

iShred Rocks the iPhone with Great Sounds and Incredible Effects

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- * Adrenaline - Treble Booster for that extra shot
- * HK-2000 Delay Unit - For that fat slap sound or cavernous echo
- * Hot Fuzz - Adds some spice, from light fuzz to heavy distortion
- * Kompressor - Gives power chords massive sustain
- * Q-36 Space Modulator - Multi-pattern modulation pedal
- * Sybil - Dual chorus pedal with rate, depth, and mix
- * Trembler - Tremolo with controls for speed, depth, and waveform
- * Wahsabi - Tilt the iPhone to control the sound of this wah pedal

Up to four effects may be used at a time, and the effects settings are saved with each song.

iShred provides a playing interface that's both powerful and easy to learn. Songs can be created from a huge library of over 2000 built-in chords, scales, and fret positions, by assigning them to the two rows of buttons at the top of the screen. The buttons provide immediate access to all the chords and scales for a song, and allow easy switching between strumming chords and playing melodies. Other advanced playing actions such as hammer-on's, pull-off's, and pitch bends are available to provide even greater realism.

iShred has a built-in recorder that lets players capture and refine their performances. The recorder can be used to share songs with friends, or to create tracks to jam along with live. The iShred recorder provides undo and redo, "tap tempo" and metronome functions, and saves each recording with its associated song. Recorder controls slide out of the way during playback and recording to maximize the performing area on the touchscreen.

Saving, copying, and backing up songs is simple with iShred's wireless web backup and retrieval. It also allows song data and recordings to be transferred to another iPhone, or to Frontier's acoustic guitar app, Guitar v1.2.

Pricing and Availability:

The application is available now on the iTunes Store for \$4.99 (USD).

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