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c:geo User Guide

Welcome to the c:geo online user guide!



About c:geo

c:geo is an open source, full-featured, always ready-to-go unofficial Android client for geocaching.com and offers basic support for other geocaching platforms (such as Opencaching). It does not require a web browser or exports - just install it and start right away.

c:geo is only a client application for geocaching and is not associated with any specific geocaching service provider.

Getting Started

- [Installing and updating c:geo](#) - How to download, install, and get updates for c:geo
- [c:geo device permissions](#) - Device permissions needed for using c:geo
- [First steps with c:geo](#) - How to authenticate with geocaching services in c:geo
- [Basic c:geo usage](#) - What is geocaching and how to find your first geocache with c:geo

Users' Manual

Main screen

- [Main screen](#) - Access the main functions of c:geo
 - [Top bar menu](#) - Access additional functions
 - [Live Map](#) - View a live map of geocaches
 - [Nearby Search](#) - Search for caches near you
 - [Stored Caches](#) - View locally stored geocaches
 - [Search](#) - Search for geocaches and trackables
 - [Go to](#) - Navigate to arbitrary coordinates
 - [Global Cache Type Filter](#) - Filter the displayed cache types

- [Bottom section](#) - Monitor your status information
- [Settings](#) - Configure the application

Geocaches

- [Geocache details](#) - View geocache details
- [Logging of Geocaches](#) - Log your geocache finds

Trackables

- [Trackable details](#) - View trackable details
- [Trackable handling](#) - Search for and log trackables

Coordinates and navigation

- [Coordinate input dialog](#) - Enter specific coordinates
- [Waypoint Calculator](#) - Calculate waypoints
- [Navigation](#) - Navigate using the supported navigation methods and tools
- [Compass](#) - Navigate using the built-in compass

Offline functions

- [Offline caching](#) - Using c:geo offline
 - [GPX import](#) - Import geocaches from GPX files
 - [Pocket queries](#) - View and import Pocket Queries
 - [Offline logging](#) - Log geocaches while offline
 - [Field Notes](#) - Export field notes
 - [Offline Maps](#) - Set up offline maps

User defined caches

- [User defined caches](#) - Handling of user defined caches in c:geo

Quick Reference

- [Geocache types](#)
- [Geocache markers](#)
- [Waypoint types](#)
- [Map sources](#)
- [Cache Filtering](#)
- [Limitations for geocaching.com basic members](#)
- [Coordinate formats](#)
- [Attribute icons](#)

- [Other useful apps](#)

Special Functions and Hints

- [Offline map tutorial](#)
- [Open geocaching-related links with c:geo](#)
- [Hidden functions in c:geo](#)
- [Sharing geocaches through NFC](#)
- [Using Send2cgeo.](#)
- [Synchronizing spoiler pictures from external sources to c:geo](#)
- [Waypoints created for coordinates in personal notes](#)
- [Using quick access and widgets as shortcuts for some c:geo functions](#)
- [Migrating c:geo to another device](#)

Plugins and Addon functions

- [Contacts plugin](#) - c:geo contacts plugin

FAQ

If you encounter a problem or error, please check our [FAQ](#) for possible solutions.

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- [Get involved and contribute to c:geo development](#)
- [Donate via PayPal](#)