



User Manual **Vodafone 553**



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Product Safety Information



Read the Safety Information section of this user guide on page 37



Do not use while re-fuelling



Do not use hand-held while driving



This device may produce a bright or flashing light



For body-worn operation maintain a separation of 1.5 cm



Do not dispose of it in a fire



Small parts may cause a choking hazard



Avoid contact with magnetic media



This device may produce a loud sound



Avoid Extreme Temperatures



Keep away from pacemakers and other personal medical devices



Avoid any contact with liquid, keep it dry



Switch off when instructed in hospitals and medical facilities



Do not attempt to disassemble



Switch off when instructed in aircrafts and airports



Do not rely on this device for emergency communications



Switch off in explosive environments



Only use approved accessories

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1 Getting Started

Note: Some features described in this document are dependant of your operator and may differ from what you have.

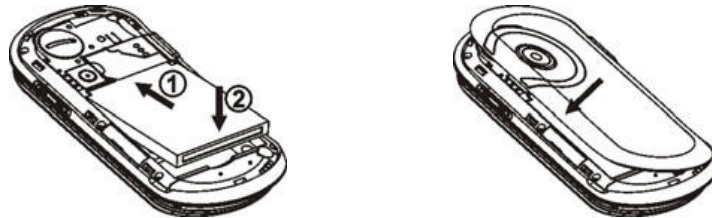
1.1 Starting Up

Battery

The lithium ion battery of the mobile phone can be immediately used after unpacking. A new battery performs best after performing a full charge/discharge 3 times.

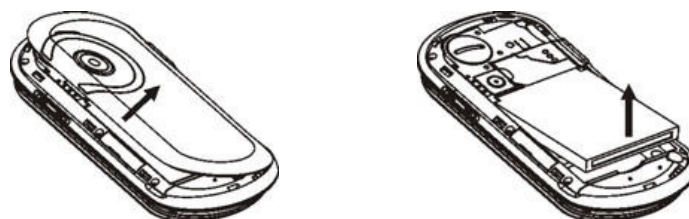
Installing the battery

1. Align the battery's contact points in the direction of the arrow shown and insert the battery into the slot.
2. Put on the battery cover and press it gently until you hear a click.



Removing the battery

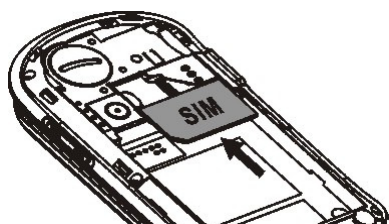
1. Make sure that your mobile phone is switched off.
2. Remove the battery cover.
3. Pull the battery up and remove it from the mobile phone.



How to insert the SIM card

Insert the SIM card as follows:

1. Make sure that the phone is switched off and the charger is disconnected from the phone.
2. Turn the phone over and remove the battery cover.
3. Remove the battery if it is already installed.
4. Hold your SIM card with the cut corner oriented as shown and then slide it into the card holder with the gold-coloured contacts facing downward.
5. Replace the battery first.
6. Replace the battery cover.



Caution:

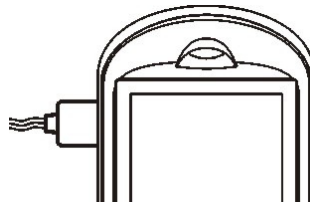
- Do not bend, scratch the SIM card, or unnecessarily touch its metal surface. It may damage the information stored.
- Do not force the cover down by pressing on it. This may damage the cover.

How to charge the battery

The battery needs to be charged for at least 6-8 hours when you charge it for the first time.

1. Connect your travel adapter to the side of your mobile phone as shown in the diagram next page.

2. Connect the other end of the travel adapter to the mains socket.
3. When you charge the battery, the battery charging indicator appears.
4. When the battery is fully charged, the battery indicator is full and doesn't flicker any longer, disconnect the charger.

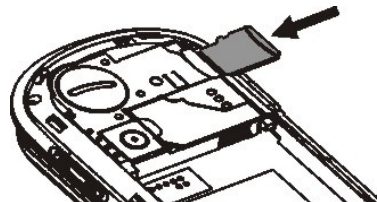


Inserting and Removing a Memory Card

Vodafone 553 supports microSD memory cards up to 8Gbyte. Please follow the instructions from your microSD card vendor.

To insert a card,

1. Remove the battery cover.
2. Insert the memory card into the slot.



Before you take out the card, please open the battery cover and press the card inward to unlock.

Powering On/Off

Make sure that your SIM card is inserted and the battery is charged. Hold the **Power key** 2 or 3 seconds to turn your phone on or off.

Notes: You may need to enter the Personal Identification Number (PIN) or phone password if you have enabled phone lock or PIN LOCK (See Section 6).

1.2 My Phone



1.3 Idle screen

When you turn on the phone, it enters the idle screen. The following indicators notify you with the phone status and alerts.

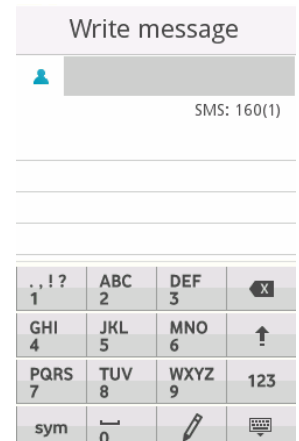
Indicator	What it means	Indicator	What it means
	Shows the phone's network signal strength		Shows the phone's battery capacity
	Call diverting		The alarm clock is active
	The phone is under roaming status		The alert type is set to ring
	You have unread message		The alert type is set to vibration
	Silent mode is activated		The alert type is set to vibration then ring tone
	You have unheard voice mail		The alert type is set to vibration and ring tone
	A headset is connected to the phone		GPRS connection is active
	EDGE connection is active		Audio player is on
	The stopwatch is active		Bluetooth® connectivity is on
	You have unread E-mail		

1.4 Text Input

Using Virtual keyboard

As the slide is not opened, you could use the virtual keyboard to input.

- **Show virtual keyboard:** Click any place in the text input area to show the virtual keyboard.
- **Hide virtual keyboard:** Click  icon.
- **Change input method:** Click  icon to change the input method.
- **Input Letters:** In abc method, click the corresponding letters to input your desired letter. Each key is used to input multiple letters. Click the key quickly and repeatedly until your desired letter appears.
- **Input Words:** In Smart abc method, click each key only once for every letter. The word changes after each key stroke. When you finish writing the word correctly, click the word to confirm. If the word displayed on the screen is not what you want, click the arrow to view other matching words, and then click the word to confirm. Predictive text input is based on a built-in dictionary.
- **Switch caps lock :** Click  icon.
- **Input numbers:** In 123 method, click the corresponding numbers on the screen to input your desired numbers.
- **Input symbols:** Click  icon to open the virtual keypad and select the corresponding symbols to input.
- **Insert a space:** Click  to input the space. It does not work in 123 method.



- **Delete Character:** Click  to delete the previous character before the cursor.
- **Delete all Characters:** Hold  to delete all characters.
- **Move Cursor:** Among the text, tap in the position you want to move.

Using the keypad

As the slide is opened, you could use the keypad to input.

- **Switch input method:** Press the  key
- **Insert a space:** Press the  key.
- **Delete:** Press the  key to delete the input before the cursor.
- **Switch caps lock:** Press the  key.
- **Line feed:** Press the  key.
- **Input letters and common symbols:** There are two symbols on the keys. In abc/Abc/ABC method, press the key to input the symbol located on the left part of the key; press the  key and then press the key to input the symbol located on the right part of the key; press the  key twice and then press the key to continuously input the symbol located on the right part of the key.
In Smart abc/Abc/ABC method, your phone predicts the word as you enter it, so you need input only the first few letters of the word.
- **Input numbers:** In 123 method, press the numeric keys to input the corresponding numbers.
- **Input symbols:** During the text input, press  key to display symbol lists, press the Navigation keys to select the symbol, and press **OK** to confirm.

1.5 Basic Operation

Menu Navigation

Press the **Menu key** to enter the main menu. Once at the main menu, click the icon to select the submenu, press **Back** to return to the previous menu, and press the **Power** key to return to the home screen.

Use the Touchscreen

Your phone supports touch screen functionality.

Slide up or down with your finger on the screen to move the highlight bar. Tap any application to open it.

Widgets in Idle Screen

From the home screen, slide your finger to the left or right on the screen to switch among the three interfaces.

Click  to open the Widgets drawer. In the Widget drawer, slide your finger up and down to display more function icons. You can drag the function icons from the Widget drawer to the home screen, press and hold the icon then drag it back to Widget drawer.

Keypad Lock

You can use the keypad lock to prevent the keys from being accidentally pressed.

In the closed position, you can hold down the **Menu key** to lock the screen. To unlock the screen, drag the  icon on the screen to the  icon and a message will appear telling you the screen is unlocked.

In **Menu > Settings > Security > Auto keypad lock**, set the auto keypad lock time. If the phone is not operated within this time, the keypad will be locked.

Adjust the Volume

When you're on the phone, listening to songs, watching movies or using other media, you can press the **Volume keys** on the right side of your phone to adjust the audio volume.

Otherwise, the keys are used to control the volume of the ringer, or used for other sound effects.

Social Network Services

In idle mode, you can find the following icons in the widget drawer. You can drag the icons from the Widget drawer to the home screen, and click the icon to enter the service. You can also find these icons in **Menu > Games & Apps > Java** or **Menu > Social**.



Facebook is a social utility that connects people with friends and others who work, study and live around them.



Google Talk (GTalk) is a Java application for instant messaging, offered by Google Inc.



Twitter is a social networking and microblogging service that enables its users to send and read other user messages called tweets.



Windows Live Messenger (formerly named MSN Messenger) is an instant messaging client created by Microsoft.



Yahoo! Messenger is an instant messaging client provided by Yahoo!.

2 Using the Phone

2.1 Making a call

Making a call from Contacts

Go to **Menu > Contacts**, find the name of the person you want to call, and press the **Send** key.

Making a call from Call History

Press the **Send** key or select **Menu > Calls** in idle screen to open call history. Select the number you need. You can call the number directly or select **Options > Edit before call** to modify the number before dialing.

Making a call from Messages

In idle screen, select **Menu > Messaging > Inbox** and select a message. Then select **Options > Call sender**.

Making a Speed Dial Call

In idle screen, hold the number key (2`9) corresponding to the phone number in the speed dial list to make a call.

Note: The number key 1 is reserved for your voice mail number.

Setting speed dial

1. In idle screen, select **Menu > Contacts > Options > Contacts settings > Speed dial > Set numbers**.
2. Select a number between 2 and 9.
3. Press **Edit**.
4. Select a contact and press **OK** to confirm.

Make Emergency Calls

The available emergency numbers depend on the area you are in and the service provider you use. Please contact your local service provider.

Tip: You can dial the emergency numbers when the SIM card is not inserted or the keypad is locked.

2.2 Answering Incoming calls

When there is an incoming call, you can answer or reject it. You can also tap the Silent icon to mute the ringtone.

Caution: Adjust the volume of the earpiece to a moderate level to avoid injury to your ear.

2.3 In-call Options

During a call, you can select **Options** to enter the call options.

You can use the speakerphone by tapping the H-Free button.

You can put a call on hold, make a new call, and use applications such as Messaging & Phonebook while you're on a call.

2.4 Call History

In idle screen, select **Menu > Calls** to check recent calls and duration.

Use **Left/Right Key** to switch among **All calls**, **Dialled calls**, **Received calls** and **Missed calls**. In each list, select a call record and tap it to view its detail. You can press **Send key** or click  to call the number, click  to send a message to the number, or select **Options** to find more choices.

- **Save to contacts:** Save the current number to Contacts.
- **Add to Blacklist:** Add the current number to Blacklist. If you activate Blacklist: function, the incoming call from the numbers in the Black List will be rejected.
- **Edit before call:** Edit the number before you call.
- **Delete:** Delete the current call record.
- **Delete all:** Delete all your call records.
- **Advanced** includes:
 - Call timers:** Check the duration of a call.
 - Call cost:** Set Price per unit, and you can view the call cost..

2.5 Using SIM Card Services (STK)

STK is depending on your SIM card and please contact your operator.

To use the SIM card services, insert your SIM card into the phone at first. SIM card information services rely on Vodafone networks.

Select **Menu > Organizer > STK**. The displayed name on the STK Service is provided by Vodafone.

2.6 Flight Mode

In areas where the use of mobile devices is restricted, you can activate the flight mode to disable the mobile phone function but still use other functions of your phone such as calendar, music playback and games. You will not be able to make/receive calls, send/receive messages, or browse the Internet in flight mode.

To activate/deactivate the flight mode:

In idle screen, select **Menu > Profiles > Flight mode**. Choose **Options > Activate** to activate the flight mode; choose **Options > Deactivate** to deactivate the flight mode.

3 Messaging

Select **Menu > Messaging** to access your messages.

3.1 Composing and Sending a Message

In idle screen, select **Menu > Messaging > Create new message**.

1. Enter the phone number of the recipient or click  to add recipient from **Contacts**.
2. Write your message in the text field. The default message type is SMS.
3. If you want to change to MMS, you can press **Options** and choose **Switch to MMS**; or you can press **Options** and choose **Add subject** to directly insert multimedia contents to the message and it will switch to MMS automatically.
4. You can select **Options > Slide options** to add a new slide.
5. When you finish writing, click  to send the message. If you want to save the MMS as a draft, select **Options > Save to Drafts**. If you are writing an SMS, select **Options > Save**.

3.2 Other Actions Related to Messages

View messages

Upon receiving a message, the mobile phone will alert you with a ringtone, prompt, or a new message icon.

Press **View** to open the Inbox. You can also go to Inbox through the main menu to read the message.

While the message is open, click the icon at the bottom of the screen to **reply**, **forward** or **delete** the message. You can also call back the sender. You can view the message in the Messaging interface.

- Select **Inbox** to view received messages.
- Select **Drafts** to view unsent messages.
- Select **Outbox** to view unsuccessfully sent and saved messages.

- Select **Sent** to view successfully sent and saved messages.

To use numbers in a message

Open a message and select **Options > Advanced > Use number** to extract all possible numbers from the message. You can select a number and save it to contacts, send a message or make a call to the number.

To manage message templates

Go to **Menu > Messaging > Templates**. There are text templates and multimedia message templates that you can insert to your messages. Select **Options > Use** to create a new message with the selected templates. You can also select **User defined > Options > Add new template** to edit your own templates.

To configure message settings

Text message settings.

- **Profile settings:** This is automatically set. Please contact your network provider if this is not available.
- **Voicemail server:** When you are unable to answer the call, you can let the caller leave a message for you on voicemail to listen to later. From the home screen, hold the “1” key to dial the voicemail number. This service requires network support so please make sure you apply for this it before use.
- **Common settings:** You can set **Delivery report** and **Reply path** on or off. You can choose whether to save sent messages or not.
- **Memory status:** View the SIM or Phone memory status.
- **Preferred storage:** Set the preferred storage to SIM or Phone.
- **Preferred connection:** Set the preferred connection to prefer GPRS, GSM or GSM only.

Multimedia message settings

- **Profiles:** Your mobile phone is preloaded with the Vodafone MMS profiles and you can also add new ones.
- **Common settings:** You can choose the settings related to **Compose**, **Sending**, **Retrieval**, **Preferred storage** and **Memory status**.

To receive cell broadcast messages

Go to **Menu >Messaging > Cell Broadcast**.

- Select **Receive mode** to turn on/off the service.
- Select **Languages** to choose the language of the broadcast messages that you want to receive.

4 E-mail

The E-mail function allows you to set up Vodafone business E-mail accounts and other personal E-mail accounts.

4.1 Configuring E-mail Account

If you want to send /receive E-mails through remote servers, you have to set up a POP3/IMAP4 E-mail account first.

At first time when you enter **E-mail > Create E-mail**, it will come up with a E-mail setup wizard. From the second time, if you want to set up more E-mail account, please go to **Menu > E-mail > E-mail account setup**.

1. Select **Options > Activate** to activate Vodafone E-M@il or select **New account**.
2. Enter your E-mail address, protocol, data account, and server information, etc.
3. Activate your E-mail account.

4.2 Creating a New E-mail

Choose an E-mail account and select **Create E-mail**.

First, add E-mail recipients from **Contacts** or enter recipients' addresses directly. Press **Done** when you finish.

Click the Subject field or the Content field, enter text. When you finish writing, select to send and/or save the E-mail.

4.3 Checking E-mails

Go to Inbox of your E-mail account and select Receive to start receiving E-mails from the remote server.

5 Personal Information

5.1 Contacts

Add a new contact

Go to **Menu > Contacts**, click **Add new contact**, input the information, press **Save** to save.

Save a number to Contacts

You can save a number after you've made or received a phone call by going to your Call History, highlighting the number and selecting **Options > Save to contacts**.

Quick search

To quickly search for the contacts, enter the first letter of your desired contact.

Delete a contact

To delete someone from your Contacts list, first select the name, then select **Options > Delete**.

Delete all contacts

If you want to delete all contacts in SIM or Phone, please select **Options > Contacts settings > Delete all contacts**.

Copy or move contacts

You can copy or move the contacts from SIM to phone and phone to SIM.

You can also copy the records to file. Select **Options > Copy** or **Move**.

If you want to move or copy all contacts in SIM or phone, please select **Options > Contacts settings > Copy contacts/Move contacts**.

Select several contacts

Select **Options > Mark several** and then select the contacts you want to mark. Once selected you can send a message to all marked contacts or delete them.

Set preferred storage

Select **Options > Contacts settings > Preferred storage** and then select SIM, Phone or Both.

View memory status

Select **Options > Contacts settings > Memory status** to check the memory status on the phone and SIM.

5.2 Calendar

Select **Menu > Organizer > Calendar**. You can use the calendar to arrange and remind you of your schedule.

Adding New Schedules

Select the date from the calendar and press **Options > Add event**. Press **Done** when you finish.

Viewing and Editing Schedules

Press **Options > View** to view your schedules. To edit a schedule, select the date and then the schedule, and press **Options > Edit**.

Sending Schedules

Select a schedule and press **Options > Send vCalendar**. You can send your schedule as a message, E-mail or via Bluetooth®.

6 Settings

You can adjust various settings of your phone. Go to **Menu > Settings**.

6.1 Phone settings

- **Date and time:** You can set home city, foreign city, time and date, and format.
- **Language:** You can set the language.
- **Schedule power on/off:** Set auto power on and off time.
- **Display settings:** You can set **Wallpaper**, **Screen saver**, **Show owner number** and **Screen switch effect**.
- **Greeting text:** You can set the greeting text.
- **Vibrate FeedBack:** When this function is **On**, your mobile phone would vibrate when you click the number to dial.
- **LCD backlight:** You can set the LCD backlight brightness and time.

6.2 Call settings

- **Caller ID:** You can select to Set by network, Hide ID or Send ID. Please contact your network provider for details.
- **Call waiting:** After this function is activated, the system will inform you if there is another incoming call. Please contact your network provider for details.
- **Call forwarding:** The call forwarding service enables you to divert an incoming call from a service to a specified telephone number in preset conditions. You can contact the network provider to activate this service. You can set the call divert service so that voice calls and data calls are diverted to a preset number under different conditions.

- **Call barring:** You can bar outgoing and incoming calls. Please contact your network provider for details.
- **Advanced settings:** You can set **Blacklist**, **Auto redial**, **Call time display**, **Call time reminder** and **Auto quick end**.

Auto quick end means talk duration restriction. If you activate this function and set the time, the call will be auto ended as the talk duration reaches the time you set.

6.3 Network settings

In this menu, you can select **Automatic/Manual** to select the network service provider according to requests. If you have selected a service provider manually, you have to manually select again or return to the **Automatic** option to select the service provider when you switch to the SIM card of another network.

The GPRS connection can be set to **When Needed** or **Always**.

6.4 Security

- **PIN lock:** If PIN Lock is currently set **Off**, select it again then input a PIN code to turn it on. You need to input the correct PIN code to unlock your SIM card when you turn on your mobile phone next time.

Note: The PUK code is required to unlock the SIM card if you have incorrectly input the PIN code for three consecutive times. The PIN code and the PUK code may be supplied along with the SIM card. If not, contact the network provider.

- **Phone lock:** Phone lock can prevent your mobile phone from unauthorized use. Select **On/Off** to enable or disable the protection.
- **Auto keypad lock:** Select a time for auto keypad lock, and the phone will automatically lock the keypad to prevent unintended touch.

- **Change password:** You can change the PIN, PIN2 and phone password here.
- **Certificate manager:** View the list of certificates.
- **Licence manager:** View the list of licences.

Note: You may be required to input the phone lock code in some of the security settings interfaces. The default lock code is 0000. Go to **Security > Change password > Phone password** to change the phone lock code.

6.5 Screen calibration

If you feel that the contact point of your touch screen is not accurately positioned, you can fix it by this function. Go to **Menu > Settings > Screen calibration**. Complete the calibration operation according to the system prompts. Tap the centre of the cross until the calibration is completed.

6.6 Restore factory settings

Go to **Menu > Settings > Restore factory settings**.

You need to input the correct phone lock password, and press **OK** to restore factory settings.

6.7 Profiles

Go to **Menu > Profiles**.

You can select your preferred profile in this menu. The profile options are: Normal, Meeting, Outdoor, Indoor, Headset, Bluetooth® and Flight mode. You can customise the settings of each profile by selecting **Options > Customize**. Here you can choose tone settings, volume, alert type, ring type, extra tone and answer mode.

Note: The Headset mode can only be activated when the headset is connected to the phone.

7 Experiencing Multimedia

7.1 Camera

Take a Photo

Go to **Main Menu > Camera** to take a photo.

Aim the camera at the object, press **Left/Right key** to adjust EV, and then click the  icon to take the shot.

If you want to record a scene, you can click the  icon to switch to Video recorder.

Configuring Your Camera

Click the  icon to open more options.

- **Photos:** Enter **Gallery** Album to view the photos you've just taken.
- **Camera settings:** Set **Shutter sound**, **EV**, **Contrast**, **Anti-flicker**, **Delay timer** and **Cont. shot**.
- **Image settings:** Set **Image size** and **Image quality**.
- **White balance:** Select **Auto**, **Daylight**, **Tungsten**, etc.
- **Scene mode:** Select **Auto** or **Night**.
- **Effect settings:** Select **Normal**, **Grayscale**, **Sepia**, etc.
- **Storage:** Select **Phone** or **Memory card**.
- **Restore default:** Restore to factory default settings.

7.2 Video recorder

Go to **Menu > Media > Video recorder** to record a scene.

Click the  icon to start, click  icon to pause, and click the  icon to finish recording.

Before recording a video, adjust brightness and zoom to the right size. You can click the  icon to switch to **Camera**.

Configure your video recorder.

Click the  icon to configure your video recorder:

- **Camcorder settings:** Set **EV**, **Night mode** and **Anti-flicker**.
- **Video settings:** Set **Video quality**, **Size limit reached**, **Time limit reached**, **Record audio**.
- **White balance:** Select **Auto**, **Daylight**, **Tungsten**, etc.
- **Effect settings:** Select **Normal**, **Grayscale**, **Sepia**, etc.
- **Storage:** Select **Phone** or **Memory card**.
- **Restore default:** Restore to default factory settings.

7.3 Gallery (Image viewer)

Select **Menu > Media > Gallery (Image viewer)** to view the photos you've taken or to see the other pictures saved in "Gallery".

The images you want to view in Gallery must be put in the **..\Photos** folder in the phone or memory- card, and in **Options > Storage**, the storage must be set to phone or card correspondingly.

7.4 Media player

You can listen to music stored in your phone or on the memory card.

Select **Menu > Media > Media player**.

In **My playlists**, you can edit your playlists, set storage, or make personal settings.

To create a playlist, in **My playlists**, select **Options > New**, and then set the list name. From the chosen list select **Options > Add**, and select the files or folder, then the audio list will be loaded to your named playlist.

Audio file formats supported: AMR-NB, AMR-WB+, WAV, AAC, AAC+, MP3, MIDI.

Open the playlist and select **Options > Play**.

7.5 FM radio

Select **Menu > Media > FM radio**.

With the radio, you can search for radio channels, listen to them, and save them on your device. Note that the quality of the radio broadcast depends on the coverage of the radio station in that particular area. The wired headset works as an antenna, so always connect the headset when using the radio. When you receive an incoming call while listening to the radio, the radio will switch off.

In the FM radio interface, click the  icon to enter the submenu.

- **Loudspeaker:** You can turn on Loudspeaker.
- **Channel list:** Edit up to 30 channels.
- **Manual input:** Manually input a channel.
- **Auto search:** Automatically searches for channels.
- **Settings:** You can set **Record format**, **Audio quality**, **Record storage**.
- **Record:** Record the radio.
- **Append:** Continue to record AMR files on the current file.
- **File list:** Display the list of files.

7.6 Voice recorder

From **Menu > Media > Voice Recorder** you can record sounds. Click  icon to record a sound clip, click  icon to pause, and click the  icon to finish recording

Click the  icon for **Options**. Select **Settings** to set preferred storage, file format and audio quality. Select **List** to listen to the sound clips you have recorded.

7.7 Download media files

Download Pictures

You can view the pre set websites and download pictures.

Download Videos

You can view the pre set websites and download videos.

Download Music

You can view the pre set websites and download music.

Download Ringtones

You can view the pre set websites and download ringtones.

8 Getting Connected

8.1 Internet Browser

Your phone is preinstalled with **Opera Mini** or **Obigo** Internet browser. In idle mode, go to **Menu > Web**. Use Opera or Obigo to view web pages.

8.2 Bluetooth®

Bluetooth® is a short-range wireless communications technology. When paired, devices with Bluetooth® capabilities can exchange information within a distance of about 10 meters without any physical connection.

Your phone supports A2DP, AVRCP, FTP, HFP, HSP, OPP and SPP Bluetooth® profiles. You can connect your phone to a Bluetooth® stereo headset or non-stereo headset, transfer files with your computer through Bluetooth® adapter, control some of the phone functions with the Bluetooth® headset, or transfer files with other Bluetooth® devices.

Note: Your Bluetooth® connection may experience interference caused by certain obstructions or other electronic devices.

Turn Bluetooth® on or off on your phone

Go to **Menu > Settings > Bluetooth® > Switch on/off** to turn Bluetooth® on or off.

Make your phone visible

Go to **Menu > Settings > Bluetooth® > Visibility**. You can choose to be visible or not.

When your phone is visible, and Bluetooth® is turned on, all other Bluetooth® enabled devices within range can detect your phone.

Create a Bluetooth® pairing

1. Go to **Menu > Settings > Bluetooth® > My Device > Search new device** to search and view other Bluetooth® enabled devices.

2. Select the desired device from the list and press **Pair**.
3. When your phone is connecting, your phone and the device it's pairing with must enter the same password to successfully connect them both.

Note: Some devices such as Bluetooth® headsets might have the fixed password "0000". You need to input this password if your phone prompts you to enable connection to the device.

Sending information via Bluetooth®

After a Bluetooth® pairing is complete, you can send information such as contacts and audio files from your phone to another Bluetooth® enabled device.

Connect a Bluetooth® hands-free or stereo headset

For hands-free phone conversations or to listen to music, you can use a Bluetooth hands-free or stereo headset.

Go to **Bluetooth > Search audio device** to search for the Bluetooth® hands-free or stereo headset.

9 More Applications

9.1 My Files

You can check all the folders in the phone, create new ones, rename, delete or sort by, etc. The files you download from the internet will be stored in these folders.

Note: When you select **Format**, the data will be lost, so please be careful with this function.

9.2 Games and Applications

Go to **Menu > Games & Apps**. Your mobile phone has classic games and applications pre-loaded.

Java

MIDlets are Java™-based applications that can run on your phones. It supports Java 2 Edition, J2ME™. Java allows you to download Java-based applications, such as games and tools that are specifically designed for mobile phones. Java gives you the flexibility of installing and managing additional J2ME applications from the Internet.

You can select **Download Games** to search for more games online. And you can select **Manage Certificate Authorities** to check Service Provider.

Games

Your mobile phone has six games pre-loaded such as **Brick Breaker Revolution 2 Trial**, **Tower Bloxx New York Free Trial**, **Need for Speed Shift Free Trial**, **Tetris Trial**, **Crash Bandicoot Mutant Island Trial** and **Guitar Hero 5 Mobile Trial**.

9.3 Alarms

Select **Menu > Alarm** or **Menu > Organizer > Alarm** to set up alarms. You can set 5 alarms. The alarms can be one-time alarms or repeating ones.

To set an alarm, select an alarm and press **Edit**.

9.4 Tasks

View things you've got to do and add new tasks. Select **Menu > Organizer > Tasks**. Press **Add** to add new tasks.

9.5 World time

You need to set the date and time on the phone in order to use this function correctly. Select **Menu > Organizer > World time**. Press **Left/Right key** to change the city. Select **Options > Daylight saving time for foreign city** to turn on/off daylight saving time.

9.6 Calculator

Select **Menu > Organizer > Calculator** for simple calculation.

Notes: This calculator has limited accuracy. Rounding errors may occur especially in long division.

9.7 Stopwatch

Select **Menu > Organizer > Stopwatch**. You can choose Split timing or Lap timing.

9.8 Unit converter

Your phone comes with a unit converter to convert weights and lengths. Select **Menu > Organizer > Unit converter**.

9.9 Currency converter

Your phone comes with basic functions for currency conversions. Select **Menu > Organizer > Currency converter**.

Your mobile phone provides you with basic functions of currency conversion. Input the Rate, select **OK** and input a figure in the Local field, and then press **OK** to get the result.

9.10 Mass storage

Connect your phone to your PC using a USB cable. You can do this in two ways:

- When your phone is off, you can use it as a Mass Storage.
- When your phone is on, and the memory card is inserted, you can use the memory card as a Mass Storage instead of your phone.

10 Specifications

Model	Vodafone 553
Dimension	Approx. 108.6mmx 52.8mm x 14.9mm
Weight (with battery)	Approx. 119g
Bearer	GSM/GPRS/EDGE support
Camera sensor type	CMOS
Still image capture resolution	2M pixel
Removable memory card	Support microSD card with not more than 8GB capacity
Battery	900 mAh Li-ion battery
Standby time	500 hours (depending on network status)
Voice talk time	240 minutes (depending on network status)

11 Troubleshooting

This section describes how to troubleshoot some problems when they occur to your phone.

Why can't I turn on my phone as I press the End Key?

Either you didn't press the key longer than 2 seconds, or the phone has shut down because the battery power level is too low. Please recharge the battery.

What can I do as my phone displays "Enter PIN code" when it is switched on?

Input the PIN or input the new PIN if you have changed the code. The code can be set Off if you do not want to input.

What can I do as my phone displays "Unlock"?

Unlock the keypad. See "Keypad lock" in Section 1.5.

Why can't my phone make any sound alerts?

Check the current profile settings.

Why are some calls not processed?

Certain call barring function may have been set to restrict phone usage. Check the call barring status and cancel as necessary.

12 Product Safety Information

RF Exposure

Your phone contains a transmitter and a receiver. When it is ON, it receives and transmits RF energy. When you communicate with your phone, the system handling your call controls the power level at which your phone transmits.

Specific Absorption Rate (SAR)

Your mobile device is a radio transmitter and receiver. It is designed not to exceed the limits for exposure to radio waves recommended by international guidelines. These guidelines were developed by the independent scientific organisation ICNIRP and include safety margins designed to assure the protection of all persons, regardless of age and health.

The guidelines use a unit of measurement known as the Specific Absorption Rate, or SAR. The SAR limit for mobile devices is 2 W/kg and the highest SAR value for this device when tested at the head was 0.656 W/kg (900M), 0.721 W/kg (1800M) and when tested at the body was 0.683 W/kg (900M), 0.355 W/kg (1800M)*. As mobile devices offer a range of functions, they can be used in other positions, such as on the body as described in this user guide.

As SAR is measured utilising the device's highest transmitting power, the actual SAR of this device while operating is typically below that indicated above. This is due to automatic changes to the power level of the device to ensure it only uses the minimum power required to communicate with the network.

- The tests are carried out in accordance with **[EN 50360:2001]** **[EN 62311:2008]** **[EN 62209-1:2006]** and **[IEC 62209-2:2010]**.
- Please see next page about body worn operation.

Body worn operation

Important safety information regarding radiofrequency radiation (RF) exposure.

To ensure compliance with RF exposure guidelines the phone must be used with a minimum of 1.5 cm separation from the body.

Failure to observe these instructions could result in your RF exposure exceeding the relevant guideline limits

Limiting exposure to radio frequency (RF) fields

For individuals concerned about limiting their exposure to RF fields, the World Health Organisation (WHO) provides the following advice:

Precautionary measures: Present scientific information does not indicate the need for any special precautions for the use of mobile phones. If individuals are concerned, they might choose to limit their own or their children's RF exposure by limiting the length of calls, or using 'hands-free' devices to keep mobile phones away from the head and body.

Further information on this subject can be obtained from the WHO home page <http://www.who.int/peh-emf> WHO Fact sheet 193: June 2000.

Regulatory information

The declaration of RoHS compliance, EC declaration of conformity can be found on page 46 to page 49.

Distraction

Driving

Full attention must be given to driving at all times in order to reduce the risk of an accident. Using a phone while driving (even with a hands free kit) causes distraction and can lead to an accident. You must comply with local laws and regulations restricting the use of wireless devices while driving.

Operating machinery

Full attention must be given to operating the machinery in order to reduce the risk of an accident.

Product Handling

You alone are responsible for how you use your phone and any consequences of its use.

You must always switch off your phone wherever the use of a phone is prohibited. Use of your phone is subject to safety measures designed to protect users and their environment.

- Always treat your phone and its accessories with care and keep it in a clean and dust-free place.
- Do not expose your phone or its accessories to open flames or lit tobacco products.
- Do not expose your phone or its accessories to liquid, moisture or high humidity.
- Do not drop, throw or try to bend your phone or its accessories.
- Do not use harsh chemicals, cleaning solvents, or aerosols to clean the device or its accessories.
- Do not paint your phone or its accessories.
- Do not attempt to disassemble your phone or its accessories, only authorised personnel must do so.
- Do not expose your phone or its accessories to extreme temperatures.
- Please check local regulations for disposal of electronic products. Do not carry your phone in your back pocket as it could break when you sit down.

Small Children

Do not leave your phone and its accessories within the reach of small children or allow them to play with it.

They could hurt themselves or others, or could accidentally damage the phone.

Your phone contains small parts with sharp edges that may cause an injury or which could become detached and create a choking hazard.

Demagnetisation

To avoid the risk of demagnetisation, do not allow electronic devices or magnetic media close to your phone for a long time.

Electrostatic discharge (ESD)

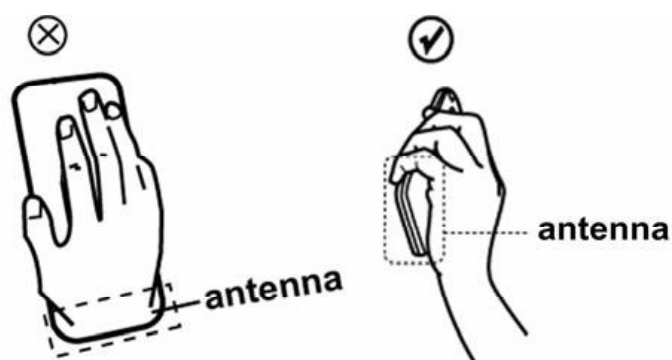
Do not touch the SIM card's metal connectors.

Power supply

Do not connect your device to the power supply or switch it on until instructed to do so in the installation instructions.

Antenna

Do not touch the antenna unnecessarily.



Normal use position

When placing or receiving a phone call, hold your phone to your ear, with the bottom towards your mouth or as you would a fixed line phone.



Air Bags

Do not place a phone in the area over an air bag or in the air bag deployment area.

Store the phone safely before driving your vehicle.

Repetitive Motion Injuries

To minimise the risk of RSI, when Texting or playing games with your phone:

- Do not grip the phone too tightly.
- Press the buttons lightly.
- Make use of the special features in the handset which minimise the number of buttons which have to be pressed, such as message templates and predictive text.
- Take lots of breaks to stretch and relax.

Emergency Calls

This phone, like any wireless phone, operates using radio signals, which cannot guarantee connection in all conditions. Therefore, you must never rely solely on any wireless phone for emergency communications.

Loud Noise

This phone is capable of producing loud noises which may damage your hearing.

MP3 and video player function

When listening to pre-recorded music or watching videos on your device, with headphones or earphones at high volumes, you run the risk of permanent damage to your hearing. Even if you are used to listening to music at a high volume and it seems acceptable to you, you still risk damaging your hearing. Reduce the sound volume to a reasonable level and avoid using headphones for an excessive period of time to avoid hearing damage.

Different headphones, earphones or ear buds may deliver a higher or lower volume, at the same volume setting on your device. Always start at a low volume setting.

Do not listen to music or video with headphones while driving.

Phone Heating

Your phone may become warm during charging and during normal use.

Electrical Safety

Accessories

Use only approved accessories.

Do not connect with incompatible products or accessories.

Take care not to touch or allow metal objects, such as coins or key rings, to contact or short-circuit the battery terminals.

Connection to a Car

Seek professional advice when connecting a phone interface to the vehicle electrical system.

Faulty and Damaged Products

Do not attempt to disassemble the phone or its accessory.

Only qualified personnel must service or repair the phone or its accessory.

If your phone or its accessory has been submerged in water, punctured, or subjected to a severe fall, do not use it until you have taken it to be checked at an authorised service centre.

Battery Handling & Safety

Always switch the device off and disconnect the charger before removing the battery.

Only use the battery and charger supplied, or manufacturer approved replacements intended for use with your phone. Using other batteries and chargers could be dangerous.

Do not disassemble or short-circuit the battery. Accidental short-circuiting can occur if a metallic object such as a key, paper clip, or pen touches the terminals of the battery.

Improper battery use may result in a fire, explosion, or other hazard. If you believe the battery has been damaged, do not use it, take it to a service centre for testing.

Interference

Care must be taken when using the phone in close proximity to personal medical devices, such as pacemakers and hearing aids.

Pacemakers

Pacemaker manufacturers recommend that a minimum separation of 15 cm be maintained between a mobile phone and a pacemaker to avoid potential interference with the pacemaker. To achieve this use the phone on the opposite ear to your pacemaker and do not carry it in a breast pocket.

Hearing Aids

People with hearing aids or other cochlear implants may experience interfering noises when using wireless devices or when one is nearby. The level of interference will depend on the type of hearing device and the distance from the interference source, increasing the separation between them may reduce the interference. You may also consult your hearing aid manufacturer to discuss alternatives.

Medical devices

Please consult your doctor and the device manufacturer to determine if operation of your phone may interfere with the operation of your medical device.

Hospitals

Switch off your wireless device when requested to do so in hospitals, clinics or health care facilities. These requests are designed to prevent possible interference with sensitive medical equipment.

Aircraft

Switch off your wireless device whenever you are instructed to do so by airport or airline staff.

Consult the airline staff about the use of wireless devices on board the aircraft, if your device offers a 'flight mode' this must be enabled prior to boarding an aircraft.

Interference in cars

Please note that because of possible interference to electronic equipment, some vehicle manufacturers forbid the use of mobile phones in their vehicles unless a handsfree kit with an external antenna is included in the installation.

Explosive environments

Petrol stations and explosive atmospheres

In locations with potentially explosive atmospheres, obey all posted signs to turn off wireless devices such as your phone or other radio equipment. Areas with potentially explosive atmospheres include fuelling areas, below decks on boats, fuel or chemical transfer or storage facilities, areas where the air contains chemicals or particles, such as grain, dust, or metal powders.

Blasting Caps and Areas

Turn off your mobile phone or wireless device when in a blasting area or in areas posted turn off “two-way radios” or “electronic devices” to avoid interfering with blasting operations.

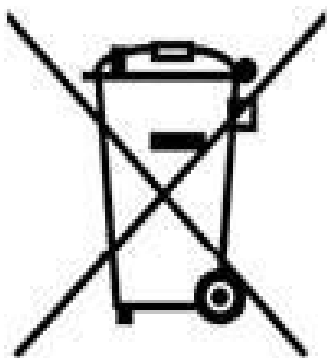
13 Attachment

Declaration of RoHS Compliance

To minimise the environmental impact and take more responsibility to the earth we live in, this document shall serve as formal declaration that the Vodafone 553 manufactured by ZTE CORPORATION is in compliance with the Directive 2002/95/EC of the European Parliament - RoHS (Restriction of Hazardous Substances) with respect to the following substances:

- (1) Lead (Pb)
 - (2) Mercury (Hg)
 - (3) Cadmium (Cd)
 - (4) Hexavalent Chromium (Cr (VI))
 - (5) Polybrominated biphenyls (PBB's)
 - (6) Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDE's) (Compliance is evidenced by written declaration from our suppliers, assuring that any potential trace contamination levels of the substances listed above are below the maximum level set by EU 2002/95/EC, or are exempt due to their application.)
- The Vodafone 553 manufactured by ZTE CORPORATION, meets the requirements of EU 2002/95/EC.

Disposal of your old appliance



1. When this crossed-out wheeled bin symbol is attached to a product it means the product is covered by the European Directive 2002/96/CE.
2. All electrical and electronic products should be disposed of separately from the municipal waste stream via designated collection facilities appointed by the government or the local authorities.
3. The correct disposal of your old appliance will help prevent potential negative consequences for the environment and human health.

For this product's Recycling Manual based on WEEE directive, please send an E-mail to weee@zte.com.cn, or visit the website below to download the document: <http://ensupport.zte.com.cn>

EC DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY C € 0700

It is hereby declared that following designated product:

Product Type: GSM Dual-band GPRS Digital Mobile Phone

Model No.: Vodafone 553

Complies with the essential protection requirements of the Radio and Telecommunication Terminal Equipment Directive (EC Directive 1999/05/EC).

This declaration applies to all specimens manufactured identical to the samples submitted for testing/evaluation.

Assessment of compliance of the product with the requirements relating to the Radio and Telecommunication Terminal Equipment Directive (EC Directive 1999/05/EC) was performed by Phoenix Testlab (Notified Body No. 0700), based on the following standards:

Safety	EN60950-1:2006+A11:2009
EMC	EN 301 489-1 V1.8.1 ; EN 301 489-7 V1.3.1 EN 301 489-17 V2.1.1
Radio	EN 301 511 V9.0.2; EN 300 328 V1.7.1
Health	EN 50360:2001; EN 50332-1:2000 EN 50332-2:2003; EN 62311:2008; EN 62209-1:2006 IEC 62209-2:2010

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Shenzhen, 8th Sep 2010

Place & date

Legally valid signature

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