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Thread: [anyone here own a metal detector?](#)

mrhack - February 18, 2018, 7:22 pm

any suggested specs I should look for? Are anything under \$100 good to start with?

x222 - February 21, 2018, 8:02 am

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webdev77 - February 21, 2018, 11:19 am

(Feb 21, 2018 09:02 AM)x222 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) for under 100\$ i dont think u will get anything better than the apps for phones or the ones they use to search u (the small ones)

That's quite vague. Metal detectors used for security screenings can be thousands of dollars and are generally of very high quality and accuracy.

x222 - February 21, 2018, 2:01 pm

(Feb 21, 2018 12:19 PM)webdev77 Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) That's quite vague. Metal detectors used for security screenings can be thousands of dollars and are generally of very high quality and accuracy. yeah the 100\$ ones they use in e.g football matches they just scan u down quickly and dont give a fuck.

Crypt - February 21, 2018, 2:05 pm

When I think of metal detector I think of the ones you walk through, which are a lot more than 100\$.

You'd want a wand, like this one here: <http://amzn.to/2ETTzv4>

Elitas - February 22, 2018, 12:36 am

You can get a handheld one for around the guts of \$25. It'll be useful accompanied with a big one. You find it with the big one, and then use the smaller handheld one to dig around the item and get a more precise location.

wwwroot - March 3, 2018, 1:06 am

For sure if you wish to have good results, you need to invest more than 100\$\$

Punisher - March 18, 2018, 5:21 pm

I think one of the most affordable / powerful balanced detector is the Garrett Ace 250 Pro

I also use a Garret ProPointer, it's a handheld pinpoint metal detector to find items in a hole.

I can find a coin 4 inches down and get it out with a screwdriver without even digging a hole.

deusexmachina519 - March 19, 2018, 7:40 pm

I second the Garrett Ace 250. Great detector.