Welcome

Congratulations on your purchase of the Uniden TRU548 cordless telephone and answering system. This phone is designed and engineered to exacting standards for reliability, long life, and outstanding performance utilizing the latest in 2.4 GHz Spread Spectrum technology.

Note: Some illustrations in this manual may differ from the actual unit for explanation purposes.

Features

- 2.4 GHz Spread Spectrum Technology
- Secure Digital Transmission
- Integrated Answering Device
- Caller ID and Call Waiting Caller ID
- Advanced Caller ID with Call Waiting Options
- 50 Number Caller ID Memory
- 20 Number Memory
- 3 Line, 16 Character Backlit Handset Display
- 3 Redial Memories (up to 32 digits)
- Flash and Pause
- Pulse / Tone Dialing
- 10 Day Standby Battery Life
- 6 Hour Talk Time
- Handset Earpiece and Ringer Volume Control
- Base Speakerphone
- 3-Way Conference Operation
- Bilingual Language, option
The TRU548 features include AutoTalk™ and AutoStandby™. AutoTalk allows you to answer a call by just removing the handset from the base so you don’t have to waste time pushing buttons or flipping switches. AutoStandby allows you to hang up by simply returning the handset to the base.

**Digital Spread Spectrum Technology** utilizes a “wider frequency band” vs. a “single narrow band” used in standard digital transmissions. The 2.4 GHz frequency range was recently released to commercial communications. The result is a more secure conversation with the clarity of digital sound, extended range, and minimal interference from other cordless phones.

To protect you against misbilled calls which might result from your phone being activated by other equipment, the TRU548 has Random Code™ digital security which automatically selects one of over 65,000 digital security codes for the handset and base. Also, the AutoSecure™ feature electronically locks your phone when the handset is in the base.

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CONTROLS AND FUNCTIONS [ 3 ]
Read This First

This cordless telephone must be set up before use. Follow these steps:

**Step 1 (page 5)**
Unpack the telephone and accessories.

**Step 2 (page 6)**
Next, choose the best location to set up the base unit.

**Step 3 (page 7 to 10)**
Then, insert the battery pack into the handset. You must charge the battery pack for **15-20 hours** before plugging into the phone line and using the phone.

**Step 4 (page 13 to 14)**
Finally, set the Caller ID options and store your area code in the memory to use the Caller ID service.

**Note:** Skip the area code setting if your calling area requires 10-digit dialing.

**About the digital security code**
This cordless telephone uses a digital security code to prevent unauthorized access to your base unit. This security code prevents other cordless handsets from making calls through your base unit.

A random security code will be assigned automatically between your base unit and handset when you charge the battery pack for the first time.

If you want to reset the security code, see page 47.
Checking the Package Contents

Make sure you have received the following items in the package. If any of these items are missing or damaged, contact the Uniden Parts Department (see below).

- Base unit
- Handset
- AC adapter (AD-313)
- Rechargeable battery pack (BT-800)
- Telephone line cord
- Beltclip
- Wall mount adapter

Also included:
- This Owner’s Manual
- Quick Reference Guide
- Registration Card

Uniden Parts Department
(800) 554-3988
Hours: M-F 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM CST.
We can also be reached on the web at www.uniden.com
Setting Up the Phone

Do the following steps:
A. Choose the best location  C. Connect the base unit
B. Install the battery pack  D. Choose the dialing mode

A. Choose the best location

Before choosing a location for your new phone, read the “Installation Considerations” included in the “Precaution & Warranty”. Here are some important guidelines you should consider:

- Avoid heat sources, such as radiators, air ducts, and sunlight
- Avoid television sets and other electronic equipment
- Avoid noise sources such as a window by a street with heavy traffic
- Avoid microwave ovens
- Avoid excessive moisture, extremely low temperatures, dust, mechanical vibration, or shock
- Avoid personal computers
- Avoid other cordless telephones
- Choose a central location

- The location should be close to both a phone jack and a continuous power outlet which is not switchable.
- Keep the base and handset away from sources of electrical noise such as motors and fluorescent lighting.
- Be sure there is sufficient space to raise the base antenna to a vertical position.
- The base can be placed on a desk, tabletop, or mounted on a standard wall plate.
B. Installing the Battery Pack

Charge the battery pack for at least 15-20 hours before plugging the telephone jack and start using your phone.

1 Press in on the battery cover release and slide the cover down until it comes off.

2 Connect the battery pack connector with the correct polarity (black and red wires) to the jack inside of the battery compartment.

Do not exert any force on this connection. It could cause damage to the battery or to the handset. The plastic connectors will fit together in only one way. Once you are certain that you have made a good connection, then insert the battery pack into the battery compartment. Do not pinch the wires.

3 Securely close the battery compartment cover by sliding it up until it snaps into place.

4 Place the handset on the base. Remove the beltclip, if attached, for face up charging.

Note: Use only the Uniden Battery (BT-800) supplied with your phone. Replacement batteries are also available through the Uniden Parts Department (See page 5).
Battery use time (per charge)
From fully charged
• 6 hours continuous use
• 10 days when the handset is in the standby mode

Low Battery Alert
When the battery pack is very low and needs to be charged, the phone is programmed to eliminate functions in order to save power. If the phone is not in use, “Low Battery” appears on the LCD and none of the keys will operate.

If the phone is in use, “Low Battery” flashes and the handset beeps. Complete your conversation as quickly as possible and return the handset to the base unit for charging.

Cleaning the Battery Charging Contacts
To maintain a good charge, it is important to clean the battery contacts on the handset and base unit with a dry cloth or a pencil eraser about once month. Do not use any liquids or solvents.
C. Connect the base unit

1. Connect the AC adapter to the **DC IN 9V** jack and to a standard 120V AC wall outlet.

2. Set the base on a desk or tabletop, and place the handset on the base unit as shown. Remove the beltclip, if attached, for face up charging. (See “Mounting the Base Unit on a Wall”, on page 11.)

3. Then raise the antenna to a vertical position.

4. Make sure that the **status** LED lights. If the LED does not light, check to see that the AC adapter is plugged in and that the handset makes good contact with the base charging contacts.

   - Use only the supplied AD-313 AC adapter. Do not use any other AC adapter.
   - Connect the AC adapter to a continuous power supply.
   - Place the base unit close to the AC outlet so that you can unplug the AC adapter easily.

   - After installing the battery pack in the handset, charge your handset **at least 15-20 hours before plugging into the phone line.** Once the handset battery pack is fully charged, connect the telephone line cord to the base and telephone wall outlet.

5. Connect the telephone line cord to the **TEL LINE** jack and to a telephone outlet once the handset is fully charged.

   - If your telephone outlet isn't modular, contact your telephone company for assistance.

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**note**

The handset can be placed up or face down in the base for charging.

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**note**

Place the power cord so that it does not create a trip hazard or where it could become chafed and create a fire or electrical hazard.
D. Choose the dialing mode

Most phone systems use tone dialing which sends DTMF tones through the phone lines. However some phone systems still use pulse dialing such as in rural areas. The default setting is tone dialing. Depending on your dialing system, set the mode as follows:

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- If you are not sure of your dialing system, set for tone dialing. Make a trial call. If the call connects, leave the setting as is, otherwise set for pulse dialing.
- If your phone system requires pulse dialing and you need to send the DTMF tones for certain situations during a call, you may “switch-over” to tone dialing. (Refer to “Tone Dialing Switch-over” on page 19.)
Mounting the base unit on a wall

**Setting the handset retainer clip for wall mounting**

1. On the base unit, pull the handset retainer out of the slot. Rotate it clockwise 180 degrees.
2. Flip the retainer from front to back. Slide it back into the slot so that the lip of the retainer is up and the oval is down. The retainer holds the handset in place.

**Standard wall plate mounting**

This phone can be mounted on any standard telephone wall plate.

1. Snap the wall mount adapter into the notches on the base.
2. Plug the AC adapter to the **DC IN 9V** jack. Route the AC adapter cord inside the molded wiring channel as shown.
3. Plug the AC adapter into a standard 120V AC wall outlet.
4. Plug the telephone line cord into the **TEL LINE** jack. Route the cord inside the molded wiring channel as shown.
5. Plug the telephone line cord into the telephone outlet.
6. Raise the antenna to a vertical position.
7. Align the mounting slots on the base with the mounting posts on the wall. Push in and down until the phone is firmly seated.

Do not use an outlet controlled by a wall switch.
Direct wall plate mounting

If you don't have a standard wall plate, you can mount your phone directly to the wall. Before doing this, consider the following:

- Avoid electrical cables, pipes, or other items behind the mounting location that could cause a hazard when inserting screws into the wall.
- Try to mount your phone within 10 - 15 feet of a working phone jack to avoid excessive cord lengths.
- Make sure the wall material is capable of supporting the weight of the base and handset.
- Use #10 screws (minimum length of 1-3/8 inches) with anchoring devices suitable for the wall material where the base unit will be placed.

1. Insert two mounting screws into the wall, (with their appropriate anchoring device), 1/8 inches apart. Allow about 3/16 of an inch between the wall and screwheads for mounting the phone.

2. Set the retainer clip if necessary.

3. Refer to steps 1 through 7 on page 11 to mount the telephone.
Setting Caller ID Options/Language

There are three Caller ID setup options available: AutoTalk, CIDCW (Caller ID on Call Waiting), and Area Code. (See page 14 for Area Code setup instructions.)

**AutoTalk™** allows you to answer the phone without pressing the \( \text{talk} \) button. If the phone rings when AutoTalk is on, simply remove the handset from the base and the phone automatically answers the call. Or if the handset is not on the base, press any key to answer the call. If the phone rings when AutoTalk is off, you must press \( \text{talk} \) to answer the call.

**Caller ID on Call Waiting (CIDCW)** performs the same as regular Caller ID on a call waiting number. Call waiting options allow you to handle call waiting calls in six different ways. (See page 36.)

You must subscribe to CIDCW from your local phone company in order to use this feature. The Call Waiting options are a separate service available through your phone company.

**Language** option can be used to choose the language of your display. You can select either English or French.

To change your Caller ID options/Language:

1. **Press** \( \text{options} \) in the standby mode.
   
   The following screen appears.

2. Use \( \text{select/channel} \) or a number key (1-3) to move the pointer to the selection that you would like to change.
   
   Press \( \text{select/channel} \) to toggle between “On” and “Off” for “Auto Talk”.
   
   For “CIDCW”, choose “On”, “Off”, or “Opt” depending upon the type of service to which you subscribe.

3. **To set up the language of your display, press** \( \text{select/channel} \) or the number key \( \text{4} \) to move the pointer to “Language”.
   
   Press \( \text{select/channel} \) to select “Eng” (English) or “Fr.” (French).

4. **After you have made your Caller ID selections, press** \( \text{options} \) and return the handset to the base.
Entering Your Area Code

If you enter a 3-digit area code number in the Area Code option, your local area code does not appear in Caller ID messages. Do not program this option, if your calling area requires 10-digit dialing.

When reviewing Caller ID messages, you will see only the local seven digit number. For calls received from outside your local area code, you will see a full 10-digit number.

1 When the phone is in the standby mode, press (options). The Caller ID setting screen appears.

2 Press (3) to select “Area Code” or press (1).

3 Press (select/channel).

4 Use the number keypad (0 to 9) to enter the 3-digit area code.

5 Press (select/channel). A tone sounds and the displayed area code is entered.

6 Press (options) to complete the setting or return the handset to the base. The handset returns to the standby mode.

When the area code has already been stored in memory, the stored area code will be displayed. To change it, use the (delete) and number keypad to enter the new area code. Then press (select/channel).

To complete the setting, press (options) or return the handset to the base unit.
Making and Receiving Calls

From the handset

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<td>1) Press talk. 2) Listen for the dial tone. 3) Dial the number. 4) Dial the number.</td>
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<td>1) Pick up the handset. 2) Dial the number, then press talk.</td>
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<td>To hang up</td>
<td>Press talk.</td>
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<td>Press talk, or return the handset to the base (AutoStandby).</td>
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The base microphone is located under the base. Position yourself as near to the base as possible and speak clearly.

From the base (Receiving Calls only)

1 The phone rings. The status LED on the base flashes.
2 Press \( \text{ } \) and begin speaking. The speaker LED lights.
3 To hang up, press \( \text{ } \).

Terminology

Throughout this manual, terms such as Standby and Talk Mode are used. Below is the terminology explanation.

- **Standby Mode** - The handset is not in use, off the base, and \( \text{Talk} \) has not been pressed. A dial tone is not present and the display is blank.
- **Talk Mode** - The handset is off the base and \( \text{Talk} \) has been pressed enabling a dial tone. “Talk” appears on the display.
Adjusting the Volume

**Handset ringer tone and volume**
Press \(<\) or \(\geq\) in standby mode to select one of four ringer tone and volume combinations.

**Earpiece volume**
Pressing \(<\) or \(\geq\) during a call will change the earpiece volume of the handset. This setting will remain in effect after the telephone call has ended.

- Volume Maximum — \(<\>\>\>
- Volume High — \(<\>\>\>
- Volume Medium — \(<\>\>\>
- Volume Low — \(<\>\>\>

**Note** When you press \(<\) in Maximum mode or \(\geq\) in Low mode, an error tone sounds.

**Ringer off**
During the standby mode or tone/volume setting, press and hold \(<\) until the phone beeps and "Ringer Off" appears.
To turn the ringer back on, simply press \(<\) or \(\geq\). "Ringer A High" appears.

**Base ringer switch**
This switch turns the base ringer on or off.

**Base speaker volume**
To control the speaker volume of the base, adjust the volume \(<\) and \(\geq\) as desired.
Redialing a Call

The last three phone numbers dialed can be quickly redialed.

Redialing from Standby Mode

From the Handset

1. Press (redialp).
   The phone number that was last dialed appears on the display.
2. Press (redialp) again.
   Each press of (redialp) will display one of the last three numbers dialed.
3. Press (talk). “Talk” appears on the display, then the volume setting is displayed.
4. The selected number is dialed. After about 5 seconds, the call-time display appears.
5. To hang up, press (talk) or place the handset on the base. The call-time will be displayed for about 5 seconds.
Redial from Talk Mode

1 Press \( \text{Talk} \). “Talk” and the volume setting appears on the display.

\[ \text{Talk} \]

**note** If you set the ringer to off, “<Ringer Off>” appears on the display.

2 Press \( \text{Redial/P} \). The last number dialed will be displayed and redialed.

3 To hang up, press \( \text{Talk} \) or place the handset on the base. The call-time will be displayed for about 5 seconds.

Tone Dialing Switch-over

Some telephone companies use equipment that require pulse dialing (sometimes referred to as rotary dialing). If you need to enter tone dialing digits, you can switch-over to tone dialing during the call. An example of this could be entering your bank account number after you have called your bank. The digits of your bank account can be sent using DTMF tones. Initially make your call with the pulse dialing mode. Once your call connects, press \( \#/	ext{tone} \). Enter the desired number (like in the example above, the bank account number). These digits will be sent as tone dialing. This special number can be stored in a memory location. This is referred to as Chain Dialing (See page 27). Once the call ends, the tone mode is canceled and pulse dialing mode resumes.

• Only the last number dialed can be accessed after \( \text{Talk} \) has been pressed.

• The tone feature only applies when the dial mode is set to pulse.
Traveling Out-of-Range

During a call, as you begin to move your handset too far from your base unit, noise increases. If you pass the range limits of the base unit, your call will terminate within 30 seconds.

Selecting a Different Channel

If you encounter interference while using your phone, you can manually change the phone’s channel for clear operation. Interference can come from appliances or other phones in your home. This function works only when the phone is in use.

During the course of a conversation, if you hear static or noise which makes it difficult to hear, press `select/channel`. “Scanning” appears on the display, indicating the phone is changing to another channel. For more information on interference, refer to “Technical Information” on page 53.

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To locate the handset

1. Press `0` on the base.
2. The handset beeps for 60 seconds. The following screen appears:

   ![Page Screen](image)

3. Press any key on the handset or `0` on the base, or return the handset to the base to end the page.
3-way Conferencing
The Uniden TRU548 permits 3-way conversations between the handset, base, and on outside lines.

When speaking on the base
1. Press \( \mathbf{s} \) on the base to join the 3-way conversation.
2. To hang up, press \( \mathbf{s} \) on the base. The handset will still be connected to the call.

When speaking on the handset
1. Press \( \mathbf{t} \) on the handset to join the 3-way conversation.
2. To hang up, return the handset to the base, or press \( \mathbf{t} \) on the handset. The base will still be connected to the call.

Flash and Call Waiting
If you have “Call Waiting” service and a call waiting tone sounds while you are on a call, press \( \mathbf{f} \) to accept the waiting call. There is a short pause, then you will hear the new caller. To return to the original caller, press \( \mathbf{f} \) again.

- You must subscribe through your local telephone company to receive Call Waiting Service.
- You must set the CIDCW to “on” in the Caller ID set up options (see page 13).
Storing Phone Numbers and Names

Memory Dialing allows you to dial a number using just a few key presses. Your TRU548 stores up to 20 names/numbers in the handset.

With the Handset

1. Press and hold (memory) until “Memory Store” is displayed.

2. Press ▲ or ▼ or enter a two-digit number (01 - 20) to select the memory location where you would like to store the number.

3. Press (select/channel). The following screen appears and a cursor flashes indicating that the display is ready for the name to be entered.

   If this screen appears, the selected memory location is already stored. Then you must either change the entry in this location, clear the entry in this location, or select “Go Back” to choose another location.

4. Use number keys, #, *, and delete to enter the name. The name cannot exceed 13 characters.

   • See the “Steps for entering names and special characters” (See pages 24-25).
   • Use # and */tone to move the cursor to the desired location.
   • Use delete to delete characters as needed.
   • Press and hold delete to delete all the characters.
   • If a name is not required, go to step 5.
5 Press (select/channel). "Store Number" is displayed.
The cursor flashes indicating that the display is ready
for the number to be entered.

6 Use the number keypad to enter the phone number.
The phone number cannot exceed 20 digits.
• Use (redial/p) to enter pause in the dialing sequence.
The display shows a "P". Each pause counts as one
digit and represents a two second delay of time
between the digits.
• Use (delete) to delete digits as needed.

7 Press (select/channel). The handset beeps and displays the
confirmation screen. Memory storage is complete.
For example, if you store a name and number into
memory location number 07, the display shows
"Memory07 Stored".
After about 2 seconds, "Memory Store" is displayed.

8 Press (memory) to return to standby mode.

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**Note**

• The pause feature
  is useful for long
distance calling, credit
  card dialing, or
  sequences that require
  a pause between digits.

• The pause key counts
  as one digit. Pressing
  (redial/p) more than
  once increases the
  length of pause
  between numbers.

• The 20 memory
  locations are
  represented by the
  numbers 01-20 on the
  keys. If you store a
  number in one of
  locations, then attempt
to store a different
  number in the same
  location later, the new
  number will overwrite
  the previous one.
Steps for Entering Names and Special Characters

Refer to the letters on the number keys to select the desired characters. With each press of a numeric key, the displayed character appears in the following order: Upper case letters first, lower case letters next and finally the number corresponding to the key.

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If you make a mistake while entering a name

Use (#/tone) or (tone) to move the cursor to the incorrect character. Press (delete) to erase the wrong character, then enter the correct character. To delete all characters, press and hold (delete).
For example, to enter Uniden:

1. Pick up the handset and press and hold \textit{memory}.
2. Enter a number or press \textbullet, \textbullet to select a memory location number.
3. Press \textit{select/channel}.
4. Press \textbullet twice.
5. Press \textbullet five times.
6. Press \textbullet six times.
7. Press \textbullet four times, then press \textbullet to move the cursor to the right.

\textbf{Note}\ If the next character uses the same number key, you must press \textbullet to move the cursor over. Otherwise the next time you press the number key, it changes the character that was previously set.

8. Press \textbullet five times.
9. Press \textbullet five times.
10. When finished, Press \textit{select/channel}.

To continue to store the telephone number, proceed to step 6 on page 23.
Making Calls with Memory Dialing

Memory dialing from Standby Mode

1. Press (memory).
   The handset displays your programmed memory locations.

2. Press ( and ( or enter a two-digit number (01-20) to select the memory location you would like to dial.

3. Press (talk). “Talk” and the volume setting appear on the display. Then the displayed number is dialed.

Display a Programmed Number

Use ( and (tone) to toggle between the names display and the numbers display.

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<tr>
<th>Program name</th>
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<tr>
<td>01 UNIDEN CORP</td>
<td>01 8002971023</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>02 JOHN DOE</td>
<td>02 54529300</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>03 MOM AND DAD</td>
<td>03 8175551212</td>
</tr>
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</table>

note

When the stored phone number has 14 or more digits, “” is displayed next to the 12th digit. Press ( and (tone) to see the extra digits and (tone) to return.
Memory dialing from Talk Mode


   If you set the ringer to off, “<Ringer Off>” appears on the display.

2. Press (memory).

3. Enter a two-digit number (01 - 20) to select the memory location of the desired phone number. The selected phone number is displayed. Then the number is dialed.

4. To hang up, press (talk).

Chain Dialing

The 20 memory locations on the handset are not limited to phone numbers. You may want to store in memory a group of numbers (up to 20 digits) that you need to enter once your call connects. This is referred to as Chain Dialing. An example of this is a bank account number. Once you have called your bank, when you are prompted to enter the account number, simply press (memory) and then the location where the special number has been stored.

Store your special number with identifying name in memory as you would a phone number (Refer to “Storing Phone Numbers and Names” on page 22). Enter a pause as necessary in the sequence.

A pause counts as one digit and represents a two second delay in time between digits as they are sent.

Note

If you select a memory location that does not have a stored number, the handset will beep rapidly and the phone will not dial.
Editing a Stored Name and/or Phone Number

1 Press and hold \textit{memory} until "Memory Store" is displayed.

2 Press \( \uparrow \) and \( \downarrow \) or enter a two-digit number (01 - 20) to select the memory location you would like to edit.

3 Press \( \text{select/channel} \). The following screen appears with the memory location number that you have selected in the display.

4 Press \( \uparrow \) or \( \downarrow \) to select "Edit Memory", then press \( \text{select/channel} \). The following screen appears. The cursor flashes indicating that the display is ready for the name to be edited. When a name has not been stored, the cursor appears at the beginning of the second line.

5 Use the number keypad, \( * \), \( # \), \( */tone \), or \( \text{delete} \) to edit the name. To edit only the phone number, skip this step.

6 Press \( \text{select/channel} \). The following screen appears. The cursor flashes indicating that the display is ready for the number to be edited.

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7 Use the number keypad, (redial/p) or (delete) to edit the phone number. The phone number cannot exceed 20 digits (See page 23). If you don’t want to change the phone number, skip this step.

8 Press (select/channel). The handset beeps and displays the confirmation screen. The memory storage is complete. For example, if you store a name and number into memory location number 01, the display shows “Memory01 Stored”. After about 2 seconds, “Memory Store” is displayed.

9 Press (memory) to return to standby mode.
Erasing a Stored Name and Phone Number

1. Press and hold \text{memory} until “Memory Store” is displayed.

2. Press \text{A} and \text{Y} or enter a two-digit number (01 - 20) to select the memory location you would like to erase.

3. Press \text{select/channel}. The following screen appears with the memory location number that you have selected in the display.

4. Press \text{Y} to move the pointer down to “Delete Memory” command line.

5. Press \text{select/channel}. The following confirmation screen appears.

6. Press \text{A} to move the pointer to “Yes”.

7. Press \text{select/channel} or \text{delete}. There is a confirmation tone and the entry is deleted. The following screen appears.

8. After a few seconds the display returns to the “Memory Store” screen. You may select another number to erase (return to step 2) or press \text{memory} to return to standby.
Caller ID

**You must subscribe to Caller ID service to use this feature.**

When the telephone rings, the Caller ID feature allows you to view the caller’s name and phone number on the display before you answer the phone. The handset displays the incoming call phone number, name, time, and the number of calls. Additionally, you can dial the displayed number and store the information for memory dialing. Make sure you have turned on the Caller ID/Call Waiting feature (See page 13).

**When the Telephone Rings**

1. When the Caller ID message is received, the display shows the caller’s name and phone number. The incoming call information is stored in the Caller ID record. If the Caller ID service includes the caller’s name, the caller’s name appears on the display (up to 15 letters).

Here are some typical displays;

- **When the phone number and name data are received**
  - **Incoming Call**
  - **UNIDEN CORP**
  - **800-297-1023**

- **When invalid data is received**
  - **Incoming Call**
  - **Incomplete Data**

- **When a private name is received**
  - **Incoming Call**
  - **Private Name**
  - **800-297-1023**

- **When a private number is received**
  - **Incoming Call**
  - **UNIDEN CORP**
  - **Private Number**

*note*

- If you answer a call before the Caller ID message is received (Example: before the second ring), the Caller ID message will not appear.
- When the call is received via a telephone company that does not offer Caller ID service, the caller’s phone number and name do not appear. (This includes international calls.)
- When the call is via a private branch exchange (PBX), the caller’s phone number and name may not appear.
CALLER ID FEATURES

Viewing the Caller ID Message List

The Caller ID list stores information for up to 50 incoming calls - even unanswered calls.

1. Press \( \text{cid} \) in the Standby mode.
   - The summary screen appears.
   - The screen shows the number of new messages and total messages.

2. Press \( \text{\char 30} \) to display the latest Caller ID message.

3. Press \( \text{\char 30} \) to see the next message. Or press \( \text{\char 31} \) to see previous message.

4. Press \( \text{cid} \) to return to standby.

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Deleting Information from the Caller ID List

The TRU548 stores up to 50 messages. If the phone receives the 51st message, the oldest one in the list is automatically deleted. Caller ID data can also be deleted manually.

Deleting a Caller ID message

1. Press \textit{\texttt{cid}}. Display the message to be deleted from the Caller ID list by pressing \( \texttt{\Delta} \) or \( \texttt{\n} \).

2. Press \textit{\texttt{delete}}.

3. Press \( \texttt{\Delta} \) or \( \texttt{\n} \) to select \textit{\texttt{Yes}} or \textit{\texttt{No}}.

4. Press \textit{\texttt{select/channel}} or \textit{\texttt{delete}}.

   \textbf{When the pointer is at “Yes”:}  
   A tone sounds and the Caller ID message is deleted. The Caller ID message is then displayed.

   \textbf{When the pointer is at “No”:}  
   The display returns to the Caller ID message.

Deleting all Caller ID names/numbers

1. Press \textit{\texttt{cid}}.

2. Press \textit{\texttt{delete}}.

\begin{itemize}
  \item While using the “Delete All?” or “Delete Message?” screen, if no key is pressed within 20 seconds, an error tone sounds and the telephone returns to standby.
  \item If you get an incoming call or page, the deleting operation is canceled and the telephone returns to Standby so you can answer the call or page.
\end{itemize}
CALLER ID FEATURES

You cannot make a call from the Caller ID list if your TRU548 is connected to a private branch exchange (PBX).

When a long distance call has been set, "1" appears in the display.

Using the Caller ID List

Calling a party from the Caller ID list
You can place a call from the Caller ID list. The TRU548 stores up to 50 messages.

1. Press \textcolor{red}{\textit{edit}}. Select the phone number that you want to dial by pressing \textcolor{red}{\textit{up}} or \textcolor{red}{\textit{down}}.
2. Press \textcolor{red}{\textit{talk}}. The displayed phone number dials automatically.

Long Distance calls and Area Code Setting/Cancellation
Pressing 1 while the incoming Caller ID information is displayed (in step 1) will place the prefix "1" in the display to set up for a long distance call. Pressing 2 will set or cancel an area code setting.

Dial edit
You can temporarily edit the Caller ID number that is displayed by pressing \textcolor{red}{\textit{select/channel}}. A cursor appears in the display. Press \textcolor{red}{\textit{delete}} to move the cursor left, make your changes, and then press \textcolor{red}{\textit{talk}}. This will not change the number in the Caller ID list memory. If you want to save this new number, store the information in memory (See page 35).

\begin{itemize}
  \item 3 Press \textcolor{red}{\textit{up}} or \textcolor{red}{\textit{down}} to select "Yes" or "No".
  \item 4 Press \textcolor{red}{\textit{select/channel}} or \textcolor{red}{\textit{delete}}.
    
    \textbf{When the pointer is at "Yes":}
    A tone sounds and all stored Caller ID messages are deleted.
    
    \textbf{When the pointer is at "No":}
    The display returns to the summary screen.
\end{itemize}
Storing Caller ID messages in Memory dialing

Messages shown in the Caller ID list can be stored in memory dialing. Using the incoming call information (i.e., Caller ID list), the phone number of the party on the Caller ID list can be stored in memory dialing.

1. Press \textit{cid}.
   Select the phone number to be stored from the Caller ID list by pressing \texttt{A} or \texttt{B}.

2. Press \textit{memory}.

3. Press \texttt{A} and \texttt{B} or enter a two-digit number (01 - 20) to select the memory location to be stored.

4. Press \textit{select/channel}.
   A tone will sound. The number is stored in memory, and the display returns to the Caller ID list.

If a message has already been stored in the selected memory number location, a confirmation screen is displayed. Press \texttt{A} to select “Yes”. Press \textit{select/channel} to overwrite. The display returns to the Caller ID list.

• You cannot store a Caller ID message if no phone number appears in the message.
• If there is an incoming call or page, memory storage is canceled and the telephone is set to receive the incoming call or page.
Call Waiting Features

Your TRU548 gives you new options for call waiting. At the touch of a button, you can ask the caller to hold or conference them into your current call. You may be required to subscribe to call waiting and call waiting options to use these features. Not all features are available in all areas. Check with your local telephone company for details.

1 When you receive a call waiting call, press options for a list of options.

2 Press the ▲ or ▼ key or number keys to select an option.


Your TRU548 is pre-programmed with six call waiting options. You may select to ask the calling party to hold, send them a busy message, or conference them into the current call. You may also select to answer and drop the first caller or, at any time, choose to drop the first or drop the last caller.

Check with your local telephone company for a full list of options.
The Integrated Answering Device

The TRU548 has a built-in answering system that answers and records incoming calls. You can also use your answering system to record a conversation, leave a voice memo message for others who use the phone, or to announce a special message to callers when you’re away from your phone.

Features

- Digital Tapeless Recording
- 15 Minutes of Recording Time
- Selective Greetings (Outgoing Messages)
- Message Received Time and Day Announcement
- Remote Message Retrieval and Room Monitor
- Toll Saver
- Conversation Recording

Digital Tapeless Recording allows you to quickly review, save or delete the messages. You’ll never have to worry about a tape wearing out, jamming, or resetting improperly.

The Integrated Answering System is easy and convenient to use, but please read through all of the instructions carefully.
Turning the answering system on/off

1 To turn the answering system on, press \( \text{⑥} \). The current greeting message will be played and you will hear a tone. The message counter displays the number of messages stored in memory. If the display flashes, then there are new messages waiting for you.

2 To turn the answering system off, press \( \text{⑥} \) again. After the announcement “Answer Off” the message counter display goes out.

- Press and hold \( \text{⑤} \) or \( \text{②} \) to quickly scroll through numbers on the display.
- If you don’t complete the clock setting within two minutes, the system returns to standby.
- You must press a key within 2 minutes or the phone returns to standby.

When the answering system is full, \( \text{F} \) displays on the base and the system announces “No remaining time”. You should delete some messages so that the system can record new messages.

Setting Up Your Answering System

**Setting the clock**

The clock on TRU548 answering system starts when power is supplied to the base. Follow these steps to set the clock to the correct time.

1 Press and hold \( \text{clock set} \) until a tone sounds.

2 Press \( \text{③} \) or \( \text{④} \) repeatedly until the correct day of the week is announced. (Number 0 through 6 displays on the base as each day is announced.) Press \( \text{clock set} \) again to select the day.

3 Press \( \text{③} \) or \( \text{④} \) repeatedly until you hear the correct hour setting. Numbers 1 through 12 display on the base as each hour is announced. Press \( \text{clock set} \) again to select the correct hour.

4 Press \( \text{③} \) or \( \text{④} \) repeatedly until you hear the correct minute setting. Numbers 0 through 59 display on the base as each minute is announced. Press \( \text{clock set} \) again to select the correct minute.
5 The LED displays $\text{AM}$ or $\text{PM}$. Press $\uparrow$ or $\downarrow$ until you hear the correct AM/PM setting.

6 Press $\text{clock set}$ again to end the time/day setting. The TRU548 announces the day and time that you have set.

**Setting your greeting**

When you receive a call, the answering system automatically plays either a prerecorded message or your own greeting.

- **Preset Message**

  The following message is prerecorded: "Hello, no one is available to take your call. Please leave a message after the tone."

- **Recording a personal outgoing message (Greeting)**

  1) Press and hold $\text{greeting}$ until you hear a tone. Start recording your message immediately after you hear the tone end.

  2) When you finish recording your message, press $\text{greeting}$ or $\text{stop/erase}$. A tone sounds and your message plays back on the phone.

- **Choosing between the two outgoing messages**

  1) Press $\text{greeting}$ to play the outgoing message.

  2) Press $\text{greeting}$ again while the message is playing. This switches between the two options.

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**note**

- You can record a greeting up to 30 seconds.
- Position yourself as near to the base as possible and speak clearly when recording your outgoing message.
Selecting the message record time

You can set your answering system to record messages up to one or four minutes long.

One minute option: move the REC TIME switch to 1.
Four minute option: move the REC TIME switch to 4.

Announce only feature:
The announce only feature plays an outgoing message, but it will not allow the caller to leave a message. Move the REC TIME switch to the ANN position.
The message counter LED displays “R” when the system is on standby.
Prerecorded outgoing message for Announce only feature is:
For example: “Hello, no one is available to take your call.” (twice)

Selecting a PIN code

To play your messages from a remote location, you will need to enter a two-digit Personal Identification Number (PIN) code (00-99). To select a PIN, perform the following steps.

1. On the base, press and hold (pin set) until a tone sounds and the LED displays 📡.

2. To set the first number, press (↑ or ↓) repeatedly to scroll from 0 to 9. When the desired number appears in the display, press (pin set).

3. To set the second number, press (↑ or ↓) to scroll from 0 to 9. When the desired number appears in the display, press (pin set). Then the entered PIN code is announced.
Setting ring time switch
The ring time/toll saver switch allows you to set the number of rings the caller hears before the answering system plays the outgoing message. You can set the switch to answer after two rings or after four rings. Once the greeting has started, you can stop it when you pick up the call at the handset or base. In the TS (Toll Saver) position, the answering system picks up after two rings if you have new messages, and after four rings if there are none. This way, if you make a long distance call to check your messages, you can hang up after the second ring to avoid billing charges.
Using Your Answering System

Playing your messages

The base LED display shows the number of total messages. If the display is blinking, then there are new messages waiting for you. The TRU548 is designed to play your new messages first. After you play your new messages you can then play your old messages.

1 Press PLAY. The system announces the number of new and old messages, then the incoming messages are played. The time and day each message was received is announced after the message is played.

2 When all new messages have played, a tone is heard. The message counter LED stops flashing to indicate that all of the new messages have been reviewed.

3 After you have reviewed all your new messages, you can play your old messages. Press PLAY and follow the instructions above.

Repeating a message

1 Press . to review your message. The number of stored messages is announced.

2 After a message has played for more than two seconds, (four seconds for remote access) press to repeat the message. If you press before two seconds (four seconds for remote access) the system repeats the previous message.

3 Press at any time to stop reviewing messages and return to standby.

To stop playing your messages, press PLAY again.

If you have several messages, press and hold until you return to the message you want to replay.
Skipping a message
1. Press \( \) to review your messages. The number of messages is announced.
2. Press \( \) at anytime to skip to the next message.
3. Press \( \) at any time to stop reviewing your messages and return to standby.

Deleting a message
\( \text{Deleting an individual message} \)
1. Press \( \) to review your message.
2. If you decide to delete a message, press \( \) anytime during the message. The system beeps and immediately goes to the next message.

\( \text{Deleting all messages} \)
Press and hold \( \) while the system is in standby. A tone sounds when all messages are deleted. If there are any messages you have not reviewed, you cannot delete all messages at once. An error tone occurs.

note
- Each time \( \) is pressed, the system scans forward one message.
- If you have several messages, press and hold \( \) to find the message you want to play.
- When you press \( \), you are permanently deleting the message. The message cannot be replayed.
Voice memo

The voice memo function allows the user to record a message (up to 10 minutes) on the base.

1 Press and hold (voice memo) until you hear a tone. The message counter LED blinks.

2 Speak into the microphone.

3 When you have finished, press (voice memo) or (stop) to stop recording. The system returns to standby.

4 To play voice memo, press (play).

Recording a conversation

You can record up to 10 minutes of conversation while you are making your call from the handset.

1 During the conversation from the handset, press and hold (voice memo) on the base. The unit begins recording and the LED blinks. Both parties can hear tones every 15 seconds.

2 To stop the recording, press (voice memo), (stop) or (talk), or return the handset to the base.

You cannot record a conversation while you are speaking on the base.
Remote access away from home

You can operate your answering system from a remote location using any touch-tone telephone. Use this function to check for recorded messages, to play or delete messages, to record a new outgoing message, and to monitor sounds in the room.

1 Call your telephone number.
2 While the greeting message is played, press # and your PIN code within 2 seconds.
   If the answering system is off, let it ring 10 times. The tone sounds. Then, press # and your PIN code within 2 seconds.
3 The answering system announces the time and day and the number of messages stored in memory. Then the message playback automatically begins.
4 You may continue to listen to your message, or you may select a command from the following chart.

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<td># then 5</td>
<td>Stop message playback</td>
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<td># then 6</td>
<td>Answering system on</td>
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<td># then 7</td>
<td>Voice memo record/stop (up to 4 minutes recording time)</td>
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<td># then 8</td>
<td>Greeting message record/stop</td>
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<td># then 9</td>
<td>Answer system off</td>
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<tr>
<td># then *</td>
<td>Room monitor</td>
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5 After all of your messages have played, or the playback time exceeds 4 minutes, you will hear intermittent beeps indicating that the system is in the command waiting mode. You may enter another command at this time from the chart above.

Note:
- During the remote operation, \( \text{RC} \) displays on the base.
- You must enter a command within 15 seconds of entering command waiting mode. Otherwise the answering system automatically hangs up and returns to standby.
- The system will only playback messages for four minutes and then it returns to command waiting mode. To continue playing your message, press # then 2 again within 15 seconds.
When you finish, hang up to exit the system. The answering system automatically returns to standby.

Remote room monitor
You can call your answering system from any touch-tone phone and monitor sounds in the room where your base is installed.

1 Call your telephone number.
2 While the greeting message is playing, press # and your PIN code.
3 The answering system begins announcing the time and day.
4 Press # then 5 to stop the messages.
5 Press # then *. You hear sounds in the room where your phone is installed. After 15 seconds, the answering system returns to the command waiting mode.
6 Press # then * to monitor the room for another 15 seconds. Or select another remote function. Or hang up to exit the system. The answering system automatically returns to standby.

Turn on the answering machine remotely
If you have forgotten to turn on your answering machine, you can turn it on remotely from any touch-tone telephone.

1 Call your telephone number.
2 Wait ten rings until the machine answers.
3 Press # and enter your PIN code within 2 seconds. The answering system begins to announce the time and day.
4 Press # then 6 to turn the answering system on.
5 Hang up the phone and subsequent calls will be answered by the machine.
Changing the Digital Security Code

The digital security code is an identification code used to connect the handset and the base unit. Normally, setting the code is not necessary. The first time you charge your handset, the security code is automatically set (See page 4).

In the rare situation that you suspect another cordless telephone is using the same security code, you can change the code.

1. Remove the handset from the base unit.
   Press and hold on the base.

2. While the handset is emitting the paging sound, replace the handset to the base unit. Release the . The paging tone stops.
   Leave the handset on the base for more than 3 seconds. A random, new security code is set.
Installing the Beltclip

*To attach the beltclip*
Insert the beltclip into the holes on each side of the handset. Press down until it clicks.

*To remove the beltclip*
Pull both sides of the beltclip to release the tabs from the holes.

Headset Installation

Your phone may be used with an optional headset, the Uniden HS910. To use this feature, insert headset plug into the headset jack. Your phone is ready for hands-free conversations.

(Headset may be purchased by calling the Uniden Parts Department or visiting the website. See Page 5.)
Note on Power Sources

Battery replacement and handling
When the operating time becomes short, even after a battery is recharged, please replace the battery. With normal usage, your battery should last about one year. Please contact your place of purchase or the Uniden Parts Department for a replacement battery.

Power Failure
During the period that the power is off, you will not be able to make or receive calls with the telephone.

Caution
- Use the specified battery pack.
- Do not remove the battery from the handset to charge it.
- Never throw the battery into a fire, disassemble it, or heat it.
- Do not remove or damage the battery casing.

Maintenance

When slightly dirty
Wipe with a soft, dry cloth.

When very dirty
Wipe with a soft cloth that has been dampened with diluted, neutral detergent. Dry with a dry cloth.

When the charging terminals become dirty
Wipe with a dry cloth or a pencil eraser, if necessary.

Caution
Do not use paint thinner, benzene, alcohol, or other chemical products. Doing so may discolor the surface of the telephone and damage the finish.

RECYCLING NICKEL-CADMIUM BATTERIES

Nickel-cadmium cells are used in the battery pack. Please take your used nickel-cadmium battery packs to a store that recycles nickel-cadmium batteries.
## Troubleshooting

If your phone is not performing to your expectations, please try these simple steps first.

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<td>The status LED won’t light when the handset is placed in the base unit.</td>
<td>• Make sure the AC adapter is plugged into the base unit and wall outlet. • Make sure the handset is properly seated in the base unit. • Make sure the charging contacts on the handset and base unit are clean.</td>
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<td>The audio sounds weak and/or scratchy.</td>
<td>• Press select/channel during a call to help eliminate background noise. • Make sure that the base unit antenna is in a vertical position. • Move the handset and/or base unit to a different location away from metal objects or appliances and try again. • Make sure that you are not too far from the base.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Can’t make or receive calls.</td>
<td>• Check both ends of the base unit telephone line cord. • Make sure the AC adapter is plugged into the base unit and wall outlet. • Disconnect the AC adapter for a few minutes, then reconnect it. • Reset the digital security code (See page 47). • Make sure talk is pressed.</td>
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<tr>
<td>The handset doesn’t ring or receive a page.</td>
<td>• The battery pack may be weak. Charge the battery on the base unit for 15-20 hours. • The handset may be too far away from the base unit. • Place the base unit away from appliances or metal objects. • Reset the digital security code (See page 47). • Make sure that Ringer Volume is not set to Ringer Off.</td>
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<td>The Caller ID/CIDCW does not display.</td>
<td>• The handset was picked up before the second ring. • The call was placed through a switch board. • Call your local telephone company to verify your Caller ID service is current. • Charge the handset. • Make sure that “CIDCW” is not set to “Off.”</td>
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<td>• The memory may be full. Delete some or all of the saved messages.</td>
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<td>After a power failure, the outgoing message is deleted.</td>
<td>• Record your greeting again.</td>
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<td>• The default message should remain.</td>
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<td>No sound on the base unit speaker during call monitoring or message playback.</td>
<td>• Adjust the speaker volume on the base unit.</td>
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<td>Cannot access remote call-in features from another touch-tone phone.</td>
<td>• Make sure you are using the correct PIN number.</td>
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<td>• Make sure that the touch-tone phone you’re using can transmit the tone for at least two seconds. If it cannot, you may have to use another phone to access your message.</td>
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<td>Severe noise interference.</td>
<td>• Keep the handset away from microwave ovens, computers, remote control toys, wireless microphones, alarm systems, intercoms, room monitors, fluorescent lights and electrical appliances.</td>
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<td>• Move to another location or turn off the source of interference.</td>
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<td>If you still have a problem.</td>
<td>• Call our customer hotline at 1-800-297-1023</td>
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General Information

The TRU548 complies with FCC Parts 15 and 68.
Operating Temperature: 0°C to +50°C (+32°F to +122°F)

AC Adapter Information
AC Adapter part number: AD-313
Input Voltage: 120V AC 60Hz
Output Voltage: 9V DC 400 mA

Battery Information
Battery part number: BT-800
Capacity: 800 mAH, 3.6V
Battery Use Time (per charge)
From fully charged:
  Talk Mode duration 6 hours
  Standby Mode duration 10 days

If the handset is left off of the base, the actual Talk Mode duration will be reduced respective to the amount of time the handset is off the base.

Recharge your phone on a regular basis about once a week by placing the handset on the base for 15-20 hours. When the operating time becomes short, even after the battery is recharged, please replace the battery. With normal usage, the battery should last about one year.

Replacement batteries may be purchased at your local Uniden dealer or by contacting the Uniden Parts Department (800) 554-3988. Hours are from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Central Time, Monday through Friday.
We can also be reached on the web at www.uniden.com

Specifications, features, and availability of optional accessories are all subject to change without prior notice.

[ 52 ] ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Technical Information

The FCC wants you to know!
Changes or modifications to this product not expressly approved by Uniden, or operation of this product in any way other than as detailed by the owner's manual, could void your authority to operate this product. The equipment cannot be used on public coin phone service provided by the telephone company. Connection to party line service is subject to state tariffs. (Contact the state public utility commission, public service commission or corporation commission for information.)

Below is some information that might concern you while using your new phone.

Range
Your new phone is designed to achieve the maximum possible range by transmitting and receiving according to the highest specifications set forth by the FCC. We have rated this phone to operate at a maximum distance with the qualification that the range depends upon the environment in which the telephone is used. Many factors limit range, and it would be impossible to include all the variables in our rating. The Maximum Range rating of this phone is meant to be used as a means of comparison against other range claims.

Telephone Line Problems
The FCC has granted the telephone company the right to disconnect service in the event that your phone causes problems on the telephone line. Also, the telephone company may make changes in facilities and services which may affect the operation of your unit. However, your telephone company must give adequate notice in writing prior to such actions to allow you time for making necessary arrangements to continue uninterrupted service.

If you are having trouble with your telephone service, you must first disconnect your phone to determine if it is the cause of your problem. If you determine that it is the cause, you must leave it disconnected until the trouble has been corrected.

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Radio interference may occasionally cause buzzing and humming in your cordless handset, or clicking noises in the base. This interference is caused by external sources such as TV, refrigerator, vacuum cleaner, fluorescent lighting, or electrical storm. Your unit is NOT DEFECTIVE. If these noises continue and are too distracting, please check around your home to see what appliances may be
causing the problem. In addition, we recommend that the base not be plugged into a circuit that also powers a major appliance because of the potential for interference. Be certain that the antenna on the unit is fully extended when needed.

In the unlikely event that you consistently hear other voices or distracting transmissions on your phone, you may be receiving radio signals from another cordless telephone or other source of interference. If you cannot eliminate this type of interference, you need to change to a different channel.

Finally, it should be noted that some cordless telephones operate at frequencies that may cause interference to nearby TVs and VCRs. To minimize or prevent such interference, the base of the cordless telephone should not be placed near or on top of a TV or VCR. If interference is experienced, moving the cordless telephone farther away from the TV or VCR will often reduce or eliminate the interference.

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Cordless Telephone Privacy
Cordless telephones are radio devices. Communications between the handset and base of your cordless telephone are accomplished by means of radio waves which are broadcasted over the open airways. Because of the inherent physical properties of radio waves, your communications can be received by radio receiving devices other than your own cordless telephone unit. Consequently, any communications using your cordless telephone may not be private.
Precautions!

Before you read anything else, please observe the following:

Warning!

Uniden America Corporation DOES NOT represent this unit to be waterproof. To reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, or damage to the unit, DO NOT expose this unit to rain or moisture.

Rechargeable Nickel-Cadmium Battery Warning

• This equipment contains a rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery.
• Cadmium is a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer.
• The rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery contained in this equipment may explode if disposed of in a fire.
• Do not short-circuit the battery.
• Do not charge the rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery used in this equipment in any charger other than the one designed to charge this battery as specified in the owner's manual. Using another charger may damage the battery or cause the battery to explode.

Rechargeable Nickel-Cadmium Batteries Must Be Recycled or Disposed of Properly

• Uniden voluntarily participates in an RBRC® industry program to collect and recycle nickel-cadmium batteries at the end of their useful life, when taken out of service within the United States. The RBRC® program provides a convenient alternative to placing used nickel-cadmium batteries into the trash or municipal waste stream, which is illegal in some areas.
• Through the RBRC® program, Uniden makes it easy for you to drop off the used battery at local retailers of replacement nickel-cadmium batteries. You may also contact your local recycling center for information on where to return the used battery.

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

Important Safety Instructions

When using your telephone equipment, these basic safety precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electrical shock, and injury to persons:

1. Read and understand all instructions.
2. Follow all warnings and instructions marked on the product.
3. Unplug this product from the wall outlet before cleaning. Use a dry cloth for cleaning without liquid or aerosol cleaners.
4. Do not use this product near water; for example, near a bath tub, wash bowl, kitchen sink or laundry tub, in a wet basement, or near a swimming pool.
5. Do not place this product on an unstable cart, stand, or table. The telephone may fall, causing serious damage to the unit.
6. Slots and openings in the cabinet and the back or bottom are provided for ventilation. To protect the product from overheating, these openings must not be blocked or covered. This product should never be placed near or over a radiator or heat register. This product should not be placed in a built-in installation unless proper ventilation is provided.
7. This product should be operated only from the type of power source indicated on the marking label. If you are not sure of the type of power supply to your home, consult your dealer or local power company.
8. Do not allow anything to rest on the power cord. Do not locate this product where the cord will be damaged by persons walking on it.
9. Do not overload wall outlets and extension cords, as this can cause a fire hazard.

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1. Use only the appropriate type and size battery pack specified in the owner's manual.
2. Do not dispose of the battery pack in a fire. The cell may explode. Check the nickel-cadmium battery disposal package insert for disposal instructions.
3. Do not open or mutilate the battery pack. Released electrolyte is corrosive and may cause damage to the eyes or skin. It may be toxic if swallowed.
4. Exercise care in handling the battery in order not to short the battery with conducting materials such as rings, bracelets, and keys. The battery or conductor may overheat and cause burns.
5. Change the battery pack provided with or identified for use with this product only in accordance with the instructions and limitations specified in the owner's manual provided for this product.
10. Never leave the battery pack connected to the telephone line for an extended period of time; damage may result.

Important Electrical Considerations

Unplug all electrical appliances when you know an electrical storm is approaching. Lightning can pass through your household wiring and damage any device connected to it. This phone is no exception.

Warning!

Please do not attempt to unplug any appliance during an electrical storm.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS!

Important Battery Safety Precautions

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Installation Considerations

Selecting a Location

Before checking a location for your new phone, there are some important guidelines you should consider:

- The location should be close to both a phone jack and a continuous power outlet. (A continuous power outlet is an AC outlet which does not have a switch to interrupt its power.)
- Keep the base and handset away from sources of electrical noise such as motors or fluorescent lighting.
- Be sure there is sufficient space to fully extend the base antenna.
- The base can be placed on a desk or tabletop or mounted on a standard telephone wall plate.
- You should charge your new phone for 15-20 hours before completing the installation or using the handset.

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Telephone Line Outlets

There are two types of phone outlets:

- Modular Jack
  - Most phone equipment available now uses modular jacks. Phone cords are fitted with a molded plastic connector which plugs into this type of jack. If you do not have modular phone jacks, contact your local telephone company for information about their installation.

- Hardwired Jack
  - Some equipment is wired directly to a phone jack, and these types of installations require a modular jack converter. This type of installation is not difficult; however, you should contact your Uniden telephone dealer or a telephone supply store for advice about the proper adapter or converter for your particular situation.

Connecting the Telephone Cords

Consider these safety guidelines before connecting the telephone cords:

- Never install telephone wiring during a lightning storm.
- Never touch uninsulated telephone wires or terminals unless the telephone line has been disconnected.
- Use caution when installing or modifying telephone lines.

Applying Power to the Base

This phone requires an AC outlet, without a switch to interrupt power, and the included AC adapter. To relieve strain on the DC plug when the phone is placed on a desk or table, wrap the power cord around the strain relief notch on the bottom of the base.

NOTE: Place the power cord so that it does not create a trip hazard, or where it could become entangled and create a fire or other electrical hazards.

Adapter Safety Features

If you cannot plug the AC adapter into the outlet, contact someone about replacing the outlet.

Plug the AC Adapter into a standard 120 VAC wall outlet.

Do not use an outlet controlled by a wall switch.

Use only the Uniden AC Adapter supplied with this phone.

One Year Limited Warranty

Important: Evidence of original purchase is required for warranty service.

WARRANTOR: UNIDEN AMERICA CORPORATION ("Uniden")

ELEMENTS OF WARRANTY: Uniden warrants, for one year, to the original retail owner, this Uniden Product to be free from defects in materials and craftsmanship with only the limitations or exclusions set out below.

WARRANTY DURATION: This warranty to the original user shall terminate and be of no further effect 12 months after the date of original retail sale. The warranty is invalid if the Product is (A) damaged or not maintained as reasonable or necessary, (B) modified, altered, or used as part of any conversion kits, subassemblies, or any configurations not sold by Uniden, (C) improperly installed, (D) serviced or repaired by someone other than an authorized Uniden service center for a defect or malfunction covered by this warranty, (E) used in any conjunction with equipment or parts or as part of any system not manufactured by Uniden, or (F) installed or programmed by anyone other than as detailed by the owner’s manual for this product.

STATEMENT OF REMEDY: In the event that the product does not conform to this warranty at any time while this warranty is in effect, warrantor will either, at its option, repair or replace the defective unit and return it to you without charge for parts, service, or any other cost (except shipping and handling) incurred by warrantor or its representatives in connection with the performance of this warranty. Warrantor, at its option, may replace the unit with a new or refurbished unit. THE LIMITED WARRANTY SET FORTH ABOVE IS THE SOLE AND ENTIRE WARRANTY PERTAINING TO THE PRODUCT AND IS IN LIEU OF AND EXCLUDES ALL OTHER WARRANTIES OF ANY NATURE WHATSOEVER, WHETHER EXPRESS, IMPLIED OR ARISING BY OPERATION OF LAW, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE. THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER OR PROVIDE FOR THE REIMBURSEMENT OR PAYMENT OF INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES. Some states do not allow this exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to you.

LEGAL REMEDIES: This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state. This warranty is void outside the United States of America.

PROCEDURE FOR OBTAINING PERFORMANCE OF WARRANTY: If, after following the instructions in the owner’s manual you are certain that the Product is defective, pack the Product carefully (preferably in its original packaging). The Product should include all parts and accessories originally packaged with the Product. Include evidence of original purchase and a note describing the defect that has caused you to return it. The Product should be shipped freight prepaid, by traceable means, to warrantor at:

Uniden America Corporation
Parts and Service Division
4700 Amon Carter Blvd.
Fort Worth, TX 76155
(800) 297-1023, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Central, Monday through Friday
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1-800-297-1023

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Our Uniden representatives will be happy to help you with any matters regarding the operation of this unit, available accessories, or any other related matters.

Thank you for purchasing a Uniden product.
Hours: M-F 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM CST.