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FOSSiBOT C17 Smartphone User Manual

Model: C17

1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the FOSSiBOT C17 smartphone. This manual provides essential information on how to set up, operate, and maintain your device. Please read this manual carefully before using your phone to ensure proper functionality and safety.
The FOSSiBOT C17 is a feature-rich Android 16 smartphone designed for a smooth and modern user experience. It boasts a large 6.9-inch 120Hz display, a powerful Octa-Core processor, 16GB RAM, 128GB internal storage (expandable up to 1TB), and a long-lasting 5000mAh battery.

2. Package Contents

Please check the contents of your package. If any items are missing or damaged, contact your retailer.

- FOSSiBOT C17 Smartphone
- Power Adapter
- USB Type-C Cable
- SIM Ejector Tool
- Quick Start Guide
- Warranty Card

3. Device Layout

Familiarize yourself with the physical components of your FOSSiBOT C17 smartphone.



Image: Front and rear view of the FOSSiBOT C17 smartphone, showing the display, camera modules, and side buttons.

- **Front Camera:** For selfies and video calls.
- **Display:** 6.9-inch FHD+ 120Hz screen.
- **Volume Buttons:** Adjust media volume and ringtone volume.
- **Power Button/Fingerprint Sensor:** Press to turn on/off or lock/unlock the screen. Integrated fingerprint sensor for secure unlocking.
- **SIM/SD Card Tray:** Insert Nano SIM cards and a microSD card.
- **USB Type-C Port:** For charging and data transfer.
- **Speaker:** Audio output.
- **Microphone:** For calls and voice recording.
- **Rear Cameras:** Main camera for high-quality photos and videos.
- **LED Flash:** Provides illumination for photos in low-light conditions.
- **3.5mm Headphone Jack:** For connecting wired headphones.

4. Setup

4.1. SIM and SD Card Installation

1. Power off your phone before inserting or removing SIM/SD cards.
2. Locate the SIM card tray on the side of your phone.
3. Insert the SIM ejector tool into the small hole on the tray and push gently until the tray pops out.
4. Place your Nano SIM card(s) and/or microSD card into the tray with the gold contacts facing down, ensuring they are correctly oriented.
5. Carefully push the tray back into the slot until it is flush with the phone's body.



Image: Close-up of the FOSSiBOT C17 SIM card tray, showing slots for two Nano SIMs or one Nano SIM and one microSD card.

4.2. Initial Power On and Basic Setup

1. Press and hold the Power button until the FOSSiBOT logo appears.
2. Follow the on-screen prompts to complete the initial setup:

- Select your language.
- Connect to a Wi-Fi network.
- Accept the terms and conditions.
- Sign in with your Google account or create a new one.
- Set up screen lock (PIN, pattern, password, fingerprint, face unlock).

3. Your phone is now ready to use.

5. Operating Instructions

5.1. Power On/Off and Restart

- **Power On:** Press and hold the Power button until the device vibrates and the logo appears.
- **Power Off:** Press and hold the Power button until the power menu appears, then tap 'Power off'.
- **Restart:** Press and hold the Power button until the power menu appears, then tap 'Restart'.

5.2. Screen Lock/Unlock

- **Lock Screen:** Press the Power button once. The screen will turn off.
- **Unlock Screen:** Press the Power button once to wake the screen, then swipe up or use your set security method (PIN, pattern, password, fingerprint, face unlock).

5.3. Navigation

Your FOSSiBOT C17 supports gesture navigation by default. You can change this to 3-button navigation in Settings > System > Gestures > System navigation.

- **Go Home:** Swipe up from the bottom of the screen.
- **Go Back:** Swipe from the left or right edge of the screen.
- **Recent Apps:** Swipe up from the bottom of the screen and hold.

5.4. Calls and Contacts

- **Make a Call:** Open the Phone app, enter the number, and tap the call icon.
- **Answer/End Call:** Swipe up to answer, swipe down to decline, or tap the end call icon.
- **Add Contact:** Open the Contacts app, tap the '+' icon, and enter contact details.

5.5. Messaging

Open the Messages app to send and receive SMS/MMS messages. Tap the '+' icon to compose a new message.

5.6. Camera Usage

Your FOSSiBOT C17 features a 16MP rear camera and an 8MP front camera.



Image: Diagram illustrating the 16MP rear camera and 8MP front camera components of the FOSSiBOT C17, along with example photos taken with the device.

1. Open the Camera app.
2. Select your desired mode (Photo, Video, Portrait, etc.).
3. Tap the shutter button to take a photo or start/stop recording a video.
4. Tap the camera switch icon to toggle between front and rear cameras.

5.7. Internet and Connectivity

- **Wi-Fi:** Go to Settings > Network & internet > Wi-Fi. Turn Wi-Fi on and select a network to connect.
- **Mobile Data:** Go to Settings > Network & internet > Mobile network. Ensure Mobile data is turned on.
- **Bluetooth:** Go to Settings > Connected devices > Connection preferences > Bluetooth. Turn Bluetooth on to pair with other devices.

5.8. Security Features

- **Fingerprint Unlock:** Register your fingerprints in Settings > Security > Fingerprint.
- **Face Unlock:** Set up face recognition in Settings > Security > Face unlock.

5.9. Battery Management

The FOSSiBOT C17 is equipped with a 5000mAh battery for extended usage.



Image: Visual representation of the FOSSiBOT C17's 5000mAh battery, highlighting its long-lasting capacity with estimated usage times for music, calls, gaming, video playback, and standby.

- To check battery usage, go to Settings > Battery.
- Enable Battery Saver mode to extend battery life when needed.
- Use the provided power adapter and USB Type-C cable for optimal charging.

6. Maintenance

6.1. Cleaning Your Device

- Use a soft, lint-free cloth to clean the screen and body of your phone.

- Avoid using harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or aerosol sprays.
- Do not expose your phone to excessive dust, dirt, or moisture.

6.2. Software Updates

Keep your device's software up to date for the best performance and security.



Image: Graphic highlighting the FOSSiBOT C17 running the latest Android 16 OS, emphasizing system optimization, fast response, smooth multitasking, and stable performance.

- Go to Settings > System > System update to check for and install available updates.
- Ensure your phone is connected to Wi-Fi and has sufficient battery charge before performing an update.

6.3. Storage Management

Your FOSSiBOT C17 comes with 128GB of internal storage, expandable up to 1TB with a microSD card.



Image: Visual detailing the FOSSiBOT C17's 16GB RAM (4GB physical + 12GB virtual) and 128GB ROM (expandable to 1TB), alongside the UNISOC T615 Octa-Core processor.

- To manage storage, go to Settings > Storage.
- You can free up space by deleting unnecessary files, uninstalling unused apps, or moving files to cloud storage or an SD card.

7. Troubleshooting

If you encounter issues with your FOSSiBOT C17, try the following solutions:

Problem	Solution
Device won't turn on	Ensure the battery is charged. Connect to the charger for at least 10 minutes, then try powering on.

Problem	Solution
Screen is frozen or unresponsive	Press and hold the Power button for about 10-15 seconds to force a restart.
Cannot connect to Wi-Fi	Restart your phone and Wi-Fi router. Forget the network in Wi-Fi settings and reconnect.
Poor battery life	Close background apps, reduce screen brightness, disable unnecessary features (Bluetooth, GPS), or enable Battery Saver mode.
Apps crashing or not responding	Clear the app's cache (Settings > Apps > [App Name] > Storage & cache > Clear cache). If the problem persists, try reinstalling the app.
No network signal	Check if your SIM card is properly inserted. Restart your phone. Check network settings or contact your service provider.

If the problem persists, please contact FOSSiBOT customer support.

8. Specifications

Detailed technical specifications for the FOSSiBOT C17 smartphone.

Feature	Specification
Brand	FOSSiBOT
Model	C17
Operating System	Android 16
Display	6.9-inch FHD+ (2400 x 1080) LCD, 120Hz Refresh Rate
Processor	Octa-Core (UNISOC T615)
RAM	16GB (4GB Physical + 12GB Virtual)
Internal Storage	128GB
Expandable Storage	Up to 1TB via TF/microSD card
Rear Camera	16MP Main Camera
Front Camera	8MP
Battery	5000mAh (Non-removable Li-ion), 10W Fast Charging
SIM Card Slots	Dual Nano SIM
Network	4G LTE (Global Bands), Wi-Fi 6
Connectivity	Bluetooth 5.0, USB Type-C, 3.5mm Headphone Jack
Sensors	Fingerprint Sensor, Face Recognition, GPS (GLONASS, Galileo, BeiDou)
Dimensions	9.0mm thickness (approx.)

Feature	Specification
Weight	220g (approx.)
Special Features	Waterproof, Dustproof, Shockproof (Rugged design)

9. Safety Information

- Do not use the phone while driving.
- Avoid exposing the phone to extreme temperatures.
- Use only approved chargers and accessories.
- Do not attempt to disassemble or repair the phone yourself.
- Keep the phone away from medical devices.
- Dispose of the phone and its battery responsibly according to local regulations.

10. Warranty and Support

Your FOSSiBOT C17 smartphone comes with a limited warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included in your package for details on warranty terms and conditions.
For technical support, troubleshooting assistance, or warranty claims, please contact FOSSiBOT customer service through their official website or the contact information provided in your warranty documentation.

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