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Thread: [Gym tips & how to catch more Pokemon!](#)

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:38 pm

You can easily capture gyms by simply following these tips and take your time instead of tapping on the screen as fast as you can.

When you are battling with another Pokemon in a gym the most important thing that you want to do is watch out when the edges of your screen flash yellow. At that point simply swipe left or right to avoid a little or no damage at all (95% of time taking in mind special attacks).

Here are some other tips:

When you just enter the battle mode your enemy will attack you twice. Simply do not attack right away but dodge the first two attacks

When you dodge an attack you can perform 2 quick attacks by yourself (dodge, attack 2x, dodge and so on)

Following these tips you are more likely to capture a gym if you have a Pokemon with CP less than the Pokemon owning the gym.

Now that I covered the gym tips here is a tip on how to capture Pokemons more easily and not to be dependent on the nearby function which can be buggy from times to times.

Niantic before publishing Pokemon GO, created a game called Ingress which is an Augmented Reality game aswell. This can help out if you play Pokemon GO to find your nearby Pokestops, Gyms and even finding areas where Pokemons are most likely to spawn.

After installing Ingress and making an account there you can use the online site to find nearby Pokestops and Gyms by going to this site: <https://www.ingress.com/intel>

Simply type in your home adress and zoom in while following the road. Icons like this will most like represent a Pokestop:

Pokemon Spawn points are linked to XM generation in Ingress.

In Ingress you can see these blue dots across the map. Areas where you can see more of these blue dots are more likely to spawn Pokemons.

For example:

Ingress - <https://i.imgur.com/X8TMD6w.png>

Pokemon Go - <https://i.imgur.com/G1GOkwM.png>

Pokemon GO uses a similar system but instead of the blue dots, you see the leaves.

Thanks to Reddit on the last tip

YayHar - July 15, 2016, 2:39 pm

That blue hurts my eyes, but thanks for contributing to this section ;)

McDolands - July 15, 2016, 2:39 pm

wow man, really useful tips right here, I actually really might use some of these tips, thanks mate, have a nice day.

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:39 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:39 PM)YayHar Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That blue hurts my eyes, but thanks for contributing to this section ;)I suck at making graphics. ?

TopKekeroni - July 15, 2016, 2:42 pm

Thanks for sharing, I am going to use this next time I go outside to wreck a gym, have a nice day and make sure you catch em' all. Goodbye.

Yassuo - July 15, 2016, 2:42 pm

Thanks for sharing this tip man, helps alot

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:43 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:42 PM)kith Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks for sharing this tip man, helps alotNo problem, have fun. ?

Granny Bacon - July 15, 2016, 2:44 pm

Thanks for sharing some tips and tricks, this will come in handy for those who wants to get started. Hope to find a gym soon lol

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:45 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:43 PM)Designer Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I did not hear about Ingress before Pokémon Go, but I did hear they used the same data for Poke Stops and Gyms and stuff. Not really sure you would really need it though.Yep. A while ago they were taking submissions for Portals in that game (those are Pokestops now in Pokemon GO). That's why you encounter a Pokestop in weird places sometimes.

Viral Dragon - July 15, 2016, 2:45 pm

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You can take out really powerful gyms which can be frustrating for the owners but it really rewards you.

Grim - July 15, 2016, 2:48 pm

Thanks man actually didnt know alot of this stuff. will help me out alot! i think they need to make it harder to take gyms though like you can use all of your pokemon against there 1?

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:50 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:48 PM)SI?? I??D Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks man actually didnt know alot of this stuff. will help me out alot! i think they need to make it harder to take gyms though like you can use all of your pokemon against there 1?Well that would be quite OP wouldn't it?

nationgps - July 15, 2016, 2:52 pm

thanks for the guide mate, very usefull hope i can improve with this : 3 also I will suscribe so if you update i dont miss updates out!

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 2:54 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:52 PM)BlurGraphics Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) thanks for the guide mate, very usefull hope i can improve with this : 3 also I will suscribe so if you update i dont miss updates out!Sure, I mean Roger Waters already made a guide covering most of the stuff regarding Pokemon GO so you can give it a try:

<https://hackforums.net/showthread.php?tid=5338296>

I will add more stuff to thread if there are any more useful stuff I encounter.

M?xim - July 15, 2016, 2:57 pm

Pretty neat, thanks for sharing. Nice to see that people already makes guides for it. Keep on doing that. Just saw a moneymaking ebook regarding Pokemon Go already being sold here on hackforums.. ugh.

BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 3:01 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 02:57 PM)That Guy Maxim Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Pretty neat, thanks for sharing. Nice to see that people already makes guides for it. Keep on doing that. Just saw a moneymaking ebook regarding Pokemon Go already being sold here on hackforums.. ugh.Well yeah, people profiting on trendy stuff nothing new right?

I'll share you a guide right now.

- 1) Print a QR code with a link that earns you money per click.
- 2) Go to a place where there is a lot of people placing lures and such
- 3) Hand out the papers on place them nearby
- 4) Profit

In the paper you should include something like "FREE MEWTWO CLICK SCAN THIS QR CODE FOR THE LOCATION".

Frankey - July 15, 2016, 3:02 pm

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BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 3:04 pm

(Jul 15, 2016 03:02 PM)Frankey Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Great high quality method thread thingy. I have no words. It is midnight and I'm trying to not hate my life, reallt hard job if you ask me. LolYeah I feel ya. Even harder when you have nothing around you.

Mr. Corleone - July 15, 2016, 3:19 pm

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BTCEXchangez - July 15, 2016, 3:21 pm

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Senor Suave - July 16, 2016, 2:00 am

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BTCEXchangez - July 16, 2016, 4:05 am

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No problem, good luck catching.

TheMTGuy - July 16, 2016, 7:46 am

Thanks for the tips! captured myself a gym doing the dodge tip.

SIM-403479 - July 16, 2016, 7:49 am

I haven't been able to take over any gyms yet so hopefully this will work for me.

I will go try it later at the top of my street. But for now the servers are down, so I'm gonna get this award!

Kazz - July 16, 2016, 7:51 am

Thanks for sharing this. Hopefully these tips will come in handy when getting started with gym battles. Will try it out as soon as I decide to leave the house!

DamienVC - July 16, 2016, 8:27 am

Yep I just heard about this from my friend that Ingress was some similar app that may highlight the locations of rare Pokemon. Gonna try it out for myself soon.

BTCEXchangez - July 16, 2016, 5:58 pm

Bumpin' this thread before it gets showed down again due to spam.

oRequiem - July 16, 2016, 6:05 pm

Thanks for the tips.

Will have to use these tips to an advantage! Really helps, thank you so much =D!

630 - July 16, 2016, 6:09 pm

What are the benefits of controlling 1 gym? I know every ~24 hrs you can collect the points. If I control 10 gyms will I get 100 points + 5,000 stardust? I collect 10 points + 500 stardust daily or is that solely a reward for playing daily?

05317832892 - July 17, 2016, 12:25 am

This is very helpful except my ingress won't work. It just crashes, I was one of those few people that actually tried to play it when it came out.

Backopy - July 17, 2016, 12:25 am

awesome tips thanks for the post OP i'll make sure to utilize these when playing POGO tonight!

BTCEXchangez - July 17, 2016, 5:03 am

(Jul 17, 2016 12:25 AM)Dasace Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) awesome tips thanks for the post OP i'll make sure to utilize these when playing POGO tonight!No problem, good luck catching.

BTCEXchangez - July 18, 2016, 1:51 pm

Le bumping this thread for more people to see.

aFriendOfMolly - July 19, 2016, 1:12 am

Thanks for the advice. Will try it out

BTCEXchangez - July 21, 2016, 1:32 pm

(Jul 19, 2016 01:12 AM)HELLOFRIEND Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Thanks for the advice. Will try it outNo problem.

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