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Thread: [GBA4iOS - Gameboy Advance Emulator for iOS. \(NO JB Required\)](#)

Tetrahedra - June 10, 2013, 6:39 am

GBA4iOS

GBA4iOS is a Gameboy Advance Emulator based on gpSPhone. GBA4iOS can be installed by a button click and the best part is; no jailbreak required. I installed it earlier today and I just downloaded Pokemon Emerald to play on it. I am loving it so far and I recommend you try it out now!

- 1) Go [HERE](#) on your iDevice.
- 2) Click "Install App."
- 3) Follow the on-screen instructions and prompts.
(May take some time)

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- 4) After it's installed on your iDevice, open the app.
- 5) Click "Continue" if you see a popup.
- 6) Click the Magnifying Glass.
- 7) Click CoolRoms or find your favourite ROM site.
- 8) Find the ROM you want and click the download button.
- 9) Once downloaded, you'll see it in the menu. (Press and hold to rename file)
- 10) Click the ROM and play. :)

Features/New in 1.6

Quote:NEW IN VERSION 1.6 OF GBA4iOS

Toggle Speed! From the pause menu, you can now toggle between real game speed and extremely-fast-like-OMG speed, similar to the speed function in VisualBoyAdvance. (Only supported on iPhone 4S+, iPad 2+, and iPod Touch 5th Gen+)

128KB Saves. Upset that you can't save your progress in Pokemon Fire Red, or are you maybe tired of having just a white screen appear for certain games? Worry no longer, these ROMs are now 100% supported!

"Open In..." Support. Now if you're out and about and download a ROM in Safari, you can simply tap "Open In...", select GBA4iOS, and it'll import into the app for you!

No More Pull-To-Refresh. Now, the ROM selection screen will update automatically when you add a ROM through iTunes File Sharing, no need to manually refresh.

Other Features

Save State Support

Can import save states from other emulators (Name them the exact name of the ROM you want it to be a save state for, and append the number slot you want for the save. For example, if you wanted to import a save state in the first slot for "Pokemon Emerald.GBA", you would rename your .svs file "Pokemon Emerald0.svs", and drag it into the Documents directory via iTunes File Sharing.)

Portrait and Landscape Layouts

Customizable Frameskip

Gameboy Color ROMs (BETA)

iPhone 5 Support

iTunes File Sharing support
Works on non-jailbroken phones
FAST
Renaming ROMs. Tap and hold on a ROM, and you can rename it.
Auto save.

drugs - June 10, 2013, 7:20 am

Nice! Thanks for this :)

Just curious, how do those work - the whole INSTALL APP on Safari on a non-jailbroken iPhone thing. What prevents people from downloading other things like iFile or Winterboard through Safari on a non-jailbroken device?

John Constantine - June 10, 2013, 7:30 am

Thanks for the share mate, I'll be playing pokemon on my iphone now :)

Soulmate - June 10, 2013, 11:29 am

Thanks for posting this. I've been on the cloning part for about 10 minutes but I hope this works.

smokeyApe1789 - June 10, 2013, 2:51 pm

Haha i was about to post this the yesterday. But anyway nice tut :D

Morchid - June 10, 2013, 2:52 pm

Thank you very much, I'm following this guide currently to download the emulator. :)

*In the cloning process currently.

Soulmate - June 10, 2013, 4:25 pm

(Jun 10, 2013 02:52 PM)Morchid Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thank you very much, I'm following this guide currently to download the emulator. :)

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Does anyone have any suggestions?

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What did you do? Maybe it's just not on the iPad then.

Y U N G - June 10, 2013, 5:05 pm

Can I go on to another app while I wait?

Soulmate - June 10, 2013, 5:24 pm

(Jun 10, 2013 05:05 PM)Mellow. Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Can I go on to another app while I wait?

It's not mandatory but it stops loading whenever it's running in the background instead of on your screen.

Morchid - June 10, 2013, 7:19 pm

I got Pokemon working, wooo wooo.

I clicked advance and uploaded a random photo and it asked me to download it.

Seer - June 10, 2013, 9:06 pm

It's been stuck on "Cloning repo..." for roughly 15 minutes. I really want to download this :(.

Soulmate - June 10, 2013, 9:33 pm

(Jun 10, 2013 09:06 PM)Seer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It's been stuck on "Cloning repo..." for roughly 15 minutes. I really want to download this :(.

It took me roughly 15 minutes last time. I'm not sure exactly what the process is but it may be because of your Internet.

ecklz - June 10, 2013, 11:27 pm

Wow this is awesome thanks for the share can't download it though due to the heavy load but better to see this than all those iOS 7 threads

EDIT: Does this work for iPad 2?

Tetrahedra - June 11, 2013, 3:21 am

(Jun 11, 2013 03:15 AM)xadamxk Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How the bloody hell can this get accepted into the app store.

But an iOS application to enable coloring/tethering can't?

This is not in the app store though... xD

XpectXtreme - June 11, 2013, 1:50 pm

i wish they had nes or snes emulators like this too ?.

does anybody know if this works for ios7?

Grin - June 11, 2013, 1:51 pm

Macbuildservers are down. :(
Can't d/l.

SirBoss - June 11, 2013, 8:15 pm

It's taking so long and I want to play it!!!

Grin - June 11, 2013, 8:17 pm

It takes 15-20 minutes for the process to complete. Be patient.

I watched a whole ep. of HoTD before everything finished.

The good news is that it works pretty smoothly. The bad news is you can't listen to the awesome game music cause it lags.

ShadowOfTruth - June 12, 2013, 3:46 am

This is so good my only complain is that i can't delete Roms and they are laggy sometimes

Crash Bandicoot - June 12, 2013, 11:52 am

I'm in the cloning process of this now. I really do hope it works, I've been wanting something like this for a long time now.

Thanks for the share.

Exact - June 12, 2013, 11:57 am

(Jun 12, 2013 03:46 AM)ShadowOfTruth Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This is so good my only complain is that i can't delete Roms and they are laggy sometimes

Hold the ROM for a few seconds and a menu should open up with Rename and Delete.

ShadowOfTruth - June 12, 2013, 12:04 pm

(Jun 12, 2013 11:57 AM)Exactly Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hold the ROM for a few seconds and a menu should open up with Rename and Delete.

only "rename" at my ipod i don't know why tho

SirBoss - June 12, 2013, 11:13 pm

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+Cloud - June 13, 2013, 1:44 am

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Judecca - June 13, 2013, 5:27 am

(Jun 13, 2013 01:44 AM)+Cloud Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) how the hell do you get a rom everything is in a zip!?

The emulator can't read .zip? There are websites that give you the ROM purely. Google is your best friend.

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(Jun 12, 2013 11:13 PM)Trophikz Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) How can I play DS games? I wanna play diamond and black :(

There are DS emulators made by the same developers.

<https://github.com/angelXwind/nds4ios>

<https://github.com/rileytestut/NDS4iOS-angelXwind>

Exact - June 13, 2013, 11:01 am

(Jun 13, 2013 01:44 AM)+Cloud Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) how the hell do you get a rom everything is in a zip!?

Try the first link when you press the search button. That site gives ROMs in no zip.

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thank you! i wanna play the new ones :D

St. Jiberish - June 13, 2013, 5:42 pm

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Soulmate - June 13, 2013, 7:43 pm

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(Jun 13, 2013 07:43 PM)Soulmate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Pokémon Crystal Shards and Pokémon Liquid Crystal are both fan remakes of Crystal.

They are a super hacked yet detailed version of Crystal.

Soulmate - June 13, 2013, 7:46 pm

(Jun 13, 2013 07:44 PM)Grin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) They are a super hacked yet detailed version of Crystal. Basically, yes. It's the closest thing he can get unless he find a .GBA rom or the developer makes a GBC4iOS.

QoL?? - June 13, 2013, 8:22 pm

Can't seem to get this to sign on my iPod 5G running iOS 7.

Grin - June 13, 2013, 8:26 pm

(Jun 13, 2013 08:22 PM)Imagine Dragons Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Can't seem to get this to sign on my iPod 5G running iOS 7.

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Give it a retry, yes. I didn't have a problem.

SirBoss - June 16, 2013, 11:47 pm

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<https://github.com/angelXwind/nds4ios>

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This one doesn't install? I did it with the GBA one but the DS one isn't working. I keep getting errors.

St. Jiberish - June 17, 2013, 6:24 pm

Sounds good, I will save emerald right now and get crystal shards. I cannot wait until a GBC4iOs comes out!

Hoffmania26 - June 22, 2013, 12:57 pm

something happened and it said unable to clone repository. May be repo invalid and i have the iphone 5 and idk what i did wrong.

WienerNips - June 22, 2013, 3:59 pm

I'm getting the same problem as hoff. I also have an iPhone 5.

Hoffmania26 - June 22, 2013, 5:45 pm

(Jun 22, 2013 03:59 PM)Choob Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm getting the same problem as hoff. I also have an iPhone 5.

Wow i thought i was the only one i hope someone can help us haha

dismalpeach - June 22, 2013, 7:32 pm

Thanks for the share mate, I'll be playing pokemon on my iphone now :)

Hoffmania26 - June 22, 2013, 7:36 pm

(Jun 22, 2013 07:31 PM)Tina Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) GBA4iOS - <https://cp.aironapp.com/ota/eqxkvgma>
Gearboy - <https://cp.aironapp.com/ota/cgnergsp>
nds4ios - <https://cp.aironapp.com/ota/jgvvemjw>
Nescaline - <https://cp.aironapp.com/ota/ytzgrxdx>
SNES4iOS - <https://cp.aironapp.com/ota/piidtcn>

The links above were working fine yesterday, I imagine they still work today. Just browse to them straight from Safari on iOS device.

do you know if its supposed to like load the web page for a long time cause it doesnt seem to be loading the page.

Hoffmania26 - June 22, 2013, 7:46 pm

(Jun 22, 2013 07:42 PM)Tina Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) When I used them yesterday, it never actually took me off any page, it would just load an alert asking if I'd like to install the app. It was practically instant. I'm guessing loads of people have also come across the links, and it's slowed down.

Also, you can only install one of those apps at a time. If you try to install another, such as SNES4iOS when you already have GBA4iOS, it'll replace GBA4iOS with SNES4iOS, but roms you've already downloaded will remain.

oh ok well i let mine load for awhile and it says, " Safari could not open the page because the server stopped responding."

Your Buddy - June 23, 2013, 4:58 am

Awesome share, thank you. Now I don't need to wait for an iOS 7 jailbreak to play some GBA games on my iPhone! ?

Anyone know of any other emulators that can be installed like this, that also don't require a jailbreak?

mrDH - June 23, 2013, 5:00 am

I got this a couple days ago but took me about a day to install because the build was not working or something but after retrying alot it was done in a couple minutes. I have emerald also.

ShadowOfTruth - June 23, 2013, 7:14 am

(Jun 23, 2013 12:06 AM)Tina Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Copy and paste this into URL bar for Safari to install:

nds4iOS

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#)

items-services://?action=download-manifest&url=https%3A%2F%2Ffrink.hockeyapp.net%2Fapi%2F2%2Fapps%2Fa0763ff6c92bf1f1c7810aae1de72a08

I just tested that one and it installs pretty much instantly.

I'll add the GBA4iOS one soon, if someone else doesn't before me.

does not work....it says "open in app store" when you click yes/no nothing happens

ShadowOfTruth - June 23, 2013, 11:12 am

(Jun 23, 2013 09:19 AM)Tina Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It worked perfectly fine for me. I tapped on Yes, then it just asked to install.

oh lol,i tried like 20 times what device are you using?

NotForChildren - June 23, 2013, 10:01 pm

I keep getting an "Unable to clone repository. May be repo is invalid." error message... Is this due to heavy traffic or is the repo bad?

vHAXX - June 24, 2013, 8:24 am

When I install GBA on my phone there's still a random icon that says "installing" while the new GBA icon gets created somewhere else on my screen. I'm on iOS 7 anyone else having this problem? Plus the white icon can't be deleted

NotForChildren - June 24, 2013, 10:29 am

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Krookz - June 24, 2013, 12:50 pm

I have no volume :3 I'm on iOS 7 so that's why but dose anyone knowledge to fix it?

Deagle - June 24, 2013, 2:18 pm

This works on my iPhone 5 6.1.3 ? :)

Grin - June 24, 2013, 3:57 pm

(Jun 24, 2013 12:50 PM)Krookz Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I have no volume :3 I'm on iOS 7 so that's why but dose anyone knowledge to fix it?

It works for me, so I have no idea what happened to yours.

SomeCallMeTuT - June 24, 2013, 11:15 pm

got the Nds emu works great, playing pokemon platinum on iphone 5 ios7

P?nda - June 25, 2013, 1:37 am

Just did this on my iPhone 5 running 6.1.4! Works like a charm.

Troye - June 25, 2013, 2:03 am

Works pretty good on my iphone 4 ios 6.1.3. Have some volume cuts and game lag though.

Sargentwaffles - June 25, 2013, 11:58 am

It took about 3 minutes for me to install it on my iPad mini thanks for this it really does work,

Krookz - June 25, 2013, 2:41 pm

(Jun 24, 2013 03:57 PM)Grin Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It works for me, so I have no idea what happened to yours.

Simple, im volume button was off .-. *facepalm lol and is there a way to get a N64 emulator?

Nagamar - June 25, 2013, 4:48 pm

did this on my iphone 4 and it works thanks man.

P?nda - June 26, 2013, 12:43 am

I'm having some trouble with it on my iPhone 5 now, it's not even going past the 'Gameboy' screen. Anyway to fix it?

Chester07 - June 26, 2013, 2:54 am

Can someone please confirm that this only works with GBA and not GBC? Thanks!

Krookz - June 26, 2013, 4:12 am

(Jun 26, 2013 12:43 AM)Judged Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I'm having some trouble with it on my iPhone 5 now, it's not even going past the 'Gameboy' screen. Anyway to fix it?

My guess is that its the ROM you downloaded, I'm running iOS 7 on my i5 and pokemon games works.

QoL?? - June 27, 2013, 12:42 am

(Jun 26, 2013 02:54 AM)Chester07 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Can someone please confirm that this only works with GBA and not GBC? Thanks!

There is very basic GBC support. You can load saves but not save them.

justfear - June 27, 2013, 12:43 am

Thanks for the post :)

Will give it a try in just a moment!

#Fry - June 27, 2013, 9:04 pm

Nice tutorial man! Finally something like this that doesn't require a jailbreak :D

jsd007 - June 27, 2013, 11:53 pm

This is awesome to have without a Jailbreak!!! Thanks for the information!

Rbkoala - June 28, 2013, 4:51 am

Ill have to download this. Thanks for telling us about this. :)

Gummy Bear - June 29, 2013, 10:17 pm

Does this work for gen 4? of the ipod.

Because when I am in the Sign application stage it say's click next if you want it to do it for you and then I click next it tell's me Build Failed.

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Darkldrago108 - June 30, 2013, 12:39 am

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Thanks a lot!

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Gummy Bear - June 30, 2013, 10:07 am

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Thanks! worked perfectly for me no lag either.

Tilt - June 30, 2013, 10:18 am

Nice! Thanks for posting this, I shall be using this a lot in the future :D

Rage™ - June 30, 2013, 10:20 am

Going to be using this to play Pokemon on a long road trip. Thanks for posting this. ?

Troye - June 30, 2013, 10:22 am

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Playing Pokemon right now! Passing time on a 5 hour trip back home!

Playing it on an iPhone 5!

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Morchid - June 30, 2013, 10:40 am

Great GBA for IOS, I've been using it for sometime now.

I'm currently playing Pokemon Emerald and almost done the game.

TheSgnarf - June 30, 2013, 11:06 am

I am stuck on the sign application step. Everytime I tap "next" I get a "build failed" error.

Never mind, fixed! It is great must have just been too much traffic

Lustydusty - June 30, 2013, 9:44 pm

(Jun 30, 2013 10:39 AM)Whos Anarchy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I noticed with fire red it isn't as bad. It might be my ROM then.

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It is only on ios7 that does that. It fucked me when I failed at getting the NDS4ios emu.

Lustydusty - July 1, 2013, 5:14 am

(Jun 30, 2013 10:27 PM)Whos Anarchy Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) It is only on ios7 that does that. It fucked me when I failed at getting the NDS4ios emu.

:L Oh well;

Do you know anything about the rename error that occurs? Where whenever you try to rename a ROM, it comes up with an error and deletes the ROM?

ecklz - July 1, 2013, 6:48 am

Anyone defeated the whole game for any of the Pokemon games and wanna share they .svs file with me send me a pm please

Lustydusty - July 1, 2013, 3:51 pm

(Jul 1, 2013 06:48 AM)Arceus™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Anyone defeated the whole game for any of the

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You can find savefiles on google :P

Ayden™ - July 1, 2013, 9:09 pm

Does the audio fuck up for everyone?
- Ayden

Lustydusty - July 1, 2013, 9:17 pm

(Jul 1, 2013 09:09 PM)Ayden™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Does the audio fuck up for everyone?

- Ayden

Yes it does, sadly... Hope it gets fixed overtime. Some games are better than others though.

EDIT: I am in desperate need of anyone's help who can help me find out how to get .gb/.gbc ROMs to work with this app...

I am aware the developer said it is currently in BETA, but are there ways to convert them in .gba or get .gb/.gbc ROMs in .gba format?

ShadowOfTruth - July 2, 2013, 8:46 am

(Jul 1, 2013 09:09 PM)Ayden™ Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Does the audio fuck up for everyone?

- Ayden

Only on games that are stronger then others(castlevania,pokemon(leafgreen)

Lustydusty - July 2, 2013, 4:17 pm

Does anyone know how to get Gameboy Color games working? I wanna play Pokemon Crystal/Gold/Silver/Blue/Red/Yellow :)

Grin - July 2, 2013, 4:18 pm

No, but there are GBA modded roms that are hacked Crystal.

Trap Fiend - July 6, 2013, 4:10 am

Wow, I'm really excited about this, I was having trouble jailbreaking my 4th gen ipod again and was only bummed out about losing my GBA emulator. Cool beans man.

Red S?x - July 6, 2013, 8:43 am

is it possible to play Mario? if so, i'll be grabbing this for my iPhone 4S 100%!

Troye - July 6, 2013, 11:11 am

(Jul 6, 2013 08:43 AM)TJChmielewski Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) is it possible to play Mario? if so, i'll be grabbing this for my iPhone 4S 100%!

As long as you can get the GBA ROM for it, it will.

P?nda - July 6, 2013, 11:17 am

(Jul 6, 2013 08:43 AM)TJChmielewski Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) is it possible to play Mario? if so, i'll be grabbing this for my iPhone 4S 100%!

Yes, you can. I just got Super Mario Bros. 3! You can also get Super Mario World, Mario Kart: Super Circuit, and many more.

SIM-1534439 - July 6, 2013, 12:44 pm

this doesnt work for me someone help me out?

P?nda - July 6, 2013, 4:21 pm

(Jul 6, 2013 12:44 PM)Trukfit Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) this doesnt work for me someone help me out?

What seems to be going wrong? I can't help unless you specify what's wrong.

?????? - July 8, 2013, 5:07 am

I heard about this, and it took a few attempts to download it. Then I found out it doesn't support iOS5. Hopefully this will still be around when/if I get a new iPod.

Dingodile - July 8, 2013, 12:50 pm

Just a quick question, Any time estimation when the cheats feature will be put in?

iCydia - July 8, 2013, 1:42 pm

Will this work with iOS7 beta 3?

I hope so ;s

Lustydusty - July 8, 2013, 7:26 pm

(Jul 8, 2013 01:42 PM)Extimulate Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Will this work with iOS7 beta 3?

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These apps don't have much to do with the beta software. But yeah, they are working :)

(Jul 8, 2013 12:50 PM)Dingodile Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Just a quick question, Any time estimation when the cheats feature will be put in?

Developer is currently working to implement GB/GBC ROMs. I believe working cheats is at the top of the list as well though.

SuperCoolHax0r - July 8, 2013, 9:49 pm

Coolbeans! Where can I find the roms?

Troye - July 8, 2013, 9:52 pm

(Jul 8, 2013 09:49 PM)SuperCoolHax0r Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Coolbeans! Where can I find the roms?

In the app, hit the magnifying glass and it will do a google search for roms. Or google GBA roms. Not that hard.

Lustydusty - July 9, 2013, 6:40 am

Has anyone tried to add modded GBA ROMs yet?

Freerunning - July 9, 2013, 6:56 am

Thank you mate for this I will play pokemon again :))) Going back to the childhood.

Alphamethylphenethylamine - July 10, 2013, 1:24 am

This is the most awesome app ever! :d brings back memories

stadus123 - July 10, 2013, 8:11 am

I'm using iPhone 4s and it works like a charm.

Nice, thanks a lot mate!

RonanD - July 10, 2013, 8:16 am

Downloaded this a while back and friends have it too, so many thanks :)

Any idea when the sound issues will get fixed? Friend has no sound, and mine is glitchy and laggy. Like, I get a snatch of sound then silence, then another snatch of sound etc.

Raijin - July 10, 2013, 9:08 am

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Soulmate - July 10, 2013, 9:15 am

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Buddha - July 12, 2013, 8:15 am

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Soulmate - July 12, 2013, 10:41 am

(Jul 12, 2013 08:15 AM) Buddha Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i need to give this a run it looks really cool! I would play nba jam like crazy!

NBA Jam is for the Gameboy Color and GBA4iOS doesn't offer support for GBC ROMs yet. This would work though if that's all you need an emulator for.

<https://github.com/drhelius/Gearboy>

Shermdoe - July 12, 2013, 5:37 pm

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Use the itunes fileshare and you can add the saves and roms you have on your pc.

?Beartooth? - July 12, 2013, 10:05 pm

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Troye - July 13, 2013, 12:35 am

(Jul 12, 2013 10:05 PM) KilledByNcf Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) The games wont load, everything else works but when i try to play them it's just a black screen.

What roms did you download and where from? Make sure they are GBA roms.

Trill? - July 13, 2013, 5:52 am

Just did this on my iPhone 5.

Playin Fire red.

This is pretty dope. Thanks.

123456789 - July 13, 2013, 2:54 pm

Oh my GOD I was just about to downgrade to install an emulator with Cydia, but you saved my ass. Thank you!!!

Lelouch Vi Britannia - July 14, 2013, 9:42 am

Holy shit!

Since when can you install apps on the iphone without itunes or the app store?

I am getting ideas from this, time to do some research!

ShutUpMonkey - July 14, 2013, 3:32 pm

This works very nicely, been playing Super Mario for like 20 minutes lol.

Tryhard-unique - July 14, 2013, 3:51 pm

Got a couple of pokemon and final fantasy, love it.

The Winter Soldier - July 14, 2013, 7:23 pm

:O Can I get cheats on Pokemon Emerald!? <3

Lustydusty - July 14, 2013, 9:23 pm

(Jul 14, 2013 07:23 PM)iEatDeadPpl Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) :O Can I get cheats on Pokemon Emerald!? <3
Cheats haven't been implemented yet, but the developer has made it his #1 priority atm :)

Troye - July 14, 2013, 10:54 pm

A thing I've done I recommend everyone else does, is to save all your ROMS and save files to your pc. Just in case.

ShutUpMonkey - July 15, 2013, 8:35 am

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I'm not sure exactly how, but yes. Here is how you could possibly go about doing this.

First, play a game and save it both with the save feature implemented and the save state feature in GBA4iOS.

Next, hook up your iDevice to iTunes, go to apps and then GBA4iOS. You should see the .sav file there, put it on your desktop or somewhere you can access it easily.

Then, play the same game on VBA and save with the in-game feature. Find the save file and replace it with the one from GBA4iOS. Rename it if you have to.

Alternatively, if you know where the save files are for VBA you can just drag and drop the one from GBA4iOS into there.

Also, you don't need iTunes if you have another program like it, but it should be easier if you use it.

Troye - July 15, 2013, 1:17 pm

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To add to what Soulmate said, start a game and make a save. I've tried multiple times and I can never get a renamed save to work.

Buddha - July 15, 2013, 10:37 pm

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znervez - July 16, 2013, 12:50 am

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Jhené Aiko - July 16, 2013, 3:40 am

Downloading this now, thanks for the share bud.

Soulmate - July 16, 2013, 8:06 am

(Jul 16, 2013 12:50 AM)znervez Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) works great and bring back old memories. now if they can get NDS running well that would be great

There is an NDS emulator. It's pretty slow but it works.

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Troye - July 16, 2013, 8:12 am

(Jul 15, 2013 10:37 PM)Buddha Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Im confused downloaded a rom and it's by hoeing up in appl'm confused on what you are trying to say. Can you be a bit clearer?

Ac!d - July 17, 2013, 9:00 am

I keep getting an error saying the app cant be installed at this time. Any help? Im on the iPhone 5 iOS 7 beta 2.

Makaveli - July 17, 2013, 9:06 am

Can't get this to work, says that it can't install the app, maybe it doesn't work on iOS7?

TemporaryBTC - July 17, 2013, 9:14 am

This is a very nice tutorial. Thank you very much.

Dingodile - July 17, 2013, 10:22 am

All of a sudden GBA4ios doesn't work anymore, I open it up and it immediately closes out. I never had this problem before until now. What could of went wrong?

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Dingodile - July 17, 2013, 10:46 am

(Jul 17, 2013 10:36 AM)Valentino Rossi Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You tried clearing your multitasking and rebooting your phone? Could be a shortage of RAM stopping it from working.Yup everything. Nothing works. Just wont open up. Not sure why, I was using this fine yesterday.

Jaden Yuki - July 17, 2013, 11:06 am

I get an error "GBA4iOS cannot be installed at this time"

Makaveli - July 17, 2013, 11:08 am

(Jul 17, 2013 11:06 AM)Jaden Yuki Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I get an error "GBA4iOS cannot be installed at this time"

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Jaden Yuki - July 17, 2013, 11:20 am

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xkizarux - July 17, 2013, 12:27 pm

I have also lost the ability to use gba4ios. It was working fine until this morning. Now, everytime I

attempt launch, I get black screen and sent back to home page. I am not able to redownload.
"unable to download application". I was using an Ipad 4g, version 6.1.3

Lustydusty - July 17, 2013, 1:17 pm

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Results in the same error as the other.

xkizarux - July 17, 2013, 1:39 pm

iphonehacksdotcom

apple revokes gba4ios signing certificate

MacBuildServer appears to be down, that's why GBA4iOS isn't installing. Sit tight and hopefully it'll be back up soon!

by: Riley Testut

Jaden Yuki - July 17, 2013, 4:08 pm

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MacBuildServer had their certification revoked due to terms of use violation. It will never be back.

ShutUpMonkey - July 17, 2013, 5:34 pm

So GBA4iOS is gone forever? Guess I'm using VisualBoyAdvance

Wonders - July 17, 2013, 8:19 pm

Lol this is pretty cool, thanks for the share :)

ShadowOfTruth - July 18, 2013, 11:42 am

omg no more GBA4IOS? i was having much fun :(

btw gba was working until yesterday it would crash tried to reinstall and nothing

TheNullz - July 19, 2013, 12:56 pm

Change your guy's date to anywhere before July 14 and try to install and play.

Jaden Yuki - July 19, 2013, 4:38 pm

Wha... WTF?! It actually installed and works like this (MIND BLOWN)

(Jul 19, 2013 12:56 PM)TheNullz Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Change your guy's date to anywhere before July 14 and try to install and play.

ShutUpMonkey - July 19, 2013, 9:30 pm

How exactly do you change your date on iPhone? Won't that mess up other things also like messaging,facebook,etc.?

Edit: It works! Thank god I was pretty far on my game of Ruby which I play on break lol also if you change back to a date before the 14th than back to the regular date It will work fine

Tetrahedra - July 20, 2013, 12:56 am

Note from @rileytestut

NOTE: MacBuildServer is dead. For now, you can only install GBA4iOS if you are a developer. Follow @rileytestut to know when GBA4iOS is back up!

Jaden Yuki - July 20, 2013, 6:05 am

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Works up until you restart your iDevice. You have to change your clock again when you reboot.

landoflui - July 20, 2013, 11:35 pm

the rom isn't working? I can't open it?

Lustydusty - July 21, 2013, 6:16 am

(Jul 20, 2013 11:35 PM)landoflui Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) the rom isn't working? I can't open it? Which ROM are you trying to open? There are still numerous ROMs that aren't 100% coded.

Jhené Aiko - July 21, 2013, 8:52 am

<http://emu4ios.weebly.com/downloads.html> you can also use this

pryko1987 - August 19, 2013, 11:55 am

Has anyone worked out how to transfer a save from VBA to GBA4iOS yet? I've been trying for the last hour, but can't get it working. I renamed an SAV file to an SVS file and renamed the file to have a 3 at the end, so it appeared as my 3rd Save State, but when I loaded that, I got the 1mb circuit board error

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