

5 best Apple Pencil alternatives

The following article proposes 5 great alternatives for Apple Pencil that are compatible with most iPad models.

For anyone with an iPad Pro, or the latest iPad model focused on education, the Apple Pencil is hard to beat.

This optional device is a great way to create artwork or even take notes. The pen uses some great features not available for any other stylus. This is thanks to Apple's grasp on both tablet hardware and software. Knowing how to use Apple Pencil makes your iPad experience much better.

But there are a significant number of iPad owners whose tablets are not compatible with Apple's stylus. And many of these users are looking for a stylus to help augment the experience. So, the following article proposes 5 great alternatives for Apple Pencil that are compatible with most iPad models.

What is the best Apple Pencil alternative compatible with iPhone and iPad?

1. Adonit Pixel
2. FiftyThree Pencil
3. Wacom Bamboo Duo
4. MoKo Active Stylus Pen
5. Studio Neat Cosmonaut

1. Adonit Pixel

Reference price: \$ 112.98 (VND 2,627,000)



If you're looking for an experience similar to the Apple Pencil, the Adonit Pixel is a great option. Most notably, this 1.9mm stylus tip increases accuracy and a more natural writing experience.

This stylus is not compatible with the iPad Pro line, but works with most other modern iPad and iPad mini models. And users of iPhone 5 or newer models can even take part in the fun. The built-in grip sensor will automatically activate when you pick up the device, so the stylus is ready to go immediately.

Connected to an iPhone or iPad via Bluetooth, the stylus can respond to 2,048 levels of onscreen sensitivity. You can create strokes of different widths. There's also an anti-fingerprint feature, which only allows the stylus to make marks on the screen.

Two programmable shortcut buttons give users quick access to features like deletion and redo. This is a feature that definitely can't be found on Apple Pencil.

You can use the stylus with a variety of applications such as Goodnotes, Procreate, AstroPad and other options.

Buyers can choose the black or bronze version of the Pixel. The body of the pen is made of brushed aluminum.

2. FiftyThree Pencil

Reference price: \$ 44.98 (VND 1,045,000)



There are many types of pens available for iPad, but FiftyThree Pencil is literally a bit more than an Apple product. The outside of the pen is made of real wood, plus a pointed tip that makes the product look closer to the actual writing device.

The other end is an 'eraser'. Just flip back to delete anything on the tablet screen, when using a supported app like FiftyThree's Paper. Other great features are unlocked when using Bluetooth connectivity, including palm rejection and the ability to use fingers to smooth rough edges and blend colors directly on the page.

And even better, you don't need to worry about the stylus rolling off a table or other surface. The pen design is inspired by the pencils that carpenters use, so it helps the stylus stay where you put it.

FiftyThree Pencil is compatible with most iPad models, including iPad Pro, as well as iPhone 4S and above. Its battery lasts about a month (with normal use) and can be fully recharged in less than 90 minutes.

Besides, you do not need to worry about pairing, because just pressing the pen tip on the screen will help it connect via Bluetooth. Even if you do not use this pen with a supported application, it will still work on any other application and touch screen.

3. Wacom Bamboo Duo

Reference price: \$ 96 (VND 2,233,000)



Wacom created input devices long before the iPhone and iPad were released. Wacom Bamboo Duo is a stylus for iPad (or iPhone) and is compatible with any touch screen device.

As for the stylus, the smooth carbon fiber tip is completely replaceable. The pen tip is compatible with the standard D1 ink refill feature.

The triangular design is based on ergonomic standards and makes users feel comfortable holding the pen during use. When traveling, the magnetized cover stays safe on the pen and even fits into the iPad case.

4. MoKo Active Stylus Pen

Reference price: \$ 28.99 (675,000VND).



Anyone with a limited budget who is looking for a great stylus for both writing and drawing should check out the MoKo Active Stylus Pen.

One end of the pen has a smooth, 1.5mm metal point that feels real to write on the screen of most new iPad and iPhone models. MoKo Active Stylus Pen requires a built-in rechargeable battery in about an hour. The pen provides up to 8 hours of continuous use and will automatically turn off after 30 minutes of inactivity to save energy.

The other end of the pen has a soft rubber part to use without batteries, operating on every touch screen. An integrated clip allows it to fit into a tablet case or to be in a pocket on the go.

5. Studio Neat Cosmonaut

Reference price: \$ 24.99 (581,000 VND)



Don't let the size of Studio Neat Cosmonaut fool you. Although it looks like a dry erase pen, this stylus has a hard aluminum core and the outer is made of soft rubber. The stylus tip is solid and responsive on any iPad or iPhone touch screen.

The large size makes this stylus a perfect choice for anyone who wants their children to write or color on iPad. It can also be used by anyone who is having trouble holding smaller, more compact alternatives. You do not need to charge this stylus and it is compatible with any application.

With one of these stylus options, virtually any iPad user can reach a new level of productivity. Whether you use the iPad note taking app, relax with an adult coloring book or do something else, one of these options will definitely help.

And if you're interested in turning a mobile device into a true laptop replacement, check out the article: Top 10 laptop replacement devices from [TipsMake.com](https://www.tipsmake.com). If in the end, you still decide to choose the Apple Pencil, you can easily find yourself the best Apple Pencil accessories or consult the top best apps for Apple Pencil.

Wish you find yourself the right choice!

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