

UltraSMS

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Introduction

UltraSMS is a program that sends sms to single or multiple destination numbers from a simple and intuitive interface installed on a pc with a direct Internet connection.

It's possible to add, modify or delete single or group of contacts, in order to have an easier management of their own contacts.

1. First run

1.1 Setup

Download the last version of UltraSMS from the download section of our site (<http://www.agiletelecom.com/Download.aspx>). Once finished run the downloaded file and follow indications to complete the installation (if possible install it to the path "C:\Program Files\UltraSMS").

Finish the installation and run UltraSMS from the link on the desktop.

In the traybar an icon like the following one will appear



Click with the right mouse button on the icon and a menu with program option will appear. With a double click of the left mouse button the main windows of the program will appear



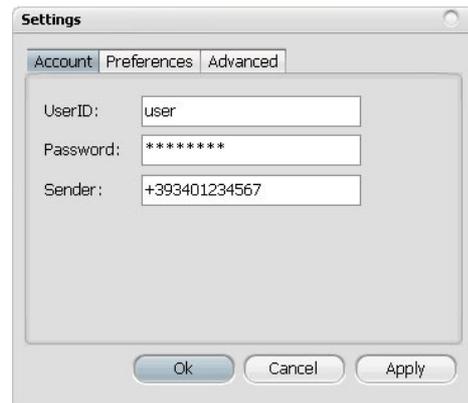
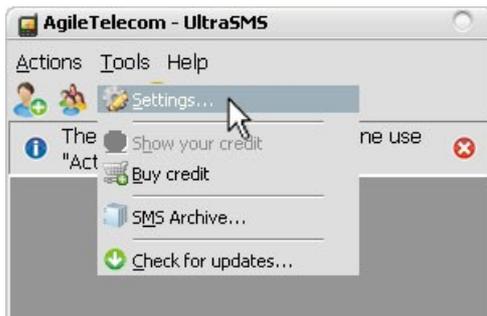
N.B. Click X on the top-right corner of the program will to reduce UltraSMS to an icon in the traybar (low-right corner of the desktop, next to the system time/date).

1.2 Setting

First step after installation is to write account details.

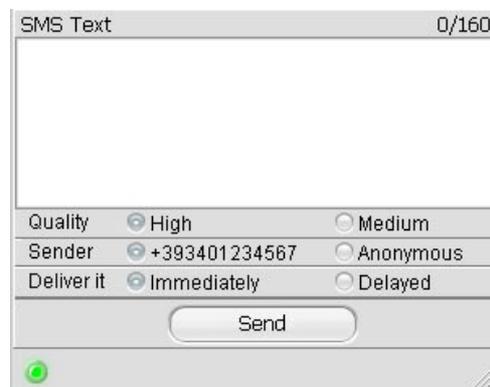
Click on "Tools" --> "Settings..." from the main menu of the program.

Choose the "Account" tab then fill parameters UserID, Password (provided by our technicians during registration) and Sender as the following example:



press the "Ok" button to confirm parameters. The window will be closed and, if the Internet connection is available, UltraSMS will try to connect to our server in order to verify account details.

If check will have positive results the red light in the lower-left corner of the window will turn into green as the followin:



IMPORTANT: if you don't already have an account it's possible to request a new one to our technicians, contacting them with one of the methods listed there <http://www.agiletelecom.com/Contacts.aspx>

2. Manage Contacts

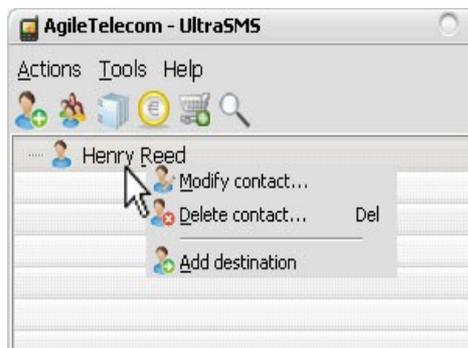
2.1 Insert/modify/cancel a contact

UltraSMS is now ready to use. Next step is to insert contacts into the phonebook.

Choose "Contacts" --> "Add..." from the menu. In the new window write the name of the contact, choose the country (ex. Choosing Italy prefix "+39" will be automatically added to the field next to the number) and the number.



The created contact will appear in the phonebook visible on UltraSMS main windows. Repeat the same steps to add new contacts. In order to modify or delete a contact just click with the right button of the mouse over the name on the phonebook. A menu will appear as in example

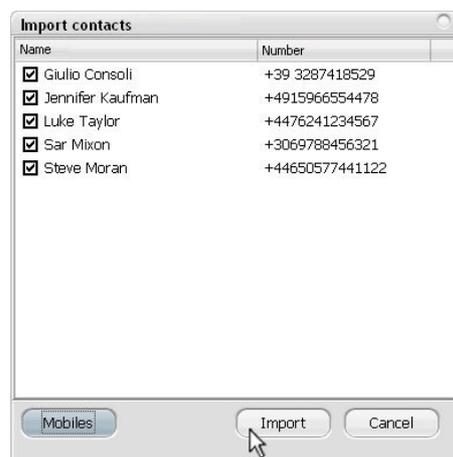
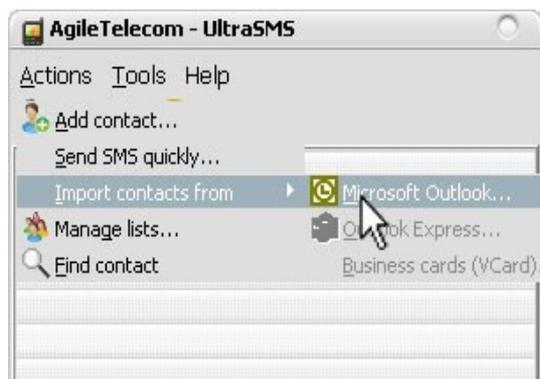


2.2 Import contacts from Outlook

UltraSMS offers the possibility of importing contacts from Microsoft Outlook phonebook.

From the menu "Contacts" choose "Import contacts from" --> "Microsoft Outlook..."

A window like the following will appear:



Manually choose all the contacts you want to import or press the button "Mobiles" in order to check just the ones with a mobile number specified.

Once finished press "Import" to complete the process.

If Outlook phonebook has many contacts it's possible that the windows will be shown after some minutes.

Imported contacts will be available in the main windows of UltraSMS.

2.3 Create a list of numbers and import it in UltraSMS software

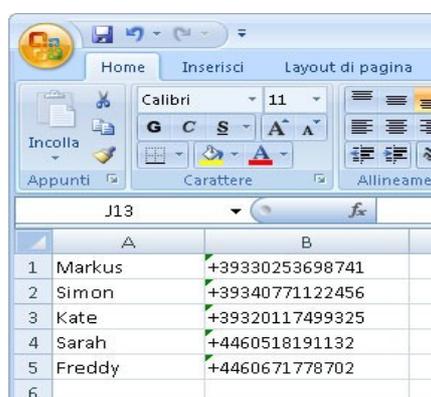
Other than normal contacts it's possible to manage lists of numbers. With this option is possible to send the same message to all the contacts of the list with just a couple of clicks.

Lists could be imported from Excel, Csv or txt (text) files wrote following a specific format.

How to import from an Excel document

Write the name of the contact in column A and in column B the number with the international prefix (for example +39 in case of Italian number). **It's fundamental to specify the international prefix for each number, on the country sms will not reach the mobile.**

Both columns must be in text format and the number must begin with character "+" followed by the international prefix. Save the file with extension ".xls"



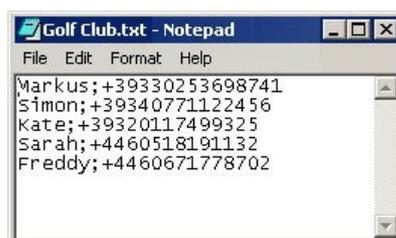
	A	B
1	Markus	+39330253698741
2	Simon	+39340771122456
3	Kate	+39320117499325
4	Sarah	+4460518191132
5	Freddy	+4460671778702
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Other than the "Name, Number" format it's possible to create files with "Name, Surname, Number" or "only number".

How to import from a CSV or TXT document

Write the name of the contact followed by a semicolon char (";") without any blanks between them, then write the mobile number with the international prefix code (example +39 if Italian).

Insert one contact and one number for each row. Save the file with ".txt" extension as in example:



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Golf Club.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format Help
Markus;+39330253698741
Simon;+39340771122456
Kate;+39320117499325
Sarah;+4460518191132
Freddy;+4460671778702
    
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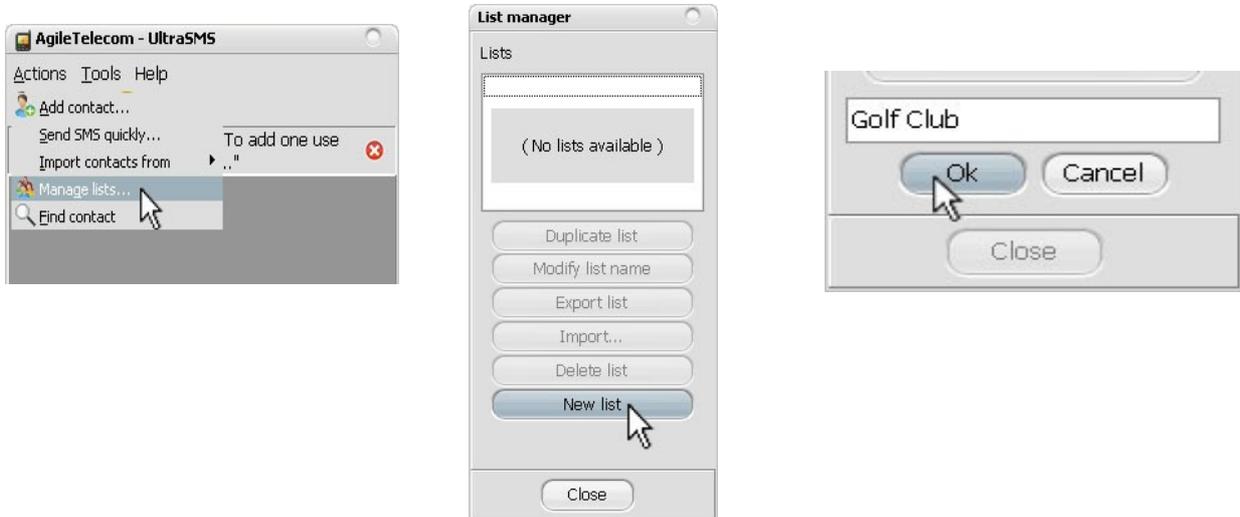
Other than "Name 1;+3933934012345" format it's possible to create lists without specifying names of the contacts. The file there will be only the number written in international format, for example "+3933934012345".

It's still necessary to specify a number for each row of the file.

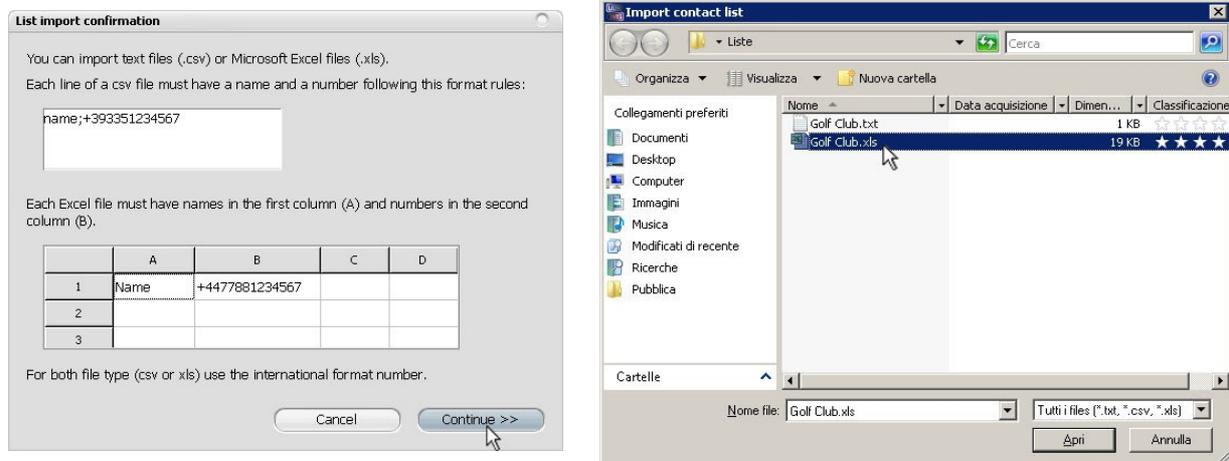
It's possible to export numbers from an Sql database (or similar) and save them as a file with ".csv" extension in order to import them as an UltraSMS list. The format of files CSV must be the same of the one used for TXT files.

To create and import a list choose "Contacts" --> "Manage Lists..." from the UltraSMS main menu.

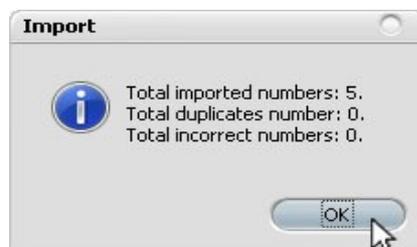
Press the button "Create new list" from the windows just appeared and type the name you want to associate to the list.



Press "Ok" to confirm the name than "Next >>" to proceed with the next step.
 Now choose the file containing the numbers that will be imported and press "Open" to confirm.



After few seconds, if operation has been done correctly, a message like the following will appear



with the total of imported, wrong or duplicated contacts.

The software will check presence of duplicated numbers and will import them just once, to avoid a single number to receive same sms twice.

Sometimes empty rows in a file could increase number of wrong records. In this case check if the total of imported records is equal to the amount of valid contacts of the file.

Confirm by pressing the “Ok” button than “Close” from the “List manager” window.

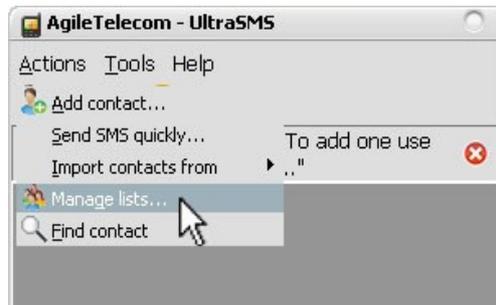
In the UltraSMS main window will appear the list just imported, as in example:



By pressing the “+” sign next to the list name will expand and show all the contacts contained into the list itself.

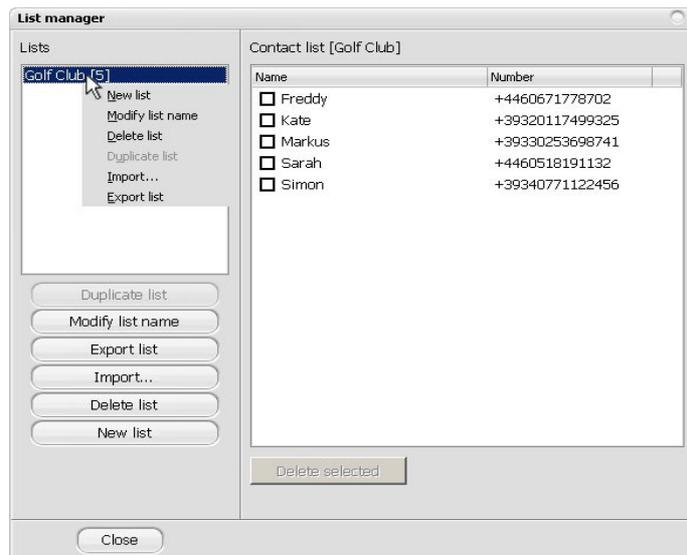
2.4 Modify/delete a list

To modify an already imported list click choose “Contacts” --> “Manage Lists” from the main menu of UltraSMS.



A new window will appear. Choose the list which you want to modify/delete between the ones available on the left section of the window. In the right section will appear the contacts contained into the list and it will be possible to delete them by checking the box next to the name and pressing the button “Deleted selected”.

By clicking with the right mouse button over the name of a list will show a menu containing some special functions for the list management:



With this menu it will be possible to modify the name of a list, delete it, import new contacts or export the actual ones.

2.5 Search a contact

This option provide a way to search every contact from the phonebook containing a specific string of characters. For example, in order to search contacts containing the “H” character, click on the lens icon from the UltraSMS main windows and type the text you want to search.



Contacts will be filtered and only the ones containing the character “H” will be shown. By clicking the red X on the right will close the search box and all the contacts will be shown again.

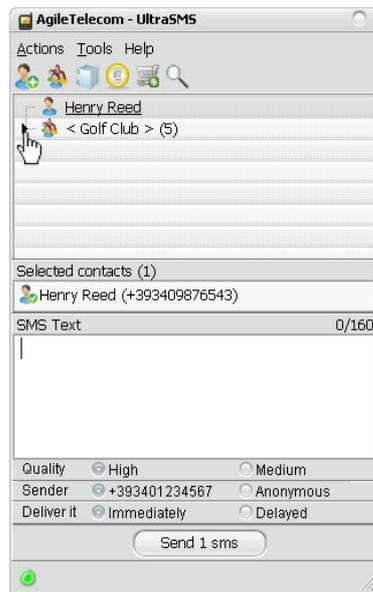
3. Send an SMS

3.1 Send an SMS to one or more contacts from the phonebook

To send a single SMS to a mobile number an active Internet connection is necessary.

Choose the contact from the phonebook by clicking on it with the left mouse button or click on the “+” next to the name of the list to see all the contacts saved inside it.

The name and number of the chosen contact will appear in the “Destinations” section located in the lower part of the program.



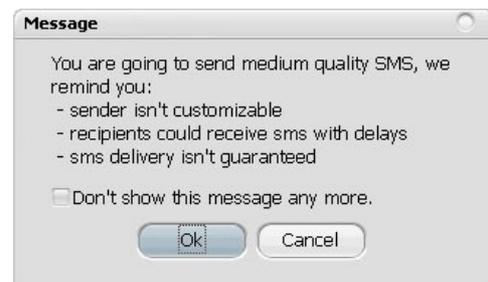
Type the text of the SMS in the specific field; length should be maximum of 160 characters. A counter will display the actual length of it.

Messages with more than 160 characters will be sent as “long messages”, so it will be splitted into more than one sms in order to be sent, but will be shown on the mobile as a single SMS.

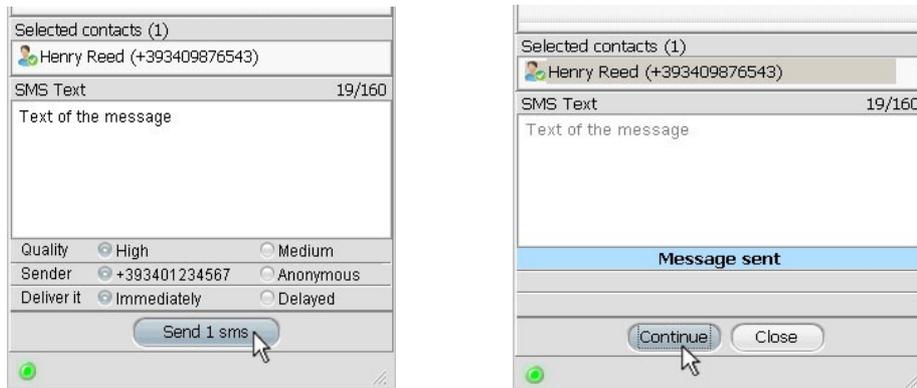
160 characters --> 1 SMS 306 characters --> 2 SMS 459 characters --> 3 SMS 612 characters --> 4 SMS

Choose the quality of the message:

	HIGH QUALITY	MEDIUM QUALITY
Customizable sender	YES, must be specified in account settings	NO, will be chosen by the SMS provider
Could have delays	NO	YES
Guaranteed delivery	YES	NO



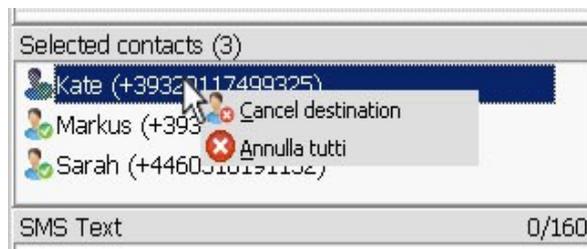
Finally press the “Send” button to complete; UltraSMS will send a request to our server. If it will be accepted and elaborated correctly a confirmation will be shown in the lower section of the program.



Press the “Close” button to minimize the program in the traybar or the “Continue” button to keep it opened.

To send same text to more than one destination numbers just choose them with the left mouse button from the phonebook. All the chosen contacts will be shown in the destinations list.

To remove a single contact from the destinations list click on it with the right mouse button and choose “Cancel destination” or “Remove all” to clear the whole list.



3.2 Send an SMS to a contact not in the phonebook

To send a message to a number not registered in the phonebook you can use the “Send SMS quickly” function from the “Actions” menu.

Type the destination number in international format (country prefix will be automatically wrote by choosing the right country name from the list).



Press OK to add the number in the destinations list. The number will not be added to the phonebook. Continue by typing the text as a normal SMS.

3.3 Send to one or more lists

To send SMS with same text to an already imported list of contacts it's just necessary to choose it from the phonebook with the left mouse button. Exactly like a single contact the name of the list will appear in the destinations list.

The remaining steps are the same used to send a singular SMS; UltraSMS will automatically send a request for each number contained into the list.

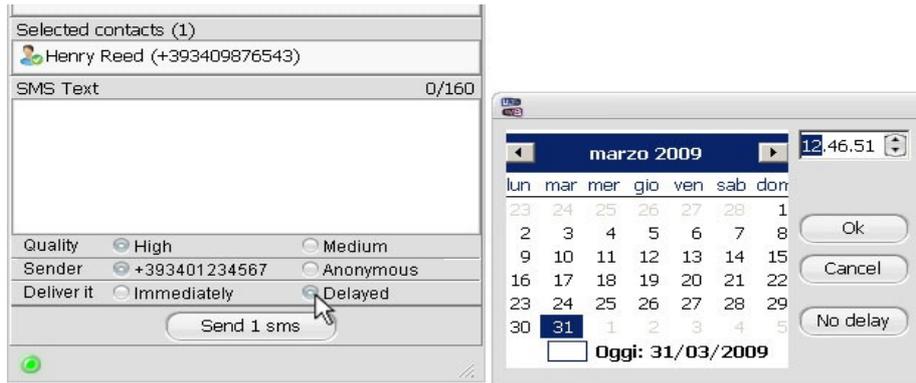
It's also possible to put both lists and single contacts in the destinations list in order to send them them all with a single request.

3.4 Delayed SMS

This function allows user to plan the delivery of a message.

Steps to follow are the same ones necessary to send a normal message, but before pressing the “Send” you should check the option “Delayed” in the lower section of UltraSMS main window.

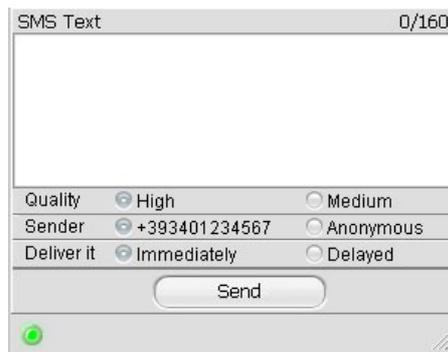
In the new window which will appear choose the date and the time you want the message to be delivered, than presso “Ok” to confirm.



Once pressed the button “Send” and received a positive answer from our server, the message will be stored until the chosen date/time.

3.5 Anonymous SMS

Before sending a message it's possible to hide the sender (just with high quality SMS).
From the menu under the text field of UltraSMS choose "Anonymous" as sender.



The screenshot shows a mobile interface for sending an SMS. At the top, it says "SMS Text" and "0/160". Below this is a large empty text input field. Underneath the text field are three rows of configuration options, each with a radio button and two choices:

Quality	<input checked="" type="radio"/> High	<input type="radio"/> Medium
Sender	<input checked="" type="radio"/> +393401234567	<input type="radio"/> Anonymous
Deliver it	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Immediately	<input type="radio"/> Delayed

Below these options is a "Send" button. At the bottom left of the interface is a green status indicator, and at the bottom right is a small icon.

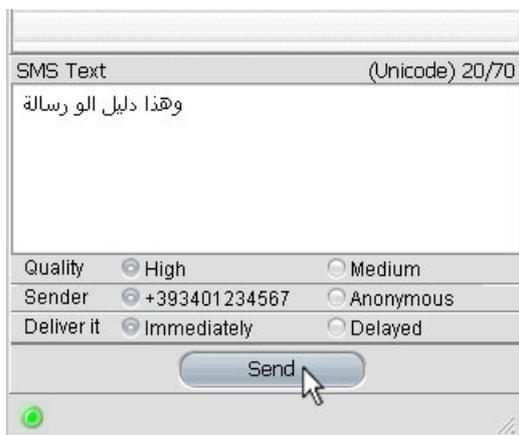
Continue by sending the message as normal.

3.6 SMS with Unicode text

With a normal textual sms it is possible to send a limited set of characters (LATIN/GSM 3.38, here the complete table <http://resources.agiletelecom.com/Updates/GSM%20Alphabet%20-%20Agile%20Telecom.pdf>)

In order to send SMS with arabic, chinese or other non-Latin text it is necessary to write text in UNICODE.

Here is an example with arabic text:



Unicode SMS are limited to 70 chars but, like common textual SMS, could be sent as “long message”, that is more Unicode SMS linked together and received from the mobile as a single message.

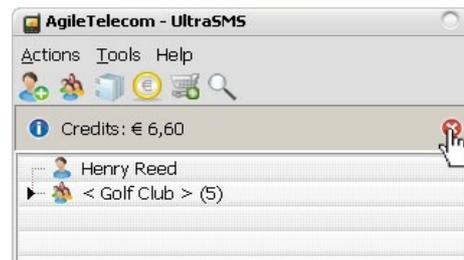
70 characters --> 1 SMS 134 characters --> 2 SMS 201 characters --> 3 SMS 268 characters --> 4 SMS

IMPORTANT: some mobiles are complatible with Unicode. Some of them could not have all the chars table needed to decode the Unicode SMS.

4. Other functions

4.1 Credit check

From the main menu choose “Tool” --> “Show your credit”, UltraSMS will connect to our server and will request the updated remaining credit of your account. Results will be shown in a bar like the following one :



4.2 Updates

From the menu "?" --> "Check for updates" it's possible to check for new updates of UltraSMS.



Once selected the option there will just need to follow steps shown in order to complete the installation of the new version. You could then check the actual version by choosing "?" --> "About" from the UltraSMS main window. A windows like the following will appear (in this case actual version is 1.5.1.0).



4.3 Send a suggestion

UltraSMS is periodically updated trying to keep an easy and fast tool for any user who wants to send SMS directly from its PC. While doing this we try to add new features in order to satisfy people's requests and expand the uses of our program. So we invite users to send us suggestions, problems or doubts Vi invitiamo quindi a segnalarci suggerimenti, problemi o dubbi about our program via email by using the option available in the menu "Help" --> "Send a suggestion.."

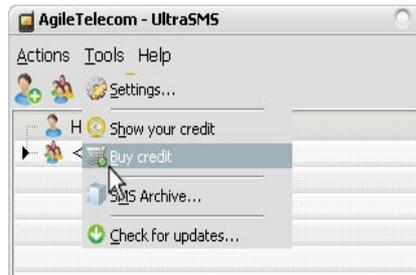


In the window which will appear specify your user name, email and the suggestion you want to send us, than presso "Send" to complete.

We will answer you as soon as possible.

4.4 Buy credit

In every moment it's possible to buy some new credit for your account by entering the client area. From the menu "Settings" click "Buy credit".



A web browser will automatically open on Agile Telecom's client area (www.agiletelecom.com). From this section you will be able to buy a new sms package via paypal or bank transfer.

4.5 List of SMS sent

Once SMS has been sent it's possible to check their status using the menu "Menu" -- "SMS Archive".



From the page that will appears it's possible to request an email containing a specific report.

Once report has been requested it will arrive after some minutes via email with a PDF and a CSV files compressed into a ZIP file.
IMPORTANT: delayed messages won't be visible into the report until the date/time chosen for the delivery.