

For DECT, GSM and IP use
New Konftel 50 suits everyone

The Konftel 50 is currently being launched. It's the only conference phone which can be connected to almost every system telephone on the market. More people will now be able to hold spontaneous telephone meetings at a high level of sound quality. A major merit of the new phone is that it can also be used in conjunction with DECT, GSM and IP telephony.

The recommended price is € 399.



The Konftel 50 provides companies with the only telemeeting solution that includes direct connection to virtually any system telephone. The receiver or headset is easily attached through the accompanying switchbox. No other connections or separate telephone subscriptions are needed.

With coverage of 30 square metres, the Konftel 50 is intended primarily for offices and smaller conference rooms. The design is light and elegant. As a loudspeaker phone, it has the ergonomic advantage of increasing mobility and flexibility in the workplace. At the press of a button the call is connected from the telephone to the Konftel 50. The user's hands are then freed and she or he can move anywhere in the room instead of clenching the receiver between the neck and shoulder. Konftel's OmniSound* sound technology enables several people to take part in a natural-sounding telephone meeting with no "clipping".

Many companies use mobile phones for DECT and GSM networks so that employees can be reached wherever they are in their office, plant or facility. As a consequence, the need has arisen for these phones to be connected to conference and loudspeaker units. Konftel Technology has solved this through a cable kit which easily makes the Konftel 50 compatible with DECT and GSM telephones. The user is therefore not dependent on a phone line being provided in the room where the telephone meeting is to be held. All DECT and GSM functions, such as telephone directories, can still be used. The cable kit can be purchased as an accessory**.

“Telephone meetings are becoming increasingly popular. More and more companies realise that they can save time and money in this way. Surveys show that the number of telephone meetings in Europe will increase by between 10 and 15 per cent over the next few years,” says Peter Renkel, Managing Director of Konftel Technology. “We think the Konftel 50 is the right type of product for this market. In addition to being user-friendly and having superb sound quality, it’s very competitively priced.”

The Konftel 50 can also be connected to a computer in order to make use of IP telephony, resulting in sound quality which is better than that from the computer’s own microphone and loudspeakers if these are used when several people are talking and listening.

Retailers will begin selling the Konftel 50 from the middle of March. The recommended price is € 399. This includes a two-year guarantee. The phone will be demonstrated at the CeBIT fair in Hanover. The product will be on display at the Vitec stand (E10) in hall 13.

** All conference telephones from Konftel Technology are equipped with the patented sound technology OmniSound™, which is a combination of Full Duplex, an omnidirectional microphone and three loudspeakers which distribute the sound evenly throughout the room. OmniSound™ enables both-way conversations, that is, several people can speak at the same time with no sound clipping or damping. The conference conversation therefore becomes more natural.*

*** The cables are compatible with Ericsson, Nokia and Siemens GSM and DECT telephones. Accessories will be on sale from April.*

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