

## VTech XS1051

# VTech XS1051 Cordless DECT Phone with Answering Machine - User Manual

Model: XS1051

## 1. INTRODUCTION

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Thank you for choosing the VTech XS1051 Cordless DECT Phone. This manual provides essential information for setting up, operating, and maintaining your new phone system. The VTech XS1051 is designed for reliable communication, featuring an antibacterial surface, a digital answering machine, caller ID, and a volume amplifier for enhanced clarity.



Image 1.1: VTech XS1051 Cordless DECT Phone system, showing the main base unit with one handset and a secondary charging cradle with another handset.

## 2. SETUP

### 2.1 Package Contents

Before installation, ensure all items are present in your package. Please refer to your product packaging for a complete list of contents.

### 2.2 Connecting the Base Unit

1. Connect the telephone line cord to the base unit and a telephone wall jack.
2. Plug the power adapter into the base unit and a power outlet.
3. Place the base unit on a flat, stable surface.

### 2.3 Handset Battery Installation and Charging

1. Open the battery compartment cover on the back of each handset.
2. Insert the supplied NiMH rechargeable batteries, observing the correct polarity (+ and -).
3. Close the battery compartment cover.
4. Place each handset in its respective charging cradle (main base or secondary charger). The charge indicator on the handset should illuminate.

5. Allow the handsets to charge for at least 16 hours before initial use to ensure full battery capacity.

## 3. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### 3.1 Making and Receiving Calls

- **To Make a Call:** Press the **Talk** button, then dial the number. Alternatively, dial the number first, then press **Talk**.
- **To Receive a Call:** When the phone rings, press the **Talk** button.
- **To End a Call:** Press the **End** button or place the handset back in its cradle.

### 3.2 Digital Answering Machine

The integrated digital answering machine can record messages for up to 30 minutes when you are unable to answer calls.

- **Activating/Deactivating:** Use the dedicated button on the base unit or through the handset menu.
- **Playing Messages:** Press the **Play** button on the base unit or access through the handset menu.

### 3.3 Caller ID and Call History

The phone displays the caller's number and name (if available) for incoming calls. It stores a history of up to 20 incoming calls.

## Identification de l'appel/appel en attente/ historique des appels 20 enregistrements



Image 3.1: Handset screen showing caller ID details and a visual representation of the 20-entry call history feature.

### 3.4 Volume Amplifier

The volume amplifier function increases the incoming audio volume for improved clarity, particularly beneficial for users with hearing impairments or those who prefer a louder listening experience.

- **Activating:** During a call, press the dedicated amplifier button (often marked with an ear icon) or adjust through the handset menu.

## Amplificateur de volume



Image 3.2: Illustration of the volume amplifier feature, showing increased sound output from the handset for clearer audio.

### 3.5 Hands-Free Speakerphone

Engage the hands-free speakerphone function for convenient conversations without holding the handset.

- **Activating:** During a call, press the **Speakerphone** button. Press it again to switch back to the handset earpiece.

## Haut-parleur mains libres



Image 3.3: A VTech XS1051 handset placed on a counter, demonstrating the hands-free speakerphone function while a user is engaged in another activity.

### 3.6 Phonebook and Speed Dial

Store up to 100 names and numbers in the phonebook. Utilize 8 speed dial keys for quick access to frequently called contacts.

### 3.7 Backlit Screen and Keypad

The handset features a backlit screen and keypad for improved visibility in low-light conditions.



## Écran et clavier rétro-éclairés



Image 3.4: A VTech XS1051 handset held in hand, showcasing its backlit screen and keypad for easy use in various lighting conditions.

### 3.8 Adjustable Ringer Volume and Melodies

Customize your phone's ringing experience by adjusting the volume and selecting from various melodies.

## Volume et mélodies des sonneries réglables



Image 3.5: The VTech XS1051 handset and base, highlighting the features for adjusting ringer volume and selecting different melodies.

### 3.9 Conference Function

The intercom/hands-free function allows multiple users to participate in a conversation simultaneously.



## Conférence à trois



Image 3.6: A visual representation of the three-way conference call feature, showing multiple individuals communicating simultaneously.

### 3.10 ECO Mode

The ECO mode automatically adjusts and minimizes the RF power based on the distance between the handset and the base, contributing to energy saving.

### 3.11 Reliable Long Range

The DECT technology provides a reliable long range, allowing you to move freely within your home or office while on a call.

## Longue portée fiable



Image 3.7: An illustration demonstrating the reliable long-range capability of the VTech XS1051, showing signal coverage throughout a multi-room environment.

### 3.12 Battery Life

The VTech XS1051 offers up to 18 hours of talk time on a single charge.



# Jusqu'à 18 heures de durée de fonctionnement de la batterie



Image 3.8: A VTech XS1051 handset with a graphic highlighting its impressive 18-hour talk time battery life.

## 4. MAINTENANCE

### 4.1 Cleaning the Phone

The VTech XS1051 is made with antibacterial plastic, tested to inhibit 99% of bacterial growth. Its seamless design makes it easy to clean and disinfect.

- Wipe the phone's surface with a soft, damp cloth.
- Avoid using harsh cleaning agents or abrasive materials, as these can damage the surface.
- Ensure the phone is dry before placing it back in the charging cradle.

### 4.2 Battery Care

- Use only the specified rechargeable NiMH batteries.
- Do not dispose of batteries in a fire. They may explode.

- Do not open or mutilate the batteries. Released electrolyte is corrosive and may cause burns or injury.
- Dispose of batteries according to local regulations.

## 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your VTech XS1051, please try the following solutions:

- **No Dial Tone:** Ensure the telephone line cord is securely connected to both the base unit and the wall jack. Check if the power adapter is properly connected.
- **Handset Not Charging:** Verify that the handset is correctly seated in the charging cradle and that the power adapter is plugged in. Clean the charging contacts on both the handset and cradle with a dry cloth.
- **Poor Sound Quality:** Ensure the handset is within range of the base unit. Check for interference from other electronic devices. If using the volume amplifier, ensure it is set to a comfortable level.
- **Answering Machine Not Recording:** Check if the answering machine is activated. Ensure there is sufficient recording time available.
- **Handset Display is Blank:** Ensure the batteries are correctly installed and fully charged.

If the problem persists after trying these steps, please refer to the support section.

## 6. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	VTech
Model Number	XS1051
Color	White
Phone Type	Cordless (DECT)
Compatible Devices	Standard fixed telephone networks (PSTN, ISDN)
Battery Composition	NiMH
Number of Batteries	4 (Product Specific - Included)
Material	Plastic (Antibacterial)
Power Source	Battery Powered
Dialler Type	Single Keypad
Item Dimensions (L x W x H)	18.6 x 15.1 x 7.4 centimeters
Answering System Type	Digital
Item Weight	600 Grams
Manufacturer	VTech
Country of Origin	China

## 7. WARRANTY INFORMATION

For detailed warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included in your product packaging or visit the official VTech website. Keep your purchase receipt as proof of purchase.






## 8. SUPPORT

If you require further assistance or have questions not covered in this manual, please contact VTech customer support. Contact details can typically be found on the VTech official website or in your product's documentation.

For online resources, visit: [VTech Support Website](#)

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### Related Documents - XS1051

	<p><a href="#">VTech CS2050/CS2051/CS2052/CS2053 Quick Start Guide</a></p> <p>Comprehensive guide to setting up and using your VTech CS2050, CS2051, CS2052, or CS2053 cordless phone system, including safety instructions, product registration, warranty information, and feature setup.</p>
<p>VG 208 208-2</p> 	<p><a href="#">VTech VG208 / VG208-2 User Manual: Features, Safety, and Operation Guide</a></p> <p>Comprehensive user manual for the VTech VG208 and VG208-2 DECT 6.0 cordless phones. Learn about installation, operation, features like answering machine, caller ID, call blocking, intercom, safety instructions, and technical specifications.</p>
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### [VTech VG208 / VG208-2 DECT 6.0 Cordless Telephone Quick Start Guide](#)

This guide provides essential instructions for setting up and using the VTech VG208 and VG208-2 DECT 6.0 corded/cordless telephone. Learn about installation, basic operations, answering system, caller ID, phonebook, call blocking, technical specifications, safety, and warranty.