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Guys

Sorry for the delay in posting any replies. I've been away from the forum taking my family vacation and getting two kids off to college.

djs12354

Let me know which lake the point is wrong on and I'll take a look at that point. I always knew there were going to be a few errors. I need feedback like this to refine everything. With 5000 points, I can't say I've visited them all. I can fix these dynamically without the need for users to update the app if I know where the errors exist.

Stagger_Lee

1. All features and functions are the same although the Android architecture works slightly differently because of Android's design. The only true difference is in entering latitude and longitude coordinates for waypoints manually. In iOS, you can use multiple formats, In Android, only Decimal Degrees is supported.

2. Buy it once and it can be installed on up to 5 Android devices.

3. Because the purchase is tied to your Google ID, you can install it on new Android devices when you upgrade. If you change to iPhone however, you would have to purchase it again since it is a completely different product. Make sure you export your waypoints to import in your upgraded device.

FYI - You can try the Android version FREE for three days. Just click the ad on this page.

pcray

I wish I could eliminate the underlying satellite maps when loading Topo's as well but to create a functional GPS map with overlays, I need to use the devices internal map as a base layer. No real options on this one.

Once a USGS tile downloads the first time, it is stored in the phone and is immediately recalled the next time you need it. I download topos on wifi for the areas I need ahead of time for speed.

The USGS files are very small as well. I had a beefy data plan for app testing and ended up reducing it

radically. Even with extensive testing on two different phones simultaneously for a month, I only used 1 Gb of data. I don't think any user will ever approach that given the many days of testing I did.

I'll also check out that hunting app. Sounds useful.

PS - Maybe next year for the Nat Repro list. The streams are on the map now. They just need data and destination points behind them. There's a lot of downside to making it that accessible though.

FYI - I'm playing with designing a new topo app based on the fishing app that will map every stream in the Continental US and let you search for any named lake or stream by name to target it on the maps. You then view the roadmap, set a waypoint on a road next to the water course or on a bridge and tap GO for driving directions. Unfortunately it's just too big to be able to incorporate access points. It's kind of a "Higbee USA". It's in early stages but a lot of the research is done.