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How to use the H-D Ride Planner
with the GTS Infotainment GPS



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How to load a GPX from USB stick to the bike

- Copy a downloaded GPX file onto a USB thumb drive and plug into the bike. Your bike should be “on” or in accessory mode.
 - The USB thumb drive must be formatted for FAT, exFAT, or FAT32; it cannot be NTFS or MAC OS formatted.
- The bike will prompt you the next steps to import any GPX files on the USB drive.

How to send a ride to the bike using the H-D App

- Phone must be connected via Bluetooth or USB to transfer ride plans.
- Login to the H-D App and open a saved ride plan (or create a new one)
 - At the bottom of the app, select Ride, then in the upper right corner, select the “list” icon to view saved rides.
- Select a ride and at the bottom tap “Send to Bike”. You will see a popup about the next time you connect to the bike the ride plan will be sent to the GTS. Press Send. Connect your phone to the bike to transfer your ride plan.
- If your phone is connected the GTS has an option to download your saved ride plans from the H-D Ride Planner. Select the search icon and then choose the “H-D App”. The list of your saved ride plans will be shown. Choose your ride plan (or all) to save to your bike.

How to open a ride on the bike and preview it

- Once a ride plan is saved on the GTS you can open it from the Search icon in the upper left corner of the Map/Navigation screen. Scroll one screen to the left and choose “Rides”.
- A list of saved rides will be shown. Select your ride and the GTS will start to plan the route. Tapping options will allow you to edit, preview or simulate the ride. You can also adjust avoidances and alternate route suggestions.

How to skip waypoints mid-ride

- While in a ride to skip the next/up coming waypoint tap the “hamburger” menu in the very upper right corner of the screen and tap “Skip Waypoint” and then select Yes (or no).
- The GPS will then recalculate your route to the next waypoint or destination.

How to search for a destination and save your home address

- The GTS Infotainment has a “universal” search called One Box Search. You can search a business name, address, city, unique location, or other identifying information and the GTS will try to find your location for you.
- In the Map/Navigation screen tap the magnifying glass in the far upper left corner of the screen. This will open the Navigation menu. Tap the Destination icon to begin searching. Simply type and the search results will update and display.
- Tap an entry to create a destination or waypoint.

How to set ride preferences & avoidances

- To set global ride preferences and avoidances while in the map/navigation screen, tap the search icon in the upper left corner, then press the gear icon in the upper right corner. Scroll down to find route preferences, such as Scenic, Fastest, Twisty and Shortest. Scroll further down to find avoidances, such as highways or tolls or dirt roads.
- To set a ride specific preference or avoidance open a saved ride by tapping the search icon, then scroll to the second screen and select rides. Choose a ride and then select options. Scroll down to find route preferences and avoidances.
- Global settings will override the settings chosen in a GPX file.
- However, if they are set, ride specific settings will override the global settings.

How to clean up locations/GPX files from GTS memory

- The GTS GPS system has certain storage limits and sometimes you need to remove old rides, locations, waypoints from the system.
- To do so, from the map/navigation screen, choose the search icon from the upper left corner and open the section you wish to delete, Rides, Saved, Contacts or Trails. Click the icon then scroll to the bottom of the list and select delete. Confirm yes or no.

Tutorials

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- YouTube: How To tutorial about the general use of the Harley Infotainment:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=6oqypR1XAIQ>
 - How can I download the Harley-Davidson app?
 - Download the Harley-Davidson™ App in your respective App Store:
 - [here](#) for iOS and [here](#) for Android.