

GUARDDO

USER GUIDE

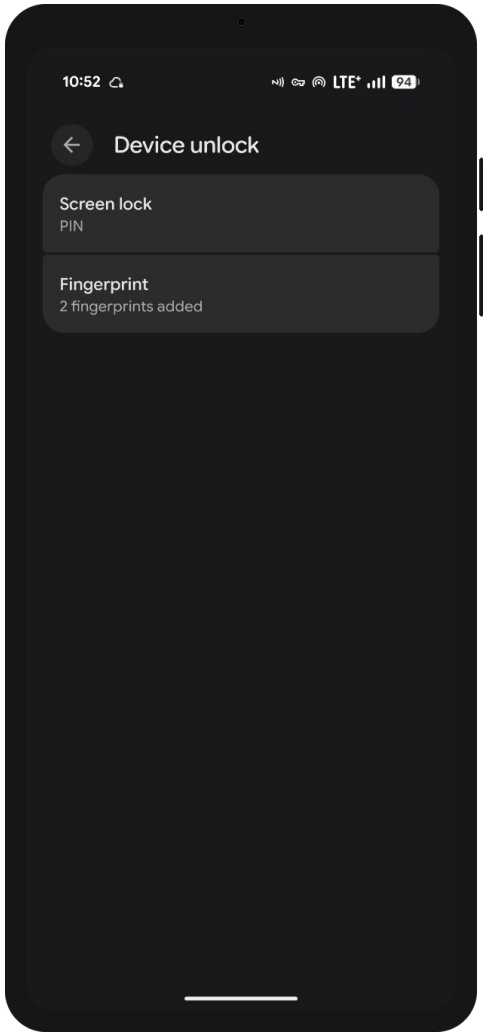
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UNLOCKING

Default password for the «grey» space
123456

Default password for the «white» space
654321



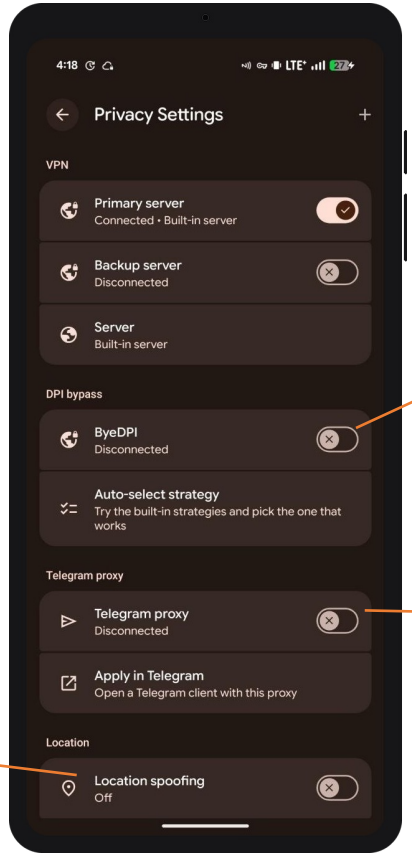
You can change the password in each space in the settings.
There you can also set up fingerprint unlock.

Settings → Security & privacy→ Device unlock

The same path is used to add or remove fingerprints.

VPN

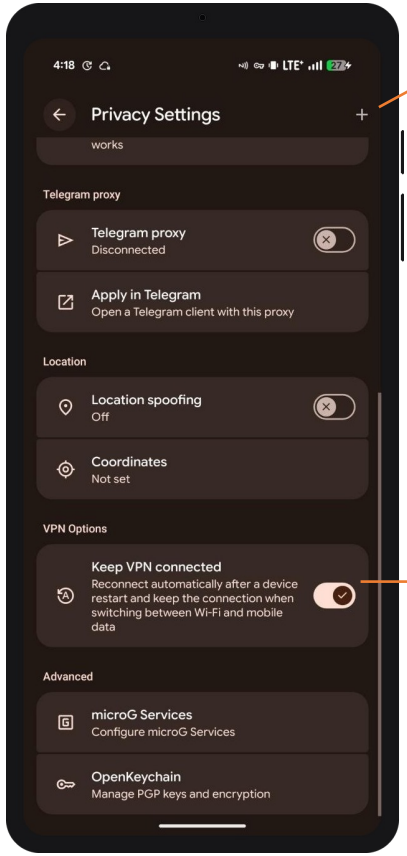
Settings → Advanced privacy → Primary server



ByeDPI allows users to bypass Deep Packet Inspection and internet censorship while connected to Wi-Fi (use it when failing to connect to the Store).

Location spoofing keeps apps from pinpointing your exact location.

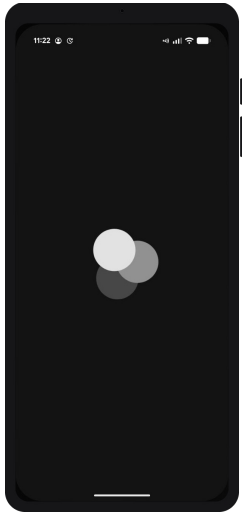
If VPN does not work due to technical issues, you can always use proxy to stay online on Telegram.



By pressing «+» on the top right corner of your screen, you can set up your personal VPN.

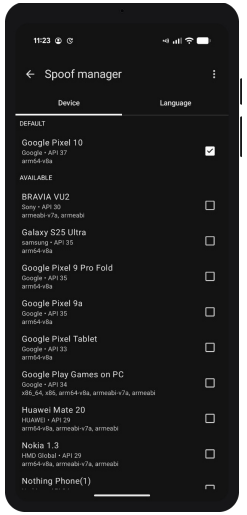
This feature allows to reconnect the VPN services automatically after a restart and keeps them on when the phone switches between Wi-Fi and mobile data.

HOW THE STORE WORKS



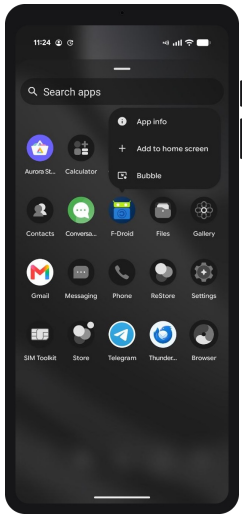
You simply open the Store and can download any app from it, except for paid ones. You can also download any app through the browser.

Before using the Store, make sure your GuardDo Pixel is connected to the VPN (see the VPN settings on p. 6).

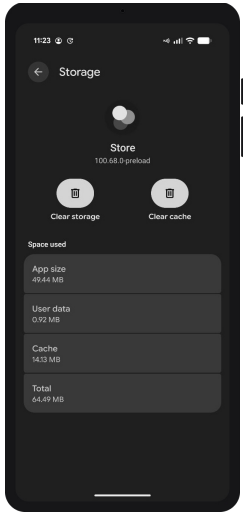


On our phones for customers from CIS the spoof manager is preset for the Russian Play Market. In order to change it, go to:

Store → Settings (top right corner) → Spoof manager → Language → choose the country you need (we recommend English (United Kingdom)) → then clear the cache and storage.



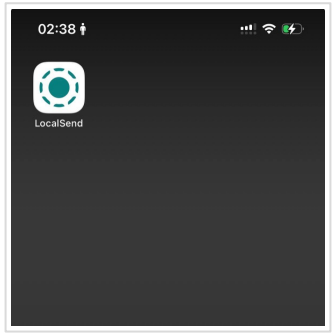
There is also an open-source app store called "F-Droid" where you can download any apps you need.



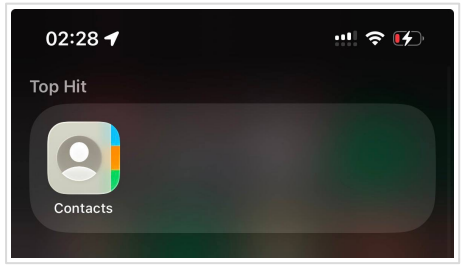
If the Store will not open, it means the previous session has not finished yet and has to be closed. In order to close it, go to:

Settings → Apps → Store → Storage & cache → Clear storage and Clear cache.

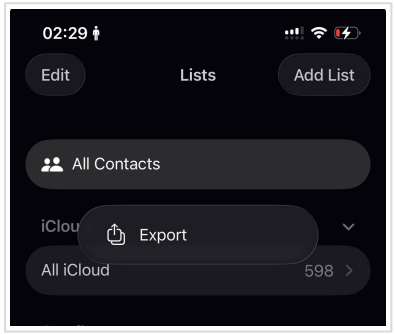
TRANSFERRING CONTACTS FROM IPHONE TO GUARDDO PIXEL



Install the LocalSend app on your iPhone.



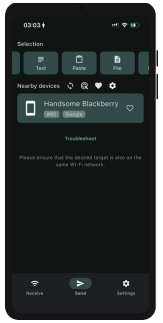
Open the Contacts app on your iPhone.



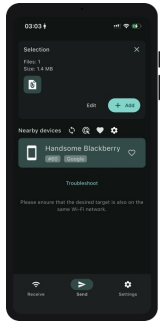
Press and hold the "All Contacts" row until the Export button appears.



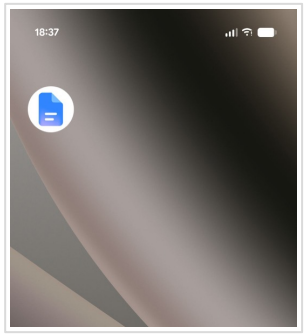
To export the contacts through LocalSend, tap "Save to Files".



Open LocalSend and tap "Send" at the bottom of the screen. At the top, choose "File" to find the contacts and send them to your GuardDo Pixel.



Select the nearby GuardDo Pixel device. It appears under a temporary name, for example "Handsome Blackberry". To transfer the contacts, turn the VPN off on both the iPhone and the GuardDo Pixel.



Once the contacts have arrived from the iPhone, open the Files app on the GuardDo Pixel.



Then select the exported contact's file.



The "Open with" window appears — choose the Contacts app.

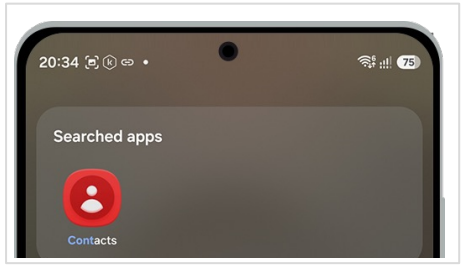


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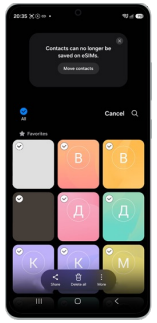
TRANSFERRING CONTACTS FROM SAMSUNG TO GUARDDO PIXEL



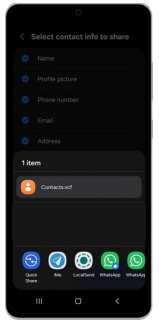
Install the LocalSend app on your Samsung.



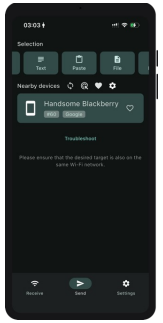
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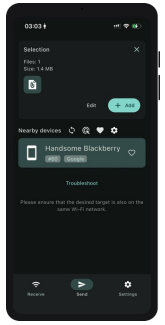
Select all Contacts and press «Share».



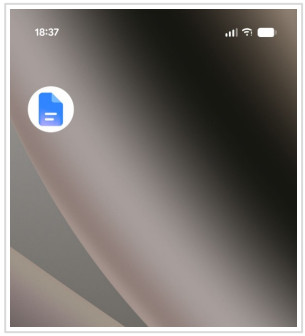
Select the File Manager app in order to save your contacts.



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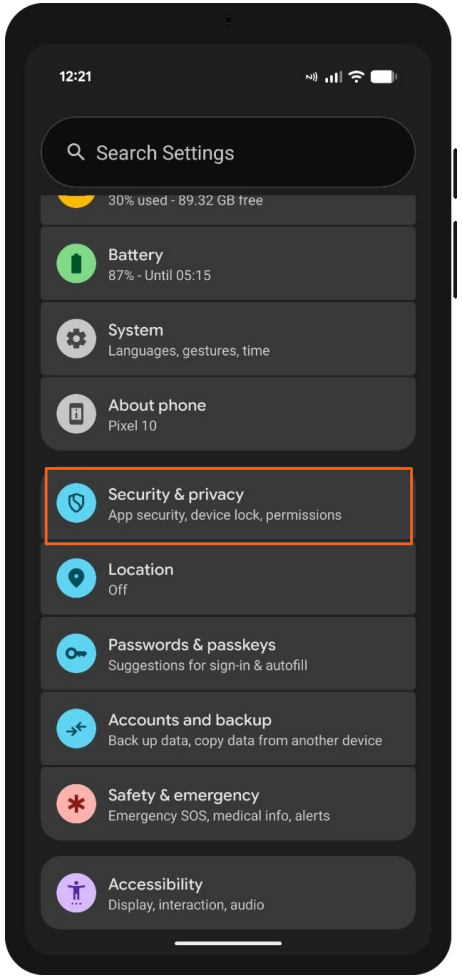


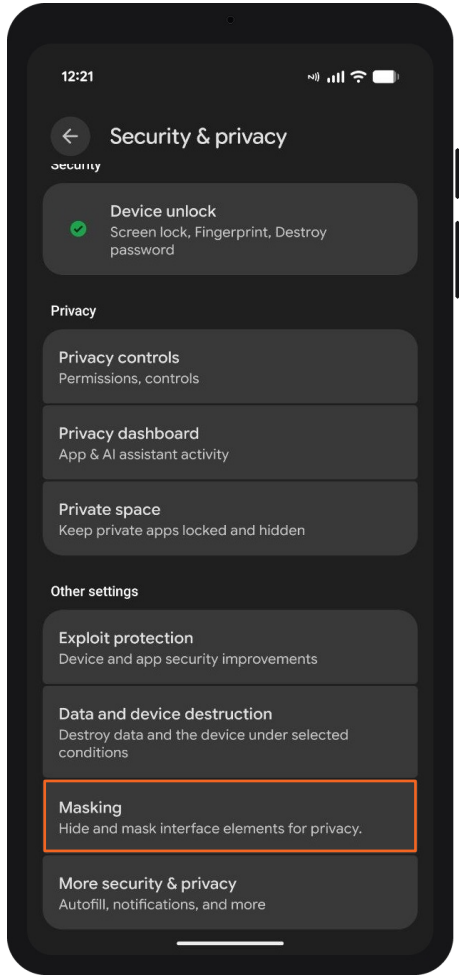
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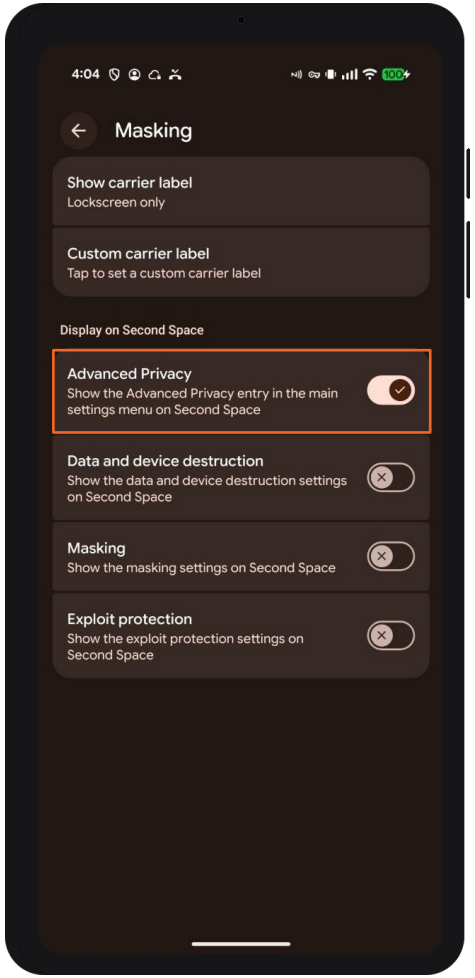


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ENABLING PRIVACY SERVICES ON THE "WHITE SPACE"







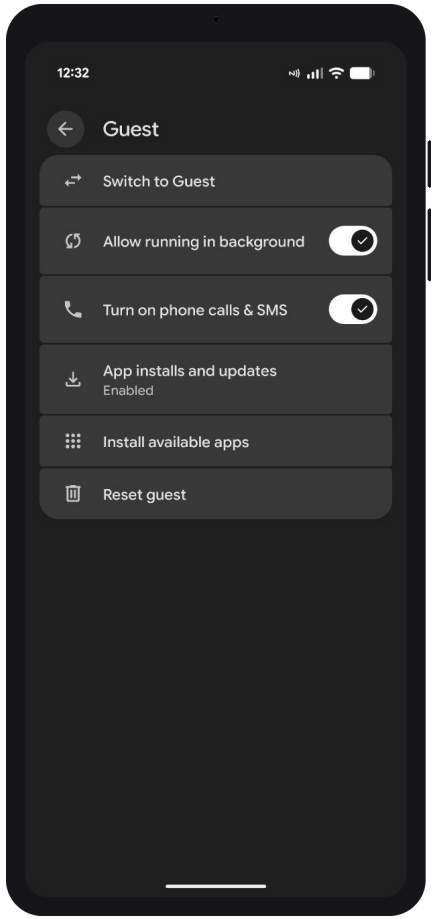
To access blocked apps and websites inside the "white" space you can enable privacy services there as well, exactly as in the "grey" space. To do so, go to:

Security & privacy → Masking → Advanced Privacy

Once this option is turned on, the privacy services will appear on the "white" space too.

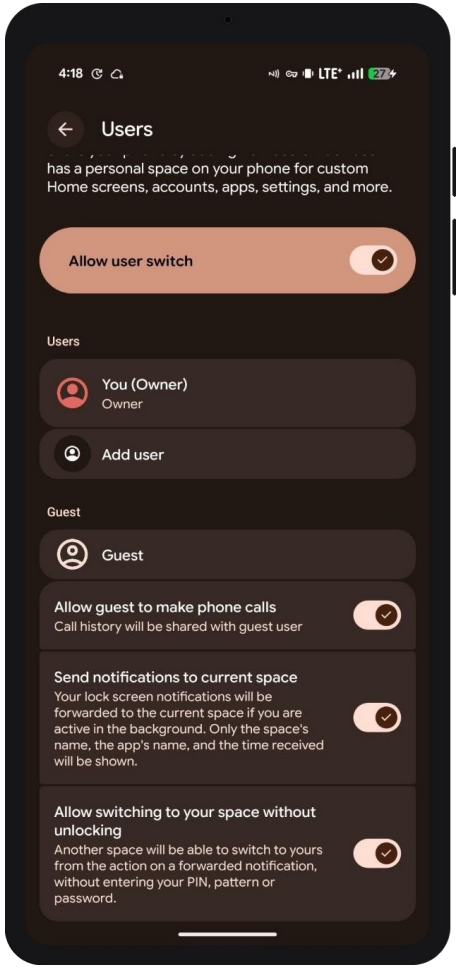
NOTIFICATIONS FROM ONE SPACE TO ANOTHER

By default, notifications appear only in the active space.



To make notifications appear from both spaces at the same time:

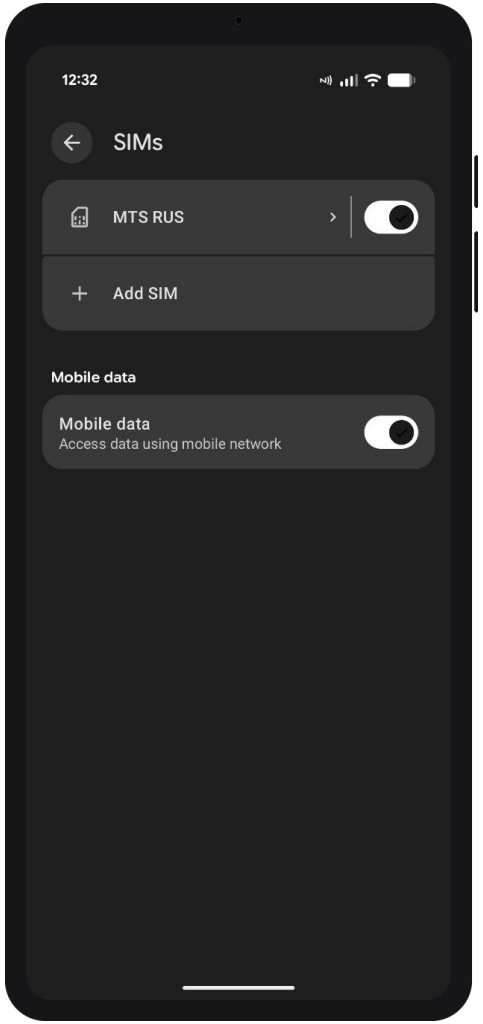
Open the grey (main) space → Settings → System → Users → Guest → Allow running in background.



Also turn on:

Grey (main) space → Settings → System → Users → Send notifications to current user.

SIM CARDS



To configure the SIM card for each space, go to:

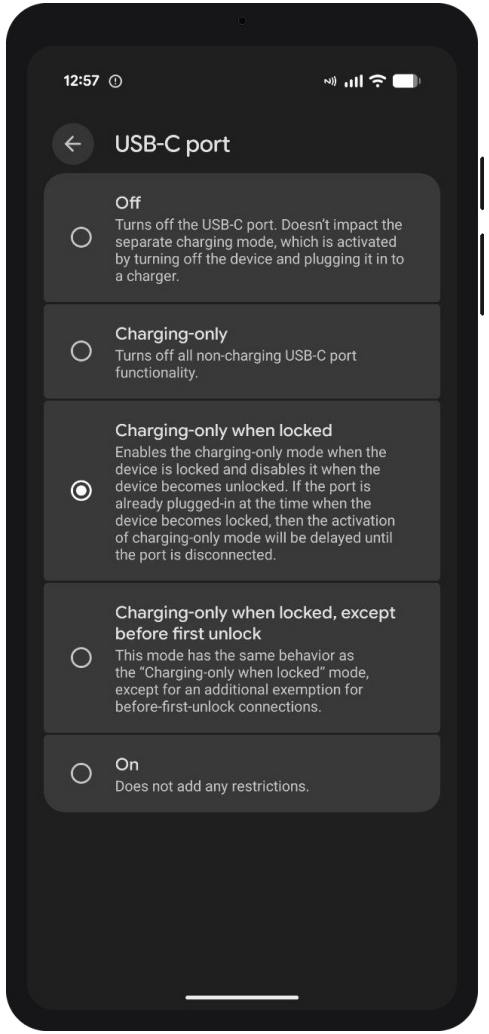
Settings → Network & internet → SIMs

Repeat the same in the other space, leaving the other SIM turned on there.

USB-C PORT SECURITY

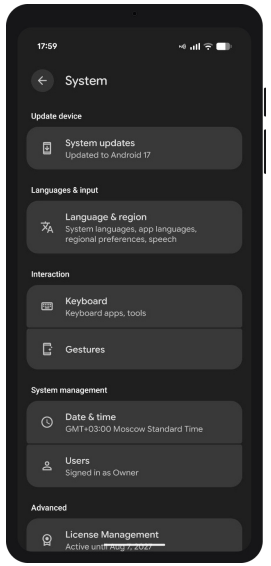
Settings → Security & privacy →
Exploit protection → USB-C port

Choose from a variety of options that will be suitable for you.



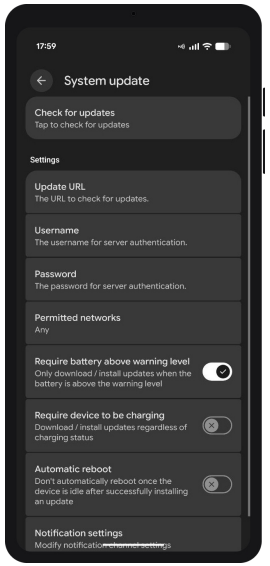
CHECKING AND INSTALLING UPDATES

Updates download in the background while the VPN is on, but you can also check for them manually.

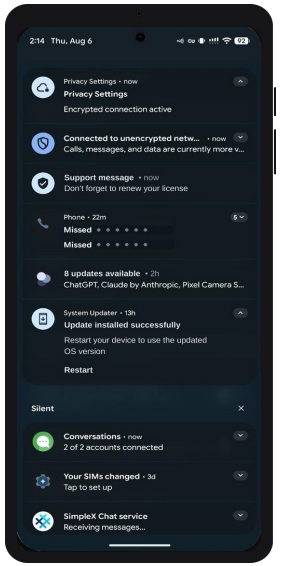


Before downloading updates, make sure that your device is connected to the VPN.

Go to System and choose "System updates".

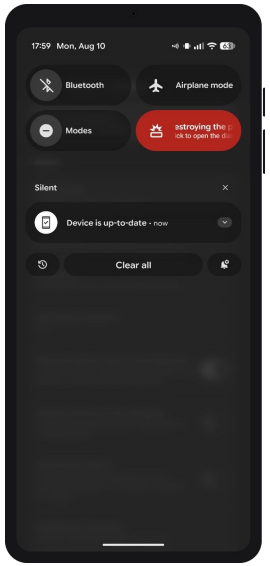


Tap "Check for updates".



The process will start automatically and its progress will pop up in the notification centre.

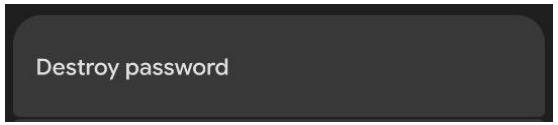
If an update is available, a notification will appear. You shall then install the update and restart the device.



In other case the device will report that it has been updated already.

DESTRUCTION OPTIONS

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Password for destroying the device:

Settings → Security & privacy → Data and device destruction → Destroy password.

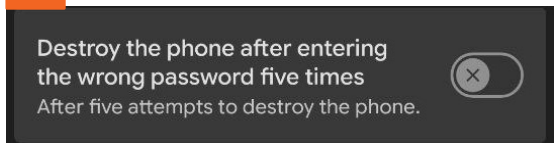
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Destroy the phone with a fingerprint:

Settings → Security & privacy → Data and device destruction → Destroy the phone when trying to unlock with a fingerprint.

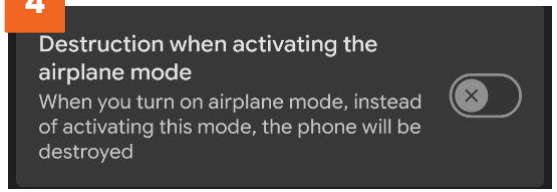
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Destruction after five wrong passwords input.

Settings → Security & privacy → Data and device destruction → Destroy the phone after entering the wrong password five times.

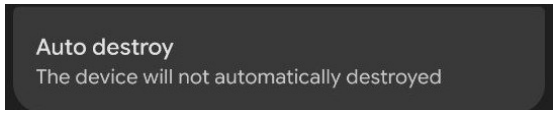
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Destruction when airplane mode is activated.

Settings → Security & privacy → Data and device destruction → Destruction when activating the airplane mode.

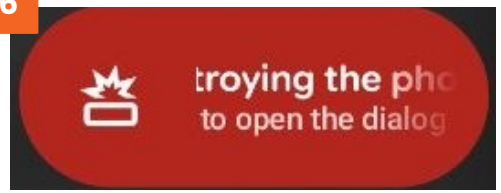
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Destruction because of inactivity.

Settings → Security & privacy → Data and device destruction → Auto destroy.

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Destruction from the control panel.

Open the control / notification panel → tap the "Destroy phone" tile → confirm in the pop-up window.

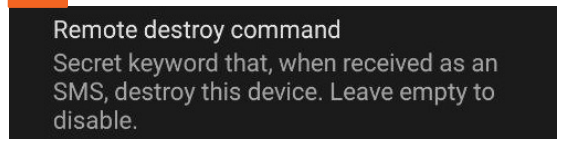
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Wiping data from the grey space through the control panel.

Open the control / notification panel → press and hold the "Panic" tile.

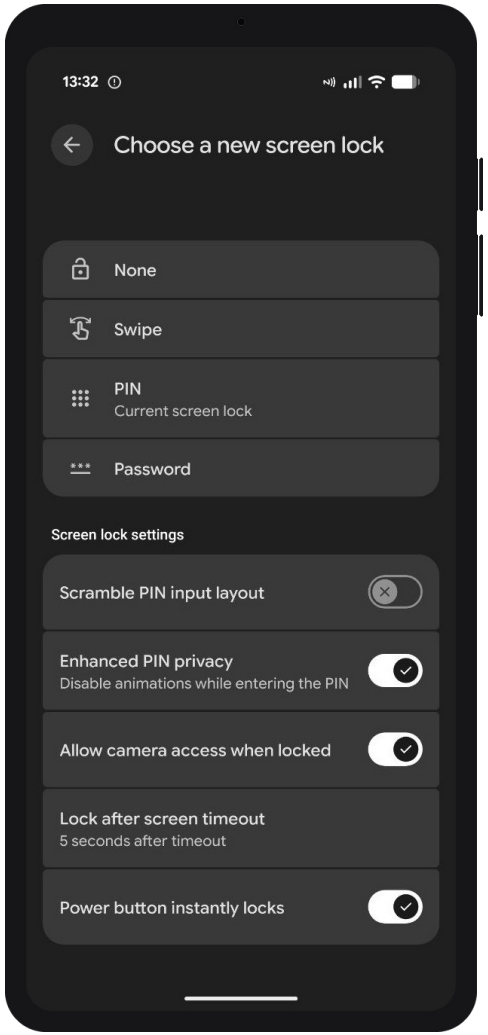
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Destroying the phone remotely by SMS:

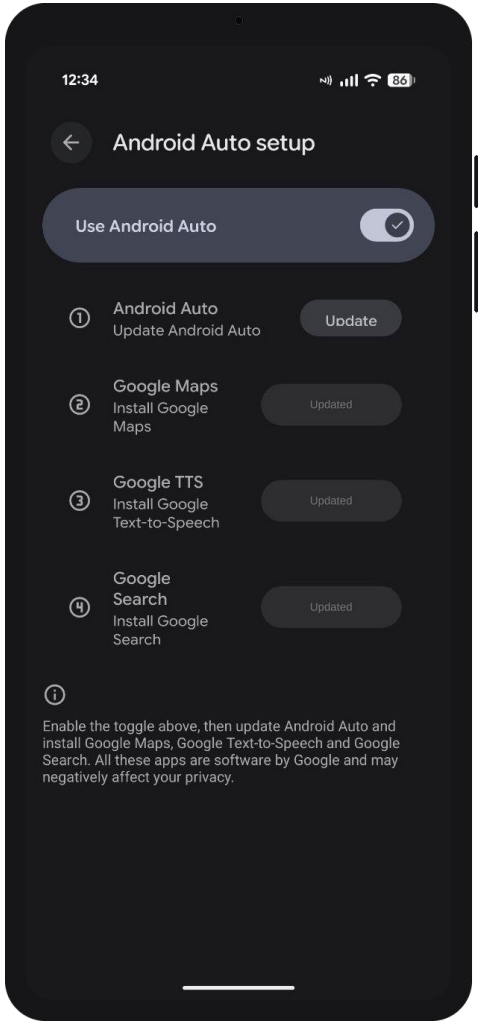
Messaging → Settings (top right corner) → Remote destroy command → set the keyword.

SCRAMBLING PIN CODE DIGITS



Security & privacy → Device unlock → Screen lock
(enter the password of the active space) →
turn on Scramble PIN input layout

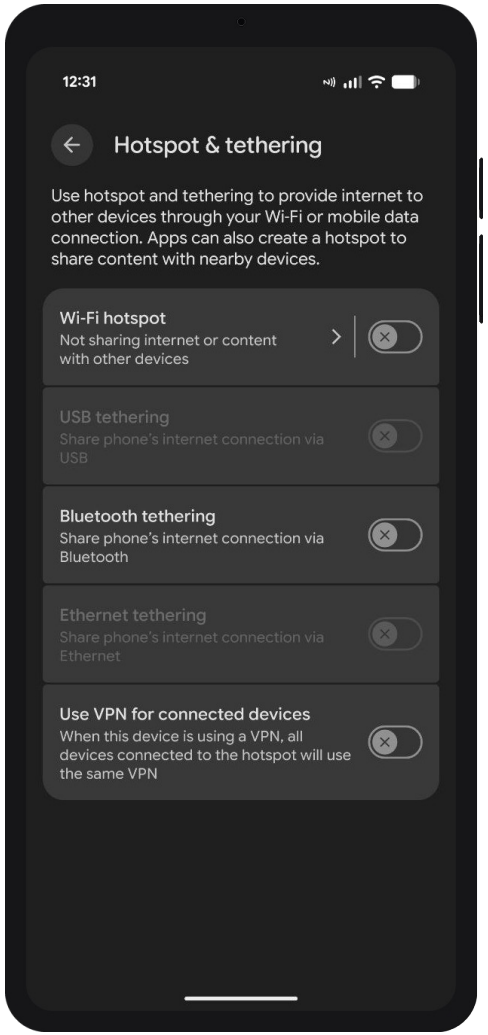
ANDROID AUTO



This lowers your level of anonymity
In order to turn on Android Auto go to:

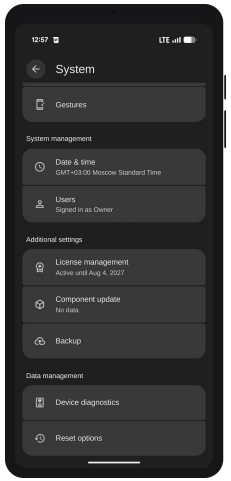
Settings → Connected devices → Connection preferences → Android Auto

SHARING INTERNET WITH VPN

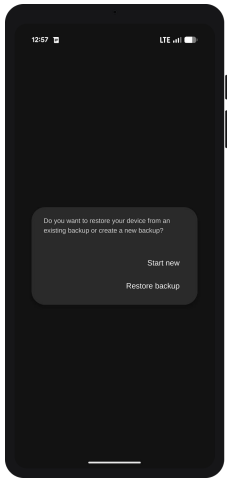


Settings → Network & internet → Hotspot & tethering → Wi-Fi hotspot (turn on) → Use VPN for connected devices

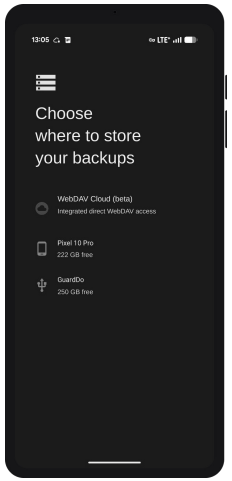
CREATING A BACKUP



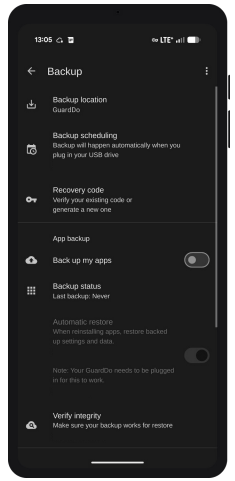
Go to the system settings and choose "Backup".



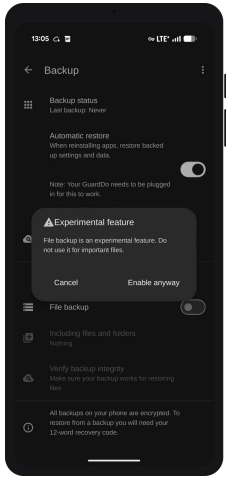
Then choose "Start new".



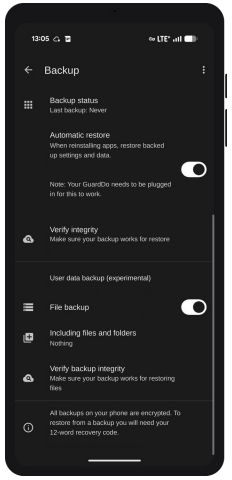
Choose a convenient place to store the backup (usually an external flash drive) — make sure it has enough gigabytes for the backup.



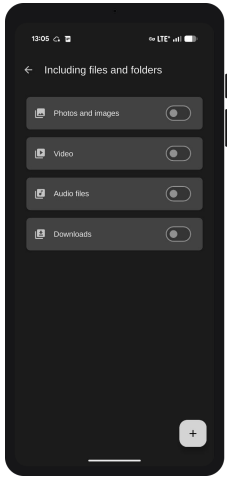
Turn on "Back up my apps".



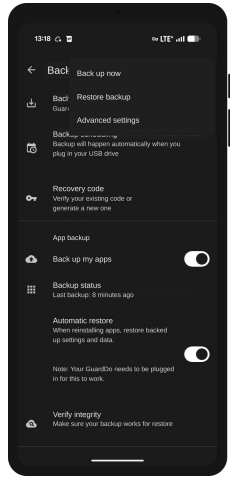
Then choose "Enable anyway".



Go to "Including files and folders".



In "Including files and folders" pick the file types to include in the backup.



Then tap the three dots in the top right corner and choose "Back up now".

As soon as the backup is created, you will receive a notification.

CONVERSATIONS MESSENGER SETUP

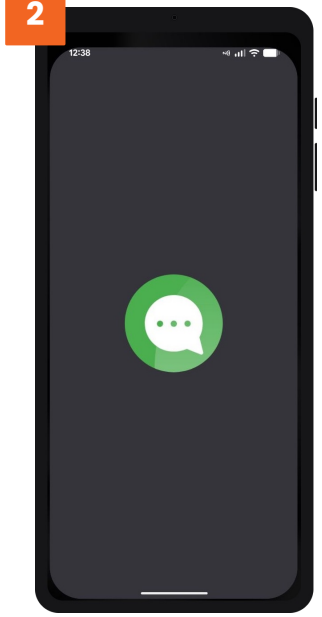
This messenger can only be used by owners of GuardDo Pixel.

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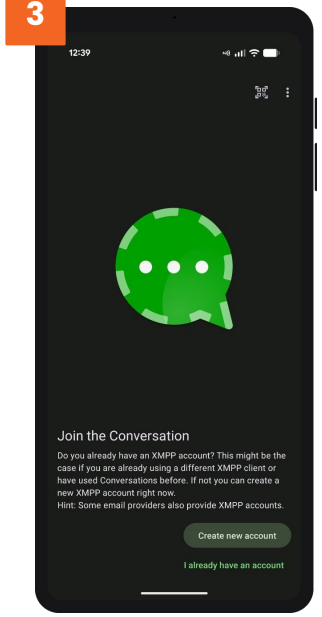
You can access your login information through our support team

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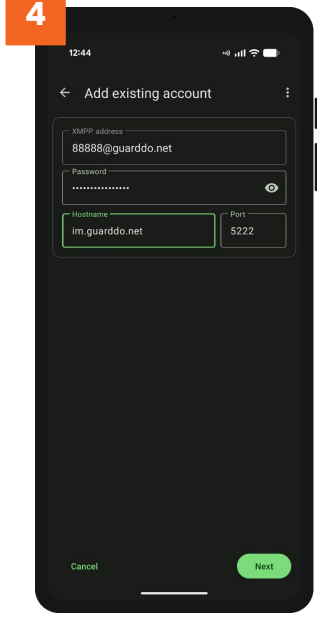
Open the messenger.

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Tap "I already have an account".

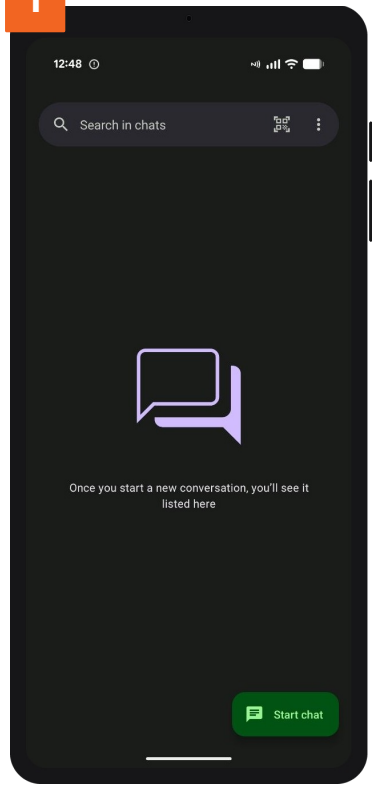
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Enter the login, password and hostname we sent.

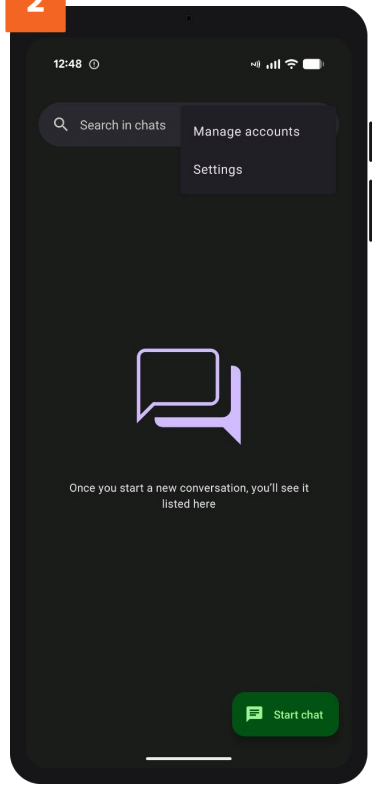
CHANGING THE PASSWORD AND USERNAME

1



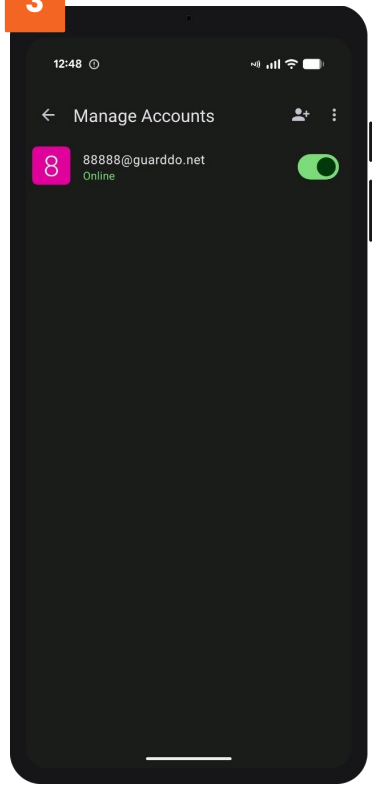
Tap the three dots.

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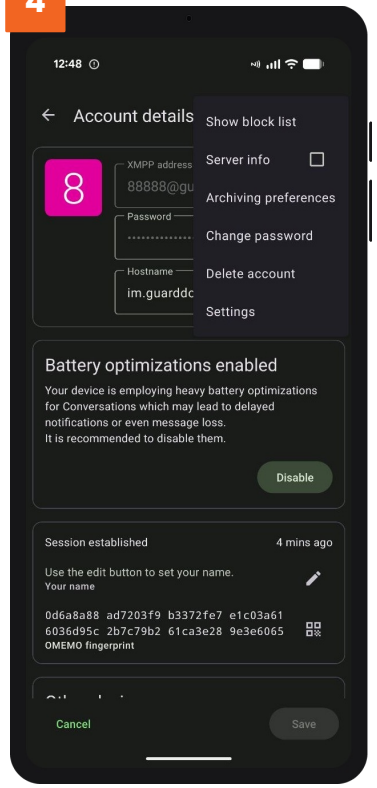
Choose "Manage accounts".

3



Tap the profile.

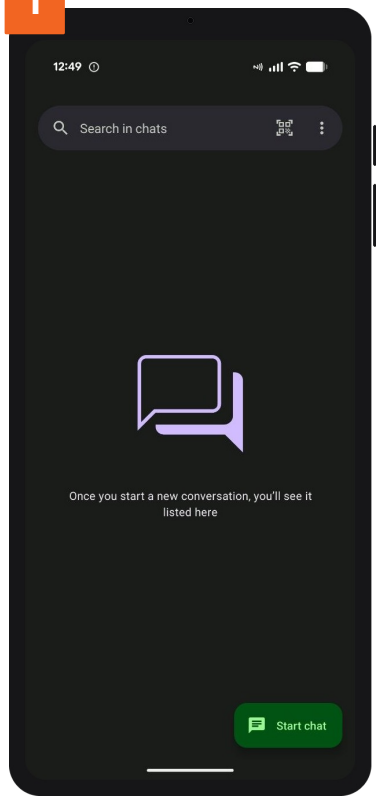
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Open the menu and choose "Change password".

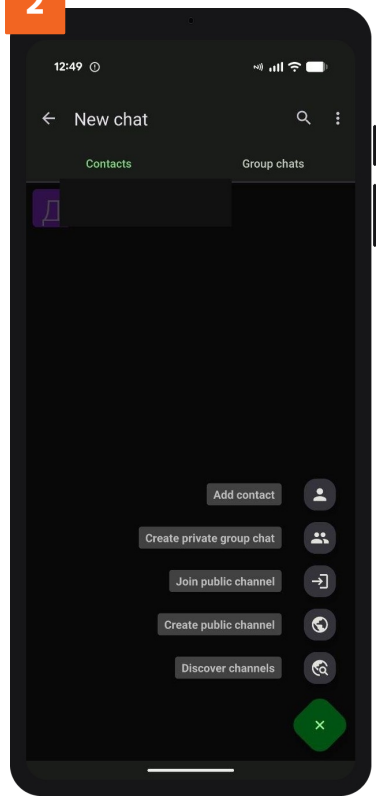
ADDING A CONTACT

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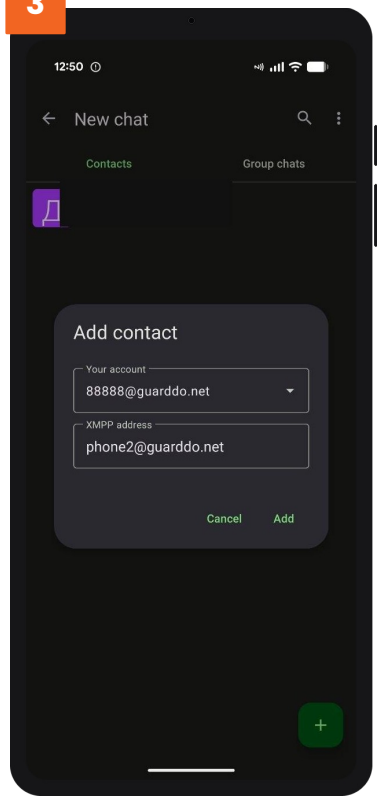
Tap the "+" button.

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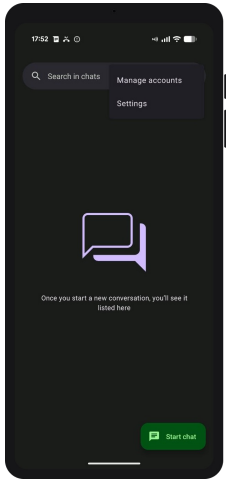
Choose "Add contact".

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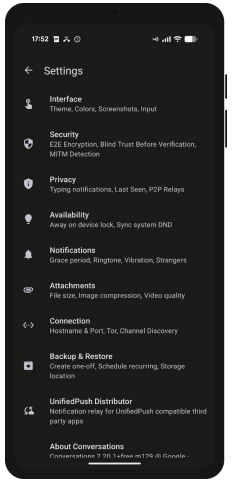


Enter the details of the user you want to add.

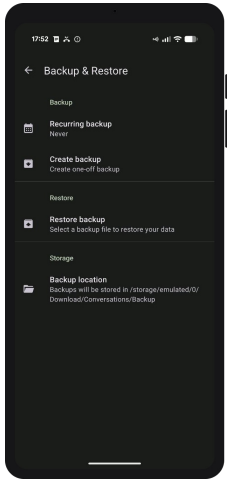
CREATING A CONVERSATIONS BACKUP



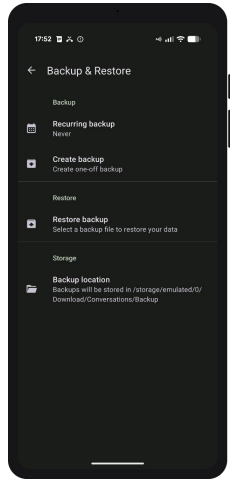
Open the Conversations app, tap the three dots in the top right corner and choose "Settings".



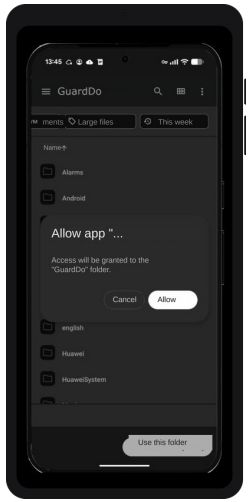
In the menu choose "Backup & Restore".



Then tap "Create backup".



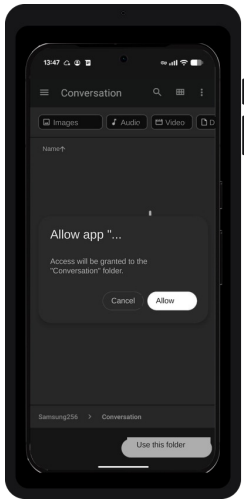
Once the backup is created you get a notification about it — after that choose "Backup location".



Grant the app access to the flash drive you move the backup to (in our case the GuardDo flash drive).



Then create a folder named "Conversations".



Finally tap "Use this folder" and grant access.

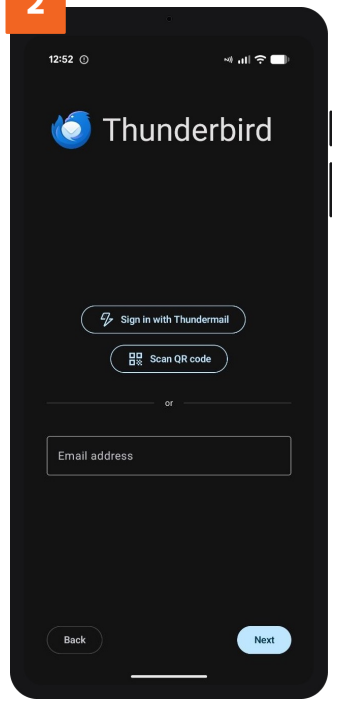
THUNDERBIRD EMAIL SETUP

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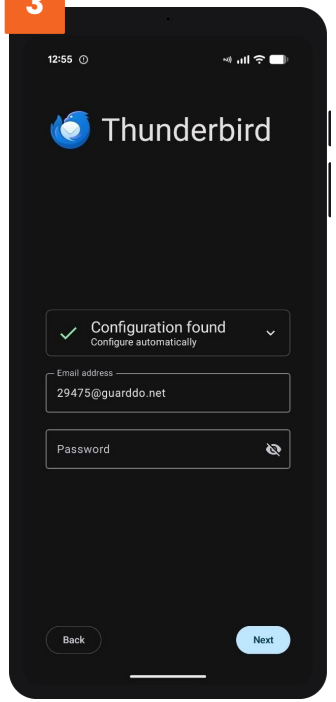
Open the Thunderbird app.

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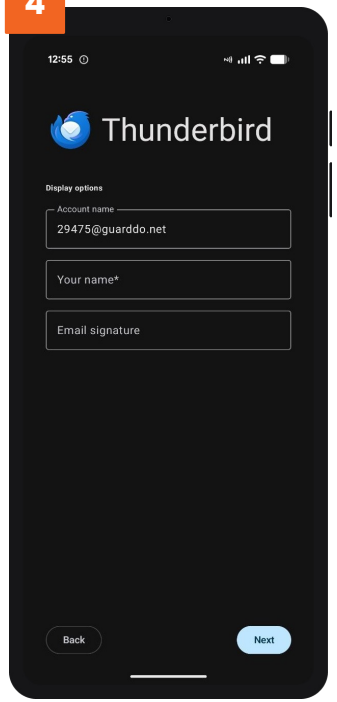
Enter the email address.

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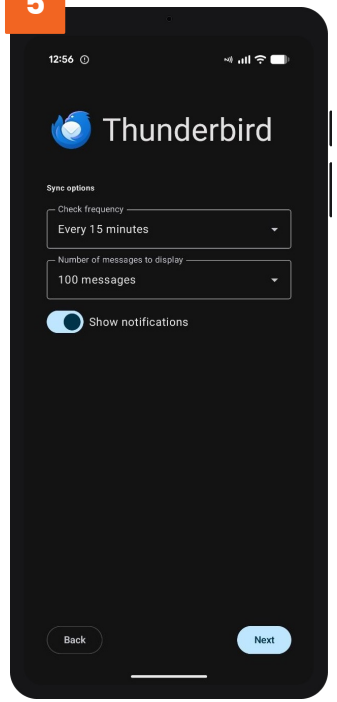
Enter the password.

4



Set the display name for the mailbox.

5



Adjust the sync options.

CONTACTS

If you still have questions, tap an app icon and a chat with our support team will open.



Telegram



WhatsApp



Email