

# Karbonn A51

## User Manual

Android 4.0 (Ice Cream Sandwich) is the Operating System for your Touch Screen smartphone - Karbonn A51.

## **INTRODUCTION**

Thanks for choosing Karbonn A51, Dual SIM Android smart phone based on 1 GHz Processor. This smartphone is running on Android OS, v4.0 (Ice Cream Sandwich). If you'd like your phone to live a long and fruitful life, please read this guide carefully and keep it for future reference. You never know when you might need it.

And don't worry if the pictures we use to demonstrate your phone's functions look a little different from what you see on its screen. It's the functions that matter.

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# 1 Safety

## 1.1 Safety Precautions



Please read through the following briefings carefully and act in accordance with these rules, so as to prevent causing any danger or violating any law.

### SAR Value

- Your mobile phone model has been designed to comply with applicable safety requirements for exposure to radio waves. The radio wave exposure guidelines employ a unit of measurement called Specific Absorption Rate (SAR). The recommended SAR limit for mobile handset is 1.6 W/Kg averaged over a 6 minutes period and taken over a volume containing a mass 1g of human tissue.
- The highest SAR value for this mobile phone model is 1.25 Watt/Kg averaged over a 6 minutes period and taken over a volume containing a mass 1g of human tissue.
- Use cell phone when the signal strength is good. Keep your calls short or instead use headset or send a text message. This advice applies especially to children, adolescents and pregnant women.
- If you are using a Bluetooth headset device, please make sure it has a low power emitter.

## 1.2 Using your phone safely



### **On The Road**

Using a phone while driving is illegal in many countries. Please follow local laws and drive safely at all times.



### **Near Sensitive Electronics**

Don't use your phone near sensitive electronic equipment – particularly medical devices such as pacemakers – as it could cause them to malfunction. It

can also interfere with the operation of fire detectors and other automatic-control equipment.

For more information about how your phone affects pacemakers or other electronic equipment, please contact the manufacturer or your local distributor.

Your phone may cause interference when used near TVs, radios or automated office equipment.



### **While Flying**

Your phone can cause interference with aircraft equipment. So it's essential you follow airline regulations. And if airline personnel ask you to switch off your phone, or disable its wireless functions, please do as they say.



### **In Hospital**

Your phone may interfere with the normal operation of medical equipment. Follow all hospital regulations and turn it off when you're asked to by posted warnings or medical staff.



### **At a Petrol Station**

Don't use your phone at petrol stations. In fact, it's always best to switch off whenever you're near fuels, chemicals or explosives.



### **Around Water**

Keep your phone away from water (or any other liquid). It's not a waterproof model.



### **Making Repairs**

Never take your phone apart. Please leave that to the professionals. Unauthorised repairs could break the terms of your warranty.



### **Broken Antenna**

Don't use your phone if the antenna is damaged, as it could cause injury.



### **Around Children**

Keep your mobile out of children's reach. It should never be used as a toy and it might not be good for their health.



### **Original Accessories**

Only use the original accessories supplied with your phone or those approved by the manufacturer. Using unapproved accessories may affect performance, make the warranty void, break national regulations on the use of mobile phones, or even cause injury.



### **Near Explosives**

Turn off your phone in or near areas where explosive materials are used. Always obey local laws and turn off your phone when requested.



### **Emergency Calls**

To make an emergency call your phone must be turned on and in an area where there's network coverage. Dial the national emergency number and press 'send'. Explain exactly where you are and don't hang up until help has arrived.



### **Working Temperature**

The working temperature for the phone is between 0 Degree and 40 Degree Celcius. Please don't use the phone outside the range. Using the phone under too high or too low temperature might cause problems.



At very high volume, prolonged listening to a mobile phone can damage your hearing.





## 2 Understanding your Phone

### 2.1 Your Phone



### 2.2 Description Icons

Icons	Descriptions	Icons	Descriptions
	Shows the phone's network signal strength.		Show the phone's battery capacity.
	Speaker has been activated.		You have unread SMS.
	Call on hold		USB storage Turned on.
	The ringing type is set on Vibration.		Flight Mode
	Wi fi is ON		2G network in use.

Icons	Descriptions	Icons	Descriptions
	You have missed calls.		A clock alarm is active.
	In call		Bluetooth ON

## 2.3 Inserting & Removing the Battery

### Inserting the Battery

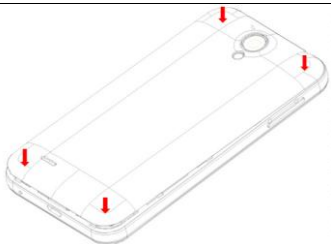
1. Open the battery cover on the back of your phone.
2. Align the battery's contact points with those of the phone and gently press the battery down into place.
3. Replace the battery cover clicking it back into position.

#### Inserting the Battery



#### Closing the Back Cover





### Removing the battery

1. Switch off your phone.
2. Open the battery cover. Gently shift the cover and open
3. Lift the battery up and out of your phone.

Open the Back Cover



### Removing the battery



## 2.4 Charging the battery

The rechargeable Li-ion battery that comes with your phone is ready to be used, but is not charged. It is easy to do & can be done in 3 simple steps below:

1. Connect the charger to your phone, and plug it into a socket.
2. The battery indicator in the corner of the screen will scroll to show you it's charging.
3. When fully charged, the battery indicator will stop scrolling.
4. Disconnect the charger from your mobile, and unplug.

## 2.5 Power ON/OFF

Press the power key to power-ON/OFF the phone.

When you turn your phone on, it'll automatically check the SIM and show the following information on screen:

- **Input SIM1 PIN:** If you've set a PIN for your SIM1.
- **Input SIM2 PIN:** If you've set a PIN for your SIM2.

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### Note:

*The PIN is supplied with your SIM. Please replace it with your own PIN code as soon as possible. Enter the wrong PIN three times, and your SIM will be locked. Then you'll need to contact your network service provider to ask for a PUK code to unlock it. It is applicable for both the SIMs if you are using 2 SIM Cards.*

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## 2.6 Enter Main Menu

In Idle mode, press the Menu key to enter the main menu on the desktop and click the Home key to return.

## 2.7 Enter Sub Menu

Once at the main menu, click the icon to select the submenu, press **Back Key** to return to the previous menu, and press the **Home Screen** to return to the home screen.

## 2.8 Use Notification Panel

As a new notification appears in the notification area, slide down in the area to view the contents of the notification.

## 2.9 Expand Main Interface

The main interface may extend and exceed the screen width to provide more space for newly added shortcuts and tools.

Slide your finger horizontally on the main interface to extend to the left or right area of the main interface.

## 2.10 Add icons on the main interface

You can long press the icon on the main menu until it's enlarged and the mobile phone vibrates, and copies the icons in the main menu to the main interface.

## 2.11 Move icons on the main interface

1. Long press the icon on the main interface until it's enlarged and the mobile phone vibrates.
2. Drag the icon to the desired position and then release it.

## 2.12 Delete icons on the main interface

1. Long press the icon on the main interface until it's

enlarged and the mobile phone vibrates.

2. Drag the icon to “Remove” to delete it.

## 2.13 Change wallpapers

1. Long press “Touch screen” to open the menu.
2. Choose from “Gallery /”Live Wallpapers”/ “Wallpapers”, and Select the wallpaper and press “Set wallpaper” to complete.

## 2.14 Recent tasks

On any interface, long press [**Home**] to access to the recent tasks interface, view all the recent tasks,touch one of them to enter this App.

## 2.15 Install APK through File Manager

APK is a supported file format for the Android mobile operating system.

- a)Please copy the downloaded APK file into the SD card, and then insert the SD card into the phone.
- b)In Idle mode, click Main Menu to enter the main menu.
- c)Click “File Manager” to enter the directory of SD card.
- d)Click the APK file you wish to install, and follow the installation wizard.

## 3 Using your Phone

### 3.1 Main Menu & Its Functions

Select  to enter the main menu...

Allows you to view a list of features available in your phone-

#### 1. Audio profiles

In Audio Profiles application, you can select the predefined audio profiles, e.g. General or Silent or Vibration or Outdoor, and can define audio profiles by yourself.

#### 2.Back up

In Backup application, you can backup applications and data, and also restore these applications and data.

Notes: Before executing this function, ensure that T-Flash card has enough space; After backuping applications and data, please don't remove or destroy the backup. Because illegal operations cause data loss or damage, user will take the responsibility by himself.

#### 3.Browser

Browse the internet. Search engine- default set as Google.

#### 4.Calculator

Allows you to make tedious calculations quickly.

#### 5.Calendar

View the calendar & add events.

#### 6.Clock

After entering Clock, touch  to set Alarm; touch



to access to Gallery; touch



to access to

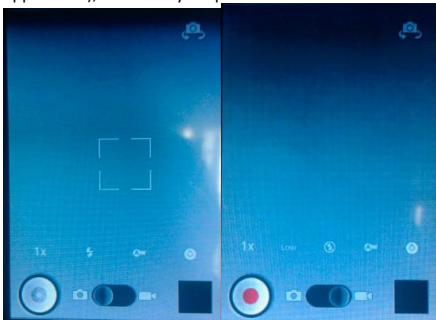
Music player; touch



to return to the desktop.

## 7.Camera

Allows you to click pictures & video anytime you want. Camera opens in capture mode. Frame your picture within the screen and hold the phone steady. Touch Camera button to capture. Continue to hold the camera steady for a second after you hear the shutter sound. Immediately after capture, you can select to preview, or set as (contact icon or wallpaper), Share (via a compatible application), or Delete your picture.



## 8. Contact

To see your list of Contacts. Access phonebook through this function.

## 9. Downloads



In main menu, touch **Downloads** to enter, you can view the downloaded files or applications.

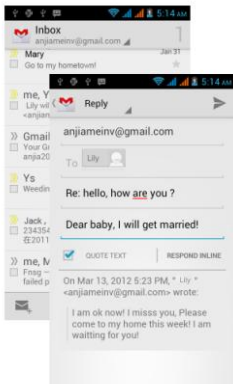
## 10.FM radio



In main menu, touch **FM Radio** to enter FM Radio interface, then you can listen to FM radio freely.

## 11.Gmail

Allows you set up your Gmail accounts.



## 12. Gallery

Allows you to save & view photos & videos.



### **13. Karbons live**

Enter Karbons live, u can enjoy all kinds of life message here.

### **14.Play Store**

Log in to your Gmail account to view all the applications & download from thousands of applications available under the Google Market called Play Store.

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#### **Note:**

*To use this app please connect to an internet connection.*

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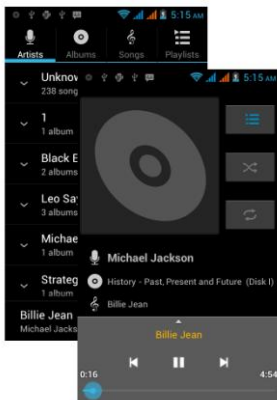
### **15. Messaging**

Allow you to view messages sent & received as a thread.

### **16. Music**

View the list of songs available in your phone. View the artists, albums, playlists & more.









## 17. Movies

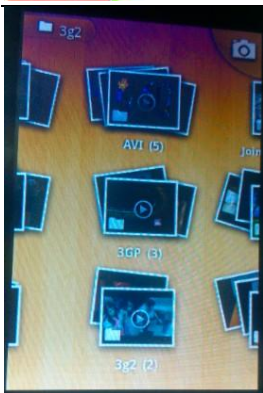


In main menu, touch **Movies** to enter video folders,

touch a video file to play, touch  to pause,

touch  to stop, touch  to

rewind or fast-forward playing, touch  to play the previous or the next file, press [Volume] to adjust the volume.



## 18.Phone

Allow you to make quick outgoing calls.

## 19. ES File Explorer

You could install the files in APK format & also view your files.

## 20. Search



In main menu, touch **Search**, access to Google Search,



enter key words, touch **→**, you can search a target in All or Web or Apps or Contacts, the matched result will display below. You also can do voice search here.

## 21.Settings

Modify settings under the following-

- Wi-Fi
- Bluetooth
- Data Usage

- Multi SIM Settings
- Sound & Display
- Storage & Battery
- Apps
- Accounts & Sync
- Location Services & Security
- Language & Input
- Backup & Reset
- Date & Time
- Accessibility
- System Updates
- About phone

## **22. SIM Toolkit**

This service is provided by the operator. It provides many types of personalized message services.

## **23. Sound Recorder**

Allows you to record sounds.

## **24. Gtalk**

Google Talk is an instant messaging service that provides both text and voice communicationVoice search.

## **25. YouTube**

**YouTube** is a video-sharing website, share your videos with friends, family, and the world.

# **3.2 Wi-Fi**

Karbonn A51 supports Wi-Fi which allows you to connect with a Wireless connection.This is useful for surfing

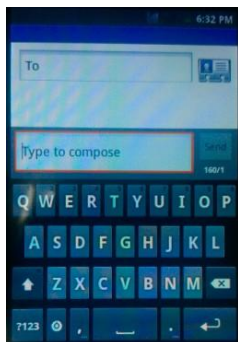
internet on phone

- a. Enter "Settings" interface & search WIRELESS & NETWORKS. Select the network you want to connect.

## 4 Inputting Text

### Android keyboard

A51 use android keyboard by default. You can select other input method from setting key.



### Cut, Copy and Paste

Touch and hold text content to bring up the magnifying glass, and then slide your finger to move the insertion points. Then choose to cut, copy, or paste. It is very easy to copy text from web pages, email, or text messages.

## 5 Maintenance

Use a dry soft cloth to wipe general dirt.

Do not use a hard cloth, benzene or thinner to wipe the phone, otherwise, the surface of the phone will be scratched or could even result in the fading of colour.

## 6 *Taking Care of your Device*

Your device is a product of superior design and craftsmanship and should be handled with care: The following suggestions will help you protect your phone:

- Always keep the small parts of the phone away from children.
- Keep the device dry. Precipitation, humidity, and all types of liquids or moisture can contain minerals that will rust electronic circuits. If your device does get wet, remove the battery, and allow the device to dry completely before replacing it.
- Do not use or store the device in dusty, dirty areas. Its moving parts and electronic components can be damaged.
- Do not store the device in high or cold temperature. High temperatures can shorten the life of electronic devices and damage batteries.
- Do not attempt to open the device other than as instructed in this guide.
- Do not drop, knock, or shake the device. Rough handling can break internal circuit boards and fine mechanics.
- Do not use harsh chemicals, cleaning solvents, or strong detergents to clean the device. Only use a soft, clean, dry cloth to clean the surface of the device.
- Do not paint the device. Paint can clog the moving parts and prevent proper operation.
- Use indoor chargers.