

## BLU T193

# BLU Tank II T193 User Manual

Model: T193 | Brand: BLU

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential instructions for setting up and operating your BLU Tank II T193 Unlocked GSM Dual-SIM Cell Phone. The BLU Tank II is designed for reliable communication with a focus on durability and extended battery life. It supports GSM Quad band 2G networks, features a 2.4-inch TFT screen, a VGA camera, and includes multimedia capabilities.

## WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- BLU Tank II T193 Cell Phone
- 1900 mAh Battery
- Data Cable
- SIM Tray Ejector (if applicable for battery/SIM access)

## SETUP

### 1. Battery Installation

1. Carefully remove the back cover of the phone.
2. Insert the 1900 mAh battery into its compartment, ensuring the gold contacts align with the phone's terminals.
3. Replace the back cover until it clicks securely into place.

### 2. SIM Card(s) Installation

The BLU Tank II T193 supports Dual-SIM functionality, allowing you to use two 2G GSM SIM cards simultaneously.

1. With the back cover removed and battery out (if necessary), locate the SIM card slots.
2. Insert your 2G GSM SIM card(s) into the designated slot(s) with the gold contacts facing down, following any directional arrows.
3. Reinsert the battery and replace the back cover.

### 3. MicroSD Card Installation (Optional)

The phone supports a microSD card up to 32GB for expanded storage.

1. Locate the microSD card slot, often near the SIM card slots.
2. Gently insert the microSD card into the slot until it locks into place.

### 4. Initial Power On

Press and hold the Power button until the screen illuminates. Follow any on-screen prompts for initial setup.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

### 1. Basic Navigation

Use the physical keypad and navigation buttons to move through menus and select options on the 2.4" TFT screen.

### 2. Making and Receiving Calls

- **To Make a Call:** Enter the phone number using the keypad and press the green Call button.
- **To Receive a Call:** When the phone rings, press the green Call button to answer.
- **To End a Call:** Press the red End Call button.

### 3. Sending and Receiving SMS Messages

Navigate to the 'Messages' menu to compose new messages or view received ones. Use the keypad for text input.

### 4. Camera Usage

The phone features a VGA camera (640 x 480 pixels) with an LED flash for basic photography and video recording.

1. Access the 'Camera' application from the main menu.
2. Frame your shot using the screen.
3. Press the designated button (usually the center navigation button) to capture a photo or start/stop video recording.

### 5. Media Playback

The BLU Tank II supports MP3/MP4 playback. Transfer media files to a microSD card for enjoyment.

### 6. FM Radio

Tune into your favorite FM radio stations. Headphones may be required to act as an antenna.

### 7. Bluetooth Connectivity

Connect to compatible Bluetooth devices (e.g., headsets, speakers) via the Bluetooth v3.0 feature in the settings menu.

## PRODUCT OVERVIEW



The image displays the BLU Tank II T193 mobile phone in dark blue. The front shows the screen and physical keypad, while the back reveals the camera lens, LED flash, and BLU branding.

### Key Features

- **GSM Quad band 2G (850/900/1800/1900):** Compatible nationwide on 2G carriers. Note: Will NOT work with 3G-only providers or CDMA carriers (Verizon, Sprint, Boost, PagePlus).
- **2.4" TFT Screen Display:** Clear display for navigation and viewing.
- **VGA Camera (640 x 480 pixels) w/ LED Flash:** Capture photos and videos.
- **1900 mAh Big Battery:** Extended battery life for prolonged use.
- **MediaTek Processor:** Efficient performance for a feature phone.
- **FM Radio, MP3/MP4 Player:** Entertainment on the go.
- **Bluetooth v3.0:** Wireless connectivity for accessories.
- **3.5mm Audio Jack:** Standard audio port for headphones.
- **microSD Slot:** Expandable storage up to 32GB.

### Understanding Unlocked Phones

This video explains the concept and benefits of an unlocked phone, detailing how it offers freedom from carrier contracts and flexibility for international travel by allowing users to switch SIM cards.

### Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	BLU
Model Name	Tank II

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Item Model Number	T194
Screen Size	2.4 Inches
Display Technology	LCD, LED
Resolution	640 x 480 pixels
Camera	VGA (640 x 480 pixels) w/ LED Flash
Processor	MediaTek Processor
Cellular Technology	2G (GSM Quad band 850/900/1800/1900)
Connectivity Technologies	Bluetooth v3.0
Battery Capacity	1900 Milliamp Hours
Memory Storage Capacity	Expandable up to 32GB (microSD)
Audio Jack	3.5 mm
Item Weight	5.9 ounces
Color	Dark Blue

## TROUBLESHOOTING

### No Power

- Ensure the battery is correctly inserted and charged.
- Connect the phone to the charger and wait a few minutes before attempting to power on.

### No Signal / Network Issues

- Verify that your SIM card is properly inserted.
- Confirm that your carrier supports 2G GSM networks. This phone is not compatible with 3G-only or CDMA networks.
- Check if you are in an area with network coverage.

### Cannot Make/Receive Calls or SMS

- Ensure you have sufficient credit or an active plan with your service provider.
- Check network signal strength.

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information and technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your purchase or visit the official BLU website. Keep your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

