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## Union Jack Telephone and Leef Access Tike

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Two items that are both connected with telecommunications, the first a rather patriotic telephone that I can see being popular is places like Notting Hill and the second Leef Access a faster (USB3) version of a recently reviewed item.

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GPO Vintage British Union Jack Art ... Protelx Ltd £39.99

## Union Jack Telephone

This is a very conventional well-made push button telephone. Maybe it will find its market in posh stores for its decoration as it is tastefully decorated with the union jack,

while the red, white and blue are all correct the finish is matt.

It is 23x21x12cm these are maximum dimensions as it is less than 3cm at the front.

The shape is one that was favoured by BT in their later years and it bears the GPO label which is not to convey that they are old stock but the current owner of the GPO brand.

It comes with a 7foot lead to a standard phone connection plug this fits in the base. The handset has a 2foot lead when fully coiled up.



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One selling point is that as this has no additional electronics inside it will work in a power cut as the only power it takes is delivered down the line from the exchange.

It is always wise to have a standard phone connected somewhere in the property as most modern phones have a connection to an electrical socket in the property and when you have a power cut they will no longer work.

The face has what initially looks like an original rotary dial but these are all touch buttons, a total of twelve, perhaps alien to today's children but what most people over say thirty or forty were brought up on.

In the centre was the old paper disc behind a plastic sheet with Dial 999 for Fire, Police, Ambulance and 100 Operator.

The curved handset fits between the ear and mouth perfectly and the finish feels almost rubbery.

The Union Jack Telephone is available from the link below for £39.99 with free delivery.

http://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/product/B008MNKQ38? ie=UTF8&tag=gadge0a-21&linkCode=as2&camp=1634