available.
- If your phone has errors when you use it or you cannot turn it on, remove the battery, install it again and turn it on after 5 seconds.

# Side view



The NFC antenna for this model is on the back cover. This back cover is the only one that is offered with the model.

**Get**ting Started

# Installing the SIM card and battery

Before you can start exploring your new phone, you'll need to set it up. To insert the SIM card and battery:

1 Hold the phone on your hand firmly. With the other hand, lift the back cover using the fingertip cutout located on the bottom of the cover and remove it.



2 Slide the SIM card into the SIM card slot. Make sure the gold contact area on the card is facing downwards.

## NOTE

Please insert the notched side of the SIM card first. Refer to the image inscribed above the SIM card slot.



 Insert the battery into place by aligning the gold contacts on the phone and the battery
 and press the battery down until it clicks into place



4 Replace the back cover of the phone ①. Apply a steady downward pressure until the battery cover clicks into place ②.



# **Charging your phone**

1 Connect the wall adapter and USB cable as shown below. The USB symbol on the USB cable should face toward you.



2 Plug the USB cable (as shown below) into the phone's Charger/Accessory Port. Make sure the USB symbol is facing upwards.



Always unplug the charger from the wall socket after the phone is fully charged to save unnecessary power consumption of the charger.

#### NOTE

The battery must be fully charged initially to improve battery lifetime.

### NOTE

Your phone has an internal antenna. Be careful not to scratch or damage this rear area, as that will cause loss of performance.

When the battery becomes fully discharged and you connect the phone to a charger, the LED lights for the keys at the bottom of the phone will blink. This is normal operation for a completely discharged battery to prevent overflowing current because the phone is designed to provide reasonable protection against damage to the battery. Once the battery has enough charge, the screen will turn on and display a battery image.

# Inserting a microSD card • NOTE

This device supports up to a 32GB microSD card.

1 Remove the back cover.

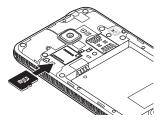
#### **Getting Started**



2 Gently insert the microSD card into the slot. Make sure the gold contact area is facing downwards.

#### NOTE

Please insert the notched side of the microSD card first. Refer to the image above the microSD card slot.





#### NOTE

Some downloaded applications store data on the microSD card as well as on the phone. Due to this feature, if you skip the unmount procedure, it can cause an error because information between the microSD card and the phone is not accorded properly. In the worst case, the microSD card can be corrupted or damaged.

# Removing the microSD card

To safely remove the microSD card from your phone, you must first unmount it.

- From the Home screen, tap the Menu Key
   and tap All Settings > Storage >
   Unmount SD card > OK.
- 2 Remove the battery cover and gently pull the microSD card from the slot.

#### \rm Warning

Do not remove the microSD card without unmounting it first. Otherwise, it may damage the microSD card as well as your phone, and the data stored on the microSD card may be corrupted.

# Formatting the microSD card

Your microSD card may already be formatted. If it isn't, you must format it before you can use it.

#### NOTE

All files on the card are deleted when you format the microSD card.

- From the Home screen, tap the Menu Key

   and tap All Settings > Storage >
   Unmount SD card > OK.
- 2 Tap Erase SD card twice.
- 3 If you set an unlock pattern, enter it and tap Erase everything. The card will then be formatted and ready to use.

## NOTE

If there is content on your microSD card, the folder structure may be different after formatting since all the files will have been deleted.

# Switching between and exiting applications

Multi-tasking is easy with Android because open applications keep running even when you open another application. There is no need to quit an application before opening another. Use and switch among several open applications. Android manages each application, stopping and starting them as needed, to ensure that idle applications don't consume resources unnecessarily.

#### Switching between applications

- Touch and hold the **Home Key (19)**. A list of recently used applications will be displayed. Then tap the application you want to access.
- To remove an application from the list, swipe the app preview to the left or right.
- To stop/exit an application
- From the Home screen, tap the Menu Key
   and tap All Settings > Apps.
- 2 Tap one of the tabs at the top of the screen, choose the desired application and tap Force stop to stop the application.

Your Home screen

## **Touch screen tips**

With the touch of your finger, you can access available applications, make menu selections, and access data saved to your phone. The following terms are used for describing the different available actions using the touchscreen:

**Tap** - A single finger tap selects items, links, shortcuts and letters on the on-screen keyboard.

Touch and hold - Touch and hold an item on the screen by touching it and not lifting your finger until an action occurs. For example, to open a contact's available options, touch and hold the contact in the Contacts list until the context menu opens.

**Drag** - Touch and hold an item for a moment and then, without lifting your finger, move your finger on the screen until you reach the target position. You can drag items on the Home screen to reposition them.

Swipe or slide - To swipe or slide, quickly move your finger across the surface of the screen, without pausing when you first touch it (so you don't drag an item instead). For example, you can slide the screen up or down to scroll through a list, or browse through the different Home screens by swiping from left to right (and vice versa). Double-tap - Double-tap to zoom on a web page or a map. For example, quickly double-tap a section of a web page to adjust that section to fit the width of the screen. You can also double-tap to zoom in and out when using Maps.

Pinch-to-Zoom - Use your index finger and thumb in a pinch or spread motion to zoom in or out when using the Browser, Maps, or browsing pictures.

Rotate the screen - From many applications and menus, the orientation of the screen adjusts to the device's physical orientation.

#### NOTE

- To select an item, tap the center of the icon.
- Do not to press too hard; the touch screen is sensitive enough to pick up a light, firm touch.
- Use the tip of your finger to tap the option you want. Be careful not to tap any other keys or icons.

# **Proximity sensor**

When receiving and making calls, this sensor automatically turns the backlight off and locks the touch keypad by sensing when the phone is near your ear. This extends battery life and prevents the touch keypad from activating unintentionally during calls.

### Lock your phone

When you are not using the LG Escape<sup>TM</sup> press the **Power/Lock Key** () to lock your phone. This helps prevent accidental presses and saves battery power.

Also, if you do not use the phone for a while, the Home screen, or other screen you are viewing, is automatically replaced with the lock screen after 30 seconds of inactivity to conserve the battery and prevent pocket dialing.

To wake up your phone, press the **Power/** Lock Key []. The lock screen will appear. Swipe the screen in any direction to unlock. The last screen you were working on opens.

#### NOTE

- If there are any programs running when you lock the phone, they may still be running in lock mode. It is recommended that you exit all programs before entering the lock mode to avoid unnecessary charges (e.g., phone call, web access and data communications).

# Setting Swipe, Face Unlock, Pattern, PIN, Password to unlock your phone

You can slide the screen without entering any information, utilize facial recognition, draw your own unlock Pattern or enter a PIN or Password to add more security to your device. To set Swipe, Face Unlock, Pattern, PIN, or Password, from the Home screen tap the Menu Key e> lock screen settings > Select screen lock. Then choose from Swipe, Face Unlock, Pattern, PIN, or Password and enter the desired information.

#### \rm Caution

You are allowed 5 attempts to enter your screen unlock information. If you used up all 5 opportunities, you will have to wait 30 seconds to attempt unlocking the phone again.

#### NOTE

The Face Unlock feature is only available after you set up your Google account on your device.

# **Quick Switch to Silent Mode**

To quickly set your phone to silent mode, press and hold the **Volume Down Key** until you see *#* on the screen.

# Home screen panels

Simply swipe your finger to the left or right to view the different panels.

You can also customize each panel with shortcuts, folders, and widgets, which are shortcuts to your favorite applications.

# NOTE

On the Home screen, you can view the Quick Keys at the bottom of the screen. The Quick Keys provide easy, one-tap access to the functions you use the most.

# **Customizing your Home screen**

You can customize your Home screen by adding quick access elements, such as shortcuts to an application, widgets, or changing the wallpaper.

- **Apps**: Add shortcuts to applications on the Home screen.
- **Downloads**: Add shortcuts to downloaded applications on the Home screen.
- Widgets: Add dynamically updating widgets to your Home screen to allow quick access to applications without opening the full application.
- Wallpapers: Change the Home screen wallpaper.

# To add shortcuts to apps or Widgets on the Home screen:

- Select a location (Home screen panels) to add an item by swiping the Home screen from left to right or vice versa.
- 2 Tap 🕂. Or touch and hold an empty part of the Home screen.
- 3 Tap the type of item you want to add on the screen: Apps, Downloads, Widgets, or Wallpapers.
- 4 Tap the desired app or widget.
- 5 You will see a new icon on the Home screen. To place it on a different panel, touch and hold it to drag it to the desired location on the desired panel and release your finger from the screen.

#### \rm IP

To add a preloaded application or an application you have downloaded from Play Store to the Home screen, simply touch and hold the icon you want in the Apps Screen.

## NOTE

If there is no available space on a particular Home screen panel, you must delete or remove an item before you can add another item. In this case, you have the option of switching to another Home screen panel. To delete an application icon from the Home screen, touch and hold the shortcut icon you want to delete and drag to **Remove** at the top of the screen. When changes to the screen when changes to the screen is the scheme screen in the screen is the screen

You cannot delete the preloaded applications. (Only their icons can be deleted from the screen).

### Customizing App Icons on the Home screen

You can customize each application icon.

1 Touch and hold an application icon until it's unlocked from its current position. Then drop it on the screen. The editing icon will appear in the upper right corner of the application.



2 Tap the application icon again and select the a desired icon design. Or tap Create photo icon to take a new picture or select a picture from the Gallery.



# Getting back to a recently used application

- 1 Touch and hold the **Home Key** . The screen will display the icons of applications that you have used recently.
- 2 Tap an icon to open its application or tap the **Back Key** to return to the current application.

#### Your Home screen

## Home screen clean view

You can see the wallpaper without items on the Home screen by pinching out. Pinch in or tap the **Back Key** to see applications and widgets again.



# **Notifications Panel**

Notification icons on the Status Bar report the arrival of new messages, calendar events, alarms, as well as ongoing events, such as when you are in a call. You can view a list of all recent notifications.

The Status Bar runs across the top of your screen.





Touch and hold the Status Bar and slide it down with your finger to open the Notifications Panel. From here, you can check and quickly turn on and off Sound, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, GPS, and any other options you add. You can also quickly adjust the screen brightness.

# Viewing the Status Bar

The Status Bar uses different icons to display phone information, such as signal strength, new messages, battery life, and activate Bluetooth and data connections.

Below is a table explaining the meaning of icons you are likely to see in the Status Bar.

# [Status Bar]

AT&T	🥂 📶 📕 12:00 PM
lcon	Description
₹£	No SIM card inserted
	No network signal available
$\rightarrow$	Airplane mode is on

Icon	Description
(îŗ	Connected to a Wi-Fi network
•	Wired headset connected
5.	Call in progress
<b>\$</b> #	Call on hold
<b>C</b> .»	Speakerphone is on
Ņ	Phone microphone is muted
~	Missed call
•	Bluetooth is on
A	System warning
$\mathfrak{Q}$	An alarm is set
ഹ	New voicemail available
×	Ringer is silenced
۳۵,	Vibrate mode is on

lcon	Description
1	Battery fully charged
5	Battery is charging
Ψ	Phone is connected to PC via USB cable
	Downloading data
•	Uploading data
¢	GPS is on
$\odot$	Receiving location data from GPS
C	Data is synchronizing
Σ	New Gmail message available
talk	New Google Talk message available
ŤČ.	New text or multimedia message
	A song is currently playing
6	Portable Wi-Fi hotspot is active

lcon	Description
0	USB tethering and Portable Wi-Fi hotspot are active
	Choose input method

# **On-screen Keyboard**

You can enter text using the on-screen keyboard. The on-screen keyboard displays automatically on the screen when you need to enter text. To manually display the keyboard, simply tap a text field where you want to enter text.

There are two types of keypads that you can use: **Android keyboard** and **LG keyboard**.

#### To select the keyboard:

- 1 Tap the Menu Key 
  > All Settings
  > Language & input > Default (Under
  KEYBOARD & INPUT METHODS).
- 2 Select the default keyboard between Android keyboard and LG Keyboard.

OR

- While entering text, drag the Status Bar down and tap Choose input method.
- 2 Select the desired input method from Android keyboard, Google voice typing or LG Keyboard.

#### Android keyboard - Letters Entry



- Shift Key Tap once to capitalize the next letter you type. Double-tap for all caps.
- Our Number and Symbols Key Tap to change input to number and symbol entry.
- Comma/Settings Key Tap to enter a comma. Touch and hold to change the input language and the Android keyboard settings.
- O Space Key Tap to enter a space.
- 6 Enter Key Tap to move the cursor to the next line.
- O Delete Key Tap to delete characters to the left of the cursor.

