



# CHAPTER

# 7

A handy way to exchange simple messages



## Short Message Service (SMS)

Application  
Not Required

Monthly Charge  
Free

\*For more details, refer to "Charges" on p. 83.

The Short Message Service (SMS) allows you to send and receive brief text messages simply and easily via DOCOMO's SMS Center. You can send and receive these messages even while on the line or using i-mode or sp-mode.

### Uses:

Even if you don't know the address, you can still send a text message using the receiver's mobile phone number.

You can use this service even while on the line or using i-mode or sp-mode!



### « Service Features »

#### Your address? It's the same as your phone number!

You can send or receive an SMS message to or from a FOMA or Xi phone number or a telephone number of other Japanese carriers.

#### Use "Delivery Notice" to make sure your message has gotten through!

You can receive a Delivery Notice informing you whether or not a message you sent to another i-mode handset or smartphone was delivered.

#### Save received mail to your DOCOMO UIM Card.

See the user's manual for information on how to save messages.

\*With some FOMA handsets, messages cannot be sent or received when you are on the line or using i-mode.

\*It is possible that the Delivery Notice cannot be received when a message is sent either to a DOCOMO phone model that does not support Delivery Notices, or to another carrier's phone.

\*Use of the Delivery Notice function requires advance setting using an i-mode handset or smartphone. For more detailed information, refer to the user's manual.

\*Commencing on July 13, 2011, DOCOMO users will be able to exchange SMS messages with mobile phones of the following Japanese carriers — au, OKINAWA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY, SOFTBANK MOBILE, and eAccess Ltd.

# Using the Short Message Service

You can send and receive messages from anywhere in the FOMA or Xi service area.  
 ● Refer to the user's manual for details about sending and receiving messages.

**i-mode handset or smartphone screen when an SMS message is received**

Recv. mail

2011/07/13 15:00

From: 0X0XXXXXXX

We are meeting at 10 o'clock tomorrow.

**Received Time** You are notified of the time the message was received.  
 The reception time is the time that the message was received by the SMS Center.

**Sender** The sender's telephone number is displayed here.  
 If the number is registered in the Phonebook, the registered name is displayed.  
 • Sending an SMS message from either an i-mode handset or a smartphone to either an i-mode handset or a smartphone: The sender's phone number appears even if the Block Caller ID setting is activated.

**Message** You can send and receive text messages containing kanji, hiragana, katakana, letters, numbers and symbols.  
 A message of up to 70 full-size characters (or 160 half-size characters) can be sent or received.  
 You can send and receive the "☎" and "♥" icons.

- If the phone number is already entered, you can then make a call without any further dialing.
- If the URL is already entered, you can then access the site without any further input.
- If the mail address is already entered, i-mode or sp-mode subscribers can immediately start composing new mail.

<b>Maximum Character Count</b>	Each message can be up to 70 full-size characters long (160 if only half-size characters and numbers are used).
<b>Storage Period for Unread Messages</b>	Messages can be stored for up to 3 days (72 hours). Messages left at the center for longer than this period are automatically deleted. Note that you can set the storage period for 0 to 3 days (0 to 72 hours) (Set to three days at time the i-mode handset or smartphone is purchased). See the user's manual for details about setting the storage time.
<b>Receiving/Resending Timing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● When a new message arrives</li> <li>● When you have an incoming or outgoing call</li> <li>● When contacting the SMS Center</li> <li>● When you switch the phone's power from OFF to ON *1</li> </ul>
<b>Service Area</b>	FOMA or Xi service area

\*1 With some handset models, there is no retransmission made when the power is switched on. \*The period of time unread messages are saved is set by the caller.

## When Sending from Mobile Phones Other than i-mode Handsets and Smartphones

### Method of Transmission

Sent from	Using the Dial Pad (Access Number)
Landline phones, non-DOCOMO mobile and PHS phones	090-310-1655 ☎ *1

\*1 Calls are connected to the SMS Center; follow the announcement to enter the number from which the call is being made along with the message. For more details on inputting messages, refer to "Entering Messages" on p. 80.

- \* Commencing on July 13, 2011, DOCOMO users will be able to exchange SMS messages with mobile phones of the following Japanese carriers — au, OKINAWA CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY, SOFTBANK MOBILE, and eAccess Ltd.
- \* Only touch-tone phones capable of sending touch-tone signals can be used to send SMS. If you use a push-button phone with a pulse line, you may need to press \* (tone) to transmit touch-tone signals when dialing your phone number after dialing 090-310-1655. Procedures for transmitting touch-tone signals vary depending on the type of phone.
- \* Even for i-mode or sp-mode subscribers, these messages are received as SMS messages.
- \* These actions can be carried out even while the respective announcement is playing.

### Communications Charges

Type	Access Number	Charges to Send	Paid By	Operation Handset	Charges
Sending Messages	090-310-1655	Charge *1	Sender	Landline phones and other phones	Charges to send are the same as those for calls made from landline phones to mobile phones.
				Non-DOCOMO mobile and PHS phones	Charges to send are the same as those for calls made from mobile phones or PHS phones of non-DOCOMO companies to mobile phones.

\*1 Charges to send apply from when the announcement starts playing.  
 \* Certain charges may vary at different locations.

## Entering Messages

- You can input messages in several ways: **A** sending what appears in the display; **B** entering numerals and symbols; **C** entering fixed messages; **D** entering your own messages; or using a combination of these methods.

### A Sending What Appears in the Display

You can enter kanji, hiragana, katakana, and alphanumeric characters on the mobile phone display, and then send the message.

The entry method may differ depending on the handset. Please see the user's manual.

- \* Please be aware that half-size lower case alphabet characters registered in the Katakana/English input mode may be displayed as upper case or full-size lower case characters on the receiving party's display, depending on the handset.
- \* Some half-size symbols may appear as spaces on the receiving party's display.

### B Number and Symbol input

Enter numbers and symbols just as they appear. Convenient for sending phone numbers.

#### ● Example

To send the message "090-xxxx-△△△△," enter :

0 9 0 \* 2 x x x x △ △ △ △

(Hyphen)

\* 2 △ △ △ △ # #

(Hyphen)

\* x x x x x, △ △ △ △ is the number.

#### ● Button Input Table

Button Input	Message Display	Button Input	Message Display	Button Input	Message Display
0	0	7	7	# #	(end code)
1	1	8	8	* *	(redo code)
2	2	9	9	* #	(check code)
3	3	* 2	-		
4	4	* 4	(		
5	5	* 6	)		
6	6	* 8	(Space)		

### C Entering Fixed Messages

An easy way to send messages with set phrases. To enter fixed messages, press \* 4 \* 4 and then enter the fixed message number.

#### ● Example

To send the message "シキョウ! TELクダサイ 090-xxxx-△△△△," enter :

\* 4 \* 4 2 0 \* 4 \* 4

(Fixed Message Number)

1 0 0 9 0 \* 2 x x x x

(Fixed Message Number)

(Hyphen)

\* 2 △ △ △ △ # #

(Hyphen)

\* x x x x x, △ △ △ △ is the number.

#### ● Fixed Message Number Table

Fixed Message Number	Fixed Message	Fixed Message Number	Fixed Message	Fixed Message Number	Fixed Message
10	TELクダサイ	18	カイシャ	26	ドコニイルノ?
11	オクレマス	19	ガッコウ	27	イマイソガシイ
12	ヘンコウシマス	20	シキョウ!	28	コメンナサイ
13	チュウシデス	21	OKデス	29	アリガトウ
14	サキニカエリマス	22	NGデス	30	FAXアリ
15	ルスデンアリ	23	シュウゴウ!	31	E-mailアリ
16	ジカンデス	24	マッテ!		
17	ジタク	25	ナニシテルノ?		

### D Entering Your Own Messages

This is handy when you want to compose and send your own original messages. To enter your own message, first press \* 2 \* 2 (free message code), and then enter the appropriate 2-digit numbers shown in the table below.

#### ● Example

To send the message "ウエノエキ 17-30," enter :

\* 2 \* 2 1 3 1 4 5 5

ウ エ ノ

1 4 2 2 8 8 9 6 0 7

エ キ (Space) 1 7

6 9 9 8 0 0 # #

(Hyphen)

3 0

#### ● Free Message Number Table

First Digit	Second Digit									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0
1	ア	イ	ウ	エ	オ	A	B	C	D	E
2	カ	キ	ク	ケ	コ	F	G	H	I	J
3	サ	シ	ス	セ	ソ	K	L	M	N	O
4	タ	チ	ツ	テ	ト	P	Q	R	S	T
5	ナ	ニ	ヌ	ネ	ノ	U	V	W	X	Y
6	ハ	ヒ	フ	ヘ	ホ	Z	?	!	—	/
7	マ	ミ	ム	メ	モ	¥	&	Space	☎	Space
8	ヤ	(	ユ	)	ヨ	*	#	Space	♥	Space
9	ラ	リ	ル	レ	ロ	1	2	3	4	5
0	ワ	ヲ	ン	。	。	6	7	8	9	0

- \* Messages sent as half-size characters may appear as full-size characters on the display of those receiving the messages.
- \* A message sent with an attached "signature" may exceed the number of characters allowed, even if the text is 50 characters or less. In this case, the system may not allow you to send the message (a "signature" is a sentence or phrase that is automatically attached to the end of the main text when the message is sent).

# Rejecting or Accepting Short Message Service (SMS)

You can choose whether to reject or accept SMS messages. Deactivating or confirming the setting service is also available.

\*The SMS rejection setting is not activated at the time of subscription. \*The Reject Anonymous SMS setting enables you to reject SMS messages from landline phones when the sender's phone number is not shown. SMS messages from public phones and other phones incapable of providing the sender's ID are not rejected. \*SMS messages for system transmissions from DOCOMO (such as for the Missed Call Notification Service) are not subject to the rejection settings. \*The Reject All setting and settings to accept specified individual numbers cannot be used in combination with other rejection settings. \*You may be unable to receive International MMS messages if the "Reject All SMS," "Reject International SMS," or "Accept Individual Numbers" setting is active. \*These settings can only be made using i-mode handsets or smartphones for which you have a subscription. These settings cannot be made from other phones using Remote Access. \*Activating the Reject SMS settings results in SMS sent with the Raku-Raku PHONE SIMPLE's Monitor and Notify Function being rejected as well.

## From the i-Menu or dmenu Screen

[To navigate to ① "SMS Rejection Settings" screen]

●From i-Menu

Select "English." → Select "Options." → Select "Mail Settings." → Select "SMS Rejection Settings."

●From dmenu

Select "お客様サポート (Customer Support)." → Select "各種設定の一覧を見る (View Various Settings List)." → Select "SMS拒否設定 (SMS Rejection Settings)" from "各種サービスの設定・確認 (オプション設定) (Setting and Checking of Various Services [Options])" menu.

\*The screens shown demonstrate i-Menu procedures. \*The dmenu is shown in Japanese only.

**1**

Enter the "Network Password," then choose "Select."

**2**

Select the SMS you want to reject or receive, then choose "Select."

\*Specifying individual numbers to be rejected or received requires that the phone number be registered. Register or delete the number by using "Edit."

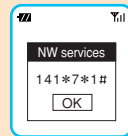
## You can also use service codes to make SMS rejection settings.

\*Compatible models: 9011/7001 series and later models, Raku-Raku PHONE series, DOLCE, Music Porter II, proslid II and others

Setting	Service Codes	Display (setting result letters)
Reject All SMS	* 1 4 1 * * 1 #	141*7*1#
Reject Anonymous SMS	* 1 4 1 * * 2 #	141*7*2#
Reject International SMS	* 1 4 1 * * 3 #	141*7*3#
Reject Anonymous SMS and International SMS	* 1 4 1 * * 4 #	141*7*4#
Reject SMS from Other Japanese Carriers	* 1 4 1 * * 5 #	141*7*5#
Reject Anonymous SMS and SMS from Other Japanese Carriers	* 1 4 1 * * 6 #	141*7*6#
Reject International SMS and SMS from Other Japanese Carriers	* 1 4 1 * * 7 #	141*7*7#
Reject Anonymous SMS, International SMS, and SMS from Other Japanese Carriers	* 1 4 1 * * 8 #	141*7*8#
Cancel Setting	# 1 4 1 #	141*6#
Confirming the SMS Setting	* # 1 4 1 #	One of those letters listed above appears **141*6*#* appear if the function is not set.

### In case of setting "Reject All SMS"

\* 1 4 1 \* \* 1 #



The setting result letters appear.

If the setting completed, the letters like above appear.

## Using the Dial Pad

\* Transmissions to \* 2 0 1 8 4 cannot be made from overseas.

**1** Press \* 2 0 1 8 4

Please enter your Network Password.

**2** (Network Password)

This is NTT DOCOMO SMS center. The SMS reject is not currently set (The following SMS rejects are currently set: Reject All SMS/Reject Anonymous SMS/Reject Intl. SMS/Reject SMS from other Japanese Carriers/Reject Individual Numbers, ○○/Accept Individual Numbers, △△).

\*This is the main menu.  
To set Reject All SMS, press 1. To set Reject Anonymous SMS, press 2. To set Reject Intl. SMS, press 3. To set Reject SMS from other Japanese Carriers, press 4. To set Reject Individual Numbers, press 5. To set Accept Individual Numbers, press 6. To release all the settings, press 7. To confirm the settings, press 8. To end, press the # key.

\*This section describes announcements made when no Reject settings are active. Announcements made with different settings are indicated in parentheses.

**3** Press one of the following:

1 (Reject All SMS) 2 (Reject Anonymous SMS)  
3 (Reject Intl. SMS) 4 (Reject SMS from Other Japanese Carriers)  
5 (Reject Individual Numbers) 6 (Accept Individual Numbers)  
7 (Cancel All Settings) 8 (Confirm the Settings)  
# (End)

\*If any key other than 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, or # is pressed, an announcement saying "Invalid number" is played, and the procedure returns to "\*" in Step 2.

\*When using the dial pad for these procedures, you can still use it while announcements are playing if you happen to know how to carry out the procedure you want to perform.

## Press one key from 1 to 4

**4** You can activate or cancel the setting for Reject All, Reject Anonymous SMS, Reject International SMS, or Reject SMS from Other Japanese Carriers.

This is the menu to set Reject All SMS (Reject Anonymous SMS/Reject Intl. SMS/Reject SMS from other Japanese Carriers). To set Reject All SMS (Reject Anonymous SMS/Reject Intl. SMS/Reject SMS from other Japanese Carriers), press 1. To release the setting, press 2. To return to the main menu, press the \* key.

\*This section describes announcements made when the "Reject All SMS" setting is active. Announcements made with different settings are indicated in parentheses.

## Press 5 or 6

**4** You can confirm, make additions to, or cancel applicable phone numbers in the Reject Individual Number or Accept Individual Number setting.

There are xx registered numbers with valid settings at the moment. To set Reject (Accept) Individual Numbers, press 1. To release the settings, press 2. To register a telephone number, press 3. To delete a telephone number, press 4. To return to the main menu, press the \* key.

\*This section describes announcements made when the "Reject Individual Numbers" setting is active. Announcements made with different settings are indicated in parentheses.

## Press 7, 8 or #

**4** You can confirm the setting status or cancel the setting.

[Press 7] All the Reject Number settings will be released. [Press 8] The following SMS rejects are currently set: Reject All SMS (Reject Anonymous SMS/Reject Intl. SMS/Reject SMS from other Japanese Carriers/Reject Individual Numbers, ○○/Accept Individual Numbers, △△) [Press #] Thank you.

\*This section describes announcements made when the "Reject All SMS" setting is active. Announcements made with different settings are indicated in parentheses. \*If no settings are made, the announcement "SMS rejecting option is currently deactivated" is heard.



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Advice

## Improved Protection against Spam Mail!

In a measure to further guard against Spam mail, SMS transmissions are limited to 200 messages per day.



## Charges

No Application Required

Monthly Charge

Free

Charges to Send

3.15 yen (including tax) / per message

(Regardless of whether the Delivery Notice function is switched on or off.)

\*Incoming messages are free. \*The communications charges are included in the free communications allowances. \*These communications charges are not covered by the free-of-charge handling offered for i-mode mail communications under the "Family Discount" or "Office Discount" plan. (New applications for Office Discount are no longer accepted as of November 30, 2010.)

Charges for Settings

No dialing and communications charges apply for "Rejecting SMS Setting." (Charges apply when access is made from overseas.)

## Notes on Use

- Messages cannot be given subjects.
- Using half-size katakana and icons may prevent your message from being properly displayed on the receiver's handset.
- Messages arriving at the SMS Center are immediately sent to your i-mode handset or smartphone. However, if your i-mode handset or smartphone is turned off, if you are outside of the service area, or if you are otherwise unable to receive messages, the message will be saved for you at the SMS Center.
- When your i-mode handset or smartphone receives an SMS message, it is deleted from the SMS Center. If you want to keep a message at the SMS Center, it is recommended that you "protect" it.
- It may not be possible to reply to some SMS.
- Signal conditions and other factors may prevent received messages from being properly displayed.
- Multi number subscribers cannot send SMS if an additional number is set as the default phone number for transmissions. However, SMS sent to the basic subscription number can be received.
- This service may not be available on some handsets.