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Manual abstract:

@@As of 1 Oct. @@ Gigaset Communications GmbH 2010 All rights reserved. Subject to availability. www.gigaset.com GIGASET. @@@@You can designate important entries as VIPs (Very Important Persons). VIP calls are then recognized by their ringer and their color in the directory (page 30). If you don't (always) want it to ring Use time control for calls (page 45) or ensure that all calls from a withheld number are not signaled (page 45). Other practical information Transfer the directory from an existing Gigaset handset (page 31), use the shortcut function (page 31) and adjust the color and contrast of the display to your requirements (page 44).

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After purchasing your Gigaset phone, please register it at www.gigaset.com/service this will ensure any questions you may have or warranty services you request are dealt with even faster! Have fun using your new phone! 1 Overview Overview 1 U 14 13 10:53 am 04.

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open redial list (press and hold) During a call: switch between earpiece and handsfree mode (page 29) 4 Key 1 Dial answering machine (C300A)/ Network mailbox (press and hold) 5 Asterisk key Activate/deactivate ringer (press and hold);

With an open connection: switch between pulse dialing/tone dialing (press briefly) 6 Message key (page 32) Access to call and message lists; Flashes: new message 7 Microphone 8 Recall/Flash key - Recall (flash) - Insert a dialing pause (press and hold) 9 Pound key Keypad lock on/off (press and hold in idle status);

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Example: Main menu icons x t 1 2 Redial Menu 1 2 Alarm Clock Back Alarm Clock Voice Mail Settings OK 1 Current display key function 2 Display keys Important display keys: Redial Open redial list. Menu Open a menu for further functions. OK Confirm selection. Delete Delete key: Delete character by character/word by word from right to left. Back Go back one menu level or cancel operation. 4 Information on using the menus page 21 Menu overview page 25 Base overview Base overview You can use the keys on the base to operate the integrated answering machine (Gigaset C300A only), search for handsets (paging, page 41) and register handsets to the base (page 41).

4 Play/Stop key Play back new message from answering machine (press briefly), play back all messages (press and hold) or cancel playback. Flashes: at least one new message is present. Flashes very quickly: memory is full. During message playback: 5 Go to the next message.

6 Skip to the start of the current message (press once) or go to the previous message (press twice). 7 Delete current message. Gigaset C300A base Please note: If the answering machine is being operated from a handset or if it is recording a message (On/Off key flashes), it cannot be operated from the base at the same time. Gigaset C300 base 2 1 7 5 6 4 3 1 Registration/Paging key Search for handsets (press briefly, paging page 41). Register handsets (press and hold, page 41).

2 On/Off key Activating/deactivating the answering machine. Lights up: answering machine is activated. Flashes: message is being recorded. 3 Volume keys (= quieter; = louder) During message playback: adjust the speaking volume. While phone is ringing: adjust ringer volume. Registration/Paging key Press briefly: search for handsets (paging) page 41. Press and hold: register handsets and DECT devices page 41. 5 Contents Contents Gigaset C300/C300A your high-quality accessory

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Then connect the power adapter 1. 1 2 Please note: u The power adapter must always be connected, as the phone will not operate without a mains connection. u The power adapter must always be connected, as the phone will not operate without an A/C power connection. u Use only the power adapter and phone cord supplied. Pin connections on telephone cables can vary (pin connections, page 52). u The answering machine is ready for use approx. 15 seconds after the base has been connected or reset. 11 Taking the first steps Connecting the charger (if included) 2 Connect the flat plug from the power adapter 1. Plug the power adapter into a power outlet 2. 1 4 To disconnect the plug from the charger, press the release button 3 and disconnect the plug 4. 3 12 Taking the first steps Setting up the handset for use The display is protected by a plastic film. Please remove the protective film! Inserting the battery and closing the battery cover Warning Use only rechargeable batteries recommended by Gigaset Communications GmbH (page 51), as this could otherwise result in significant health risks and personal injury. For example, the outer casing of the batteries could be destroyed or the batteries could explode. The phone could also malfunction or be damaged as a result of using batteries that are not of the recommended type. Insert the batteries with the polarity in the correct direction.

The polarity is indicated in the battery compartment. a b First insert the battery cover at the top a. Then press the cover b until it clicks into place. To open the battery cover, for instance to replace the batteries, insert a coin into the cavity on the casing, then pull the battery cover in an upward direction. 13 Taking the first steps Initial charging and discharging of the batteries The correct charge status can only be displayed if the battery is first fully charged and discharged.

Charge the handset in the base for 8.5 hours. 8.5 hrs Please note The handset must only be placed in the designated Gigaset C300/C300A base or charger. After charging, remove the handset from the base and only replace it when the batteries are fully discharged. u The handset is pre-registered with the base. If you have purchased a model with multiple handsets, all handsets will already be registered with the base. You do not need to register the handset again. u After the first battery charge and discharge, you may place your handset in the charger after every call. u Always repeat the charging and discharging procedure if you remove the batteries from the handset and reinsert them.

u The batteries may warm up during charging. This is not dangerous. u Over time, it is normal for the charge capacity of the batteries to decrease for technical reasons. Please note 14 Taking the first steps Changing the display language To change the display language: Press right on the control key.. L4 English Press the keys Land 4 slowly one after the other. The display for setting languages appears. The current language (e.g., English) is selected. Press down on the control key s ... Francais x ..

. until the language you wish to use is displayed, e.g., French. OK Press the key below OK to select this language.

Back Francais English The selection is marked with . Press and hold the end call key a to return to idle status. 15 Taking the first steps Setting the date and time Set the date and time so that the correct date and time can be assigned to incoming calls, and so that the alarm can be used. Please note Depending on your network provider, the date and time may be displayed automatically. INT 1 Redial Time Press the key below Time on the display screen to open the input field. (If you have already set the time and date, open the input field using the menu page 26.) Enter Date: [04.04.2010] The Date/Time submenu is shown on the display. The active input position flashes.

Enter the month, day and year as an 8-digit number using the keypad, e.g., Q4Q42Q Q for 4 April 2010. To change the input position, e.g., to correct an entry, press right or left on the control key. x Back OK Press the key below OK on the display screen to save your entry. Enter time: [07.15 am] x AM/PM OK Enter the hours and minutes in 4-digit format using the keypad, e.g.

, QM 5 for 07:15 am. Change the input position with the control key if necessary. If necessary, press the AM/PM display key to change the time setting from AM to PM. Confirm with OK. 16 Taking the first steps Saved The display shows Saved.

You will hear a confirmation tone and the handset automatically reverts to idle status, or returns to the "Settings" menu if the setting was made using the menu. Please note If your phone receives the date and time during Caller ID Display (e.g., through your network provider or PBX), you can specify whether this date/time should be applied to your phone: Menu *#Q5#M3 Q or or 2 OK u Q: Never u : Once, in case the date/time is not set on your phone u 2: Always Display in idle status Once the phone is registered and the time set, the screen display is as follows (example). Screen display u Reception between the base and the handset: Good to poor: i No reception: \ Green: Eco Mode is activated (page 40) u Activating the answering machine: : Your answering machine is set with a prerecorded announcement.

u Battery charge status: U white: charged over 66 % V white: charged between 33 % and 66 % e white: charged between 10% and 33% = red: charged below 10% = e V V white: battery charging u INT 1 Internal name of the handset (page 43) U 10:53 04.23.10 INT 1 Redial Menu Your phone is now ready for use! 17 Taking the first steps Setting up area codes Before you can return a call from the Calls list (page 33), you must store the local area code of the area in which your phone is being used. If your phone is in a multiple area code region, you must also store the extra codes for that region. Local Area Code v Telephony Local Area Code ~ Enter the local area code. Save Press the Display key. a When the Saved message displays, press and hold to return to idle state. Extra Codes v Telephony Extra Codes ~ Enter the extra code. Press the Display key. a When the Saved message displays, press and hold to return to idle state.

Repeat the above steps until all the extra codes have been entered for your area. A maximum of five (5) extra codes can be stored. Save 18 Taking the first steps What would you like to do next? Now that you have successfully set up your Gigaset, you can immediately start calling or you can adapt it to your personal requirements. Use the following guide to quickly locate the most important functions. Information on ... Using the phone Setting ringtones Recording your own announcement for the answering machine Registering existing Gigaset handsets to a base Transferring directory entries from existing Gigaset handsets to new handset(s) Setting Eco Mode Operating the telephone on a PBX Setting the earpiece volume .



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is located here. page 20 page 44 page 34 g g g g g g g g page 41 page 31 page 40 page 48 page 44 If you have any questions about using your phone, please read the tips on troubleshooting (page 49) or contact our Service team (page 57). 19 Using the phone Using the phone Using the control key In the description below, the side of the control key (up, down, right, left) which you have to press in the different operating situations is marked in black, e.g., v for "press the right edge of the control key".

The control key has a number of different functions: When the handset is in idle status v s u t Open the main menu. Open the directory. Open the list of handsets. Call up the menu for setting the handset's call volume (page 44). In menus and lists t/s Scroll up/down line by line.

In input fields You can use the control key to move the cursor up t, down s, right v or left u. During an external call v s u t Mute the microphone. Open the directory. Initiate an internal consultation call. Adjust the loudspeaker volume for earpiece and handsfree mode. Using keys on the keypad c / Q / * etc. Press the matching key on the handset. ~ Enter digits or letters. Correcting incorrect entries You can correct incorrect characters in the input fields by navigating to the incorrect entry using the control key. You can then: u Use the display key Delete to delete the character to the left of the cursor.

u Insert characters at the cursor position. u Overwrite the highlighted (flashing) character e.g., when entering time and date. 20 Using the phone Using the menus Your telephone's functions are accessed using a menu consisting of several levels (menu overview, page 25). With the handset in idle status, press the display key Menu or right on the control key v to open the main menu. The functions in the main menu are displayed in the t form of a list with names and icons (example on the right). You can scroll between functions using the control key q. The selectable function is shown in the display. Back OK Press the display key OK or right on the control key v to select the displayed function.

This opens the corresponding submenu and the first entry is displayed. If you press the display key Back or briefly press the end call key a, the display returns to idle status. Main menu (first menu level) Selecting a function Settings Submenus The functions in the submenu are displayed with the corresponding names. Selecting a function You can scroll between functions using the control key q. The relevant function is shown in the display.

Press the display key OK to select the displayed function. This opens the corresponding submenu and the first entry is displayed. Briefly press the display key Back or the end call key a to return to the previous menu level or cancel the operation. Any settings you have not confirmed by pressing OK will be discarded. Reverting to idle status From any point in the menu: Press and hold the end call key a or Do not press any key: after 2 minutes, the display will automatically revert to idle status.

An example of the display in idle status is shown on page 17. 21 Using the phone Activating/deactivating the handset a In idle status, press and hold the end call key (confirmation tone). Activating/deactivating keypad lock Keypad lock prevents any inadvertent use of the phone. # In idle status, press and hold the pound key (confirmation tone). The keypad lock is switched on or off. When it is switched on, the icon appears in the display. If the keypad lock is activated, a corresponding message is displayed when you press a key. Keypad lock deactivates automatically when you receive a call. It is reactivated when the call is finished. Please note When keypad lock is active, you cannot dial/call emergency numbers.

22 Using the phone Understanding the operating steps The operating steps are shown in abbreviated form, for example: Menu Settings Eco Mode (= on) This means you should proceed as follows: Redial Menu Press the key below Menu on the display screen to open the main menu. Press down on the control key s ... Settings t ... until the menu item Settings appears on the screen. Back OK Press the key below OK on the display screen to confirm your selection. Press down on the control key s .

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until the Eco Mode menu item appears. Back Press the key below OK on the display screen to switch the function on or off (= on). Press the key below Back on the display screen to jump back to the previous menu level. Or Press and hold the end call key a to return to idle status. 24 Menu overview Menu overview The menu entries are partially subdivided.

The page numbers refer to the relevant description in the user guide. To open the main menu: press the display key Menu when the phone is in idle mode. Alarm Clock Activation page 40 page 40 Voice Mail Wake up time Play Messages Network Mailbox ** Answering Machine ** page 34 Handset Base page 39 page 34 page 36 Answering Machine * Call Screening * Announcements * Record Announcement Play Announcement Delete Announcement page 34 page 34 page 35 page 37 Message Length * Unlimited 1 Minute 2 Minutes 3 Minutes Ring Delay * Immediately 10 sec 18 sec 30 sec Auto page 37 Network Mailbox Set Key 1 * page 39 Network Mailbox Answering Machine page 39 page 39 *) Base with answering machine only **) Base with answering machine and number of network mailbox is already entered 25 Menu overview Settings Date/Time Audio Settings page 16 Call Volume Ringer Volume Advisory Tones Battery Low Ringtones (Handset) Ringtones (Base) page 44 page 45 page 44 page 44 page 45 page 46 page 43 page 44 page 44 Display Screensaver Color Schemes Contrast Backlight Language Registration page 43 Register Handset Select Base De-register Handset page 41 page 41 page 41 page 44 page 42 page 33 page 18 page 18 page 46 page 46 page 47 page 47 Telephony Auto Answer Listening in Calls List Type Local Area Code Extra Codes Music on Hold System Reset Handset Base Reset System PIN Eco Mode page 40 26 Making calls Making calls When the display backlight is switched off (page 44), pressing any key will activate the backlight. The relevant key function is performed. Making an external call External calls are calls using the public telephone network. ~c Enter the number and press the talk key. Or: c~ Press the talk key c to hear dialtone, then enter the number. You can cancel the dialing operation with the end call key a. You are shown the duration of the call while the call is in progress. If the handset is in the charger and the Auto Answer function is activated (page 44), the handset automatically answers calls when you remove it from the base/charger.



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If the ringer is intrusive, you can deactivate it: Menu Silent OK You can accept the call as long as it is displayed on the screen. Using Caller ID (CID) When you receive a call, the caller's number and/or name is displayed on the screen, if the following prerequisites are met. u Your network provider supports CID.

The caller's number is transmitted.* The caller's number is displayed.* The caller's name is displayed.* u You have requested CID from your network provider. u The caller has requested CID from the network provider. Please note Dialing with the directory (page 30), call list (page 33) and redial list (page 32) saves you from repeatedly keying in phone numbers. Call display with CID If the caller's name is included with the CID message, it will be displayed along with the number.

Ending a call a Press the end call key. Accepting a call The handset indicates an incoming call in three ways: by ringing, by a display on the screen and by the flashing talk key c. To accept the call, press the talk key c. Gigaset C300A: Instead of accepting the call, you can also redirect it to the answering machine: Menu Divert to AM OK 1234567890 1 2 Menu 1 Ringer icon 2 Number or name of caller * Depending on what extent the service provider supports CID 27 Making calls The following is displayed in place of the number: u External Call, if no number is transmitted. u Withheld, if the caller has withheld Caller ID.

u Unavailable, if the caller has not arranged Caller ID. Notes on Caller ID (CID) By default, the number of the caller is shown in the display of your Gigaset telephone. You do not have to make any other settings on your Gigaset telephone. Display with CID and location* If you have CID with location, then the name that is registered with your network provider for the caller's number will also be displayed. If the number of the caller is stored in your directory, the CID display is replaced by the corresponding directory entry.

However, if the caller's number is not displayed, this can be due to the following: u You have not ordered CID from your network provider or u Your telephone is connected through a PBX that does not transmit all information. 1234567890 Anna Lechner, Menu 1 Caller's number 2 Name and town/city Is your telephone connected through a PBX/gateway? You can establish this by checking for an additional device connected between your telephone and house connection, e.g., a PBX, gateway etc. In most cases, simply resetting this device will remedy the situation: Briefly disconnect the power plug of your PBX. Reinsert the plug and wait for the device to restart. 1 2 The display shows: u External Call, if no number is transmitted. u Withheld, if the caller has withheld Caller ID. u Unavailable, if the caller has not arranged Caller ID. If the caller number is still not displayed: Please note The ringer can be switched off for unknown calls (calls with Caller ID restricted) (page 45).

Check the CID settings of your PBX and activate this function if necessary. In the user guide for the device, search for the term "CID" (or an alternative term such as "phone number transmission", "caller ID", ..). If necessary, contact the device manufacturer. If this does not resolve the problem, it is possible that your network provider does not support the CID service for this number. * Depending on what extent the service provider supports CID 28 Making calls Have you ordered the CID service from your network provider? Check whether your provider supports Caller ID (CID) and that the function has been activated for you. If necessary, contact your provider. Additional information on this subject can be found on the Gigaset homepage at: www.gigaset.com/service

Switching to mute You can deactivate your handset's microphone during a call. v Press right on the control key to mute the handset. The display shows Microphone is turned off. Press the key again to reactivate the microphone. Using handsfree mode In handsfree mode, you activate the loudspeaker so that you can hear the caller without having to hold the handset to your ear.

You therefore have both hands free and other people can listen in on the conversation. Please note You may wish to inform your caller before you use the handsfree function so that they know a third party may be listening. Activating/deactivating handsfree mode During a call and when listening to the answering machine (Gigaset C300A only), activate or deactivate handsfree mode. d Press the handsfree key. Each key press switches between handset and handsfree mode.

If handsfree mode is activated, the key is lit up. If you wish to place the handset in the charger during a call: Press and hold handsfree key d while placing the handset in the base/charger and for a further 2 seconds. For instructions on adjusting the handsfree volume, please see page 44. 29 Using the directory and lists Using the directory and lists The options are: u Directory u Redial list u Call lists u Answering machine list (Gigaset C300A only) You can create a personalized directory for your own handset. You can also send lists/ entries to other handsets (page 31). Saving a number in the directory ~ s Menu New Entry ~ Enter the number and press OK. Enter the name and press OK. Order of directory entries Directory entries are generally sorted alphabetically by surname. Spaces and digits take first priority. The sort order is as follows: 1.

Space 2. Digits (09) 3. Letters (alphabetical) 4. Other characters To work round the alphabetical order of entries, insert a space or a digit before the first letter of the name. These entries will then move to the beginning of the directory. Directory You can save up to 250 entries in the directory. Please note To quickly access a number from the directory (shortcut), you can assign the number to a key (Using shortcut keys, page 31). In the directory, you can save: u Numbers and corresponding names u VIP ringer melodies and colors Open the directory in idle status using the s key. Selecting a directory entry s Open the directory. You have the following options: u Use s to scroll through the entries until the required name is selected.

u Enter the first character of the name; use the s key to scroll to the entry if necessary. Length of the entries Number: Name: max. 32 digits max. 16 characters Selecting from the directory s s (Select entry) c Press the talk key. Saving the first number in the directory Managing directory entries s s (Select entry) Menu Press the display key.

~ s Dir. empty New entry? ~ Enter the number and press OK. Enter the name and press OK. The following functions can be selected with q: VIP Caller Melody Mark a directory entry as a VIP (Very Important Person) by assigning a specific ringer melody to it. The entry is flagged with the icon in the directory.



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VIP calls are recognized by the ringer. 30 Using the directory and lists VIP Caller Color Mark a directory entry as a VIP (Very Important Person) by assigning a specific color to it. The entry is displayed in this color in the address book and marked with the icon. Edit Entry Edit the number if required and press OK. Edit the name if required and press OK. Use Number Edit or add to a saved number and then dial it with c or save it as a new entry; to do so, display the number and press: Menu Copy to directory OK Delete Entry Delete selected entry. Send Entry Send a single entry to a handset (Transferring the directory to another handset, page 31). Delete List Delete all directory entries. Send List Send the entire directory to a handset (Transferring the directory to another handset, page 31). Shortcut Assign the current entry as a shortcut to a selected key (Using shortcut keys, page 31).

Transferring the directory to another handset You can transfer directory entries from other handsets to your new handset even entries from old handsets. Prerequisites: s s (select entry) Menu (open menu) Send Entry / Send List s Select the internal number of the receiving handset and press OK. You can transfer several individual entries one after the other by responding to the Entry copied. Next entry? prompt with OK. A successful transfer is confirmed by a message and confirmation tone on the receiving handset. u The sending and receiving handsets must both be registered to the same base. u The other handset and the base can send and receive directory entries. Please note: Using shortcut keys You can assign directory entries to the keys Q and 2 through O: s q (select entry) Menu Shortcut ~ (press the key you want to assign the number to) To dial, press and hold the required shortcut key. u Entries with identical numbers are not overwritten on the receiving handset. u The transfer is canceled if the phone rings or if the memory of the receiving handset is full. u VIP melodies and colors assigned to entries are not transferred. Copying the displayed number to the directory You can copy numbers displayed in a list, e.g., the call list or redial list, to the directory. If you have CID, the first 16 characters of the transmitted name are also copied. A number is displayed: Menu Copy to directory Complete the entry (Saving a number in the directory, page 30). Gigaset C300A: Message playback is interrupted during the number transfer from the answering machine list. 31 Using the directory and lists Copying numbers from the directory In some operating situations, you can open the directory to copy a number, for example. Your handset need not be in idle status. s Open the address book. q Select an entry and press OK. Opening lists with the message key Use the message key f to open the following lists: u Network mailbox or answering machine list (Gigaset C300A only), if your network provider supports this function and fast access is set for the network mailbox (page 39). u Call list An advisory tone sounds as soon as a new message arrives in a list. You can select whether the message key f flashes when new messages arrive (default setting): Menu *#Q5#M XY OK X = 5 for missed calls M for messages on the answering machine Y= Q flashes (it goes off when the key is pressed) I does not flash Depending on the type of the new entry, an icon appears in the display while in idle status: Icon New message in the answering machine list (Gigaset C300A only) or on the network mailbox .

.. in the missed calls list Using the redial list The redial list contains the last ten numbers dialed on the handset (max. 32 numbers). If one of the numbers is in the directory, the corresponding name is displayed. Manual redial c s c Press and hold the key. Select entry. Press the talk key again. The number is dialed. Managing entries in the redial list c s Press and hold the key.

Select entry. Menu Open menu. The following functions can be selected with q: Use Number (as in the directory, page 31) Copy to directory (Saving a number in the directory, page 30) Delete Entry Delete selected entry. Delete List Delete all entries in the redial list. TM The number of new entries is displayed under the corresponding icon.

TM 7 11 Please note If calls are saved in the network mailbox, you will receive a message if the list type has been set accordingly (see your network provider user guide). 32 Using the directory and lists After pressing the message key f, you can see all lists containing messages and the network mailbox list. The list is displayed with the number of new entries (1) and the number of old, read entries (2) (example): t Setting the call list type Calls List Type Missed Calls / All Calls Select and press OK (= on). a Press and hold (idle status). The call list entries are retained when you change the list type.

Menu Settings Telephony Calls List: 02+03 x 1 2 List entry Example of list entries: t Back OK Select a list with q. To open, press OK. Answering machine list (Gigaset C300A only) You can use the answering machine list to listen to the messages that are on the answering machine. New Call 02 1234567890 06.28.10 08:34am x Back Menu Call list Prerequisite: Caller ID Presentation (CID, page 27) The call list contains the last 30 numbers, depending on the type of list set u All calls Accepted calls Unanswered calls Calls recorded by the answering machine (Gigaset C300A only) u Missed calls Unanswered calls and Calls not recorded by the answering machine (Gigaset C300A only) In idle status, you can open the call list by pressing the message key f. u Status of entry New Call: new missed call. Old Call: entry already read. Call recv.: call accepted.

Ans Mach (Gigaset C300A): the answering machine accepted the call. A message was left. u Entry number u Number or name of caller u Call date and time (if set, page 16). Press the talk key c to call the selected caller back. Use the Menu display key to select the following options: Delete Entry Delete selected entry. Copy to directory (Saving a number in the directory, page 30) Delete List Delete all entries in the list. After exiting the call lists, all entries are assigned the status "old". 33 Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine You can operate the answering machine through the handset, the buttons on the base (page 5) or by remote control (from another phone/cell phone). You can record your own announcements using the handset. Recording an announcement Record Announcement Press OK, talk after tone OK Press the display key to start the recording.

You hear the ready tone (short tone). Now speak your announcement (at least 3 secs.). Just as if making a call through the receiver, place the telephone against your ear and speak into the microphone at a normal volume. OK Press the display key to end the recording.



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Cancel recording with a or Back. Restart the recording with OK. After recording, the announcement is played back for you to check. Menu Voice Mail Announcements Operating through the handset The handset loudspeaker activates automatically if you receive an acoustic prompt or message while operating. You can switch it off with handsfree key d.

Activating/deactivating the answering machine Menu Voice Mail Answering Machine (= on) If the message memory is full, the answering machine cannot be activated. You will receive an instruction to delete old messages. When you switch the answering machine on, the remaining memory time is announced. If the time has not yet been set, a corresponding announcement is made (set time, page 16). The icon appears in the display. The telephone is supplied with a prerecorded announcement. This prerecorded announcement is used if no personal announcement is available. Please note: u Recording ends automatically, if the maximum recording time of 170 seconds is exceeded or there is a break in speech for more than 2 seconds. u If you cancel the recording, the prerecorded announcement is used again. Playing back an announcement Menu Voice Mail Announcements Play Announcement If you have not recorded a personal announcement, the prerecorded announcement is played.

34 Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine Deleting an announcement Menu Voice Mail Announcements Delete Announcement OK Press the display key to confirm the prompt. The prerecorded announcement is used again after a personal announcement is deleted. Stopping and controlling playback During message playback: 2 Pause playback. Press 2 again to resume. Or Menu Stop playback. To resume, press Continue OK t or Go to the start of the current message. Press twice to go back to the previous message. s or 3 Go to the next message. Press twice to skip ahead two messages. If playback is interrupted for over a minute, the answering machine returns to idle status.

Please note Deleting announcements can take some time. Playing back messages The date and time of each message is logged (provided this has been set, page 16) and displayed during the playback. If Caller ID is activated, the caller's number or name is displayed. If the caller's number is saved in the directory, their name is displayed. New messages that have not yet been played back are indicated on the display with an icon and number: Copying a phone number from a message to the directory During playback or pause: Menu Copy to Directory Complete the entry (page 31).

7 The message key f on the handset flashes. f Press the message key. Answ. Mach.: Select as required and press OK.

If you have new messages, playback will start with the first new message, otherwise with the first old message. If the message has been saved with the date and time, you will hear an appropriate announcement before playback begins. After the entry time and date have been played back (after approx. 3 seconds), a new message assumes the status "old". Please note Message playback can also be started through the menu: Menu Voice Mail Play Messages Answering Machine To listen to messages: Deleting messages You can either delete all old messages together or individually. Deleting all old messages During playback or pause: Menu Delete all OK Press the display key to confirm the prompt. Deleting individual old messages During playback: Delete Press the display key.

35 Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine Accepting a call from the answering machine You can pick up a call while the answering machine is recording or is being operated through remote operation: Accept Press the display key. Recording stops and you can speak to the caller. If 3 seconds of the call have already been recorded when you accept it, the call will be displayed as a new message.

The f key on the handset flashes. You can answer the call, even if it is not signaled on the handset. Press the display key to stop two-way record. The maximum recording time depends on the capacity available on the answering machine. If the memory is full, you will hear an end tone, the recording is aborted, and the call recorded up to that point is listed in the answering machine list as a new message. End Activating/deactivating call screening While the caller is leaving a message on the answering machine, you can listen in through the loudspeaker on the base or handset. Diverting an external call to the answering machine

You can divert an incoming external call to the answering machine, even if it is deactivated. Prerequisite: Sufficient memory space is available on the answering machine. An external call is signaled on the handset: Menu Divert to AM OK The answering machine starts immediately in answer & record mode and records the call. The set time for ring delay (page 37) is ignored.

Permanently activating/deactivating call screening Menu Voice Mail Call Screening Handset / Base (= on) Call screening can be simultaneously activated on the base and handset. Deactivating call screening for the current recording You can deactivate the function for your own handset during the recording. a Press the end call key. Activating/deactivating two-way record You can record an external call with the answering machine. Inform the caller that the call is being recorded.

During the conversation: Menu Open menu. Two-way Recording Select and press OK. Two-way record is indicated on the display by an advisory text and is added to the answering machine list as a new message. 36 Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine Setting the recording parameters The answering machine has already been preset at the factory. Individual settings can be adjusted using the handset.

Changing the language for voice prompt and prerecorded announcement Menu Open main menu. *#Q5#2 Enter digits and press To set English. Q OK OK To set French. 2 OK To set Spanish. Setting the recording time You can set the maximum recording time of a message: 1 Minute, 2 Minutes, 3 Minutes or Unlimited. Menu Voice Mail Message Length q Select the recording time and press OK (= selected). Setting ring delay You can set when you want the answering machine to accept a call: Immediately, 10 sec, 18 sec, 30 sec or Auto. Menu Voice Mail Ring Delay q Select time and press OK (= selected). Resetting fast access for the answering machine using key 1 To access the answering machine, simply press and hold the key you do not have to select it through the menu. The integrated answering machine has already been preset at the factory.

However, if you have set the network mailbox for fast access (page 39), you can change this setting. Menu Voice Mail Set Key 1 Answering Machine Select and press OK. The setting for fast access applies to all registered handsets. Information about ring delay In Auto mode, the following applies for ring delay: u If there are no new messages, the answering machine answers a call after 18 seconds.



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u If there are new messages, the answering machine answers a call after 10 seconds. When operating remotely (page 38), you can tell after approx. 15 seconds that there are no new messages (otherwise, the answering machine would have already accepted your call). There are no call charges if you hang up now. 37 Operating the Gigaset C300A base answering machine Answering Machine Remote Operation You can check and activate your answering machine from any other telephone (hotel, pay phone etc.).

u You have set a system PIN other than 0000 (page 47). u The phone you are using for remote operation has tone dialing (DTMF) meaning you hear different tones when you press the keys. Alternatively, you can use a code transmitter (available from your cell phone retailer). Activating the answering machine Phone home and let the phone ring until you hear: "Please enter PIN". ~ Enter system PIN.

Your answering machine is activated. It tells you how much capacity is left. The messages are played. The answering machine cannot be deactivated remotely. Prerequisites: Calling the answering machine and playing messages ~ Dial your own number.

While listening to your 9~ announcement, press 9 and enter the system pin. You are informed whether any new messages have been recorded. The messages are now played back. You can now operate the answering machine with the keypad. The following keys are used for operation: A To return to the start of the current message. Press twice to go back to the previous message. B Stop playback. Press again to resume. 3 Go to the next message. 0 Delete current message.

38 Using the network mailbox Using the network mailbox The network mailbox is your provider's voice mail feature within the network. More information is available from your provider. You cannot use the network mailbox unless you have requested it from your provider. The following information is only applicable when using your handset with a Gigaset C300 base. If you have registered your handset to a different base, such as the Gigaset C300A, please refer to your base user guide. Calling the network mailbox Press and hold. You are connected straight to the network mailbox. Please note You can also connect to the network mailbox through the menu: Menu Voice Mail Play Messages Network Mailbox (Gigaset C300A only) Viewing the network mailbox message When a message is recorded, you receive a call from the network mailbox. If you have requested Caller ID, the network mailbox number is displayed. If you accept the call, the new messages are played back.

If you do not accept the call, the network mailbox number is saved in the missed calls list (page 32). Using fast access for the network mailbox To access the network mailbox, simply press and hold the key you do not have to select it through the menu. Gigaset C300: The network mailbox is preconfigured for fast access. You only need to enter the number of the network mailbox. Menu Voice Mail Network Mailbox (= selected) ~ Enter the network mailbox number and press OK.

Gigaset C300A: The integrated answering machine is preconfigured for fast access. You can switch to the network mailbox. Menu Voice Mail Network Mailbox ~ Enter the network mailbox number and press OK. Set Key 1 Network Mailbox (= selected) The setting for fast access applies to all handsets. Please note Enter the network mailbox phone number into your directory along with the designation "Network mailbox"; the display and the call list will then show this designation.

39 ECO DECT ECO DECT You are helping to protect the environment with your Gigaset. Using the handset as an alarm clock Prerequisite: The date and time have already been set (page 16). Reducing energy consumption Your telephone has a power-saving adapter plug and uses less power.

Activating/deactivating the alarm clock Menu Alarm Clock Activation (= on) Reducing radiation The radiation from your telephone is automatically reduced: u Handset: The closer the handset is to the base, the lower the radiation. u Base: The radiation is reduced to virtually zero when only one handset is registered and the handset is placed in the base. You can further reduce the radiation from the handset and base by using Eco Mode: Eco Mode Reduces radiation from the base and handset by 80% whether you are making a call or not. Eco Mode reduces the range of the base by approx. 50%. Using Eco Mode always makes sense when a reduced range is sufficient. After you activate the alarm clock, the menu for setting the wake up time opens automatically.

The icon and wake up time are shown on the display. A wake-up call is signaled on the display (page 3) and with the selected ringer volume and melody (page 44). The wake-up call sounds for 60 seconds. If no key is pressed, the wake-up call is repeated twice at five-minute intervals and then switched off.

During a call, the wake-up call is only signaled by a short tone. Setting the wake up time Menu Alarm Clock Wake up time Activate/deactivate Eco Mode: Menu Settings Eco Mode OK ~ Press display key (= on). Enter the wake up time in hours and minutes, then press OK. Status displays Screen icon i \ (flashes) white green Deactivating the wake-up call/ repeating after a pause (snooze mode) Reception strength: good to poor no reception Eco Mode deactivated Eco Mode activated Prerequisite: A wake-up call is sounding. Off Press the display key. The wakeup call is deactivated.

Or Snooze Press the display key or any key. The wake-up call is deactivated and then repeated after 5 minutes. After the second repetition, the wake-up call is deactivated completely. Please note Activating Eco Mode reduces the range of the base. 40 Using multiple handsets Using multiple handsets Registering handsets You can register up to four handsets on your base station.

Each additional handset must be registered with the base in order for it to work properly! 2) On the base Press and hold the registration/paging key on the base (page 5) (approx. 3 sec.). Deregistering handsets You can deregister all other registered handsets from each of the registered Gigaset handsets. Menu Settings Registration De-register Handset s Select the internal subscriber you wish to deregister and press OK.

(The handset you are currently using is highlighted with <). ~ Enter the current system PIN and press OK. Yes Press the display key. Registering the Gigaset handset with the Gigaset C300/C300A You must manually register the handset on both the handset (1) and the base (2). Once the registration process has been completed successfully, the handset returns to idle status. The handset's internal number is shown in the display, e.g., INT 1. @@~ If required, enter the system PIN for the base and press OK. @@ Briefly press the registration/paging key on the base (page 5).

@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@Enter the number of the handset. Initiate internal call. Select handset.



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@@Or: u Initiate internal call. * Press the asterisk key. Or: u Initiate internal call. Call All Select c Press the talk key. All handsets are called. Press the display key. You are reconnected with the external participant.

@@@a Press the end call key to end the internal call. @@You are conducting an external call. @@@@u Open the list of handsets. @@s Select a handset or Call All and press OK. @@Your screen will display information to that effect.

To listen in to the external call. c Press the talk key. You can listen in to the call. All participants hear a signal tone. @@a Press the end call key. All participants hear a signal tone. @@@@Menu Settings Language The current language is indicated by a . s Select a language and press OK. @@are assigned automatically upon registration. You can change these names. The name must not exceed 10 characters. The changed name is displayed in every handset's list. u Open the list of handsets. Your own handset is indicated by <. s Select handset.

Menu Open menu. Rename ~ Enter name. @@You can also set a screensaver and the backlight. Menu Settings Display You have the following options: Screensaver You can set a picture or the time to be displayed as a screensaver when the handset is in idle status. This will replace the idle status display. You can choose between No Screensaver, Digital Clock and Picture. 43 Handset settings The screensaver is not displayed in certain situations, e.g., during a call or if the handset is deregistered. To show the display in idle status, briefly press end call key a.

Color Schemes You can set the display to be shown in various color combinations. Four color schemes are available. Contrast Nine contrast settings are available. Backlight Depending on whether or not the handset is in the charger, you can activate or deactivate the backlight (= on). If the display backlight In Charger is activated, the display is permanently dimmed when the handset is in the charger.

If the display backlight Out of Charger is activated, the handset switches the display backlight to 10% of the maximum brightness in 2 stages, when the handset is out of the charger. When the display backlight is switched off, any key press will activate the backlight and perform the relevant key function. Changing the handsfree/ earpiece volume You can set the volume for handsfree mode and earpiece mode to five different levels. In idle status: t Call Volume Earpiece Volume / Handsfree Volume Select and press OK. q Set the volume (e.

g., volume 3 =). OK Press the display key to save the setting. During a conversation using the earpiece or in handsfree mode: t Press the control key to open the menu for setting the volume. Set the earpiece or handsfree volume by pressing q. The setting will automatically be saved after approximately 3 seconds, if not then press the display key OK. Please note You can also set the call volume using the menu (page 26). Please note If the backlight is turned on outside the charger, the standby time for the handset is considerably reduced! Changing ringtones u Volume: You can choose between five volumes (e.g., volume 2 = ^) and the "crescendo" ring (volume increases with each ring =).

u Ringtones: You can select a ringer from a list of preloaded melodies. You can set different ringtones for the following functions: u Internal calls u External calls: u Alarm clock Activating/deactivating auto answer If this function is activated, you can simply lift the handset out of the charger without having to press the talk key c when you receive a call. Menu Settings Telephony Auto Answer OK Press display key (= on). 44 Handset settings Setting the ringer volume The ringer volume is the same for all types of ring. In idle status: t Ringer Volume q Set the volume. OK Press the display key to save the setting. Settings Ringer off from: / Ringer off until: Enter time in 4-digit format. Please note During this period, you will continue to receive calls from numbers to which you have assigned a personalized melody in the directory (VIP). Anonymous Calls Silent You can set your handset not to ring for calls where Caller ID has been restricted (not answering machine). The call will only be signaled on the display.

Switch the Anonymous Calls Silent function on or off by pressing OK (= activated). Please note You can also adjust the ringer volume in the menu (page 26). Setting the ringer melody Set different ringer melodies for external calls, internal calls and the alarm clock. For internal calls and the alarm clock In idle status: t Ringtones (Handset) Internal Calls / Alarm Clock Select and press OK. q Select melody and press OK (= selected).

Please note You can also set the ringer melodies in the menu (page 26). Activating/deactivating the ringer You can: u Permanently deactivate the ringer in idle status or when receiving a call u Deactivate the ringer for the current call only. The ringer cannot be reactivated while a call is in progress. For external calls: In idle status: t Ringtones (Handset) External Calls Select and press OK. q can be used for the following: Melodies You can set the ringer melody as described above.

Time Control You can specify a time period when you do not want the telephone to signal external calls e.g., during the night. Activation is switched on or off by pressing OK (= activated) Deactivating the ringer permanently * Press and hold the asterisk key. The icon appears in the display. Reactivating the ringer * Press and hold the asterisk key. Deactivating the ringer for the current call Menu Silent OK 45 Base station settings Activating/deactivating advisory tones/battery low tone Your handset uses advisory tones to tell you about different activities and statuses. These can be activated and deactivated independently of each other: u Advisory Tones Confirmation tone: at the end of an entry/setting and when a new entry arrives in the answering machine list or in the call list Error tone: when you make an incorrect entry Menu end tone: when scrolling to the end of a menu Key click: every key press is confirmed. u Battery Low The battery requires charging. t Advisory Tones / Battery Low Select and press OK to activate or deactivate (= activated).

Base station settings The base settings are carried out using a registered Gigaset handset. Changing ringtones u Volume: You can choose between five volumes and the "crescendo" ring (page 44). Select "0" to deactivate the base ringer. u Ringtones: You can set a ringer melody for external calls (page 44). u Time control: You can specify when the base should not ring (e.g., during the night). Menu Settings Audio Settings Ringtones (Base) Ringer Volume / Ringer Melody / Time Control For more information on adjusting the settings, see page 44. Restoring the handset default settings You can reset individual settings and changes that you have made. The following settings are not affected by a reset: u Registration of the handset to the base u Date & time u Entries in the directory, call lists Menu Settings System Reset Handset OK Confirm prompt.



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