

Qubo Ares BL 2.4-inch Feature Phone User Manual

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient use of your Qubo Ares BL 2.4-inch feature phone. Please read this guide thoroughly before operating the device and retain it for future reference. The Qubo Ares BL is a compact 2G feature phone designed for basic communication needs, featuring a 2.4-inch display, a 0.3 MP camera, and an 800 mAh battery.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Battery Safety:** Use only Qubo-approved batteries and chargers. Do not short-circuit, puncture, or expose the battery to extreme temperatures. Dispose of batteries properly.
- **Hearing Protection:** Avoid prolonged listening at high volume levels to prevent hearing damage.
- **Driving Safety:** Always prioritize driving. Use hands-free accessories if making calls while driving and adhere to local laws and regulations.
- **Medical Devices:** Maintain a safe distance between the phone and medical devices like pacemakers. Consult your physician and medical device manufacturer for specific guidelines.
- **Explosive Environments:** Turn off your phone in areas with potentially explosive atmospheres, such as gas stations or chemical plants.
- **Water Resistance:** This device is not water-resistant. Avoid exposure to liquids.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Please check the contents of your Qubo Ares BL package against the packing list provided at the time of purchase. Typically, the package includes:

- Qubo Ares BL Feature Phone
- Lithium-ion Battery (800 mAh)
- Charger
- User Manual (this document)

4. DEVICE OVERVIEW

Familiarize yourself with the physical components of your Qubo Ares BL phone.

Figure 4.1: Rear view of the Qubo Ares BL phone. This image displays the back panel of the phone, highlighting the integrated 0.3 MP camera lens, the speaker grille, and the Qubo brand logo. Regulatory markings are also visible at the bottom.

Figure 4.2: Side view of the Qubo Ares BL phone. This image illustrates the slim profile of the device, featuring a distinctive blue accent stripe running along the side, which is part of its black and blue color scheme.

5. SETUP

5.1. Battery Installation

1. Remove the back cover of the phone by gently prying it open from the designated notch.
2. Insert the 800 mAh Lithium-ion battery into the battery compartment, ensuring the gold contacts align with the phone's terminals.
3. Replace the back cover, pressing firmly until it clicks into place.

5.2. SIM Card Installation

The Qubo Ares BL supports Dual SIM functionality.

1. With the battery removed, locate the SIM card slots.
2. Carefully insert your SIM card(s) into the designated slot(s) with the gold contacts facing down and the cut corner aligned as indicated.
3. Reinstall the battery and back cover.

5.3. Charging the Battery

1. Connect the charger to the charging port on your phone.
2. Plug the charger into a power outlet.
3. The battery indicator on the screen will show the charging status. Disconnect the charger once the battery is fully charged.

5.4. Powering On/Off

- **To Power On:** Press and hold the Power/End Call 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'.

6. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1. Making and Receiving Calls

- **To Make a Call:** Enter the phone number using the keypad and press the Call button (usually green).
- **To Receive a Call:** When a call comes in, press the Call button to answer.

- **To End a Call:** Press the End Call button (usually red).

6.2. Sending and Receiving Messages

- Navigate to the 'Messages' menu from the main screen.
- Select 'Write Message' or 'New Message'.
- Enter your message text and the recipient's phone number.
- Press 'Send'.

6.3. Using the Camera

The Qubo Ares BL features a 0.3 MP camera.

- From the main menu, select 'Camera'.
- Frame your shot using the screen as a viewfinder.
- Press the designated camera button or the center navigation key to capture the image.

6.4. Using the FM Radio

Your phone includes an FM Radio function.

- Connect a wired headset to the phone's audio jack; it acts as an antenna.
- Navigate to the 'FM Radio' application from the main menu.
- Use the navigation keys to scan for stations or tune manually.

6.5. Bluetooth Connectivity

The Qubo Ares BL supports Bluetooth for wireless connections.

- Go to 'Settings' and then 'Bluetooth'.
- Turn Bluetooth 'On'.
- Search for available devices and select the device you wish to pair with.
- Enter the passkey if prompted.

7. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Use a soft, dry cloth to clean the phone's surface. Avoid using harsh chemicals or abrasive materials.
- **Storage:** Store the phone in a cool, dry place away from direct sunlight and extreme temperatures.
- **Battery Care:** Do not leave the battery fully discharged or fully charged for extended periods. Charge it regularly.
- **Software Updates:** Check the manufacturer's website for any available software updates to ensure optimal performance.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues with your Qubo Ares BL, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Solution
Phone does not power on	Ensure the battery is correctly installed and charged. Try charging the phone for at least 30 minutes.
No network signal	Check if the SIM card is properly inserted. Move to an area with better network coverage. Contact your service provider.
Cannot make or receive calls	Verify network signal. Check if call barring is enabled. Ensure sufficient credit if using a prepaid service.
Battery drains quickly	Reduce screen brightness. Close unused applications. Limit background data usage. The battery may need replacement if it's old.
Phone freezes or is unresponsive	Remove and reinsert the battery to perform a soft reset.

If the problem persists, please contact customer support.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Qubo
Model Name	Ares BL (Model: Q8)
Dimensions	5.4 x 3 x 12.34 cm
Weight	197 grams
Screen Size	2.4 inches
Screen Resolution	640 x 480 pixels
Processor Brand	Spreadtrum
Processor Model	SC6531E
Internal Memory	32 MB
Digital Storage Capacity (expandable)	32 GB
Camera	0.3 MP
Battery Capacity	800 mAh Lithium-ion
Standby Time	Up to 190 hours

Feature	Detail
Cellular Technology	2G (GSM)
Connectivity	Bluetooth
Additional Features	FM Radio
Color	Black and Blue
Material	Plastic
SIM Card Slots	Dual SIM

10. WARRANTY INFORMATION

Specific warranty details for the Qubo Ares BL are typically provided with your purchase documentation or on the manufacturer's official website. Please refer to these resources for information regarding warranty coverage, terms, and conditions.

11. SUPPORT

For further assistance, technical support, or service inquiries, please contact your retailer or visit the official Qubo website. Ensure you have your product model number (Q8) and purchase details available when seeking support.