

Icons for Points & Tracks folders



This page is obsolete and will be reworked soon

- Locus type: `<html>FreePro</html>`, **0.6.12+**
- Last updated manual: **3.0.2**

Basic information

Locus allows use custom icons for **Points** and also **Tracks** folders.

Once you create or download any icon pack, you may simply select icons for folder in **Folder Add/edit dialog** or in **Edit dialog** for points (simply tap on point and choose edit from sub-menu)

Information

- **directory:** *Locus/icons/*
- **pack:** zipped (*.zip)

Making of own icon packs

- compress icons (with **zip** compression) and whole file copy into **Locus/icons** directory.
- In dialog where you select icons, you will be able to choose, which icons (internal Locus or any of your files) you want to show!
- size of icons is on you! Suggest sizes around 32x32px or **48x48px**. Suggested format ***.PNG**
- align of icons is on center of the bottom border. *Other align is currently not possible*
- some icons are already in Locus Store. Do you want to place there some of your own? Get in touch with us!

Map & Navigation cursors

- Locus type: `<html>Free</html>`, `Pro</html>`, **2.0.0+**
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Basic information

One of possible modifications in Locus, is ability to set own cursors (images) on map. Here is short explanation, how to do it

All possibilities are divided into two packs – Basic cursors and Navigation cursors

Information

- all subfolders in ZIP file are optional. They may be used, if you want create some public available icons (we'll gladly put them in Locus Shop, possible also as paid content). In this case, Locus choose automatically best folder.
- if you want to use pack just for your personal usage, best is to put icons into root of zip file

Basic cursors

- directory: *Locus/icons/cursors/*
- pack: zipped (*.zip)
- where to select: Menu > Settings > Maps > Map cursors

content: (example name 'myIcons.zip')

```
myIcons.zip
nodpi/ (optional)
  ic_location_gps.png
  ic_location_network.png
  ic_location_cross.png
  ic_location_move.png
  ic_location_view.png
```

```

    ic_rotate_arrow.png
xhdpi/ (optional)
    ic_loc ...
hdpi/ (optional)
    ic_loc ...
mdpi/ (optional)
    ic_loc ...
ldpi/ (optional)
    ic_loc ...
ic_location_gps.png
ic_loc...

```

Navigation cursors

- since version: **2.0.3**
- directory: *Locus/icons/navigation/*
- pack: zipped (*.zip)
- where to select: Menu > Settings > Maps > Navigation cursors

content: (example name 'myIcons.zip')

```

myIcons.zip
  nodpi/ (optional)
    ic_navig_foot.png
    ic_navig_cycle.png
    ic_navig_car.png
  xhdpi/ (optional)
    ic_nav ...
  hdpi/ (optional)
    ic_nav ...
  mdpi/ (optional)
    ic_nav ...
  ldpi/ (optional)
    ic_nav ...
  ic_navig_foot.png
  ic_nav ...

```

Geocaching icons

- Locus type: `<html>Free<a href="https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=menion.android.locus.pro&referrer=utm_source%3Ddocs%26utm_medium%3Dheader%26utm_content%3Dgeocachin`

[g_icons](#)” target=“_blank”>Pro</html>, **2.11.0+**

- Last updated manual: **3.0.2**

Basic information

Locus now offer ability to create custom icons for geocaches. Current implementation isn't as straightforward as adding custom icons described above, anyway we suggest to read that also.

The whole procedure requires a few steps

- creating icon pack
- uploading icon pack into **Locus/icons** directory
- configure Locus to use these icons

How to

Creating icon pack

Images of caches are usually created from one icon (in case of *disabled* and other state, it's more then one). Anyway this new system offer to create icons with various parameters.

Firstly, prepare images you want to use. At bottom of this manual is a list of possible image names. I'll not explain all images, as all are self-explaining by it's name.

You don't have to use all images. Locus will firstly try to load images from your pack and in case icon is missing, default will be used.

All icons compress to zip file (icons will be stored directly in zip, not in any sub-directory) and place them into **Locus/icons** directory

Configure Locus

To use these icons as a substitution for default Locus icons, you have to specify this file in Locus [Configuration file](#). So edit this file and into parameter **geocaching_icon_pack** specify zipped file. That's all you need to do.

List of possible icons

```
// basic icons
type_benchmark.png
type_cache_in_trash_out.png
```

```
type_earth.png  
type_event.png  
type_gps_adventure.png  
type_groundspeak.png  
type_letterbox.png  
type_locationless.png  
type_mega_event.png  
type_multi.png  
type_mystery.png  
type_project_ape.png  
type_tradi.png  
type_virtual.png  
type_waymark.png  
type_webcam.png  
type_wherigo.png
```

```
// difficulty icons
```

```
diff_10.png  
diff_15.png  
diff_20.png  
diff_25.png  
diff_30.png  
diff_35.png  
diff_40.png  
diff_45.png  
diff_50.png
```

```
// terrain icons
```

```
terr_10.png  
terr_15.png  
terr_20.png  
terr_25.png  
terr_30.png  
terr_35.png  
terr_40.png  
terr_45.png  
terr_50.png
```

```
// size icons
```

```
size_huge.png  
size_large.png  
size_micro.png  
size_not_chosen.png  
size_other.png  
size_regular.png  
size_small.png
```

```
// some special icons
```

```
special_computed.png  
special_disabled.png  
special_found.png
```

```
special_not_found.png  
special_own.png
```

```
// icons for waypoints  
wpt_final.png  
wpt_parking.png  
wpt_question.png  
wpt_referencepoint.png  
wpt_stage.png  
wpt_trialhead.png
```

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