

Photo App Editing Features

Introduction

The first table below is a list of editing features that can be performed by the native Photos app. The second table is a list of additional tasks that can be performed by 3rd party apps. This is not an exhaustive list of apps since there are literally hundreds of them, but it should get you started. It's obvious from the second table that you can do a lot for free with Snapseed and only purchase an additional app as needed for a special purpose.

iPhone native app editing features

Feature	Notes
Crop	Has aspect ratio controls
Rotate, straighten	Can also flip photos
Light, color and B&W	These work well
Filters	Has 10 variations
Save image	Cannot save a copy (create versions)

3rd party app editing features (My favorites are in bold)

Note: Some apps have in-App purchases to unlock additional features

Features	Apps	Price
Sharpen photo	Snapseed	Free
Add border or frame	Snapseed	Free
Add text	Snapseed Photoshop Express	Free Free
Add vignette	Snapseed	Free
Change white balance	Snapseed	Free
Add canvas (expand)	Snapseed	Free
Save photo as a copy	Snapseed	Free
Edit Raw photos	Snapseed	Free
Selective adjustments	Snapseed	Free
Correct perspective	Snapseed, Photoshop Express SKWRT	Free \$1.99
Clone, patch & heal	Photoshop Fix	Free
Use layers, masking, blending modes, opacity	Photoshop Mix	Free
Create Collage	Photoshop Express	Free
Convert photo to a sketch	Pro HDR X (camera app) Enlight	\$1.99 \$3.99
View photo data	Investigator	\$2.99
Resize photo	Image Size	\$2.99
Remove lines & Blemishes	Touch Retouch	\$1.99
Add textures	Vintage Scene	\$1.99
Combine multiple images	Superimpose	\$1.99
And many more features	Photoshop Mix	Free
Batch resize	OneEdit Pro	\$2.99
Do just about anything	Enlight	\$3.99
Infinite variety of textures	Mextures	\$1.99