



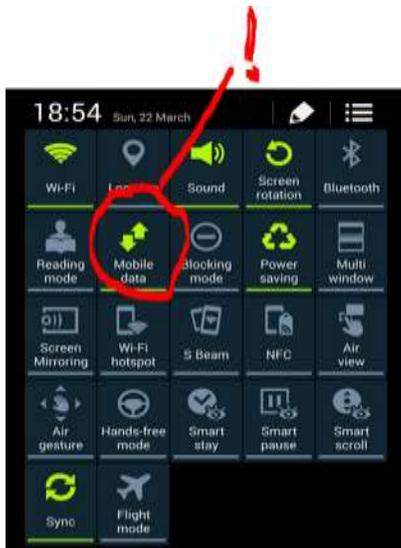
FOR DRIVEMOZ MEMBERS.

INFO PACK for MOZAMBIQUE SIM-CARDS

This will guide you through the purchase and setup of your various types of Sim-cards. Roaming Data is very expensive. Data is fairly cheap in Moz, but you have to convert airtime to data. Please read these instructions to the End.

VODACOM MZ simcard.

First and foremost, before you change your current simcard, be sure to “de-activate” the data network on your handset. This can be done as follows:

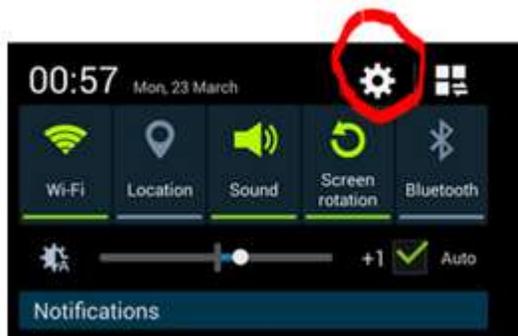


1. From any ANDROID device, SWIPE with 1 finger from the top of your screen to the bottom. This brings up the “quick menu.” Find the arrows pointing up and down, sometimes it is written “data” below the icon, depending on the make and model of your handset. Make sure that you de-select it. Your data network is now turned off.

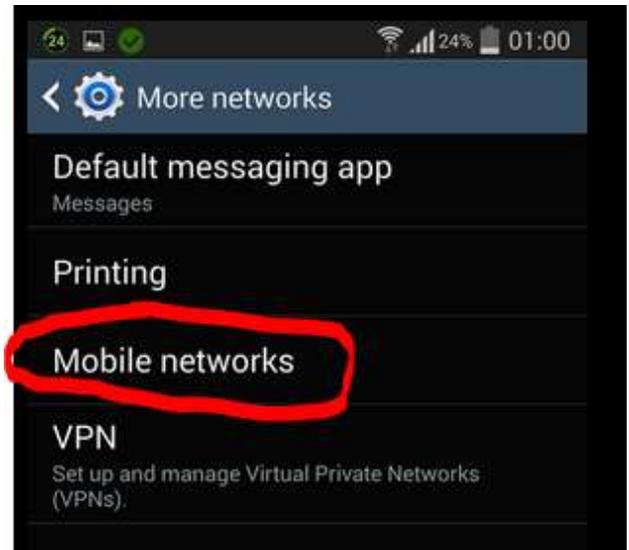
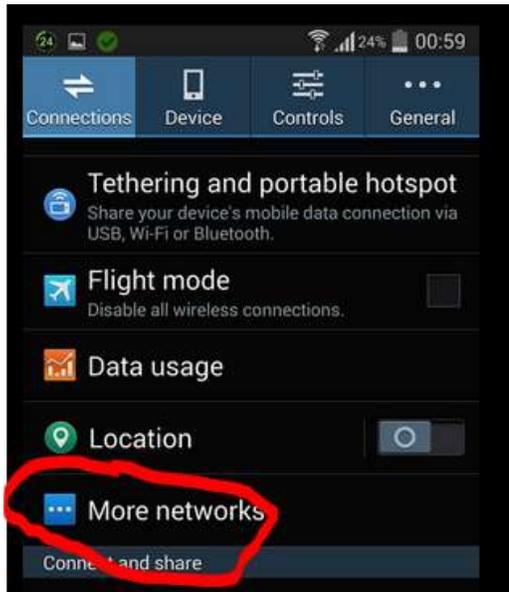
Next, you need to turn your handset off, and remove the simcard.

2. Before you purchase your simcard, make sure what size of simcard your handset uses. The sellers normally have a little tool to cut it to size, should you need a smaller type. Purchase your simcard from any of the sellers on the border, or at the BP filling Station just before the border. Two things to check for, is the packaging sealed, or has it been tampered with? If it has been tampered with, it normally and most likely means that the seller was kind enough to “activate” the simcard for you. If this is the case, skip step 3. If it has not been opened, proceed to step 4.

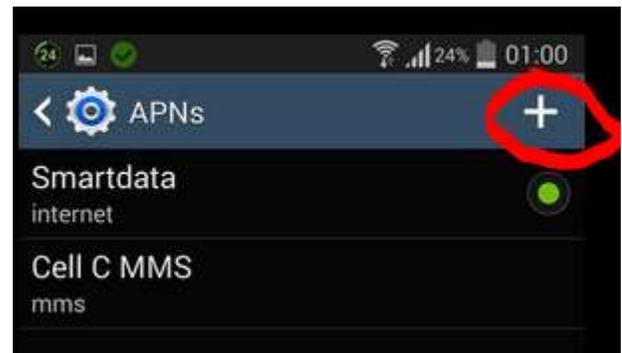
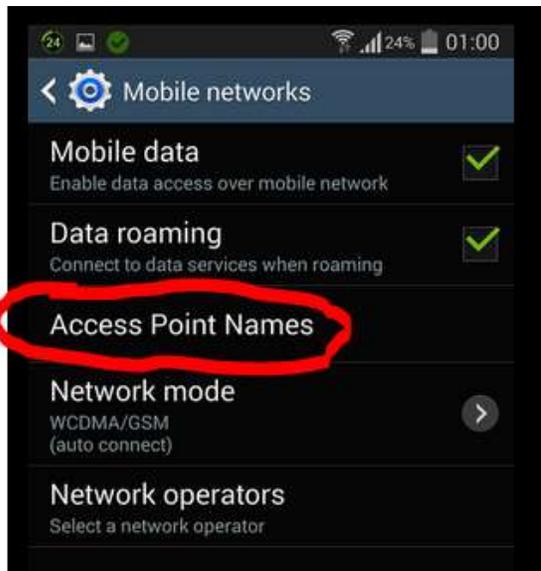
3. To activate your VODACOM simcard, insert it in your handset, and turn it on. The default PIN number is 0000. Key in your PIN, and wait for the handset to finish its startup process. Once this is done, dial *102#, and follow the onscreen instructions.
4. Next you need to register your simcard (RICA) This you do by dialing *111#, then choosing option 6 “MINHA CONTA” The next step you would choose option 7, “REGISTRAR 84” This will then ask you for your details. The system will ask for your Names (NOME), ID Number/ Passport Number (Numero do BI / Numero do Passeport). You may key in those when the system asks for those. The registration may be skipped if you intend to stay less than a month, and do not plan to use the simcard again. If you however decide to keep your card for use again, it would be advisable to go through the registration process, and keep your simcard and number.
5. The system will inform you if your registration was successful.
6. All good? Now let’s load some airtime. The procedure is exactly the same as in RSA. Buy Airtime from the vendors, scratch to expose the RECHARGE PIN then Dial *100*01*RECHARGE PIN# and dial/send/green button/call button. The automated system will inform you if your recharge has been successful.
7. Once you have loaded/recharged your account, let’s buy some data bundles. Double check that your data connection is still switched off. The amount that you buy depends on your personal use, but the process is the same. Dial *111# and select option 3 (internet & Blackberry). The next step you choose option 1 (pacotes internet). Next choose option 1 (activar). Next select the time period you want your data to be active for/package validity by selecting 1, 2 or three. The better deals are with option 2 (pacotes 7 dias). Now choose the number representing your selection. Next step, if it is for yourself you are buying data, select 1 (activar para meu numero). Voilla!!!!!! The system will inform you if your purchase has been successful.
8. Next let’s set up your data network. Vodacom has launched an “auto install” once you put a new simcard in your handset. These settings are sent to you automatically, and all you need to do is open the message, and select install. Should you not want to install these, follow steps 9 to 13

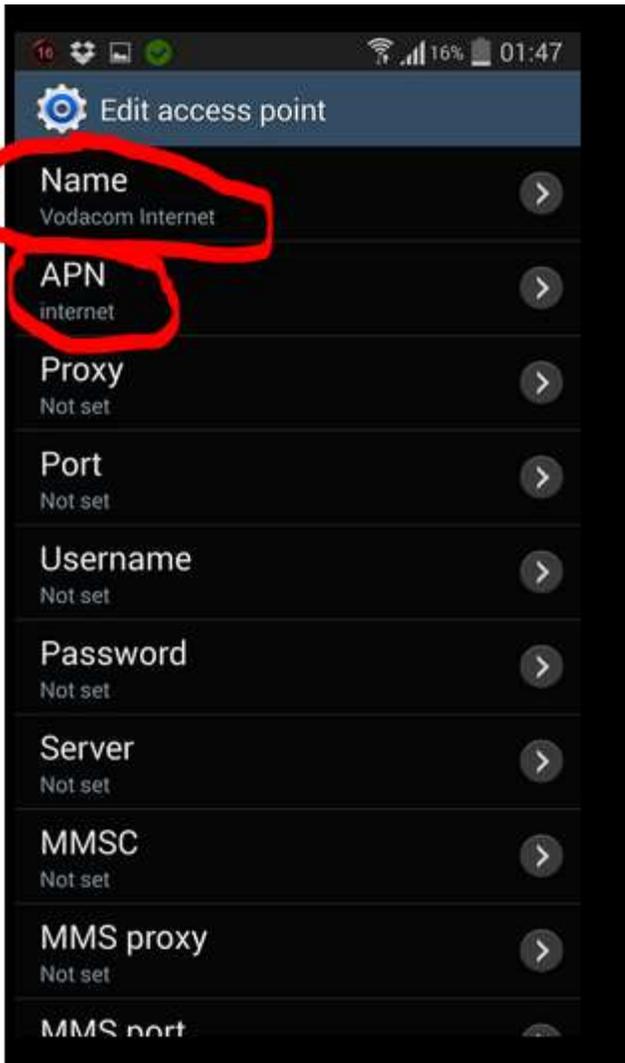


9. From your home screen, select your “settings” icon, and then the “mobile networks” option. It may also say “tethering and networks”



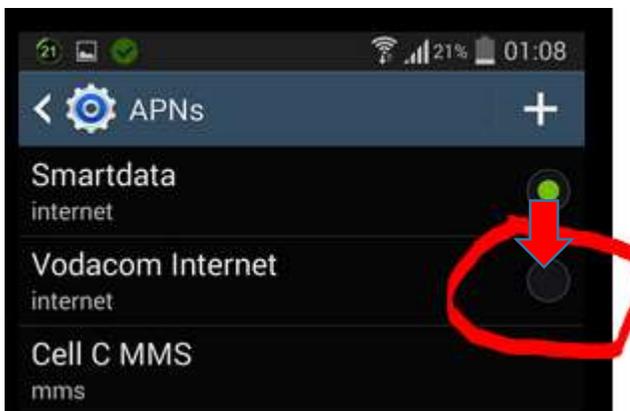
10. From here, select the “mobile networks” tab, which will take you to the “access point names” (APN) setting. We need to add a new access point, so find the three dots in one of the corners, and select “add” or the “+” sign.

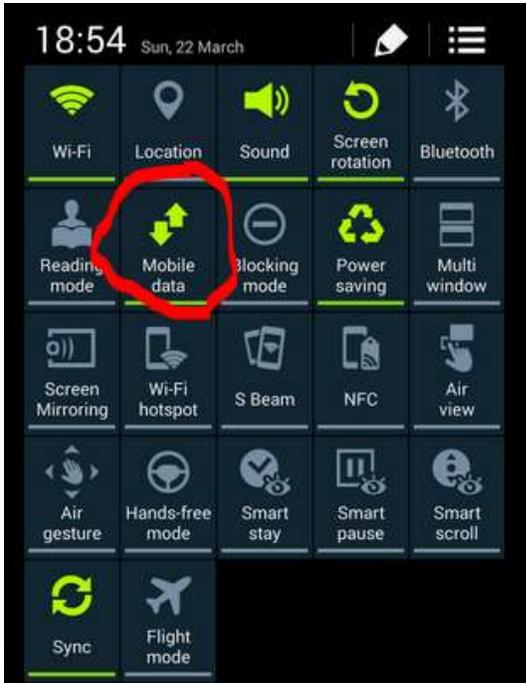




11. Once there, set the APN NAME to “Vodacom Internet” It is important to use the capitals as shown. Next select the “APN” tab, and change it to read “internet” Note there are no UPPERCASE letters here.

12. Next you need to “Save” these. Once you have saved it, it should revert to the “access point names” screen, with an “UNFILLED” checkbox or circle. You need to “check” or “FILL” this box/circle. After this, you may press the “back” key, until you reach your homescreen.





13. Now re-enable your “data” network by sliding your finger down from the top to the bottom of your screen. Find the arrows, and highlight them.

14. It is VERY important not to skip the step that turns your data network ON, if you don’t, it chows airtime like a hungry wolf.

And Bobs’ your uncle.

MCEL SIMCARDS

Mcel Simcards setup on their own. The registration and activation processes are done by Mcel Stores, which makes it a bit more difficult setting it up on your own. Over and above that, VODACOM has better coverage and has cheaper rates.

Should you decide to go with Mcel, kindly follow the instructions on the packaging to register or activate. The sellers normally do that for you. They are very helpful.

The APN settings for Mcel is: APN NAME: MCEL

APN: isp.mcel.mz (note the use of the lower case lettering)

As for the settings regarding turning off data connections, they are the same.

JUST COMPLETELY STAY AWAY FROM MOVITEL. COVERAGE IS VERY LIMITED, AND ONLY FOCUSED IN THE BIGGER TOWNS

IPHONE SETUP

The apples are a bit more difficult. You need to find the network connections, and change the data connection settings. They normally auto setup, but they only require the APN itself. Not the APN NAME.

Should you decide to roam with your number, and have the data active, the APN and APN NAME needs to change as set out for VODACOM AND MTN. This has sorted some problems where data roaming has been activated by your service provider, but it is not working.

NOTE ROAMING DATA MAY BE AS MUCH AS R50 per MB. YOU MAY GET A NASTY SURPRIZE WHEN RETURNING BACK HOME