Golfshot : Golf GPS User Guide

Version 3.0

Scorecard Version 3.0



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New in 3.0: Track Menu

Track Menu

Press the Golf Ball icon in the upper left corner to 'peel back' the Track Menu. Here you can Track Swings, Take Photos, Write Notes or View Scorecard. You can also quickly access your Club Averages and Tracking History.

Swing Tracking

Tracking begins when you press the Golf Club icon. Be sure to press the Golf Ball icon at the teebox or location of your shot and then when you get to your ball, save your swing.

While tracking you can still use the GPS List View and Aerial image tools.

We recommend only tracking full swings to ensure accurate club averages.



Selecting A Course

Nearby

Displays synced Facilities that are near your location. If you do not see Facilities near you, go to your Account and sync with your Course Region.

My Facilities

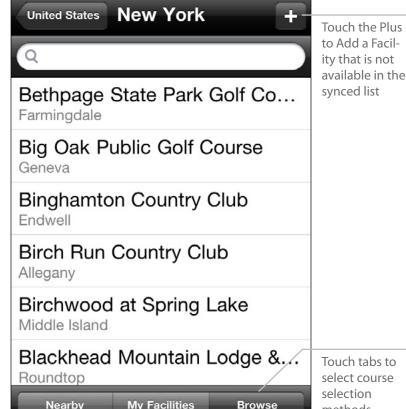
My Facilities will appear after you play a round and save a scorecard.

Browse

Search for Facilities outside your local region.

Starting Hole / 9-Hole Only Rounds

Select your Facility and Course. Once playing, scroll to your starting hole by pressing and holding the arrows. Golfshot will only calculate statistics and handicap for the holes you actually play.



Touch tabs to select course selection

methods

Browse

GPS / Aerial Screen

GPS / Aerial Toggle

Press the "GPS" tab to toggle to the "Aerial" view. Press again to toggle back.

TouchPoint Positioning

Touch anywhere on the aerial to view distance to that point and from that point to the green. Scroll the aerial view image by using two fingers.

Track Menu

Press the Golfshot Golf Ball icon at any time to access the Track Menu which gives you access to Swing Tracking, Photos, Notes, Scorecard, Club Averages and your Tracking History.



Touch the golf ball icon to access Track Menu

Zoom image and green

Touch and hold image to activate TouchPoint

Touch tabs to toggle between GPS and Aerial

Touch to view hole and round information

Score Screen

Enter Score

Press the Golfer Name to enter score.

Automatic Statistics

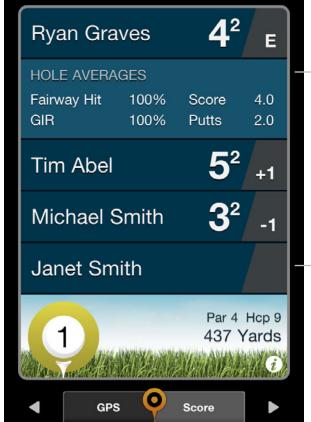
Greens in Regulation are automatically calculated by your Score and Putts for the hole. Sand Save and Scrambling percentages are also automatic.

Sand and PTY

Enter the number of shots hit from the Sand and the number of Penalties (PTY) scored for each hole. These will not add to your score but designate where your strokes are applied for statistics.

Ending Round

To end the round, scroll past the last hole. You can also select the "i" and choose End Round.



Hole averages appear for the primary golfer once you've played that hole

Touch the Golfer Name to enter score for that golfer HCK TIP

GPS Accuracy

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Golfshot receives GPS readings directly from the iPhone hardware. GPS requires a clear view of the sky and can take 1 minute or longer to get an accurate signal.

For the GPS to work please make sure Golfshot GPS is enabled in Location Services:

Exit Golfshot > open Settings > Location Services > turn Golfshot GPS to ON.

Also be sure to turn GPS Active to ON within the Golfshot app:

Golfshot > Account > GPS Settings > GPS Active to ON.

For best GPS results we suggest updating to the most current device firmware.

GPS Enabled Devices

iPhone 4S, 4, 3G-S, 3G, 3G model iPad & iPad 2



Green: indicates solid GPS connection Yellow: weak GPS connection Red: GPS not yet locked CK TIPS.

Golfshot GPS on iPad

Entering Score

To bring up the score entry screen press Hole Score. Then press the name of the golfer to enter their score. The Scorecard tab will bring up the traditional scorecard view for all holes on the front or back nine.

Options Menu

Press the "i" menu to reload aerial images, add secondary golfers, pause or end your round.

Hole Navigation

Press and hold arrows to quickly navigate between holes.

Track Menu

To access the Track Menu, press the Golf Ball icon (top center).



Press the name of the golfer to enter their score

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Maximizing Battery Life

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- 1. Ensure the phone is fully charged prior to round.
- 2. Manually lock the iPhone (button on top of phone) at times that distances won't be needed.
- 3. Unlock the iPhone about 1 minute before your next distance is needed.
- 4. Visit the **Apple Store** for iPhone battery extenders.

Adjusting Settings for Longer Battery Life

- 1. Go into your main iPhone Settings and turn Wi-Fi and Notifications both OFF.
- 2. While still in Settings, go into General Settings and turn Bluetooth OFF.
- 3. When finished with your round, return your settings.



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Background GPS

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edge of your iPhone.

With iOS 4, Apple unveiled firmware changes that enable apps to maintain a GPS connection even with the iPhone locked or when outside of the app. This means that you can manually lock your iPhone to conserve battery life between shots and still retain a GPS connection when you unlock your phone.

To lock your device press the button on the upper right

Adjust Background GPS settings

Open Golfshot > Account > GPS Settings > Background GPS > choose your setting > Save

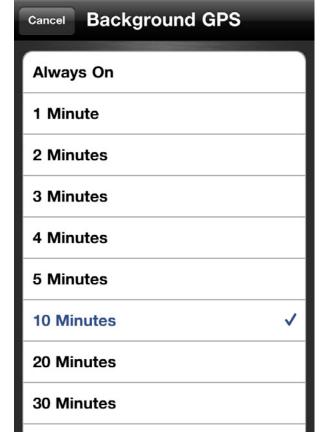


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Launch Screen

Play Golf

Use this button to begin a round on Golfshot. When returning to a round, you will see "Round in Progress" appear above this button. You must end a round before starting a new round.

Statistics

View your statistics for past rounds.

Scorecards

Gives access to previous round scorecards.

Account

Set preferences for User Profile, GPS and Score Settings. Set Course Sync Regions to download updated courses.



Installation

Register

Create a new account with Golfshot.

Your account sends you email scorecards, tracks your handicap and statistics and backups your round data for recovery if necessary.

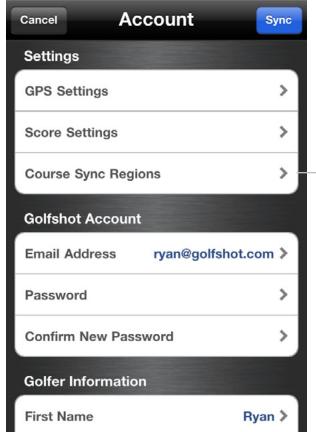
Login

Use this button if you already have a Golfshot account.

Course Sync Regions

In order to have access to the GPS information and scorecards for mapped courses you must sync with the Country or State region where your course is located.

To sync: Open Golfshot > Account > Course Sync Regions > turn your country or state to ON > Save > Sync



Golfshot will only load courses for the Course Sync Regions that you turn ON

GPS Settings

GPS Active & FocusView

Turns the GPS option and FocusView ON or OFF. FocusView highlights the hole shape on the aerial image for easier viewing outdoor.

Background GPS

Background GPS will keep reading GPS even when you lock the phone or leave the application.

Auto-Lock

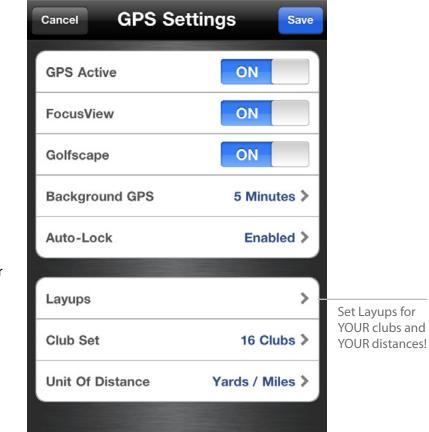
The iPhone will auto-lock to conserve power when you haven't interacted with the phone for a period of time. This will cause GPS to shut down. Disable Auto-Lock for improved GPS response time.

Layups

Customize your Clubs and ideal Layup distances.

Unit of Distance Setting

Units for layups, targets and distances to courses.



Score Settings

Score Active

Turns the Scoring option ON or OFF.

Scorecard When Rotated

This setting turns on automatic scorecard display if you rotate the phone. You can always view the scorecard by pressing the "i" icon.

Log Statistics

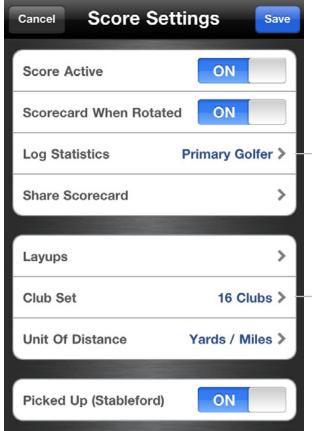
Set statistics preferences for the primary golfer or for your entire foursome.

Share Scorecard

Set up scorecard sharing for Facebook and Twitter.

Picked Up (Stableford)

For traditional Stableford rules, set Picked Up (Stableford) to ON. To record your gross score regardless of your stableford points, turn Picked Up (Stableford) to OFF.



Set statistics options for primary and secondary golfers

Customize your club options for the statistics screen

Handicap Settings

Handicap Style

Choose between standard USGA or different international handicap standards for your handicap index.

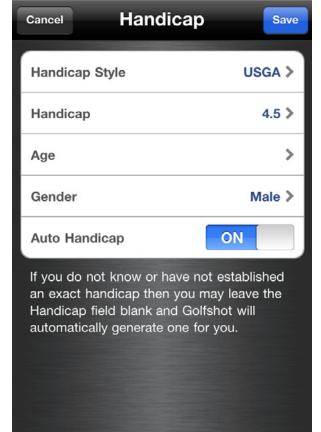
Handicap Index

Manually set your known handicap.

Auto Handicap

Updates your handicap with rounds played using the Golfshot system. Turn OFF to set your handicap manually on the Account screen.

The Auto-Handicap feature requires a minimum of five 18-hole rounds (or the equivalent of 90 holes of golf) to calculate a handicap.



Selecting A Course

Nearby

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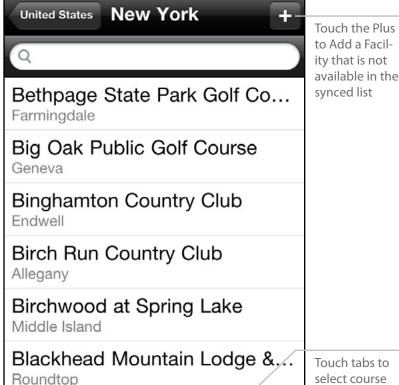
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Browse

Search for Facilities outside your local region.

Starting Hole / 9-Hole Only Rounds

Select your Facility and Course. Once playing, scroll to your starting hole by pressing and holding the arrows. Golfshot will only calculate statistics and handicap for the holes you actually play.



My Facilities

Browse

Nearby

Touch tabs to select course selection methods

Courses

Course List

Displays Courses available at this Facility.

Playing Multiple 9's

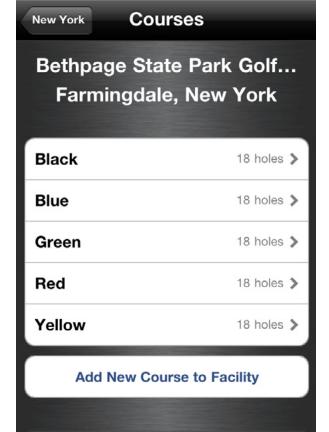
If you select a 9 hole Course at a multi-course facility, Golfshot will give you the option of a back nine.

Playing Only 9 Holes on an 18-hole Course

If you are only playing nine holes on an 18 hole Course, or you are starting on a different hole than hole 1, just select the Course. Once playing, scroll to your starting hole by pressing and holding the arrows. Golfshot will only calculate statistics and handicap for the holes you actually play.

Add New Course to Facility

Allows for adding a Course that is missing at a Facility.



Teeboxes

Teeboxes List

Displays Teeboxes available for this Course.

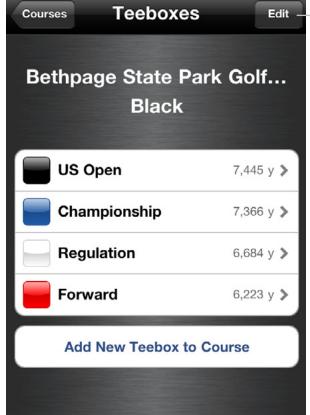
Edit Teeboxes

Select the Edit button to change information for Teeboxes.

If you see an asterisk (*) this indicates that your teebox has been manually edited. To remove the edits and revert to the published version, swipe over the asterisk and press Delete.

Add New Teebox to Course

Allows for adding a Teebox that is missing at a Course.



Touch Edit to edit Teebox information including Name, Color, Pars/Handicap, Slope/Rating

Add / Edit Teebox

Color / Name

Sets the display Color for the Teebox.

Name

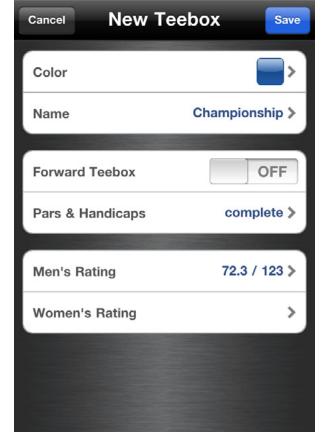
Sets the display Name for the Teebox.

Forward Teebox

Turn this ON to assign as a Forward Teebox. This will apply the forward set of Pars & Handicaps. This is generally used for Ladies, Junior or Senior tees.

Men's & Women's Ratings

Set the Slope and Rating for Men and Women on this Teebox. This is required for handicap scoring.



Round Setup Details

Handicap Scoring

Turns Handicap Scoring option ON or OFF.

Starting Hole

Sets the hole where you will begin play.

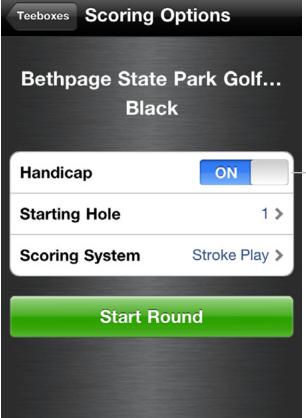
Scoring Style

Standard (Stroke-Play)

Sets Scoring Style to traditional, Stroke-Play scoring.

Stableford

Sets Scoring Style to Stableford scoring.



Allows handicap scoring (NET) for up to 8 golfers

Golfers

Primary Golfer

The primary golfer appears in the first position.

Add Golfers

Touch the additional rows to add a golfer to your round.

With version 3.0 you can keep score for up to 8 golfers. Swipe your finger up or down on the list to enter additional golfers.

Start Round

Once all golfers are added, touch Start Round.



Scroll to add up to 8 golfers

Add Golfer

Contact List

Select a golfer from your Contact List or touch the Plus to add a golfer not available in your Contact List.

Golfer Friends

Once you save a round with a golfer, they will appear as a Golfer Friend at the top of your Contact List.

Golfer Details

Set information for the golfer then touch Save.

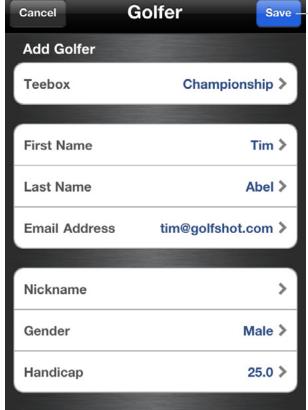
Teebox assigns the par, handicap and distance for each hole to that golfer's scorecard.

Email Address will allow this golfer to receive an email scorecard at the end of the round.

Nickname will replace Name on the scorecard.

Gender is necessary for handicap scoring.

Handicap is necessary for handicap scoring.



Select a Contact, or Touch the Plus to reach the golfer detail screen

GPS List View

GPS / Aerial Toggle

Press the "GPS" tab to toggle to the "Aerial" view. Press again to toggle back.

Scrolling Targets

As you pass targets, their distances will disappear and the list will scroll to the next relevant targets. You can flick the List at any time to manually scroll.

Large Numbers

As you approach the green, the Center of Green number will get larger for easy reading.

GPS Accuracy Icon

The lower-left icon displays the iPhone's GPS Accuracy.



Touch the Golf Ball icon to track swings, take photos or notes

Green: indicates solid GPS connection Yellow: weak GPS connection Red: GPS not yet locked

Touch left and right arrows to move to Score screen and between holes

Touch to view hole and round information

Aerial Screen

TouchPoint Positioning

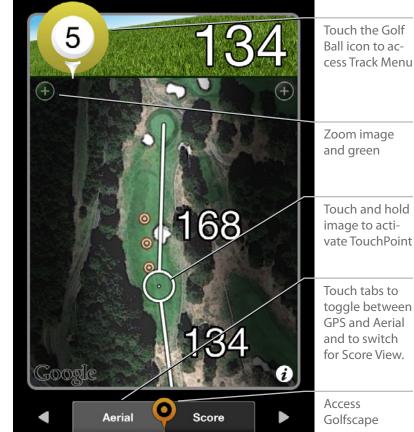
Touch anywhere on the aerial to view distance to that point and from that point to the green. Scroll the aerial view image by using one fingers.

Distance to Green from Teebox

The distance to the green from the teebox is measured in a straight-line. The course's recorded measurement from the tee is for the *play* of the hole *including doglegs and hazard avoidance*. These distances will rarely agree. Golfshot provides the straight-line distance.

Zoom Image

Touch the "+" or "-" icon to zoom the image IN and OUT.



Swing Tracking

Swing Tracking

Press the Golf Ball icon to access the Track Menu. Tracking your swing begins automatically when you first press the Golf Club icon within the Track Menu. Be sure to press this at the teebox or location of your shot. Press Done to complete the tracking of your last swing.

Press Manual Entry to manually enter your swing distances.

Icon Colors

The Golfshot icon color gives you a quick way to view the par for the primary golfer.

Blue for a par 3, Yellow for a par 4, Red for a par 5.









Club Averages

Club Statistics

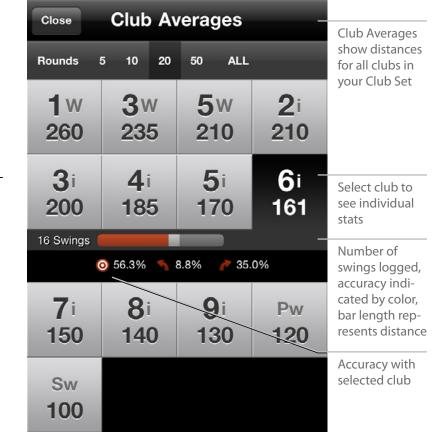
Select Golf Ball icon to access the Track Menu > then press Club Averages.

As you record your swing distances with the Track Menu, your averages will be available on the Club Averages screen. Use the Rounds Bar to adjust the number of rounds included in your club average statistics.

The Club Average bar indicates your club's accuracy, distance and type. The longer the bar the longer the average swing distance. The color portion of the bar represents the percentage of time you hit your target with that club. Woods are Blue, Long Irons are Yellow, Short Irons are Red.

Edit Club Set

Golfshot > Account > Score Settings > Club Set



Score Screen

Enter Score

Press the Golfer Name to enter score.

Hole Averages

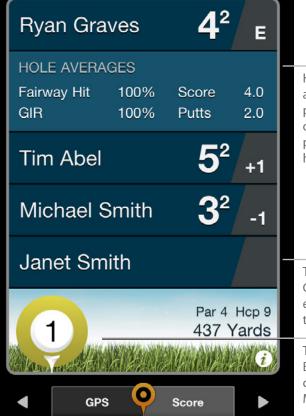
Hole Averages display for the primary golfer once you have played a hole. These will average all the times you have played the hole using Golfshot.

Number Displays

The large number indicates Score. The smaller number next to Score indicates Putts. The number in the gray box indicates Round Score to Par. If handicap play is turned on, the Hole and Round Net Score appears.

Par and Yardage

Par and Yardage are displayed for the primary golfer as measured on the course scorecard.



Hole Averages appear for the primary golfer once you've played that hole

Touch the Golfer Name to enter score for that golfer

Touch the Golf Ball icon to access the Track Menu

Score Entry Screen

Score

Touch or flick to the Score for this Golfer.

Putts

Touch or flick to the Putts for this Golfer.

Automatic Statistics

Greens in Regulation are automatically calculated by your Score and Putts for the hole.



Touch Save once Score and Putts are entered

Enter Score first. The number of Putts available increases based on Score

Statistics Entry Screen

Tee Club

Set the Tee Club used for the hole. These store with your round for upcoming statistics on club accuracy.

Fairway

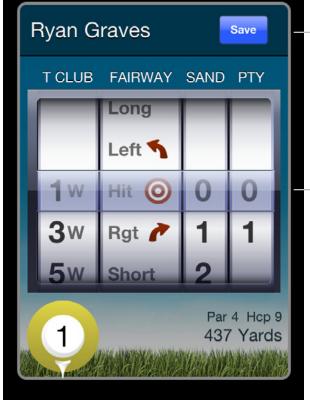
Touch or flick to the Fairway Hit status.

Sand Shots

Enter the number of shots hit from the sand. These do not adjust your score but are used for Sand Saves percentages. Sand Saves and Scrambling statistics are automatically calculated.

Penalty Strokes

Enter the number of Penalty (PTY) strokes. These do not adjust your score for the hole but display on the round penalties on your scorecard.



Touch Save once Statistics are entered

Enter Tee Club, Fairways Hit status, Sand Shots and Penalty strokes

Traditional Scorecard Screen

Rotate to View

Rotate your iPhone or iPod touch horizontal to view a traditional scorecard layout. Rotate back to return. The Scorecard button brings up this traditional scorecard view for iPad users.

Handicap Strokes

If handicap play is turned on, the Net Score will appear along with dots for each golfer indicating strokes they receive on a hole. A dash is used for plus-handicap golfers where a stroke is removed.

View Golfer Statistics

Touch a golfer name to view statistics. Touch again to return to the list of golfers.

Touch Golfer Name to view statistics. Touch again to return to all golfers



Flick scorecard left and right to view OUT, IN and TOTAL

Hole Info Screen

Press the "i" to get to this screen

Send Updated Scorecard

Send a photo of an updated scorecard to have course corrections made by Golfshot.

Golfers

You can add or delete golfers from your current round.

Go to Hole

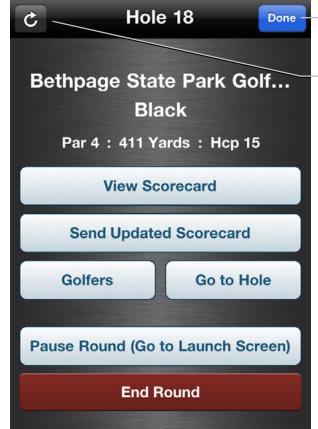
You can quickly change your hole.

Pause Round

This will allow you to return to the Launch Screen where you can view Statistics or past Scorecards.

End Round

Touch this to end your round early or after nine holes.



Touch Done to return

Touch the Refresh arrow to refresh the course aerial images

Save Round Screen

Review Scores

If you need to go back and edit any scores use the left arrow. While on the Score screen you can press and hold the arrow to quickly advance through the holes.

End Round

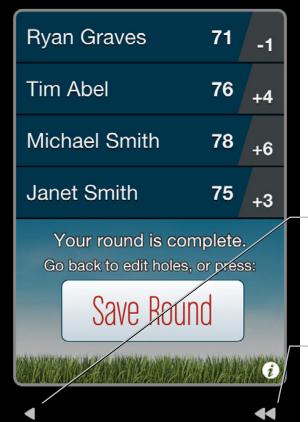
The large button will indicate "End Round" if you haven't entered scores for all holes. If this is intentional (for example, you played the back nine of an 18-hole course) go ahead and select End Round.

When Ending, Golfshot will give you the option to save

When Ending, Golfshot will give you the option to save your scorecard.

Save Round

The large button will indicate "Save Round" if scores have been entered for all holes. Touch to save.



Touch the arrow to go back and edit holes

Touch the double arrow to go back to first hole

Saved Scorecards

From the launch screen touch the 'Scorecard' button to view or edit any previous round scorecard.

View Scorecard

Opens the scorecard in a traditional horizontal view. Rotate iPhone/iPod vertically to close.

Change Round Date

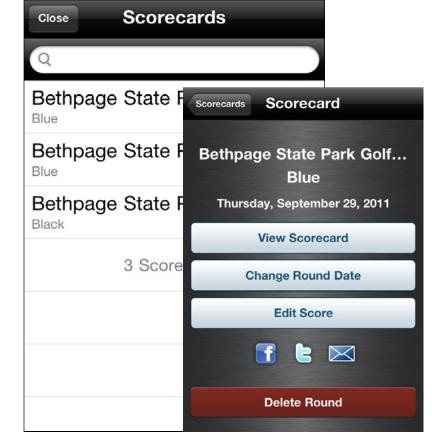
Allows you to adjust the date of the round.

Edit Score

Returns round to the Score view where you can edit scores and statistics. Any saved edits send a new scorecard email and update your handicap and statistics.

Delete Round

Deletes selected round on the device and online.



Statistics

Cumulative Statistics Graphs

Each statistical category appears as a large pie or bar graph. The rounds accumulated for the statistic can be customized by changing the number of past rounds below the graph, or press options to drill down for a specific course or time frame.

Changing Statistics

Slide the graphs left or right to view different stats. You can also slide the bottom view to switch between a round list or line graph of rounds over time.

Full Screen Historical Line Graphs

Press the line graph icon to view historical stats projected on a line graph. You can then touch and hold the graph to view individual round details.



Golfscape

Augmented-Reality Rangefinder

To access Golfscape within the Golfshot: Golf GPS app, press the icon located between the GPS/Aerial and Score tabs. Golfscape uses the camera, GPS, compass and gyroscope features of the iPhone 4S, 4 and 3G-S.

Recenter Feature

The GPS distances will match the accuracy of Golfshot, however the directional position of the green and hazards may shift based on the hardware of your device.

To manually recenter the directional information, press and hold the Recenter button, center your view on the green and release.

Golfscape is available as an in app purchase within Golfshot or in the iTunes App Store.



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