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Re: PLBs for Fishing Alone

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yes some but not all cell phones will give a location on a map using satellites not cell tower service. if your phone works that way, then an application with topo maps might be a good thing to have. try the map sometime when you have no bars.

second, since the subject is safety and fishing alone, a fishing partner can make things safer or not. a person who gets lost, doesn't act on weather issues, or otherwise gets themselves in trouble, can get you in trouble. I won't go into it here, but I have actually been in the situation of trying to get help to someone hurt in a remote area, no phone service etc. no fun, and people do sometimes get hurt in water and hiking when trying to help people in trouble. I fully recognize that I could get hurt fishing on any trip but being out there with someone too far over the edge IMHO does not enhance anyone's safety