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Tips BlackBerry Pearl 8100 smartphone

 BlackBerry Pearl™

Start me up

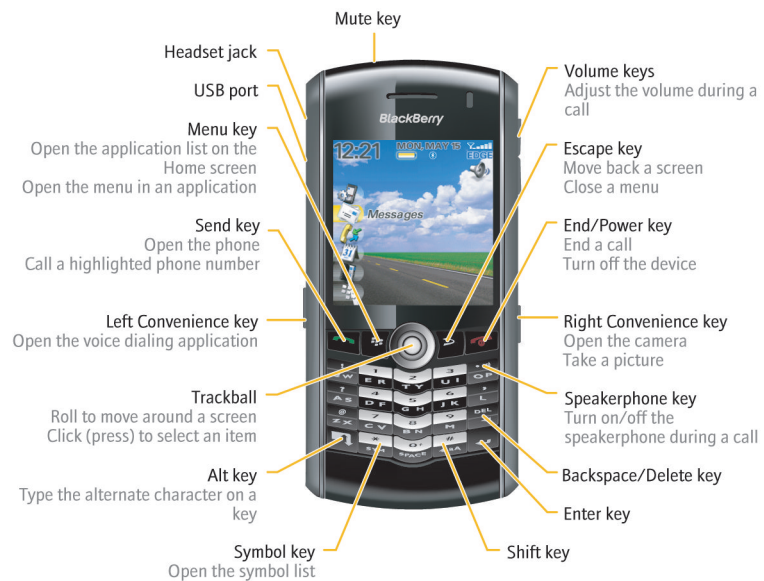
Thank you for choosing a BlackBerry® Pearl™ 8100™ smartphone! See the *Getting Started Guide* that came with your device for step-by-step instructions for your device.

Setup checklist








Complete the following tasks to set up your device. See the *Getting Started Guide* that came with your BlackBerry® device for help.

- Insert the SIM card
- Insert the battery
- Charge the battery
- Complete the setup wizard

Keys and features










Typing tips

- To capitalize a letter, hold the letter key until the capitalized letter appears or press the  key and press the letter key.
- To type the alternate character on a key, hold the  key and press the character key.
- To type a symbol, press the  key. To view more symbols, press the  key again. Type the letter that appears below the symbol.
- To type an accented or special character, hold the letter key and roll the trackball to the left or right. Click a selected character.
- To turn on number lock, hold the  key and press the  key.
- To turn off number lock, press the  key.






Save time

See the *Getting Started Guide* that came with your BlackBerry® device or click **Help** on your device for more information about using your device.

Home screen tips


- To open the application list, press the  key.
- To return to the Home screen, press the  key.
- To lock the keyboard, on the Home screen, hold the  key.
- To unlock the keyboard, press the  key and the  key.
- To lock the device, set a password. On the Home screen, hold the  key.
- To unlock the device, type your password.
- To switch between the Default and Vibrate notification profiles, on the Home screen, hold the  key.


Phone tips

- To make a call from the Home screen, type the phone number. Press the  key.
- To end a call, press the  key.
- To answer a call, press the  key.
- To turn on or turn off mute during a call, press the **Mute** key.
- To turn on or turn off the speakerphone during a call, press the  key.
- To adjust the volume during a call, press the **Volume** keys.
- To call a highlighted contact or phone number, press the  key.










Try this

Make a call using a voice command.

1. In the address book, press the  key.
2. Click **New Address**.
3. Type the contact information.
4. Click the trackball.
5. Click **Save**.
6. In the voice dialing application, wait for the sound.
7. Say "**Call**" and a contact name or phone number.


To end the call, press the  key.

Message tips











- To move up a message, press .
- To move down a message, press .
- To move to the top of a screen, press .
- To move to the bottom of a screen, press .
- To highlight adjacent messages, hold the  key and roll the trackball.
- To compose a message from a message list, press the  key.
- To reply to a message, press the  key.
- To reply to all, press the  key.
- To forward a message, press the  key.

Try this

Copy text in a message and paste it into other applications.


1. In a message, place the cursor before the text that you want to copy.
2. Press the  key and roll the trackball.
3. Click the trackball.
4. Click **Copy**.
5. Place the cursor where you want to paste the text.
6. Click the trackball.
7. Click **Paste**.


Browser tips

- To follow a link, click the link.
- To move to a specific web page, press the  key.
- To insert a period (.) in the Go To dialog box, press the  key.
- To insert a slash mark (/) in the Go To dialog box, press the  key and the  key.
- To hide the banner on a web page, press the  key.
- To view the banner on a web page, press the  key again.
- To add a bookmark, on a web page, press the  key.
- To open the bookmark list, on a web page, press .
- To stop loading a web page, in the browser, press the  key.
- To close the browser, hold the  key.





Try this

Move through a web page line by line.

1. On a web page, press the  key.
2. Click **Select Mode**.



To select only links and fields as you move through a web page, press the  key. Click **View Mode**.

Organizer tips






- To move to the next day, week, or month in the calendar, press the  key.
- To move to the previous day, week, or month in the calendar, press the  key and the  key.
- To convert a measurement in the calculator, type a number. Click the trackball. Click **To Metric** or **From Metric**. Click a conversion type.
- To change the status of a task in the task list, highlight a task. Press the  key.
- To search for a contact in a list of contacts, type the contact name or initials separated by a space.

Try this

Assign a ring tone to a contact.

1. In the address book, highlight a contact.
2. Press the  key.
3. Click **Edit**.
4. Click the trackball.
5. Click **Add Custom Phone Tune**.
6. Set a ring tone.
7. Press the  key.
8. Click **Save**.

Media tips

- To zoom in to a picture, press .
- To zoom out from a picture, press .
- To zoom to the original picture size, press .
- To pause a slide show, press the  key.
- To resume a slide show, press the  key again.
- To pause a video or song, press the **Mute** key.
- To resume playing a video or song, press the **Mute** key again.

Try this

Take a picture.

1. In the camera, click the trackball.
2. Perform one of the following actions:
 - To take another picture, click the **camera** icon.
 - To delete the picture, click the **trash can** icon.
 - To set the picture as a caller ID picture or Home screen background, click the **crop** icon.
 - To forward the picture, click the **envelope** icon.
 - To rename and save the picture, click the **folder** icon.