Quick Start Guide

Cisco Unified IP Phone
Model 6945

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1. Dial
- To dial, lift the handset and enter a number.
- Or try one of the following options:
  1. Redial the last number
  2. Press the Redial softkey. To redial on a secondary line, press the line button first.
  3. Dial on-hook when handset in down
  1. Enter a number when the phone is idle.
  2. Lift the handset or press one of these: a line button, the Call softkey, the headset button or the speakerphone button.

To place an intercom call – 4 numerals (extension)
To place an outside call – 0XX
To call a mobile phone – 63XXXX

Speed-dial
Choose one of the following options:
- Enter a speed-dial item number and press the Speed Dial softkey.
- Press the down arrow on the Navigation bar when the phone is idle, then scroll to a speed-dial item and press the round Select button in the Navigation bar.
- Press a speed dial button (may be assigned to an available line button next to your screen).

2. Answer
New call indicators:
- A flashing red light on your handset.
- A flashing amber line button.
- An animated icon and caller ID.
- To answer the call, lift the handset. Or press the flashing amber line button, the Answer softkey, or the unit headset or speakerphone button.

Answer with multiple lines
If you are talking on the phone when you get a call on a different line, press the flashing amber line button to answer the second call and put the first call on hold automatically.

3. Mute
1. Press the Mute button.
   - The button glows to indicate that Mute is on.
2. Press Mute again to turn Mute off.

4. Voicemail
New message indicators:
- A solid red light on your handset.
- A stutter dial tone on the line (if enabled).
- A message icon appears next to the line label.

Listen to messages
Press the Messages button and follow the voice prompts.
To check messages for a specific line, press the line button before pressing the Messages button.
- The 96 dial option exists

5. Forward All – Follow Me
1. To forward all incoming calls to another number, press the Fwd All softkey.
2. Enter a phone number (enter it exactly as you would dial it), or press the Messages button to forward all calls to voicemail.
3. To cancel call forwarding, press Fwd Off.
   - To set up forwarding remotely or on a secondary line (if supported), access your User Options web pages. See your system administrator for details.

6. Hold
1. Press the Hold button. The hold icon displays and the session button pulses green.
2. To resume the highlighted call, press the pulsing green button or the Resume softkey.

7. Conference
1. From a connected call (not on hold), press the Conference button.
2. Make a new call.
3. Press the Conference button or the Conference softkey before or after the party answers. The conference will begin and the phone will display “Conference.”
4. Repeat these steps to add more participants. The conference ends when all participants hang up.
   - Up to 4 participants.

Conference across lines
You can combine two calls on two lines into a conference call (phones with multiple lines only).
1. From a connected call (not on hold), press the Conference button.
2. Press the line button for the other (held) call. The conference will begin and the phone will display “Conference.”

View and remove participants
During a conference, press the Details softkey. To remove a participant from the conference, scroll to the participant and press the Remove softkey.

Did you know?
Call the Switchboard 3800/88 | Call selection (previously 87) – is now a button | Call mobile phones 63xxxx
8. Transfer  
1. From a connected call (not on hold), press the Conference button (3).
2. Call the transfer recipient.
3. Press the Transfer button or the Transfer softkey (before or after the recipient answers).
The transfer is complete.

9. Call History  
View your call history 
1. Press the Applications button (3).
2. Select Call History. (Use the Navigation bar and round Select button to scroll and select.)
3. Select a line to view.
   Your phone displays the last 150 missed, placed, and received calls.
4. To view details for a call, scroll to the call and press the More softkey, then press Details.
5. To return to your call history, press the Back softkey. To exit the Applications menu, press the Applications button (3).

View your missed calls only
1. View your call history.
2. Press the Missed softkey.

View your placed calls only
Press the up arrow on the Navigation bar when the phone is idle, with all menus closed.

Dial from your call history 
1. View your call history, or navigate to your missed or placed calls.
2. Scroll to a listing and lift the handset, or press a line button, or Dial softkey, or the Select button.
3. To edit a number before dialing, press these softkeys:
   or Dial softkey, or the Select button.
4. To dial, scroll to a listing and press the Dial softkey.

10. Directories 
1. Press the Contacts button (3).
2. Select a directory. (Use the Navigation bar and round Select button to scroll and select.)
3. Use your keypad to enter search criteria.
4. Press the Submit soft key.
5. To dial, scroll to a listing and press the Dial softkey.

Configure contacts and password via the personal portal. See the full guide for instructions.

11. programming numbers and configuring quick dial settings  
Program and configure quick dial settings via the personal portal.

12. Settings Volume  
The Volume bar is located to the left of the keypad.
   • To adjust the handset, headset, or speakerphone volume, press the Volume bar when the phone is in use.
   • To adjust the ringer volume, press the Volume bar up or down.
   To silence the phone when ringing, press the Volume bar down one time (pressing multiple times lowers the ringer volume).

Ringtone  
1. Press the Applications button (3).
2. Select Preferences. (Use the Navigation bar and round Select button to scroll and select.)
3. Select Ringtone.
4. If necessary, select a line.
5. Scroll through the list of ringtones and press Play to hear a sample.
6. Press Set and Apply to save a selection.

Screen contrast  
1. Press the Applications button (3).
2. Select Preferences. (Use the Navigation bar and round Select button to scroll and select.)
3. Select Contrast.
4. Press the Navigation bar up or down.
5. Press the Save softkey.

13. Remaining on busy extension – repeat dialer (previously signal + 9)  
When calling a busy extension/no response press Call Back at the bottom of the screen and when the requested extension becomes available, you will receive a signal and you will then be able to press the Dial softkey.

Where are my softkeys? 
You have four softkeys buttons below the screen. Press the moresoftkey to see additional softkeys.

How do I select an item in a list or menu? 
With the item highlighted, press the Select button in the middle of the Navigation bar. Or, use your keypad to enter the corresponding item number.

How do I exit a menu? 
To close a menu from any level, press the corresponding feature button. To go back one level in a menu, press the Exit or Back softkey (6).

14. Tips  
How can I keep track of multiple calls?  
Line button colors indicate call states and can help you stay oriented when handling multiple calls:
   Ringing call—Flashing amber
   Connected call—Solid green
   Held call—Flashing green
   Shared line in-use remotely—Solid red
   Shared line on hold remotely—Flashing red

How can I silence my ringer?  
Press the Volume bar down one time while the phone is ringing. Or ask your system administrator to set up the Do Not Disturb (DND) feature on your phone. DND silences the ringer and redirects calls to voicemail.

What does the Swap softkey do? 
Swap allows you to toggle between calls and consult privately with each party before completing a transfer or conference.

How can I personalize various features and phone settings? 
You can personalize your setting via the personal portal. See the full guide for instructions.

The personal portal’s URL is: http://myiptel.com

Mobility options and do not disturb
Unavailable options may be requested.

Where can I find a complete User Guide?  

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