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Quick start guide

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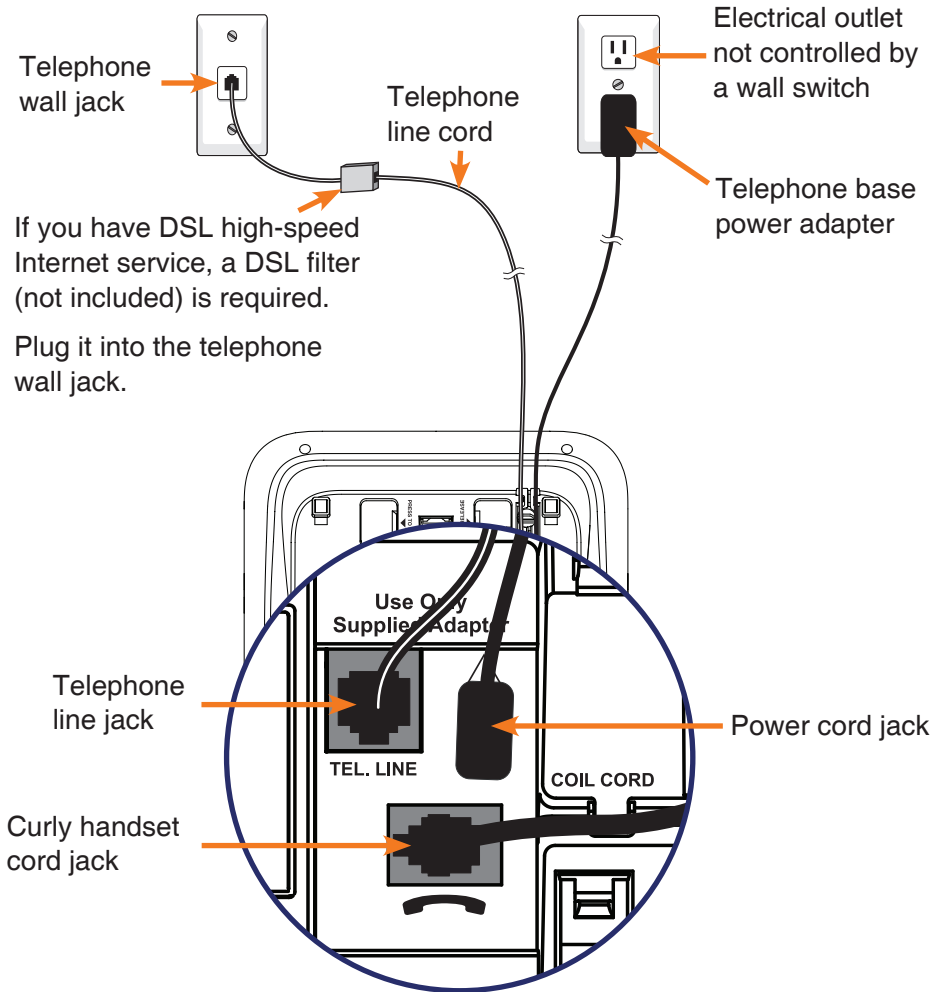
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This quick start guide provides you with basic installation and setup instructions.

For complete installation and operation instructions, refer to the Abridged user's manual in the package, or the online Complete user's manual at www.vtechphones.com.

Telephone base installation

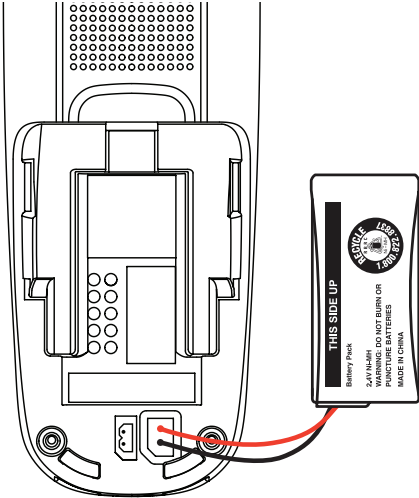


CAUTION:

If you subscribe to telephone service from a cable company or a VoIP service provider, plug the telephone line cord into the modem/router/terminal adapter provided by your cable/VoIP service provider. Contact your cable/VoIP service provider if you have any difficulties in installation.

Handset battery installation

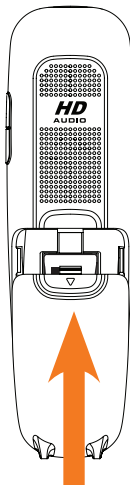
- 1 Plug the battery connector securely into the socket.



- 2 Place the battery with the label **THIS SIDE UP** facing up and the wires inside the battery compartment.

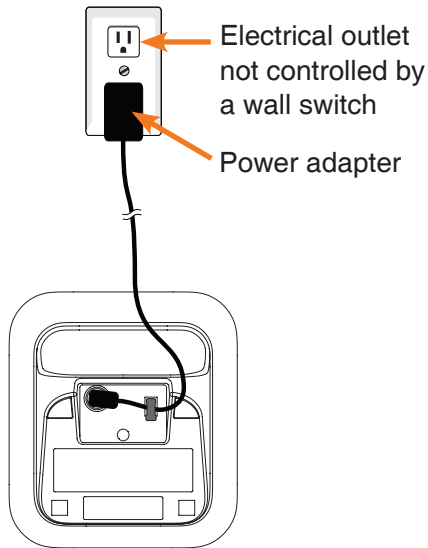


- 3 Slide the battery compartment cover towards the center of the handset until it clicks into place.

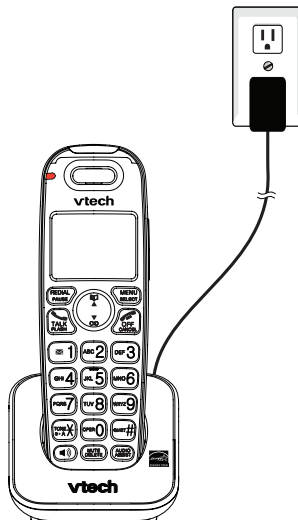


Handset charger installation

- 1 Install the handset charger.

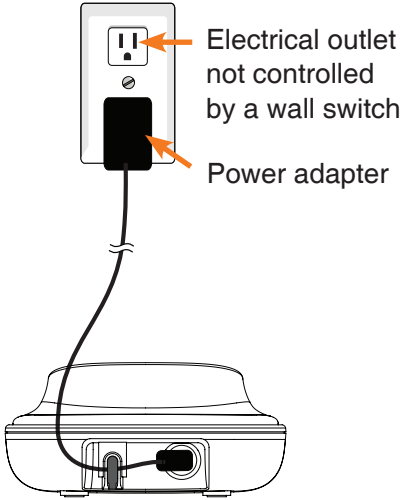


- 2 Place the handset in the handset charger to charge. Charge the handset for at least 30 minutes before use.

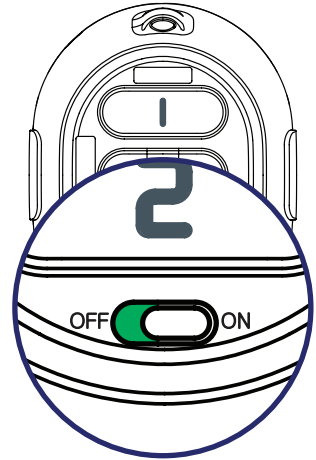


Pendant charger installation

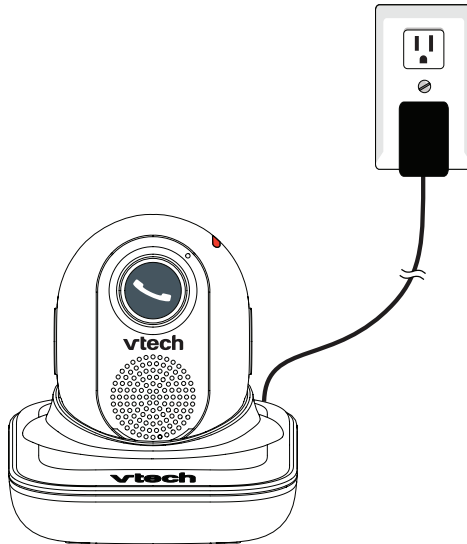
- ① Install the pendant charger.



- ② Switch **ON** the pendant.

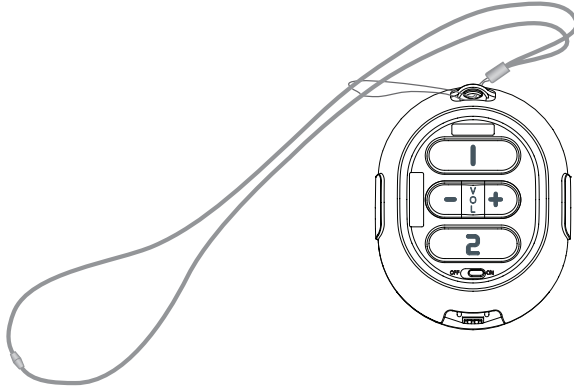


- ③ Place the pendant in the pendant charger to charge. Charge the pendant for at least 30 minutes before use.



Pendant lanyard

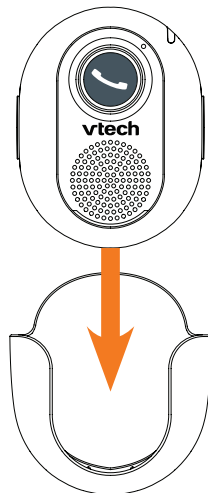
1. Pinch the end of the loop string into the slot on the top of the pendant.
2. Insert the long end of the lanyard into the loop string.
3. Fasten the loop string.



Pendant belt clip

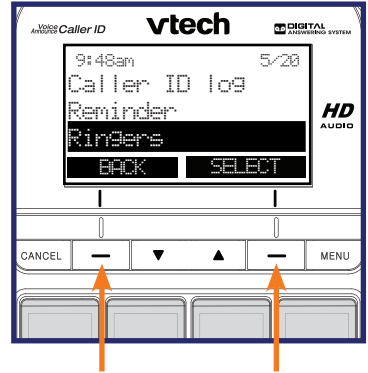
Push the pendant into the belt clip until it clicks in place.

When you use the pendant belt clip, remove the pendant lanyard if it is attached to the pendant.



Menu navigation

1. Press **MENU** when the phone is idle.
2. Press **▼** or **▲** until the screen displays the desired feature menu.
3. Press **SELECT** to enter that menu.
 - To return to the previous menu, press **CANCEL** or **BACK**.
 - To return to idle mode, press and hold **CANCEL**.



Press the **softkey** to select the corresponding item displayed above the key.

Set date and time

The telephone base will prompt you to set date and time when it is initially powered up. Follow Step 3 to Step 5 below to set them.

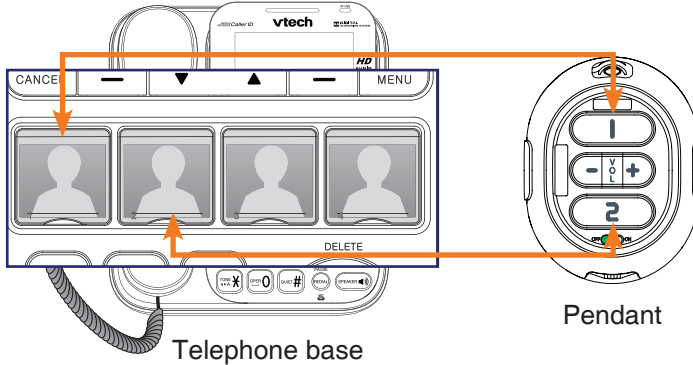
1. Press **MENU**.
2. Scroll to **Set date/time**, then press **SELECT**.
3. Enter the month, date and year, then press **NEXT**.
4. Enter the hour and minute.
5. Scroll to select **AM** or **PM**, then press **SAVE**.



Photo speed dial

There are four photo speed dial keys on the telephone base. The photo speed dial keys **1** and **2** on the pendant correspond to the photo speed dial keys **1** and **2** on the telephone base, respectively.

We recommend you store two contacts that you may need to call them more often or immediately to photo speed dial keys **1** and **2**.



To set photo speed dial (only applicable to models with a pendant):

If your product package includes a pendant, the telephone prompts you to set photo speed dial **1** and photo speed dial **2** once it is initially powered up.

1. When the telephone base displays **Set Photo Speed Dial 1 and Pendant memory 1**, press **YES**.
2. Enter the number, then press **NEXT**.
3. Enter the name, then press **SAVE**.
4. Press **NEXT**.
5. When the telephone base displays **Set Photo Speed Dial 2 and Pendant memory 2**, press **YES**.
6. Enter the number, then press **NEXT**.
7. Enter the name, then press **SAVE**.
8. Press **OK**.

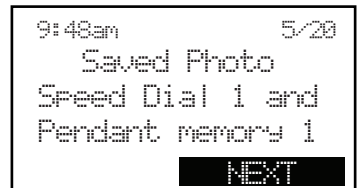
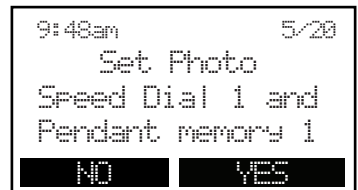


Photo speed dial

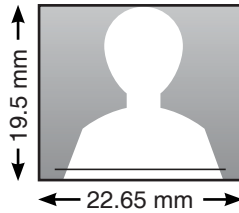
To set and dial a photo speed dial:

1. Press on a desired photo speed dial key.
2. Enter the number, then press **NEXT**.
3. Enter the name, then press **SAVE**.
4. Press on the photo speed dial key to dial.

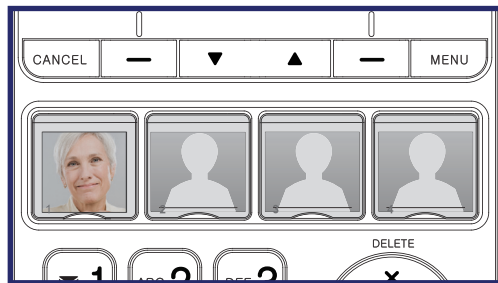
To add a photo:

You can add a desired photo into the photo speed dial compartment, or write the contact name on the photo speed dial card.

1. Flip open the photo speed dial compartment cover and take out the photo speed dial card.
2. Use the photo speed dial card as a tool to crop your desired photo.



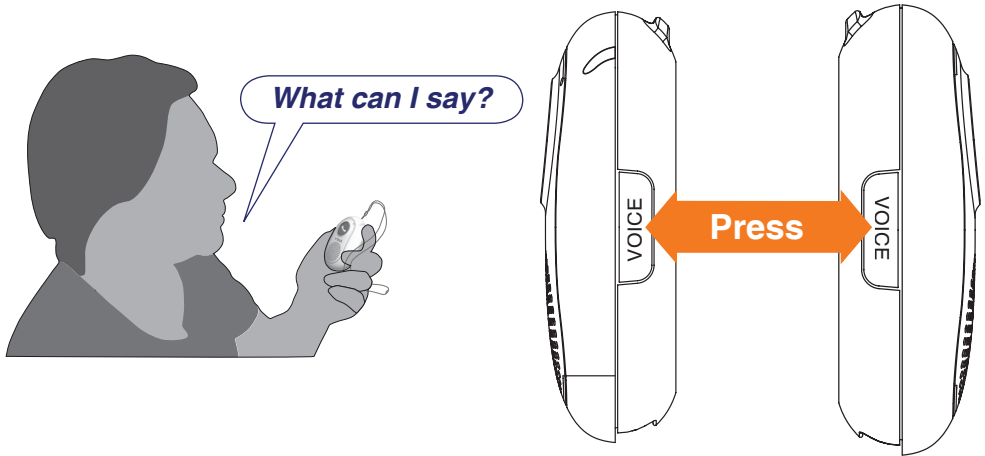
3. Put the cropped photo into the photo speed dial compartment. Then flip down the photo speed dial compartment cover.



Voice command

By saying certain commands to the pendant, you can hear information such as the date or time, or call speed dial numbers, or even review call log, messages or reminders.

Press the **VOICE** key on either side of the pendant. After you hear a beep, say your command to the pendant.



Common commands:

What can I say? ~ To hear a list of voice commands.

What time is it? ~ To hear the current time.

What date is it? ~ To hear the current date.

Call speed dial X. ~ To call a photo speed dial number.

Intercom all. ~ To send out intercom request to all devices.

Cancel. ~ To return to idle mode.

Voice command

Messages:

Press **VOICE** and say *Review messages.*

During the playback, press **VOICE** and say one of the following commands:

What can I say?



To hear a list of voice commands.

Skip message.



To skip to the next message.

Repeat message.



To repeat the message.

Slow playback.



To slow down the message.

To resume to normal speed, press

VOICE and say *Play normal.*

Stop.



To stop the playback.

Delete.



To delete the playing message.

Cancel.



To continue the playback.

Voice command

Call log:

Press **VOICE** and say **Review call log.**

During the playback, press **VOICE** and say one of the following commands:

What can I say?



To hear a list of voice commands

Skip call log.



To skip to the next call log entry.

Repeat call log.



To repeat the call log.

Stop.



To stop the playback.

Cancel.



To continue the playback.

Call back.



The system will ask, "Would you like to call XXX?"

- Say **Yes.** to call the number.
- Say **No.** to return to the playback.

Voice command

Reminders:

Press **VOICE** and say *Review reminders.*

During the playback, press **VOICE** and say one of the following commands:

What can I say?



To hear a list of voice commands.

Skip reminder.



To skip to the next reminder.

Repeat reminder.



To repeat the reminder.

Stop.



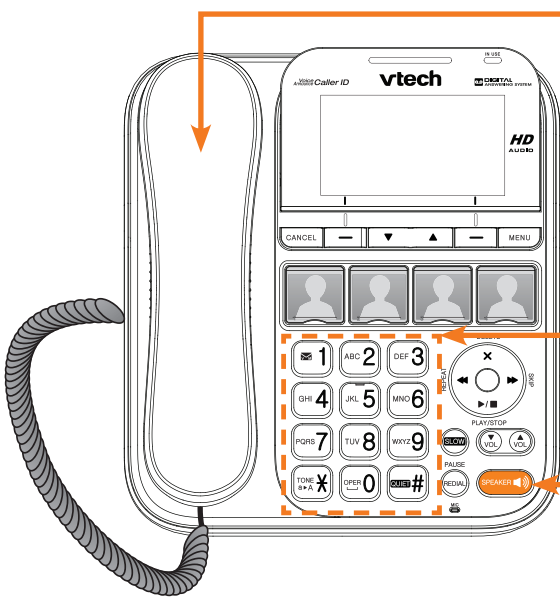
To stop the playback.


Cancel.

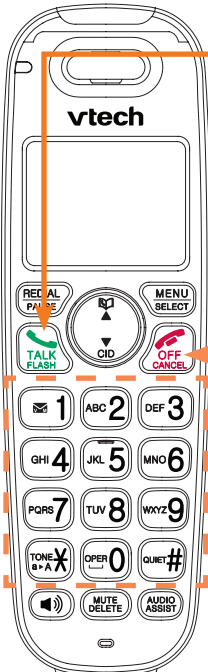





To continue the playback.

Make, answer or end a call




- Lift up to the corded handset to make or answer a call.
- Return the corded handset to the telephone base to end a call.
- Press any dialing key to answer a call with the speakerphone.
- Press  to make, answer or end a call.

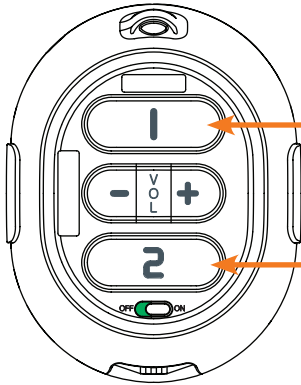




- Press  to make or answer a call.
- During a call, press  to answer an incoming call when you receive a call waiting alert.
- Press  to end a call.
- Press any dialing key to answer a call.

Make, answer or end a call




- Press  to answer or end a call.

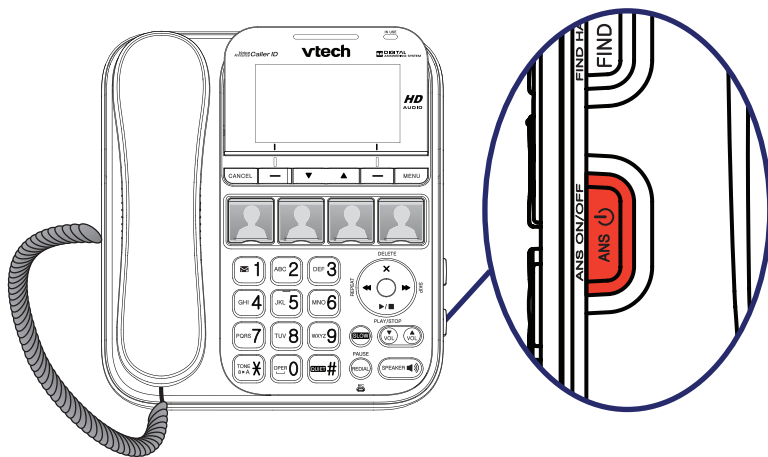


- Press  to call photo speed dial 1.
- Press  to call photo speed dial 2.

Answering system

Turn the answering system on or off

- Press **ANS**  at the side of the telephone base to turn the answering system on or off.



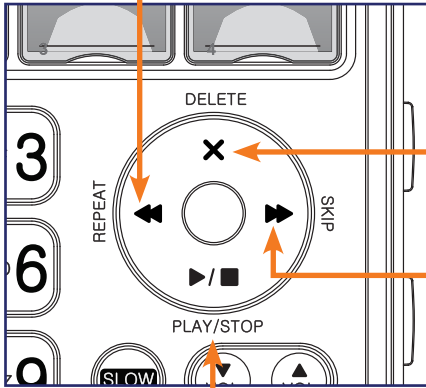
Record an announcement at the telephone base

1. Press **MENU**.
2. Press **SELECT** three times. The system announces, *“Record after the tone. Press **SAVE** when you are done.”*
3. After the tone, speak towards the microphone.
4. Press **SAVE** when done.

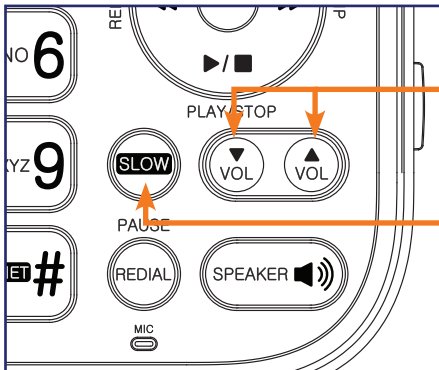


Answering system

Message playback



- Press ◀ once to repeat the playing message.
- Press ◀ twice to play the previous message.
- Press X to delete the playing message.
- Press ▶ to skip to the next message.
- Press ▶/■ to play messages.
- Press ▶/■ to stop message playback.

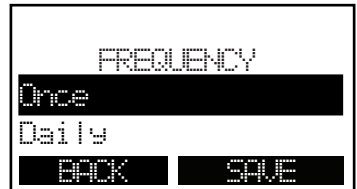
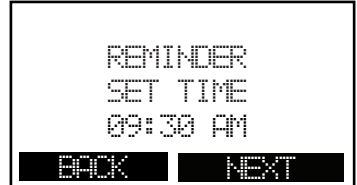


- Press VOL or VOL to adjust the listening volume.
- Press SLOW to slow down the message playback.

Reminders

The reminder feature helps remind you of important events. You can set the reminder to remind you only once, or in daily, weekly or monthly bases. Once you set the reminder, the system will play your recorded reminder to alert you at your designated times of an important event.

1. Press **MENU**.
2. Scroll to **Reminder**, then press **SELECT**.
3. Scroll to **Set reminder**, then press **SELECT**.
4. Enter month, date and year, then press **NEXT**.
5. Enter hour and minute.
6. Scroll to select **AM** or **PM**, then press **NEXT**.
7. The system announces, “Record after the tone. Press **SAVE** when you are done.” After the tone, speak towards the microphone, and then press **SAVE**.
8. Scroll to the frequency you would like to set, and then press **SAVE**.



IMPORTANT!

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