

Getting started

This guide is to help you quickly get up and running with your NEC e232. If you need more detailed information, refer to the e232 User Guide.

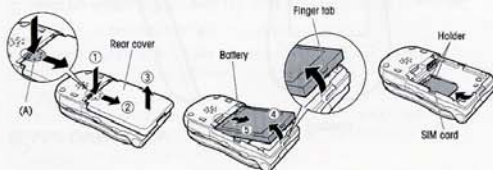
How to install the SIM card and charge the mobile phone:

1. Press the edge of the rear cover ① and slide in the direction of ②. Lift cover in direction of ③ to remove.
2. Lift tab ④ on battery and slide out in direction of ⑤.
3. Insert SIM card by sliding into holder.
4. Replace the battery and rear cover.
5. Connect the charger to a power outlet and to the charger connector on the side of the phone. The backlight will glow green while charging. When fully charged the backlight will go off.

Turning the mobile phone on and off:

1. To turn on the mobile phone, open, press and hold the **Power** key.
2. If the "Enter PIN" message appears, using the keypad, enter the PIN provided with your SIM card.

To turn the phone off, press and hold the **Power** key again.



Menus and display

You can access menus on the e232 in a number of ways:

- Use the shortcut keys to access specific functions.
- Press **Menu** to display Main Menu, navigate through the options available using the 4-Way navigation keys and select the desired option using the Select key.
- Press **Menu** to display Main Menu and use the numeric key pad to enter the appropriate numeric sequence for the desired option.

The Softkey 1 and Softkey 2 have functions that change, depending on which menu you are in and what you are doing. The current function of each key is shown in the bottom left and right hand corners of the main display.

In many situations the **Menu** key allows access to options for the currently selected menu feature. Similarly, the **Power** key allows direct access to the phone book. The availability of these features is indicated in the bottom centre of the main screen.

When you first turn on your mobile phone, use the 4-Way Navigation Keys, **Power** and **Menu** keys and the Softkeys to move through and become familiar with the menus of the e232.



Setting up your phone

When you first start using your e232 you may want to copy contacts from your SIM card to your mobile phone, or there may be phone settings you wish to set-up or customise, such as phone mode settings, the screen background or ring tone.

To copy contacts from the SIM card to your mobile phone:

1. From the standby screen, press **Power** to access the Phonebook. If a Phonebook other than the SIM card contacts is displayed, press **Power** repeatedly until the SIM contacts are displayed.
2. Press **Menu** to display Options. Press 3 to select Copy.
3. To copy the current entry only, press 1. Or, to copy a range of entries, press 2. Then choose the destination phonebook and the range of entries to copy.
4. Press **Power** to copy the entries.

To access the Settings menu, press **Menu**, 1. Then select the setting you would like to view or edit. To change a ring tone, you need to customise your phone mode settings.

To set your Voice Mail number, from the standby screen:

1. Press **Menu**, 4, 1, 7 to access the Voice Mail Number screen.
2. Then select the appropriate line and enter the voice mail number.
3. Press Softkey 1 to save the change.

Making and receiving calls

Making calls

From the standby screen, enter the phone number you want to call using the numeric keys and press **Power** to send the call. Alternatively, access a number

in your Phonebook (**Power** key) and then press **Power** to send the call.

To end a call press **Power** briefly or fold your phone.

Receiving and diverting calls

When your mobile phone rings, press **Power** to receive the call.

To reject a call, press **Power** briefly or fold your phone. If Divert has been set up the caller will be diverted to the voice mail centre.

Voice mail can be retrieved by pressing and holding 1.

Entering text

The following information is relevant to any function involving text input. All these key sequences are valid when entering text.

The e232 has T9™ predictive text input. To toggle the mode of text entry between T9, Alphabetic and Numeric mode, press Softkey 1.

To toggle between Lowercase, Shift and Caps Lock, press *. To enter a symbol, press # and select the symbol required.

Text entering options can be viewed and edited by pressing **Menu**.

Internet and messaging configuration

The simplest way to configure your e232 for internet access and messaging is via your network service provider.

Contact your network service provider to find out about automatic remote configuration of your Internet Service Provider (ISP) and messaging settings.

Many network providers will supply your e232 already configured with the required internet and messaging settings.

Reading and sending messages

The e232 can send and receive text messages (SMS) or multimedia messages containing text, graphics, animations, images, sound and ring tones (MMS).

To compose a multimedia message:

1. From the standby screen press Softkey 1 twice. Choose New MMS.
2. Select the To field and enter the required details. Press **Power**.
3. Select the Subject and Message (the page icon) fields and enter your text.
4. Position the cursor where you want to enter an object and press **Menu**, 6 to display the Insert Object screen.
5. Select the object type and then the object to insert. Press **Power**.
6. When the message is complete, press Softkey 1 to send it.

To read and reply to an SMS message:

1. Press Softkey 1 to access the Messaging screen directly from the standby screen. This will display a list of all folders.
2. Highlight and select the required folder. The Message List screen is displayed. Unread messages will be displayed in bold.
3. Highlight and select the unread message to view it.
4. To reply, press **Menu**. Select Reply. The New SMS screen is displayed.
5. Enter your message contents and details.
6. When complete, press Softkey 1 to send the message.

WAP / internet browsing

To access WAP, press Softkey 2.

The browser will automatically open and connect to the homepage set in your WAP settings.

Alternatively, press **Menu**, 3, 1 and choose the access option desired (Specific Web Page [URL], Home Page, Last Accessed Page).

Once connected, you can surf the web and access a huge variety of information and services including image, animation and ring tone downloads.

Camera

The Camera function can be accessed from the standby screen either by pressing the **Power** key or by pressing **Menu**, 5. The main LCD will then act as the camera viewfinder. The following directions all assume the Camera is enabled.

Taking pictures:

- To take a picture, press **Power** key.
- Zoom in and out using the **Left** and **Right** keys and control the brightness level of the picture using the **Up** and **Down** keys.
- Use the Camera Light for taking pictures at night. It can be switched on or off by pressing the Softkey 1.

To adjust Camera settings, press **Menu** to access the Camera Options menu. Choose from a range of imaging settings to suit different conditions and subjects.

Warning: The camera light is very bright. Do not look directly at it or hold it too close to the subject's eyes.

After taking a picture:

Once your picture is taken, a number of options are available:

- Review the image on the screen. If you want to keep it, press **Power**.
- Press **Menu** to display the Options menu. The options available allow saving the current image or series of images, saving the current image as wallpaper or accessing your Pictures folder.
- Press Softkey 1 to send the picture you have taken as an MMS message attachment. The New MMS Message screen automatically appears with your image already attached to the message. Enter text, subject and recipient details and send the message.

Using the camera light as a flashlight

The built-in camera light can be used as a flashlight.

To use the light, press and hold the Side Key Down. To switch the light off, just press the key again.

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Built-in accessories

The e232 has a number of accessories and life-management tools including an alarm, scheduler, to-do list, calculator, currency converter and voice memos. The following example shows how to record a voice memo.

- To access Accessories, from the standby screen, press **Menu**, 8.
- To record the voice memo, press 6, 1, to access the New Record screen.
- To start recording, press Softkey 1.
- Either press Softkey 2 to finish and save the memo, or after 60 seconds recording automatically stops.
- The Voice Memo List screen will then be displayed showing all memos recorded.
- Voice memos can be sent with messages or can be used as your ring tone (Press **Menu**, 2).