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The findings from *Trail Running's* 2021 awards testing team proves that nothing comes close to the COROS APEX Pro watch in the world of off-road wearables

The results are in: the COROS APEX Pro has you, the trail runner, in mind when it comes to the information needed for an amazing off-road adventure. It's all there, from the really clear information, accessed by scrolling through the customisable screens, to the stats and, more excitingly, the 3D distance report on the route you've just run. “A great feature which more accurately tracks how far you have run considering ascent/descent,” says Simon James, international mountain leader, founder of Run the Wild and *Trail Running's* watch tester for 2021. “This really is a watch designed with mountain running in mind.”

HOW THE TEST WAS WON

Simon James put the watch through a rigorous set of tasks where it scored highly for...

- Battery life
- Running metrics (run time, speed, pace, mileage, lap/rep time, time of day, ascent/descent)
- Durability
- Accurate GPS and navigation breadcrumb trail
- Weight
- User-friendliness in all weather and lighting conditions
- Looks
- Ease of screen data personalisation



WHY IS COROS APEX PRO BETTER THAN THE AVERAGE?

BATTERY LIFE
30 days vs 27.63 days

BATTERY LIFE WITH GPS ON
40h vs 22.56h

RESOLUTION
240 x 240px vs 45.93KP

WEIGHT
59g vs 65.21g

WATERPROOF DEPTH RATING
100m vs 73.75m

THICKNESS
13.4mm vs 14.54mm

HEIGHT
47mm vs 50.59mm

PIXEL DENSITY
283ppi vs 278.34ppi

The APEX Pro £449.99

Coupling high-quality materials with a super-long battery life of up to 100 hours on one charge, the APEX Pro packs in all the features needed to complete any outdoor pursuit.

Features include all the basic GPS functions, as well as several very welcome premium features which include:

- Navigation and route planning
- PulseOx & Altitude-Acclimation
- Sleep Performance
- Sensors ranging from barometric pressure to (as of the latest update) cadence and running power – without the need for a secondary accessory.

It is one of the first watches in its category to offer both button and touchscreen usability, allowing the user to control the watch via the digital dial and buttons in thick gloves, or via their finger to easily access data fields or to look around the map.

Weighing just 59g and with a 100m waterproof rating, the titanium casing and strong sapphire glass make the APEX Pro a perfect mountain companion. **TR**



‘COROS has very quickly established a reputation for creating watches with fantastic battery life’