

Hunting/Shooting Apps for Mobile Devices

1. Ballistic:



Ballistic allows shooters to input a slew of information about their unique shooting situations – from the model of their gun and the caliber of their bullet, to the distance and angle of their shot, all the way to elemental concerns like wind speed, temperature, and pressure. Ballistic then takes all of this data and uses it to calculate information on shot trajectory and drop, helping hunters to adjust their shots accordingly to make sure they find their targets. It's no surprise that many shooting professionals rely on Ballistic while practicing their craft.

2. Strelak:



There's no reason that iPhone users should have all the fun toys and gadgets. Strelak is an Android app that serves the same essential function as Ballistic. The tool helps hunters to calculate the trajectory of their shots, helping to improve accuracy and overall marksmanship. It doesn't take into account quite as many different factors as Ballistic, but it has a simpler, less technical interface and actually comes in a free version, which can't be said for Ballistic.

Best of all, out of over 3,000 reviews on the Google Play market, Strelak has a rating of 4.7 out of 5 – meaning that plenty of hunters have been using the program and have been satisfied with it over the years. If you've got an Android phone, Strelak should be one of the first apps you download.

3. RangeLog:



The official mobile app of the website of the same name, RangeLog is a great program that all passionate shooters should considering installing on their smartphones.

The app is available for both Apple and Android devices, and while you must have a RangeLog account to use it, membership with the site is free, easy to set up, and useful for firearm enthusiasts. RangeLog not only helps you to find shooting ranges anywhere, but also gives you a place to keep a detailed journal about your shooting scores and progress. From competition scores to notes on your shooting range practice sessions, RangeLog is perfect for all of your shooting range related needs.

4. AccuScope



While the name of the app makes it sound like just another ballistics program, AccuScope actually has its own unique function and appeal. At only \$0.99 for the premium version of the app, AccuScope is a bargain. It gives you the tips you need to perfectly attach and sight your scope so that you get the most accurate end result possible.

Like the ballistic apps listed previously, AccuScope takes into account a number of factors in order to calculate how many dial clicks you need to properly and perfectly sight your scope. If you've had trouble finding the right fit on your scopes in the past, this app can eliminate the need for guessing and make sure that you're not longer shooting in the dark.

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5. iSolunar Hunting & Fishing Times:



Perhaps the most essential outdoor application for hunters and anglers alike, iSolunar Hunting And Fishing Times works to help you plan the most productive hunting trip possible. The app zeroes in on your location using GPS information. Then, it compiles astronomical data on your region to provide you with incredibly useful information that is both basic (sunrise and sunset times, for instance) and complicated (predictions of when animals will be feeding, wandering about, or otherwise active).

6. iHunt Hunting Calls:



Most publications name Primos Hunting Calls as the finest animal-calling app on the market. That figures: Primos is the most recognizable name in wildlife calls, and their app was built on years of experience and expertise. However, this iHunt Hunting Calls app has a near five-star rating on the Apple app store, is a longtime bestseller, and bears "almost 600 wildlife hunting calls and 47 animal species to choose from." Compared to the Primos app – which only has 20 different calls to offer – the iHunt app is well worth a test run, especially since it's a free download (compared to the \$1.99 Primos price tag). In addition to hunting calls, the iHunt app also includes iSolunar data, weather forecasts, and a handy journal feature so you can keep a log of your hunts. If you only download one hunting app, this might well be the one to go with.

7. Hunting Journal Pro:



Even if you do go for the iHunt app, it's not a bad idea to have an app specifically built to keep track of all of your hunting information. Hunting Journal Pro (\$3.99) is yet another five-star iPhone application that is loaded with features. Like iSolunar and iHunt, Hunting Journal Pro provides solunar table information so that you can choose the best times to go hunting. In addition, the app allows you to record all of the information from your hunts and scouting trips on an aerial map. This makes it easier than ever before to keep track of your hunting property and to learn it like the back of your hand.

From deer sighting areas to heavily used trails, bedding areas to feedings plots, tree stands to blinds, the Hunting Journal Pro app allows you to visually map out your entire hunting experience. Later, you can even access your maps and journals online from your personal computer.

8. Coach's Eye:

Application to capture actions of shooters and other sports allows users to play back in multiple modes. This application is useful for teaching shotgun shooting skills to new users and other shooters.

<http://www.coachseye.com/>

9. Trimble GPS Hunt & Fish:

The first navigation mobile app built solely for hunters. Find hunting spots, track wildlife, and see weather reports. <http://www.gpshuntfish.com/Products/TrimbleGPSHunt/>

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10. Geo Caching:



Geocaching is the real-world treasure hunt that's happening right now, all around you. There are 2,376,670 active geocaches and over 6 million geocachers worldwide.

<http://www.geocaching.com/>

11. PDF Maps Mobile by Avenza Systems:

Avenza Systems has made mobile GIS technology available on Apple and Android devices for everybody to use.

The PDF Maps app is a geospatial PDF, GeoPDF® and GeoTIFF reader for your Apple iOS and Android smartphones and tablets. Easily search for and browse thousands of professionally made maps available in the Avenza Map Store. Interact with spatially referenced maps to view your location, record GPS tracks, add placemarks, and find places.

For the geospatial community, PDF Maps compliments MAPublisher and Geographic Imager, both of which have the ability to export to geospatial PDF and GeoTIFF. The formats are also supported by common GIS applications including ArcGIS.

PDF Maps is used by individuals*, companies and organizations for navigation, information collection, and sharing geographic information and knowledge.

<http://www.avenza.com/pdf-maps>

12. Onxmaps:



A trusted source for private and public land ownership mapping technology, onXmaps has been a leader in data collection and mapping since 2008. With onXmaps, consumers can use their Garmin GPS, PC/Mac computer, and mobile devices to learn public and private land owner names, know property boundaries, roads, trails, terrain and more!

At onXmaps, we are inspired by customer's confidence and are continually developing long-term relationships with companies like Garmin and Esri to create the best maps on the market. We invite you to explore our brands and discover ways that you can leverage our technology and expertise in your own organization and adventures.

<http://www.onxmaps.com/>

13. Isnipe:

iSnipe™ is the original ballistics calculator app for the iPhone, iPad and iPod touch. Using the exclusive Direkon Ballistics Library, iSnipe™ generates military grade 3-DOF solutions for small arms trajectories, including corrections for Pitch, Yaw, Wind, Coriolis/Eötvös Effect, Spin Drift and Atmospheric Conditions.

Simply put; a ballistics computer is a calculator used to predict a bullets path / energy / wind-drift / etc. For shooting enthusiasts, this means the ability to pre-determine how, where and at what speeds your bullets will fly, before you even load your gun.

<http://www.isnipe.ca/index.html>

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14. Hunting Call:



Hunting Call improves your skill to bring in birds, waterfowl, deer, predators, elk and much more. Go hunting? Get Hunting Call before you leave. This app can produce the sound to call most small game and big game animals. Each sound was made to be crystal clear.

Additional Features:

Long press to set your favorite call/sound to your ringtone /notification.

If you intend to use the calls for hunting, check first your local game laws for legal use.

Including calls

Deer: Grunt Bawl Alert Wheeze

Snort Wheeze

Sparring

Social Grunt

Pawning

Rattling

Tending Grunt

Wheeze

Doe Grunt

Found on the google play or iTunes stores.