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The new BlackBerry Curve 8520 smartphone



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1. Requires activation with data plan. Check with provider for more information. 2. For a complete list of supported media file formats, visit www.blackberry.com/go/mediafiles 3. For a complete list of supported file formats, visit www.blackberry.com/go/attachmentsupport 4. The BlackBerry Curve smartphone does not support Microsoft® 2007 files. 5. Requires activation with voice plan. 6. The ability to send pictures is not supported by all instant messaging programs. Check with your IM provider for supported features and services. 7. The Facebook for BlackBerry smartphones, Flickr Uploader for BlackBerry smartphones and MySpace for BlackBerry smartphones applications are available at no charge to the user. Check with your provider to determine costs that may be associated with downloading the software. 8. Supports all A2DP Bluetooth accessories. 9. For BlackBerry Media Sync to work your media enabled BlackBerry smartphone must be connected to your computer via a USB cable. Certain music files may not be supported by the media player, including incompatible file types and files that contain digital rights management technologies. BlackBerry Media Sync is compatible with devices featuring BlackBerry Device software v4.2 or later. Devices that do not feature built-in mass storage capabilities (significant amounts of on-board memory) will require a microSD card to be properly inserted. Please visit www.blackberry.com/mediasync/microSD for a list of devices requiring microSD cards. BlackBerry Media Sync is compatible with 32-bit editions of Windows XP Service Pack 2 which can be used with iTunes version 7.0 or higher AND 32-bit editions of Windows Vista which can be used with iTunes version 7.2 or higher. Not compatible with Windows 2000 or with MAC OS. All applicable charges will still apply for the purchase of music from iTunes. 10. Depending on the amount of built-in memory available for use, a third-party microSD card may need to be properly inserted into the BlackBerry smartphone to enable the video recording feature. microSD cards may be sold separately. 11. The BlackBerry Curve smartphone supports Wi-Fi 802.11 b/g. Not all BlackBerry plans support Wi-Fi access to BlackBerry services. Check with your service provider for supported services and features. 12. Times vary by network. GSM times based on CSMA PRD DG.09 Battery Life Measurement Technique. Actual results may vary. Network availability and coverage affect battery life and are dependent upon a number of factors, including location and transmission environment.

Check with your service provider for roaming arrangements, service plans and supported features and services. Certain features outlined in this document may require a BlackBerry Enterprise Server software v4.1.5, BlackBerry® Desktop Manager and/or BlackBerry® Device Software v4.5.

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Specifications

Size (L x W x D)	109 x 60 x 13.90 mm
Weight (battery included)	106 g
Memory	256 MB internal flash memory
Expandable Memory	Hot swappable micro SD™ (located behind battery-cover). SDHC supported.
Battery	1150 mAh removable/rechargeable cryptographic lithium cell
Battery Life	4.5 hours talk and 17 days standby time ¹²
Video Camera Format	Normal mode: 320 x 240 pixel; MMS Mode: 176 x 144 pixel
Dedicated Keys	Send, End, VAD (User customisable), Camera (User customisable), 2 x Volume Media Keys: 1. Play/Pause/Mute 2. Back 3. Forward Device lock: Long press of A* key on home screen
Navigation	Trackpad – Located on front face of device, ESC Key to the right and Menu to the left of the trackpad
Keyboard	35 key backlit QWERTY
Display	High-resolution 320 x 240 pixel colour display, transmissive TFT LCD, supports over 65,536 colours 2.46" (diagonally measured)
Camera	2 MP camera, 5x digital zoom
Voice Input/Output	Integrated speaker and microphone, hands-free headset capable, Bluetooth® headset capable, integrated hands-free speakerphone, voice notes recorder
Ringtones	32 Polyphonic – MIDI, MP3, SP-MIDI, WAV
Wi-Fi	802.11b/g enabled Wi-Fi® Alliance Certifications: WPA/WPA2 Personal and Enterprise, WMM WMM Power Save planned Cisco CCX certification planned Wi-Fi access to BlackBerry® Enterprise Server Wi-Fi access to BlackBerry® Internet Service Direct IP web browsing over Wi-Fi Support for UMA/GMA
Media Player	BlackBerry Media Player Video format support: MPEG4, H.263, H.264, WMV3 Audio format support: AAC-LC, AAC+, eAAC+, AMR-NB, MP3, WMA9 (.wma/.asf) WMA9 PRO/WMA10, AAC-LC Picture format support: bmp, jpg, gif, png, tif, wbmp
Bluetooth	Bluetooth v2.0 + EDR 1) Headset (HSP) 2) Hands-free (HSF) 3) Serial Port Profile 4) SIM Access Profile 5) Dial Up Networking (DUN) 6) Stereo Profile (A2DP) 7) A/V Remote Control Target (AVRCP) 8) Phone Book Access (PBAP)
Headset	3.5mm stereo headset capable
Ports	Micro USB port allows charging and data synchronisation of the device with a USB "A" to micro-USB "B" cable
Power Adapter	+5V DC /500 mA AC power adapter with interchangeable location-specific plugs
Network	Quad-band: 850/900/1800/1900 MHz GSM/GPRS networks Quad-band: 850/900/1800/1900 MHz EDGE networks

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Stay in Touch

Features	Benefits
Phone	With the BlackBerry Curve 8520 smartphone, you'll have all the tools you need to help make calls – and life – a whole lot easier.
Send and receive text and picture messages (SMS & MMS)	Keep in touch with contacts who prefer text ⁵ and picture messaging ^{1,6} .
Trackpad	Access the things that are important to you quickly and easily using the new trackpad. Based on optical technology, the trackpad helps you easily scroll through the information you need, with an experience similar to the trackpad on a laptop computer. A subtle press and click allows you to select the item and get you to where you are going.
Enhanced Web Mail	Whether you use AOL® Mail, Gmail®, Windows Live™ or Yahoo!® Mail, you can enjoy on-the-go access to your favourite supported web mail!
View attachments	You can open some of the most popular document and graphic attachments even when you're on-the-go. That includes JPEG, Adobe® PDF, Microsoft® Word, Microsoft® Excel® and Microsoft® PowerPoint® files. ³
Edit Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel and Microsoft PowerPoint Files	Enjoy the flexibility of working on most Microsoft Word or Microsoft Excel and Microsoft PowerPoint files from just about anywhere. And you'll enjoy many of the same features you do on your computer – copy and paste, change font sizes and colours, or even adjust bullets and numbering and more. ⁴
Instant messaging	Chat from just about anywhere using Windows Live™ Messenger, Google Talk™, Yahoo!® Messenger, AOL® Instant Messenger™ or ICQ® apps built specifically for BlackBerry® smartphones. ^{3,6}
Social Networking for BlackBerry smartphones	Facebook® for BlackBerry® smartphones, Flickr™ Photo Uploader for BlackBerry smartphones, MySpace® for BlackBerry smartphones. ^{1,7}



Entertainment on the Go

Features	Benefits
Dedicated media keys	Stay in control of your music easily with dedicated media keys on the top of your BlackBerry Curve smartphone. Listen to music while you're on-the-go and easily skip to the next tune, pause a song or play your favourite song over and over again. You can even mute a call by using the easy-to-access mute button on top of the BlackBerry smartphone without missing a beat.
Media player	Watch your videos and listen to your music, all with the excellent visual and sound quality you expect from your BlackBerry Curve smartphone. You can even build playlists to suit every mood. ²
2.0-MP camera	With a digital camera built into your BlackBerry Curve smartphone, you can capture special moments no matter where they happen, and share them with friends, family and contacts in an email or picture message (MMS). ^{1,6} Or view them right away on the large, colourful screen on the BlackBerry Curve smartphone. You can even upload your pictures onto photo sharing or social networking sites like Flickr or Facebook right from your BlackBerry Curve smartphone!
Video Recording	With built-in video recording, you'll love watching your videos on the large, colourful display the BlackBerry Curve smartphone has to offer. ^{2,10}
BlackBerry Media Sync	BlackBerry® Media Sync lets you sync your desktop iTunes® or Windows Media® Player music files with your BlackBerry smartphone. In just a few easy steps, you can take your tunes on-the-go, wherever you go. ⁹ If you are a Mac™ computer user, simply load up your BlackBerry® Desktop Software and choose the 'media' option to sync your BlackBerry smartphone with your Mac computer.
Mobile streaming	Access videos, music or even sports and news clips from web sites built for mobile streaming! ¹¹



Browse, Shop and Buy

Features	Benefits
BlackBerry App World	Personalise your BlackBerry smartphone with apps from BlackBerry App World™ storefront and discover how to put more of your life on your BlackBerry smartphone! ¹



Instant Information

Features	Benefits
HTML browsing	A responsive, dynamic browsing experience, to help you get the information you need, when you need it. ¹
Wi-Fi® support	Wi-Fi has the ability to provide fast download speeds and web browsing and can be used to provide access to BlackBerry data services in areas with no or weak coverage. You can connect to your home wireless network or to Wi-Fi hotspots. ¹¹
Bluetooth®-enabled	The BlackBerry Curve smartphone is Bluetooth-enabled, so you can keep your hands free to focus on other tasks at hand. And the BlackBerry Curve smartphone works with the Bluetooth Stereo Audio profile for high-quality, wireless stereo sound! ⁹