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Model: A107

INTRODUCTION

The Samsung SGH-A107 is a compact and user-friendly basic feature phone designed primarily for reliable voice communication and essential messaging. It offers a straightforward mobile experience without complex smartphone features, making it ideal for users seeking simplicity and dependability. Key functionalities include a mini internet browser, speakerphone, calendar, and support for MMS and text messaging. The device is also hearing aid compatible and includes a voice memo feature. It supports multiple languages, including French and Spanish.

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- Samsung a107 Handset
- Rechargeable Battery (Lithium Polymer)
- Charger
- Quick Start Guide / User Manual

SETUP

1. Installing the Battery

1. Locate the battery cover on the back of the phone.
2. Gently slide or lift the cover to remove it.
3. Align the gold contacts of the battery with the contacts in the battery compartment.
4. Insert the battery firmly into place.
5. Replace the battery cover, ensuring it clicks securely.

2. Inserting the SIM Card

1. Ensure the phone is powered off and the battery is removed.
2. Locate the SIM card slot, usually near the battery compartment.

3. Carefully slide the SIM card into the slot with the gold contacts facing down and the cut corner aligned correctly.
4. Once the SIM card is in place, reinsert the battery and replace the battery cover.

3. Charging the Battery



Image: The Samsung a107 phone shown in both its closed, compact form and open, ready-to-use state, highlighting its flip design.

Before first use, fully charge the phone's battery. Connect the charger to the charging port on the phone (typically on the side or bottom). Plug the other end of the charger into a standard electrical outlet. The phone's screen will indicate charging status. A full charge typically takes approximately 2 hours. Disconnect the charger once the battery is full to

conserve energy.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Powering On/Off

- To power on: Press and hold the **Power/End Call** button (red button) until the screen lights up.
- To power off: Press and hold the **Power/End Call** button until the power off options appear, then select "Power off".

Making a Call





Image: A top-down view of the Samsung a107 phone, open to reveal its screen and alpha-numeric keypad, essential for dialing and navigation.

1. Open the flip to activate the phone.
2. Using the numeric keypad, dial the desired phone number.
3. Press the **Send** button (green button) to initiate the call.
4. To end a call, press the **Power/End Call** button.

Sending a Text Message (SMS/MMS)

1. From the main screen, navigate to the **Messages** menu.
2. Select **Create New Message** or **New SMS/MMS**.
3. Enter the recipient's phone number or select from your contacts.
4. Type your message using the keypad. The phone supports T9 predictive text entry for faster typing.
5. To add multimedia (for MMS), select the option to attach a picture, audio, or video clip (if supported).
6. Press **Send**.

Using the Speakerphone

During an active call, press the designated **Speakerphone** button (often marked with a speaker icon) to activate or deactivate the speakerphone function. This allows for hands-free communication.

Accessing Mobile Web

The Samsung a107 includes a mini internet browser. To access it, navigate to the **Browser** or **Internet** icon from the main menu. You can then enter URLs or access pre-set bookmarks to check weather, news, or other basic web content. Data speeds are typically EDGE (75-135Kbps).

KEY FEATURES

- **Compact Flip Design:** The small, lightweight design allows the phone to slip easily into pockets or small bags.
- **EDGE Data Connectivity:** Supports data services including picture messaging, basic internet access, and email on the go with speeds between 75-135Kbps.
- **Mobile Web:** Access basic web content like local weather, sports scores, or movie listings.

- **Text and Instant Messaging:** Send text messages to other phones and email addresses, and chat in real-time using popular IM providers (e.g., AIM, Yahoo!, Messenger).
- **AppCenter:** Customize your phone with downloadable ringtones, Answer Tones, and wallpaper.
- **Internal Color Screen:** Features a 2-inch internal color screen (128 x 128 pixels, 65K color depth).
- **Speakerphone:** For convenient hands-free communication.
- **Organizer Tools:** Includes a calendar, alarm, calculator, tip calculator, converter, timer, stopwatch, and world time.
- **T9 Predictive Text Entry:** Facilitates faster and more efficient text input.
- **Hearing Aid Compatibility:** Rated T3/M3 for improved compatibility with hearing aids.
- **Voice Memo:** Record short voice notes.
- **Multi-language Support:** Supports languages including French and Spanish.

MAINTENANCE



Image: An angled view of the Samsung a107 phone in its closed state, showcasing its sleek, compact form factor.

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the phone's exterior. Avoid using liquid cleaners or aerosols.
- **Battery Care:** To prolong battery life, avoid extreme temperatures. Do not leave the phone in direct sunlight or in very cold environments. Charge the battery regularly, but avoid overcharging for extended periods.
- **Storage:** If storing the phone for an extended period, charge the battery to about 50% and store it in a cool, dry place.
- **Protection:** While durable, avoid dropping the phone or exposing it to excessive moisture or dust.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Phone Does Not Power On

- Ensure the battery is correctly inserted and fully charged.
- Try connecting the charger to see if the charging indicator appears.
- If the battery is old, it may need replacement.

Cannot Make or Receive Calls

- Check if the SIM card is properly inserted.
- Verify that you have network signal (check the signal strength indicator on the screen).
- Ensure your GoPhone account has sufficient balance or active service.
- Restart the phone.

Poor Call Quality

- Move to an area with better network coverage.
- Ensure nothing is obstructing the microphone or speaker.
- If using speakerphone, ensure you are in a quiet environment.

Battery Drains Quickly

- Reduce screen brightness.
- Close unused applications or browser sessions.
- Limit background data usage if possible.
- If the battery is old, its capacity may have degraded, requiring replacement.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Name	A107
Product Dimensions	3.46 x 1.73 x 0.78 inches
Weight	2.61 ounces
Display Size	2-inch internal color screen
Display Resolution	128 x 128 pixels, 65K color depth
Operating System	Basic Feature Phone OS
Wireless Carrier	AT&T
Cellular Technology	2G (GSM/GPRS/EDGE)
Connectivity	EDGE data
Battery Capacity	800 mAh Lithium-ion
Talk Time	Up to 3 hours
Standby Time	Up to 240 hours (10 days)
Charging Time	Approx. 2 hours
Human Interface Input	Buttons (Alpha-numeric keypad)

Feature	Detail
Hearing Aid Compatibility	T3/M3
Color	Black

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For detailed warranty information and customer support, please refer to the official documentation included with your Samsung a107 handset, such as the Quick Start Guide or the full User Manual. You may also visit the official Samsung support website or contact AT&T customer service for assistance related to your GoPhone service.

Note: Specific warranty terms and support channels may vary based on region and purchase location.