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› Panasonic Corded/Cordless Phone with Advanced Call Block, 2-Way Recording and Digital Answering Machine, 1 Handset Expandable up to 6 Cordless Handsets - KX-TGF850B (Black) Corded/Cordless 1 Handset User Manual

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Model: KX-TGF850B

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides detailed instructions for the setup, operation, and maintenance of your Panasonic KX-TGF850B Corded/Cordless Phone system. This system combines the reliability of a corded base unit with the flexibility of a cordless handset, offering advanced features like call blocking, 2-way recording, and a digital answering machine.



Figure 1: Panasonic KX-TGF850B Corded/Cordless Phone System with base unit and cordless handset.

2. KEY FEATURES

- **Corded Base Unit + Cordless Handset:** Enjoy landline clarity with the flexibility of a cordless handset. Expandable up to 6 cordless handsets (sold separately).
- **Advanced Call Blocking:** Automated Call Block for robocalls, Telemarketing Call Block for announced callers, and a 1-touch Call Block Button to block up to 1000 numbers.
- **2-Way Recording:** Record conversations to confirm details and avoid misunderstandings.
- **Digital Answering Machine:** Up to 17 minutes of recording time for messages.
- **Bilingual Talking Caller ID:** Hear caller announcements in English or Spanish.
- **Large LCD Display:** Tilttable 3.4-inch LCD on the base unit for clear caller information.
- **Phonebook:** Store up to 3,000 numbers for easy dialing.
- **Long Battery Life:** Up to 12 hours talk time and 7 days standby for cordless handset.



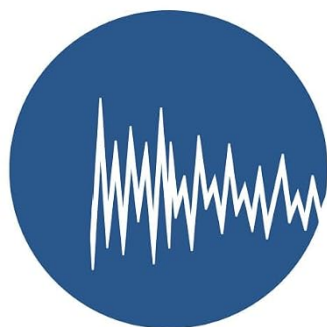
Digital Answering System
Up to 17 minutes of record time



Long Battery Life
2 AAA batteries included for cordless handset



DECT 6.0
For interference-free, secure calls and clear sound



Noise Reduction
Clearly hear calls on cordless handset from noisy places



100-Number Phonebook
Make calls without having to dial manually



9 Number Speed Dial
Quick access to frequently called and important contacts

Figure 2: Visual representation of key features including digital answering system, battery life, DECT 6.0, noise reduction, phonebook, and speed dial.

3. WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- AC adaptor
- Telephone line cord
- Desk stand/Wall mounting adaptor
- Base battery cover
- Corded handset
- Corded handset cord
- 2 Rechargeable AAA batteries
- Handset cover
- Charger (for cordless handset)

4. SETUP

4.1 Connecting the Base Unit

1. Connect the AC adaptor to the base unit and plug it into a standard electrical outlet.
2. Connect the telephone line cord to the base unit and plug it into your telephone wall jack.
3. Place the base unit on a flat, stable surface or mount it on a wall using the provided adaptor.

4.2 Installing Handset Batteries

1. Remove the battery compartment cover on the back of the cordless handset.
2. Insert the two supplied AAA rechargeable batteries, observing the correct polarity (+ and -).
3. Replace the battery compartment cover.

4.3 Charging the Handset

Place the cordless handset on the charger. The charge indicator on the handset will illuminate. Allow the handset to charge for at least 7 hours before initial use to ensure full battery capacity.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 Making and Receiving Calls

- **To Make a Call:** Pick up the corded handset or press the **TALK** button on the cordless handset, then dial the number.
- **To Receive a Call:** Pick up the corded handset or press the **TALK** button on the cordless handset when the phone rings.
- **Speakerphone:** Press the **SP-PHONE** button on either the base unit or cordless handset to use the speakerphone function.

5.2 Advanced Call Blocking

The system offers robust call blocking features to reduce unwanted calls.

- **Automated Call Block:** Pre-blocks known robocalls.
- **Telemarketing Call Block:** Allows you to block announced callers.
- **1-Touch Call Block Button:** Press the large red **CALL BLOCK** button on the base unit or cordless handset during a call or when the phone is ringing to block the current caller. This adds the number to your block list, which can store up to 1000 numbers.



Figure 3: Close-up of the base unit highlighting the one-touch CALL BLOCK button.

5.3 2-Way Recording

This feature allows you to record conversations for reference or to deter nuisance calls.

- During a call, press the **RECORD** button (or equivalent function on the handset/base) to start recording.
- Both sides of the conversation will be recorded.
- Recordings are stored on the digital answering machine.



Figure 4: Cordless handset displaying the '2 way recording' option during a call.

5.4 Digital Answering Machine

The integrated digital answering machine can record up to 17 minutes of messages.

- **Playing Messages:** Press the **PLAY/STOP** button on the base unit to listen to new messages.
- **Recording Outgoing Message:** Follow the menu prompts on the base unit or handset to record your personalized outgoing message.

5.5 Talking Caller ID

When a call comes in, the base unit and cordless handset will announce the caller's name or number (if available) in English or Spanish, allowing you to screen calls from across the room.



Figure 5: Cordless handset displaying caller ID information with options for English or Spanish announcement.

5.6 Phonebook

Store up to 3,000 contacts in the phonebook for quick and easy dialing. Access the phonebook via the menu on the base unit or cordless handset.

5.7 Expanding Your System

The KX-TGF850B system is expandable. You can register up to 6 cordless handsets (model KX-TGFA85B, sold separately) to the base unit to extend your phone system throughout your home or office.

6. MAINTENANCE

6.1 Cleaning

Wipe the phone's surfaces with a soft, dry cloth. For stubborn dirt, use a slightly damp cloth and then dry immediately. Avoid using abrasive cleaners, waxes, or solvents.

6.2 Battery Care

The cordless handset uses 2 AAA rechargeable batteries. To ensure optimal battery life:

- Always return the handset to the charger when not in use.
- Avoid exposing batteries to extreme temperatures.
- If the handset will not be used for an extended period, remove the batteries.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your phone system, refer to the table below for common problems and solutions.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
No dial tone	Telephone line cord is disconnected.	Ensure the telephone line cord is securely connected to the base unit and wall jack.
Handset does not charge	Handset not properly seated in charger; dirty charging contacts.	Ensure handset is correctly placed. Clean charging contacts on handset and charger with a dry cloth.
Poor sound quality (static, echo)	Interference from other electronic devices; low battery.	Move the base unit or handset away from other electronics. Charge the handset fully.
Cannot block calls	Block list is full; feature not activated.	Review and clear old numbers from your block list. Ensure call blocking is enabled in settings.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Model Number	KX-TGF850B
Dimensions (Base Unit)	6.8 x 8.3 x 6.8 inches
Item Weight	1.4 pounds
Color	Black
Material	Resin, Plastic, Metal, ABS
Batteries	2 AAA rechargeable batteries (included)
Talk Time (Handset)	Up to 12 hours
Standby Time (Handset)	Up to 7 days
Answering System Recording Time	Up to 17 minutes
Phonebook Capacity	3,000 numbers
Call Block Capacity	1,000 numbers

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

9.1 Warranty Information

Warranty details for your Panasonic KX-TGF850B are typically provided with the product packaging or can be found on the official Panasonic website. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

9.2 Customer Support

For further assistance, technical support, or to purchase additional accessories, please visit the official Panasonic support website or contact their customer service. You can find more information at the [Panasonic Store on Amazon](#).

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