

## How to use GPX Viewer as a simple navigation

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GPX Viewer can be used as a very simple navigation tool which will continuously align map position and rotation to device current position and orientation. For this usage you first need to open gpx or kml file in GPX Viewer which is described in [How to open gpx or kml file](#). Note that GPX Viewer won't provide you turn-by-turn instructions. Below are instructions how to enable simple navigation functionality:

1. Ensure that **GPS** is **enabled** on your device.
2. If you have **Android 6.0 or higher** ensure also that GPX Viewer has **permission for location granted**.
3. Open left main menu and tap on **Follow GPS**.
4. Again open left main menu and tap on **Rotate map**.
5. Then alternatively you can **zoom in** to your device position.
6. When you open left main menu and tap on **Settings** then on **GPS** you can enable or disable **Rotate map according** to GPS option. You can also enable or disable **Move to lower part of the screen** which will enable or disable moving position on map to lower part of the screen.

You can also watch this video how to do this:



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