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Pictures

Each **i 5871**, **i 5858** and **i 5808** handset is preset with 23 pictures you can use as the background for your idle screen (wallpaper) or assign a specific image to a phonebook directory. You can also download your own pictures.

Set a Wallpaper image

To set a wallpaper image, select the icon **Pictures** in the main menu. Then use the up and down Navkeys to view the available images. Once you have selected the image, press the **SET** softkey to set the image as your wallpaper. You will receive a message on the screen confirming **Wallpaper Set** and an audio confirmation.

Set an Animation image



To set an animation as your wallpaper, select **Animation** in the main menu. Then use the **▲** and **▼** Navkeys to view the available images. Once you have selected an animation, press the **SET** softkey to set the image as your wallpaper. You will receive a message on the screen confirming **Wallpaper Set** and an audio confirmation.

Phonebook Manager

Getting Started

The **VTech Phonebook Manager** allows you to download pictures and edit your handset phonebook from the convenience of your PC. It also allows you to import/export contacts from/to comma separated text files. This great feature allows you to get contacts from your existing PC applications such as Microsoft Outlook or Palm programs.

One-time Software Installation


- Insert the enclosed **VTech Phonebook Manager** CD into your personal computer.
- An installation window will open on your monitor giving you three options:
 1. Install/Uninstall the phonebook manager software.
 2. Browse the installation CD.
 3. Visit VTech on the web.
- To install the software, click on the **Install/Uninstall the VTech Phonebook Manager** icon  and follow the download instructions.
- After the installation is complete, you will find a **VTech Phonebook Manager** icon  on your PC desktop.

Graphics Tab Functions

The VTech phonebook manager allows you to open graphic files on your PC and transfer them to your phone. Once the graphics are transferred, they can be used for your wallpaper image or to assign to a particular phonebook entry, quickly alerting you to your caller's identification.

With the phonebook manager you can also modify the graphic prior to sending it to the handset. Common graphic editing functions such as zoom, rotate, brightness/contrast adjustment and red/green/color balance adjustments can all be done from the VTech phonebook manager.

Open a Graphic File



- Open the phonebook manager by double-clicking on the desktop icon: 
- Click on the **Graphics** tab.
- Click on the **OPEN IMAGE** button.
- A window will open to allow you to browse for the graphic file on your computer.
- Find the folder containing your graphic file and double-click to open it.

Picture Download

Once you've opened a graphic file, it can be transferred from your PC to your handset. There are many images loaded onto the phonebook manager software you can download into your handset, or you can transfer your own pictures onto the handset. The phonebook manager supports the following graphic formats: GIF, JPEG, BMP, TIFF and PNG.

NOTE: The space allotted for recordable ringers and picture downloads in your handset are dynamic. This means you can delete ring tones to make more room for image downloads, if you wish.

To transfer images from the software to the handset:


- Connect one end of the enclosed USB cable to the handset and the other end to your PC.
- If you have the phonebook manager program open, you should see the status in the bottom right corner update that the PC has detected the phone. You are now ready to transfer a graphic to the phone. 
- Follow the steps to Open a Graphic File.
- Once you have opened the desired image, click on Transfer .
- The graphic transfer will now begin and complete within approximately four seconds.
- When the graphic transfer is complete, follow the instructions given on the handset display to save the graphic to your phone.

Graphic Editing

The VTech phonebook manager allows you to perform basic graphic editing functions such as zoom, rotate, adjust brightness/contrast and adjust the color balance. As you use these tools to edit your pictures, you can see them update on the preview panel on the left side of the phonebook manager application.

NOTE: None of the graphic editing functions will alter the actual graphic file – they will only modify how the graphic will look once it has been downloaded to the handset.

While in graphic edit mode, you will notice a red preview box over the center of main graphic panel. This preview box contains the image shown in the preview panel on the left side of the application. You can move the preview box by:

1. Move the mouse pointer so it's inside the red preview box.
2. Press and hold the left mouse button.
3. Use the mouse to move the red preview box to hover over a new location on the graphic.

4. Once the preview box is over the area of the graphic you want to download onto your handset, release the mouse button.

Phonebook Tab Functions

The VTech phonebook manager can be used to create, modify and backup phonebook files from your handset. The phonebook manager has many useful functions:

- Export existing contacts from any contact manager (such as Microsoft Outlook, Palm, etc.) to a comma separated text file. Import those contacts into the phonebook manager and transfer the entire phonebook to your handset.
- Transfer a phonebook from your handset to your PC and save it to disk. Connect a different handset and transfer the phonebook from your PC to the new handset. This allows you to easily store a copy of a phonebook on your PC and transfer it to several different handsets.
- Use the phonebook manager to backup your handset phonebook onto your PC. If for any reason you need to restore the phonebook on your handset, you have a copy safely stored on your PC.
- Use the phonebook manager to create a phonebook offline on your PC. When you have finished editing it, connect your handset and transfer it from the PC to your handset.

NOTE: The phonebook manager application does not perform any synchronization of the phonebook between the PC and the handset. When the Transfer to button is pressed, the entire phonebook is transferred to the handset replacing the existing phonebook on the handset.





Creating an Empty Phonebook

To create an empty phonebook to input data:

- Double-click on the **VTech Phonebook Manager** icon on your PC.
- Click on the Phonebook tab.
- Select the **CREATE PHONEBOOK**  button.
- Using the phonebook manager application, make any changes required to the phonebook. You can add entries or import contacts from other PC applications such as Microsoft Outlook or Palm.

Edit a Phonebook




You can either open an existing phonebook stored in your PC's hard drive by pressing the **OPEN PHONEBOOK**  button using the phonebook manager software, or by transferring the phonebook from your handset by transferring it to the phonebook manager software using the supplied USB cable. To accomplish this:

- Connect your handset to your PC using the USB cable.
- Start the phonebook manager application on your PC.
- Verify the connection by insuring the green icon on the status bar. (If it is not, re-connect the handset to the PC with the USB cable.)
- Press the Phonebook tab.

- Press the **Transfer**  button.
- Using the phonebook manager software, edit the phonebook entries as you wish. At this time you can also add new entries or import contacts from other programs such as Microsoft Outlook or Palm, etc.
- When you are finished editing the phonebook, save it to your PC's hard drive by pressing the **SAVE PHONEBOOK**  button. To transfer the newly edited phonebook to your handset, press Transfer .


Import Contacts Into Phonebook Manager From Other PC Applications

Use this feature to import contacts from a comma separated text file into the VTech phonebook manager software. The contacts will be merged into the currently loaded phonebook.

1. Create a comma separated text file containing the contacts you want to import into your handset. This is accomplished by using the export function from your other contact management application (such as Microsoft Outlook, Outlook Express or Palm applications). The export function in these programs is normally located under the file menu. Be sure to specify the export file as a text file or comma separated file (CSV). An example of exporting contacts from Microsoft Outlook is as follows:
 - a. Start Microsoft Outlook on your PC.
 - b. Select import/export from the file menu.
 - c. Select export to file and press next.
 - d. Select a file type of comma separated values (in Windows).
 - e. Select the folder containing the contacts you want to export.
 - f. Once you've selected a contact folder, press next.
 - g. Enter a file name to save your contacts to. This will be the file you select to import into the phonebook manager program. Be sure to make note of where on your PC you save the file for later reference.
2. Start the VTech phonebook manager program on your PC. Load the newly created phonebook into the phonebook manager software using these steps:

- Press the Transfer  button.
- Press the CREATE PHONEBOOK  button. This will create an empty phonebook.
- Press the OPEN PHONEBOOK  button to load the previously saved phonebook from your PC's hard drive.

NOTE: For first time users, try the import operation on an empty phonebook until you have mastered the process.


- Press the Import/Export  button.
- Select Import Contacts and press the next button.
- Use the browse button to locate the comma separated text file you saved in step one. Press next.
- The next screen displays how the fields from the comma separated text file will be mapped to the handset phonebook entries. There are two fields in the VTech phonebook; name and number. However, most PC contact managers separate names into the first and last name fields. To allow import of this type of file, the mapping dialog allows you to instruct how the name fields from your import file will be placed in the VTech phonebook name field. For example, the following mappings will import the fields first name and last name into the VTech name field. The home phone field will be imported into the VTech phone number field:
If the mapping displayed is not what is desired, select one of the rows and press the Change Map button to correct it. You can only use each of the three fields (VTech name first, VTech name last and VTech phone number) once. If you want to change one that has already been mapped, you must first select that row and use the Change Map button to remove the association.
- When you are done editing the mapping, press the Finish button. The contacts will now be imported and merged into the currently loaded phonebook.

Exporting Contacts to a Comma Separated Text File

This feature allows you to export some or all of your VTech phonebook entries into a comma separated text file. This comma separated text file can then be imported into common contact manager software such as Microsoft Outlook or Palm applications.

- Load a phonebook into the phonebook manager.
- If you wish to only export some of your contacts, select the desired contacts in the list of contacts loaded. You can use your mouse to select to a single row. If you want to select multiple rows, hold down the CTRL key while using your mouse to click on the rows to be selected.
- Press the Import/Export  button.
- Select Export Contacts and press the next button.
- Select whether you want to Export All Contacts or Selected Contacts.
- Enter the name of the file to export the contacts to. You can use the browse button to locate the folder and enter a file name.
- Press the Finish button to complete the export operation.

Deleting Phonebook Records From the Currently Loaded Phonebook

- Start the phonebook manager software on your PC.
- Press the Phonebook tab.
- Load a phonebook into the phonebook manager.
- Select the rows of the phonebook records that are to be deleted. You can use your mouse to select a single row. If you want to select multiple rows, hold down the CTRL key while using your mouse to click on the rows to be selected.
- Press the Delete Selected Contacts  button.
- Save the file to disk and/or transfer it to the handset.

Recordable Ringer

Record a Ringer

You can easily record a unique ringer to be used as either your default ringer or for a distinctive ringer assigned to a specific phonebook directory. You can record with either the provided audio patch cord (not the USB cord), or with the handset microphone.

NOTE: The space allotted for recordable ringers and picture download are dynamic. this means you can delete pictures to make more room for custome ring tones, if you wish.


Cued-up music typically produces the best sounding recorded ringer. It is recommended to begin recording your ringer at the beginning of a song, rather than a portion from the middle to produce an audibly pleasing custom ringer.

Note: Each **i 5871**, **i 5858** and **i 5808** handset is preset with 17 musical ringer options (i.e. harmony, reflection, harmonic, swing, etc.) for you to use as your default ringer or a distinctive ringer. Four of the ringers are protected, you cannot replace them. You can replace the other ringers with your own recordings. You will find 14 additional sound clips excluding those preset in the handset on the accompanying CD-ROM.

- You can use the audio patch cord by inserting the 3.5mm plug (the larger end) into the headset jack of your PC or audio source. Then insert the 2.5mm plug (the smaller end) into the headset jack on the side of the handset.


You can listen to the playing music through your handset speaker after connecting the audio patch cord and selecting the **Using Audio Cable** menu option. Adjust the recording volume at the audio source. To begin recording, press **RECORD**.

If you want to use the handset microphone to record ringers, select the **Using Microphone** menu option. After the beep, and with the handset microphone facing the audio source, start recording.

- Select the **Sounds** icon  in the main menu.
- Select the **Record Sound Clips** option, the handset will show **Using Microphone** or **Using Audio Cable**. The handset will record for up to 15 seconds.

NOTE: If the memory is full, the handset will prompt **Sound Clip memory full**.

- Press the **STOP** softkey stop the recording.

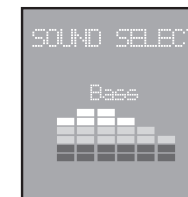
- After recording, you may **PLAY** or **SAVE** the melody. If you choose **SAVE**, you will be prompted to **Enter Clip Name**. Enter a name (up to ten characters) for the recording. If you make a mistake, press the  softkey to backspace. Press **SAVE** to confirm. **Sound Clip saved** will display. The melody will be stored in the **Play Sound Clips** section. You can listen to all of your recorded music clips in this location. If you want, when in **Play Sound Clips**, you can press **DELETE** then **YES** to erase.

NOTE: When you want to use the handset microphone to record ringers, do not insert the audio patch cord into the headset jack.

Sound Select (Handset Only)

During a call, you can adjust the quality of the sound to best suit your hearing. Pressing **◀** and **▶ NavKeys** repeatedly will cycle you through four different frequency responses:

BASS - Low frequency sounds enhanced.



MID - Mid-range sounds enhanced. (This is the recommended setting for hearing aid users).



TREBLE - High frequency sounds enhanced.



NATURAL - No frequency enhancement. (Your handset is preset to this selection).



NOTE: The sound select feature cannot be used when in speakerphone or headset mode.