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Model: 8825 Gigaset (4G8825SYS)

Brand: SIEMENS

INTRODUCTION

The Siemens 8825 Gigaset is a sophisticated 2.4 GHz two-line expandable cordless communication system designed for versatile use. This system supports expansion up to eight handsets and integrates a digital answering machine with multiple mailboxes. Key features include voice-announced Caller ID (requires subscription), a backlit LCD for displaying Caller ID information and speed-dial presets, and dual full-duplex digital speakerphones for hands-free communication. This manual provides detailed instructions for setting up, operating, and maintaining your Siemens 8825 Gigaset system, ensuring optimal performance and longevity.

PACKAGE CONTENTS

Upon unpacking your Siemens 8825 Gigaset system, verify that all components listed below are present:

- Base station with built-in tilt LCD
- Corded handset
- Coiled handset cord
- Cordless handset (model 8000 Gigaset)
- Cordless charger/base
- AC power supplies and cords
- Two AA rechargeable NiMH batteries
- One belt clip
- Telephone line cord
- Instructions (this manual)
- Warranty information



Figure 1: Siemens 8825 Gigaset system components, showing the main base unit with its corded handset and a cordless handset in its charging base.

SETUP

1. Connecting the Base Station

1. Connect the coiled handset cord to the corded handset and the corresponding port on the base station.
2. Connect the telephone line cord to the "LINE" jack on the base station and to a telephone wall jack.
3. Connect the AC power supply to the "POWER" jack on the base station and plug it into a standard electrical outlet.
4. Place the base station on a flat, stable surface, away from other electronic devices that may cause interference.



Figure 2: Detailed view of the Siemens 8825 Gigaset base station, highlighting the display and control buttons.

2. Installing Handset Batteries

1. Open the battery compartment cover on the back of the cordless handset.
2. Insert the two AA rechargeable NiMH batteries, observing the correct polarity (+ and -).
3. Close the battery compartment cover securely.
4. Place the cordless handset in its charging cradle. Ensure the "Charge" indicator on the handset or cradle illuminates, indicating proper charging. Allow at least 12-15 hours for the initial charge.

3. Initial System Configuration

After connecting power, the base station's LCD will prompt you to set the date, time, and language. Follow the on-screen instructions using the navigation buttons on the base unit.

- **Set Date and Time:** Use the keypad to enter the current date and time.
- **Select Language:** Choose from English, French, or Spanish.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Making and Receiving Calls

- **To Make a Call:** Lift the corded handset or press the **TALK** button on the cordless handset. Dial the desired number.
- **To Receive a Call:** When the phone rings, lift the corded handset or press the **TALK** button on the cordless handset.
- **Using Speakerphone:** Press the **SPEAKER** button on the base unit or cordless handset during a call to activate the speakerphone. Press again to switch back to the handset.

Caller ID and Call Waiting

The system displays Caller ID information (name and number) on the backlit LCD. With a subscription to your local carrier's service, the system can also provide voice-announced Caller ID.

- **Voice-Announced Caller ID:** The system will audibly announce the caller's name or number for incoming calls.
- **Call Waiting:** If you are on a call and another call comes in, you will hear a tone. Press the **FLASH** button to switch between calls.

Digital Answering System

The integrated digital answering system offers 45 minutes of recording time and four distinct mailboxes.

- **Recording Announcements:** Follow the menu prompts on the base unit to record personalized outgoing announcements for each line.
- **Retrieving Messages:** Press the **PLAY** button on the base unit or access the answering system menu from a handset. Messages are date and time stamped.
- **Remote Operation:** You can access and manage your messages remotely by calling your phone number and entering your security code.

Advanced Features

- **Intercom:** Use the intercom function to communicate between the base unit and cordless handsets, or between multiple cordless handsets.
- **Conferencing:** Facilitate a three-way conversation by adding a third party to an existing call.
- **Call Transfer:** Transfer an active call from the base unit to a cordless handset, or between handsets.
- **Speed Dial:** Store up to 120 frequently dialed numbers for quick access. Refer to the on-screen menu for programming speed dial entries.
- **Room Monitoring:** The cordless handset can be used as a room monitor, transmitting audio to another handset or the base unit.



Figure 3: Angled perspective of the Siemens 8825 Gigaset base unit, illustrating the ergonomic design and button layout.

MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, slightly damp cloth to clean the surfaces of the base unit and handsets. Do not use abrasive cleaners or solvents.
- **Battery Care:** For optimal battery life, allow the cordless handset batteries to fully discharge occasionally before recharging. Replace batteries when talk time significantly decreases. Use only the specified rechargeable NiMH batteries.
- **Placement:** Keep the base station and handsets away from direct sunlight, heat sources, and moisture.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No dial tone / Cannot make calls.	Telephone line cord is loose or disconnected. Power adapter is disconnected.	Ensure all cords are securely connected. Check power outlet.
Cordless handset not charging.	Handset not properly seated in cradle. Batteries are old or defective.	Reseat handset in cradle. Ensure charge indicator lights up. Replace batteries if necessary.
Loud clicking noise during calls.	Interference from other electronic devices (e.g., computers, monitors, Wi-Fi routers).	Move the base station and handsets away from other electronic equipment. Try a different electrical outlet.
Display on handset not working.	Handset battery low or defective. Handset malfunction.	Charge handset fully. If problem persists, battery may need replacement or handset may require service.
Answering machine not recording messages.	Memory full. Answering system is off.	Delete old messages to free up memory. Ensure answering system is activated.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Product Dimensions	6 x 10 x 3 inches
Item Weight	2 pounds
Model Number	4G8825SYS
Batteries	2 AA rechargeable NiMH batteries (included)
Telephone Type	Cordless
Answering System Type	Digital
Answering System Recording Time	45 minutes
Number of Lines	2-line operation
Expandability	Expandable to 8 handsets
Frequency	2.4 GHz digital spread spectrum frequency-hopping technology
Color	Gray
First Available Date	December 13, 2001

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Siemens 8825 Gigaset system comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty information included in your package for details regarding coverage, terms, and conditions.

For further assistance, technical support, or to download a digital copy of this user manual, please visit the official Siemens support website or refer to the contact information provided with your product documentation.

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